Outline of the Career of South Carolina's Noblest Son.

LIEUT. GEN. WADE HAMPTON.

Scian of a Family of Men Noted for Their Courage, Some Incidents of an Event-

In Hasel street, within the sound of Gen. Hampton's grand father were away at the time and escaped the of cure in war as well as in disease and massacre, and all served in the War that one man's services in the nick of 12 m., Mr. Manning, private secretary Wade Hampton, time may be more valuable than that for Independence. the deceased general's grand father. was in Washington's cavalry, and was lieutenant colonel at the battle of of his staff to follow him and picking quested the surrender of the governor's Eutaw. The swish of Col. Hampton's up three privates from Company K. office in the name of Governor Hampsword was always heard in the charge. | Fourth S. C. C. (Charleston Light ton. Mr. Babbett replied that he was general. He was one of the first cotton planters and acquired much land in Mississippi and Louisiana as well as gave the order. 'Charge.' His seven South Carolina. Col. Wade Hamp- followers-there were no others in the Mr. Babbett handed over the seal and ton. the dead chief's father, was a planter with large estates, and he loved blooded stock. He had a private race track at his beautiful home near Columbia, burned by Sherman. Col. Hampton was a warrior also. He served on Gen. Jackson's staff at the battle of New Orleans and bore news attack, the fierce assaults and the the office locked, as it will remain until to Washington, riding one horse the powder smoke they did not realize the the key is turned to admit Governor entire distance to Columbia, at the

The deceased general learned to ride, shoot and "speak the truth" at Millwood, and received rare training. His mother was a Miss Fitzsimons. Gen. Hampton was educated at the South Carolina university from which he graduated in the class of 1836. He then studied law, but with no inten- to escape. Here they occame jammed tion of practicing; however. Prior to together in confusion, all organization the war the young man's planting in- lost and their pursuers cut and thrust terests in Mississippi consumed much like devils incarnate, as the fugatives of his time and he usually spent his probably thought. Eleven Federals winters there. The last crop before were killed and 12 captured and the the war raised on this place was 5,000 rest, many of them wounded, fled in bales. The command of the great wild panic carrying consternation to number of overseers and laborers gave their friends with excited tales of hunhim good schooling for what he was dreds of men in buckram, as the best soon to devote his attention—the command of soldiers.

rate of 72 miles a day.

obeyed the call to arms quickly, going ing of the river secured to the Conin as a private, but soon raising the federates. Hampton had grasped the Hampton Legion composed of six com- situation and solved the problem. panies of infantry, four troops of cavcommanded this organization with conspicuous gallantry at Bull Run, where he received a wound in the head. bis time looking after his Mississippi Such a command was hardly fitted for plantation and this gave rise to the good service. The different arms of Butler, and three brigadier generals-Connor, Gray and Logan. At Seven Pines Hampton was again wounded in the foot, his troops distinguishing themselves. On July 28, 1862. Hampton was made a brigadier general of cavalry and his command was known as the Hampton Legion. It was composed of South Carolinians, North Carolinians and Virginians. At its head Hampton rode in Stuart's famous raid in August, 1862, round Pope's flank and rear. He made the Federal general date his correspondence from the fight?" "On that platform," he which are still too wet to plow. Headquarters in the Saddle." Gen. Hampton was always successful in detached service. His work was dashing in the Maryland and Pennsylvania campaigns 1862-63, and full of incidents. The story of Hampton's meeting with Col McClure of Chambersburg is one of the best of the campaign in that section. At Gettysburg Gen. Hampton was thrice wounded in the momentous struggle. About half the men were wounded in this battle. In June 1863 at Brandy Station, Gen. Hampton's younger brother, Lt. Col.

ler lost his leg here also. "On another part of the field," says got back he was in bad health and it conditions. "Gen. Hampton was looked as if there was but little hope the historian. in many a charge. One of these a mountains to get his health back again some time. mounted charge against a Federal and the convention was postponed unmost hotly contested and magnifi- Walhalla and off in the mountains, eficial along the coast. cent horse encounter of the war, but Early in August a letter was sent him Hampton's star lighted the path and urging him to come to Columbia and though small, with, however, numerhis saber cleft the way to victory. As be present in person at the convention. ous exceptions, where the crop is poor. the general dashed to the head of his He was off in the mountains hunting Oats are exceedingly variable in condicommand to lead them on this occasion but he got here the night before the tion, with only a few localities, where Yorktown. his eyes 'snapping fire,' as the men convention and the next day was on the crop is entirely satisfactory. used to say, he threw off his overcoat the floor. After a hard fight his nomit to his son, Preston, acting orderly a had been fighting the white leaders mere boy, who was afterwards killed all day came over that night. while after receiving his wound he, in hand- stated yesterday that he had made the all killed. to-hand conflict cieft the skull of his greatest and grandest campaign ever adversary with his saber. In August | conducted. He connected his fight 1863 he was made a major general and | within the bounds of perfect law and campaign of Virginia, where Hamp- the wisdom of a Solomon. ton won his fame as a general. Hamp-23 days captured 3,000 prisoners and the State capitol at Columbia, and it head of the Kurdish regulars, to distorious conduct in face of an over- set out in the affidavit. much war material with a loss of only is a coincidence that he should have perse them. The regulars pursued the whelming enemy. 719 men. In August 1864 Hampton died upon the anniversary of the very Armenians some distance, attacking was made commander of Lee's cavalry day that he witnessed the fruition of an Armenian village en route. Fin-Federal army at City Point and matter will be of especial interest: brought away 400 prisoners and about 2,500 beeves.

