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#### TUESDAY'S ELECTIONS.

Elections were held in twelve States Tuesday, as follows :

Ohio, Iowa, Kentucky, Mississippi, Maryland and Massachusetts elec ted a Governor and other State officers Nebraska a Judge of the Supreme Court and two Regents of the State University; Pennsylvania a Treasurer and a Judge of the Supreme and Superior Courts ; Dakota three Justices of the Supreme Court, and New York, New Jersey and Virginia a Legislature. There were five tickets in Ohio, five in Iowa, six in Kentucky, two in Mississippi, three in Nebraska, two in South Dakota, three in Maryland, five in Pennsylvania, and five in Massachusetts. In Kansas and Colorado county officers were elected and municipal elections were field in San Francisco, Salt Lake, New Orleans and Detroit.

In New York State members of the lower branch of the Legislature were chosen. County and judicial officers were e'ected in the four counties of Greater New York.

The latest news is that the vote in lives. Ohio is close with the chances in fayor of the Republicans. Democrats win in Nebraska, and Kentucky in doubt, while Maryland is conceded to the Demccits.

The News and Observes to-day says editorially :

"At one o'clock Wednesday morning, the hour at which we go to press, the news from the close States-Ohio, Kentucky, Maryland aud Nebraska, shows big Democratic gains.

"The Republicans concede that the day. Democrats have carried Maryland by ten thousand majority.

"In Lincoln and Omaha the Democrats have made gains, and the indications are that Bryan's State is true to fortune to fall, injuring himself serithe principles for which he stands by ously, and this shock to his system no not less than 10,000 majority.

"In Ohio, McLean carries Hamilton

HAVE THEY FORGOTTEN? When the new well on the court

yard was completed more that a month ago, it was suggested by some one that inasmuch as the county had put a good well there the town of Halifax ought to put a nice platform and shelter to it. they would do it, but nothing has been

done towards it. The well is just a it was a month ago. Have the Halifax citizens forgotten up of 224 officers and 6,935 enlisted

their promise? BECAME INSANE ON THE SUB-JECT OF RELIGION.

Statesville Landmark. Our Taylorsville correspondent memtioned, in the last issue of The Landmark, that two daughters of Mr. Sion Watts, who were employed in the Moore Cotton Mill, near Tayforsville, had become demented and had to be taken home.

The Landmark learns that these young girls became insane on the subject of religion. They had been attending a meeting conducted by a sanctification preacher and had become so

wrought up on the subject that they decided that they could pass through fire without damage-even as Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego in days of old. They therefore divested them-

selves of their clothing and saturated their bodies, the room and the furniture with kerosene, and were about to apply the match and try the actual experiment when they were discovered and prevented from endangering their

At last accounts one of the girls was

slightly improved but application had been made to send the other to the State Hospital. It is a pitiable

SALDERLIN.

Raleigh Post. The thousands of friends of the late Rev. Dr. George W. Sanderlin will hear of his death with sincere sorrow It occurred in Washington City Sun-

Dr. Sanderlin had been ill for three years, and receiving treatment in a

hospital for a greater portion of that time. Some days ago he had the misdoubt hastened his death.

### OUR WAR EXPENSES.

Correspondence to THE COMMONWEALTH.) WASHINGTON, D. C. Nov. 6, '99.

The annual report of the Adjutant General shows the total casualties in action, and deaths in the regulars and volunteers since the beginning of the Spanish war, to have been 10,076. Some of the citizens of the town said The casuality list alone aggregates 3. 454, of whom 33 officers and 458 enlisted

2,764 enlisted mon were wounded. The death list numbers 6,619, and is made

men. The great majority of these died from disease, a total 5,314 enlisted men going down from this cause. These figures indicate the enormous cost of warfare in unhealthful climates, regardless of the actual loss of men in engagements. It will be remembered that active hostilities have been waged

but little in the ten months since the Filipino insurfection. Nothing has been done in the Philippines for three months past, owing to the wet season, and yet the deaths of the Americans

have been going along steadily and Copeland; China Toilet set, Mr. & Mrs. rapidly.

