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In Memphis a little girl presented to Mrs. Cleveland a bouquet of cotton bolls as a souvenir "from King Cotton to the Queen of Hearts."

Delegate Toole, of Montana, who is at present in Washington, says that there will be a hard fight made by four Territories this winter for admission as States of the Union. Montana, Dakota, New Mexico and Washington Territory will all pre- ing sent their claims and press them rigorously. And Utah.

The White House has undergone its annual fall overhauling during the President's absence. It has been deaned throughout and painted where necessary. New carpets have to the scanty appropriation, new furniture could not be secured to replace the old, and other intended improvements had also to be abandoned. The new carpets in the East room and the Blue room are quite handsome, and one in the latter was with the decorations of the walls from to-morrow. and ceiling.

The monument to the negro Crisrades shot by British troops in Bos- adjourned without action. ton, March 5, 1770, is to be finished next July. The design by Robert Kraus has been chosen by the Governor and Council. A round truncated pillar bears the names Samuel Grag, Crispus Attucks, Samuel Maverick, Jonas Calswell and Patrick Carr. In front stands Liberty grasping a banner and holding up broken chains. The pedestal has a relief of the scene in front, and the simple date is given below. It will be 24 feet high and made of granite.

Of all the men summoned by President Cleveland as his special assistants in the national administration, no one has been a greater surprise to friends and enemies than Secretary Whitney, and the record he has made may well be pointed to with pride by his admirers. There has been no taint of machine politics in connection with the navy department, but its business has been conducted on business principles. This is just what was long needed, and if such a course is zealously pursued during another Administration the country will have cause for congratulation.

Large consignments of whiskey of American manufacture sent to Ger many for storage two years ago are this country. During the summer the owners of large distilleries. shipped their products to Bremen and other ports for storage and to avoid onerous revenue charges. Much of the whiskey exported is now being returned, the limit of time it is allowed to remain out of the country having expired.

The death of the Right Honorable Alexander James Beresford Hope, member of Parliament for Cam bridge University, will be much regretted in the South, whose friend he was during the days of the civil war. His gift to Virginia in 1875 of a statue of Stonewall Jackson has made his name especially familiar throughout the Old Dominion. He was born in 1820, and was distinguished as an archæelogist, politician and author. He has written largely on church architecture and policy, and was the author of several successful novels As the proprietor of the Saturday Review, he exerted great influence upon the politics of his day. Since 1868 he has represented Cambridge in Parliament, having previously represented other constituencies .-He was a wealthy man, having an income of \$150,000 a year and large properties in London and elsewhere.

It Would be of Interest to the Careful Buyer to Visit

A. Shrier's new store at 114 Market street, before purchasing Fall clothing, and see his vast assortment in the latest styles and extraordinary low prices. The public well knows that Mr. Shrier is not a green hand in the business, but an old and thorough clothier, and one that understands the buying of substantial goods, such as cannot fail to give perfect satisfaction. Give him a trial. resents.

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LOCALNEWS.

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The receipts of cotton at this port to-day foot up 1,753 bales.

We learn that another horse race is the talk among the sporting fraternity.

Christmas falls this year on Sunbeen laid in some rooms, but owing day. And what are you going to do about it?

> The Acme Manufacturing Company will make a handsome exhibit at the Virginia State Fair.

The President has issued his proclamation for Thanksgiving Day, on designed especially to correspond Thursday, Nov. 24th, just four weeks

At the meeting of the stockholders of Bellevue Cemetery last night pus Attucks and his four white com- there was no quorum present, so it

late yesterday afternoon from Fay- street and with frightening the cotton as a part of her cargo.

There is a much larger attendance at the public graded schools in this city than was ever known before, and the number of pupils is constantly increasing.

Mrs. Goodale, who is to lecture is corresponding secretary of the Union, of that State.

We saw two citizens of Wilmington in conversation together this morning whose united ages aggregrated 162 years, and both gentlemen were remarkably hale and hearty for men of such advanced

The first of the series of cotillion for the season of 1887-88, to be given by L'Allegro Cotillion Club, takes place this evening. The Governing Committee are Messrs. Walker Taylor, D. T. Cronly, R. S. French, J. H. Boatwright, C. C. Chadbourn, Edward Daniel, W. M. Howey.

