TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY. Hon. Patrick Walsh is nominated for States Senate by the Democrats of Geor-Louis by failing 100 feet from a scaffold The Crar died yesterday afternoon An express train is held up by robbers in Mississippi. They get \$5 worth of shootly jewelry - The Japanese have crossed Yalu river and now have 15, 00 troops in China — The Chinese viceof tries to persuade Admiral Freemantle pell him thre British men of-war-A french captain is charged with selling to Italian and German agents information about the frontier fortifications The services in the churches at St. sith people vesterday, praying for the

ur men hold up a street car, in Chicago and rob one of the passeng-First National bank of Huntington, W.

let increase in the public debt of \$13,-88 53, the lebt amounts now to \$1,ing of 11% of the passengers and twentyrew of the steamer Waira-Russian stations-The in is pronounced a grand parteen whitecappers are concerned. arle county, Tenn., who

Nich in the development of Southern The State Department at Washington was notified last afternoon by the Rassian Minister of the Czar's desth-There is much sorrow manifatel in France over the Czar's death penditures -- Frederick Wiel of the mathen kills himself at a noted house in Indian Head yesterday was not a suc-Burglars attempt to crack the bank at West Winfield, N. Y .- At Independence, Mo., a crowd of boys celehating Hallowe'en are fired into and fite dangerously wounded-An attempt is made to bribe Mr. Goff not to examine a certain police captain—The two brothers of Nathan Straus will sup-

port Wheeler for Governor of New York Daly and Slavin meet in the ing at Buffilo. The former is given the ight on a foul in the seventh round. A Red Letter Day for Maxton, [Special to the Messenger.] Max. ox. N. C., Noy. 1 .- To-day was a

ed letter day for Maxton. The attractions were many and varied, At least 1900 people were in attendance. The weather was all that could be desired. The clay pigeon shooting received much attention. The \$30 gun premium was won by It. G. Sellers of 'the Maxton

The balloon ascension by Professor to was a grand success in every re-The excitits in all the departments

The premium's will be announced to-

The stock and poultry exhibit by Col. LS Carr, of Durham, was worthy of Every one pronounced the day a grand

morrow by the Scaboard Air Line and the ape Fear and Yadkin Valley, and tonormal promises to score a grand sucexfor the closing of the Maxton fair. W. F. Kornegay Dead.

Never has our community been so rough the city vesterday morning of sudded death of our venerable and greatly believed townsman, Mr. W. F. gragay, which occured in St. Paul I E church in the midst of the service, lesterday murning about 10:30 o'clock, the pew with his wife. Mr. Korn-gay had been in declining with for a word months, and while his disentertained serious apprehensions on this subject, no sudden nor early terslinn of his life was anticipated; here when to ew veit forth yesterpuna themselves as ill-prepared the sad truth as they are of rowful to part with this lid bencerorth forever.

was born in this county, er's farm, near Mt Olive, y of June 1832, and was, E B. and W. H. Boris H. M. Dewey and Mrs. r. of this city. She preto the grave some twelve o children were born to marriage. He leaves one id a half brother, Mr. A. a wide circle of relatives lends to mourn his loss.

II. & R. S. Tucker & Co., have pleasure in statveling salesman, Mr. h be at the "Orton" day, N wember 1st and garmen from their and sample of their s good for the sesigns shown from cach

t. the goods are right nowadays to get the people. Everybody dry goods emporium wing right in goods and them We always will ht goods and right prices lime. Read our to-day's dige for yourself it we ight all right!

Attempt to Rob a Bank. Y. Nov. I -The West Win-

DEMOGRATIC PROSPECTS

coessor in the United GOOD FOR A BIG MAJORITY IN THIS STATE.

ga legist no naval vessel in Japanese Improvements on the Seaboard Air Line-Death of an Agricultural College Student-Reward for an Escaped Convict-Fresh Salmon From the Pacific Coast-Professor Massey's Visit to the Waldensians.

> RALEIGH, Nov. 1. The Seaboard Air Line is building a The Seaboard Air Line is building a to insiders who, the street has it, are large steel bridge across the Pee Dee expecting a favorable decision in the river. The Pencoyd bridge company, of Pennsylvania, is doing the work. There are two spans of the bridge, one 800, the other 400 feet in length. The same company will build two other bridges between the Pee Dee and Monroe, over Richardson's creek and Lane's creek.

