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STILL A MYSTERY.

who called today.

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TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY.

A VICTORY BY THE GREEKS THE STATE. secretary of state finds that Virginia endowment company is doing business illegally in this state-Governo Russell says the possibility of an extra session of the legislature is very remote. --- The question is raised as to payment of expenses of convicts to be furnished counties for road work under the act of 1895-The auditor says county commissioners cannot put on the pension rolls the 140 persons whose names were on the special list in the bill which failed of ratification by the last legislature-The labor commissioner wants his clerk paid out of the general fund instead of out of the \$2,000 allowed him for ex-

penses DOMESTIC The officers now composing the courtmartial now trying Captain Romeyn are ordered to remain in Atlanta after the trial is concluded, to await further orders: it is supposed Lieutenant O'Brien will be Greeks intended to retire to Pharsalos tried on charges preferred by Captain when the Turks entered the plain, they Romeyn-It is probable the tax on did not destroy the telegraph lines, whiskey will be reduced, the present rate bridges and food supplies as well as of \$1.10 is said to have caused great increase in illicit distilling, which the government is unable to check-The grand jury find a true bill for embezzlement against H. A. Cassin, of the Georgia a great army. Inasmuch as they lost ink, of Atlanta; he gives bond; President Gress, of the bank leaves At-lanta-Withdrawals of gold for export yesterday from the New York sub treas-ury amounted to \$4,000,000; treasury officials feel no apprehension over the matter-At Decatur, Ga., H. S. Perry is convicted of murder in the first degree for killing Bely Lanler.—The Old Do-minion steamer Guyandotte collides with a railroad float and dumps several cars on the latter into the water in New York harbor-In Texas a negro mob lynch seven negroes for murdering a negro family and criminally assaulting two girls of the family—The republicans of the senate finance committee are putting the inishing touches to the tariff bill; what the amendments are is still a secret, kept tions, M. Autaxias, minister of justice, even from the other republican senators. the republicans are still negotiating with the democrats as to the time to be con-sumed in committee on the bill; the latter will offer several amendments to the bill and put the republicans on record; they expect to have the assistance of Senator nes of Nevada, in some cases-At Manchester, Va., a negro is sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary for an attempted criminal assault- on a young lady.—In New York last night George Lavigne defeated Eddie Connelly and re-tains the world's light-weight champion--The national congress of Sons of the American Revolution is in session at Cleveland, Ohio .- The river at Natchez Pentepigadia, Epirus, have been occuis at a standstill; there is much uneasi-

THE TURKISH ARMY REPULSED AT VELESTINO. Their Position.

The Greeks Abandoning Points in Thessaly

and Epirus-The New Cabinet-Critical ing the finishing touches to the tariff Situation of the Royal Family-Princess bill. They were the only members of Sophia Hissed in the Streets of Athens. the sub-committee in the city. The bill French Consulate at Constantinople Is-[suing Certificates of Protection to Greeks. has been completed in all essential particulars and now only remains to be Volo, Thessaly, April 20 .- A squadron of Greek warships has arrived here. put in shape for presentation to the There are 15,000 Greeks encamped at democrats. The sub-committee is still. Velestino and 30,000 Greeks occupy pohowever, receiving suggestions from sitions at Pharsalos. other senators, Messrs. Quay, Penrose, Foraker and Smith being among those Larissa, April 28 .- Volo has not yet

been captured but the town-is practically at the mercy of the Turks. The Greek tactics are difficult to understand. It is asked here why, if the

contain many surprises. unexploded magazines and why they did not take the guns instead of leaving here almost everything necessary for their heads it is not thought likely that they will offer an effective resistance at. Pharsalos to the victorious Turks. whose morals, discipline and conditions are splendid.

Athens, April 30 .- The cabinet has been finally and definitely formed as follows: President of the ministers Ralli: minister of the interior, M. The otokis; minister for foreign affairs, M. Skouloudis: minister of public instruc M. Triautafilaca; minister of finance, M. Simpoulos; minister of war, Colonel Tosmados. At a cabinet council held today it assist him

was decided that the minister of war, Colonel Tosmados, and the minister of the interior, M. Theotokis, should proceed to Pharsalos, in order to ascertain the condition of the Greek forces there.

Constantinople, April 30 .- The porte announces that the heights commanding Nchesta and Craven-Serai, beyond pied by the Turkish troops. The Turkish government is

WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, MAY 1, 1897.

TENNESSEE CENTENNIAL.

