# Appointments Made at Conference Yesterday.

# ONE CHANGE IN THIS CITY

# Reverend A. McCullen Appointed as a Presiding Elder.

Proceedings of Sunday's and Monday's Session of the Conference,-Eloquent Sermon by Bishop Wilson. Appointments of Ministers for the Coming Year Read-Changes in the Wilmington District.

(Special to The Messenger.) Rocky Mount, Dec. 9.—The 5th day of the North Carolina Conference, Sunday has been devoid of all rountine, and great crowds attended all the churches, the pulpits of which were filled by members of the conference. The day was perfect. Early the First Methodist church was filled to overflowing. the occasion of the love-feast conducted by Revs. A. D. Betts and F. M. Shamburger. The occasion was full of Oxford Circuit-W. H. Puckett, interest.

At 11 a. m., Bishop Wilson preached from text "Now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three, but the greatest of these is charity." The bishop more than sustained his name as a preacher. the verdict being that nothing like it was ever heard. At close of sermon the following young men were ordained deasons: E. H. Lance, J. W. Autrey, Henderson-R. C. Craven. W. L. Rexford, H. E. Spence, T. L. North and South Henderson-J. Shagleton, E. B. Craven and B. F. Watson. This ceremony was impressive in the extreme.

At 3:30 p. m. the conference convened for memorial service, Rev. W. H. Moore in the chair. After religious Roanoke-G. B. Webster. service the memories of the following Enfield and Halifax-H. B. Anderson. deceased preachers were read: J. J. Battleboro and Whitaker-J. P. Pate. Rumly, A. McCullen, T. J. Gattis by Scotland Neck-J. E. Holden. A. D. Betts; L. S. Etheredge by G. H. Hobgood-R. D. Daniel. Doves, Jno. W. Jenkins by W. H. Williamston and Hamilton-C. L.

At night Rev. J. R. Moore preached Garysbury-J. G. Johnson. to a crowded house after which Bish- Northampton-J. O. Humble. op Wilson ordained the following eld- Conway-W. F. Craven. ers: W. A. Piland, W. H. Brown, J. H. Buffalo and W. E. Brown.

(Special to The Messenger.) Rocky Mount, Dec. 10.-The sixth Bertie-W. C. Merritt. Conference was called to order promptly at 9 a. m. by Rev. J. T. Gibbs, presiding elder, of Durham district Rev. D. H. Tuttle the earnest pastor of Hay Street church at Fayetteville conducted religious service, praying Hope Mills-T. H. Sutton. most devoutly for blessing upon this the closing session, and the work of

Rev. W. L. Cunninggim, secretary, read the proceedings of Saturday and Sunday, which were approved.

the conference now being finished

W. O. Avoy was substituted for M. O. Sherrill lay delegate, and Rev. M. D. Giles read the report of committee on church property, which was adopted. Bishop Wlison took the chair.

Rev. L. S. Massey read the report of committee on education which dealt with the schools and colleges of the church, making recommendations etc. A new woman's school to be given by Maxton to the church was orderd accepted in this report. On motion of Jno. H. Hall the names of B. B. Holder and W. F. Jones were put on the effective list again.

Rev. H. B. Anderson read the report of Epworth League committee. Resolution of thanks was read thanking the kind people of Rocky Mount, the railroad and telephone companies for courtesies, and every thing and every body who aided in the conference's pleasure.

Rev., Jno. H. McCracken read the Chapel Hill-P. L. Kirton. report of the Orphanage committee Hillsboro-M. M. McFarland. which deals with the future of this in- Mt. Tirzah-J. B. Thompson. stitution, and an arrangement is being Leasburg-N. C. Yearby. made whereby the Western North Car- Roxboro-J. A. Hornaday. olinna Conference will turn its support | Milton-M. D. Giles. to one common orphanage, each to be Yanceyville-G. R. Rood. represented in its board of trustees, Pelham and Shady Grove-W. and patronage from the west to be according to the support given, but own- Burlington-E. M. Snipes. ership to remain in this conference Burlington Circuit-S. F. Nicks owing to legal difficulties

