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A Policy of Harmony and Cooperation Inaugurated.

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THE PRESIDENT'S MOTHER.

The Distinguished Lady's Condition at the Time of Going to Press. By Telegraph to The Morning Post.

CANTON, O., Dec. 9 .- When the physician left the beside of Mrs. McKinley late tonight he gave waiting friends and relatives encouragement to hope that the patient might survive the night. THIS IS 6000 NEWS INDEED. She continues in that quiet, almost DEDICATION HALL HISTORY Raleigh Tuesday night. She died suddeath-like sleep in which there is no strain upon her energies, and seemed destined to bring on final dissolution by only slow degrees. She has taken no nourishment since last Monday afternoon. The President keeps almost uninterrupted vigil by his mother's bedside. He thinks there has been a decided weakness manifested in his mother's condition, and does not believe she can hold out more than a few hours

> LATER: 3 a. m., Dec. 10.-Mrs. McKinley's condition at this hour, is but little changed since the last report, at mid-

DID NOT BOYCOTT GOLD MEN. Resolution Declaring Them Incligible to

Judgeships Voted Down, relegraph to The Morning Post RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 9.—The Demoto the foot of the table. The resolution Registrar, was defeated by a large majority.

MR. BRYAN'S WHEREABOUTS YES-TERDAY.

Him \$1,090 for \$500.

By Telegraph to The Morning Post. San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 9.—Mr. ljustment Bryan spent this moaning here, depart- tion that would materially hasten and tween the two great, ing for Mexico just before noon. He restrengthen the development of the enterstems for several years. The ceived his first practical introduction to prise. Reports were received from the at of the controversy be bank. He had \$500 of American ecutive, the Finance, the Auditing and Air Line and the money exchanged and received in re-several special committees. A conservas the chief subject turn \$1,000 Mexican money. He thought ative estimate of the various holdings meial circles yester- some mistake had been made and could of the University, including real estate, physicians, has been confined to his importance of the not understand why he received such a bonds and other securities and subscrip- home for three weeks with a severe acral Southern rate big sum of more than two to one until he tions rounds up a little more than \$1, sickness. His condition is more favorof their fight is re- figured it out for himself at current rate | 000,000. important bear- exchange. He says his next step will be The college of history was reported as throughout the to see whether a Mexican dollar's pur- so near to completion that the contracis in this ter- chasing power is as great in Mexico as tor will be ready to turn it over to the by business in American dollars are in this country. trustees before January 1, 1898. It will instances Accompanied by his wife and Critten- not, however, be dedicated until the hisrates in many den, ex-Consul General to Mexico, he torical department is organized, which nors ob- will make the first stop at Montery to- will probably be next fall. Among the s. it is con- morrow, where arrangements have been articles of furniture to be placed in the morning announcing the death of Dr. first appearance as a member of the Apuncertainty, made for them to visit the big silver new and elegant structure are these his- W. R. Wilkinson, at his home in Dallas,

A Hundred Men Thrown Out.

ad that while he was in FOR THE DEATH OF TWO EXCUR-SIONISTS NEAR WINSTON.

John was Only a Pint Tall, But He Carried Knives and Pistols and Guns a Plenty The Methodist Pastor at Elkin Marries Miss Mattie Folger.

al the management of By Telegraph to The Morning Post.

WINSTON, N. C., Dec. 7 .- While tatement. The failure farmer's exension was returning from buted by some to the Greensboro to Mt. Airy last night, Joe rads of the two roads Hanes and Lem Hemons, both from the lust how much was last named place, got into a row over a pint of liquor, when Hanes cut Hemons' rangement were dis- throat and stabbed him in the bowels many way on South with a knife. Hanes was shot in the wild rumors were heard | back by an unknown party. The wound-One of these was ed men were carried to Walnut Cove, had absorbed where their injuries were dressed by In this it was, however, two physicians. Both are in serious an unequivocal denial. condition. As the difficulty occurred on to be quoted, men of the train in this county, Sheriff Kapp funncial circles stated ordered the wounded men to be brought antioversy between the here tonight, but Hemons is not able to all Southern had been be moved, and the ball in Hanes' back

