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THE \$25.00 PREMIUM

WHICH THE CAUCASIAN OTTERED GATHERED FROM EVERY QUARTER

elections, would be to stop appoint. Secretary of Agriculture have deciding men who would throw down re- ed to step the distributions of seed bers. and appoint true and honest men, who care more for truth and principle than for party, and will not per. N C. jure themselves for parties and offices. J. A. Harret, Dead.

Fraternally,

way to secure an honest election un- He was 52 years old. der the present election law of North Carolina. Let every voter, no mat- A charity ball which had been arcount the returns honestly. Also a and church circles. good coat of tar and feathers would do the secondrelly county commis Hon. Hoke Smith, Secretary of the P. O. Yours, &c.,

No. 6. HENDERSON, N. C., Dec. 22nd. and also let them agree to go to Ral- Lodge. eigh and have it counted right there.

THE NORTH CAROLINA MASONS

derstand that the meeting was very creditors. harmonious and largely attended. --for the ensuing year:

ter-Francis M. Move, of Moveton. have made her the wife of Mr. Jno. Right Worthy Senior Grand War- Cleaver.

den-Walter E Moore, of Webster. | Cumberland, Md., shot a bullet

William Simpson, of Raleigh. Right Worthy Grand Secretary - -William H. Bain, of Raleigh.

G. Rosenthal; of Raleigh, was points. made a director of the Oxford Orphan Asylum.

rain)-Can I be of any further ser- employment thereby. vice to you, Miss Brown?

Fido for a little walk; it does him so Springs, Ark., last Thursday. much good to have a run in the

A WEEK'S NEWS

Three More Letters - The Cancasian has And Briefly Told For The Readers of The dues, signs, grips, pass-words, or ob-

OF THE WORLD

of public printer for the U. S. Gov-

ter what his party affiliations be, ranged for Wednesday night of last ized the Secretary should fill out the that is interested in the purity of the week at Knoxville, Tenn., was deballot box, be on hand when the nonneed by some of the city minis-polls opens, determined to have an ters. The ball committee proposed honest election or burst the skull of no one of the ministers to abandon the scoundrel that attempts to do the time ball and par \$1,000 to charity stealing. And when the returning of he would raise a similar amount. Township board meets at the county seat, let The ministers combined and raised every one be there also, determined the money in a few hours. This acto do the same thing if they do not tion caused great excitement in social No. of Members

sioners good that refused to appoint Innerior, will deliver the oration at competent Judges of the electron, the next commencement of the Uni-This may not be the best way, but it versity of North Carolina. He is a P. O. will have to be done before we ever North Carolinian and a "Chapel have another honest election in this Hillian." His father was for 15 house in which President Winston second meeting of your club.

1893 - Hon, Marton Butler, Dage Mr. Ernest L. Lambert, assistant State papers please copy. Siz: I saw your notice in the pareditor of the Forum, died recently per, asking friends of the cause to at Southern Pines, N. C., where he obtto and new jersey farmers correspond with you as to the best bad gone early in the winter, hoping plan to count our vote next time. I to recover his health. During his The Secretary of Agriculture Condemned a result. Fraud and deception were ods. will submit the plan we partially journalistic career he was connected worked under in the last campaign, with papers as follows: The New

agree to go to the county seat and this time on account of the hun- he knew better." see the vote counted there as east, dreth annaversary of St. John's

As there are from 8 to 10 voting A blizzard prevailed almost everyshould be more help needed. It may death.

on. Have it also understood that if has passed resolutions denouncing Newberne. in any county it should be impossible to count our vote on account of and Mitchell, and urges the Governor enough will go from other counties seeing that the men do not meet on to see that the votes shall be counted Florida soil. [Good for the teachas cast. I am in favor at least of ers.

