MAKES OUT A VERY CLEAR CASE.

Says He Made His Charges on Statements Made in a Book Written by Fred Douglass Nine Years Ago.

Representative Bartlett, of Georgia, as social equals. has received the following letter from Cleveland's attitude on the negro ques- so far as I know.

PRINCETON, March 4, 1904. To Hon. Chas. L. Bartlett, Washing-

ton, D. C. to yours touching my invitation of for this that Douglass loved Cleve- Southern negro has been disfranchisthe subject now for all. It so happens that I have never in my official positions, either when sleeping or he same ground a second time. waking, alive or dead, on my head or on my heels, dined, lunched or supped or invited to a wedding reception any colored man, woman or child. If, however, I had desired to do any of prevented me. When I was governor in the legislature to abolish seperate colored schools in New York city. I opposed this measure and it failed. I do not find that I interposed a veto ceeds to state. and I have forgotten the course the matter took, but I know that whatever I did was in favor of maintaining separate colored schools instead of having them mixed.

Yours very truly, (Signed) GROVER CLEVELAND.

WATSON IN REPLY. The following letter from Hon.

Thos. E. Watson in reply to the above is hot stuff and will be read with interest:

THOMSON, Ga., April 5. To the Editor of the Augusta Chroni-

cle. SIR: In your issue of yesterday you publish a letter written by Mr. Cleveland to my friend Hon. Charles Bart-

This letter is dated March 4th. Just why it was kept from the press for an entire month, is not stated.

Mr. Cleveland says that he does not suppose that I believed, or had any reason to believe, that my charges were true when they were made. The intimation that I would wilful-

ly charge upon him things which I knew to be false, does both himself and me an injustice.

To publicly make against a man so prominent as Mr. Cleveland serious accusations which were known to be untrue could only be the act of a knave who was at the same time a fool. A slanderer who is simply a knave may whisper falsehoods which he knows to be falsehoods; but such slanders are never published over the signature of the man who makes them, unless the author is a fool as well as a knave.

When Grover Cleveland assumes that I am either a knave or a fool he will find no respectable man who knows me to agree with him. The gentleman to whom he addressed his letter would tell him quickly enough that any such construction put upon my act, or any such imputation cast upon my character, would be repudiated by both the Democratic senators from Georgia, and by at least a majority of the Democratic delegation from this state to the lower house. People of the state in which my life honesty of my convictions nor the purity of my character; and Mr. Cleve-

land will not strengthen himself in this state by reflecting upon either. Now let us see what Mr. Cleveland's

I beg to remind your readers that

white house. Mr. Cleveland denied In an article which was published

that Mr. Cleveland had confined his conduct, he adds: denial to the negro Taylor, and that the head lines went further than the letter—as is often the case.

Furthermore, I added that Mr. Cleveland had practiced social equality in three particulars: 1. In appointing a negro to be min-

2. By signing the bill for mixed schools in New York.

white house.

Upon what grounds were these charges made?

paper reports which were not con-did see them, why did not he deny tradicted. How else is a citizen to have knowledge of public affairs? The them then?

James Finney, fireman, who lost his work through drink; Samuel Levy, no safe. When they searched the pre-3-cent pound flour. Those prepared have knowledge of public affairs? The them then? newspapers are the source of our information; and if a public man allows the newspapers to make gneral and Southern negro was still a political Bender, a crayon artist, gas. repeated statements about his conduct, he must expect such statements never have been promiscuously given

to be credited, unless denied. How do I know that Mr. Roosevelt then. spoken to any one who did see it. But or his heels had he extended to any streets within a week. Unable to spoken to any one who did see it. But negro that boon of "social equality" meet the demand for increased rents it was not denied-hence I believe it.

secret sale of United States bonds to dice?"

Additional private advices from hovels they call home. Notices of an hovels they call home. Notices of an had made his announcement about private deal made it possible for the through my mind as I try to favor have been severed. Several families. private deal made it possible for the through my mind as I try to fancy have been served. Several families Hell, the congregation gathered up anti-Semite riots were reported Wedvaracious Wall street financiers to what Mr. Cleveland means by stand- have already bean evicted and a hunpocket about ten million dollars of ing on his head, but, as the preachers the money of the tax-payers of this say. "I must not dwell."

They gashsecured from the municipal courts secured from the municipal courts and organ to pet the injuries on the victims resembling those inflicted on Christ. They gashsecured from the municipal courts are already bean evicted and a minimizer of the most unheavenly manner. We are not told those inflicted on Christ. They gashsecured from the municipal courts are already bean evicted and a minimizer of the most unheavenly manner. We are not told those inflicted on Christ. They gashsecured from the municipal courts are already bean evicted and a minimizer of the most unheavenly manner. We are not told those inflicted on Christ.

