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Apecial to Journal WASHINGTON, January 28-In the case Will be Tried Upon G.653 harged with conduct unbecoming an officer and gentleman, and with conduct tending to the prejudice of good order and military discipline, a verdict was reached by the court martial, which found General Eagan, guilty. The Senate is Conservative, Russell The verdict was that Gen, Esgan wa guilty of the crime charged, which was

BAGAN FOUND GUILTY.

Vordict of the Court Martial, Severe

Sentence Found.

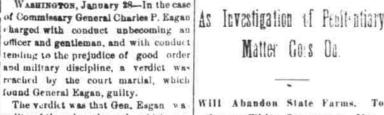
\_and Wilson Case. Suffrage Caucus- Second N. C. Regiment Colors Candidates For A. & N. C. Presidency. mendation of mercy. JOURNAL BURRAU.

RALEIGH, N. C., January 28. It is not made public yet, but the Finance committee is about to recommend a different result. a new departure in taxation, authing 'ess than a 'ax of from one to five per cent on the gross earnings of railroads. When this proposed tax becomes known it will raise a racket. It is designed to make good the loss from the repeal of the merchants tax of about \$80,000, but will do much more by furnishing in the neighborhood of \$350,000. The railroads will be given a chance to be heard in the matter next Wednesday. It will amount to a double tax on the railroads as they are already taxed on their valuation.

As the leanings and inclinations of the Legislature become known, it is seen and felt that the Senate is more conservative in a general way than the House An exception might be quoted in the Hairston bill on foreign corporations introduced in the Senate but which was turned down, and the milder Craige bill in the House which was passed. But the Hairstone bill was introduced by a man who didn't know what he was doing and does not count.

A remark make by Chairman O-borne of the Wilson investigating committee at the hearing Thursday night would seem to cover a good deal of ground in the case. He said that the position of the committee was that the Governor had the right to suspend the commission ers and need only give his reasons and not furnish evidence. Russell in his usual style has plunged into a light in stead of resting on his rights. As a result the Legislature will pull him off his high horse and Major Wilson will exult in his overthrow. Talk of impeaching the Governor on the basis of the Wilson case is considered mere rubbish, unless new light is thrown on the scene.

The joint' caucus held last night in the hall of the II use discussed the Winston bill, prepared to cover the suffrage onestion. The meeting lasted over three



Secure White Supremacy, Jim against discipline, good order and decency, and without a show of an excuse The sentence was that Esgan be disnissed from the army, with no recom

The General was greatly broken at the sentence found, as he had hoped for

Quiet Day Among Legislators. § Special to Journal

RALEIGH, January 28-There was only routine-business in both Houses, with general dullness, today.

The bill regulating timber measure ment was reported unfavorably by the committee. This caused a debate in the House, and it was finally referred to a new committee.

The bill of Williams of Dare to provide a supervision of the oyster industry, and the bill to provide the Vance Textile Department to be added to the Agricultural College, Raleigh, passed avorably. A. E. S.

#### A bay's Legislative Work. Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, January 30-Bills passed good government for Ciaven county, which is to increase county commission ers to seven; two bills pertaining to At lantic and North Carolina railroad.

The Senate bill to reduce the defondant's challenges in capital cases, was tabled. A bill was introduced to refund the

test of the city of Wilmington by Issuance of four per'cent bonds. Bill introduced to make kissing the Bible, when being sworn, unnecessary. follows: Bill to give a medal to each North

Carolina soldier who is serving in Cuba A. E. S. No Election Yet.

#### Special to Journal.

HARRISBURG, Pa., January 23 .- There was nechange in the Senatorial contest here today.