in the State. We can get a fair election if we will allow no quibbling Tuscumbia, Ala., went to bed on the by Collector Simmons to are the folfrom any source high or low. Our night of the 3rd inst. with a lighted lowing: James Moore, of Alamance: when the opportunity next presents Warmoth, vetoed the bill, but the longed till 2 or 3 o'clock. freedom is at stake, and I am in fa- pipe in his mouth. The bed cloth- W. J. English and George F. Ingles, itself. vor of organizing under a plan that ing took fire and the house was of Guilford; William M. Smith, of will count our votes instead of whin- burned. The wife and one child es- Richmond; O. E. Pemberton, of ing over lost votes after the election. Caped. The drunken husband and N. McIver, J. Harrington and J. L. D. H. Gill. two children were roasted alive.

The Montgomery Iron Company, C. F. Bradshaw, of Orange. The Grand Lodge, Ancient Free The liabilities are said to be \$330,and accepted Masons were in session 000. It is not thought that the

Rev. Jas. S. Robbinson was about to Journal. Right Worthy Deputy Grand Mas- perform the ceremony that would

Right Worthy Junior Grand War- him for drinking, Arthur Bopp, of death.

On January 10th, the Atlantic Coast The Grand Lodge appropriated Line put in service a thoroughly \$3,500 for the Oxford Orphan Asy- equipped vestibule train to ply between New York and Florida

The Homestead plant of the Carneigie Steel Co. has resumed opera-He (after seeing her home in the tions. About 2,500 men were given have been advertising."—Washing- through envoys, and others on their 2,916.

She—Yes, I wish you would take There was a \$75,000 fire at Hot

(Continued on Second Page.)

PEOPLE'S PARTY CLUBS.

The rules and regulations for governing the organization of the People's Party Club are as follows:

ligation in a Club. Second, Clubs may be started in and organize with five or more mem-

Third, The meetings of the clubs If it is Not a Crime For Cleveland to Religion and principles for party projmembers should be invited to attend. byterians elders did in this vicinity, missed. Among the number is Miss. Those who attend should be urged to

> ship shall be opposition to the fi nancial policy of Grover Cleveland and the Democratic party and a Mr. J. A. Harrell, the Proprietor promise to vote with the People's Editor The Caucasian: of the Weldon Printing House, and Party to secure a legislature next who was a candidate for the position tall that will give the people a free ballot and fair count.

Fifth, Each club shall have a Pres- mon's being a traitor to the Democra- be Dec. 22nd, 1893. ernment died in Henderson on Wed ident, Vice-President, Secretary and tic party and a disorganizer. His No condonement of the methods Mn. Entron: There is but one pesday, of last week of heart disease. Treasurer. In all other matters each text is the Clinton convention held club may make its own rules and in July, 1892, at which Hon. B. F.

> ollowing blank and send at once to Marion Butler, Goldsboro, N. C.

PEOPLE'S PARTY CLUB.

Write very plain the names and years professor of modern languages postoffice address of the President

WARION BUTLER. Chm'n People's Party State Ex. Com.

AFTER MORTON.

by Farmers' Alliances. and if put in operation in every York World, Panama Star and Ohio Farmers' Alliance in convenwas the beginning of a campaign not go far enough. Examples ought considers that the supper, and everylectual society are often more natural office of the custodian of the post township in the State. I believe we Hearld. The Montreal Gazette, The toon here adopted a resolution unanthing else, was on the same scale, it bethan their French rivals, and make less office building had no pay attached

Mr. M. E. Carter of Asheville to Succeed of deception and fraud.

places in each county, this plan will where in England last week. The Kope Elias finding that he could give at each voting place from 5 to mercury stood at different points not be confirmed has tendered his 50 at each county seat from 50 to from 10 to 25 degrees below freez- ing point. The wind was so severe be nominated in his stead, it is said. Have it understood that all Popu- that vessels had to be retained in Does this mean that Vance has given lists are to help if at any place there port. Numbers of people froze to in to Ransom so that Simmons can

