# The Messenger.

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Weather Conditions (Reported by C. M. Strong, Local Fore caster.)

U. S. Weather Bureau Office, February 25. The barometer is lowest over th New England and southeast Atlantic coasts. Rain is falling along the coast south of Wilmington to Florida, A high barometer area, central over the Dakotas, covers the interior of the country, causing generally fair, colder weather over all sections, except the Lower Lakes, where light snow is fall-

Freezing temperatures prevail north of the Ohio river. LOCAL FORECAST. Local forecasts to 12 o'clock (mdt)

Friday-Showers in the early morning, followed by clearing; northerly winds. TEMEPRATURE. Washington forecast to 12 o'clock (mdt) Friday. Generaly fair, preceded by showers on the coast in the early wards those in need." morning; northerly winds.

FOR THE STATE. 1896-8 a. m., 42 degrees; 8 p. m., 43 degrees; highest, 55 degrees; lowest, 41

1897-8 a. m., 49 degrees; 8 p. m., 49 Miniature Almanac-Sun rises 6:38

Wilmington, 5:19 p. m. p. m.; first quarter, 9th, 2:17 p. m.; planning to build them a house. He full moon, 17th, 5:03 a. m.; last quarter was particularly devoted to Mr. E. T. 23rd, 10:35 p. m.

### PITHY LOCALS.

The Harmony Circle had an enjoyable german and supper at its hall last Don't forget to attend the concert to-

night at St. Thomas' hall, if you want life in that respect worthy of emulato enjoy a fine musical programme. The Southport Leader of yesterday says: "The body of a man was discovered in Elizabeth creek last Monday It was found to be that of a man who passed through Southport a week ago and was ordered to leave town as being a suspicious character. It appears that he was last seen alive about three miles from town, when he inquired about the road, but instead of taking the right way he went towards the marsh. The man was probably unsound of mind. The body was buried by the county in the neighborhood

## PERSONAL MENTION.

here vesterday. Mr. L. L. Mallard, of Wallace, made

business calls here yesterday. Mr. W. B. Brice, of Wallace, called on our wholesale houses yesterday.

Mr. R. J. Lewis, the well known caterer, will leave today to take charge of the hotel Aberdeen, on Ellis street, near Peachtree, in the vicinity of the hotel Arragon, Atlanta, Ga.

Southport Leader, February 25: 'Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Drew arrived in Southport last Thursday. Since leaving here Mr. Drew has lived at Huntsville, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. Drew were married at Wilson, N. C., only a couple of weeks ago, so that their trip to Southport is almost a wedding jour-

Wilder-Bunting. Mr. Herbert Wilder, one of the Atlantic Coast Line's clever train dispatchers, and Miss Jennie Bunting, the lovely daughter of Mrs. R. J. Bunting all of this city, were united in marriage last night at the residence of the bride's mother on Fourth and Walnut streets. The Rev. Dr. J. Carmichael performed the ceremony in the presence of only a few relatives and immediate friends, the wedding being a quiet affair on account of the death of the groom's brother, Mr. Joe W. Wilder, a conductor on the Atlantic Coast Line, who lost his life in the recent accident at Warsaw.

Miss Fannie Corbett presided at the organ, and Mr. C. L. Porter, a brother The attendants were Mr. J. Hicks Bunting, brother of the bride with Miss Willie Callaway, and Mr. Ernest Moore with Miss Fannie Smallbones. Mr. J. M. Bunting, the bride's brother gave her away.

cipients of many beautiful and valuable presents. They will reside at 412

Among those who were here to attend the wedding were Miss Rosa Wilder, of St. Stephens, S. C., sister of the groom, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bunt \$2.25. ing, of Fayetteville. Mr. Bunting being a brother of the bride.

Remember Johnson & Fore are offering black silks at cost for today and tomorrow.

Laid to Rest.

