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SURSCRIPTION RATES.



REFORM NEEDED AT HOME. The following is from Tuesday's issue of the Wilmington Star:

"The Keep Commission which President Roosevelt appointed several months ago to investigate the Departments with a view to reforming methods, has reported. The commission messed around in the Agriculture Department, recommended nied by two pet cate. some improvements which Secretary Wilson thought of first and already had in effect, and also recommended two or three things that a ten year old boy's judgment wouldn't stand for. The best way to improve methods in the Department is to put practical men in perity. charge of them instead of politician? and henchmen."

"Keep Commission" in North Caro- one. lina that would do even as well as the Commission in Washington. But the fact is, as we have before stated in these columns, that this Commission has done a great deal of good. They have caused certain reforms in several of the departments. One of the latest is in the Government Printing office where they found that a great deal of time and money was being expended on certain documents that were of little value. The matter is now under investigation and if acted upon as suggested by the Keep Commission it will mean the saving of many thousands of dollars to the government the convict camps of North Caroeach year. While in this State if a committee is ever appointed to investigate the management of affairs under democratic "good government" the findings of such committee are never made public, and why? Simply because they would create such a stench in the State that The report shows further that there it would hurt their party. Take the investigation of the management of the A. & N. C. Road which was held behind closed doors, at the expense or the tax-payers, but the tax-payers have never been permitted to know the findings of said committee. Take the cases of social equality between the races in some of the jails and workhouses and ties in this State. The cases have all been whitewashed and the democratic machine has declared they sion rule, the democratic papers would have declared them a great scandal and a disgrace upon the

name of this good old State.

UNIFORM DIVORCE LAW. A divorce Congress will be held in discuss a uniform law governing the They are as silent as death, too. so-called divorce evil, to be general all over the United States. It i stated that about 150 delegates, representing nearly all the States, will attend the congress, with data in regard to divorce litigation, its causes and effects. The action taken by the Pennsylvania legislature some time ago and the President's action in calling the atlention of Congress to the divorce evil, gave this congress its origin, and the governors of each State and the Commissioners of the District of Columbia were asked to appoint delegates. Women, lawyers appointment, and that the President to aid the Federal authorities. We to leave the ship. and governors will attend the con- will heartily comply with the recom- think it would be better for Gov. gress and papers will be read dealing with every phase of domestic troubles. Figures will be shown from the records of the courts in the various States. The outcome of this congress will be watched with interest.

that provides that a man must pay his poll tax before he can vote. The law in force in this State.

Gov. Glenn is reported as saying : Governor."

But of course if his friends were to force the United States Senatorheart to refuse it.

A blil has been introduced in the Mississippi legislature to amend the Constitution of that State by providing that no children shall be acmitted to the public schools where the parent is liable for the poll (ax for the current year. This bill is intended to deprive the negro children of that State of an education, but It will also debar thousands of poor white children from the advantages of an education. Poll taxes should be paid, but there should be some other means of collecting them other Paper. than denying the poor white children of the State of the advantages of an education. It should be the object of all the States to hold out inducements to attend school to the poor white children instead of debarring them by legislative enactment. Remember the young white to find out how much more expenman who cannot read and write cannot vote in the South.

A Cincinnati couple has decided to go to the North Pole, accompa-

come back.

Eleven new companies were chartered in Secretary of State's office Saturday. Another sign of pres-

The average Democrat doesn't Well, we would like to have a want office-so long as he is holding

> Is This "White Supremacy?" Shelby Aurora.]

Where are the "white supremacy" fellows who, a few years ago, wore badges lest their identity might be doubtful? Have they departed for parts unknown, or are they just sleeping?

The State Board of Charities has institutions of the State which reveals a situation which is a shame and disgrace to the State. White and black prisoners are confined in the same room and sleep in the same apartment, and in some instances are chained together in twenty of lina. There are 32 of these convict camps accommodating 1,350 prisoners-white males 612, colored males 722, and colored females 16. Twenty out of the thirty-two camps are the scenes of forced social equality made compulsory by a party that had for its battle cry in former compaigns "white supremacy." is no distinction made in the treatment of prisoners-these who were sent there for vagrancy, drunkerness, or for not paying fines, are treated like those who are convicted of more serious crimes.

