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The board of trustees of the State College for Negroes met in the office of the governor last week and finished the election of attaches of the institution. The trustees present were: Capt. D. J. Bradham of Clarendon, Gen. J. W. Floyd of Kershaw, ex-Senator A. G. Brice of Chester, Mr. Cole L. Blease of Newberry and Dr. W. R. Lowman of Orangeburg, who was elected secretary of the board. Williams, the former manager of the farm, was reelected, but the salary was reduced, and the incumbent declined the job. A negro plow. The central and northeastern from this county named Adams was then elected. A tailor was also elec-ted, a negro from Beaufort, who will teach the art of making clothes. There was nothing else of importance before

Mr. J. C. Wasson, a prominent farmer of Alma, Laurens county, was in Laurens Thursday searching for his son. The boy is 13 years old, well grown for his age, and bright. His name is Grady Wasson. It is ascertained that he boarded a southbound train for Greenwood at Madden's station on the O. & W. C. rallway. It was thought that he had gone to wood, but inquiry by telephone in that town failed to bring any information. The boy's father thinks that the lad had absorbed big ideas about traveling and seeing the world from a negro who was hired on the farm.

Johnson Smith, a colored man that lives in the suburbs of Jonesville, while on his way from the harvest field. late Thursday evening riding a mule and carrying his scythe, was thrown from the mule. He fell on the scythe blade and cut his hand nearly off. Drs. Southard, Douglass and Hames attended him and found it necessary to cut the arm off above the wrist. Friday the wounded man was doing very well.

The Thornwell orphanage has just passed a very eventful year. Eventful in many respects. Progress has been steady in every department, and new accessions have been constantly made The board seeing the advisability of electing a vice president, who would assist Dr. Jacobs in his multiplied and arduous labors, chose Rev. Thornwell Jacobs, son of the president and an slumnus of Clinton college and Prince-

A heavy wind and rain storm passed over St. Matthews Thursday afternroon about 5 o'clock, accompanied by a severe fall of hall. Corn and cot-ton are injured more or less, but the regular. Lice are less prevalent than is well nigh a total loss. He had 45 acres of beautiful weed which he held as worth at least \$4,000. Now he declares he will take \$500. This is the third time that section has been visited by hall this season.

After months of parleying and spinning red tape the much-mosted claims against the Charleston Exposition company are to be paid. W. H. Weigh, chairman of the board of receivers, received from the treasury department at Washington \$95,745.83, which will be dovoted to the purpose aforementioned. The money is in the hands of M. Rutledge Rivers, attorney for the receivers of the exposition com-

Rev. J. Barr Harris, a young preacher who gained considerable promi-nence in upper South Carolina through his revival meetings, wherein he ardently preached sanctification, has been convicted of seduction in Montana and sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. Previous to his convic-tion he was charged with another case of like nature out there. He is well

Dr. Bacot, of Charleston, secretary of the State Board of Health, to whom was referred the report of an opidemic of lung disease among the negroes of Williamsburg county, has made an investigation and says there is no epidemic, but many negroes have consumption resulting from the dissipated life they lead, and that the matter is not within the jurisdiction of the board to act upon.

Chief Hammett submits a report showing that the cost of the constabulary has increased about \$3,850 month to \$4,750, but the results justifled the increased efforts to enforce the law. The value of seizures of liquor has increased from \$1,230 to \$1,-414.15, a difference in favor of the new constabulary of \$3,184.12.

The eight-year-old son of P. B. Bryan, of Saluda county, died of hydrophobia. He was bitten two or three months ago by a mad-dog. The secretary of state has received

an application for a commission from the Jonesville Oil Mill. The corporators are T. M. Littlejobs of Star Ford, E. L. Littlejobs and M. R. Same of Jonesville. The capital stock will be

The King's Mountain Military school of Yorkville has been chartered with a capitalisation of \$14,000. The corpora-W. G. White and Prof. R. T. Stephen-

A charter was issued to the United Order of the Courts of Fraternity" of Blackville. No extra charge ade by the emanuenels who enforced the name in the charter, for is an electrosynary concern with

se, the seven-year-old son of on Brabham of Greelyville, died on Friday from the effects of a done of morphine administered by mistake

within National bank and of the

SOUTH CAROLINA CROPS.