PROMINENT WILMINGTONIANS

Boyd, of Moore; James J. Hunt, John O. Daniels, W. B. Allison and

in Wilmington last week. We un- company will pay 10 per cent. to unique newspaper in the world, and both used to defeat the will of the is the only journal published within people. He knows what methods the Arctic circle. It is printed at were employed to effect this result. lost 222.639. The following officers were elected Mrs. Phoebe Johnson dropped Cape Prince of Wales, Alaska, in He can aid materially in defeating dead Jan. 1st in a Methodist Par- atitude 54, degrees 40 minutes, and Simmons confirmation, by shoving ty gained 1,446. Mos Worshipful Grand Master sonage at Patterson, N. J. just as is issued only once a year. - Boston his probe in up to the handle and

Because his sweet heart reproved for the last two hours," said an agi. The very assumption puts him in a tated woman to a calm one. "Don't ridiculous attitude. It is not easy to gained 2,951, be excited, madam," replied the lat-Right Worthy Grand Treasurer - through his brain, causing instant ter. "I've been looking for a husband the appointment of a man who is for the last twentyfive years."—Har- charged with repudiating a platform ty gained 2,909.

SANTA CLAUS ON ADVERTISING.

"How does it happen that you are so well known and so popular?" inquired Boreas. "How does it happen!" echoed Santa Claus, in surprise at such ignorance. "Great Scott, man! Look at all the years I through envoys, and others on their In Iowa the People's party gained

ton Star. Nearly every man who has At one time an understanding was advertised in The Caucasian has probable, but it covered too much is said to be M. J. Bolling, of Winstaken the trouble to assure as that he territory and consequently, feel ton, who stands six feet six and onewas highly satisfied with the results. through. For instance, the collect- half inches in his stockings.

PROBE DEEPER, MR, HALE, orship of Wilmington was involved in the settlement, and some other

First, There shall be neither fees, YOU ARE DOING COOD MISSIONARY similar action in Simmons' case, but

pudiate the Chicago Platform Then it is Not For Simmons-How to Defeat Sim-Williams a Pupil And an Underling.

Grady was nominated for congress.

The vention and Simmons' manipulation work, as far as he goes, but he does did not cost less than \$10,000. When one even then the American women of inteltownship in the State. I believe we can count every vote. My plan is to have all the working machinery that we had in the last campaign and strengthen that in every way we can, at Landon, has made an attack upon a and in addition to that and out side at London, has made an attack upon unjust treatment of agricultural in
At the date of his letter of acceptable service in its courageous efforts an immense round table. The center of and a woman, are expected of you. of all our regular committees, (have the Governor and court of the board was covered with a gigantic two machines if you think best to of England. It predicts that unless Hastines, N. J., Jan. 4.—The so intense" in Washington, Mr. Grater fearless undertaking to expose fraud star of flowers: roses, arum lilies, and only veritable feasts for the mind, the expected pay and the office in questions and the solid part of the country of the country of the country of the board was covered with a gigantic star of flowers: roses, arum lilies, and only veritable feasts for the mind, the expected pay and the office in questions are not considered to the country of the c ance, Aug. 2nd, 1892, "the heat was to secure honest elections and its the board was covered with a gigantic in this society, the reunions are not and not to bribe him, inasmuch as he

avoid responsibility) on account of a change is made in the bank's meth
State convention of the Farmers' dy could only indicate his approval in the very just next, you will have beart also plays its part. You are wel
tion could not furnish it, Ransom's the People's party. To select not ods of business that a financial crisis Alliance of this State adopted a resof the principles of the Clinton platthe people's party. To select not ods of business that a financial crisis Alliance of this State adopted a resof the principles of the Clinton platthe people's party. To select not ods of business that a financial crisis Alliance of this State adopted a resof the principles of the Clinton platthe people's party. To select not ods of business that a financial crisis Alliance of this State adopted a resof the principles of the Clinton platthe people's party. To select not ods of business that a financial crisis Alliance of the Clinton platthe people's party. To select not ods of business that a financial crisis Alliance of the Clinton platthe people's party. To select not ods of business that a financial crisis and all through the comed with such cordiality that you feel talk to me about the large salary of less than five of the best men that will be brought about. It also hints ofution severely criticising Secretary form, but after the election when the can be had in each township, and that there are yet secret facts to be of Agriculture Morton, who "so mercury had fallen several degrees, select 50 if necessary, and let these known as to the banks bad manage greatly misrepresented the leading he took the first opportunity to remark to the banks bad manage manage mercury nau ramen several degrees, he took the first opportunity to remark to kind. The Americans at this feast estimated the star of flowers at six or seven