General Manager John H. Winder, of the Seaboard Air Line, arrived here maps, beating their way in a box car to-day to fully investigate the recent collision at Henderson.

Lieut, Joseph B. Batchelor, of the United States army, after an absence of Va. is a defaulter—The Ironworks eight years, arrived here to day on a mils, of Fall River, give notice of a cut visit to his parents. He is winning quite During October there was a a reputation by the publication of a very valuable work on "Infantry Fire." Early this morning J. M. Benson, a

The rumor of the drown-chanical college, died of blood poisoning. He was from Hyde county and had been a student only two months. Some days ago a small boil made its appearance on ago a small boll made its appearance on his face and from this the trouble de-The chief clerk of the Joliet prison com- veloped. Monday an effort was made to -Small bodies of Chinese reach his people in Hyde by wire and mail, but so far no reply from them has come. Hyde is quite "out of the world" so far as telegraphic communication is

Mr. J. G. Steed, of Montgomery county, registry clerk in the office of Collector Simmons, has typhoid fever. there's Record says never He was to-day placed in the Rex hosre so much interest taken | pital. His marriage was sometime ago fixed for next week. Your correspondent to-day had an in-

terview with Chairman Pou on the election and here is what Mr. Pou said: "Our majority in North Carolina will be 30,000 at least. There is a hard fight in the First, Fifth and Eighth districts. but the Democrats are gaining in all and The receipts of the Government for | it looks now as if, for the first time, we October were \$13,573,799 less than ex- will elect a solid Congressional delegation. The Populists are making a strong effort to get the Legislature, but it will the corps shoots a mulatto girl and be Democratic by a good majority. I have made no estimates as to the majori-Washington City -- The test of shells at ties in the Congressional districts. Branch in the First will beat Harry Skinner badly."

The Democrats in this city and county are now working like beavers. They s e plainly the need of earnest effort. Wake is very close. So is this district, but some of the best calculators say Cooke will get 800 to 1,000 majority. Otho Wilson, who is a great hand at making claims, calculates that Stroud, fusionist, will get 2,500 majority over

Governor Carr offers \$50 reward for the recapture of Charles Johnson, a convict, who made his escape from the sheriff of Montgomery while being brought to the penitentiary. Johnson, who is a very slick criminal, slipped his hands out of the handcuffs and fled. There was a light frost this morning, the third this season. It was a glorious day for hunting and quite a number of Some fine, fresh salmon arrived here

to-day all the way from Seattle. They

were iced and arrived in perfect condition. They were three feet in length. Professor W. F. Massey has returned from his visit to the Waldensian colopists in Burke county. He says he did not find them destitute. Their wants are few and they "get along" with what would not suffice for ordinary people. They are cheerful and look well. They are extremely averse to being thought beggars, in any sense of the word. Some flour sent them had just been received, says Professor Massey, but this they have stored, as they had a little on hand. He s greatly impressed by the manners and life of this fine people. On Sunday all were at church, well dressed and happy. The married women all wear a peculiar oif and a neat white apron and white kerchief, folded on the neck. Each of the congregation carried a Bible and a "Book of Tunes." Their singing was an inspiration, Professor Massey says. He declares it was the echoes from their own Alpine valleys He dined with the new pastor and his wife. They smiled at his French, so he applied himself to English and the pastor acted as interpreter, his wife knowing no English. Professor Massey says that while the soil of the lands owned by the Waldenses is poor, it is not more so than that at the Agricultural and Mechanical collage, here, now so fair to look at. He did not see any crops, save some fodder and a little corn. The methods of farming are crude and what is needed is deep ploughing.

The verdict in the case of Love against this city for damages in the sum of \$10,-000 for the loss of an eye by a falling sky rocket, was in favor of Raleigh. Twenty convicts were sent from the penitentiary to Castle Hayne this after-

The Straus Brothers Support Wheeler NEW YORK, Nov. 1 .- Considerable talk was caused to-day by the announcement that Isador Straus, brother of Nathan Straus, the original candidate of Tammany for mayor, had sent a check to the Wheeler campaign committee, and that the other brother, Oscar Straus, ex-Minister to Turkey, had sent a letter to the committee endersing Mr. Wheeler as the Democratic candidate for Governor, higher than yesterday for January pork and January ribs and unchanged for that of a good, honest, moderately inteltend to please the Tammany chieftains, as they seem to fear that the attitude of Raleigh, who sur- of many Hebrew votes against both Hill

and the local ticket. A committee representing the Civic union, waited on Col. Strong this aftermoon and notified him of the endorsement by that body of his nomination,

