#### TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

At Southern Pines the temperature goes up to 91 degrees - Governor Carr offers \$200 reward for the capture of the leader of the gang of Alleghany county lynchers-The State Liquor Dealers' association now has 278 members.---The Yale base ball nine is defeated by the Washington Y. M. C. A. nine-The Senate has confirmed the nomination of Wm. T. Cheatham, postmaster at Henderson, N. C-Bradstreet's reports stimulated sales of staples in nearly all cities of the Eastern Middle and Western States, comparatively fewer Southern cities reporting corresponding gains. Rice, cotton and corn are the only conspicuous staples that have advanced in in the number of business failures each week-Henry Lederer, a German bar tender, commits suicide in Lynchburg, -The British steamer Aros, stranded off Cape Lookout, has floated. The life saving crew rowed out to her (twelve

miles) but was not allowed to go aboard

-The University of Virginia base ball team defeats the Lehigh University team --- On April 22nd the first passenger steamer ever cleared from a South ern port for Europe will leave Port Royal, S. C.—The Pollard-Breckinridge trial vesterday was not at all sensational, but rather dull. The session was consumed in reading depositions by the defence. One was by Sister Augustine and a nurse the asylum and she was there when the from the Cincinnati foundling asylum stating that Miss Pollard had never been an inmate of that institution, and one an inmate of that institution, and one from Mr. Brown of the Wesleyan college June 1885, who remained veiled and who said no telegram had been received who gave birth to a child, except one, calling Miss Pollard to her mother at the time Col. Breckinridge visited her at the said, had lived in Kentucky for a while, but college, - At 7 o'clock last night there was a decided change in the condition of of children. Messrs. Carlisle and Johnwas a decided change in the condition of Senator Colquitt. His physician thinks son, of the plaintiff's counsel, had called at the asylum in December, 1893, with he has a good chance to recover-The Miss Pollard, but she could not remem-Federal Circuit court at Chicago, refuses | ber Miss Pollard. Sister Agnes told Miss to interfere in the case of Prendergast, who is to hang to day for the murder of Mayor Harrison—John Stinson and E. H. Rogers, ex-Western Union operators,

-Mrs. Jasper G. Moore, wife of the has been placed under a \$3,000 bonduntil thoroughly restored to health -Royal assent has been given to the marriage of Lord Rosebery and Princess Maud of Wales, Another London dispatch denies this statement. -- Richard V. W. Newton, pleads guilty of comand is sentenced to nine months impris-Marriage of Mr. Fletcher Whitaker

and Miss Parham. [Special to the Messenger.] PETERSBURG, Va., March 22.-One of

the prettiest home weddings that has the deponent. ever taken place in Petersburg was that which was solemnized this evening at 7 parents on High street. The contracting parties were Miss Adeline B. Parham and Mr. J. F. Whitaker. The cermony was performed in the presence of a large assemblyage of invited guests by Rev. J. W. Rosebro, D. D., pastor of the death of her child." Tabb Street Presbyterian churh. The bridal presents were handsome and

Capt. W. H. Parham, a prominent citizen of this place, and a niece of Mayor Charles F. Collier, of this city. She is a in society circles here. The groom is a

future they will reside.

## The Orton Ice House.

By reference to the advertisement in this morning's MESSENGER it will be seen that the Orton Retail Ice House, on Princess street between Front and Water. will have its "grand opening" to-day. The wholesale depot will be continued at

Kennebeck flint ice that got such a popufar hold in our city last season. The public will be glad to learn that they will be supplied with this superior ice

## Death.

"Prof." Walters, the raft "crank, who has made a precarious living along the ocean front near Atlantic City, N J., for the past three seasons, was discovered by Officer Conley, of that place, last evening in an almost famishing condition. He was in a little room back of the bath houses above Connecticut avenue and was barely able to speak. He was removed to the city hospital, where it was found that his left wrist was broken in two places and the arm black and swollen. He said he had been alone for two weeks past and was calmly awaiting death. A window had fillen on his wrist. Dr. Ulmer fears that blood poisoning will ensue.-New York

## The Steamer Aros Floated.

BEAUFORT, N. C., March 22.-The British steamer Aros, Capt. Co kill if he came aboard it would be at his risk. Capt. Gaskiil then rowed away.

## Important Notice.

Assignee.

Druises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores Tetter, Chapped Hands-Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Erup-Price 25 cents per box. For sale by would be adjourned over from this his life, up to this time, and you may rely on the future.

