	the cause of the Cubans was the cul-	THE SHIP SUBSIDY GRAB.	AT NAZABETH.	SPIRITS TURPENTINE.	It isn't the bodily sickness that hurts a	COMMERCIAL.	MARINE DIRECTORY.
PUBLISHER'S ANNOUNCEMENT.	mination of that policy which began	Some of the most outspoken and	THOMAS WALSH.	- Smithfield Herald: Last Fri-	man. He could stand that fairly well if fils mind were easy. But Americans are busy.	WILMINGTON MARKET.	List of Vessels In the
THE MORNING STAR, the oldest daily news- paper in North Carolina, is published daily ex- cept Monday \$3.0) a year. \$150 for six months,	in the purchase of territory belong-	vigorous opponents of the proposed		day morning. Leone, the nine year	They have work to do-plans to make		Dec. 24. 190.
cept Monday \$5.0) a year, \$150 for the months, \$1.3) for three months, 50 cents for one month to mail subscribers Delivered to city sub-	ing to European monarchies.	ship subsidy scheme are papers pub-	From the black embers of the wintry	old daughter of our townsman Mr. W.	ers" They line up their incomes as soon	STAR OFFICE, Dec. 23.	STEA MSHITE.
scribers at the rate of 45 cents per monent to	There never was a step taken in all these proceedings that the self-	lished in our leading shipping port <sup>1</sup> , which should be especially interested	The West withdraws the reddening	L. Woodall was fatally burned. While passing too near the fire, it is sup-	as they receive them or re-invest them with the idea of increase. They cannot	SPIRITS TURPENTINE-Market steady at 48 cents per gallon for	Laurelwood (Br), 1,595 tons. M.
ADVERTIVIN + RATES (UAILI) - Onesser	government of the people was not		flame of day; So ends the seventh annual of my	nosed the clothing caught and before	afford to be sick. Sickness is a calamity-	machine made casks and 471/2 cents	Aquila (Nor), 1 407 tons
four days \$3.00; nve days \$150; one mo th.	kept in view, and stepping outside	marine. They are interested in that,	birth-	was so hadly burned that she died	as well as a phys-	per gallon for country casks. ROSIN—Market firm at \$1.10	Actron (B-) 9 1104
\$10 00; two months, \$17.00; three months, \$60 00 Ten	of our domain we gave the world to	but they see through the fraud of	And see! a Star-to mock our brazier		ical one. So the sick man worries,	per barrel for strained and \$1.15 for	Astrea (Br), 2,110 tons. Barry, Bracket. burg. Alexander Sprunt & Son. Haslingden (Br), 1,290
six months, show; twento make one square lines of solid Nonpariel type make one square THE WEEKLY STAR is published every Fri- day m rain; at \$1.00 per year, 60 cents for six	understand through the Monroe	this subsidy business, concocted for	Dost thou remember how at hours like	- Kinston Free Press: Mr. G. P. Fleming, secretary of the Kinston	and the more he worries, the	good strained. TAR—Market steady at \$1.25 per	Haslingden (Br), 1,220 tons, Higgin E Peschau & Co.
months 30 cents for three months. Festiva's B.I.S.	declaration that the European Mon-	the benefit of a lot of sharpers who	Yes, mother, I was not too young to	tobacco board of trade, reports the	sicker he	DDI OF 280 108.	SCHOONWAR
All announce he is of meetings Political Meet- Hops Pichics Society meetings Political Meet- ings &c., will be charged regular advertising	archies must keep their hands ou	have combined to raid the Treasury,	know-	amount of tobacco sold during the five months ending Dec. 21, as 8,327,993	Worry is a	firm at \$1.60 per barrel for hard,	B I Hazard 373 ton
rates. Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has e pired charged transient		and therefore they expose it and op- pose it. The New York Journal of	LUY ADOCS,	pounds. There was paid out for this tobacco \$540,584 19 being an average	good thing at the right	\$2.80 for dip and — for virgin. Quotations same day last year.—	George Harriss, Son & Co.
contracted for has a pirel charged in animum rates for time actually published. No advertisements inserted in Local Columns	lowed our example.	Commerce and Commercial Bulletin	And, opening wide our rustic coffer,	\$6.70 per hundred. This average takes	time. The		Abbie G Cole, 232 tons, Cole, Geoma Harriss, Son & Co.
at a y price.	the Philippines? Was their posses-	is, as its name implies, a commercial	The Magi's golden tributes treasured	in all the scrap sold.	feel a symptom of sickness-worry about	rosin, nothing doing; tar firm at \$1.10; crude turpentine firm at \$1.30@	BARQUES.
caldidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged	sion necessary to protect and guard	paper, published in the greatest	there; The casket with its heap of gleaming	- Elizabeth City Economist: There seems to be some hitch in the	it—do something about it—cure yourself. When you begin to feel run-down—when	2.30, \$2.30.	Louise (Nor) 620 tons Tommaten
as advertisements. Payments for transient advertisemen's must	the Republic? Did they abut, as	commercial center of the country,	stories	oyster business. There has been a	a twinge of rheumatism tells you plainly that your blood is impaired—when you	DECENDED	
be made in advance. Known parties, or strangers with proper refere ce, may pay monthly or quarter according to contract.	Gov. Roosevelt expresses it, upon	and one that has no partisanship and	rare;	strike among the oyster catchers in the lower sounds, which has doubled	are losing flesh and vitality, go to the	Spirits turpentine	M C Haskell, 277 tors m
Memittances mist be mad by Cherk uraft, Postal soney Ord r. Express or in Registered	our territory and make their prox-	no political bias. It discusses ques-	The incense arks, the myrrh's be-	the price of oysters at the factories, and has depressed the business. The	nearest drug store and get a bottle of Dr Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It	Rosin	George Harriss, Son & Co.
Letter. Only such remittances will be at the	to them in the same straight-	tions of this character from a purely economic and business standpoint.	With countless hieroglyphs graven	oyster trade is one of our most impor-	is the greatest blood purifier and tissue	Crude turpentine	When You Want a Nice Xmas
