New Orleans Suffers a Five Million Dollar Loss of the Tuesday's session the following to By Ravaging Flames

hour was a complete wreck.

BLAZE OF TERRIFIC FURY.

of the terminals had been completely

destroyed, and it seemed unlikely that

the fire would be checked until it

reached Napoleon avenue, which also

is a very broad street. During the fire

to great distances, driving back the

crowds of sight-seers. Immense pieces

of corrugated iron, torn from the sides

of the upper elevator were carried

stantly endangered the lives of fire-

The weather was bright and warm.

Destructive Fire at Hot Springs.

of three persons. The losses are var-

iously estimated at from \$1,000,000 to

\$2,000,000. Sunday was a day of

mates of the damage done by the great

conflagration were not exaggerated.

More than forty blocks were eaten

away by the flames, and the most con-

servative estimates place the loss at a

Live Items of News.

where 160 men were imprisoned by an

A special Federal grand jury ve-

nire was drawn in Chicago and sub-

ing an investigation as to whether

The Equitable Life Assurance Soci-

Gov. A. J. Montague was one of the

A train was wrecked on the James

The widow of Jefferson Davis has

published a statement declaring that

River division of the Chesapeake and

Ohio railroad by a falling bowlder.

ety has won a suit in which it was

the supposed combine has been violate

ing Judge Grosscup's injunction.

against Mrs. Chadwick.

holders in Wisconsin.

in Alexandria.

tion of the letter.

explosion.

men and spectators.

through the air as if they were feathers.

ginated From an Insufficientlyy Oiled ever, were consumed. Car Journal Sweeps a Long Section Modern and Costly Wharves, the tral and Two Grain Elevators.

upper end of the Illinois Central prop-It has not been destermined whether there has been any loss of life. The ocean-going shipping seems to have escaped serious damage. A numher of firemen and employes of the docks were injured. Actual estimates of a heavy wind blew, and the blaze was the losses are impossible, though they of indescribable fury, carrying brands may exceed \$5,000,000.

TWELVE SQUARES SWEPT.

The Stuyvesant docks extend from Louisiana avenue almost to Napoleon and, dropping in every direction, conavenue, a distance of twelve squares. The wharves between those two points were covered with miles of trackage, and steel and iron sheds ran the whole the progress of the fire. Aside from distance. The two grain elevators were of the most modern construction, the upper one having a capacity of a million bushels. Thousands of bushels of port business of the Illinois Central, corn, several hundred thousand pack- partly in the matter of grain shipages of sugar, great quantities of cotton-seed oil and oil cake, lumber and every conceivable variety of freight filled the warehouses and sheds. Practically all the export business handled by the Illinois Central was put abaord ships at these docks. The docks and improvements have been under construction for ten years past, elaborate extensions and immense investments having been made.

BEGINNING OF THE FIRE.

The fire was discovered shortly after 7 o'clock. I was said to have resulted from a journal that had not been sufficlently oiled. The whole plant was equipped with gigantic water tanks and fire-extinguishing apparatus, but the blaze, small at the beginning, almost instantly got beyond control, communicating through the conveyers to the lower elevator and some of the sheds. The respense of the fire department was prompt, but because of the fact that the terminals were inaccessible, owing to tracks, the engines found difficulty in reaching the flames. In half an hour the fire covered two squares and the lower elevator was practically consumed, the fire sweeping up and down the river. As soon as it became known that the scene of the fire was the Stuyvesant docks, harbor tugs hastened million and a half dollars, and several to the wharves, and vessels that were insurance men state that the figures moored there were pulled out into the | will reach two million. The three un-

At the same time switch engines were known fatalities.

Increase Capital.

Suffolk, Special.-An amendment to the charter of the United Spring Motor Corporation was received here increasing the capital stock from a maximum of \$30,000 to \$500,000. The corporation poenas for 185 employes of the sowhich patented a sewing machine de called "Beef Trust" were issued, pendvice, already has sold several foreign rights at a high figure.

Twelve Years For Forger.

