the coinions of correspondents. Correspondents of the CHRONICLE will please bear in mind that no communication will be published, except over the author's real name. Brief letters on current topics will always receive attention, and, if found available, will be used with the condition above named.

SUNDAY MAY, - - . - 28, 1893

JEFFERSON DAVIS.

On Tuesday, May 30, the remains of Jefferson Davis will lie in state in the Capitol of North Carolina and thousands of our citizens will seek to do honor to his memory and manifest their reverence for the illustrious statesman who has passed hence by participating in the memorial exercises of the occasion. These exercises are designed to be simple adverse. He was captured May 10, and unostentatious, partaking more of solemnity than of display. Such is the tribute that North Carolina would pay to the mortal remains of one whom we delighted to honor in life and who was our chosen President and foremost citizen in the most giorious period of our annals. In vircue he was spotless; in patriotism he was peerless; in attainments he was excellent; in the discharge of his duties he was fearless and constaut; while he illustrated the genius of our brave people by heroic conduct on the battlefield and by a wise and firm policy in the cabinet. Orator, soldier, statesman, scholar and Christian gentlemantake him all in all he was one of the most commanding figures in the having died, he subsequently marhistory of the world, and his fame | ried Varina Howell, by whom he will shed a radiance over the South- had several children; his sons, howern country as long as valor is esteemed and virtue revered. Jefferson Davis was born in Ken-

tucky in June 1808, but a few years later his father removed to Mississippi with which State he later became closely identified. He graduated at West Point at the age of twenty, and won laurels in the Black Hawk war and added to his military reputation in the war with the Pawthe army he resigned, and having adverts to a card published by Geo. married the daughter of General Taylor sought the ease of a planter's life in Mississippi. After ten years of retirement, he was elected to Congress and entered on a brilliant career as a statesman; but the war with Mexico breaking out and the first regiment of Mississippi rifles having elected him as Colonel he hastened to the field of battle. He bore a conspicuous part in the storming of Monterey, but won his greatest fame at Buena Vista, where his regiment turned the tide of battle and saved the American army from destruction. He became the hero of the army and his fame rang from Maine to Texas. Next to Scott and Taylor his name was most on the tongues of the people.

He was immediately elected Senator from Mississippi and took rank with Clay, Webster, Calhoun, Benton and the other great men of that period.

He was transferred to the Cabinet on the election of President Pierce in 1852, and served with great acceptability as Secretary of War until March, 1857, when he resumed his seat in the Senate.

Mr. Davis was devotedly attached to the Union. He said that his father and uncles had fought through the Revolutionary war; that three of his brothers fought in the war of 1812; that he, at the age of sixteen had consecrated himself to the service of his country and had spilt his blood and was ready to give his life for it

Matters between the certions came to a grisis in the fail of 1860. On the election of Lincoln to be President, South Carolina secuden and the Gulf States followed.

In all those days of fierce excite ment Jefferson Davis and o her Southern statesmen realized the possibilities that might ensue Yancey and some others were for violent action; others equally patriotic and devoted to the South were rot so eager for the final catastrophe. The people at home were more ag gressive and more forward than the thoughtful statesmen who recognized the dread misfortunes of the great issue. Sunset Cox has writ ten: In the Congress of 1860, fore most for influence, for peace or war, for union or disunion is Jefferson Davis; now unlike that Davis who in Maine but a few years ago had spoken burning words for the perpetuity of the Union. At that Congress, (1860) he was far more potential in directing the fateful But it must be said he was not forward in secession. His state was not among the foremost to secede.

those who were familiar with Mr. Davis' inclinations that even after Point. We rejoice at these exhibit was arraigned before mayor prothe ordinance was passed he was anxious to remain. There is indubitable evidence that while in the Committee of Thirteen he was willing to accept the compromise of Mr. Crittenden and recede from secession. This committee and a House committee of thirty-three were then considering "the State of the Union." The compromise failed (by Repub- closes and the work stops The same And Electric Bitters, and that a person whom he is called to lican votes) because Senator Hale term is applied to the liver when you mandled remedies that sell as visit is infected with small pox, (a leading Republican) said, on the suffer with Biliousness and Sack read were at have given such universal diptheria, scarlet fever, typhus feday it was introduced, "It was de- ache There is no action A tew doses satisfaction. We do not hesitate to ver, yellow fever or cholera he shall termined that the controversy of Simmons Liver Regulator will some guarantee them every time, and we stand

made an impressive farewell speech in the Senate and withdrew. On the 9th of February, the Provisional Congress of the Confederate States elected him Provisional President; and in the fall of 1861 he was elected President of the Confederate States for six years.

