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### Of Interest Paragraph By Telegraph And Cable

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 22 .-Miss Garvin disappeared Wednesday ing \$18,038.

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 22.—Sam Schepps, "Bridgle" Webber, Harry Vallon and Jack Rose, the four informers in the Rosenthal case, are said to have passed through here early today on the New York-Chicago imited of the Lake Shore & Mich gan Southern Railroad.

AKRON, Ohio, Nov. 22 .- Miss Jessie Limeric awoke from a six and onehalf days sleep at the city hospital today. Although weak from lack of nourishment she will be able to talk again within a day or two, hospital officials say. Mrs Limeric sank into the long slumber after she had taken an overdose of sleeping potion.

hurled a horse shoe, wrapped in a newspaper through the window of Berg & Co., jewelers, on Michigan boulevard early today and escaped with jewelry valued at \$2 500. It is of near \$100,000. the fourth time the establishment has been robbed by this means.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22 .- The appointment of Theodore Marburg of Baltimore, as minister to Belgium, in length. was announced today by the State Department. Mr. Marburg will succeed Larz Anderson in the Belgium post, Mr. Anderson having been made amhassador to Japan.

CAMBRIDGE Eng. Nov. 22.-A step of immense importance to nonconformis's was taken by the University Senate here today when it agreed by a vote of 435 against 326, to rescind the regulation debarring the conference of the degree of doctor of divinity on non-conformists.

FDDYVILLE, Ky. Nov. 22.—James Ell's 34 years old a constable who shot down Magis rate Beatti in the latter's office at Burnside, Ky., a year aro, was electrocuted today at the Eddwille. State penitent ary. medistrate had issued a warrant for E's charging him with the illegal sale of whiskey.

HOUSTON, Tex., Nov. 22 .- Dr. Charles P. Nei'l. United States Commissioner of Labor arrived in Houston this morning from Warhington to begin the work of adjusting differinces between the Harriman line and their conductors and trainmen tween El Paso and New Orleans.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Nov. 22 .amuel Russell was run down by bloodhounds and mine guards in the mountains last night and taken to banks loans and postal savings. military headquarters at Paint Creek Junction today. Russell is alleged to which yesterday shot up the town of High Coal, W. Va., outside the martial

WASHINGTON Nov. 22 .- Treasury Depar ment officials today discovered that the Stars and Str pes were not flown from many of the life saving stations along the coasts of the United Sates. Assis ant Secretary Allen mmediately issued instructions that the National emblem be displayed each day from 8 o'clock in the morning until sunset.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Cardinal dibbons, presiding over the board of trustees of the Catholic University here, has announced that the institution will co-operate with the Catholic niversity of Louvain. Belg'um in he compila ion and publication of the works of Orien'a. Christian writers. These will include writings on religous matters from Syriac, Coptic, Ethiopic and Arabic sources.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22 .- A new ounding board of stout oak is being plows of the gavel wielded by the good right arm of Speaker Clark in the coming session. The Speaker ompe'ely ruined the old sounding board in the past session and the splintered remnants were removed by the House carpen er.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 22.—Hearing of testimony was begun in earnest oday in the trial of John H. Patterson and 29 other official and former officers of the National Cash Register Company who are charged with havng violated the crim'nal section of the Sherman an i-trust law. Proceedngs in the case were halted yesterday after the first witness had answered

the examiners' hearing in the dissolu- years in the penitentiary. tion suit of the government against Corporation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 22.-A 10cal shipp ng company has ordered a ten thousand ton ship to be built on the Atlantic coats o meet the increase in business expected with he opening of the Panama Canal. The company now has three ships of like tonnage under construction on the west coast. The fourth was ordered after the re-

### Virginia Bridge & Iron Company Will Span The Catawba To Join Li coln

The contract was let by the representatives of Mecklenburg and Lincoln counties yesterday afternoon for The body of Norma Garvin, daugh- a new bridge of steel across the Cater of Former Governor L. F. C. Gar- tawba river to join Mecklenburg and found in New River today. Lincoln counties, the contract bid be-

> The successful bidder was the Virginia Bridge & Iron Company of Rosnoke, Va., represented by Mr. E. E. Hanks, who is making Charlotte headquarters, having also contracts for the structural work on the subway and for bridge-work for the Southern Power Company.