Messrs. Montgomery & Cameron advertisement published in this

Mrs. Lamsden has recently returned from the North with a carefully selected stock of millinery goods, which will be opened and displayed to the ladies this week. Mrs. Lumsden's tate and judgment in making selections are well known and her opening days always attract a large attendance.

Indications.

For North Carolina, warmer with rain, followed by fair weather, light to fresh Northerly winds, shift ing to Southeasterly.

Going Away.

New Uniforms.

The new winter uniforms for the police have been completed and were delivered to the force this afternoon. They are of dark blue cloth, with the coats trimmed with brass buttons, and are good and substantial garments. The overcoats are also of heavy blue cloth, and are excellent for winter service. Mr. C. L. Cowles was the contractor for furnishing the clothing at \$22.30 for the suit and \$12.50 for the overcoat. The helmets for the men and caps for the officers arrived here to-day on the steamer Gulf Stream, from New York, and will be delivered to the force to-night.

and you will see he does as he rep-school books and school stationery Factory, No 27 Market street, J. Elsis at Heinsberger's.

Rain for the Fair.

Rain seems bound to lay the dust to have the same rainy luck.

The Difference.

Charlotte has a candy factory and the Chronicle says:

Candy that costs 40 cents pe between a lump of Baltimore candy and a lump of Charlotte candy.

Candy that costs 40 cents per pound in Baltimore is made and sold in Wilmington at 25 cents, and a customer can tell the difference at once between a lump of Baltimore candy and a lump of Wilmington candy, the said difference being decidedly in favor of the Wilmington candy, in quality as well as in price.

City Court.

The following cases were on the docket for the Mayor's consideration this morning:

Donald Stewart, a tramp who was charged with disturbing the citizens Steamer A. P. Hurt, which arrived in the vicinity of Nun and Fifth etteville, brought down 350 bales of pupils and teachers of Tileston School. His case was continued until to-morrow morning.

William Lefferts, a tramp from New Jersey, who said that he was bound to Florida, was given the honor of an escort of an officer as far as the city limits.

William Lumley, a deserter from upon temperance at Fifth Street M. the Br. steamship Coventry, was E. Church to-night, is the wife of ordered to be confined until Friday Hon. W. Goodale, of Louisiana, and when the ship would sail and he would be turned over to the Captain. Woman's Christian Temperance Lumley seemed very anxious to return to the sbip immediately, but the Court denied him the privilege, Alice White, colored, was drunk and down last night and was required to pay a fine of \$10 or work

on the streets for 20 days. Archie Ellerby, colored, charged with keeping an unlicensed dog, admitted the fact and was willing to get a badge, but the Court thought that, as the defendant had allowed five months to pass without obtaining a license, he should pay a fine of \$6, but would remit \$1 when the badge had been obtained.

Fourth Street Bridge.

There is now a fair prospect of having in the near future some sort now returning on the European have opened at No. 115 South Front of a bridge across the railroad at steamships, the freight both ways street, with a handsome stock of Fourth street, as the Bridge Comand the storage being considerably fresh groceries, tobacco, cigars, &c., mittee of the Board of Aldermen, less than the cost of keeping the to which the attention of their the City Surveyor, the Mayor and liquors in bonded warehouses in friends and the public is invited in the Chairman of Board of Auditand Finance had a conference in the Mayor's office yesterday afternoon with a representative of the Smith Bridge Company, in reference to the matter. The Smith Bridge Company, it will be remembered, are the contractors for building the bridge, and by the terms of their contract it was stipulated that the work should be completed in forty-five days from the time of notification of the completion of the abutments, These were finished several days ago, but the Bridge Company are not prepared to fullfil their part of the contract, but propose to erect at once on the West side of Fourth street a temporary bridge, not less .The Atlas dredge boat Vim, ac- than twelve feet wide, and as much companied by the steam tugs Biard wider as practicable, that should be and Stetson, will leave the waters of safe and secure for vehicles and foot the Cape Fear in a few days for passengers. The time of completing Currituck, N. C. Capt. Snell, of the the bridge is to be extended so Fine Silk Scarf for 21 Cents, Worth 65 Cts. steamer Louise, will pilot them to that the East half shall be comtheir new field of labor, and will be pleted in every respect (except dry goods store, on Front street, will absent for a few days for that pur- painting) by the 15th of January, sell on Saturday, October 29, fine under the new arrangements.

which is to be completed in fourteen Front street.

at French & Sons. 50 good experienced hands wanted for making shirts and pants. Good wages and steady work guaranteed. The cheapest place to buy your Enquire at the Wilmington Shirt bach, Prop.

