WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 1894.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

Belva Lockwood is granted license to practice law in the courts of Virginia. -The body of an unknown negro woman is found in the suburbs of Jacksonville, Fla. She had been stabbed over thirty times and her throat was cut,-Two hundred miners are killed by fire damp explosions in mines in Austrian Silesia. - The Richmond and Danville railroad was sold yesterday for \$2,030,000 and the sale confirmed by the Federal court. It will be reorganized under the name of the Southern Railway company.

-The torpedo boat Ericsson, built at Dabuque, is ready to be tested by the Government. She will probable be delivered at New York and tested in Long Island sound, -- Our consul at Kingston, Jamaica, is to sail on the San Francisco to the island to which most of the wreckage from the Kearsarge was taken, for the purpose of buying what he can of it. The Postoffice Appropriation bill, as reported to the Senate carries \$87,286,599. office receipts for the same year by \$3,-Senator Sherman offers an attendment appropriating \$100,000 for special mail facilities between Cleveland and Cincinnati and between Cincinnati and Atlanta. - The Senate confirms the nomination of Pendleton King, of this State, to be chief of the bureau of archives in the State Department.---Theodore Havemeyer was before the Senate-Sugar Trust committee yesterday, but sleposed to nothing new. The committee The members of the Southern Railway and Steamboat association are making slow progress on their work. The rate question is the chief hitch,-Bradstreet's says many causes combine to produce continued dullness in business. -In the Erastus Wiman case the jury returned a verdict of guilty, with recomdation to mercy. Wiman was taken to Sentence will be prowho signed the call for a meeting in New York Thursday next are

officers and adjourns .- The Pittsburg district miners accept the Columbus compromise and will return to work. Those of the Bellaire, Ohio, section reject it .- The cashier of the bank at Blue Hill, Neb., loans himself \$3,500 in the absence of the president, and absconds. The bank goes into liquidation. -The plague now raging in China displays all symptoms of the bubonic pest which ravaged Europe in the Middle ages .- The "deceased wife's sister" bill is again defeated in the British House of Lords .- The Supreme court of Illinois decides that it cannot set aside the Democratic legislative apportionment of that State. Abdul Asiz has been declared

convention, in session in Atlanta, elects

Base Ball.

Boston, June 15 .- Boston, 15; Louis-

Sultan at Fez. There was no military

BROOKLYN, June 15.-Brooklyn, 9 Cleveland, 8. Batteries-Stein and Kinslow; Lyston, Clarkson, Young and Zim-

ville. 10. Batteries-Stivetts and Ganzell; L'emming and Earle. NEW YORK, June 15 .- New York, 9; Pittsburg. 2. Batteries-Meekin and Farrell; Gumbert and Mack.

PHILADELPHIIA, June 15.—Philadelphia 21; Cincinnati, 8. Batteries-Taylor, Callahan and Grady; Chamberlain and BALTIMORE, June 15 .- Baltimore, 17;

St. Louis, 3. Batteries-Hawke and Robinson: Clarkson and Peitz. WASHINGTON, June 15 - Washington, 6; Chicago, 4. Batteries—Maul and McGuire; Abbey and Schriver. CHARLESTON, June 15 .- Charleston, 2

Memphis, 6. Batteries-Anderson and Fields: Mason and Bolan. SAVANNAH, June 15. - Savanah 3; Nash ville, 4. Batteries-Ramsey and Jantzen; Moran and Swett,

Macon, June 15.—Macon, 7; Mobile, 8. Batteries—Donuelly and Welch; Flynn ATLANTA, June 15 .- Atlanta, 7; New Orleans, 6. Batteries-Conover, Keenan,

Boyle and Boyd; Brunn and Haler. Pitt County News. [Correspondence of the Messenger.] GREENVILLE, N. C., June 14.