The letting of this contract followed a session lasting well into the afternoon, the joint committee on the construction of the bridge consisting of three commissioners from Mecklenburg and three from Lincoln County. The joint committee met in the directors' room of the Independence Trust Company. Besides the Virgin's Bridge & Iron Company other bidders were the Oswego Bridge Company, the Roanoke Bridge Company and the Nov. 22.—Burglars Requarth Construction Company who are now finishing up the handsome concrete reinforced bridge over the Catawba river between Mecklenburg and Gaston counties at a total cost

The new bridge between Mecklenburg and Lincoln will be 689 feet over all. There will be three river spans resting on four concrete plers in the river, these spans being 453 feet each

The approaches will be 120 feet in length on the Lincoln side of the river and 100 feet on the Mecklenburg ton and upon which he based spans of the bridge over the river proper. The bridge will have a 16ry a 15-ton road roller.

This bridge will be the third bridge provided for by the present board of coun'y commiss'oners and will be one of the neatest of the smaller bridges in this territory.

## OF NATION FOLLOWS CHIEF'S STEPS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22 .- Secretary MacVeagh today asked for the resignation of Gideon C. Bantz, as assistant treasurer of the United States because he is said not to be in sympathy with the administrative policy of the Secretary of the Treasury. Mr. Bantz will be succeeded by Christian S. Pearce, chief of the division of

The resignation of Mr. Bantz following so closely that of Treasurer be one of the leaders of the band Lee McClung is admittedly part of a p'an of reorganization of the Treasurer's office by Secretary MacVeagh. The Secretary today declared he intended to leave the Treas rer's office in an "up-to-date, progressive condition" for the incoming administra-

> No further changes are contemplated, it is stated, the resignation of Mr. Bantz and the filling of existing va-

cancies completing the program. Mr. MacVeagh stated today that he had instituted methods for the improvement of the office of treasurer. "I intend placing men in charge," said the secretary, "who are in sympathy with my policy; so that there will be no likelihood of a reaction to the old methods when I leave office, compelling my successor as Secretary of the Treasury to spend his term of office going over the ground I have

Mr. Bantz, a native of Baltimore became assistant treasurer in 1908, having previously been assistant cashier of the Treasury. His successor, Mr. Pearce. is from Nashville, Tenn.. placed on the Speaker's desk in the and has been connected with the douse to withstand the crashing Treasury since the first administration of President Cleveland.

## SECOND DEGREE VERDIC WITH 15-YEARS FOR

WYTHEVILLE, Va., Nov. 22.-Sidna Allen, leader of the clan which shot up the Carroll County court at Hillsville last March, resulted in the death of five persons, was found guil-WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.-Luther ty of murder in the second degree for ination of Trinity Church, and sated Conant, Jr., commissioner of corporation and fine south, the average man doing a like work in the average man doing a like work in the southern part of the killing of Judge Thornton Master for distributing goods over the South, the average man doing a like work in the southern part of the control of the southern part of th is, was the first witness today at sie. The jury fixed the penalty

the United States Stee Corporation, hours the case of Sidna Allen, charged major ty of the members of the con-The commissioner produced a mass with the murder of J dge Massie at ference favored Trinity Church. On of statistical tables. The first of these Hil'sville last March, the tury was motion the choice of Trinity Church marke quotations on stocks of va- morning. The foreman stated that the conference was held in Monroe

were desired. The court, however read to the tury the same instructions that had been g'ven in the case of Floyd Allen after the jury in that case had been out some time and failed to agree. The J ry was again locked up.