An Attempt to Bribe Mr. Goff. NEW YORK, Nov. 1 .- The Evening Post says that it has indubitable evidence that during the course of the present investigation Mr. Goff was waited on by a person who offered him \$10,000 as a fee for examining the title to real estate which was worth less than \$5,000 on condition that he (Goff) would not call as a witness certain cap ain of police, or mention the nalle of said captain. Mr. Goff declined all right. Everything the offer and called the name of the cap-

tain the nast day. The grand jury this afternoon returned indictments against ex-Police Capt. Doherty and ex-Wardman Meehan, who were recently dismissed from the force, for alleged bribe taking.

Georgia Senators Nominated. ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 1.—The Demo-cratic baucus of the General Assembly nominated two United States Senators this afternoon. Senator Patrick Walsh this afternoon. Standard to fill out was unanimously nominated as "Mahogany Hall," the inmates of which are octoroons. The woman, who is about 23 years of age and a native of Hertford, N. C., is badly injured and is not expected to live. Jealousy is the rard 21, and Walsh 9.

COMMERCIAL NEWS. Stocks and Bonds in New York-

Grain and Provision Markets

of Chicago. New York, Nov. 1.-The stock market was nervous to-day and responded quietly to outside conditions, except for American Sugar, which acted directly contrary to the current news on the property. The stock was in demand throughout and advanced from 84% to 864, closing at 864, a gain of 2 per cent for the day. The advance took place in the face of another reduction in refined, making a cut of #c for the past ten days. The rise was generally attributed matter of the revenue tax on German sugars. The general list displayed a firm undertone, the market recovering quickly from the bear attacks. This contingent hammered the Grangers and New Jersey Central at times, but they did not succeed in shaking out long stock, as on the previous days of the week. The impression is gradually gaining ground that the big bears have taken advantage of the break in the coalers and Northwestern to materially reduce their short lines, prefering to have their house in order so as to be prepared for whatever the election may bring forth. The news to-day generally favored those operating for higher prices. The Louisville and Nashville September statement showed a net increase of \$25, 000. The New York Central for the September quarter earned 1.15 per cent. on the stock, which was much better than expected. The Pennsylvania declared its regular dividend, and the deposit of Reading securities under the

Earle-Olcott plan was fairly large. The death of the Czar had no effect. Reading securities were in good demand for Philadelphia account and an advance of 1 to 18 per cent ensued. Northwestern ranged between 99 and 1001 and left off at 1004. Officials here say the question of the December dividend has not been considered and will not be until the full return for the five months from June 1, 1894, and the prospects for the first half of 1895 are known. Another bear argument on the stock was exploded to.day, the Mutual Life Insurance company having denied that it sold any of the stock. The fact also developed that only one insurance company in the State holds the stock. This company announced early in the week that it had not parted with any of its holdings, Manhattan was stronger, rising 18 per premium for use. The sentiment appears to be changing and the recent sel-lers are not so confident of their ability to shake out long stock, even if the rapid transit bill should pass next Tuesday. Among other things, speculative sellers appear to have overlooked the fact that the Manhattan company is an eligible bidder for the contract to construct the road if the city decides to build. In the late trading Sterling exchange stiffened

ning off 15 per cent. to 935 and the other leading issues \(\frac{1}{4}\) to 1\(\frac{1}{4}\) per cent. When the selling ceased prices advanced briskly and a number of issues sold at the best of the day. The closing was firm and a rather confident feeling prevailed. American Cotton Oil, after an early rise to 27%, fell 2 per cent. to 254. The preferred declined 4 to 734. The selling was based on the report for the year ended August 31, 1894, which was presented at the stockholders' meeting to-day and showed a surplus of \$56. against \$507,751 in 1893, and \$1,333, 011 in 1882. Net changes in the general list show gains of 1 to 2 per cent, American Sugar leading. American Cotton Oil lost 14, preferred 4, and Evansville and Terre Haut and American Coal 2 per cent. each. The total sales were only 159,000 shares, but the business was bet-

