THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

President McKinley Sends a Message to Congress Urging

APPROPRIATION FOR A

Representation By the United States. Shern.an Thinks the Sum Should Be \$350,000.

The President has sent the following message to Congress, urging it to make suitable provision for adequate representation of the United States at the Paris Exposition:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives: I transmit herewith for the consideration of the respective houses of the Congress, a report of the Secretary of State, representing the appropriateness of early action in order that the government of the United States may be enabled to accept the invitation of the French Republic, to participate in the Universal Exposition to be held in Paris in 1900. The recommendations of this report have my most cordial approval, and I urge upon the Congress such timely provision for this great international enterprise as will fittingly respond to the testified wish and expectations of our inventors and producers, that they may have adequate opportunity again, as in the past, to fortify the important postions they have won in the world's competitive field of discovery and industry. Nor are the traditional friendships of the United States and France and the mutual advantages to accrue from their enlarg ed commercial intercourse, less important factors than the individual interests to be fostered by renewed participation in this exposition, especially when it is remembered that the present project will be complete and on a scale of magnificence equal to

"WM. MCKINLEY. Secretary Sherman, among other things in his report, urges that if the United States is to be fittingly repreresented, steps should be taken to 10 sure such representation by making the necessary appropriation, and recommends an appropriation of \$350,000.

FELL IN A FAINT.

When He Knew His Gigantic Insur-

ance Plans Were Discovered. At Fittsburg, Pa., C. Linwood Woods, of C. T. Woods & Co., bankers, has been arrested, charged with attempt at insurance swindling. When Woods was confronted by the arresting officer he fell in a dead faint. His mode of procedure was to insert advertisements in the local papers for old men to act as collectors. He would ask the applicant for bond, but kindly waived the bond if the applicant would sign an application for insurance on his life. This was generally secured and then Woods would get some irresponsible man to sign a promisory note to the C. T. Woods Panking Company, filled with amounts ranging from \$10,000 to \$15,000, so that consideration for the insurance policy at death could be claimed to be the debt established by the note.

In Wood's desk were found sixtyfive policies with himself as beneficiary, aggregating \$200,000. Chief Harper, chief of the revision department of the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Insurance Association, of New York, charged Woods with procuring policies with intent to defraud.

LIMITED TO ONE WIFE.

The A. M. E. Church Shakes Up the Ministers for Their Several Sins. The Virginia conference of the African M. E. church, which has been in session at Wytheville for some days, and those ministers who have not conducted themselves properly are trembling. Resolutions were passed condemning ministers for getting divorces from their wives. Bishop Handy declared that no man in the connection in the district wou d receive an appointment who had more than one wife. They also condemned the use of whiskey and se eral men who were found guilty of using intoxicating drink were left without appointment. Rev. Jas. Minter having two wives. The ruling bishop, Handy, regards this as a progressive

Reports Not Encouraging. The river continues to rise slowly at Vicksburg, Miss., and at all points south, and the situation along the Louisiana system of levees is acute. Several thousand men are working and watching night and day to hold the embankments intact. Reports from the overflowed Mississippi delta are not encouraging. Many cabins are sub-merged to their very roofs, while several have been carried away by the swift

step for the elevation of the negro race.

current. At Greenville the river stands Nominations Confirmed.

The United States Senate has confirmed the following nominations: Al fred E. Buck of Georgia, to be minis-ter to Japan; James Boyle of Ohio, to be consul to Liverpool; Edgar Angio. of Georgia, to be United States attorney for the northern district of Georgia; Marion Erwen, of Georgia, to be attorney for the United States for the South ern district of Georgia; Alexander J. Cook of Mississippi, to be United States marshal for the northern district of Mississippi.

Spalding Confesses. President McKay, of the University of Illinois board of trustees, says that C. W. Spalding, treasurer of the board and president of the defunct Globe Savings Bank, at Chicago, Ill., has admitted to him and to Trustee James E. Armstrong, that he had hypothecated the University endowment bonds entrusted to his care, as treasurer.

