LLE DAILY CITIZEN.

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ONE hundred and fifty places on the committees were secored by southern Carolina's proportion of this value is men-not an undue proportion, nor one \$140,000. The latter is therefore the of which northern men can complain, seeing that of the more important chairmanships the latter have full share.

THE news comes from Washington that Jerry Simpson, he of the sockless trousers, combed the hayseed from his correspondence. hair, donned genuine silk hose that were presented to him, and has indeed become a congressional dandy, who can shine now with any of the swell members. To add to his other stylish acts, that would Abernathy was not guilty of any undu make his constituency blush, Jerry has intimacy with Mrs. Grimsley, and his friends and brother ministers have depurchased a bicycle, and can be seen coursing over the smooth asphalt pavements every afternoon. In his jaunty assault upon the minister. Grimsley is little cap and bicycle suit not even the still at large. News has reached her most intimate constituent would recognize him." We should say not. Next we shall bear from him in Wall street as a "shark" or an amateur "Napoleon of finance."

Needed at Home.

The first secretary of the Russian legation at Washington says that over twenty millions of people in Russia are starving. "I have not," he adds, "been both funds in the treasury 30th of last the starving are starving. instructed to open subscriptions nor ap- November, \$161,629, peal to the help of the citizens of your and your friends for the relief of our sufsuch aid is properly directed and delivered in Russia where it is most Dispatch.

he can, he is badly needed at home, where it seems all but impossible to relieve the suffering peasantry because of the wide-induce the cotton-growers to abandon spread corruption of office holders, who that crop. The alliance attempt to even even the most trifling assistance. A cor- rection. respondent at Moscow says that the hissed at in public because of his efforts in cotton, but the acreage in the county to secure a reform in the distribution will be reduced two-thirds. Our farof the relief funds. At St. Petersburg and oats they possibly can, and next subscribe anything, and the collection be a wheat, oats, corn, clover, hay, boxes in the corn exchange were found, when opened, to contain nothing but bits 1892. of tin and paper-a hideous mockery of sympathy.

The Senate Without a Presiding

A most singular thing occurred at the funeral services of the late Senator Plumb in the Senate Monday, and one that rethe remains were born out of the chamHe was born in Franklin county, in ber vice-president Morton followed them with a few others who were acquainted with the order of the arrangements, leaving the president and many other more or less distinguished men to realize that the senate had not been formally adjourned and that they were placed in the awkward position of choosing whether they would stand around and await the vice-president's return or get out without order or regard for precedence. The latter course was taken amid considerable confusion.

Later in the afternoon the vice-presi- of Wilmington. dent returned and at once recognized a senator who moved an adjournment. The motion was not answered in any way, but the senate was declared adjourned after having been in session an hour and a half without a presiding officer-something that has never before happened since the formation of the government, and, it is to be hoped, never will again under such circumstances.

A Public Scandal.

The nomination of Judge Woods, of Inof bribery brought against "Blocks-ofunder the statue to counsel any person where Dudley had in the meantime gone with threats of exposing others if the case against him was pushed, Judge Woods called the grand jury and charged them the reverse of his former advice. which was undoubtedly the only honest position that could be taken under the statue. The result was that Dudley, as a little flag episode in which Foraker all the world knows, came off untouched. And now Woods is to receive his reward-unless there are honest republicans enough in the senate to prevent his confirmation, which would be a scandal of the first magnitude.

Was That It? From the Mecklenburg Times.

The Scotts have Scotland, and the Macks hold Mackston, (Maxton) With Iver McIver, as judge, Neil Mc Neil solicitor, McRea and McLean to defend, with Laughlin as clerk of the court and Gregg McGregor (of the clan Rob Roy) sheriff, and Arthur McArthur, fore-man of the jury, how could it be ex-pected that a verdict of guilty would be rendered against Dougald McDoug-ald, the Scotchman, for the murder of Patrick O'Conolly, the poor Iriahman.

A Tremendous Progress. Chauncey M. Depew.

At the Centennial exhibition at Philadelphia Morse's telegraph comprised almost the sum of our knowledge of electricity, but a building at Chicago twice as large as Cooper institute, devoted entirely to electrical appliances and inven-tions, will demonstrate by the advance in one department the enormous prog-ress of the country in every department

The "Best" Republicans.