somewhat and this led to rumors that

some gold would be forwarded to Frame

was made on the list, Jersey Central run-

market was active and higher. The sales listed stocks aggregated 107,000 shares; unlisted, 52 000. CHICAGO, Nov. 1 .- The falling off in the receipts of wheat at the primary markets is beginning to have its natural effect on prices of that grain. Beginning with the first transactions and continuing, with one or two short periods of intermission, there was a market of convincing strength until the last trades were made to-day. In addition to the benefit which prices derived from the decreasing supplies, there was also some assistance furnished by the inclination of corn to advance. The death of the Czar caused a quick up turn of about ic. part of which, in the ordinary course of ousiness, was afterwards lost, but a full recovery took place before the close, prices at that time being at the outside for the day. December wheat opened at 52\sec., advanced to 53c, closing at the latter, \(\frac{1}{2}\)c over yesterday. Cash wheat

ter distributed than of late. The bond

was firm and ‡c higher. The rains and their probable effect on the movement of corn incited prices to advance to-day. The bulls had every encouragement to buy. No obstruction to the upward course was encountered during the session and at the close almost the full appreciation was sustained. May corn opened at 501c, sold between 501 to yesterday. Cash corn was steady.

Those who bought oats were rewarded extensively. The motive came from the | with high culture, adding: advancing wheat and corn markets, no important news on oats being received. May closed & to 1c higher than yesterday.

Cash oats were steady. The price of product held well to-day would have been less ability to maintain quotations had it not been for the trength evidenced by grain, which had an indirect or sympathetic influence over provisions. The close was 21c higher than yesterday for January pork January lard.

TRAMPS ROBBED.

lixteen Men Beating Their Way a Box Car Robbed by Masked Men_\$400 Secured.

CLINTON, Ia., Nov. 1 .- Something new in the line of a hold up took place at East Clinton last night. Sixteen men, some of them tramps, and others who had been at work, saving their money and beating their way home, were in a box car. There was a rap for admission, and those inside supposing some one wanted shelter, opened the door. On the outside were four masked men with pistols and dark lanterns. Two of the men entered the sar and commanded the occupants to throw up their hands.
They then ordered them to stand in line
and while one of them held the gun his companion went through the outfit, Taey secured \$400 in cash and two

Attempted Murder and Suicide. WASHINGTON, Nov. 1. - Frederick Wiel, white, aged 35 years, a member of the United States marine corps, shot his mistress, Annie Grandy, to-night and then put two bullets in his own head, dying almost instantly. The shooting took place in a disreputable house known as "Mahogany Hall." the inmates of

DEATH OF THE CZAR.

HE DIES PEACEFULLY, SUR-ROUNDED BY HIS FAMILY.

Great Grief of the People of Russia-The News Sorrowfully Received in France-Condolences of Other Powers-Preparations for the Obseques-A Sketch of His Life-The New Czar Nicholas II.

LONDON, Nov. 1 .- The Foreign Office has received a despatch from the British Embassy at St. Petersburg saying that the Czar's death occurred at 2:20 o'clock

VIENNA, Nov. 1 .- A despatch from Yalta says that at noon the action of the Czar's heart began to enfeeble rapidly. About 1:30 o'clock unconsciousness supervened and the action of the heart became intermittent and scarcely perceptible, until its pulsations ceased altogether.

LONDON, Nov. 1 .- The announcement of the death of the Czar was officially communicated by wire from Livadia to Marlborough house, the residence of the Prince of Wales, but no particulars of his death were given. STETTIN, Nov. 1.—The Kaiser received

the news of the death of the Czar while dining with the officer of the Grena-ROME, Nov. 1 .- Premier Crispi and Baron Blanc, Minister of Foreign Affairs, called at the Russian Embassy this afternoon to express their sorrow over the

death or the Czar.

The Pope has sent a message of condolence to Livadia. St. Petersburg, Nov.1.—The churches n Moscow and St. Petersburg have been thronged at both morning and evening oraying for the soul of the Czar. Every oody seems to be depressed. Near the churches many groupes of weeping women have been gathering since night

fall. The crowds are quiet and mourn-

Paris, Nov. 1.-President Casimir-Perier sent messages of condolence this evening to St Petersburg and Livadia. All the Ministers inscribed their names in the callers' book at the Russian Embassy. Flags on all the Government buildings are at half-mast and many of the buildings are draped with mourn-

lic, but lived in the closest retirement at have stopped beating. Gatchina, being in constant dread of the machinations of the secret societies of the Socialists. His coronation took place | but shortly afterward he rallied slightly. at Moscow May 27, 1883. He married, He was fully conscious He wished the in 1866 Mary Feodorovna (formerly Mary Sophia Frederica Dagamar) daughter of Chrisitan IX, King of Denmark, and sis- with grateful fervor. An hour and a on Saturday. On this another attack ter of the Princess of Wales and the King