Governor Altgeld is mixed up in the transactions of Spalding, in wrecking the Globe Savings Bank, of Chi-

ANNIVERSARY OF JEFFERSON. W. J. Bryan Was the Guest of

Honor. The 154th anniversary of Jefferson's birthday was celebrated Tuesday night at the Metropolitan Hotel in Washington by a subscription dinner given under the auspices of the National Association of Democratic Clubs. The first celebration of the anniversary of Jefferson's birthday occurred at the same hostelry, then known as the Inn. I resident Jackson was f honor and the occasion was erable by the presence of tent John C. Calboun and macie mocratic leaders of that day. Wm ... bryan, of Nebraska, the late Democ atic caudidate for President, was the guest of honor. Senators, Representatives and others conspicuous in the councils of the Democratic party, were present. Many of them were from a distance. Covers were laid for two hundred, and a number of people were denied seats for want of space at the tables. The decorations of the room were simple. The columns were entwined with Southern smilax and a full-length portrait of Jefferson, draped with American flags, was hung behind the seat of Governor Black, of Fennsylvania, the president of the association. Upon his right were Mr. Bryan and Representative McMillin, who acted as toastmaster, and on the left were Senator Jones, of Arkan-sas; Representatives Bland, of Missouri; Lentz, of Ohio; ex-Representative Sibley, of Pennsylvania, and Andrew Lipscomb, of Virginia. Mr. Bryan

was greeted with a lusty cheer as he entered the hall. The menu was carefuly prepared and was similar to such a dinner as might have been served dur ing Jefferson's days. The dishes were all American creations and each course, as far as possible, represented one section of the country. The dinner began promptly at 8 o'clock, an orchestra playing national airs, blended with Southern melodies to conform in sympathy to the spirit of the dinner. The toasts were briefly responded to except in the case of Mr. Bryan, who spoke at length to the toast, "Thomas Jeffer-

BELL COMPANY WINS. A Decision in a Suit Involving Five

Million Dollars. The Supreme Court at Washington,

D. C., has denied the petition for a writ of certiorari in the case of the American Bell Telephone Company vs. the Western Union Telegraph Company to compel the Circuit Court of Appeals for the first circuit to certify the case to the Supreme Court. The case involves the question of royalties claimed from the Bell company by the Western Union company, and was originally brought in the Circuit Court for the District of Massachusetts to secure an account there of royalties. About \$5,000,000 is involved. After instituting suit the Western Union sought to have it dismissed, and after it was dismissed the Bell Company appealed to the Circuit Court of Appeals when the decision of the Circuit Court was reversed. The Western Union Company sought to have the case reviewed by the Supreme Court, but the opinion rendered denies this petition. This takes the case back to the Circuit Court for turther proceedings

It is a victory for the Bell Telephone Company, and it is said this company will at once go into the telegraph field, while the Western Union Company will be shut out from the telephone field. An expert, speaking of the possible extension of the telephone company into the telegraph field, said that the new telephone wires could be used simultaheously for both telephone and telegraph service, so that the two would not conflict in the least.

PURIFYING MISSISSIPPI WATER. The Largest and Best Filter Plant in

the World. The largest, the costliest and best plant in the world has just been completed at Davenport, Iowa. Practical men, whose experience has made their opinions worthy of respectful attention, according to the Chicago Times-Herald, say that this plant really solves the water supply question for nearly all Western cities. The cost of the plant is \$1,200,000. The ten double filter shells, which contain the immediate water supply, have a capacity of 7,500,000 gallon . The water is taken from the Mississippi River at a point above any large sewage outlet, and where the was expelled from the connection for river water is naturally aerated and oxidized by the presence of rapids.

STARVATION IN CHINA.

Hundreds Dying for Lack of Food. Poor Lifforts.

A San Francisco, Cal., special says the natives in the vicinity of Ichang, China, are dying by hundreds of starvation. The grain crop last year was almost a total failure, and as the people exchanged their maize for rice to last them through the winter, food has been scant for a long time. Supplies are new completely exhausted and the harvest of death has begun. The officials are making efforts to furnish foo for the starving people by sending in lenburg county, who was so severely rice, but the supplies they are able to wounded by a pistol shot through the that time to prevent fraudulent practure to meet on the 28th. of those in direct need is so great that little good is accomplished.

Great Loss of Cattle.

Between blizzards and high water cattle on the ranges throughout the Northwest have been having a tough time of it since the first of last winter's storms. In several South Dakota counties the loss to stockmen will be 40 or 50 per cert, and scarcely anywhere will it fall below 20.

Electricity.

In Sebnitz, in Saxony, experiments are being made to cover real flowers and leaves with a metallic coating by means of galvanic electricity. A way of doing this has been invented, and the question now is, how to make such weather-proof flowers available for millinery purposes.

