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CHANCES FOR AMERICANS. PROFITABLE TRADE WITH AFRICA POSSIBLE. Stanley Tells How Money Could Be Made at Big Percentages on the Investment—The Climate and the Country. PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 16.—Henry M. Stanley sat in his parlor at the Stratford yesterday morning. He had just arisen from the breakfast table, and was feeling in the mood for a talk.

THE KING IS DEAD. Probably the march of the Irish party towards achieving home rule for Ireland is so far along that no leader or mother does not now so much matter. Gladstone and Sexton and O'Brien, the Redmonds and Healey and Dillon are still where they can be recalled on and the success of the party is but a question of time.

That Wait and Distress. The Mail and Express may be an authority on Scriptural quotations, but it would be hard to find the times in matters of local history news. Last Saturday it said: "Mr. Hamilton Cole, a lawyer of this city, has a well-selected library and an extensive collection of prints. The collection is especially notable for the number and excellence of extra-illustrated works, early classics, bibliography, and French and English literature."

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Will Remember Their Pledge. The self-restraint of the democratic press of the state in the face of the obvious intention of the Progressive Farmer to create a division is admirable. It is pointed out that what Senator Vance thought of the sub-treasury bill was well and wisely known weeks before the election, and alliance candidates who were pledged to him were thoroughly informed as to its position. For them to take the advice of the Progressive Farmer and vote and work against Senator Vance would be to misrepresent the constituents that elected them, and we do not believe anything of the kind can occur.

Will Help Cleveland. "It cannot be denied that in the past year every thoughtful and patriotic man has at times been disappointed and depressed by the apparent indifference and demoralization of the people."

Mercy and Justice. From the New York Star. A Siberian exile, Constantine Pomotzenko by name, having a strong desire to see his wife and children in St. Petersburg, absent himself from his place of exile and made his way on foot from Tobolsk to the capital of the empire, a distance of more than 2,000 miles. He found his family well, and lived with them a few weeks. His desire thus satisfied, he presented himself to the authorities of his own accord and confessed to be an exile from the district which the government had assigned for his dwelling. In view of the palliating circumstances, the judge reduced his punishment to only seven days' confinement in prison, after the expiration of which he will be delivered to the government authorities to be sent back to the place of his exile. "In this case," says a St. Petersburg paper, "mercy and justice meet in Holy Russia!"

HERE AND THERE IN NORTH CAROLINA. The Three C's railroad has been completed within three miles of Marion. Col. Harry Skinner is mentioned as speaker of the state house of representatives. The old round house at the Raleigh & Gaston shops in Raleigh will be taken into an immense machine shop. Bishop Watson and wife of the Episcopal North Carolina diocese, sailed from New York for Glasgow Saturday.

The Murphy (N. C.) Improvement company has been organized with Mr. B. S. Duke, of Durham, as president. The capital stock is put at \$200,000. Rev. J. Frank Jones, one of the youngest and most promising ministers of the day, Dr. T. M. Jones, of Greensboro female college, is reported as at the point of death at Vanderbilt university, Nashville, Tenn., where he is attending the theological department.

A Starting Question. From the Charlotte News and Courier. Since the close of the war in 1865, two thousand million dollars has been paid in pensions to the Union soldiers. The appropriations for pensions this year amount to \$100,000,000, of which \$80,000,000 has already been expended, and the fiscal year is not yet half run. The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia Inquirer says that "it is now apparent that there will be a deficiency of at least \$20,000,000 this year for pensions." And yet we are told that the Union soldiers fought for pure patriotism. Wonder how much the pensions would have amounted to if they had been fighting for pay?

Where C. A. Daniels. An employee of the S. C. business department dropped into Perry's office yesterday morning. He was wearing a light-colored suit and a white shirt, and was well-dressed. He was well-dressed. He was well-dressed.

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