The terms are clear and means that the western conference's offer is accepted in the proper spirit, the only hitch being as to legal status of endowment are such, of the ownership Trinity Park School-H. M. North changes. The western conference did not ask for this joint ownership, but if the offer is accepted without proviso, the committee felt that the resolution | Rockingham-J. E. Underwood. of ownership remaining in the North Roberdel-A. J. Groves. Carolina Conference was necessary. Richmond-N. L. Sealbolt. Dr. Cole told of how these difficulties Mt. Gilead-S. T. Moyle. had come to the surface since his visit | Pekin-W. A. Jenkins. to the western conference, and for sev- Troy-J. W. Bradley. eral reasons he thought the report Montgomery-To be supplied by U. S. ought to be adopted as read, but htat the orphanage guaranteed to take all Aberdeen-D. N. Caviness. the children that came from that tarri- | Hamlet-T. A. Sikes.

tory with support for them. Rev. M. T. Plyler spoke in favor of St. John and Gibson-F. B. McCall. accepting the offer of the western con- Laurinburg-R. A. Willis. ference which originated in the Nort: | Maxton and Caledonia-E. H. Me Carolina Conference as it came offering "support and patronage and joint man- | Red Springs-R. H. Broom.

agement." Rev. J. W. Rhodes asked Dr. Cole if | Lumberton-W. R. Royall. he was in favor of further negotia- Elizabeth-E. J. Poe. that the report settled that matter, as stated to take patronage and support as indicated, ownership to remain. The Carolina Institute-S. E. Mercer.

report was adopted. Telegram from Baptist State conven-

tion read, calling attention to Hebrews | A. McCullen, Presiding Elder. 13, 20-21.

Dr. Cole took occasion to talk of the orphanage work. Bishop and cabinet retired for a few moments, and Rev. R. F. Bumpass | Mattanmuckeett-R. R. rGant. was called to the chair. The secretary read his report of fi-

nances-incidentals. Rev. D. H. Tuttle read report of Church Extension committee, and Woman's Home Mission society. Rev. W. S. Rone said if the preach-

ers had found good food here it might have come from a cook book the Ladies Aid society had prepared and was for sale on the conference floor.

Dr. W. F. Tillett was given occasion to tell of Vanderbilt university and what it is doing for the church and especially in improving the type of the ministry.

F. A. Bishop offered a paper asking our representatives in congress to have passed a law against shipping liquor to prohibition territory. Accepted. Rev. R. H. Willis read report of

Board of Missions, which was adopted. Dr. W. W. Pinson addressed the conference on missions again. Dr. L. L. Nash was elected mission-

ary evangelist. Minutes of morning session read. Appointments read. Adjourned sine die RALEIGH DISTRICT.

R. B. John, Presiding Elder. Raleigh-Eldention Street, R. H. Bumpas, J. O. Guthrie; Supernumarary Central, L. T. Singleton, E. Pope supply; Brooklyn and Apex, G. W. Starling. Epworth to be supplied. Cary-J. D. Pegram.

Clayton-G. B. Starling. Smithfield-J. H. Shore. Selma-F. A. Bishop. Kenly-A. L. Ormond. Wakefield-A. B. Wilcox. Millbrook-G. T. Simmons. Youngsville-D. B. Parker. Franklinton-N. E. Colterane. Louisburg-L. S. Massey. Tar River-H. G. Stoney. Granville-C. W. Robinson. Oxford N.-W. H. Puckett. Raleigh Christian Acvocate-T. N

Ivey, editor Methodist Orphanage-J. N. Cole, Supt. Missionary Evangelist-L. L. Nash.

WARRENTON DISTRICT. W. S. Rone, Presiding Elder. Warrenton-W. W. Rose. Warren-B. C. Allred. Ridgeway-L. M. Chaffin. Porter.

Littleton-G. B. Perry. Weldon-H. A. Humble. Roanoke Rapids and Rosemary, J. Draper.

Read.

