State News.

The government has increased the candle power of the lights at Cape United States Senator from that Com- Savannah, Ga., last week, Leo R. Ba-Hateras from 34,000 to 160,000. "Oil monwealth, mixed a good deal in pol- ker crashed into a tree with his mo-Vapor" has the place of "oil" as the itics, and one time when he ran for torcycle and was killed instantly. illuminant.

Revenue officers in Durham Counof whiskey.

E. W. Allen, lineman for the Car-Company of Tarboro, was killed with a live wire.

Burton Finger, a well-thought-of colored man, of Lincolnton, was shot and illed by Zed and Tom Ramseur, two colored boys, who were drinking, and called at Finger's house and were ordered away.

M. S. Burch, a travelling man, making his home in Reidsville, N. C., died at his home there last Friday night, as a result of poisoning by strychnine. It is stated that there was evidence of suicide.

Mr. Geo. C. Gurley, a shoe manua facturer, of Tryon, was run over and killed by a shifting engine on the Southern Railway track just above the station last Tuesday. He was 47 years of age and an estimable citi-

A baby was left on the porch of Mr. Jacob Fisher, a farmer, living near Salisbury, one night last week. There was no clue to the parents of the child. Extra clothing and a nursing bottle was left with the child.

Ex-Judge W. J. Montgomery, of Concord, died at his home there last Friday morning after an illness of more than a year. He was seventyeight years of age, and had been a prominent man in public life since

A young man named Cable met instantaneous death in handling a wire rope in High Point one day last week. He was an experienced lineman and had been with the telephone company for several years. His home was in Burlington.

The State Bankers' Association at Morehead City last week elected Leake S. Covington, of Rockingham, president; G. A. Holderness, of Tarboro, Thos. E. Cooper, of Wilmington, and J. L. Armfield, of High Point, Vice-Presidents.

Mrs. Fannie Lee Worsham, of Caswell County, while temporary insane a few days ago, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid. She had been brooding over the death of her child which was burned to death about two years ago, and had seemed irrational for some time.

The North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association met in Waynesville last week and elected J. G. M. Garden, of Clayton, president; Geo. C. Goodman, of Mooresville, third vicepresident, and J. G. Beard, of Chapel Hill, secretary. New Bern was decided on as the next place of meet-

general superintendent of the Atlan- vices to speak to a strang woman and temporary shelter arranged. Doztic Coast Line, died at Clifton who was seated beside her. Assured ens of houses were pressed into ser- out hearing witnesses. Springs, N. Y., June 30th, where he of a most cordial welcome and asked vice as morgues. had gone for his health following a how long she had lived in Charlotte, stroke of paralysis a few days ago. the "strange" lady replied: "I've last night. He was 59 years of age, and had been been living in Charlotte ten years was a boy.

two children over to the house of years she had been welcomed into many yards. his brother, who lived only a few the church except by the pastor. hundred yards away, to tell his brother to come over at once, then barricaded his house, shot and killed his wife, and then committed suicide. It is believed that he was in-

Two revenue officers made a raid in Sampson county a few days ago, found a still which had been in operation recently, but no one present, and on finding some beer, proceeded of half-witted fellow and hardly reto drink some of it, and as a result came very near dying with all symptoms of having been poisoned. It Democratic Platforms Mean Nothing. was evident that the beer had been Durham Herld.] fixed for them.

Unusual Manner.

A dispatch from Shelby to the Charlotte Observer says the threeyear-old child of John Dillingham, One President Who Has No Oppodeath Sunday night when its father dropped it from the bed clothes in an effort to save its life from the burn- leper republic in the world is an ing building. The fire was well un- American citizen named Michael der way when discovered and the Whalen, the only American leper on parents barely escaped with their the island of Culion, in the Philiplives and the lives of their other chil- pines, who was today elected chief dren. Dillingham ran back into the executive of the republic which the house and picked up the bed clothes | Philippine government has establishon which the three-year-old child ed to manage the affirs of the leper was lying and as he rushed to the colony.—Exchange. door he heard something drop. When he got out into the yard he discovered that it was his child. Then it was too late to venture back into Even in his unfortunate physical conthe smoke and flames. The origin of dition there is this morsel of satisthe fire is unknown.

