he Tar Heel Negro to Come Into His Own Again

gate at Large to the National Convention-No Chance for the Brayton Idea to Amount to Anything

RY THOMAS J. PENCE

member of the committee from orth Carolina, was about the only Ex-Judge Timberlake and rmer Attorney General Zeb. Vance Talser are here, but they declare that politics had nothing to do with their mittee from Rhode Island, is here en-

heir clamor he quickly changed and action would be taken.

Impeach Judge Swayne

for High Crimes and

Misdemeanors

in Office

Washington, Dec. 10.-When the

ouse met today Mr. Lamar of Flor-

, rising to a question of privilege,

after announcing that he would offer

House should go slowly and be ex-

grand jury, he said.

tremely careful. The House is not a

Mr. Payne of New York said the

voted down, considering that it did

ot contain a single specification. "The

numblest citizen, he said, was entitled

to be furnished with specific charges

before being placed on trial.

Mr Lamar said:

Serious Charges

What promises to be the most interesting feature incident to the committee meeting is the banquet which Sena- charged with a conspiracy to defraud tor Hanna will tender to the members Henry B. Groeber of China Grove, N. at the Arlington. Will Judson W. C., and other members of the China made that Dowle's solvency had not Lyons, the negro member from Georgia, Grove Furniture and Manufacturing been technically proven in court, be invited, or will he be asked to remain away, and thus eliminate an embarrassing situation? The subject is Brown, is an alleged capitalist, both one that has been much discussed.

All day long he was beseiged by callers, said to be wanted on numerous other many of whom were proclaiming publicity that they were for Roosevelt, first and forever, but were privately saying rice things about Unicle Mark and discussing his running qualifications. The officeholders are not unlike Republican senators and congressmen. Patronage makes them terribly cautious. They are for the man who is going to win. They are praying for Hanna's nomination, but are satisfied that Roosevelt will be the man. Gen. Brayton, member of the com-

The only North Carolinian gaged in a quiet campaign in behalf of the political game was his pet scheme for the reduction of the x-Congressman Henry G. Cheatham, representation of southern Republicans member of the commit- admits that there is no prospect of the ee, were together a good part of the committee taking action. He announcin evidence tonight ed today that he will bring the subject Arlington Hotel, which is the before the committee tomorrow, preattraction, your Uncle Marcus senting his reasons why southern Re-One of the interesting stories de- numerical strength. The most that could command a majority even on that proposition, which is harmless at general declared tonight that he is conhave materialized. Postmaster Genermittee, who has always advocated a tough Rider was then a lily white, but reduction of the basis of the south's then the negroes over the land began representation, admitted today that no

has since been a staunch supporter of The politics in the situation, as exhe black and tans. In the next Re- plained by another member of the comublican state convention there will be mittee, is that President Roosevelt's unseating of negroes, who are ex- friends do not deem it wise at this ected to have a voice in party metters, time, in view of the peculiar relations ing to board a train out of the city, and endeavored to overtake King, with Cornelius N. Bliss, president of the is interesting in this connection to between the administration and fac- He confessed the swindle, but declared the avowed purpose of lynching him. tate that many weeks ago the state- tions of the Republican party in the that he was only the tool of Risden. ent was made by a well known North south, to give opportunity to any one As soon as possession of the contract rolina Republican that Cheatham to charge that the administration was

eatham Slated for Dele- would be one of the delegates at large seeking to diminish the voting power of the southern delegations.

Robert C. Capel and Hugh C. Risden of this city were arrested today, Company. Risen is a promoter and Capel, who went under the name of of whom are charged with conspiring Senator Hanna was the special ob- in a bold and daring scheme to defraud ject of interest to visiting Republicans. the China Grove concern. The men are charges of attempts to defraud. They will be held pending requisition papers from Governor Aycock and will be taken to North Carolina for trial.