Newport News, Special.-Paul O. Johnson, the negro forger, was sentenced to 12 years in the penitentiary in the Corporation Court. He was given a jury trial on two indictments confiscation of railroad property. of three counts and found guilty of all allegations. He was sentenced to and Hartford Railroad firemen protwo years each for the six offenses. posed a method of arbitration which Johnson has already served two years in the penitentiary, having been sentenced from Petersburg. Under the law five years will be added to his term for this reason. Johnson feigned intended to compel the company to insagity, but it did not serve to miti- divide \$8,000,000 among the policygate the sentence.

North Sea Decision Read.

Paris, By Cable.-The decision of the international commission of inquiry into the North Sea incident was publicly announced at the closing session of the commission. The decision lengthly sets forth the circumstances and incidents and gives the opinion of the admirals on the various im- she has no recollection of writing a cisions of the North Carolina Supreme portant points involved. The decis- letter to General Miles thanking him | Court were followed, the bill would ion says the delay of the Rusian trans- for his humane treatment of her hus- not accomplish the object that was inport Kamschatka, following the break- band, and she calls on the general to tended, but that since the old deci- lenges; for the repeal of all divorce down of her machinery, was perhaps make public a photographic reproduct sions, the United States Supreme laws since 1883; to increase Confedthe cause of the incident.

NORTH STATE LAW MAKERS

Passed Final Reading.

submit to the qualified voters of Buncombe county the question of issuing bonds for the improvement of public roads, and the establishment of a highway commission; to build certain | means its death. IWELVE BLOCKS ARE DESTROYED | rushed to the wharves and hundreds iron bridges in Henderson county, and of box cars loaded with freight were to apply certain funds; to amend the drawn to points above the upper end charter of the town of Brevard; to A Conflagration Believed to Have Ori. of the terminals before the fire reach- ern Pines; to ratify all acts and proed them. Many hundreds more, how- cedings relating to the issuing of bonds The wind was blowing down the for the time of extension of taxes for river and the blaze spread with great building a new jail at Alexander counof the River Front Covered With speed in that direction By 9 o'clock ty; to prevent the obstruction of Peach the lower elevator, and sheds and Tree creek, in Cherokee county, by wharves from Amelia street to Louis- felling of trees; to protect game in Great Terminals of the Illinois Cen- ana avenue, a distance of six squares, Burke county; to prevent felling of had fallen in. Fortunately, Louisiana trees in the streams of Ashe county; avenue is a very broad thoroughfare, to define location of certain cuhrchand the further spread of the fire be- es, in Catawba; fobidding sale of li-New Orleans, Special.-Fire involving | youd that point into a residence sec- quor within two miles of a certain tion was checked. Between those church in Columbus county; relatmillions of dollars loss in physical points, however, the flames swept to ing to the bird laws of Catawba; to property and that strikes a serious, if complete destruction many cottages of protect waters of Brush creek, in Altemporary, blow at the immense export the poorer classes, the occupants in a leghany township; to incorporate the toole of New Orleans, swept the river great many instances losing all they Oak Grove Cemetery, in Robeson possessed. With the wind in a favor- county; relating to the hunting of deer front Sunday night and wiped out the possessed. With the wind in a lavor in Hyde county; to regulate the sale vast freight terminals of the Illinois able direction, the river boats, the em- of seed cotton in Mecklenburg; to pre-Central Railroad, known as the Stuy- ployes of the road and the fire depart- vent fishing in certain townships in yesant docks. Nearly a dozen squares of ment concentrated all their energies Haywood; to forbid the building of in an effort to save the upper elevator barbed wire fences along the public reported on the appropriation bills famodern wharves and frieght sheds, two between Austerlitz and Constantinople roads of Yancey county without magnificent grain elevators, hundreds streets and to check the fire at that boards; to authorize the commissionof loaded cars and vast quantities of point. The fire, however, gradually ers of Mitchell county to relieve an exfreight, including 20,000 bales of cotton, worked past the point occupied by the sheriff; to provide fire escapes and elevator. Heroically, the forces kept protect human life (the bill amended were destroyed, together with a large at work, but ultimately they were by the committee was adopted); a number of small residences. The fire beaten, and the big steel structure, joint resolution to petition the United was still raging furiously at midnight, covered with corrugated iron suddenly States Senate to pass a law prohibitat which time it had almost reached the burst into flames at 10:30 and in a half ing inter-State commerce in adulterat for tablets at the battlefield of Bethel ed foods; changing the name of the and Chicamaugua. He reported unfav-Enterprising Banking & Loan Company orably upon the bill appropriating \$25,to the Waxhaw Banking & Trust Com-

