YORKVILLE ENQUIRER. THE

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1908.

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ing, full of stereotyped expressions and set phrases hoary with age, large parts

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Scraps and Lacts.

- The withdrawal of the American troops from Cuba, says a Washington dispatch, will run into April. According to this programme American troops will be available for service in the islands during the transition from the provisional to the regular government gether in respect to all the econo thereto, so that if disorders arise they will be on hand for duty. One transport will be used in bringing the troops back to the United States and they will be landed at such ports as may be

most convenient for them to reach the stations to which they may be as signed. The first of the troops will sail from the island January 1.

- Secretary Cortelyou announces that the Panama canal bonds have been sold at an average of 102.4368. The lowest accepted bid was at 102.2778. There were 159 accepted bids amounting to \$30,000,000. Six hundred and seventy-six bids were rejected, amounting to \$72,808,800. Among the successful bidders were: Fish & Robinson, New York city, five bids, \$2,000.-000; Chase National Bank, New York three bids, a million dollars each; the National City Bank of New York, \$10,-

242,760; Florida National Bank, Jacksonville, \$100,000 at 102.55; Herman in Augusta, Ga., next week to spend Myers, Savannah, Ga., \$100,000. at a part of the winter. Arrangements terday, is as follows: 102.46.

Democrats of the house are planning to demand an investigation of the pur-

chase of the Panama canal property and in conformity with this programme Representative Rainey of Illinois, introduced a resolution directing the speaker to appoint a committee of five to "ascertain how much of the \$40,000,-000 which appears on record to have been paid to the French company, was have accomplished, and southern pa- would go into the treasury of the really paid to that company." It is pers and politicians are sure that the Southern Life Insurance company, so said that the national Democratic committee requested Rainey to present the

resolution. The resolution provides that the committee shall ascertain if any portion of the \$40,000,000 was directly or indirectly paid to American citizens, to an American syndicate and if any member or senator profited by the transaction. Following the introduction of his bill for a searching investigation of the purchase of the Panama canal property, Representative Rainey made a demand on the interstate commerce commission to see the records in the case. Mr. Rainey says he will inspect the records carefully and see where the forty million dollars paid for the canal went to.

