Accused Philadelphia

New York, April 20.-Benedict Gimbel, a Philadelphia merchant, whose arrest on grave charges here was followed by an attempt to commit sui-cide in Hoboken passed a fairly comfortable night in St. Mary's Hospital. The Hoboken doctors have hopes that | considered as peculiarly belonging to he will recover. Gimbel was arrested while going to a New York resort with a crippled boy.

Gimbel's wife and brothers remained close to the hospital during the

In a statement issued by the family it is announced that Gimbel has been in poor health and at times his mind has been blank.

Gimbel's arraignment in the police court will necessarily be postponed pending the result of his injuries.

Mrs. Gimbel Talks. Mrs. Benedict Gimbel, who was with her husband today, said: "My husband has been a crazy man for a year and was insane when he at-

tempted to kill himself. "I did not want Mr. Gimbel to come to New York," continued Mrs. Gimbel, because I realized he had been acting

queerly for a long time. "We know he is absolutely innocent of the charges against him, and we intend to fight them to the end. It is evident that blackmailers were informed of his mental condition and have prayed upon him for money."

WILL FURNISH MINUTES

Minutes of Conference to be Presented to Interstate Commerce Com-

Washington, April 20 .- The production of the minutes of the 1905 conferences between the Suez and Pacific ocean steamship lines, which resulted in the alleged agreement on the rates on cotton fabrics to the Orient, resulted in reopening the case in which these rates are complained of before the interstate commerce

To show this, they agreed to fur nish the minutes of the conference. These minutes were produced by Wil-

liam Boyd, of New York. Attorney Sithall, representing the complaintants offered to submit the case without argument, but representatives of the railroads desired to be heard and the commission set May 14, next, to hear the argument.

Letter to H. C. Killian Hickory, N. C.

The cost of a gallon of paint put-on is about \$5, no matter what paint you buy.

100 gallons Devoe next-grade next-to-that next next-to-that 140 150 160 next next-to-that next-to-that 950 190 next next-to-that 1050 next next-to-that 1100

The strongest paint is the one that takes the least gallons: least gallons to buy: least gallons to paint; and the strongest paint wears longest. These lessons are useful.

Yours truly F W DEVOE & CO

P. S. F B Ingold sells our paint.

Valetta, Island of Malta, April 20 .-While manouevering the British torpedo boat Ariel collied with breakwater and sank. One man was drowned.

HARD TIMES IN KANSAS. The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the pros citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered Guranteed by C. M. Shuford, W. S Martin & Co. drug stores, 50c and

It goes without saying that a talking machine does not say without

\$1.00. Trial bottle free.

A pretty girl's cheek goes for more than its face value.

HOW'S THIS? We offer One Hundred Dollars Re-

ward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have nown F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectl yhonorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

Walding, Kinnan & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous sufaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for consti-

The acquitted woman (young and pretty) kissed her lawyer. "Madam," said he, with an attempt at firmness, "my stipulation was that there should be no fee in this case. You must permit me to return it."—Philadelphia Ledger.

CURED RHEUMATISM.

Mr. Wm. Henry, of Chattanooga, Tenn., had rheamatism in his left arm. "The strength seemed to have gone out of the muscles so that it was useless for work," he says. "I applied Chamberlain's Pain alm and wrapped the arm in flannel at night, and to my relief I found that the pain gradually left me and the strength returned. In three weeks the rheumatism had disappeared and has not since returned." If troubled with rheumatism try a few applications of Pain Balm. You are certain to be pleased with the relief which it affords. For sale by Shuford

GIRL MOUNTAIN GUIDE

Man Attempted Suicide Member of Noted Pennsylvania Family Adopts Unique Vocation

Lake of the Woods, N. Y., April 22 .-"I do not see why it should follow because one happens to be a girl college graduate that she should cling forever to the cities and hold only to the vocations and avocations which are her sex. Therefore, I cannot see why so much ado is made about me-a very ordinary girl-simply because love nature so passionately that I wish to be always in touch with her and because I am going to act, for the coming season at least, as a guide through the magnificent wilds of

Northern New York. The foregoing is a statement made today by Miss Ella Marion Young, formerly of Philadelphia, and a direct 11.25. descendant of Ethan Allen, of Revolutionary fame.

