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THE SABBATH DISREGARDED.

We can't conceive of such a thing as a necessity for our Congressional conference committee to sit in session and work on the Sabbath day. Yet such was the case as reported on yesterday. It becomes rather alarming to those who believe that a nation's prosperity is a gift from the Sabbath School Convention. Divine Hand, b stowed through wise, obedient and faithful representative heads, when respect for Di- county will be held at Patteazon's vine laws is so ruthlessly trampled Mill church Friday July 23rd at 10 is for man and not man for the Sab. bath, but we do not see that the day: Sabbath laws have ever been abrogaleu. Pulling the ox out of the ditch on the Sabbath is not a violation of the spirit and the intent of the command to keep the Sabbath holy, but what measure of excuse there is. shough, for that committee to sit and work on that tariff bill on Sunday is not easily conceived. The amount of perfidy and des lead off. bauchery charged upon men in high places is no small cause for alarm, yet, while the Ohristian Sabbath is held in sacred reverence there is ever an anchor against a hopeless drift to atheism. Regard for the Sabbath and reform or entire abandonment of political partisan prayers in the opening serwice of the Senate and House would be somewhat more inspiring for those who realize that "Blessed is that nation whose God is the Lord."

deeper sense of human depravity from which the Ohristian religion itself seems to be mable to free us

The Cincinnati Tribune says that a Kentucky man was ficed \$25 for kissing a girl once, while another man was fined \$10 for kissing one three times. The presumption is that if the osculatory process is kept up to a satisfactory extent the fine will become naught. As the penalty, seems to increase with the diminu-

tion of the acts, it follows that the greatest orime would be in not kiss. ing the Kentucky girl at al!. If she be prefty and willing the fine could hardly be too severe.

Mr. Julian S Carr offers \$500 to that county in North Carolina which polls the largest for cent of its voters in favor of local texation for schools. We would be glad to see Cabarrus cast the largest per centage of votes for the 'availou if her voters believe that, corsidering the situation just as it is and not as it might have been, it is the very best thing to do.

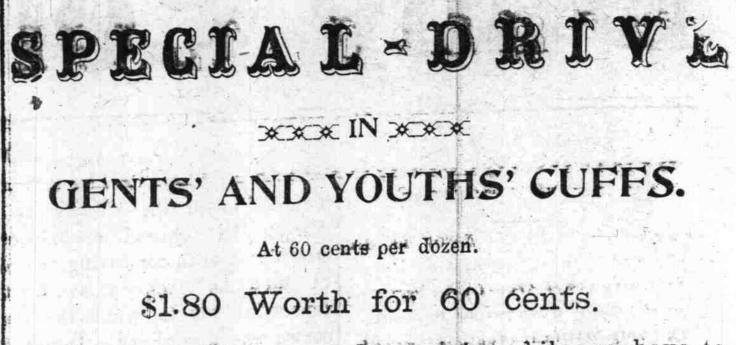
New cotton has already appeared on the market, we learn from the A lenta Journal.



Taking

a course of Ayer's Pills the system is set in good working order and a man begins to feel that life is worth living. He who has become the gradual prey of constipation, does not realize the friction under which he labors, until the burden is lifted from him. Then his mountains sink into mole. hills, his moroseness gives place to jollity, he is a happy man again. If life does not seem worth living to you, you may take a very different view of it after taking

Aver's Gathartic Fills,



You make \$1.20 on a dozen pairs while we have to pay for them out of the 60 cents we get. We have our regular per cent on them and are satisfied; for we know the better pleased, the better customer you will be. While we know we could not get any more to sell at this price there is always something being sacrificed for the cash. A week or two ago it was Lawns we bought that would ordinarily do us three years, we put our regular per cent on these goods and the first day we sold nearly 1,000 yards without a line of advertising. The bulk of these goods were swept from our counters in less than a week. In a few days the 51 dozen CUFFS will be swept away. We don't know what the next drive may be. It may be Guitars or it may be Wash Pans.

You may depend on one thing, it will not be a bargain of regular goods at regular prices.

We will save you money on anything. Take the item of Talcum Powder, we sell three (3) cans for 25 cents while you pay 25 cents for the same grade elsewhere.

Ladies Gauze Vests at 4 cents, bleached ones 5 cents. This is not a "ONE DAY ONLY" price but 6 days in the week

We sell ladies fast Black and Tan Hose that measure 31 inches for 10 cents. These are made of Peeler Cotton, full

MACHING ON.

'The Charlotte Observer's new press is in place and turned out its first issue Sunday morning. It is now a regular 8 page paper, though is capable of printing and folding 5,000 papers per hour.

The Observer merits its aparent prosperity.

upor. We know that the Sabbath o'clock a. m. The following programme will be rendered on that Song by Convention-"I Need Thee Every Hour." Prayer-By Rev. Alexander. Song. Address of Welcome-By Howard Townsend. Song. Response-by Charley Hamilton. Song. A drops by M H H Callwell, i - "Is Sabba" Sono I W .k Beneficial Church Wori.' Verbal Reports of Superinten. denis, Patterson's Mill church Address by Rav Rankin-"How Can Wo More Inferest the Young Eabbath School Work." S.ng. "Pancivility is the Life of Sabbath Schoe -by Rev. Furr." Election of Vice-Presidence. Song by Congregation -- 'God be Wit' You till We Met: Again." Banedictio .. All Sabbath Schools in the two townships are requested to present reports and contribute to the madic by furnishing their choirs. The public generally, is invited. I. N. PHARR, Prostonat. Coleman on the Cat. The announcement recently made that some bicycle manufactures have ing neatly done. All work guaranteed. decided to cut their list price from left in my possession. I respectfully \$100 to \$75, created very little sur- solicit your patronage, RICHARD H. JEFFERSON. prise in trade circles. As is general. not greatly enlarged. The new press ly known the demand this year has

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There are some people who are been for reliable goods listing at never positive in anything. It is alw prices within the reach of the pub- ways, "I don't know," or "I guess lic, and it has been an open secret so." There is a world of such peothat the higher priced makers have ple, and it is refreshing sometimes to

seamless, 3 turead heel and toe.

We have corsets at 20 to 95 cents. For over 12 months we sold "C. B." Corsets at 85 cents while they were being sold at \$1.00.

Good Machine Thread at 3c, worth as much as any thread.

Very Respectfully.

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