to no purpose. In another moment he to no purpose. In another moment he realized that the absolutely necessary have been eleven incendiary fires in off the road. As trustees of the comagainst the Union for having raised such a large crop this year; but then against the Union for having raised such a large crop this year; but then action which may have been placed in our hands by the Seminole Securities Mr. L. A. McGill of Bethany, sends --- Washington, December 8: President nettsville, S. C., have sent out invitanformation of three heavy hogs raised tions to the marriage of their daugh- thing to be done under the circum- the lumber yards and woodworking pany three of the most distinguished Roosevelt and President-elect Taft plants of Philadelphia during the past and trusted men in the state were publicly put themselves on record toby negroes in his neighborhood. Sam the same blame will lie against all cot- company, and further forbid that you, ter, Miss Clara, to Mr. James Fellx stances, was to throw open the air named-Mr. W. A. Clark, president of day in advocacy of the issuance of ton raisers, who are not members of or any of your agents, should longer McGill slaughtered a hog a few days Walker. The ceremony is to take place brake switch on the outside. This he month Frank A. Munsey, owner, the Carolina National Bank; Gen. Withe Union. There is no good ground for putting the responsibility on the Lowry slaughtered one that netted 369 at the home of the bride's parents on accomplished as soon as possible, and has begun the publication of a Sunday 'ey Jones, president of the Palmetto government bonds for the construction Wednesday afternoon, December 23, with the current shut off, the body of afternoon edition of the Washington National Bank, and Mr. T. S. Bryan, of permanent public improvements to for putting the responsibility on the "Respectfully, Times, displacing the morning issue of president of the R. L. Bryan company. conserve the natural resources of the pounds, and Rufus Adams slaughtered Union alone. Also it is a fact that as "W. A. Clark, Mr. Downs dropped to the floor. Mr. Walker, the groom to be, is a na-The duty of these trustees was simply nation. President-elect Taft presided "T. S. Bryan, one that netted 335 pounds. that paper The epidemic of tyow as cotton is now, it has been much tive and former citizen of Yorkville, It is very well understood among to hold the money and securities own-"Wilie Jones, The committee recently appointed to at the joint conservation meeting this phoid fever now prevalent at Reading, and has many friends at this place. lower when there was no Union. There electricians that in the case of an eleced by the company, and the manage-"Trustees." judge the corn submitted in competi-Pa., is said to be due to the water sup- ment of the company was the duty of afternoon at the Belasco theatre in is absolutely nothing wrong with the tric shock, even by a current as powthe president, Mr. Garlington, who is Since last January, Seminole stock tion for the premiums of \$5, \$3 and \$2 this city at which President Roosevelt erful as 23,000 volts, it is often possible ply of the city being contaminated by general theory of the proposition that YORK'S REGISTERED VOTERS. so long as the entire cotton crop is has been sold extensively throughout recently offered by The Enquirer for now in Chattanooga, to which city he made the principal address. Mr. Rooseto bring about a complete resuscita- the surface drainage at a country home moved his headquarters after the pur-For the benefit of the public espetion. Mr. Ramsaur, Mr. J. Y. ten miles from the city where there there these of the Southern Life Insurance cially in connection with school and velt and Mr. Taft gave their unquali- held off the market, the price is bound the state, and there are perhaps several the ten best, second best and third best fied approval for the carrying out of other elections, it is the purpose stock According the state ears grown in the were several cases of typhoid fever 'a to advance to a figure that the produthousand dollars of it held The Enquirer to publish a list of the Lucas and others worked faithfulments of the Southern Life Insurance expert plans for conservation of the cers are willing to take. There is no county. Quite a number of railroad est yield contest, has not yet been able voters of the county as shown by the ly at the body of Mr. Downs as few weeks ago. The number of cases recent registration. The publication of long ts there was any reasonable of fever on Wednesday numbered ompany officials, the company on July nation's resources. An audience, which definite limit to that price under fifteen men are among the purchasers. There to get together. A day is to be fixed The publication of long ts there was any reasonable of fever on Wednesday numbered 1st, 1907, had a paid-up capital is a rumor that can be authenticated at some time in the near future at some all the names at one time would fill an of \$153,700 and was pledged for \$8,000 additional. In September, 1908, through filled the theatre and which included more than 560.....A six-day bicycle iess this holding movement has devel- that the railroad people bought largely time convenient to all the members of entire issue of The Enquirer, and it is ground of hope; but without any en-Andrew Carnegie, John Mitchell, senarace in which sixteen teams entered, therefore deemed more advisable to couragement whatever. There was Mr. C. J. Hebert, the Seminole Securtors, congressmen and the governors the committee and announcement of up the work by installments, some muscular twitching during the will be brought to a close at Madison oped a lesson that ought to be of great on the recommendation of a prominent ities company bought \$155,000 of treastake gentleman who started in the race for the result will be made immediately People interested in these lists will do of several states, applauded every sen-Square Garden, New York, tomorrow 'ry stock, increasing the paid-up capvalue if the farmers will only grasp first few moments after the interrupits real significance. However effective the United States senate last summer. afterward. The committee as prewell to clip them out as they appear in night. The record of a six days' race ital to \$276,700; and the Seminole Setiment expressed. The joint meeting may be the holding expedient in ad- This gentleman withdrew from the viously announced, consists of Messrs. The Enquirer and paste them in scrap tion of the powerful current that was curities company also purchased from passing through the unfortunate man's is 2,733 miles, made in 1899...... The brought the members of the conservabooks. In the list given below will b individuals \$°5,000 of stock, thus givvancing the price of cotton, it is pretty race before the opening of the cam- W. S. Wilkerson of Hickory Grove, tion commission and the delegates to East Side bank of Portland, Ore., was ing the Seminole Securities company found all the registered voters of body, but no sign of returning life. It seems that there are two switches held up Monday night by three masked \$150,000 of stock, on which \$9,000 is the great Southern Commercial con-John L. Rainey of Sharon, and C. J plain that to be able to hold cotton, paign, and there are those who say Bullock's Creek. gress, the members of the Rivers and Hughes of Filbert No. 1. Of this stock 1,060 still due. the holder must necessarily be the that one of the reasons of his withmen and robbed of \$15.000 Cath-Occupation Name Age near the point at which the current have been delivered and 440 are held. Harbors congress and others interested The annual meeting of the differen olic churches, colleges, priests and The Seminole company therefore has J. F. Watson, farmer owner of