for some time owing to the great regret when we review the past year. encouragement, on your career of life, bank failure, or steal by the Bain Disappointments have thickened upon ing topic of discussion. Although the world, and the cry of "bard the Grand Jury have tound many times" has been heard from every true bills against them and the directors of the Bank for fraud and per-jury it is not thought they will be punished on account of the millions fitable one to many, and we are conf money they now have with which to strained to believe that those who pay their way out of court. The buildwas not by one half as large as the most to blame for their misfortunes. year 1884 There were erected here during '85, 114 brick dwellings nine brick stores, one brick factory. The brospect is as good as we could lumber trade is very large, the most of it being brought from N. C., and is set down at \$2,000,000 annually

one of the principal articles of Department, and we look at the fact commerce are pea nuts, and Norfolk as a grand achievement for them handles many. The crop was about 33 per cent less for '85, than '84, and prices offered are much lower an ac count of inferior quality of the pea. duties of life with renewed vigor.

The business in this branch of trade Financial and commercial writers re-

"magnificent distances" and elegant of the residences. Allarge number of the to all.

I beg again to assure you of my continued and lasting esteem for each leading business men age begother. leading business men nere have their stores; and factories in Norfolk. Near the Ocean House, the principa tall granite monument with ption thereon: "To Our Dead." Near this monrinity Episcopal church crected in 1762, in which services are regularly held. At the close of the

Charles H. Ferguson, a well-known hunter, camped on the banks of a tributary of the Wind river, up in the mountains. He had se'ee ed a semall bunch of cottonwoods as his temporary home. These gave him both shelter and firewood. A little distance from the camp there stood an enormous cottonwood, apart from all others, beneath which was picketed the famulas in the State bought their goods here. Near here somefof the famous battles during the war were fought; and here is the home of Wm. Mahone, who has done more to disgrace the people of his native State than every other man in it. We saw him leave the city to day for Washington, where he goes to take his seat in the United States Senate. He were a white felt hat, and light over cost and dark and light over cost Senate. He wore a white felt hat, As Ferguson's gaze followed that of as we were not raised to farming, but and light over coat and dark suit, his horse the branches were violently which made him resemble a "Southern planter." His successor has been elected, and soon, he will be retired air, and the horse had an enormous keeping a high look for our "trained" to the shades of private life, to make mountain lion for a rider. The horse hawk." room for that peerless statesman, sprang madly in the air, uttering a scream little inferior to that of the that Mahone will soon shake the lion in shrillness and savagerly. Virginia soil from his feet and "emi Though he returned to the round and see a fellow work hard we charge the lion in shrillness and savagerly.

Tennessee trains stop, and is headquarters for North Carolinians. They
through and turned to confront his
we get a salary and no risk. Those
we get a salary and no risk. Those
who farm in the dirt get wages and understand how to cater to the wishes of their guests. There are many foe in the open space beyond. who farm in the dirt get wages and ters so some times but little of that, and they trial. signs of improvements here since our and s, rang once more into the branchlast visit—about eighteen months ago. The merchants seem to carry better stocks, and there is a marked bis sim. The lion began a series of plants in time if he can be sure to spirit of improvement going on that circles nearer and nearer to the horse, keep the worms and flee bugs from is readily noticed by a casual obser and finally made another leap. With the rapidity of thought the stallion dealers are seeking to induce the changed front, and his hind feet, farmers in this and surrounding beavily shod, struck the assailant we do not believe that the farmers

WHEN the father of Gen. Joseph
of the powerful steed were fairly between the green eyes, and the mountain lion's skull was crushed. It had

A Many North Carolina many years ago, he been fractured from side to side. A eved Mr James Patterson, who lives few convulsive sfruggles, a stiffening of the powerful limbs in death, and the stallion stood victor over the we of the South fail because we try to the stallion stood victor over the we of the South fail because we try to the powerful limbs in death, and the stallion stood victor over the we of the South fail because we try to the powerful limbs in death, and the stallion stood victor over the we of the South fail because we try to the powerful limbs in death, and the stallion stood victor over the we of the South fail because we try to the powerful limbs in death, and the stallion stood victor over the we of the South fail because we try to the powerful limbs in death, and the stallion stood victor over the we of the South fail because we try to the powerful limbs in death, and the stallion stood victor over the we of the South fail because we try to the powerful limbs in death, and the powerful limbs in de is now United States Senator from lion. Ferguson took the skin of the tion home as a trophy. Connectcut. At that time Mr. Pat-According to the New York Times, it costs something to run the town, the bill footing up \$48,943,163 a year, with a population of 1,338,000. It costs London with a population of 4,776,661 persons only \$35,300,000; \$4,776,661 persons

DURHAM, N. C., Dec. 24, 1885. COL. JAMES B. WARREN: -Allow s when presenting to you this handsome silver ice pitcher, to present to eternity, countless millions were also to you the best wishes of all who

The old year is gone, at the solemn

jour of midnight it died, but not in

obscurity As the old year past in-

Here, the past year has been a pro-

complain most of "hard times" are

A Lion Killed By a Horse

A LONG AND BLOODY FIGHT BETWEEN

TWO ANIMALS IN WYOMING.