#### Wants a Vote on Resolution. Special to Journal.

assessed property. WASHINGTON, January 28.-Senator hours and it was after eleven o'clock Mason has requested that the Senate when the members left the Capital. No vote on his resolution, next Friday, definite conclusion was arrived at and which declares that it is the policy of endments to the proposed bill this country not to govern the people of were adopted and the matter will be other nations. considered again next Wednesday. The caucus was a secret one and from the Coughing injures and inflames sore talk of the members afterward, it ap peared that the debate was an animated the cold, alays coughing and heals one, and it was continued by small quickly. The best cough cure for childgroups late at night in the hotel corriren. F. S. Duffy. dors. Considerable opposition has developed Late News Items. to the existence of the Inebriate Ward Senator Free stated in the executive which is maintained at the Morganton session of the Senate that the President lasane Asylum and any proposed extension of the plan. The proposed use of a would send to the Senate important documents relating to the peace treaty. part of the penitentiary for all of the criminal insane has brought out the ex-Senator Gorman, in a speech in the pression that these should have separate Senate, declared that unless American troops were withdrawn from a tropical buildings in no way connected with the penitentiary before provision is made climate 50,000 names would be added to for the care of inebriates. The cost of the pension rolls. separate buildings at each of the three The Navy Department is considering asylums is estimated at \$100,000 and the advisability of using the triple screw several Senators stated that in their system with the new warships. opinion the State was not prepared to Democrats and anti-Quay Republicans go to such an expense. in the Pennsylvania Legislature have The Governor has under consideration agreed to stay away from the joint meetthe request of the Associated Survivors ing in order to prevent the re-elecof the 2nd N. C. Regiment of New Bern tion of Senator Quay, who still lacks A battallon of the 6th Virginia Regi for the possession of the battle flag rethirteen votes of the number necessary ment, colored, passed through here yes turned by Geo. H. Buck of Massachuto elect. setts and now in the hands of the Adju-Announcement has been made that tant General. The request came through Andrew Carnegie has offered \$100,000 Capt. Matt Manly who bases the request to Pennsylvania State College for the upon the fact that most of the members erection of a library building. of the section were from the New Bern during their stay. section and the flag bearer killed at the TO CURE A COLM IN ORE DAY The snow fall of 7 inches has about battle of Chancellorsville was a ;member Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. gone and the sleighs that were out Satof the New Bern company. It is stated All druggists refund the money if it fails ur lay night are stored away again. that the Governor will grant the request to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. H. Q. The proceeds of the Confederate Bazaan on each tablet.

layish haud and have rivalled each other in appleuse. Nothing new has developed in the A & N C Italiroad matters, not on the sur-

Today is real winter with a heavy fall lic, but the great and general interest in of snow. It began last night and threat- the case makes it probable that it will

ons to become very deep before it stops, not be long delayed. The temperature is only at the freezing

face, but there is a heap of work being ing else upon the evidence presented.

Matter Gols Do. Makes the food more delicious and wholesome Will Abandon State Farms. To TAE COMMISSION'S REPORT

Crow Car will Become a Fact. On the Investigations of Government Disorderly Negro ally Favorable. Soldiers.

JOURNAL BURBAU. Raleigh, N. C., January 30. The affairs of the penitentiary are still the leading sensation, considerably sion on Thursday next the complete over-one hundred thousand dollars in debt and the books in such a fix as to sion. The report will comprise about

GETS WORSE

make a close estimate impossible. But 40,000 words. Attached to it will be an appendix of 500 printed pages, setting the report of the sub-committee that visited the State farms is much worse. No forth all of the testimotay taken by the commission during its investigation. record has been kept of many of the sales

It has been determined by the commisand of several hundred cords of wood shipped there is no account kept at all: sion not to meution any names or to make any recommendations, but simply Only a porton of the farms were under cultivation last year and thousands of to record, under the head of each department and each camp, the Inefficiencles lollars are due merchants for supplies and scandals which have been developed furn .ed. The sub-committee have by the investigation, but the identificahanded in the report to the joint comtion will be so complete that the Presimittee and this committee will report to the Legislature with recommendations: dent will be able to fix the responsibili-

One will be the abandoning of all the ty. These are the main facts as sum State farms with one exception and will marized. The Secretary of War ordered the name the farm to be kept, and will remajor-general commanding to make an commend the concentration of the coninspection tour of the camps. The major vict labor to make it more effective. general commanding returned the order

The discussion before the committee to him and informed him that he was in will be active each day this week. the habit of making out his own orders. Among the proposed bills for discussion The major-general commanding was will be on Thursday the one to relice permitted to go to Santiago de Cuba, auction fees on leaf tobacco from 15 to and at the same time the Secretary of 10 cents.

