THEECONOMIST CHAIRMAN MANLY'S CALL

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SPAIN IS GETTING READY.

A Spaniard and a treacherous First, Second, Fifth, Sixth, man are synonymous terms in Seventh and Eleventh to nomithe popular vocabulary, and the present exhibitions of the before the time fixed for the State national character of Spain Convention. seem to confirm the correctness of that popular estimate of the national character. With the declarations of peace upon her lips she is plying every means of preparation for war and is pushing her credit with desperate importunity to purchase war ships, and failing State from the foul rule that in that, she is endeavoring to form an alliance with foreign store Anglo-Saxon supremacy. countries inimical to the United States, 'and she may be more successful in forming al liances than in buying ships.

Combinations for all purposes, co-partnerships, trusts and combines are the great factors to witness what it has done for of this period of the world, the negro race and in proof of and in the last century com binations in war were characteristic of all the bloody conflicts of nations. The war feeling is faithful Secretary gives a few contagious and spreads like a prairie fire. Had the combi- or to the honored lineage he nation between England and Prussia not taken place, and had Blucher, the rugged old of our old State. He closes Prussian, not arrived on the with these stirring words: hard-fought field. of Waterloo, when the iron Duke of Wel-

E. F. LAND..... Business Manager Executive Committee, calls the under the banner of the carpet on Thusday, May 29th 1898, at 12 o'clock, noon to take such

> action as it may see proper. He recommends that judicial conventions shall be held in the

nate Judges for these districts

At their last meeting the committee adopted resolutions of which the following is a summary :

Resolution 1st-is an invitation to all white voters of North Carolina who wish to unite with us in rescueing the now dishonors it, and to re-Resolution 2nd,-assures the colored race, frankly, that they do not sufficiently realize their responsibility to the State, nor properly appreciate her interests and honor, and calls the past its kindness and charity in the

After these' Resolutions out words of counsel that do honbears and should sink deep into the heart of every true son

"A political campaign is just ahead of us in which the wag-

negroes and low whites. He Hon. Clem. Manly, Chair- is not a carpet bagger, but Interesting Items from Various Partts wears the livery and marches Convention to meet in Raleigh baggers. We beg to be excused from taking any Butler in home from Hickory, Va. ours.

> The best is none too good for you. That's why you should have a '98 Crawford from Hathaway Bros. who have the best.

> > INLAND DEFENCES.

Would not an appropriation by Congress to enlarge the Dismal Swamp Canal to a ship channel for ships of war, greatly benefit us in time of war by the facility it would

safely and quickly taken to any assailed point on our coast defence. How easy it would be for a fleet of light draft ships of war to pass through the inlets on our coast at Beaufort, Ocracoke and Hatteras and ravage the inland ter- Alm Cooper, of "The Fork." ritory of the Albemarle, Tar River and Neuse river sections which meet them with light battle ships from Hampton Roads. With some

dredging of not an expensive charthe enemy's ships that weredoing havoc in our sounds, Estuaries and riv-

ers. During the Revolutionary war, in the war of 1812 and in the late Civil war ships of war of light draft ravaged our country on these

on the watch out for Cockburn's

sounds. In our civil conflict all in trouble, and great damage was

sometimes done. In the war of 1812 when the English Admiral

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and serves the Republicans, NEWS FROM THE COUNTIES J. G. Etheredge formerly of this place, but now of Pinner's Point, Va., was out here Sunday, and returned Monday.

> M. J. Sawyer and two daughters of E: City spent Tuesday in this Village.

Mr. Oscar Sawyer has returned The dipper dredge is inside of Mr. H. W. Scott, of Hampton, Va. not so much mud. s visiting relatives here this week.

Last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Miss Birtha Harris, of Belcross, is G. W. Burnham and Miss Bettie like the prices,' Bass, of this place, were united in Mr. J. C. Morgan, of Edenton. the holy bonds of matrimony, by H.

WEEKSVILLE NEWS.

happy and prosperous life.

Mr. W. E. B. Williams, of Rose J. F. Davis, one of Elizabeth City's Dale, is the guest of the family of timber men, was here Tuesday. Mr. Jerry Sawyer. VILLAGE BOY.