The remains of Mrs. George W. Sandford, who died at Orange, N. J. arrived here yesterday morning accompanied by Mr. George W. Sand-Kate DeRosset Perk-Armand DeRosset, Jr., of New York. The funeral took at St. James Episcopal church, the services being conducted by the Rev. Robert Strange, D. D., assisted by Bishop end so as to extend well over on the Watson. The interment was made at sand reaches. About twenty-five men Oakdale cemetery, the pallbearers be- are on this work. The work on the ing Colonel T. C. McIlhenny, Hon. A. M. Waddell, Captain J. Alvis Walker, Messrs. Joseph H. Watters, James Swann, George W. Kidder, Thomas D. Lippitt and Junius Davis. Beautiful the brush between the two rows of floral memorials were tenderly laid piling and that a single close row

remains of his wife, returned home last I hoister Black is used on the wor night. Mrs. Parker and Mr. Armand | the present lot of 2,000 piles will be in DeRosset, Jr., will remain in the city a few days as the guests of Captain A. L. DeRosset.

Now is the time to purchase a black silk dress while Johnson & Fore are selling silks at cost price.

The following message was received at this office for the information of the Washington, Feb. 25, 12:35 p. m.

lantic and Virginia coasts.

At 12 o'clock last night the weather bureau here received a message from Washington ordering the signals to be

The funeral of the lamented Mrs. John W. Harper took place at South-

port at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and was an exceedingly sad occasion. The Rev. G. E. Lloyd conducted the services and they were attenda ed by a large gathering of relatives and friends. A number of relatives and friends went down from Wilmington. The interment was made in the ceme tery at Southport, and the grave was covered with very handsome floral tributes. The following officiated as pallbearers: Messrs. J. B. Ruark. A. E. Stevens, V. S. Stevens, E. J. Piver, C.

B. F. Newton, S. W. Watts. The Southport Leader of yesterday in speaking of the death of Mrs. Harper,

E. Gause, R. W. Davis, W. J. Newton

Wm. Weeks, M. I. Craig, E. F. Davis,

Esta Julia Harper, wife Captain John W. Harper and daughter of the late Captain Richard F. and Amanda M. Foley, died suddenly at her those in Southport Tuesday evenling at W. b'clock. She leaves a husband and three children, one an infant six days old. Mrs. Harper was born in Laurinburg, this state, December 27th. 1864, at her death being 32 years of She was married in Wilmington August 17, 1885. Her gracious hand will be missed in this community, as her generosity was always manifested to-

Death in Monroe.

Mr. Walter Lee Whitfield died Monroe yesterday morning at 2:30 o'cleck. He was born in this city March 20, 1856. In 1862 his parents degrees; highest, 52 degrees; lowest, 45 | went to Lumberton and in 1874 to Monroe. In this latter place Mr. Whitfield assisted his father for many years as m.; sun sets 5:51 p. m.; high water at agent of the Carolina Central railroad. Southport, 3:32p. m.; high water at For several years he has been in the mercantile business and has done well. He was devoted to his parents and was Wade, of our city, who is very sad over the news of the death of his brother-in-law. Mrs. Wade with her children left on the Seaboard Air Line at 3:20 o'clock p. m., yesterday to be with her parents and attend the funeral. Mr. Whitfield was never married. He stayed closely at home, leading a

That the blood should perform its vital functions, it is absolutely neces- and took away the rights of the people sary it should not only be pure but rich in life-giving elements. These results are best effected by the use of that well-known standard blood-purifler, Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores. The following were the receipts of

Wilmington vesterday: Wilmington and Weldon Railroad-60 bales cotton, 7 casks spirits turpentine, 54 barrels rosin, 15 barrels tar. spirits turpentine, 59 barrels rosin, 46

parrels tar Carolina Central Raffroad-1 bale cotton, 109 barrels rosin, 41 barrels tar, 35 barrels crude turpentine

Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad-16 casks spirits turpentine, 119 Steamer Driver-1 bale cotton, 2

casks spirits turpentine, 20 barrels rosin, 91 barrels tar. Steamer Hawes-28 casks spirits urpentine, 169 barrels rosin, 43 barrels

Steamer Croesus-75 barrels rosin. Flat-4 bales cotton, 108 barrels tar. Total-103 bales cotton, 76 casks spirts turpentine, 486 barrels rosin, 463 barrels tar. 35 barrels crude turpentine.