The fact became known to Risden need of money. It had not been operated successfully and he went there for the purpose of effecting a reorganization. He referred to George W. Brown, a capitalist of Chicago, the weevil. It is expected to create a ciples. who, he said, could be induced to put | boll weevil commission to order a quarorganization. For procuring his ser- to pass an appropriation that will en- next summer has made the hotels and J. C. Thompson of Durham and Dr. Hufham for this purpose, vices Risden was to receive a commis- able Louisiana to co-operate with the railroads of that city lukewarm on W. D. Hubbard of Shelby made the sion of \$1,500. It was decided by the United States agricultural department the subject of the convention, and the main addresses. State missions will to advance the money on certain conditions. He said he would return to Chicago and the stockholders voted on publicans should be denied part of their the proposition. All consented but one reloped during the day related to ex- Gen. Brayton hopes for is a recommenongressman Cheatham, who, it is de- dation by the committee in favor of his of \$650. This made a total of \$715 now

The organization of the new company was to be effected in this city. Accordingly Mr. Groeber was sent here Clay King died today in the state pen- the committee on the subject of cutting as the representative of the China Grove concern. He consulted Senator ed for. In speaking of this subject the Overman and as soon as Capel, allas Brown, found that the senator was taking a hand in the affair he disappeared from view. As a result the new company could not be held. Senator Overman's suspicions were aroused ing the author of "King's Digest of and he placed the fact in the hands of the Laws of Tennessee." Captain Boardman, chief of the detective force. For several days the detectives have been at work on Capel, alias Brown, as he was atempt- ton's friends chartered a special train

Against a Judge Lamar of Florida Proposes to and, if you please, pernicious, absended from the district: with corrupt official conduct, based on several matters; third, I charge Judge tion it is said it will be more comprehensive and searching than any similar tice in his court, so nruch so as to

embarrass bankrupts and annihilate the assets of litigants and others appearing within his jurisdiction." Mr. Williams contended for the

adoption of the resolution, citing former cases and arguing that the verbal statement of Mr. Lamar is suffi-Mr. Mann of Illinois asked Mr. Lamar if it was his idea that the judi-

resolution in which would be emciary committee should proceed with an inquiry without specific charges. In pursuance of that joint resolution Mr. Lamar replied that the commitdesire to impeach Charles Swayne, tee had full power. Mr. Clayton of Alabama said

cient

district Lamar had pursued a course similar murt for the northern district of Florto that followed in other cases. "This is merely the inauguration of an indictment," he said. Mr. Lacey of Iowa spoke for his fudiciary committee to send for per-

sons and papers, and to do other things motion to refer. The motion to refer the resolution to the investigation. He and the adoption of the resolution. the judiciary committee was lost. The House at 1:57 adjourned until Mr. Grosvenor suggested that there should be specific charges; that the tomorrow.

No One Ready to Talk

Washington, Dec. 10 .- Today's session Mr. Lacey of Iowa moved to refer of the Senate lasted only 37 minutes. After the completion of routine business the Cuban bill was laid before the House should proceed with care in so speak on it. Mr. Hale, then, at 12:37 moved an adjournment, and the motion Mr. Fuller of Illinois said the resolu-

should not be referred, but should prevailed. bills were introduced.

"I understand, this objection made by the gentleman from Ohio (Mr. Senate Committee Will partment. Grosvenor) is that I do not charge A Take His Case in Hand Judge Swayne with any specific

arime. I do charge him generally with high crimes and misdemeanors. Why should I be forced to state, when the rows, of the Senate committee on priv- come to a vote in the House during the and were residents of Shallotte. mittee on judiciary, the specific mat- ing of the committee for Saturday at "I beg that you will secure the re- today. Capt. John E. Robinson, in a W. A. Frink of Shallotte. Mr. Phii- the following: proof is to be submitted to the com- | ileges and elections, has called a meet- last congress. ters upon which that general allegation in o'clock to consider whether any acis made? Every single crime that this tion shall be taken on the protests and judge is corollar to consider whether any action by the Senting to consider whether any action is made? Every single crime that this tion shall be taken on the protests and ate. In my letters to you last Janujudge is capable of committing is petitions for the expulsion of Senator ary I urged the printing of these accharged, when I charge him of Reed Smoot of Utah. There is an imcrimes and misdemeanors. But if the mense, mass of petitions coming from the only way to meet the charges station. He went near enough to posgentlemen desires that I shall make forty different states. The indications which were sure to be made, that the itively identify the vessel. The body household effects and clothing. About the bristow report out. The many charges seriatin I charge this now are that the conrest will rival in military government of Cuba had not of Capt. William Lewis washed up on all they have left are the clothes on and is not consistent with the enhances ularities recently brought out. The fudge. first, with continued, persistent importance and in earnestness the case properly accounted for the revenues of the beach near the wreck this after- their backs.