For the last three years she has been a nomadic resident of half a dozen villages in the Adirondacks and and the 1st of June. Most of the boys along the shores of the St. Lawernce. brother-in-law, Dr. John A. Miller, of Atlanta, and situated upon Green Island, in the Lake of the Woods.

An announcement appearing recent ly in a local paper stated that Miss Young would act in the caracity of guide during the coming season, and the girls of a score of villages whispered and wondered. But now they know Miss Young "means business."

Dr. William H. Young, Miss Young's father, was a prominent surgeon of Philadelphia, and at once a professor of medicine at the University of Penn sylvania. He died a widower in 1901, leaving a comfortable fortune to his

SHELTON AGAIN RESPITED.

Respite Refused and Granted Both in One Day-Playing With a Life. Columbia, S. C., April 19.-After

having refused yesterday morning to interfere with the sentence of the court Governor Ansel late yesterday after noon granted a respite of two weeks to John Shelton, who was sentenced to be hanged today at Spartanburg. The negro's life has been played with for a year in a strange and mysterious

In response to a letter from Attorney C. P. Sims of Spartanburg, received yesterday morning, Governor Ansel called up Mr. Sims on the telephone and then he wrote Mr. Sims to the same effect. In the afternoon after a who had granted a stay of execution until today, after Governor Ansel had previously refused to interfere two nonths ago, the Governor consented to grant a respite until Friday, May 3. It would seem that if anything tangiole is to be done in this negro's be-850 half it should certainly be done within 900 the next two weeks.

Ask For Marine Band at Raleigh Celebration

Washington, April 20.-Senator Simmons and Governor Glenn, of North Carolina, requested the President to orto attend the Mccklenburg celebration any machinery or machine that may der the Marine Band sent to Raleigh and the unveiling of the Bagley mon-

The President referred them to the Secretary of the Navy, expressing the way clear to grant the request.

Peace For Salvador And Nicaragua

Washington, April 19.-A tentative for it will be recalled that only a few agreement for peace, according to advices received here, had been arranged between Nicaragua and Salvador which probably will en the Central

American war. Orders have been issued for the withdrawal of the Nicaraguan troops from Honduras.

OFFICERS OF D. A. R.

Vice Presidents-General Elected Today -Other Officers Chosen for Daugh ters of American Revolution.

Washington, April 19.-Mrs. Donald McLean, has been elected president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The remainder of the administration ticket was also successful.

Newspaper Men Must "Keep Off The Grass"

Washington, April 20.—Secretary Loeb announced that hereafter newspaper men will not be allowed to congregate in the White House grounds after nightfall, or to go to the door of the White House in search of information.

CLOAK MAKERS RAISE RIOT.

Strikers Attack Senior Member

Firm, Causing Riot. New York, April 22.—The striking cloak makers at the establishment of Oscar Margolin & Son, assaulted a senior member of the firm and created a riot, in which several hundred persons participated, and finally were dispersed by the police.

New York, April 22.—The secretary of the Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching announced the retiring allowance to educators, among others, to F. H. Smith, for years professor of natural philosophy in the University of Virginia.

CASTORIA

NEGRO GRIMINAL

Wadesboro, April 19.-The Ansonian has moved its office. The paper is now published on the corner of

Wade and Morgan streets. Blue, the noted blockader of Richmond county, was fined \$3,500 for blockading by Judge Council last week. We verily believe that a sentence of six months on the roads would have been better and ultimateaccomplished more good in the

Cotton is bringing on this marke

It is now thought that a large majority of the old vets in this county will attend the re-union in Richmond, Va., the latter part of May way of those who are unable to pay will be made on our people. I have no doubt but that a generous response would be made to such an appeal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hendley, of Charlotte, is visiting friends near

FORTUNE TELLER CHASED.

ingry Citizens Thought He Had Evil Designs and Almost Lynch Him. Spartanburg, S. C., April 20.-Fred Ford, a fortune teller and peddler of spectacles, who claims Shelby, N. C., as his home, is being given a preliminary hearing before Magistrate A. H. Kirby on the charge of asgault and battery, laying hands on Miss Splawm, a cripple, who lives with her aged mother, a widow, at the Saxon Mill village. Ford after being arrested narrowly escaped violence at the hands of angry citizens of Saxon, who chased him a long disance, and the prompt arrival of President J. A. Law, of Saxon Mill, no doubt saved Ford's life.

