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SPACE. SPACE.	000 less, and if we add to this the \$38,000,000 deficiencies they would be \$173,000,000 less, and if we add to this the \$24,000,000 tacked on by	make it promptly available for circu- lation where most wanted. If it was the people of one section of the country would not be paying from twelve to eighteen per cent, interest while in other sections they can get all they want at from four to six per cent.	of St. Patrick's Day as has always been customa with the society. Early in the day a large United States flag with the flag of Erin was holsted on the staff on the roof of the Society's hall on North Third street. At 9.80 o'clock a procession was formed at the hall, under command of Maj. Jas. Reilly, and marched to St.	D. L. Moody, the great evangelist, is with us. His fame is world-wide; his power over men, his magnetism, his forceful, pungent, and original manner of opening up the Scriptures have for years drawn multitudes to sit at his feet and learn of Him whose love and salva- tion he preaches. It has been said of	right. The Bible shows us that glory follows grace—grace leads up to glory.— Rom. 5: 1-2. Here are three things: grace, peace, glory. Christ made peace at the cross—that is past; grace is for the present, and glory is for the future. But some ask about death. Will we have grace to sustain us in that hour?	Dorcas had only a needle, but see how many needles she set in motion, and how many needles have executed mis- sions of love and mercy through her in- spiration. Don't try to do some great thing. God will bless the weakest effort to serve Him. Mary had no idea what she was doing when she broke that ala-	completely turned. Willcox and Ha ley were acquitted and Pittman was set tended to the penitentiary for ten yea — John D. Shaw was tried in the S perior Court last Friday for the murd of lake Toran here on the 26th of la December. It was alleged at the tin of the shooting that Shaw shot Tor for stepping on his toes. The jury ter bearing all the evidence in the co	
tered at the Post Office at Wilmtgton, N. C., as Second Class Matter.] SUBSCRIPTION PRICE. he subscription price of the Weekly Star is as over: [le Copy 1 year, postage paid	000 less. In other words, the Dem- ocratic House of the Fifty-second Congress had to appropriate nearly \$200,000,000 more than would have been necessary if it had not been for the laws passed by the Fifty-first Congress and for the additions made	The people who have money to lend at six per cent. and the people who can borrow it at six per cent. do not see any necessity for an increase in the volume of currency, while those who haven't any to lend and those who have to pay from twelve	Thomas' Catholic Church. Rev. Patrick J. Quinn, of Fayetteville, celebrated the high mass. After the gospel, the Bishop, Rev. Leo Haid. ascended the altar and delivered a very appropriate address. He referred to the influence of Christianity on society at large, as on the individual family. "The basis of	Mr. Moody, "he sings an old song to the tune of a new lute," and his power to clothe the old message of salvation in new and living colors seems to be one of his chiel attractions. It is no wonder then that when the Champion Compress was again thrown open for religious uses that the audience of several thousand which greeted this	Christian. If we have taken eternal life death cannot touch it. The familiar passage, "though I walk through the valley and shadow of death" is often misquoted "the dark valley." There can be no shadow in the dark—light	greatest tribute paid her ever given to mortal—"she hath done what she could." I'd rather have that tribute than a mon- ument of solid gold over my grave. It has been told as a memorial of her in three hundred and fifty languages. What if every one here was willing to do what	and carefully weighing the same brow in a serdict of not guilty. — Stanly News: Eben Burleys a good citizen of four miles west of placs was found in an old field wi was using swept by a fire last Mone His dothes were badly burned scorched and his hair singed, but person bore no evidence of severe juries outwardly. The burning fi	
MONUMENTAL CHEEK. We always did admire the cheek of a orthodox Republican organ nder who, when it comes to impu- nce of assertion, is surpassed by thing in animated creation. But netimes this display of cheek be-	the Democratic Congress, as hey call it, appropriated more money and was more reckless than the Republican	to eighteen per cent. interest for what they borrow do. For thirty years the men who now control the volume of money in this country have controlled it and dic- tated the financial policies, and there never was a proposition made the	our laws, literature, art, is Catholic, so much so that even where great minds like Goethe labored to create a pagan ideal, the result was Christian in essence The foundation for temporal happiness, success and prosperity is laid in Christian ethics; all hopes beyond the grave are given by Christianity. Hence the special	wonderful man at his first service in this city was a striking reminder of the scenes of the Pearson meeting, the memory of which is still sweet to our people. He is of medium statute, but very rotund, and has a genial face, with iron-	neral sermon. He broke up every fu- neral he ever attended. Death cannot exist where He is. Have you got grace enough to <i>live</i> by, is the question. If I was worth fifty thousand a year and lived on two dollars a week, you'd think I was the stingiest man in North Caro-	He here gave a very touching incident of a lady of wealth and culture who took as her especial charge a poor waif of a boy, teaching him in Sunday school until his father, who, after repeated floggings given him for going, offered him Saturday afternoons to play if he	led parties to the scene, and when for Mr. Burleyson was entirely unconsc and could not have lasted much lo in that condition. A large scar on nose would indicate that a struggle ensue but as the whole event is cl ed in systery it is not known. He since seguined consciousness, but remember nothing concerning the ev which came near costing his lite.	