License to marry was issued to an old colored coup. le this week—David Atkin-son, age 80 years, and Mary Atkinson, was given half an hour to oppose the There have been more drummers in

The town commissioners recently passed an ordinance that all gates now opening to the sidewalks should be changed to open inside the lots, and it

is me ting determined opposition from a Revs. Hims, Summerell and Morton are conducting a revival at the Presbyterian churci, this week, The young noen of this place have organized a "Son" of Confederate Vet-

eran's" association. Yesterday a destructive hail storm struck a portion of Pitt and Greene counties. The most and worst damage in Pitt was to tobacco of Mr. David Edwards, some damage being done to the crops of Mr. W. G. Long and Mr. Moses peared from the bill. Turnage. In Greene the tobacco of Mr. John Sullivan and Mr. Macon Dail was torn to pieces and they have cut it down

and will depend on suckers tor a crop. The thermometer was way down in the sixties this morning and overcoats were in demand, which was a great contrast to the weather of about sixteen thours before, when it was near 100 in About 8 o'clock this evening Mr. W. W. Cox, of this place, and Mr. Crow, of

Goldstoro, met with a painful and serious accident. Their horse became frightened while crossing the river bridge and ran away. Mr. Cox was thrown out of the buggy, off the bridge to the ground, twenty-five feet below, sustaining serious bruises, internal injuries and had one leg so badly broken at the ankle that amputation may be necessary. Mr. Crow fell out of the buggy to the bridge, and had a finger broken and several bruises. The horse fell off the bridge, leaving the buggy on it, and was

also hurt. LONDON, June 15 .- In the House of Commons to-day Sir Edward Grey stated that the powers had decided upon concerted action to maintain the status quo in Morocco, but it had not been decided to formally recognize Abdul Asiz as Sultan

SENATOR PROCTOR

DRAWS UPON THE BIBLE FOR HIS TARIFF ARGUMENT.

The Wool Schedule Still Under Discus sion-Many Amendments by Republicans Defeated-The House Adopts the Five Minutes Rule for Debate on the Indian Appriation Bill-Mr. Richardson's Explanation.

WASHINGTON, June 15 .- The Senate bassed to-day from the region of debate to that of action on the wool schedule of the Tariff bill. The talking continued from 10:30 to 3:30 o'clock, but none of the speeches presented anything very new or remarkable, except a short one by Senator Proctor, who made good use of his Bible reading to illustrate his view of the attack upon the wool industry of | The general opinion is that the associathe country. He discovered in the murder of Abel "a keeper of sheep" by Cain, "a tiller of the ground," the first is understood that the whole trouble in historical mention of hostility to the coming to a settlement about rates is sheep industry, and he predicted that in York not being able to agree with the this case as , "a mark would be Southwestern roads in regard to rates to set" upon the Democrats, and that they common points in Tennessee and Alawould be forced to cry out: "My punishment is greater than I can bear." This and other biblical references and quotations was greatly enjoyed on the Republican side of the Chamber, and in the passed. One of the most important galleries. A good many votes were taken articles was in regard to the continuance upon amendments offered on the Repub- of the association as a body. ican side of the Chamber, and while all of these amendments were rejected, one of them came very near being carried. It was an amendment offered by Senator

cent.) and the vote was-yeas, 32; nays, 35, the four Populists voting in the affirmative. When the Senate adjourned another amendment of Senator Peffer was pending, to put all woolen manufactures on the free list. No action has been taken on Senator lones' amendment to strike out the House paragraph leaving wool on the dutiable list, nor in fact has the amend-

Peffer to substitute the McKinley classi-

fication on woolen goods (reduc 4 50 per

ment been formally offered. A small defiency bill for printing expenses and some others were passed and then the Senate at 6:30 o'clock, after a said to own and represent \$1,000,000,short executive session, adjourned until 000.—The woman's Foreign Mission to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES Among the bills reported was one for public building at Chicago and one authorizing the erection of a Governnent printing office on one of the public reservations in the city of Washington. Mr. Outhwaite reported a resolution from the Committee on Rules, directing the immediate consideration of the Inlian Appropriation bill under the five minute rule until 3:30 o'clock when the previous question shall be considered as ordered on all pending amendments and

on the passage of the bill.

The resolution met with much opposi tion from the Democratic side. By a vote of 128 to 63 Mr. Outhwaite's demand for the previous question was seconded, but on the passage of the resolution the Republicans refrained from voting—the vote being 131 to 6. The yeas and nays were ordered and resulted, yeas, 176; nays, 76; present and not voting, So the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Richardson, rising to a question of

personal privilege, sent to the clerk's desk and had read the editorial in the Evening News of yesterday, relating to the charges contained its local columns, connecting Mr. Richardson's name with a certain transaction in real estate. This real estate had been purchased by the Eckington Street Railway company, and the News stated that the transfer from Mr. Richardson to the agent of the rail-way company had preceded the presen-tation of a report to the House by Mr. Richardson from the Committee on Affairs of the District of Columbia by only a few days. The situation, the News asserted, warranted an investigation, inasmuch as all the proceedings were part of a scheme to fasten the overhead trolley system upon the street rail-roads of the District. His expla-nation was, in brief, that he had purchased an interest in the property in 1891 and 1892 for purposes of speculation, but the rise in value had not met his expectation, and in March last he placed the property in the hands of real estate agents, who had disposed of it without further reference to him (Richardson) except to account for the proceeds, which barely recouped his investment. His statements were supported by letters and documents which Mr. Richardson