to the election laws, and to charged with the task of seeing that not one The Grand Lodge of Masons or littly of his position. The Grand Lodge of Masons or littly of his position. jot or tittle shall be broben in any North Carolina met with St. John's P. S. The Nebraska State Alliway. Let the men that are chosen Lodge of Wilmington last week, ance (Morton's own State) has also ton platform and Cleveland in the the closing of what was in many agree to see that their voting place or This was the first time the Grand passed strong resolutions. They say improbable event of his election, that ways the most remarkable institution township is counted right, and then Lodge ever met outside of the State ne "deserves their pity for his ignor- he would stand by his own people. the country has ever seen. We refer after that is done, let all of them capitol, and it went to Wilmington ance, and unmeasured contempt if Left to himself he would not inten-

INSERT THE PROBE DEEPER.

exposing Simmons, why not insert of the new year. his probe deeper and show up his It is safe to say that the history of Americans amuse themselves gayly. rascalities in the last election as the Louisiana Lottery, told in simple and ladies are of the party, as a rule. chairman of the State Democratic style and without the least exagger- They have not the English tendency to be confirmed? The Washington dis- Executive Committee in their true ation, would be more wonderful than convert their pleasures into funeral serpatches also say that Mr. Lane is to light. Nobody cares whether he was any fiction from the Arabian Nights. vices. sional districts to organize the clubs, The Florida State Teacher's As- be the collector of customs and Maj. a traitor to Cleveland or not. Cleveso that they can be absolutely relied sociation, composed of 300 teachers, Matt Manly is to be postmaster at land himself does not care. He delivered the electoral vote of the State, man. and further, Cleveland doesn't care For more than twenty years the has no pretension to fuxuriousness-is rascality from any source, that to save the honor of the State by Indicted for Bank of New Hanover tree- pudiate the Cheiago platform at the and an influence in every city, town, only three rooms very modestly furn- the baptismal font? The grand jury of the criminal ocrats have repudiated it since the Metropolis and hamlet alike have America's most charming writers. Once nesses. On the morrow of the revolutional ocrats have repudiated it since the Metropolis and hamlet alike have

States Senate to reject his nomina- the monumental swindle. but his defeat and disgrace should be HERE IS A GOOD POPULIST SHOWING. tion, without any regard to party, synonymous. Mr. Hale knows that ods. He knows here in Cumberland The Eskimo Bulletin is the most county that money and fraud were

courageously exposing the election 149,299. WHICH WAS THE LUCKY WOMAN? Senator Vance is not so silly as to gained 68,964. "I've been looking for my husband on the line of Mr. Hale's opposition, 13,044. In Nebraska the old parties lost ington. The supre imagine Senator Vance in the role of protecting Mr. Cleveland against lost 30,095. that the President himself has repudiated. Some very directand authent- 842. ic information has reached hear from Washington in regard to the pros- ed 6,790. is to the effect that Simmons will ult- lost 19,169. imately be rejected. This statement | In South Dakota the People's paris based upon positive assertions ty gained 9,819. made by Senator Vance himself. Every effort has been made, 210. derstanding between Senators Ran-

is the settlement, and some other Jonathan and His Continent. It may be true that Elias' rejection is not necessarily dependent upon By MAX O'RELL (Author of "John Bull New York, Virginia, New Orleans, Amer-

