

MAYOR GRACE MAKES WARM REPLY TO BLEASE

Gives Out Statement Answering Governor's Attack.—Tells Why He Did Not Resent Epithets When Made by Blease.

"Of course it was anticipated by me that Gov. Blease would be compelled at the Charleston meeting to take notice of and, if he could, answer the charges which I have so publicly made against him."

who were not then, nor have ever been, my political friends. Are Messrs. Nathans and Sinkler also negro lovers? And do they believe in social equality? Certainly not. It is almost sickening to have to answer such Tommy-rot."

NEAR-DROWNING NEAR COPE. Brother Saves Young Charles Henerey from Watery Grave. Cope, July 4.—Yesterday being a national holiday, all the stores closed their doors, and gave the clerks a day off.

LINCOLN'S GREAT MEMORY. Told of Trivial Incident After Twenty-five Years. Judge Landis, of the northern district court of Illinois, is fond of telling this anecdote of Lincoln: In 1834, when Lincoln was a candidate for the legislature, he called on a certain farmer to ask for his support.

SPOILED A SPANISH PLOT. Reward for Dutch Boys for Saving Amsterdam's Stock Exchange. Of the many quaint and curious customs, traditions and privileges prevailing in Holland none is more extraordinary than a certain privilege that has been enjoyed by the boys of Amsterdam for nearly 300 years.

His Only Experience. A man once was talking about hard luck, and his friend was listening with a sour expression. "Why, you don't know what hard luck is!" said the friend. "I have always had it."



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