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JOURNAL BUREAU. RALEIOH, N. C., May 15. The weekly crop report will be the most favorable so far issued this year. Conditions have been excelent in all res-

non, the oldest son of the inte Chief Jusice Merrimon was held here. Mr. Merrimon had not been in this city for

Secretary W. S. Hyams of the Repub-lican State Executive Committee wants he place of Deputy Auditor now held b

The number of law suits against rail roads for loss of employees lives is now larger than over bofore, Heavy damage

vention of this Diocese will be held at

The chief debate which occurred during the session of the convention which ended here yesterday afternoon was on the matter of allowing women to vote on parish affairs. In Virginia women have always thus voted. In one parish in this State the same rule has prevailed for 4

congregations were in an address by a clergyman last night charged with being directly responsible for ritualism in the

The State Board of Public School Ex. ammers will at their approaching meet-ing here prepare the forms of examina-

ion papers. A letter today from Col. Armfield says that all the companies of the 4th Regi-ment will be at Charlotte and participate in the 20th of May celebration.

Patrick Winston, Esq., who for a num-ber of years has lived in the State of Washington is on a visit to his old home. It is his first visit in over 10 years." The Secretary of State grants charter

to the Que n City Real Estate Agency of A capital story is told of an ex-preach-

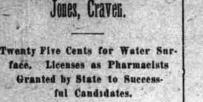
er and a Republican who wanted to get office during the legislature. The one who first secured the advancement of the neaker of the house was sure to win. The ex-preacher, a populist; was hurrying to see the Speaker when a friend of the Republican office-seeker stopped him and asked him to take a drink. He task one and then another, Meanwhile the Republican horried and secured the cov-ent.

Wilmington Tug Acts as Fransport

Bark Night Covers All.

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Special to the Journal. RALEIOH, N. C., May 15,-An offer is made the State Board of Education to purchase at 25 cents per

acre, five thousand acres, in Carteret, Jones and Craven counties, known as lakes, which are lands covered with water and no dry land.

The following are granted license as barmacists by the State Board after rn examination this evening: F. R. Granam, of Raleigh; Moody B. Mintz, of Southport, John B. Manly and J. B. senbaum of Salisbury, Morman C. Hunter and W. B. Whitaker of Enfield, C. H. Vick of Wilson; T. G. Moore of Danville, Va.; J. N. Satterwhite of Newberry, S. C.

## THE CUBAN OUESTION.

President Cables Consuls for Full Re ports. Concerning the Present Situation. WASHINGTON, D. C .- President Mc.

Kinley has under earnest consideration the advisability of sending a message to Congress next week on the Cuban question, but has not yet come to a decision in the matter. The message if it goes in, will be entirely pacific in tone, and, it can be stated on good anthority, will not be of a warlike tenor. In order to have the facts on which to base a message, Mr. McKinley has had cablegrams sent to every consular officer in Cuba, asking each of them to give exact information as to the status of affairs in his district and to telegraph replies at once. It was understood by some members of the Senate committee on Foreign Relations that this information would, no doubt, be communicated to the Senate, but whether it would be accompanied by a message recommending action, was yet

a matter of doubt. The meeting of the Cabinet was deand Cuba, and the great loss and devoted almost entirely to the consideration of the Cuban situation. The meeting occurred an hour earlier than usual owing to the importance of question as ers and merchants of this city doing the President and Cabinet were leaving for Philadelphia. The cabinet discussion to the United States Government, pravof the Cuban situation was upon the ading it to do what it can to put an end to visability of asking Congress to provide the war in Cuba and restore peace to the immediate relief to the Americans, who are, according to the reports received from Consul-General Lee, penned up in to John Sherman, Secretary of State and the cities, and in actual danger of starvation. It had no bearing upon the policy of the administration toward Spain or the Cuban insurgents except incidentally but dealt with the direct question of re-



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Turkish line of defense, but met with a

stubborn resistance at the second. In

several places the bayonets were so close

to the cannon that they (the bayonets)

The fighting at Giboro has ceased and

the Greeks have occupied various heights

in the neighborhood. Twenty-five offi-

The gunboat flotilla has been attack-

ing Nicopolis from inside the Gulf of

Ambracsia, with a simultaneous attack

proceeding from the land side. The

Turkish batteries replied vigorously and

firmly resisted the attack. The coming

on of darkness stopped the engagement.

All the Greek efforts are now concen-

trated upon capturing Nicopolis and

Prevesa before advancing to Pentepig-

DOMOROS .-. The Turks have retired in

Business Mon Want Peace.

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struction of property interests that are

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have induced some of the leading bink-

business with Cuba to get up a memorial

NEW YORK .- The demoralized condi

the direction of Pharsalia.

cers and 400 men are hors de combat.

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GRECO-TURKISH WAR. Fighting Continues all Along The Line. ATHENS -Desperate fighting has been

in progress near Griboro, on the real to Ful on Market Corned Beef Fillippiada. Two brigades of Greeks, Se or pound. with many guns, two companies of sappers and a squadron of cavalry, attack d Shafer's Mild Cured Hams the Turks, who were almost without small sizes, only 12c per artillery. The Greeks forced the first