in the canvass of the Senate, which was diligently made by both the N. C Senators, that was the understand-The best plan for securing honest Mr. Cleveland and his goldbig any locality by any reputable person, BUT HAVE THE COURAGE TO GO TO ing. No charges have been filed against Simmons, and if this statement of the matter is not the true one why has he not been confirmed ! What does the Republican and Populist opposition to Simmons care mons--Grady's Part in the Deception-- Whether he endorsed or repudiated latest production, and material for it was gathered Boss Ransom Pulled the Trigger-Baldy the Chicago platform ! It is all nonsense. Mr. Hale's zeal is misdirected. If Mr. Hale will hit square from the shoulder he can easily knock FAYETTEVILLE, Jan. 6, '94. Simmons out. The fight he is now Furniture, Luxury, Clubs - The Ubiquimaking is childish. In one respect he is doing a patriotic duty. In expos-

> proof printed in the Observer, but | By deception and trickery Williams | the room. after all, it is only cumulative proof obtained the Alliance nomination The reception rooms are on the ground of some sort was bound to haunt the if in his power to prevent it. As far

> icy, in his then expressed opinion, would mislead the honest voters in tion. Simmons got the hint from Washington, unless my information is greatly at fault. The man who plays the role of political Dictator in North Carolina, opposed Cleveland's nomination at Chicago, predicting a constraint of the campaign; as a solution of the suite is lighted up, and the portion as the contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as the contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as the contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and the portion as contestant for a seat in congress, he is lighted up, and when a score of American women, elegant, handsome and witty, add life to the scene, I can assure you that you are not in a hurry to consult your watch.
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necessary resorts. The Clinton con- Mr. Hale is doing good missionary

a continental. Suppose he did re- Louisiana Lottery has had a foothold the Authors' club in New York. It has father thinks he confers on his child at Clinton convention, how many Dem- and village throughout the land. ished, where one may meet some of All new societies have the same weak- a person guilty—as be seemed to court of New Hanover county election?

brought indictments Thursday In voting to repeal the Sherman the indepent, and the needy have have a fortnight there is a reunion. A very interesting little ceremony nondas, Napoleon, etc.? who will deliberately steal votes. If A train of four loaded cars broke against John Wilder Atkinson, Claywho will deliberately steal votes. If A train o' four loaded cars broke against John Wilder Atkinson, Clay- law did not Senator Ransom repudiyou think a plan of this kind will loose from the toil of rope on the enyou think a plan of this kind will loose from the toil of rope on the enhard-earned product of their surplus or the hard-earned product of their toil. Its

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Year's eve. At two or three minutes to hard-earned product of their toil. Its hard-earned product of their toil. do, the details can be worked out clined entry of a coal mine five miles of the board of directors of the Bank man to believe that any such accusahereafter. In this way we will keep from Fairmount, W. Va., on the law on our side, and woe to him 3rd and went crushing back where the law on our side, and wor to mining the financial condition of the bank, who breaks it.

You can see what a compact organization this would make, we will ganization this would make, we will ganization this would make, we will ganization the law of th

Legislature passed it over his veto. It is impossible in speaking of Ameri- pursued by the fates, you should discov-There ought to be decency and It was the influence of the Alli- can interiors to pass over in silence a cer- er that your interlocutor is neither chill down the backs of many who self-respect enough in the United ance in the Legislature that killed tain eyesore which meets your sight at colonel nor judge, call him "professor."

In Ohio the old parties lost 23,613.

In Pennsylvania the People's par-

In Virginia the People's party

In Maine the old parties lost 27,-In Maine the People's party gain-

In Iowa the old party loss was 34,

The Tallest Man in North Carolina. som and Vance, but without avail. The tallest man in North Carolina

and His Island," "John Bull, Jr.," Etc.) and JACK ALLYN.