Where was the News and Obduct was going on? Has it lost all County homes in many of the coun- out of power and the Democrats tion -Wilmington Star. came in? Under the former administration it pounced upon every individual case where a Republican had erred in any way, and branded were not bad at all. And many it as a "Fusion Scandal." Now, other cases that we could mention, when helpless prisoners of both which if it had happened under Fu- races were being chained together and forced to sleep and occupy the same apartments the News and Ob-

to the world. Where are the two-by-four politicians who ran about over the State yelping "Nigger" during recent campaigns till the blood would al- with the "negro in the wood pile," Washington City, February 19th, to most gush from their nostrils?

COLLECTOR KEITH ENDORSED.

The Dispatch Eays He is Endorsed By Wilmington Dispatch.]

Mr. B. F. Keith has been receiving the congratulations of his many friends today upon the news that he will be reappointed to the office of Collector of Customs at this port, a position which he has well fitted for the last four years. It is known that Chairman Rollins, of the Re-

mendation, representative this morning and he sounding the loud trumpet in favor stated that he is now certain of his of still more stringent laws along General Joseph Wheeler is seriously reappointment, although he had these lines. He would better show ill at the residence of his sister, Mrs. never doubted but what he would his sincerity in his advocacy of pro- Sterling Smith, Columbia Heights, be reappointed, as he had been so hibition by aiding the true prohibi- Brooklyn. He has been confined to assured by the influential Republi- tionists in enforcing the laws we his bed for three days with a broncans of North Carolina in Washing- have than by advocating other laws chial affection following a stubborn ton. He stated that he only spent which even the prohibitionists are cold. A bill has been introduced in the four hours in Washington relative not now urging .- Wilmington Mes-Virginia legislature to repeal the act to his reappointment, leaving the senger. matter entirely in the hands of his friends, with the record of his ad ministration to back him. And, by Virginia law in regard to the poll way of parenthesis, it is well to tax qualification is similar to the state that Mr. Keith was endorsed contains a thoughtful editorial on This is a pure, tonic medicine; of for the position by certainly ninety- the exercise of judgment between especial benefit in malaria, for it expeople of Wilmington. It has not it shows how this maxim may be disease, driving it entirely out of the "I have but one ambition, and that Mr. Keith has a petition such as zen does not judge, the condemning to Quinine, having none of this is to make North Carolina a good probably was never obtained by any voice of the court means little to drug's bad after-effects. E. S. Munman here before. It is many type- the criminal. Each man should day, of Henrietta, Tex., writes:

does of a reappointment.

FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

ome Squibs of Interest we have Gath

Tom Dixon claims that somebody sort of fool ought to be punished sc- teresting institution: verely.-Ex.

Missi sippi's legislature has passed This seems unnecessary as the Mississippi treasury is empty.—People's

While it is being talked about who knows that the Watts law was made to be enforced ?- Durham Sun.

sive peace is than war .- Greenville Reflector.

Some men are butt-headed. They have to get floored before they can realize that they are up against it, Those are two cats that will never Senator Tillman for instance.-Wilmington Star.

Watch This Trio.

It's a crime for Republicans to want pie and work for leadership, but alright for Democrats. Watch Aycock, Simmons and Glenn .-Hickory-Times Mercury.

> . . . Office Hungry Democracy.

In this county once, it's said, forty on his grave could wither .- Hickory strikes," Times-Mercurv.

If Senator Tillman would put forth the same effort to have the rotten dispensary investigated that The Killing Followed a Fierce Fight in he does to have everything investisubmitted a report to Gov. Glenn gated in Congress the Palmetto State relative to the insane and charitable would be better off.—Shelby Au-stable W. J. Lovitt, of Farmville, She declared that she had been for

> the Bertie county murderer, Jesse Messrs. John Chase and W. H Mitchell, is insane because he named Smith started on a wagon from a child after Grover Cleveland. Farmville to their homes about five Bryanites would probably take it as miles distant. When they reached evidence that he should be burned the cross roads not quite two miles at the stake.-Wilmington Dispatch. from Farmville, they met several

It is stated that R. E. Baker, of wagon could pass. Four Oaks, Johnston county, N. C. homeless boys. Why not locate the school in North Carolina?-Union Republican.