As the name indicates, Hall's Vegewill please you.

Third Anniversary.

Linden Grove No. 2, United Ancient Order of Druids celebrated its third anniversary with a banquet last night at its hall in the Odd Fellows' building, on Third street, opposite the city hall. Mr. Godfrey Hart delivered the anniversary oration and in speaking of the noble object of the order, entertained the members with wit and hun befitting the occasion. A sumptuous supper was then enjoyed by the large crowd present and numerous speeches were made around the board by different members of the Grove.

The affair was quite a pleasant one and will long be remembered by all whose good fortune it was to be pres-

Races Postponed.

On account of the bad weather, the Thursday races at the Newbern fair have been postponed until Friday. The Friday's races will come off on Saturwishing to go over on Saturday, the Wilmington, Newbern and Norfolk Railroad Company has consented to run a special train on that day also, leaving Wilmington at 8 a. m., and leaving Newbern on the return at 5:20 p. m. The fare for the round trip, including admission to the fair, will be

The entering wedge of a fatal complaint is often a slight cold, which a dose or two of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral might have cured at the commencement. Therefore, it is advisable to have this prompt and sure remedy always at hand to meet an emergency.

Work on the New Inlet Dam and Jetty.

The Southport Leader says: "From Captain D. S. Bender, in charge of the government work, it was learned that it will require ten to fif-teen days more to finish the repairing of the New Inlet dam. The break occasioned by the storm is not only being made good, but the dam is further strengthened and extended at the east Snow's Marsh channel jetty, also in charge of Captain Bender, is progressing. Two thousand piles will be driv-George Gillette Thomas, and en along the west side of the present jetty, making a close wall of piling. The reason for this is that it has been found difficult and expensive to keep serves the purpose better. The piles plause drowned out his voice. He fincome from above Wilmington, all long ally offered the following preamble the west on the 17th, 1876. Mr. Sandford, who came on with the leaf or yellow pine sticks. The steam by the last of March, but that number will not be sufficient to make the wa solid the entire distance, now occupied by the brush.

The New York Journal's yacht Va-moose came into port Wednesday morn-ing, after lying outside the bar the previous night. Captain H. H. Stan-

wood is in command and is taking the yacht to New York. Mr. Harry E. Mc-Nichol, correspondent of The Journal is returning on the Vamoose after three weeks duty at Charleston during Hoist information signal 12, noon. A storm apparently central and developing on south Atlantic coast, may cause high winds tonight on south Atlantic coast, may tain Stanwood says that The New York Herald's report of Captain McIncause high winds tonight on south Atlantic coast, may tosh's doing at Jacksonville were grossantic and Virginia coasts.

WILLIS L. MOORE,
Chief of Weather Bureau.
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DOWN ON THE BOSSES.

Republican Mass Meeting Denounces What They Call Governor Russell's Bill. They Favor a Bill That Will Turn Wilmington Over to the Rabble.

In a circular issued by F. B. Rice, chairman of the republican county executive committee, a mass meeting of the republican voters of the city was called to meet at Ruth hall last night "to consider a satisfactory and judicious manner in which to amend our city charter and recommend the same to

our members of the legislature." In response to the call, about seventy-five voters, all colored but two, assembled at the hall. The meeting was called to order by County Chairman Rice who requested J. E. Howard. secretary of the executive committee

to act as secretary. Mr. Rice stated the object of the meeting and said he had called it at the request of many republican voters He said, however, he regretted to see that it was not a representative meeting, owing to the small attendance. He said whatever action the meeting took would be merely an expression of the sentiments of the meeting, as their action would be too late to affect any bill that could now be gotten through the legislature this late in the session. On motion, E. J. Bell was made

permanent chairman of the meeting and J. E. Howard secretary. The chairman explained the object of the meeting and called for a discussion as to the wants of the voters.

