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L STANTON scene vas that enacted at the The news comes from India in the past few years as Trinity. home of Atina Simpson on Friday Mas'ers Already Decapi.ared. that nearly every building in Six years ago it held property night Washington, Ju'y 3-While Oxlcutta has been injured by the valued at forty thousand dollars, It seems that Miss Suppor. recent earthquake there, and that ome of the office s ekers are and today it holds property val-Just keep cool ! who is a young girl employed at roundly abusing the President Then the breez- has ceased to blow still greater damage has been ued at four hundred thousand the Clermont knitting mills .n for not making appointments dohars. It is appreciated among this city, arose during the night done in the villages of the in-And the sun melts all below, with more rapidity. they should Stop ! and watch the melons the leading colleges of the North terior. and wanting a drink of water, To the People of remember that it is Mark Hanna as the progressive college of the Just keep cool ! went down stars to get one. In This is not upexpected; that is, and not Major McKastey, who is South. In the faculty the follow-Never mind it money's tightthe darkness the girl accidentally while we did not know of an dishing out the patronage. Presting institutions of learning are stepped upon the house cat.which Just keep cooi ! earthquake in India, and had no cient McKinley is really too much represented: Trinity, Woiford, An-Pitt County. When you're toiling day and night became euroged and setzed the special reason to expect our, it engrossed on his message recomnapplis and Wesleyan colleges. gal by the ankle, sinking us was quite certain, from all pre-And there's not a dime in sight, mending financial legislation in and Johns Hopkins, Harvard, teeth deep into the flesh Absolutely Pure, Hear the birds sing, right and lef .-cedents, that we would sooner or conformity with pledges made at Corneli, Leipsic, and Vanderbilt The gin's screams arous d her Just keep cool | later hear of a serious earthquake Our energies have never relaxed. Our cf-Celebrated for its great leave ing St Louis. And then again a good Universities. There are more mother, who cane to the rescue, somewhere. Seismic disturbance strength and healthfuln strength and healthfniness. Assures the lood against alum and all forms of ada-Never mind a single thing deal of his time is necessarily Doctors of Philosophy in the and attempted to pry the cat's torts have never ceased to giveyou the best always occur at nearly the same mouth open so as to release the taken up by Senators and mem-Just keep cool ! reratiou cemmon to the cheap brands foculty than in any other college time at widely different points of selected stock of bers who believe their recom-If you sigh you cannot sing_ faculty in the Sate. It is not girl from the animel's teeth This proved impossible, and it was mendalions will have more the earth. We of the United Ca not hear the bells that ring: surprising that the most modern only after the mother had secured weight through the President States are apparently least subject GEN May'be twon't be hot next spring -Diphteria in Chewing Gum. methods of education are followed a stone and beaten the cat's head than with Mark Hanna direct. to them. When, therefore, an Just keep cool ! at Trinity College. During the earthquake occurs here we may While attending school at West But it is not to Presidential ap past ye r. one hund el and cne so that it was killed, that the girl Chester, Pa., a few days ago a be quite sure of hearing in the pointments that I desire to call thousand dollars were added. business Failures. was released. next few days of a far more child of Joshua Abel came in Dr. R. S Primrose was sent attentior, but to the fact that, to the e dowment. Thinky Faik sprious one in some of the great contact with a schoolmate who his been greatly improved at the for and rendered all assistance there is one official of this admin-Business failures in the second seismic centres of the world--the had just been taken ill. The quarter of the present year in- Grecian archipelago, South Abel child returned home and istitation who while sawing wood expenditure of thousan l of dolpossible in the girl's caure. Saturday it was determined and saying nothing is making a volved liabilities to an aggregate America, India, or Maiaysia. divided some chewing gum she lus. A n-w Cmir has been that Mass Simpson ought to be a great second for himself. He is a ided to the School of English.

thus making Trinity the leading college of the State for the study York, for treatment, and a pure of Edglish language and Literature. Trinity is the only male literary college in the State that is located in a city, and it therewith wider influences and more ceive the most thorough treatleading questions than any other ment. college in the State. It is an education in itself to associate with a wide circle of men. The is a civ cannot be overestimated wint was the condition of the touch with the best cultural life gul. - ewbern Journal. and the most prominant men of the day. The reputation of the students of Tribity for Christian ma liness is known far and near, and is the pride of the city of

ings will be provided during the of women, and everything will be at this time of the year : the College in September. Send to chan out the hen houses thor-College A wave of Trinity in- oughly, whitewash every nock

fluence is sweeping the State.

sent to the Pasteur institue, New none other than, Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Brittow. was made up tere to meet all be ter known as the official bead man. Bristow has charge of the

foarth class postmasters of which The girl has started for New York city, and her ase will re- there are some sixty and odd thousand throughout the country He has only been in office a little

The spinal cord of the cat has that period he tasi ot been idle. been secured and will be sent 1 D mocratic postmasters have New York for examination, to see been decapitated with such swift The students are brought in animal at the time it attacked the nois and precision that it staggers one to keep coant. A friend

To Prevent Ch cken Cholers.