> on justices of the peace. Mr. Vann offered a resolution of sympathy for Senator Beasley, in the misfortune which has befallen him in the mysterious disappearance of his Mr. Scales moved that the vote adopting the resolution be taken by rising, and the vote was unanimous.

pany; a resolution authorizing the ap-

pointment of a clerk to the committee

The president appointed on the committee to investigate the South Dakota bond judgment and other bond matters Senators Zollicoffer, and Scales, of Guilford.

In the House.

50,000 people visited the scene during In the House Tuesday the bill althe tremendous loss involved in the ed evidence, pending an appeal in destruction of property, the fire is a calamity to New Orleans in the temas unfinished business. Fowler, of porary abatement of the immense ex-Sampson, led off in a strong speech in behalf of the bill, declaring that as the law now is, a new trial could be granted in a case invovling the title New Orleans, Special,-Complete case of a human life or human liberfigures of the loss involved in the dety. Laughinghouse, of Pitt, opposed struction of the Stuyvesant docks of the bill, saying it was strange to him the Illinois Central Railroad, it was announced by local officers of the company Monday, will not be available liberty in their terms and sympathize until an inspection of the books of with criminals. Stewart, of Harnett the docks is finished. Fortunately all in defending the bill, also defended the these were saved. Local Freight Agent legal profession from what he termed Cousins and his office force went to mere asaults from the last speaker work on them, and Mr. Cousins an-Laughinghouse stated that he had not nounced that it might be possible by attacked the legal profession, but had Tuesday to give the result. The value simply presented some plain facts reof the wharves, sheds, warehouses, garding a good many members of it elevators and trackage is known roughwho seemed to keep up in the lead ly, but the number of cars and the Other specches in favor of the bill were quantity of merchandise destroyed canby Murphy, of Buncombe; Robeson not be given until the inspection is and Winborne. Those speaking against concluded. In the meantime, estimates the bill were Redwine, Gower, Feimof the losses vary between Superintenster and Graham, of Granville. The dent Dunn's figures of \$3,000,000, and previous question called, the vote was General Agent Perkins' aggregate of taken on the bill, and it was defeated by a vote of 55 to 46. The bill had been up four different days during the session. Messrs. Winborne and Rober son had made about four speeches for Hot Springs, Ark., Special.-Fire swept the southern portion of this city early Saturday, doing immense it. It passed its second reading by a damage and causing the known death

vote of 46 to 45 about two weeks ago The following bills passed final read ing: To amed the stock law in Dup lin; to amend the charter of Clyde; to incorporate Pee Dee Valley Rail gloom in Hot Springs. The first estiway Company; to incorporate Ashe ville & Northern Railway Company; to incorporate Raleigh & Southport Railway Company; to incorporate Southport & Northwestern Railroad to protect landlords and tenants in known bodies recovered are the only certain counties; to amed charter of Black Mountain; to protect fish in Fifty bodies have been recovered from the Virginia mine in Alabama.