-The construction forces have about completed the preliminary mending an assessment of \$200 on New to sudy the lumber market in pipings on Cen'ra' avenue prepara-New York and the East, and its prob-able development when the canal done in the early future on that

ists Meet Next Year In Triaity Church

Devotional Exercises Conducted by Bishop Collins Denny Are Most Interesting Feature of the Conference -Many Matters of Interest to the Church Are Brought Before the Body in the Sessions of the Third Day.

(By Staff Correspondent.)

HIGH POINT, Nov. 22.—Trinity Church, Charlotte, was chosen as the next meeting place for the annual session of the Western North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, for 1913 by the cials, and the latter by members of conference in its third day's work today. The only other place to make a plea for the next annual meeting lotte citizens, the visitors later visitwas Monroe and after the choice was made a motion to make Trini;y the unanimous Church, Charlotte, choice was carried.

No single feature of the present session of the conference attracts as much attention and the interest than is true of the devotional addresses city exactly at 7:45 and were met by which Bishop Denny delivers at each

open ng of the daily session. This morning the words to which Bishop Denny called special atten- A Bland and others, and were escortmarks were the words found in the and four solid concrete piers, these First Epistle of John: "Beloved belatter sustaining the three central lieve not every spirit but try to be spirits whether they be of God." foot roadway ample for the passage of the attempt that is sometimes made two vehicles, and will be able to car- to hold other than the regular serand then we see an attempt made to turn a church service in o a minstrel and said that years ago he lecided that he did not want a man around him in time of trouble who cannot hold the services of the church correctly. He said fur her that upon I am not a Christian Scientist be-

· Bishop Denny stated that the tests to be applied to determine whether the spirits are of God are the following: 1-Testimony to God. 2-Concensus of the Church. 3-Apostolic Doctrine.

Greetings From Protestants. Greetings were received from the in session in Burning.on in reply to the greeting sent by this conference yesterday. The eeport of thr trustees of the children's home was submitted.

Mr. Goode Named Field Agent. A question of special interest in this report was the announcement that W. O. Goode, pastor of Brevard Stret Church, Charlotte, had been elected field agent of the Chi.dren's Home, succeeding J. F. Kirk, who has resigned that position and will return pastor of Brevard S.reet Church the past two years, and there is much guess work being indulged in regarding h's successor at Brevard Street.

Question 1 was called aga n, "Who re Admitted on Trial," and Luke F Brothers, from the Shelby district, and C. R. L. Ferguson from the Asheville discric:, were admitted on trial in the conference in addition to those tion 3, "Who Are D scontinued," -G. the speeches and ta'ks were confined ciple of one-term presidency. But, W. Everette and J. H. Sellars were discontinued at their own request.

Answering question 18, "Who Are Located This Year,' A. P. Foster was Answering ques ion 3, "Who Remain on Tria!," a class of 13 admitted on trial a year ago were advanced to mayor did not fail a'so to put in a the class of the second year, each good word for Charlotte that the vismember hving passed the exam nation | itors might remember this a'so of character and the committee on examination.

Answering question 10, "What Traveling Preachers Are Elected Deacons," and question 12, "What Local Preachers Are Elected Deacons?" the following named were elected to deacon's orders, C. R. Allison, H. V. Clark T. A. Grace, P. S. Kyle, G. P. Smith, G. W. Vicks, Elmore S.mpson. P. L. Shore, A. P. Rat edge, J. A. Holmes, F. Brothers and J. I. Hicks. Answering question 14, "What Travel'ng Preachers Are Elected Elders?" the following named were elected to Brinklinan, P. I. Bri tain, J. O. Ervin, T. J. Hock, G. A. Samper, J. E. Wainsick E E Ya es, W. O. Davis, J. A. Fry, P. W. Tucker.