Rich Square-B. C. Thompson. Murfreesboro and Winton-P. Woodall Harrellsville-C. A. Jones.

and last day of the North Carolina Littleton Female College, J. M. Rhodes President. FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT.

> J. T. Gibbs, Presding Elder. Fayetteville, Hay Street-G. F. Smith Fayetteville Circuit-V. A. Royall. Cokesbury-N. M. McDonald. Roseboro-To be supplied by M.

Hussey. Bladen-E. B. Craven. Buckhorn-J. H. Buffalo. Dunn-J. A. Lee. Duke-J. M. Daniel. Newton Grove-N. H. Guyton. Pittsboro-C. P. Jerome Haw River-E. E. Rose Goldston-C. O. DuRant Carthage-H. M. Eure. Elise-J. W. Hoyle. Sanford-R. W. Bailey

J.Jonesboro-J. C. Humble. Ffilington—To be supplied by L. B. Pattishall. Siler City-E. R. Welch. DURHAM DISTRICT.

J. B. Hurley, Presiding Elder. Durham, Trinity, G. T. Adams; Main Street, T. A. Smoot; Carr Church. J. A. Daily; Branson, J. W. Autrey: Mangum street, E. M.

Cracken. Hoyle; West Durham, J. H. Mc-Durham Circuit-G. W. Fisher.

Sasser. East Burlington, Graham and Haw River-W. F. Sanford.

Alamance-C. M. Lance. Trinity College-J. C.- Kilgo, Presi dent; E. A. Yates, Lectureship Headmaster.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT. W. H. Moore, Presiding Elder. Webb.

Laurel Hill-G. B. Noblett.

Whorter. Rowland-J. M. Ashby.

send and W. H. Townsend, Supernumerary.

Agent. WASHINGTON DISTRICT.

Washington-A. P. Tyer. Bath-J. M. Lowder. Aurora-J. H. M. Giles. Swan Quarter-E. C. Sell. Fairfield-J. L. Rumley. Greenville-M. T. Plyler.

Grimesland and Vanceboro-B. E. Stanfield. Farmville-W. A. Forbes. Robersonville-To be supplied by T. H. Bain. Bethel-J. W. Martin.

Tarboro-R. H. Willis. Rocky Mount-First church-D. H Tuttle. North and South Rocky Mount-B. H Black.

Nashville-W. H. Kirton, Spring Hope-J. A. Sharp. Elm City-C. C. Brothers. Wilson-F. D. Swindell. Stantonsburg-R. E. Hunt. Fremont-C. R. Taylor. Missionary Secretary-R. H. Willis

WILMINGTON DISTRICT. W. L. Cunninggim, Presiding Elder. Wilmington-Grace-N. M. Watson, Fifth street, K. D. Holmes: Bladen street, A. J. Parker; Market street W. L. Rexford. Scotts Hill-J. T. Stanford.

New River-J. C. Wheabee. Onslow-D. C. Geddie. Jacksonville and Richlands-W. H. I. McLaurin. Kenansvine-F. E. Dixon. Burgaw-C. T. Rogers.

Magnolia-W. E. Brown. Clinton-A. S. Barnes. Whiteville and Chadbourn-Y. Wright. Columbus - C. W. Smith. Carvers Creek-To be supplied by J. M.

Marlowe. Waccamaw-i. E. Sawyer. Shallotte-D. A. Watkins. Town Creek-A. D. Betts. Southport-G. D. Langston. Student Vanderbilt University, J. M.

M. Bradshaw, Presiding Elder. New Bern-Centenary-R. C. Beaman Goldsboro-St. Paul, E. H. Davis; St John, W. P. Constable. Goldsboro Circuit-To be supplied by J. M. Carraway. Mt. Olive and Faison-J. J. Barker. Mt. Olive Circuit-P. Greening. LaGrange-H. E. Tripp. Hookerton-R. F. Taylor.

NEW BERN DISTRICT.

