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### THROUGH SOUTH CAROLINA. BUSINESS OUTLOOK CHEERING.

CURRENT NEWS OF INTEREST IN THE STATE.

A Bicycle Club is Organized at Newbery.-The Butler Registration Case Dismissed.

NEWBERRY, S. C., July 8.-The bicyclist here have organized a club and have a fine track. A barbecue Satur-day signaled the first days races which

resulted as follows: The first race was one-fifth of a mile, entered by Z. F. Wright and G. F. Wearn. Won by Wright. Time 31

The second was also one-fifth of a mile and was made between Ellerbee Pelham and James McCaughrin. Won

by Pelham Time 26 % seconds.

Marquis Spearman and Julius Boozer
entered the third race, which was onefifth of a mile. This was a very slow
race, but was won by Spearman 24 ½

The fourth race was between John Eddy and Irwin Renwick for one fifth of a mile and was won by Renwick.

The fifth race was one-fourth of a mile and was entered by Ellerbee Pelham, James McCaughrin and Julius Boozer. It was won by Pelham in 34 ½ seconds; McCaughrin second.

#### TEST CASE DISMISSED By the Supreme Court of South Caro

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 8.—The state supreme court Saturday decided the registration law test case brought by Senator Butler many months ago and argued last December. The majority of the court, the two associate justices, Pope and Gary; both elected since the advent of Tillmanism, rendered opinions dismissing the case—one on the ground of a lack of jurisdiction; the other on the ground that the complaint had an adquate remedy at law other-

### TRAGEDY IN A CHURCH.

COLUMBIA. S. C., July 8 .- A special to The State says that at a colored church festival at Bamburg Saturday night, Alexander Brabham, in the crowded entrance, tread on Adam Hannabal's The latter drew a revolver and sued and as the murderer held the exit with drawn revolver, the assemblage poured out of the windows, regardless of shutters or sash. Hannabal made

### Changed Bosses.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 5.—The Seaboard Air Line system has now begun the operation of the Columbia, Newberry and Laurens railroad, and is entering Columbia once more. This is done under the lease whereby the road system and the next by the Seaboard system. The Seaboard began to operate the road again on Tuesday, and now its trains are running through be-

FLORENCE, S. C., July 8.—The secretary of state Saturday issued a commisturing company, at this place, the Florence Tobacco Warehouse and Prize company. The capital stock \$3,000, divided into 60 shares, with the privilege of increasing the capital stock to \$6,000.

Anderson, S. C., July 4.—The Anderson County Teachers' Institute is in session here this week; it is in charge of Professors Albert and Sutliffe, of the Pennsylvania State Normal School. The session is well attended by the teachers of the county, and they are having a profitable session.

GREENVILLE, S. C., July 4.-J. D. Lewis, who killed Henry Rutledge Saturday night came in and surren dered to the sheriff yesterday. He sur rendered under advices of his attorney and states that he concealed himself only from fear of harm from the rela-tions of the deceased.

### Patriotic Negro Militie

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 5. — The fourth was celebrated very generally here. The only public demonstration was a parade in the afternoon of the only regiment of negro militia in the United States.

### SOUTH CAROLINA IN BRIEF.

The tobacco crop is fine. The Chernw knitting mill is running on full time.

The teachers and dentists had a big time at Spartanburg last week.

Governor Evans has been in New

The Plant System will run a spe excursion to Augusta on account of the centennial of the Richmond Hussars, which is to be held in that city, begin-

rson Saturday resolutions were Anderson Saturday resolutions were proposed urging conservatives and all opposed to ring rule to abstain from any part in the Irby primary but hold themselves ready for voting at the general election. The resolutions were warmly endorsed by a number of speakers and unanimously adopted.

RALEIGH, N. C., July 6 .- Dr. J. F. Battle, of this county, aged thirty years, has created a sensation by eloping with and marrying the thirteen-year-old daughter of C. J. Bright. The marriage license was obtained by a friend, who, it is said, made an incor-rect statement as to the girls age. ...

BETHLEHEM, Pa., June 17 .- Bishop

New York, July 6.—R. G. Dun & Company, in their weekly review of trade today says:

Company, in their weekly review of trade today says:

There were 6.637 commercial failures in the first half of 1893, against 7,039 in the first half of 1894, and 6,401 in the first half of 1893. These commercial failures involved liabilities of \$8.839,941, this year, against \$101,739,306 hast year, and \$168,864,444 in 1893.