Several days ago Ford went to the home of Mrs. Splawm and finding Miss Splawm alone offered to tell her fortune, at the same time laying before noon and informed him that he bis hand on her arms. She became had refused to grant the request in his frightened and made an outcry and letter for a respite or commutation neighbors rushed to her home to nender aid. Ford became frightened and made a dash out of the house. consultation with Chief Justice Pope, He was followed by a large crowd and after a chase of a mile was captured. President Law followed the mob in his buggy and his timely arrival saved the day for Ford, for the crowd of citizens believed that Ford had attempted evil designs when he laid hands on the woman. people, This charge he denies, claiming he

Important Invention.

Union, S. C., April 19 .- Mr. N. S. Tramel, who is in charge of the spinning department of the Excelsior Knitting Mills, has invented a "knock

off motion" machine. This invention will be able to stop be running at any time when it is desirable to have the machine stopped

Mr. Tramel has been made several hope that the latter would find the attractive offers by persons to go in yet he has not decided what course he

will pursue. It seems, of all persons, Mr. Tramel should be exceptionally good authority, and be able to put on the market the best "knock off" machine known, months ago he acquired national notoriety through his ability to "knock off" and "keep off" two men, a man and his son, who held him up at the point of a gun, and by his alertness, coolness and nerve was able to disarm them both without injuring himself or disabling them.

Near10,000 Natives are Homeless, Result of Fire

Mantla. April 20.-The latest reports from Iloilo say the fire has been checked. The property loss is estimated at \$100,000.

Several hundred houses were destroyed and from 8,000 to 10,000 natives are homeless.

Adequate relief measures have been taken. There was no loss of life by the earthquakes.

The shocks, while the most severe experienced in 15 years, were not violent enough to cause much destruc-Dispatches from points in several provinces report severe shocks but lit-

EARTH TREMOR AT CHARLESTON.

tle damage.

Druggists. 50.

Charleston, S. C., April 19 .- A slight earth tremor was felt here today. No damage has been reported as a result.

HIS DEAR OLD MOTHER. "My dear old mother, who is now eighty three years old, thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunson, of Dublin, Go. "She has taken them for A about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." 'That's the way Electric Bitters affect the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak puny children too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by C. M. Shuford, W. S. Martin & Co.,

Miss Bess Hutchison has returned to the city after spending several weeks at Lexington with Mrs. Richard Springs.

CHILDREN CRY

Indian Longboat Won Marathon Race

Boston, Mass., April 19.-The eleventh Marathon race of 25 miles from Ashland to Boston, which started at noon, in point of number, is the greatest in history.

The official entry list contains the names of 126 long-distance runners.

The chief interest was centered in the entry of Tom Longboat, an Indian. The men got away in a bunch.

Boston, April 19 .- Tom Longboat, the Indian, won the Marathon race. His time was 2:24-20-4-5 seconds, un-

Caught In Machinery And Crushed to Death

Statesville, N. C., April 20.-While and the 1st of June. Most of the boys attempting to adjust a belt this mornin Anson fought in the battles around ing shortly before 10 o'clock Mr. H. C. Miss Young is at present occupying Richmond and this makes the desire Miller, who with his brother own and a little rustic cottage belonging to her stronger to go there. Anson camp operate the city roller mill, was caught may charter a car for its use. A in the machinery and so badly injured call for a contribution to help pay the about the head and shoulders, he died soon after being taken to the Long sanitarium.

> man and his tragic death has sadden ed the hearts of many. He was married only last summer and his young wife survives.

Mr. Miller was a progressive young

Water Foot Deep In Streets of Mobile

Mobile, Ala., April 22.--Last night Mobile was visited by a torrent of rain delaying trains and interrupting the

The streets in many sections of the city are covered with water a foot to wo feet deep.

Children are unable to reach the choolhouses. The new union station is complete y surrounded by water.

Earth Shocks Were Felt at Manila

Manila, P. I., April 19-Earth shocks were felt here today.

Reports received from the southern part of the Island of Luzon announce that severe earthquakes were felt at

that place. No loss of life is reported.

SHIEFFIELD WON TROPHY

Presence of 100,000 Spectators Shieffield Won Over Everton, Holders of Trophy.

London, April 20.-Sheffield defeated Everton, holders of the Trophy, at foot ball in the presence of 100,000

VERDICT AGAINST RAILROAD.