Hon. T. E. Watson Makes Reply to I had precisely the same grounds for as the brave, manly Democrat who belief that the public had in the case defined the Southern race prejudice, of Booker Washington. It was so and who gave to him, the negro, the charged; and no denial was made.

> The author was Douglass himself. In all the good things his negro admirer land treated him and "Mrs. Douglass" admiration as they read of the manner where there was dampness.

Grover Cleveland, blistering Thomas near where Mr. Cleveland lives, and wrote invitations with his own hand E. Watson for his charges concerning nobody has challenged its statements to "Mr. and Mrs. Douglass," accorded

> lowed the Republican negro to con- social status. tinue to hold one of the fattest offices And now after nine years-after

York, of a bill providing for mixed was the fact that at a critical time Fred Douglass said he was. schools. I do not suppose that Mr. when both whites and blacks were Is there any sence in splitting hairs Thomas E. Watson believed, or had condemning Douglass for his marriage about wedding receptions, and other any reason to believe, either of the with a white woman, Mr. Cleveland social receptions, or other social-equalallegations when he made them. At was brave enough to defy public ity practices? None whatever. The any rate, they are both utterly and opinion and to extend social recogniquestion at issue is: Did Mr. Cleveland April 5th, says:

ing such foolish tales. I shall, there- book were published last Saturday in is the pith and marrow of the dispute. fore, attempt to cover every phase of the Atlanta News, but as Mr. Cleve- If it be true, as Douglass says, that land's letter was written a month ago, Mr. Cleveland often wrote the invitait becomes necessary for me to go over tions with his own hand, and that he

reproaches because he had recently criticism of the Southern accuracy of corn that was up to yellow slightly, married a white woman.

blacks as well as the whites had been Watson or any one else would have aroused by this act of miscegenation. read pages 646, 647 and 648 of the sections. of New York a movement was made in spite of all the clamor about the to what extent the author lied, he white wife, singled him, out for will clear up the atmosphere considerspecial attentions.

failed to invite him and his wife to all the land. White politicians courted in fine condition for tillage. of the grand receptions; and Douglass his support. The highest leaders in says that "myself and my wife never the land made much of him. President failed to attend them."

that Mr. Cleveland showed to himself land-but that's another story. and "Mrs. Douglass" a bearing "not less cordial and courteous than that Pretty much everybody who wants to and the placing of fertilizers in the extended to the other ladies and kick him can come up and do it. Once ground. gentlemen present."

Cleveland a "manly defiance by a men." In those days, he was a "dis-Democratic president of the malignant | tinguished colored gentleman and and time-honored prejudice."

so manly a manner?

subject of social equality. What else he just "butted in." was Cleveland's "manly defiance" aimed at?

'Mrs. Douglass" by Mr. and Mrs. temperature. and women from all parts of the coun- if, in the meanwhile, Mr. Cleveland he gaze of the late slaveholders." clear in a book it is clear that in this or heels" letter, while we wait. book Fred Douglass meant to give Mr. Cleveland credit and praise for

defying malignant prejudice on the race throughout the world.

the late slave-owners." In other words, Fred says, in effect, that Southern ladies and gentlemen were present and were compelled to witness in silence the social triumph of himself and "Mrs. Douglass."

Oh, how full the cup of Fred's joy politics, but they do not doubt the gleam of victorious insolence there he looked at the late "slave-owners" to whom Mr. Cleveland was giving his "manly defiance!"

That spirit is shown in his book, letter amounts to, as a reply to my his countenance in those blissful

land dined C. H. J. Taylor at the flercely and bitterly reproached Mr. Cleveland for his social recognition of the statement; and his card, when Douglass and wife, but that he (Clevepublished, was headlined in such a land) "never faltered or flinched," and

Then, to show conclusively what the police last week. in the Atlanta News, I pointed out Douglass understood by Cleveland's

> There color does not decide the civil and social position of a man."

ister to one of the South American re- Grover Cleveland to have defied she malignant prejudice of Southern Reiham, 65, of Manhattan, who had Democrats by treating him and his white wife as social equals?