mes so colossal that it proves too vere a strain on our admiration d borders so closely on the stupid to become ludicrous. These Re- blican organ grinders are now en- ged in the congenial work of crit- sing the last Congress for its sins	Congress which preceded it, and the table is manipulated with this view; out Mr. Holman, chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, has published a statement showing that this is not true, and the following statement of the Washington corres-	purpose of which was to make money more plentiful that they didn't ob- ject to as tending to "inflation" and a disturbance of money values. They predicted disaster when the move was made to remonetize silver and although the volume of the currency	love Catholics bear toward those saints who brought to the world the glad tidings of faith; hence the affectionate devotion the Irish race entertains to St. Patrick, the apostle of their nation. The Bishop then showed the close relation existing between religion and patriotism, and proved that love of country was, next	conduct.d by Rev. A. D. McClure, as- sisted by Mr. Moody, he announced as his text, Titus, 2nd chap., 11th to 15th	of heaven to draw from. What a grand thing it would be if you'd make a run on the bank of Heaven! Srd. Grace to live it out. The grace of God is to make us more zealous.	day, and when, by accident he was killed by a train, he left as his dying message to her that he died a Christian. That woman, he said, will be no stranger in heaven—there will be one to meet and welcome her there.	last accounts he was doing well. — Sanford Express: We pleaser to learn that a Philadel company have plans on foot for building of a large cotton factor Monore, Chatham county. It is that it will be one of the largest co mills in the State, costing about \$ 000. There is a great deal of co	
omission and commission. The of commission consists in having led to amend the McKinley tariff ich they say every Democratic ator in the land and every Demo atic paper denounced before the	Object. Object. Object. Object. Pifty-first. Pifty-fi	has since been "inflated" to the ex tent of several hundreds of millions of dollars one American dollar is as good as another to-day, and there is no visible evidence that the country or anybody has been hurt by it. As a people the American people	to religion, the noblest trait of human- kind. The enjoyment of liberty in the true sense of the word not only blesses man's earthly existence, but the very benefits of liberty make the attanment of eternal happiness easier. He showed the evil influence of oppression on the	verses inclusive. In these verses, he said, grace is brought out in a three-fold as- pect. 1st, grace that bringeth salvation; 2nd, grace that teaches us to live it out, and 3rd, grace that teaches us to live it out, it out. These cover the whole Chris- tian life. If we come short of these, we	Most people want just enough religion to be fashionable, and are afraid they will appear peculiar. If you could ask an antedeluvian what sort of man Enoch was he would tell you "a good sort of man, but very peculiar." If they had theaters and dances, and progressive euchre, Enoch never went,	ceased. I told a Sunday School teacher who left her class to attend one of my	raised in that section, and this is said be a very fine location for a fact Other arge cotton factories will be in Charsam in the near future. The comparises are nearly all from the N and are composed of men of consid- ble means. — The farmers have moving a great deal of guano from during the past four or five days.	
ction, and which the Chicago plat- im declares an intolerable burden on the people. They talk as if ey were really disappointed be- use the McKinley tariff, which ey did all in their power to fasten on the country, was not repealed.	Miscellane us	are a sensible and conservative peo- ple in matters of finance, which directly affects their prosperity, and they have no more idea of favoring	mind, heart and whole character of a peo- ple: how it begets poverty, and hence how all Christian charity and other virtues are sacrificed to oppression. From these considerations, based on history, he insisted on the possessive political, national freedom as a means of making salvation easier.	come short of all. 1st. Grace that bringeth salvation. There is no word in the English lan- guage so misunderstood as the word grace. There are hundreds who do not know what the word means. It means unmerited favor. So many say I'd like to be a member of the church, but I'm so	but one day he took a long walk with God and never came back. When a man is pleased with God, God is pleased with him. If God has a great work to do he calls a peculiar man or woman- not one of the dancing theatergoing church members. If a hundred thous- and of these were to die they'd never be	never succeed. One of those boys may be a Martin Luther or a Wesley. Do what you can ; you may set influences in	in this we were mistaken. — Asheville Citizen : A hor	