The report states, also, that by Dec- Ray Copeland ; Set china cups and more than double the number now there. The conditions which will be stated in the next annual report can be estimated. There will be, necessarily, more than twice as many deaths Whit Bell; Madonna, Miss Zephia from disease. It will be more difficult Brown ; China clock, Mr. R. C. Camp-

to take care of the sick, because the bell; China fruit stand hand hospital accomodations can not be in- painted, Mrs. W. D. Downs; China creased proportionately. When to this is added a cash expense | Speight ; Handsome standard album, of not less than \$15,000,000 a month, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Harrell; Center

an idea can be had of the burden im- table, Mr. Henry Stokes; Large rocker, posed upon the American people by Mr. J. L. Bell; Large rocker, Mr. E. H. President McKinley's policy of hold- Haldison; Large parlor lamp, Miss T. ing all the Philippines. The most dis- H. Todd ; Large parlor lamp, Mr. & Mrs. couraging feature of this situation is E. C. Harrell; Picture with easel, Mr. the belief, now growing steadily in H. Hays; Cut glass pickle dishes, DEATH OF EX-STATE AUDITOR the War Department circles, that the Misses Sue Copeland and Mattie Hall; end is not at all in sight. Officers as- Pair silver embroidery seissors, Mr. M. signed to the Philippines are told that L. Parker; Silver salt and pepper stand, they "will be kept there not more than Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Garratt ; Photograph a year or so," and their places then fill- frames, Master Herbert Copeland; ed by others; that the policy will be Milk pitcher, Master Lee Copeland;

to relieve them after about one year's \$20 in gold, unknown kiend; hnen service. In other words, the Depart- towel that belonged to the bride's great ment has considered and outlined a great grand Mother. policy looking to a long, and indefinite

campaign in these islands. Much commont has been caused in Washington by the receipt of a dispatch from London showing that the regular session Monday and Tuesday. State Department of Washington has The following accounts were allowed : recently asked France, Germany and Jno. Fenner, work at Crt. House

# PRIFLIANT HOME WEDDING.

nce to THE COMMONWERSTH.) AHOSKEY, N. C. Nov. 6th. '99

Mr. R. H. Bryan of Norfolk, Va. spent Sunday here.

Mr. R. N. Hines of Edenton, is here this week in the interest of the Branning Manufacturing Co.

The Branning Manufacturing Co. forward. And as an illustration he men were killed, and 197 officers and will double the capacity of their saw thousand feet daily.

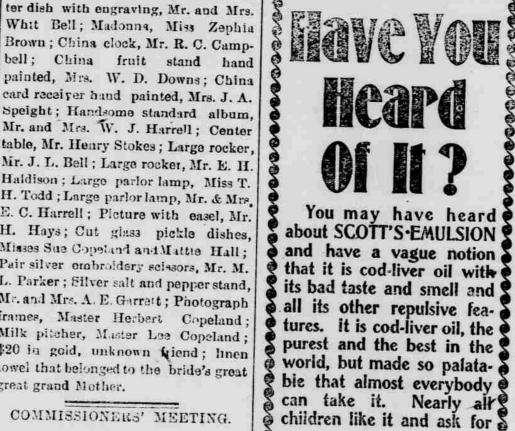
> On October 31st. Mr. M. O. Gerock and Miss India Copeland were married at the home of the bride's parents. The popularity of the bride and groom was attested to by the large number of their friends and relatives who were present to witness the ceremony. The parlors and halls were brilliantly ple they are systematically robbed of lighted and decorated with flowers, The wedding march was played by help themselves. As a further proof 11-2-5t

Mrs. W. D. Downs. The bride and this gentleman declared that not a groom were recepcints of many costly and useful presents, among them were : Suit of Irish Point lace, Miss Juent the loolish policy adopted by this com-

pany business in every line is leaving Ed Gerock ; Water set, Master Rob this road and going toward the Seaboard and Southern. We had not had ember 1st there will be in the Philip- saucers, Mr. Ola Parker; Set dessert our attention called to this matter bepines an aggregate of 65,725 men, or plates, Mr. and Mrs. F. Powell; fore, and publish it for what it is Set glass tumblers & goblets, Mr. S. L. worth. Badhom; Set silver spoons with en-graving, M. J. Felksmith ; Silver but-

WHY THIS COURSE?