Charlotte Church Chosen. Bishop Denny called question 48, to manufactories. Where Shall the Next Session of the Conference Be Held?" T. F. Marr placed in nomination Trinity Church. Charlotie, and J. H. Weaver placed roe. G. T. Rowe seconded the nomat 15 Charlotte Club and all Charlotte Will extend cordial welcome to the con-After having considered for 17 ference; the vote was taken and the rious companies which have become no verdict had been reached, but that companies which the United States Steel no further instruction as to the law ference. ference.

The missionary board has commended the work of Rev. H. K. Boyer as missiona'y secretary and the cabsecretary, but he has not yet consented to do so. A resolution was offered recom-

te pt of reports from a special agent work of laying the underground each district for parsonage repairs. After the discussion the resolution was not adopted. Conference adjourned at 12 o'clock

with the benediction.

Wes'ern North Carolina Method- Quaker And Queen Cities' Repro- Washingtonians Fear Influence sentatives Strike Hands In Warm Frien ship

# WAS HELD LAST NIGHT

Coming of Ph'lade phia Trademen an Occasion of Rare Interest and Enjoyment—Reception Tendered at the Selwyn and the Smoker at the Southern Manufacturers' Club Were Both Among Outstanding Features of the Felicitous Event.

The descendants of the patriots of July 4 and of May 20 met last night in a delightful concourse, the former represented by a big delegation of Philadelphia business men and offithe Greater Charlotte Club and Charing the Southern Manufacturers' Club where a two-hours' reception in their honor was enjoyed.

The Quaker Cty members of the annual trade excurson arrived in the a large delegation of Greater Charlotte Club members, Mayor Charles afoot to the selwyn Hotel assemand good will between the representa- tariff is revised. tives of the North and the South as exemplified by Philadelphia and Charlotte.

Mr. Cattell a Sh'ning Light.

Mr. Edward J. Cattell, a high official of the Quaker City, and the offi-Methodist Processant Conference, now cial representative of Mayor Blankenthe shining lights on the evening's door to speaker's stand in the front. Court of St. James. Mr. Cattell is a typical specimen of the to the pastorate. Mr. Goode has been and last night h's remarks shown with cratic presidential nomination in 1916. choosing his subject and showing that alternative of iden ifying or not idenhe was truly at home as a speaker.

moetly to other realme than business. head of the city extended to the visgranted a loca ion at his own request. Iters a welcome which they knew and felt to be hearty and sincere The

> uary and 77 for July. He also spoke Convention. of the relative low humidity and the absence of severe storms and torna-

Mr. E. R. Preston spoke on "Charlotte as a Progressive City." outlining the extent of the cotton industry and elder's orde's, D. C. Ballard, G. C. referring to the great hydro-electric developments of the section. which will soon have 130 miles of interurban lines in operation and many miles of wire carrying electric energy

Mr. Stuart W. Cramer told the visin nomination Central Church, Mon- houses to have a branch in Charlotte. Carokna are much lower than in He emphasized the city as a center other States, Mr. McNeill is far above time. particularly in the textile line.

Mr. Tryon is Heard.

After the Charlotte speakers had had their round Pres'dent C. C. Hook presented purported to give stock called into court at 10:10 o'clock this was made unanimous. The last time announced that Mr. Charles Z. Tryon of Philadelphia, as the man "for whom Tryon street was named" Mr. final touches are being put on Presi- and highly respected citizen of the the others in his old home residence, Tryon was among the best speakers whom the visitors put up. He referred with fine effect to the tle that now inet has done the same and Doctor binds all sections of the country and Boyer is being urged to continue in was liberally applauded. Mr. Tryon the position of conference missionary gave to the South a high mead of gave to the South a high mead of praise for its self-confidence and energy d'sp'aved in building up so great a country after all had been lost, credit gone and nothing was left but the land and the people. He stirred his

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Of The Commoner Cn Wilson Administration

Feeling Between the Commoner and tions of North Carolina. This request Tar.ff-Clark Nor Underwood Will Accept Suggestions From the Nebraskan-Complimentary Talk of State in health subjects. North Carolinian.