Snow Hill-J. M. Benson. Kinston-J. D. Bundy. Dover-W. F. Galloway. Grifton-W. Y. Everton Craven-To be supplied by W. B Humble. Jones-J. M. Wright. Pamlico-D. A. Futrell. Oriental-W. T. Urey.

Cartaret-W. A. Piland Morehead City-J. W. Potter. Beaufort-J. H. Frizzelle. Atlantic-To be supplied by F. S. Bec-Straits-M. W. Dargan. Ocracoke and Portsmouth-To be sup-

plied by B. F. Watson. ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT. J. H. Hall, Presiding Elder. Elizabeth City-First church, L. E Thompson; City Road, S. A. Cotton. Pasquotank—W. F. Jones. Camden-D. L. Earnhardt

Mayock-B. B.Holden.

Currituck-H. M. Jackson. North Gates-E. N. Harrison. Gates-Rufus Bradley. Perquimans—R. L. Davis. Hertford-N. H. D. Wilson. Edenton-L. P. Howard. Chowan-William Towe. Plymouth-L. T. Singleton. Roper—J. Y. Old. Pantego and Belhaven-W. E. Hocutt

Columbia-A. W. Price. Date-B. P. Robinson. Roanoke Island-W. H. Brown. Kitty Hawk-To be supplied by S. J. Kilpatrick. Kennakeet-To be supplied by E W.

Reel. Hatteras-R. A. Britton. Missionary to Cuba-R. E. Porter. Director Correspondence School-J. J. Cunninggim.

## COMMITTED TO JAIL.

Arthur Hodge Held for Killing Clyde Jones-New Captain for A. and M. College Football Team.

(Special to The Messenger.) afternoon Coroner Jordan held inquest | the topmast and as soon as he placed over Clyde Jones, shot by Arthur the helpless captain on board the tug Hodge, his neighbor. Ten witnesses without a moment's rest and covered were examined. One swore the men with a coating of ice from head to foot, were not speaking and that he never put out again and released Seaman knew they quarreled. Jones' statement | Charles Martin who was frozen to a was filed, this given an hour before floating hatch on which he had been death. JJones said that Hodge pulled carried away from the sinking barge. his pistol saying, "This is what I give The two men of a crew of five were the them when they don't do to suit me," only ones to escape death. fired and fled.

there again. It was in eveidence that seemed likely to be swamped by the nesses said that Hodge and Jones were being converted for the coal carrying this city.

the Agricultural and Mechanical college last of a tow of three barges which left football team and A. J. Wilson presi- Norfolk, Va., in tow of the Luckenbach. dent of college athletic association.

aged 80, of Johnson county, was ac- Smith. quitted of moonshining. His two sons were convicted.

## SENTENCED TO DEATH.

Chester E. Gillette Convicted of the Murder of Grace Brown.

Herkimer, N. Y., Dec. 10.-Chester E. Gillette was sentenced to die in the electric chair at Auburn prison during the week beginning January 28. He will be taken to Auburn tomorrow. The youth convicted of the murder

of his discarded sweetheart, Grace for two weeks Brown, showed no sign of emotion when Justice Devendorf pronounced sentence. His face was pale but his step was steady and his voice was firm before sentence was pronounced he re-

should not be passed.

# SAN FRANCISCO STORM SWEPT

## High Winds Create Great Havoc in the City.

MANY WALLS ARE BLOWN DOWN.

Blocking Streets and Interruping Traffic-Street Car System Badly Damaged-Storm Terrific on the Bay-Panic on Ferry Boat-Shipping on Coast Likely to Suffer.

San Francisco, December 10-A heavy east gale, sweeping along the coast at a registered velocity of 48 miles an hour struck San Francisco today and resulted in the death of a laborer and the severe injury of several who were caught by a falling wail. Shipping in the harbor was damaged considerably and in all quarters of the city walls were hurled to the ground, blockading the streets and interrupting traffic. Street car service was about entirely suspended.

On the bay the storm was terrific. The ferryboats, proceeding with extraordinary caution, were tossed about until scores of passengers were made sick. The lower decks were awash most of the time and occasionally the crest of a wave leaped on to the hurricane deck.

