WILMINGTON, N. C.

TUESDAY. APRIL 17, 1883.

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THE SITUATION.

The last financial and commercia article in the New York World presents a cheerful view of the business prospects for the coming season. In speaking of the present situation and future prospects of the country, it says that the weekly return of the associated city banks issued on Saturday last showed an increase in reserve of \$3,411,650 and brought the banks up to within \$288, 508 of the 25 per cent. legal requirements, as against a deficiency of \$6, 770,233 on March 17. The banks increased their cash resources last week \$4,203,800, a sum which fairly represents the steady influx of currency from the interior and increased disbursements by the Treasury for called bonds. The improvement in the condition of the banks insures an easy working of the money market and this in turn gives stability to the movements in the financial and commercial markets. The change for the better which has recently been noted at the Stock Exchange here is calculated to increase the drift of money towards this centre, capitalists throughout the country, encouraged by the support given to the markets by local operators, having re gained confidence and turned in as buyers of securities. Many well-informed bankers look for large remittances of currency to New York during the next few weeks and accordingly a low range of rates for call and time loans. The Treasury operations for the remainder of the fiscal year are not liable to result in any large withdrawals of funds from the market. Imports of general meruntil the new tariff goes into effect, and hence the customs payments into the Treasury will be correspondingly small. On the other hand, the Government will pay out considerable amounts for called bonds, interest and pensions. The negotiation of £2,400,000 bonds by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad in London and the increasing foreign demand for American securities generally will augment the supply of exchange, and here we have another element at work in the direction of easy money. In view of the fact that the monetary situation caused so much uneasiness a short time ago, it can be readily seen that the existing condition of the market is apt to increase the disposition of investors and speculators to operate more freely ly expected. than heretofore.

The advance in stocks and bonds would have been less marked, perhaps, if other considerations than easy money had not influenced buyers. It is well known, however, that railroad earn- ials. By druggists. ings througout the country are steadily increasing, that the business activity in the Northwest and Southwest is without precedent, that the immigra-. tion to the United States bids fair to be enormous this year and that the weather thus far this spring has made the crop prospects most favorable. The acreage planted will probably be larger this year than ever before, while in Europe only two-thirds of an average harvest is looked for under the most favorable circumstances by high authorities there. The United States will, unless all signs fail, have a ready market for breadstuffs, cotton and other domestic products for a year to come, and this being the case it is not surprising that a confident feeling as to the future exists in business circles.'

OUR OPPORTUNITY.

There has been much said in the the past few years of the importance of gestion is "aquabibs." establishing cotton manufactories in the South, and we are of opinion that not a South, and we are of opinion that not a of trout are found firmly fixed in the word has been said amiss. The good ice just where the cold wave struck common sense of having the factories them. established where the cotton is grown is too apparent and reasonable to need much argument. It has been demonstrated that the South is the place for quail eater. the cotton factories, and it is here The complete costume of a fashionawhere they can be made to pay the best ble lady of the Friendly Islands ha profit to the manufacturer. Of this fact there can be no sufficient grounds for a successful contradiction. The experiment has already proved a success much greater than was anticipated, and this being the fact when the scheme is yet in its infancy and when there are so many things to be learned, it is sate to predict what will be its future when each department of manufacture has become thoroughly learned and systematized.

But it should not be understood that in the manufacture of cotton is our only opportunity for wealth. We have before us a field as broad as that of any section of the country, which can be improved to as much advantage to our people as in the single business of cotton manufacturing. Every industry in which wood and timber are cost \$35,000. used may be made to flourish here as well as at the North. We have wal-

and it should become our duty to see that it is utilized and manufactured here into the various commodities for which it is specially adapted, instead of allowing it to be sent North to be made than they look. a two-fold means of profit to Northern people. There are nineteen varieties of oak in the State, besides hickory, walnut, maple, ash, poplar and other kinds ter. of wood, valuable in the nfanutacture of furniture and many other articles, yet we get those articles almost exclusively from the North, after they have been manufactured from woods which grew on the hill and mountain sides of North Carolina. A large proportion of the carriages in use in North Carolina are made from timber which grew in this State, but manufactured in some Northern city in establishments giving employment to hundreds of hands and supplied with every appliance and cunning invention by which the raw mate-rial may be wrought into an elegant replied the marble-worker, with his manufactured article expeditiously and most charming smile. "that is for you

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PERSONAL.

Poems on the late Peter Cooper are in

Miss Isabella M. Brown has been elected city clerk of Rutland, Vt.

Messrs. Gye and Mapleson have closed, by cable, an agreement with handise are expected to continue light Mme Gerster to sing opera in this country next season.

> Senator Beck's spectacls is now fitted, eighteen months since. I like such the Louisville Covrier-Journal thinks, humbugging.-H. T., St. Paul-Pionto bite for revenue only.

The staute of Lord Beaconsfield in London will be unveiled by Sir Stafford Northcote on Thursday of this week, the anniversary of the famous leader's others chronic rheumatism.

The Philadelphia Times has this obection to Logan's boom. "He refuses to give his age in the Congressional directory, and no man can be electgiving the date of his birth.

Congressman Cutts, of the Sixth district of Iowa, is lying very low at his home in Oskaloosa of an acute attack of peritonites. He has been in ill'health for two years, with bronchial and pulmonary trouble. His recovery is hard-

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The Federal and Confederate chapains will hold a reunion at Ocean Grove, N. J, on the 22nd of July. The Standard oil company has \$1, 000,000 invested in newspapers with which to set forth its goodness and its

"Teetotalers," says the Medial Times d Gazette, "having objected to

Truckee river in California is still frozen clear through and whole schools

The Post Express finds a new illustration of the ingratitude of republics in the complete subsidence of that whilom distinguished character, the New York

been presented to the public library of Woburn, Mass. It is a square blanket, tattooed with various devices, and made from woodpulp, or bark-pulp.

The London Economist says: "It is beyond all doubt that India has enormous capabilities as a wheat producing country, and the contention of those who have investigated the matter is that she can produce much more cheaply than America."

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A Bowery music teacher, who had been subprenaed as a witness, testified that in five years he had taught 1,500 boys to play the flute. The court immediately let the prisoner go, and sen tenced the music-teacher to be hung.

The minuet is to be revived in fash= ionable dancing parties in New Orleans, and the Picayune says it will then be proper for any young lady who always must be dragged away to say: "Oh, ma, please let me stay one minute

Young widow to the marble-cutter. 'Tell me, must I put on the temb of my to decide. Does madam think of marrying again soon?"

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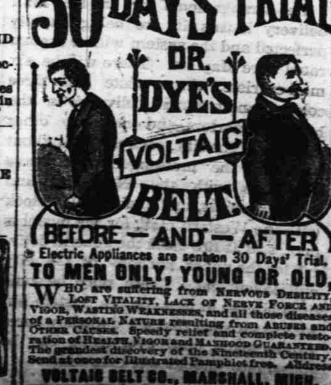
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