Republican Senators Ignorant of the

Finance Sub-Committee Amendments to PREPARATIONS COMPLETE FOR the Tariff Bill-The Democrats Firm in THE OPENING TODAY.

Washington, April 30 .- Senators Alli-

son and Aldrich spent the day in plac-Exhibits in All the Buildings-Only a Few Buildings Not Completed-Extensive Ex-The Grounds in Beautiful Order-Pro- charge gramme of the Opening Proceedings-

Adlal E. Stevenson Arrives. Nashville, Tenn., April 30 .- In spite of constant rain for a week, delaying and retarding work in every department, order has been made to take the place of confusion and the Centennial city, practically complete, with exhib-

The members of the sub-committee its in every building, is ready to throw declined to reveal the changes agreed open its gates tomorrow morning. upon even to their senatorial callers. Visitors have been coming all day, Indeed, senators generally are as igno-

and tonight trains from all directions rant of the amendments agreed upon as is the general public, and it is safe prought in more to say that the report, when made, will

The republican members of the com Stevens, of Missouri, have already mittee are still negotiating with the ome and will participate in the simple democratic members to secure an understanding as to the time to be conopening ceremonies. Though some of sumed in considering the bill in full buildings, including the governthe nmittee, but have not succeeded in ment building and some of the special ecuring any definite agreement. The state buildings, will not be fully comemocrats say that the length of time pleted for some days, every building that is to contain exhibits is ready for occupation and in all of them are exhibits.

structures busy scenes have been enamendments and force the vote on acted night and day this week, while exhibits were put in place and finishing touches given. These are the auditorium, parthenon, which is the art gallery; commerce, women's, agricultural, machinery, minerals and forest-

ry, transportation, children's, historical. government, negro and railway, The roads and walks, shrubbery and grass are in excellent condition, but the inclement weather has prevented the removal of the flowers and plants from the green houses. The Cincinnati

ready The exhibits made by railroads, both north and south, are extensive and plete, and consist in large measure of out-of-door displays of minerals, plants and trees. The official ceremonies tomorrow will be brief and simple, with no special effort at display, but marked by dignity. The following cause they are shut out, they say, by programme will be observed: Parade of the Ancient Essence order European competition. They contend that with a small advance in rates Cal- and other orders, with 3,000 men in lin

HARRY A. CASSIN INDICTED. The Grand Jury Return a True Bill for

Embezzlement-Bond of \$10,000 Given. Sudden Departure of President Gress. Atlanta, Ga., April 30.-Harry A Cassin, the defaulting cashier of the

Georgia Loan, Savings and Banking Company, was indicted by the grand hibits-Visitors Arriving in Numbers. jury today, embezzlement being the President George V. Gress was exam-

ned by the grand jury and questioned as to the conduct of the bank. Other officers and directors of the bank were before the grand jury, the session lasting more than five hours.

This afternon Cashier Cassin's bond was fixed at \$10,000 by Judge Lumpkin, of the superior court. The bond was signed by Judge Henry H. Hillyer, Cassin's father-in-law.

After Cassin was released, he was re-arrested at the suggestion of Solicitor General Hill, who took the position that Judge Hillyer was not a good

Hon. Adlai Stevenson and party, bondsman, as he was an attorney-at-Governor Lon. V. Stevens and Mrs. law, and consequently an officer of the court. The bond was then signed by F. M. Coker, president of a private bank of this city. Young Cassin refused to make any statement in regard to his shortage and declined to throw any light on the situation. As soon as his last bond was signed, he was taken to the home of Judge Hillyer. The bond is returnable to the criminal superior court which meets on the third Monday in May.

President Gress, as soon as he was excused from the grand jury room, left the city. At the bank it was stated that he was away on business connected with the bank, but no one knew his address. The departure of President Gress at this critical period of the investigation has given rise to many

> umors. Base Ball.

Washington, April 30 .-- Washington gained a lead today on a combination of battery errors, but was overtaken when Ganzel started off with his three

base hit, followed by two sacrifices and two singles. After playing the tenth inning IImpire Hurst called the game on account of darkness. The management today released Pitchers Ashe and Kimball and Outfielder Lush. The Washington0020001000-3 Sullivan and Ganzel. Umpire Hurst;

time, 1:56. Louisville, April 30.—Frazer kept the

score:

Louisville

time, 1:40.

Brooklyn

ime, 1:55.

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New York

count of rain.

At Hartford-

At Norfolk-

At Paterson-

Hartford

McMahon and Grim. Umpire, Emslie;

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Cincinnati, April 30 .- The Pittsburg-

ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

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hough the game looked close.