WILMINGTON, N. C., FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1894.

POLLARD-BRECKINRIDGE AN UNEVENTFUL DAY IN

The Session Consumed in the Reading of Depositions by the Defence -Miss Pollard's Testimony Contradicted by Defendant's Witnesses in Important Particulars -No Session of the

THIS SENSATIONAL TRIAL.

Court To-Day. WASHINGTON, March 22.-The dreary eading of documentary evidence, the noting and arguing of objections and the that he was absolutely certain she had taking of exceptions, made this the most received no telegram summoning her uninteresting day of the Pollard-Breck inridge trial since it began two weeks ago. A number of depositions taken by the defence were read to the jury and a great deal of the evidence in them was objected to by the plaintiff's counsel. So many were the objections and exceptions in order that she might go to Lexington noted that at the request of Mr. Carlisle, with him.] Judge Bradley set Saturday next for girl perfectly able to take care of herself

cinnati in 1885 at the time when Miss Pollard claims she was confined there. She testified that she knew only of one Louise Wilson who had been an inmate of deposition was given. She had never heard of Madeline Pollard as an inmate. She did not remember having seen any and that woman was not Madeline Pol was from the far north and had a family Pollard that she was a bad woman-she sue the company in Dallas, Tex., for \$20,000 each for having put them on the black list as discharged for drunkenness Follard, which were narrated by Sister Agnes in the deposition were

told the deponent asylum under the name of Louise Wilson, but there was no such name on the books. She found the name of Miss Burgoyne as) having been confined on tonio. He is very weak and greatly May 29, 1885, the day Miss Pollard emaciated. He will remain in Texas claims to have given birth to a child. Miss Burgwynn or Burgoyne is one of the names Miss Pollard says she assumed while in Cincinnati. The entry in the asylum books showed that Miss Burgoyne had left the asylum June 30th while Miss Pollard claims she left the asylum within two weeks after her child was born. When Sister Augustine read olicity in the Gravesend election frauds | the name of Miss Burgoyne, during the visit of Miss Pollard in December 1893, Miss Pollard said: "Oh yes, that is the name; I had so many names I cannot remember than all." "Miss Pollard called the name Burgoyne," added Sister

"Do you believe that Madeline Pollard is Miss Burgwynn?" was asked of "No sir; I believe she is not. Miss Burgwywnn was much smaller than

During the visit of Miss Pollard to the asylum, she asked where the child of Miss Burgoyne was, and was told it died in July, 1885. "Then," said Sister Augustine, "she put her hands to her face and ran out of the room, I supposed over

Part of the deposition was devoted to the finding of a Christmas card in one of the volumes of Irving which Miss Pollard claimed to have presented to the asylum library when she was there. Sis-ter Augustine said she did not know whether Miss Pollard could have slipped the card in the book; nobody was watchlady of splendid qualities and of a most ling her. The card was produced in court amiable disposition and a great favorite and shown to each juryman. This card Miss Pollard claims was given her by a well known young business man of Wil- Lexington man and that she placed it in mington, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker left to-night at 8:15 o'clock on the southbound passenger train for Wilmington, where in the which was read yesterday, an attempt was made by the defense to show that Miss Pollard had slipped the card into

the book during her visit to the asylum When the trial began the counsel for Miss Pollard insisted on the production of the four volumes of Irving which Sister Augustine had given to Mr. Stoll of the defense to take to Washington, the commodious warehouse at the foot and there was a legal controversy before the matter was settled by an order from The Orton ice houses handle the pure Judge Bradley for the production of the books. Judge Wilson, Miss Pollard's attorney, said with some heat at the time, when called on to more fully identify the volumes mentioned, that they were the books from which Mr. Stoll had taken a Christmas card which would have a great bearing in the case. Maimed, Famishing and Awaiting The four books and the Christmas card

> Mr. Stoll then read the deposition of Mrs. Lena Schmidt, a nurse at the foundling asylum. It was about the same in substance as the preceding de-

Then Mr. Stoll started to read the deposition of Dr. W. E. Decourcey; it was also one of ignorance as to Miss Pollard