Charity and Children.



more. The county commissioners were in SCOTT'S è EMULSION looks like cream; it nourgarding the preservation of the "open J. H. House, conveying prisoners 3 50 10 00 12 00 1 00 2 00 bears about the same rela-64 tion to other emulsions that @ 10 40 cream does to milk. If you g 300 00 have had any experience with other so-called "just as @ 1 50 good" preparations, you will find that this is a fact. 105 20 The hypophosphites that are 2 00 combined with the cod-liver oil give additional value to it because 10 00 they tone up the nervous system 4 00 and impart strength to the whole e body.

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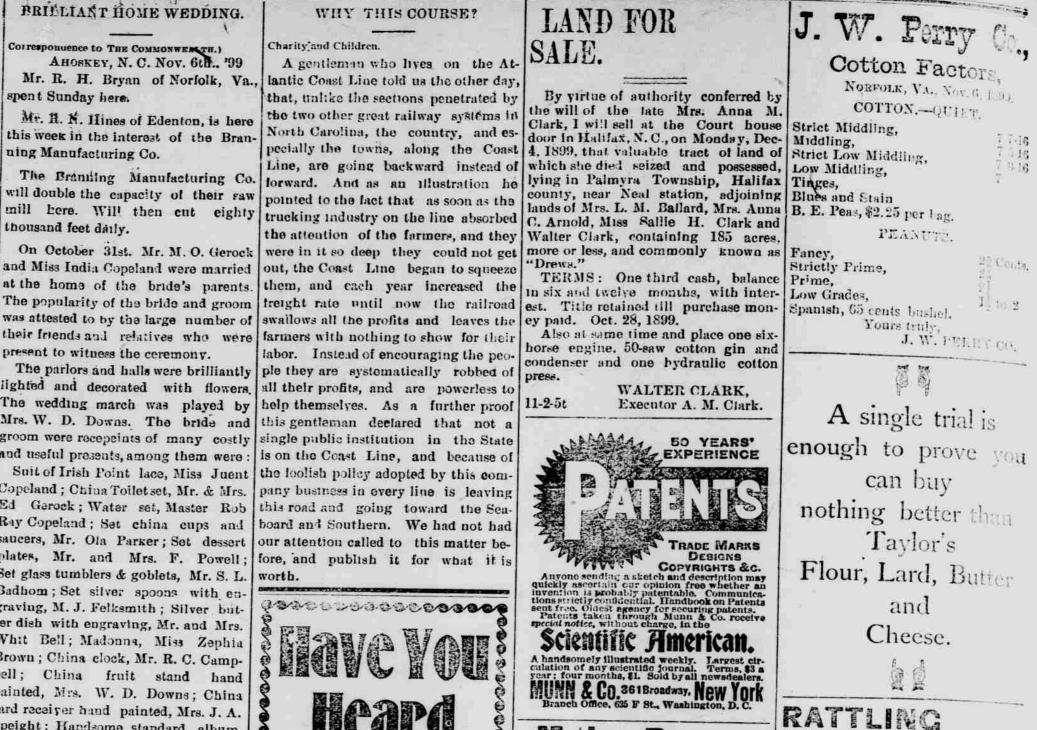
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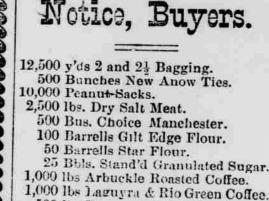
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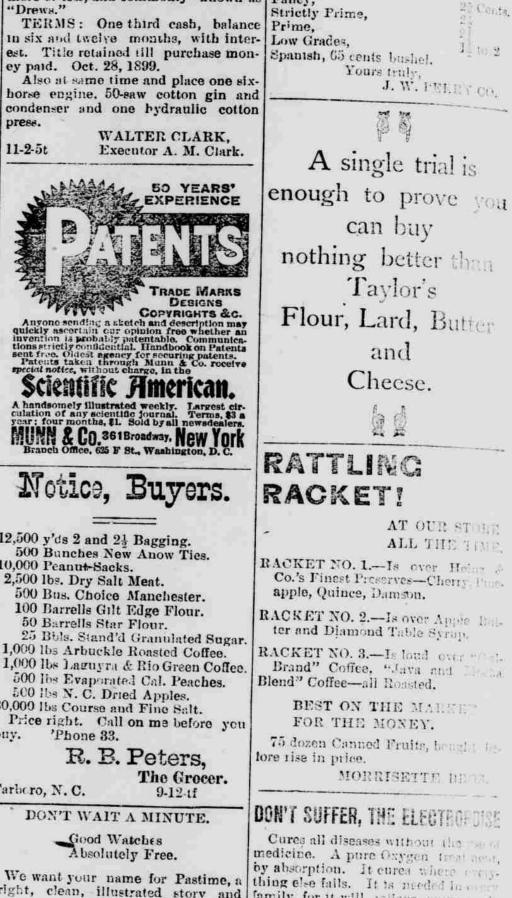
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COTTON .--- QUIET.