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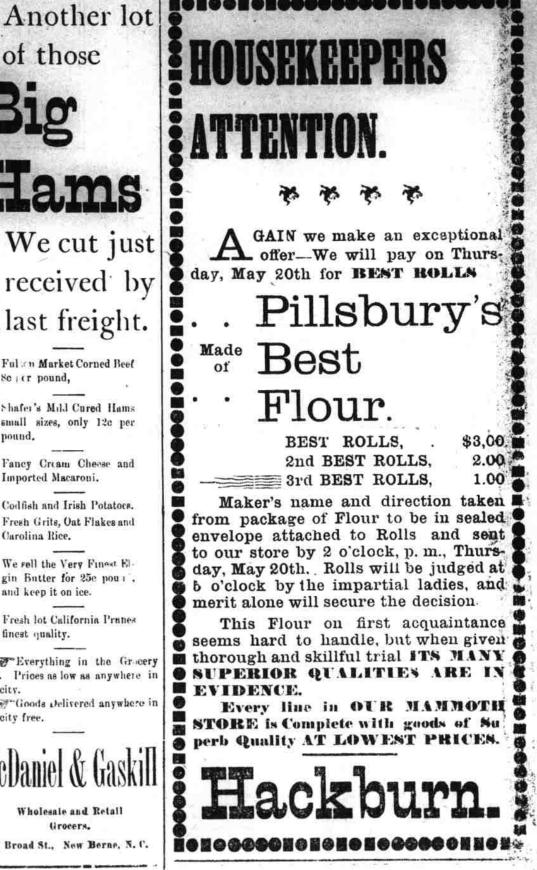


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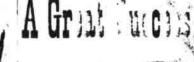
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Secretary Sherman laid|before the cabi-The penitentiary authorities decline to net some most important documents reallow the Roanoke Rapida Power Comgarding the situation and before the pany the use of convicts, as the company secting was over Judge Day, Assistant ires them for too short a time. Secretary of State personally took to the White House some additional papers for The railway commission has notice of the creation of a commission in Tenneswhich the Secretary had sent.

Every phase of the matter was discuss-The appointment of Ex-Judge Tourgee o a computate brought to mind his ca-ver in this State. He left North Carolial, the advisability of asking Congress for an appropriation, Smain's attnuite, the methods of distributing relief and na 19 years ago. He held a box of the "Special Tax" bonds and one of his statethe neccessity or advisability of having "Special Tax" bonds and that the U, ments just before he left was that the U, a warship accompany food supplies. But the final discussion of the question was postponed until Consul-General Lee and S. Supreme court would declare them valid and require their payment. He proved to be a very poor prophet, other |American Consuls in Cuba and probably Mr. Calhonn make their reports hy cable to the department. They have WAR MUNITIONS FOR CUBA. been requested to eable the latest facts to to the existing situation.

The Nashville.

Wilmington Correspondence. Wimmuros, N. C., May 15, 1897. On Thurnday last, three or four box cars of merchandise were transferred from the freight yards of the W. & W. R. R., by the "Dummy Line" to the whart of the whart of the W. N. & N. BRIDGEPORT, COND .- "The fastest vessal of her class in the world" was the rendict accorded by the officers of the

verdict accorded by use officers of the trial board at the conclusion of the speed trial of the new gunboat Nashville on Long Island sound. The speed required by the Government was 18.07 knots. The average speed made by the vessel was 16.706 knots, making an excess of speed very near three knots. With a bosons of \$20,000 for each excess from the means a total of \$500,000 for whart of the whart of the W. N. & N. R. R., near the foot of Queen street in this city. During the night the watch-man on duty at the railroad round house heard a noise from the direction of the cars such as led him to believe that some one was opening and robbing them. With this belief he started toward the cars, and on approaching them was halled by a sentry who directed him to come no further, under penalty of being shot at. knest, this means a total of \$60,000 for the builders. The time for the thirty nile run was one hour, thurty-five min time for the second run was one hour, thirty-are min-time for the second run was one hour. forty eight minutes and sixteen seconds. The average spend was 10.07 knots; on the run out the speed was 16.79 knots; The home run was a triffe slower, 10.63 Now thoroughly nlarmed the watch-na, retired and samed a triephone manage to be sent to the police headand in the course of time and if police appeared upon the some, flightion showed that the cars had aded with arms and assignition

The home run was a triffe slower, 10.63 innus being the average, the mean speed for the two runs being 16.705. The statering qualities of the vessel were excellent. The fields was put from "hand oo" to "hard on" in twenty sec-omts, the ship only keeing three degrees during that time. Immediately after the conclusion of the run the Nashville start, at for Newport News, Va. Upon her arrival there the engines will be taken agart and a thereingle examination made before the official report is made to the Government. The vessel will be rem-tioned of the run vessel will be rem-Weihburn Maynard, who is a member ( the trial loged.

THE MARKETS.

some of those signers, been presented to the Government, but has been sent to Philadelphia and Boston in order that it may also be signed by the merchants and bankers of those cities, before being forwarded to Secretary Sherman. The tramers of the memorial here were unwilling today to make the text of the memoriol public until it has been presented to Secretary Sherman, as they were of the opinion that to do so would be discourteous to the Secretary.

The first signature on the memorial is that of Lawrence Turnure & Co., bankers, of No. 50 Wall street, who for many years have done a very large business with Cuba, representing the Spanish Bank of Cuba, and also the municipality of Havana in the payment of coupons on Havana Water Works bonds, etc. James E. Ward & Co., the New York and Cuba Mail Steamship Company, August Pelmont & Co., and many other prominent firms also signed the memorial. The document itself does not contain one word of politics or any political reference, and this fact the framers and signers of it are anxious to make plain.

## THE COTTON MARKETS.

May 15. THE spot sales in Liverpool today were only 6,000 bales. For some days th spot Liverpool business has been so small as to prove a disturbing factor. NEW YORK opened at 7.35 for August and closed 7.38, the same as yesterday. THE dry goods situation in the United States is not in a very healthy condition and spot cotton is called for sparingly. The cotton statistical position grows stronger daily and it is now probable many mills will have to close before new crop comes in because the inter-mediate grades of option are becoming very scarce and cannot be had hunbun-dance even at the high premiums rul-The new crop is progressing fairly well. Texas sends out more encouraging re-ports than any other section. ing for such cottons. J. E. LATMAN.



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