Miss Bertie Sawyer, of Hickory, Va., is visiting Miss Lela Sawyer.

of the District.

PROVIDENCE' PERSONALS.

visiting Miss Emma Whithurst.

W. S. Jackson's.

Mrs. W. F. Murden and children, On Wednesday a negro man, afford to our ships of war to be of South Creek, N. C., are spending Charles Pool, called at Mr. Jenning's some time at Mrs. W. E. Wood's. shop, near Salem, to get a road cart Mrs. W. A. Halstead, of South that Mr. Jennings had repaired. He was about taking the cart without Norfolk, has returned from a brief paying for the work. Jennings told visit here.

> Misses Alice White and Maggie paid for the work. The negro said Wood, of Elizabeth City, were the guests Saturday and Sunday of Miss ordered him out, and the negro said Mr. Thos. Davis, of Centerville,

and Messrs. Wilson and W. T. could be easily defended if we could Davis, of Great Bridge, are visiting many of their friends here this to hold him, and while they were week

The usual religious exercises at drove off. He was taken by special Berea Sunday afternoon was largely deputy D. B. Walton for trial on acter they could scour our sounds attended, Rev. P. S. C. Davis was Thursday, before S. P. Wilson, J. P. and come in at the back doors upon present and assisted in the service. Mrs. Mary F. Davis and Mrs. Mrs. Nancy Sawyer departed this

Mattie B. Weeks have returned life early Sunday morning, aged 69 from a visit to Mrs. Morris, in Noryears, a funeral service was conduct- folk, Va. ed by Rev. J. B. Ferebee Monday.

Mr. G. W. Alexander, who has Mo. been confined to his bed for some days, we are pleased to see out

again.

NEWS FROM THE COAST.

Mr. J. E. Thompson, of Currituck these inland towns were constantly Inlet, spent last week visiting friends at Poplar Branch.

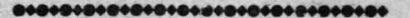
feet. It cures painful, swollen, smart-Alfred Etheridge and wife, of ing feet and instantly takes the | sting Currituck, spent Sunday with his out of corns and bunions. Its the father, J. B. Etheridge, at Wash- greasest comfort discovery of the age

guest of the Misses Simmons, at the

Lighthouse, Saturday and Sunday.

few weeks at Deal's Island Club.

let, the guest of H. M. Gallop.



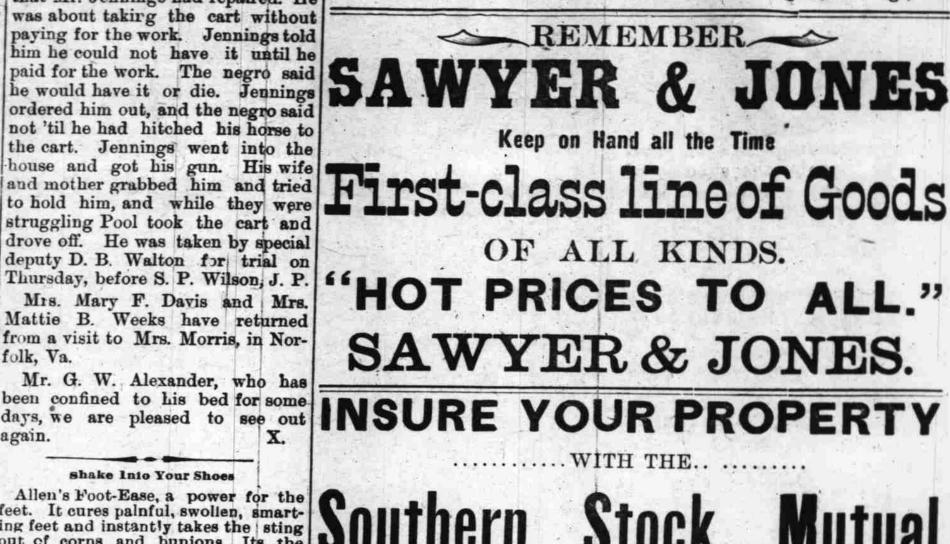
"Well, Mr. Wells, I have been all over town and looked at all our town limits. We welcome it, but the goods, but have come back to you, for I havn't seen any such qualities, or goods so pretty, as you offered me, for anything

The above is VERBATIM STATEMENT of an intelligent lady spent Saturday afternoon at Mr. C. Bright, J. P. We wish them a (stranger to us) who knew qualities. After examining our goods, and learning prices, she went out and on her return used above language. She traded \$20 with us and said she was going home and send neighbors.