At the close of Mr. Richardson's re marks the members evidenced their appreciation by applause, which came from both sides.

The Speaker then declared the House n Committee of the Whole and the eading of the bill was begun. In accordance with the understanding that the agreement for debate previously fer to the credit of the Indian tribes interested, upon the books of the treasury, town this week than for a long time, if of certain non-paying State bonds or not ever before, the town just being full stocks, and thereupon they shall become the property of the United States and are to be sold by the Secretary of The recent heavy drop in the price of the Treasury. These are the bonds and potatoes has given the potato growers stocks in trust for certain Indian tribes upon which interest has not been paid and which is in controversy, amounting to something over \$3,000,000. Mr. Mc-Rae denounced the proposed legislation.

Messrs. Swanson and Wise opposed the provision, denouncing it as a foul wrong to the State of Virginia to take these bonds and deny a settlement of the claims of the State against the general Government. He said the United States was indebted to Virginia, not only for advances made for the general defence in the war of 1813, but for \$120,000 advanced to build the very Capitol in which the House was meeting. Points of order were made against the provision of the bill quoted, and these were sustained by

At 5 o'clock the House took a recess until 8 o'clock, the evening aession being for the consideration of private pension

The "Deceased Wife's Sister" Bill

Defeated. LONDON, June 15 .- The Earl of Dun raven moved in the House of Lords to-day the second reading of the "deceased wife's sister bill." He said that no jurisdiction. the experience of the United States and Canada which did not forbid a man marrying his deceased wife's sister, was sufficient refutation of the objections of the midsummer season and the usual the bishops. It was a hardship and a slackening of business, extreme heat and slackening of business, extreme heat and cause of expense that a man, to marry his deceased wife's sister and legitimize his children by her, must go abroad to

have the ceremony performed. Lord Herschell, the Lord Chancellor, spoke in fayor of the bill. The arch-bishop of Canterbury and Lords Selberne and Dudley spoke against it. The bill was lost by a vote of 129 to 120.

The prince of Wales, Lord Rosebery and most of the Liberals supported the bill. Lord Salisbury, the Duke of Norfolk, most of the other Tories and some twenty bishops opposed it.

Members of the Southern Railway and Steamship Association, are

Making Slow Progress in Their Work of Settling Differences. New York, June 15.—The annual convention of the Southern Railway and Steamship association, following the meeting of the executive board, which has been in session at the Waldorf for the past three days, was not called to order until nearly noon to day. The failure of the executive board to agree to the restoration of rates has had rather demoralizing effect on the convention, and but little interest is taken in its proceedings. Nearly all the officials were late in arriving and many of them did lines. Samuel Felton, who has been an important factor in the meeting of the

UNABLE TO AGREE.

meet again at the Oriental hotel, Manhatten Beach, some time next month. It

The convention took up the consideration to-day of a new association agreement. It consists of twenty-three articles. Six of them were considered and

This was passed unanimously. It not within the range of possibility, however, that there will be any restoration of rates until the new agreement goes into effect August 1st. The convention took a recess at 1:45

'clock until 3 o'clock. Among other things considered at the morning session of the body was the charge that the Mobile and Ohio road was carrying many times more freight into the association's territory than its competing line, the Illinois Central. It was not established, however, that this was owing to reduced rates, but the mat-

ter will be investigated. When the convention adjourned at 5:45 o'clock to-day Commissioner Stahlman voiced the sentiment of the convention when he said that a final adjournment would not be reached until Wednesday and possibly Thursday of next week. It was expected when the convention met yesterday that the work developed that an agreement could not be reached without considerable discussion, if at all.

