Met and Adjourned Until Tomorrow.

YORK DELAYED.

Him to the City-The Electors

Ten of the electors who received a majority of the votes cast in this state November third met in the Senate chamber shortly after noon. Dr. Tyre York was the absent mem-ber and as Mr. W. B. Bailey inferred the doctor may be on General Jackson's back humping himself to-

wards Raleigh.

The electors presentatthe session of the college this morning were: Locke Craige, R. B. Davis, Ralph Howland, Dr. A. F. Freeman W. S. Bally, B. F. Keith, R. D. Gilmer, W. D. Merritt and T. F. Kluttz. Mr. B. B. Davis, elector at large,

was called to the chair at 12.30 p. m. on motion of elector Locke Craig. On taking the chair Mr. Davis extended his thanks to the electors for the honor conferred apon him. The chairman said:

"We have metto organize and cast the vote of the people of North Carodent. We should proceed in a very cautious manner in such an impor-

Mr. W. D. Merritt was unani mously elected secretary, that being

the next order of business.

Mr. C. R. Thomas said that the question of eligibility might be raised and he suggested that a

Dr. H. F. Freeman stated that he thought it best to adjourn the college and meet again tomorrow at 11 low the Senate in appropriating

Elector Locke Craig said: "The statutes of North Carolina The average member of the House provide that we shall meet today for Is just a little bit afraid of the effect the purpose of filling vacancies if of such fixings upon his constitu-any exist in the electoral college. I take if that we are here for that purpose today. I second Mr. Thomas otion to appoint a committee of two

inister the oaths to the electors Mr. W. S. Baily and C. R. Thomas were appointed a committee of two

to wait upon Justice Clark of the

reme Court and request him to

by the chair. mittee returne d accompanied by Judge Clark and the oath of office was administered to the electors

The question of filling the vacancy caused by the absence of Dr. Tyre York was discussed at some length It was stated that Dr. York would probably reach here tomorrow and it would be best to continue the mat

On motion of Mr. Theo. Kluttz the following resolution was adopted: "Resolved, That whereas, in the absence of Dr. Tyre York, the elector from the eighth congressional district, the matter of filling the vacancy caused by his absence be

postponed until tomorrow at 12 Mr. W. B. Bailey said that h understood that Dr. York was very fond of a mule and he expressed the opinion that the good doctor was now en route to Raleigh riding over Newbern the extension would con-

the hills to the west. It being ascertained that Governor Carr was out of the city and that the ed copies of the vote received by the electors was not obtanable until his return, the college adjouned until tomorrow at noon.

he electors have no duties before them other than to cast their vote for President and Vice President Bryan will receive elven votes Sewall aix and Tom Watson five.

The Jewish Subbath is Doomed

A telgram from Chicago says : Dr. Smil G. Hirsch, rabbi of Sinai Tem-ple, predicts the downfall of the ple, predicts say doctares that Lewish Sabbath. He declares that the seventh-day tradition of the race is doomed, wiped from the Hebraic calendar, and swallowed up in the necessity of adapting the religion to the customs of the countries in which it may be transented. Dr. Hirsch declares both he Saturday observance and the tope of the return to the Holy Land to be relies of an attractive tradi tion, but entirely out of keeping with the advance and progress of

SILVER CONFERENCE

To Most in a Few Days in Washing

Special to the Press-Visitor.

Washingron, Dec. 1.—Mr. Bryan
has promised to attend the conference of silver men which is to be held in Washington a few days after Congress meets and which will try to determine the attitude of the silver men in Congress, not only to-wards legislation that is strictly financial in its nature, but also towards revenue legislation, which is indirectly financial. The result of that conference will come very near to deciding whether there will be any revenue legislation at this sestion, assuming that the republicans really desire that there shall be any, which is by no means certain. The silver Senators are in a majority, and if they act together can dictate the legislation so far as the Senate is concerned, but there is a doubt as to whether the republican silver Senators will agree to act with the silver democrats on revenue legislation and at least one Populist Sen-

ator is also in doubt. These doubts

are expected to be cleared up at the

conference. The luxury loving Senators will have no cause for complaint when they meet in the newly-done up Senate Chamber. Everything looks spick and span new and most of what is in sight is. There are new mahogany desks for the solons and richly upholstered leather covered chairs, all of one pattern, instead of each being the selection of the Senator who occupies. The old wood benches have been removed from the galleries and folding opera chairs put in their place, while everything is of a color harmonizing with the mahogany on the main floor and, as a wag has suggested, with the noses of several of the Senators. There is also new ventilating machinery and Justice of the Supreme Court be a fine electric lighting outfit. The secured to administer oaths of office. House shares in the last-named improvement, butin none of the others.

