THE CAPITULATION OF MAFEKING

Paris Papers Definitely Aunounce it Today

TAYLOR WILL GET THE KY. GOVENORSHIP

Flection Commissioners Will Tomorrow So Declare-Vote Stood Two to One Against Goebel-Three Important Battles Imminent -Today's News

Paris, Dec. 8.—The Paris paper today mnonnee definitely the capitulation of

BATTLE OF MODDER RIVER. London, Dec. 8.-A Pretoria disputch says that the battle of Modder river began Wednesday morning.

TO TRY ROERS FOR TREASON. Cape Town, Dec. 8. Several Colonial Boers have been connected for trial for trenson. It is reported that the Books have murdered two boys who strayed it o

THREE BIG PATTLES IMMINENT. London, Dec. S. Apparently three in portant battles are impending. General bottom battles are injecting. See a Buller's advance beyond Frere is now believed to fuve begin, and he will are counter Boers strongly fortified on the road to Ladysmith. The freat of Mercal to Ladysmith. thuen's column is now near Modder riv The Boers have also therought strengthened their position.

General Gataere, northern Unger Colony, is apparently in danger of being be set by overwhelming numbers. Each of these battles may occur of any time. London realizes this and is all in a quiver of anxiety and expectance.

The most striking thing of the military situation is the continued antspraging of the Barr force making a disciplination.

of the Boer forces, whatever direction the British recommiter. The War Office people confess that they are tradhe to estimate the total number of around Boers, Afrikatalers in the field, or to locate their positions, uside from the main columns with any corainty, A TRANSPORT WRECKED.

Cape Town, Dec. 8. The transport Is more is a total wreek off St. Helena bay All the men ard twenty horses were say ed; the rest of the herses and all gon

TOTAL BRITISH TROOPS IN TRANSVAAL.

London, Dec. 8.—The firmulal so to tary of the War Office said that when all the troops have arrived the total, in-cluding Colonial and Naval contingents. in South Africa will be 105,770. The Daily News says that a sour as the Sixth Corps embarked it is inter-lied to prepare to mobilize the Seventh, in our it should be meded.

TAYLOR ELECTED GOVERNOR.

Kentucky Election Commission Will Se

Frankfort, Dec. 8. The board of election commissioners still stand two fr Paylor to one for Goelel. A number of Democratic political

concluded this natiting that nothing mor could be done and started for home. CommissionerstEllis and Pelor, prepared late last night a formal decision to be attnonneed tomorrow in favor of Taylor, Poynts, the other member of the earn mission, is preparing a namority report

GEN, YOUNG WINS ANOTHER Figure

in favor of Goebel.

Manila, Dec. S.-Gen, Young had hard, but successful fight with a greatly superior force, under General Tino. The Filipino loss is heavy. American los one killed and twelve wounded.

IN CONGRESS TODAY.

Southern Members Solid Agains Car-rency Bill, Edc.
Washington, Dec. 8.—In the Sonate to day it was voted to adjourn till Mon-

Chandler, of New Hampshire, reported resolution for the appointment of a sp-

cial committee on elections. In the House Dazell, of the Committee on Rules, reported an increase of the Committee on Mechant Marine and Pisheries of 4 members. Several other committees are increased by the ablition

of 2 members each. Committee on Consular a Tairs is also created. Representative Elliott says the Southorn members are solidly against the Re-

publican currency till, despite the acti-tude of the Brooklyn Democracy.

A DAILY THOUGHT.

Thomas DeQuincey. The natural excursiveness of collequial intercourse, its tendency to advance by subtle links of association, is one of its ndvantages; but mere vagracey positive acquiescence in the direction given to it by chance or by any verbal accident is among its worst diseases.

"Bixby is the most cautious may about advancing opinions I ever met. I asked Flypp's rainy-day shirt. .6 h-1, 8th123 n yesterday if he daln't think Mrs Flypp's rainy-day skirt was pretty short for a woman of her dimensions. "What did she say?"

"He said with great hesitation that the fault might lie in the fact that her dimensions were a little long for the skint.

—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

Willie-Johnny Smith's mother is aw

ful good to him. Jimmy-What did she do? Let him have the measles the day school opened.-Life.