What threatened to result in a serious panic occurred on the Kay route boat San Francisco when an unusually large wave struck the vessel carrying her to leeward. Women screamed and fainted-men rushed for the life boats and only the advice and command of the cool headed prevented injury and perhaps loss of life among the passen-

The large building at Polk street and VanNess avenue gave in before the storm and all the valuable merchandise housed was ruined. The buildings occupied by the Mann Trunk company, the Hahnemenn Pharmacy and the Meijei Art company. The loss through this disaster is \$200,000. The building occupied by the California Notion and Toy company at 600 Post street collapsed and most of the stock was destroyed. The firm will lose nearly \$100,000.

The British ship Palgrave and two tugs went ashore on Alcatraz island. While the vessel is pounding she has not been leaking. Several flat buildings were wrecked. The spire of St. Peters church was carried away. The roof of the Durant school met the same fate.

The remaining walls of the burned Poodle Dog restaurant at Mason and Eddy streets collapsed, destroying the temporary hall of justice in course of construction on the site of the Old Tivoli Opera House.

It will take several days fully to refalling buildings and walls. Fears are entertained for the safety

### of shipping along the coast. BRAVE DEED OF A SEAMAN.

Mitchel Bruso, at Imminent Risk of a year. The selection of Mr. White His Heroism no Less Remarkable Than His Escape From Death.

Providence, R. I., December 10.-A tale of heroism seldom surpassed was than a representative of the Pennsylbrought to this port today by the tug Walter A. Luckenbach. When every ney under the second Cleveland adminother man on board the tug declined to risk his life in an effort to rescue two men on the foundering barge Buena Ventura which was in tow of the Luckenbach, off Montauk Point last Friday, Mitchell B. Bruso, a Greek seaman stepped up to Captain John Daly and said he would make the trip alone. In appointments made by Bishop Wilson a small boat at the height of a tierce northeast gale Bruso rowed to the which are published in full in this barge and rescued the captain. Olle morning's paper. Raleigh, N. C., December 10.-This Odarsond, whom he found frozen to

The heroism of Jack Bruso was look-Hodge, in buying the pistol, said he ed upon by his ship mates as no less knew all about pistols, had been in remarkable than his escape from death the penitentiary and intended to go in the little boat which every moment when Hodge shot, he held the pistol mountainous seas. The barge from Frank. M. Thompson son of John while she was bound for Cuban ports, him by the Fifth street congregation. The other barges similarly loaded, were In the federal court, J. A. Holt, Sr., the Carrie Clark and the Annie H.

# SPECIAL TERM ORDERED.

Judge Guion Will Hold His First Court in Caldwell. (Special to The Messenger.)

Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 10.-Gov. Glenn today commissioned Owen H. Guiop, of New Bern, judge and ordered him to hold a special term of Caldwell superior court, beginning January 8th, The bar of that county, through Wil-

Guion hold his first court there. Among the callers at the executive when in reply to the formal question office today were Walter E. Moore, of tions. Dr. Cole said he could not say; Robeson-T. J. Daily, R. W. Town- as to whether he had anything to say Jackson, Stephen C. Bragaw, of Beaufort, and John Brooks, of Greenville, the latter appearing in the interest of "I am innocent of the crime charged 'Sylvester Barret, wh is to be hanged in the indictment and therefore it Dec. 18th. Neither the judge nor the solicitor recommended pardon.

SHIPWRECKED CREW LANDED.

Taken off Waterlogged Schooner Charles L. Mitchell, Lumber Laden From Savannah to Boston.

Baltimore, Dec. 10 .- The steamer Manna Hatta which arrived here today from New York landed a shipwrecked crew of seven men who had been taken off their vessel waterlogged off Ho Island by a passing schooner and trans terred to the steamer.

The wrecked vessel was the Charles L. Mitchell, lumber laden from Savannah, Ga., to Boston.