Frank Hampton, was killed. Gen. But-

It is impossible here to tell of the willing to yield the possession of the many brilliant battles conducted by Gen. Hampton. The story would fill executive office in the State house, Governor Hampton addressed him the wolumes. He concluded his service befollowing note: before the war ended by taking charge of Johnson's cavalry and did fine service in harrasssing and retarding Sherman's army

Gen Lee's famous order commending Gen. Hampton's cavalry, issued on live chamber, with the records and pa-Feb. 28, 1863, concluded with this pers belonging to the executive office now in your possession, I beg to inform paragraph:

"In announcing these achievements, the commanding general takes special pleasure in adverting to the promptness of the officers in striking a successful blow whenever the opportunity offered, and the endurance and gallantry To. Hon. D. H. Chamberiain. with which the men have always supported their commanders. These deeds give assurance of vigilance, activity and fortitude and of the performance of still more brilliant actions in the com-R. E. Lee. ing campaign.

ing to Gen. Hampton gives a striking designate at 12 meridian tomorrow, at and lay still.

THE GREAT LEADER, instance of his personal bravery and the executive office, for the purpose in- SOME WAR HISTORY, across the Potomac. The great flailmental acumen. He says: "Early on dicated in your note. the morning of March 11, 1865, Johnson's army was crossing the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, North Carelina. To Hon, Wade Hampton. The infantry, artillery and wagon trains had nearly affected a crossing. while the cavalry were across. Sherman's forces in parrellel columns were in the State house were brought pressing up. Gen. Hampton was year to Attention." Thesentry at the goverthe hotel in the town when one of his nors's door resumed his place in the best scoats, Hugh Scott by name, gal- ranks. Col. Black stood by.

charge-obeyed with alacrity and all,

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After the close of the war Gen.

Hearing that Mr. Chamberlain was

State of South Carolina.

indicate as most convenient to yourself.

To this Mr. Chamberlain promptly

State of South Carolina.

Executive Chamber, Columbia, S. C., April 10, 1877.

replied as follows:

Wade Hampton.

Governor.

As the first stroke of the clock oped up and told him that the enemy were close by in the parrellel streets, sounded the order was given, "Attena company of them baving come tion, guard; carry arms; right shoulder through a byroad that had not been arms; twos right, march." The sound picketed, and that mere were behind of heavy and heavier footfalls resoundthem. The situation was critical. If ed along the corridors and before the the enemy succeeded in wedging in be- bell had reached the fifth stroke of Lieut. Gen. Wade Hampton was tween the retreating army and its the twelve the last file had crossed the born in Charleston on March 28, 1818, cavalry, the rear guard, it would threshold. A number of the negro entail disaster. The cavalry would constables, evidently acintg under perthus be cut off from covering the re- emptory and urgent orders, instantly the chimes of old Saint Michaels. he treat and the bridge across the river sprang to the heavy doors and slammed first saw the light. His great grand which it was essential to burn after them with a bang, in the face of the rection of the statement going the and charges with cold steel. The father came from Virginia to the the crossing was completed, if left in crowd within, and in the immediate colony of South Carolina prior to the tact, would afford the Federals the rear of the last file of the soldiers withopportunity of swift pursuit. Not a out, who are hardly out of the way of moment was to be lost. The cavalry the closing panels. A heavy bar detail the circumstances connected sheltering wings of night saved us burning desire or longing so intense. district, where he and most of the leader must be able to both think and dropped into its brackets, and the mili- with his death in the battle of the from complete annihilation. family were murdered by Indians in act with the rapidity of a mash of tary occupation of the State is ended, 1775. Several of the sons including lightning, and that Hampton did on much to the relief of the citizens and this occasion. He realized that an the military as we'l. ounce of prevention is worth a pound

Very respectfully

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D. H. Chami

Governor of South Cock

At ten minutes before 12 the troops

On Wednesday, at seven minutes to gallant Federal officer: of the governor, presented himself at of a thousand a few minutes later. So the executive office and was politely calling to the scout and two members met by Mr. Babbett, of whom he rebe from Wheeler's command * * the make the transfer at 12 precisely, and general dashed around the corner and would do so when that hour arrived. As the first stroke of noon was heard, keys of the office, accompaning the acthe general leading, flung themselves tion with the usual verbal formula. upon the Federals, who were drawn up | And Governor Hampton was in possesin the street. These fired a volley sion of the office. A few minutes more with their carbines but by that time were spent in explaining the details of books, papers, etc., and both gentleconfused by the suddenness of the at- men retired from the premises, leaving small number of their assailants. So Hampion himself. He will probably they tried to wheel about to run, but take possession in person tomorrow. among them were pistol balls at A few idlers were present about the close quarters, and the hack and thrust building, but only one or two gentleof sabres. Less than a hundred yards men were allowed to be present at the down the street was a turn at right ceremony as witnesses. - News and Courier, April 12.