MORE CORDIAL RELATIONS WITH

THE PRESIDENT. Washington, Dec. 8.—General Greener's place on the Committee of rener's place on the Commission Rules, is regarded by the House as sig-nifying that much closer relation exist-between the Fifty-sixth Congress of the House and the White House, than with Reed's administration. Gen Grosvenor is regarded as a representative of the President. It is safe to say that no fa-vers will be granted by the Countities on Rules to members desiring further authorities. inti-administration measures.

The passage of the currency and ship subsidy bills is surely corated on besides carious measures dealing with insular

THE NEW YORK BIKE RACE. New York, Dec. 8, 4F-allowing is the record of the riders in the bicycle race this morning: Miller-Waller, 2,014.3; Gimm-Picree, 2,014.; 8, eyens-Turville, 2,013.3; Maya, McFachern, 2,014.9; Fisher, Charles, 11, 2012.0. er, Chevalier, 2,013.9. Later,—At 2 o'clock the score stands; Miller-Waller, 2,105.7; Maya-Machern, 2,105.6; Ginna-Pierce, 2,105.4; Fisher-

WHY ROSS WAS RESPITED

thevaller, 2.105.5.

Petitions Filed With the Govenor Asking a Commutation of Sentence -Was to be Hung Vesterday

At the last term of the Criminal Court of Robesta, Judge Battle presiding, one Reuben Ross was convicted of the crime of rape on Mrs. Ingram and sen enced to be hanged on December 7th tyester

a numerous citizens, respited the negro for thirty days. This stay of execution was made for the part se of allowing time for my ex-antigation of newly discovered evidence and some of the letters on file in the Executive effice are from premium cizens who say that the negro did not have a fair trial and that at most he

Governor Russell, upon the applicat on

was guilty of only attempted rape, doubt being expressed of this guilt at all: He was tried at a time of great ex-citement occasional by another similar ease, it which the defendant was guilty and it is claimed this prejudiced Ross

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION

The State Committee Will Call It Next Monday

Mach interest is being a unifested in the meeting of the Democratic State Com-mittee next Morday.

The call for the State convention of the party will their be made, and it is stated that an early convention will be decided on—to meet probably in April. One reason for this is the changing of the date for the State election by the last legislature, August now being the merth. Of course the Presidential and Congressicual election will take place in November, as heretofere. So there will by two general election held in North Carolina this year and bereafter.

The members of the committee from this (4th) Congression district are: E. C. Beddingfield, of Wake; J. R. Young, of Vance: Wiley Rush, of Randolph, and F. S. Spenill, of Franklin.

FEDERAL COURT.

victed Teday.

Federal Centr mat this meaning at 9:30 witock, Judge Thomas R. Puthell

A number of "mocashiners" and little it regallers of earn juice came to grief. The following cases were disposed of: 140 II. Well, distilling and retailing. plead gulity. Prayer for judgment con-tinued. Band for appearance next term. W. C. Lowell, distilling and retailing. Plend guilty. Judgment suspended of

ayment of costs, J. W. Warren, distilling and retailing. Plead guilty. Judgment 6 months it

W. F. King, distilling and retailing.
When guilty, Judgment suspended on Students Entertain Public With Battalion payment of costs.

Joe Alston, retailing, Plead guilty, Judgment suspended on payment of costs. Sich Osbarn, retailing. Plead guilty, Judgment, 30 days in jacl and \$160 fine, W. B. Sorrell, illight distilling. Plead Judgment 6 mouths in jail and

John Willers, illicit distilling, Plead gailty, Judgqc: 30 days in jail and A. R. Spence, illief: di tilling, etc. Trial

y jury. Verdiet guilty. Gaston Andrews, illiest distilling. Ver ty jury. feet guilty. Judgment 30 days in jail. Albert Biggs, retailing. Plead guilty. Jirlgmant 30 days in jull and \$100 fine. Jackson Bridgers, retailing, Plead guilty, Judgment suspended on payment

Henry Herted retailing, Verdiet. indgment 60 days in jail and \$10 ofine. L. D. Raynor, retailing and distilling. Judgment, 30 days in pail and \$100 (inc. James 8, Tilly, distilling and retailing. Plead guilty. Judgment, 30 days in Jall at 4 8100 flue.

Har, Overton, retailing. Plead guilty. Indement, 30 days in jail and \$100 fine. Green Powell, retailing. Thead guilty Judgment, 30 days in jail and \$100 time

A BEAUTIFUL STOCK.