War informed General Shafter that Gen-The amendment to the constitution to eral Miles was not to supercede him in secure white supremacy seems to have command. reached the stage when little or no

A large number of civilians were apchange will be made in it. The last joint pointed to staff positions who were withcaucus after much talk recommended out experience, but they rapidly learned no changes in its form. The restricting their duties. clauses in the 4th and 5th sections as

The charges preferred against the Sec retary of War that he and members of Section 4. Any person presenting himself for registration or voting shall his family were interested in sites select be able to read and write any part of th. el for camps and in contracts are without foundation. The major-general Constitution in the English language, commanding recommended the location and shall have paid by the first day o February the poll tax for the previous of camps at Chickamauga and Tampa year, as prescribed by law, and shall ex- and an officer on the staff of General Miles selected the site for Camp Alger, hibit the receipt therefor. Poll taxes The Secretary strongly opposed the locashall be a lien only ou assessed propertion of a camp at Miami. ty, and no process shall issue to enforce

The Secretary of War did not learn of the collection of the same except against the condition of the troops at Santiage until the "round robin" was circulated Section 5. No male person who was on when steps were taken to bring the January 1, 1867, or at any prior thereto,

entitled to vote under the laws of any troops north. The work of the adjutant-general's and State in the United States wherein he

TURSDAY, FEILDARY 7th. 54 Reizenstein vs Kinnon. Department Nummariz d. Gener-83 Russell vs Weatherington 108 Howard vs Insurance Co. NEW YORK, January 29-A Washing-100 Lane on dispatch to the Herald says: Presi-110 Howard " dent McKinley will have in his posses-111 Blackledge"

Superior l'ours taisudar.

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WEDNESDAY Sth.

53 Scheelky vs Pine Lumter Co. 46 Moore vs Hough. 43 Marton vs Morton.

62 Morton vs Hudson Lumber Co THURSDAY 9TH.

70 Covall vs Covall.

74 Deppe vs Lumber Co.

85 Street vs Insurance Co.

106 Street vs Insurance Co. 107 102 Hill vs Insurance Co. 59 Becton vs Railroad.

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Roberts vs Blades. 92

93 Tobacco Co vs Crabtree. 95 Mitchell vs McLeese.

100 Ives vs Railroa L.

103 Deppe vs Stimson Lumber Co. 194 Whitehead vs Clarke.

105 Richardson vs Hall, 115 Puryear vs Goldsboro L. Co.

MOTION. 12 Taylor vs Smith.

15 Bryan vs Hayes.

26 Hines vs Outlaw. 27 In Re Abbott.

28 In Re Hollister & Guion

29 In Re Griffin School.

30 In Re Moulton. 31 In Re Richardson.

32 In Re Gaskins. 33 In Re Jones.

35 Bank vs Spencer.

36 Lovick vs Pierce.

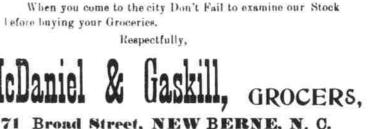
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41 Congdon vs Heritage. 47 West vs Hearn.

Bembry vs Street



When you come to the city Don't Fail to examine our Stock



JANUARY SALE ! OUR

72 Stimpson ys Lumber Co. 75 Tobacco Co vs Edwards. 84 Strauss vs Insurance Co. 93 Bush vs Mumford. Wadsworth vs Insurance Co.

wore much larger than anticipated. About \$1500 will be realized from the affair and the ladies are highly pleased

with the result. There was a great deal

of hard work done in the getting up of

ceive praise for it however, for the

done on the quiet. The selection of the

next President has brought out the names of four candidates for the position

and "there are others" who do not want

their names sprung just yet. Craven

claims the right to name the President

point but the wind is from the north and it will probably be a cold Sunday.

Faul Perry, of Columbus, Ga., suffere

agony for thirty years, and then cure his Piles by using De Witt's Witch Hand Salve. It books injuries and skin disease like magio. F. S. Duffy.

#### Gen. Esgan's Only Chance.

several days, and he will take his own

time to act upon it after he gots it. Con-sequently it is only guessing to attempt

to say when the result will be made pab-

WASHINGTON, Jaauary 30-General Ragan's only hope to escape dismissal from the army, in accordance with the the Bazaar and much credit is due to the finding of guilty on both counts by the promotors. They have not falled to re- court martial, lies in Presidential clem-

a large amount of money. Pleasant to take; obildren like it. F. S. Duffy. ency. Although no official announce, papers here have distributed it with a ment has been made of the finding of the layish hand and have rivalled each other court martial, and nous is expected until

Agginaldo's Barbarism.