When the convention adjourned only nine of the twenty-six articles of agreement had been considered. In almost every case they differ from similar articles in last year's agreement. Representatives of the various lines were unanimous in demanding a larger proportion of the business than has formerly been allowed them, and it is understood the officials of the Louisville and Nashville railroad were the most persistent in their efforts to secure the lions share of the traffic for their company.

GREAT RESULTS

Expected From the Southern Busi ness Conference-Large Sums to be Raised for Displaying the

South's Advantages. WASHINGTON, June 15.-The Southern business conference to be held at the Fifth Avenue hotel, New York, next Thursday gives promise of momentous results. It is now expected that every great business interest, every city of importance, every board of trade and every transportation company will be present by notable representatives, equal in character to the striking list of New Yorkers who have joined in the call for made; cold business only will occupy the meeting. In addition to the purely commercial and industrial representatives present from the South, Senator Patrick Walsh and Secretaries Hoke Smith and Herbert expect to attend, while Governor Northen nas been urged by a numerously signed telegram from New York to be present and preside at the gathering. It is be-lieved that ways and means will be devised at this meeting for an immediate fund of \$250,000 to give publicity tee has drawn up a series of questions throughout the States and the world to that are so framed that no Senator who the supreme advantages of the whole has ever had anything to do with sugar South, to the end of bringing into it millions of new capital, many new industries and desirable immigration. If ing himself. this gathering is successful a new era of enterprise, progress and profit awaits the South. It is estimated that the signers. of the paper are worth personally and and represent \$1,000,000,000.

The Sun's Cotton Report. NEW YORK, June 15 .- The Sun's cotton p. m. At 4:30 o'clock the jury brought eport says: Cotton declined 3 to 5 points and closed dull, with sales of 45,200 bales. Liverpool declined 1 point and closed steady, with spot sales of 8,000 bales at unchanged prices. Spot cotton was steady at Manchester. Sales were 2.312 bales for export and 260 for spinning. The Southern spot markets were generally quiet, steady and unchanged. Port receipts were 2,825 bales, against 3,050 this day last week and 1,530 last year; total for the week, 17,695 bales, against 18,965 last week and 19,135 last year. The interior receipts for the week were 2,146 bales, against 2,463 last week and 1,968 last year. Shipment were 13,696 bales, against 13,839 last week and 22,836 for this week last year. Stock were \$6,320 bales, against 96,887 a week ago and 140,100 at this time last year. To day's features were: The depression in Liverpool and rains in some parts of the South, the dullness of trade and speculation and some selling for long account, caused a slight decline, dry weather in the region east of the Mississippi tends to discourage short selling, while the dullness of trade tends to discourage long buying.

The Illinois Legislative Apportio ment Valid.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., June 15 .- The Illi-Springfield, Ills., June 15.—The Illinois Supreme court to-day handed down an opinion in the cases brought by the Republicans at Danville and the Populists at Springfield to set aside the legislative apportionment made by the Democratic legislature last year. The Supreme court virtually affirms the decrees of the lower courts, holding that it has

Bradstreet's Report,

NEW YORK, June 15. - Bradstreet to-morrow will say: The practical arriva need of rain in Northeastern and Southastern States, continued uncertainty as to the tariff preventing merchants from anticipating demands next fall, together with the large number of idle wageearners in industrial, mining and other lines, all combine to produce dulness in

BELLATRE, O., June 15 .- Miners at Salineville, Maynard, Dillonvale and Bridgeport to-day decided not to accept the 60 cent compromise scale and will rot return to work until after the Columbus consention Thursday tus con vention Thursday.

EVERY SENATOR

TO TESTIFY BEFORE THE SUGAR TRUST COMMITTEE.

Theodore Havemeyer on the Stand-The Ericsson Ready for Her Trial Trip-To Purchase Articles From the Kearsarge Wreck-The Postoffice Appropri-ation Bill-Confirma-

tions by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, June 15,-The torpedo coat Ericsson, lately completed at Duaque, is ready to be floated over the apids and held at Rock Island until the Navy Department decides whether the contractors' proposition to deliver her to the Government at New York should be accepted. The contract called for the Ericsson's delivery at Pensacola, but there is no water near there for testing the vessel, and the Government would be compelled to fit her out far from a base of naval supplies. The contractors' offer to cruise round the coast to New York in order that the trial may be made in Long Island sound will probably be