it. He cannot hold cotton in drawal was a direct intimation from from the main line enters the transin working out a comprehensive plan state educational associations, includ-W. Mitchell, farmer 29 actually purchased 1,060 shares, nuns throughout the country have been which some one else has a preponder- the railroad people that they would cerformer. One is an air-brake switch M. W. Latham, farmer for making the most of lands, minerals, ating interest. The thing, therefore, is tainly do all they could to get even ing the teachers, the school improvejust outside the transformer house, and swindled out of \$5,000,000 by the Fidelvalue \$100 a share. For this stock the R. Brandon, farmen Southern Life Insurance company refor the south to produce no more cot- with him for having induced them to ment workers, the county superintendforests and waters that belong to the ity Funding company of New York, a A. Galloway, farmer the other is an oil switch, just outside ceived about \$150,000 net or at the net public domain of the United States toton than it can actually own. Then make an investment in which they had ents, the town and city superintendents, J. Sherer, farmer wildcat concern, which failed a few rate of \$140 a share of par value \$100. 29 the transformer. With the air-brake E. McAliley, farmer chere will be no trouble about the already begun to lose confidence. the kindergartens, the college presiweeks ago with liabilities of \$4,000,000 For this stock, 1,060 shares, the Semigether. 28 switch open the current is stopped J. G. White, farmer nole Securities company paid at the dents and the primary teachers is to - Union City, Tenn., December 8: to \$5,000,000 and assets of \$2,000..... price. It will be about whatever the Haskell Carroll, farmer outside the transformer house, and rate of \$216 a share, or \$228,960. The Eight indictments charging alleged be held in Columbia on December 30 THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE. A woman plaintiff in a case at Kings-Kelly Inman, merchant producer may choose to ask. difference between the amount paid by before it gets to the oil switch. members of the night rider band of and 31, and January 1. Superintendent Jas. E. Childers, farmer ton, N. Y., has had twenty-two differthe Seminole Securities company and 30 The oil switch is on the same T. S. Lambert, farmer Reelfoot lake with murder in the first Long Document Illustrated With Photo McMackin of York county, is on the he net amount received by the South ent lawyers since her suit was insti-Thos. Mitchell, farmer tuted in 1906. The case has never ern Life Insurance company is \$76 a side of the transformer and is in To Increase Earnings. degree were returned by the grand jury programme for a discussion of the W. G. Palmer, farmer Engravings. the nature of a double precaution Mr. Clarence H. Poe, editor of the late today, the indictments alleging question, "What Improvements Should come to trial..... Herman Billik, the is \$80,560; on 1,500 shares the differ-Duncan, farmer Congress was given an object lesson 30 for the complete control of the current. Progressive Farmer, was one of the be Made in the Methods of Conducting that the eight men named, Garret nce is \$114,000. Further, under the McAlily, R. F. D. carrier noted Chicago murderer who was to speakers at the meeting of the South- last Tuesday. President Roosevelt was Mr. Downs was a man who thoroughly have been hanged today, has been terms of the sale, the Seminole Secur-Sam Applewhite, Arthur the pedagogue and the subject was de- Examinations of Teachers?" There is J. M. Mitchell, farmer ern Commercial congress, in Washing-Johnson, Good. farmer ties company is obligated to sell the afternoon, and he outlined forestation. In his annual message the understood his business. In looking separate programme for each of the Cloar, Fred Pinion, Roy Ranson, Bob con, this granted a reprieve until January 20. McKnight, farmer remaining stock of the Southern Life some of the plans by which, according president drove home his conservation for the trouble he had opened and clos-Huffman, Tid Burton and Bub Morris various associations. It is expected ... The Reading railroad moved more G. F. Mitchell, farmer \$500.000 Insurance company up to to his idea, each farmer in the south policy by means of half-tone reproduc-can earn \$500 more per year. He finds tions of photographs showing the ed both switches several times. the that more than a thousand teachers had a part in the actual putting to Cranford, farmer than 14,000 carloads of coal from Penn- The difference stated above, \$76 a share probable cause of the trouble, was that W. S. H. Mitchell, farmer r \$80,560 on 1,060 shares, represents death of Capt. Quentin Rankin at Walfrom a census report that the average shocking results of timber waste in will be in attendance on the meeting of sylvania mines on Monday..... The V. D. Howe, farmer commission in the transaction. nut Log on the night of October 18, annual value of products per farm in northern China and eastern Asia all the consolidated meetings. one of the conducting wires had pulled the commission in the The stock of the Southern Chancery court of Virginia has handed W. S. McMurray, M. D. the North Atlantic states as \$984, in taken by a special agent of the agrioose from its connection without last. All of the men indicted today W. G. Brown, farmer down a decision in favor of Mrs. Flordown a decision in favor of Mrs. Flor- ance company is not in the name of ence Maybrick, who served a term in the Seminole Securities company, but the South Atlantic as \$484, or exactly cultural department. This was the showing its disconnection. Where the \$48.94 AN ACRE. H. C. Robins, farmer are under arrest and when their cases second time an illustrated president's \$500 per year less; in the North Cenwires were known to be live, their A. W. Sherer, farmer W. B. Good, farmer W. Sherer, farmer the name of the three trustees. Mr. J. L. Wood, who was one of the an English prison on conviction of are called for trial tomorrow the pros- trai states as \$1,074, in the South Cenmessage has been sent to congress. Messrs. W. A. Clark, Wiley Jones and ecution will announce as ready. The tral, \$536-or \$538 per year less. The former occasion was after the condition would be tested with murdering her husband, by which she T. S. Bryan. Purchasers of Seminole competitors in the Farmers' Union 29 S. R. McAliley, farmer piece of wood. In case of certainty Broadly his scheme for getting this president's notable trip to Panama. defense, however, will doubtless ask J. M. Lathan, farmer J. M. Smarr, farmer regains title to 2,500,000 acres of land Securities stock say the elegantly prize acre contest and whose best acre \$500 a year more is a system of edu-The message was explicit. Adequate that the outside switch was open, an and be granted a brief delay. The wltyielded 61 bushels and 34 pounds, has dressed agents from Atlanta, whom Mr cation which embraces young and old, measures were urged for the proper in Virginia, West Virginia and Ken-Smith, farmer Garlington employed to sell the stock electrician would have no hesitation nesses upon whose evidence the innot only the farm boy in the school, are of the forests of the country, for furnished The Enquirer with a statetucky, out of which she was swindled 33 F. H. Horton, farmer about testing the wires with his hand. quaranteed them 12 per cent dividends out the adult farmer and farmer's wife the improvement of rivers and harbors ment of expenses and receipts which dictments were drawn are Col. R. Z. Walter R. Latham, farmer by a New York lawyer. The case has certain with 20 per cent additional to as well. Mr. Poe argues that every and for the conservation of natural t is believed that Mr. Downs had