The principal concern of the Czar was

to put down Nihilism, to develop the

military power of Russia, to organize her Asiatic and Caucasian provinces, and to keep a steady eye upon Constantinople. From the beginning of his reign periodical attempts upon his life were made by the Nihilists. Twice officers in his own army tried to shoot him. In 1888 he and his family narrowly escaped death in a railway accident near Bouki. The train was thrown from the track and many passengers killed, but the Imperial party were hardly injured. The derailing of the train was supposed to be the work of Nihilists. Last spring a plot was formed in Finland to blow up the castle which the Czar was expected to occupy during the fall manceuvres around Smolensk. The police are still busy hunting down the conspirators. The Czar was deeply religious. He Pobodonoszeff, Attorney General of the Holy Synod, and his group, and persecuted the Jews, Catholics and German Lutherans in Russia without cessation or mercy. He inherited, with his Minister of Foreign Affairs, Prince Gortchakoff, a strong prejudice against the Germans. which was increased by the agitation of the Pan-Slavist war party in his capital. Nevertheless he held fast to a peace policy. Last year he reached an under stanking with France during the visit of the Russian fleet at Toulon, and ever since Russia and France have been regarded as constituting a "dual alliance" counterbalancing on the Continent the power of the "triple alliance." Nothing has been published, however, to show that any formal agreement between the two powers was signed or that the Czar pledged Russia to help France in recov-

ering Alsace and Lorraine from Ger-The Czar left five children, the Crown Prince Nicholas, 27 years old; the Grand Duke George, now ill in the South of Russia; the Grand Duchesses Xeny and Olgia, and the Grand Duke Michael, a boy in his teens.

LONDON, Nov. 1.-A notable obituary 504c and closed at 514 to 518, to over sketch of the Czar will appear in the Times of to-morrow. The author of the sketch was on intimate terms of friendwith a fair profit to-day. The shorts ship with the Czar, and he says that the were a trifle uneasy and covered quite latter never had the slightest sympathy

"Indeed, the Czar rather gloried in the idea of being of the same rough texture as the majority of his subjects, and f he knew that he was sometimes disrespectfully called 'The Peasant Czar,' he in the race of weakness in the live hog regarded this ephithet as a compliment. market at the yards. No doubt there His straightforward, abrupt manner, sayoring sometimes of gruffness, and his direct, unadorned method of expression, harmonized well with his rough-hewn, immobile features and somewhat slug-gish movements. The impression that ligent, strong-willed man, who might, perhaps, listen to explanations, but who certainly would stand no nonsense o'clock cannon were fit from his subordinates or anyone else.
Only those who have had the privilege After confirming the of observing him in the unrestrained intimacy of his family, especially when romping with his children or amusing himself with his four footed pets can realize what a simple, kindly nature was concealed behind a by no means sympa-

thetic exterior." The writer then alludes to the Czar's strong anti-German feeling from the time he was Czarewitch, and says; But he always had pacific intentions. He feared that Russia might be made the victim of a coup d'état of the young

autocratic to enjoy hearing the Marseil-laise in his own capital and too prudent to ally himself closely with an impetuous nation under a weak Government. While quite ready to make use of the entente for diplomatic purposes, he had no in-tention of letting himself be dragged

WASHINCTON, Nov. 1.—Prince Cante-cuzene, the Russian Minister, received the following telegram from M. de Giers, the Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, this afternoon:

"ST, PETERSBURG, Nov. 1. It has pleased our Lord to recall to Him our much beloved Sovereign. Alexander III., died at Livadia this afternoon at 1:55 o'clock." Prince Cantecuzene

warded a copy of the telegram to the Department of State here at a late hour. No action will probably be taken at that department before to-morrow. President Cleveland was absent from the White House, having started early in the morn-ing for a day's squirreling in Maryland. PARIS, Nov. 1 .- The first news of the Czar's death came to Paris in an official despatch to the Foreign Office. It was simply that the Czar died at 1:55 o'clock p. m. and was conscious to the last. The despatch was shown at once to President Casimir-Perier. He read it, laid it down