H. Mahler's Sons, jewelers, have issued a handsome "suggestion" book for the guide of buyers, who want hardsome silverware and jewelry. It is bandsomely illustrated and gives prices. This old establishment has the largest and finest stock in its history. Mahler's name is a guarantee that you have the best.

stemetz, the florist, has the largest stock of palms, ferns, primroses and all kinds of winter blooming plants that he has ever had. These plants are all of choicest variety and are being offend. has ever had. These plants are all of choicest variety and are being offered at special bargains. You should see as stock, if beautiful hyacieths in pots, narcissuses, cut flowers, carnations, roses, etc. Nothing more suitable for Christmas present than choice flowers.

Tribune, Christmas present than choice flowers.

GREAT TIME ON THE SOUTHERN

Made Today on New Road

BREAKS THE WORLDS'

RECORD

Nothing To Equal 1t Previously On New Roadbed-Thirty-three Mew Locomotives and Pullman Cars Ordered-News from the Newspaper Men.

Special Despatch to The Time-Visiter. Sayannah, Ga., Dec. 8, 3:30 p. m. The party of newspaper men from Ral igh and various other cities in thre-States accompanying the Southern Rail way officials on ther tour of insportion of the new division just c ampleted, which forms the necessary Enk in the Somhere's new through line to Flexida, are having a

The storial train, consisting of six salace cars, made the unparalleled record oming to Savatanah on its new division

This breaks the world's record for any new road-bed, and the time given is of-

Third Vice President Gamen tells to that the Southern has contracted for thirty three new becomplives and thirty Pullman cars and at en rueus amount of 80 pound rails, and that the company is determined to make the new through toute unexcelled in service by any read in the world.

WILLIS G. BRIGGS

OFF ON A JUNKET

Raleigh Newspaper Men Inspecting The Southern's New Division

Representatives of the Raleigh dailisterday went to Charlotte as goests the Southern Railway, where they were joined by a large number of other in-vited rowspaper men, and the party today went to Savannah, The purpose of the "junket" is to introduce the news eyer men to the Southern's new rond South. A banguet and other social pleas ures are on the program for todight at will be experienced, no doubt.

The Raleigh gentlemen were accorded the privileges and comforts of Vice-President Ambrews' private car. From Charoffe the coalesced forces from three States went to Columbia, themse to Sa-vannah over the new division of the Southern's through role to Florida.

"MAMBRINO KING" DEAD East Aurora, N. Y., 16; 8.—Manu-brino King, once pronounced by the French government concapssion to be the cardsonnest herse in the world, slied a a stable at a village farm here. He held the record of having sired more than 219 performers, more than any othe

AT THE A. & M. COLLEGE

and Company Drills, Etc. -Lecture Tonight

This afternoon at 4 o'clock at the A and M. College there was a battalion dress parade by the cadets.

The boys made a sillendid showing.

The regimental band of 16 pieces made

splendid music.
The young ladies of St. Mary's School attended the drill as well as a number of

persons from the city.

This evening at 7 o'clock the chapel at the A, and M. College will be open for the admission of the public, at which time and place Mr. S. Wittkowsky, of Charlotte, a man of large industrial and manufacturing interests, and who greatly interested in ecition manufacturing

specially will deliver an address. His subject will be "Push, Plack and Perserverance," Mr. Wittkowsky is himself a living embodiment of the proof of enecess which a young man possessing these requisites can accomplish,

Mr. Wirtkowsky came to this country from Germany and when he settled in Charlotte he had neither friend ner acquaintance in that city, and could not speak the English language. He was poor man, but was endowed with push and plack and by perserverance he rose from a poor youth to a well-to-do young man and soon became one of the stanneh business men in Charlotte. So bigh Ed his fellow citizens esceen him that ne was elected President of the Chamber of Commerce of that city, and it was greatly through his efforts that that organization became such a strong factor in the advancement of the town into

PICKED UPON THE STREETS

Seventy-Fonr Miles an Hour Movements of Some of the People You Know

CURBSTONE INTERVIEWS

What Your Friends are Doing, Where They Are and What they are Talk. ing About-A Little of Everything-Personal Para-

Mr. J. H. Pou went to Clayton this Mr. C. D. Turner, of Hillshore, came

graphs, etc.

Representative Gattis, of Duclam. ance in this morning, Prof. J. Crawford Biggs, of the Uniersity, came in this morning,

Mr. E. D. Kyle, of the S. A. L., went Mr. E. D. Kyle, of the S. A. L. went to Goldsbero this morning. Judge Moot of the Superior Court, arrives this altermoon. He desires that attorneys present all matters as early as practicable, as a special case is set for Monday.