for show a clear profit of \$48.94 cents an 35 J. M. Vanburen, p. c., farmer o to the surplus fund. Further reve-Taylor, the associate of Capt. Rankin, man whose earning power is below par, resources generally. Large appropriapeen in the courts for ten years..... gotten the status of the outside switch Rev. J. B. Swann minister promise a big who narrowly escaped a similar fate, On June 1, of this year, there were lations below normal, is a burden on the comtions are asked for carrying on the work acre. The statement which includes throughout the state. W. C. Robinson, farmer 28 and under the impression that it was munity; he drags down the whole level of the conservation commission, which P. C. Ward, the hotel keeper at Walboth acres is as follows: 61,158 postoffices in the United States. W. T. Smarr, farmer of life, and every other man in the receives a full measure of praise for open, tested the wire with his hand, J. D. Nelson, farmer F. W. Nelson, farmer nut Log, Ed Powell, a farmer who de-Expenses.An explosion in a military magcommunity is poorer by reason of his the great amount of work it has ac-Mr. W. F. Downs, the victim of this WAS ONLY JOKING .- Our esteemed\$ 1.00 40 clared that he was forced to accompany Preparation azine at Calcutta, India, killed eleven presence, whether he be white man, or complished in making an inventory of deplorable tragedy is from Fort Mill. friend takes us altogether too seriously. We only intended a little pleasantry at W. R. Bell, Jr., farmer Guano 18.70 41 the band on the night in question, and "Your untrained, the nation's resources and seriously wounded twenty-six othnegro, or what not. 14.50 42 The Appalachian-White Nitrate of soda W. L. Cranford, farmer He was about 40 years of age, and has a poverty-breeder for himself, but the Frank Ferrin, a member of the clan Mountain ers.....A. H. Hyde, a millionaire real the expense of Yorkville, and a complia poverty-breeder for himself, but the improvement and the inauguration of contagion of it curses every man in effective Federal control of the water-Applying fertilizer 1.50 43 Harris, farmer been the machinist at the Tavora mill who has turned state's evidence and estate dealer of San Francisco, and his ment to our contemporary, which, by .50 44 J. W. Feemster, farmer for several years. He was a man of A. P. Hafner, farmer upon whose testimony the state dethe way, is one of the best ever. the community that is guilty of leav- ways of the country are advocated. Cultivation confederate, Joost H. Schneider of Ari-Yorkville has enough good citizens in une intelligence, and excellent charac-But conservation does not take up Harvesting 4.00 46 J. E. Bankhead, farmer pends largely for a verdict. Of the men ng him untrained. The law of changezona, have been sentenced to terms in Messrs. Wardlaw, Wilkins, Allein and indicted today, five are those whom Judge Matthews at Nashville ordered W. J. Blair, farmer ter. He was sober and industrious and less justice decrees that you must rise all the message. As was to have been the Federal prison at Moundsville, W. Brown to make it a good town, to say \$45.20 48 J. D. Bankhead, farmer or fall, decline or prosper, with your expected and in line with the policy of understood his business thoroughly. Va., on conviction at Washington on nothing of the natives .- Gaffney Led-J. S. Plaxico, farmer released under bond last week. neighbors. You will be richer for his the administration, increased Receipts. 22 He was held in high esteem by all who W. L. Plaxico, farmer charges of conspiracy to defraud the ger. - Washington, December 8: A total strength is urged. wealth, poorer for his poverty. Fodder at \$2 per 100.....\$ 14.25 E. S. Dowdle, farmer knew him. He is survived by his Among the other matters touched mother and a sister and leaves two government in land deals. They apof 11,010,864 bales of cotton ginned from He does not think that the average Shucks at 1 cent per lb. E. Robins, farmers the growth of 1908 to December 1 and business man in the south upon in the message are the following: AT THE CHURCHES. is half Corn at \$1 per bushel 118.03 pealed to a higher court W. A. E. McSwain, farmer Finances .- Seven years of Roose "elt awake to the possibilities of this effort 26,922 active ginneries against 8,343,daughters. to bring the average farmer's earnings administration show a net surplus of \$500 a year with regard to his own \$100,000,000 and a reduction of taxation. W. A. McCullough, farmer Oldham, cashier, tried to shoot H. D. 396 bales ginned to December 1 last \$143.08 There was an inquest by Corone BAPTIST. J. C. McCinbry, farmer year and 26,854 ginneries a year ago McDaniel, president of the National Taking the total expenses from the 56 Sherer, farmer Louthian and a jury yesterday and the Corporations .- Federal government were announced in the census bureau Rev. I. G. Murray, Pastor. individual prosperity, and we agree Exchange bank at Springfield, Mo., G. M. Horton, farmer The with him. Add \$500 to the earnings should have complete control over an total receipts, we have \$97.88, and direport on cotton ginned today. The 1907 crop was 11,057,822, of which 75.5 Sunday Services-Sunday school facts developed as to the tragedy were Tuesday as a result of a quarrel over M. Pruett, farmer Tuesday as a result of a quarrel over 10 a.m. Morning service at 11 o'clock. the affiairs of the bank, which failed Annual election of officers. A full interstate business, railroad, telephone of the southern farmers and the counviding this by 2 the profit of a single 8 about as described in the foregoing. J. R. Mickle, farmer try would take a bound toward pros- and telegraph, through the interstate ginned to December 1, the 1906 acre is \$48.94. M. Sherer, farmer commerce commission; but the com-Jno. M. Sherer, farme J. M. Nelson, farmer to open its doors for business on Mon- attendance of members desired. Evencrop 12,983,201, were 77.2 to December perity hitherto undreamed of. But 1, and 1905 crop 10,495,105, with 82.8 to there is much room for rural develop- panies should be removed from the do LOCAL LACONICS. ing service at 7 o'clock. B. H. Horton, farmer WITHIN THE TOWN. December 1. In 1906 there were 10,107, ment, and perhaps Editor Poe is not main of the Sherman act and be per-Cannon-Adams. 63 A. L. Purcell, farmer - Mr. Louis Roth says he had eighty- 64 CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEP-868 bales and in 1905 there were 8,689,taking too hopeful a view of the pros- mitted to form proper combinations. Rock Hill Record: Mr. R. S. Capnon, B. L. Jenkins, farmer 663 bales ginned to December 1. The Labor .- There should be a shortening SOUTH CAROLINA NEWS. pect.-Charlotte Chronicle, Tuesday. HERD five people for dinner the first day he 65 J. D. Good, farmer the clever and efficient manager of of hours of all labor, abolition of child report counts round as half bales and Intelligent farmers of twenty or more years' experience, have only to look labor, diminution of women labor, a progressive inheritance tax, more ex-- Charlotte Observer: J. J. Hardin, Sunday Services-Sunday school at opened his restaurant and has not had the Catawba Power plant, north of the excludes linters. It includes 200,818 the young man who was checked up 3.30 p. m. No other service. round bales for 1908, 154,636 for 1907 less than thirty for dinner any day city, and Miss Lida Adams, one of Gasand 227,145 for 1906. Sea island bales included 68,497 for 1908; 55,299 for 1907; THE COUNTY HOME. back over a comparatively short time tended industrial education and sweepabout \$3,000 short in his accounts at tonia's popular young ladies, were since. FIRST PRESBYTERIAN. to see that their earning capacity has ing application of the employers' lia-Although there are indications that Chester, S. C., several months ago by - At the regular meeting last night and 41.250 for 1906. Today's report married vesterday at that place at 11 Rev. E. E. Gillespie, Pastor. been steadily increasing, and this seems billty act. the matter of building a modern coun the Southern Cotton Oil company, was Courts .