The details show a decrease in every class of failures in the second compared with the first half of 1895, both in the number and magnitude, the defaulting liabilities averaging \$34 against 40 for every \$1.00 solvent payments. The mid-summer reports from all commercial centres are of especial interest, covering the question on which the future business depends. They indicate distinctly better crop prospects than other official or commercial accounts, a marked increase in retail distribution of products, an active demand for goods, and a general enlargement of the working force, with some advance in the wages of more than half a million hands, At the same time they show that the rapid advance in prices has somewhat checked buying of a few classes of products. In every part of the country the outlook for fall trade is considered bright.

Nothing disturbs the money market, the government begins the new fis al year with more than the required gold reserve, and the disbursement of nearly \$80,000,000 poperations in interest and dividends will stimulate business in many branches.

The advance in from continues and the Thomas company has raised anthractic No. 1, another \$1\$ per cont. for anthractic pig and in all kinds averaging 22 per cent. The demand and sind size have contained and size have co

ing from 72.2 per cent. since February for wire nails to 7.1 per cent. for anthracite pig and in all kinds averaging 22 per cent. The demand and rise have come so suddenly that even while the first order for shipment of steet billets to Europe given some time ago, when prices were low, is being announced, the prices here has advanced \$17, in April, to \$22.25. or about 31 per cent.

### CHICKAMAUGA PARK.

The Dedication on September 19th, Those Taking Part in it.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 10 .- The official announcement of speakers at the dedication of the Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military

September 19th.-Dedication of the Chickamauga section of the park. Ex-ercises at Snodgrass hill to be opened by Secretary Lamont. Orators, General John M. Palmer, of Illinois, General John B. Gordon, of Georgia. Eight p. m., at Chattanooga, exercises conducted by the society of the army of the Tennesse. Gen Granville M. Dodge presiding. Orators, General Oliver O. Howard. U. S. A., General Jos Wheeler,

September 20th. -Dedication of the Chattanooga section of the park. Exga. Orators, General Charles H. Grosvenor, of Ohio, General William B. Bate, of Tennessee. Eight p. m., at Chattanooga, exercises conducted by Chattanooga, exercises conducte ercises beginning at noon at Chattanooveterans of the Army of the Potomac and the Army of Northern Virginia, General Edward C. Walthall, of Mississippi, pres'ding. Orators, General Orland Smith and Governor Wm. C. Oates, of Alabama.

will occur. Orator, General Charles F Manderan.

#### SITUATION IN MISSISSIPPL McLaurin and Free Silver in

JACKSON, Miss., July 10 .- Hon. J. K. Hardaman, of Leflore county, free silver candidate for governor, writes a ing his withdrawal from the race for the reason he says, that he "sees he

C. McCabe, of Vicksburg, sound money candidate, and Senator A. J. McLaurin, the i6 to 1 champion. There is no sort of doubt as to the result. The free silveridea is on in Miss., for the time being and none other need apply for the office. Mr. Vardaman was speaker of the last legislature, is a polished and is a capable gentleman but did not have McLaurin's "pull," and was being crowded to the wall all along the

#### MISSISSIPPI STOCK BREEDERS Their Organization Having a Good Fffee

Jackson, Miss., July 8.—The organization of the Mississippi stock breeders association here July 4th, in which every branch of that industry was largely represented, has begun to bring forth fruit. The cattle and swine breeders of Jackson have published a a call for a mass meeting July 10, when positive steps for the establishment of

To the President and Wife Who A BUZZARDS BAY, Mass., July 8.—Cray Cables, the picturesque and quiet summer home of President Cleveland, at half past four yesterday afternoon a little girl was born unto Mrs. Cleveland. Dr. Jos. D. Bryan, the attending physician, informed a representative of the United press that both mother and child were doing well.

Eminent Surgeon Dead. NEW ORLEANS, La., July 10 .- Dr. W F. Schuppert, eminent surgeon and one of the most brilliant and popular phy-sicians of New Orleans, died yesterday morning from appoplexy. He was for ty-one years old and has made wonder ful and successful achievements, such as many well known surgeons, grown gray in the profession might envy.

TOPEKA, Kan., July 8.—The supreme court rendered its decision Saturday in the case of Mrs. Mary Lease against the members of the state board of charthe memoers of the state opera of car-ities in fayor of the defendant, George H. Clark, who was appointed to suc-ceed her on the board. This effectually removes Mrs. Lease from the office.