Conditions More Favorable During the Past Week.

The week ending 8 a. m., Monday, June 29, 1903, had a mean temperature of 76 degrees which is about 4 degrees below normal. The nights continue too cool for the favorable development of cotton. There was more than the usual amount of cloudiwess, and there is an indicated need of more sunshine for corn, cotton and melons. There were local high winds accompanying thundersoms that caused slight Mamage over limited areas.

The Western half of the State had beneficial rains on the 22nd and 26th, the latter heavy enough to stop cultivation for the remainder of the week but it was needed to soften crusted lands that had become too hard to counties had rain nearly every day, with some excessive rains that washed lands and rendered all but hillsides too wet to cultivate. In Barnwell, Bamberg, Orangeburg, Berkeley, Williamsburg, Sumter, Clarendon, Florence, Darlington, Marion and Marlboro, and parts of adjoining counties, crops are suffering from lack of work and excess of moisture. The immediate coast State was nearly 2 inches, Hail storms Berkeley Marlboro and Saluda counties only

The general condition of all crops is slight in many places, and all cultiva- not Tillman's stronghold. ted field crops need dry weather to permit cultivation, and to rid them of to give them a healthier color, and blank. greater warmth to stimulate a more rapid growth.

The corn crop is fairly promising. except in a few central countles where lack of cultivation and an excess of moisture has given it a sickly color and a stunted growth. Early corn is being laid by in the eastern and central counties, with many fields in a grassy condition. It is tasseling. Bottom land corn has not recovered from the effects of the recent floods and is

There is a general improvement in cotton over last week both in color and growth, but the plants continue small and in places still lack a healthy color, while stands are broken and irlast week. First blooms are reported since the 19th from the eastern and central parts of the State, but blooming is general. Last year cotton was in full bloom by the first of July. The work of cleaning fields has made rapid progress but 'many fields are still grassy, and some have not been chop-ped to stands. Sea-island cotton is

small, but vigorous and healthy. Tobacco curing is in progress. The tobacco crop has improved recently, and now ranges from fair to exceedingly fine. Rice is doing well. Canteloupe shipments have begun. Hay meadows sweet potatoes and cane look fine. The fruit prospects are less promising, especially for apples and grapes. Gardens

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COTTON MARKET.	
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Chickens—spring	1214
Hens-per head	30
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Beeswax	. 20
Turkeys	1214
Corn	60
Ducks	2816
Wheat good	60
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A Thousand Warriors Killed London, Special.-The War o Office has received a dispatch from Colone Rochfort, one of the British officers serving with the Abyssinian force in Somaliland, which says the Abyssin ans on May 31; after a series of forced marches, struck the Mad Muulah's forces near Jeyd. surprising them at dawn and killing 1,000 spearmen and capturing almost all their cattle and

Oats 43

Rye 1 00

Sides

New Corporation.

sheep and 1,000 camels.

Gaffney is to have another cotton mill to be known as the "Marle." The amount of the capital stock is to be \$150,000 with the privilege of increasing to \$200,000. The petitioners for a Stacy, H. D. Wheat, J. G. Wardlaw, G. P. Hamrick, J. C. Jeffries and W. L. Settlemeyer of Gaffney; O. G. Falls and C. S. Elam of Kings Mountain, N. Chas. L. Hall wounded and captured a large eagle near his home, two and measures seven feet from tip. commission are E. R. Cash, F. G.

A New Bank

Greenwood, Special.-Greenwood's fourth bank will be known as the Lour and Exchange bank and was formally anched by the ning an application for a property of state of an application for a pummission. The corporators of the part was thrown 1. T. Simmons, J. T. Simmons, J. T. Simmons, J. T. Simmons, J. T. Simmons and G. P. Neal. Of these the following will be officers in the bank:

O. P. Simmons, president, and J. T. Wife and three Midnet. aunched by the filing with the secre

The Tillman Case Goes to Lexington

COURT GRANTED CHANGE OF VENUE

In the Case of the State Agaitst Jas Tillman For the Killing of Editor Gonzales, Removal is Ordered.

