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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1891.

ABOUT COTTON.

Figures are not generally interesting, but somethmes it is well to deal in them to a little extent at least. The Manufacturers' Hecord of a recent date had some figures about cotton that may not prove uninteresting, for everybody, not only farmers, is interested in cotton. The last emp, or the crop for 1890-91, is estimated to be the largest yet harvested. The estimate referred to places it at \$,000,000 bales. The crop for 1889-160 was 7,001,726 bales, which was live and good newspaper. larger than may previous erop by 396,-019 bales. If the last crop reaches 8,000,000 bules it will be larger than any previous crop by 668,274 bales.

Of the crop of 1889-90 nearly 5,000,000 bales were exported. Northern mills used 1.702.850 bales and Southern wills took 545,478 bales, nearly one-third of what was take a by the Northern mills. Of the crup of 1884-85 Northern mills took 1,419,635 bales and Southern mills only 200,000 bales. There has been a steady increase of cotton taken by Southern mills during the past five years, showing that the manufacture of the crop is the casing in the section where it is grown. The amount taken by Northern mills has not decreased, but the mercase has not been as large as in the South. The following table will show the proportion of cotton taken by North yn and Southern mills during the past five years:

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We give the figures for what they are worth and without further comment. Cotton manufacture in the South is increasing, and it has been found profitable. The last estion crop was undoubtedly a large one.

Despotic Russia seems to be capable of most harrible, fleudish outrages. Three years ago a Russian man-of-war ran down and captured a vessel with four Americans and lifteen Japanese in the Behring Sea. They were taken to Russia and sentenced to three years' imprisonment in the Siberian Mines.

his o'd home in Maine. He details outto dig five tons of coal each day on a scanty allowance of dry bread. During the first months of his imprisonment he was chained to a fellow prisoner, a braska during the blizzard. The wife Pole, who finally died. The American then dragged the dead body of the Pole then dragged the dead body of the Pole home on Saturday was found dead in around with him, and performed a her buggy to-day within forty rods of a Edward and James Chalmers, in the double task at digging the coal. He neighbor's house. sent up the coal to the top of the mine and received the Pole's allowance of bread as well as his own. No one ever death in a cornfield, M. L. Lessent, came down in the mine, and he finally had to cut the body of the Pole in twain is supposed to be buried under the before he could be relieved of the snow, and search ing for his body.

It is estimated that the cost of producing corn ready for market is about \$8 an aere. The average crop-for the past five years has been thirty-three average price during the same period has been 22 cents a bushel, making the about \$7.00 per acre, which has cost \$8 tered Denver for twenty-four hours.
The outgoing Union Pacific train is to produce; a clear less of 67 cents to | held here. the sere. It is no wonder that there has been dissatisfaction among the farmers of the West.

It is also said that cotton can be raised at a cost of 5 cents a pound. The average price for the past five years are coming in. A man and woman, has been from 8 to 9 cents a pound, which is a clear profit to the farmer. The Southern farmer ought not to complain. We certainly have the best country in the world, and those who go nway soon Builte it.

THE STATE.

The State, the new morning daily to be published in Columbia, will make its appearance about the first of next week. It will be published every day in the week, including Sunday. The price will be (3.5) a year. The following will constitute the

staff of the yaver, and as it will be seen all are experienced newspaper men: Editor-In-Chief and Manager-N. G.

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neger-J. S. Reynolds. Foremen composing room-J. A.

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Under the new apportionment bill passed by Congress the number of representatives has been increased 24. At present there are 332 members. After the 4th of March there will be 356 members.

The electoral college will contain 444 members instead of 401, as at present. It will require 223 votes to elect a President instead of 201, as at present.

The gains have been small, no State gaining more than three members. South Carolina's representatives remain unchanged.

Sometime ago the Easley Messenger People's Journal. Easley finds she can't get along without a newspaper, issued with Maj. D. F. Bradley as editor. He is an experienced newspaper man and will make the Democrat a

Rev. Sam Jones got in a fight with the Mayor of Palestine, Texas, last week, and his brother Charlie Jones may have lost sight of this relative at Judge Hudson, and was a well-known may have lost week. was tried at Cartersville, Ga., for killing a negro several months ago. Both born to "get there."

