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Chamberlain Not Much Bunged Up .= MALLORY ELECTED SENATOR

The Opponents of Chinley Realized The If Another Ballot Was Taken, He Would Probably Be Elected, So They Caucus and Decided Upon Mallory-Pandeme He Would Be Elected. Tallahassee, Fla., May 14.-Ex-Con-

ressman Stephen R. Mallory, of Penacola, was elected United States Senator to-day, the vote on the 25th ballot standing: Mallory 58, Chipley 44. Chiplev came so near election vesterday lacking only 3 votes, while the opposiion was divided among four candidates, that the leaders of the forces hostile to him, consisting of the followers of Call Stockton Hocker and some of Ranev's adherents, realized that if they should let another day pass withut combining their entire strength Chipley would surely win. A caucus in the Senate chamber last night was held, and several ballots were taken, in which Mallory, Raney and Hock were the leading candidates. Fin at 2 o'clock, the caucus came to agreement upon Mallory.

Upon the meeting of the joint assem

oly at noon the new candidate, for the first time since the balloting began, was brought into the contest without a eliminary nominating speech. When the last name was reached on the roll-call the vote stood: Chipley 49, Malry 47, two names having been passed Representative Morgan, who had pre-viously supported Chipley, and who had not yet voted, then gave his ballot to Mallory. Representative Dawes, who was paired, next broke his pair, as he laimed he was authorized to do under he existing circumstances, and cast his vote for Mallory. This made the result tie. Pandemonium prevailed for a me, the partisans of both candidates imping upon the desks and waving heir arms frantically in efforts to make nemselves heard. At length Senator arber was recognized, and he changed his vote from Unipley to Mallory. Three others followed suit. The vote was erified, as stated above, and President erenot declared Mallory elected. Stephen Russell Mallory was a mem per of the Fifty-second and Fifty-third Congresses from the first Florida disrict. He lives in Pensacola, where he ras born, in 1848. He entered the Con-ederate army in Virginia, in the fall 1864, and later served as a midshipman in the Confederate navy. After the war he entered Georgetown College, istrict of Columbia, and after gradusting taught school and studied law. In 874 he returned to Pensacola, and since then has practiced law in Florida, and

Bishop Thompson, of Mississippi, Accept Two Honorable Invitations. Jackson, Miss., May 14.—The Right ev. Dr. Miller Thompson, Protestant piscopal bishop of Mississippi, has en invited by the Archbishop of Canerbury to preach the anniversary ser-non for the Society for the Propagandi clety is the oldest missionary organization in the world and had much to io with the planting of Trinity church, lew York, 200 years ago Bishop Thompson has also, upon the nomination of the vice-chancellor, been asked to preach the Whit Sunday mon before the University of Oxford June 6. He has accepted both invita-

in both branches of the State Legisla-

Had His Own Price.

gister of deeds' office yesterday and ked the price of a marriage license. would not give that much; that h ad made up his mind never to give \$3. and that he would go without marry-ing before he would do it. He offered all the way up from \$2 to \$2.75, and be-ing rejected each time, he left, display-

ing much indignation. LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.

Charlotte, May 14, 1897, 8 p. Barom. | Temp. | Weather | Precip.

Maximum temperature, 80; minimum SAME DATE LAST YEAR WEATHER FORECAST.

Forecast for North Carolina-Fair ooler; northerly winds.

### PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

10 Cents a Line, Six Words to the Lipe

ARTIES BUYING A COUPON ticket (35 cents) at the exposition enter-inments in the Y. M. C. A. hall can to exposition building night of pu hase for that amount. Tickets with

OST-Saturday morning, black silk umbrella with white ivory handle lease return to Observer office and re-

evaporated dried apples, prunes and California peaches just received at hn B. Ross & Co's., wholesale grocers. STRAWBERRIES, sweet, delicious and richly flavored by nature. Sarratt &

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BANANAS AT WHOLESALE. Balti-