They Kept Their Word.

Maxton Scottish Chief.]

The late Colonel Wilbur F. Sanders, of Montana, who was once a the Governorship was defeated by a prominent Democrat.

ty captured three negro moonshin- of Helena held a jollification meet- in the Mississippi valley, are being ers Monday in Lebanon. They found ing and Sanders went over to see fed and housed at the United States and poured out over seventy gallons what was going on. He stood in the naval station at New Orleans. edge of the crowd, but was soon recognized and called upon for a speech.

"Friends and fellow-citizens," he olina Telephone and Telegraph began, "when I was nominated for the high office of Governor by the there Monday by coming in contact Republicans my opponents and Democratic friends told me they could be filed August 5. beat me with a yellow dog."

"And," shouted Sanders, "they did!"-Saturday Evening Post.

No Rush to Join the Party of Five Cent Cotton.

The Lincoln Times.)

The Lincoln County News, in its last isseu, extended an invitation to the Republicans of the county to join the party whose leaders have for years insulted them, called them niggers, ostracised them, cheated them out of their ballot and treated them generally as a class of undesirable citizens. One of the stock arguments of these "leaders" is that "the best people are all Democrats," the Governor of the State going so far as to say that "all the best women are Democrats."

Republicans, remember these insults and we have no idea they will fall over themselves to accept the invitation to join the party of five cents cotton, fifty cents wheat, soup houses, Coxies Armies, want, misery, and suffering. They believe in protection and prosperity, honesty in politics, and while they will not endorse fraud in the leaders of the Republican party they will hardly go over to a party that here in the South, is past master in the art.

Locke Craig's Beer Special. Hickory Times Mercury.]

Rev. Maddrey, Baptist pastor in Raleigh, in a sermon, scored the good (?) prohibitionists there for contributing money to buy "free liquor" for the Republican and Democratic Conventions that met there. The Mercury glories in his moral convictions, but fears that if he sticks to them, he will be given to feel that he can de "more good somewhere else."

We hear Locke Craig's train had so much beer on it, his friends couldn't keep quiet. Notwithstanding this, Locke was unanimously nominated for the Democrat prohibier Mr. Maddrey votes for him or not, hundreds of others, just as sound prehibitionists as he, will, and thus aid and abet in the sin of which Mr. Maddrey so timely complains. So estimate to-day put the loss of life at long as good people encourage the li from 200 to 500 and the property quor traffic by their vote, they can loss at from \$4,000,000 to \$10,000,preach against it all they please and 000 in the tornado that last night it will do no good. Thank you, Mr. practically destroyed Regina, capital Maddrey.

The Stranger Had Been There Ten storm, conditions are still chaotic, Years.

Asheville Gazette-News.]

church all of that time." To a friend

Young White Girl Assaulted Near Buies, Robeson County.

Bernice Tew, a white fellow about seventeen years old, who lived near and temporary hospitals are filled. Buies, was placed in jail here last week on a charge of criminally assaulting a seven-year-old daughter of Mr. Z. Hall, who also lives near From the National Monthly.] Buies. It is said that Tew is a kind sponsible.-The Robesonian.

When the party platform declares for tariff for revenue only it means Negro Child Burned to Death in An nothing, and when it declares for free lumber and free print paper Senator Simmons appears to take it to mean nothing.

The first President or the first

Mr. Whalen has one satisfaction. He has no rivals nor nominating conventions to harass his very existence. faction.-Union Republican.

General News.