The manager of the poultry located. The Trustees at their division of the Experiment Starecent meeting opened all the tion gives in this month's Agrisummer for for the accomodation havee with the average farm flock in readiness by the opening of "The first step to be taken is

erpenses.

from which to select your purchases. We confidently believe and unhesitatingly claim period in any other year since would come from, scientists have the entire family was stricken that ours is the store of all stores in our county from which to buy your goods for the Bedford co'ton mills; and but earthquakes somewhere. coming year. Goods are sold on time at close for these additions the amount

credit prices to customers of approved credit. would have been smaller than has been so far any serious loss over three months, but during Goods sold for cash at figures that tell of the that of any recent year. Without of life from these disturbances, wonderful infinence of gold, silver or greens- rent returns of the commercial backs. When they enter into our possession agencies might be considered they are again converted into the best barof the official headsman said gains we can buy for the senent of our thany coed those in cotton manufactur-a day that it was his ambition to friends and customers. Do not hesitate or be ing in the whole country for three against loss and damage of these of the official headsman said gains we can buy for the penefit of our many uoual failures in one month ex-

cessors. And it must be said led away but cone straight back to your entire previous years. The first efficial headsman to attract attention to himself was classes of the college to women. cultural Balletin, the following ex Vice President Adelaide E stronger customer and better friend of a general business. The worst This means much for the higher education of cur women. Build-education of cur women, Build-cho'era, a disease that plays administration General Steven-Stev administration General Steven-son had charge of the fourth class postmasters and he didn't do a thing to the Republican so. Where ever he saw a R-publican fourth class postmaster's head he swung will serve you to the best of o ur ability. Po-bis Democratic are after the and corner, sprinkle 'ime all over the floor, put kcrosene oil on the fashion of Jackson. And the fashion of Jackson. And the forts shall be yours to command at the Peo-bemoe ats the forts shall be yours to command at the Peo-Philadelphia Record.

of \$43,684,876-a larger amount While, therefore, no one could had in her mouth among for than that of the corresponding predict just where the bad news brothers and sisters. Next day 1893. The increase was due to ter the past few weeks been with diphteris and the house is the Apri: crash among the New expecting to hear of se ions now under quarantine -Phila-This will go on record as an

iavolved in the quarter's failures the cotton mill failures the cur- but they have been exceptionally frequent and widely distributed. They have been severe, 1 10, but, fortunately, free from 1 vs of life convulsions of the earth.

delphia Record. The Habit of Prejudice

An illustration ct how the Texan argues on the question of anti-lewish prejudice may be seen from what "Gentile" says in the Evening Meteor-In the opening paragraph of his a icle he remarks:

when I was a very imm sture you. g man I openly successi at the Jews, and I find in my maturer years that the habit hangs to the wouthful Gentils of the rising generation with no abatement of bitterness and scorn. Is it not time that there was some serions protest made against this detestable anti-Jewish feenng ? It is un-Christian, inhuman and un-American; and I, for eac, wish to make amends for my tormer brutality by this vindication of a splendid race. There is not a drop of Jewish blood in my veins, nor set I alited to them in marriage or is any

right

colored, who was drowned cn material of hay, pine straw, or Wadnesday while to bathing at tobacco stems (the latter is beet.) Brittain's shugle mill, on the When this is done go over all was recovered yesterday morning the fowls at night with insect at 9 Golock. When the tide powuer, and very soot the health went down he was found standing of the flock will be improved. A upright with has 1- gs down in the nemedy that the Station has used mud. The bottom of the river at that point ut high tile is swampy, and when McBride of lice is composed of one half jumped into the water he sank gallon of tar, one-tourth gallon into the mud. This accounts for kero: ene oil, and oue-four h galthe fact that he never rose to the surface after leaping into the water -- Wilmington Messenger. thorcughly and applied to roos's

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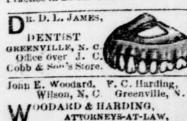
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Drowled While Standing Bolt Up- roost-pole. Barn all rest material, swab out the inside of the country appiauded his action. ple's Store. nest boxes with kerosene oil, then And thus it was that Stevenson The body of Henry McBride, whitewash them and put in new endeared himself to the party. Had he been in Cleveland's place there is no question but that the Pemocrats would be in power today. With the advent of the Harrison administration Gen.