President R. Curzon | Rev. F. L. Townsend, the pastor of the Senhoard Air Line, and Methodist Church at Elkin, and Miss Spencer, of the South- Mattie Folger, of Dobson, were united gas further stated that in marriage at the home of the bride's hom framed by the cousin, Hon. G. B. Watson, of this city, the two roads, who at 9:30 o'clock this morning. The recable to each other, couple left on the 10 o'clock train for the importance, inas- the home of the groom.

personalities were in- THE LAW COULDN'T REACH HER.

s it is stated, brought Young Indian Halfbreed Squaw Escapes

of the arrangement, Madison, Wis., Dec. 10.-The case of high the lines of the Lizzie Denomie, a young Indian halfhe bay are to be af- breed from Lac La Flambeau, was before ingement provides for sault with intent to kill two Indians, Old Bay Line ser- and her case brought up an important and of the York Riv- oversight in the Federal laws.

Superitor for Norfolk The assault was committed by Lizzie book River Line, it is at a dance, Aug. 22. After the girl to go to Norfolk, spending 115 days in jail here, Judge the through busi- Dunn today dismissed her case on a a Railway. About motion for want of jurisdiction.

Front by the Southern vide punishment for assaults committed . handling of this traffic, by Indians on a reservation, but left it selered likely that it to the other statutes to settle in what be cutire service of its courts, and in what manner the offense should be tried. Upon investigation it is cussed is a possiible was found that there is no other statute the passenger business which contains these provisions, and the wharf of the York court was without jurisdiction. The deof the freight business cision is one of national importance.

Everything Peaceful at Port au Prince. By Cable to The Morning Post.

the Memphis & Charleston road. day, and that the situation is peaceful, not a bill could be passed.

Assets Will Be In the Neigh borhood of One Million.

Next Fall Cannot Be Accomplished Before Then-The Semi-Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees at Washington Yesterday-President Andrews

Absent and the Meetinn Presided Over by Dr. Payne.

By Telegraph to The Morning Post. Washington, Dec. 9.—The semi-an nual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the American University was held at the office of the University, in the Lenman Building. In the absence of the president, Mr. John E. Andrus. who was detained in New York, funds for charitable purposes. the Rev. Dr. Charles H. Payne, of New York, corresponding secretary of Pittman leave today to attend the Bapthe Board of Education of the Metho- tist State Convention in Oxford. Capt. dist Episcopal Church, was elected W. B. Shaw and others will also attend chairman. Others who were present from this place. were President William W. Smith, of cratic caucus was in session until early Randolph-Macon College, Lynchburg this morning, and made nine nomina- Va.; Rev. Dr. David H. Carroll, of Baltions for Judges. The Alexandria- timore; Bishop John F. Hurst, Chancel-Fairfax case went over in Senator lor; Rev. Dr. W. H. Milburn, Chaplain Mushbach's absence. Mr. Early, of Mad- of the United States Senate; Hon. Matison, introduced a resolution, declaring thew G. Emory, Hon. Hiram Price, Mr. any candidate who bolted the Chicago Benjamin F. Leighton, Mr. Andrew B. ticket to be 'incligible, and there was a Duvall, Mr. Brainerd H. Warner, Rev. lively debate over it. Senator Opie, in Dr. Samuel L. Beller, Vice Chancellor; good man and distinguished physician of the native Hawaiians against annexa- 10 and 11. advocating it, scored Gov. O'Ferrall and Rev. Charles W. Baldwin, M. A., of Balother gold men, and said they should go timore, Secretary; Rev. Albert Fsborn,

The Chancellor, Bishop Hurst, reported, from extensive observations by travel and correspondence during breaking his left arm. Dr. W. T. Cheatthe past summer and fall, that Surprised Because a Mexican Bank Gave public interest in the university was very great and constantly growing, and that in several different quarters plans were in process of formacheapness of Mexico's money at a local Vice Chancellor, the Treasurer, the Ex-

been acquired: A spacious wardrobe county. that once belonged to the historian, Mr. C. Y. Bargamin, of Richmond BINGHAMPTON, N. Y., Dec. 9.-The George Bancroft; a rich and finely President of the Henderson Electric Pearl-button factory at Deposit was carved extension table and a set of Light Co., was here yesterday looking burned last night. The loss is \$15,000, chairs, formerly owned and used by after the business. The Company is A hundred men were thrown out of Charles Sumner, and the heavy walnut giving excellent service. desk used by Edwin Stanton, when Secretary of War. After adjournment the WI trustees were served an elegant luncheon MAI ogether at the Riggs House.