The House, which is willing to folmoney for luxurious fittings for its chamber hasn't yet been elected. out of them and split tickets sold.

Mr. Austin's Stables-

Broad Rock writing in the Richmond Times says: Mr. G. D. Austin, who is wintering a stable of trotters at the exposition-grounds track, at Raleigh, N. C., informs me that he has some good prospects for next year's campaign, and that all of his graceful conduct has been reported Mass., but prefers the mild climate

Miss Meadows, by Franklin Chief

He has an assistant-his son, young

Planning a New Short Route.

The statement is made that the

Atlantic Coast Line is planning a

new short route between-Norfolk

Va., and Wilmington, N. C., and

that surveys are now being made

for an extension of its system from

Washington, N. C., to Newbern, s

distance of thirty-six miles. At

nect with the Wilmington, Newbern

and Norfolk railroad, giving a route

much shorter than by the present

Atlantic Coast-Line system between

Norfolk and Wilmington. The new

road would enter the trucking sec-

tion of Eastern North Carolina and

Big Foot Ball Profits.

Mr. H. S. Van Duzer, of the Uni-

the financial end of the big foot ball

game between Yale and Princeton

has made up his statement of receipte

and expenditures, and it was sub-

The profits of the game were enormous -28,564.17.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.

Roy Austin, who promises to become

quite an expert handler.

horses are doing well. Mr. Austin of Judge Norwood He seems to be formerly resided in Plymouth county, a hopeless subject of strong drink. of North Carolina to the bleak winters of the north. He is a brother of A. A. Austin, the well-known parts of the government. New England turf writer, breeder, and trainer.

His horses were worked over the half-mile track at Raleigh during the past season, and one of the longest drawn-out races at the state fair neeting he won with the bay mare

Colored Education.

The Washington Star says: The very creditable exhibit made at the Atlanta exposition in 1895 by the more progressive element among the colored people aroused new interest in all parts of the country in their educational advancement. In response to the general demand for information on this subject a special effort was made by the bureau of education to collect statistics from

compete with the Norfolk and Southern railroad. versity Athletic Club, who handled mitted to the local committee that handled the business end of the contest for the colleges. Deducting oll expenses, Yale will receive \$14,-282,14 and Princton gets exactly one

south in 1895. Since 1876 the southern states have expended about \$383,000,000 for public schools, and it is estimat-ed that between \$75,000,000 and \$80,-000,000 of this sum must have been expended for the education of color

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.

ATLANTA, Ga., Dec. 1 .- Some of the roads in the Central Passenger committee territory have 1,000 mile interchangeable tickets on sale and are getting ready to sell 5,000 mile interchangeable tickets, containing a photograph of the purchaser. se tickets will be scalped right and left just as the 1,000 mile tickets are handled now by the brokers. The 5,000 mile tickets will be sold

WILL BEAR PICTURES.

Five Thousand Mile Tickets to Rav

The tickets will not be issued or handled by Chairman Denald, but will be issued and sold by the various roads over which they are good

The tickets will be good over the following roads; Big Four; Baltimore and Ohio, west of Pittsburg; Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern; Chesapeake and Ohio; Lake Shore Cleveland, Lorian and Wheeling Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Louisville; New York, Albany and Chicago; Nickel Plate; Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo; Oblo Southern; Toledo and Ohio Central; Evansville and Terre Haute; Louis ville, Evansville and St. Louis; Indiana, Decatur and Western; Indiana, Illinois and Iowa; Wabash Cleveland Terminal and Valley Pitsburg and Western; and Cincin-

nati, Jackson and Mackinaw. These 5,000 mile tickets will no replace the 1,000 mile wide-open on sale, as both issues will be sold Why it is that the Pennsylvania lines did not join with the other roads in the issue of these 5,000 mile tickets, as General Passenger Agent Ford introduced a resoultion faving the adoption of a 5,000 mile interchangeable ticket before the central passenger committee recently, can only be a matter of conecture at present.

One thing is sure, and that is the 1.000 mile interchangeable books without restriction that are now in use, are being sold at a less figure than \$20 by some of the smaller roads over which they are good. Not only this, but mileage is being broken

TO IMPEACH A JUDGE.