The San Francisco, on being relieved at Bluefields next Monday by the Marblehead, is under orders to take the United tates Consul on board at Kingston, Jamaica, and proceed to the cayman brac, the island to which most of the Roncador reef has been taken. Capt. Watson will endeavor to secure everything useful that belonged to the ill-fated ship and the Consul will pay for them. After that is accomplished the San Francisco will come home, leaving the Consul at Kingston. It is expected that the New York will leave Kingston for

New York to-night. Senator Blackburn reported the Post office Appropriation bill to the Senate to-day. The amount of the estimates for the year ending June 30, 1895, aggregated \$90,399,485 and the House appropriation was \$87,240,599. The Senate makes a reduction of \$4,000, leaving the appropriation as carried in this bill \$87,236,599. The estimated postal revenues
for 1895 are \$94,424,748. The bill as reported is therefore less than the estimate by \$3,162,885. It exceeds the estimated postal revenues by \$2,808,851, and exceeds the appropriation of 1894 by \$3,282,crimes, etc. The item of advertising exenses in the office of the First Assistant

Postmaster General is reduced \$15,000. Senator Sherman offered an amend-ment to the Postoffice Appropriation bill ruling quotations of July wheat. The appropriating \$10,000 for special faciliies for the mail service between Cincinnatti and Cleveland and between Cincinnatti and Atlanta, all of which is to be expended at the discretion of the Post-

The Senate to-day confined the nomiuations of Campbell P. Berry, assistant United States treasurer at San Francisco and Pendleton King, of North Carolina to be chief of the bureau of indexes and archives in the Department of State.

The Sugar Investigation committee met at 11:30 o'clock with Theodore Havemeyer, of the Sugar trust, as a witness. Mr. Havemeyer explained that he attended to the practical affairs of the American Sugar Refining company, such as the manufacture of sugar and the purchase and fitting of the machinery. He and Senator Allen had a long passage at arms over the attempt of Senator to bring out the alleged connection of the trust and members of the Senate. Mr. Hayemeyer added nothing new to the facts gathered by the committee. This afternoon the committee began its examination of every member of the Senate with reference to whether they have speculated in sugar stock; whether attempts were made to influence them by members or agents of trusts; what arguments were advanced to the members of the Finance committee by the so-called conservative schedule, and, in general, what they knew about the connection of the trust

Senators to secure a change in the sugar with the sugar schedule legislation. The Senators will be summond in alphabetical order after the members of the committee have had their turn. These, Senators Gray, Lindsay, Davis, Lodge and Allen, took the oath and gave testimony. Each answered that he had nothing to do with sugar speculation or with the attempts of the Sugar trust to have the sugar schedule modified. The committee has drawn up a series of questions

Erastus Wiman Found Guilty. NEW YORK, June 15 .- The case against Erastus Wiman, charged with forgery, was given to the jury at 2:34 o'clock in a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to mercy. The foreman of the jurp concluded his report by faltering "I am sorry, very sorry." looking about in a

Mr. Boardman, of counsel for Mr. Wiman, then asked for a stay of sentence. Judge Ingraham readily granted the request and named Wednesday, the 20th instant, at 10 o'clock, when he will pronounce sentence unless Wiman's counse shall meanwhile secure a further stay. Mr. Wiman was handed over to Deputy Sheriff Brown. He received the verdic with less emotion than it was supposed he would. Before leaving the court room, he shook hands with his counse and as many of his friends as could cluster around him. He waved the reporters off with a sad smile, He was ac-companied to the Tombs by his two sons. Contrary to the usual custom, the pris-oner's counsel did not ask for the release of their client on bail.

A Mysterous Murder. JACKSONVILLE, Fla., June 15 .- The body of an unknown colored woman was found this morning in Springfield suburb. She had been stabled over thirty times, her throat cut and many other wounds inflicted. Evidently she had defended herself desperately, as her

where she had grasped the knife. There s no clue to the murderer. BLUE HILL, Neb., June 15.—The Bank of Blue Hill has gone into voluntary liquidation. J. O. Burgess, the cashier, is missing. He loaned himself \$3,500 of the bank's funds during the absence of the president.

COMMERCIAL NEWS. Stocks and Bonds in New York-

Grain and Provision Markets in Chicago.