HAYTIAN EDITOR ARRESTED.

M. Frederique Charged With Inciting the Population of Port-au-Prince.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Hayti, Dec. 9 .- M Frederique, managing editor of the Jour nal impartial and the alleged author of the virulent articles attacking the Germans, who is accused of desiring to excite the population of this place against the government, has been arrested and taken on board a Havtian cruiser. At the moment of his embarkation there was much excitement, but order was soon restored. The government has at its disposal a sufficient number of troops and is taking all the necessary measures to maintain order. Count Schwerin, the German Charge

d'Affairs, was received by the President this afternoon. The public mind continues agitated and all the regulars and the National Guard are in readiness.

Shortly before 2 o'clock the President issued a proclamation to the people of Havti, saving that for the second time Havti had yielded to German force, conaccording to the proclamation, had decided to resist even to the last, but owing to the lack of promised moral influence, the character of which is not indicated in the proclamation, it was obliged to accept the ultimatum. The proclamation invites the Haytian people to cease internal quarrelings, and to labor for the raising up again of the

FOR ALCOHOLIC INSTRUCTION.

Mr. Maupin Introduces a W. C. T. U. Bill. Racetrack Men Active. By Telegraph to the Morning Post.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 9.-Mr. Maupin the author of the anti-horseracing and A FILIBUSTERER OVERHAULED. gambling faw, enacted at the session It Is Supposed That Her Cargo of Coal two years ago, has introduced a bill in the House, which provides that the By Telegraph to The Morning Post. and their effects on the human system received at the Treasury today from the shall be taught in connection with the Collector of Customs at Wilmington, N.

tracks in Alexander county say they New York on date mentioned, and the will make no effort to secure any legis- coal is really supposed to be meant for By Telegraph to The Morning Post. lation on this subject. But they would the Cuban insurgents. NEW YORK, Dec. 9 .- A dispatch to be glad if the Maupin act could be

HAPPENINGS AT HENDERSON

Of a Newsy and Sometimes Sad Character.-Mrs. Hester Buried.

pecial Despatch to The Morning Post. HENDERSON, N. C., Dec. 9 .- News was Mrs. W. S. Hester, who lived near Dexter in Granville County. She returned from the Methodist Conference at today at Salem Church. Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Rhodes came up yesterday to attend the funeral.

Dr. F. R. Harris left last night for New, York to take a post graduate course

General satisfaction is expressed by Henderson people at the return of Rev.

A. McCullen to the M. E. Church here. The King's Daughters are making elaborate preparations for a grand ba-Dr. J. D. Hufham and Mr. Thos. M.

Mr. John H. Finch. will be accompanied by his daughter, gone over to the opposition. He pre-Miss Lila. The many friends of this sented in the Senate today the petition will be pleased to hear of his improved tion. condition.

Miss Emma Falkner, at the residence of

While several school boys were trying to lift a small house a few days ago, it fell upon John Garlick, 7-year-old boy. ham set the broken member and the boy is doing well.

dency in prices. Large shipments are made from the Eastern counties to the 'be married by young girls,' whose only Henderson market.

Mr. J. H. Lassiter, the venerable merchant whose serious illness was noted in The Post, is recovering.

Dr. W. J. Judd, one of our prominent

its Henderson readers at an early hour on the day of publication.

A telegram was received here this torical pieces, which have recently Texas. He was a native of Vance

EXTRA SESSION OF THE TENNES-SEE LEGISLATURE.

Will Mean a Good Deal as to Who Gets the Seat of the Late Senator Isham Harris-Will Increase the Chances of Mr. Turley It Is Sald.