The Durham Herald truly remarks: "The people cuss the trusts but when a trust cuts the price on an article in order to drive an indeserver, the self-constituted guardian | pendent concern out of the market of the State's morals, while this con- the people are not slow to give it their patronage." That is what they were placed in the hands of Constaregard for State pride and common do and then get paid back for it ble Lovitt. The officer, accompadecency since the Fusionists went when they help to crush competi-

It is now "social equality" in the county convict camps, and Democrats control affairs in the State, and them to halt, when one of them diseases. One dose relieves. Guarmost of the counties. With the poor devil who wears the stripes it The negroes fled and the body of the gists. Trial bottle free. is a matter of force not choice. Yet, fer the past thirty-odd years Demoserver was silent as death till the cratic politicians and newspapers of the tragedy. Board of Charities revealed the fact have "fired the masses" with their "nigger" suffrage, social equality cratic consistency is a jewel of rare commodity on this race question dressed up as a scarecrow to suit occasions and the furtherance of political ambition. - Union Republican.

of the count es are his subordinates, dogs lost their track. It is his duty to see that they enforce the law. Has the Governor and lodged in juil. ever attempted to have his subordinates carry out the Watts or the Ward law in their counties? Fed-Glenn to make a show, at least, of Mr. Keith was seen by a Dispatch enforcing the existing laws before

When To Judge.

nine one hundredths of the business men, "Judge Not" is the title, and erts a true curative influence on the been made public heretofore, but misapplied. If the individual citi-system. It is much to be preferred written pages in length and is signed clearly express himself on all ques- "My brother was very low with maby every one of the leading busi- tions of politics, business and law; larial fever and jaundice, till he ness houses in Wilmington. Mr. and in this way help to replace took Electric Ritters, which saved ship on him he could not have the Keith appears as proud of this as he crume and corruption by honesty his life. At all druggists; price and justice,

GERMAN WORKMEN INSURED.

A Compulsory Insurance System Securing Great Gain to Wage-Earners.

Charles Edward Russell, in the February instalment of "Soldiers of the Common Good," in Evreybodys the legislature, charged that body to has pirated his play. That some Magazine, describes the following in-

"The German Government also conducts a Working Man's Insurance Company in which membership is not voluntary but compulresolution barring all lobbyists. sory. All wage carners must take out a policy in it and all government officers with a smaller salary than 2,000 marks a year. Others pudent remark. The governor said may come in if they wish, but these have no choice; the government enforces providence upon them, willy nilly. The insurance is against incapacity, sickness, and accident The premium is a weekly assess-Japan has adopted our pension ment of not more than four per and its publicity have created a sensystem. She will have a chance now cent. of the average weekly wages, two-thirds borne by the insured and one-third by the employer. The government collects the assessment and holds the funds. Ten million persons are policy-holders in the enterprise, and the payments amount to \$50,000,000 a year. When an insured workman dies the government pays his funeral expenses from this fund, alloting therefor a sum equal to twenty times his daily wage. In case of sickness payment is made at the rate of 663 per cent of the annual earnings of the insured. The government also conducts 354 Industrial courts for set tling disputes between workingmen year. They have never amounted to much in settling strikes actually N. C., is announced. Democrats scrambled for a dead Re- begun, but they have prevented publican's office before the flowers many disputes from growing into and social favorite, is reported to

NEGRO KILLS AN OFFICER.

the Road Near Farmville,

Greenville, N. C., Jan. 22 -Conwas shot and killed Saturday night while in the performance of his official duties, says the Reflector.

It is claimed by some parties that | Saturday evening, about sunset, negroes on foot in the road, who refused to get out of the road so the

> Mr. Chase picked up a shovel that got the shovel away from Mr. Case when Mr. Smith jumped out of the wagon to go to his assistance. Cobb broke Mr. Smith's arm with the shovel and also struck Mr. Case, while Barrett cut Mr. Case's clothing with a pocket knife.

Messrs. Case and Smith went back to Farmville for the former's arm to Pneumonia. But when Goug's be dressed and while there swore out warrants for Cobb and Barrett, which nied by Dr. C. C. Joyner and Mr. Richard Carr, started out to find the Dr. King's New Discovery for Connegroes. They overtook two negroes in the road. Constable Lovitt jumped off the buggy and ordered strong." It kills the germs of all shot him, killing him instantly. anteed at 50c and \$1.00 by all drugdead officer was carried to the home of Mr. Watt Parker, near the scene

Sunday morning Coroner William Fountain went out and held an inand other rackets. Truly Demo- quest and Constable Lovitt was

busied this afternoon. Mr. W. C. Hines with his blood hounds, accompanied by Deputy Sheriffs S. L. Dudley and R. Hyman, went out there before day Sunday morning and put the dogs on the trail. The dogs worked the trail finely and Sylvester Barrett was Governor Glenn is the chief ex- soon captured. Jerry Cobb was also ecutive officer of this State. The trailed for some time, but there had sheriffs and other executive officers been so much passing about that the

