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TWO STATE LI GISLATURES

The Legislative proceedings of any State, when its enactments go to extreme ends, either in their retrogade or forward moves, are particularly instructive to the prople of other States.

The Nevada and Arkansas Legis atures are two rotable examples, and recent ones, which show what extreme legislation way be carried out.

In Arkansas it was legislation against mentance companies, which was so stringent in its character, that these business in the State, which means an and business interests of the State

The Nevada Lagislature seemed bound

These were to found a State lottery. teaffirmed as faith in prize lighting as a means for liberal culture, repealed the law enacted to secure purity in elections

possible of belief that there could be any legislature elected in any State in this country which would favor the lotters and prize tighting

which favors these two, lottery and prize fighting, should be against purity in elec-

It would be singular if such a legislature favored anything decent

That two legislatures should meet and enact such measures as the Arkansas and Nevada legislatures have done, is truly remarkable, and proves how degenerary will crep out, in spite of civilization

THE MOST AVAILABLE MAN NEEDED.

The late municipal election in Chicago and the recent celebrations of the birthday of Thomas Jefferson, in New York City and elsewhere arouses an interest in the Democratic chances of victory in the Presidental election in 1990, as well dren their full education at home. a the speculation of who shall be the Democratic Presidential nomince.

Jennings Bryan, has said, speaking for confined to the limit of the Styth Grade the Democratic party, "We are entitled in the free school to the most available man," and it must this advice is carried out, if success is to today

Carter II. Harrison's election in Chicago, seems to have alarmed Republicans in Illinois, and the warning by Republican newspaper is sent forth, that the Republican party must make no mistakes in Illinois, in its selection of the next gabernatorial nominee in that State.

Illinois has twenty four electoral votes. a number that the Republicans do not care to jeopardize, and they recognize in Harrison an enemy whose move from Mayor of Chicago to Governor of Illinois would make him a political foe to be greatly feared for the Presidency.

Tammany in New York City seems to be looking upon upon Van Wyck, as the man for New York Democracy for a Presidential sominee, and Gorman of Maryland, while as yet undeveloped as an active candidate, may prove to be one when the time comes.

J. Sterling Morton, with his new party and Grover Cleveland, as a Presidential candidate, cannot be seriously considered

by Democrats. Mr. Bryan is in many ways a great man, honest in his opinions, a hard worker, and an ambitious man.

reconsily undaunted by the political

defeat of 1894, he regards himself as the "Necessity leader to win in 1900.

Mr. Bryan may be correct, yet his judgment may prove wrong, and next year may show to the Democratic party that Harrison, Van Wyck, Gorman or some other Democrat may have the ele ments of strength which shall prove that another besides Mr. Bryan should be

named for leadership

The McKinley administration has made mistakes yet it has won successes

The JOURNAL is only sent on pay- crotic party, and good realm plear gods ment is demanded of Democrats that to scriptions, and an immediate response to imistake is made in attenting to comple selection of a National leader

The Democratic party cannot hope to win if it permits the aurbition of any one cambilate for leader-hip to become greater than the threcests and principles of Section Two, Friday, April 21, 1899 the early, for the party must over be above, not subservient to its lendership .

THE CLASS GRADED SCHOOLS ESPECIALLY BENEFIT.

The question of tituded Schools for New Bern, to be voted upon next month in this city, naturally means - the thought and inquiry, is any class of citizens to

To this it may be said that while every

ost beneatted, and yet wrote the great class of mederately well to do familie will be the exect beneficiaties, the fiche class will his receive benefits.

There are no lathers or mothers, who It is not surprising that the legislature are indifferent to the r chitiren receiving

> A common school vdm tion may be the extent of their hopes, yet this limit is through stern buancial necessity, not

Bern, takes the schoolst only to the Sixth

This advanced educational move van not be fully estimated in its value to

This advance in the educational course over the present system is most impos-Speaking of the nomince, Mr. William | tant to those children who are at present

be the policy of Democrats to see that line is too grand a one to go backward

A community lacking educations Who that most available man shall be, means cannot make progress. There can is a vital question, a most important one be no success in its movements, and it to be gone over many times during the certainly will not attract a class of destrable reople to come to it, and make

> A vote for the Graded Schools mean progress and enlightenment for the commounty, and no true citizen can afford to hinder such an advance in his city.

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MOZLEY'S LEMON ELIXIR. A pleasant Lemon Tonic.

For biliousness, constipation and ap-For holler stion, sick and nervous head

For sleeplessness, nervousness and cart father, For fever, chills, debility and kidney listases, take Lemon Elixir.

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At the Capital.

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All in the Family

Birds of a feather flock together,"

It cannot be denied; And wheels whose name-plates are alike Look better side by side.