Communications, unless they contain impor- tant news or discuss bri fly and properly sub-	forward, honest and unquestionable		o'er; These wouldst thou lift into my haby	tant industries and it should not be	and all other blood diseases by curing the	Casas spirite turpentine, 247 0018	Present for a Gentleman, Don's Formas
jects of real interest, are not way they and, if ac- ceptable is every o her way, they will invari- ably b-rejected if the real name of the author		8878:	hands	- Durham Herald: The small	cause. It purifies the blood and puts the blood making organs into good, healthy,	rosin, 295 bbls tar, 9 bbls crude tur-	Old Priend
is with yeld.	the other purchases? By what	"Mr Henry W. Peabody is an	Till lap and breast and arms could hold	child of George Holloway was burned	working order. It tones up the stomach,	COTTON	
spect Re clutions of Thanks, de., are club bed	title do we hold them any way?	American shipowner of long and wide experience, but he does not seem par	Then, pouring out the precious incense	to death at his home near Bragtown. His wife had occasion to go some dis-	stirs up the liver, helps the kidneys in their work and puts suffering nerves at	Market steady on a basis of 7c per pound for middling. Quotations:	The second second
rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announce-	President McKinley says by con-	ticularly impressed with the advan-	Over the brazier coals, while all the	tance from the house to get a bucket of water and left the child in the house	rest. It contains no whisky, alcohol, opium or other dangerous drugs and	Ordinary 4 9-16 cts # 1b	
ment of Marriage or Death. Advertisements inserted once a week in Dally will be charg d \$1.0) per equare for each inser-	quest and purchase. If we con-	tages of the Hanna-Payne Subsidy bill. He has observed, what no one	Grew white with wreathing odors	by the fire; when she returned she	does not, therefore, create a craving for stimulants or narcotics.	Good ordinary 5 15 16 " " Low middling 6 9 16 " "	
tion. Every other day three-fourths of daily	quered them there was no need to purchase. But Judge Day, one of	can be blind to, 'that the promoters of	sanctified,	found the chi d in the yard dead with his clothing burned from his body. It	The Sharpshurg	Middling	
Contract advertisers wil not be allowed to	the gentlemen whom Mr. McKinley	the measure are our shipbuilders and a few owners of steamships, most of	Thou wouldst prostrate thyself amid the gloom.	is supposed that the child played in	Washington Co., Md., writes: I was in bush	Good middling 7½ "" Same day last year middling 5½c.	
to their r-gular business without extra charge at transient rates. Adverteements kep under the bead of "New	sent to negotiate peace with Spain,	which are now sailed under the Eng- lish flag.' The interest of the shipbuild	Sweet mother, on the ground before	the fire and its clothing caught and that it ran into the yard in its fright.	months; couldn't walk at all. I tried the best doctors I could get but they did me no good. I took three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medi-	Receipts—334 bales; same day last year, 1,683.	HAMME, THE HATTER.
Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent.	and who presided over the Paris	ers in a measure for the payment of	thy child. To-night there is no incense for thy	- Durham Sun: Mr. Norman	cal Discovery and it cured me sound. I came home to Sharpsburg and there were three cases	COUNTRY PRODUCE.	No. 26 North Front street dec 12 tf
Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any specia placs, will be charged	Commission, says the commission	Who will buy a ship of them is outlous	Son; The shill wind finds the bregier	Dunnigan, who lives six miles north of Durham, has perhaps one of the	of different diseases. I advised the patients to	PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime 85c. Extra prime, 90c per	
ertra according to the position desired.	made no claim on the ground of	enough, but why should other people be quite so ready to see in such a m a-	black as death:	oldest horses in the county. It is so	all were cured. I have sold over one hundred	hushal of 98 nounds; fanor \$1.050	BAKING POWDER
The Mooming Star.	conquest, but purchased, and offered Spain such a sum of money as they	sure a promotion of national welfare?	Nay, do not kneel-here, here, my breast upon.	far as we have any record at this writ- ing. This horse is 33 years of age,	ple how it cured me. You can write to our drug- gist, Mr. G. F. Smith, in our town and he will tell you what I did for you in regard to selling and advertising your great remedies."	Virginia-Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c.	
	had reason to believe she would ac-	The shipbuilders alone were unable to secure the appropriation they were af	Let starlight show the vapor of thy breath.	and his teeth have worn down to the gums to such an extent that he		CORN—Firm: 52 to 52½ cents per bushel for white,	48 Cases Horsfords. 98 Cases Good Luck.
BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.	cept. They did this, conceding	ter so they associated with themselves	-The New Lippincott.	is unable to masticate his food.	WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.	ROUGH RICE-Lowland (tide-	40 Cases Rez
WILMINGTON, N. C.	that Spain was still the owner, and	the owners of vessels built abroad, or to be built abroad before a certain date,		For several years Mr. Dunnigan has been feeding him on soaked		water) 90c@\$1.10; upland, 65@80c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to	23 Cases Blue Ribbon.
SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 24.	asserting no claim by force of arms.	on condition that they would also dis- burse a certain amount of money with	SUNDAY SELECTIONS.	corn. It is unable to eat this now, and his diet is meal. Mr. Dunnigan	The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market price	the bushel.	85 Cases Parrott & Monkey, 40 Cases Assorted A. & B. Soda
the second s	Because it was wise to expand across this continent, to remove	the shipbuilders. When the shipown-	SUNDAT SELECTIONS.	says he is going to take good eare of	of the exticles anoted	N. C. BACON-Steady; hams 10 to 11c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8c;	23 Cases Quarters A & F