Raleigh Commandery last night elected the following officers for the elisticity term: E. C., W. E. Jones: Gen., W. E. Faison: C. G., B. W. Baker: Prelate. B. R. Lacy: S. W., M. Bowes, J. W. C. P. Suggs: Trens., T. L. Electhical

Recorder, D. S. Hanrilton. Treasurer Worth has paid to Chairman Travis, of the State Prison executive board, the sum of \$62,449 to use in pay

ment of the Calculoria farms, recently bought by the State. Licht, Douglass South, who has been relieved here as recruiting efficer by Licut, Zeb. B. Vance cloth worthy sens of distinguished sires), goes to Govern or's Island, N. Y., whence he has been ordered. He will have many warm friends behind him who regret to see him leave. But we are all ready to welcome the coming in speeding the parti-ing guest for Licut, Varace has many friends in Rabigh already and is sure to win many more while here this trip

Mrs. I. Resenthal has received the innonneement of the death of her fathr. Mr. M. A. King, at Wilkesbarre, Pa. end has the sympathy of many friends in

Everylandy is complaining of the noor lights supplied the city or more correct ly speaking, the absence of any light at all. This is at old and well-worn subject, but it is one that personally affect-most of our people. Never in the history of this musatisfactory service have saci offer failures to provide lights, even of Fayetteville street, been noted as within the last we keep so. As our nemarks, or news, and Observer, temarks, it looks as though the electrocompany will have no bill against the city to render at all next month. Every Saxanicali, and a most enjoyable time I month heretofore there have been heavy reductions because of no service in cer tain localities. But that is not what the people of this town want it is light they are after, and if we mistake tot their temper they are determined to have

> Senator R. H. Speight that he must either resign from the tire terate of State Hospital for the Insane at Rabeigh or surrend r his positica as Senator Dr. Speight has replied saying he will resign from the directorate.

Hon, Dan Hugh McLean, one of the ablest and best men in the State, and prominent candidate for the Demeratic confination for Secretary of State in the city on legal business before the United States Court.

The Rex Hospital people, the physicians and citizens who have business at that institution hope the street commit tee can see their way clear to have the streets in frost of and leading to the hospital, especially Salisbury street, maendantized before the ramy, winter weather is much farther advanced. There streets were graded a year ago and curb ed. The red elay soil now forming the surface of the street, is horrible in wel

weather, genilemen.
Mr. Hal M. Worth, of Raleigh, who was once chi f clerk of the State Treasary Therartment, and has many friends in Raleigh, as I who has been ill at a hospital in the North, has returned to his hear - in Worthville, greatly improved in health, his friends will be glad to

Mrs. Lawrence Fann, nee Bell, of Washington, D. C., is visiting in her native city, the guest of Mrs. Arthur

Two read-rollers and a steam laws mower have been doing some good work on Dawsen street, near the Union depot

on Paussin street, hear the Chord depo-and in Nash Park.

Secretary of State Thompson today granted articles of incorporation to Em-anuel Congregation Church, of Charlotte. W. E. Faison left this afternoon for Durham on business connected with the Labor Bureau. He will return on the early morning train tomorrow.

Powell had only endemand his attention today-Betrie Massey, charged with disorderly conduct. Decondant submitted and was fined \$2 and Mrs. W. D. Terry, who has been ill.

much better, and her friends now one for the complete resovery. It is now stated that the State Prison naturgement will not sack more than

\$5,000 of meeting expenses this year. This statement is made on the authority Chairman Travis, of the xecutiv Tyre Glenn, of Greenshees, was a

visitor in the city last evening. The cotton receipts of Raleigh up to December 1st were 9,785 baies.

cear the receipts for same date were 14.414, a decrease this year of 7 CZ5 The Executive Committee of the Hos pitals for the Insane will report agains the confinement of the criminal insane withtin the penitentiary walls. HOW HE LOST HIS BEAUTY

Dark Streets and Open Gates Play Sad Havoc With a Citizen's Countenance

Dark Streets and Open Gates Play Sad Hayoe With a Citizen's Countenance: "Good norming: brother."
That was the greeting the Times-Visio Opening Day of the Conference

for received from an old acquaintance roday, but we difait reseguize nim, and were compelled to say:
"You have the advantage, sir."