William Jordan, colored, said he faored the bill which C. P. Lockey had drawn up and forwarded to Representative J. T. Howe to be introduced. The bill, he explained, provides for the election by popular vote of two aldermen from each ward in the city, four aldermen at large, the mayor, city clerk and treasurer, and the chief of

William Myers, colored, said he was glad to see this meeting of republicans to protest against the action of the bosses. He denounced the bill which he said Governor Russell had introduced, providing for the election of one alderman from each ward and the apopintment of one alderman from each ward by the governor. He said it was a blow at local self government to elect their own officers. He said: "We will not have anything to do with it. The negro is left out in the cold by this bill." The speaker was interrupted many times, and the meeting became so boisterous the chairman rapped for order time and again.

George Robinson, colored, got the cotton and naval stores at the port of floor and sailed into Governor Russell, and used so many cuss words that several had him called to order a dozen times. He said the bosses didn't regard the negro worth a d-n. While Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta he was trying to speak he was inter-

Railroad-37 bales cotton, 23 casks rupted many times and bedlam ensued. Wm. H. Moore, the colored lawyer, free for thirty years and had bad school advantages sufficient to enable him to conduct a gentlemanly and intelligent meeting.

George Peamon, colored, called on lawyer C. P. Lockey, to address the meeting.

Mr. Lockey responded in a red ho talk, and denounced the bill of the bosses to control the city. He said Wilmington had from 500 to 700 republican majority, but had been democratic since 1877 by reason of a gerrymander of the wards by a democratic legislature. He said he believed in local self government and wanted to see the majority rule. Two years ago, he said, there was a republican-populist legistable Sicilian Hair Renewer is a re- lature, but as soon as they got to Ranewer of the hair, including its growth, leigh they went to pie grabbing with health, youthful color, and beauty. It the result that they waited till the board upon Wilmington and left

a democratic board of aldermen in power. He denounced the police efitted the republican party, with the exception of two or three individuals They had appointed democrats on the colored voters). He said the republitreatment and demanded that they be mistaken in saying this was not a reptoo fate to take action. He declared

that the bosses would be obliged to voters. He said he was glad the legislature had defeated the bill to amend the city charter. It would have kept democrats in power too years are made by men who themselves conmore, and that was what the powers that be at Raleigh wanted. He said he resentative J. T. Howe at Raleigh with the request that he introduce it but he had not introduced it nor answered his letter about it. He called on the voters to demand their representatives to heed this bill. Instead he weather bureau records at Wilmingintroduced Judge Russell's bill to take away half your rights.

John H. Webber, colored, told Mr Lockey this kick was made by white republicans who were disappointed in not getting office. He asked Mr. Lockey what right he had to draft a bill and dictate to the people. He asked him if he had called a mass meeting to pass on his bill before it was introduced.

Mr. Lockey answered no, and spoke on at length in denunciation of tho bosses. The board of county commissioners came in for a share of his derision and scorn. He dubbed it a socalled republican board, and said it chairman of the board was trying to get a board of audit composed of democrats to boss the board of commisstirred up his hearers to a high pitch. At times the interruptions and ap-

Whereas, we hold local self-government to be one of the cardinal doctrine and mudsill principles of the republican party of North Carolina, in our judgment no true republican should either vote or declare against any measure in harmony with said di We hold that if it is right for the

majority of the qualified voters in the state to choose the governor and oth i state officers, and if it is right for the qualified voters of the county to choose the sheriff and other county officers it is equally right for the qualified voters of the city to choose the mayor and other principal city officers. And whereas, a bill has been drawn and sent to Representative Howe, providing for the election of the mayor, city clerk and treasurer, chief of police and city attorney of this city, by the popular vote of the same, and for the election of four aldermen at large by said popular vote, and we regard said bit

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mington, in mass meeting assembled, that we indorse said bill, and hereby 'nstruct Representative Howe to introduce the same in the house at once Resolved, That we hereby instruct Representative Sutton to support the bill and use every effort to secure its passage. Resolved. That we instruct our sen-

effort to secure its passage. Resolved further, That ussell is hereby respectfully, but earnestly requested to use his influence with members of the legislature to secure the passage of said bill. John H. Webber opposed the resoluions, and William Evans spoke in favor of them. .