MANILA, Jan. 29 .- The Spanish civil prisoners have not yet been released." Tales of suffering, hunger and dishon. or come from the provinces. Young Official rest tape will keep the finding Spanish girls, it is said, are forced to out of the hands of the President for live with Indians. The parents of some

humilation to save their husbands from

000 had been sent by the corporation

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bough J. J. Baxter is closing out his winter othing, shoes, hats, underwess, dress le new spring alsock.

paymaster-general's departments is de then resided; and no son or grandson of clared satisfactory auy such person not less than 21 years

A sufficient number of inspections old at the date of the adoption of this were not made by the Inspector-General's amendment of the Constitution shall be lungs. One Minute Cough Cure loosens denied the right to register and vote at department. Had such been the case, any election in this State by reason of the camp conditions would not have been as serious as they proved to be the educational qualification prescribed The commission will show that this de in this article, provided he shall have registered prior to December 1, 1902, in partment should be radically reorganized.

accordance with the terms of this article No irregularities have been found in and no person shall be allowed to registhe quartermaster-general's department. ter under this section after that date. notwithstanding the many charges pre There is no doubt about the passage ferred against it. So far as the clothing of the "Jim Crow Car" law for separate

was concerned, it will be found that in cars. There will not be over 25 votes some cases the prices paid were cheaper cast against the measure. The objection thau those paid for the same articles be by the railroads is of course that extra fore the war. and at times almost empty cars will

The commission has found no evidence have to be hauled. The proposition to of scandal in the matter of purchase of divide the cars into two compartments has not met with much favor, nor has transports.

The administration of the Commissary the plan to have none but first class General department will be commended, fares. Some of the western members say attention will be called to disbursements that in their section they do not need amounting to about \$25,000,000. The the law and hope that certain small roads statement will be made that the govern will be made exempt. This can well be nent obtained full value. left to the Railroad Commissioners,

Regarding the beef controversy the commissionary will find: That the charges that chemicals were used to pre-

terday. It is said that this Regiment has serve the beef are without foundation; earned a worse reputation at Macon that the refrigerated beef furnished the than the North Carolina 3rd. They were army was excellent in quality and suffiat the depot here but a few minutes Suncient in quality and sufficient in quantiday morning but there was noise enough

ty. Attention will be called to the fact that the beef upon which chemicals were employed was placed on board a trans port at Tampa by Mr. Powell, and did not belong to the government.

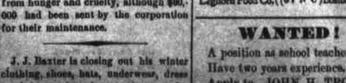
An insufficient number of inspections were made by the Surgeon' General, de-

These are dangerous times for the partment, proper sanitary regulations health. Croup, colds and throat troubles lead rapidly to Consumption. A bottle were not strictly enforced and there was delay in some instances in furnishing of One Minute Cough Cure used at the right time will preserve life, health and medical supplies.

No fault will be found with any of the other departments. General Shafter's admission of mistakes will be recited. The commission will commend the Sau tiago Porto Rica campaign.

of them, being powerless, appealed to Aguinaldo. His reply was a letter from an unfortunate child—perhaps exacted after suffering—saying she is happy and contented. Ladies have suffered untold at once.

ruel treatment Five priests have died in one province from hunger and cruelty, although \$60,-



#### Apply to JOHN H. TROTT Maysville, N. C.

66 Ryan vs Roach.

77 Lumber Co vs Bank

imported stuffs, figured and checked are to go into this sale at the ordinary price of common 80 Lumber Co vs Phillips.

96 Wilcox vs Dixon. prints, 4c. 98 Schollenberger vs Schollenber

ger. DIVORCE. 3 Rouse vs Rouse.

25 Albritton vs Albritton 76 Hicks vs Hicks.

- 50 Spruill vs Spruill.
- 117 Themas vs Thomas.

#### At Last.

Widson-I wonder what induced Jum kins to marry his typewriter. Booler-Why, didn't you know that he'd been trying for years to get a type-

writer of his own

#### The Hiss of Love.

Chitds Veats, size 22, 24, 26 and 28, Master-Isn't there something scorch ag. Peter-1 guess it is only Laura and tor young man saying good night. Men's Scarlet Undershirts and Draw

ers, 50c grade, Men's Gray Undershirts, Also a full line of other grades but no

THE SECRETS space to mention prices, all marked Blankets. of easy and al most painless

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### Table Linens.