- Supreme gives running bales ginned to December court judges Yorkville Camp No. 38, W. O. W. electo'clock. The ceremony was performed Sunday Services-Sunday school ty home is to be agitated, possibly to to offer about as satisfactory proof as arrested in Norfolk, Va., yesterday un- 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 o'clock. should have salaries doubled; and active ginneries, respectively, by ed officers for the ensuing year as the point of action, Supervisor Boyd at the home of the bride. Mr. and Alabama 1,171,404 one could desire as to general correct- for intolerable delays of justice and der orders of Chief T. M. Christenbury Evening service at 7 o'clock. states, as follows: follows: J. W. Miller, C. C.; John F. ness of Editor Poe's theory. We are over regard for legal technicalities-Mrs. Cannon came over yesterday afand 3.429 ginneries; Arkansas does not think the change desirable. here. Later he was ordered released 776,153 bales and 2,073 ginneries; Flordevised; provision should be Gordon, advisory lieutenant; J. J. Carternoon via Charlotte and drove out TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL. firm believers in the idea that the pres-Discussing the question last Wedwhen the information came that he da 58,677 bales and 251 ginneries; made that no restraining order issue, roll, banker; D. T. Woods, clerk; Forto the plant, where they will reside. Sunday Service-Sunday school at esday, he said: Georgia 1.736,737 bales and 4,481 ginent and future prosperity of this coun- except where irreparable injury would had made good the loss to the New 3.30 p. m. Mr. Cannon has had charge of this est Smith, escort; W. Morrison, inside "On its face, the proposition looks al Kansas and Kentucky and try depends more upon agricultural deresult. York Bonding company, the corporsentinel; B. F. Marley, sentry; E. W. New Mexico 1,374 bales and 5 ginner-Forests .- We have crossed the verge right. I have no doubt that we could plant since it began operation, and no velopment than upon any other posation which in turn had made good ASSOCIATE REFORMED PRESBYies; Louisiana 397.179 bales and 1,645 of a timber famine, but we can prevent Long, manager; J. H. Witherspoon, one is more popular among our peo care for a given number of paupers sible avenue of progress. That the the loss to the Southern Cotton Oil Mississippi 1,297,291 bales further mischief, and it would be in the TERIAN. ginneries; captain. in a modern home more economically ple. Miss Adams is very pleasantly reand 3,422 ginneries: Missouri 45.750 average farmer has many disadvan-highest degree reprehensible to let any bales and 70 ginneries: North Carolina tages to contend with, there is no use consideration of temporary convenience company. Chief Christenbury acted Sunday Services-Sunday school at - The annual bazaar given under the than we could care for the same nummembered in the city, having visited under instruction from the officials of 10 a. m. auspices of the ladies of Trinity church ber under the present arrangement; at the home of her aunt, Mrs. M. H. 554,002 bales and 2,681 ginneries; Okinterfere with such action. crying to deny; but of all these disadthe Southern Cotton Oil company, who Waterways .-- Action should be be lahoma 432,077 bales and 973 ginneries; was held in the restaurant room of the Adams, a number of times in the pas YORK CIRCUIT. but that is not all there is to it. vantages there is hardly one that will gun forthwith for the improvement of have their district office in Charlotte. South Carolina 1.052,547 bales and 3. Sunday Services-Preaching at Clo Parish hotel on Thursday, and as year or two. Their many friends in 184 ginneries: Tennessee 278,679 bales not yield to the application of better inland waterways, action "It is pretty hard to get white peowhich will ver at 11 a. m., and St. Paul's at 3.30 Hardin was Chester representative of and 625 ginneries: Texas 3.200.221 bales and 4.091 ginneries: Virginia 8.agricultural methods and the ap- give us not only navigable but navigatusual was a most delightful occasion. 3.200.221 ple to go to the present county home. this city will join us in wishing them the concern and was a highly popular p. m. of better agricultural ed rivers. The bazaar was composed of a num-There is nothing especially attractive a most happy future in their new life. young man at the time he slipped, his plication Postal Savings Banks .-- Recommen-773 bales and 92 ginneries. ber of booths in which the ladies ofabout the place. but with a modern nethods only a matter of dation for such banks, with governcharitable friends claiming that he - At the annual dinner of the North Special Rotices. nent security renewed. fered various articles of fancy work, building, provided with all accommo-- Columbia State, Wednesday: The Carolina society in New York last Monday night, President-elect Taft dishad been betrayed by circumstances knowing how. The average farmer m Parcel Post .- Should be established candies, etc. They also had on sale dations, the conditions would be more county business agents and the county of today has information that the aver-- Washington special of December on rural routes. cussed the negro question in the south sandwiches of various kinds, hot coffee, inviting, and I am of opinion that there presidents of the State Farmers' Union East View. Foreign Affairs .- This nation's forto the Columbia State: Among the age farmer of twenty or even ten "We believe that the and at night oysters and other appetiz- would soon be a material increase in met here yesterday. The most import- nominations sent to the senate today Rev. I. G. Murray will preach at as follows: years ago, did not dream of; but there eign policy is based on the theory that solution of the race question in the the number of inmates. People who ant business of the occasion was the was that of Thos. Hester to be postsouth is largely a matter of industrial is no limit to the things that are vet to right must be done between nations as ng dishes. The bazaar was quite lib-East View school house at 3 p. m. master at Gaffney. Hester is the man next Sunday, December 13:h. erally patronized and the occasion was are not willing to go to the farm election of Mr. J. M. Holman of St. master at Galiney. Hester is the man That limit will still be between individuals. and thorough education. Some southbe learned. Statehood .- Immediate admission of most enjoyable generally. The pro- would be glad to go to a modern home. Matthews, Calhoun county, as state ported from North Carolina last sumerners who have given expression to hardly less appreciable than it is now, New Mexico and Arizona. Preaching at Sharon. their thoughts seem to think that the "Then also, I think that a modern business agent. There were present mer to displace Postmaster Folger beonly solution of the negro question is even after the present producing ca-Hawaii.-Fortifications should ceeds from the bazaar were quite satbe home, if we should go in to it, would representatives from nearly every cause Folger insisted on attending to the duties of the office instead of act-Rev. M. P. Cain of Memphis, Tenn. but to me pacity of the average farmer has been rushed to make islands impregnable. such a proposition is stern a proposition is stern a proposition is stern a proposition is stern a data and the state stern a data and the data and the state stern a data and the stat isfactory. reach at Sharon A. R. H migration to Africa;