<b>ROOSEVELTIAN BOT</b> . Governor Roosevelt, of New York,	what might become menacing	ers who have pooled their interests with the builders have secured Amer-	- Fretting and swearing are first	the horse for what he has been and will nurse him and feed him as long as he	Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged.	sides, 7 to 8c.	11 Cases Halves A. & H.
one of the most intelerant of the	powers, thus get control of the de-	ican registry and a share of the reve-	cousins.	lives and wants him to die a natural	BAGGING-	SHINGLES—Per thousand, five- inch hearts and saps, \$2.25 to 3.25;	15 Cases Nickle A. & H. 10 Cases Pounds A. & H.
expansionists, who can see no hon-	sirable territory and be made	nues from taxation on account of their foreign built ships already in ser-	- Patience is the secret charm of greatness.	death.	2 D Jute	six-inch. \$4.00 to 5.00; seven-inch, \$5.50 to 6.50.	
esty or patriotism in those who dif-	stronger for protection and defence,	vice, or ordered in anticipation of this subsidy bill, and then attempt to fulfill	- The grumbler never helps; his	CURRENT COMMENT.	Hams B D 1516 CA 15	TIMBER-Market steady at \$3.50 to	W. B. COOPER,
fer from him, has recently written	should we expand on the other hemis-	their part of the contract by ordering	purpase is to hinder.	CORRENT COMMENT	Sides 9 D 5% 6 6 Shoulders 9 D 0 6	9.00 per M	dec 17 tf Wilmington, N.C.
for the New York Independent an	phere from which he had nothing	ships of the American builders, they will find, if they have the experience	- You can't whine and shine at	After all Creek Britain has	Bides # D 5 0 61/2 Shoulders # D 6 6	FINANCIAL MARKETS.	
article on peace, which is really an	to fear and against which we had no need to guard, and thus make our-	of French ship owners, that the cost	the same time. — Pouting and stubbornness are	After all Great Britain has to rely on two Irishmen, Roberts	BARRELS-Spirits Turpentine-		STATEMENT OF
article in favor of war for expansion, from which we clip the following :	selves weaker instead of stronger?	of ship-building has been advanced in proportion to the Government sub-	the fruits of selfishness.	and Kitchener, to rescue the empire	Second-hand, each 1 15 @ 1 20 New New York, each @ 1 35	By Telegraph to the Morning Star.	Atlantia National Dank
"Of course, our whole National his	If we do carry out the policy of	sidy. Mr. Peabody anticipates that	- Selfishness is the band of the	from the military muddle into which	New City, each	NEW YORK, December 23.—Money on call steady at 4 per cent, ruling rate	Atlantic National Bank,
tory has been one of expansion. Un-	forcible expansion and plant our	the American owners of ships now under foreign flags would have, un	- God's first act after the crea-	English politicians and generals have brought it.—Chicago News, Ind.	Wilmington ¥ M 5 00 @ 7 00 Northern 9 00 @ 14 00	- per cent. Prime mercantile pa- per 6 per cent. Sterling exchange	WILMINGTON N. C.
der Washington and Adams we ex panded westward acros: the continent	flag and keep it over the mixed peo-	der the proposed bill, on an enlarged	tion was the organization of a home.	- A New England bishop says	North Carolina 9 D 18 Ø 20	was steady; actual business in bank	At the Close of Business Dec. 2nd, 1899, Con-
to the mouth of the Columbia; under	ples of those islands they will become	scale, the supremacy, if not the mo- nopoly, of American commerce for a	- Kindness is a characteristic of	that there are plenty of children in	CORN MEAL-	ers' bills was at 487¼ for demand and 480¾ @481 for sixty days. Posted	densed from Report to Comptroller.
Monroe we expanded into Florida, and then into Texas and California; and fi	our weak spot which in case of war	series of years to come.'"	oulture, as craelty is a characteristic of barbarity.		Per bushel, in sacks 46 0 47% Virginia Meal 0 47% OOTTON TIES y bundle 0 1 10	rates 481%@482 and 488@488%. Com-	RESOURCES.
cally, largely through the instrumen ta.ity of Seward, into Alaska; while	with other nations will invite at- tack, and the more valuable we	The Brooklyn Citizen, represent-	- Regrets are not the worst	age who have never heard of the Lord's prayer! And still New En-	Sperm	mercial bills 480@480½. Silver certifi cates 58½@59½. Bar silver 59½. Mex-	Loans
under every administration the process	make them the more they will invice	ing a constituency closely allied to	things in life. We would never have experienced them if we had not re-	gland is sending missionaries into	Adamantine 8 @ 11	ican dollars 47 1/4. Government bonds	Banking House and Fixtures 10.000
of expansion in the great plains and the Rockies has continued with	attack, and the more it will cost us	the general commercial center for which the Journal of Commerce and	of that which caused them, and there-	all parts of the world.—Atlanta Constitution, Dom.	Northern Factory 16 0 18 Dairy Cream 0 18	strong. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds strong. U S. 2's, reg'd, 1021/2;	Due from other banks 169 169 99
growing rapidity. While we had a	to defend them.	Commercial Bulletin speaks, pre-	by attained a higher moral view pointt		8tate	U. S.3's, reg'd, 1101/2; do.coupon, 1101/2;	Cash on hand
frontier the chief feature of frontier life was the endless war between the	In his third message to Congress	sents the following object-lesson,	- The way through the Red sea was safe enough for Israel, but not for	dence that the two great English	Laguyra	U. S. new 4's, reg'd, 1341's; do. cou- pon, 1341's; U. S. old 4's, reg'd, 1141's; do.	Total\$1,592 2311 LIA BILITIES.
settlers and the red men. Sometimes	Washington said that the American	showing that our shipowners and	Pharaoh. He had no business to go	speaking nations should at the same	Sheeting, 4-4, 19 yard 0 514 Yarns 18 bunch of 5 105. 0 70	coupon, 1151/2; U. S. 5's, registered.	Capital \$ 195100 m
the immediate occasion for the war	people might consider themselves	builders do not need subsidies and	that way. It was a private road God	time be engaged in the same charac-	EGGS-P dozen 18 Ø 20	1134; do. coupon, 1134; N. C. 6's 127: do. 4's. 107: Southern Railway 5's	Surplus and undivided profits 10.584 Circulation