If it does not mean that, what in

Necessarily, they were based upon land because of that very thing. Did not Cleveland see them? If he debt that she saw no hope.

to him, had not been taken from him,

which such negroes as Fred Douglass the tenants, who are the poorest of

I was not there; yet I know it hap- lass tell lies on Cleveland in that book? pened, because the newspapers made He had no motive for doing so. was afraid to sell any more bonds that the larger Republican, was praising and Jacob Hammond, young men in ought to have dissipated them perian government suppressed the news a white Democrat for conduct which their twenties, were all found dead in manently. Hell seems to be very a white Democrat for conduct which their twenties, were all found dead in manently. The like manner I believed by signed the signed the signed to sell any more bonds that the signed to sell any more bonds In like manner, I believed he signed the black man considered heroic. He bed Wednesday morning at their dear to the hearts of the people of and is trying to prevent antagonizing

papers, and he never denied it at the that gentleman; he was showering praise upon him; he was throwing bou-As to the White House reception. quets at him; he was singling him out Gardens Were Affected Curiously same treatment which was accorded

in which Mr. Cleveland defied the ma-This book was published in 1895 lignant race prejudice of the South,

ed, cometh the said Grover Cleveland

absolutely false. I cannot afford to tion to the negro and his white wife. invite and receive Douglass and wife devote a great deal of time to deny- Some extracts from the Douglass upon terms of social equality? That treated the negro and wife at all the Douglass says that his "false friends" white house receptions as social both colors were loading him with equals, defying the predjudice and the parts, but aside from causing some my statement stands proved without "Popular prejudice" among the reference to any particular reception. If Mr. Cleveland will condescend to But Fred says that Mr. Cleveland, book referred to, and will then specify

> ably. Poor old Fred! What a lesson is Grant petted him; Garfield petted At these receptions Douglass states him; Harrison petted him; and Cleve-

Poor old Fred! He is dead now, entlemen present."

Douglass call this conduct of Mr. of battle, "were worth a thousand statesman." How have the mighty What was the malignant prejudice slipped down hill! At present, he seems which Mr. Cleveland was defying in to be nothing more than "a d-d nigger," who never was invited anywhere Obviously, undeniably, Douglass by anybody, whether on their heels or meant to give Mr. Cleveland praise on their heads, drunk or sober; and if for defying popular prejudice or the ever he got into the white house at all

of Mr. Cleveland's conduct, the negro | malignant prejudice has caught "the goes on to say that the cordial and damned nigger" fever, and shows a courteous treatment accorded him and rising pulse every time we take his

Cleveland was extended while he was I will make further investigation "surrounded by distinguished men about the New York school law; but try, and by diplomatic representatives has anything to say about appointing from all parts of the world, and under that negro as minister to the white republic in South America, he might Now, if there ever was anything write Charley Barlett another "head

A Warning to All. The Cotton Plant says the almanac treating himself and "Mrs. Doug- makers ought to insert this warning blooming in the eastern sections, and court appeals. lass" as social equals in the presence the first of April: "Look out for the of the representatives of the white oily tongued agent about this time." What made this "manly defiance of Never sign any sort of paper present- of fruit are excellent. Cabbage, beets, malignant prejudice" the more exqui- ed by these sharp fellows. Do not peas and strawberries are being shipped sitely gratifying to the negro was even write your name on the blank that it was done "under the gaze of page of a memorandum. Out West the western counties. There is wideone of these fellows went around amongst the farmers ostensibly in- laborers." trouducing some machine that the farmers were interested in. He was not taking orders, but finding out must have been! And what a sly reason or other he could not write bor:

will not be cheated.

way as to carry the impression that he had never practiced social equality at the white house.

Or suicides, at least nail of them due the records of the census oureau and advertisers and that the ones who had raised the price made statements which must nave faced that cigar box with its 100 ballots of news paper during the last four brought consternation among the lots on that spring morning in 1865.

Secure employment, were reported to show conclusively what the work and during the past other senatorial grafters, but to their day now that a spring morning in 1865.

Then to show conclusively what is a show conclusively what is show conclusively what is a show that a spring morning in 1865.

been ill with rheumatism. His body was found hanging in his lodgings.

The body of another suicide, a wo-

Can't Pay More Rent.

The point is this: Did Feed Doug- and are ready for service.

the bill for mixed schools in New York did not mean to injure Cleveland or to because it was so charged in the news
misrepresent him. He was eulogizing the order wednesday morning at their cleveland. It may even be that home, No. 505 Richmond street. Cleveland is Hell.

Cleveland is Hell.

Cleveland is Hell.

LAST WEEK'S FROSTS.

Plants Being Killed in Spots.

There was a frost of freakish variety last week. Its blight fell in spot States Senator J. R. Burton of Kan- Martin is busy just now in preparing newspapers, but appeared in book decide the social position of a man." and Mr. J. W. Bauer, section director sas was sentenced to six months' imdecide the social position of a man." and Mr. J. H. Bader, section director prisonment in jail and a fine of \$2,500 convenes in Rock Hill on June 29th. on the crop. The chief end to be active two farmers, simple and for using his influence before the post-The book to which I refer is "The in circulation. For nine years Cleve- say just what damage has been done. office department in behalf of the Life and Times of Frederick Douglass." land has been enjoying the credit for Tuis all depends upon the amount of Rialto Grain and Securities company Tuesday: moisture. Plants surrounded by dry of St. Louis, and for having received To Superintendents and Teachers: Cleveland for the reason that Cleve- sands of people who have thrilled with soil were not affected as seriously as payment from the company for his