Clarkson assumed the position of headsman, and in the matter successfully for the extermination of decapitating Democratic postmasters he beat Stevenson's record by nearly 1,000. Then came Maxwell from New York. Ion waste engine oil, mixed He was a silent man ; he said very little. I think he must have aud also to the fowis. Pour into

used two axes, for he outdid both a cup a smal quantity of the Lis predecessors in the number mixture, dip a cotton rag into it, of remevals. It is these records and by raising back the feathers that headsman Bristow is trying rub the dampeded rag pear the to surpass. And unless President McKinley calls him down, the man from bleeding Kausas Do not use too much. Try it on whit probably accomplish his one or two fowls and place them purpose. Up to date Bristow

in a coop for several hours; then has made a little over 8,000 apexamine and see if any hve lice pointments, and yet the Republiare there. If so, use the least bit cans are not satisfied. In the more on the next treated. Young appointment of fourth class chicks not feathered should only postmasters North Carolina is tenched in two places, viz: on top of head and over yent.

"By ridding the fowls of lice and supplying them with fresh drinking water often, an invasion of choiera need not be feared.' ----

APHORISMS When a man is wrong and won't admit it, he always gets

whom you should never speak .-Maxico at last cuts one recipic- Cecil. city gateway through the Mexi-We caunot control the evil

can border, with the result that tougues of others: bat a good life Mexico will give us early tips of enables us to disregard them .approaching cyclones and the Cato.

Be calm in arguing, for fierce-At Crook-ville, Ohio. a few ness makes error a fault, and days ago J. J. McFarland drop- truth discourtesy; calmness is a ped dead on the street from ap- great advantage - berbert. poplexy. While C. W. Watts, Do not judge from mere appoplexy. While C. W. Watts, pearances; for the light laughter undertaker, and David Miller, that bubbles on the lip often



Why Smokestacks Escane

The Seed Industry

Daring the past spring, over twen'y million packages of fi :wer smok-stacks only three are struck trus's and other combinations in districts, that the disaster has Hew would we Gentiles fare, in the and field seed have been d stil- by lightning each year, while of restraint of trade. Such an been even greater than at Caloutbuted by the Agricultural De- 10,000 church spires sixty-seven, ann uncement, coming from ta, and accompanied by some lots partment. This distribution of and of 10,000 windmills out annu. John Sherman, may mean that of life. At Calcutta walls were by our criminals, sneaks, crooks? As seed has given to each member ally. An endeavor has been made be is in favor of them. These cracked, and a number of them we ask to be gauged by our noblest of Congress 40,000 packages of to explain his condition by the who are familiar with his public fell. The earthquake was acseed, at a total cost of \$130,000. fact hat the smoke discharged from career know that no confidence companied by those phenomena Over a million of these seed the smokestacks takes the eloc-p: ckages were flower seed, and tricity assembled around the he may make. This, which was by an amazingly red and brilliant nearly 303,000 field seed, the re- building along and distributes it true of him in his prime, is doubly sunset, said by the seismologists mainder being a large variety of in the air whereby the source of true now that the shadows of old to be due to the dist stirred ap vegetable seed. In the entire attractigu for the electric spark age and oblivion are gathering by the fall of houses, and by the distribution, nearly every variety of lightning is not only diminish. over his mind and memory. of vegetable known to the agri ed, but almost disappears. This Mr. Sherman is the author of a space of many miles. The air culturists was distributed. There faot elso eqplains, it is said, why the secret legislation which was filled with sewer gas and were thirty-two valities of beans people in the country kindle a demonstrized silver, and which sulphurons fumes, the former were thirty-two valities of beans people in the fireplace when has made trusts in this country natural enough when it is con-ten of beats, twenty-hree of cab a thanderstorm is approaching. possible. He now says that the sidered that the drains were

of sweet corn, eighteen of cucumbeis, thirty of lettuce, niueteeu Possibly it has been reserved of muskmelons, seventeen of for a Hillsdale (N. J.) Methodist watermelons, and fifteen of oaions. parson to solve the problem of The entire quantity of seeds "systematic beneficence." He business, trade and profits due bances are yet over, for they an area of 355 square mile .

an area of 355 square mile . This is the largest distribution of s ed ever attempted by the voung ladies of the firck. The can be made effective is a fallacy itself. Against such disturbances The mailing clerk used the mailing clerk used This is the largest distribution voung ladies of the firck. The can be made effective is a fallacy itself. Against such disturbances Agricultural Departmen', and i straits. They must either give on the face of it, for currency is said that seedsmen all over the up going to church altogether, contraction drives all business however, we are reasonably safe, for the United States seidom suffers more than a slight seismic

The arrangement for the e_x -change of weather reports b_x -country are complianting the second the belle come around. The disc from the department. The dis-tribution of seed in 1893 amount-

tribution of seed in 1893 amount-ed to 8,800 packages for each lections.—Church Economist.

member of Congress, at a total cost of \$66,548; in 1894 each congressman got 16,000 packages DR KING'S NEW DISCOVERY FOR

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the entire cost to the government CONSUMPTION.

approaching cyclose will be re-ike. This courtesy will be re-paid with timely tidings of cold waves dropping down from the northwest. A system so benefi-cent and so inexpensive ought to have international extension have international extension have international extension

come idea of the enormous ex-penditure of the government seeds Dr. King New Life Pills in connection being only a very small item.