The Anti-Jug Law. Two additional indictments, making ten in all, were found in Cleveland tate between the two members from Carolina. Buncombe. Mr. Murphy desired Buncombe to remain under the operation were introduced. Good progress was President Truesdale, of the Delaof the McNinch law, and Glenn favor | made in committee of the whole on the | fund locally. ware. Lackawana and Western Railed exempting it. The difficulty was revenue and machinery acts. road, says the proposed bil to regulate railroad rates would be in effect finally adjusted by Mr. Glenn yielding and stating that he would introduce a bill to fit the case, so Buncombe was The striking New York, New Haven not exempted. The bill then passed its final reading, and was ordered sent to the Senate. The House then adthe company rejected, on the ground journed. that it was objectionable to the engi-

There was but little accomplished Wednesday in the Senate. A few local bills were introduced and a few passed third reading. At noon the House took up the Sen ate bill, known as the Vann bill, regu-

lating fishing in Albemarle and Pamlico Sounds, and it passed its fina? speakers at the Washington banquet | reading.

Winborne Bill Dead. The bill providing that county commissioners can upon petition of citizens of any school district order an election for special school tax for either race, came up, and Winborne explained it, stating that if the old de-Court had rendered decisions which --- reions to \$300 000 to arout

made this law now a constitutional one. He said that Governor Glenr heartily approved of this bill, and had of State purchasing agent. received assurances that the State Su preme Court considered it constitu tional. Winborne said he had intro duced the bill to take the place of his bill amending the State constitution At Tuesday's session the following It simply meant either race could sup plement its regular public school func by a vote of its own-property holder: for additional taxation. The previous question was called on Graham's mo tion to refer, and the bill was referred to the committee co education, which

For Statute to Ransom. In the Senate, bills were introduce on passes or mileage books, or annuals; to incorporate the Methodist Protesof the town of Lexington; providing tant College of North Carolina. Bills passed to allow connvicts to be employed on the public roads in McDowell; to provide for the payment of rail road bonds of Cleveland; to prohibit the manufacture and sale of liquor at Yadkinville.

At noon Thursday the bill to punish barratry came up as the special order. Mr. Moore, of Gaston, said he had been compelled to bow his head in shame at the practices of disreputable lawyers in his county, this practice being a disgrace to the profession, which had aroused contempt in the minds of the people; the State Bar Association not having acted against this class of at-

In the House, Chairman Roberson, for the committee on appropriations, vorably for \$5,000 for a statue of General Matt Ransom, available after next November: on the bill relieving the board of agriculture from paying \$10,-900 annually to the Agricultural and Mechanical Callege; on \$150 for Moore' Mechanical College; on \$150 for Moore's Creek Battle Ground, and \$750 the appropriation to the Oxford Orphan Asylum. The committee had agreed on a special appropriation of \$2,590 in addition to the regular one for the Appalachian School, at Boone. Bills were Lincoln county; to create a board of prison parole: to incorporate Cornelius to charter the Appalacaian Electric

Company; to provide for a turnpike from North Wilkesboro to Boone: to prevent bird dogs from hunting at large during the nesting season and breeding seasons of birds: to regulate challenges when a special venire is drawn from the jury box; to prevent smuggling of whiskey and other liquors into Rutherlowing new trials for newly discover ford county; to regulate fees of county officials in Camden; to amend the ac criminal cases, came up, the first bill of 1903, regarding the apportionment of schoo' ands in Mecklenburg.

The special order, the Sch 28 reformatory bill, was taken up, the galleries being filled with ladies, Senator Scales occupying a seat by Representative to a \$3 bull yearling, but not in the Gordon, of Guilford. Graham, of Granville, said there were three reformatory bills and all three should be referred to the committee on penal inhow lawyers could lose sight of the stitutions. Mr. Green opposed delay, side of public protection of life and but the motion to refer was adopted by a large majority.