In gardens which came under Mr. Bauer's observation the frost seemed States district court Judge Adams purpose and we are organizing an will break the hard pan. In about has been the pleasure and privilege of to attack the young vegetables withthem the treatment due in one's house out any regularity. One plant appear-Douglass was an ardent admirer of to all ladies and gentlemen, and bold- ed to be killed while those around it judgment. The court, after briefly re-Mr. Cleveland. The Democratic presi- ly conformed to that European stand- were unhurt. No news from the dent had, for a considerable time, allard which disregards color in fixing peach crop in the ridge section could both. The court then said to the dewas not altogether destructive here, ceived a number of inquiries similar in Woshington City. But it was not Douglass has died, and after the it is hoped that the peach crop is not hurt-and indeed a slight pruning would not be harmful as there is such and signing, while governor of New What won the heart of the negro and declares that he is not the here an abundance of blooms that if all able to bear the load. Mr. Bauer last week issued the first

of his weekly bulletins as to the growing crop. This one, under date of

"The week ending 8 a. m., April 4th, had nearly normal temperature, the first and warmer than usual during the second half. There were light court said: frosts over the eastern portions on March 29th, increasing in severity to dence abundantly warranted their will be delivered to the whole school. It was workings. Here walt a day to tive workings. Here walt a day to tive and entertaining lectures which a shower. The most valuable work killing, with thin ice, in the western dence abundantly warranted their will be delivered to the whole school. no injury resulted. The week closed with abnormally cold weather prevail- disturbing it. ing, and frost threatening the interior

"There was practically no precipi-

western counties, but is generally nor- vate thrift. mally advanced, and made rapid progress during the last week, especially the preparation of lands for cotton,

'From one-half to three-fourths of the proposed acreage to be planted to States, are in themselves heavy puncorn has already been planted in the ishment for your offenses and leave creasing toward the northwestern could be added. It is neither my counties, where this work has only pleasure nor purpose to impose any been begun. Corn planted early in unnecessary punishment. March is, with few exceptions, up to fair stands, and some has received will be sufficiently vindicated and first cultivation.

able sea island cotton has been plant- tence, warranted as it is on any one that it can sell goods cheaper than still another direction. The man with ed, but this work cannot be said to be of the six counts of the indictments grave when he learns that the great generally under way, although, soil on which you were convicted. and weather permitting, will make Douglass understood the true meaning much lauded for his manly defiance of rapid progress during the coming week confined in the Iron county jail for a

vorably in the Georgetown district and dred dollars." was impeded with heavy rains and a At the conclusion of the sentence been sown.

none have as yet been transplanted. have thin stands in places. Spring-

sown oats look well. "Peach trees have about finished appealed to the United States district are now in full bloom in the western counties. Apple trees are late in blooming. The prospects for all kinds from the coast truck farms, Pasturage is scant and does not afford grazing in

Criminal Statistics.

it is hoped that the pressure of other no use of printer's ink. Three of the six victims chose car- business will not cause the sheriff of "Among my friends in Europe a fact troubles, one chose death by shooting, tant inquiry." We trust that all like this will excite no comment. another by hanging and the sixth ac- South Carolina officials will comply the many advertisements of cereal complished his purpose by turning on with this request. Such statistics are foods and their wonderful virtues it is

Had Whiskey in Safe. teen quarts of whiskey confiscated. People who have money to gratify about four years ago. paper reports which were not con- did not, where were his eyes? If he The other suicides reported were: The raiding squad had reason to be- their taste can pay 15 to 20 cents a Douglass was alive then. Proofs work, carbolic acid; Egisto Bertone, mises they found that the outer door cereals are very handy and healthful done well in passing a bill making it ing five horses, one mule, five cows, The quality of corn coming from the were easily accessible then. The stone cutter, shooting, no work; J. of the safe was unlocked, but the and their use is quite common among southern negro was still a political Bender, a crayon artist, gas. were demanded, but refused. Sergt. or wheat preparations one can add to Healey sent for a locksmith and after an evening meal when company sudlandlords on the lower East Side of of keys, one was found which fit the country have to depend on the pro-General and concerted demands of working for some time with a number dealy comes in. But farmers in the dined Booker Washington? I was not Why, oh why, did not Mr. Cleve- New York for more rent will send lock and the door was swung open, ducts of the mills and the thinking, there. I did not see it. I have not land say then that never on his head thousands of people homeless into the exposing thirteen quarts of "booze."

Located at Last.

Cleveland, Ohio, is still addicted to day in the week. How do I know that Grover Cleve- crave and which is denied them by a the poor, told the landlords that they the Hell habit. A minister in that land made a private and almost "malignant and time-honored preju- are unable to keep the miserable city recently declared from his pulpit

SENATOR BURTON SENTENCED.