Greensboro, April 19 .- In the Super for Court today in the case of Burton against the Southern Railway, for permanent injury, the jury gave a verdict of \$6,000 against the railroad. This, with the verdict last night of

ever given here. executed for murder.

Want Increase in Wages.

Baltimore, Md., April 22.-General Manager Stebbins, of the Merchants and Miners' Transportation Company, said that the demands for the increase of wages had been prepared by first, second and third officers of the line, and the company had the matter under consideration. They ask for an average advance of about \$20 over the present wage scale, and threaten to go out May 1, unless the demands are ac-

President Entertained Trinity Ball Team

Washington, D. C., April 22.-The President gave a special reception to members of the baseball team of Trinity College, Durham, N. C.

Rest is the great restorer. We tire our muscles by exercise and then rest to restore them; yet a great many of us do not stop to think how little rest we give our stomachs. As a usual thing no part of our bodies is so generally overworked as our digestive organs. A tired and overworked tomach will give signs of distress to which we pay no heed until at last Dyspepsia takes hold. Indigestion is just a warning, and if we heed the warning we can easily avoid further consequences. KODOL is a most thorough stomach relief. It digests what you eat and gives the stomach a needed rest and greatly assists in restoring it to its normal activity and usefulness. KODOL is sold on a guarantee relief plan. It is sold here by C. M. Shuford and W. S. Martin.

"Yessir, I helps support a large family." "You old fraud, you're not married." But I patronizes a saloonkeeper wot is."-Washington Herald.

WOMAN TELLS HOW TO RE-LIEVE RHEUMATIC PAINS.

I have been a very great sufferer years ago, when I bought a bottle relief before I had used all of one bottle, but kept on applying it and soon felt like a different woman. Through my advice many of my friends have FLETCHER'S CASTORIA makes rest and sieen by Shuford Drug Co. makes rest and sleen possible. For sale

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opportunity to get acquainted with the facts and know that drugs are not used to produce the cheering quality found in the famous Piedmont country flue-cured tobaccos, and that SCHNAPPS is what he ought to chew. Still there are chewers who accept other and cheaper tobaccos

that do not give the same pleasure.

Some day they'll get a taste of the real Schnapps—they'll realize what enjoyment they've missed by not getting SCHNAPPS long ago-then they'll feel like kicking

SCHNAPPS is sold everywhere in 5 cent cuts, and 10 and 15 cent plugs. Be sure you get the genuine.

GASTONIA NEWS.

Bazarr By Daughters of Confederacy-Personal Items.

Gastonia, N. C., April 19 .- The bazaar under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy was opened for business yesterday morning at ten o'clock in the rooms of the Gastonia Library. This bazaar will continue during today and tomorrow from 10 a. m. until 10 p. m. Luncheon will be served during these hours. A very tempting menu has been arranged and the ladies hope that the business men instead of going home for their meals will patronize the bazaar. Fancy work and candies will also be sold in tastefully arranged booths. The proceeds from the bazaar go into the general fund of the chapter and

of a monument to the Confederate veterans. The Arlington cotton mills have a new superintendent in the person of \$8,000, are two of the largest verdicts Mr. George K. Tate who came to Gastonia from Quitman, Ga., and succeeds Mr. J. R. Withers who has been fill-A court at Chicago has decided ing the position temporarily. Mr. With-Mills where he made a very envious record. Mr. Withers will take charge

eventually will be used in the erection

of the Flint Mfg. Co., now in course of Work on the new store and office building being built on Main street by Mr. S. N. Boyce and Dr. P. R. Falls is progressing nicely. The Lucas Co. will occupy the handsome store room on the ground floor and Drs. Falls and Wilkins will have offices

NO CONNECTION IN CASES.

on the second floor.

Judge Says Land Fraud Investigation is a Thing to Itself.

Denver, Col., April 19.-Judge Burch special assistant United States Attorney General, in an interview with a representative of the Associated Press, denied there is any connection between the land fraud investigation in Idaho and the prosecution of the officials of the Western Federation of Miners, on the charge of complicity in the assassination of former Governor

Steunenberg. "The sensational reports going the ounds of the Western newspapers concerning the Idaho conditions should be very largely discounted," said Judge Burch.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Mrs. Sapp Seriously Injured This Morning While on Her Way to Con-

Concord, April 19.-While coming to own this morning, a young colt belonging to Mr. John Sapp, of No. 5 township, backed off a high embank ment with his buggy, which contained

himself and wife. Mrs. Sapp was seriously injured and the doctors are now working with her. Mr. Sapp escaped unhurt and the horse was killed in the fall. It hap pened within a mile of town.