MR. VANDERLIP'S HONOR

Washington, May 14.—It was officially announced to-day that the nomination of Mr. Frank A. Vanderlip, of Chicago as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury will be sent to the Senate next Monday Mr. Vanderlip at present is serving as private secretary to the secretary of the Treasury, and he was Mr. Gage's first repointment, on assuming the office and is 32 years of age. He finis where he made a specialty of politica economy and finance. In 1888 he ob tained employment as a reporter on the Chicago Tribune, and soon thereafter was made its financial editor He served in this position for eight years, and then became associated in the publication of the Economist, which student of finance and political economy ions presented for his consideration. The honor which has come to him was entirely without his seeking, and without political influence. In his new ffice he will be financial adviser of the Secretary, and in the distribution of the duties of the three Assistant Sec-

rman's Idea of Preparing a Substitute Bill Will Not Be Carried Out, But Washington, May 14.—There is some ifference of opinion among the Demo-ratic members of the Senate commite on finance as to the policy to bursued in regard to the tariff bill. me of them, notably Senator Goran, are of the opinion that the Democrats should prepare a substitute bill and introduce it. They suggest that this substitute should embody the Democratic idea as to the tariff, uniformly lower rates than the Republican of Democratic tariff doctrine in that iso been interested in politics, serving does not does not only not produce sufficient the final decision of the question was revenue, but that it carries many feaures which were inserted at the in- other American consuls in Cuba, and secure its passage through the Sen. nounced opposition to this programme facts as to the existing situation. These reports will probably be here when the n the part of many Democratic Sena-ors, including several members of the cabinet and President return to-morommittee on finance. They take the row night. It is probable now, that a in 1855. esition that the safest course for the message will be sent to Congress, but arty is to stand by the Wilson bill, hardly before Tuesday, as there would Democratic measure. The party has unless Mr. McKinley devoted Sunday they say, taken the position that no tariff legislation is necessary. The Campaign was fought on this issue and Lome, called at the State Department ents should be offered covering all that this course will be pursued. The

### A CONCORD MERCHANT ILL

Mr. C. F. Phifer in a Critical Condition Miss McCanless Coming Home-Con

Special to the Observer. Coffcord, May 14.-Secretary John B herrill, of the North Carolina Press ssociation, is very busy arranging for he editors' trip to Morehead City Messrs. D. B. Coltrane, John A. Clin nd D. B. Morrison, and Rev. D. B. ssioners, were duly inducted into ofce of Mr. Coltrane. That wonderful old clock that is o

ought to this country by Mathias James P. ook, and the Cooks at Mt. Pleasant bich was the home of Mr. Cook before now on her way home from Paris the famous artist under whom Miss Bettle Alexander, of this city, was Miss Alexander during the summer

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wadsworth last night resulted in a net profit to the bevolent and missionary societies Mr. Chas. F. Phifer, once one of the eading merchants of this city, is critcally ill at his room in the St. Cloud

### TRAIN ROBBERS GET \$8,000

They Hold Up a Southern Pacific Train Just Outside of Lozier, Texas. San Antonio, Texas, May 14.-Th ger train was held up by masked n and robbed about 260 miles west of h arly this morning. As the train pulle out of the little town of Lozier, thre nen jumped on the pinting pistols at the engineer and eman, compelled the former to stop he train about one and a half m vest of the town. After forcing ors of the express car, one of the obbers entered and dynamited the two afes of the Wells-Fargo Express Com-Both the through and loca were opened, and their contents ed. The local safe contained \$2,000 000. The amount secured from the hrough safe is unknown, but it is be eved that it will not fall below \$7,000 \$8,000. The express car was badly birds, fresh from the patch. Sarratt wrecked by the force of the explosion went north. It is thought-that they are part of a gang that came into this sec

Savannah, Ga., May 14.—The Southern Hardware Jobbers' Association adjourned to-night. Officers elected are: President, J. D. Moore, of Birmingham; first vice president, J. J. Mandlebaum, of Little Rock; second vice president, George W. Barnett, of Montgomery. George W. Barnett, of Montgomery secretary and treasurer, C. B. Carte

BASEBALL YESTERDAY

At Pittsburg. Vashington Base hits-Pittsburg 7, Washington 5. Errors — Pittsburg 1, Washington 3. Batteries-Hawley and Merritt: At Cincinnati. New York ..... 2 1 1 0 0 0 1 0 9 0 0 — 5
Base hits—Cincinnati 10, New York
0. Errors—Cincinnati 2, New York 0.

Batteries — Ehret, Rhines and Pietz; Meekin, Sullivan and Wilson. Um-

pires-O'Day and Emslie.

Base hits—St. Louis 3, Baltimore 17.
Errors—St. Louis 1, Baltimore 3. Batteries—Donahue and MacFariand; Nops and Clark. Umpire—McDermott.