### WASHINGTON NEWS.

THE HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST AT THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

A Lawyer is Killed by an Electric Car, A Stay of Execution.—Other Current News.

WASHINGTON, July 10. - Justice White, of the supreme court of the United the case of the state of Mississippi vs Charley Smith, who is under sentence to be hanged today. This will act as a stay against the execution until the error alleged can be investigated by the higher courts.

Henry Clay England, a lawyer of Rockville, Md., and a well known citizen, was struck by an electric car on the outskirts of Washington yesterday

Reports of the final trial of the Olym-pia, which reached the navy depart-ment yesterday, show that the vessel maintained a speed of nearly twenty knots in Saucelito channel for four hours on natural draught which is greater than expected. Vessel was not forced in any way, accomplishing twenty knots with the greatest case. The yessel was heavily loaded, being 200 tons displacement greater than on her contractors' trial. The Olympia is now at San Francisco, reconting was for force. at San Francisco, recruiting men for a three years' cruise. As soon as her complement of marines is full she will go to Mare Island for two weeks and then proceed to China to replace the

Baltimore as flagship.

The light house board yesterday made the following official announcement: The published statement that the experience with temporary boring frame plant constructed a year ago on the outer Diamond Shoal, off Cape Hatteras, N. C., has been in any was dis-couraging to the establishment of a permanent light or was authorized by the light house board and is contrary to the facts. The result of this experiment has been in every way favorable.
The frame was placed there principally to make borings and determine the nature of the foundation. As was anticipated it was found that the shoal depth. After the borings were com-pleted the frame and the temporary was no reason for removing them, and it was thought that observation of the effect of heavy seas on a structure of weterans of the Army of the Potomac and the Army of Northern Virginia, General Edward C. Walthall, of Missia-sippi, presiding. Orators, General Orland Smith and Governor Wm. C. Oates, of Alabama.

At 8 p. m., Semtember 18th, at Chathar and Smith and Smith and Smith and Smith and Governor Wm. C. Oates, of Alabama.

At 8 p. m., Semtember 18th, at Chathar and Smith and Smith and Smith and Governor Wm. C. Oates, but it is regarded as most encouraging to the plan of establishing a permanent light that a temporary structure. the road ciety of the Army of the Cumberland ture of this character should have stood hurricanes and be still far from being destroyed entirely. However, the fact that it has been damaged, is a fortu-nate circumstance since the nature and extent of this damage will afford valuable data as to the force and direction of the heaviest seas and the form which the permanent structure must take to resist them. Another valuable piece of information derived from this beacon is that there appears to have been no scour around it or shifting of the bom-

Base Ballists Not Guller

EVANSVILLE, Ind., July 10 .- The cas against seven of the Evansville base ball team for playing on Sunday were

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 10 .- The Rod

mill of the Coxey steel and wire com-

sustained it has not settled perceptibly.

The plans for the permanent structure are being prepared as rapidly as possible in the light house board. TALLAHASSEE, Fla., July 8.—Sheriff den is wanted in Wilcox, Ga., for mur-der, committed in May, 1891. Sheriff Pearce will take Harden to Georgia as soon as the extradition papers are

positive steps for the establishment of a packery will be taken. At present there is no market for surplus stock, there being no packing in this or ad-joining states. Those at the head of the movement have ample means and will push the scheme through to suc-

### SOUTH'S CONGRATULATIONS

LEXINGTON, Va., July 10 .- The trial of C. W. Irvine was concluded yester-day by the jury bringing in a verdict of not guilty, after an absence of a half an hour in the jury room. ROHNERVILLE, Cal., July 8.—Fire yesterday destroyed the Pacific Lumber company's plant at Scotia. The loss will be \$250,000. About 300 men will be thrown out of employment.

Washington, July 9.—Postmaster General Wilson yesterday issued an or-der establishing on September 1st, next, a free delivery service at Tampa, Fla., with five letter carriers.

Lexington Confederate Monument.

Lexington, Ky., July 10.—Ex-confederates who were in General Roger Hanson's command raised a monument to the memory of the general and his wife. It was unveiled at the Lexington cemetery yesterday, the ceremonies included decoration of the graves of the confederate dead. Mrs. Hanson was known as the "Mother of the Brigade."