pealed, and didn't expect it to be repealed, or even modified in such a degree as to amount to anything, for they well know that a Republican Senate and a Republican President stood in the way of that.

But the superlative exhibition of cheek consists in classing the Fiftysecond Congress as a Democratic Congress, when but one House was Democratic and the other Republican, and in trying to create the impression by their strictures that both Houses were Democratic. The Democratic House of Representatives did not undertake in the second session to repeal the most odious features of the KcKinley bill, because it passed a number of amendments in the first session which the Senate cavalierly pigeon-holed without even formal consideration. All the time given to that work would have been just so much time thrown away, as these criticising editors know full well.

When they touch on the "extravagance" of the Fifty-second Congress they wax warm, cutting and eloquent, and emphatically declare that it out billions the billion dollar Congress which preceded it, whose wild extravagance was the theme of such round denunciation by Democratic writers and speakers. Then again they display their colossal cheek. first by trying to create the impression that this "extravagance," as they call it, was the work of Democrats; second by concealing the fact, which they well know, that the large appropriations by the Fifty-second Congress were in the main due to the laws passed by the Fifty-first Congress, and third by the assertion that the appropriations by the Fiftysecond Congress exceeded those made by the Fifty-first Congress which is not true. They publish the following figures of appropriations by each of the two Congresses as proof of their assertions :

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Fifty-first Fifty-second Congress. Congress. Agriculture. \$ 4.887.253 \$ Army..... Diplomatic & Consular.. 48.820.007 8,867,740 District of 11.366.669 Columbia... Fortifications 7,997,738 Indians 23,688,800 Legislative, Executive& Judicial ... 48,058,423 Military Academy 887,860 Navy 55.677,689 288,678:346 Pensions..... Postoffice ... 150,188,921 Rivers & Har-25,186:295 bors..... Sundry Civil 67,148,646 expenses... Deficiencies.. 77,827,198 Miscellaneous 11,282,486