Chicago



tate Officials See No Necessity for the Legislature Meeting Again-Republican Mad With Russell for "Turning Down' H. L. Grant .- Penitentiary Notes -- Raleigh Municipal Campaign-The Wilmington Mayoralty Case Continued Until Next Term.

Messenger Bureau, Park Hotel. Raleigh, N. C. April 30.

It is said today that quite recently lovernor Russell has had an offer to ourchase the Atlantic and North Caroina railway. Beyond the mere fact no information can be obtained. uperintendent of the Western hospital at Morganton, has received a very flattering offer from Georgia to take

harge of some large institut It was intimated yesterday morning by Mr. A. G. Ricaud, of Wilmington, hat the supreme court might decide to next week hear argument in the Wilmington mayoralty cases. But later in the day Chief Justice Faircloth said this would not be done, and that the court would tomorrow positively adjourn for the term, just as he stated

Wednesday Four hundred copies of the 119th volume of the North Carolina supreme court reports were today received by the secretary of state and will be im mediately distributed.

At the penitentiary there are now eighty-six life prisoners. The are twenty-one female prisoners. On the arms there are eleven others. The matron of the female building says those on the farms are greatly needed here Of all the women four are white. In the brick yards brick are being made at the rate of 17,000 to 20,000 a day. The workmen are fitting up the west wing of the great building for the criminal insane, who, under the new law, will be confined there. Forty rooms are being prepared for them and in a few days twenty of these people will be transferred from the asylums to the penitentiary. Years ago the Batteries: McJames and McGuire; part of the penitentiary they will occupy was the shoe factory. The penitentiary-made shoes were boycotted by the labor unions and th

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'THAT'S THE PROPER THING THIS SEASON.

FABRIC

THAT'S HANDSOME; IN 10 COLORINGS; THAT WASHES PERFECTLY AND REQUIRES NO LINING.



mittee will depend entirely upon the character of the amendments It is understood to be one of the purposes of the democratic members of the In twelve large and commanding finance committee to offer several

them so as to put the republicans on record, and they count upon having the co-operation of Senator Jones, of Nevada, in some of their propositions. Senator Jones' position appears to be that he will demand certain concessions, most of them affecting western

interests, and if he does not secure them from the republicans he will join the democrats in order to get them, and some, at least, of the democratic members have indicated a willingness to Knoxville and other city buildings are

The California fruit people are continuing their efforts to secure an advance in the fruit rates and they are hopeful of success. Messrs. M. J. Daniel and H. K. Snow constitute a committee now here in this interest. They have exhibited specimens of such of their oranges to the committee as they do not ship to the custom markets be-

in the levees: the Cleggett levee, three following announcement miles above St. Joseph, is reported in a dangerous condition; Lieutenant New-comer, of the federal army makes estimates of the cost of repairing levees in his district; he says the breaks in Madison county, La., can not be repaired in time to shut out a late freshet.— The mayor of Guthrie says no outside aid is needed in caring for the flood sufferers. No news is heard of the missing crew of the Vallant-At West Buxton Me. J. C. Lane kills his wife and child and then

ess at St. John on account of soft places

FOREIGN

- The case against Loretto Copero, an American citizen who was a Cuban cavalry officer and was captured, has been used by the Spanish authorities.-The Greeks defeat the Turks at Velestino, but the success is only temporary as Meanwhile the French consulate is is-the Greeks are abandoning point after suing certificates of protection and by point in Thessaly and Epirus—Crown Princess Sophia is hissed by a mob at Athens and prayers for the royal family n a church causes a riot; the situation Greek Catholics in Turkey. of the royal family is critical--Th porte has postponed for eight days the expulsion of Greeks from Turkish territory; in the mean time the French con sulate is issuing certificates of protection thereby causing much comment.

retreating.

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Questions Put to the Auditor. (Special to The Messenger.)

N. C., April 30.-The stat auditor was today asked whether, un public funds by taxa. transportation or clothing sent. The auditor hether this expens penitentiary fund

question is brought up by the as has been done heretofore, or whether the clerk ought not to be paid separately.

Another Insurance Company Caught. (Special to The Messenger.) Raleigh, N. C., April 30,-The secre tary of state ascertains that the National Industrial Beneficial Endowment Company, of Virginia, is doing business in North Carolina illegaly and has notified the solicitors

Possibility of Extra Session Remote.