Gov. Tillman, who has been confined to his room with a severe attack of the "grippe," has so far recovered as to the agriculturist if properly purto be able to go to his office.

An interesting article may be found in another column on the servant question. Many of our housekeepers are oftentimes very much puzzled over this question. Read it.

We reproduce this week from the News and Courier the first of a series of articles on the money question and national banks by Civis. These articles contain much valuable information.

We have received from the National Economist a "Hand Book of Facts and Alliance Information," which contains a lot of valuable information.

The late unpleasantness with the Indians around Pine Ridge Agency has cost the Government \$2,000,000.

THE NORTHERN BLIZZARD.

Wild Work of the Wind and Snow in Wy oming--Trains Stuck in the Drifts.

CHEYNNE, WYOMING, February 9 .-The worst blizzard that has been experienced in Wyoming for four years are few, and from the late political mprisonment in the Siberian Mines. has been ranging for the last twenty-Three of the Americans survived, and four hours. Stock men are apprehenthe captain of the evew has just reached | sive of severe losses of range cattle. No west-bound trains reached Cheyenne yesterday over the Union Pecific or the | the agricultural movement shall assume rages and herrors of bis imprisonment Burlington. A relief train with prothat would move a heart of stone. visious has been sent out to the fast tance. Anything for me but the sec-During his long confinement he never mail train and the Overland flyer, tionalism of the present Republican ay and was compelled which are stuck forty miles east of party, which is also purely local in its

LIVES LOST IN NEBRASKA OMAHA, February 9 .- Specials to the Bee show a number of lives lost in Neof Mr. Milton, a farmer, near Rushville, who started from town for her

Eddie Chedoter and Stevens Peters 14 years old, Kearney boys who had been out hunting, were found frozen to residing three miles north of Chadron, snow, and searching parties are look-

THE BLIZZARD IN SOUTH DAKOTA. WOONSOCKET, S. D., February 9 .-The hardest storm since the great blizzard of January 12, 1888, prevailed here from Saturday night until Monday Travelling was almost impossible. No casualties are yet reported. The stock and a third bushels to the acre. The that was out has doubtless perished.

THE BLOCKADE IN COLORADO. DENVER, Col., February 9.—No Rock Island nor Burlington trains have en-

VICTIMS OF THE BLIZZARD. RAPID CITY, S. D., February 9 .- The blizzard wore itself out during last night, and with fine weather and the arcival of ranchers and stages from outlying points, reports of its casualties supposed to be a school teacher and a driver, who started for Elk Creek at 3 P. M. on Saturday, were found four miles from the city frozen to death. All the roads are blocked. Few people ventured abroad on Saturday and Sunday, and the two bodies found are probably the only deaths. No loss of stock yet reported.

A RESPITE FOR TAXPAYERS.

Until February 18 Only Fifteen per Cent Penalty will Attach to Taxes not Paid.

[Special to News and Courier.] COLUMBIA, Feb. 6 .- An opinion of importance to all the tax payers in the States filed to-night by Chief Clerk Norton in the office of the comptroller investment in these securities. general, who asked the judgment of Assistant Attorney General Townsend in the premises. The importance of the opinion will be estimated when it is understood that a great effort is now being made to collect delinquent taxes.

The following is the document:
"To the Hou. W. H. Elerbe, comptroller general—Sir: In your communication of this date addressed to the

attorney general, you say:
"The legislature of 1889 fixed the time for the collection of the taxes for the fiscal year 1889-90 from the 15th of with Carolina will be held December, 1890, to the 2nd of January, 1891, for collection, with 15 per cent penalty. The legislature of 1890 extended the time for the collection of taxes for the fiscal year 1889-90 to the 1st of all by M. N. Chiles, and the February, 1891, without penalty. What effect does the act of 1890 have on that of 1889 as to the eighteen days allowed of us agent. Besides there for the collection of taxes with 15 per r interesting discussions in | cent, penalty? Does the act of 1890 extend this time to the 18th of February,

"In answer to this inquiry I have and people has been very Act of 1890 extends the time for the collection of taxes without penalty to the 1st of February, 1891, it does not expressly, or in my opinion, impliedly repeal the penalty clause to which you allude in the Act of 1889. Therefore, construing the two Acts together, conclude that after the 1st of February, I'm larged annually for every 1891, there was still a period of eighteen days allowed for the collection of taxes

FROM THE WEST

A Descendant of the Scotch-Itish Settlers of Newberry Has a Pleasant Word for the State.