T. C. Miller called on the crowd to

otor to support the bill and use every

ote the resolutions down. John O. Nixon favored the resolu ons, and urged their adoption. John H. Taylor made an earnes peech against the resolutions and deended Governor Russell. He said if Lockey had been elected city and couny attorney, you would never have neard of this opposition. A. J. Walker said he thought the

olored voters ought to receive recogniion, but he deprecated attacking the After many speeches and uproar be ond description, Chairman Rice tried to get in a compromise by offering the

following substitute: Resolved, That our senator and memers of the general assembly be instructed to use all honorable means to eass an amendment to our city charter ither by new legislation or by such mendments to the bill recently objected to, as may be in accord with the fundamental principles of the republian party and acceptible to the fusionists of the general assembly. The vote was taken amid confusion and the substitute overwhelmingly

Mr. Lockey's resolutions were then adopted almost without a show of opposition The meeting instructed the secretary to wire the result to the representatives

and senator at Raleigh. The meeeting then adjourned.

voted down.

the Qurrantine Station. The Southport Leader of February

As has been already told in The Leader, the failure of the contractor Frank Baldwin, threw the completion of the quarantine station into the hands of his bondsman, Wm. C. Peake. Among the unfinished work was the Daniel replied that he had no such boring of the artesian well. Mr. Peake

engaged W. E. DeWitt, of Washington, to sink the well, and in the em ploy of Mr. DeWitt were C. H. Leach and Oswald Eisblatt. When the well was down 300 fee the depth that the contract called for, it was tested by Mr. Devereaux, the superintendent of construction, and and that the water was saline. There fore a further appropriation to sini and as a result water was obtained of fair quality, an analysis of which ap Upon the subject of the salt water flow that resulted in obtaining money to sink the well been going on. Mr. Leach says that he was told by Peake and DeWitt to 'fix" the well at the time that it wal down 300 feet. That he did so by first plugging the well to stop the flow

which was in large quantity, and that

he then salted it, so that when it was

highly saline and unfit for use. Neither of the principals are in Southport. Mr. Leach is in Wilmingwas seen and said: You may publish the matter if you wish to. Mr. Leach and I were told to salt the well and we did it. A man usually does what his employer tells him to do. I believe there is more than that about the well. The piping does not reach the bottom. We put salt in now in Wilmington organizing a stock company to sink artesian wells and It is due to Messrs. Peake and De Witt to say that this story of the well is not generally believed. It must be

fess to have done the dirty work."

in mind that these statements

Weather Bureau Wilmington, N. C., February 25, 197. The following data for the month of March, covering a period of twenty-six

Temperature-Mean or normal temperature, 54; the warmest months was that of 1878, with an average of 60; the coldest menth was that of 1872, with an average of 48; the highest temperaest temperature was 20, on the 5th, 1873; average date on which first killing frost occurred in autumn, November 8th; average date on which last killing frost occurred in spring, March

Precipitation (rain and melted snow) -Average for the month, 3.87 inches; average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 11; the greatest monthly precipitation was 6.55 inches in 1871; the least monthly precipitation was 1.48 inches in 1887; the greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 4.75 inches or the 27th, 1882; the greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-5 only) was - inches on the Yorw from which the papers had been

Clouds and weather-Average number of clear days, 12; partly cloudy days, 10; cloudy days, 9. Wind-The prevailing winds have been from the southwest. The highest tration. He declared that he would velocity of the wind was 54 miles from | make every power in the world respect CHARLES M. STRONG. L. F. O., Weather Bureau.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A Chicago suicide left this messa "I die hungry." That is the way a large proportion of those 12,000 Ohio will die.-Washington There are three mighty generals in

and the General of the Lobby.-Nashville Sun. One reason why it would be cruel to fighting would be to him now an unpeakable tame recreation.-St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Now that Jonah and Job are both on

the doubtful list of some theological scholars, it will be interesting to learn tion of four aldermen at large by said popular vote, and we regard said by as credited to him.—Southport Leader.