Orvin G. Brown, president of the Quinn Valley college, the son of Dr. W. K. Brown, president of the Weslyan college in Cincinnati where Miss Pollard was a student, deposed that he first knew Miss Pollard in the fall of 1883, when she came to Weslyan college where he was then. Her board and tuition-\$200-was to be paid by a Mr. Rodes,

but all of it had not been paid. Miss Pollard while at the college had nearly all the prominent people in floated this morning, and proceeded to tucky. Once when she returned from a Norfolk. She was straided about fifty hours out. Capt. Caskill of the life was ill, she had told her school-fellows fashioned in his habits and ideas to besaving station offered assistance, but that so many prominent people called on lieve that the taxing power of Congress known, satisfactory references will be Capt. Coal refused it and told Capt. Gasher that she did not know what to do. was given for but a single purpose, and required. Homes for two children are She mentioned among those who called Col. Breckinridge and Senator Blackburn, necessary expenses of the Federal Gov-It was considered hard treatment of the large and Senator Blackburn, if expenses of the rederal Government of the large and there were so many people named and there were so many people named that it became quite a joke among the girls, who used to calculate how much that it became quite a joke among the girls, who used to calculate how much than it had to appropriate money to the proposed, that it became quite a joke among the girls, who used to calculate how much than it had to appropriate money to the proposed, and county papers to copy this request.

The proposed of the rederal Governments of parties in advance of our requirements, as delay is often fatal. We will be grateful to local and county papers to copy this request. Perton H. Hoge, than it had to appropriate money to build a sharty for John Doo or Sam sister after having received all these build a shanty for John Doe or Sam The entire stock of I, Shrier, corner people, Mr. Brown said there was al- Smith. He gave notice of an amend-Front and Princess streets, consisting of ways more or less kinship claimed by ment to apply one-half of the appropriaa full line of mens, boys and youths clothing, hats and gents furnishing goods, will be closed out at once regardless of cost, in order to wind up the busi- Blackburn Pollard." Mr. Brown found to the general interest than the exterminess. Now is the opportunity to get bargains.

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began claiming kinship with these prominent people. Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded.

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Mr. Brown was questioned concerning the relations of Miss Pollard and Pro-fessor Jos. F. Obermeyer of the college, and answered that they sustained the relations of pupil and teacher. He had never heard of anything between them and only recently had seen Miss Poll-ard's letter to Wessie Brown saying she was consumed with an undying love for

Concerning the first visit of Col. Breckinridge to the college, Mr. Brown said he remembered that he was severely criticised at the time for allowing Miss Pollard to go out alone with the defend-ant. Mr. Brown said Miss Pollard was a popular girl at school. Bills for Miss Pollard's tuition and board had not been paid, and when she left the institution to go to Lexington she was not asked to come back for that reason. He testified inridge had sent a bogus telegram to her, signed with her mother's name, summoning her home on the date named

hearing argument on their admissibility. with men and to resist improper ad-Mr. Stoll read the deposition of Sister vances-she was taught how to conduct nerself in this way at the college.

Augustine.

Sister Augustine was connected with
St. Joseph's foundling asylum near Cin
Dr. Hugh B. Williams, a physician who had lived in Bridgeport, Ky., deposed that he attended Mrs. Pollard, the mother of Madeline, at the birth of a daughter in October or November, 1865. Mrs. Pollard then had two daughters. One was called Mattie who was then "a little toddling tot about two or three years of age." He could not say whether Madeline Pollard was that little girl—it was more than twenty years since he had seen her. The child born to Miss Pollard in 1865 was called Rosalind. The next deposition offered was that of Dr. J. Owen Robinson, of Bridgeport,

y., a physician who had practiced in Bridgeport, Ky., for the past six years. He said he knew Madeline Pollard, a niece of Mrs. Stout, who was "not a beautiful girl, but who was attractive for her intellectual attainments." [Owen Robinson is the young man who gave to the defence letters written him by Miss Pollard when she was a school girl. | The deponent said he thought Miss Pollard

was about 16 or 17 years old in 1880. F. M. Schofield, a blacksmith who had lived in Bridgeport from 1854 to 1888 de-posed that he had known Miss Pollard's Bridgeport in 1865 he had three children, Ed. Mamie and the youngest, Madeline. Madeline he thought to be about 3 years Before adjournment Judge Bradley, at

the request of Mr. Carlisle, fixed Saturday morning to hear argument on the exceptions taken to the admission of the matter in the depositions to which objection was made The court then adjourned until Satur-

COUNTERFEIT SILVER COINS

OF FULL VALUE. The Matter to be Investigated-Proposed Appropriation of \$1,000,-000 to Destroy Bussian Thistles -Senator Harris' Amend-

ment to Include Crab Grass - Democrats Unable to Secure

WASHINGTON, March 22.-The followng resolution was offered by Senator Hoar and was agreed to:

Resolved, That the Senate of the United States has heard, with deep regret, of the death of Louis Kossuth, the illustrious patriot and lover of liberty, formerly the guest of the American

Resolved. That the Vice President be equested to communicate the respectful condolence of the Senate to the family

Senator Sherman offered a resolution nstructing the Judiciary committee to report whether the stimulation of United States coins by coins of the same weight of metal and fineness is made criminal by the statutes of the United States or of other countries; and, if not, to report a bill to prevent and punish such stimulation. His attention, he said, had been called to possible defects in the laws to punish conterfeiting, and as to whether those laws applied to the case of coins of equal weight and

Senator Hoar spoke of the resolution as being "a remarkable commentary on re-cent legislation, with a little comic element in it," that measures were necessary to make it a crime for people to coin money of full weight and fineness; still it might be necessary and he would not object to the resolution.

Senator Cullom suggested with a laugh: "If the people cannot get free coinage in one way they will get it in another." The resolution went over for the pres

The bill to secure a site for the Govern ment printing office was then taken up and gave rise to the usual discussion as to the advantages or disadvantages of the various pieces of property proposed to be acquired.

The four books and the Christmas card amendment offered by Senator Quay for are beginning to play an important part the acquisition of the Mahone lot, adoining the tract owned by ex-Senator Mahone. The amendment was agreed to-yeas, 27: navs, 22. A motion to reconsider this vote was

made by Senator Harris and the motion went over without action. At 2 o'clock p. m. the McGarrihan bill came up as the unfinished business, but was allowed to go over. Senator Hansbrough's bill appropriat-ing \$1,000,000 for the extermination and

destruction of the noxious plant or weed known as the Russian thistle, or Rus- are doing a noble work in this direction, sian cactus, in all States and Territories but they are generally taxed to their where found, was then taken up. where found, was then taken up.

Senator George, chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, from which the bill was reported, made an argument in opposition to it. He spoke of it as a most extraordinary bill, unprecedented in the legislation of the country, and as the legislation of the country, and as a step in the direction of paternalism farms or in their homes, should file their

Senator Harris protested against the Price. All necessary rights in the chil-

Senator Dolph thought that there was very little difference in the appropria-tion for levees along the Mississippi river to protect farming lands and the appro-The best salve in the world for Cuts, ridge and the plaintiff) that Miss Pollard priation of money to exterminate thistle. Senator Harris-I think the one just as unconstitutional and absurd as the

Senator Dolph—I hope the Senator will stick to that idea.
Senator Harris—He has stuck to it all

Senator Call advocated the bill and argued that it was entirely within contutional precedents.

The bill went over without action. After a short executive session the Senate at 4:05 o'clock adjourned till Mon-HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. Brown, reported from the Committee on Elections its report upon the contest of English vs. Hilborn, from the Third California district, recommending the seating of Mr. English, Democrat, Mr. Waugh, Republican, presented the views of the minority. They were ordered printed and placed on the calendar. Mr. Patterson called up the O'Neill-Joy contested case from the Eleventh District of Missouri, to which Mr. Waugh raised the question of consideration. On division of the House the vote to con-

sider the resolution was 109 yeas, nays, 1. "No quorum," said Mr. Waugh, and the call of the yeas and nays was ordered—no quorum. A call of the House was ordered and more than a quorum answered. On the second vote there was no quorum. The yeas and nays were ordered on a motion to adjourn and the Republicans refrained from voting. The motion to adjourn was of labor statistics in thirty-two of the defeated. A third vote on the resolution was taken, but still no quroum. In this stage of the game Mr. VanVoorhis, smallress of the annual appropriation—of New York, moved the House adjourn only \$2,000—as in his opinion every over Good Friday, but this was defeated,

After the roll call had been completed, and before the result had been announced, Mr. Livingston said: "Mr. Speaker, I desire to submit a point of order that under Rule 8, unless a member is excused or necessarily prevented, or personally interested, he must vote. I make the point of order that the gentleman from Maine (Reed) was present and failed to yote.

The Speaker pro tem., Mr. Bailey— There is no rule of the House which requires a member to vote and prescribes a way of forcing him to do it. Mr. Livingston-I make the point of order that it is his duty to vote and I ask that he be brought before the bar of the

House to state his reasons for not voting. The Speaker pro tem.—The chair overrules the point of order. Mr. Livingston-Then I rise a to privileged question.