With Bowed Head He Hears Judge Say Verdict Is Just.

At St. Louis on Wednesday United

upon you?"

stood leaning with both hands on a chair back as he said: "Your honor will please allow me to respectfully decline to say anything."

The court room was almost empty,

who had remained out of curiosity, and the silence was almost opppreshaving been cooler than usual during sive as Judge Adams, in a low tone, will be announced. It is necessary to work your crops. Another mistake members of the Sixty-third Virginia began delivering the sentence. The only to say that the faculty will be an that many farmers make is in waiting regiment, which was afterwar's as-"I am satisfied that the jury reach-

verdict and I find no reason, either in | Winthrop college offers most excel- twice between rains. It will do good the law governing the case or in the lent advantages for a summer school. every time. -The dryer the season proceedings attending the trial, for A low rate for board will be secured cultivate the oftener. Never stop for in South Carolina. That was on the the character of your offense, give comfort and convenience of those in unusual significance to your convic- attendance. tation during the week. On March 26 tion. It demonstrates that the law

27th the rainfall was general over the of the land is equal to any emergency hold its annual meeting at Winthrop some woman stylishly dressed figured and that it can be administered re-during the Summer school. The dates and also officiated as target, took greatly delaying farm work. Unbroken gardless of the personality and sta- and program will soon be announced place Saturday afternoon on Sumter tion of the accused. It also demon- by President Elmunds of Sumter. street in front of the South Carolina He says that Mr. Cleveland never time, Fred Douglass was a power in strates to all the people that public I have applied for low rates on the college mess hall while some of the said to invite him and his side to some of the said to invite him and his side to some of the said to invite him and his side to some of the said to some of the said to invite him and his side to some of the said to some of the serving purposes, and that public office of one fare for the round trip. I hope by a dozen or more people. When first ed to be somewhat backward in a few is not a sure or safe passport to pri- you will extend this notice and use noticed there were two men with a

conviction and the statutory disquali- and also at the State Teachers' asso- was plain from their gesticulations fications resulting therefrom which ciation, as both of these meetings and facil performances. Presently one forever incapacitate you from holding contribute largely to the advance- of the men, who seemed to be conany office of honor, trust or profit under the government of the United eastern sections, the percentage de- but little in the way of severity which

"I think the majesty of the law the public welfare sufficiently safe-"A little short staple and consider- guarded by imposing a single sen-

"This sentence will be that you be "Rice planting has progressed fa- pay a fine of two thousand five hun-

freshet in the rivers in the Colleton Senator Burton, who had not taken district, where, previous to March his eyes from the court and who had 26th, a considerable area had already scarcely moved as he supported himself by the chair back, turned and sat "Tobacco plants are small in the down, with his head bowed and his present the advantages of its healthbeds, but look healthy and vigorous:

eyes on the floor. His attorney, fulness, and he invested oatmeal with headquarters Sunday night until a representation of the property "Wheat and oats continue small, of exceptions in the case and offered a but have improved, except that oats bond of \$10,000 which was accepted. but have improved, except that oats bond of \$10,000 which was accepted. but have improved, except that oats bond of \$10,000 which was accepted. the sentence. The case now will be

A Mystery Explained. even the casual observer who walks through the retail districts of New York during the holiday season can scarcely fail to be impressed with the almost phenomenal difference in the amount of business done in the various stores. He will notice that one store seems to be constantly crowded with customers, that the salespeople We have received the following are working to the limit of their enprobable purchasers so as to have cir- from the division of vital statistics of durance and that the delivery wagons culars sent by the house. For some the department of commerce and la- are kept busy at night and day disreason or other he could not write and he asked the farmer to write his rame and address. He managed so more frequently than what is the in name and address. He managed so more frequently than, what is the in- door, he will observe that there is the high price and scarcity of news ence is that Clemson needs the money. the name would be on the lower right crease of crime? The national census practically "nothing doing." This print paper and the causes which Her income now amounts to about the name would be on the lower right hand corner of a blank page in his memorandum, which page was about the size and shape of a note. After a record of all the persons who are the size and shape of a note. After a record of all the persons who are the size and shape of a note. After a record of all the persons who are the size and shape of a note. After a record of all the persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons the same lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons the same lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods, and persons who are lines and qualities of goods. and I have no doubt it was shown on his countenance in those blissful hours when he and "Mrs. Douglass" were being treated just as "the other gentlemen and ladies" were treated in gentlemen and ladies" were treated in the succession of the same and ladies were treated in the succession of the same and qualities of goods, and perhaps they come from the same mannager of the New York World, sentenced to the various jails, pening the same mannager of the New York World, sentenced to the various jails, pening the same mannager of the New York Times, were heard. In the size and snape of a note. After a record of all the same mannager of the New York World, school every four years. What the sentenced to the various jails, pening the notes above the tentiaries and other prisons during the New York Times, were heard. Both covered practically the same that of a Confederate soldier, which was from South Carolina, and then cashed them. Look out for the agents for lightning state prisons and the sheriffs of the new York Times, were heard. Both covered practically the same that the was from South Carolina, and then cashed them. Look out for the agents for lightning state prisons and the sheriffs of the new York World, school every four years. What the house committee on judiciary. The house which raged around the Booker Washington incident.