PEANUTZ.

"The news from Kentucky is meagre. Grebel carries Kenton, his home pit, when actively in the ministry, and Democrats expect to make their great- for him a high reputation and much and establish a sphere of lafluence has J. A. House, jail account these expectations are realized, Goebel is elected.

THE FOUNDATION STONES.

#### Virginian Pilot.

The foundation of public opinion the educators of the people, that is of the great mass of people, are the country papers. It is wonderful and surprising to contemplate the influence of these sheets.

The big city paper is taken to a limited extent only beyond its own municrailroad points. There are thousands days, after publication of the daily.

It is amongst these people that the slept. The cause of the killing is county paper gets in its work in the shrouded in mystery. The victim country districts. Just as the yote of was a quiet, inoffensive man, with no the State-the farmer's vote, governs known enemy. The fact that a conthe politics of New York, so does the siderable amount of money was found farmer's vote control Virginia. Into in his pocket lends to discredit the the homes of these people the county theory, of robbery. The police up to paper goes as a welcome visitor. It this time appear to be completely bafbrings all the news in condensed form fied. Mr. Powell came to Georgia sevand what it says editorially is read and eral years ago from North Carolina. makes an impression. The paper is He has a sister and several brothers in preciously guarded and cared for and Texas.

reread until, may be, twelve months after, it helps make a cover for a fruit or preserve jar.

It is impossible for editorials not to troublesome and dangerous complicaticumstances and good or bad, every

Generally the county paper and the "Court House Ring" (for there is one in every county) work harmoniously Norfolk Landmark. and all goes well, office holders succeeding themselves' sometimes for twenty years. But when a break comes It never fails to be disastrous to the office holder. Politics in the country are not corrupt, with few exceptions, and no "leadership" or "managing" is allowed. Organization means for the benefit of the party, of all Democrats, and no unfair treatment is allowed.

SPAIN'S GREATEST NEED.

Mr. R. P. Oliyia, of Barcelona, Spain pends his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak nerves had caused severe pains in the back of his head. On using Electric Bitters, America's greatest Mr. Darst visited points of interest medicine is what his country needs. outlook of this port. All America knows that it cures liver

Dr. Sanderiin was a most kindly Russia to give written assurances re- J. A. House, holding Oct. court 68 00 county (Cincinnati), Jones carries amiable gentleman, and was warmly Hanne's county, and the result is in esteemed by all who knew him well. door" in China. It is claimed that E. E. Norman, repair. bridges He possessed many elements of the the Administration is not satisfied with Jno. Whitehead, hauling coal

who are so sadly afflicted.

orator, and his work, both in the pul- oral assurances that have been given, J. H. Fenner, tobacco for jul and it is even hinted that a proposal Calvin Jones, pauper coffin, county. by 2,500, but the Republicans on the hustings when in later years on the part of the Powers that the Uni- S. M. Hale, goods for county he participated in political affairs won ted States should soize a port in China B. H. Hale, goods for jail

> He leaves a widow, several daughers and a large circle of loying triends the subject and commented upon this J. H. Norman, recording cleriand relatives throughout the State, "new departure" in the American polwho mourn his death. The Post begs to unite its sincere sorrow with those

A NORTH CAROLINIAN'S MYS-TERIOUS DEATH AT MACON GA.