their professional men, their clergymen, their physicians, their lawyers and ma 40,000. their teachers, will make up a system under which their improvement, which statistics show to have been most noteworthy in the last forty years, will continue at the same rate. On the On the whole, then, the best public opinion of the north and the best public opinion of the south seems to be coming toand for a reasonable time subsequent and political questions growing out of Life Insurance company that was represent race conditions."

tion for the masses, higher education

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1908.

PRESIDENT-ELECT Taft is to arrive pany are the victims of fraud. Their have been perfected to keep him con-

-- Washington, December 8: The stantly under the protection of secret service officers.

> sions in the newspapers right now is whether Mr. Taft will be able to make the Southern Life Insurance company, sions in the newspapers right now is political inroads in the solid south, whereby the former company purchas effort will amount to nothing.

It has grown rather common to now appears that this much of it has hear people charge the present low price of cotton to the Farmers' Union. We have heard this charge coming trust on the part of the officers of each from farmers, who no doubt made it in good faith. But before we would longer to be associated in any way with oe willing to accept the charge seri- the affairs of the Seminole Securities ously, we would like to hear some of company and avail ourselves of this the arguments on which it is based. first opportunity to notify you that we We are prepared to admit that in the tion in the affairs of the Seminole Se holding movement fight, the Union curities company, and refuse to act any failed to win. That fact is too clear further under the agreement entered to warrant dispute. But surely no one said company of date January 31, 1908. will attach blame for such a strong except as we may be advised to fight as the Union has made in such a proper and necessary to protect the incommendable cause. Blame may lie terest of the present stockholders or to

for the leaders of the negro race, for 917,000; Arkansas 1,009,000; Tennessee 340,000; Missouri 54,000; Oklaho-

GETTING FROM UNDER.

Trustees Wash Their Hands of Sem nole Securities Company. was the affairs of the Seminole Securities company and the Southern

ferred to in the paragraph reproduced in the last issue of The Enquirer from the Spartanburg Journal. At least, it

so appears from subsequent developnents in the papers. Messrs. W. A. Clark, Willie Jones and T. S. Bryan of

columbia are the trustees in a deal thereby the Seminole Securities com-

any purchased a controlling interest n the Southern Life Insurance company. Since the bursting of the sensa-tion quite a number of startling facts have come out. Garlington, the presient of the Seminole Securities com any, insists that everything is all right, and that if the recent purchasers of seminoie stock want to hold on to a

good investment, they must sit steady n the boat. Messrs. Clark, Bryan and Jones, upon the strength of whose names much of the Seminole stock has been sold, have become uneasy about

the situation and have written an open letter to Garlington in which they charge that both the Seminole company and the Southern Life Insurance com

letter, which is dated December 5, but which was not made public until yesdays "Dear Sir: We have just learned

from an authentic source that you and those associated with you received ents. from the Southern Life Insurance com ONE of the most interesting discus-ed to be in the neighborhood of \$70,000 for carrying through the deal between

ed of the latter \$150,000 of the stock Northern Republican papers are sure ed of the latter erosed, as you know This stock was purchased, as you know that Mr. Taft will be able to accom- at a very high price and we, as trus plish more than any of his predecessors tees, were informed that the money

that the financial standing company would be increased and thus increase the value of the stock. been diverted. We regard it a fraud

Friday upon the stockholders of both of these ompanies and a flagrant breach of ompany connected with this transaction. We are, therefore, unwilling any erv nearly mature.

