Will Have to Raise Over Fifty Millions.

A DOUBLE ADVANCE,

Duties Increased for Revenue Protection Double Tax on Many Staple Commodities .. A Special Tax on Cotton and Silk.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. WASHINGTON, March 15-At noon both houses of the Fifty-ninth Congress convened in extra session. The new tariff bill will be introduc ed this afternoon. It will be referred to the Ways and Means Committee which will sit during the week to consider the details.

Speaker Reed will only appoint committees on ways and means, rules and mileage, insisting that the first duty of the house is to pass the tariff bill. McKinley's first message

will be delivered tomorrow.

Washington, March 15.—The new tariff bill is intended to raise over fifty millions additional revenue. The duties are advanced double for the purpose of revenue protection. Specific duties are substituted instead of those based upon values. These apply to nearly all chemicals, many articles of steel, iron, sugar, agricultural products and sundries. The duties on cotton are made specific and based upon the number of threads to the yard; silk upon the amount of pure silk to the yard. The farm products are the same as McKinley rates, also tobacco, wines and liquors.

Postmaster-general Gary announced today that he had decided to adhere to a four year tenure of office

The vote for Speaker Reed was 199; the vote for J. W. Bailey, of Teans, the Democratic nominee for speaker, was 114; Bell, Populist, 20, and Newlands, Silver, 1.

WORK TO COMMENCE

On the New Cathedral of the Good Shepherd Church so Dr. Pittinger Announces.

Rev. Dr. I. McK. Pittinger, pastor of the church of the Good Shepherd announced from his pulpit yesterday that the construction of the new Cathedral which the church has contemplated for some time would esting information was gladly reselved and it will be gratifying to the citizens of Raleigh, to know that another handsome church edifice will adorn the city.

Dr Pittinger announced that a Easter for the new building. Five thousand dollars has already been secured and it was decided at a recent meeting of the vestry that as soon as ten thousand dollars was raised work would commence.

The architectural design for the Cathedral has already been accepted. It will be one of the most magnificent church edifices in the state. The Cathedral will be located on the site of the rectory and the church, both of which will be moved back towards Morgan street.

SAFE CRACKED.

Burglam Use Dynamite and Get \$150

Saturday night safe blowers cracked the safe in Mr. W. L. Mce's store at Franklinton. About \$150 in cash was secured.

Chief of Police Heartt received a letter this morning from Mr. Mc Ghee, notifying him of the robbery. Mr. McGhee thinks that dynamite was used. The safe was wrecked but little other damage was done.

The authorities here are on the lookout for the safe crackers.

To Blockade Greek Ports.

By Cable to the Press-Visitor. Sr. Pressurero, March 15 .- All the admirals except the French and Italian commarders have been ordered immediately to blockade the principal Greek ports, especially Piracous Syra, and Volct. An uldtum will be forthwith addressed to Greece by the admirals of foreign

What the Dispensary flas Done.

Mr. S. B. Talbot had all the ano trees in his fine orchard out wn yesterday. He says that as be cupped sell cider under the disnary law, that he is going to use a land for growing cotton. —Fayettavilla Observer.

FAIR DATES SELECTED

23d-in Early Start Being Made.

The executive committee of the North Carolina Agricul ural Society held a meeting this morning in the office of the secretary, Mr. John Nichols. The meeting was called for the purpose of determining the date of the fair.

There was a full attendance at the meeting and much enthusiasm manifested. It was decided that the fair should be held the week in October, beginning the 18th. The fair dates are the 18th to 23d inclusive.

Preparations have begun earlier this year than usual for the inauguration of this great social and industrial event. President Cameron and Secretary Nichols, profiting by a valuable experience, are determined to make the fair this season a most attractive and successful one. Secretary Nichols is in receipt of many letters, this early in the season, from persons desirous of making exhibits and being represented.

EX-JUDGE AVERY'S FEE.

Auditor Ayer Says he Acted Upon Au-

Whether the warrant on the State Treasury for \$350, in favor of Ex Judge Avery, which was authorized byGov. Russelland endorsed by Auditor Ayer was lawfully and properly done is a question which is being raised all over the state. Auditor Ayer says there is a precedent for the Governor's action. The Auditor cites that in 1892 the state paid ten thousand dollars in special attorneys' fees in the Wilmington and Weldon railroad tax matter. R. O. Burton receiver \$3,500, Armistead Jones \$2,500 and Busbee and Busbee \$2,500. But these gentlemen received their fees by a legislative act and of course no question could be raised as to its validity.