Excuse me, but I am at a disadvante age, if you had as soon have it that way. You are excusable for not knowing me. My name's

little pugilistic expedition? "Yes fighting dark streets and open gates, one of 'em an aronstad fellow. Got the worst of the walk however, as

Our friend was indeed in and shape, and the last heard from him were dark threats of "damage sults," and "maker" res" and the like.

FIRE ALARM THIS MORNING

Turned in From Box 34 By a Frightened Washerwoman

This morning at 11 o'clock the ularn of fire was turned in from box 34, canof by a supposedly defective flue at the residence of Ransom Johnson, reclared). 121 West Lemoir street.

The fire department was there in a lifty, but failed to find any fire, except in the proper place, after tearing up of few shingles around the three

Ranson's wife, who is a washerwee may, saw smoke issuing from the roof, as she supposed, and yelled "fire?" But the smoke cyldeatly was blown to in the mouth of the claimer upon the rest and the services of the firemen were to

needed.
"She done 'zactly right," declared a calored neighbor, "'cause she done had de white fo'ks washin' in de house, an' wan't gwine to take to tisks, here?, says dat pigger had a lebel head whi she gib de tiali Jarm.

NEW STORE.

Mr. P. W. McGowan, of this city and Mr. W. F. Lee, recently of Norfolk Va. have opened a store at 123 East Martin street, where they will establish a meat market and general store. Mr Lee worked several years in Chicago for Messas, Armour and Company, and lso at Lexington Market, Baltin o where he made a famous regulation first-class butcher in every style the business, and were custom by his fair dealing, urbanes manner and excollect workman-big, compact with the knock of knowing how to please from the

humblest to the most fastidi us. Mr. P. W McGowan, the mainter the tirm, although a type of La member of Rakigh Typegraphical Union, of the eity, has had a g od deal of ext rions in mercantile matters and needs no con numbration from us as to his strict from esty, fair dealing and polite service. who wish the best of all ki; I of fresh meats can be accommodated from now

THE BAPTIST CONVENTION. To Raise \$100,000 Next Year for Bap-

tist Educational Institutions, Biblical Recorder Endors J. Etc. Asheville, N. C., Dec. 8.- The Baptists of North Carolina will raise \$100,00 tions of learning in this State Taylor presented a resolution to the c contion in session core pledging the Baptists to do this. It was referred to a committee, compessed of J. W. Lynen, W. C. Tyree, and C. B. Justice. Dr. R. G. Seymour, of the Baplist

Publication Society, and Dr. E. Y. Mullens, of the Bapt's: Theological Semon ary, addressed the convention last even-

The Biblical Recorder, of Rabbigh, was

endorsed as a church paper. Rev. F. M. Jordan is here with his Bi-ography for sale. He has been 50 years in the ministry, and he created laughte by the relation of some of his experiences Vanderbilt's magnificent es are and pa-latial residence, "Bilturore,"

IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY plish it in twenty-five days a length of Ship and Railway Trains Have No

Reached Their Maximum of Speed. Now, we know very well that nei hi express has reached its maximum speed. how far these modes of becommotion are likely to be improved upo nor to be supplemented by others of new invention. One should be conservative in discussing matters of this kind, but it does not seem tionic improbable that trains will travel at a rate of one hundred udles an how or even faster, by the year 1950. The occan-going steamer will attain forty indes, perhaps—thout the practicable limit for a passenger vessel, I think But on terra firms there are great possias yet unthought of, or, like the automo-bile, in the intincy of their develop

ment. before stepping aboard, it will amuse u to walk along the station platform and take a book at the powerful engins which s to convey us across the continent. It it really a wonderful machine, and wholly tulike the old-fishioned steam becometive which went out early in the twentieth

time which, I think, may possibly be and that you and I are going on a trip Let us imagine for the sake of illustration, that it is the year 1950, A. D., around the world, proposing to accom-sufficient for the purpose at that date. We start from New York westward by train, and having a few minutes to spare people. tration reflects credit on his

"CHIMES OF NOPMANDY" RE-CEIPTS.

The net receipts of the performace - 5t the local "Chimes of Normandy" pany, it is now learned, were \$139.75 The amount has been turned over to the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society, and will be a nice and serviceable sum to aid them

NORTH CAROLINA **METHODISTS**

at 'Little Washington"

BISHOP HENDRIX PRESIDING

Election of Officers-Work Advanced More than Usual-Dr. Ivey to Deliver Address on W. H. Branson Dr. Lafferty Lectures To. night, etc.