settlers the immediate occasion for the war to be found in the conduct of the whites and sometimes in that of the reds, but the ultimate cause was simply that we were in contact with a country held by savages and half Were we abut on Canada savages. there is no danger of war, nor is their any danger where we abut on the well settled regions of Mexico. But elsewhere war had to continue until we expanded over the country. Then it was succeeded at once by a peace which has remained unbroken to the present day. In North America, as elsewhere throughout the entire world, the expansion of a civlized nation has iavariably meant the growth of the area in which peace is normal through out the world

"The same will be true of the Philippines. If the men who have counselled National degradation, National dishonor, by urging us to leave the Philippines and put the Aguinaldan oligarchy in control of those islands could have their way, we should merely turn them over to rapine and ble odshed until some stronger, manlier Power stepped in to do the task we had shown ourselves fearful of performing. But as it is, this country will keep the is and and will establish therein a stable and orderly government, so that one more fair spot of the world's surface shall have been snatched from the forces of darkness. Fundamentally the cause of expansion is the cause of peace.

"It is only the warlike power of a civilized people that can give peace to the world. The Arab wrecked the civilization of the Mediterranean coasts: the Turk wrecked the civilization of Southeastern Europe, and the Tartar desolated from China to Russia and to Persia, setting back the progress of the world for centuries; solely because the civilized nations opposed to them had lost the grand fighting qualities, and in becoming overpeaceful, had lost the power of keep iog peace with a strong hand."