A Republican member of congress, to offset Mr. Roosevelt's treatment of Booker Washing impleations and the Booker Washing impleations a to offset Mr. Kooseveit's treatment of Booker, had alleged that Mr. Cleve- 648) that the Democrats of the South chants and manufacturers and you not been heard from. In some, per- the trouble to investigate the problem control of the news print paper. The haps, there are no jails; in others, and have made careful observations International controlled all that secperhaps, the local jails are no longer in a dozen or more cases. I have in-Six End Their Lives.

Six End Their Lives.

Six End Their Lives.

In New York an unusual number possibly neglected the matter. But who were doing the business were good of that line. This combination, it office department in his admissions of the research of the matter. But who were doing the business were good of that line. This combination, it office department in his admissions of the research of the matter. But who were doing the business were good of that line. This combination, it office department in his admissions of the research of the researc way as to carry the impression that he way as to carry the impression that he and myself; and inflant me and myself; and myself; and myself; and myself; and myself; and myself; and my

As to Breakfast Foods. The Cotton Plant says in reading less than it did in New York. ingenious housekeeper can make a variety of cakes and muttins and change the bill of cereal fare somewhat every

The Jews Crucified.

those inflicted on Christ. They gashwhat effect this unusual argument had upon him, but if he had any doubts as to the existence of Hell before the action of the second child cannot survive.

The gash-dignity small fines were imposed.

The largest single engine used at the second child cannot survive.

The largest single engine used at the second child cannot survive.

The largest single engine used at the second child cannot survive. Oscar Severson, Edward Hammond fore, the action of his congregation authorities took energetic measures the largest yet in use. The largest that Mr. Gordon is out in a latter and the common authorities took energetic measures the largest yet in use.

THE SUMMER SCHOOL.

Active Preparations are Being Made

State Superintendent of Education The following letter was sent out complished in cultivating any sort of retiring in their tastes and habits,

state summer school than we had last soon as corn is up run round it with a At the several Confederate reun-When Senator Burton, accompanied year. To start with, the legislature long tongue plow going close to the long which have taken place in Wytheby his attorney, came into the United made a special appropriation for this corn and as deep as possible. That ville during the past three years it spoke of the motions that had been unusually strong faculty. We are ten days use the same plow, running these tillers of the soil to take an filed for a new trial and for arrest of preparing courses in the following sub- a little outside of first furrow. In humble and unpretentious part in the jects: Educational psychology and this way the corn will have a well exercises as "foot cayalrymen," and it viewing the motions, overruled them child study, history and civics, city broken bed two feet wide. After was by a mere accident that your corand country school problems, nature that the cultivation should be fre- respondent learned of the notable study and bird life, geography and quent and shallow. Some people have event which he narrates below: "Have you anything to say as to geography making, grammar, litera- an idea that three or four workings why sentence should not be passed ture and library work, sight singing, are enough for corn. In some rich are Mr. Joseph Headrick, as I have domestic science, drawing, arithmetic, bottom lands, planted late, two work- stated, a farmer, who lives on and Evidently suppressing his emotions algebra and geometry, manual train- ings are enough. It is better to cul- owns a comfortable country estate with a strong effort, Senator Burton ing, nature study and botany, exprestivate uplands planted early five or lying on the waters of Stoney Fork, sion, kindergarten work, primary and six times. After every rain run the nine miles west of Wytheville, and intermediate methods, lectures on cultivator over it and break the crust Mr. Jackson Grubb, likewise the poother school subjects of general inter- and prevent evaporation. The same sessor of a goodly country home a few

with the exception of a few persons structors have already accepted and breaking and harrowing, the cultiva- mountaineers of southwest Virginia, just as soon as all the acceptances tion should be shallow. Never wait answered promptly to Virginia's call are received the names of the faculty for the grass to grow before you begin for volunteers in 61, and later became unusually strong one, and, in addi- for a rain to fall between two consecution, there will be a series of instruc- tive workings. Never wait a day for

and President Johnson and his staff "Your exalted station in life and will do everything possible for the