Third Day.

Argument on the motion of a change of venue in the case of James H. Tillman, indicted for murder, was concluded at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and Judge Townsend at once announced his decision that the change would be granted. Counsel disagreed should be sent.

The day's proceedings opened with for the prosecution against the motion. He spoke for an hour and a half and also devoted himself largely to the law | therewith. counties had moderate and beneficial of the case. Mr. G. Duncan Bellinger, rains. The average rainfall for the formerly Attorney General, next addressed the court for the prosecution. occurred in many counties, but serious first answering the arguments on the damage by hall was reported from other side. Solicitor Thurmond closed for the prosecution in a clearcut speech.

Mr. Croft closed the argument, as better than any time this season, but serting that there were ample accomthe improvement is comparatively modation at Saluda and that it is

Judge Townsend then instructed the attorneys to draw up an order for a grass. They also need more sunshine, change of venue and leave the county

On Thursday an order was issued by the court removing the trial to Lexington county, to be held at the next

Strke at Charleston.

Charleston, Special.-One hundred and fifty men, members of the Building and Trades council, struck work Monday on account of the ultimatum of the contractors, requiring them to city. The majority of the contractors are in the Master Tradesmen's association and consequently nearly all the with Columbia's hospitality. work in the city is affected. The council has been endeavoring to force several of the branches of the organized labor into the council by refusing to forbids its participation in such enwork on the same jobs with them and the contractors have been much annoyed by constantly having their work delayed by the council people quitting tion, as told in The State of last whenever these few unaffiliated unions were put to work on jobs, that they decided to sever all connection with the council and the ultimatum wa drawn up, requiring all their mechanics to leave the council, if they would continue in their employ. The council people are standing together and their leaders say that there will not be a split, The contractors on the other hand are certain that they will win out. They claim that the unions are largely made up of negroes, that they have no financial backing, will not be recognized by tht national organization and in a few days they will all be glad to resume work. In consequence of the council people quitting on jobs being done by contractors who are in the tradesmen's association, all building work is more or less affected. The mills and a few of the contractors, ciation, employing all union and council help, are not affected by the strike. meetings were held but no demonstration of any kind was made

Paimetto Briefs. .

The C. & W. trestle over Little River near Lowndesville was set on fire by passing train and burned on Thurs-

The Supreme Court has dismissed the appeal in the case from Hampton of H. G. Box, convicted of manslaughing in Hampton, will serve his sen tence in the penitentiary for the kill-ing of J. H. McCreary.

It is learned in Greenville on unques tioned authority that the Southern Railway, the Blue Ridge Railroad and the Anderson Light and Water Company, which would suffer tremendous damage in the event of any serious break in the Toxaway, N. C., dam, will

Publishing company of Marion, capital, etg and measures even feet from tip stock \$2,000; J. C. Mace, president and to tip of its wings. This is the second F. W. McKerall secretary and treas. One captured near Iva in the last few one captured near Iva in the last few

Greenwood Merchant Killed,

Seartanburg, Special - J. Leglie Anfrews, brother of E. E. Andrews, of this city, while superintending the unloading of a freight car at Greenwood,

Prospects Bright For the Best State Fair Ever Held,

Columbia, Special.-The "old building" at the fair ground is to come down, and out of the timbers is to be constructed a new "hall of agriculture" which will be as roomy as the so-called "new building" on the Elmwood avenue side of the grounds. The location of the hall of agriculture will be changed so that there will be plenty of room around the arena in which the crowds may circulate. Last year and the year before there was a great jam in the passage way around the arena , between the two main buildings and at times persons could not get from one place to the other.

Mr. A. W. Love of Chester, the new general secretary of the fair was in concerning the county where the case the city, and went over the grounds with Mr. E. A. Guignard, member of the executive committee, and Mr. C. the argument of Mr. Andrew Crawford C. Wilson, architect. Plans for the new building have not been drawn, but the requirements of the State Agricultural his presentation of the law was highly and Mechanical society have been complimented. He was followed by made known to the architect and he Mr. P. H. Nelson for the defense, who will prepare details in accordance

In addition to the new building, two large restaurants will be built, in different parts of the grounds. Firstclass meals will be served in these places, and there will be ledgings for the concessioners. There would be a greater number of these concessioners coming into the city from other States but for the lack of such hote accommodations on the grounds.

