

The English parliament is soon to meet, and as usual the main question before that renowned body is what shall be done with Ireland? Since our earliest recollection the great question in English politics has been what must be done with Ireland? That Ireland has been oppressed, all admit that it is oppressed to-day all admit, the plaintive wail of centuries is still heard from the Emerald Isle.

Wm. H. Vanderbilt. The rich New York millionaire is dead. He died at his home in New York city on the 8th of December, after a brief illness of about the sixty-fifth year of his age.

What Our Ezeharys Say. A representative of the Salvation Army is creating a considerable sensation at Elizabeth City, Economist says. Green-boro is the largest rabbit market in the south, it is asserted, Raleigh being an easy second.

A GREAT STATE PAPER. The Message of President Cleveland is very lengthy, but it will amply repay not a perusal merely, but the most careful and thorough study of its contents.

Want of space forbids us to publish the entire Message. But we make a suggestion which we believe would be of great value to them, if heeded by the young men of the country.

The Statesville Landmark says. Sarah A. Hughes, colored, of Raleigh, was ordained by Bishop Turner, at Company Shops last week, as a preacher in the African M. E. Zion Church.

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