Yours for Bargains

Racket Store.

Chock full Dry Goods, Notions, Hats, Shoes, Carpets, Mattings,



-AND----

Fire Insurance

Co's

lington was praying that er of the contest is the good Cockburn ravaged Hampton in woods. "night or Blucher one would name and prosperity of North Hampton Roads the towns in Eascome," the map of Europe Carolina. We should begin tern Carolina were in great dread would be very different test oath to our fellow citizens, from what it is now, and Eng- but extending a warm welcome land's drum-beat would not and full fellowship to all who expectancy of his coming. Edenton have been "heard around want to join us in securing was in great terror and James Sutworld." Had Fran the

American Revolution, the would not now be on all lips as --"First in war, First in Peace, and First in the hearts of his countrymen." Most of the great wars of history have been fought out by international meeting of the Democratic ington. sent exigency.

Spain, impelled by the ties two parties means a dicker and of blood and kindred. Ger- trade of Butler that the Demomany leans toward Spain, im- cratic party. It means that pelled by the spirit of hatred Butler expects to jion hands toward our people from the an- with the Democratic par tagonism of their form of gov- ty in order to put his ernment, and by its present dirty hands in the pot. Now complication of trade relations we hope our delegates to the with the United States. Fran. Democratic Conventiou will ce leans toward Spain from turn a deaf ear to all his proneighborhood relations and posals. He is nothing but a love of fight, and while Rus- trading politician and has not sia is friendly with the United (the support of his own politi-States, it has the entente cor- cal family. He is a low-down, diale with France and an implied unprincipled trade politician, treaty in case of troubled. If without intellect, and without pa-Spain is successful in forming triotism. Simply pap and notha warlike alliance with these ing more. nations, then the United States

Our observation is that our has serious work on its hands, Democratic constituency would and her only way out of it is by be horrified to follow But's the strong and loyal arms of lead and rally around his banits seventy millions of sons, by ner. For ourself we must say its thorough preparation for that our arm would be war, and by its alliance with paralysed and our voice be a England, Japan and, perhaps, still, small one, in obeying his the South American Repub- word of command, if we could share of the fifty million appropria- last Thursday in Newland at the ness. It is one of the simplest Clerk Sup. Court, Camden Co., N. C.

Then indeed would come the with the Democrats in the mo- tect our inland broad waters. war of the giants and history mentous campaign just ahead might repeat itself in another of us it should be under the "Thirty Years War" to com- general invitation to all voters. memorate the opening of the When he comes, if he does, he must leave off his epauletts. new century. Spain can close the war by We honestly believe he will accepting the decision of the be a handicap to us, come as American Naval Court of En- he may. In a plain phrase, we quarter of a century. Physicians this village. quiry in the case of the explo- hear our friends all say-"We readily admit that they obtain reous act in the harbor of Hav- committed the "unpardonable tions on the market that pretend ana. The decision of the Nav- sin" to North Carolina and to to do what al Court is a just one, and the the Democratic party. He is attempt of Spain to get up a not quite the man that wears counter report is a direct in- the livery of heaven to serve sult and a foul sequel to anatroci- the devil in," but he has "Cauous crime, which the United States will not heed. If the Arrest Arrest does, but they fail to perform it. The pure Norwegian Cod-liver Oil made into a delightful cream, skillwere to give heed to such an disease by the timely use of infamous trick they would be Tutt's Liver Pills, an old and driven to arms by an out raged favorite remedy of increasing popularity. Always cures Spain must back or fight, and if she falls back upon her SICK HEADACHE, impious combinations in an sour stomach, malaria, indigesunjust war, with herself in the tion, torpid liver, constipation wrong, then uucle Sam must and all bilious diseases. form his alliances or bow his **TUTT'S Liver PILLS** back for the conflict. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

work at once; prescribing no and we have heard it said that the first Mr. Gaston died from fright in just laws and good govern- ton who lived at Sandy Point was ce not joined the Rebels in the

future.