"Our whole national history has been one of expansion," but it wasn't expansion by gun and sword, but by peaceful and honorable methods, which involved no breach of faith and no butchering of people who relied upon our professions and hailed us as their deliverers. There isn't an inch of the territory acquired by the United States before the discreditable purchase of the Philippines, which was not honestly acquired, and there wasn't a foot of it that was had to fight to establish our supremacy over after the purchase. All the territory purchased was practically an unpeopled wilderness before purchase, and the best of reasons could be given for the purchase and not a mercenary one among them.

To protect the Republic and make it strong it must have room enough to grow and guard against hostile powers being established on its borders. To get supremacy on the continent it was necessary to get rid of the powers, as far as practicable, that might some day contest that supremacy and become troublesome. For such reasons these purchases

people might consider themselves fortunate in having the Atlantic ocean for a barrier. That is one without them: thing that gives us little to fear "Orders to build four large freight from the aggressions of other naand passenger steamships for service tions, one reason why we had so between New York and New Orleans have been placed with the Newport few foreign complications, and per-News, Va., Shipbuilding Company by sued our destiny of development the Morgan Line Steamship Company and progress with little hindrance These will make twelve vessels built there for this company. from other powers, because we con-'Ordinarily, although the new shipe fined ourselves to our own domain will involve an aggregate cost of \$2,and didn't meddle with them nor 400,000, it might not be deemed a sub ject of editorial comment; but, in view get mixed up in their schemes or of the monstrous job embodied in the complications, the very thing that bill which Hanna in the Senate and Sereno Payne in the House are strivthe Fathers of the Republic warned ing to get through Congress to author us against. ize a raid on the public treasury for