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THE SANGUILLY RESOLUTION

THE SUBJECT OF A SPIRITED DE-BATE IN THE SENATE.

The Senate Lays Aside the Appropriatio Bills to Discuss the Cuban Situation Senator Daniel's Vigorous Profes Against Spain's Insult to Our Represen tative at Havans-His Tilt With Senate Hale-Senator Sherman Declares His Determination to Protect American Citi-

Washington, February 25.-With an apparent disregard whether the appropriation bills, still unacted on by the Senate, are to be passed at the present session, or are to be deferred to the house in extra session, the senate, today by a vote of 40 to 27, laid aside the Indian appropriation bill, which had already occupied three days, and took up the joint resolution which had been reported yesterday from the committee on foreign relations, demanding the immediate and unconditional release of Julio Sanguilly from a Cuban fortress. It came up in the first instance, as part of the morning business, the vice president deciding that, under the rules, a motion to take up the Indian appropriation bill was not in order until after the morning business was disposed of, and when at 1 o'clock p. m., the morning hour did expire, a motion to proceed with the Sanguilly joint resolution was made by Senator Allen, and, although it was resisted by the chairman of the com-mittee on appropriations (Allison), and was voted against by the chairman of the committee on foreign relations (Sherman), it prevailed by the vote above mentioned. The debate from the first was of a rather exciting character

Senator Allen spoke of Spain as a "decaying monarchy, a blot on the map of the world, and a disgrace to ivilization. Senator Daniel, a member of the ommittee on foreign relations, went over the story of the case. Sanguilly he said, was wounded, sick and in prison. He had been treated rigorous ly, harshly, cruelly and brutally-in manner that was a disgrace to this century and to civilization. Not only that, but the American consul had een treated arrogantly by the Spanish authorities-not only in his own person, but in his country. He had been told by a Spanish officer, high in authority to whom he had made most polite and courteous-appeal, that his conduct in presenting an intervenion in favor of Sanguilly, by order o the state denartment, was a disgrace to the United States and to the Ameri can flag. "If that consul." Daniel declared, "had demanded his passport, and if the Spanish govern-ment had falled to apologize for that nsult to our representative and to our flag, and an American fleet had beer

United States who would not have rejoiced at it. Senator Hale asked Mr. Daniel wheth er the purport of the joint resolution was the release of Sanguilly "That is the purport of it," Senator

sent to Havana to demand it, I do not

believe there is a single citizen of the

Daniel admitted. matic negotiation between the state department and the Spanish governmen for the purpose of securing the release "The artesian well at the quarantind of Sanguilly? If so, will the senator station is a tracting considerable attention. Most of the talk has been on not a fact that at the present moment the quiet and considering all that has the state department has conducted been said it is now a legitimate item | the negotiation to the point that it is expecting the release of Sanguilly within a few days?" Before Senator Daniel had time to answer the question, Mr. Lodge crossed the area, and made a whispered suggestion to him, and then Senator

knowledge. Senator Hale-Has there been no communication from the secretary state to the committee on foreign relaions stating that he is expecting that Sanguilly will be released, through the ordinary efforts of diplomacy, within few days?