fleet, and as he looked down the Go to the City Fish and Oyster Market name of George Washington for fine oysters and fish, opposite sound, he saw some oyster boats Swain's Hotel, 'Phone No 123. coming up the sound, and supposing T. T. WHITCOMB. them to be the advance of Cock-

DON'T. Chairman Manly has called a

combinations. Spain knows Convention of North Carolina full well the benefit of a help- to meet in the city of Raleigh ing hand in a dire emergency, on Thursday, May 26th, 1898. and she is using every effort Butler has called a populist to play that hand in her pre Convention to meet in Raleigh about the same time. His con-Austria is outspoken for temporaneous meeting of the

burn's fleet, he fled in great terror to 'Edenton, But Cockburn was then burning the capital at Wash-ARE WE FORGOTTEN

While our country is making tive preparations for war would it not be well to turn their eyes toward this portion of the national vineyard. We are entirely unprotected and it would be an easy matter for war vessels of light draft to enter Beaufort harbor, Hatteras or Ocracoke inlets and desolute our whole section. There is a fort at Monday. the mouth of Cape Fear River to protect Wilmington, in case of serious war, but there is no defense at Hatteras or at Ocracoke and none at Beaufort. Is it our lot to be left

cities and towns. Our Representative in Congress should consider this and move for our national de-

fence. Our shallow water does not protect our towns. Our want of protection is an invitation to attack

We are absolutely helpless. In the event of a prolonged conflict, our waters might swarm with gnn boats of light draft and our towns conti-

do so at all. If Butler strikes tion to fortify our inlets and pro- public schools.

Allens Foot-Ease makes tight-fitting or new shoes feel easy. It is a cer-W. P. LeRoy, of Washwoods, tain cure of sweating, callous and hot, spent last Sunday at Currituck Intired, aching feet. Try it to-day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail for 25c. in stamps. Trial package FBEE. Address, Allen S. Thomas Taylor, accompanied by Miss Airline, of Currituck, was the Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Plants and selects at the City Fish

and Oyster Market.

shake Into Your Shoes

Major J. C. Murrill and wife, of Washington, D. C., and P. S. Con-ACADEMY ner, of New Jersey, are spending a

THE REAL

Company,

Ridiculous and yet perfectly natural

Brown

George Perkins and Miss Hettie Ansell, both of Knott's Island, were One Night Only united in the holy bands of matrimony Saturday night, Justice Bowden officiating.

Misses White, of Church's Island, and Pate, of Whale's Head; Messrs. White and Overton, of Church's Island, Brumsey, of Whale's Head, "Widow and Gray, of Currituck Inlet, were the guests of Miss Lucy Odell, at Poyner's Hill, Sunday, and report a "charming time."

Miss Annie Sickler, of Richmond, situations. exquisite costumes, bright Va., is the guest of Mrs. H. M. Gal- and catchy music and clever acting lop, at Currituck Inlet. We bespeak briefly describe "The Real Widow Brown," Mr. A. Q. Scanlin's latest bid for her a pleasant time. for popular favor along theatrical J. E. Munden should be comlines. An unqualified success in Lon-

mended for his heroic act in saving don, Berlin, and at the Standard Theatre, New York City, it is certain the school house at Warhwoods to be greeted here by large audiences. which caught fire accidentally on Nothing has been left undone to afford an evening of legitimate mirth.

Sharpie Emma Jane, under com- the highest merit. and the company engaged is one of mand of Capt. F. Harris, from Rap-Prices 35, 50 and 75 cents. Reserved pahammock river bound for James seats now on sale Selig's jewelry store

river, lost his course Sunday night and anchored Sunday, 3 p. m. two TO miles south of Washwoods. The unprotected while along the Atlan crew, composing the captain and tic coast from Maine to Florida forts one colored man, were brought are equipped for the defence of our ashore at 4 p. m. on Monday and taken care of by crew of the Washwoods Life Saving Station

> LONEINESS. BRIEFS FROM MUMFORD.