Auditor Ayer says that he endorsed the warrant, acting in accordauce with the provisions of section 3320, chapter 41 of the Code, which

says: "Whenever any suit or legal proceeding is pending against the state or which may result in any claim against the state, or affect the title of this state to any property, he may direct the attorney general to appear on behalf of the state, and may employ such additional counsel as he may judge expedient; and by direction of the Governor the Auditor shall draw his warrant on the Treasurer to compensate said counsel."

governed by precedent in issuing a warrant for \$356 for the expenses of the governor's staff incurred in attending the inauguration of President McKinley. He says that the trip of the governor and staff to the special collection would be taken Chicago exposition cost the state

ACTING GOV HARRIS

His Official Highness, J. C. Logan, Oper

While Governor Russell is absent in Wilmington, his official adviser and conditator, John Cebern Logan Harris, whose official title is Grand Snark of the Universe, is acting Governor. Acting-governor Harris arose

early this morning. He spent only a part of the time at the executive office, and after having set the wheels of state in motion, ambled down Fayetteville street to the Temple of Justice in the Fraps building.

There the admiring multitude called on the Grand Snark and Actinggovernor, after being announced by High Constable John Upchurch.

About Harnessing the Yadkin.

The Davie Times thinks Mocksville ought to have electric lights for her streets, business bouses and private residences, and power for mills, when the Fries Manufacturing and Power Company establish an electric power house on the Yadkin river, for the purpose of transmitting electric power and lights by wire to Winston-Salem and neigh-

boring towns. Does the State Owe Wood ?

C M Henry, of Byholis, Miss. alled at the auditor's office this rning and requested information whether or not a man named Wood had ever loaned the state any money. The state records failed to record a loan by any such party. Mr Henry says he is satisfied the loan was made and he is here for the purpose of establishing a claim against the state. Mr. Henry did not state the time or amount of the loan.

Mr. A. W. Haywood is in the city and his many Raleigh friends are glad to shake his hand.

FAIR AND COLDER.

The Weather Prediction for Raisigh-Showers for the State.

The weather prediction for Raleigh and vicinity is fair; colder tonight and Tuesday. For the State local showers are predicted.

The temperature this morning was 14. The barometer 30-42.

The barometer has risen in the northwest and over the northwest and over the Lake region to the middle Atlantic coast.

In the Dakotas it is extremely cold Monday morning, with 36 degrees below zero at Bismark and 22

degrees below zero at Huron. The weather is clear in the northvest, over the east Lake region and north Atlantic States and over Florida; elsewhere it is cloudy and rainy, under the influence of a slight barometric low area over Texas.

Progressive Farmer on the Legislature. "But few good bills of any importance were passed. Possibly some good bills of a local nature went through. The buying up of men to lect Pritchard prevented any good that the legislature might have done. Of course the election of Pritchard was only one of the duties expected of the pie above principle gang. They, or a part of them, were brought into service whenever monopoly and plutocracy wanted a measure passed or defeated. And the democratic and republican members, with a few exceptions, were always ready to assist. The good done by the legislature could be printed in a small pamphlet. The bad done and the good omitted would fill several large volumes."

A Promising New Town.

Ellenboro is a coming young town on the Seaboard Air Line which is attaining prominence. The Shelby Aurora speaking of the progressive village says:

Our little town has been awaking to the many advantages possessed, and is taking active steps to develop her resources. The formation of the S. A. L. League has already handsomely paid the citizens for the time and money so generously given, by infusion of new idears and the realization of the possibilities of our section. There is to be a basket picuic at Elleaboro, March-17th, and everybody is cordially invited to come and bring a basket; and one or more shade trees to be set on the street. The tree to be named by the party bringing it, for some friend, dead or living, and the tree will be properly cared for by the town, after it is set out. There will be speaking by prominent men; and you will be well

Enchre Parties Prohibited. Bishop McDonnell, of the Catholic Diocese of Brooklyn, has notified the clergy of the diocese not to permit members of their churches to hold any more progressive euchre parties during lent. In the order the bishop warns the priests and their people that such amusements are contrary to the spirit of the lenten season. Several progressive euchre parties have recently been given and a large number more have been planned. They were always given for a charitable purpose, and for this reason many have been considered as being proper even during the penitential

The Travelers' Protective Association.

Mr. John B. Culpeper, of Richmond, Va., general sales agent for the Remington typewriter for Virginia and North Carolina, and national press committeeman of the Travelers' Protective Association of America, is at the Yarboro.