of interest that would make the ocno matter what your trials. rison would be elected and then when sire to compete, they will be furnished tisfied that the sermon was in keeping at 12 o'clock he left the office and Lord can use a crooked horn he can use Here are fifteen separate approcupation of the individual or corpor-Have you ladies got grace enough to with full information and specifications with Mr. Moody's reputation, but it was went to his home for dinner. Mr.George the winner came to collect the kiss keep your temper? (Don't think I'm you more effectively than any oratorby Mr. James Sprunt, British Vice Connot Mr. Moody they had been listening priations, only five of which show an ate money-lender a thing of the past, Howard was left in the office conce referred him to the stake-holder, a sul at Wilmington. to. That they were people of good taste and good judgment, however, may be known from the fact that they had been hard on the ladies; there are more of some folks are as crooked as those behind a pile of boxes. About 1 o'clock and the third of these who believe increase by the Fifty-second over homely old maid. he heard the lock of the door click and them here than men. I'll go for the horns, but God can use them. British Steamship Great Northern. The tug Alexander Jones went out Thursday afternoon, from Southport, to the assistance of the British steamer of 25 cents and was just in the that money is made for use but not the Fifty-first Congress, the two The jaw-bone of an ass in the hand men later.) An Englishman, who called himself listening to the Rev. Dr. Pritchard, of abuse, that it should be worth earnprincipal of which are for pensions A lady who was a church member but of Sampson did its work well, didn't it. Charlotte, who had preached that morn-Lord Herbert, took a good way to and the Post-office, and another for ing, and abundant enough to put it had never led anybody to Christ became | Gideon had but three hundred men out ing in Mr. Moody's stead. escape the snobs in this country. He deficiencies to pay obligations conwithin reach of the man who was interested in the salvation of her hus- of thirty-two thousand who stood the Death of Mr. Bissinger, the Florist. reported ashore on Frying-pan shoals. act of appropriating a number of A bulletin from the Weather observer out from the place of concealment and band and servants. She asked me to final test of fitness for the work in hand. went down into Texas, built a hut tracted by the Fifty-first Congress. willing to exchange his labor for it, Mr. Chas. F. W. Bissenger, a well and led the life of a hermit. He pray for her then and I asked her if she If some of you had been there you'd In ten the appropriations by the in other words that its volume should kdown florist, died yesterday about says the steamer got off without assistdidn't get mad and give both a blowing have said Gideon made a mistake, to Fifty-second Congress were less be controlled neither by a handful of died a few days ago. grabbed him and the robber, who proved to be Joe White, was captured. He was noon, at his residence in this city, after ance, and followed the Jones up to the up occasionally. She said, "Yes." Then, send so many home. Just as there is than by the Fifty-first, the reduction plutocrats nor by the clamorous mob. placed in jail and Monday afternoon was taken before W. A. Rose, U.S. Commis-sioner, for a preliminary hearing. The commissioner required him to give a justified bond of \$300 for his appearance a short illness. He was in the 54th year As one of the incentives offered bar at the mouth of the river. She somebody always ready now to criticise said, don't you think you are the one amounting in the aggregate to about Money, like water, will seek its people to locate in Roanoke, Va., it of his age; was born in Germany, but proved to be the British steamer Great lought to pray for? When you try to and throw cold water on everything, \$72,000,000. Deducting from this level, and there never will be more came to this country while quite young, talk to them don't you feel like you Some folks see the dark side of every-Northern, from Baltimore, bound to is announced that the rown has a and had been a resident of Wilmington the aggregate increase of about \$17,of it in circulation than there is use Port Royal, S. C., in ballast. She was ought to look to yourself? If you can't thing. Look on the bright side. Don't nice, commodious and attractive at the next term of the Federal Court for many years. The funeral is an-000,000 for the post-office, agriculfor, but there may be use for a great control your temper isn't something not in sight from Southport yesterday discourage every aggressive movement. cemetery. for this District, which convenes in Charnounced to take place Sunday morning tural department and the Sundry morning, and it was thought she had deal more than there is in circularadically wrong? A few days after she Have faith. We want a few Calebs and at 9.80 o'clock. civil service it would leave a net de- tion, as there is now and has been proceeded during the night. If she The Snapping Turtle is the name told me that alone with God she saw her- Joshuas. Gideon's men took their pitchself as she had never done before and ers and lamps and marched to victory. sustained any damage at all it must have sequently is still in jail. The prisoner is about 21 years old and is a well-known crease of \$55,000,000. If we add to for years in this country. It is said of an Atlanta paper just started and - Register of Deeds Ino. Haar prayed His forgiveness. Then to her Take what you have; not what you have been very slight, as the sea was smooth this the \$24,000,000 aggregate in- there is about \$1,500,000,000 in cir- which it seems is not afraid of getissued four marriage licenses the past character about town. husband and servants she contessed her not. David took a sling and a pebble in while she was on the shoals. crease made by the Senate to the culation, about \$24 per capita, but ting "in the soup." week.

penses of the Government which wa in Republican hands, the respective departments of which called for several millions more than were allowed them, and in pursuance mainly of laws passed by the preceding Congress, which was Republican in both

A MAN OF STRAW.