(Special to The Messenger.) N. C., April 30.-Governo Russel was this afternoon asked by your correspondent whether a special session of the legislature will be called. He replied, "The possibility is very re-

Miss., April 30 .- The river tobetter than Faval has been nough ore show that since the increase of the tax Capetown, April 30 .- In the Cape parpital. The royal carriage was then Clark, of Washington; historian genersold at \$2.45 to \$2.50, and pig is weaker changed from vesterday at al, Henry Hall, of New York; Chaplain, on spirits from 90 cents to \$1.10 a galned, and the princess drove to iament today Mr. Merriman, the anti-A. DAVID&CO. Bessemer at \$9.50 with one sale of 2.000 lon illicit distilling has increased to a | Rhodes leader, moved a resolution of crest of the the palace at the top of the speed of Bishop Cheney, of Chicago. tons for \$9.25 at Pittsburg, and grey point almost, if not quite, beyond con- no confidence in the Cape ministry, noint Late reports from The royal arms have been her horses. forge at \$8.50. Nails are about 5 cents trol. This is the case particularly in which he supported by a vigorous at-John state there is stripped from the carriage in order Lavigne Still the Champion per keg lower, and tin plates 5 cents that the occupants may drive about the mountainous districts in the south. tack upon the hostile attitude assumed ount of several much uneasiness on per box, and eastern quotations are New York, April 30 .- George ("Kid") WILMINGTON'S LEADING CLOTHIERS AND HABERDASHERS. unrecognized and thus avoid similar Recently evidence has been obtained by the Cape Colony administration tosoft places in the Louisiana levees in Lavigne, of Saginaw, Mich., is still the frequently shaded to obscure business. those vicinities. They are being closely experiences. As another indication of of the extension of illicit distilling into | wards the Transvaal. The chamber watched, but should they begin to slough, no force available at present will be able to do more than give the alarm light-weight champion of the world. the north. A short time ago a large was crowded and the debate was of Tonight in the Broadway Athletic club quantity of illicit whiskey was cap- the most exciting character. The reso-F. R. HAWES, CASHIEF JNO. 8. ARMSTRONG, PRESIDENT. tured in Montana and an investigation | lution was finally rejected by the castable to do more than giv Vicksburg, Miss., April 30.-Lieutenant in front of their shops, have removed wont to display the royal escutched woolen goods and a little better tone Eddie Connelly, of St. John, N. B. in charge of this river district, who has these. While a priest was offering in prices, some cotton and some woolen disclosed the fact that it was manufac- ing vote of the speaker of the house. Both men weighed in this afternoon just inspected the crevasses in his district prayers for King George and the royal goods having slightly advanced, withtured in Nebraska. That it is rapidly below the stipulated weight of 133 THE NATIONAL BANK OF WILMINGTON. under instructions from President Gilles- family in one of the prominent churches out general change. The mills are increasing and extending in many di-A Collision in New York Harbor. pounds and they were matched to box ple, of the Mississippi river commission, returned here tonight. He will report the protests from the congregation. The mand is apparently increasing, though rections, internal revenue officers say New York, April 30 .- The Old Dominior for twenty-five rounds, to decide the is beyond a doubt, and with only the Line steamer Guyandotte, outward bound world's championship. The battle was \$50,000 appropriated by congress for for Norfolk, when off the battery this afternoon, collided with a Pennsylvania railroad Company's float. The float was As the youngest Bank in the city, we feel very grateful for the large approximate cost of closing the five Mis- ringleader was arrested but the disfast and furious, but at the end of the turers to purchase. But imports have sissippi crevasses so as to protect the the detection and suppression of illicit amount of business that has been given us, and we promise our friends to order was so great that many women eleventh round Lavigne had Connelly country against a further rise, as \$55,000 if raised to a height of three feet below been enormous, if current reports are distilling; the internal revenue is almost fainted in terror." fought to a standstill, after sending loaded with freight cars, which were dumped overboard by force of the collilook after their interests to the very best of our ability. if raised to a height of three feet below the present flood, or \$132,000 if raised three feet above it. As to Biggs and Reid cre-vasses, in Madison parish, La., Lieuten-ant Newcomer says that they cannot be closed in time to shut off a late rise and that a new line must be constructed to close them at an estimated cost of \$240,-000. The river continues stationary here with 51.9 feet on the gauge. not in error, more than 100,000,000 helpless to stem the tide. Just what him down five times in succession with pounds in April alone, Philadelphia reduction will be recommended is not known, but there are reasons for be-lieving that 90 cents, the rate collected under the McKinley bill, will be fixed reduction will be recommended is not having received over 8,000,000 ponds in right swings on the head and jaw. ○No Interest Paid on Deposits. ○ Connelly gained a host of friends by four weeks, New York over 24,000,000 and Boston apparently over 65,000,000 his gameness, on getting to his feet in under the McKinley bill, will be fixed a couple of seconds each time, but the pounds. Sales for the past four months upon. Under the lower rate it is con-We are anxious for new business and hope you will join us, as we will have been 180,302,650 pounds including efforts were unavailing and he staggertended that the inducements for violat-92,943,400 domestic and for the wool ed into the corner at the end of the do as well for you as any Bank in the State. After a little more than two ing the law would be reduced and at with 51.9 feet on the gauge. St. Joseph, La., April 30.