"Not within my knowledge," Senator Daniel replied: and Senator Lodge also added his negation. Senator Hale-I ask the senator, and ask the senator from Ohio, (Sherman), whether he has not a letter on that subject from the state depart-

Daniel-I must decline furnishing information which can be easily got at the state department. Senator Hale-But the senator will ecollect that the committee on foreign relations is the organ of this body. Senator Daniel-I am not bound to yield my time on the floor on that acam the organ of the state which I am representing; and when I get through, I will yield to any organ that may desire to be heard, whether it be the organ of the captain general of Cuba, of of the Queen of Spain. or

When a laugh followed this pointed allusion, Senator Daniel promptly disclaimed meaning anything offensive. Senator Hale-I could say something offensive if I wanted to, but I will not Senator Daniel-I could not, even if I

desired to Senator Hale-I hope that, before the discussion ends, (and it will not end in one or two hours, or in one o two days), the committee on foreign relations will put the senate in possession of what the state department doing in the way of the release of Sanguilly, if that be the object of the ioint resolution. Senator Daniel-The state depart-

ment has been dealing with this matter diplomatically for two years; and two years is long enough for this gov-ernment to get a United States citizen out of prison. When senator Hale read a telegram from Havana, stating that Sanguilly's appeal to Madrid had been withdrawn so as to facilitate his release, his col-

yers, have been compiled from the league (Frye) denounced that withdrawal as a wicked and unjust act on the part of Sanguilly's counsel and declared (with an accompaniment of ap-plause from the galleries) that if he had his way a ship of war would start Senator Hale regarded that outburst as telling the whole story. What his colleague and other senators wanted

was war; but the country would not be drawn into war in the next seven days if he (Hale) could help it. Senator Hoar showed from the com mittee's own report that Sanguilly had been only two months, instead of five years, in the United States when he got his naturalization papers; had then left the country and had never returned since, having lived in Cuba for the last eighteen years; that the naturalization papers were fraudulent American citizen than Senator Danie was a subject of Turkey. Senators Lodge and Daniel denied th right of the senate to go between

the record of the superior court of New

Senator Teller characterized the conduct of the state department as "pusinothing better from the next adminis-American citizens if it should take all the money, all the ships and all the men that the country had. When Senator Teller finished his re-marks Senator Allen alluded to the fact that the discussion had been going on for the last hour on the Indian appropriation bill, and he moved that the bill be laid aside and that the Sanguilly resolution be again taken up.

nays 27.

Allusions by Senators Hill and White the public mind just now. They are to the inconsistency of Senator Sher-General Prosperity, General Confidence man in having the joint resolution reported yesterday, and expressing the hope that the senate would pass it to-day and then voting today against recall Weyler to Spain is that all bull taking it up, brought Senator Sherman to his feet. He said: "The senator from California seem to desire to drag me into the debate, although I do not care to enter upon it I am in favor of the pending joint resolution, and I think it ought to com-

motion was agreed to-yeas, 40;

half of the policy of the United States to protect its citizens agains unlawful and insolent treatment. I trust the time will never come when an American citizen can be wronged or persecuted by any power, great or small. That is the way I feel now. I am in favor of protecting this American citiam opposed to wrong and violence and tyranny wherever it is exercised, and when it is exercised against an American citizen I will stand up for im. even if I am alone." The house bill to amend the act as to the appointment of receivers of national banks was taken from the calendar and passed without amendment At 6 o'clock a recess was taken until HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. By a vote of 144 to 46, the house. two hours' debate, passed the bill

that after the debate has gone on a

while the senate will see clearly the necessity of taking up the appropriation

bills and passing them. I do not think there is any inconsistency in that. I

hope that senators who are opposed to

say that we who are in favor of the

resolution are opposed to the passage of the appropriation bills. I intend to

ssion; but that shall not prevent me

rom doing what I think is right in be-

of Mr. Johnson, of Indiana, authorizing national banks to take out circulation o the par value of bonds deposited to secure it, an increase of 10 per cent. over the limit now allowed. Early in the session the bill was to confer upon postoffice inspectors in the enforcement of the posal laws the same powers as are posessed by marshals and sheriffs in the everal states. The resolution agreed upon today by he committee on foreign affairs, call-

ng on the president for the corre unishment of American citizens the Spanish authorities in Cuba was presented by Mr. Hitt and agreed to. At the suggestion of Mr. Barrett, of fassachusetts, Speaker Reed stated hat he would order to be removed rom the permanent record the words The Record this morning announcng the arrival of Mr. Bryan on the foor yesterday, together with the fact hat he was received with cheers or he democratic side.