and after a long silence said: "France's strong and loyal friend." Signs of mourning have multiplied ever since the news was made public. La Presse, Le Jour and La Soir issued special editions with black borders. All sold as rapidly as they could be brought to the street. The booths and newsmen were surrounded by eager crowds struggling to buy papers before

he supply was exhausted. La Presse's comment was: "AllFrench patriots will be grieved by this sad news. The mourning will extend throughout France. The Czar was a sincere parisan of peace and a devoted friend of our country. Our sorrow is unutterably leep, but there is no reason for despair, as the heir of Alexander III will recognize the close bond uniting France and Russia. The sorrow of France will be the most convincing evidence to the son and the Sovereign that the union of the nations, which for years has assured peace, must remain and guarantee peace

in the future. YALTA, Nov. 1.-The Czar was told on Tuesday that he could live only a few lays more. He listened composedly During the rest of the day he passed most of the time in disposing of his perand family affairs. Then he calmly awaited the end, with his consciousness broken only occasionally with short periods of coma. Yesterday morning he looked for the last time from the WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.-Alexander III, windows of the palace. He was long "Emperor of All the Russias," who succeeded to the throne on the murder of feel that he could pass his last hours on his father by Nihilist conspirators on Russian soil. Last night he had no sleep. March 13, 1881, was born March 10, He was racked constantly by violent 1845. For some time after his elevation | coughing and hemorrhages. His heart to the throne he seldom appeared in pubgrew so weak that it often seemed to

These distressing symptoms became accentuated at 10 o'olock this morning, Sacrament to be given in the presence of half later he was seized with violent pasms. It seemed as if death had come, but he rallied again and at 12:30 o'clock he appeared to be free from pain-even comfortable. But the weakening heart beats and breathing told his physicians that the end was coming fast. He was conscious almost to the last moment. At 2:15 o'clock his eyes closed slowly and he eased breathing. The body will be embalmed in Livadia

to-night and will be exposed in the palace chapel for a day or two.
Several State officials left St. Petersburg for Livadia this afternoon. According to the tentative arrangement made to-night the body will be conveyed aboard the Imperial yacht Polar Star, to Odessa. It will be escorted by the whole Black sea fleet, which has orders to assemble at once off Yalta. From Odessa the body will be taken on a special train to St. Petersburg and will be placed in the cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul. was under the influence of such bigots as | The final ceremonies will be held probably in about two weeks. It is understood that Alexander II will e proclaimed to-morrow; and the Grand Duke Nicholas will be declared the

PARIS, Nov. 1 .- This evening there is

but one absorbing topic on the boulevards and in the theatres. If the President of the Republic were dead the expressions of regret could not be more general. The probable effect of the event of the Russo-French alliance and the European situation in general is discussed by every group in the streets or cafes. The views are almost without ex-ception optimistic. The belief is that Nicholas will adopt his father's policy. The Czar's death will be announced officially to the Deputies and Senators on Monday at the opening of the Chamber. Doubtless an address of condolence will be drawn and passed by the Chambers. The Ministers will meet to-morrow to name delegates to the funeral and to consider other matters in connection with the Czar's death. A requiem mass will be said in the Russian church to-morrow. An official despatch received

by the Russian Embassy this evening says that the Czar died at 2:15 o'clock. LONDON, Nov. 1 .- The Daily News corespondent in Yalta, who, throughout the Czar's sojourn there, has obtained the

most trustworthy and interesting information, has sent this despatch; "The Czar died at 2:15 o'clock this afternoon. He was fully conscious. When he felt that his last hour was approaching he asked for extreme unction. This was administered by Father Ivan who afterward conversed with the dying man for some time. The Czar next asked that his family should gather around him. He spoke with each member separately, but at the greatest length with the Czarina, He then gave all his blessing, Finally he bade all farewell. Little by little he grew weaker. His voice at last became hardly audible. Soon after he passed away quietly. The oath of alle-giance to Nicholas II was then administered to the whole family, and at 4:30 o'clock cannon were fired to announce

Atter contirming the death and th funeral arrangements already described, the correspondent adds; "The entire seventh army corps will pay military honors to the dead Emperor when the body shall be embarked at Yalta. The train from Odessa to St. Petersburg will stop at every important station where the local garrison will be drawn up to ren!er military honors to their dead. The Czarina is quite broken

down and the doctors are again fearfu that her health may not withstand the weight of her grief."
Sr. Petersburg, Nov. 1.—A solemi Kaiser, and, therefore, thought it advisable to make persistent advances to France. But his attitude was strangely exaggerated, if not entirely misunderstood by France. The Ozar was too week of the great.