The Speaker pro tem.—The gentleman

Mr. Livingston-Under Rule 9, whenever the dignity of the House is involved it is a question of the highest privilege. I make the point, sir, that the dignity of the House is at stake, and badly and seriously involved from the fact that father. When Mr. Pollard came to these gentlemen sitting on this floor are not voting. I, therefore, ask that they be brought to the bar of the House and made to vote.

state that the dignity of the House is in the keeping of the House and that the House has not prescribed any rule other than that which the chair is attempting to enforce.

Mr. Reed-And it is not a very large dignity either. The Speaker pro tem-In the present instance the House has adopted rules prescribing the manner of conducting its business. Those rules are as binding upon the chair as they are upon the other members of the House. The chair is merely the organ of the House, to execute and enforce the rules which the House has adopted. Now, if the House adopted a rule which prescribes that a member must vote when his name is called and the member refuses to do it, the chair has no power to compel the

Mr. Livingston-But, Mr. Chairman, I have made a motion that he be brought to the bar of the House The Speake pro tem-And the chair ruled that motion not in order. Mr. Livingston-I would like to know

what it will take to put a man in order here. [Laughter.] The Speaker pro tem-The chair refers the gentleman from Georgia to the

Mr. Livingston-I have the rules. The Speaker pro tem-Then the chair would suggest that the gentleman study them until he understand them. Mr. Livingston-I might say, with due propriety, that the gentleman in the chair might take a lesson on the same

The routine was again taken up and continued until 5:25 o'clock when the House adjourned until to-morrow.

A RECORD BREAKER.

Intense Heat at Southern Pines-Reward for the Capture of a Lyncher Liquor Dealers' Association. [Special to the Messenger.]

RALEIGH, N. C., March 22.-To-day was a record breaker as to hot weather. A special from Southern Pines says the temperature there reached 91 degrees, mean temperature of the day being 86. Governor Carr offers a reward of \$200 for the capture of John W. Woody, of Alleghany ccunty, who was leader of the gang of lynchers, fifteen in number,

who broke into the jail at Sparta and took out and lynched Dan Slaughter, a Virginian charged with murder. The North Carolina Liquor Dealers' ssociation now has 278 members. Its secretary is endeavering to increase the membership largely before its an-nual meeting in June at Wilmington.

He finds it "a wonderful cure for a bad cough." Mr. W. F. Anderson, 341 Water street, New York City, N. Y., gives this indorsement: "I have found Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup the wonderful cure it is represented to be. It is just the thing for a bad cough."

Homes Wanted-Associated Charities. It frequently happens in the experience of all societies that are seeking to elevate the poor and unfortunate, that children are found who are capable of being made into good and useful men and women if only they could be removed from their present surroundings. The orphanages of this State and other States ames with the secretary, Miss Carrie

## LABOR STATISTICS.

THE ANNUAL REPORT OF COMMISSIONER LACY.

The Commissioner Unable to Obtain Full Reports-His Letter to the Governor-Manufacturers Refusing to Answer Questions -An Escaped Convict Captured After Many

MESSENGER BUREAU, RALEIGH, March 22. found to be impossible to obtain the desired facts by correspondence and the plan has been tried and failed, and benefit to the Commonwealth he de-clares it would be better to abolish it, as year. Only 30 per cent. of the persons juestioned make answer. He asks the answer who is not treating his fellow-man as he should?" He finds that cot-

account in some degree for the failure to respond to the inquiries of the bureau He adds that there are those who seem know the condition and needs of those who are in their service, and utterly disregard the blanks and the inquiries of inquiries, which are not as radical and

he has visited a few mills and was surprised at the healthy faces of the opera atives in the cotton or woolen mills are etc., which are either forgotten or mad little of by the political demagogue. The is that there can be for them no increase the present prices of crops and is receiv been told this he could get no person, save Mr. Tonnoffski, to write a letter for publication, and adds that "it is against

Joseph Crowder and Edmund Gaddy Wadesboro; Frank Bennett, Paris.

also settled, paying \$1,627.54.

Martin McPhaul, a convict just received at the penitentiary, made his escape from there nineteen years and six months ago.

the term will be made that much longer next spring.

A number of Nebraska farmers are oming to this State, as settlers, and so otify the Department of Agriculture. Corn planting is in progress in this county. It is said to be earlier than ever

Mr. J. H. Baker, of this city, who fell down stairs a few days ago at a store here, died this morning. His death was entirely unexpected. A post mortem examination showed that two ribs were broken and the liver punctured. Mr. Baker was 52 years of age, a native of Franklin county, and was Chancellor Commander of Centre Lodge, Knights of Pythias, here. He leaves a wife and six young children. Maj. J. W. Yerex, commandant of the Favetteville Military academy at Fav-

etteville, called on Governor Carr this morning and made application for arms and equipments.