The State Teachers' association will "The humiliation attending your tendance at the State Summer school sidewalk. That they were quarreling ment of the educational interests of ducting the offensive side of the inter-

the State. Sincerely yours, O. B. Martin, State Superintendent Education. How to Advertise. J. L. Mahlin of Mahlin's Avertising

Senator Burton declined to discuss and you people pay more for your a recollection of the matter being repostum cereal than you do for coffee. Ported to him by some of the stu-A mixture of corncobs and syrup is dents. made valuable by virtue of advertising. An advertisement should always show the individuality of the mer-The Retailer and Advertiser says chant who puts it out. Avoid cleverness. An advertisement which at-

> sented instead of the article advertised it not fulfilling its purposes. Avoid

> succes of the Spotless Town advertising is that it never loses sight of the idea of cleanliness. Fighting Paper Trust.

A Strange Death. matters of general public interest and a matter of surprise that our ancestors A dispath from Providence says that with the Columbia Record that it is a are increasing their cotton acreage are Now I ask all impartial, intelligent men if these extracts from Douglass' book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school book do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school brook do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school brook do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school brook do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school brook do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school brook do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school brook do not prove that he undertood brooklyn school br book do not prove that he undertood girl, who drank carbolic acid after dition as to the number of crimes comreading a letter, and the oldest, Jacob mitted within their state boundaries. extent of their cereal food. To that lived with her parents at 746 North is to get those "hig up" in this graft- a reduction of tobacco planting in the they added hog meat, game, fish and Main street. Miss Potter had been a ing business at the national capital. eastern counties and a consequent ina little grass fed beef in the fall of the long and patient sufferer under her A small beginning has been made, crease of the cotton crop. In these The Charleston Post says when year. Those prepared cereals are very mysterious affliction and had seen and for the good of the country there countries they will plant 10 to 15 per Sergt. Healey and his raiding squad good and they taste well, but let all her delicate pink and white skin should be no stopping until all the cent more cotton than they did last wife to his wedding reception at the the name of common sense does it man, who had ended her life at least visited Jesse Barber's store on Blake remember that a pound of corn ground turn first to gray and then to the hue rascals are cleaned out. two weeks ago by inhaling chloroform, street Thursday afternoon and asked Douglass alludes to the newspaper was found in a house on east Thirtycriticisms which were leveled at Cleve-land because of that very thing.

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a crime to sell cigarettes to a child farming implements. The fire is said corn fit to make meal now comes in under fourteen years of age. Though to have been of incendiary origin. on the train. There is no corn for it may be impossible to strictly en- Sheriff Coleman was telegraphed for sale in the hands of farmers. If a few force the law, as has usually been the and he, together with Deputy Sheriff have a little to spare they can market will doubtless do some good in the way bloodhounds, but the weather being tant that an abundant supply of corn of stopping the abominable habit of so dry the hounds could not accom- be made this year. children smoking cigarettes.

TWENTY-four persons, including

some of the most prominent citizens. in Charleston were arrested on Friday night for riding on the pavements ness man of Richmond, Va., has been into the caboose of a local freight train without a light and they were all compelled by party pressure to with- at Temple, Ga. Sinday afternoon, taken to the guard house in the draw from the race for mayor. Mr.

Parker than to elect him.

About Working Crops. "The mistake that many farmers

make," says the Cotton Plant, "is that they do not begin the cultivation of their crops in time. They have an idea that the main object in cultivating crops is to keep weeds and grass the Wythesville, Va., correspondence down. If they had land free from in the Richmond Times-Dispatch says, grass seeds they would do little work there can be seen on the streets of crop is to break the ground thorough- who were called upon to undergo as sunlight may penetrate it. The plant the States as any soldier on either We are preparing for a much larger food is thus rendered available. As side of that memorable struggle. plan holds good in working cotton. miles south of town. More than three fourths of the in- If land has been prepared well by

> A Mysterious Shooting. The Columbia State says a mysteri-

dry weather."

ous shooting affray, in which a handyour influence to secure a large at- woman walking between them on the esting controversy, in pantomime as it were, withdrew from the woman and the other man suddenly and quickly, and when he had reached a distance of about 30 feet in front of them, witnesses say, he wheeled and drawing a revolver from his hip pock-Agency, Chicago, says there is a great et fired at the woman five times in deal of talk about the mail order rapid succession. She screamed and houses, but do you know there is not ran in the opposite direction, the one of them that can honestly say other man with her scutting off in the home merchant? It is not the the revolver unbreached his. weapon price that sells the goods, but the and threw the shells out at his feet. plausible reason for the price—a Quickly read-justice it, he placed it plausible statement. You merchants back in his pocket and departed hurcan beat them out every time. Meet riedly in the direction of the union them with the same kind of advertis- station. Nobody could be found Suning. The oatmeal business is an day who could identify any of the illustration of what can be done to strange and mysterious trio, and none make people to buy an article they could be found who had seen any never intended to buy. People were member of the little party after its opposed to oatmeal and said it was sudden dismemberment on the ochorse feed. The manufacturer had to casion of the shooting. Neither of the fulness, and he invested oatmeal with Nobody had broken the news at police