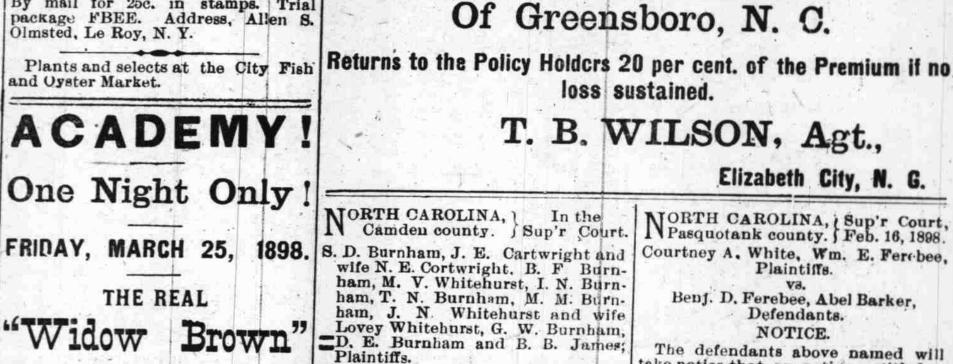
Miss Maggie J. Williams left last Saturday for a visit to friends and relatives in Berkley, Va.

Mr. S. Jennings, of Berea Chnrch, spent last Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Mack Hammond.

J. E. Warren's school closed last war but are waging war daily, not mur to the complaint in this cause, guous to the water might be reduced Friday; also that of Frank Stafford. on Spain but on high prices. The which will be filed in the same accordto ashes in short notice, without, Mayor C. A. Banks and I. M. success of our war on high prices is March, 1898. This, the 17th day of Elizabeth City month of Plizabeth City month and the month of March, 1898. landing a soldier. Let us have our Meekins, of Elizabeth City, spent proven by the growth of our busi-

J. E. J. Warren soon opens a pri- to prove that we have the best goods 66 RR for the least money. One has only vate school at Hope Academy. **General Debility** B. C. Jackson, of Rosedale, was to try and to try is to buy. Those in Elizabeth City Monday, purchaswho fail to see our goods and learn our prices lose bargains. ing goods. NIS. and Loss of Flesh We carry an assortment of everything usually kept in a first-class NEWS ITEMS FROM SOUTH MILLS. Scott's Emulsion has been the J. A. Pritchard and sister, Miss standard remedy for nearly a Louella, spent Suhday afternoon in Dry Goods, Clothing Miss Bessie Davis, accompanied sion of the Maine, and paying take no Butler in ours." But-such reparation for the atroci- ler comes very near to having from any other flesh-forming food, beth City Tuesday. And Notion Store. The best assortment of men's spring Mrs. W. S. Bartlett and Miss Mag- shirts and neckwear. Remember Bartlett went to Elizabeth City Tues- that on account of the rapid increase day. of our business we had to have more W. F. Harper, engineer at the room and have moved into the SCOTT'S plaining mills at the locks, got his Mitchell stand on Water street, next foot hurt by a piece of iron falling door to Melick, and have filled it up been duly registered as standard under EMULSION on it, last week but has resumed with new spring goods. We occupy Rule 6, in Volume XIV, of the "Amerwork this week. Rev. J. J. Parker, delivered a very nice and appreciated address with new spring goods. We occupy first and second floors, and now (March 17th) have in stock 319 suits of clothes and 411 pairs of pants in "30147—BEAM S. (6) b. h. foaled The pure Norwegian Cod-liver On made into a delightful cream, skill-fully blended with the Hypophos-phites of Lime and Soda, which are such valuable tonics, makes this preparation an resuch valuable tonics, res wasting tendency, and the of their patrons. A. Hooper & Co. patient almost immediate-J. Cecil Tretman, of the firm of ly commences to put on Wiggins & Trotman up on the Norflesh and gain a strength folk & Camden R. R., about five Wanted. which surprises them. miles from this place, has left for Local and traveling salesmen to sell our line of Lubribating Oils, Greases, etc. Go d opportunity to right party. THE GLEN REFINING CO., GID. GARRETT, Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion. See that the other parts. We regret his leave from curmidst, but our best wishes soc. and \$1.00, all druggists.

are with him



M. A. Riddick, J. L. Riddick, M. P.

NOTICE

aforesaid, and more particularily des-

First tract, known as the "S. J. Burn-

lina, at his office in said county on the

31st day of May, 1898, when and where

cribed as follows :

Underwriters'

NORTH CAROLINA, | Sup'r Court, Pasquotank county. [Feb. 16, 1898 Courtney A. White, Wm. E. Ferchee, Plaintiffs. Benj. D. Ferebee, Abel Barker, Defendants. NOTICE.