the sole benefit of shipbuilders and They believed in expansion, honowners, who do not need any assist est, legitimate expansion, not exance at all, it is worth while to take pansion by knavery and force. notice of the incident. "That neither the Morgan Line That's the difference between their wners nor the Newport News shipexpansion and the kind that Roosebuilders are in need of any public aid velt utters his rot to defend. . to carry on their business, is perfectly

they could not do so, the owners THE BLOODIEST WAR.' would not be increasing their fleet from eight to twelve, which they are There has been a good deal of doing without a subsidy, paying the wild talk about the bloody fighting builders a fair profit thereon, of course, for the sufficient reason that the new in South Africa. Gen. Methuen ressels are needed in their business, was probebly excited when ho telewhich is the only proper reason why new vessels should be or ever will be graphed that the battle in which he built, except under the unwholesome got worsted was the " bloodiest in stimulus of a subsidy whereby the history." It was a pretty lively people would be made to pay for vesracket, considering that there were sels not wanted." not more than 1,000 Boers, and 3,-If the ship builders can build 000 British soldiers participating in ships for the Morgan line for coast it, but the small number killed in business, why can't they build ships proportion to the number of men for trans-oceanic business? They have built some, some very fine ones. engaged, does not bear out the assertion that it was an extraordinary and they would build more if these 'bloody" affair. subsidy schemes were killed and it The remarkable thing about all

were definitely decided that there these battles, in view of the reports would be no tapping the Treasury of the storm of shot and shell, the to put money in their pockets.

accuracy of the marksmanship, the destructive capacity of the guns em-A year or so ago Mr. Lawson, of ployed, and the fearful explosives Boston, who seems to have a weakused is not that there are so many ness for fine flowers, paid \$30,000 killed and wounded, but that there for a carnation which he thought are so few, and that so many escape. could not be equalled. He felt so Senator Depew called attention a proud of it, and so sure that it few days ago to the contrast between could not be matched that he offered the casualties in this " bloodiest of prise of \$10,000 to any one who wars," and the casualties in our civil would produce its equal. And now war when American found Amerinew York florist has not only done can, and no such machine guns and that but produced one that puts his destructive explosives were used as away in the back ground. The new are now used. Alluding to the losses flower is three and a half inches in of the British armies in South Afridiameter, possesses an entirely new ca, he is quoted as saying,

kind of foliage and remains open for "These losses thus far aggregate ten days. .000 killed, 3,000 wounded and 2 000 taken prisoners, Senator Depew significantly remarks that 'those of us who remember the Civil War and were more or less in it recollect 23,000 "Awful anxiety was felt for the killed and wounded on the Union side in the battle of Gettysburg; we rewidow of the brave General Burnham of M chias, Me., when the doctors member about 10 000 a day killed and said she could not live till morning." wounded in the battles of the Wilderwrites Mrs. W. H. Lincoln, who at ness for seven days in succession.' But tended her that fearful night. "All in spite of these unparalleled horrors. thought she must soon die from pneu-

the country maintained its calm and 'business did not lose its head.'" monia. But she begged for Dr. King's It isn't easy to excite the English-

that way. It was a private road God builders do not need subsidies and had opened up for his own family .-that ships can be bullt and operated Thos. Rhys Davies.

both times.

est '"

tumes."-Life.

Times Herald

great problem.

cousin.

plain from the facts above stated. If

A Night of Terror.

- I believe that this world utterly what does not appeal to the sympaand absolutely needs Christ and His thies of Christendom as right .-life, and that without Christ and His Augusta Chronicle, Dem. life this world is, without any reference to the future, a lost and dying world. -Robert E Speer.

- Each must, for the most part, live his own life; and, until motives are visible and can be unerringly interpreted, they should not be criticised adversely. Life should be held to a finer strain than one of fret and jar.-Lillian Whiting.

TWINKLINGS.

trust your husband implicitly."

Gyer-"yes-to a certain extent."