GEN. WOOD'S ACCOUNT

Secretary Root Wants Congress to Have Them Printed

Washington, Dec. 10.-The following

letter from Secretary Root to Senator

O. H. Platt, chairman of the Senate egard to the printing of General Wood's Cuban accounts, was made public today at the war department: "You will recall that the itemized accounts, showing in detail the receipts and expenditures of the military government of Cuba, from the date of the evacuation by Spain, January 1, 1899. to June 30, 1900, have been printed by congress as public documents. Similar accounts, showing, in detail the receipts and expenditures down to the American occupation on the 20th day of May, 1902, and showing the receipts and expenditures of the military government of Santiago during the year 1898, were furnished to congress about a year ago, and on the 18th of February, 1903, the Senate; but no one appeared ready to Senate passed the following concur-

" 'Resolved, by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring) that Prior to adjournment a number of there be printed two thousand copies of the report of the war department on the receipts and expenditures in Cuba during its occupation by the United The coasting schooner Clarence H., States; one thousand copies for the use trading between Wilmington and Shalof the House of Representatives, 750 lotte, Brunswick county, capsized in copies for the use of the Senate and a gale off this coast last night and the

> and was, I understand, favorably re- Jim Richardson, cook; Captains Wilported by the House committee to liam Lewis and James Lewis, passen- The Clarence H. was built a year

the island. Since that time my anticipation has been justified by false statements of this description to which wide currency has been given."

Baptists Enthusiastic in

Dowie Rules in Zion Again

the United States district court today, refused to change the order made recently by which John Alexander Dowie agreed to pay the costs of the receivership of the Zion industries. The change was sought by the attorney for one of the creditors, the point being

COMBAT BOLL WEEVIL

Louisiana Legislature Meets to Oppose the Danger.

gested by the planters.

inal Urama of Keal Life.

Nashville, Tenn., Dec. 10.-Col. H. itentiary, where, since August 11, 1899, he has been serving a life sentence for states. The committee will be called the murder of Attorney David H. Pos-

ton in Main street, Memphis. The murder grew out of litigation against King by Poston and Mrs. Gideon J. Pillow, wife of the famous Conton were widely known, the former be-

Up to the final trial and sentencing of King factional feeling ran high, and the on the night the convicted man was This morning they captured taken from Memphis to Nashville Pos-

INSURANCE FRAUDS

Efforts Being Made to Deny Them Them the Use of the Mails

spoke for the measure, while a score of remedying the defects disclosed."

missioners are trying to devise a scheem to drive them out of business. business if the bill becomes a law.

Cause of Foreign Missions CHICAGO WILL WIN

St. Louis Stands No Chance for Republican National

Convention Washington, Dec. 10 .- Tomorrow's neeting of the Republican national

committee will be very fully attended and the Arlington Hotel lobbies are lively tonight with the boomers for the

to the national committee if elected as missions at night,

it is believed that by that time Con- ceed him. gress will have adjourned and the senators and representatives returned to order at noon tomorrow by Chairman Hanna and will then call in a body upon President Roosevelt.

SOUTHERN SUFFRAGE

New York Union League Club asville Orphanage showed that the Calls for Prosecutions

New York, Dec. 10 .- At a largely attended meeting tonight over which Union League Club, presided, the club adopted these resolutions by a practically unanimous vote: "Resolved, that the government be

equested to instruct the district atorneys in the various states where an illegal suppression of votes is alleged, to prosecute every case where there has been a violation of the laws of the United States in respect of the suffrage if adequate evidence can be obtained to justify a submission of such cases to the grand jury.