Cruelty to Animals.

There ought to be and we hope and moisten the proceedings at all that there will be a society formed the agricultural fairs this year. Last in this city for the prevention of cru- WITH A COMPLETE STOCK OF FRESH week at the State Agricultural Fair elty to animals. There is a crying Groceries, Tobacco, Cigars, &c., at No. 115 So. at Raleigh, there was almost & con- need for such an organization which tinuous rain, and Wayne County shall be legally constituted and by Agricultural Fair, which is being legislative enactment have full held this week at Goldsboro, seems power to arrest offenders and bring them to punishment. And there should be more stringent laws en- Milline yan Dressmaking. convicted of the shameful offense of MRS. LUMSDEN HAS JUST RETURNED abusive treatment of dumb animals pound in Baltimore is made and in their charge and under their consold in Charlotte at 30 cents, and a trol. We may safely and truly say, customer cannot tell the difference for the credit of our people, that nearly all the dumb beasts in use in the city are kindly cared for and well fed and treated. The condition of the animals shows this, but there are isolated cases where there is abundant evidence of cruel and in human treatment, and these we would have remedied by the strong and protecting arm of the law.

> Personal. Lt. Gov. Stedman returned to the

city last night. Mr. J. A. Lewis, of Southport, is in the city and paid us a visit to day. Ex-Gov. Drew and Mrs. Drew, of Jacksonville, Fla., are in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Flanner have gone to Goldsboro on a visit to relatives there.

Mr. Frank W. Clark, G. F. and P. A. of the Seaboard Air Line, was in the city to-day.

Mr. W. G. Pulliam returned to the city last night from a short business trip to Richmond.

Mr. Josh. W. Meares has been appointed to a position in the Aduitor's Department of the W. & W. R. R. Mr. A. T. Holmes has gone to

Clinton on a short visitto assist a friend of his who is to be married this evening. Mr. D. A. Culbreth, formerly con-

nected with the Clinton Caucasian, but now engaged in the insurance business, is in the city to-day.

We were pleased to receive a call to-day from Mr. W. H. Gibson, the genial Special Agent of that popular insurance company, the National Life and Maturity Association, of Washington City, who is here for a few days in the interests of his company.

Literary.

We have received the November number of Scribner's Magazine, which presents the following table of contents: "Wagner and Scenic Art," By William F. Apthorp. With illustrations from the original designs for the setting of the Bayreuth stage; "Seth's Brother's Wife."-Chapters XXXIII.-XXXV. (Conclusion). By Harold Frederic; "The Physical Characteristics of the Athlete;" By D. A. Sargent, M. D. (Being Dr. Sargent's second article on Physical Training;) "To Rhodocleia, on Her Melancholy Singing." By Andrew Lang; "Tirary Soult." By Rebecca Harding Davis; "In Grand Kabylia." By Henry M. Field; "A Confession." By Henrietta Christian Weight; "A Diplomatic Episode." By Olive Risley Seward; "In Her Garden." By Susan Coolidge; "The Viking Ship." By John S. White; "The Haunts of the Halcyon." By Charles Henry Luders; "Song." By Ellen Burroughs; "What Shall we Tell the Working-classes?" By Francis A. Walker; "An Old Lesson from the Fields." By A. Lampman "A Complete Misunderstanding." By Margaret Crosby.

I. Shrier, next door to McIntire's 1888, and the remainder by Febru- gents' silk scarfs for 21c really worth ary 15th, 1888, with a forfeiture of 65 cents. Remember for one day \$25 per day for each day's default, only, Saturday, Oct. 29. Please bring provided that the forfeiture shall the right change along. His fine not exceed \$25 per day in any event, clothing, of which he makes a speand the forfeiture shall not apply to cialty, will be sold from 25 to 33 per the painting until the time when the cent lower than they can be had this entire bridge shall be completed side of Baltimore; under no circumstances will shoddy goods be sold in These propositions were accepted his house. Remember the name and by the city and work will at once place, I. Shrier, the Old Reliable begin on the temporary bridge, clothier, sign of the golden arm on

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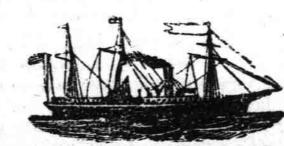
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