At Philadelphia (Universities.)
Pennsylvania ..... 2 8 8 8 3 5 6 3 — 18
Virginia ...... 2 8 0 1 8 2 — 7
Base hits—Pennsylvania 18. Virginia
10. Errors—Pennsylvania 5, Virginia 2.
Battaries—Brown and Holler; Hoxton

CUBAN-AMERICAN SUFFERERS.

SHALL THE GOVERNMENT AID THEM?

The Cabinet Discussed the Matter in Al Its Phases Yesterday Morning, and There is a Possibility That the President May Send a Special Message on the Subject to Congress—The Spanish Minister Assure Judge Day That There Will Be No Ob lection to Such Aid Being Sent-Mr. Mor gan Will Continue to Press His Re in Cuba.

Washington, May 14.-President Mc Kinley has under earnest consideration the advisability of sending a messag to Congress next week on the Cuban question, but has not yet come to a decision in the matter, though he is a present inclined to send to the legis gesting that measures he adopted to relieve distress among Americans in was regarded as an authority in its relieve distress among Americans in specialty. In 1894 he served a term as Cuba. If it goes in, it will be entirely president of the Chicago Press Club, pacific in tone and it can be stated on but never has sought or held a political good authority, will not be of a warlike office. During the last ten years or or sensational tenor. In order to have more Mr. Vanderlip has been a hard the facts on which to base them, Mr. and in this field has achieved conspicu-ous success. His financial views are in thorough accord with those of the as to the state of affairs in his district present administration. He is a hard and to telegraph replies at once. It worker, courteous and obliging, and was understood to-day by some memquick in his mental grasp of the quesbers of the Senate committee on foreign relations that this information no companied by a message recommending ffice he will be financial adviser of the secretary, and in the distribution of he duties of the three Assistant Sectors, Mr. Vanderlip will have special charge of the United States with the United States with the Cuban situation. cial charge of the United States mints, the Bureau of Printing and Engraving, usual, owing to the importance of the e divisions of public money, book-eping and warrants, and loans and uestion to be discussed, and the facthat the President and the cabine urrency, and mails and files. He will probably enter upon his new duties as soon as he is confirmed by the Senate. His successor as private secretary has not yet been decided upon.

DEMOCRATS AND THE TARIFF.

The discussion was upon the advisability of asking Congress to provide immediate relief to the Americans who need at the reports received from Consul General Lee, penned up in the cities, and in actual danger of starting the cities and robably enter upon his new duties as The discussion was upon the advisabilfrom Consul General Lee, penned up in the cities, and in actual danger of star-vation. It had no bearing upon the olicy of the administration toward Spain or the Cuban insurgents, except acidentally, but dealt with the direct and immediate question of relieving

destitute Americans on the island. Sec-retary Sherman laid before the cabine ome of the most important documents be in the State Department about the situation and before the meeting was over Judge Day, the Assistant Secretary, personally took to the . White House some additional papers for which of the matter was discussed, the advisability of asking Congress for an ap-propriation, Spain's attitude, the methwar ship accompany food supplies. But have been requested to cable the latest

they hold that to raise the tariff ques-tion on their own motion would be in-consistent and unwise. Those who hold retary Day relative to the reported inlief to Americans suffering in Spanish government would be in enre sympathy with any benevolent novement and would lend every as-

The Spanish minister does not ques on the existence of misery and suf-ring in the island, but declares that is such only as accompanies insurtion and war, heightened in ase by the diseases peculiar to ropical countries. It is stated hese conditions have existed conths and have been well known. the severity of the suffering, it is id that it consists mainly in the lack adequate food, medicine and nursing r the sick and destitute.

half of the Spanish government ne supply of food, medicine and cloth- Educational hat the relief is to be extended only to nooga; Dr. J. L. M. Curry; Prof. Jack American citizens through agencies not son, of the Chicago Normal, and Prof. American citizens through agencies not 1 yet decided upon. The Spanish author- Milne, of the New York State Norma ies have not recorded any objection at Albany. n their part to a general distribution, rovided this is not carried to the exent of provisioning the insurgen orces in their resistance to Spain. Or that it is the present idea of the ac inistration that it will have fulfilled was called by the Spanish minister to riven full permission to operate in ubs and that in the distribution of its istinction in nationalities, so that the istressed Spaniard, Cuban or Ameri can might with equal right claim its charity. There was still much interest