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What remains of our 5c grade of Quaker City Flannels will be

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cluding very handsome styles, we make a pile of them and the

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Ladies all wool Pants and Vests, \$1

grade Ladics 3 wool Pants and Vests, 75c

grade Ladies | wool gray Vests,

"Be Colored table linens 25c grade fore Baby is " " short length " " better grade 15c Born," a copy 25c Bleached, table damask 250 Half bleached table damask 60 inches wide Half bleached table damask 70 inches 38c 480

wide, 60c grade A few short length pieces, various qualifies will be closed out at a sacri-tice; each piece marked in plain figures so you can wait on yourself.

#### Napkins.

Turkey red doylies 5c grade 10c grade Plaid doylies, 25c doz All linen, white doylies with colored

borders Sfe doz All linen, white doylies colored borders, better grade 47c few dozen left of "our special" all 47c doz linen doylles 75c grade to close Jur white doylles, pure linen very cheap at 75c dozen will be sold as long as they last at 60c

#### Capes,

dies black cape, fur trimmed, 75c value, adies black cape, braid trimmed 90c

value, Ladies black cape, all wool trimmed with braid and fur 1.25 value 95c Ladies black beaver cape, 1.75 value 1 25 " better grade 3 20

8 00 value, 2 20 Very fine beaver capes, plain and simple in style, excellent mate-rial, value 4 75, now 3 95 Also a full range in plush capes and a fow shoulder fur capes, all marked down and must be sold.

60c 60c doz 50c

Several pieces plain cashmers, 39 inches wide, double fold, the best 15c value to close 100 Brocaded dress goods our leader at 15c meets the same fate and is reduced to 1 Plain black brilliantine, 36 inches 124c wide, excellent to make skirts and suits, value 85c Plain do, 50c grade, excellent lustre 80c 38 inches wide Plain do, 45 inches wide, has lustre almost equal to silk, value 85c Brocaded brilliantine 38 inches wide 600 beautiful designs and good black a ready seller ordinarily at 50c, but as we have too much of it and will sell a few pieces in this sale at Dur 50c line of novelty dress goods 8740

Dress Goods.

wool good colors and excellent

Cashmere 1 wool, colors and black

Double fold brocaded dress goods.

value at 10c

value 10c

from ,60c to 85c

#### Hosiery.

Ladies Blk and Gray Hose, " Hose, 10c grade, Childs Improved double knee hose fast black, heavy ribbed, 124 and 15c grade meet like reduction and the price

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#### Miscellaneous.

5-4 Table oll cloth per yard Clarks crochet cotton in all shades Brass pins Ladies Gossamers, value \$1.35 Gents white H S hankerchiefs Ladies " " pure liner A few pair ladies shoes 3 4 Misrea and childrens Dong., ab 9 to 13, 13 to 3 9 to 1s, is to 3 Infants turned shoes 3-5 32x24 Huck Towels, Orders from the country accounty by the cash will be filled with ou

omptness and at the prices g vortised as long as each item

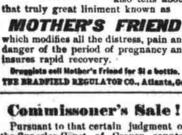
#### Millinery.

What is left in hats and cap sathers will the sold at and

I E MIDITAL AND

Pursuant to that certain judgment o ANY LADY the Superior Court of Craven county, rendered at the Fall term, 1898 in the certain action therein peuding entitled The Citizens Bank of New Bern, against Augustus Lawson and others; the un-dersigned will as Commissioner as in or man, who will take orders for our Leghora Elen Food in their vicinity, dersigned will as Commissioner as in said judgment directed, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for Cash at the neurt house door of Craven county. on Wednesday the 8th day of February 1899, at the hour of 12 o'clock, m, or im-sediately upon the adjournment of the Superior court for its noon recess, all and singular the following described piece or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Craven, State of North Carolina, known and designated as fol-lows: Reginning at Maple on Jumding run and runs with Edward Jones' line north 34 poles, west 125 poles, then east 180 poles to a small oak, south 34 poles, east 200 poles to Jumping run and up the various courses of the run to the beginning. Containing one hundred and two areas more ar less. OWEN H. GUION, Commissioner, CAN GET A GOLD WATCH, FREI Our food increases yield of eggs, and keeps fowl in good health. We are making liberal affers to agents in order to get more people to using our fond. On recent of 50c, we will send, postpaid, a regular \$1.00 size box, with which you can begin to take orders Pausphler, with more information about here, arent on receipt of milloddronard, samped envelope. Address Legitorn Food Co. ((57 N C) Boston, Mass.

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