WEATHER AND CROPS.

The General Backwardness of the Season Saves the Crops

The second weekly bulletin of the season of the condition of the weather and crops in South Carolina was issued ous; neither line recoils; but the tangllast week by Director Bauer of the The South Carolina section of the climate only Confederate casualty was the kill-When the State seceded Hampton ing of a fine mare. Thus was the cross- and crop service of the United States the science of butchering one another. weather bureau. It is as follows:

Monday, April 14, was unseasonably alry and one battery of artillery. He Hampton resumed his cotton planting cold, with heavy frost and thin ice in operations but was not generally suc- exposed places to within about 30 is forced back, but Wadsworth comes cessful. He spent a good portion of miles of the coast, on the 9th. The to the aid of Hancock; the tide of batclose of the week had about normal tle ebbs and flows. Wadsworth is charge, made by his political enemies temperature. Light frosts occurred in the service were separated, "and each some years later, that he was an alien. the northwestern portions on the 10th mass toward the plank and back on became the progenitor of a famous Just here it may be well to tell how and 11th. The frosts of the week nip- the Brock road. Everything now inbody of its kind." It was corps elite. it was that Gen. Hampton came to ped some corn, yellowed some oats, dicated a complete victory for the the department of North Carolina, Of its original members two became head the movement that led to the re- probably injured peaches slightly in Confederates. General Longstreet lieutenant generals—Hampton and demption of South Carolina from Radi- places, but otherwise did no material rode forward to prepare and take adnage, owing to the backwardness

In December, 1875, he came to the of the season. On the 7th, there was a beneficial distinguished South Carolinian who was at the head of the white incipient rain that covered the entire State, is moved forward to the plank road. organization. He was then on his way and ranged in amounts from one-third to Mississippi. He asked what was to over an inch. In places it was acgoing to be done and asked specifically companied by hail. There was a snow flurry in Newberry county on the 8th. could the people of the State be aroused to do anything. He was answered The sunshine was about normal. High "If we nominate you will you lead planting, except on bottom lands,

answered, "I will make the fight to a In the southeastern and east central finish, not for the office but for the counties corn planting is nearly fin- will not be expected of me within the principle." Gen. Hampton went on ished and much is up to poor stands, scope of an article intended for the to his Mississippi plantation and in while some has been replanted. Birds close call department, to write a biothe meantime Col. Hoyt's paper in and cut worms have injured stands. graphical sketch of so distinguishedan the up-country and a few others began In the central counties upland corn officer as General Micah Jenkins, wot. to help the white leaders. The State planting is well under way, while I fitted for the work, which I am nay. convention was called for May, but over the western it has only begun.

Not much cotton has been planted Chamberlain's Fusionists were so strong that all that could be done was anywhere, scarcely any in the western brief retrospective view of that hero's to adjourn the convention without ac- portions of the State, but over the war record, and under my own observation. The Fusionists contended in eastern portions the bulk of the crop tion. As colonel of the regiment that convention that Hampton was a will be planted during the present designated, the Palmetto Sharp Shoot-Fusionist. Gen. Hampton came back | week.

to South Carolina in June and went to | Rice is being planted, in all the rehis home in the sandhills. When he gions where grown, under favorable Run, as the Federals have it, in the Jenkins, the hero of Santiago, one

Truck had favorable weather, the

Wheat is generally promising, al-

Gardens are backward. Pastures ns of the State only.

Kurds were also killed. Two Negroes Suicides.

Executive Chamber, Columbia, S. C., Apl. 10, 1877. Sir: Having learned that you now Negroes do not often commit suicide but two made away with themselves in this State last week. On Monday night Eugene Code commityou that I wil send a proper officer to ted suicide in Columbia. Code has gent rays penetrated the remotest receive the same at any hour you may attempted suicide several times before and this time an overdose of laudresult. The other case was that of life to the Confederacy, vigor and swift from insight to accept it as such. cate that the rebels have surrounded machine. I am very respectfully your obedient anum produced the apparently desired Sam Johnson in Charleston on Wed- ness of movement. Plans were speedily Now it is generally allowed in all civ- the Imperial troops and cut off comnesday morning. Johnson had been consummated; hostile guns must not drinking heavily for several weeks. cover the capital; the siege must be He came home early Wednesday morn- raised, the enemy beaten to cover. ing and said to his wife: sick as a dog: I believe I'll blow my sage, his foot cavalry are put in mogelical Lutheran church on the Hud- in New York. They were Esther Kohn, corners, a hamlet in Ulster county, brains out." And he did. Raising tion. He beats Banks and Shields son county boulevard in Greenville, N. a widow, aged 50, a son aged 23, a recently gave birth to five children, Sir: Replying to you note of this day that my private section is revolver to his head, he pulled the day that my private section is in their path. One takes Historian Wells in his volume relat
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A Federal Officer's Tribute to Gen. Micah Jenkins of the

CONFEDERATE STATES ARMY.

of the Wilderness Where That Gallant Soldier Gave Up His Life.