Of his management of our affairs, it is not necessary to speak other than to say that among his most earnest endeavors was conduct the war on the highest principles of civilized warfare. He sought at all times an exchange of prisoners, and to relieve war of every possible horror. He so administered his great office that the flag of the Confederate States remained to the end as pure and spotless as on the day it was first

unfolded in the light of Heaven. Finally Richmond fell; fcllowed by Appomattox, the surrender of Johnston, and Mr. Davis' journey from Charlotte towards the coast, where he hoped to escape to a foreign asylum. Circumstances were 1865, near Washington, Georgia, and on the 31st of May the casemates of Fortress Monroe received him a prisoner. There in his lonely cell he was manacled and subjected to great indignities. Eventually he was indicted for treason; but although he constantly urged a trial, he was never tried. After two years of confinement, on the 13th of May, 1867, he was released on bail, Horace Greeley and other Northern gentlemen voluntarily becoming sureties on his bond. A year later the indictment was quashed. Mr. Davis did not apply tor pardon, or to have his political disabilities removed, but led a quiet life at his home in Mississippi. His first wife ever, have died, while his daughters, Mrs. Hayes and Miss Winnie

Davis, still survive. He expired at New Orleans Frigeneral mourning there were funeral services held all over the South in his honor.

We have received for publication from Mr. A. Hatchett, our reporter nees. After some years' service in at Henderson, a card in which he P. Hart; and we have also received a statement made by many of the business men of Henderson to the effect that they are familiar with the facts and that Mr. Hatchett's report in our issue of May 20th, was in exact accord with the facts, and sustaining the reputation of Mr. Hatchett as a fearless, correct and impartial reporter of news. Mr. Hatchett's reputation and his long experience as a reporter for some of the best papers make it unnecessary to say more than that it gives us pleasure to thus refer to testimonials so honorable to him, and showing the estimation in which he is held at his home.

> THE failure of Ex-Secretary Foster, following fast on the financial troubles of Governor McKinley, excite a good deal of sympathy and interest. It is right odd that a Secretary of the Treasury and the Chairman of the ways and means committee should be such indifferent managers of their own concerns while entrusted with the management of such great financial interests on behalf of the public. When Foster was elected Governor of Ohio in 1879 he was reputed to be worth a million dollars, but he got into trouble and it is said that the crash was only postported by his being made Secretary to Trea-

> This week the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church North will try Dr Briggs for here-y. The very decided inspority in favor of trying him seems to indicate that the Doctor will not gain such a victory as he obtained in New York. The Doctor donies that his teachings are improper, and we suppose be thinks that the Presbyterian Church ought to move torward and adopt his tenets. If he is onvicted and he General Assembly reaffirms the traditional faith, it is supposed that there will be a division of some importance springing out of the affair. It is not slways wise for an organized body to take cognizance of differences that arise within the fold.

WE are glad to learn Prof. W. S. Yeates, of this State, has been made genius of Southern statesmanship State Geologist of Georgia, and is hat. Torrance's aim the third time than any other man in the Senate. greatly esteemed in that State for was better, but Caldwell's skull was his fine ability. For some years he bullet proof The bell struck Caldhas been connected with the Smith- | well squarely in the for-head. The sonian Institute. North Carolina bail was flatened like a nickle She waited until the 9th of January young men are making their mark, against Caldwell's stull. It bounded 1861, and her Senators lingered un- and we are glad to chronicle the upward ran over his skull under the til the 21st before they withdrew. fact. Young Mr. Begg carries off scalp and came out well down be-It is generally credited among the honors at Yale, and cadet hind on a line between his cars It Howell leads his class at West | was all about a woman. Torrance tions of intellectual vigor among our tem J D. Brown and was bound young men. Among the older ones, over to court. The only effect Caldwe note that Col. W. F. Beasley has | well has felt is a severe headache. invented some locks that should make him famous, and we hope will enrich him.

Shut Down On the 22 of January Mr. Davis | toma.

The Government Has Adopted His Registering Locks and Keys. Charlotte Observer.