POMARIA, February 7, 1891. To the Editor of the Herald and News:-I enclose a letter from Mr. D. C. Kyle, Washington, Iowa, which I will thank you to publish in your

paper.
During the month of December past I received a letter from Mr. Kyle, addressed to the Secretary of our Society, asking for certain information respecting the resources of our State. I knew of no better way to comply with his re-quest than by asking Col. Butler, then Commissioner of Agriculture of the was sold to the People's Publishing State, to send to Mr. Kyle a copy of the Company and the paper was moved to "Hand-book" of 726 pages, prepared Pickens Court House and called the with great care and published by the late Board of Agriculture. This book and some subsequent pub-

lications were sent to Mr. Kyle, as well so the Easley Democrat has been as the last publication of 160 pages issued with Mai, D. F. Bradley as edi- of the "Transactions" of the State Agricultural and Mechanical Society. After the receipt of these publications Mr. Kyle replied in acknowledgement in the letter enclosed. I am the more pleased to present this

letter through our county papers, from the fact that Mr. Kyle's mother is a least in the far West. It occurs to me that with some effort

on the part of the State officials, as well came out of their difficulties without as by personal endeavor, much good any fatality, except that they were might be accomplished in turning the tide of immigration westward to our sunny clime, and induce those who are already in the West to leave a vigorous climate and come southward, sued, with industry and economy prac-

I started out merely to enclose the letter, but I find myself occupying too much space. Yours very truly, THOS. W. HOLLOWAY.

THE LETTER.

WASHINGTON, IOWA, Jan. 10, '91. Mr. Thos. W. Holloway, Sec. Agr. Society, Pomaria, Newberry Co.,

Dear Sir:-Your esteemed favor of 31st December received, also three printed public documents as per request, for which I am very much obliged, as you have exceeded my request. I have read some in the large one descriptive of the conditiou and resources of South Carolina with a great deal of interest. It seems to have been prepared with a great deal of care, and is pretty full and exhaustive on the subject.

I do not know when I have seen a sketch of any other State so well prepared as this one at hand. You people down there have much greater matters to settle and work out, socially and politically, than we have up here, where our populations are more homogenous; but you are doing well, and we all wish you success in your efforts, unless it may be some of our meaner sort of politicians who, for their political aims, desire to report strife in the Southern States. But they avalanche appear to be growing beauti-

fully less. It seems now that the Democratic party is the only national party, unless national proportional size and imporconomic legislation. I thank you for forwarding my letter

to Mr. E. P. Chalmers, of Newberry C. H. Perhaps I may hear from him. If so, I can easily identify myself with the tribe of Scotch-Irish Chalmerses, who came over from Ireland about 1796, and settled in Newberry District, Chalmers, my mother's brother. I company's establishment. believe they now reside at Holly

With many thanks for your kindness and indulgence, I remain at your D. C. KYLE. service, very truly,

THAT CLAIM OF \$368,000.

Attorney General Pope Has Gone to New York to See About It.

[Special to News and Courier.] COLUMBIA, February 9 .- At the last session of the Legislature a joint resolution was passed authorizing the Attorof E. B. Wesley and the Bank of North for about \$368,000, which a great many people thought had been settled by law long ago. Upon the adjournment of the conference with the Attorney General and Governor Tillman, at which they promised a thorough investigation of the claims and a report to the Legislature on the merits of the case.

