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IF Judge Gresham is a Democrat. i heaven's name what are the rest of us

POSTMASTER GENERAL WANAMAKER never sold many ships over the bargain counter in Philadelphia. The other day he gave out an order, saying that the mail flag must be displayed at the miz zen when a vessel was receiving the mails. As about half the vessels that carry United States mails do not have a mizzenmast their captains think they have a quiet laugh on the Postmister General.

### CHEAP LIGHTING.

The present Board of Allermon will long be remembered for its extension of the lighting contract for a term of years at a high figure. There has never been any reasonable excuse or justification for the act. What Asheville might do is shown by the experience of Coldwater, Mich. That town purchased an electric light plant at cost of very nearly \$30. 000. Its last monthly report shows that 111 are lights and 2,300 incandescents cost the city only \$28,000or that month This of course requires explanation and it water sells light to private consumers just as all cities sell water, at a certain fixed rate. The total expenses of the lighting plant for the month, including interest on investment and a charge of three foreed to get my money from a home as-per cent, for wear and tear of machinery sociation? Protection is protection no was \$709.82. The income from lights sold to private consumers was 8680.92. leaving a deficit of \$28.90, representing) the cost of lighting the city for a whole month.

Our Aldermen voted a fire years' con tract at an exorbitant no in They wasted the people's money in so doing.

GRESHAM-WHERE IS HE?

It would be interesting to know whether Judge Gresham is to go into the cabinet as a Democrat or as a Cleveland man simply. In any case there is doubt of his ability, his courage or his sympathy with the people as opposed to monopolics. All this -and it is a good deal -is conceded cheerfully, but the question still remains, What are the Judge's politics? Where does he stand? Is he going to be with us and act of us? Will he turn the Republicans out or only the

rascals out? It is not six months ago that Judge Gresham said over his own signature, if we remember rightly, that he was with

the Democratic party only on the tariff question. Now, Democrats believe that an idea of the vast number of partridges all their policies are best for the country, and rabbits killed this winter in Chatthat they will, on the whole, if carried out, give more happiness and prosperity to the people than the principles of any other party. They also believe that at least all the officers of the administration who have to do with the corrying out of these principles shall be Democrats-otherwise they would not be carried out. The question clones up at once, will Gresham, a Republican till a 15 few months ago, carry out this i ten in products.

BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION. The fact is that the excellent captain of the Umbria, Captain McKay, was a EDITOR THE CITIZEN: In looking little more open with his passengers than over the papers 1 notice that Senator was quite prudent. With the laudable McDowell, of Mecklenburg, has intro-duced a bill in the State Senate, which anxiety, he informed them plainly of the prohibits building and loan associations cause of the stoppage of their course and rom other States from doing business a North Carolina. Now, I think our mode arealt is a state that we are the state of th scople ought to raise their veice against but sensible to be them know the truth the passage of the bill, for it is bound to and not imagine worse things for themto great injury to this State. Every-body knows that North Carolina is a right to ask for was information as to DO NOTM 1 S borrowing State, and reeds every dol-threshe can get to develop our resources. pursue, and Captain McKay made a

Then any restriction on her people in the way of getting all the money they man who questioned him on the subject.

the way of getting all the money they want and can get is injurious and detri-mental to her prosperity. Now these building associations bave been a great boon to many reaple of small means in this State, enabling them to fit the mortgage on their homes and to creet new houses, and all in such a cheap and casy manner that it is not The politeness was fatal. After the the pointeness was fatal. After the first charged by these associations seldom exceeds four per cent, as a whole. All of our progressive towns can trace their increased growth