BY PARKER R. ANDERSON.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22 .- An announcement circulated from Wash- Hall and with the co-operation of the ington yesterday to the effect that William Jennings Bryan has been of- teachers has its main object the defered and will accept the position of livering in every white school in the Secretary of State in Woodrow Wil- from one to four lectures by a physon's Cabinet was based upon the per- sician or dentist on some important sonal speculations of a Southern mem- subject dealing with health or sanitaber of Congress. The member of tion. This work has already been started in Gaston and so far the re-Congress in question today explained solts are most satisfactory. As presthat he had no information either ident of the State association Dr. from President-Elect Wilson or from Glenn has suggested this plan to the Mr. Bryan, and that he had not meant proper officials in every county in the Paul J. Raney's African Hunt Picto convey the impression created by them have adopted it. That all the the early part of this week.

bly room where the formalities of the campaign for nomination and elecevening were held, President Charles tion are certain that a high place in He C. Hook presiding over the rare two the new administration either has ing. called attention in this connection to hours of wit, speeches, fun and ex- been or will be offered Mr. Bryan. It change of compliment. The speeches is virtually certain that Mr. Bryan has last Summer at Hendersonville Dr. vices in the church and sa d, "Now of the visitors were so well pointed, the option of becoming either Secreso thoroughly balanced with humor tary of State or ambassador to Great and common sense and so well adapt- Britain. The latter place, it is hoped ed to the occasion that there were by the Democratic leaders of the ject of health. He hit upon the idea no uninteresting moments in the en- | House, will be acceptable to Mr. Brytire evening's program. The Charlotte an. With Mr. Bryan in London he speakers were also at their best and would be less liable to create dissatisthe reason why he is not a many happy hits were the outcome of faction and the resultant factional Christian Scientist his answer was, the exchange of greetings, welcomes fights among the leaders when the

Feeling Against Bryan.

Mr. Clark, it can be said upon the principal results of the campaign will best authority not only will not stand for suggestions by Mr. Bryon but the the grown-ups of tomorrow. Speaker of the House will positively refuse to speak to the Nebraskan, the backing and co-operation of phyenburg of Philadelphia, was among While Leader Underwood has nothing sicians and teachers all over the State personal against the Commoner he program and his address delivered in will, as he has done before, ignore the the assembly room of the Selwyn suggestions of Mr. Bryan. Hence the made a great impression on the large leaders here will feel much more at audience filling the hall from rear ease should Mr. Bryon be sent to the

Then there is no reason to doubt best that his great State represents that Mr. Bryan is seeking the Demopeculiar brilliancy as he spoke of va- If it be true that the Nebraskan en- Ashby and Miss Willie Ashby, being live of the local company who has rious things taking a wide range in tertains such ambitions his present in school at Lenoir College, Hickory. tifying himself with the Wi'son ad-While the coming of the Philadel- ministration is regarded as an emphia business men was heralded as a barrassing one. The Baltimore platbusiness visit and four, there was lit- form contained a plank committing news yesterday that the old Bradley tle said on this subject last night, but the party and its nominee to the prin- chapel building in the edge of East while asserting the principle, the was occupied by a negro family and Mayor Charles A. B'and as official, plank does not in terms limit Wilson, a small negro child was burned to under the present conditions to one death. It was stated that some cotterm. If Wilson shou'd seek a re nomination, it is foreseen that Bryan, flagration by playing with some fire and yet an opponent of the New came into possession of the old church Jersey man, would be charged with disloyalty. It would be a situation in State, he was the principal candidate against Harrison in the Minneapolis

Comp'imentary to McNeill.