the course that the matter ake on Monday. lessage of the President, if it should pplyonly to relief measures in the way f food and clothing, would not cause ilm to deviate from his purpose of ressing his resolution for the recog nition of a state of war, as he had dven notice he would do before it was sumed that the President would send such a message. Senator Hale, who is generally recog ized as the leader of the opposition to il measures looking to a general dec ent from the city, but Senator White who also opposes such measures as rule, said to-day that while there wer o objections to extending our charity o such an extent, he would be disposed o offer no opposition to such a meas-re. Some of the pro-Cubans take the

position that any supplies sent to Cuba would merely aid the Spanish cause, as they would practically amount to a ontribution to Spain. Hence, there is possibility of opposition even to roposed charity. Senator Morgan has no purpose hanging the form of his resolution ny respect. "I was fully aware of the ituation when I prepared the resolu-ion." he said to-day. "and therefore and in the recent publications in regard it no reason for altering my plans.

The Senator expressed strong hope of ecuring the passage of the resolution BICYCLE RACES IN FLORIDA.

nville Exciting, and Draw Large Crowds Jacksonville, Fla., May 14.—Three housand people attended the opening neeting of the National L. A. W. circuit at Panama Park this afternoon Michael, Cooper and Murphy failed to arrive, although they had given as surance to the Jacksonville wheelmen surance to the Jacksonville wheelmen, under whose auspices the meet was held, that they would appear. In the amateur events F. D. Powers, of Jacksonville, made a mile in 2:99 1-5, which was the fastest time made, with he exception of an exhibition mile by the Deyton triplet, of Savannah, covered the distance in 1:54 2-5. professional events were close and ex iting, and were won as follows: One mile handicap, W. I. Huffstetter of Florida, 130 yards, first; H. R. Steen on, Dayton, O., 40 yards, second; A Newhouse, Buffalo, N. Y., scratch third. Time 2:11 1-5. The one-mile race between I. U. Kin-sey, of Savannah, and W. I. Huffstetter, of Florida, who won the sixday race

A LEGAL DOG-PALL

The Result of the Trial of the Case James vs. Railroad is a Double-Barrellad Appeal to the Supreme Court—The Jury Awarded Mrs. James \$15,600—Two Salisbury Young Men Took First Rank in the ecial to the Observer-

Salisbury, May 14.—The argument of counsel having been concluded yester-day afternoon, Judge Starbuck this morning proceeded to charge the jury in the case of James vs. the Western North Carolina Railroad. The following 1. Was death of plaintiff's intestate caused by negligence of a fellow-ser-vant as the sole proximate cause? 2. Was the death of plaintiff's intes tate proximately caused by the South-ern Railway Company, which at the time was operating the road.?

3. Is the defendant answerable for the negligence of the Southern

4. What damages is plaintiff entitled After all the evidence was offered, the swered by the court upon the admis sions in the pleadings, the records, charts, deeds and leases, including all undisputed evidence. The jury, after being out some hours, responded to the first issue "no;" to the second issue "yes," and to the fourth issue. "Fif teen thousand dollars.' After able and elaborate argument of counsel upon the law, the court held

ompany in causing the death of plain-

that upon the undisputed facts the answer to the third issue should be "no."
The plaintiff excepted to this finding of the court and appealed to the Supreme Court.

The defendant moved for a new tria upon the findings of the jury, and the exceptions in the record, which was refused, whereupon defendant appealed to the Supreme Court.

which is a virtual non-suit, and

double-barrelled appeal is the result. while able and spirited, has been courthe examination before the examining board of druggists, has the proud distinction of having ranked first in a this city, stood second in the examina tion. Mr. Manly's mark was 83 and Mr of these bright young men. In the resignation of Dr. J. F. Grifods for distributing relief if it should be decided to enter upon it, and the ers, the dentists of the State suffer a and the ers, the dentists of the State suffer a great loss. The arduous nature of his his large practice here. vidson College, Dr. J. Rumple this af