Washington, Dec. 10.-The Senate "Resolved, that congress be requested offices and post and respectfully urged to investigate roads gave a hearing today upon a bill with thoroughness and impartially the introduced by Senator Dryden, at the charges of a suppression of votes conrequest of the national insurance com- trary to the 14th and 15th amendments missioners, for the purpose of denying to the constitution of the United States: Reau E. Folk, state treasurer and in- the fact that the present statutes are surance commissioner of Tennessee, inadequate amendatory acts be passed

The resolutions and a report on 'suffrage at the south" were submitted Senator Dryden said there were many by the committee. The report also was

Strike Against Reduction

of which had written him protesting its at the Norfolk Silk Mills, struck today, bassage. Senator Dryden personally following a forty per cent. reduction repudiated the authorship of the meas- in wages, which is said to be retroacure, and said that his own company, tive for two weeks. Great excitement in fact, would be prevented from doing prevails at the mills and policemen

Schooner Capsized and five Lives Lost the emperor opened the diet this morn-

All Were From Brunswick noon. County--Two Were Heads of Families -- The Boat Ventured Out in a Heavy Gale

Wilmington, N. C., Dec. 10.-Special. 250 copies for the use of the war de- five persons on board were drowned.

lotte yesterday with a full cargo of namington. The weather off the coast has been very stormy during the past twenty-four hours and the wind blew

a gale last night. It is thought that the vessel could not ride out the storm in port today say it was terrible at sea The drowned men were of good fam-The crew were young men. The Lew-

Great Work-Liberal Aid Given to Ministerial Education-All Departments Moving Forward-

Charlotte, N. C., Dec. 10.-Special. various cities anxious for the honor of The second day of the Baptist state entertaining next summer's convention convention closed at 11 tonight with a New Orleans, Dec. 10.-The legisla. and with the usual crowd of small fry great wave of enthusiasm for foreign the convention that a miniature of ture met in extra session today to con- politicians and hangers-on. The boom- missions. After striking addresses on sider the cotton boll weevil danger, ing is not of a very lively order as it this subject from Rev. J. C. Massee of The call was issued by the governor at is a foregone conclusion that Chicago Raleigh, Rev. R. T. Bryan, just rethe request of the New Orleans cotton will win. St. Louis has a big delega- turned from ten years in China, and exchange and the Louisiana Cotton tion here, and tonight they decided to Dr. R. J. Willingham of Richmond, the Growers Association. It will consider remain in the tight and to contest the convention determined to raise \$20,000 no question except protection against honor with Chicago on general prin- next year for this object, which is \$2,500 more than was contributed this

antine against Texas cotton seed and Exposition will be held in St. Louis Women's work was first considered, company to send for Brown, and \$65 to carry out the plan of defense sug- offer of St. Louis to give \$300,000 cash be the subject in the morning and home fifty ministerial students were being

ously. Chicago will therefore win, this evening accepted with regret the man followed with a strong plea or resignation of the venerable Dr. Thos. this subject, saying the three sects The date for the convention will be E. Skinner as chairman of the board. Primitive Baptists, Quakers and Salset for about the middle of June, and Dr. W. C. Tyree was elected to suc- vation Army-which are losing ground;

THE DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

by Rev. C. L. Greaves, the report of asked for pledges to aid needy stu-Secretary Livingston Johnson, of the Gents there. Over \$1,000 was quickly board of missions, was read to the given. This places North Carolina convention. The report, a summary of Baptists beside their brethren of Kenwhich has appeared in the Post, show- tucky and Texas, who give this sum ed \$83,000 contributed to objects of the annually. convention, a gain of \$8,000 over last year. The recommendations made will cial committees were created, to-wit: be acted upon as the several subjects on spiritual condition of churches, with are taken up later. The board is out | W. C. Tyree, chairman, and on temof debt save for a few little matters | perance, with C. W. Scarborough, that came in after writing the report. The report by Rev. G. N. Cowan of

Kinston from the committee on Thom-

value of this plant had grown from \$25,000 to \$150,000 in ten years. Five hundred fatherless children have been nurtured and sent forth as valued citizens of their state. A dormitory, to accommedate forty girls, donated by the general association of Virginia to John C. Whitty of New Bern as a memorial to his little daughter, Rowena, is about complete, but applications are on file to more than fill it.