-The Cleggett the fight. General Smolenski teleyear 351,892,881, including 213,352,631 doeleventh round hopelessly beaten. Joe the same time the revenue would not years business we have paid \$6,000 in Dividends, \$10,000 to Surplus and mestic, but in 1892-3 sales were 308,-Choynski, who was Connelly's princilevee, three miles above this town, was graphed that the Turks will be unable suffer. No definite conclusion has been \$3.000 Undivided Profits. Net Resources \$410,000. 646.855 pounds. pal handler, saw that the fight was reported to be in a dangerous condition to capture Pharsaios because the yet reached as to what the recommen-Failures for the week have been 237 this morning. By the prompt action of the authorities the weak places were strengthened, but it will require several days of hard work to make it perfectly London, April 30.—Today's news form over so far as the Canadian was condation as to the tax on beer sholl be, DIRECTORS: in the United States, against 238 last cerned and would not permit Connelly but it is altogether probable than an year and 40 in Canada, against 31 last GEO. R. FRENCH. to subject himself to any more punish-JNO. S. ARMSTRONG. C. W. YATES, ingrease will be advised. London, April 30 .- Today's news form year. WILLIAM CALDER. GABRIEL HOLMES, J. G. L. GIESCHEN, safe. the seat of war indicates the continu-Referee Rober had no alternative but The Norfolk and Western Joins the Asso-HUGH MACRAE, CHAS. E. BORDEN. Convicted of Stealing Valuable Docu-WM. E. WORTH, ous advance of the Turks in both Thesto award the winning honors to La-JAMES H. CHADBOURN, JR., Guthrie Needs No Outside Aid. ciation. WILLIAM GILCHRIST. saly and Epirus; but Edhem Pasha is vigne, which the Saginaw lad earned ments. New York, April 30.-President Fink, of the Norfolk and Western, said today Guthrie, April 30 .- Mayor Berkey and carefully concealing the time and place Washington, April 30 .- Philip McElcleverly. President Hornes, of the Guthrie Club, Lavigne's seconds were Sam Fitzpatof his principal attack. none, formerly employed in the conrick, Benny Murphy, Jim Ryan and that his company will join the new after conferring with the citizen's relief Relating to the Horse. Despite optimistic views in certain WE gressional library, was found guilty in Southeastern Freight Association just committee this afternoon, issued a quarters in Athens, the new cabinet the criminel court today of feloniously Tom Tracey, while Connelly was formed among the southern lines. formal notice to the neighboring cities seems about to enter a hopeless strugtaking and carrying away from the handled by Joe Choynski, Jimmy Kelly, "We are perfectly satisfied with the and towns, in which they state that gle. library certain valuable historic docu-Dick Moore and Billy Smith, Cheapest Harness. new understanding among the south-Naturally, General Smolenski makes outside aid will not be required in KEEP ments. Notice of a motion for a new ern lines," said Mr. Fink, "and we will properly caring for the flood sufferers. the most of his momentary success at trial was given. The defendant was Ead of an Exciting Trial. be glad to co-operate with them. This Best and Cheapest Buggies. All such Fixings Permanent relief commissions have Velastino with a view of putting fresh subsequently released on \$3,000 bond. Richmond, Va., April 30 .- After an applies only to the freight association. courage into his men. It looks, howbeen formed, they state, and the needy as Whips, Brushes, Curry Combs, Halters, Bits The section of the revised statutes unexciting trial Wesley Mayo, colored, ever, as if the Greek commander, in We will not join the passenger associaand destitute are bing systmatically tion. The Memphis and Charleston is also in the new association which was der which McElhone was convicted prowas tonight, in the Hustings court of EVERYTHING. Snaps and What Nots. Drop in and bring your order to defeat the Turks at Velastino, vides a penalty not exceeding ten years Manchester, convicted of an attempted cared for. had dangerously denuded Pharsalos eyes. The largest and most complete stock or in the penitentiary or a fine not exceed-Absolutely Pure. formed in Louisville yesterday." and left it open to a sudden attack. assault upon Miss Nannie E. Lowery, ing \$5,000 or both. Trunks and Bags in the State. and his punishment fixed at ten years Double Murder and Suicide. Athens, April 30 .- The report of the Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. I source in the penitentiary. Every night since West Buxton, Me., April 30 .- John C. Anheuser-Busch Brewing Ass'n. retreat in Epirus is confirmed. The BAGGAGE, Greeks are abandoning all the posi-TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Lane, of this place, last night killed his ecommends the use of the greatest of Mayo's arrest, large numbers of ne-H. L. Fennell. the food against alum and all forms of wife and one year old child and then tions they had occupied except Salagroes have hung around the jail, pre-sumably to protect the prisoner from antees the merits claimed for it. For brands. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tab-lets. All druggists refund the money 1 if it fails to cure 25c. gora. Phillipiada is among the places committed suicide. The motive for the Royal Bakins Powder Co., New York, TRANSFER & LIVERY. evacuated, The Only Up-to-Date, One inithe City. lynching sale by all druggists. crime is a mystery. 100.00