- Mrs. Myer-"I suppose you

- She-"I suppose you were pre-

sented at court while in London?"

He-"Yes, twice, but I was acquitted

- You can't always judge a man

- "The tallest pole knocks the

persimmons." "Lots you know about the country; if you wait long enough

- A Term of Comparison-She-

He - "Why?" She-"It im-

"I wish you wouldn't call me 'dear-

plies that there are others."-Brooklyn

- Substantially Correct: Johnny

"Pa!" Pa-"Yes." Johnny-"Is

- Jaggles-"What's the differ

ence between grand and comic opera?'

Waggles -"In grand opera it's the

women in the boxes and not on the

stage who wear the shocking cos-

- "I just learned to-day," said

"A single life is awfully tire-

Mrs. Wederly, "that my husband is leading a double life." "Well, I don't bame him much," replied her spinster

-Another Pessimist Heard From:

'Truth is stranger than fiction, you

know." "Yes, and It's a good deal

more entertaining than most of the

fiction we get nowadays."-Chicago

- "What we need is an elastic

currency," said Mr. Geezer. who was

elucidating the money aituation to his

wife. "Then why dosen't the govern-

ment print bank notes on thin sheets

of rubber?" demanded Mrs. Geezer,

with the air of one who has solved a

- One of the most plusible

arguments for the interference of

the Government to check recurring

panics in the money market is based

financial policy is largely responsi-

ble for the mischief which it thus

seeks to counteract. The Secre-

tary of the Treasury, being in the

banking business, must aid banks in

relieving the congestions which they

are deprived of the means of pre-

venting. This policy of poultice

delays the application of the real

on the fact that the Government's

an Indian reservation a place where

the Indians are allowed to live until

the white men want it?"-Puck.

they'll drop."-Indianapolis Journal

by his clothes; but you can, some

times, get some idea of him by his

wife's clothes. - Tit Bits.

-He feel on his knees before her: "I will do anything to prove my love for you," he said, "I will go to the ends of earth if necessary. No task that you may set me can be too diffi-

Mrs.

cult, too hazardous. Only tell me what I can do to convince you-'You might marry me," she suggested simply. BY RIVER AND RAIL.

> Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

ter of war against an inferior power;

and seeking to compel by might

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W. & W. Railroad-113 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 29 barrels tar W. C. & A. Railroad-5 bales eotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 139 barrel rosin, 194 barrels ta , 21 barrels

crude turpentine. A. & Y. Railroad-20 bales cotton. 16 casks spirits turpentine, 291 barrels

C. C. Railroad-92 bales cotton, casks spirits turpentine, 13 barrels rosin, 74 barrels tar, 66 barrels crude turpentine. Steamer A. P. Hurt-3 bales cot-

ton, 26 casks spirits turpentine, 117 barrels rosin, 277 barrels tar. Total-Cotton, 434 bales; spirits turpentine, 63 casks; rosin, 268 bar-

rels; tar, 865 barrels; crude turpentime, 87 baurels.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Thomas' Church; Sunday ser-St. vises: First mass and holy communion, 7 A. M.; high mass, 10.30 A. M. No evening service.

First Presbyterian Church: Divine services at 11 A. M. and 4 30 P. M., conducted by Rev. Hay Watson Smith. Sunday school at 3.30 P. M. Prayer meeting on Thursdays at 8 P. M. Public cordially invited.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev. A. G. Voigt pastor. To-day German service, with holy communion at 11 A. M. Preparatory service at 10 30 A. M. English service at 7.30 P. M. To-morrow, Christmas service in English at 11 A M First Baptist Church, Rev. Calvin Blackwell, D. D., pastor. 11 A. M., "Gleams from the Star of Bethle-hem." At 7 30 P. M., "Discord in the Angel Choir; Instead of Peace, War on Earth." Special music by quar-

tette. St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, North Fourth street, above Bladen, Rev. G. D. Bernheim pastor. Morning service at 11 o'clock. No service at night. Sunday school at 9 30 A. M. Christmas day service at 11 A. M. All seats free, and every person welcome.