Rev. H. W. Battle of Greensboro followed with a strong appeal for the orphans. Supt. J. B. Boone then made the surprising statement that the Simmons bequest had brought the orphanage \$78,800-much more than was expected-and there are other bequests which will in all provide a dozen new buildings. All this money will be used in these permanent improvements; so arge contributions will be needed to support the institution. Applications

Thomasville Orphanage Doing | for admission are growing enormously. An unknown layman, through Dr. Huffham, then offered to give \$1,200 for a library provided Baptists raised the same amount. A resolution was adopted asking the churches to raise this sum. Dr. Hufham announced that Rev. Archibald Johnson, representative of the orphanage and the gifted editor of Charity and Children, was considering a call to another state. In view of this the convention, by a rising vote, passed a commendatory resolution beseeching Mr Johnson not to

leave, and urging the orphanage trus-

brought out by Dr. Hufham. He told been found, and he wanted money to have a painting made therefrom that the picture of Wingate and other saints. No collection was taken, but nearly \$50 has since been handed to

Rev. J. E. Smith, of the committee on ministerial education, reported that aided at Wake Forest and a number The trustees of Wake Forest College elsewhere. President Potent of Furare failing for want of educated preachers.

Dr. Sampey, of the Southern Baptist

Besides regular committees two spechairman.

Thomas M. Arrington presided over the afternoon session An amendment to the constitution. offered by J. W. Batley, that all officers of the convention be elected by

ballot, was adopted. A resolution was offered by Mr. the Southern Baptist convention, "that a commission be appointed to consider the obligation of Southern Baptists to negroes, and if it seem to them well, of discharging that obligation," This was unanimously adopted

The Durham monument committee reported that \$250 had been contributed and \$100 more was promised. order a suitable memorial to Dr. Columbus Durham and that memorial services in his honor be held, under the supervision of C. B. Justice, next Bene-(Continued on sixth page.)

The Japanese House Shows a Hot Temper

Throne Condemns the Temparizing Policy of the Cabinet-A Plain Warning to

Russia

London, Dec. 10.-A news ing. In referring to Japan's relations with Russia, he said merely that the ministers of Japan were now acting the situation in Japan, the newspapers with producence and circumspection in here do not assume negotiations for the preservation of impeachment of the cabinet and the peace in the far east and of Japan's presumable election of a new House of interests and rights.

In his speech the emperor said in the country into war.

"As regards the negotiations concerning the important diplomatic matter of Russia that if Russia continues to igour rights, we have instructed our ministers to carefully attend to their duties. We have instructed our ministers to make a financial scheme and introises were prominent in Brunswick duce it in the budget for the next

The House of Representatives met Washington, Dec. 10,—Chairman Bur- which it was referred, but failed to gers. The unfortunate men were white ago. She was about 25 tons net register and was owned by W. 7. Phillips ply to the throne's message and quickly News of the disaster reached here of Wilmington, Jackson Stanley and formulated an answer, which contained

Reply to Speech From the policy of the ministry has been shown to be inconsistent with the progress of the empire, being purely domestic and temporizing. Their diplomacy is a failure and we humbly appeal to your majesty to review the situation. Solicitude' for the .progress of the empire dictates this reply, which represents the national expectations.

> throne is absolutely unprecedented. It sian reply to the Japanese proposals

Times says it is practically certains.

that House will be dissolved. Representatives, will necessarily rush

The Times remarks that the temper of the Japanese is a plain warning to

King Edward Injured

London, Dec. 10.+A report reaches They were Capt L. H. Hewett the master; Morrison Gaison, deck hand; leave large ramilies. Inscal year with other bills. You are here from York that an accident has required to discharge your duties and befallen King Edward. Nothing is "This resolution went to the House master; Morrison Gaison, deck hand; because the four holice." ing with Lord Iveagh yesterday.

Bristow Report Called For

Washington, Dec. 19 - Representative