If you suffer from tenderness or full ness on the right side, pains under houlder blade, constipation, biliousness ick bendache, and feel dull heavy and sleepy your liver is torpid and congested De Witt's Little Early Risers will cure and the youngest boar er. you promptly, pleasantly and Jerma nently by removing the conge tion and causing the bile ducts to open and flow naturally. They Are Good Pills,-F. S.

No Mon y to Lose.

"An is come of \$1,000 a day, Billy think of it." "Not I. When I stop work to think

the boss docks me ten cents."

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hait, of Groton, S. D., "Was taken C.dor. with a bad cold which settled on my gave me up saying I could live but a now be's writing magazine artices." short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet advised to get Dr. King's New Discov ery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles

TRAGEDY IN PORTSHOUTH

obt, E. Shaw Killed by Constable Jame Hutchin -

Nonselk, Ya., April 17-Robert E. Shaw was shot yesterday in Portsmouth by County Constable James Hutchins The former, whose neck scarf was perforated by the shot which entered his breast, walked two blocks and then fell

Shaw, who has a wife and five children residing in Portsmouth, was employed as a clerk in the Scaboard Air Line offices. He came originally from every household. It werer disappoints. Littleton, N. C., where his family connections are said to be excellent, but from these he is reported to have been for some time estranged

The tragedy yesterday is said to have been caused by Shaw's persistently visit ing Mrs. Hutchins, who is believed to have been indiscreet. Shaw, it appears, had been forbilden to Thatchins to visit her and was met vesterday afternoon by her husband as he ishows emerged from the house. The killing followed. Hutch ins, who gave himself up to Justice Ainsworth, is in custody

He made a sta ement this evening. He says that he, upon approaching his home Hon, William A. Guthrie, of Durham, heard his wife say " dy God, there is ne of the leading lawyers of North Car | Jim Hutchins," and up a Shaw emergolina, was seen at the Metropolitan 14st ling from the house, which he bad been examine to 1806 Mr. Guthrie was the warned by the hudge of und be chief again Populist cardidate for Gevernor, and shot him. Mary Lones, colored, in front acl the Democrats fused with the Popu of whose house Share die., says that lists that year he would have been elect. Mrs. Hutcheas approached and by ished al but the three parties ran separate endearments arout the daing man and tickets, and the result was that the Re- that her husband or level her to desist publican number. Judge Russell, was or he would shoot her. Shaw is a son of the conordetor of Show's Springs

The tather came for his son's body and will convey it homes for buried. The cor-Blame, and if Mr Blaine were after oner's jury metable evening a d Hu ch-

> Lattle, to glested scritches and wounds frequently result in blood poisoning, University Freshmen Capture Two of the Which Haz-t Salve, a thoroughly antivays coming piles, old of crs, sores, cuts, in the two literary societies at the Uniwounds and skin diseas s F S Duffy.

Posto Rican Pastoral

A lone control trooper in Porce Said Wed, now, I think I'll enseoned

Myself here in trade, When a lorture l've made I'll lead it e e jay Spani o-Lan dawnce

Relief in hix Hours.

Distressing Kulney and Hadder Dis ease relieved in six hours by "New Great Bemen are members of the freshman South American Kidney Cure." It is a class, which speaks well for the interest great surprise on account of its exceed, and zeal shown in literary society work ng prompine s in relieving pain in that by the new men. The contests in both der, kidneys and back, in male or female. societies were of a high order, as is evi-Relieves retention of water almost im denced by the large number of competimediately. If you want quick relief and lors in each contest. cure this is the remedy. Sold by C. D. Bradham, druggist, New Bern, N. C.

Was Curious.

Claribel- You told me you were never going to write to young Hankinson ngain

Angle: He's written me a dozen letters fly years I have been a great sufferer I haven't answered, but in his last one neness. Thave tied sil the temedics he left a page out, and I had to write and

People who have once taken De Wiit's ities of the system, P. S. Duffy.

Cooling the Air.

When Lawson Tail, the English sur geon and his wife, were driving through has decided to build one or more large he city of New York one hot summer morning, Mrs. Tait, observing large blocks of ice standing opposite each loor, remarked "See what a novel plan they have of keeping the air nice and cool by exposing small icobergs opposite through Georgia. The team played six

Rhoumatism Cured in 24 Hours

T. J. Blackmore, of Haller & Black time since I procured a bottle of Mystic object of the hearing is to decide upon a any good. I had five of the best physi- few weeks. cians in the city, but I received very little relief from them I know the Mystic Cure to be what it is repres uted Special to Journal. and take pleasure in recommending it to other poor sufferers."
Sold by Henry's Pharmacy.

The Cheerful Idiot

Every woman is an aristocrat at heart, Qcs, said the Cheerful Idiot, she bates to think of herself as classed with the

plain people.