North Carolina is proud that she roduced the great inventor Gatling. She also produced another inventor who has achieved success. Col. William F. Beasley, of Oxford, North Carolina, now residing in the city of Baltimore, is the inventor of to at once, if you have not already the locks that are used to-day by the government of the United States, has set in, and repeatedly and reguwhere the greatest security is re-

Not only has Colonel Beasley ori ginated a device which is a good lock, but he has provided a greater safeguard than the strongest of Many clever theires can pick a lock, however intricate the mechanicism, but few will do so with certainty of detection and punishment staring them in the face. It is an old saw that "figures never lie," and it would be figures that would confront the culprit, for all of Col. Beasley's locks are provided with a register, the state of which changes every time the lock is opened. note the state of the register when he leaves the lock, and if on his rechanged, it will be obvious that the their cordial support. lock has been tampered with during his absence and it only remains to fix the guilt on those who had access to it, rightfully or otherwise

The United States Express Company and the Treasury Department have adopted the Beasley improved lock and bag, and safe deposit companies are generally adopting his registering safe deposit lock.

An Assistant Postmaster Arrested.

Charlotte News. rest of Assistant Postmaster Smith. the action of the United States grand jury in the sum of \$500. The penalty for committing offenses of this nature is punishable by imprisonment for not less than one nor more than five years in the peniten-

The Presbyterian General Assembly. By Southern Associated Press.

Washington, May 27 .- At 9:30 promptly, Dr. Craig called the Presbyterian General Assembly to order and offered prayer. Rev. Geo. D. Baker, D. D Chairman of the Judicial committee, reported that the committe had used all due diligence to comply with the instructions of the assembly to prepare the Briggs case for trial this morning, but had been unable to do so. He was able to report however that an agneement had been signed by the parties to waive reading the record, which would save at least a full day reserving to themselves the right to read such portions as they may deem necessary in presenting their arguments.

The committee, he said, had to recommend that the triat of the case be postponed until Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock and then be continued, morning, afternoon and night until concluded.

The report was received and the postponement until Monday agreed

The leading feature of the morning session was a bitter attack by Rev. A. Nelson Hollifield of Newark New Jersy on the Episcopal church. This was incidental to the discussion of the report on "Church Unity."

Mr. Hollifield said the Episcopal church was nothing more than a "Back door to Rome. Rev. Charles M. Booth of New York, expressed deep regret at this

attack, and was applauded. The question of the Geary law was then taken up as a special order and discussed till mid-day adjournment.

A Buliet-Proof Skull.

Charlotte News.

At Davidson yesterday Jno. Tor rance, colored, made a desperate attempt to kill another negro pamed Mark Caldwell He shot three times directly at Caldwell's head. Two bullets passed through Caldwell's

Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, that's what they call it when the mill Dr Kings New Life Pills, Bucklen's should not be settled in Congress." set the liver going properly, and keep ready to retund the purchase price, if the bowels regular. Take the Regular value factory results do not follow their later new and then to prevent any results. These remedies have went their Vista became the Confederate leader. occurrences of these distressing symp- great popularity purely on their merits. John Y. MacRae, druggist.

Health Notes For the People.

vasion of the most dreaded of all the contagious and infectious diseases-Cholera

In fighting that class of diseases, while cleanliness of the premises is is to assist every householder in of the highest importance and should never be overlooked-a du'y' by the way, that you should attend family, and to also prevent his perdone so, now that warm weather larly hereafter-nothing at all is comparable in results to the prompt | in my family and fail, for any reason, and complete separation of the sick from the well, and the thorough disinfection of everything used by the patient. A complete application of contracts the disease; or. if from bolts-the certainty of detection. these principles would nip in the bud every epidemic; indeed there could be no epidemics. The machinery for carrying them out has been provided in the "Act Relating feet the clothing, toys, etc., of my that the school is not yet a normal issued to the Board of Health" passed by little one, and his playmate should the last legislature, but it is a wellknown fact that no law can be successfully administered unless it is In what light would the parents of supported by public opinion. I attention to certain parts of it knew the danger, who knew the law With such a device the owner will which particularly require the co- and consequently my duty, and operation of the people for whose benefit it was passed, and to show turn he finds that the register is why it is to their interest to give it the less actually, the cause of his