> It is not too late to begin the making of a winning club for one of the The Enquirer. It is worth almost any body's while to try.

LOCAL AFFAIRS. 560,000; Louisiana 472,000; Texas 3,official estimate of the crop.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. Dobson-Offers store room, two horse farm and livery stable for rent. C. E. Spencer, Attorney-Has money to lend at 8 per cent on improved farms in York county.

D. M. Hall, Yorkville No. 1-Offers a number of shoats and pigs for salegood stock at right prices. N. McElwee, Rock Hill-Will pay railroad fare one way and furnish

dinner free to customers from Yorkville and vicinity buying goods to value of \$5. W. Boyd. Supr .- Will let a bridge

contract at Guion Moore creek on December 17, at 11 a.m. D. Alexander-Can be found at R.

E. Montgomery's shop and will repair almost anything. Hazel Grist, Clerk-Republishes notice

of annual meeting of board of county commissioners, with a change of date to December 29. York Supply Co .- Wants you to think

of it when you are thinking of building a house-it wants to supply the material. Loan and Savings Bank-Suggests one

of its Savings Banks for your girls and boys for Christmas. Yorkville Hardware Co.-Makes a few suggestions of suitable articles for Christmas presents for the Christmas presents for your

friends Bank of Clover-Publishes its statement of condition at the close o

business on November 27. York Drug Store-Extends an invitation to everybody to see its large line of "gifty" things for the holi-

Carroll Furniture Co .- Is ready to sup-

ply you with new rugs, art squares water sets, toilet sets, etc., for pres First National Bank-Wants to know if you have money to invest and if

wants you to invest in its certificates of deposit. Chomson Co .- Will continue its Mill Syndicate sale for another week. Be

sure to see the holiday goods and Strauss-Smith Co .- Is selling the rem nant of its stock at forced prices as the store must be vacated January 1st. Spool cotton at 48c dozen.

It is no doubt understood that there will be no issue of The Enquirer on mother Christmas day, which this year falls on

Mr. W. R. Burgess of Sharon, has sent The Enquirer office some specimens of second crop apples that are

handsome premiums being offered by

there are fewer coveys and the coveys place at the home of the bride's pa- have been the last fatal instant, it ocgreat deal of hunting up to this time. 8 o'clock p. m.

ing cables and a growing impression under conditions that were businessthat the trade was not crediting the like and sensible. They have certainly not been used to pick cotton so far So Declares the President and He

ation.

A rally of 3 or 4 points followed the initial break as a result of covering as I have any information. And the and buying for a turn, but offerings .ittle cotton that has been raised on became heavier again in the afternoon the farm has not had any appreciable with stop loss orders uncovered on a effect on the market so far as anybody scale down, and prices broke just about he low level of yesterday morning on has been able to figure it out. As I see Americans who have been guilty of in- per man who will make "live" copy of the active months. Advices from the it, such cotton as has been raised at famous falsehood concerning the ac- practically every page of his report. Of south, indicating that interior holders were not influenced by the government clear profit, mostly with labor that estimate but were offering cotton free-

ly on practically the same basis as would have otherwise been lost." yesterday, were undoubtedly one of the As to exactly how many acres there factors on the decline. The market are in the county home farm. Mr. Boyd closed at practically the lowest prices of the day. Larger estimates for tomor-is not certain. He thinks there are of Illinois, who were received by the something less than 400. He is doubt- president in the East room of the closed at practically the lowest prices of used to emphasize claims that the gov- ful as to whether it would be possible ernment's estimate of the crop was out to sell the farm for as much as \$8,000, of line with the movement and private cables from Liverpool stated that the and as he sees it, this would not be

nearly sufficient for the erection of official figures would have to be confirmed by future census and into-sight the buildings that would be necessary figures before they inspired much confor a suitable modern home. fidence abroad. Commission houses

FATAL ACCIDENT AT TAVORA.

Receipts at the ports today 59,378 Mr. W. F. Downs, the well known against 67,574 last year and 57,207 last machinist at the Tavora cotton mill, against 459,291 last week and 368,793 was instantly killed at about 9.30 o'clock yesterday morning by accidenlast year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 7,763 against 15,787 last year, and at Houston 12,908 against 12,613 tal contact with the 23,000 volts of electric current that supplies the power to run the machinery of the mill. The accident occurred in the trans-

former house at the mill. Something nad suddenly gone wrong, with the current, and Mr. Downs and Mr. J. T. Ramsaur, the superintendent had spent I shall try to have them reached. If

some time looking for the trouble. Afor ever have known are at the disposal ter making several tests they tele- of each and every one of you here, and Charlotte Observer: The Seminole Seshoned the Victor Oil mill, only a short of any one in congress or of all con- curities company has an

distance away on the same line, and gress if they wish to see them. anding everything all right there, ould come to no other conclusion than Panama canal comes the question of not an insurance company and is not that the trouble was in their own transways.

Superintendent Ramsaur and Mr.

switches and tried different wires. Mr. Ramsaur had just started toward that the work is done just as honest- was sold at \$150 a share, par value home in Bethel township yesterday on the door leaving Mr. Downs at the ly, just as efficiently, as the Panama \$100, the casualty company to be startaccount of the critical illness of his transformer. There was a hissing, popping noise, and turning his head, Mr.