Over 200 Natives Are Reported Drowned

Berlin, April 19.—It is announced from the dreadful disease, rheumatism, that a message from the Island of for a number of years. I have tried Yap stated a typhoon swept over the many medicines but never got much Carolina Islands and that 250 natives relief from any of them until two of the Uluthi group were drowned.

of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I found SUFFERED FOR FIVE YEARS WITH KIDNEY AND LIVER TROUBLE. "I suffered for five years with kidney and liver trouble, which caused se vere pains across the back and a blindtried it and can tell you how won- ing headache. I had dyspepsia and derfully it has worked.—Mrs. Sarah was so constipated that I could not A. Cole, 140 S. New St., Dover, Del. move my bowels without a cathartic. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a liniment. I was cured by Chamberlain's Stom-The relief from pain which it offords ach and Liver Tablets and have been is alone worth many times its cost. It well now for six months," says Mr. Arthur Strickland, of Chattanooga,

Tenn. For sale by Shuford Drug Co. ----

Case Dismissed

This man bought a supply of tobacco with-

out acquainting himself with the distinctive taste

of SCHNAPPS Tobacco, which has the cheering

qualities that gratify his desire to chew, and at

Washington, D. C., April 22.-The Supreme Court dismissed the criminal case of Frederick Seymour, alias "Lord" Barrington, under sentence of a writ certioari in the case of the trusmurdering James P. McCann.

Endorse Colonel Colt. Providence, R. I., April 22 .-- The Repassed a resolution endorsing Colonel Colt for United States Senator.

President to Oyster Bay. Washington, D. C., April 22.-The President will leave for Oyster Bay on

ability to humble a man's pride.

Case of D. J. Sully.

Washington, D. C., April 22.-The Supreme Court denied the petition for death in St. Louis on the charge of tee in bankruptcy of the New York cotton brokerage firm of Daniel J. Sully vs. McCormick and others, involving the details of Sully's failure in 1904. The effect of the court's denial Providence, R. I., April 22.—The Republican State Central Committee is to leave in force the decision of the Colored C

Decided Against Company.

Washington, D. C., April 22.-The Supreme Court construed the Missouri State law, providing that the suicide of an insured man shall not constitute Most women are proud of their a valid defense in resisting payment on a policy against the company.

AND SYSTEM DISORDERED Catarrh is not merely an inflammation of the tissues of the head and throat, as the symptoms of ringing noises in the ears, mucous dropping back that it is against public policy to pay ers formerly superintended the Ozark into the throat, continual hawking and spitting, etc., would seem cate; it is a blood disease in which the entire circulation and the greater part of the system are involved. Catarrh is due to the presence of an excess of uric acid in the blood. The Liver, Kidneys and Bowels frequently become torpid and dull in their action and instead of carrying off the refuse and waste of the body, leave it to sour and form uric acid in the system. This is taken up by the blood and through its circulation distributed to all parts of the system. These impurities in the blood irritate and inflame the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting of a cold will start the secretions and other disgusting and disagreeable symptoms of Catarrh. As the blood goes to all parts of the body the catarrhal poison affects all parts of the system. The head has a tight, full feeling, nose continually stopped up, pains above the eyes, slight fever comes and goes, the stomach is upset and the entire system disordered and

Thad Catarrh for about fifteen years, and no man could have been worse. I tried everything I could hear of, but no good resulted. I then began S. S. S., and could see a little improvement from the first bottle, and after taking it a short while was cured. This was six years ago, and I am as well today as any man. I think Catarrh is a blood disease, and know there is nothing on earth better for the blood than S. S. S. Nobody thinks more of S. S. S. Tor this purpose. It attacks the disease at its head, goes down to the very disease at its head, goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. removes every particle of the catarrhal poison from the blood, making this vital stream pure, fresh and healthy. Then the inflamed mem-branes begin to heal, the head is loosened and cleared, the hawking and spitting cease, every symptom disappears, the constitution is built up and vigorous health restored. S. S. S. also tones up the stomach and digestion and acts as a

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