Under the resolution Attorney General Pope has assumed charge inquiry and will go to New York tomorrow night to begin the proceedings. Mr. Pope has already written the claimants a letter in which he defines his position and lays down the lines on which the investigation is to proceed. The Attorney General said to-night that he would hear all the testimony that could be offered in New York, that he would employ there a stenographer complete the report by taking testi-mony and collecting all documents in this State bearing on the claims. Mr. Pope says that he will insist on having

THE REFORMERS AT WORK

A Convention of the Third Party Alliance Politicians to be Held in Cincinnati on May 19.

TOPEKA, Kas, February 7 .- W. F. Rightmeyer, who was chosen secretary of the National Citizens' Industrial Alliance, has issued a call for a national conference of reformers, to meet in Cincinnation May 19, 1891, to adopt a all others in our generation when the platform and make such arrange nents for the conflict of 1892 as the conference may deem fitting. Representation is limited to the national and State officers of each Alliance, assembly and association, ten delegates from each county or district organization of such bodies and editors and business managers of each reform paper belonging to the Reform Press Association. This call is in direct opposition to the wishes of J. D. Holden, of Emporia, president the honor to say to you that while the of the National Citizens' Alliance, formed at Ocala, Fla.

The call for the convention to organalleged reform movements now before the occasion justifies, I am yours, very cratic side of the Chamber between the branches, and will attend calls at all the people. There is a disposition to truly, ignore President! Holden altogether. The Kansas contingent of the Citizens' president of the organization, although the Ocala Convention elected him to

Groom, 84; Bride, 97.

the following circular signed by Complian Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97. old General With great difficulty it During last year 3.917 new manuroller General Eilerbe.

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SHOT THROUGH THE HEART.

Major W. A. Williams, of Greenville, Killed by J. B. Williams in a Dispute Over a Game of Cards.

[Special to the News and Courier.] GREENVILLE, February 7 .- Major W. Williams, well-known as "Dixie" Williams, one of the most prominent citizens of this city, was shot through the heart and killed by James B. Williams at a few minutes after 12 o'clock this morning. Major Williams and his slayer were playing a game of cards in a private room opposite the Mansion House. They disputed over the game and Major Williams drew his knife. J. B. Williams said: "I am unarmed." Major Williams then threw his kuife on the table and said: "Then I'll fight you on the muscle." Major Willian sbegan pulling off his coat, and just as he had laid it on the table and turned suddenly drew a revolver and shot him. dead. The murderer escaped and has not been captured. He is the same man who was in a serious cutting affray at Spartanburg some time ago, in which a man named Pateet was cut all to Major Williams was the son-in-law of

member of the Greenville Bar. He had represented this county in the Legislature, and was prominent in mintary circles. He was a Royal Arch Mason and a Knight of Pythias. The tragedy wae an awful shock to the community, and thousands of the dead man's friends with sadness. The coroner's inquest

F. M. Simmons was arrested to night as an accessory after the fact. He is jamin F. Barley, of this city, and has this day been dissolved by mutual charged with aiding the murderer to Rudolph Seigling and John F. Ficken, consent. Parties indebted to the firm escape, but denies the charge. He will probably furnish bond.

SMETCH OF MAJOR WILLIAMS. Wm. A. Williams, the dead man, was born December 14, 1857, in Abbeville county, near Ninety-Six, his father being Col. Wm. A. Williams. His early life was spent in this city and all the older inhabitants and many young ones remember him as a boy. He attended school here and was also a student at the military schools at Yorkville and Charlotte, N. C. He afterward studied law with the late James P. Moore and attended the Columbia Law School at Washington. He was admitted to the bar when very young and began the practice of his profession here, being unusually successful for a young man. His military training made him

prominent in military circles and he commanded the Butler Guards at the Yorkville centennial and was for a long time first lieutenant of the company. He was captain of the Green ville Guards for a time. In public life he had a promising

future before him. His popularity with lower House of Representatives for this State, and he was only defeated for the Senate by a small plurality. For a number of years he was city attorney and held other public and private positions of honor and trust. He was a Royal Arch Mason and a

member of Blue Ridge Lodge, Knights of Pythias, having held high positions in each. At the time of his death he was district deputy of the Knights of Pythias. He was married to Miss Willie C.