State Corporation Commissioner Franklin M. McNei'l of Raleigh, who completed he will occupy it. s nere attending the convention of esteem by the members of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

one of the high officials of the com-North Carolina is one of the ablest State Comm'ssioners we have to deal with. Though the salary of the Cor- Thanksgiving Day. Saturday afterperation Commissioners in North noon's service will be especially for other States.

PUTTING FINISHING TOUCHES

WESTERLY, R. I., Nov. 22 .- The dent Taft's Thankegiving turkey at Union section of the county, was found the children looking after his wants the farm of Horace Vose here this dead in his room yesterday morning daily. His wife died about three about 10 o'clock by his grandson, Mr. years ago.

Howard Huffstetler. He was in his Following funeral services at 11 nated a bird every November to the 87th year and had been in feeble o'clock this morning the body was laid White House table. The Taft turkey health for two or three years past, to rest in the cemetery at Union Preswill weigh about 30 rounds and is though he was able to be up and byterian Church, of which he had chestnut fed, th's diet giving a deli- shortly before he died yesterday Huffstetler was held in the highest escate flavor not found in the ordinary morning. His grandson was not far teem by all who knew him. He was corn-fed gobbler. One of the new from the house and heard him chop- honest, industrious and a loyal church refinements of training which is being ping some wood only a few min tes member. Until his recent affliction tried on the Taft turkey is a daily massage of the fowl's crop in order to facilitate digestion of the contents.

Called To Deliver Lecture At Greensborg---Other Items Of Interest

Chronicle Bureau, Gazette Building, Gastonia, Nov. 22. Dr. L. N. Glenn of Gastonia, presi-

dent of the North Carolina Medical Thursday at the request of State Superintendent of Education J. Y. Joyner, to address the county superintendents of education of the State and public school teachers from many sec-Leaders of Congress It Is Said Will came to Dr. Glenn as a result of the Have Its We ght With Making of work he has inaugurated since he became the head of the Medical society looking toward the training of the children of the public schools of the

Dr. Glenn's chief topic in his address will be an explanation of "The Gaston County Plan" This plan developed and put into operation here by Dr. G'enn in conjunction with County Superintendent of Education members of the Gaston County Medical Society and the public school county during the current season of county superintendents and many Nearly all Democrats who were teachers might have the plan given to tages explained State Superintendent Joyner asked Dr. Glenn to go to Greensboro and address this gather-

When they elected him president the association requested him to get public school pupils, believing that lees "set in their ways," as the expression goes. Through the influence The feeling between Mr. Clark and ones he hoped to also influence their have to be looked for in future years when the school children of today are

and he is expecting a largely augmented enthusiasm on the subject to result from the meeting at Greensboro ting department at Graham's.

Rev. M. A. Ashby, the new pastor of the Lutheran Church, has rented Mr. John R. Rankin on South York street and will go to housekeeping this week He and Mrs. Ashby are here, their two children Mr. Paul Mr. Ashby conducted his first service in the Gastonia church last Sunday and greatly delighted his new parish-

King's Mountain owned by him was destroyed by fire Monday. The house ton was stored in the building and the unfortunate child started the conif the premier of the Wilson Cabinet around the cotton. Mr. Whites'des building two or three years ago by exwhich Blaine found himself in 1892 Coley's chapel but the name was when, though Harrison's Secretary of changed to Bradley's chapel some years ago. It was built as a Northern Methodist church by Rev. F. W. Bradley. There was no insurance. Mr. A. F Whitesides is building a handsome eight-room residence on West Franklin avenue between Chester and Trenton streets. When it is

Next week will be observed as a the National Association of Railway week of prayer by the missionary so-Commissioners, is held in very high cieties of Main Street Methodist Church. On Monday afternoon the usual mission study class service will he held at the home of Mrs. T. E. Speaking of Judge McNeill today Summerrow on South street. On Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturmission said: "Judge McNeill of day afternoons at 3 o'clock services Main Street church. There will be no in the city. prayer services Thursday, which the young people and these are all especially invited to be present at that

has developed to it.