M rs Mary Baltwia's Will,

The Origia of Trusts. According to the report of a towns to suffer damage.

recent interview in a Yew York paper, John Sherman has an and it may prove, when we get

anti trust law c n be so amended broken, and the sewers clogged

as to destroy the trusts, but this and choked by the falling walls is a statement that means noth- and buildingsing. Trusts are the natural Nor is there any reason to the collection taken up by the to the contraction of currency.

Prayea for Rais.

in its memory the names of its At the opening of Sunday morning's service at the Episce newspaper man kindness never pal church Rev. Dr. F. J. Murdcch make a better investment or one offered up in his prayer a petition that more surely pays them a for rain. Before the services hundred fold sooner or later. As has been truly said, there comes

Dr. Murdoch then offered up a when a word said by a newspaper in thanks for the rain. The incident created consider-able comment among those who were present - Salisbury World.

It doesn't take the average figuring on it has discovered that

damage done, but fortunately the the desire to help right a great wrong. worst shocks were in a wild, The prejudice against the Jewish mountainous country, sparsely people arises in almost every instance, settled, where there were no large from the objectionable personality of an individual, and not from the char-News from India is still meagre,

So far in the last few weeks

they have occurred in Canada,

Mexico, Italy, Japan, in the

central part of the United States,

and, last of all, in India, and it is

acteristics of the entire race. The mass Statistics show that of 10,000 nounced that he is opposed to the returns from the far away by the unit. It is outrageously untain estimation of the unprejudiced Akan in characters but in turn cannot turn out eyes above the level of the Dickens type of Jew when we come to consider hat people in , the abstract, I say it shows an amazing narrowness of mind

> A VALUABLE PRESCRIPTION. Editor Morrison, of the Worthing on, Ind. Sun writes. "You have a val distarbance of the ground over nable prescription in Electric Bitters and I can cheerfully recommend it for constipation and sick headache, and as a general system tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Annie Stehle, 2025 Cottage Grove Chicago, was all run Ave, Chicago, was all run down, could not eat nor digest food, had a cadache which never left her and felt ired and weary, but six bottles of Electric Bitters restored her health and renewed her strength. Prices 50 cts and \$1 per bottle at J. L. Wooten's drug store.

The Raleigh correspondent of the Charlotte Observer, writing generally wind up in some severe or recent changes in the Agricul-

The mailing clerk used to be a little boy. Now a well salaried for the United States seidom man does that work. A clerk at the usher used to be an 18 year New Orleans Times-Democrat. old boy, at \$15 per month. Now he is a kid in knickerbockers, at Every newspaper treasures up

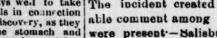
\$30. Ob, well, reform iswhat we voted for, isn't it? Well, we are getting it in large and frequent doses, and let us be content .--Statesville Landmark.

Is it ' overwork" that has filled this

staoying habits. The remedy is an artificially digested food such as the Shaker Digestive Cor-dial, Instead of irritating the already inflamed atomach the Cordial g wesit a

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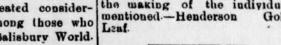
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were concluded it was raining, a time in the life of every man



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WEDNESDAY JULY 14, 1897.

Everybody seems to be the same way of thinking about local taxation in this county. No one favoring it. It would be utter folly to raise any money to put into the present management of public schools. Those who favor loca! texation under other circumstances c uid never be induced to vote for it at present. The public schools for the next two years are d stined to be a failure. They will continue so as long as they are in politics and are used to further the interests of a few politicians This is the verdict of the peoplein. these parts in reference to them just

now.

Senator Isham G. Harris, of Ten nessee, died in Washington on Thursday of this week. He was somewhere Lear eighty years old. For many years it is said that he would not give get the consent of the opponents of the the date of his birth for publication in the Congressional Record. He had been in public life for a long time, and no man ever died with as long a holitical life against whom less could be said than Senator Harris. He ha held almost every offee in the f t of the people and in none of them did he this week, was constructed. Tak ecoal, ever bring discredit upon himse If or his constituents.

He was the best parliamentarian in America, and for this reason, became President protem of the Senate when the Democrats came into control in 1892. He was a Confederate soldier and the war Governor, of Tennessee, in which posit on he ranked along up with our own Vance. At the close of the war he disappeared for a time with the State's valuables and a large sum of money, even risking, it is said, his own life to save these. Parson Brownlow the Military Governor who succeeded him advertised for him offering a reward for hics apture. When it could be safely done, Senator Harris walked into the office one morring and delivered to the Parson the valuables and the money which he had thus saved to the State. He was a man of great force of character, and the entire in ation sustains a loss in his death.