In practicing for the July races, at

Reports are that two thousand ref-On election night the Democrats ugees, made homeless by the flood

> Attorney General Wickersham has agreed to a delay of one month in the filing of the International Harvester Company's answer to the government anti-trust suit, the reply to

> Suffragettes made a general campaign of destruction of postoffices and public buildings throughout the country around London, England, last week. A number of them were arrested and imprisoned.

The Socialists of New York nominated a full State ticket for the coming campaign at their convention held at Auburn, N. Y., last Saturday. York, was nominated for governor.

gineer and man of considerable retain their party regularity. years of age.

During W. J. Bryan's absence from his home attending the Baltimore convention, vandals tore up and hauled away 56 two-foot squares of his sidewalk near his Fairview home, in Lincoln, Nebraska. The police have no clue as to the guilty parties, and the suggestion has been made that these blocks were taken as souvenirs.

Former United States Senator An-

Lifted Ships Out of the Water.

Winnipeg, July 1.-More accurate city of Saskatchewan.

To-day, twelve hours after the and it is thought it will require weeks to ascertain the damage that was wrought by the wind. Practicalthe Chronicle says, gave his flock a was wiped out. As bodies to-day and lack of cordiality in welcoming ed to them, seeking to identify miss-Edwin Borden, of Wilmington, lady took it upon herself after ser- remained standing were overtaxed

The entire city was in darkness

The path of the cyclone was sevwith the Atlantic Coast Line since he and have been a member of this eral blocks wide and passed through the heart of the city. Three churchwhom she had met outside the es, the finest in the city, were blown Judge Skeen threatened effect that Jesse Young, living in Beaverdam church the "strange" lady said that down. Railroad cars standing in the Township, Cherokee County, sent his that was the first time in the ten yards were picked up and carried

> Many river crafts and small sailing vessels were lifted from the water and carried into Victoria harbor, a mile from the lake. To-day all the buildings left standing near bear some sign of mourning. Improvised

Next!

The widower had just taken his fourth wife and was showing her around the village. Among the places visited was the churchyard, and the bride paused before a very elaborate tombstone that had been erected by the bridegroom. Being a little nearsighted, she asked him to read the From the New York World.] inscriptions, and in reverent tones he read:

"Here lies Susan, beloved wife of John Smith, and Jane, beloved wife of John Smith, and Mary, beloved wife of John Smith."

He paused abruptly and the bride, leaning forward to see the bottom line, read to her horror: "Be Ye Also Ready."

Anent, the Baltimore Convention. From the New York World.]

After contemplating Murphy's de vastating work, agin we ask: Must a boss be an ass?

Technical Defense.

"Sam Johnson, you've been fightin' agin. You'se lost two of yo' front teeth."

"No, I ain't, Mammy, honest. I'se got 'em in me pocket."-Life.

TAFT MEETING FOR COLONEL.

County Committee.

Jersey City, N. J., June 29-The Republican County Committee of Hudson County, N. J., met here last night with the announced purpose of indersing President Taft. Instead of that a resolution was passed by a vote of 399 to 21 declaring Roosevelt the "only true Republican," denouncing the Chicago Convention and asserting that the President gained his renomination by fraud.

When Chairman Kinney looked over the members and found so many Roosevelt men present he announced that the meeting had been called for the dual purpose of indorsing Taft and reading the treasurer's report. He read the report and tried to adjourn the meeting. Failing in this, he left. The Roosevelt faction elected John Weastell chairman.

NORRIS SUPPORTS ROOSEVELT. standing on end.

Nebraska Representative Will Stand a ghost out dar by de well." by the Colonel.

Washington, D. C., June 29-Representative Norris of Nebraska, one Charles Edward Russell, of New of the leading Republican insurgents of the House and Senator-elect, today announced that he intended to sup-A fierce tornado swept over Regi- port Theodore Roosevelt, not as the na, Can., Sunday, killing 200 persons nominee of a third party, but as a and damaging property to the Republican. This statement on the amount of ten million dollars. The part of Mr. Norris indicates, it is belocal telephone office was wrecked, lieved, that the other Republican inand fifteen girls, employees, were surgents of the House, except those who are supporting La Follette, intend to give their support to Roose-Chester D. Hart, a young civil en- velt, but that they will also seek to

prominence, of White Plains, N. Y., Mr. Norris declared that President drank cyanide of potassium a few Taft was not, in his judgment, the days ago, which killed him instantly, nominee of the Republican party. Business troubles were assigned as He said that the convention which the cause of the deed. He was 28 nominated Taft was improperly made up, and that Roosevelt was the real choice of the Republicans.