### WAKE FOREST POSTPONES.

ernoon shipped to the Women's Expo-ition at Charlotte the portrait of Max

well Chambers. This portrait has hung

the Presbyterian manse here since

Changes the Date of Its Summer School is Order Not to Conflict With the Teacher's Assembly-Many Prominent Educate

to Be Present at the Assembly. To the Editor of the Observer: The Wake Forest faculty ers and their Law School from June 23d until Julie 28th, although their announcements and circulars have been printed and distributed to some extent The faculty decided to make this change in the date after consultation in deference to the Teachers' Assembly faculty decided that it would be to th get the value and benefit of both. The Assembly programme will be of unusual interest and value during the second week, closing June 25th. Among The conference lasted for over an our and was confined entirely to a discussion of the extension of relief neasures. No objection was made in Dr. McMurry, of the Chicago Univer sity President Ramsey of the Souther Educational Association: Pres en Payne, of the Peabody Normal College

Several of the steamboat lines hav

CHAS. J. PARKER, Secretary. Raleigh, May 13. THE STARS AND STRIPES FOREVER

Sousa Plays His New March in Honor of President McKinley's Arrival in Phila-Philadelphia, May 14 -- President Mc Kinley, Vice President Hobart, and the members of the cabinet arrived in this the Washington monument. Repre-sentative Balley, of Texas, and Secre-Vice President and cabinet. About 50 persons sat down. The address of welcome was made by F. S. Patterson, president of the Union League, after which he proposed three cheers, which were heartily given. President McKin ley made a short reply. Following the banquet there was a reception, during which several members of the League and many invited guests met the Pres

#### first time his new march, and Stripes Forever." THE STRAIGHT OF IT.

League, various celebrations were being

held in other places, and at the Academy of Music, Bandmaster Sousa, in

or of the occasion, played for the

Capt. Evan P. Howell is Not Going to Start

report and I cannot imagine how it started. I have been out of the city on business and have never even disissed such a proposition with a human being. If it had been my purpose to re-main in the newspaper business I would not have sold my stock in the Constitunent, will continue to support the same concerning the sale of my stock that I narochial questions. It was decided in make this statement in justice to myself and to my former partners. I sold on it was ayes 9, noes 17. The lay delesimply because I thought the offer re-ceived was good from a business standpoint and because I thought my many years in business entitled me to a rest. I voluntarily gave the option to one of my partners and it was accepted. That

Strawberries for the birds at Sarratt & Blakely's.

Dermal Balm at Jordan's cures tan, sunburn and freckles.

Trunks and bags—elegant lines—at Glireath's.

Second-hand bicycles cheap at J. Marsh Heizer's.

Work as compared with the average ed. as compared with last year, is 102 1-3, and its condition 101; the condition of wheat is 1104; the acreage of cats as compared with the average of a second-hand bicycles cheap at J. and condition 1041; number of horses, where the condition 1041, number of horses, and condition 1041, number of horses, where the condition 1041, number of horses, and conditio Marsh Heizer's. W. S. Alexander has a desirable lot Wait for Fasnacht's bread wagon. Columbia bicycles the standard. For seaso

nder to This Morning's Advertisement

MR. G. H. GLASS IN A BAD LIGHT.

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At midhight last night the Episcopal Diocesan Convention adopted resoluions providing for the purchase of St. Mary's School here, for \$50,000, \$10,000 cash, and the balance in 20 years. There are 25 acres of the property For over 50 years it has been a Church school under private management The property belongs to the estate of

from Henry Hart, saying Mrs. Glass is lope; and a third letter from Mrs. Bedwhich it is stated that Mrs. Glass left Judge Starbuck has presided with dignity and ability, and the bar contest, infidelity; that he had beaten her, and that she had taken refuge with her peo. teous throughout.

Mr. John B, Manly, who to-day returned from Raleigh, where he stood in a very bad light, and will cause a great deal of talk. Mrs. Beddingfield's letter, especially, will cause a local sensation. She used to live here.

Capt. W. H. Day is appointed a trusee of the Institution for the Blind, ice K. P .Merritt, who declined the place. It is said Dr. James McKee, or Raleigh, will be the physician at this The Baptists who attended the South

rn Baptist Convention at Wilmington eclare it was the best ever held. The death of Mr. J. Adlai Stephen on, a cousin of the ex-Vice President, at Statesville, calls to mind the fact that to him more than any other man is due the discovery of the gems in Alexander county, for much of which William Earl Hidden, then agent for Edison, got the credit. The State Teachers' Assembly will have a very large attendance at its

Morehead City. The orchestra, com osed of 16 pupils of the Institution or the Blind, at Raleigh, will furnish the pleasure of hearing this orchestra, and its music is excellent.