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to give them title Paul Blouet (Max O'Rell) is a remarkably clever to satirizing the Angle-Saxon race. The book from which the following extracts are made is his

VIII-AMERICAN HOUSES.

during his recent visit to America.

tous Spittoon-A Bull's Eye Shot. Mr. Hale is having much to say in ing Simmons' duplicity and treachery luxuriously, and for the most part with America for a dowered wife, is much ing the postoffice appointment which American houses are furnished very fluence of woman in the smallest details | paid him.

Decorations and furniture, in New Employed by Simmons and others in York especially, are dark, substantial only four hundred persons. the last campaign. The Fifth con- and artistic. On all sides there is pleasgressional district furnishes another ure for the eye. The floors are covered enter this charmed circle, but you will ment has any influence. A strong case of political depravity conspicuous instance and repetition with rich carpets, and the ceilings are never belong to it. You will be in it, is made out against Simmons in the of the Simmons' business at Clinton. decorated in harmony with the rest of but not of it.

inception of the campaign to its fin- Simmons he repudiated the Alliance, one from another by portions. Each of the campaign to its fin- one grant distance one from another by portions. Each of the inauguration—he told two famous. It was a game of contemp- was defeated. Encouraged by Sim- room is in a different style. One confamous. It was a game of contemptible deception at Clinton, premedition in the House, and has the brazing the famous of the famo tated, pre-arranged and pre-determ- en audacity to ask a Democratic com- tropical plants; another, in Oriental style, aire—you must belong to a third genera- me all sorts of promises, and conined. He was not responsible for mittee to give him the seat on strict. invites the visitor to cozy chats among its tion of millionaires. Of such are the tinned his efforts to make me believe that infamy, but was only doing the ly partisan grounds. He has swal. divans and screens; another, perhaps, Astors, the Vanderbilts, and company. that I should have the appointment dirty of somebody else. He consent- lowed every Albance and Populist kinds; another in the style of a boulding. The transfer of the consent- lowed every Albance and Populist kinds; another in the style of a boulding. The consent- lowed every Albance and Populist kinds; another in the style of a boulding. ed, if he did not aid and suggest, the platform that has been made since will be strewn with knicknacks, light a very is to be in decord to not aid and suggest. To resolution repudiating the Chicago platform. The adoption of that polserve as music room-here, no carpets, The third aristocracy is the aristocracy he was perfectly well aware that I would mislead the honest voters in with Simmons as his examplar, he is the parquet floor is waxed, the walls are of talent, literary and artistic society. had no intention to offer him a bribe, the Third District, and break the trying to deceive the Democratic mainted by the trying the tr JNO. D. MEARS.

> disastrous campaign in the State as a result. Fraud and deception were ods.
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> Ittes into disrepute and encourages dinners and dances surpasses European imagination. At a ball given in New York in the month of February. 1888.
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> Ittes into disrepute and encourages dinners and dances surpasses European imagination. At a ball given in New York in the month of February. 1888. York in the month of February, 1888. know who can compare with the Amerithe walls were covered with roses, which can lady in charm of conversation, and winter the price of roses was from a at once among friends. quarter to two dollars apiece, according to kind. The Americans at this feast esti- York, are provincial in this sense: every me alone. An ex-member of con-

and diamonds, and valued at \$1,000. The principal clubs, in the large American cities, are princely habitations full of everything that can minister to man's all their doings. well being. The American clubs are as tionally deceive the people, but the pany's charter expired on the 31st huxurious as those of London; but this is "machine" used him and he owes his day of December, 1893. after a quarelection to Simmons and his methods ter of a century of such prosperity as tween them. The clubs in targe English would strain the imagination of towns are sad and solemn, those in the Croesus himself. Its offices were promptly closed, its signs taken The doors of American clubs are now

If Mr. Hale is really in earnest in night, it vanished with the daybreak I am told, where no opportunity for the display of Anglomania is neglected.

have the quietest election ever seen in the State. We can get a fair election if we will allow no onibbling. The every one dives into his memory election if we will allow no onibbling. The every one dives into his memory and there is a general hand shaking and wishing of good wishes for the new year.