### WILL IT BE BUILT?

It is Now Stated That the Money is Ready

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 6 .- Vor years a mid-ocean cable has been the acknowledged necessity for this coun-try as well as the countries of the east. The telegraph tolls have been enormous to get the news and business messages in consequence of the want of it. Across the Atlentic there are two or more cables already, but so far the west and Pacific countries have been denied that convenience in con-sequence of the length and expense. It now appears, however, only a matter of time when the geat Pacific cable will be laid. The statement was made yesterday by Vice-President Hugh Craig, or the chrmber of commerce, that after a careful investigation of the subject, he is convinced that British capitalists will build the Pacific cable and that the difficulty of getting a mid-ocean station has been overcome.

The proposed route is from Auckland, New Zealand to Norfolk Island in the South Pacific, 415 miles; Norfolk Island to Fiji, 1,002 miles; Fiji to Fanning Island 1,715 miles and there to Vancover 2,242 miles. The total length will be 6,585 miles, almost three times as long as the shortest transatlantic cable. The estimated cost is \$7,585,000. It is proposed to have a number of cables connecting with the main one in the Southern hemisphere, the principal connection to be between Aukland and Sidney in the South Sea Islands.

It is now hoped a new era of pros-perity will bring this much needed extra wonder of the world.

#### JUMPED THE TRACK

A Trolley Car Jumps the Track and Kills One and injures Several.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., July 9.—At 8 clock yesterday afternoon a trolley car with 30 passengers on board became unmanageable and slid down the Franklin avenue hill, on the north side of the city, killing one man and injuring 16 other yeople. The car was man-ned by James Hamilton, a new motor-man, this being his first day on duty. The tracks were slippery after the rain and the car got out of his control. At the foot of the hill it jumped the track on a short curve and went over a twenty-foot embankment into a creek. The momentum was so great that half of the car was almost buried in the sand. Hamilton, the motorman was instantly killed, his head being crushed to a jel ly. The car broke in two as it struck and several passengers fell through the floor and were plunged headlong into

A peculiar feature about the accident was that seven of those injured were visitors in this city who happened to be

### LIBERTY BELL WILL COME. It Will Leave for Atlanta on

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 9.—The op-position to the removal of the liberty bell to the Atlanta exposition seems the bell will probably be started on its southern journey September 15. The city councils committee having the matter in charge, the members of which will accompany the bell to At-lanta, held a meeting yesterday and appointed sub-committees and arrrnged other details looking to the removal of

The Pennsylvania railroad will build a special car for its transportation similar to that which carried the bell to Chicago two years ago.

#### A WOMAN'S STRATEGY In a Winning Card-Japan May Take on

to Ex-Queen Lit-TACOMA, Wash., July 8.—The Morning Union has received private advices from Honolulu to the effect that Queen Lilioukalani and her following are plotting to form an alliance with Japan by her marriage to a Japanese count. The Japanese have 30,000 res-idents on the island and with this new idents on the island and with this new alliance it is claimed, the Hawaiian republic could be overthrown. The officials of the republic are alarmed at the number of Japanese and recently brought in two ship-loads of Italians numbering 1600 from the Azores.

#### THE COLORED CONFERENCE. The Negroes of Pouth Carolina to Meet in

onli team for playing on Sunday were tried as one yesterday and the jury has just come in with a verdict of not guilty. It is believed the Good Cltizens league will not again touch the Sunday base ball question. COLUMBIA, S. C., July 9.—Wednesday is the day appointed for the holding of the state conference of the negroes called by the colored ministers, to be held in this city for the purpose of considering the constitutional constitutiona sidering the constitutional convention outlook and taking such steps as to them may seem best. From what can pany at Braddock, resumed yesterday and the other departments will be started next week. About 800 hands be ascertained, the convention will be well attended, as nearly every county in the state has elected delegates. What will be done at the conference can, of course, merely be a matter of conjecture and speculation.

LONDON, July 9.-Lord Dunraven, in an interview yesterday said that the Valkyrie III would start for New York on July 18th. Her present main mast will be taken out for the voyage and a shorter one substituted. "I am not in the slightest degree discouraged by the trial of the Defender," he said. "If the Valkyrie does not win in the American light winds the Americans will have a respite from building yachts to defend the America's cup."

### Furnaces Starting Up.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., July 9 .- The Allen town Iron company will blow in stack No. 5 on July 15th after more than one year's idleness. The Lehigh Iron and Steel company is arranging to start furnace No. 2 this month.

### The Result of a Hold Un.

CHICAGO, July 9.—A run away robber was killed on the street last night, an innocent bystander fatally wounded and another was hit, in a fusillade between the robber and the police.