C.J. Harris, of Mebane, a student at net players, have been added and the and its music is excellent. the Agricultural and Mechanical Coi- music is going to be worthy of the ege, died at 4 o'clock this morning, of casion. dysentery. His remains were taken to dysentery. His remains were taken to Mebane this afternoon. The battallor The president and faculty of the col-

ege were in the procession. The death of Cadet Harris is the only one this President McIver, of the Normal and industrial College, is here. He says come changes are made in the pro-The memorial exercises in honor of the im State standard keeper. The annual salary is \$100. He succeeds J. C. L. Solicitor Bynum is making strenuou convicted last Septem

Chatham county, of rape upon another negro, Lula Cole. He was sentenced to e hanged November 20, last, but ap ealed, and this vacated the judgmen le has abandoned the appeal and now a day will have to be set by the Gev rnor pardons or commutes. The Secretary of State grants a char-

er to the Turkey Knob Corundum company, of Jackson county. The State Treasurer to-day the following circular: To the Sheriffs and Tax Collectors un and the friction to overcome make suggestions along this line t each sheriff and county tax collector copy of the revenue and machinery

I will be under lasting obligations t you if you will keep the book sent you it hand and kindly study it and make lose observations of its operations, and plainly any change you would make any section, clause or word you would strike out, or any new section you would insert, or any other suggestio

You will find a critical study of the

a New Newspaper in Opposition to the tage to you and to your deputies; and when the General Assembly of 1899 meets you will please, having written numerous statements which have been published that Capt. Evan P. Howell fore the finance committee, when they published that Capt. Evan P. Howell had in view the starting of another paper in Atlanta since the recent sale of his holding of one-fourth of the stock in the Constitution, Capt. Howell said to-day:

"There is not a work of the stock of the stock of the stock of the constitution of the con "There is not a word of truth in the art particulars.

port and I cannot imagine how it Trusting that I shall have your hearty possible way in your work, and sha expect to meet you at the sheriffs' in

stitute or assembly,
I am sincerely yours,
W. H. WORTH. State Treasurer. At the Episcopal Diocesan Convention to-day the chief matter of discussion was whether women could vote o dated vote was exactly divided. At Shaw University here to-day Rev Dr. R. L. Whitman, president of Colum bia College at Washington, delivered

year, was issued by the Agricultural Department to-day. It says the average condition and progress of farm work as compared with the average as compared with last year, 101%, mules 100. cattle 94. hogs 97. As to the pros-pect for fruit, compared with ordinary sessons, peaches are 66%, apples 76, unck and small fruits 87%, grapes 84. States Circuit Court of Appeals con-Woodall & Sheppard's soda drinks are superior.
Call to see the beautiful Steinway and Mathushek pianos at the Wheeler Wall Paper Company's.
The beneficial qualities of Buffalo Lithia Water as brought out by the test of an eminent specialist.
Fresh cheese, evaporated dried applies, prunes, peaches, etc., at J. B. Ross pies, prunes, peaches, etc., at J. B. Ross and small fruits 87%, grapes 84.
The second annual convention of the Rrotherhood of St. Andrew began in Christ church to-nisht, S. S. Nash, State secretary, presiding, Charles M. D. L. Boys, et al., and the eastern band of Cherokee Indians. Appeal from the Welcome on behalf of the Ralsigh Chircuit Clurt of the United States for Cherokee Indians. Appeal from the district of North Carolina. Case and eminent specialist.
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chas. F. McKesson, of Grace church, Women Voting in Parochial Affairs—The
Late J. A. D. Stephenson the Real Discoverer of the Hiddenite—Changes in the
Commencement Programme of the State
Normal College—Treasurer Worth to the
Sheriffs—President Whitman Delivers
the Address at Shaw Commencement.
Observer Bureau, Park Hotel,
Raleigh, May 14.

At middlight last night the Episcopal

New York, is present,

col. Armfield and the Fourth Regim the late Paul C. Cameron. It is the purpose of the diocese to develop the school greatly. The latter is widely known, and has done a grand work.

The meeting of the druggists here was the most pleasant yet held, and the attendance the largest.