Elizabeth City, N. G.

The defendants above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pasquotank county to Riddick, T. C. Riddick, D. E. Ridpartition a certain tract of land situdick and S. M. Riddick, Defendants. ate in Elizabeth City township, Pasquotank county, N. C., wherein they are tenants in common; and the said The defendants above named will defendants will further take notice take notice, that an action has this day that they are required to appear at been commenced against them in this the office of the Superior Court Clerk sourt in fayor of the plaintiffs above of Pasquotank county on the first named; that the purpose of the same Monday in April, 1898, at the Courts to have a division by order of the house of said county and answer or court among the plaintiffs and defenddemur to the complaint in said action ants above named of the three tracts or the plaintiffs will apply to the court of land and improvements situated in for the relief demanded in said peti-South Mills township, State and county tion.

> J. P. OVERMAN. Clerk Superior Court.

NORTH CAROLINA, Pasquotank county, Elizabeth City township. In the matter of the Homestead of L.

L. Hayman.

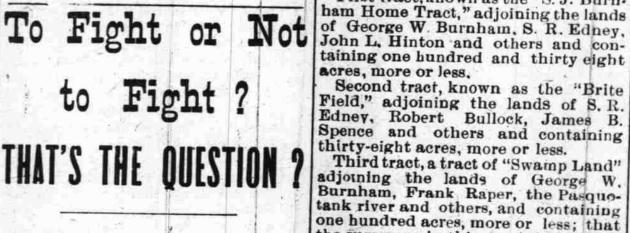
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

L. L. Hayman, of said county and State, having filed his petition before the undersigned for his personal property exemption, this is to notify all the creditors of the said L. L. Hayman that the said petition will be heard at my office in Elizabeth City one hundred acres, more or less; that township, Pasquorank county, on the the summons in this cause is returna- 4th day of April, 1898, when and where, Whether 'tis better to bear the ble before the Clerk of the Superior if they shall appear, they may be

> M. B. CULPEPPER, Justice of the Peace.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

Having qualified as administratrix of the late Margaret Palmer, I here-by give notice lo all persons indebted to her estate to come forward and make immediate settlement and those holding claims against the same



shame and disgrace of permitting Court of Camden county, North Caro- heard. Spanish cruelties to continue in Cuba or by war to end them. We the defendants above named are This 26th day of Feb. 1898. think war, and are not only thinking required to appear and answer or de-

things on earth, in Spain or in Cuba,

Cleveland, Ohio,



to present them for payment within twelve months from the date of this notice, or it will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. MRS. ELIZABETH A. BRIGHT. Adm'x. of Margaret Palmer, dec'd. March 2nd, 1898.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.

Having qualified as Executors of the late William W. Griffin, we hereby give notice to all persons indebted to his estate to come forward and make immediate settlement and those holding claims against the same to present them for payment within twelve months from the date of this notice, or it will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

ELIZABEETH G. GRIFFIN, M. R. GRIFFIN

E. F. Lamb, Att'y Feb. 24th, 1898,

Sale of Valuable Property.

By virtue of an assignment executed to me by L. L. Hayman, for certain purposes therein mentioned, which said assignment bears date of Feb. 25, Stanford, Ithaca, N. Y.; passed to E. F. Lamb, Elizabeth City, N C." Given under my hand and seal, at Chicago. Ill., this 31st day of December, A. D. 1897. I. W. STEINER 1898, and is registered in the Register's property conveyed to me as Trustee: One show case, 6 sets scales, 1 oil tank and measures, 1 horse and wagon. 1 desk, 1 sewing machine, 1 role of pa-per and holder, and a lot af open ac-counts E. F. LAMB, Assignce of L. L. Hayman. March 17, 1898.

Registrar.

Groom.