Mr. T. R. Lackie, of Detroit. Mich., who was an officer in the writes to the Atlanta Journal a corrounds that Gen. Micah Jenkins was killed at Gettysburg, and gives in the Chickahominy-and only the Wilderness on the 6th of May, 1864, to which is added a glowing tribute to army, 12 companies, 1,140 men, was end." Gen. Jenkins from the pen of this almost a total wreck and Jenkins held The circumstances connected with

the death of that very distinguished officer were as follows: All day the 5th and until about 10 a. m. the 6th, General A. P. Hill's corps had been contending against vastly superior numbers of Federal troops. On the In the war of 1812 this soldier was a Dragoons) " and also one man said to ordered by Governor Chamberlin to fatal morning of the 5th Hancock had advanced his corps on Hill's position, and forced the latter almost back to his artillery line badly broken and worn out by incessant fighting. Disaster to the Confederate army seemed assured. General Lee was with the artillery and directing the re-formation of the broken lines. He had sent for his old war horse (Longstreet) and was anxiously waiting his coming-always reliable and on hand at the right moment, he is seen coming down the Orange plank road, his magnificent men on the couble-quick. resistless as the ocean tide! Gregg's Texans are deployed into line and immediately advance with that never to be forgotten yell. The immortal Lee springs to the front to lead them; they halt. He must go back or there will be no advance of Texans. A bronzed-faced demon of the battle front gently takes the bridle rein and turns the head of his charger. Lee sorrowfully rides over to Longstreet: on goes the Texans. Loud rour the cannon with shotted breath, and more awful the yells of battle demons.

The Texans strike Hancock's exultant advance; the shock is tremended forests tremble, and the tangledhaired Texans and the veterans of Hancock settle themselves down to The slaughter on both sides is awful. The early part of the week ending Benning's and Law's brigades come to the aid of Gregg and take a hand in the work that is on; with a yell the whole line charges. The Feneral line killed; Longstreet strikes the Federal left flank; rolls it up in a confused vantage of the opportunity to inflict a decisive blow on Grant's army. With

Supplemented by Kershaw's brigade. General Longstreet moved forward to reconnoiter the situation, accompanied by General Jenkins. Mahone's men seeing a movement in their front 'yes,' that they had determined to winds prevailed on the 8th and 9th. and by the indistinct view obtained made a straightout fight and win or The week was generally favorable for owing to the density of the forest misdie. He said, "That is the only hope farm work, and rapid progress was took them for the enemy and fired. for the State." He was then asked: made in preparing lands for spring killing the gallent Jenkins and wounding Longstreet, a most lamentable

mistake. As a Federal soldier I know that it Yet the temptation is so great to see something more, that I venture a vex world. It would be sad indeed ers of South Carolina, we joined him at the battle of Manassas, or Bull hottest part of that field, near the Tobacco plants are plentiful but Henry house, and down the slope, that day performing brilliant service for the State. He was sent to the small; transplanting will not begin for where so many of the Hampton Legion fell, and where valiant deeds and good generalship crowned the young brigade, was said to have been the til August. Early in July he went to rainfall having been particularly ben- Confederacy with victory and everlasting fame. To Beauregard, Jackson, Bee, Bartow and Kirby Smith, the latter a citizen of Connecticut, under

Next we find him at the battle of Armenians back, turned into the his position when the army was with-Christian quarter of the town and drawn to the former defences of Richfederacy which followed the battle of to pieces and blown overboard. Seven Pines, when Johnston's vague plans and operations puzzled and con-

fused the President. A new star appeared on the Confed-

his path, drops back a few foot-sore Spartans as pickets for Fremont to War in the Philippines and How it is The Remain of the Lamented Dead gape at until his (Jackson's) return. Lee crosses the Chickahominy at Meadow Ridge and drives the enemy to its common center about Grapevine Bridge and Woodbury bridge. The Seven Days battle is on. The on Philippines a large number of second day, June 27, 1862, Longstreet strikes the enemy's left and Jackson A Graphic Description of the Battle the right flank. The battle rages all the afternoon. The enemy hold their ground. Late in the evening Lee pines. makes the final effort to count that day's victory his own. The Texan brigade under Hood are huried like a thunderbolt against the left center. Colonel Micah Jenkins with his valiant Palmetto regiment and one other wealthy classes or "pudientes" among against the extreme left. The left the natives were, while professing famous Sixteenth Michigan regiment, center is broken and shattered into friendship toward the Americans, fragments. Jenkins fires one volley more responsible than any others for enemy is broken, slaughtered, and the such conditions, he said, the only

> The writer's regiment, one of the our beautiful banner. Col. James A. editor of The Greenville Hoyt. Jountaineer, then an officer in Col. and most decisive manner possible. Jenkins' regiment, has told the story correctly in the Confederate Veteran.