In the Senate Saturday the follow ing bills passed their third readings: To permit the board of public works of Tarboto to issue bonds; for the betterment of the public roads of Pitt county; to form a school, district in Cumberland county; to amend the charter of the town of Dunn; to authorize the commissioners of Granville county to re-fund the indebtedness of Oxford Female Academy: to authorize commissioners of New Hanover county to levy special tax, to protect the game of Surry county: to appropriate and consolidate the annual appropriation to the Moore's Creek Battle-

ground. The bill was carried without opposition. Moore, of Pender, author of the bill, made a splendid speech. it, and Judge Graham as many against | The committee on appropriation attached an amendment reducing the appropriation to \$150 and Moore asked that the amendment be voted down. Scales favored the bill carrying \$200 with it. A bill passed relating to Pike's school district, in Robeson and Cumberland counties: bill to prohibit manufacture and sale of liquor within two miles of Spring Hope graded school district, Nash county; to abolish all pilotage laws of North Caro-Company; to allow Rutherford county lina relative to the Cape Fear river; to re-fund \$100,000 of its bonded debt; to amend the charter of the city of Fayetteville: to regulate the sale of corcentrated feed stuffs; to regulate the hunting of quail and other game Yancey; to amend charter of Farmers birds in Edgecombe county; relating Mutual rire Association; to incorpor to office of treasurer of Henderson ate Pine Top Banking Company; to county; to secure compulsory school re-incorporate Chowan Baptist Asso attendance in schools at Raleigh. ciation; to protect game birds in Ma | Wake county; to regulate the appointcon county; to prohibit fishing it ment and duties of cotton weighers amend charter of the town of South at Dunn; to amend public road law North Fork of New River, in Ashe of Scotland; to amend prohibition law of Cumberland county; to place certain territory in Chatham under stock A bill defining the place of sale of law; to incorporate the Methodist liquor, coming up on its third reading Protestant College; to add to the presthe following additional counties were ent stock law territory in Pitt county: exempted from the operations of the to provide for turning into the general act: Hyde, Alleghany, Washington fund one-third of the dispensary prof-Nash, Perquimans, Stokes, Pitt and its of Pitt county; to define place and Tyrrell. There was considerable de sale of intoxicating liquors in North

In the House a number of new bills

Monday's Session.

Bills were introduced in the House Monday to give pensions to all ex-Confederates worth less than \$500; to hange the time of the fifth district curts; to incorporate the Yanceyville, Reidsville & Burlington Railroad; to County Medical Inspector Daniel amend the Iredell school -law; to prevent vicious dogs from going at

Representatives from Wake made statements relating to charges of having sneaked through the Legislature a road law for Wake containing a section affecting profits of the dispensary. They denied this, A favorable report was made in the

House on the bill for a State Immigrainspection of illuminating oils were unfavorably reported. Governor Glenn sent in a message urging a State bureau of immigration; a strong law against vagrancy; for lessening the number of jury chal-

The Senate passed bills giving the right of way for a railroad from Hickery to Catawba Springs; to amend the Decurrences of Interest in Various Senate Failed to Convict on Charges charter of Hickory Nut Gap, Rutherfordton and Asheville Railroad.

The House took up as a special or der the bill to repeal the anti-jug law, except as to Cleveland, Cabarrus, Gaston and Mitchell. A number of amendments were offered. It was Strict good middling \$.00 stated that the general anti-jug law and the motion was made that these be first taken up. This was not done. Tinges 6 to 7% bill should not affect pending suits. to prohibit public officials from riding The bill then passed after an effort to add Caldwell, Yancey, Rutherford and Madison had failed. The antijug bill was then taken up, many counties being excepted. A motion to strike all these exceptions was lost and bills passed. Rowan (except Spencer and East Spencer), Stanly, Davie, Alexander, are among the exepted counties.

The bills passed to prohibit shipping of liquor into prohibition territory under fictitious names.

\$100,000,000 For Navy. Washington, Feb. 27.-The Senate Monday passed the naval bill, carrying a total appropriation of \$100,300,000. The bill was discussed by Messrs. German, McCumber, Blackburn, Carmack, Hale, Lodge, Martin, Perkins, and Teller. Mr. Hale again criticized the too rapid increase of the navy. and Mr. Lodge defended the policy of the administration in foreign matters and in naval increase. Mr. Gorman, discussing the proposed increase of appropriation for the Marine Corps, declared there could be no excuse for such an increase in times of profound

NEWSY GLEANINGS.

The wolves are killing many young stock in Western Texas.