A letter from Africa states that Merchand's exploring expedition in Africa burned many villages, killed a few hundred natives and took their live stock for food.

News Items Gathered and Condensed for Our Readers.

PAINTING FOR STATE LIBRARY.

Young Lady Arrested for Robbing the Mails -- A Valuable Find -- Dr. Long Returns.

The State Library at Raleigh is soon to have quite a desirable addition to the already large and choice collection of oil-paintings of prominent North Carolinians. This time it is to be a handsome group, half-eized oil-painting of Zebulon B. Vance, Col. H. K. Burgwyn and Col. John R. Lane, all three of whom served in the late war as colonels in the famous Twenty-sizth North Carolina regiment. The contract for painting this picture was awarded to Raleigh's well known artist, Mr. W. G. Randall, and the work is to be done just as soon as possible. The work is done by order of Mrs. Vance, Col. Lane and Mr. H. W. Burgwyn, a brother of the late Col. H. K. Burgwyn, who is to be one of the group to be painted. The painting is to cost about \$500. Each of the three famous columns is to be painted in the uniform colonels is to be painted in the uniform of that rank and from photographs taken during their service as such

Miss Viola Brown was arrested the first of this week for robbing the mails. A trial was had before J. W. Bean, United States Commissioner, and she was bound to Federal Court at Greensboro, in the sum of \$200. Ira S. E. Brown is postmaster of Brown, a little country office in Randolph county. His daughter, Miss Viola, has been his assistant, and for a year or more small money have been missed from the mails. A postoffice inspector bethe robbing was being done on the star route. A deadly decoy letter was put in the mails and did its work. When Miss Brown was confronted by the postoffice inspector she acknowledged her guilt, so it is said. And it is further said that before the commissioner she acknowledged previous thieving. It is thought by many that Miss Brown is a kleptomaniac. She is only about 19 years old and quite pretty. Much sympathy is expressed for her and the family.

The Richmond Dispatch of the 14th inst. has the following: "Dr. J. W. Long, one of the most popular physicians in the city, and for several years a member of the faculty of the Medical College of Virginia, having determined to return to his former home in North Carolina, delivered, by invitation, in the amphitheatre of the college last night, a farewell address. A large assemblage, consisting of members of the faculty of the Medical College of Virginia, and of the University Col-lege of Medicine of Surgery, and the students of the former institution, was present to do honor to the physician, who, during his brief residence in this city, was won a place in their hearts not easily to be filled.

The following comes from Randolph coun y Mr. A. B. Ful er, of Tabernacle township, found \$1,000 in gold last Sunday morning. Saturday night Mr. Fuller dreamed of finding money at a certain spot on his plantation, and Sunday morning, he was so impressed with the dream, he took a mattock and went to the place he dreamed of and commenced to dig, and at once found \$1,000 in gold, consisting of \$10, \$20, and \$30 coins. The money is supposed to have been buried away more than a hundred years ago by some old

Messrs. Hector and Hugh McLean, he two celebrated Harnett county twins, drove into Fayetteville a few days ago. The Observer says it has ot been but a few years since they would walk the distance, nearly thirty miles, and with ease. They will be eighty-seven years old next month Each has his coffin already procured and are negotiating for a monument to be erected over their graves.

A deed of assignment has been filed with the register of deeds of Randolph county by Cope and & Marsh. The firm has been doing business at Ramseur and Cedar Falls. They were general merchants. There were some pre ferred creditors. The amount of the indebtedness is not given; assets, about 86,800. John N. Wilson, of Greensbore, is made assignee.

The Railway Commission has granted the request of citizens of Purvis to have a railroad station erected. Citizens of Winterville's petition for a railroad will be called on the 2ith. No application was made to the commission to lower passenger rates. Commissioner Otho Wilson favors a reduction of freight

Mr. Ed. Nivers, constable of Meckcontribute are so small and the number lungs, on the 80th inst. by Eli Marshall, a negro that he was trying to arrest, is resting more comfortably and his physician is more hopeful of his re-

> D. P. Hunter. a policeman of Charlotte, died at his home, corner of Pine and Ninth etreets, Wednesday morning. He had been sick only a few days. He was afficted with orysinelas, the disease being complicated with heart trou-

Several cities in the State having petitioned for a reduction of telephone rates, the various telephone companies have been summoned to appear before the Commissioner on the 27th and show cause who a reduction should not be

F. E. Hege, director of the poultry division at the Experiment Station, Faleigh, narrowly escaped death Thursday morning by the burning of his from Minister Terrell states that the house. He was almost suffocated when taken from the burning house.