ELECTION BRIBERY CASES.

Two Hundred Men Indicted on Grave Charge in Lee County, Virginia-Vilonce Feared if Judge Skeen Presides at Trial-Another Hillsville Scene May be Enacted.

A special from Bristol, Tennessee, to the Charlotte Observer says:

"Rumblings of discontent are 'em, sah." thony Higgins, of Delaware, died heard from Lee County, Virginia, Wednesday at the home of his among the men who stand indicted brother in Wilmington, Del. Mr. on charges of election bribery, due Higgins was more than 71 years old, to the fact that the main point which and was the first Republican elected they wanted decided by the Supreme to the United States Senate from Del- Court of the State was not passed

"It is claimed by persons interest-STORM SWEEPS CANADIAN CITY. ed in the view of the more than 200 men who are under indictment that tion candidate for Governor. Wheth- More Than Two Hundred Persons the prosecution turned a trick and Killed and Much Property Destroy- brought about a decision upon a difed-Blew Train Off of Track and ferent question than that sought to have tested.

"As a result, it is said that the friends of the men indicted are not willing that Judge Skeen of the Circuit Court, who is said to have been largely responsible for instituting the election investigation, expect to petition him to refrain from sitting during the trial of the cases, allowing a judge from a distance to hear

"It seems to be the impression among the indicted men that it would A Charlotte pastor some time ago, ly the whole north side of the city be unwise for Judge Skeen to hear the cases, inasmuch as it is not deslight upbraiding for their coldness were recovered scores of living rush- nied that he has taken an active hand in the investigation from the start. new people into the church. One ing relatives, and the hospitals that aiding the Commonwealth's attorney and even directing that indictments be returned in some instances with-

"It is feared by some that violence may result at the trials if Judge Skeen persists in presiding. Threatening communications have already been received at Jonesville, where the court is held, and one received by another such tragedy as that enacted at Hillsville, Va., March 14, might be anticipated in the event the indicted men are sent to jail. 'We will die and go to h-ll,' the communication concluded, 'before we will submit to going to jail.'

"The casts are set for hearing August 19th, and it is expected that a lengthy siege of hearings will be inaugurated at that time, it being claimed that the bribery will be found to be as extensive perhaps as that involving citizens of Adams County, Ohio, in an investigation not

WALL STREET AND TAMMANY.

New York World Fears Their Influence at Baltimore.

Shall Wall street and Tammany turn Democratic opportunity into

Democratic discord? Shall Wall Street and Tammany turn Democratic triumph into Demo-

cratic disaster? Those are the first questions to be answered at Baltimore.

The Murphys and the Ryans and the Belmonts and the Sheehans are already reaching out for the Democratic National Convention. The World herewith warns the Democratic party that a Murphy-Ryan-Belmont-Sheehan Democracy is not worth saving. A Murphy-Ryan-Belmont-Sheehan ticket is not worth fighting for . . .

The same men who blasted Democratic hopes in 1904 are seeking to blast Democratic hopes in 1912.

If the Democratic party wishes to make Roosevelt agin a great captain

let Wall street and Tammany domi-Roosevelt Forces Storm Republican nate the Baltimore Convention. If the delegates to the Democratic National Convention wish to create an irresistible popular demand for Roosevelt and a third party, they have only to follow the leadership of

the men who are behind Judge Par-

The Republican party is seething with revolt. If Ryan and Murphy, if Wall street and Tammany dominte the Baltimore Convention, the Democratic party will likewise be seething with revolt. A new party will be inevitable. The American people will not submit to be tricked and defrauded forever by corrupt bosses bosses and corrupt plutocrats.