Lee is victor. McClellan is on the Farm. Beats back the enemy. Holds the battle ground. He has commanded R. H. Anderson's brigade in both battles. His regimental loss is severe, himself severely wounded. The Palmetto regiment alone sustaining a loss of 375 and no prisoners reported. After a march of over two hundred of Bull Run, or Manassas No. 2, on Longstreet's right. Porters' Federal corps left, this time he fights Maxcy Greeg, old enemies of Gaines Mills. Jenkins' brigade has some desperate fighting and again himself severely wounded, and brigade loss about 450. He is one of the officers mentioned in for extraordinary bravery and unexcelled heroism.

His brigade, now in command of Colonel Joseph Walker, of the Palmetto issued a circular saying: Sharp Shooters, advances into Maryland and goes into action in the battle of South Mountain, sustaining a loss of 20, then back to Sharpesburg, or Antietam. Their field of operation was not far from Gen. Lee's headgaged and drove the enemy at every point, losing 208 officers and men. holding their battle ground and crownold brigade.

Thus Lee had beaten McClellan's army off the Peninsula, destroyed the grand army of the man whose headquarters were in the saddle, and had of food products and extortion in fought the combined armies of Antietam to standstill. This is the most either was their battlefields.

performing valuable service also around Richmond, Peterburg, and the looting. Black Water, he very urgently requested in his many applications to that end in view Jenkin's fresh brigade the department commander and the authorities in Richmond to be permitted to share the battlefields of propriations bill that is a long step ous. From the first sound of the Lee's army along with the divisions with whom he had been so long, and free delivery. This amendment prooften in bloody conflict in defense of vides for the purchase by the United upon the bugles the people bowed individuals he has no superior. And his cherished rights and glorious Stars States of locked iron mail boxes in their uncovered heads. The crowd it looks as if his career will compel and bars, but alas, his wish was only wholesale quanities and their sale to was unwieldly, but it was good naturithe American people to adopt an granted when Lee and Grant met in the farmers on the rural free delivery ed and kind to itself, the Wilderness on the Orange Plank routes at government cost. Under road, that fatal 6th of May, 1864. Al- the present laws and regulations of though his cause and mine was at the postoffice department the patrons war, I loved him none the less. He of the rural free delivery are forced to was noble and brave, and such as he purchase these boxes from one of fourgave a world-wide glory to the American field embattled. The spirit of at a cost of from one to three dollars such men do not sleep with the tene each, or else get no delivery. This ment of clay, but lives again in great arbitrary regulation gave the manudeeds. The newer generations of the facturers of the boxes specified by the Southland will have their Lees and postoffice department a chance to form Jenkins, but nowhere else on this con- a combine and fleece the public by were we only to find them in dusty Tillman's amendment, which was and time worn volumes and on cold mutilated stone. It is pleasing to note extortion by this box combine by limitthe presence of the distinguished offi- ing the price of the boxes to fifty cents cer of whom my feeble pen has writ- each. Senator Tillman said in offerten personified in young Major Micah ing this amendment that it was to whose daring deeds have won the applaudits of the Western Hemisphere. to purchase these boxes. The post-T. R. Lackie.

467 Vinewood Ave., Detroit, Mich. Late a lieutenant 16th Mich. Vet. ol. Infantry.

Postponed Again.

The B. B. Evans case, which was to before the house again and then to General Magruder, we find the gallant have been tried in Columbia last week the senate where Senator Tillman is Colonel Jenkins within the defenses of has been continued until next term of court. on motion of George Johnstone, the amendment. After the evacuation of that strong- attorney for defendant. Mr. Johnhold Jenkins' regiment, with others, stone presented an affidavit setting to leave his sword arm free and flung ination was won and then men who afford grazing over the eastern por- covered the retreat and facing about forth that a most important witness, at Williamsburg met the overwhelm- the defendant's brother, was in Wat- says in the stomach of a steer Fruits are late in blooming, and the ing advance of the enemy, inflicting erbury. Conn., where his wife was slaughtered in a packing house there at Burgess' Mill," who threw it away enthusiasm prevailed in Columbia. majority of correspondents regard it terrible loss in his ranks and checking dangerously ill, on account of the was found a diamond brooch worth saying he didn't come to carry coats Gen. Hampton returned to the moun- as safe to date, but in Lexington coun- his advance until the Confederate death of her mother, and that it \$500 that was lost by Miss Margaret but to fight. At Gettysburg Gen. tains and opened the campaign at An- ty and a few other localities peaches army and subsistence trains are at a would be impossible for him to be at Carroll, of Baltimore, Md., two years Hampton was severely injured, though derson. The leader referred to above have been materially injured but not safe distance, and proper line of detection the trial last week. Next week Mr. ago. The steer was grown on the fence established. At West Point Johnstone had an important engage- plains near Dodge City, Kan, Miss and other places his regiment had ment elsewhere. The affidavits also Carroll happened to be detained for a fought the hard battle of the rear- stated that Mr. Johnstone had hoped few hours at Kinsley, Kan., thirty News has been received of massacre guard until the army was safe on the to have the witness here Wednesday, miles from Dodge City while traveling then soon followed the magnificent order and on all occasions displayed by Turks and Kurds of three hundred south side of the Chickahominy river, but the above stated facts prevented with a party of friends in a private Christians at Diabeckir, Kurdestan. his regiment having suffered untold it. Solicitor Thurmond announced car. Miss Carroll had taken a fancy Friday was the anniversary of the A band of roving armenians recently hardships and severe losses in men that the state was ready to try the to a baby on the train, and she had it ton broke up Federal plans with the day upon which Daviel H. Chamber- appeared near the town. The au- and officers, for which he received just case. Judge Buchanan granted a with her in the observation end of the meve at Trevillians' Station, and in lain turned over to Wade Hampton thorities sent Abraham Pacha, at the recognition for his gallant and meri-