The entrance to the grounds is said to be badly located, and Mr. Love wants the street rallway company to put in a side track a little further west on Elmwood avenue. This would in a measure relieve the congestion around the entrance and between the ing the city yesterday afternoon, Mr. Love said: "We will have 30,000 pcoole here this fall if the Chamber of regular term of the court for that it will. I propose to work the counties Commerce will help us as I am sure the State with the hope that the exhibits of the county fairs will be sent to the State fair." He has other plans which will ensure new features and give new life to the fair.

Already the committee in are anticipating the State fair although that festival dogs not occur until the late autumn. Though fair has always been a season of enwithdray from the council or give up joyment and festivity yet it is the intheir jobs. As a result, there was a tention this year to surpass all pre partial suspension of work all over the vious efforts in that line. There will

> As last year, the street carnival will be a most prominent feature of the fair. The Elks will not be behind the project as the law of that order now terprises, but the Chamber of Commerce will take upon itself the duty of carrying out a carnival such as was had last year. The city fair associa week, has dissolved and has been merged into the Chamber of Com merce.

> Secretary A. W. Love of the State Fair Association has lately been in correspondence with the Chamber of Commerce and has entrusted to them large part of the preparation necessary to make the fair an eminent success as far as Columbia is concerned It has not yet been decided whether will be done away with. In the event that it is its place will be supplied by the side shows on Main street as in the last carnival. A new feature of this fair is to be a great military parade with the co-operation of Adjutant and Inspector General John D. Frost who, it is said, is thoroughly nthusiastic over the plan. In case the State encampment is secured for Columbia it is certain that the militie of the State will wish to return in the all to attend the fair.

> Of course the football game has a ways been a star atraction with the college men and women of the State and last year the crowd which saw Clemson defeated by Carolina was the largest ever assembled on the athletic field at the fair grounds.

Another Resignation.

Jacksonville, Fla., Special.-Captain D. E. Maxwell, superintendent of the sixth division of the Seaboard Air Line with headquarters at this place, has resigned his position, and A. P. Connolly, now assistant superintendent, has een appointed to succeed him. change will take effect July 1. Captain Maxwell will remain with the road in an advisory capacity.

New Corporations.

The Morgan Wood and Iron Works of Spartanburg was chartered Saturday. The capital etock is \$40,000. Mr. Wm. M. Jones is president and treasurer, Mr. Walter S. Montgomery secretary, and these officers together with the following constitute the board of directors: Geo. W. Nicholis, V. M. Montgomery, Geo. S. Coffin, Horace L. Bomar and J. G. Evans. The Charleston Hunting and Fishing club was also chartered. The Consumers' Grocery company of Florence applied for commission. The corporators are W. H. Malloy, Angus McTaggart, W. P. Burch and J. S. Stackley.

State Press Association.

The members of the South Carolina The members of the South Carolins Press association will go to Denver this year. The meeting of the association will he held at the White Stone Lithia Springs on the 7th to the 16th of July, Mr. E. H. Auli, president of the association, while in the city yesterday stated that the hotel is being goiten in readiness for the reception of the association. The electric car the is in operation and the host Mr. J.