Let Baltimore remember it.

Didn't Know the Dead Languages.

Aunt Caroline came running into the dining room, her kinky halr

"Missus," she gasped, "I done me

"You must have been mistaken Caroline," said the lady of the house. There aren't any such things as

Aunt Caroline drew herself up haughtily.

"Dey ain't, ain't dey Well what would you say if I told you this un done spoke to me? Yassum, heerd him."

"Why, what did he say?"

"Say," sniffed the dusky mistress of the meals, "how you speck know? I neber learned dese here daid langwiches."

Came For the Supplies.

Eli Perkins used to relate this anecdote of President Lincoln: One day an old negro, clad in rags and carrying a burden on his head, ambled into the Executive Mansion and years old, was shot and killed at dropped his load on the floor. Step- Rowland Thursday night by Mr. ping toward President Lincoln, he Grady McCormick, who is about

"Am you de President, sah?" "I am," said Mr. Lincoln.

"If dat am a fac', I'se glad to meet sonian. yer. Yer see, I lives away up dar in de back o' Virginia and I'se a poor man, sah. I hear dere is some per- and captured eight miles west at visions in de Con'stution for de culled Pittsboro last week, by officers. It man, and I'm here to get some of was an 80-gallon still. No arrests

in American politics, it has only to The Brownsville Regiment tous a Trouble.

Seattle, Wash., July 1 -All the negro soldiers of the four companies of the Twenty-first Infantry. The Brownsville Regiment, starting to Fort Lawson, are confined in the ters in an effort to identify the segme soldiers who attacked Mrs. F Posta white woman in front of her house. Saturday night. All the senders are be lined up and the woman wid to to identify her assailants

Some Marrying

A new notary in Mamphia called on to marry his first caspie was completely lost, but arose become to the occasion and said the recmony as follows:

"De each of you solemaly sage that you will obey the the thirty of the United States and of Terring see, and that you will obe; the decay of your office? Then | pronuncia you man and wife forever, and and stand committed until all form are paid, and may God have metry in your souls."-Memphis News Som

The Only Way.

An elder while baptizing converts at a revival meeting advanced with a wiry, sharp-eyed old chap into the water. He asked the usual question whether there was any reason was the ordinance of baptism should no be administered. After a painte a tall, powerful-looking man who was looking quietly on remarked.

"Elder, I don't want to interfere that this is an old sinner you have got hold of, and that one dip won't do him any good; you'll have to an chor him out in deep water overnight."-Life.

Homicide at Rowland.

Bud Monroe, colored, twenty-six twenty-two years old, as the result of a quarrel about a dog belonging to Mr. McCormick .- Lumberton Robe

An illicit distillery was located were made.



The race is to the strong

have you strength for the up-stream pull of life-are you gaining, just holding your own, or do you feel yourself being swept back by the current of circumstances? Strength is what you need-the strength that comes from good red blood.

You can buy strength

Read these extracts from letters of gratitude from those who did general health and strength have also improved | weigh more than I ever did in my life. and I attribute this to the use of Milam.—W. E. Griggs, Danville, Va. Gained 49 pounds of solid flesh.

—Harvey Dingess, Ferrelisburg, W. Va. Have taken only a few bottles of Milam but feel stronger and better, more active and able to stand up under my work.—Rev. H. D. Guerrant, Danville, Va. I gained 8 1-2 pounds on 1 1-2 bottles of Milam.—T. B. Stalnaker, Charleston, W. Va. My strength has returned and I feel better than I have in 20 yea. s. thanks to Milam.—Bennie Jones, Newport News, Va. Took six bottles of Milam, feel like a new man.—Chaude Curling, 549 E. Main St., Norfolk, Va. Am on my fourth bottle of Milam and can now eat all I can get, and

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