ASHEVILLE DAILY CITIZEN: TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 27, 1890.

\$20,932,445

Is the River and Harbor Appropriations Recommended.

The Purposes For Walch the Money Is Wanted.

Almost \$40,000,000 Were Asked For, but the House Committee Cut It Down Nearly One-Half-The Mississippi Comes In For the Largest Appropriation, \$3,-992,000-National News.

RIVERS AND HARBORS.

The Appropriation Bill Taken Up in the

National House, WASHINGTON, May 25.—The reaction in the house after the strain to which the members have been subjected in at-tendance upon the consideration of the tariff bill, was noticeable in a decreased attendance. The river and harbor bill was taken up without any ceremony, although there was a story abroad that easure would be held off to continne the presence of those interested in order to transact the buiness of the house

order to transact the buiness of the house with a quorum. Mr. Henderson, of Illinois, explained the provisions of the bill and other members followed in argument for its passage, but as the debate proceeded there was a thinning out on the floor that compelled those who remained to bunch into a small family gathering, whose conversation was not audible in the galleries.

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Wanted Nearly \$40,000,000. The report of the committee on rivers and harbors tells all that is necessary to know about this measure. The aggre-gate amount of appropriations recom-mended is \$20,932,445, based upon esti-inates of the engineers amounting to \$39,585,043. From an examination of the bill it appears that \$13,934,950 have been recommended for the improvement of rivers and other water ways: \$5,797,-495 for the improvement of harbors and breakwaters, and \$200,000 for surveys and contingencies. There are fifty-six new projects in the bill, contemplating an immediate outlay of \$1,217,250. Never a Groater Demand.

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There has never been a greater de-mand for appropriations, but notwith-standing the fact that no river and bar-bor bill was passed for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1800, and many impor-tant works were suspended for want of money yet the symmittee did not deem money, yet the committee did not deem it advisable to recommend for passage of a bill which would be regarded as excessive in the amount appropriated.

The Mississippi.

The largest appropriation in the bill is for the Mississippi river, for which the sum of \$3,992,000 has been recommend-ed. While this sum seems large, yet the river is a wonderful river, watering one of the richest and most productive val-leys in the world, and the entire coun-try is interested in its improvement. try is interested in its improvement; and certainly the ten states which bor-der on its banks have a deep interest in its improvement.

The Missouri.

The Missourt. For the Missouri river the committee have recommended an appropriation of \$900,000, with a view of beginning a thorough and systematic improvement of the river, commencing at the month; and have made no recommendations for any localities on the river, leaving it, however, to the discretion of the secre-tary of war to analy such section of the tary of war to apply such portion of the amount appropriated in the protection of harbors and localities on the river as he may deem advisable.

In the river and harbor bill of August, 1888, \$1,000,000 was appropriated for this river, \$775,000 of which were ex-pended at various localities on the river, and only \$275,000 were left for the gen-eral improvement of the river. This the Missouri river commission seem to have regarded, and very justly, as an aban-donment of the improvement of the river, and the committee commends what the commission say upon this sub-ject to the house, adding if the Missouri river is to be improved it it time that a thorough and systematic course of im-provement was commenced. Hilmois and Mississippi Ship Canal.

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Illinois and Mississippi Ship Canal. The committee have recommended an appropriation of \$500,000 for the purpose of commencing the construction of the Illinois and Mississippi canal, to connect the upper Mississippi river with the lake system of navigation, and thus give to the northwest and to the east a continuous water line of trans-portation from the head waters of the Mississippi river to the Atlantic sea-board at the city of New York. Good Results.

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Good Results. The committee's report concluded as follows: "The reports received from all over the country and especially from members of the house, show very grati-fying results from the improvements which are being carried on throughout the country. There is not only a large increase of commerce on the improved rivers and water ways, but a great re-duction of freight rates have followed their improvement; and your committee feel confident, after a long and patient investigation of the subject, that there is no money expended by the government which is so much in the interest of the people as that expended in the improve-ment of the water ways of the country." ZACHARY TAYLOR.