the necessity for the disinfection of rificed. the patient and his effects after his recovery. As nothing is so convinclng as facts. I will give some of the results obtained in the State of Michigan, where sanitary regula-J. D. King, postoffice inspector in tions are carried out, certainly as infection will check, if not altogethcharge of the Washington division, well as, if not better than, anywhere er prevent, the spread of infectious received a telegram yesterday from else in this country: The number Riseases. You are now in posses-Inspector Wm. Conrad, of the Post- of deaths from scarlet fever in that sion of a knowledge of the law of office Department, that he had ar- State before the Board of Health | the State which clearly and explicday, December 6, 1889, and amid rested George A. Smith, assistant undertook its restriction was 4.85 itly defines your duty in the premipostmaster at Maxton, Robeson for every 10,000 inhabitants-after ses, and the Board of Health hopes county, N. C, for rifling valuable 245; of small-pox before, 85 per. and believes you will do it. Will letters containing postoffice orders, 10,000-after 19. One of the diapostal notes, checks, stamps, bank grams to be exhibited by that Board drafts and other valuable inclosures. | at the Columbian Exposition "indic-Complaints of losses in the mails ates the lives saved: from scarlet your county, of the occurrence in have been made for some time past fever, 7,265; from small-pox, 1,921, your family of either of the contaby citizens of Robeson county, N. and from typhoid fever, 1,671." gious diseases enumerated, and car. of Massachusetts, Secretary of Le-The administration of health laws even in Michigan is still very, very The accused was held to bail for far from perfect, and yet see the great saving of life brought about by their partial application. What has been done there can be done here and ought to be done, every one must admit.

The following are the extracts from the law referred to:

Sec. 9. Inland quarantine shall be under the control of the County Superintendent of Health, who shall see that diseases especially dangerous to the public health, viz: small pox, dipththeria, scarlet fever, yellow fever, typhus fever and cholera. are properly quarantined and isolated within twenty four hours after the case is brought to bis knowledge; and that after the death or recovery or removal of a person sick of either of the diseases mentioned, the rooms occupied and the articles used by the patient are thoroughly disinfected in the manner set forth in the printed instructions, both as to quarantine and disinfection, which shall be furnished him by the Secretary of the State Board of Health. The expense of the quarartine and of the disinfection shall be borne by the householder in whose family the case occurs, if able, otherwise by city, town or county of which he is a resident. * * * Any person neglecting or refusing to comply with or in any way violating the rules promulgated in the manner above set forth on the subjects of quarantine and disinfection, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined or imprisoned, at the discretion of the court, not less than five nor more than fifty dollars, or less than ten nor more than thirty days. * * Provided, however, That in any city or incorporated town having a reg ularly appointed medical health officer who is a member of the County Board of Health, the duties assigned in this section to the County Superintendent of Health shall be performed by the said medical health officer for the people of this city or town, and he shall be subject to the same penalties for dereliction of duty at the hands of the Board of Aldermen or Town Commissioners as are directed to be imposed by the County Commissioners and County Board of Health upon the Superintendent: Provided. that the custody and care of any child or other person may remain

in custody of parent or family. SEC 10. When a householder knows that a person within his fam ily is sick with either of the diseases enumerated in section nine. he shall immediately give notice thereof to the health officer or mayor, if he resides in a city or incorporated town, otherwise to the county superintendent of health. and upon the death or recovery or emoval of such person, the rooms occupied and the articles used by him shell be disinfected by such householder in the manner indicated in section nine. Any person neglecting or refusing to comply with the above provisions shall be fined not less than one dollar nor more than fifty dollars.

SEC 11 When a physician knows immediately give notice thereof to the health officer or mayor, " the sick person be in a city or inc. porated town, otherwise to the county superintendent of health, and if he

refuses or neglects to give such no-We are seriously threatened dur- too of it in twenty four hours, he and in his efforts to get out fainted ing the coming summer with an in- shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and fell, thirty feet He died in and shall be fined for each offense not less than ten nor more than twenty-five dollars.

The purpose of these enactments preventing the spread of these disneighbors through ignorance, in- cidental and not incindiary. difference or obstinacy. If I have a case of scarlet fever, we will say, to let it be generally known, and a child of my neighbor, ignorant of danger, comes into my house and carelessness or contrariness, or from an unwillingness to take a little expense I should neglect to disentake the disease from them (as he is more than likely to do) and die. that child-an only one, perhapsfailed to do it? As unintentionally. death. It would be a fearful Most people known the value to thought to carry through the years health of cleanliness of person, of the future that, owing to my inpremises, food and drink, but not so difference or negligence - for as the many are familiar with the great head of my household I am responor isolation of those sick of infec- own children, or of my friend and tious diseases, and more especially neighbor, had been needlessly sac-

My reader, this is a very grave matter-a matter in which is involved no less an issue than life and death. It is a thoroughly es tablished fact that isolation and disyou not promptly notify the health office or mayor of your town, or the Superintndentof Health of ry out thoroughly the instructions for quarantine and disinfection which he will furnish you? In the interest of humanity and for the sake of a quiet conscience on your own part, we are sure you will.