Mr. Culpeper has charge of all press matters of the T. P. A., in Maryland, Virginia, North and South Carolina, and was placed on the national committee at the annual convention in Terre Haute, Ind., last June in recognition of his abil-

The annual convention this year will be held in Nashville, Tenn., in June, and it is supposed that there will be five to six thousand commercial travelers in that city during convention week. The Tennessee Centennial will also be in full blast at that time, and the committees have arranged a number of amusements, balls, etc., to take place at that time. There are nearly fifteen thousand T. P. A.'s in the United States, and the order is fast growing. The national president is John A. Lee, of St. Louis, Mo.

Bob Morgan and John Hunt, the stand trial on two charges. Another warrent was taken out against them

DIRECTORS TO HOLD ON

Will not Yield Control of Iusane Asylums.

THE ACT IS DEFECTIVE

Which Created the New Boards ... E. Judge Shepherd and other Prominent Connect Retained to Make the Con-

test for the Present Directors. The directors and officers of the Insane Asylums, located at Raleigh, Morganton and Goldshoro intend to contest the validity of the act pe by the legislature prov change of management in these instutions.

Ex Chief Justice James E. Shep-herd, Messrs. Busbee & Busbee of this city, Ex-Attorney General F. I. Osborne, of Charlotte, Messrs. W. C. Munroe, C. B. Ayeock, F. I. Dortch and Daniels, of Goldsboro, have been retained as counsel to appear for the directors. It is under-stood that the directors of all these institutions will act in concert and the counsel above mentioned will appear for them.

We understand that the bill is badly drawn and that its provisions go no further, if it has any effect, than to change the name of some of the asylums; that the charters of the asylums have not been repealed-they were by the same act re-enacted; that the corporations having the same identity, and the officers the same duties, the rights and duties of the present officers cannot be transferred to others. These are some of the grounds we hear suggested upon which the present officers feel it their duty to refuse to deliver the care of the unfor cunates who have been intrusted to them to other and inexperienced bands.

Mr. Munroe, of Goldsboro, one of the counsel in the case was here to-Shepherd, Messrs. Busbee and

It is understood that the newly created directors, who hope to get control of the asylums, will meet here Thursday.

convicts Contribute to Indian Sufferers.

Mr. A. M. McPheeters has taught class of convicts in the penitentiary Sunday school for many years. Yesterday the members of Mr. with a nicely worded letter expressing sympathy for the sufferers of the plague in India and enclosing a contribution of \$2.75 in money. Some of the members of the class contributed as much as fifty cents, while others contributed smaller sums in accordance with their means. Coming from these poor men who have little opportunity for making money, their charity can be better appreciated. The contributors to the donation signed themselves J. P. Wilkes, James Thomas, Lee Brantley, W. D. Eaves, H. C. Secrest, Uriah Bell, A. J. Holford, W. M. Moore, J. M.

Hargett, S. T. B., and T. L. C. The Monitor Safe in Port.

By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor. New York, March 15 .- The disabled monitor Puritan arrived today in tow of the Cruiser Columbia. It will require two weeks to fit her engines for the sea. Fierce northeast gales battered great waves down over the monitor.

BRIEFS.

Mr. Tal H. Murray is a candidate for city clerk with a fine show for the nomination and the election. There is not a more capable and popular man in the city than Mr. Murray, and none more capable of filling the position. He has many friends who will make his campaign a strong, if not successful one.

Berry O'Kelly of the thrifty town of Method, came in today to say that Bob Morgan and John Hunt, the two negroes who are in durance vile for stealing cows are not citizens of Method and that goodly village does not lay claim to them. Morgan and Hunt appear to be walking delegates at large.

This is the most successful season in the history of Southern Pines as a winter resort. Piney Woods Inn is taxed to its capacity to acdate Northern visitors and the hotels and boarding houses are o'clock sharp, in regular comm attle thieves who were arrested in similarly treated. Millionaire Tuft's Morrisville last week, will have to new town, Pinehurst is also overrun with visitors. It is said that new hotels will be erected before

TODAY'S MARKETS.

pool Markets

Market quotations furnished by E. B. Cuthbert & Co., 30 Broad street, New York, and 305 Wilmington street, Raleigh, . C., over their special wire:

The following are the opening, highest, lowest and closing quotations of the New York cotton market

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- REC'PTS.	SHIPMENTS.	STOCKS.
This week 20,903	31,331	316,716
Last week 27,364	37,953	378,008
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quotations on the New York S Exchange today:	tock
Sugar	115
American Tobacco	76
Burlington and Quincy	
Chicago Gas	78
American Spirits	13
General Electric	347
Louisville and Nashville	
Manhattan	851
Rock Island	68
Southern Preferred	
St. Paul	78
Tennessee Coal and Iron	
Western Union	

The following were the closing quotations on the Chicago Grain and Pro-

Wheat-May, 74; July 724. Corn-May, 24#; July, 25#. Oats-May 171. July 181; Pork-May, 8,82; July 8.95 Lard-May, 4.27; July 4,37 Clear Rib Sides-May 4.72; July

Liverpool Cotton Market.

