

ley's advice, "Go West, young man."

It is the people who read papers on Sunday and not the publishers who have the work done on Saturday, who are to be censured by the moralists.

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) tate than be did.

The Wisconsin idea of Civil Service Reform is for a Republican expostmaster to kick into the street his Democratic successor. Do you call that backing your friends?

Gen. Toombs never said he would call the roll of his slaves at the foot of Bunker Hill Monument. But the North started the falsehood and will keep it going to the crack of doom.

A daughter of Major Gilson, an ex Confederate, at Kirkdale, Mo. died on a schooner at sea on its way from New York to Norfolk. She was in destitution. She took her life with morphine.

Consul General Mueller has given offence to the German Government by reporting upon the feeling of that Government towards the United State. A diplomatic correspondence is talked of in Washington.

In endeavoring to exhume the body of Mr. James A. Watson, at Yorkville, S. C., the coffin exploded. The body was interred in 1875. It was of course the gas from the decomposed body that caused it.

O'Hara does not take to Smalls and Smalls does not take to O'Hara, and so of them it cannot be said that they are

"Two souls with but a single thought, Two hearts that beat as one.

If Mr. Carlisle does as he is charged with purposing to do in regard to silver he will make himself unpopular with a majority of his party friends in the House. That is, arrange the Committee on Coinage, &c., with a majority in favor of suspending coinage.

A veteran editor of a largely circulated religious paper in North Carolina writes us on Christmas day "With approval of your opposition to the Blair bill and your course genwas a large congregation present, princierally as editor of the STAR, I remain, pally from the shipping in port, and a lib-&c.," This is the kind of indo ment we like, as it comes from a man chasing an organ for the Chapel. of education, of ability, of observation.

merville, S. C. Wednesday morning and - Capt. Winnett, of the steamer Delahas not since been seen. The owner, suspecting that the chevalier had sold the norse and left for a colder clime, came ing N. W. by N., 13 fathoms water, clear Charleston on Wednesday and telegraphed weather, bright moonlight and smooth sea, the authorities at Wilmington to stop the saw nothing of Hatteras buoy. I passed "excursion party returning home." Nothso close to its true place that I would have ing, however, has yet been heard of the seen and heard it had it been there." missing horse or the fugitive. Br. steamer Ben More, Jenkins, sailed from Liverpool for this port on the 23d of Cotton Receipts and Exports. December. The receipts of cotton at this port for the week ended December 26th, 1885, foot up - Nor. barque Orion; Claussen, from 3,292 bales, as egainst 2,660 bales for the Hamburg for this port, passed Cuxhaven corresponding period of 1884, a decrease of Dec. 19th. - Ger. barque Nodan sailed from Ports-868 bales. mouth for this port Dec. 22d, up 76.664 bales, against 81,770 bales for - Nor, brig San Juan, Bache, from this port, arrived at Montevideo Dec. 23d, leakthe corresponding date in 1884; a decrease ing badly. this year of 5,106 bales. - The steam yachts Victorins and The The total exports from this port since Then, recently in this port, bound south, September 1, 1985, are 65,882; for the same put in at Savannah, Go., on the 38rd inst. period last year 66,488 bales.

ware, at New York, reports as follows :--'At 7 p. m., 23d inst., Hatteras light bear-

- Asheville Advance: About - Asheville Advance: About 4 o'clock yesterday morning a fire was dis-covered burning in the cellar of McCargo & Cordon's new drug store, in the Dr. Hilliard brick store room, on South Main. The efforts of the hose company soon proved successful in extinguishing the fiames, but not until the entire stock was consumed or ruined. The stock was in-sured with Aston & Son for \$1,000, and a soda fountain, which was in the store room, for \$1,000.

- Goldsboro Messenger: The would-be negro ravisher, Hay, at Olinton, who came so near being lynched, had a quick trial one day of last week. He sub-mitted and was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary.

al collection was taken up to aid in p Conversation Between Two Little Misses at the Matince. First Little Lady-You mush't take that seat; it's preserved. Bedond Little Lady-Ohl excuse me. First Little Lady-Who was that young gentleman with your sister this morning? Second Little Lady-The boy in a millinery suit? First Little Lady -Yes; he looked swfully sweet. Second Little Lady-I don't know who it was.

Wasonis. The installation of the officers-elect of Concord Chapler will take place at St. John's Hall at S p. m. Monday. The installation of officers-elect of Bt. John's, Wilmington and Orient Lodges,

will take place at 8 p. m.



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