New York, June 15 .- Trading at the Stock Exchange was entirely professional to-day and at 3 o'clock, when the room operators stopped their backing and filling, not one of the prominent stocks showed a change of as much as a point either way, as compared with yesterday's finals. There was a marked falling off in the volume of business, the sales amounting to only 152,000 shares, against 227,000 yesterday. Of sugar, 80,100 shares change hands, against 110,-800 yesterday. At the start an advance of 1 per cent to 981 took place. In the afternoon the stock returned from 981 to at 97½.
75½ but fell to 75½ but pool brokers quickly put the stock up to 77½. Union Pacific took another dip and touched 127 on continued liquida-

tions, due to fears of a big assessme but when the April statement was published, showing a decrease in gross earnings for the month of \$758,200, against an estimated loss of \$1,300,000, the stock rallied 1 134. Some of the junior bonds of the subsidiary lines of the system, however broke badly.

Northern Pacific, preferred, sold down 1½, the lowest point of the week. New York Central declined to 102½. Near the close St. Paul ran off to 60½. The general railway list was quiet. Even the falling off in the gold exports has failed to stimulate the stock speculation. salvage from the Kearsarge wreck on It is generally conceded that the movement is practically over for the time being, and for that reason the new departure by a certain bank in furnishing the gold for to-morrow's European steamers is not considered of much importance. Richmond Terminal securities were quiet. The Richmond and Danville road was sold at foreclosure to the reorganization committee at Richmond and the other lines comprising the system will be fore-closed either this or next month. The successor company, the Southern Railway company, will be organized in Rich-mond June 18th. The market closed irregular with net changes of \(\frac{1}{2} \) to \(\frac{1}{2} \) per cent. The bond market was weak. Sales

the Northwest has been broken and wheat declined on that news to-day. The enthusiastic bulls of a week ago have taken to the woods, or else turned 285. There are but two items of increase—bears. Long wheat was pressing on the \$1,000 for advertising and \$10,000 for market to-day and those holders who thing may happen to cause a recovery, but are not willing to back their opinion to too great an extent, were buying opening to day was weak. The market became weaker and there was but a and raid the warehouse and take away slight rally from the extreme low point the whiskey. He mounted guard at the of the day at the close. July wheat opened at from 584 to 584c, sold between 58½c and 57½c, closing ‡ to ½c under yesterday at 58½c bid. Cash wheat was in

good demand. Corn succumbed to the rains and pre dictions of rains. There were many deserters from the ranks of the believers in higher prices, and those who were long of corn and who felt that there was no chance of an immediate advance were free sellers. The weak wheat market threw a discouraging influence over the corn pit and declines were generally in

July com opened at 411c, sold between 41½c and 40½c, closing at 40½c, at net loss of ½c from yesterday. There was a moderate demand for cash corn. Offerings were fair at grices ranging from 1 to 1c

under yesterday. Oats made a decidedly good start today, but, unfortunately for prices, the weak wheat and corn markets were too extensive in their influence to permit of their maintaining the strength shown early. Yesterday's firmness was carried over to the opening to day, but within an hour of the first trading a decline, excepting for June, set in. That delivery closed to higher than yesterday, but July lost tc. Cash oats were in good demand and ic higher than yesterday.

Provisions were almost lifeless. The pening was weak in deference to the decline in live hogs, after which the speculative feeling in grain ruled. Packers did a little buying but not enough to cause any improvement in the tone or prices. July pork closed 71c lower than resterday, July lard 5 to 7tc lower, and

July ribs 5c lower. The cash product

market was quiet. Two Hundred Miners Killed. that place. About 200 miners are said to have been killed. Both the mines were on fire when the dispatch announcing the lisaster was sent. The ventilation shafts were destroyed and the fire was spreadng in all directions. The explosion took place at 10 o'clock p. m., in the pit of the Franziska mine and resulted in the death of 120 miners there. This explosion was almost immediately followed by a series of explosions in the mines, the most disastrous being in the Johann pit, where eighty miners were killed. A rescue party which descended into one of the pits at 5 o'clock this morning also pershed. The ventilator shafts of several of the pits were destroyed and the fire spread in all directions. Assistance has een sent to the scene of the disaster from all directions. The Johann and Franziska mines are owned by Count

The Richmond and Danville Railroad

RICHMOND, Va , June 15 .- The Richnond and Danville railroad was to-day sold under a decree of the United States Circuit court, to Messrs. C. H. Coster and A. J. Thomas, a purchasing com-mittee of the Drexel, Morgan & Co. reorganization committee. Their bid was \$2,030,000. The foreclosure and sale were under the third mortgage and subject to the gold debenture and equipment mortgage. The sale was immediately confirmed by the court, and this act constituted the reorganization committee a corporation under a charter granted by the last Legislature. The committee will me there Monday and reorganize the road, giving it the name of the Southern Railway company. hands and fingers were cut to the bone

Belva Lockwood Gains Her Point. RICHMOND, Va., June 15 .- A Wyther ville special to the State says Belva Lockwood has the privilege to practice law in the courts of Virginia after this date, Judge Richardson, who had the casting vote, having decided in favor of her this morning.