St. James Church, fourth Sunday in Advent. Services, 11 A. M., n orning prayer, ante-communion, sermon; 3.4 P. M.; teac ers' meeting in the Sunday school: 4.15 P. M. Sunday school: 5 P. M., chilaren's Christmas service. Christmas day: Divine service at 11 o'clock. Public cordially invited. Services in St. John's Church to day,

fourth Sanday in Advent, by the rector, Rev. Dr. Carmichael. Holy

RIO	pon,134¼;U. S. old 4's, reg'd,114½;do.	LIABILITIES.
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GRAIN-S bushel- Corn,from store, bgs-White 52 6 52}		October 1892. dec 8 tf
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Clover Hay	turpentine was steady at 48c; sales 172	we known you remember the place w get the best Xmas Goods. But let u remind you that more Xmas Goods
Eastern	easks; receipts 424 casks; exports 157 casks. Rosin firm; sales 1,562	than usual will be sold this season. and we have bought to supply our
North Biver	barrels; receipts 3,726 barrels; exports	customers-
- Northern	6,577 barrels.	Cocoanuts, Oranges, Apples,
LIME, 9 barrel 1 15 @ 1 25 LUMBER (city sawed) 9 M ft- Ship Stuff, resawed 18 00 @ 20 00	PRODUCE MARKETS.	Mixed Nuts, Candies, Cakes, Firecrackers, Cigars,
Bough edge Plank 15 00 (2) 15 00	the second se	Cigarettes, Fancy Goods
West India cargoes, accord- ing to quality 13 00 @ 18 00 Dressed Flooring, seasoned. 18 00 @ 22 00	By Telegraph to the Morning Star. NEW YORK, December 23,-With	and Everything.
Scantling and Board, com'n 14 00 (2 15 00 Common mill	the Produce Exchange, Cotton Ex-	We get the best prices for you Turkeys and Eggs. Enough said
Fair mill	change, Coffee Exchange, Metal Ex- change and other trade centers closed	Come along.
Extra mill 10 00 @ 10 50 MOLASSES F gallon- Barbadoes, in hegshead @ 25	and the markets in general more or	T. D. LOVE, 24 North Water Street
Barbadoes, in Darreis (2) 25	less in holiday form, business in com- mercial commodities was practically	and the second se
Porto Rico, in hogsheads 25 @ 30 Porto Rico, in barrels 25 @ 30 Bugar House, in hogsheads. 12 @ 14	suspended, leaving values more or less	Steamer for Fayetteville Mondays and Thursdays. Passengers, freight and towage For rates apply to T D. LOVE
Sugar House, in barrels 14 @ 15	nominal at the closing ligures of Friday. In the open market for spot	dec 12 tr General Agent
PORK, # barrel-	coffee, business was inactive with a weak undertone on the basis of 6% c	NEWS AND OPINIONS
City Mess 10 00 0 10 50 Bump 0 9 50 Prime 0 9 00	for number 7. Rio invoice lots, and	2040-20513 // //
BOPE 9 D 10 6 22	seven and a quarter cents for jobbing parcels. Molasses and syrups were in-	, of
BALT, % sack, Alum	active but nominally steady at former	National Importance.
On 195 19 Sacha 60 60	quotations. Rice was quiet and steady without change in price. Sugar was	THE SUN
Common	also unchanged in price with raw and	ALONE
SUGAR, W D-Standard Gran'd 540 54 Standard A 440 5 White Extra C	stores were slow of sale, closing steady	
Extra C, Golden	for spirits turpentine, firm for rosin and dull for tar at unchanged prices.	CONTAINS BOTH.
SOAP, 9 D-Northern	Butter-Receipts 2,741 packages:	
R. O. Hogshead	market strong; western creamery 23@ 27c; do.factory 15%@20c; June cream-	Daly, by mail, \$6 a year
Mill, Fair	ery 22@25%c; imits tion creamery 17 @22c; State dairy 18@25c; State crean-	Daily and Sunday, by mail, \$8 a) <sup>ear</sup>
Inferior to ordinary 8 50 @ 5 00 SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed	ery 23@27c. Cheese-Receipts 2.842	· · · · · ·
9 M 6x24 heart 7 50 Ø 8 50 " Sap 5 00 Ø 6 09	packages; market firm: fall made fancy small 124 @13c; fall made large fancy	The Sunday Sun
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