Happenings Of The City Sketched In Eriel As Seen By The Chronicle Reporters

-Cotton receipts today amounted to 102 bales at 12.50 cents, against Society, will go to Greensboro next 125 bales at 9 cents on the corresponding date last year.

> -Mr. George Stephens of this city has been elected a member of the executive council of the American Civic Association, which is holding its annual meeting this week in Bald-

> -The slow movement of cotton to the market is regarded by Charlotte bankers as one of the contributing causes for the unusually heavy demand for money that is coming upon them these days.

-Although the skies are not cloudless, Weather Observer Atto predicts con inued moderate temperature and the same pretty weather that has blessed this community for the past

City Engine r Fir h was able to come to his office today, but did not at empt any g e 1 amount of w rk. He has been indisposed for a period of ten days with a severe cold and malaria.

-Seats will go on sale Tuesday morning at Hawley's for the neura engagemen at the Academy of Music, Thursday aftern on and night, of State and already a large number of tures, which made such a big hit here-

-At the annual meeting of the

Presbyterian Church at the Y. M. C. A. last night the following officers Mr. De Roy Fonville, were elected: President; Mr. Flynn Wolf, vice presdent; Mr. Robert Walsh, treasurer; Dr. A. J. Little, secretary. -Recorder D. B. Smi'h expects to

be able to resume his duties the first at St Peter's Hospital th's week, having undergone an op ration there During his absence, Mr. Hamilton C. Jones, recorder pro tem, has been holding court.

-The work of laying out the driveways and beau ifying the appearance of Myers Park continues under the supervision of Mi. Fros. who has been here for several days to give this work his personal attention. The planting of g a.s and tree is occu-Mr. Bryan cannot be exaggerated. parents to some extent. though the pying he greater part of his time

-Mr. A. G. Jacobson who has been one of the 'ad ng tallors at the Tate-Brown Con any for a number of ing corps of W. W Graham & Co. Mr. Jacobson is recognized as one of the most expert cu ers in the city and he will have charge of the cut-

-Agency for the Massachusetts Casualty Company has been acquired by the American Agency Company of this city of which Mr. Harvey Lambeth is manager, operating in the American Trust Company building. The agency for this concern has just been secured through a representabeen in the North on business.

-Mr. J. W. Schricker of Spencerville, O., has been working night this week on the Christmas deccrations of the Kress store on North Tryon street and will complete his task tonight at midnight. 1.000 bells are being distributed and tinsed in lavish abundance is a big feature of the decorations. The cost of the decorations will amount to abou; \$500. Mr. S-hricker is with the chain of Kress stores doing this, character of work entirely.

-Owing to the enforced absence of Mr. F M. Lax on, the proposed golf match which w s scheduled for tomorrow af ernoun will not be played. It was planned o have last Sa urday's play repeated. Mr. Laxton to retain the payers he s ecud on tha date and Mr. W. M Pau to hold on to those who were picked for him by Mr. E. V Pa ters n. The match will be played off some later day. T.e combined score of he Laxton side ag ins the Paul side last Saturday was 17 to 15 points.

cure information from the two young parties who sold the intoxicant. The boys refused to give any names, although they were urged by the officers as well as the'r fathers. ed that a stranger gave it to them The officers are determined to aseer tain the process by which boys under will be held in the league rooms of age are alleged to be getting whiskey

> would have been badly burned had there been any considerable amount of fire in the fireplace.

Deceased was born and had lived Brydges and Mr. A. C. Stroup, the the county. He is survived by four chief promoters of the recently pro- sons. Messrs, John Meek, Ed and posed creamery, have abandoned the Charles H fistetler and one daughter, proposition to effect such an organi- Mrs. Robert Ratchford, all of whom ON TAFT'S THANGSGIVING FOWL zation because of the opposition that lived near him. For the past two or three years his mind had been some-Mr Joseph M. Huffstetler, an aged what affected and he lived apart from