The Mitchell became waterlogged and preparations were made to abandon her on Friday last when 60 miles east of Cape Henry. The life boat being launched the four sailors of the crew entered it and cast off, leaving the captain, mate and cook aboard the waterlogged vessel. On Saturday morning the life boat was still near the schooner and the captain, mate and cook were taken off the Mitchell, which was then awash. On Saturday evening the Schooner Alice J. Crastree, of New York bound for Tampa from Philadelphia was met and the officers and crew of the the Mitchell were taken aboard and cared for. On Sunday afternoon, twenty miles northwest of Hog Island, Captain Gray and his men were transferred to the Mannahata, which brought them to this pert. The Mitchell is said by Captain Gray to be in the track of coastwice vessels and to be exceedingly dangerous to navigation.

# HIS CONDITION CRITICAL.

Little Hope is Entertained for the Recovery of Former U. S. Senator Brown.

Washington, December 10.-The life of former United States Senator Arthur Brown, of Utah, who was shot by Mrs. Annie M. Bradley in his hotel apartments here Saturday afternoon, tonight is hanging by a thread. Little hope for his recovery is held out by attendants at the emergency hospital, but his the extraordinary high rates of inphysician, Dr. W. P. Carr, still has some hope that his patient may

day in her cell at the house of deten- tered through the south and middle tion and her only thought seems to be for the man whom she shot down.

Assistant District Attorney Given today announced that "if Senator Brown is still alive tomorrow I shall issue information against Mrs. Bradley for assault with intent to kill, and she will be charged."

# R., F. AND P. RAILROAD.

William H. White, of Norfolk, Will be Elected President Today.

Richmond, Va., December 10.-At the conference of the representatives of the state's interest in the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad and of the six railroads composing the store the street car system. In many holding company which owns a maplaces the trolley wire was broken by jority of the stock, Wiliam H. White, of Norfolk, one of the leading lawyers of Tidewater Virginia, was this evennual meeting, his salary to be \$10,000 His own Life, Saves two From Barge, came after the position had been practically offerd and declined by several others after they had refused to permit their names to be presented. The the selection of some other person vania railway and they carried their point. Mr. White was district attor-

## NEW METHODIST MINISTER.

Rev. K. D. Holmes Assigned to Fifth Street Church-Rev. W. L. Cunninggim Presiding Elder of this District.

There was much local interest in the at the Methodist conference yesterday,

in the pastorate of Fifth street church of New York and Massachusetts, taken and in the presiding eldership, Rev. K. at 90 per cent. of their value; these D. Holmes, who has been at Roxboro deposits to be returned, one half on the succeeding Rev. A. McCullen at Fifth street, and Rev. W. L. Cunninggim be coming presiding elder in place of Rev. Mr. Bradshaw. Rev. McCullen has been made a presiding elder and he was assigned to the Washington district. The new presiding elder of the Wilmington | the bonds purchased are now held as district, Rev. W. L. Cunninggim is security for government deposits sewell known in this city, he having curity of the character above indicated served Fifth stret church for four will be accepted in lieu thereof. Not years, a few years ago. He is an able more than one million dollars worth, and earnest minister and is one of the however, will be purchased from any as if trying to conceal it. Other wit- which three men met death was, before most popular preachers ever sent to single institution under these co

talking in low tones a foot apart. The trade, a Spanish tramp steamer. She Rev. Mr. Holmes is said to be a coroner committed Hodge to jail with was the first prize of the United States, preacher of great power and eloquence. out bail. He is to be tried in January, immediately after the war broke out. He is a middle-aged man and has a unless his lawyers get a postponement, the gunboat Nashville capturing her family. A cordial welcome is assured W. Thompson, is made captain of The Buena Ventura, coal laden was the | Rev. N. M. Watson was returned to Grace church, Rev. A. J. Parker to Bladen street and Rev. W. L. Rexford to Market street and their respective congregations are congratulating themselves on the wisdom of the bishop.