There are people in this world who spend much of their time in knocking down men of straw that they put up themselves. When we hear statesmen talking about the evils of "inflation" of the currency, depreciating the purchasing power of money, &c., we think if the man knocking the stuffing out of his man of straw. This inflation talk is all aimed at the free coinage of silver, for there is no talk of "inflating" the currency in any other way. If there was free coinage to-day there would be no danger of inflaton, for only a

portion of the product of our mines would be coined, other countries and the arts needing a considerable por tion of it.

This country, the most enterpris ing, energetic and progressive on the earth, has the capacity to handle a very large amount of money, and the more it has to handle (within reason of course) the better it will do it, by

the enterprise, development and progress.

On the finances there are three classes of contenders, one of which s so conservative that it would watch the pile of dollars with an eagle eye and see that no other dollar got in there for fear it might "depreciate" the value of every other dollar in the pile. Another consists of those who would coin all the metal dug out of the ground, and in addition to that put the printing presses to work and print notes until they got what they might consider enough. The third goes between

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flation" than they are of famine. If branches.

which, we mean, the greater will be

these and would coin money enough to meet the demands of trade and of more than one metal, so that the money kings couldn't get it into their

such a common expression with peo-

In answer to this remark the other one on and found itself equal to the task. God says, my grace is sufficient for thee, as much of it as he wanted at a rate bet a kiss against a dollar that Hardred battering rams. People want to said, "Yes, Mr. Moody is a grand McRae determined to catch the thief it Should any one in North Carolina depreacher." They went their way fully Aggregate. \$988,417,188 \$1,026,822,019 listen to silver-tongued orators. If the he again attempted to rob the office.

the volume of currency was twice as great as it is it would give no larger per capita than France now has, and there is enterprise and thrift enough in this country to find profitable use for that much, and more too, if it were within the reach of the people at moderate rates of interest. When the circulation is double as large as it is now, it will be time enough to begin to talk about inflation, but that kind of talk is altogether premature

There was \$37,000 due the em ployes in the bureau of Engraving and Printing in Washington. At the last session Congress made the ap propriation, but as the engrossers for got to put on the three ciphers, it went to the President and was signed for \$37, with which they will have to be satisfied or wait till the next Congress adds the missing ciphers.

New York wants a site for another little up-town park, and the owners ask \$872,000 for it. If New York had as much gumption as she should dent.

have had she would have secured her park grounds when she could have bought them for about \$25 an acre. This, by the way, is a hint to other growing towns, including Wilming-

Prof. Garner, who went into Af rica to study monkey talk, has caught on to 200 words, but none above two syllables yet. "Achou." hc says, means warm, and "kukcha' means cold. We now begin to see the origin of the kutchoo, which is

le when they are taking cold. There is a woman in Frisco county, California, who cuts a considerable of a figure. According to a local paper, she has "figured in seven elopements," and was a prominent figure in each. It does not follow

from this, however, that she would make a daisy model.

Mrs. Stevenson, wife of the Vice-President, says she can't make a speech. This is pretty good evi-

in an accessible place as a bait for the thief. Last Sunday, the 12th inst., Mr. other, "That was a powerful sermon." 88,104 260 was one stroke at a time it would keep Jericho was more effective than a hunit loose so that every man could get That was a mean Oregon girl who officers and experts selected by the Gov-

people for their double fidelity to the faith of St. Patrick, to the love of their country. He compared Ireland to the mother, America to the wife of a noble man; the wife cannot be jealous of the manly filial love her husband retains for the mother who gave him birth. Irish Americans are no less true to America because they entwine their own native flag about the flag of their adopted country. He closed his remarks with evoking Heaven's blessings on the Church, on America and on Ireland. At the conclusion of the services at the church the ranks were reformed and

the Society returned to their hall, where a business meeting was organized, with Mr. Dan'l Quinlivan chairman and W. R. Bate secretary, and the foilowing officers were elected, to serve the ensung year:

President-T. Donlan. Vice-President-T. Torpy. Secretary-Wm. Sheehan, Jr. Asst. Secretary-Wm. P. Torpy. Treasurer-J. H. McGarity. Standard Bearer-Wm. Sheehan.