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today:			
March	3.59	b	
March-April	3.59	b	
April-May	3,59	b	
May-June			
June-July	3.59	-60	b
July-August	3.59-	60	b
August-September			
September-October	3.51-	52	v
October-November	3.47-	48	b
November-December			b
January-December			b
Closed firm; sales 10,00			

The Greensboro Record says:

"Our star-gazer friend, J. Thornton, has received many inquiries for his opinion on the prize fight. He takes no stock in this disgraceful business, but this is his opinion: 'Have only the date of the fight of Corbett and Fitzsimmons, not the hour or other data necessary to a correct judgment, but what I can see from the incomplete premises before me. Corbett will be fortunate if Fitz does not kill him, and Fitz will be lucky if he escapes hanging or imprisonment for killing Corbett.

The suggestion that Charles F Lumsden shall be the democratic candidate for tax collector at the coming city election has been received with almost universal approbation throughout the city. No worthier or more popular candidate could be nominated. He will add strength to the ticket. He has ever been an unswerving democrat, and has always been ready to give his time and means to the service of his party. He is a gentleman of the very highest character, a man of intelligence and capacity, and a mechanic who has been diligent in his calling. In short he possesses elements of strength not often found in one man. and his election will give the city as faithful, honest and efficient an officer as it has ever had. VOTER.

Hirm Lodge No. 40 will meet Monlay evening March the 15th a cation, Brethren are requested meet promptly Members of other lodges cordially invited.

E, B, Thomas, Sec.

The Movements in New York and Liver

inston Sentinel. NEW YORK, March 15.

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Cotton Movement.

The following shows the semiweekly movement of cotton at 13 leading interier towns this week compared with that of last week.

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General Electric	347
Louisville and Nashville	
Manhattan	851
Rock Island	
Southern Preferred	294
St. Paul	
Tennessee Coal and Iron	. 281
Western Union	. 812

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uly-August	3.59-	60	b
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eptember-October	3.51-	52	y
ctober-November	3.47-	48	b
Tovember-December	3.46		b
anuary-December	3.46		b

Who Will be the Winner.

Chas. F. Lumsden for City Tax Collector.

S. W. Walker, W. M.

AVEBA PERIOR WOMAN timony of One Who Speak

from Experience.

Naturally, when persons seek for information in reference to the skill and success of any one who professes to ameliorate the condition of suffering humanity, the testimony which counts for the most is that which comes from intelligent and thoroughly reliable patients, who base their convictions upon a satisfactory experience. Such testimony is this which Rev. Dr. W. S. Creasy, the popular pastor of Centenary M. E. church, pays to the proficiency of Dr. Louis H. Matthez, the disting uished oculo-optician in the following valued letter:

WINSTON, N. C., Dec. 5, '96. It gives me very great pleasure to add to the many very valuable and | Johnston county. highly commendary endorsements from many distinguished clergymen in our own and other churches, and leading physicians, many of them known to myself as gentlemen who mean what they say, when their names are used to endorse what is written by them, my testimony as to the skill, efficiency and satisfaction given by Dr. Louis H. Matthez as ar optician. I regard him, after having my eyes examined and glasses fitted, as a very superior workman in his line, and heartily commend him to any and all who need any artificial help for that greatest and richest temporal blessing, good eyesight.

Faithfully yours, W. S. CREASY,

Pastor Centenary M. E. Church, South, Winston, N. C. Dr. Matthez's presence in Raleigh at the Yarboro offers those of defective vision a most valuable opportunity in consulting him about eyes and glasses. The expressions of Rev. Dr. Creasy, who was formerly pastor of Tryon street Methodist church, Charlotte, but now located at Winston, must needs carry great weight in favor of Dr Matthez.

Seaboard to Extend to New Orleans. Again the report has worked its of that city. The meeting broke up way to the front that the Seaboard Air Line is to get a line straight into New Orleans from Atlanta, says the Constitution. Not only will the line connect New Orleans with the Seaboard Air Line here, but according to the current story, the new extension will also take in Augusta. A line will be built from Atlanta to Carrollton, a distance of forty or fifty miles, connecting there with the Chattanooga, Rome and Columbus, which will be extended from Carrollton to Columbus a distance of about seventy-five miles, where it will tap the Alabama Midland for

Montgomery and New Orleans. The Monday Evening Club.