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Ohio Veterans of the Mexican War Think He Deserves a Monument

WASHINGTON, May 25. - The Ohio reterans of the Mexican war are agrrieved over the fact that no statue has seen erected in this city in memory of their gallant leader, Zachary Taylor, Senator Voorhees has presented a memorial from those veterans which is worded as follows:

worded as follows: "The Ohio veterans of the Mexican war, on this, the fourty-fourth annivers-ary of the victorics achieved by Zachary Taylor on the fields of Palo Alto and Resaca de la Palma, have learned with sorrow and regret, that while the National capital is everywhere orna-mented with splendid monuments to military herses, one may look in value for a cenetaph for Zachary Taylor, than whom our republic has produced

than whom our republic has produced no braver or more skillful general," "Therefore, this association, at its largest remnon, respectfully ask congress to do justice to the memory of Zachary Taylor and to his surviving comrades in arms, by causing to be crected a monument worthy of his great

deeds and of the glory of the republic." The memorial is signed by the presi-dents and secretaries of the State Association of the Ohio Vetarans of the Mexican War and the National association respectively.

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER.

Pavorable Report as the Bill to Prevent Its Desceration.

WASHINGTON, May 25 .- Judge Thomp-

on, of Ohio, from the house committee on judiciary, to whom was referred the bill to prevent the descenation of the United States flag, has reported as fol-UW'S:

The flag of our country is the symbol of our National existence, power and sovereignty. It is the emblem of freedom, and equality and representative of the glory of the American name. It is a re-minder of American fortitude, courage and heroism and of the suffering and the Saturday afternoon, while Ike Brewer,

sacrifices on land and sea which have been endured for its preservation, and for the preservation of the country it represents. It is the shield and pro-tection of the citizen at home and abroad, and should be honored and reverenced by every American who is a lover of his country. It should be a thing held sacred, and to deface, disfigure or prol-titute it to the purposes of advertising should be held to be a crime against the nation, and be purished as such. We therefore favor the proposition of the accompanying bill, but offer in lien thereof the following substitute and recommend its passage:

thereof the following substitute and recommend its passage: Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives of the United States, in congress assembled, that any person or persons who shall use the National flag, either by printing, painting or af-fixing on said flag, or otherwise attach-ing to the same, any advertisement for public display, or private gain, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on convic-tion thereof in the district court of the United States, shall be fixed in any sum not exceeding \$50, or insprisoned not less than thirty days, or both, at the discrethan thirty days, or both, at the discre-tion of the court.

Fing-Baising at the Randall School. There was a flag-raising Thursday on the Randall school, one of the largest of the common schools of the district. The scholars and teachers raised the funds. The principal corps of teachers and pupils as embled on the sidewalk; at a given signal the flag was raised, and as it was unfurl d to the breeze nearly 1,000 young voices greeted the National flag with lond cheers, and then sang an appropriate National air. Many of the children's parents and friends were pres-ent to witness the flag-raising. The flag is nine by sixteen feet, with stars to represent the forty-two states of the Union. Fing-Raising at the Randall School.

SUBSTITUTE FOR THE TARIFF BILL

By Such Action the Senate Finance Com mittee Hopes to Parilitate Matters.

WASHINGTON, May 25 .- It is the pres ant intention of members of the senate finance committee to report a substitute for the McKinley tariff bill when their consideration of that measure shall have been completed. This course is deemed to be better than to report the bill as it came from the house with amendments. For, when it goes into conference, there For, when it goes into conference, there will be but one question to settle instead of a myrtad of differences on points in detail. This was the course pursued with the tariff bill of 1883, and it was found to result in a saving of time. The finance committee will endeavor to maintain its determination not to give out hearings to any interstead marine minimal its determination hot to give oral hearings to any interested parties: but it was reported to day that import-ers of several cities to the number of 2,000 will come to washington next week demanding to be heard. If any such number, or even a smaller one, appears in a body it is probable that the com-nities will once its does to the seven mittee will open its doors to the repreentatives.

A FAMILY FEUD

In Logan County, Ky., Results in Two

Deaths-Jim Brewer Captured. CATLETTSBURG, Ky., May 25.-For the past four or five weeks a large scope of this county, Logan, has been in a state of intense excitement resulting from the killing of the Bairden boys by Jim Brewer and his resse. Brewer has been drinking considerably of late and seems anxious and willing to engage in an-other deadly conduct. Saturday morn-ing, May 18, two oper-tunities came, and this time his death-dealing Win-

pilt. Saturday afternoon, while Re Brewer, J. S. Lindsay, rector of St. Paul's church, Boston, as assistant Bishop of Alabama.