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



STATE DEMOCRATIC HEAD-QUARTERS NOW OPEN.

Large Display of Medicinal Herbs i the State Museum - Chairman Eaves' Address-Masonic Excursion to Wilmington-Trying to Intimidate Revenue Officers-The Durham Tele-

RALEIGH, June 15. Headquarters of the State Executive committee have been opened in the Holleman building here. Mr. Robert H. Cowan, the secretary to the committee is in charge. The orders are that the preliminary campaign work shall begin at

ephone Line.

MESSENGER BUREAU,

The local cotton receipts here, by wagon, are 5,025 bales more than they ware to date last sesson President Kornegay is here and had a conference to-day with Governor Carr at The Jno. L. Boatwright Co. the Executive mansion. Governor Carr is much better to-day, and was able to

be at breakfast. In the State museum there is a fine display of the medicinal herbs found in this State. There are no less than 2,100 varieties of the Rev. Dr. J. D. Hufham was here to day on his way with his family to Shelby which is to be their home.

The local Republicans here have read with much interest the address to their party, issued by Chairman Eaves. They have very little to say. The reticence of the colored Republicaus is really remark-The colored girl. Lizzie Jeffries, who

was tried here yesterday, charged with setting fire to the residence occupied by Messrs, T. B. Womack and Phil. Taylor, was discharged for lack of evidence. The Masons of this city made prelim inary arrangements last evening for running an excursion to Wilmington next month, in which the blue lodges. the chapter and the commandery will participate. It is the purpose to have nany country lodges represented.

The people of this section would welcome with great joy a good rain All the crops need it. Deputy Revenue Collector W. C. Troy reports to Collector Simmons that night before last at Liberty, Randolph county, he placed in a warehouse eight barrels of whiskey which he had seized from J. W. Stout. The latter was drunk and threatened to shoot. He did fire his pistol in the air several times. But Deputy Troy is not a man to be intimi-dated. He, later, discovered that a party of men intended to enter the town place and when seven men came in they found they could not do anything. Yes terday Deputy Troy shipped the whiskey to Fayetteville for safe keeping.

Unknown persons last night broke into the distillery warehouse of J. B. Garringer near Elon college, and got away with a barrel of whiskey. The new telephone line between here and Durham works admirably. The voice is as distinctly heard as if the speakers were in the city, talking over the local wires. Elmer Shaffer, a young son of ex-

Postmaster A. W. Shaffer, was pros-trated by head Wednesday. His condition is not so favorable to-day.

The pupils of St. Mary's school left for their homes to-day. A telephone message from Durham this afternoon says the trustees of Trin-

ity college will meet in a month to elect a president.

The following are some of the centages of condition of crops, etc., this State, June 1, from the official port: Clover, meadows and pastures 724 fruit prospects, apples, 24; peaches 20 pears 27½; small fruits, plums 39½; black berries 72½; cherries 64 1-3; raspberries 651; truck patches and gardens 75 1-3. Condition of cattle 901; horses 93 1-5; per cent. of improved horses introduced 174; per cent. of improved sheep 22; per ent. of improved hogs 271.

Total Cotton Receipts. NEW YORK, June 15.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1, 1893: Galveston, 1,001,184; New Orleans, 1,845,349; Mobile 213,555; Savannah, 954,642; Charleston, 404,779; Wilmington, 189,-571; Norfolk, 487,084; Baltimore, 62,473; TROPPEAU, Austrian Silesia, June 15.—
A disaster involving great loss of life is reported to-day from Karwin. An explosion of fire damp occurred last night in the Johann and Franziska mines at 1000 per bales from net receipts since September 1st. Total since September 1st (corrected) 5,813,392 bales.

The Human Electrical Forces! How They Control the Organs of the Body.

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