Social Galety at the Pen

Some time ago the convicts at the

Millin cornered him this week when he Holders-D A Morgan, W E moved to suspend the rules and adopt Barrett, J R Joyner. the Morgan Cuban resclution, are sufficient to prevent any action by the House, the Republican Senators are L W Lawrence, S P Humphrey.

ountry by a little anti-Spanish bun- Tyson, JP Norcottcombe. This week Senator Lodge, from the committee on Foreign Re-

lations, reported a resolution author- Poll Holders-W T Godwin, W izing the President to use force, if L Brown, Heibert Edmands. necessary, to compel Spain to pay the indemnity demanded by two naturalized F M Smith, Fred Jenkins. Poll American citizens who were illegally Holders-T J Stancill, J C Albritarrested in Cuba in 1895. If there ton, Rich Forbes. were any intention to put through retused to pay any attention to diplomatic demands for this indemnity for two much wronged citizens of the United States, but to bring it forward with no real intention of having it Holders-T H Langley, J R adopted by both branches of Cong ess, Overton, Dennis Daniel. merely as a political play, is adding

insult to the injury already received by the two unfortunates. For some unexplained reason the members of the Senate committee on Foreign Relations have changed their minds about not reporting the treaty

for the anarxation of Hawaii until the Jr. Poll Holders-J McDixon, regular session, and will report it at once with a recommendation that it be ratified An attempt is being made to TOPACCO ACREAGE AND CONDItreaty to a vote at this session, it having been ascertained that the necessary Letters from Prominent Farmers Conceining the 1897 Cicp. votes to ratify can be obtained. It is not surprising that men of ordinary comprehension should find u difficult to understand the theory of "protection" upon which the Republi-

Flattering and overestiatedm tob.c co crop reports, its enormity and a ove can tariff bill, passed by the Senate a hundred conditio-, not based altofor instance. The duty on foreign gether on facts and circulated in many instances without a strict regard for coal is advanced from forty cents to sixty-seven cents a ton, yet Senator truth, told for the purpose of increasing Elkins, himself beavily interested in and inducing busin as and booming coal mines, says the increase will not one's particular town or locality, has in

result in adding one cent to the pay of many instances during recent years the miners, although he admits that the acted as a boomering to the reporters price of coal to the consumer will and their section, undoubtedly be advanced. In other The writer has contended all along words the 27 cents a ton added is a that exaggerated reports of the number gratuity to the mine owners. Senator of pounds of tobacco sold on any par-Jones, of Ark., thus expressed himself scular market hurt the patrons of that on this subject : "The coal miners market more than the boom and boast in the acreage and the condition of the

pecting higher wages after the new creasing trade. With this in view, with last year of this date: We will tariff goes into effect, if the Republi- then, we have especially insisted that have to say that the comparison is so cans were sincere in their arguments the eastern markets make prop r and wide that it may seem incredible. in support of higher tariff taxes. The accurate reports of the business dones think the decrease must be as much as burden of their speeches on the coal so as not to form an exaggerated ilea 20 per cent. and the condition is tar duties, and on every schedule in the of our eastern crop. bill, was that bigher rates were neces-, During the last few year, the opsary to protect American labor from of the tobacco trade have been turned

the competition of cheap foreign labor to the markets of eastern North Caroextreme dryness, causing premature and to enable American employers to lina. From them the trade gets its pay higher wages, but every one finest wrappers, most silky cutters and growth and forcing the plant to the knows that is not what the tariff was smoothest strips. Then how important

mine owners and other employers of informed as to what they can get f om labor large profits. Notwithstanding this, by far the most important bright

penitentiary participate1 at a swell the increase in the duty on coal from tobacco section in the South. Over FARMVILLE, N. C., July 8th, '97

ATDEN, N. C., July 5, '97. when cornered as Representative Mc- well, J N Bynum, Geo Gay. Poll MR. O. L. JOYNER. Grenville, N. C. DEAR SIR .- Your letter 1st inst, asking the condition of the p.esent

growing crop of tobacco, also the acre-No. 1. Registrars-W CHines, age comparison with one year ago retrying to bamboozle the voters of the Poll Holders-6 M Daniel, B F ceived.

The condition of the crup has proved wonderfully in the past week No. 2. Registrars -- W OBarnin consequence of the recent rains, but hill, James Brown, Sam Mayo. the rains came too late to save a good many crops.

GREENVILLE.

TION.

BY O. L. JOYNER.

There are belts in the territory No 3. Registrars_R S Evals, which we are familiar with that have had no ram to do any good in four or five weeks and these crops are acting No 4. Registrars-Joha F badly. We do not think the condition Congress, it would be a commendable Boyd, W S Fleming, Manning of the tobacco crop is more that 75 per thing to bring it forward, as Spain has Moore. roll Holders-SIFlem- cent compared with last year even dates. The acreage has been reduc d ing, L A Mayo, B J Wilsonin our section fully 331 per cent. PACTOLUS.

J. W. QUINERLY & BRO. Registrrars-J T Mobley, W R. WLichard, Jr, Chas Spain. Poll WILLOW GREEN, N. C., July 6, '97. O. L. JOYNER, Esq.,

Greenville, N.C.