Application Will be Made to the Genera Assembly to Retire Judge Norwood-

Speaking of Judge Norwood's being drunk at Barnsville while holding court, the Biblical Recorder

This is not the first time such dis He ought to resign for his own sake If he does not, he ought to be impeached. The Bench should be kept above reproach above all other

From reliable information it learned that application will be made to the next General Assembly to impeach Judge Norwood. Leading Republicans favor this course.

all the colored scheols of the south. There were found to be in the sixteen states formerly the scene of slavery and the District of Columbia 8,297,100 children between the ages of five and eighteen years. Of this number 5,573,440 were white children and 2,723,720, or 32,9 per cent. were colored. The total enrollment in the white schools was 3,845,414, and in the colored schools 1,441,282. The per cent. of white school population enrolled was 69 and the per cent of colored school population enrolled was 52.92. Tha whites had an average daily attendance of 2,510,907, or 65.30 per cent of their enrollment, while the average attendance of the blacks was 856,312, or 59.41 per cent of their enrollment. There were 89,276 white teachers and 27,081 colored teachers in the public schools of the

Scatters Wreckage 8 Miles Down a Mountain,

CREW INJURED

and Several Killed-There are Seventy Thousand Destitute People in the Far West According to Charity Report.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor HELENA, Mont. Dec. 1 .- A freight train laden with lumber became unmanageable descending a mountain and wrecked the cars. The contents were scattered along the track eight miles. Brakeman Jabreau was killed and fireman Young jumped. His collar bone was broken, and he suffered internal injuries. Engineer Flynn received internal injuries and his leg was broken. John McBena the conductor had his thigh broken. It will be forty-eight hours before the track is cleared.

THEIR GAME FAILED.

Convicts Gave Three Guards Morphine-Brantley Headed the Plot.

Four long-term convicts made a desperate effort to escape from the penitentiary several weoks ago. Two of the men are under life sentences and the other two are serving twenty years terms. Moved by a spirit of desperation they resolved to take life in an attempt to put the penitentiary stockade to their backs.

The leader of the plotisa character well known in North Carolina. He has figured in one of the most remarkable cases ever recorded in the criminal history of the State and is only a recent comer to the penitentiary. He escaped the gallows when people thought he should have been hung. Is there any incentive to induce him to become a good citizen, baying as he does a life of servitude ahead of him?

The man is Jas. Brantley, who lead the gang that mudered J. B. Bonner, of Edenton. These four ploted well; they car-

ried out their plans to a nicety, but the end to which they labored failed. Brantley was the general. He did the scheming and sed his three pals as tools.

Brantley and his confederates worked in a brick yard. From a driver who came to the yard they made arrangements to secure a vial of morphine. A Croatan Indian who waited at the table was induced to put the morphine in coffee of three guards who did duty at the brick yard, where Brantly and his comrades worked. The Croatan listened to Brantly and was soon under his dominion. At breakfast he did as he was told.

But the guards only drank about half of their coffee. Morphine is bitter. It has a sharp, green persimmon kind of a taste and this the guards were not slow to discover.

Two of them believed that they had taken poison and they were given epicac with the result that were slightly inconvenienced. The other guard was made deathly sick for a time, but soon recovered.

And now Brantley and his con ederates are watched more closely than ever and it is not likely that they will get another chance to make such an attempt to escape.

1,000 Men Wanted.

Mr. S. M. Sayford of Boston, has seen secured by Secretary Overton of the Y. M. C. A. to deliver his "Confidential talk to men only" tomorrow evening at 8:30 (after church prayer meeting)in Metropolitan Hall. Mr. Sayford has visited most all the colleges of learning in America in the interest of christian work. and President Leland of Leland Sanford Univ'y says: "No such talk ha been given to a body of men in that institution, It is manly and clean cut. Admission will be by ticket given complimentary by the Y. M. C. A. and may be obtained at the coms or from the secretary.

The Church pastors have consen ted to close their prayer meetings in time to allow men to attend the meeting. Don't fail to be there.

Will Build Two Nice Houses.

Messrs. W. B. Hutchings and J S. Wynne have purchased the property on the corner of Morgan and Dawson streets, and will build two nice houses, which they will occupy when completed. The houses will face east and each place when completed will cost \$5,000.

OPPOSES PRITCHARD.

Morton of Rockingham for Dockery-But

ecord.

ter Coming Today. Another Populist Senator goes on

Y. C. Morton, the representative from Richmond county writes the editor of the Caucasian that he is op-posed to Pritchard's election and favors Col. O. H. Dockery.

Senator Butler is expected to an rive in the city this afternoon from Elliott City. The Senator will remain here until tomorrow when he will proceed to Washington to be present atother opening of Congress.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.

