

NEWS AND COMMENT.

Indications. For North Carolina—Fair, cooler, north-westerly winds. THE HARRISON CABINET. Our telegraph columns announce the death, at the advanced age of eighty-three, of Capt. John Ericsson, the designer of the famous Monitor ironclad.

ANOTHER RECEPTION.

COLORED BISHOPS, COLORED EDITORS AND A FLAMBEAU CLUB. Ex-Secretary Whitney Leaves the City—Illness of Justice Matthews—Mr. Wannamaker Buys a House—No Ballie As Yet—Bond Acceptances.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Speculation Yesterday Among the Bulls and Bears of Wall Street. By Telegraph to the Citizen. NEW YORK, March 8.—The dullness in the stock market was more marked to-day than at any time in the present year, and fluctuations were strictly upon par with business done.

THE WORLD OF BUSINESS.

R. G. DUN & CO.'S WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW. The Effect of the Reading Failure on Metals—Railroad Earnings Indicate a Larger Traffic—General Review, Etc. By Telegraph to the Citizen.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Small Talks About Patents—Gen. R. H. Vance—The Weather—The Churches of the Day. [From our Special Correspondent.] WASHINGTON, March 5.—Your correspondent has been occupied most agreeably to-day in talking about patents, of which many, of more than ordinary importance have recently been issued.

A LIVE GEORGIA TOWN.

AMERICA SENDS ITS MAYOR AND THE CARRIER OF ITS LEADING BANK TO ASHEVILLE. To Investigate the Working of Our Electric Street Railway and Electric Light Plant, With a View of Its Adoption—Plenty of Enterprise and Money.

Subscriptions for Continuing the City Schools Until June 1st.

Table with names and subscription amounts: Susie Yeaman \$8.50, V. T. Belote \$15.00, Teachers (not including those previously reported) \$100.00, R. G. Johnson \$15.00, J. A. Williams \$10.00, Dr. J. B. Weaver \$10.00, J. L. Baker \$20.00, B. A. Newland \$28.50, Mrs. S. A. Hart \$5.25, Mrs. S. S. McCree \$5.00, C. C. Buck (New York) \$5.00, Geo. W. Pack \$25.00, S. C. Cortland \$10.50, B. H. Cosby \$5.00, S. D. Pellham \$10.00, J. H. Herring \$5.00, Jas. E. Grant \$5.00, F. M. Miller \$5.00, J. H. Weaver \$3.00, J. McD. Carson \$4.00, T. C. Collins \$5.00, R. P. Davis \$4.50, J. R. Hill \$5.25, E. Weddin \$15.00, Received March 6th and 7th \$1,034.50

It will be seen from the above list that in order to continue the schools about \$1,200 more must be raised. This amount must be raised to-day, so that the committee may determine this evening whether or not the schools shall continue. It will be impossible to hold the teachers longer. Also, a large number of parents who patronize the public schools will after that time make other arrangements for their children.