From the Chicago Herald "I do not know why it is," once exclaimed Leonard Bacon, "but the republican party is made up of the best people and yet it is always doing the worst things." When the doctor referred to the "best people" he meant Steve Elkins, Steve Dorsey and W. W. Dudley, of to be shocked by their performing the next twelve months.

Lovers of luxuries these holiday times will not have secured all the good things satil they get some Michigan celery, Suf-olk oysters, stall-fed beef and fat poul-ry at Hill & Shanks on Court square.

WHO PAYS THE TAX?

-The railway commission has just

made a decided stroke of business in getting the tax out of the Pullman Car company. The assessment was made on the basis of \$12,000 valuation of each car. This was taken as for the whole mileage travelled and the proportional distance of this travel through the state of North Carolina was ascertained. The latter was made a percentage of valua-tion. The total value of the cars passing through the state is \$564,000 and North \$140,000. The latter is therefore the basis for taxation in this state and the tax is thirteen hundred dollars. The treasurer the tax thus due. The legislature three years ago passed an act imposing a tax on Pullman cars, but was never able to collect, as the courts dereputation, "has shuffled off his jeans clared the act unconstutional,-Raleigh

-A Weldon dispatch says: Rev. W. W cided to stand by him. Even Grimsley's father-in-law condemns the murderou that efforts are being made to capture him. Abernathy is recovering.

-The statement of the state treasur balances shows that at the beginning the past fiscal year there was on hand of the educational and public funds \$164, 900. Receipts of both these funds during the past fiscal year were \$1,183,000 making the total receipts \$1.347,000 Total disbursements of the educations

-The assertion is now made that H. great and noble country, but you may M. Bowden, the departed cashier of the be sure that every cent sacrificed by you wrecked First National bank at Wilmington, has stolen \$50,000. His note for and your friends for the relief of our suf-ferers will help, and will bring everlast-Bowden has all been levied on for debts ing gratitude from my countryman. I to this bank and the savings bank. Yet, am quite ready and willing to see that strange to say, not the slightest effort has been made to arrest Bowden or to ascertain his whereabouts.-Richmond

needed."

—The farmers in many cases in the cotton-belt are in worse plight than they pressure was brought to bear in that di-

-Farmer in Charlotte News: "Nearly the richest merchants have refused to year, for the first time since the war, will That means a merry Christmas for us

—M. Hoffman & Bro., the heaviest cotton buyers of Scotland Neck, have re-cently shipped a lot of cotton directly

-Rev. Thomas C. Moses, a superan-1807, and had lived a long, useful life. He left two sons and a daughter.

-At Fort Mill Tuesday the unveiling of the handsome monument erected under the auspices of the "Jefferson Davis Memorial Association," was witnessed by over 1,500 people. -When Russell, the jailor's assistant

day to feed the prisoners, five of them grabbed and overpowered him in a cell and escaped. -The comptroller of the currency has appointed W.S. O'B. Robinson, of Golds-

boro, receiver of the First National bank -The settlement of the liquor licens matter at Charlotte will after all, it is now said, be left in the hands of the su-

preme court. -North Carolina is now the special scene of work of the green-goods men FIELDING'S PRIZE.

He Wins the Heiress Whom He

MARTFORD, Dec. 22.-The shrewd detective who has the reputation of running down limmy Hope, the notorious bank diana, to be circuit judge of the United burglar, has taken unto himself a wife. States recalls the fact that it was he who become the son-in-law of a millionaire. made impossible a fair trial of the charge and gone out of the detective business W. C. Fielding, at the head of the wellof bribery brought against "Blocks-of-fiive" Dudley. In November, 1888, Woods instructed the grand jury having of one of the richest families in Connectithe case in charge that it was a crime out, and the happy couple are spending under the statue to counsel any person their honeymoon in Europe. The marriage which was a secret one, causes : to "attempt" bribery. Three months later, under instructions, as it has alligh social standing of the bride. She is ways been believed, from Washington, a granddaughter of the late E. N. Welch, of Bristol, one of Connecticut's millionaire citizens .-- New York Sun.

FREE FLAGS.

Senator Sherman's bill authorizing the sale of regulation flags by the quarter

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dec10-deodtjant* his impending caucus struggle for renomination. It is equivalent to his saying:
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