AN IMPORTANT CIRCULAR Letter in Aid of the United Confederarte Veterans' Re-Union.

Below can be found an important circular letter from the headquarters of the United Confederate Veterans, issued April 15th, in connection to the re-union which is to take place at Nashville, Tenn., on Tuesday, Wednesday city. and Thursday, May 22nd, 22rd and

24th, 1897:
It will be the largest and most important U. C. V. re-union ever held.
The Personnel of the Nashville reunion committee under the leadership of its chairman Col. J. B. O'Bryan, is a guarantee that everything will be done for the comfort and convenience of the old veterans and all visitors which is in the power of man; it is a splendid body of very able and distinguished comrades, who are fully alive to the magnitude of the work entrusted to them in entertaining and caring for their old comrades, and it will be their pride to make it the most memorable reunion upon record; and the citizens of Nashville are aglow with enthusiasm, and patriotism, at the prospect of dis-pensing their far famed hospitality to the surviving heroes of the lost cause.

Also to urge ex-Confederate soldiers and sailors everywhere to form local associations, and send applications to these headquarters for papers to organize Camps immediately so as to be in time to participate in the great reunion at Nashville, and thus unite with their comrades in carrying out the laudable and philanthropic objects of the organization; as only Veterans who belong to organized U. C. V. Camps can participate in the business meeting

at Nashville. Business of the greatest importance to the survivors of the Southern army will demand careful consideration during the session of the Seventh Annurl Convention, at Nashville, Tenn, such as the best methods of securing im-partial history, and to enlist each State in the compilation and preservation of the history of her citizen soldiery; the benevolent care through State aid or otherwise of disabled, destitute, or aged veterans and the widows and orphans of our fallen brothers in arms; to consult as to the gan his work and finally located where feasibility of the formation of a U. C. V. Benevolent Aid Association; the care of the graves of our known and unknown dead buried at Gettysburg, Fort Warren, Camps Morton, Chase, Douglas, Oakwood Cemetery at Chicago, Johnson's Island, Cairo and all other points, to see that they are annually decorated, the headstones preserved and protected and complete lists of the names of our dead heroes with the location of their last resting places furnished to their friends and relatives through the medium of our camps, thus rescuing their names from oblivion and handing them down in history; the consideraand means to erect a monument to the memory of Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederate States of America, also to aid in building of Land Rutherford.

In the case of "Cap" Hatfield a jury at Williamson, W. Va., has returned a verdict of involuntary manslaughter for the killing of Ivan Rutherford. also to aid in building monuments to other great leaders, soldiers and sailors of the South; also to assist in the promotion and completion of the proposed "Battle Abliey;" to vote upon the proposed change of the name of the Association from U. C. V., to C. S. A.; and to change the present badge or button which is not patentable for the new one proposed which is; and to make such

> as experience may suggest, and other quitted.
> matters of general interest. Total number of camps now admitted o, with application in for about one

Northeast Texas Division 81; West evidently gone into the building for the Texas Division 55; Southwest Texas purpose of committing suicide. Division 83; Southeast Texas Division 31; Northwest Texas Division 17; total Texas 217. Alabama 89; South Carolina 81; Missouri 71; Mississippi 68; Arkansas 59; Georgia 58; Louisiana 51; Kentucky 89; Tennessee 1; Virginia 84; Florida 30; North Carolina 29; Indian Territory 12; West Virginia 11; place. Oklahoma 6; Maryland 6; New Mexico The 3; Illinois 2; Montana 2; Indiana 1; District of Columbia 1; California 1. Very respectfully,

GEO MOOBMAN, Adjutant General and Cnief of Staff. J. B. GORDON, General Commanding, 824 Common street (up stairs), New Orleans, La. | lyn.

No Troops Withdrawn from Cuba. The Spanish minister at Washington has received a telegram from the President of the Council of Ministers, Senor Canovas, saying that the report of the more foundation than the fact of its publication in an opposition paper at Madrid. Minister de Lome says no soldiers will be withdrawn from Cuba. Captain General Weyler has telegraphed that he does not need more reinforcements to terminate the war and that he will soon end it.