SWIFT CREEK. DEAR SIR: -Yours received. I think No 1. Registrars-W S Wilit a good idea. There is a decrease in son, M C Smith, J S Brown. the acreage in this section of at leas Poll Holders-Fred Johnson, L 25 per cent if not more. Drouth has B Mewborn, L C Quinorly. damaged the crop at least 3) per cent; No 2. Registrars-Walt Clap man, N R Cory, Fred Cannon, N H Whitford, G W Cox.

crop is very poor. Should the rain set in now I am of the opinion that there would be but little change in some of the tobacco crops in th s county.] heard a very prominent farmer say the rain ould not do his crop any go

now, it was too far gone. Taking the crcp as a whole in county it is very poor. I don't think I should miss it far were I to say there

will not be over half a crop made in this county. During the month of June we had but very little rain. Some cf the farmers commenced priming last week. It can't be ripe, it is just parched up from the drouth. F. T. CARR.

ORMCNDSVILLE, N. C., July 7, '97' MR. O. L. JOYNER,

Greenville, N. C. DEAR SIR:-Replying to your irquiry of Coly 1st, as to the reduction Pounds. would be justified in asking and ex_ did good in drawing capital and in_ tobacco crop in our section as compared We below last year, as much in our opinion as 53 per cent and some cases 50 per cent caused by the continued cool weather in the late spring followed by

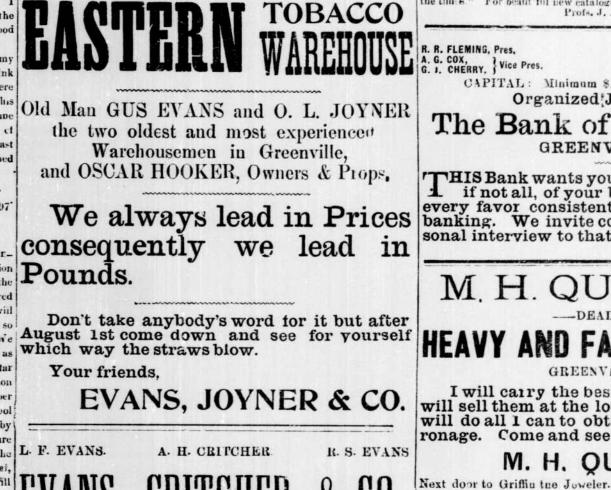
barns without life or size to the leef increased for. It was to give the coal it is that the trage should be properly and if rain does not come soon be hard to tell what the result will be TURNAGE & CRMOND.

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Weekly Crop Ballstin.

The past week has been extremely warm thronghout North Carolina, with maximum temperatures between 90° and 100° on every day and means averaging eight degrees per day above the normal. The weather has also been very dry, but beneficial local showers occurred in portions of the following counties: Eastern district, Brunewick, Chowan, Hyde, Pasquotank, Bertie, Jones, Craven and Tyrrell; contral district, Wake, Johnston, Anson, Chatham, Moore, Person, Durham, Franklin and Warren; western district, Mitchell, Transylvania, Henderson, Cebarrus, McDowell, Gaston. In these counties the week has generally been very lavorable. In general, however, the heat and drought have considerably injured cr ps, at least on high and sandy lands; crops are everywhere needing rain. Cotton is doing we'l, however; it is green and growing rapidly; stand very good; is blooming quite generally; not yet suffiring for rain. Corn needs moisture badly; it is small and the effect of the dry heat is to make it silk and tass.! too lox; it

has good color, but is beginning to firon light lands; chinch bugs still dom : some damage. Tobacco seems to b. suffering some from drought; somleaves have been cured in the eastern distric'. Gardens and vegetables are receiving a serious set back by the dry, hot weather in those counties where no local showers occurred. Stand of peanuts is not very good. Many peas have been planted. Melons had been conducted offering to go getting ripe. Threshing wheat con- there and produce rain for his extinues. Oats all cut in east; some still to be cut in west portion. Rice people, and their readiness to take doing well. Splendid weather for any chances to get it, that they imhaving. The blackberry season is at mediately sent Mr. Gizzbunkler a its height. Peach crop is very small. draft for the money to come on All crops are clean and well worked, with, without even asking him how which enables them to stand the he was going to produce the rain. drought much Letter than they otherwise would.

Died from a Snake Bite.

On Tuesday morning while Milner number of other interested citizens, Revis, who lives about 8 miles east of asked Mr. Gizzbunkler his plans. Hendersonville, was crading ryc, his "They had had some queer people son, Burton, aged 15, was following in this town at one time and another, but Mr. Gizzbunkler appeared ham, binding. The father cut over to them to be the most useless perwhere a large rattlesnake was lying, son they had ever had there. At and when the son came to bind the first they thought they would kill grain the snake sunk its fangs into him at once, that there would at least be some slight saving in shiphim. It was between 7 and 8 o'clock. ping him back as freight; but Ste-Whiskey was given the boy, but only phen was so obviously a well meana pint was at hand, and a messenger ing man that finally they thought was sent for Dr. Eagerton, who arthey would give him a trial, which ried about 3 o'clock. When the they did on the following day. doctor got there the boy was uncon-"It was a day on which any other man in the world would have left scious, and died about 5 o'clock .his umbrella at home, anyway. Ste-Hendersonville Times. phen Gizzbunkler was about to leave

Furny Irjunction Case.

