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OUTLINES.

The Amcer's family have taken refuge in Russian-Turkistan. — Gen. Biddell has been ordered to advance and occupy Khojok Pass, which is not defended. — Mr. Windom, of Minnesota, introduced a bill in the Senate setting forth that the Patent Office had become an institution of oppression...

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Table with 2 columns: Rate and Amount. Includes rates for one square one day, two days, three days, etc.

CONTRACTS advertisement: Ten lines sold Nonpareil type make one square...

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Auction This Day. This Day (Tuesday), at 10 O'CLOCK, A.M. at our Sales Rooms, we will sell THE COUNTERS AND FIXTURES REMOVED FROM THE DAWSON BANK. PHAETON, BUGGIES and WAGON. Must Close out! GOLD FOUR VEHICLES ON SATURDAY. RIVER AND MARINE ITEMS. CITY ITEMS. P.L. BRIDGERS & CO. THE BLOODY CHASM HAS BEEN BRIDGED!

tary and Treasurer vice E. Burke Haywood, Jr., declined. His bond was fixed at \$25,000. James H. Moore was reelected Steward. Mrs. M. A. Lawrence was reelected Matron.

The Board passed resolutions endorsing strongly Dr. Grissom's course in his controversy with Dr. Hammond. We give one of the resolutions, which shows the reason of its adoption—the management of the Asylum had been attacked.

FROM WASHINGTON. The President's Views as to the Southern Outrages—His Information to be Called for—Michigan made Solid Republican by Fraud. [Special dispatch to Baltimore Sun.]

WASHINGTON, December 6.—Very few Southern members of Congress have so far called at the White House. To such as have made their appearance there the President has intimated that he entertains the most kindly feeling for the South...

There is great danger of an uprising among the slaves in Cuba. Grave apprehensions are felt in New York. The elevated railways in New York are to be extended to Harlem river. One of the roads now runs to 80th street, and by January will be running to 130th.

Whist the Liberal leaders in the British Parliament declare that the war with Afghanistan is unnecessary, they also declare that they will support the government in carrying on the war and will vote supplies.

Three troupes are billed for Raleigh. — John Robinson's circus is to be at Raleigh. — The great Janaschek is billed for Charlotte. — Raleigh handled 2,151 bales of cotton last week. — Revenue collections in Fourth District last week \$17,800 00.

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