Barrett was brought to Greenville

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 23.—The eral officers are discovering and sup- steamer Valencia, which was enroute pressing violation of these laws right from San Francisco, with ninetyunder the noses of the Governor and four passengers and a crew of sixty of his deputies, still we never hear went ashore at midnight last night publican party of North Carolina, of any steps taken by the Governor during a thick fog, and a large numhas recommended Mr. Keith's re- or his subordinate executive officers ber were drowned when attempting

> Gen. Wheeler Very Ill. New York, Jan. 23.-Brigadier

SICKENING, SHIVERING FITS

of Ague and Malaria, can be relieved McClure's Magazine for February and cured with Electric Bitters. 50c., guaranteed.

GOVERNOR KICKED A CONVICT.

Then Called for an Inquiry into the Etate Convict System.

Jackson, Miss, Jan. 18 .- Gov. Vardeman in a recent message to make a thorough investigation of the State convict system. Rumors that Gov. Vardeman had recently thrashed a convict at the executive mansion, resulted in an interview with the governor in which he admitted that he had whipped the convict, who, while shining the governor's shoes, had made an imhe kicked the convict, then taking a broom, had given him a sound thrashing. This act is to be investigated by the legislative committee, which was appointed on the governor's recommendation. The affair sation.

The governor has stirred up considerable surprise in the House by sending in a message recommending that trusty convicts, instead of hired laborers be used as porters around the capitol. The recommendation has already aroused violent opposition. The governor wants the convict porters "uniformed in gray or some other agreeable color."

CHOSE HUSBAND BY LOT.

Wanted by Three Brothers-Younge Mock Wins Miss Irene Depew.

Asheville, N. C., Jan. 19 -After cried. making a choice of a husband by and employers, and these courts lot from one of three brothers the have considered 90,000 cases in a marriage of Miss Irene Depew and James William Mock, of Mocksville,

Mrs. Mock, a well-known beauty have determined the choice of three brothers, all of whom had been paying marked attention to her for years by ballot. She allowed all three to draw lots and the youngest Mock won. The bride's lottery consisted of three small pasteboards on one side of which was inscribed her name. The other two were blanks. months unable to determine how to settle it, and that she did not want to wreck the lives of the other two by choosing one.

Miss Depew is said to have received proposals from every young man in the village. Her wedding soon followed her decision by ballot

Cotton Worth \$750,000 Burned at Ja

Jackson, Miss., Jan. 23 .- The permanent. No investment or experi-Mississippi Compress with 9,500 has bought a farm in Chesterfield was in the wagon and got out to bales of cotton was destroyed by fire county, Va., on which he will estab. make the negroes give room. Jerry this afternoon, entailing a loss of lish an industrial training school for Cobb, assisted by Sylvester Barrett, \$750,000 with insurance of about two-thirds that sum.

> A GRIM TRAGEDY is daily enacted, in thousands homes, as Death claims, in each on

another victim of Co simple Colds are properly treated, the t edy is averted. F. G. Huntley. Oaklandon, Ind , writes: "My wis had the consumption, and three dor tors gave her up. Finally she tool sumption, Coughs and Colds, which cured her, and today she is well and

The Adelbert Ames Libelled.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 22 — The schooner Adelbert Ames, which went ashore last week on the Cape Fear bar and became water-logged, TION. has been libelled by the Wilmington, Southport and Little River Transportation Company for a salvage claim of \$15,000, the tug cinnati, O. Catalogue free. Blanche having pulled the vessel afloat with the revenue cutter Semincle. The schooner is nine miles down the river beached to prevent her from filling entirely with water.

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GAVE UP SUPPORTER. "I were a supporter for four years, to keep my womb, which had crow-ded syerything down before it," writes Mrs. S. J. Chrisman of Mannaville, N. Y. "My decter field me a medicine would help me. I suffered material matery, and could hardly walk. After taking two bottles of Cardui I gave up my supporter, Now I am taking my fifth bottle, have no had feelings as formerly, and can be on my feel

From a New Novel. "Why do you turn from me ?" he

"Do not ask me!" she faltered, paling. "But I must know. What have !

done ?" "Oh, nothing-nothing Harold! It is something I have done!" She

seemed to be weeping silently. "You? Can it be-you have done something that makes you turn away from me thus? I demand to know; tell me the worst!"

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