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THE FLOODS.

The floods in the south west during the past week have been fearful in the destruction of life and property. On Wednesday of last week the Tombigbee river which was already swollen, began to rise rapid ly and by I hursday morning all the low lands were submerged, the river having risen 14 feet during the night. It continued to rise all that day and on Friday morning Columbus, Miss., was literally an island, with five miles of water in every direction. Hundreds of houses have been wash ed away. Six hundred homeless negross have been rescued and are be ing sheltered and fed by the citizens of Columbus. Congressman Allen has been telegraphed to by the mayor in conjunction with other officials, requesting him to apply for federal aid. Houses, corn cribs, cattle, horses, furniture and all sorts of movable property were swept away by the rag ing waters. The lowest estimate puts the number drowned at and near Columbus at fifty persons The waters have about receded, which admits of a more thorough and syste matic investigation, and the probabilities are that numbers of fatalities reported will- be much larger. The destruction of life and property in all that region was very great. Five miles of the track of the Georgia Pacific railway was washed away. The Mobile and Ohio road was badly washed out.

#### WANT TO SELL OUT.

The electric light plant at Oxford is not paying and the stockholders are desirous of selling out to the town Capt. Neal of Danville, Va , appeared before a meeting of the city commissioners on Monday, which was held for the purpose of hearing propositions relative to thematter and seemed to talk with his mouth open. He said the Oxford company had not made any money because it was not properly managed, &c., and then offered the entire plant at forty per cent of its cost. The matter was taken under advisement. He stated that Dan ville and North Danville owned their plants and find it cheaper and more satisfactory in every way than to rent lights. Reidsville, N. C, recently purchased the plant in that town, and has reduced expenses on its op-erations twenty five per cent.

THE Winston Sentinel says: Winston's tobacco factories are beginning to start up and the general business activity that always follows, is already visible. The outlook is encouraging for a successful year in the tobacco trade, and within a few weeks several thousands of laborers will be employ ed in the industry. This means that many thousand dollars will be expen ded every week and go into the different channels of trade.

We think we can tell the first snake story of the season this year. Yester day Mr. J. T. Lincoln started to build a new bridge across the drain in front of Mr. Randolph Parker's residence, and when he tore the old one up he found six young water moceasins ranging in length from a foot to a foot and a half. They were all dispatched. We hope that ends the jons are beautified by simply basting venomous family. - New Berne Jour-

#### N. C. AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.

The Board of Agriculture and the Board of World's Fair Commissioners have taken charge of the proposed State exhibit to be made at Chicago and are pushing all feasible arrangements with skill and energy. But they are looking for aid from the people, and from all city, county and State officials in the State, and must have it, or largely fail. They are calling for such aid, not only in money, but in articles, curiosities, relics, specimens, handiwork. &c. North Carolina should not be overshadowed by any other State, and doubtless will not. Let everybody lend a helping hand.

#### AMERICAN BENEVOLENCE STILL FLOWS.

The Indiana and the Missouri, the wo relief ships sent to Russia, having reached their destination, and their cargoes having been forwarded over land to the famine stricken sec tions of Russia, two other vessels, the "Conemangh" and another, will probably sail in a few days. One will take out 75 tons of rice for one item. The Red Cross Society is sending them.

#### FRUIT KILLED.

Winston Sentinel

The heavy freezes and frosts for the past few nights have played havoc with a great deal of fruit and vegetables.

A citizen who returned last night from Yadkin county, says that it is generally conceded there that the fruit which has not been killed out right has been damaged to such an extent as will cause it to fall off the trees before ripening.

The peach crop in this section will be almost a complete failure. The apple trees and other fruit have not blcomed yet.

LIGHTNING SPARED THE PIOUS PAIR.

During a heavy rain lightning struck the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church, a nice four room cottage, completely demolish ing the building with the exception of the east room, in which were sitting the pastor, the Rev Jerome Haralson, and his wife. That they were not instantly killed everybody pronounces a miracle, for everything in their room all around them was broken in small pieces. A more complete wreck was never seen There is not a whole nail or piece of timber in the building except in the little room they occupied. Not only the 10 building was wrecked but the fence around it was torn down. The shock broke a considerable amount of crock ery for those living in the neighbor hood of the parsonage.-Haskell Cor. Talveston News.

#### A JUROR DIES OF EXHAUSTION.

WASHINGTON, April 13 -James W. Cooper, one of the colored jurors who served in the Schneider murder trial, died today from mental and physical exhaustion He was a a robust man and accustomed to outdoor life. The long confinement and mental strain told on him severely and when he was discharged he had lost over thirty pounds of flesh. Vhe trial lasted thirty days and ended last Saturday in a verdict of murder in the first degree. Young Schneider, after maintaining throughout the entire trial an air of confidence and bravado, has collapsed utterly since his conviction and seems likely to die or lose his mind.

### VANITY'S CLEVER DEVICES

All kinds of harmless little vanities are indulged in by the woman who wishe to make the most of nature's gifts. Two very sure methods which she employs for whitening the skin are found, not in cosmetics, but by using tulle as soft and white as a snow wreath under the very open network of black lace. Sleeves and gimp of the flimsiest patteres when treated in this way will reflect credit upon neck and arms, even if they are not as round and fair as one could wish. So well has this pretty device worked that a great many complex tulle beneath the black lace piece of dotted net which is to serve as a veil.

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S. W. HUFFF. General Manager.

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Salem, Similar rates, one fare for the round trip will apply from points in Virginia and South Carolina

The announcement that Capt Chas Roth, of Michigan, who hauged Mrs. Surratt, had become sodd-nly insane, recalls the fact that trearly every one who had anything to do with these executions has met with a tragic fate. three or four of them having committed suicide.

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