There is a new phase in the Glass scandal here. The published statements were on George H. Glass' authority, and his attorney reviewed them. Now come three letters, one from Mrs. Glass who Will Be Here for the 20th. Light Infantry, Richland Rifles of Waynesville, and Cleveland Guards, Maj. E. M. Hayes, of the United States Army, will be here and direct the mili-tary manoryres. Quartermaster Gen-

The military will arrive on the night of the 18th, and leave on the night of the 21st. During their stay in the city, the soldiers will be quartered in the city hall. They will bring their own The Gatling gun and howitzer will be Adiptant General Cowles writes Mr.

leasure the invitation to attend and -Isn't the Charlotte Hotel pretty? -Mrs. Judge Shepherd will be enter-

The young ladies who are to take on it as an excuse for part in the flag drill will meet at 9 armistice and will deal a colock sharp this morning. -Mr. M. A. Edwards, who lives near Pineville, has a very sick daughter. Her elatives here were notified yesterday. —Miss Jessie Spencer has gone to Ramseur to attend the marriage of Miss Fleda Watkins and Mr. E. S. Cole. which takes place on the 19th. -"Dr." Clinton Mayer, of Jordan's

drug store, is to retire from active business life after June 1st. He will est for several months. orehead City. The orchestra, comsed of 16 pupils of the Institution
the Blind, at Raleigh, will furnish
music during the session of the
sembly. Your correspondent has been -The Charlotte baseball team will go

#### IN THE ALBUM.

Monday. She expects to be accompa-nied by Miss Ethel Forbes, of Rich nied by Miss Ethel Forbes, of Rich-mond, whom she has been visiting. Miss Jennie Freeman goes to Concord Mrs. Cotten leaves to-day, after a stay of several days at Mr. Walter Brem's. Messrs. Maxwell, Liddell, Allen ramme. Dr. Curry will speak next Springs and Campbell are expected back from Wilmington to-night.

Mrs. L. White, of States ille, came ate Major S. M. Finger will be held down yesterday to join her husband.

Tuesday instead of Wednesday. The Dr. White, who was here attending the were residents of Charlotte for a year with the state of the commencement address by Walter H. Page is "The Forgotten Man"—a queer subject...

Mention was made the other day that who were residents of Charlotte for a year were residents of Charlotte for a year were residents. or more, and have many friends he r more, and have many friends here. Solicitor Webb spent last night in the Polk county ..

> Children's Day at Brevard Street Metho-dist Church. To-morrow is Children's Day at Bre-yard Street Methodist church. The pro-gramme, which will be carried out in he morning, is as follows: Opening Hymn, "Marching to Zion," by school and congregation. ng. "We are Singing on the Way," by-

Opening prayer. Song, "Jesus Lives," by the school Concert reading of Scripture, by the superintendent and school. Arms," by the school. tecitation, "Have You Heard of Jesus?" by Rena Michael, Tressie Allen, Gatha Beattle, Maggie Belle Bennett, ddress on Sunday schools, by long, "Sweet Story," by the Forty questions asked and answered superintendent and school.
Song, "Welcome for Me," by the school Recitation, "The Children's Crusade," Miss Alma Holderfield. Address on missions, Miss Della Lee

by the school. Address on Epworth Leagues, Miss Maud Carter.

ong, "Go Tell the World of His Love,

Song, "When the Roll is Called Up Yon-Doxology and benediction The Young People of the First Church Or The young people of the First Pres-byterian church, held their second meeting in the church parlors last night and perfected the organization for Westminister League, with the following officers: Mr. John McMilian, president; Mr. Wiley Moore, vice president, and Miss Mary Graham, secrebers of the First church are invited to

To the regret of many, Prof. Dench was unable to give the plane recita advertised for last night at the exposiion. This fact was known to the mar

pecially urged to do so.

Reidsville, May 14.—The funeral of the late John Reid Hughes, who died on the 12th inst., at Winston, oc-curred here to-day at 2 o'clock, the body having been brought here on the noon train. The remains were accom-panied by relatives and friends, and also by Rev. Dr. W. S. Creasy, who conducted the funeral services, assisted by Rev. Dr. Chreitzberg, of this the cemetery.

Mr. Hughes was once a citizen of this place and was quite popular. He leaves a widowed mother, a brother, a wife and one child.

Price 5 Cents

an aid to the clergy of the parish, to the Church at large, and to the cause of Christ. The attendance of members of the Brotherhood is gratifying large. General Secretary John W. Wood, of

elebration, that he accepts with much

S. G. Finley, Esq., of Lincolnton, was St. Petersburg, May I befell a military train of jev line to-day. Signs smashed. Two officers hundred soldlers were ki seriously injured.

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