"Edham Pasha telegraphs that the with citron fruits first division occupied Trikkala on Two hundred convicts Wednesday. were released and armed on the pre vious day and 20,000 rifles were distributed among the inhabitants by the Greeks who also permitted the pillage of arms and ammunition. The Turkish commander ordered the arms to b restored under severe penalties.

Exports-The Iron Trade. New York, April 30 .- R. G. Dun & In response to notes from the French Co's weekly review of trade tomorrow Russian and British ambassadors the will say: Turkish government has announced

that the expulsion of Greek subjects In spite of moderate improvement in from Turkish territory is postponed to nost of the great industries, this week a period of eight days from May 3rd. Meanwhile the French consulate is is end of war in Europe through this act is causing general comment in victory have helped to deofficial circles, as the porte has not yet press trade. Demands of Austria and recognized France as the protector of China have caused exports of \$6,500,000 gold; merchandise imports are greatly Athens, April 30 .- There is no increased, and final action of congress today from Arta, but it is rumored that the Greek forces which have been operon the revenue question seems more ating in Epirus against the Turks are remote

Wheat rose last Saturday nearly 2 It is announced that the Turks have ents, but has fallen since that day cents. This is largely because Eubeen completely repulsed at Velestino. ropean markets did not sustain the ex-General Smolenski has asked the crown pectation of a great foreign demand prince to congratulate the troops. after the outbreak of war and be-Midnight-A telegram just receive cause events appeared to foreshadow here says that a great battle has been speedy peace, but the tidings from fought at Velestino between a Turkish wheat growing states, the receipts force of 8,000 and General Smolenski's from farms and the enormous exports brigade. The dispatch states that the of corn, all had influence. Corn ex-Turks were repulsed with enormous ports have been 13,250,197 bushels in our weeks, against 4,496,679 last year London, April 30 .- The Daily Mail while Atlantic exports of wheat in the ublishes a dispatch from Larissa dated same weeks, flour included, have been Wednesday which says: only 4,231,248 bushels, against 4,597,-

"A battle has been proceeding near 215 last year. Nor is this surprising, upon which the Turks, are if in use two bushels of corn only fast advancing. They are superior in qual one bushel of wheat, two bushel force and hope to cut off the Greeks of corn would cost about 60 cents and It is reported that they have the one bushel of wheat nearly 8 occupied Trikhala and Volo; ents. Western receipts have been reut there is no official confirmation as duced perhaps in part by floods and the latter. The inhabitants are reinterruption of traffic. The cotton market has advanced 1/4 of a cent, owing urning here rapidly, business is being esumed and confidence is restored. It mainly to a speculative impulse from England. is the general opinion that the war The exports of gold would not have

will continue; but all agree that the morals the Greeks have been ruined shameful flight and that they by the are not likely hereafter to offer serious resistence