Mr. D. Quinlivan, the retiring president, who has served with so much acceptability, declined a re-election, as did also Mr. Martin O'Brien, a former presi-

It was decided to give a sociable Ester Monday pight, and the following were appointed to make arrangements: Messrs. Thos. Quinlivan, (chairman.) Jno. L. Cantwell, T. Donlan, T. Torpy, Wm. Sheehan, Sr., L. Flanagan, M. O'-

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. Beception to the New Pastor. Rev. W. B. Oliver.

The congregation of the First Baptist Church greeted their new pastor, Rev. W. B. Oliver, at the prayer meeting service last night. A prearranged programme was carried out. The service opened with an organ voluntary, then the choir sang an anthem, "Praise the Lord." Reading of Scriptures and prayer by Rev. Wm. T. Jones, who has filled the pulpit since the former pastor left. The congregation sang "Onward Christian Soldiers." Prayer by Rev. J. T. Jenkins, pastor of the Brooklyn Baptist Church. Song by congregation "He Leadeth

Me," after which Mr. James C. Stevenson in a short, well worded address, welcomed Mr. Oliver to his new field. Mr. Oliver in a feeling and ap-

week to last a lifetime. Here he recited classes we find that the first is com-500 pounds sterling, or about \$2,500. robbery the same night, but kept the 45.647.718 the strength of God it set three million ing up occasionally, Minister Stevan incident of a lady in London whose The third prize is 875 pounds sterling posed of those who have the bulk of matter quiet, in order to throw the thief 818,168.700 A Compliment Out Somewhere-Where? captives free. Linked with the power of or about \$1.875. The fourth prize is 250 whole life was changed by his illustraens at Hawaii, for instance, but not the money of the country and work 164,188,977 off his guard and to capture him if possi-Says the Charlotte Observer: Last pounds sterling, or about \$1,250. The God it did its work well. If God can use a ble. The following Sunday, March tion of this point by the pendulum that with dynamite bombs as some one. to retain control of it; the second of fifth prize is 125 pounds sterling, or Saturday at the morning service two dried-up stick he can use us-as dry as we 21,154,218 counted up the strokes it must make for 5th, the office was again entered in the attempted to do with our Minister at about \$625. The premiums will be those who believe that the Governstrangers heard the sermon. As they same way, and about 75 cents stolen. are, some of us. The blowing of the ram's a hundred years and thought it would awarded by the quartermaster general of the army in India, and five other were leaving the hall one said to the Mr. McRae had left that much change 69.366.388 ment should make money and turn Rome. never hold out, but concluded as it horns as the soldiers marched around

He came to seek and save the lost. The command is to preach the gospel a calamity. to every creature, not a select few. If all are not saved it is because they will not take the salvation offered. Grace is free; salvation is a free gift. You cannot work it out yourself. It is worth every

struggle you could make, but you must take it on God's terms. To do the work of God is to believe on His Son, not to feed the hungry and clothe the naked; believe and then do these things for His sake-work toward the cross, not from it. You must be saved by the sovereign will of God, not by any works of which you can boast. If there is one thing excluded from heaven it is boasting. Some think they can pay 50 cents on the dollar of their indebtedness to God, and some even 95 cents. There are few bankrupt sinners. The reason so lew are saved is because so few believe they are lost. Paul said "by grace are ye saved, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God." What had Paul done to merit salvation? He breathed out threatening and slaughter against Christians until the moment of his conversion. God does not need man's help. He was alone at the creation, he worked out the great plan of salvation alone; Christ was alone on Calvary: your salvation is of him alone. -Rom. 4: 4. A Sunday school teacher trying to impress his class of boys with the idea of free salvation, offered a watch to one of the boys as a gift. He smiled and would not take it. He offered it to each one successively, and all refused it except the last one, who took it and put it in his pocket. The teacher gave him the key, and the other boys asked in astonishment if he was going to keep it. The teacher replied "yes," and they all said "I wish I had taken it." They did not believe-that is what we are doing. We must put out the hand of faith and take salvation as a free gift. The grace of God has appeared to all. You must

take it or reject it. 2d. Grace that teaches us to live if out. It takes the same amount of grace to keep us that it does to save us. There are many who do not get grace enough to live by. There are so many who live on old experience instead of coming to God daily for grace. I know a man in Chicago who never gets up to speak in a meeting without telling what a good time he had in a meeting in 1857-he had lived on that experience ever since. The path of the just should shine

missed; but the death of half that many godly pious men and women would be

NIGHT SERVICE. Notwithstanding a drenching rain, hundreds braved the elements, and at the appointed hour the building was nearly filled.