Macon, Ga., Nov. 3d .- A. A. Powell, well known oil merchant of this city, was found early this morning unconscieus with his skull crushed into a ipal borders, and quickly accessible jelly. He died shortly after he was found without having gained conhving beyond these points who cannot sciousness. Mr. Powell lived by himbe reached for at least a day, or two self in a room over his store and had been murdered apparently while he

> DE. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP IS NOT A. Common every day cough mixture. It is a marvelous remedy for all the

make an impression under these cir- ons resulting from a cold in the head. throat chest or lungs. Sold for 25 ets county man will swear by his paper. CAROLINA'S IMMIGRATION COM-MISSIONER.

> The State of North Carolina is reaching out after the best class of European immigration. She has already had

great success in securing Western 1mmigration. The Hon. J. W. Thomp son, Commissioner of Immigration and Assistant Commissioner of Agri culture for the State of North Car-

olina, is in the city, stopping at the Atlantic Hotel. He is on his way to New York on business connected with the immigration movement. While dition of the mucoas lining of the out of the blood the poisons and hu-Jeffers and Darst, industrial and immigration agents of this city and section, and yesterday in company with Blood and Nerve Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says this grand around the harbor. He is greatly in-terested and pleased with the business destroyed forever nine cases ont of ten large bottle; six bottles (full treat

been rejected. It is no small wonder B. H. Hale, goods for county that the London papers have taken up W. R. Shaw, work at crt. house cal work

icy. It need hardly be added that it J. H. Allsbrook, repair. bridges 74 00 finds full approval in England, because H. Burgess, burying pauper it is strictly in line with the English Jno. Carroll, repairing bridges

government's plan to preserve the Chi- J. B. Hunter, prisoner to iail nese goverment intact, for if China is Wilcox Bros., coal for crt. house 145 20 split up into parts, and parceled around Emry & Pierce, goods for county 33 48 to the different powers, each country J. N. Brown, drugs for county will necessarily monopolize the trade G. P. Williams, building bridges 62 00

in the particular section assigned to it. L. Vinson, laying off road 3 00 The Englishman is too much of a E. W. Hamill, repairing bridges 12 00 trader to consent to any such scheme, W. T. Williams, laying off road 3 00 and it would seem to be playing into R. Terry, feeding prisoner England's hands for this government W. R. Shaw, waiting on court 5 70 to adopt a policy which would involve W. B. Drewery, court house ace't 43 21 an interference in the Chinese question J. A. Perry, letting and receivand the prospect of incurring the dis-

ing bridges pleasure of Germany, France and Rus- Froelich Trading Co., goods sia. That this is the intention of the Peter Odom, work on road Administration, is gathered from the B. V. Butts, lotting three bridges 6 00 fact that the squadron in the Philip. J. M. Pearce, work at co. home pines has been increased far out of pro- Geo. Hardy, repairing bridges portion to the actual needs, and it is Hackney Bros., cart wheels accepted in diplomatic circles as a D. R. Anderson, goods for county 62 67 threat on the part of this Administra- T. R. Hendricks, conv'g prisoners 6 60 tion to intervene should any further T. R. Hendricks, sum. witnesses partitioning of China take place. B. E. Bobbitt, repairing bridge Though the State Department denies J. F. Peel, conveying prisoner that there is any sort of alliance with P. A. Rasberry, feeding prisoners \$1 00 England, the fact remains that our J. F. Peel, conveying prisoners government is shaping its policy to ac- Dock Shearin, pauper coffin cord with the aims and purposes of the Mack Drew, repairing fence

English government, and we are act. W. M. Cohen, drugs for county 26 50 ually being used by England as a tool Small-pox guard for Palmyra to menace the European countries. One of the sensations of Washington s Admiral Crown:nshield's peevish,

and impertinent criticism of Congress and his attempt to belittle Dewey's victory, as contained in his official report. He is the chief of the Bureau of Navigation of the Navy Department

and is well known to bejone of D ewey's Children, Rheumatism, Catarrh, Itch-DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED.

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