State Comptroller of Texas Shot By a Crazy Man

WHO THEN COMMITTED SUICIDE Frenzied by His Supposed Wrongs,

W. O. Hill, a Cormer Employe of the Official Kills State Comptroller

Austin, Tex., Special.-Frenzied by supposed wrongs, W. G. Hill, an exattache of the State Comptroller's offlee, Tuesday morning a few minutes past 10 o'clock, entered the private office of State Comptroller Love and killed him by means of two well-directed bullets from a large calibre re-volver. As Hill turned to flee, he was intercepted by Chief Clerk Stevens, of the Department, who engaged him in a scuffle, during which his revolver was accidentally exploded. The bullet entered Hill's abdomen, causing a wound from which he died at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, three hours after the death of the man whose life he sought Thus, in brief, as told, is the story of the tragedy, the first assassination ever chronicled in the Texas capital. The shooting has thrown the town and State in a commotion, but the death of the assassin, as well as his victim, has

As to what caused the shooting none can explain, other than that it was the playe of the Comptroller's office for ten years preceding Love's term of office. He was let out by Mr. Love when the latter took charge, and it is presumed that this fact preyed upon his mind until he went insane. Tuesday morning he went to the capitol, en-tered Mr. Love's private office, spoke to him cheerfully, shook hands, and, handing him a letter to read, sat down at the invitation of the Comptroller, No sooner had Mr. Love begun to read the letter than Hill sprang to his feet and fired two shots into the body of Mr. Love, one taking effect just above the other immediately below the heart. Mr. Love screamed, dropped the letter and sank to the floor.

Hill, seeing that his purpose had been accomplished, turned to make for the door. He was intercepted by Chief Clerk Stevens, who grappled with him and was wrestling with him when Hill's pistol was accidentally dischargcd, the bullet entering Hill's abdomen He fell a dead weight in Stevens' arms, and was lowered gently to the floor where he lay until taken to the hospital. He died at 3 of lock.

Love was given air immediate atten-

tion possible, but died within an hour after the shooting.

The letter that Hill gave to reads as follows: "Austin Texas -- 1903 "Col. R. M. Love, State Comptroller:

"Dear Sir: Public office is a public trust. Public officers are created for the service of the people and not for the aggrandizement of a few individu els. The practice of bartering Department clerkships for private gain is a disgrace to the public service, and in this nefarious traffic you are a record-breaker. You have robbed, the State employes and your incompetent administration has prompted others to rob the State. The man who, claiming to be a Christian, deprives others of employment without cause, is a base hypocrite and a tyrant. The greatest mind that ever gave its wisdom to the world; the mind, of all others, most capable of 'umpiring the mutiny between right and wrong,' said. take my life when you do take from me the means by which I live.' If that deepest crime. Although I cannot help myself, before laying life's burdens down, I shall strike a blow-feeble though it be-for the good of my deserving fellowmen.

"For the right against the wrong. "For the weak against the strong.

"Yours truly,
"W. G. HILL." Mr. Hill was a quiet and gentlemany person and was never known to have been addicted to any bad habits. At the time of the shooting he was holding a good position here in the city so that dire want could not have insti gated the frenzy that prompted the shooting. It is the opinion of all that it was the act of an insane man. im mediately after the shooting and while Hill was still lying in the corridor, a bottle of laudanum was taken from his pocket, and, reaching for it, he said: Let me take that and die easy.".

This has led many to believe that he contemplated suicide, following his shooting of the Comptroller, Both men have families surviving them. Comptroller Love's remains were shipped to his old home in Limestone county for interment and Hill's remains will be buried here.

Shot By Lynchers.

Scottsboro, Ala., Special .- Andrew Diggs, a negro, was taken from jail Monday night and hanged by a mob. The negro was arrested Sunday for an attempt to criminally assault Miss Alma, the 19-year-old daughter of Dr. B. B. Smith. Sheriff Austin, in charge of the jail, did all that was possible to defend the prisoner from the mob who fired on him. Two of the shots took effect in the sheriff's arm and leg. The mob secured the keys to Digg's cell from the sheriff's daughter and quick-ly secured the negro, whom they hang-ed to a near-by telegraph pole.

Mistrial to Jones Case

Wilson, Special.—After being from 3 o'clock Saturday qutil 9:30 Tuesday morning, the jury in the Jones murder case had not arived at a verdict, and as they stated that they did not think they could agree, Jodge Sliew discharged them and a microid was ordered. Ball for the Sve

TRIAL IS REMOVED. WILL HAVE NEW FAIR BUILDINGS AN OFFICIAL KILLED SOUTHERN INDUSTRIAL FALL

A Large Addition.

filed articles of incorporation during

the past week, with capital stock placed at \$500,000. The incorporators

are Messrs. George B. Hiss and D.