He Smells a Mouse.

At Washington Senator Pettigrew introduced a resolution directing the ostmaster-General to inform the Senate of the amount he paid out to railroads for carrying the mail from Washington to Atlanta and to New Orleans each year since 1895; also, whether at the last weighing on that road an unusual amount of advertisements were ces on the part of the railroad

Skinner and White Clash. A Washington special says: "Representative Skinner and Representative White, colored, of North Carolina, are clashing over the consulship to Victoria, B. C. The former is supporting J. B. Respess and the latter John P. Leach. Leach has Senator Pritchard's endorsement."

War in Earnest.

Fierce battles are reported between Greeks and Turks. No great advantage has been gained by either side, but the Greeks hold a strong position and the Turks cheer the news of a declaration of war. The weather continues cold and the latest news is that the Turkish losses are severe. A dispatch Americans in Turkey and Greece are in no danger.

NEWS ITEMS CONDENSED. Southern Pencil Pointers. W. W. Kidd, of Marshall county, Ala, has decamped. His shortage is

Two Italians, working their way to wards Charleston, S.C., were murdered at Salter's, fifty-nine miles from that

Wm. J. Bryan made an address before a crowd of about 1,000 people in the Kentucky legislature, representing every faction in that State. the Rockford plant, bespeaks for the new product an immense financial success, which will be shared liberally by

At Barboursville, W. Va. Mrs. Amos D. Reynolds was killed by her daughter-in-law during a family row. Her head was severed from her body

during the past year Mr. Willis has been absent from his desk 234 days with pay. Harris Bramlett, the most noted

moonshiner in Georgia, has been captured and jailed at Atlanta. The Kentucky Euilding and Loan Association law has been declared constitutional by Judge Scott at Win-

Ninety-eight cases of liquor bought in San rrancisco for personal use by citizens who clubbed together, was seized immediately upon its arrival in

Charleston, S. C. Saturday in the Criminal Court at Charlotte, N. C., L. J. Kirk was found guilty of shooting Lake and sentenced to two years on the chain gang. An

appeal was entered upon the ground of excessive punishment for a new trial. Judge Harlan has allowed a writ of error in the case of Elizabeth Nobles, of Georgia, who is under sentence of death on the charge of murder, and who was to have been hanged Friday.

Governor Bloxham, of Florida, has issued a call to a national fisheries congress to be held at Tampa in January, 1898.

It was represented by Mrs. Nobles'

counsel that she is insane.

Forty-five thousand acres of the most valuable coal and oil lands in West Virginia have been purchased by a company of New York and Pittsburg capitalists. The price paid aggregates haps three or four miles distant, an

United States Senator in Kentucky has cost about \$75,000.

At Houston, Tex., the cylindrical process of baling cotton is again exciting discussion in cotton trade circles.

Knoxville, Tenn., foot up \$556,250.

The latest developments in the Knoxville, Tenn., fire are that at least six persons lost their lives in the Hotel Knox. The hotel register has not been

In the Criminal Court at Charlotte, N. C., Friday, Chas. Blackburn, charged with originating the fire which partially destroyed the Charlotte Observer building on January 2d last, was ac-

changes in the constitution and by-laws The dead body of Charles Hoffman, a well-known and respected citizen, was found in a chapel, about four miles hundred and fifty more. Following is from Brunswick, Ga. He had shot number of camps by States: himself through the head. He had

purpose of committing suicide. Chicago speculators make \$4,000,000 on the wheat rise of last Saturday. The body of Gen. Grant was moved last Saturday to its permanent resting

The business portion of the town of Boca, O., has been burned. The total loss will reach \$80,000. The cause of the fire was attributed to tramps. Elizabeth R. Tilton, the wife of Henry Ward Beecher's accuser, died

on Tuesday last at her home in Brook-A party of 91 chinamen have arrived in Montreal by the Canadian Pacific Railroad, from China via Vancouver. They are to work on the sugar plantations of Cuba, so sadly neglected dur-

ing the past two years. The surgeons at the Presbyterian recall of 30,000 men from Cuba has no | Hospital in New York are bending all their energies to save the life of Frank Hastings, a newspaper man, who for eight days has hiccoughed at the rate of 8,640 times a day. Ice cream is being used to cure him.