He had been a little shaken, person-This is a notable year for injunction ally, by the attitude of the people eases in this State, but the querest of after his simple plan had been unfolded, but his confidence in the a'l of them came up at Durham Monuccess of his plan was quite

STEPHEN GIZZBUNKLER.

n Old Time Resident of Storkville Cente and His Remarkable Experience.

what the weather or what the

standing one day with his umbrella

under his arm, in the Storkville

Center postoffice, perusing the news

paper which he had just taken from

"I doubt if any man ever had a more singular experience," said Colonel Calliper, "than once fell to the lot of my old friend, Stephen Gizzbunkler, who formerly lived in Storkville Center, Vt. Mr. Gizzbunkler, like most of us, had his peculiarities, the most conspicuous perhaps, being his habit of always carrying an umbrella. No matter

G. M. MO_RING, H. S. CONGLETON, M. A. WOOLARD township W. B. WHICHARD.) Pactolus J. B. LITTLE, H. W. WHICHARD Pactolus township. is a vigorous feeder and responds well to liberal fertiliza-Notice of Sale.

signs might be, he never went out without an umbrella. He knew it By virtue of an order of the Superioi Court, made on the 7th day of July, 1897, I will sell to the highest would be sure to rain, if he did. Where he got this impression 1 don't know. He may have been out some time in his youthful days in his best clothes without an umbrella and notes and evidences of debt belorg-ing to the estate of A. M. Clark, dewhen it came on to rain.

"Some years ago, when they be eased. to-wit: gan making the curious and costly Note due January 1st, 1891, from J. experiments in the arid regions of A. Staton, for \$200, secured by mori-gage upo, the life estate of J A Staton u on certain realty and certain personthe far west, firing explosives from balloons, and one thing and another, to produce rain, Mr. Gizzbunkler,

Notice

al property. Note due January 1st, 1864, from M Dickinson and Jas M Clark fo: \$25. Two notes due January 1st, 1-71-9 from E S Green for \$258} each.

the mail, said: "'Why do they waste all this A. Adams for \$11.50. oney in mere experiments when they could get rain with certainty ner Boyd for 8110. and at a far less cost? Why don't they send for me?'

"'What could you do?' asked neighbor who was standing near. "'Why, I could go out without my umbrella, 'said Mr. Gizzbunkler, and, amazing as it may seem, it is not the less certainly a faot that he wrote to the mayor of a town near which some of these experiments penses. It shows the consuming desire for rain on the part of the credits. "When Mr. Gizzbunkler arrived at the town, he was met at the railroad station by a delegation of citizens, who escorted him to the hotel.

Later he was waited on officially by the rain committee of the town ouncil, who, in the presence of the reception committee and a large

Company, issued May 7.h, 1873. Lot of Confederate States (f Amer-ica bonds, issued between the years 18 0 and 1865.



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departments 105,106 written ap-

plications for office, most of them

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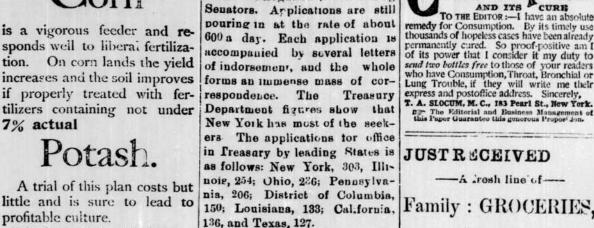
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me relate an incident that happened to some companies in the down town district at a fire of this de scription. It occurred in Barclay street, in the subcellar of a crock ery and glass warehouse, amid th. straw used to pack the glassware It sent forth a dense, stifling smoke and was an ugly fire to fight. I will relate it in the rather characteristic way in which it was told me by a fireman in one of the companies that were summoned to subdue it. The story gives an idea of

at any time. "The station came in one night at 11:30. We rolled, and found the fire in Barclay street in a crockery warehouse. Burning straw, jute excelsior and all that sort of stuff in the subcellar. Smoke: I never saw such smoke since I've been in the business. We went through the building and found the fire hadn't got above the cellar. We tried to get the line down the cellar stairs, but it was no use; no one could live on that stairway for a minute. The chief then divided us up, sent out a second (a second alarm), and we Yours truly. ADNEY, CARR & Cosailed in to drown it out; 27 cngine got the rear; 7 engine the stairway, to keep it from coming up. and our company, 29, got the front.