If you have piles, Cure them. No use undergoing horrible operations that sim ply remove the results of the disease with out disturbing the disease Itself. Place trial. your confid nee in DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It has never failed to cure others It will not fail to cure you. F. S. Duffy.

War an Educator. Bacon - The late war was a great edu

1 pain's Greatest Need.

Mr R P Olivia, of Barcelons, Spain, my absent ones above. My husband was spends his winters at Alken, S. U. Wenk the neighbors wouldn't find out we had It has cured me) and thank God I am one."

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A GIFT FOR THE BALRIGH.

Southerners boarded the Raleigh morning and on behalf of Mrs. A. W. llaywood, of Haw River, North Carolina who christened the crutser int the Nor folk navy yard, presented the vessel with a set of punch cups, which have been made to harmonize with the great punch bowl given by the citizens of North Carolina.

There are a dozen of the cups, made of stiver and gold lined, each standing three and one half inches high.

Mrs. Haywood is a granddaughter of the late Governor Thomas II. Holt, of North Carolina. The cups, which were made by Jacobi & Jenkins, of Baltimore, were sent to the establishment of Tiffany and Company, where engravers put the following inscription on the

T. S. Cruiser Raleigh. Presented by her Sponsor, Mrs. A. W. Haywood." This was done at the request of the Raleigh's officers, who insisted that her name be displayed upon each one of the sliver pieces.

Are they wood has been detained at home by ill health, but among those who attended the presentation were Assistant United States Attorney Gen eral lames E. Boyd, of Washington, the North Carolina members of the Prest dent's official family, who was chosen to make the presentation address: Mr C B. Wright, a sister of Mrs. Haywood; C. C. Wright, A. W. Haywood and his son, Thos. Holt Haywood; General Haywood of Washington, commander of the marine corus, and Mrs Haywood, Mr and Mrs. James N. Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. William Williamson, of North Car

MEDAL CONTEST.

Valued Prizes

Cusper Hill, N. C., April 17 - The annual debaters' and decialmers' contest versity held Friday evening proved to be one of the most interesting events of the session in society life. The debaters medat in the I'ld Society was awarded to Mr. R. D. W. Connor, of Wilson, a mean her of the present senior class. The declaimers' in did in the Pai. Society were to Mr. W. P. Jacocks, of Windsor, while in the Di Society Mr. R. R. Williams, of Newton, was awarded the decision of the committee. Both the last named gen

News Notes.

Mr. Andrew Carnegle has donated \$1,000 to the traveling library of the Scaloard Air Line. The cruiser Raleigh will go to Will

mington, N. C., within a short time From there she will go to Charleston, If it is the purpose of naval officers, as intimated, to present the city of Raleigh with a captured Spanish cannon brought over by the cruiser Radeigh, it

would require congressional action to make a gitt of the piece About twenty of Quay's supporterhave deserted him and the prospects of

must be in the nature of a loan, as it

electing a san nor are bright. The R J. Reynolds Tobacco Company factories at Winston, N. C., and to in crease the output of manufactured to

bacco fifteen million pounds annually: The Trioity College base ball team has returned from a successful trip

games of which they lost only one, Clement Manly, referee in the North State Improvement case has beard argument in the final hearing before him it more, Pittsburgh, Pa., says: "A short the North State Improvement case. The Cure. It got me out of the house in 24 division of the funds received from the hours. I took to my bed with Rheuma- sale of the Cape Fear railro at an I other tism nine months ago and the Mystic property owned by the company. The Cure is the only medicine that did me referee's decision wid be announced in a

Supreme Court Opinions.

RALKIGH, April 18-The following opinious were filed by the Supeme Court today: Cowles vs Council, from Catawba, per curiam, affirmed

Windberger vs Lancy from Caldwell, per coriam, affirmed. Mitchell vs Scales, from Forsyth, af

Broadfoot vs Fayetteville, affirmed. Balk vs Unrris, from Beaufort, peti tion to rehear dismissed

State vs Beard, from Catawba, new trial. State vs Knott, from Foreyth, new

Will Resume Relations. WASSINGTON, April 17 .- The French

Ambassador, M Cambon, called on Secretary Hay to day and officially advised him, in behalf of Spain, that the Duke D'Arcos had been chosen as Spanish minister to Washington. The Ambassa mucous surfaces of the system. Price lungs, cough set in and finally termi- "Why, Corporal Cartridge couldn't dor also made known that the Spanish nated in consumption. Four doctors, write his name before he enlisted, and government, through the minister of Foreign affairs, had informed him that Mr Bellamy Storer would be persons grata as United States Minister at Mad drid. The Secretary and the Ambassador felicitated each other on the agreeable nerves had caused severe pains in the diplomatic relations which would be back of his head On using Electric soon re established between the United Bitters, America's greatest Blood and States and Spain. The Hose of Dake





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