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NEW YEAR.

Another twelve months have rolled by and we find ourselves , ushered into the year 1896. In many respects the year just closed has been an improvement on 1894, may be affected by European infor Louisburg and Franklin county. Many new buildings have been erected in Louisburg, and a number of good people have of the United States to disturb, or moved into our midst, while the Tobacco Market has grown and increased, thereby giving the farmers better advantages for disposing of their products, and giving more the circumstances is beyond quesemployment to labor. And while tion. The Commission to be namthe town folks seem to be in a better and more hopfal condition, the people of the whole county appear to be in better spirits. The farmers generally, made good crops, and are receiving much better prices than last year.

Let us hope that the year 1896 will be as good to us as the one just closed.

FREE SILVER IN THE SENATE.

The New York World has made a canvass of the United States Senate, which show that at the lowest possible estimate of the free silver strength the Senate now stands 46 absolutely for free and unlimited silver coinage, 38 against, 3 doubtful and one seat vecant (Dupout, of Delaware, claimant). Utah will elect two Senators in January, which will give the advocates of free silver 48 out of 90 votes, with three doubtful. It is thought that two of these are silver men; and if so, the number will be increased to 50.

Venezuela and England, and about The which very many acts of England Venezuela and England, and about forbid the notion that she believes her title to be unquestionable, is now demanded by England outright, chiefly because some of her subjects have gone and settled on the land. The United States has proposed to England to submit her dispute with Venezuela to arbitration. ZEngland says "No!" and that she alone will settle it, FARMRES or virtually settle it by force. The United States is compelled, therefore, in defence of itself as it cursions in South America, to find out whether the land claimed by England is here by right of treaty which it has not been the intentiou whether her title is of her own

making since the Monroe doctrine was promulgated. The duty o' the United States to investigate this question under ed by the President will make the desired investigation.

If it is found that England's presentclaim is right, the Mouroe doctrine or American doctrine has not been infringed. If it turns out that England has not the prop er title to this land, an attempt on

her part to hold it would be a direct and vital infringement of the Monroe doctrine, and it would be the duty of the United States to resist such effort with its full

power. Suppose it turns out that Engand has been right, and that the war flurry has been for nothing. None the less we are convinced that the overwhelming demonstration called out by the Venezuela message, of patriotic determination to uphold the interests of the United States and the integrity of the Western hemisphere against European agression, will prove to be of incalcuable value.

It is well for all the world to know clearly the true relations of the United States of North America to the sister republics of South America.

TREASURER'S RÉPORT. Showing receipts and disbursments



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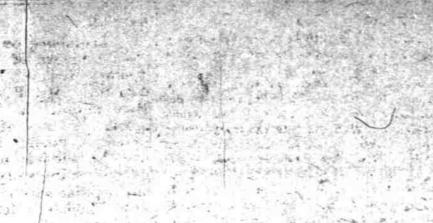
We thank our friends for their liberal patronage hith rto shown us and earnestly request a continuance of the same. We shall endeaver to at all times give you entire satifaction.

Especially do we desire to state that on and after

1896 January 1,

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New year.

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to give our customers "value received" in

and happiness in 1896.

I hope you have had a patronage. pleasant Christmas, and we trust that you may have

New Year, Happy :0:

all dealings,

And that 1896 may bring you peace

Respectfully,

In life, and again thank you for your

Coin's new secret oath-bound political party is another scheme to delude the unsuspecting Democrats from true principles of government. We would sound a warning against all political oathbound secret organizations.

WHAT a man does with wealth depends upon his idea of happiness. Those who draw prizes in life are apt to spend tastelessly, if not viciously, not knowing that it requires as much talent to spend as to make.

WHEN silver is restored to its proper place and the coinage of it is resumed, times will grow better but that is only a part of the financial reform needed. The people dou't want a silver party nor a silver candidate for any office. No one idea men or parties, if you please .- Progresive Farmer.

This is strange talk from a "reform" organ. From the tone of the Populist papers we had thought that free coinage at 16 to 1 was to cure all our ills and that a party with a solitary plank, and that for free silver, would be welcomed. Are the "reformers" beginning thus early to bedge on the silver question ?-Statesville Landmark.

You may notice it whenever you will, but just that minute the Democrats begin to endorse or advocate any measure proposed by the socalled "reformers" you will discover them taking the back track. There is no such thing as consistency in the promoters and bosses of the "reformers" and the sooner the people discover this the better it will be. WHAT THE VENEZULA CASE IS. New York Sun.

A correspondent asks for a statement of the Venezuela case:

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN-Sir: There is immense ignorance about the Monroe doctrine. Please set before as just how the Monroe doctrine 'is transgressed in the present instance. Your Mascot.

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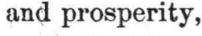
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