February 23d, 1881. His widow and two small sons survive him. HIS SLAYER. The slayer is well known in this city and county. He was at one time proprietor of a saloon on Pendleton street, West End. Until a few weeks ago he had been living in Spartanburg, where

Confederate service, sons of Thomas he had charge of the Portner brewing Chief of Police Kennedy, though relatives of Major Williams, has offered a reward of \$200 for the delivery to him of J. B. Williams. A description of Williams accompanies the reward. The amount will probably be increased by other relatives and by the gover-

A LARGE REWARD OFFERED.

GREENVILLE, February 9 .- The relatives of Major W. A. Williams, who was murdered here on Saturday morning by J. B. Williams, have offered a reward of \$600 for the arrest of the murderer, and Governor Tillman has been requested to offer as large a reney General to investigate the claims ward as possible. The two rewards will probably aggregate \$800 or \$1,000, America against this State in Blue and it is believed will result in the Ridge scrip controversy. The claim is capture of the fugitive, who is supposed dred yards from the station, taking the to be hiding in the North Carolina mountains.

The funeral services of Major Wil-Legislature Mr. Philbrook, representing liams were held in Washington Street the claimants, came here and had a Presbyterian Church to-day, and were attended by a large concourse of friends. The remains were interred in Christ Church Cemetery.

IS IT A HIT AT THE THIRD PARTY. Cleveland Cautions the Ohio Democracy Against Following False Lights and

Unsafe Paths. SPRINGFIELD, O., February 10 .- At last night's meeting of the Jeffersonian

Club President Mayor Burnett read Southern railroad. There the roof was the following letter in response to an taken off the depot, and the telegraph invitation sent to ex-President Cleveand make a full report of that side of land to attend the club's annual banthe case before his return. He will then quet in April: Dear Sir:-You need have no doubt that it would give me great pleasure to five children were injured, the former

attend the banquet of the Jefferson Club at Springfield on the 2d of April next, and if my presence would add in the least to the Democratic enthusiasm which I am sure will pervade the occasion, such consideration would greatly enhance the pleasure and obligation of

The Democracy of Ohio are deservfriends everywhere on account of their | suffered great damage. steadfastness to party creed and loyalty. This reflection but adds to my perplexity, as I see unsurmountable obstacles in the way of my meeting those who will gather at your contemplated banquet. These are days above memory of Jefferson's patriotism, conservatism, wisdom and devotion to everything American should be kept warm in the hearts and minds of his countrymen, and especially of his

political followers. The contemplation of those things illustrious man, should properly cele- cation seon after his election. GROVER CLEVELAND.

Is Sherman Going to Die "

NEW YORK, February 10.- - A large

notice was posted on the door at Gen. Sherman's house to-night, at No. 73 "Assistant Attorney General."
Mr. Norton accordingly has prepared the following circular signed by Comproller General Ellerbe

South Chester, Ont., February 6.—Milton Brown, aged 84, of Annerton, on next Tuesday will lead to the altar Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert, aged 97 ald General With great different in Mrs. Margaret Clickert aged 97 all Mrs. Margaret Clicker

TO SELL THE CANAL!

\$130,000 to be Offered for its Parchase It is Likely to be Sold.

[Columbia Record, 10th.] Another proposition for the purchase of the Columbia Canal. Northern capitalists want to buy it, and they offer \$260,000 for it. Now the question is, will the city sell it or hold it?

This is a summary of the report which surprised the community this afternoon about 3 o'clock, and as soon as it began to be whispered the Record man began to investigate, and learned that a proposition would be laid before the City Council to-night, offering to purchase the "distinguished ditch." The proposition, as far as can be ascertained, is to purchase the whole canal from the city and pay \$250,000 for it. It is stated that the proposition comes from Northern capitalists who have been in Columbia for some days investigating and examining the canal to face his opponent J. B. Williams property. Particulars of the proposition at this writing are rather meagre, Major Williams fell forward on his as those who know all about it are very face and was found a few minutes later reticent, but the information given above comes indirectly from one of the highest city officials and may therefore be considered correct. There can be but little doubt that the proposition will be laid before Council

to-night and the question at once arises, what will they do with it? Several of the Aldermen, as far as can be ascertained, favor it but the offer will have to be proven to be bona fide in their eyes before they would consent to the sale. TO DEVELOP CANAL PROPERTY.