> Passenger Steamer Sunk. Ogdensburg, N. Y., December 10.— The passenger steamer Victoria was sunk today in 14 feet of water at Brockville, Ont. No lives were lost. The Victoria was jammed against the ice by a tug and her planks stove in. The hull of the steamer Prince was punctured by ice while entering the harbor of Ogdesburg today. There was four feet of water in the steamer's hold before the wrecking pumps checked it. The cargo, valued at \$60,000, was badly damaged.

liam C. Newland, asked that Judge Steamship Monarch a Total Wreck. Port William, Ont., December 10 .-The steamship Monarch, 1,700 tons, Captain Robinson of the Northern Navigation company, is a total wreck on Isle Royale having gone ashore some time Sunday on a rocky reef. Watchman J. Jacques was drowned. The tug Whalen tonight safely landed the passengers at Port Arthur.

Our Prosperity Cause for Stringency in Money.

## Money in Great Demand Throughout the World.

Large Crops and Industrial Activity Create Unprecedented Demand for F nds-Volume of Credits Large and are Based on Unequalled Volume of Assets-Cotton Manufacturers Buying Their Staple by the Train Load and Pay Cash-Western Farm. ers Paid by Check-Stringency Likely to End Soon After 1st of Janua

Washington, Dec. 10.-Secretary Shaw had an interview today with the bankers' committee now in session in the city, and later in the day made the

following annuoncement: "I have received in the last ten days an unusually large number of letters from business men representing all sections of the country, complaining of terest. I have conferred, during the same period, by letter or personally, Mrs. Bradley spent another restless with a large number of bankers statwest as well as in the east. I have today conferred with the committee of the American Bankers' association now

in session in this city. These gentlemen represent Chicago, given a preliminary hearing in police St. Louis, New Orleans, Atlanta, Pittscourt at once. In the event of his burg, Indianapolis, Des Moines and (Senator Brown's) death murder will be other cities. From the best information I can get I think the following describes the situation fairly well:

"Our blessings are the real cause of the actual stringency in money, recognized everywhere. An unusually large crop and unexampled industrial activity have created an unprecedented demand for money. The world is everywhere prosperous and money is in great demand throughout Europe as well as in the United States. We never had such a volume of credits and they are based on an unequaled volume of assets. The manufacturers of cotton ing agreed upon for president of the are buying their staple by the train road in question and will tomorrow be load. The cotton planter, unlike duly elected to the position by the western farmer, demands actual call stockholders of the road in their an- and he carries it home in his pocket. The western farmer is paid in checks, which he deposits in the pan't to his credit, and therefore does not absorb actual money, as does the cotton planter. This money should be returned to states proxies insisted throughout on the banks when the planter settles with his merchant soon after the first of January, but between now and then the cotton consuming country, as well as the cotton-producing country, is

short of money. "New England has sent millins to the south, and the manufacturers of cotton throughout the south have exhausted the capacity of local banks and are trying to borrow elsewhere. There is no occasion for alarm, but I believe

there is occasion for relief.

This I have decided to grant in the following manner: I will deposit ten million dellars in existing depositories in the cities designated below, to be secured by bonds acceptable for sav-The only two changes in this city are ings bank instruments under the laws 20th of January, and the remainder on

the first of February "I will also buy ten millions of the bonds of 1907 at the following prices: Registered bonds ex-interest at 101 and coupon bonds at 102. In the event that

"The deposits will be made as fol-

New York and New Orleans \$1,500,00 each; Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Chicago and St. Louis \$1,000,000; Cincinnati, Louisville, Atlanta and Memphis \$500,000."

Trial Continued. Chicago, December 10.-The trial of the packinghouse corporations indicted for conspiracy in restraint of trade was today continued until January 10, because attorneys for both sides are engaged in other trials in the United States district court.

Commemorative of Episcopal Church. Norfolk, Va., December 10.-At the equest of the archbishop of Canterbury a committee will meet here tomorrow to consider arrangements with the prelates of the church of England for historical services in 1907, commemorative of the American Episcopal church. church.

If it keeps up this way it will not only be dangerous to sell whiskey in this town but also dangerous to stand sponsor for those who do sell it .-