Among the last number of store-keepers and gaugers recommended who is responsible for it will be unantaged.

Then every one dives into his memory wou have unfortunately not caught his the control of the control of

most conspicuous, at any rate, piece of risking nothing. furniture in America is the spittoon. All I met a few American colonels who rooms are provided with this object of had recently been promoted "misters." signment for the benefit of creditors. ONLY YEARLY PAPER IN THE WORLD. State by unscrupulous, corrupt methseat in the trains, under your table in the that they insisted on being addressed of the ugly utensil. In the hotel cor- American hospitality is princely. You In Ohio the People's party gained ridors there is a spittoon standing sentilare not often invited, even in houses In Pennsylvania the old parties ings the floors are dotted with them, and petizing, to go and share the family din-

> from the tenderest age, are marvelously vited at all. In Virginia the old parties lost adroit at the use of them, they never In good American houses the cooking miss their aim. I saw some really strik- is excellent; you will not find better in ing feats of workmanship; but perhaps London and Paris. the best of all at the Capitol in Wash- The most recherche of American dishes

The supreme court of judicature was sitting. As I entered an advocate was nounced that one is bound to think it in England which desire the governlaunching thunders of eloquence. All at either delicious or detestable. In Massachusetts the old parties once he stopped, looked at a spittoon Am I obliged to tell you which I think which stood two yards off, aimed at it. it? In Massachusetts the People's par- and Kerrron-craaahk-ptu! right in the An American once asked me whether bull's eye: then on he went with his I like terrapin. harangue. I looked to see the seven judges and the public applaud and cry "to bow to the customs of a country one bravo! Not a murmur, the incident vists. Terrapin is eaten in the United way system with favor. It is bound passed completely unnoticed. Probably States-and I eat it." pective action in Simmons' case. It In South Dakota the old parties there was not a man in the hall who Canvas back duck is a great delicacy. could not say to himself: "There's noth- It is hung in front of a fire for a few ing in that, I could do as much."

IX-SOCIETY JOTTINGS.

Blue Blood and Plutocracy - Literature Names-Terrapin and Canvas Back Duck. A word about American aristocracy. What, American aristocracy? Yes, cer-

I assure you that there exist in America social sanctuaries into which it is more difficult to penetrate than into the

most exclusive mansions of the Faubourg Saint Germain or of Mayfair and Bel-

icans who took upon common mortals with much more pity and contempt than the Montmorency's of France or the How-

The Americans, not having any king Publishes the Whole Truth and does to give them titles of nobility, have created an aristocracy for themselves. This aristocracy boasts as yet no dukes, marquises, earls or barons, but the blue blood is there, it appears—Dutch blood as a rule-and that is sufficient.

the States the American aristocracy that paper did not publish it as I leave cards upon him at the hotel where wrote it. I send it to you for publihe has alighted. He may perhaps be cation: personally known to none; but all nosilities are kindred everywhere. The the Observer about Chairman Sim- he is doing a public duty. There can exquisite taste. Here you see the in- obliged to them and returns all the visits was copied in your paper on Sunday

that Simmons whole course, from the four years ago and was elected. Like floor. The suite is composed of three or breast of the Americans; it was the only back as last March—about the time The second aristocracy is the aristoc- gentlemen of this city that Morton

in artistic disorder; yet another may lars a year is to be in easy circumstances. Defore this visit, Ransom told me

The luxury displayed at receptions, is that in good American drawing rooms to my appointment.