As to Clemson Scholarships. President Mell of Clemson and Mr. of trustees, have asked the attorney tracts attention to the way it is pretendent of education for an interpretation of the new act creating 124 scholarships at the institution. The outside matter. The secret of the point seems to be that Clemson does not want 124 free scholars at one time, especially as they would probably remain for four years. The act give them \$100 each year and tuition. If 124 free scholars entered Clemson The resolution of Representative in one year the places of many pay

year as much as \$5 a ton: it was sell- intense relief he did not mention any ing paper in London, counting the names. He said many of his senfreight and insurance, at 30 per cent. atorial brethren mad; large sums of sees a cigar box that memories of Ormoney "practicing before the depart- angeburg are not vividly recalled. ments," some of them making as much as \$40,000 a year. We agree

A Heavy Loss.

plish anything.

No Bolter Wanted.

"Black Maria" -- some of them pro- Gordon announced himself as a candinouncing his withdrawal and express- may be depended upon to enfor e ing pleasure at being relieved from the platform if they are elected. Ti c IT will be easier to nominate Judge what he only undertook as a patriotic people have wearied of straddling,

WHO WAS THE VICTIM?

Tragic Incident of Sherman's March Through This State.

Most any Saturday or court day, ly and pulverize it so that air and trying ordeal during the War Between

The old Confeds to whom I refer

They, like thousands of other young signed to and became a part of Gen. Palmer's brigade in General Hood's army, and while in that command they were captured by some of Gen. W. T. Sherman's men at Midway Station, nine miles west of Branchville, 7th day of February, 1865.

eral soldier was found dead in the swamps not far from Orangeburg, in that State. There were marks upon his person which indicated that he had been beaten to death with clubs. A hasty conference of the federal officers was held, and they determined upon retaliation; so 100 of the 400 Confederate prisoners in their charge were marched out, and Joseph Headrick and Jackson Grubb were with

Some days after their capture a fed-

them. Three federal officers accompanied them, and without any explanation the prisoners of war were lined up. The three federal officers took position at a short distance, one of them holding above his head a cigar box, while the other two acted as guards. The Confederate soldiers were then commanded to March one by one between the guards and by the one holding the cigar box, and draw therefrom a slip of paper.

Then, for the first time, did it drawn upon the prisoners what was being exacted of them. The ordeal of that moment can bet-

ter be imagined or pictured than told. Familiar scenes of dear old home, many of them far away, and of kindly faces of loved ones came rapidly bafore them, and with the possible. chance of ever being permitted to see them again. The fearful agony and strain which 99 of the soldiers endured was soon over with, for the orders were soon

he was among the first to draw and be drew a white ballot, which evidently meant life, home and loved ones in Joseph Headrick was not quite so

executed, and the "die was cast."

Jackson Grubb was fortunate in that

fortunate, being late to draw. 75th in number, but he drew a white ballot The one who paid the awful penalty was number 81 to draw. 'As soon' as he drew the black ballot he was R. W. Simpson, president of the board halted, told to step aside and the drawing ceased. He was at once marched off to Gen. Sherman's headquarters and in an hour or so after-

wards gun shots were heard and the fullest terms of war retaliation had been met and satisfied. It is said that the prisoner who was shot made a manly plea for his life when he appeared before Gen. Sherman to be sentenced, but that mercy, which bless s twice, "Him that gives and him that takes," was not meted

Mr. Headrick in speaking of the event to the writer, said that he never

When Mr. Headrick recalled to me the events of that moment tears came into his eyes, and he said that he had Senator Burton, of Kansas, who often faced cannon loaded with all was convicted of accepting compensa- of the deadly missiles of war; that for

The Cotton Crop. The Cotton Plant says farmers who year. In the hill counties there will be small increase-about 5 to 10 per cent. We have talked with many up-At 2 o'clock Sunday morning fire country farmers, who claim that a destroyed the barn and stables of T. little increase in acreage may be ex-H. Auld, at Eastover, resulting in a pected but there is no increase in laloss of \$5,000, with only \$700 insur- bor. The white farmers of the upance. Six buildings adjacent to the country, who own their land, are The legislature of New Jersey has barn yard were also destroyed, includ- working for an increased corn crop.

Horrible Train Wreck.

A special to the Chronicle from Because he voted for McKinley in Carrollton, Ga., says: A through 1896 James R. Gordon, a leading busi-freight on the Southern Railway fan burying Mrs. Fred Dill and two children three carloads of coal. The

e vassion and desertion.