O'Donoghue of Charlotte, N. C., and John M. Rhodes of Rhodhiss, N. C.

They are largely interested in cotton

manufacturing, Messrs. Hiss and Rhodes being president and superin-

tendent, respectively, of the Rhodhiss

Manufacturing Co., now operating 15,-300 spindles and 420 fooms at Rhodiss,

where the new mill will also be lo-

cated. The Hiss Manufacturing Co.'s

plant will have 25,000 spindles and

800 looms, driven by electricity gen-

erated from water-power, and the pro-

duct will be high-grade cotton goods

The engineering contract has not yet

been made. The stockholders will meet

this week to elect officers and arrange

further details. Offices are at 41 S

New Knitting Mil.

Prade of Roanoke, Va., contracts have

seen closed securing the establishment

of a \$20,000 knitting mill in that city, Messrs, Charles Michael and Danfel

Robb of 219 Chestnut street, Philadel-

phia, Pa., will own and operate the

plant. They will occupy building three

stories high, 40x80 feet, and manufac-

ture hosiery, employing about forty operatives. Messrs, Michael and Robbi

Textile Notes.

It is stated that the Lowe Manufac-

uring Co. and the Eastern Manufac-

turing Co. of Huntsville, Ala., will consolidate and add a plant for finishing

he product of both mills. The output

of these mills is at present finished at

Fitchburg, Mass. These two compan-

es have been under the same manage-

ment (being in control of Fitchburg,

Mass., cotton manufacturers), and sev-

eral weeks ago announced that plans

ind specifications are being prepared

for doubling each full. Messrs. Cow-

ell & Love are now preparing plans

The Love addition will be an 80x130

foot structure, and the Eastern will be

30x120 feet. The two companies re-

provide funds for enlargements. Messrs, Charles E. Garner and Spith

shoals dam, on Muckafoonee

cently increased capital by \$150,000 to

Pickett of Jacksonville, Fla., have nade a proposition to build a \$200,000

otton factory near Albany, Ga. They

propose locating the plant at Big

wo miles from Albany, and utilizing

hat water-power, which they control

Albany investors are asked to sub-

scribe \$50,000 of the amount to be in-

ested. A committee is now endeav-

oring to meet the terms of the proposi-

affeed of building a mill at Albany.

The Washington Mills of Fries, Va.

has been fully completed and recently regun operations. The plant has 45,000

spindles and 1500 tooms manufacturing

heeting and duck, and the company

s capitalized at \$2,225,000. When this

enterprise was first announced by the

equipment was given as 40.000 spindles

Extract Wool & Merino Co. of Chat-tanooga, Tenn., has begun the im-

provements for which it increased sapital from \$20,600 to \$40,000 in March. An additional building will be

erected and equipped with sufficient

machinery to double present output.

The producet is shoddy or wool secured

from rags and cloth containing cotton

It is stated that the Clifton (8. C.

Manufacturing Co. has sold about 6000

bales of cotton at a profit of about \$150,000. This company is one of those

whose three toills were destroyed and lamaged by the recent flood. The cot-

ton sold is what was saved of about

1000 bales in the warehouses that were

Messrs, G. A. Guignard and L. I.

Guion have incorporated the Lexing-

on Water-Power Co. of Lexington, (8

.) with capital stock of \$50,000. They

ropose developing a water-power and

ransmitting the energy by electricity,

to establish cotton and woolen mills,

Messrs. John M. Jones, John K.

Manuafcturers' Record in 1901

ind 1100 looms.

washed away.

Some months ago Mr. Pickett

and specifications for the enlargement.

were mentioned in January last as

Through the efforts of the Board of

College street, Charlotte.

contemplating this plant.