The large towns of America, even New that a bonus was expected, and not Thanks do the winder air able to problet. Saturday, Dec. 30th, 1893, marked a chain attached, consisting of pearls and commented on right and left im- of his aversion to paying his debts,

> The mind of the Americans is always cure; conversation never dies for want of subjects. Exclaim that it is eccentricity if you like, but add that it is life,

and you will be right. The Americans, and that in every

tion did we not call our children Epami- disqualify him for public office.

you, call him "judge." If, however, An American always professes some volution. And yet to-day almost The most indispensable, it appears, the thing, an art, a religion, and you are one-fourth of the railroad mileage of

nel outside every door. In public build- where the daily menu is of the most ap- with an aggregate mileage of 43,218 ner; a fete is got up for you. If this 504,000 and a bonded debt of \$1,214. The Americans, used to these targets cannot be arranged, you may not be in-

> We note, in this connection, that Mr. is terrapin stew; when in season it fig. Gladstone in an interview the other

and the results seem to be leading "It is nothing but polite," I replied,

minutes only. The first time this purple meat is presented to you it horrifles you; but I advise you to try and surmount your repugnance, the dish is exquisite. The English have the reputation of and Art-Colonels and Judges-Family liking all kinds of meat very much unthe contrary, very much cooked. One of the many jokes on the subject

of canvas back duck which I heard was

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CAPT. OLDHAM'S STATEMENT,

THE WILMINGTON MESSENGER WOULD NOT PUBLISH IT

IN PULL And He Sends It to The Caucasian Which

Justice to all Sides.

WILMINGTON, Jan. 6th. EDITOR THE CAUCASIAN:-The tollowing is a copy of a statement When a European nobleman arrives in which I sent to the Messenger but

Mis. Editor:—As the statement of might give an erroneous impression, A New York lady told me one day that I must claim the right to give my Society in New York was composed of version of the matter, and in what I Money or celebrity may allow you to am to say no feeling of disappoint-

of Sept. 2nd, a pretext. He never

the postmaster lead me to believe gress remarked: "The --- scoundrel mediately. You need only live a couple and this lead me to offer to divide the

of months in one of the large American pay of custodian. cities, in order to know every one, and One of the worst features of the whole case is that Ransom tried to shift the responsibility for my defeat on to Senator Vance, who had in fact been all along in favor of my apconversation. If it is not a social event, pointment. I had to make three via literary or a political one, it is a little sits to the house of Senator Vance scandal, a new religious sect, a new spir- before Ransom could be convinced itualistic imposture, faith healing, mind that there was no truth in the alleged opposition, and I even had to get a written statement from Vance.

Ransom made frequent appointments to meet me, but paid no attenstation of life, have almost always three tion to them. Indeed, he avoided names, one Christian name and two me with much industry. He pever family ones: George Washington Smith, answered any of my letters though Benjamin Franklin Jones, William Tell I sent as many as fifteen. He prom-Brown. The celebrities do not escape it | ised at the last interview I had with him that he would see to it that I was provided with a place. I asked how he could consistently recommend

Accompanying this statement I hand you the type-written statement of my interview with the assistant Postmaster General. You might add

ARE YOU A CRANK.

New York Voice.]

W. P. OLDHAM.

The governmental operation of rail thinks it means the next thing to rethe United States is managed and operated by the public. When a railroad under the management of a private corporation makes a financial failure and cannot pay its debts, then the courts appoint a receiver, who takes charge and manages the business. There are to-day 125 railroads miles, and a capital stock of \$894, 199,000, in the hands of receiversthat is to say, operated and managed by the public. If the public can operate bankrupt roads to advantage,

why not roads that are not bankrupt?

in England which desire the govern

ment to become owner of all rail-

ways in the country and to a certain

extent he shares in this desire. Eng-

land has a governmental telegraph

her to regard a governmental rail-

The story is told that among the many office-seekers beseiging Mr. Lincoln was one who used as an emphatic argument in his own behalf the fact that he had done all the dirder cooked. They prefer their meat, on ty work of the party for twenty

DO YOU WANT AN OFFICE?

"Very well." the President replied, "when I hear of an office in which dirty work is necessary, I shall think of you first of all."-Ram's Horn.