Blown to Atoms. Gunnery Lieut. James H. Bourne, Seven Pines or Fair Oaks, with his Lieut. Miller and nine blue jackets with the rank of lieutenant general. his efforts to reclaim his State. The ally Abraham and his party were gallant regiment and one other driv- were instantly killed Wednesday by In September he struck the rear of the following documents in regard to this forced back. Just as they reached the ing before him a whole Federal divitown, seeking reinforcements, the Ar- sion, gaining a good position, held the the British firstclass battleship Mars, menians opened fire. Heavy fighting battle field and inflciting a loss on the during gun practice off Berehaven. lasted for some time. The Kurds, en- enemy about equal to the number of In addition, several men were injured raged at not being able to force the men in his regiment, only abandoning by the explosion. The breach of the gun blew out after it had twice missed killed unmercifully. Many Turks and mond, in the dark hours of the Con- were sighting the gun were scattered 2,000 Imperialist soldiers, sent by

> Dickens Was Right. Charles Dickens, on a dinner given at a notable agricultural occasion. erate horizon. It illuminated the took the position that "the field it nificent and glowing orb personified in serious truth, though comparatively

ilized countries. A Popular Choir.

Of fourteen young men and women "I'm as Jackson in the valley receives a mes- who sang in the Zion German Evan- day night in the house of Esther Kohn James McCowan, aged 28, of Tucker's who served two years in the Philiprefuge in Harper's Ferry; the other the seventh couple are engaged.

MORE REVELATIONS.

The secretary of war has placed in the hands of the senate committee | dead were laid to rest on Sunday orders, circulars and reports bearing upon the conduct of military affairs in

the unpacified provinces of the Philip-On December 24th last Capt. W. E. ed taps over the soldier's grave. They Aver, adjutant general of the Sixth buried him under the spreading gress shall be uniform in all the states, brigade, issued a circular to the station commanders in Samar in which the conviction was expressed that the the continuance of hostilities. Under survivors driven into the swamps of course to pursue, would be one that them to join hands with the Amerimost magnificent regiments in the cans in the accomplishment of that

In announcing the policy of the py ending to his grand career, to his brigade he said it would be from this unselfish life, that he should pass time on to "wage war in the sharpest Giving instructions for the carrying

out of this order, he said young officers were to be given great latitude for retreat to the James river. The siege this conduct in harrassing the enemy of Richmond raised. The 5th of the and that natives, and especially those battle days, June 30th, Jenkins takes of wealth and influence were to be rethe advance of the battle at Frazer garded with suspicion, adding: "Every native, whether in arms or living in ther tribute to the man who in life these pueblos or barrios will be regarded and treated as an enemy until he has conclusively shown that he is a friend.' Suspected persons should be appre-

hended and if there was not sufficient been given in South Carolina history. evidence to convict they should be held miles on half rations, we find General as a military necessity. This direction not only of Columbia, but from all Jenkins again on the old battle ground was made especially applicable to points of the State. No attempt was priests of whom Capt. Ayer said that made by any to make the obsequies their profession would "not be sfficient to protect them. In February, 1902. Gen. Smith, the

brigadier commander in Samar, annamnced that he was convinced opposition had been crumbled away and counseled a softening of the rigors of therefore was the very naturalness of Gen. Longstreet's report of this battle war saving a "watchfulness and kindliness henceforth must go hand in hand.' In December, 1901, Gen. J. E. Bell

friendly to the United States govern- that the obsequies of Calhoun were No man could be a dealer in this ment or murdered or assinated for overshadowed. Many conservative political reasons, and this fact can be men who know how to estimate established it is his purpose to execute crowds said yesterday afternoon that quarters, becoming desperately en- a prisoner of war under the authority contained in sections 59 and 148. This prisoner of war will be selected by lot ing their wounded Jenkins with glory citizens held as prisoners of war, and and sustaining the proud record of the will be chosen when practicable from feigned. Each man and woman those who belong to the town where the murder or assissination occurred." Several orders were issued by Gen.

prices. Instructions were given to make exbloody and desperate of the ages. The | ceptions to all persons who had demononly mark of victory to be credited to strated loyalty. "There lives, families and property will not only be given During the Gettysburg campaign protection, so far as practicable, the gallant Jenkins, being assigned to against insurgents, but will be carefully respected by our troops."