A copy of the Instructions for Quarantine and Disinfection goes with this to the editor of your paper, and it is hoped that he can, without inconvenience, print them next week for the further information of his readers in regard to this | S. C, vice, John C Hunter, commismost important matter. RICHARD H. LEWIS, M. D.

Secretary.

H. H. REYNOLDS ASSIGNS.

Winston's Most Extensive To-WINSTON, N. C., May 27 - Special -H. H. Reynolds, one of Winston's argest tobacco manufacturers, assigned, naming his business manager and book keeper, J. W. Gannon, trustee. Liabilities aggregate about \$100,000; assets about \$160,000. After reserving exemptions allowed by law, Mr. Reynolds conveys his entire estate to his creditors, consisting of tobacco factory fixtures, manufactured and leaf tobacco, real estate, etc. In the deed of trust he places his creditors in five classes. The principal creditors are Winston men, the largest ones being the First National Bank \$19,050 and G. L Norwood & Co, of South Boston, Va, \$22,568 78. General stringency in ficances is the cause of the failure. A meeting of the creditors will be held in a few days to msp out the best policy for the business. The creditors say Reynolds is solvent and will pay his indebted-

ness in full. The Salem mill, owned and oper ated by Sides & Brewer, was destroyed by fire last night. The mill was one of the oldest in the State and was operated before the war, when the indians were in this section; they camped around it many nights.

The firm places the loss at \$8,000 with \$5,600 insurance. About \$50 bushels of wheat, owned by various farmers was destroyed. Origin of the fire unknown.

A young man by the name of Eccles, while assisting in digging a

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well in Kernersville became sick, few minutes after being taken out.

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Col. Harrell Leaves the Matter to the

I have read with much care the courteous reply by Mr. J. Y. Joyner in which he again admits that the and Stables, Normal and Industrial School is not yet a normal school. In an editotrouble, or in order to save a small | rial in the News AND OBSERVER Of May 27th the editor also confesses school. This same admission has appeared in most of the communications published wherein the writers discussed the main question.

Mr. Joyner virtually promises therefore desire, very briefly, to call have a right to regard me-who that the school will grow into a real normal, and your editorial likewise gives the same assurance; and this condition being just what of course, and directly, but none I have been contending for, and what the people have been asking for in the highest interest of the young women of North Carolina, of course there is no need for me to say anything further at present. Therefore the case from 'The importance of a strict quarantine sible - the life of one or more of my Teacher' is submitted to the directors of the institution and to the people of North Carolina, relying on the promise that the present State female seminary shall grow into a true Normal and Industrial School such as shall accomplish the greatest possible good for the North Carolina girls who are preparing to teach.

E G. HARRELL, Ed. N. C. Teacher

Appointments by the President. By Scuthern Associated Press. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 27 .- The President has appointed Wendell A. Anderson, of Wisconsin, to be Consul General at Montreal; John B. Riley, of New York, to be Consul General at Ottawa; Jacob Sleeper, gata of Columbia and the following postmasters: John M. Hamill, at Troy, Ala, vice, S. A. Pilley, resigned; John M. Russell, at Athens. Ala, vice, C. W. Risler, removed; Charles B Hill, at Eustis, Fla., vice, C. C. Crippen, resigned; Jas. Ofar rell at Athens, Ga., vice, Madison Davis, removed; John T. Heard, at Elberton, Ga. vice, Ella T Heard, removed; Robt W. Harris, at Union sion expired; IH. Dungar, at Humbodlt, Tenn , vice, John B Callen, removed; Charles T Jordan, at Buεna Vista, vice, E. M. Gilbert re-

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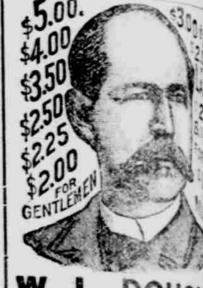
EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having this day qualified as executor of the last will and to tament of Mrs A. E. Montague, I hereby notify persons having claims against said decedent to present the same to me on or before a pril 6, '94, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons owing said estate will please make immediate settlement.

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