We pried open the iron cellar doors on the pavement, only to find that the elevator used to carry freight to the bottom had been run up to the top. Here were four inches of Georgia pine to cut through! And, phew, such work in such smoke! "Well, we got through this, opened t up and-out it came! No flames, just smoke, and with force enough to suffocate a man in a second. We backed out to the gutter and got a little fresh air in our lungs and went at it again. We brought a 35 foot ladder over from the truck and



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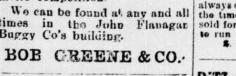
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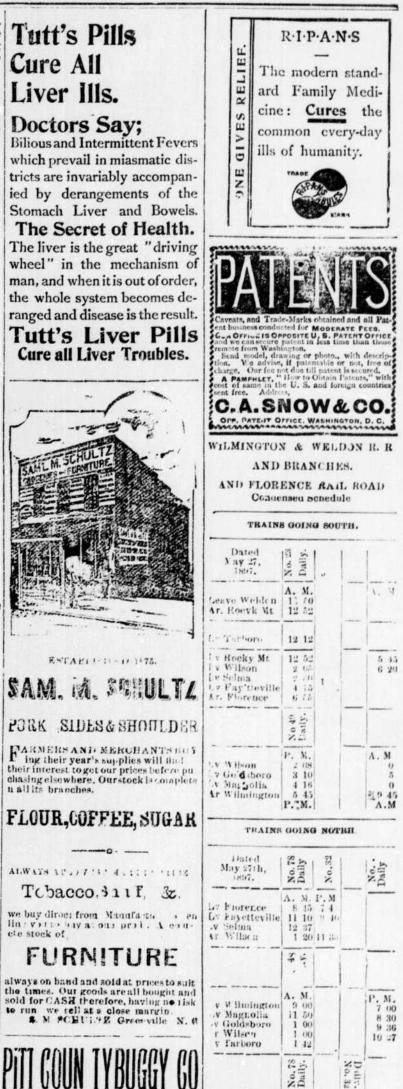
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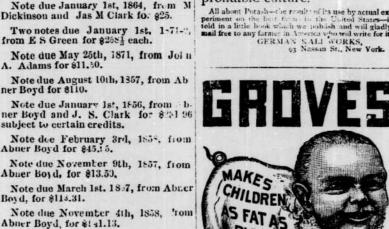
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di". A colored Baptist church, claun- broken. He laid his umbrella careing it had first employed a band to fully across the foot of the bed in play at a Fourth of July festival, his room at the hotel, looked at it obtained an injunction to restrain the almost lovingly and then went band from playing for another church of the same denomination.

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Rev. Di. M. B. Whartor. of Nor- to the people, too, that the corn filk, Va., one of the most distinguished shriveled up as he passed and that Baptist divines in the South, has the last blades of grass withered. resigned the postorate of the Freemason Street Bartist church to accept and then they took him back to the a call to the copartnership of Brantley railroad station. They had taken church, of Baltimore, which is now his him away from the station in a carbrother's charge.

riage; they carried him back on a rail, but this was a matter of detail

franc pieces annually disappear from circulation. This according to an official announcement just made by the went out without an umbrelia. He French government, is due to a queer had had a great experience, and he resple to adopt them. Accordingly, a storm that swept away every he caused a story to be circulated to bridge in the county, and which the effect that one of the coins con- washed away. too, whatever imcealed in its interior a check for \$20,- pression the extraordinary experi-000 written on asbestos paper, and directing the bank of France to pay bunkler. the finder the money all in five-franc silver pieces. It is in the hope of Gizzbunkler carried an umbreila aldiscovering this mythical check that so ways, as firm as ever in the belief

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down to meet the committee. "They walked, Stephen ahead, the rain committee and the reception committee next and after them

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the people, along the dusty road. "Did it raini No, no, no. It eemed to Stephen, and it seemed

"They gave him one more trial the next day, with the same results,

that almost escaped Stephen's at-Thuesands of French silver five- tention at the time, so glad was he to get back at all.

"On the day after Mr. Gizzbunkler's return to Storkville Center he belief. When the great Emperar had been somewhat impressed by Napoleon first put these coins into ci culatico it was difficult to induce would see. But that day there came ences in the arid regions had made upon the mind of Mr. Stephen Gizz-"Thercefter, until he died, Mr.

many thousand of five franc pieces are without one."-New York Sun. that it would rain if he went out

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we'll all remember to our last days."

fared even worse than the other.

They had to descend into a narrow

court only 4 feet wide, about 25 feet

long (the width of the building)

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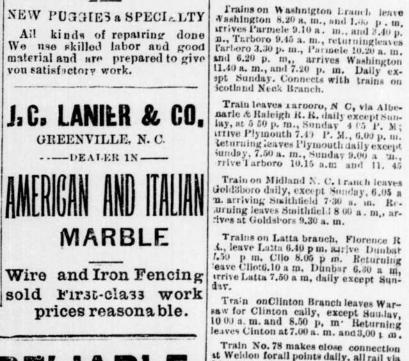
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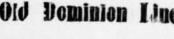
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