Miss Gilley Neely, who has been Ramsaur saw Mr. Downs standing, efficiently." spending several weeks with Miss Ella holding a wire overhead with his left Neely, left Wednesday for her home hand, and fire flashing at the point of

contact with his hand and at his feet. The unfortunate man was unable to burg, Fla., is on a visit to his mother, speak. He was completely paralyzed tionary society of that country H. life insurance company did open of-

Mrs. D. E. Thomas at Filbert. He ex- if not instantly killed. Though almost transfixed with the

partridges are scarce. They say that le Pickett. The ceremony is to take friend; but just before what would that he be sent to the coal mines and portion of South Carolina and have

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Pearson of Ben-

CANAL FREE OF SCANDAL.

of them being merely revised former reports to bring them up to the Threatens Prosecution. they can be reached for criminal calendar year. But a striking exception this year will be the first report libel, I shall try to have them reachof the new insurance commissioner, ed," said President Rooseveit in speak-ing yesterday afternoon about, "those Mr. F. H. McMaster, a former newspaall has been raised at very nearly a quisition of the property and the con- course the interest will be his co on the outrageous graft that has been struction of the (Panama) canal itself," practiced throughout the state for according to a Washington correspond-

nany years on the poor and ignorant by numbers of irresponsible so-called It was to a committee of 100 of the industrial insurance companies. He lakes-to-the-gulf deep waterway ascommends the work of a number of sociation, headed by Governor Deneen, honestly and ably managed home companies, but says their efforts have been greatly hampered by the piratical and White House that he made this declar-

MERE-MENTION.

irresponsible competition which ran on unrestrained by supervision," oper-Governor Deneen had presented a copy of resolutions adopted by the as- ating for the most part under eleeclation and made a few remarks to mosynary charters in violation of law, one of these, a foreign company which the president replied as follows: "I have felt, as the governor has well claiming a capital of \$200,000, a home flice in a New York skyscraper and a put it, that no more important service domestic capital of \$1,000 "existent all ould be rendered to this country than three only on the letter and policy the building of the Panama canal between the Atlantic and the Pacific; and headings of the irresponsible one thing I am proud of in connection gers." The commissioner estimates with the building of that canal is that the total collections the past year amounted to \$161,844, of which only there has not been legitimate cause for the breath of scandal connected with \$52,422 went to policyholders, the reany feature of the proceedings. We mainder being paid out to agents and have cause to be ashamed of only one for expenses. The hundred-odd comhave cause to be ashamed of only one set of Americans in connection with the panies doing business last spring have

building of the canal, and that is of the been reduced to twenty-three, many of those Americans who have been guilty day the irresponsible ones fading away un der prospective investigation. But acquisition of the property and the construction of the canal itself. If converge these honest companies of infamous falsehood concerning the they can be reached for criminal libel, which are doing a helpful work at home not, at any rate all the facts we know

- Columbia special of December 8, to authorized capital stock of \$300,000 and the pres-"Next only in importance from the ident is Mr. John Young Garlington, physical standpoint to building the formerly of Laurens. The company is developing the use of our own water- chartered to do an insurance business. That must be done by the pol- it was advertised to be the original inicy of irrigation at the head waters up tention of the organizers to form the in the arid regions; and where you Sterling Casualty company, the pur-Mrs. J. W. Torrence of Gastonia, is Downs were in the transformer house come from, gentlemen, it is to be pose of which is indicated by its title, visiting in Yorkville, the guest of Mrs. alone. They had opened and closed done by making our sea coast take a big loop in from the Gulf of Mexico the casualty company and for this pur-to the Great Lakes; and we will see pose the stock of the security company canal work has been done, and no ed with a surplus equal to haif the work could have been done from begin- capital stock. Recently, however, the ning to end more honestly or more securities company advertised a change in its plans and announced that it had purchased an interest in the Southern Life Insurance company, of Fayetteville, N. C., and that this company The shah of Persia has been conwould open headquarters in Columbia and do a life and accident business. demned to death by a secret revolu-Shortly after this announcement the E. Roseberry, a former preacher of fices here, in the Skyscraper, and the Wilmore, Ky., was last week sentenced headquarters of the Seminole Securihorror of the situation, Mr. Ramsaur's to three years' imprisonment from the Company was moved to Chattanooza, Tenn. invitations to the marriage of their first impulse was to rush to the as- Chattanooga, Tenn., on a charge of agents of the Seminole Securities comsistance of his fellow-worker and abandoning his family. He requested pany have visited practically every that the word "reverend" be not con- ing of the stock of this company at are not so large. There has not been rents, at Lockhart on December 16, at curred to him that to touch Mr. Downs nected with his name.....A cargo of prices above par, in fact at \$150 a would only mean death to himself and 10,000 canaries reached Philadelphia on share, payment being made Monday from Rotterdam There and notes. The solicitors of the com-

ABOUT PEOPLE. Mrs. J. H. Thornwell is quite ill her home in Fort Mill Mr. H. C. Strauss spent Wednesday Spartanburg, on business. Mrs. R. A. Chandler of Mayesville s visiting her mother, Mrs. W. B. Rev. Henry Cauthen and family, left

Wednesday for their new home in Wal-Mr. M. B. Jennings left for Columbia ormer house.

Wednesday to appear before the suoreme court. M. S. A. Bludworth.

Mr. E. M. Stanton was called to his

in Edgmoor. Mr. L. E. Thomas of St. Peters-

pects to remain until January 15.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Black have issued

daughter, Miss Mae to Mr. Frank Les-