The house at 6 o'clock adjourned. HYMENIAL AND SOCIAL.

amphel'. Glover - Wightman-Pembertor A Charming Debutante-Down With the the ashes and can be found at Unsightly Fences.

(Correspondence of The Messenger.) Fayetteville, February 25. Not to the strains of Mendellsohn or he peal of bells, but in the fireside light and quiet atmosphere of home, were celebrated last evening two beautiful At 8 o'clock, at the residence of the

parents of the bride, Mr. O. B. Wightnan, of the firm of E. B. Cuthbred & Co., a grand nephew of the lamented Bishop Wightman-for years a tower f strength of the Southern Methodist church-was united to Miss Isabel laughter of Colonel J. A. Pemberton, one of the leading insurance men of the state, Rev. I. W. Hughes, rector of St. John's church. rendering the beautiful ceremony. Very asteful were the decorations of the handsome parlor, and the number and value of the presents attested the good vishes of the large circle of friends of the wedded couple. A collation was served to the guests, who consisted alnost solely of the relatives of the contracting parties. Mr. A. S. Wightman Alexine Harrell was the pretty, flower

Major W. F. Campbell, a former com mandant of the Fayetteville Indepen-lent Light Infantry, and a leading and democrats of this section was wedded last evening at 9 o'clock at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Orrell, to Miss Loula, the lovely daughter of the late Edwin Glover, Rev. I. W Hughes officiating and Mr. Fred Glover giving the bride away, who formed the central figure of a beautiful picture; her gown white silk trimmed in pearl and the room elaborately embellished n green and white. The wedding gifts vere numerous and valuable.

John C. Haigh, was the scene, last evening, of a delightful gathering of friends giving eclat to the society debut, or (in old-fashioned parlance, which is better) "coming out" of their charming daughter, Miss Maud. This evening Mr. and Mrs J. J. Croswell hold a reception at their residence their guests, Misses Crosswell, of Wilmington, and Mills, of Greenville, S. C. The passage of the no-fence law for cross Creek gives general satisfaction With its great extent of territory and spacious yards and gardens, no town benefited more by such a If the police bill be finally tilled, Fayetteville owes much to Major Hale, chairman, and his committee.

Miss Annie Taylor, of Wilmington
returns home today, leaving many adnirers here. At the target shooting Monday, Maj-

or E. L. Pemberton won the medal (of Captain Garrison is better today Death of Col. W. S. Pridgen, The Pender Star of yesterday says: This esteemed citizen died at his nome in the Caintuck section on Friday last. He was about 80 years of age. a man. He was an old timed gentleman ripe in experience and looked up to by all who knew him. His influence was always on the side of right, and his record as a quiet God fearing citi-

zen was that of an honest man and Before the war he was prominen n the affairs of New Hanover county and during the turbulent times of the war he was true to his people and to his country as the needle is to the pole Business transactions with him during the past twenty years justify our high esteem of his unsullied honesty and purity of character. His example in life

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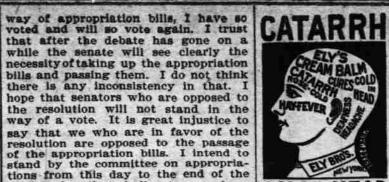
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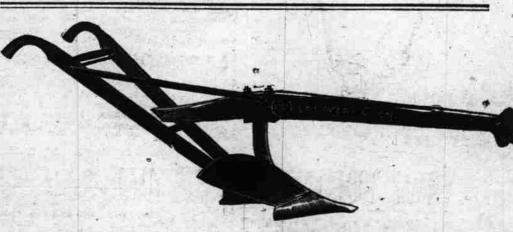
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