A railway bureau will shortly be established by the Mexican Government. of men over 60 years of age. Capt. resulted in a total of nearly 70,000 con- a retired and lonely life for some

Preserved buttermilk is a new infant food preparation being offered in Gernany for the use of both ill and healthy

English army officers say that there is a plant in Nigeria, a bunch or two of which, hung up in a tent, banishes

Bills for new canals, which will cost nearly \$80,000,000, have been reported Prussian Diet.

Until recently the smallest coin in

circulation in South Africa had the value of six cents; now two-cent pieces have been introduced. France's pity for animals has been aroused by the rare work of an un-

feeding a starving dog. A compilation of the popular vote for President shows that the eleven States of the old Confederacy polled an aggre-

The fruit steamer Admiral Sampson, while lying near Pennsville, N. J., to lighten her cargo, east overboard bananas and cocoanuts worth several thousand dollars. It is estimated that the great London

revival now being conducted at the Royal Albert Hall by the American evangelisis, Dr. Torrey and Mr. Alexander, will cost \$85,000. In the old churchyard at Kilkeel freland, is a tombstone with the folowing inscription: "Here lie the re-

nains of Thomas Nichols, who died in

Philadelphia, March, 1753. Had he lived, he would have been buried here.'

LABOR WORLD. The English co-operative societies It is estimated that there are over 2,000,000 coal miners in the world. There are nearly 2,000,000 members

of labor unions in Great Britain. About 200 miners at the Birdseye coal mine, Jellico, Tenn, went on

The only co-operative store in the anthracite region, which was opened in Wilkesbarre, Pa., last June, has proved a success.

Over 1200 men employed in the buildng trades at Trenton, N. J., obeyed the order of Business Agent Smith and iaid down their tools.

Twenty thousand tin workers employed by the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company have received a ten per cent, increase in wages.

The International Carriage and Wagon Workers' Union has decided to move the organization's national headquarters from New York to Chicago.

\$196.69. There is a plan on foot at San Francisco. Cal., to abolish the death benefit assessment with the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers and create a death benefit In Germany every description of

child labor is prohibited in such industries as brickmaking, bridge building, quarrying, stone breaking, chimney sweeping and some portions of the carriers' business.

On account of black smallpox in a boarding house at Branchdale, Pa., Dechert has had a dozen miners, who boarded there, removed from the Ootto tion requesting the national associacolliery and quarantined.

Rejected Instruction.

A young lawyer was sent from Edin burgh to a country north of the Forth to act as junior counsel in a licensing club case. He had to cross-examine the certifying justice, who was very tion Department. All bills requiring diffuse and rather evasive in his an

"Speak a little more simply and to the point, please," said the counsel mildly, "you are a little ambiguous you know."

"I am not, sir" replied the witness indignantly. "I have been strictly tee total for a year."-Ram's Horn.

a monument to Ransom; to erect a hall of records and to create the office NORTH STATE NEWS SWAYNE ACQUITTED

Charlotte Cotton Market. These figures represent prices paid to wagons: Good middling 8.99 Middling adilbbiM

Geneal Cotton Market.

Middling.
Galveston, steady 7 11-16
New Orleans, steady 75
Bavannah, quiet
Charleston, quiet
Norfolk, quiet
New York, quiet 7.30
Boston, quiet 7.90
Philadelphia, quiet 8.15
Houston, steady
Augusta, steady 75
Memphis, steady 754
Louisville, firm 8.06
Produce Market.
Chickens-spring \$ 20

Cotton seed Corn

Dats-feed

Hens-per head

Eggs

Former Tar Heel Suicides. Baltimore, Special.-Among the papers of Capt. Wm. S. Winder, a Confederate veteran aged 71 years, who shot and killed himself in his home te during the roll-calls, but in the ere Saturday, was found a clipping of President's room, just back of the the address by Dr. Wm. Osler, of the chamber. The result of each ballot was Johns Hopkins University, in which sent to him by his attorneys. Five of reference was made to the uselessness The religious revival in Wales has Winder, who was a bachelor, had led years. His sight had practically failed and recently he had suffered from in-

Lexington's Population.