The Baptists of this city have pur-

chased from the Presbyterians the build-

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Highest of all in Leavening Power. - Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Years, The annual report of B. R. Lacy for 1893, did not come from the printers' hands until to-day. Your correspondent several months ago gave you summaries of the tables relative to labor. wages, etc. The feature of interest is the letter of Mr. Lacy to the Governor, States. The main trouble here is the county should be visited, since it is

use of blanks. In all States the latter agents are now sent instead. The Government now sends no blanks but uses agents entirely. If this State cannot afford to make the bureau a positive it cannot be made a success on \$2,000 a uestion "Is it likely that a man will

ten magufacturers are answering better than ever before; 39 per cent. of these replying, against only 10 per cent. heretofore. He says that it must not be forgotton that in the past year of financial stringency many mill-owners have felt that they could not make a fair showing, and, being thor-oughly disheartened, did not, therefore, wish to make reports, and that this may to think that it is not for the State to

sweeping as in other States, is to gain accurate information, so as to do justice to the capitalist and the working man. Gen. Walker has said that the manufactories have met the bureaus over half way, but Mr. Lacy declares this certainly not the case in this State and says they are the ones which have given the bureau the cold shoulder. He says tives and gratified at their high standard of morality. Most of the mills work eleven and a half hours daily. The opernot the class of labor worst off or which needs sympathy most. The persons en-gaged in farm labor he asserts to be the worst paid notwithstanding the extras given, such as house rent, fuel, garden, worst fact as to their situation, he says in wages, as the farm laborer is now getting all that it is possible to pay him a ing no less than he did when cotton was selling at 9 cents a pound. He notes the fact that the farmers have generally responded readily and fully to all letters and inquiries. He says there are 18,200 persons in this State who are members of labor organizations. Secretary Barnes ives nearly 16,000 as the strength of the Farmers' Alliance in North Carolina, these being male members in good standing, and tells Mr. Lacy there are as many female members of that order. Secretary Tonnoffski, of the Knights of Labor, says it has several thousand members in this State, but Mr. Lacy remarks that though he has frequently

their law to even acknowledge that any one belongs to the order, and most of the fourteen persons written to did not answer at all or said they were not mem-Governor Carr adds the following to the commission to go to the battle ground of Antietam: J. W. McGregor, Lilesville;

Sheriff T. P. Wilcox, of Pasquotank, has settled his State taxes, \$5,635.72. Sheriff J. M. Cartwright, of Camden, has

He will serve the remainder of a seven year term, for larceny.

The buildings of the deaf mute school will be finished in sixty days, one of the directors informs me. They meet April 5th. It may be that the school will not open until late in the fall. If that be so,

ing formerly occupied as the Second Presbyterian church, and will move it Your correspondent gave you the first news of the incendiary fire at Benson, which burned three stores and a dwelling. The men arrested on the charge of

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## New Advertisements.

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Spring and Summer Novelties AT PRICES FOR TO-DAY.

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Our Zephyr Gingham heretofore sold at 121c to-day for 10c. Extra quality Zephyr, regular 18c to day for 12½c. Our 40 inch Cambric, suitable for Shirt Waists, worth 20c, to-day

Clytheroe Zephyr in large bright plaids, the 35c to day at 20c.

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Beautiful assortment in Light and Dark Shades worth 25c, for to-day

Black Ground Batiste worth 19c, to-day at 9c. Imported Organdies (new spring styles) worth 40c, to day 25c. Imported Figured Dimities worth 15c, to-day at 12½c. Serpentine Crepon, plain and figured, in new Evening Shades, our 20c

grade to-day 124c. Belfast Lawn, our 15c to-day at 10c. Irish Lawn, 40 inches, worth 20c, to-day at 121c. Dotted Swiss, colored figures, our 49c, to-day 25c. Lace stripe and figured Satines, imported, 40c, to-day 25c. Broken Plaids, Bright Plaids and Stripe for Shirt Waists, our 25c to-day

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44 inch Silk Finish Henrietta, worth \$1, for to-day 59c.

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Imported Novelties, our 75c for to-day at 59c. Full line of Fancy Trimming and Shirt Waist Silks and Satins at a

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