The interest in the canal matters was increased tenfold to-day when it beall over the State will receive the news | came known that a company with a oig capital had been formed to develop where farming is more remunerative was held to day, and the verdict of the to the agriculturist if properly purity was that the murder was felonipany is to be called "The Congaree pany is to be called "The Congaree Water Power company," and the corporators are W. K. Greenfield and Benstyle and firm name of Blalock & Green of Charleston.

> former own some of the most important and valuable sites on the canal. The company is to conduct a real estate business and lease and sell powers, erect mills, houses, factories and water ways. The capital stock will be \$45,000 divided into 420 shares

The company to-day filed its declaration and secured a commission from the Secretary of State. This company, in connection with the other important matters now on foot in regard to the canal, will run the stock of the "Big Ditch" higher than it could ever hoped

THE FIRST COTTON MILL. When Mr. Jasper Miller left Columbia ten days ago he proposed to raise only two hundred thousand dollars of ck at the North, for the Columbia Height's Mill, and doubtless many felt that he would not be able to do that, but the following telegram to the Record received from Mr. Miller this morning shows that he has met with most gratifying success:

"NEW YORK, February 9, 1891 .turn from the East. Have secured between three and four hundred thousand dollars for the mill. The capital stock will be six hundred thousand "JASPER MILLER." THE CANAL SOLD.

Special to the Charleston World. Columbia, February 10.—The Columbia canal has been sold. At the meeting of the city council to-night this great work was sold to representatives of a Northern syndicate Hudson, daughter of Judge Hudson, of immensely wealthy capitalists. The city is wild with joy, and the action of council is approved on all hands. Every member of council was

> ject to the action of council, was made public in the afternoon.

A Cyclone in Alabama. BIRMINGHAM, ALA., February 9 .cyclone struck Helena this afternoon shout 4 o'clock. A dull, roaring sound | Buzhardt, deceased, that they be and was heard, and the people just had time to get to their doors when they saw a black, whirling cloud skim over the top of the hotel in the northern part of the village. It next encoun- o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, tered the telegraph poles, twisting if any they have, why the said Adminthem off like pipe stems. Coming istration should not be granted. down the railroad track it laid the station building flat on the platform and then crossed the track diagonally and leveiled the ctore of Thos. Davidson. O. C. T. and J. Davidson were in the store and both were hurt on the head, and L. Knees was bruised on the body. The cyclone then lifted and passed over a three-story building, struck the Helena Rolling Mill, about two hunroof off both mills. The cloud passed on in a southeasterly direction, and a report has reached here that it struck

Talladega in its course. TWENTY PEOPLE KILLED. which struck the town of Helena, Ala., late yesterday afternoon did much posed. It passed across two counties and into a third before its force was said estate. spent, and at every point along its path yet heard from great damage was done. More than twenty people are known to have been injured, and some

of them fatally. The first town struck by the evelone was Coaling, Tuscaloosa county, a small place on the Alabama Great operator was left sitting at his desk unharmed. The house of John Owen was lifted twenty feet off the ground and dashed to pieces. Owen, his wife and of Lillie M. Riser.

perhaps fatally.
At Helens, a number of buildings were blown down, and others unroofed. Four persons were dangerously hurt. The path of the cyclone east of Helena was through the country away from railroads, and the extent of the accepting the invitation you courteous-ly send me.

| damages is unknown. The tail-end of it struck the town of Tailadega, where | why the said Administration should | wool stories—that's not my forte. a few houses were blown down and ing of the utmost regard of their party others unroofed. The telegraph lines

> SENATOR-ELECT IRBY GETS LEFT. Hampton's Sent Assigned to Senator-elect Hill, of New York-The New South

Carolina Senator Must Sit in a

Corner.