### IN THE STORM'S WAKE

COMES REPORTS OF GREAT LOSS OF LIFE AND PROPERTY.

A Report of the Killed and a Slight Glimpse of the Destruction That Followed.

WINONA, Mo., July 9 .- Now that the fatal deluge is subsiding in this ill-fated town and its vicinity, the horror of the disaster and the enormous destruction of property become apparent to the brave body of searchers and others who are here to render what aid they can to the survivors. The flood has left only a scene of desolation and a menace to the health of the living from the presence of hundreds of dead horses, cattle, hogs and other stock. For miles below the town are strewn the carcasses, mingled with wagons, household furniture, organs, and other property which was swept away with the dwellings by the raging torrent of

dozen to a certainty, all but one of the victims being known. The bodies have been recovered with the exception of that of Lloyd Wright's daughter. The body of George Nevins was found a little before noon yesterday. No arrangeburial of the victims. The unidentified body is that of a stranger who was a guest at one of the hotels. As usual in cases of calamity, men and women have come to seize and appropriate as their own all the movable property which

This region is so mountainous that wagons can hardly make connection and there is a big gap in the railroad bed caused by the flood. The Fort Scott railroad officials came to Winona on a special train vesterday evening to do what they could for the flood stricken people. Trains were run from each end of the Current river branch as far as the gap, thus establishing railroad communication for the first time During the flood a man was lowered from the bluff by a rope and when a human form was whirled past he jumped into the water and carried the body to shore. assisted by men on the bluff. In this way he rescued three from death and recovered two bodies. Besides the unknown stranger, ten are Over one hundred houses have been

reported as destroyed, accompanied by tales of distress and misfortune. Another storm stuck this territory evening a severe earthquake shock was felt in Springfield and its vicinity. Houses shook and windows rattled but

there was no serious damage reported.

The Storm in Georgia. ATLANTA, July 9 .- News from the path of yesterday's cyclone is slowly coming in. Little additional informa-tion was obtained yesterday from Putnam county, the scenes of the storm's Miliedgeville received last night states that another storm of great violence

passed over that section doing damage to the crops and buildings.

In Morgan county, in addition to the damage reported last night, comes the news of the destruction of the home and buildings of W. A. Higginbotam. E. R. Logan, the loss of whose house was reported last night, had a thrilling experience. He escaped from the house and partly lashed himself to some shrubbery to avoid being blown away Luckily the members of his family were visiting a neighbor's house beyond the reach of the storm. At E. Bradstons the wind swept away all of his outhouses, leaving his house in-tact. His family took refuge in the storm pit. Strange to say several barnes were standing untouched and

unharmed. At Mrs. D. E. Butler's plantation

several houses were blown away and her crops were badly damaged. The worst feature of the storm seems to have been the destruction of Mr.
Lally Pennick's house, while he and
his wife were in it. Parties who have seen the wreck say it was simply a miracle that saved them from death. His house is a mass of ruins. His corn crop is a complete wreck. He and his vife are doing very well, as their in-

At Mr. Albert Collier's place two of their children had their limbs broken

by the falling timbers.

G. D. Perry's plantation lay in the storm's path and several of his farm

that it was a terrible sight. A mass of black clouds with white vapery lin-ings was seen to whirl in the air, alternately rising and falling. J. M. Brook, who were a half mile from the track of who were a half mile from the track of the storm, says that he could see houses and trees whirling around in the air. A house was seen to be lifted up in the air, carried several hundred feet from the ground and broken in pieces.

GUTHRIE, Okla., July 9.-A terriffic hall storm and water spout occurred east of here yesterday doing great dam-age to the crops, washing away bridges, breaking hundreds of windows and wrecking several houses. In many places the hail was as large as hen

## ASBURY PARK, N. J., July 9.—The sixteenth annual meeting of the league of American wheelmen began formally here yesterday. Nearly 1,000 cyclers, of both sexes, are in attendance.

SHARON, Pa., July 9.—The strike at the Sharon Iron Works was settled yesterday and the men have gone to work at a ten per cent advance.

### JACKSONVILLE'S REVENUE.

Marked Increase for the Past Year-A JACKSONVILLE, Fla., July 8.—The report of the internal revenue depart-ment for the district of Florida for the

fiscal year ending June 30th, 1895, shows a considerable gain over the previous year's collections. The report shows that the collections amounted to \$470,000, while in the previous year only \$416,000 was collected, showing an increase of \$54,000. For the same period the increase in the sale of cigar stamps amounted to \$51,000.