Mr. Moody used as his text the first eight verses of the 25th chapter of Exodus, wherein the Lord commanded Moses to speak to the children of Israel concerning the offerings they should bring for the building of the Tabernacle. Heart service, he said, is the only acceptable service to the Lord. Offerings ot gold, silver and brass were alike acceptable, because they were the best the people had to offer. The gold had no superior value to the Lord; the silver and brass were the same in God's sightwhen brought in the same spirit as the gold. Purple and scarlet and fine linen and goat's hair were to be brought. I've always been glad the goat's hair was put in, for the poor people could not bring fine linen and purple, God wanted every one of the children of Israel to have something to do with the building of the Tabernacle. If you can get people to do something you get them interested. When one man builds a church it kills it; every one must have a part, or it will die of dry-rot. Did you ever notice that the ordinary people do the most work-the men of two talents, not ten, do the most? The bulk of the people are the two-talent people. What we want is to put our talents together. This chapter corresponds with the twenty-fifth chapter of Matthew. God uses the base things of this world to confound the wise. You hear people say they can't do anything; they haven't got the strength. We have all things in Christ; our weakness is His strength. With the call to work comes the qualification, We need more weakness, for then we are strong. John, in his vision, saw no one worthy to open the Book. He might have called . on angels and archangels, cherubim and seraphim, but he did not, and he wept until the angel announced the Lion of the tribe of Judah, who alone was worthy to loose the seal. That Lion was the Lamb of God, and a slain Lamb, and you will find all God's lions are lambs. It is the weak things God has called. Moses apologized for his weakness when God called him to deliver Israel. What did God tell him to use to effect that deliverance. Only a rod-probably a dried-up stick

or about \$3,720. The second prize i plagues devastated his people, and in seemingly well pleased with Mr. Oliver. McRae, the postmaster, discovered the 861,471 to foreign countries deserve a blow-

Find out what kind of work you ought to do, and don't think because you don't do it somebody else will. What you ought to do, and do not do, will never be done, and you will be responsible at the bar of God. When you get a taste of the work it will spoil you for the world. There is no higher privilege and nonor than to touch God's work, for when you touch His work you touch Him, and you cannot touch Him without virtue going out from Him. Make up your minds to consecrate yourselves to the Lord's work, and do whatever lies

n vour power. CAROLINIANS AT THE CAPITAL.

The Washington, D. C., corresponden of the Richmond Times says: There is quite a string of application

in the Treasury from North Carolina. George Harris, of Wilmington, for col lector of customs at that port, John L. Scales, of Statesville, for same position. H. A. Gudger asks to be appointed

collector of internal revenue. Robert B. Vance wants to be sixth Auditor of the Treasury. S. I. Pemberton, of Albemarle, would

like to be chief of division in the Treasury Department. -Thomas Evans, of Wilmington, has applied for a position as National Bank

Examiner. G. W. Sanderlin, of Raleigh, asks to e made fourth auditor. D. S. Cowan, of Wilmington, would

like to have a special agent's billet. B. H. Bunn, of Rocky Mount, thinks he would be satisfied as chiel of a division in the department.

Also V. Evans hopes to be able to opervise the Sixth life saving district. J. G. Hall, of Hickory, William H Williams, of Newton, and Locke Craige would like to be known as and draw the salary of collector of internal revenue. State Auditor R. W. Furman is at the Metropolitan, which seems to be the North Carolina headquarters. A deleation from Wilmington, consisting o E. G. Parmele, Walker Taylor and Sol. C. Weil, is at this hotel, and have come to Washington in the interest of Capt Buck Kenan, whom they want to see Collector of the port in the place of the negro now holding the position.