Lexington, Special.-The officers appointed to take the census of the town have completed their returns, and the figures show that Lexington now conby the Committee on Canals of the tains 3,600 inhabitants. This is about double the population prior to the recent extension of the corporate limits | 49. The Senators who voted guilty

Cleveland County Primary.

Shelby, Special.—The election in this county Saturday for superintendent of Kittredge, Lattimer, McCreary, Mcknown sculptor, a group of tramps public schools passed off quietly. Quite a lot of interest was manifested. The present incumbent, J. A. Anthony, was opposed by Prof. B. T. Falls, prin- the rule requiring a two-thirds vote to gate of less than a million votes for cipal of the graded school here, Mr. Falls was victorious by a majority of

Building at V. P. I. Burned.

Richmond, Va., Special.-Science Hall, at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va., was totally destroyed by fire. By heroic effort the cadet fire brigade saved "No. 4." ger. The loss is estimated at \$75,000; insurance, \$12,000. Very little of the apparatus in the burned building was a mystery, but the theory is spontaneous combustion.

Gen. Underwood Gets \$16,000

New York, Special.-The suit General John C. Underwood, of Kentucky, of the Confederate Memorial raised for the Association, was decided in the United States Circuit Court in Brooklyn, by a verdict for \$16,000 for General Underwood. The Association disputed General Underwood's claim that he was entitled to a commission on subscription of \$100,-000 obtained from the late Charles Broadway Rouss.

Confederate Seal For Gen. Shipp.

Lynchburg, Special.-Mr. John L. Lee, of this city, has sent for Mrs. Edward T. Ayers, of Washington, as a gift, to Gen. Scott Shipp, of the Virgi-A bulletin issued by the Commis- nia Military Institute, a reproduction sioner of Labor Statistics shows the of the seal of the Confederate States. retary to enter an order of acquittal on average per capita earnings of Ohio The original die was in the possession all the articles. This being done the of Col. John T. Pickett, of Kentucy, who had the reproduction made.

Bentista Elect Omecra.

Memphis, Tenn., Special.-Cfficers of the ensuing year were elected by the Southern branch of the National Dental Association, as follows: President, Dr. W. G. Mason, of Tampa, Fla.; first vice-president, Dr. N. N. Vann, in the railway yards, having arrived of Attala, Ala.; second vice-president, Dr. R. Cowardin, of Richmond; corresponding secretary, Dr. J. A. Gorman, of Asheville; recording secretary, Dr. John R. Beach, of Clarksville, Tenn.; treasurer, Dr. B. D. Brabson, of Clarksville, Tenn. A resolution to hold its meeting next year in Birmingham, A'a., was uranimously adopted.

23 Miners Die. Bluefield, W. Va., Special .- As a re-

sult of an explosion in shaft No. 1, Company at Wilcoe Sunday, 23 minrescued alive.

of impeachment

THE VOTE LARGELY A PARTY ONE

Highest Vote Recorded For Impeachment Was 35 and the Lowest Against It 47, 55 Being Required to Convict -The Larger Votes Were Largely Along Party Lines-Only 13 Votes For Conviction on the Articles Re lating to Use of Private Cars.

Washington, Special.-The Senate Monday concluded the impeachment trial of Judge Swayne by acquitting him on all the charges made against him in the articles of impeachment presented by the House. The voting on the Swayne case began at 10:10, 20 minutes after the Senate convence, and continued until 11:45. There was no liscussion, and all the time was con-Rye 1.00 sumed in taking the 12 votes necessary Dats 51% to dispose of each of the articles. The 46 lighest vote for impeachment was 25, 68 and the lowest against it, 47. On the ;wo article; charging the use of private milroad cars, only 13 votes were cast for conviction. The larger votes were