The total number of cigar and cigarette factories in the district is 410, an increase of 45. A large number of factories have moved from one place to another in the state, but nearly all of the new factories have come here from New York, Philadelphia and other points. The cigar business at Tampa amounts to nearly three-fifths of that of the entire district and the estimate for the coming year is one hundred million cigars for Tampa alone. The income to the government will be about \$25,000 worth of stamps per month.

The estimated receipts for the coming year amount to \$500,000, and the cost of ollection, including salaries and rent, is estimated at \$15,830. The cost of the collection is about one-fourth as much in proportion as that of any other southern state.

### COMING SOUTH.

Thirty Thousand Acres of Land Purchs

west, 60,000 strong, arrived here yesterday to close the contract for thirty thousand acres of Georgia farming land. The land lies in the Wilcox and Irwin counties, the center of the lumber region. It was secured through Ex-Governor Northen, of the Georgia Bureau of Immigration. Mr. Fitzgerald says the statements of Mr. J. W. Sapp, that the lands are not prolific, as he represents a land agency at Murfreesboro, Tenn., and in no sense was an investigation for the syndicate he represents. As for his movements Mr. Fitzgerald says that it is well organized, has full plans mapped out and the colony will start south in the fall. He will make the first payment of \$125,000 on the land he has purchased today. He evidently has powerful backing and the colony is materializing beyond a doubt. It will be composed of war veterans and others from many states of the west and northwest.

#### OLD LOOKOUT DRENCHED. The People of St. Eimo Were Badly Fright-

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 9.—Yesterday Lookout mountain was the scene of one of the heaviest rainfalls ever seen in this vicinity. About 4 o'clock a cloud burst on the eastern slope struck the mountain with such force that a perfect avalanche of dirt and down the mountain side into the village of St. Elmo, beneath. The tracks of the two mountain railroads were blocked up by the drift earth and deories while the long line or Lookout Mountain road was literally hidden many feet deep by the dirt and rocks fallen across the track. The people of St. Elmo were terrorized by the crashing and plunging of great rocks through the woods and fortunately no one was injured. Water rose ten feet high in the power house of the incline railway and earth works were thorway up against any obstructions.

### LYNCHING BARELY PREVENTED. Frank Langford Killed by a Young Negr

PIEDMONT, S. C., July 10 .- Yesterday evening Ira Johnson a young negro, shot and mortally wounded Frank Langford, a young white man, of Marietta, without cause. The negro at once tried to make his escape, but was so hotly pursued that he took refuge in a house only a short distance away. He was promptly pulled out and tied, and in about thirty minutes over 300 people were around him with guns, pistols and ropes, crying "Lynch him!" A few cool heads were present and finally provided on the second and finally nally prevailed on the crowd not to lynch him. The negro was taken to

#### the Greenville jail. DUE TO THE WILSON BILL. Reform Club Statistics Show a Widesp

New York, July 8.—The Reform Club has prepared a list of over 300 concerns directly affected by the Wilson bill whose employees, wages have been increased. This tide of prosperity has affected nearly one million wage-earners, according to the Reform Club statistician, the average increase being above 10 per cent. being above 10 per cent.

New York, July 10 .- The deposits of Georgia Central stock and certificates of indebtedness with the Mercantile Trust company and in Savannah have been sufficiently large to give to them a large majority both of the debentures and the minority stocks. Under these circumstances the plan by its terms had become fully operative and it will doubtless be formally declared so with-

Rilled by A Young Lady.

PIETSTON, Pa., July 8.—Miss Katie Connell, aged 18 years, found a revolver in the pocket of her young brother yesterday and for safety she took it away from him. She went out on the porch intending to fire off the cartridges in the chamber of the revolver. The first shot she fired struck Mrs. Catharine Kelly, a neighbor and killed her instantly, the bullet going through her heart. When Miss Connell realized what she had done she was frantic with remorse and grief and tried to shoot herself with the weapon. She was restrained by some member of the family.

### ATLANTA! ATLANTA!

... EXPOSITION CITY ... OF 1895. YOU NEED THE NEWS of the Cotton States and International Exposition this year. You are coming to visit it. You may want information of the section it is in to secure the advantageous investment of your

The Atlanta Weekly Constitution. Besides such news, you will also read the biggest, brightest, best Southern newspaper. Special offers of premiums for 1895. Send for catalogue and for sample copy free. Send the names of six of your neighbors and help out your community.