Mayor Charles D. Blanton, of Asheville, N. C., is in the city. His mission here is purely a political one. His obect is to secure the appointment of oseph Sluder as postmaster at Asheville. E. H. Fulenwelder as land agent and Kope Elias as district attorney fo the Western district of the State.

CHANCE FOR INVENTORS.

Designs for Mule Carts Wanted by British Government of India.

The first prize is 750 pounds sterling

was found hanging from a joist in his house, with a heavy chain about his neck. From the condition of the body it is baseved that Flowers committed suicide as long ago as last Friday. ----Reagan Hunter, white, who is wanted for sundry violations of the internal revenue laws in and about the Newfound neighborhood, this county, is now in Asheville jail. Hunter was captured by Deputy Sheriffs J. H. Hampton and F. M. Jones, after a lively race, and despite the fact that he wore two pistols and swore he would never be taken alive. Twenty-five gallons of Hunter's whiskey were also captured. Henderson Gold Leaf :- The prop-

when search was made for him, h

erties Dr. C. S. Boyd and I. P. Tavlor, of Henderson, located in Warren and Halifax counties, respectively, reported in a late issue of this paper as having been sold to Richmond and New York parties, have been examined thoroughly and found to be far richer in gold than the owners had knowledge of. Operations will begin on an extensive scale at an early day. The dirt to four feet over 500 yards square on the Boyd property, known as the Kearney mine, pans from \$150 to \$300 per ton at which estimate the yield will exceed \$200,000, the operating expenses of which will not exceed \$30,000,"to say nothing of the extensive veins running through the property which will pay hands mely under the operation of the Crawford bill. The Taylor property is likewise of much value and covers three times the area. Without improvements these properties were sold for an amount less than \$20,000. We understand that the purchasers have had an offer of double the price paid already.

- Greenville Reflector: The champion thief got in some work last week and got ahead of the fellow who stole a church Bible and sold it. The members of Greenville Masonic Lodge who attended the last Communication, were surprised to find that the orphan contribution box had been tampered with

An examination showed that the box had been gnawed open and it bore distinct marks of human teeth. The box contained about \$5, all of which was taken. Some thief had effected an entrance into the lodge room and committed this unparalleled crime -Sheriff King had quite a surprise

early Thursday morning when he found that five prisoners had escaped jail the previous night. Wednesday evening these prisoners were as usual locked in one of the lower cages. They filed off the staple that held the lock to their cage, and after getting in the corridor cut through the brick wall into the passage; then removing the lock from the front door they were soon at liberty. The names of the escaped prisoners are James Davis, James Hall, ames Barnes, George Pender and Silas Forbes. The latter gave the sheriff another surprise Thursday evening by returning and surendering himself.

3.162.09 The British Government of Indu brighter and brighter unto the perfect - Wadesboro Messenger-Intelligensafes, lock it up and charge a preoffers large rewards for the production propriate manner replied, and after the which Moses had used for years-a base lence that Adlai wasn't much in the cer: On Sunday, February 26th, the day. The reason so many young 10,781,19 mium on it when it might be necessinging of a duett, "Oh. Morning Land," weak instrument, and had he met a modof designs and models best adapted for people don't want religion is bepostoffice at this place was entered and habit of going to "Lodge" meetings 4,944,8 11 mule carts for transport and use of the sary to have it to meet obligations an informal reception or fraternal greetern free-thinker and told him of his inrobbed of two registered letters, con-15,518,694 cause they think they must wear and coming home early in the morntaining three and five dollars, tespecing was held. The new pastor said he British army in India, and the competipayable in coin of one particular strument and mission, he would have a long face and never have any tively, and about two dollars in small tion is open to all nations. was proud to see so many young people laughed him to scorn as Pharoah did. pleasure until they get to heaven. Some change. The office was entered during 48,792,585 out to greet him. The congregation is But Pharoah learned its power when the Some of our American Ministers daylight, by means of a false key. Mr. When we come to compare these people want to get enough grace in a lotte on the second Monday in June. This he has so far failed to do and con-