'The people of Larissa are gradually eturning. There is not the slightest disorder. No one is allowed in the streets at night without a permit. Im-Volo is occupied by the mediately Furks, Edem Pasha will transport supolies here from that point. The Turkish transport service is excellent. We are now over 100 miles from the base of Turkish supplies, yet there has not been the slightest hitch. There is great activity in the Turkish camp; but milmand itary considerations prevent me from indicating the movements which are

proceeding. London, April 30 .- The Athens correpondent of The Daily Chronicle, Mr. Henry Norman, says the report is current there this (Friday) evening that France has proposed to the other powers a suspension of hostilities and the

oning of a congress at which the the larger concerns, and perhaps even ectifications of the Greek frontier on more because possibilities of new dehe basis of the treaty of Berlin might relopment remain, and there is great esitation now in placing orders. Re-The Standard's correspondence at ports of pending Athens says: "Last evening as the he Illinois Steel and Montana Iron

Goldsboro. The populists defend the Crown Princess Sophia was returning mote. governor's action. companies point to an important of internal revenue has now in preparatary general, E. J. Hill, of Connecticut from a visit to the Ambulance hospital hange as possible. Prices of Mesaba tion a report to the secretary covering she was hissed and jeered by the crowd treasurer general, C. W. Haskins, of Bad News From the Floods. Bosoms. been established. ore have yet not In the Cape Parliament. the facts involved. This report will New York; register general, A. H. which forced her to return to the hos-

starting promptly on Broad street at ifornia can supply the entire country 8:45 o'clock, as an escort to Governor Robert E. Taylor, who will be accompanied by state and city officials and **DUN & CO.'S REPORT.** his staff. Opening exercises in the auditorium

The Week Disappointing in Spite of Mod-11 o'clock a. m., with prayer by erate Improvement in the Great Indus-Bishop Gaylor and then Governor Taytries-Heavy Increase in Imports-Gold lor, President Thomas, Director General Lewis, Chief Justice Snodgrass, of the state, speaker of the state senate, speaker of the house and Mayor Mc

Carthy will deliver short addresses. Starting the machinery with the lectric signal by President McKinley. Formal reception of the Moretti foun

tain of electricity, on behalf of the woman's board at the woman's buildng, where Mrs. V. L. Kirkman, president of the woman's board, assisted four v ice presidents of the wo man's department, Mrs. Florence K. Drouillard, Mrs. C. N. Grosvenor, Mrs. K. W. Thomas and Miss Mary B. Tem-

ple; the secretary, Miss Ada Scott Rice and the treasurer, Mrs. R. F. Weakley will be handed the key with which t turn on the water and start the fountain Public reception on the woman's ouilding. Opening exercises in the children's uilding, beginning at 4 o'clock p. m. Grand open air concert at the band stand nead Lake Watauga.

At night the domes and fronts of all the buildings will be illuminated with electric lights, and the thousands of lights about the grounds will be turned on. Another given and the day's festivities will close

with a grand display of fire works. on the grounds. The score: R. H. E. Nashville is decorated with flags and St. Louis 000310000-4 9 bunting and the day will be a public Cleveland holiday

Congress of Sons of the American Revolupire McDonald; time, 2:30. tion.

Cleveland, Ohio, April 30.-The na ional congress of the Sons of the American Revolution opened today. The delegates, among whom are many dis-

tinguished men, were welcomed to the much influence of there were not an city by President J. M. Richardson, of extraordinary increase in merchandise the Ohio society. General Horace E imports and some decrease in exports Porter, the president of the society from New York, large for the last week was unable to be present. The secre and 5 per cent. for April. Imports have tary's report showed that the society increased about 60 per cent, over last has an organization of 9,000 members year for the week and for four weeks in thirty-six states, with a society in have been 30 per cent. greater. At Hawaii. The reports of C. W. Haskins Boston imports of wool have been exof New York, treasurer general; O traordinary and at Philadelphia they Howard Clark, of Washington, register have amounted for the month to general, and Henry Hall, of New York 1.278,000. The thought that this normal historian general, were also read but ncrease may continue as long as acwere of a strictly routine nature. tion on the revenue is deferred, tends

The proposed union with the Sons o to affect exchange, but the main in the Revolution was discussed and it is fluence at present is the exceptional de probable that steps looking to that end reconstruction of the Aus will be taken during the convention. trian monetary system and for Japan. A committee was appointed to confe Of the great industries, the iron with a similar committee of the latter and steel manufacture is slower in advancing now, as it was much the organization.

quicker in the winter-partly because A permanent committee of thirteen was appointed to appeal to congress the increase in production in pig was then too rapid: partly because enorto prevent the use of the American flag mous contracts taken when the differfor advertising purposes ent pools broke down went mainly to