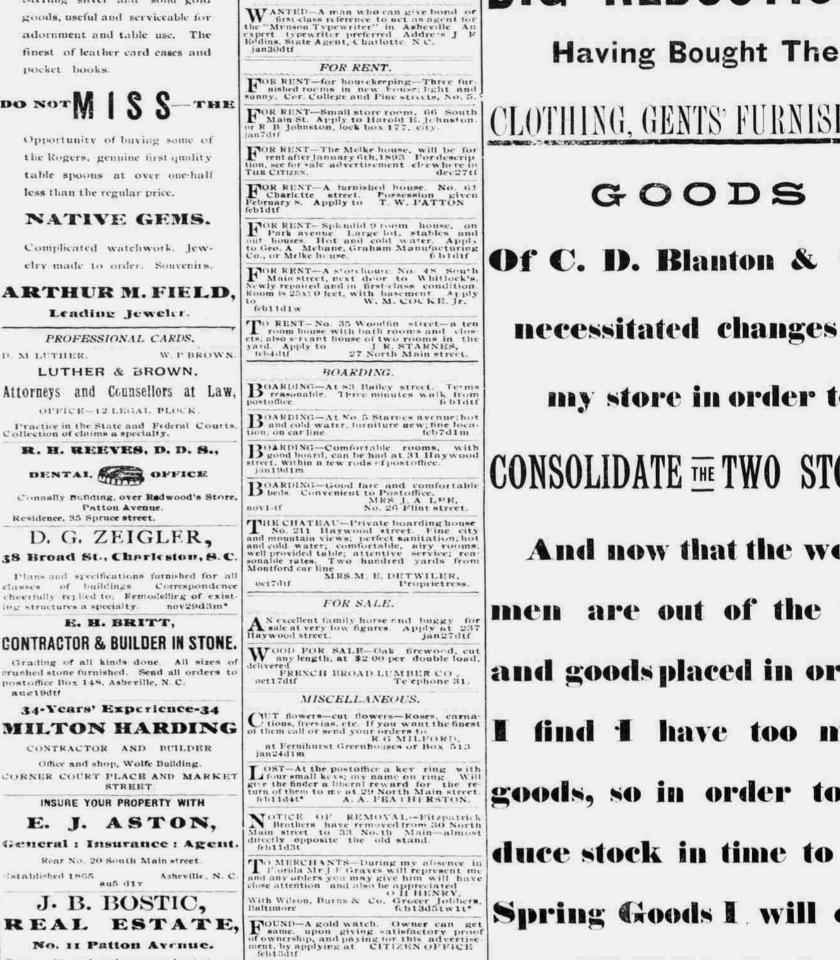
the unlucky commander of the ship and prosperity in a very great measure to building and loan associations. But, Had he only answered, as he would have been perfectly justified in doin-and as a great many other captains some one will say. "That may be true but we wint our home associations to to that work for us and so keep all the would certainly have done, "What busi money in our State." In reply to that, I know something about the home as-sociations, and I know that nearly all of them that are of any account already ness is that of yours? he might have made himself a little unpopular, but he would have saved himself from much further worry. The passengers seem to ave more business than they can do. have actually divided themselves into two But, what shall we think of a good bill, which shall be more at advocating frover Cleveland Democrat advocating McKinleyism in North Corolina? For that is just what it amounts to. As 1 understand Democratic doctrine, and 1 different camps and discussed a vote of confidence or consure. Happily com Mitorneys and Counsellors at Law, confidence was carried. What would maye been one all my life, it is that the have been done had the vote of consure been passed we cannot guess, but this at least we may say—that if that motion right to purchase wherever they wish to. Then, if a loan association from another had been carried it would have been the State offers me a loan, why should 1 be prohibited from accepting it, and be plain duty of the captain to put the mover, seconder and principal supporters of the resolution in irons .- London Specmatter whether applied to mational or to State affairs. And this bill seeks to tator

Captain McKay and His Passengers.

Aluminlum as a Coin.

foist the protective iden on our State and to put a wall around our borders A petition has been addressed to the just the same as the McKinley bill does around our national borders. Grenoble chamber of commerce, France, soliciting the demonstization of copper Western North Carolina, especially, needs all the money it can get. But this and its substitution by aluminium. manufacture of the last named metal at all proposes to cut off one source of its the Froges works, it is stated, has of late supply, and the consequence will be that our people will be forced to do without experienced considerable expansion .money or or pay an enormouus rate o interest to some money lender. The Baltimore Herald.

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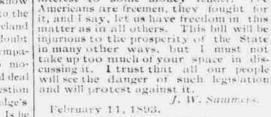
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It is said that the nomination of Gresham will please the independent mated. These could be no stronger thinking in his politics than a Demoeratic administration made successful by Democrats. If nothing succeeds like success, so nothing attracts like success. administration under a purely Democratic rule, and nearly all the voters who would be attracted by such a nomina-

But Mr. Cleveland will do to la wishes to do regardless of any an any of adverse comment. It is for that ort of thing that we admired him, though it must be admitted that there may be an over-dose of this as of many other excellent things. We dobut not that Judge Gresham will serve the country with credit to himself and honor to the country, but whether to the glory of the Democratic party or not will be known

erner," will be seen at the Grand opera house this evening with the original New York cast. This company will be remembered as playing in Asheville last er," was in Ralcigh on the 6th inst., when the opera house there was beautifully festooned and decorated in honor of Governor Carr's announced acceptance of an invitation extended by the management of the company to the Governor and family.

be a good house at this evening's performance. The Stock exchange scene is one of the most realistic and exciting ever put on here. One of the specially pleasing features of the performance was a dust between Joseph S. Gibbs, the hero, and Miss Pauline Willard, the heroine, entitled "The Same Thing Over Again," and this duct, if sung this even-ing as well as it was last season, will be a most enjoyable part of the program.

Avoid confusion and delay by reading carefully the schedule of West Asheville & CITIZEN.