Another large cotton manufacturins Results in Serious Injury to Many plant will be established in the Char lotte (N. C.) district. It is to be built by the Hiss Manufacturing Co., which

CROWDED CAGE DROPS TO FLOOI

The Accident is Supposed to Have Been Occasioned By Overloading of

Pittsburg, Special .- The breaking of shaft on the first floor of the A. J. Heinz Company's plant, in Allegheny, Monday, released the ropes supporting a large freight elevator, on which 23 persons were clowded. The cage fell from the fifth floor into the cellar, a distance of 45 feet, and everyone on the elevator was injured. It is thought

that at least two will die. When the accident occurred the elevator was evidently overcrowded. According to what was told this evening by Dr. J. S. Phillips, physician at the plant, the antics of two men on the @ cievator, who were intoxicated, caused the disaster. Dr. Phillips says the two men crowded on the car after being told by the operator to say off. Once on, they commended Jumping, with the result that the shaft snapped and left

the elevator without control. According to the story told by William Koncana, a dry goods merchant. of Cleveland, at the hospital, there was no disorder in the crowd. "I thought there were too many on the car," he said, "when I saw how crowded we were, and as soon as the car left the fifth floor, I am certain overyone realized that comething had happened to the machinery and that the elevator was slipping. There was not a sound or cry uttered by any one until we

landed in a heap in the cellar." All but two of the injured were visttors to the Heinz plant, Weber and Thompson are employes of the company. The visitors are from Cleveland, and are members of the Behemian Catholic Central Union. They took part in the blessing of the guns of the cadets of St. George of Allegheny, on Sunday. Monday they took for sightsceing and the Heinz plant was on the programme. An examination of the plant and machinery showed that those injured narrowly excaped instant death as the 750 pound weight at the side of the shaft shot to the roof of the building, ripped through the tim bers at the top and foll half its length through the celling over the sixth floor. Had the timbers been a little less stout and buge weight would have fallen nearly 60 feet upon the mass of injured people huddled in a heep on the floor of the demolished

heep on the floor of the demplished elevator.

The agreems of the injured and the crash of the huge cage as it street the bottom of the shaft brought have dreds of workmen and women to the tescue, and a bunry call was sent in physicians and ambulances and the jured were hastily examined and has ried to the hospitals.

This is the first services which has ever occurred at the plant in a statement given out by the calls of the plant it was stated the the elevator was thoroughly overhanced and a new drum placed is position about two years ago and had atwent

ed and a new drum placed is positionabout two years ago and had always been inspected daily by the man in charge of the machinery once a week by the oiler and once a month by the miliwrights. The break focurred in a place impossible to be detected by the place impossible to be detected by t inspectors as it was inside the large

Temperance Law Constitutional Nashville, Special.—The Supre-Court has tendered a decision holdi-that the Adams law, which was pass by the last Legislature, is of tional. The measure was a ter law. There are only eight towns in th State that are exempt from the law's

Brown, F. A. Carter, W. M. Patton, Additional Indictments. James May and J. H. McCaslin have incorporated Sweetwater (Tenn.) Hoslory Mills, with capital stock of \$35,-

W. H. Johnston, Box 546, Mlami, Jla., proposes developing water-power and establishing a cotton-yarn mitt in Georgia. He is in the market for all the machinery required.

Messrs, J. A. Abernathy, R. S. Abernathy and T. F. Coster have incorporated the Wampum Cotton Mills Co. of Lincolnton, N. C., with an authorzed capital of \$160,000.

Weldon (N. C.) Manufacturing Co. will erect a three-story addition and instail additional machinery. 7 company operates a knitting mill. Witten McDonald of Kansas City Mo., proposes organizing \$250,000 com-

mill at Carthage, Mo. P. O. Carpenter and others have in corporated the Newton Hoslery Mills Store Co. of Newton, N. C. The capi-

The Easley Cotton Mile of Easley S. C., has filed notice of its intention to increase capital stock from \$250,000 to \$500,000.

Lumber Notes. The Mobile Lumber Co. of Mob

Washington, Special.-The grand jury reported additional indicts against August W. Machen and Brothers, in the case of Machen to receiving a bribe, and in the case a Groff Brothers for giving a bel These indictments are brought in cover three additional counts, and put the first indictment on the se facting as the second, which latter volved the Lorense, of Tolense the charge of consipiracy to At the suggestion of Justice Fr presiding over Criminal Court the defendants will be arraign

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