Officers were elected as follws: . Pres dent general, Edwin S. Barrett, of Massachusetts. Vice presidents general, Robert Anderson, of California John Whitehead, of New Jersey; James negotiations between Richardson, of Ohio; S. E. Gross, of Il linois, and J. C. Breckenridge. Secre-

Colts guessing today. Both teams had to be dropped. Then tobacco was for a time manufactured. fielded brilliantly and two lightning It is now said that Mayor Russ, dem double plays by the Colts infield robbed the Colonels of several scores. The ocratic nominee here-for mayor, will R. H. E. get at least 500 majority and that he will receive 250 negro votes. The inde-pendent movement seems to be a flat Batteries: Frazer and Wilson; Calfailure.

ahan and Anson. Umpire, McDermott; Next Tuesday a new lodge of Odd Fellows will be instituted at Clayton. The Portsmouth amateurs who last Philadelphia, April 30.-Philadelphia lefeated Brooklyn today in a pretty night presented the "Princess Bonnie" battle of pitchers. McMahon, late of here, made a fine impression. It is the Baltimore, pitched his first game of the popular comment that it was by far the eason, as did also Wheeler. In no inbest amateur performance ever give ing were more than two hits made here. In fact it was superior to nine off either pitcher. The score: R. H. E. tenths of the professional perform Philadelphia000201101-5 8 ances. Batteries: Wheeler and Clements;

Ex-Judge Whitaker, who has had stroke of paralysis, is said not to be so well as he was yesterday. Paresis is feared.

Baltimore, April 30 .- The Champions Most of the talk here today was about ook the second game of the series from the rumor that the legislature might he Giants much as they pleased, alor would be called in extra session. The Last night Marshall Mott went to see R. H. E. Governor Russell and urged that the session be called. He had a special reason, he said. Batteries: Hoffer and Clarke; Sulli-

State Treasurer Worth said: "I wish van and Warner. Umpire Lynch; time, you to say that from the lights before me I do not think it a good idea to have an extra session. I see no neces-Cincinnati game was postponed on acsity for it. If one is called I do not see how we could pay the appropriations. St. Louis, April 30 .- The Indians won We have enough to pay the regular aptheir first game this afternoon by a propriations and meet the interest on score of 12 to 4. Costly errors by the the state bonds. What more do we Browns were responsible. Sockalexis want?" knocked the ball over the centre field

Secretary of State Thompson said ence, one of the longest hits ever made If I were governor I would certainly not call an extra session. I have not been consulted about the matter. ..210122022-12 12 Batteries: Hutchinson, Kissinger and don't see why an extra session should Murphy: Wilson and O'Connor. Umbe called."

State Auditor Ayer said: "I do not suppose there is any serious thought concerning the extra session."

R. H. E. was remarked by a public man that in his opinion one of the last things Governor Russell would want to. R. H. E do would be to get that legislature back again; that he would be like ; Lancaster41000002*-7 6. 1 R. H. E. man who had stopped the hole in a 2 yellow jacket's nest and then pulled out the stopper and stayed near the hole R. H. E. In other words, said he, the legislature has had just time enough to get mad.

It was Marshall Mott who said yesterday that Governor Russell would today issue a proclamation calling an extra session.

Bets are now offered that Oscar J Spears will get the appointment United States district attorney of this district. At the revenue office for nearly two

Washington, April 30. It is very probable that the secretary of the reasury will soon commend to congress material reduction of the internal evenue tax on distilled spirits and an ncrease in the tax on beer. This action will be taken on the ground that the present tax of \$1.10 per gallon is above the revenue producing point. Some days ago Senator Cullom introduced a resolution, which was adopted. calling upon the secretary for his views on the subject, and the commissioner

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pitchers, are now doing good pitching for St. Louis and Louisville, respec years the facts as to seizures of illi tively. distilleries have not been given out, To Reduce Tax on Whiskey. for some reason. It is learned that an eighty gallon still was seized yesterday in Wayne county. Dr. R. S. McGeachey, one of the assistant physicians in the insane asylum here, goes to Atlanta next week,

to practice medicine. The newspapers are not nearly fierce as they were recently about the lease of the North Carolina railway. Some of the republicans are very angry about the way in which the governor "turned" down H. L. Grant, of

Athletics012000000-3'4 At Richmond-Richmond10003000-4 9 2 BASE BALL NOTES. McMahon, formerly with the Baltinores, pitched his first game for Brook-Baltimore and Philadelphia are tied or first place with Cincinnati second. Esper and Hemming, old Baltimore