largely along party lines. Judge Swayne was not in the Senthe House managers attended during the proceedings. When the first article was read, charging Judge Swayne with making a false certificate for expenses while holding court at Waco, Texas, the presiding officer said: "Senators, how say you, is the respondent, Charles. Swayne, guilty or not guilty as charged in this article?" The calling of the roll by the secretary was then begun. The first Senator to rise in response to the call was Mr. Alger, who voted "not guilty" in clear and distinct tones, Mr. Bacon was the first Democratic Fer 1tor on the roll, and likewise the first to inswer in the affirmative, finding Judge Swayne gullty. The vote throughout was largely partisan, and stood 33 to

were: Bacon, Bailey, Bard, Bate, Berry, Blackburn, Carmack, Clark, of Montana; Clay, Cockrell, Culberson, Daniel, Foster, of Louisiana; Gorman, Cumber, McEnery, McLaurin, Mallory, Martin, Money, Morgan, Newlands, Cverman, Patterson, Pettus, Simmons, Stone, Taliaferro and Teller-33, Under convict, 55 votes in the affirmative would have been necessary to convict, As this vote was almost reversed, Judge Swayne was pronounced to be not guilty. The chair announced this to be the

resuit. The reading and voting upon the other articles followed in rapid succession. The second charge was that of an excessive charge for expenses while holding court at Tyler, Texas. The proceeding in this case was an exact counterpart of that on the first barracks, which were in great dan- article, and the result was 32 for conviction to 50 for acquittal. The third charge also related to excessive expense charges at Tyler, Texas, and the vote was identical with the vote on the saved. One person was struck on the second article-32 to 50. The fourth head by falling timbers and rendered and fifth articles related to the use of unconscious. The origin of the fire is private cars. There were only 13 votes of guilty on them, as follows: Bailey, Berry, Blackburn, Carmack, Cockrell, Culberson, Daniel, McLaurin, Martin, Money, Morgan, Newlands, Pettus, Adams, Sixty-nine Senators voted for acof quittal. On the sixth charge, that of non-residence by Judge Swayne in his district, the vote was 31 to 51. On the seventh article, relating to residence, Association, for commissions on sums the vote was 19 for conviction to 62 against. The affirmative vote was as follows: Bate, Berry, Blackburn, Carmack, Clark, of Montana; Cockrell, Daniel, Dubois, Gibson, Lattimer, Mc-Creary, McEnery, McLaurin, Mallory, Martin, Money, Morgan, Pettus and Taliaferro-19. The vote on the eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh articles, covering the contempt cases of Davis and neigen, was 31 to 51. The twelfth article was the last. It dealt with the conduct of Judge Swayne in punishing W.

> 35 for guilty to 47 for not guilty, the largest vote given for conviction. The result on this vote being announced, and with it the entire verdict ascertained, the chair directed the seclong and tedious proceeding came to an

C. O'Neal for contempt in assaulting a

trustee in bankruptcy appointed by

him. On the final vote, the result was

Too Large For Railroads.

Savannah, Ga., Special.-The equestrian statue of General Nathan Bedford Forrest, the great Confederate cavalry leader, has not arrived at Memphis as erroneously stated, but is last week by steamer from New York, whence it was received from Paris, where it was cast. The statue was not sent by rail from New York. It is more than thirteen feet high in its crate and the railroads would not receive it, being unable to transport it through tunnels. It is said that the road that received it here may find it impossible to get it under bridges.

14 Die in Church.

New York, Special.-Eleven persons were killed and upwards of fift; inof the United States Coal and Coke jured, some probably fatally, by the collapse of the flooring of the Fleet ers are supposed to have lost their Street African Methodist Episcopal lives, and it is possible that the num- Church, in Brooklyn, Monday night. ber will exceed this. Up to 8 p. m. Of those killed, eight were women, fifteen dead bodies had been taken two men and one child. The building from the shaft. A large rescuing par- was an ancient ramshackle frame ty is in the mines. It is barely possi- structure, erected 60 years ago in the ble, but not likely, that some of the leart of the colored section of Brookremaining entombed miners will be lyn, in Fleet street, near Myrtle ave-