A dispatch from Lander, Wy., gives an account of a battle between a Black Hawk stallion and a moun-

tain lion. The stallion was owned by

Charles H. Ferguson, a well-known

neck. The lion was tearing his way

helped to give it. standing it the dim shadows watch Christmas seems to have been a ing its last moments, listening to the echoes of its dying breath as it rust this Southern land of ours; it is lookled the dry leaves, or sung its lest ed forward to, as an approaching sen mournful song among the leafless son of rest and pleasure. And just before this annual rest we instinctive branches. Yes, the old year is gone, ly look around us to find some worthy and we stand in the golden sunshine and we stand in the golden sunshine one, to whom we can show some favor.

\$1 50 of the new. Let us pause a moment And then we make ourselves happy 75 and reflect on the scenes of the past.

The mighty hand of time is wasting think we have singled out the right The mighty hand of time is wafting us onward with astonishing rapidity, during the past year many of our friends and relatives have died, and as we stand in the dawn of 1886 the thought is present, "who of us that began this New Year shall see it condents of Ham," preparing to celebrate, as they think, the great day of emancipation, and before night the streets were blocked with military companies and brass bands. This the streets were blocked with military companies and brass bands. This All of us can find ample cause for many the past year.

The mighty hand of time is wafting us onward with astonishing rapidity, during the past year many of our friends and relatives have died, and as we stand in the dawn of 1886 the thought is present, "who of us that began this New Year shall see it close." A solemn thought. If the streets were blocked with military companies and brass bands. This the streets were blocked with military companies and brass bands. This the same has been depressed.

All of us can find ample cause for presuits, but we can look with an an, "Honor to whom honor is due" is what we aim at, and, we have succeded. Let this adorn your happy home; and whether you look at it as an ornament or from it, drink the cool, refreshing draught of pure water which God intended for man to drink, let pass in your memory some kind thought of those who caused it to be gours.

We may be separated in future years, and apply our energies to other persuits, but we can look with a great State.

forever. But we hope to continue for many years, and still keep the same purpose in view. That each one of us will do his part of the great work; that the name of W. Duke, work; that the name of W. Duke, Sons & Co., shall be on the lips of every intelligent being between the North and South Poles. It is possible and very likely that this already stupendeous business will double and trible itself in the next four or the next four five years—like it has just done in the past two or three After you have finished a long and useful life, may we all meet fin that beautiful land, where we shall be directed and regained the control of the Executive

> Yours truly. W. L. FREELAND, W. T. O'BRIEN,

for on every available space he stands in glowing colors as the "Monarch of the tobacco world."

A'short stroll through Portsmouth revealed the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the fact that it is a city of the same in the kind donors.

This testimonial of friendship and regard though I must say unworthing the same in the kind donors.

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This testimonial of friendship and thereupon he struck him with a heavy stick.

and every one of you, and, wishing you a most happy Christmas, with many future, like festive, occasians, and every other success in life, I am, most respectifiy

JAS. B. WARREN.

Mr. TIRZAH, PERSON CO.

For the Durham Recorder.

grate" to some more genial clime. It with a remendous concussion but failis not said whether he will join the
'Mollie McGuires," or take up his
abode among the minors of the far

peared on the stallion's shoulders and one is pay for our brains, the other high for it—that's salary. But what little we pay the worker is wages; brick building, on Clay street, next to J. T. Mallora's, we are prepared to for mu-cle, brains are valuable if they can assure them that they can get as The Jarnett Hotel has been leased by the Gary Bros., who have reflected, repaired and remodled it and changed the name to the "Albemarle."

It is near where the "Atlantic coast bloody seat and cast backward with the salary is life as long as we can get it. When we farm on paper can get it. When we farm on paper run all risk ; we ought to tell the old counties to quit the cultivation of pea nuts and raise tobacco. They believe in this section, as fine flue cured to bacco can be grown as any where.

Section as fine flue cured to be made an attack. This time the animal rushed to death. The heels to be refilled each year, with good,

do "a two-horse business on a onehorse capital." We fee! that we are

Hints To Young Men.

That clothes don't make the man That if they once get into debt they may never get out of it.

That parting the hair in the mid-dle brings on softening of the brain. That to deal honorably with all men they begin with their washer-

That they need something more substantial than eigars, kid gloves to start housekeeping with.

That they can't reckon on their father's fortune to bring them through life. Fortunes are shppery things-better have something besides to fall

[Wilmington Star.]

bales of cotton and 32,000,000 pounds may we all meet in that beautiful land, where we shall be directed and cared for by the Great Superintendent and Foreman of the mighty Yours truly.

W. L. FRESLAND.

W. L. FRESLAND.

The Tarboro Southerner says: Saiurday night some miscreant set DURHAM, N. C., Dec. 24, 1885. Saiurday night some miscreant set fire to the gin house of Mr. John MESSRS. W. L. FREELAND & W. Clark at Everetsville. Besides the during the year was \$1,500,000. This is our chief seaport town as well as that of a large portion of Virginia and Tennessee. The harbor here is constantly lined with vessels to and from nearly every country on the Globe; and we see no reason why Norfolkiat no distant day should not be a city of a quarter million of inhabitants.

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