[Special to News and Courier.] Washington, February 10.-When Senator Hampton retires from the Sonate the desk he now occupies will conssigned to Governor Hill, of New ork, whose Senatorial career begins should serve to check the tendency to on March 4. Senator elect Hill was infollow false and delusive lights, or formed that Capt. Bassett, the venertread untried and unsafe paths. It is able deputy sergoant-at-arms, has for most fitting and useful therefore that many years controlled the distribution your club, which bears the name of this of seats in the Senate, so he made applibrate every anniversary of his birth. day he was notified that he could have Hoping that your banquet may be as | Senator Hampton's seat, which is sitfull of enjoyment and enthusiasm as uated in the back row on the Demodesks of Senators Colquitt, of Georgia, and Daniel, of Virginia, just behind

Senator Gorman. Senator Irby probably does not understand the system of selecting seats in the Senate, for as yet he has made no application to Capt. Bassett. All of the desirable seats have been spoken for, West 71st street, to the effect that the and the new Senator from South Carodoor bell must not be rung. An at- lina will have to go to the extreme

GRAFTON, KAN., February 10 .feduring enter loss were started in taxes for the fiscal year 1899 until loss of five husbands. Her last hus- would stay all night. Notwithstand to exist in this village. One patient loss of five husbands. Her last hus- would stay all night. Notwithstand to exist in this village. One patient

New Advertisements. OPERA HOUSE.

Thursday, February 12. The Nightingale of Song and Queen of Portean Stars,

Katie Putnam

In Her American Comedy Drama, BY CHAS. T. DAZEY,

Love Finds a Way

Supported by a Company of Unusual

Full of Intense Heart Interest. A Comedy Element of Natural

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP TIME PARTNERSHIP HERETO-

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA— COUNTY OF NEWBERRY—IN PROBATE COURT. By J. B. Fellers, Esq., Probate Judge. WHEREAS, Lenor V. Livingstone hath made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration, of the Estate and effects of John W. Stone, deceased: These are, therefore, To cite and ad-Your telegram just received on my re- monish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said John W. Stone, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Newberry Court House, on the 25th day of February, 1891, after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.

Given under my hand this 9th day of February, A. D., 1891. J. B. FELLERS, J. P. N. C. STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA-COUNTY OF NEWBERRY-IN

PROBATE COURT. in his seat promptly, for news of the sale of the canal by the trustees, sub-WHEREAS, H. H. FOLK AND Antine Buzhardt hath made suit to me to grant them Letters of Administration of the Estate and effects of Hampton E. Buzhardt, deceased. These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said Hampton E. appear before me, in the Court of Probate, to be held at Newberry Court Mouse, on the 24th day of February, 1891, after publication hereof, at 11 Given under my hand this 7th day

of February, A. D., 1891. J. B. FELLERS, J. P. N. C. Notice of Final Settlement

Application for Discharge. TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, as executor of the will of Baruch Duncan, deceased, will make a final settlement of the estate of said deceased before Hon. J. B. Fellers, Judge of Probate for Newberry BIRMINGHAM, Feb. 10.—The cyclone | County, on Tuesday, the third day of March, 1891, at ten o'clock in the fore- and cannot be excelled for first class noon, and immediately thereafter will apply to the said Judge of Probate for more damage than was at first sup- a final discharge from all liability on account of or in connection with the said estate. T. S. DUNCAN, Ex'or Baruch Duncan, dec'd. Newberry C. H., Jan. 28th, 1891.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEWBERRY-IN PROBATE COURT.

By J. B. Fellers, Esq., Probate Judge. WHEREAS, JOHN M. KINARD, as C.C.P. hath made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the dereliet Estate and effects

These are therefore to cite and admonish all an singular the kindred and creditors of the said Lillie Mary Riser, deceased, that they be and appear be- only for good, reliable goods-only for held at Newberry Court House, on the 18th day of March next, after publication here of, at 11 o'clock in the fore- and Cottonade prices with their allnot be granted.

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF NEWBERRY .- IN COMMON PLEAS Jas. K. Gilder, Plaintiff, against L. Everett Folk et al., Defendants.

Partition. BY ORDER OF THE COURT herein, the creditors of Louisn A. Folk. deceased, are required to establish their demands before me on or before February 14th, 1891.

SILAS JOHNSTONE, Master.

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