The Monday Evening Club will hold its monthly meeting at the residence of Mrs W H Holleman on Hillsboro street this evening at 8 o'clock. The subject for the evening is Bret Harte and the following papers will be read: I. Bret Harte as an innovator. II. Harte's character drawing. III. The new school of novelists. IV. Poetry of Harte. There will be readings and quotations from the author's works, and vocal and instrumental music.

The Afternoon Papers, A meeting of the cowners and edi tors of the afternoon papers is to be held in Greensboro Thursday even ing, March 18th, for the purpose of seeing if some arrangement cannot be made whereby telegraphic dispatches may be obtained for these papers at a rate which they can all

afford to pay. At present it is impossible to get such news at a reasonable figure and when it is had it is no good. Other matters in connection with the welfare of these papers will also be discussed.

Three Baptist Specials to be Run.

The Seaboard Air-Line announces hat it will run three special through trains to Wilmington for the Southern Baptist convention in May, to be known as the "Bap"ist Specials," one from Norfolk and tPortsmouth, Va., to Wilmington via Weldon, Raleigh and Hamlet; one from Atlanta via Athens and Hamlet to Wilmington; one from Rutherford ton via Charlotte and Hamlet to Wilmington.

These trains will be composed of the most modern and elegant Pullman Buffet drawing-room sleeping | They could not have selected a more cars and the latest and most approved day coaches.

Official schedules of these specials will be given later, as these trains acknowledged leader in their line will be run to suit the convenience of the delegates.

Minor Matters Manipulated for the Many.

AROUND THE CITY.

Pot-Pourri of the News Pletured on Pa per-Points and People Pertinently Picked and Pithily Put in Print.

The directors of the institution for the deaf, dumb and blind meet tonight at the institution.

One convict was received at the penitentiary this morning from

Governor Russell has gone to Wilmington. He is expected to return to the city Wednesday morn-

Messrs. Whiting Bros., advertise for a lost pet shepherd dog. When last seen he was in the neighborhood

of the governor's mansion. Dr. J. P. Munroe, of Davidson, will decline the appointment as superintendent of the Western Hospi-

tal for the Insane at Morganton. Mrs. Mary A. Taylor died at 3 o'clock this morning at the King's Daughters Home. The burial service will take place tomorrow at 10

Mr. A. B. Stronach announces some handsome new spring attractions in his new advertisement today. Do not fail to read it and call

Mayor Russ gives warning that boys caught swinging on the newly planted trees on Fayetteville street and elsewhere in the city will be severely dealt with. The Charlotte Republicans, at the suggestion of Senator Pritchard. held a meeting Saturday night with

the purpose of nominating one of

their number for the postmastership

in a row, one faction remaining in the hall and the other leaving. Mr. W. S. Micks, who is well and pleasantly remembered in Raleigh, having been engaged in the furniture business here a few years ago, has taken a position at the Yarboro as assistant clerk and book keeper. His many friends in Raleigh are glad

to welcome him back to the city. Rev. T. J. Gattis preached a Central church yesterday morning. His subject was, 'Friends of Jesus " Rev. Mr. Gattis is an entertaining speaker. At night the pulpit was filled by the pastor, Rev. E. C. Glenn. Quite a large congregation was present notwithstanding

the threatening weather. With much pleasure we beg to direct the attention of our readers, ladies as well as gentlemen to the add, of the E. E. M. Sherking Tobacco and Cigarettes. So many of us are troubled with some from of catarrhal affection and these goods come so highly commended, not only by people of other states, but by citizens of North Carolina as well that we cordially commend them, Mr. Goodwin Lee, the gentlemanaly and clever representative of these goods is here at the Yarboro and is introducing the double E. M. which promises to be very popular.

It will be interesting to Raleigh people to know that every one of the successful applicants with two or there exceptions, who passed the civil service examination recently held in this cityf were pupils of Messrs. Morson and Denson of the Raleigh Male Academy. This is highly creditable to Messrs. Morson and Denson, especially so when it is remembered that only about 12 applicants out of 60 were successful. It is a pleasure to know that there is such an institution in Raleigh for the training of our young men.

The Karnival of Kommerce was presented two nights in Durham last week and scored a great success each time. The gross receipts for the two nights amounted to \$344.50. In its discription of the Karnival the Durham Sun says: The hustling funiture firm of Royall & Borden had a splendid representation of their business at the "Karnival" last night and the night before. charming or beautiful young lady in Durham to represent them th Miss Holloway. This firm is the and their exhibition was first-class in every respect.