Especial warning is given against

Cheap Mail Boxes. Senator Tillman last week offered an amendment to the postoffice ap- hind such incidents as these is obvi- a line through state capitols. In the toward the perfecting of the rural muffied drum yesterday afternoon to teen firms named by the department charging exorbitant prices. Senator adopted, protects the farmer against prevent the farmers from being robbed under the law which compels them office appropriation bill has gone to a conference of the house and senate committees and it is not known what this conference committee will do in regard to amendment. Should they strike it out the bill will have to go prepared to make a vigorous fight for

This Is a Good One. A dispatch from St. Joseph Mo., loon to which the baby playfully attached the woman's diamond brooch. A gust of wind caused the baloon to wrench the pin from its fasteing and it was carried off, disappearing in the western sky. A reward was offered for the recovery of the ornament, but there was no trace of it until it was taken from the stomach of the steer.

War in China.

fire. The bodies of the two men who China, Wednesday, reported that over umbia on Thursday. Marshal Su against the rebels, were ambushed in a narrow defile and all were killed or captured. The situation in the rebellious districts of formation gained on his Charleston whole American continent. Its reful- paid the farmer best to cultivate was ingly. The vicercy of Canton has tele- nate Miss Maggie M. Moore to the the one within the fence of his own graphed to Peking, urging the im- postonice at Yorkville, S. C. Miss bounds of the Old World. That mag-skull." What Dickens said was a mediate forwarding of re-enforcements. Lack of news from General the wonderful Robert E. Lee gave new few at the time he said it were able Ma and Marshal Su is taken to indinot endorsed by the State Republican

Found Dead.

Four persons were found dead Tuesfocated by illuminating gas.

THE LAST SAD RITES.

The mortal remains of the liustrons afternoon in the presence of thousands of people. The State says: Wade Hampton is gathered unto his fathers. His sacred dust was consigned to the grave Sunday, and just as the sun was sinking the buglers soundbranches of a mammoth live oak which stands firm and unawed by any storms as Wade Hampton stood in the midst of turmoil; it stands green and flourishing in all seasons, and as did he appear more beautiful and symmetrical in character when tried by adversity. Its boughs droop in benediction over his grave, just as he but a few months ago gave a blessing to gathered under his uplifted hands, as he stood upon the portico of his cottage on Senate street. It was in that the God who gave it, and it was a hapaway in the house which represented the love, admiration and loyalty of the women of South Carolina. He endured to the end without murmur, knowing that these just and critical cen-

sors were proud to be South Caro-

linians because Wade Hampton was

their ideal soldier and gentleman. But it is needless now to pay furneeded it not. It is to tell of his obsequies that the chronicle of today must be devoted. The capital of the State yesterday saw such a funeral tribute to a man as has perhaps never It was an outpouring of the people. of Wade Hampton other than simple. In deference to his own wishes, the desires of the people for a State funeral for the State's illustrious dead was disregarded. The most significant corruption was stretched across the feature of vesterday's outpouring it, showing beyond expression the love that the people had for the tive halls and even filling courts of grand old man who was no more. No finer spectacle has ever been witnessed in South Carolina. Men who knew "Whenever prisoners are unarmed or stated that the funeral of Grant did defenseless Americans or natives not compare with that of Hampton; there must have been at least 20,000 people about the residence and the gloves. church and along the line of march. from among the officers or prominent. And that vast multitude of people were bowed with sorrow that was not realized that they were paying a just tribute to a great man, and the faces that watched the solemn passing of Fourth of July embrace 365 days, Bell against permitting any monopoly the funeral cortege were marked with

mourning. Walking in that procession were such men as the aged scholar and sol- for the white house. Subsequently dier, Dr. James Woodrow, supported the Vanderbilts, finding him to be a: by younger veterans, and walking with the noble women of the State were such as the venerable Woodrow's saintly wife. At the church was a him a salary of \$50,000 a year. The veteran who has not been out of his old railroad men smiled at the idea, room for three years; when he heard but they had not yet learned that one Hampton was dead he said "take me to Columbia and let me go to the funeral. He had to be carried to the modern railroading is to construct a church. The world of meaning be- railroad near courthouses and operate

Mr. Lever Wins.

Congressman Lever is now secure in his seat. We learn from a dispatch land, and that thy sleekness may be to the News and Courier that in the the wonder of men." This is a good contested election case of Representative Lever.Committee on Elections No 1 has decided to make a unanimous report in favor of the contestee, Mr. Lever, and has ordered all expenses of the case paid. This is the old election case of Dantzler vs Stokes, which was pending at the time of Dr. Stokes' death. Representative Lever, as Dr. Stokes' successor, became contestee in the case. The contestant, A. D. Dantzler, is a negro from Orangeburg, who contested the election on the ground that the election laws of ! South Corolina were unconstitutional. There is no doubt that the report of the committee will be adopted by the House, though it will probably not be submitted for some time yet. We are glad to know that the case has been practically decided, and that Mr. Lever will have no more trouble about the place he so worthily fills.