THE CONSTITUTION,

### Master's Sale.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

County of Darlington. By virture of a decretal order issuing out of the Circuit Court of Common Pleas, in Chancery, I will sell at public vendue at the door of the court house of the county of Darlington on the first Monday in August, 1895, between the hours of 11 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property to wife.

property, to wit:
(1) That certain lot of land in the ATLANTA, July 10.—Mr. P. H. Fitz-gerald, of Indianapolis, organizer of the soldiers colony which is to be brought to Georgia from the north-north by lands of John Siskron and J L. Jeffords, on the south by Avenue A, on the west by Main Street and on the east by lands of the Dar-lington Land and Improvement Com-

pany.
(2) Also that other certain lot of land in the town of Darlington frontland in the town of Darlington front-ing on Main Street one hundred and seventy-seven (177) feet by one hun-dred and fifteen (115) feet in depth, bounded on northeast by lot of John Siskron, on southeast by No. ten (10) herein, on southwest by Main Street and on the northwest by Avenue A, the same being so described and des-ignated as lot seven (7) in a former or

ignated as lot seven (7) in a former or-der of sale in this action.

Terms of sale one-half cash, balance in one year, to be secured by bond of the purchaser and mortgage of the the purchaser and mortgage of the premises, with privilege to purchaser to pay all cash. At the suit of Alfred A. Howlett, called A. A. Howlett, the plaintiff, against the Central Catolina Land and Improvement Company, defendant, as the property of the defendant, to foreclose Mortgage.

R. K. CHARLES,

### WANTED,

MAN WITH EXPERIENCE TO A MAN WITH EXPERIENCE TO take charge of five acres of to-bacco, barn and pack-house; to cure and market it, for a liberal interest in the crop. Tobacco in a promising A. B. STUCKEY.

Mass Meeting. THERE will be a Democratic mass meeting at Oats on Saturday, July 18, at eleven o'clock A. M., at which candidates for the Constitutional Convention will have an opportunity to make addresses.

H. A. JOSEY,

Pres., Lydia Dem. Club.
R. M. JOSEY,

#### R. M. JOSEY, Secretary.

Town Ordinance. COUNCIL CHAMBER, Darlington, S. C., April 26, 1895.

Be it ordered and ordained: That, for the purpose of electing five members of a Board of Health, as required by an Act of the Legislature of the State of South Carolina, Entitled, "An Act to Establish Local Boards of Health in the Cities and Incorporate Towns of the State and to Define the Powers Thereof". Approved January 5th., A. D. 1895:

incorporate Towns of the State and to Define the Powers Thereof". Approved January 5th., A. D. 1895;

It is hereby Ordered and Ordained: That the Town of Darlington shall be and hereby is divided into five wards, designated as follows, to wit:

Ward 1. Shall compromise all the territory lying to the West of Railroad Street, beginning at the crossing of the C. S. and N. railroad, extending down Railroad Street to Pear Street, crossing Pearl Street down through Earle's Avenue to Orange Street, down Orange Street to the East and down the Street dividing the Factory grounds from the residence of G. W. Dargan to Swift Creek—the same being the Town limits.

Ward 2. Shall embrace all the territory lying between the Eastern line of Ward 2 to Ward's Lane, in a straight line from Swift Creek, through Ward's Lane to the Town limits towards the South.

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Ward 3. Shall embrace all the territory lying between Ward's Lane and Main Street, the Eastern boundary of which shall begin at the crossing of Swift Creek by Main Street, extending to the crossing of C. S. & N. railroad on Main Street, so that the said ward will be bounded on the North by Swift Creek, on the South by C. S & N. railroad, East by Main Street, and West by the Eastern line of Ward 2.

Ward 4. Shall comprise all territory lying to the South and South-East of C. S. and N. railroad to a straight line designated by Ward's Lane on the West; said Ward to be bounded North by C. S, & N. railroad, on the East by Swift Creek and the corporate limits, and on the West by Eastern boundary of Ward 2.

Ward 5. Shall compromise all the territory lying North of C. S. & N. railroad and East of Main Street, bounded on the North by Swift Creek, on the East by Swift Creek, on the South by the C. S. & N. railroad, and on the West by the eastern boundary of Ward 3.

By Order of Council: Ward 3. Shall embrace all the ter-