> At Chicago, Ill., Matthias Guster, 2: years old, was shot and instantly killed by John Formiller, his father-in-law, at the breakfast table.

A company capitalized at \$2,000,000 has been formed at Minneapolis, Minn. to manufacture sugar from beets and fight the Sugar Trust.

The largest flag that ever flew from a pole will be flung to the breeze on the 27th from a staff near the Grant Monument, in New York.

Governor Jones, of Arkansas, has carried, and what steps were taken at called an extra session of the Legisla-A cyclone destroyed the town of Ch ler, Okla, east of Guthrie dozen or more people were killed and

probably 150 were injured. Miscellaneous. The King of Siam will visit this country next September.

A Boston special says: "Under fav

orable conditions and to the satisfaction of all concerned, the United States bat tleship Iowa has been given her official trial over the Cape Anne course, and under the inspection of the naval board appointed for that purpose. On the trial she made an average speed of 17 knots over the 66 mile course, exceed ing her contract speed by one knot, winning \$200,00 bonus for her builders.

Washington. It is announced in London that the Venezuelean treaty will shortly be rat-

Use Found for Cornstalks. The firm of shipbuilders known everywhere as the Cramps has taken u a chemical discovery which is said t transform the outer portion of th cornstalk into excellent cofferdam of ship padding. A factory is to be le cated at Rockford, Ill., and others ar to be constructed later on at other points in the West, E. S. Cramp, while in Chicago perfecting arrangements for the Rockford plant, bespeaks for th

"Our experiments with this pe cofferdam material have shown tha It is the most perfect in its action of James J. Willis, of Florida, the dop-uty auditor of the State Department has been removed. It is stated that cocoa fiber, but the English have foun it so unsatisfactory that they hav never used it. Its use is simple. Th sides of the ship are stuffed with i and when a shot penetrates the water swells the cofferdam and closes th leak, or at least stops it sufficiently t

the farmers. He says of the finished

keep the ship from sinking." Regarding the gathering of the stal Mr. Cramp says:

"All that is necessary is simply th bare stalk. Thus, after husking the corn, farmers may let the cattle int the field, as they do now, and whe the cattle have consumed the leave and all they can eat the stalks can it brought to our factories. Nothing w need has been put to any use in th past. There are two or three tons of cornstalks to the acre, which can b cut for about \$1 an acre, leaving th rest to the farmer. We expect to pa about \$2 a ton for the stalks."

It will be a nice thang, of course, for Rockford and illinois to have this ne manufacturing industry, and especia ly fortunate that a use has been foun for what has formerly been a wast product. But it is doubtful it. M Cramp will be able to get his stalks for \$2 a ton. There are probably two three tons of these stalks to the acr and at a low estimate they could l cut for \$1.80 an acre. But then then would be the cost of loading and team ing to the nearest railroad station, pe labor for this work and all these es Up to the present the effort to elect a penses would bring the cost of the stalks up to about \$3 a ton. Even this price it is not probable there would be any great profit in it for the farm ers. Yet there will be some profit, an It will be desirable to see the exper The losses of insurance companies at | ment tried. If the farmers can ma age to get a substantial return fro

> There is something wrong som where; thousands of able-bodied, inte ligent American workingmen are u able to keep the wolf from the doo but terrapin are reported in active d mand at \$70 a dozen.

What's in a name? In Liberty, Mc a preacher has been sent to jall re stealing Bibles. It would strike the a erage layman that any man who wou steal a Bible is the very one who oug to have it anyway.

Southern Railway

Piedmont Air Line. PIRST AND SECOND DIVISION NORTH CAROLINA. This condensed schedule is published as information only and is subject to change without notice to the pub tc.

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No. 10 is mixed train between Wilkesboro

and Winston-Salem. (Davidson Co News)

Your attention is called to the withdrawal of the Southern Railway's New York and Florida trains, Nos. 31 and 32, New York and Florida limited, season 1896-'97.

In this connection, permit me o call your attention to the fact that we still maintain double daily service between New York, Washington, Columbia, Savannah and Jack-Carter H. Harrison was formalty installed as mayor of Chicago Thur day evening. He delivered a short inang-Washington & Southwestern limited, and 35 and 36, United States fast mail, both of which trains have complete Pullman car service; and that the Pullman car heretofore operated on New York and Florida limited between New York and Augusta is now handled between same points on Washington and Southwestern lim-

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