Passing Away.

The Columbia State says the pension clerk is busy making out the revised pension rolls for the further action of the State board of pensions next week. It was announced Thursday that while there would be a considerable increase in the total number of pensioners on this year's rolls. the increase will not be as large as was expected. Many names have been dropped by the State board from the lists sent in, and there are about 250 that will be taken off by reason of the death of the pensioners. This is a much larger annual death rate than has heretofore been prevailing, and shows in cold figures how rapidly requisites for a homey corner. those who helped to fight the south's battles are passing away.

Can't Be Removed.

Judge Buchanan has declined to grant the petition for the removal of the case brought by the State against the Virginia-Carolina Chemical company for violation of the State antitrust act from the State to the United music in the white house in years. States court, and other moves of interest in the now famous proceeding are expected in short order. The case A courier who arrived at Canton, was heard by Judge Buchanan in Col-

Bearing Fruit.

Moore was originally appointed by President Cleveland in 1893. She was

Five at a Birth. Isaiah Rhodes, of Bailey's Gap,

Ulster county, N. Y., annnounced Wednesday that his daughter, Mrs.

The Wail of a Boodler. Senator Depew. of New York, makes a stab at the South by introducing an amendment in the United State Senate to the resolution passed a few weeks ago by the House of Representatives altering the manner of choosing senators, making their election dependent upon popular vote in future. The amendment, which provides that "the qualifications of citizens entitled to vote for United States senators and representatives in conand congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation and provide for the registration of citizens entitled to vote, the conduct of such elections and the certification of the result." is intended, of course, to give the United States government the right to supervise the elections in would create in the minds of all hundreds of his old comrades who all the Southern States and to abolish all the restrictions these States have put on the negro vote. This amendcottage that his soul took its flight to | ment practically kills the measure. as the South would never agree to its adoption, and if it is included in the original bill every Southern Senator would be compelled to vote against it

> The late Gov. Altgeld, in speaking of Senator Depew, said "he first attracted attention many years ago as a lobbyist at Albany, where he, for a long time, was engaged in the highly honorable business of putting metaphorical collars on the New York legislators, so that, to the public, they appeared to belong to the Vanderbilts and the New York Central railroad. According to reports, this business was reduced to such a science that whenever the New York Central railroad wished to buy a legislator they did not even stop to negotiate with him, but simply put him on the scales and weighed him. A train of slime and state of New York city, by way of Albany, to Buffalo, polluting legislajustice with odor. This was the beginning of that flood of corruption which is today washing the foundations from under the whole governmental fabric. prosy without soiling his fingers, and I am told that since that time Mr. Depew has never been seen without

in defence of his section.

"He made of all this a stepping stone to greatness. He wrapped the Stars and Stripes about him. He became a red, white and blue orator-he changed his calendar so as to make the leaving but six hours for the remainder of the year, and then he started great convenience, made him presidentof New York Central railroad and paid of the most important features of the art of engineering money out of the public and into the pockets of private eleventh commandment reading as follows: 'Go thou and do evil, that thou mayest live on the fat of the picture of this man who pretends to be so jealous of the purity of the bal-

PIANOS AT WHITE HOUSE.

Two New Instruments Secured for the President's Large Family.

Two magnificent concert grand pianos were carried into the white house the other day and placed in the blue and green parlors. The reason for the two is that there never was but one piano in the white house, and this had to be moved from room toroom until it had become time-worn and almost beyond repair. The twoinstruments placed as they now are

will obviate this trouble. Some pleasant musicals will be added to the brilliant season at the whitehouse and famous musicians who visit Washington will play and sing for the president and his friends. This isa delicate compliment to artists, and one that will be appreciated by them. Formerly those who were shown the honor by President and Mrs. McKinley found only a fairly good instrument, and this had to be carried from the private part of the house to the publica parlors. This trouble is now

ohviated. it was Mrs. Cleveland's habit to keep the plane in the reception end of the upper hall, where she also had her desk, books and other womenly

President and Mrs. Roosevelt are both fond of music, and the children are students in the art. Miss Alice Roosevelt is said to play effectively. This gives a new zest to the white house life, as aside from President McKinley's love of ballads and old familiar songs and Mrs. Cleveland's love of music, there has been but little

Magnificent Interior Decorations.

Further particulars are published in regard to the possible erection of the mammoth building in the Strand, saysthe London correspondent of the New York Tribune. Frederic B. Esler, the The Washington correspondent of New York promoter of the scheme, the Columbia State says because of in- says that the sum of \$10,000 has been set aside in the estimates for decorat-Sogthern China is increasing alarm- trip President Roosevelt will renomi- ing the interior of the dome by the greatest artists of the day. The structure will be known, as at present determined, as the Victorian building, and if the authorities approve the syndicate's proposals building operations will be started about January.

A Poor Remedy.

Rev. Samuel Krell, pastor of the Methodist church at Lacona, Iowa. pines as a private soldier, committed suicide Wednesday being despondent