Market quotations furnished by E. B. Cuthbert & Co., 30 Broad street, New York, and 365 Wilmington street, Raleigh, N. C., over their special wire:

MONTHS.		HIGH- EST.		CLOS- ING
January, February, March, April, May, June,	7 64 7 72 7 78 7 80 7 88 7 91	7 68 7 73 7 82 7 80 7 90 7 91	7 54 7 62 7 69 7 74 7 79 7 83	7 55- 7 63- 7 70- 7 74- 7 79- 7 83-
July,	7 95	7 95	7 86	7 86-
August, Sept'mb'r,				
October,				
Novemb'r, December,		7 59	7 51	7 54-

Closed quiet and steady; sales

The following were the closing quotations on the New York Stock Exchange today:

New York Stock Market.

3	Sugar
	American Tobacco
	Burlington and Quincy
3	Chicago Gas
l	Des. and Cat. Feed
-	General Electric
3	Louisville and Nashville
8	Manhattan
В	Rock Island
1	Southern Preferred
ŧ	St. Paul
	Tennessee Coal and Iron
	Western Union
0	Chiesgo Grain and Provision Marke
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The following were the closing quotations on the Chicago Grain and Provision market today:

Wheat-December, 80#; May, 834. Corn-December, 23; May, 264. Oats-December 181; May 211. Pork-December, 6.80; January, 7.62. Lard-December, 3.77; January,

Clear Rib Sides-Dec. 3.80; Jan-

Liverpool Cotton Market.

١	November-December	4.16
	December-January	4.14
ľ	January-February	4.13
	February-March	4.13
ı	March-April	4.13
ì	April-May	4.13
	May-June	4.13
	Closed quiet and steady; sa 000 bales.	

innual Meeting of the Brotherhood of

The annual meeting of the Broth erhood of Saint Andrew was held last night in the chapel of Christ Church. Nearly every member of the organization was present. This is an Institution as its name implies founded upon the broad basis of love to our fellow man and like their patron Saint Andrew they endeavor to practice true self-denial and strive to bring others into the full light of Christian love and fellowship. Each member of the organization assumes two most solemn vows. The first is to pray daily for the spread of Christs kingdom among young men and the secrad is to make one earnest effort each week to induce some young man to come within the hearing of the gospel of Christ. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: John C. Drewry, Director, Dr. H. B. Battle, Vice Director, Chas. Root, Secretary and John Ward, Treasurer.

John Hooper, a young white man in the neighborhood, of Elizabeth City, was fatally injured yesterday while loading a gun. The gun went off nearly blowing his head from his body.

A party of capitalists, consisting of the President, Vice-President, and others of the N. Y. P. and N. Railway, have been prospecting around Edenton, in company with the officers of the Norfolk, Southern

It is rumored that a Raleigh boy soon to wed one of Fayetteville's charming young ladies. - Fayetteville Observer.

OUR LOW DEATH RATE.

Healthy Showing Made by the Monthly Sanitary Report.

Sanitary officer Sale reports deaths. births, &c., registered at the health department for November as follows Whole number of deaths 17, white 3, colored 14; deaths under 5 years of age 8; over 70 years 1. The report shows a very remarkable low death rate for the whites, there being only 3 deaths, and one of those under 5 years of agc. The register causes of deaths were seniling pneumonia, 1 consumption 2 tra enteritis 2, peritonitis 1, her chage 1, malarial fever 1 applications of the consumption 2 tra 1. malarial fever 1, apopi 1, paralysis 1, heart disease not stated 5. Total number of this reported 18, white 5, colored 13. The city is clean and healthy as is evidenced by the report. This is one of the most remarkable records we have ever seen and it is due largely to the faithful and efficient work of our

sanitary inspector Mr. Sales. Our streets were never in a better and cleaner condition than at present. The average death rate in the United States is about 34 per cent, per thousand, whereas it will be noted that the death rate of our city for the past six months has been kept

rate of the world. A Glimpse of Biltmore.

down to about 16 per cent or less

than one half of the average death

Mr. James Creelman, the wellknown correspondent of the New York World, in a recent letter to that journal gives the following description of the Vanderbilt botanical gardens and experimental farms

"Here George Vanderbilt has established himself in a vast domain of 145,000 acres consecreated to science, agriculture and forestry. He has already spent \$10,000,000 on the estate, and is giving something like \$1,000,000 a year. He employs more men than the department of agriculture at Washington does. From every land he has brought trees, plants and flowers, herds of cattle and rare breeds of fowl. He allows the farmers of the country to breed from his bulls and stallions free of expense. He sends the eggs from his costly flocks to be hatched out in the farms of North Carolina. He has gathered the experts of Europe and America to work in this matchless place the practical problems which confront the American farmers and stock-breeders And when he shall die this wonderful organization with all its properties and equipments will be given to the government of the United States."