Sr. Petersburg, Nov. 1.—A solemn mass for the repose of the Czar's soul was said at 10 o'clock this evening All members of the Council of the Empire were present.

Highest of all in Leavening Power .- Latest U. S. Gur' Report.



ANOTHER TRAIN ROBBERY An Express Train Held Up in Mississippi-The Robbers Make a Poor

Washington, Nov. 1 .- A special from Birmingham, Ala., says: As passenger train No. 3, on the Kansas City, Memphis and Birmingham railroad pulled out of the station at New Albany, Miss., at 1 clock this morning three masked men jumped on the engine and entering the cab covered Engineer Campbell and Fireman Alexander with pistols. The robbers commanded the engineer to stop the train when it had reached a point half a mile from the station. The engineer and fireman were marched back to the express car under cover of revolvers and ordered to break open the door of the car with a coal pick. The train crew were alarmed at the stopping of the train at this unusual place and Conductor Leonard went to investigate. When he howed up the robbers fired at him. He led back to the coaches. Then the robbers fired a volley in the air to intimidate the rest of the crew and passengers, Entrance was finally effected into th xpress car and Messenger Genette forced hand out the contents of the safe. The robbers then backed cut of the

car and jumped from the platform, still holding thir pistols on the messenger ar d enginemen. The robbers are believed to be farmers living in the vicinity. The express officials say that the packages secured by the robbers contained only railroad way bills and cheap jewelry and that they got no money. All that the robbers secured was a \$5 package of jewelry. The express company will, however, make an effort to catch the

The San's Cotton Review. NEW YORK, Nov. 1 .- The Sun's cotton review says: Cotton declined 1 to 2 points, but recovered this and advanced

to 5 points, closing steady at a rise of 3 to 4 points. Sales were 90,000 bales, Cotton goods are sellieg a little more freely. Manufacturers of linings are working over time to catch up with orders. Russian mills have begun paying dividends of 20 per cent. and over and making profits in some cases of 50 per cent, German and French manufacurers have been carrying very small tocks of raw cotton. American cotton. its friends contend, is the cheepest in the world and not only that, it gives the best results. Some of the private cables from Liverpool were bearish. Fattman & Schwartz sold, supposed to be for Conti-nental account. The bears are, as a rule, timid about selling. Most of them are waiting like Micawber, for "something to turn up." The strike at New Orleans is said to be impeding the movement of the crop somewhat. A pound of yarn made from American cotton is worth 40 per cent, more than a pound of yarn from East India cotton. East India supplies are comparatively small. Egyptian is relatively higher than American. Exports from this country continue large. To-day they were 42,282 bales to Great Britain, 12,190 to France, and 21,186 to the Continent; total 75,658 bales, or 25,000 more than today's receipts at the ports. Bombay receipts for the week were 2,000 bales, against 8,000 for the same week last year; tôtal since January 1st, 1,578,000, against 1,586,000 for the same time las year. Bombay shipments since January 1st are 47,000 bales to Great Britain and 44,000 for the same time last year, while to the Continent they were 751,000 and 752,000. New York stock in licensed warehouses is 63,809 bales, against 116,702 a year ago and 255,300 at this time in 1892. Port receipts were 50,391 bales, against 61,713 this day last week and 36.447 last year; total thus far this week, 351,629, against 328,470 for the same time last year. Port receipts for the week have been estimated as high as 425,000. Some think they will not be reached. Port Royal reports a shipment of 6,505 bales to Liverpool, Exports from the ports this season to last night were 1,089,623 bales, against 889,038 for the same time last year. The short interest in this country partly against sales to Europe and milling of the United States is believed to be very large. Some expect large receipts at the ports next week. New Orleans receipts

to-morrow are estimated at 12,000 to 14,-One firm said: "A let up in the movement is necessary to sustain prices, but no material decline is looked for. A arge demand for actual cotton will no doubt be felt when the idea becomes general that prices are at the bottom. Eastern mills continue to buy freely and we are advised from Boston that they have purchased enough to last till the first of February, but it must be remembered that they always carry a few

months supply. A telegram from New Orleans this afternoon from a correspondent there says that reports from everywhere tell of the enormous movement and next week promises to be nearly as large as this.

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