Washington," The Provedity The N. C. Conference transcend derries convened yesterday at Washington, N. C., this being the 63rd annual confer-

Bish quillendrix is the presiding Bishep at this conference. The following of rs were chosen; Rev. W. L. Cum aggin, s crotary of

the last conference was elected secretary.

One had dred and twenty three elected One had 3rd and twenty three elected members answered to their mane and 22 laymen. N. 11. D. Wilsen, George T. Simus and E. H. Dayis, R. H. Brenner, L. S. Massey, J. W. Evans and W. F. Crawen were elected assistant secretaries. Back of the night row of pows was designed as the bar of the Contra-ence. Ninesthirty are 1 no lock were up pointed hours for inceting and adjourn

(iii) The presiding elders repaired the different commuter of the Conference. Rev. W. S. Rene, of Newhern district, moved that the matter of Mormonism. be referred to the Board of Missions for special consideration. A committee on Sabbath observance was ordered,

Bish of Hendrix made some remarks unong which he expressed his pleasure in being with the Conference for the first time, and invoked the Divine bless ings upon the body. Dr. L. L. Nash and Dr. Fred Swindell made remarks in re-spense. Rev. N. M. Journey was incre-duced and spake on his relation to the Craven Memorial Hall at Trinity Col-

The report of the General Board of Missions was presented and referred to the Board of Missions. An reports of Pair a Justitute and Lane College were read and referred to the Committee on Education, Rev. Dr. John E. Hammond scenerally of the General Board of

Or. Kilgo, president of Trinity college, a sented the report of the trustees of the college, which was referred to the Committee on Education, Prof. Dred Percock, president of Greensh to Female College spake on the good health of Greenshore and the students of the college, and summitted his report on the

The mains of M. C. Thomas, T. P. Ricand, S. Pool, W. S. Fares, M. J. Hant, T. J. Ricovang, were called and their cases referred to the Committee their cases referred to the Committee on Corference Relations for Superamust-ed Relations. R. B. Holder asked for work. I. W. Avent, R. W. Towns and J. C. Crisp were referred for supermun-ary relation. The name of J. H. Page was referred to the Committee on Sucristimerate relation.

J. H. McCrack, a. J. A. Dailey, S. E. Mercer, J. C. Humble, B. H. Black, J. M. Terrell, J. M. Bensen, G. T. Adams characters were passed and they were Jones was not before the Committee on Examination. His character was passed and he was continued at the class of the second year. Question seventh was called, B. C. Thompson, R. H. Willis, A. J. Groves,

A. S. Barnes reported their work and having passed the earlefence committee dass of the fourth year. Rev. Jesse L. t the third vent.

Parker, R. L. Davis, Y. E. Wright, H. A. Humble, E. W. Fox, Rufus Brad-ley were elected to elder's anders. The ear lidates for deacon's arders were called before the Bishon and were expected to be ready in every way to the year to be take a today. The report of General Board of Education was presented, read and referred to the Commit-tee on Education. Dr. Hammand adliessed the Centerence upon the twen-

Ouestion two was called G. B. Star-ling, G. D. Moses, J. T. Erwin, W. A. Piland, C. L. Reade, W. E. Micholson, J. J. Old, J. C. Wooden were advanced to the class of the second year Questies ten was called. preachers are elected doctors? Answer, N. C. Yenrby, G. B. Starthez, B. E. Startheld, C. W. 19by, J. H. Garrish were elected.

with century movement.

The Bishop stated that work of the uniference was farther advanced than is enal at the end of the second day. The hour of adjournment having arrived. conference and arm d with hemodiction by Rev. M. J. Hunt. 10; T. N. Ivey, of Raleigh, will define

a bettire on the life and bilous of W. H. Branson, who rece its died at Ducham. after a most printal accident. Topight (Friday) Dr. Laffetty, of Ricamond, will deliver a lecture at the opera

house before the delegates to the confer-ence and the general public.

An individual bearing the monty over-namen of LaPayette Cash, but dressed in woman's attire, has been a enriesity for several days about the Federal Court. He or she is indicted for alleged illicit retailing of whiskey, but protests inno-Cash has been wearing skirts since the age of ten years, and with a regular black moustache presents a curi-

WANTED.-Two or three second hand counters. Apply, stating terms, etc., to this office.

us appearance.