Virginians to Fight for Cuba

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 1 .- Today if developed that John W. Starke, a well known member of one of the military companies here, is at the head of the movement and has secured the promises of a large number of men to go to Cuba in a military capacity. When seen tonight Starke said he had approached four or five hundred men who had agreed to join the movement. Among these are a number of the members of local military companies. Starke admits that he is in close communication with Cuban agents in New York, and intimates that as soon as the policy of the United States government in regard to the Cuban situation is settled, the expedition to the island will be put into excution. It is said the men will soon be making preparations to take their departure.

A Highly Artistic Performance

The entertainment rendered last night at Metropolitan Opera House by the Mozart Symphony Company was pronounced by the elite audi ence which enjoyed it the star performance, up to da'e, of the series of high class attractions which are being presented by Messrs. King and

Without going into a critical analysis of the performance, it is sufficient to say that every member of the company is an artist, and the class of work with which they delighted and edified the audience last night was up to the highest standard of merit. It is announced that Messrs. King and Atkinson will repeat the entire course of attractions next season, with an additional one, making six in all. Their venture this season has proven successful to a most gratifying degree, and the large and cultured audiences which have attended these attractions tend reflect high credit upon the taste of the Raleigh public for the highly artistic and aesthetic in

Minor Matters Manipulated for the Many.

AROUND THE CITY.

per-Points and People Pertinently Picked and Pithily Pur in

Mrs. Jane Kirks, of Milburnie, aged 69 years, died Sunday.

Meeting of the Typographical Union No. 54 tomorrow evening

at 6:05 o'elock Greensboro's Board of Alderman has passed an ordinance prohibiting

the sale and use of fireworks. Dou't forget to call at stall 19 city market in the morning and have

your orders for your meats. Dr. Isaac E. Emerson, of Baltimore, the discoverer and proprietor ofthe famous Bromo Seltzer, was in the city today and his many friends

were glad to see him looking well. Deep snow is reported at Richmond and leading this way and will propably reach us tonight. The rush has already begun at Messrs-Whiting Bros. for Rubbers of every

description. See their new "add"

in this issue. When Mr. Heilig made his rapid run from Weldon to Portsmouth, a distance of 78 miles in 72 minutes, he was called on unexpectedly just before the train left and his engine was not in the best of condition. Mr. Heilig had already carried the train from Raleigh to Weldon and did not anticipate going further. With his engine prepared for such a run, it is more than probable that Mr. Heilig could knock off several more minutes from his record.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Facts and Figures From the Report of the

The information given below was obtained by the Biblical Recorder from advance sheets of the annual report of J. C. Scarborough, Superintendent of Public Instruction:

There are 635,452 children of

school age (between 6 and 21 years) in North Carolina, Ninety-five per cent. of these, which is 603,673, are dependent on the public schools to teach them to read and write. If she does not provide schools, 603,673 of the children in her borders have no hope, no opportunity but to grow up illiterate, ignorant utterly. If she provides poor schools, sorry teachers, and keeps them only a few weeks in each year, the chances for these 603,673 children are but slightly improved. And it is no reflection on the teachers to say that this is the condition of the average public school; the reflection is upon the State; it is a shame upon the General Assemblies which have met without making better provision, it is a shame upon the people who are intelligent enough to recognize these conditions and to deplore them, but who have indifferently tolerated them. No patriot can stand by and see 603 673 children out of the total of 635,445 in the State, coming to manbood in ignorance because they have no schools, or because such as they have are so meagrely supported that they are not even kept open long enough to teach a pupil to read or write or figure. There are 7,171 public schools in North Carolina The amount expended upon them for teachers is \$690,161.54, which is an average of \$95 for each school a

The total number of school districts in No h Carolina is 7,80? that is to say toparing is mind that the number of schools reported in 7,191) that in 616 districts there were no schools at all. The total amount of money expended on the public schools for the year is \$835, 265, that is to say (bearing in mind the amount paid teachers) that \$145,-104 was expended for school houses, sites, expenses of county boards, furniture, fuel, etc.

In Pittsboro, N. C., Dec. I,at 8:80 m., by Bev. N. B. Cobb. D. D. assisted by Rev. E. E. Ross, of En field, N. C., Miss Emma Fo Rev. W. W. Rose, of the N. C. O. ference. The brideand groom pass through Raieigh, this morning their way to Ridgeway where the will spend a few days visiting to the control of the contr