Jr., was in the store of George Waller, about one mille from the mouth of Pigeon and, without a word of warning, raised his Winchester high in the air and brought it clashing down with terrific force against the neck of Re Brewer. After seeing the terrible work thus word no to the floor with a broken neck. After seeing the terrible work thus wordshie word of warning, raised in the new already frenzied man. Put-ting his Winchester to the head of the prostrate man he pulled the trigger, scattering the victim's brains to the tour points of the compass. So quick had been the man's actions no one was able to interfers, and none desired to. After seeing the effect of his work had been the man's actions no me was able to interfers, and none desired to. After seeing the effect of his scottering the victim's brains to the tour Brewer, Sunday morning he was doin the direction of his residence, several miles distance, defying artf-st. A sheriff Chafing at the head to capture Brewer, Sunday morning he was dis covered some aniles from the scene of the murder is the passe and command-ed to surrender. The demand was an wered by a shot of defiance which dropped one of the pursning party of the murder is the ball through the hear, your correspondent was unable to learn wered by a shot of defiance which dropped one of the pursning party of the murder is the ball through the hear, your correspondent was unable to learn were do y a shot of defiance which dropped one of the pursning party of the murder is the ball through the hear, your correspondent was unable to learn the name. An cher of the sheriff's posse received a built in the hear. The were was captured and started to the joil in Learn C. H., some miles

Brewer was captured and started to be jail in Legan C. H., some miles distant. As soon as the news became noised around of the capture, several of on hand.

For Dry Goods and Shoes Ike Brewer, Jr.'s, friends started the direction of Logan C. H., with call on

intention of intercepting the party and taking the life of Jim Brewer. The

BOSTIC BROS. & WRIGHT. scene of the tight is about eighty miles distance and very remote from railroad No. 11 N. Court Square.

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The entire stock of

Sterling Silver Jewelry.

or telegraphic communication, and news travels very slowly.

Fletcher Harper Dead. NEW YORK, May 25. - Fletcher Harper, a member of the publishing firm of Harper & Brothers, and a son of firm of Harper & Brothers, and a soli of Fletcher Harper, the youngest of the original four brothers who established the publishing house, died at his resi-dence in this city, aged 62 years. Mr. Harper hal been in bad health for a

JEWELRY number of years. He Had Just Four Qualifications.

RALFIGH, N. C., May 24.-The Chowan

Baptist association has adjourned, after deciding to withdraw fellowship from Rev. Thomas W. Babb, who has been for several years one of the most prominent preachers of that denomination in the northeastern part of the state. They hormeastern part of the state. They also decided that he was unfit to preach, and some very serious charges were pre-ferred against him, among them being drunkenness, lying, embezzlement, and fornication.

Awarded Damages to a Lady.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 24.—Mrs. Eliza-beth H. Whitner, a grand-daughter of Hon. Alonzo B. Church, and of Gov, Magrader, of South Carolina, was hurt in the derailing of a car on the Richmond and Danville railroad, and sued for \$25, 000 hamages on account of permanent injuries. The verdict of the jury, in the

ity court, awarded the lady \$4,583, wit the cost of the trial.

Tramps will Take Due Notice.

MORGANTON, N. C., May \$1,-It is now known that the blackberry crop of the Peidmont section of this state will be erv short. So far as can be learned, it is the first time that this crop has failed. It has become a source of some ravenue, as the people dry and market them.

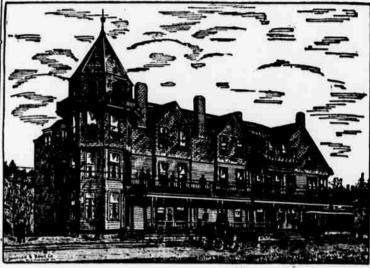
An Assistant Bishop Elected.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May 24 .- The con vention of the Episcopal diocese of Ala-bama, in session here, elected Rev. Dr. may12d30d

NOTICE.



In 100 Feet of Central Passenger Depot. ASHEVILLE, N. C.



A modern first class hotel. Hot and cold water and baths and toilets on every 'floor lectric hells in every room. Open fire in office and grates in hed rooms. Office, dining oom, lunch counter, cigar and news stand and har and billiard room on first floor. Blee ric street cars pass door every 20 minutes. Richmond and Danville railroad cating house 20 minutes for meals.



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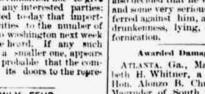
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chester rifle was turned against a rela-tive, Ike Brewer, Jr., with deadly effect. Ike and James Brewer got into an alter-cation about the wife of one of them. Mutual friends interfered, and the par-

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to come and help them build the great city; but contracts are already made with STEEL AND IRON CO., to construct two 150-ton blast furnaces, and a 300-ton basic open hearth steel plant. ROLLING MILL CO., to manufacture structural steel, bar and merchant iron, boiler and tank plate and sheet iron.

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Fully apppreciating these advantages, and with a view to their immediate utilization, The Riverton Land Company has decided to offer to the public a portion of the lots on their town site at

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