By Telegraph to The Morning Post, CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Dec. &-Har-McMillin will be a candidate."

Hannah would say nothing. The Turley the drawers of other desis. Some of men are marshalling their forces, and these orders bore dates as far back as everything points to his election, should 1870, and were for accounts ranging from the extra session be called. Mr. Turley \$1 up. It was found that upon receivis from the same quarter of the State as ing a cheek or postal order for copy-Senator Harris, and West Tennessee is right, or several copyrights, he would entitled to one Senator. It is conceded thrust them into the drawers of his desk competition with Southern manu- longer than three or four days, and in Gov. Taylor will be a candidate to suc- and permit them to remain there. ceed Senator Bate, before the regular session of the next Legislature, which Postmaster.General Heath today, "proves meets on Jan. 1, 1898.

Was Intended For Cuban Rebels.

nature of alcoholic and other narcotics Washington, Dec. 9 .- A report was By Telegraph to The Morning Post. various divisions of physiology and C., giving the result of the partly com. pistol shots. Developments showed that ize this. hygiene as thoroughly as other branches pleted inquiry into the recent conduct a rejected suitor had frustrated the in all the schools under State control. of the fillibustering vessel "Silver elopement of Amy Fraser, who had de-No money, the bill provides, shall be ap- Heels," now at that port. The captain cided to run away with Henry Williams. propriated by the Superintendent of of the schooner has offered for sale a He met her at the girl's house and was Public Instruction for any school until cargo of coal. As the cargo is consigned fleeing to a preacher, when Jackson such officer shall have satisfied himself to no person in Wilmington or else. Darby, the unsuccessful suitor for Amy's that the provisions of this act are being where, this circumstance is regarded as hand, stepped into their path with a suspicious by the department. "Silver drawn revolver and began firing. Wil-It is said there may be an effort made Heels" has been missing since Oct. liams fled down the street, and the girl to have the Maupin law amended. Those 19th until three days ago, when she ap- ran in a different direction, finally rewho used to be interested in the race peared at Wilmington. She sailed from turning home. The elopement is off.

Czecho-Polish Demonstration

day at the National Theatre in Lemberg, anxiety.

received here of the sudden death of Very Little Work Done in Either Branch.

denly. The funeral service took place PENSION BILL UP IN HOUSE.

and Bill Allen Had the Floor, and Spread Himself On the Pension "Infamy"-The Senate Adjourns Till Monday-Trying to Dut Daps "In a Hole" by

Moving to Increase Already normous Appropriations.

By Telegraph to The Morning Post. WASHINGTON Dec. 9 .- The Senate adjourned this afternoon until Monday zaar, to be held at Burwell Hall Dec. after consideration of a few minor mat-14-16. It promises to be an enjoyable ters and fruitless discussions between affair. Its object is to increase the Harris, of Kansas, and Thurston, of Nebraska, over the proposed Government purchase of the Kansas Pacific Railway. Each Senator indulged in sarcastic references to the State represented by the other-Thurston, decluring Kansas was so thoroughly bad it would be a long time before the Yesterday Justice S. H. Allen united | State shared in the prosperity now being in marriage, Mr. Robert Lee Short and felt, elsewhere,

The chances for the ratification of the Hawaiian annexation treaty are grow-Dr. J. H. Tucker contemplates going | ing less daily. It is that Senator Hoar, to Florida soon in quest of health. He heretofore a strong annexationist, has

Washington, Dec. 9.—Senator Gallinger spoke at some length in criticism of the practice of the Senate of introducing private pension bills before their sponsers examined into their merstatistics of rerease to these private pension bills. Senators should ex-Tobacco breaks have been quite heavy amine these bills with greatest possible this week, and there is an upward ten- criticism. He would have a stop put to "old soldiers permitting themselves to advanced 15c. Leiter and bull party tinguished family of that name. He was numerous in that locality, It is stated

> Notwithstanding Gallinger's speech the calendar private pension bills was taken up, and 45 bills passed in 60 minutes. Most of them were for increases.

House. WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 .- The consideration of the Pension Appropriation Bill in the House today afforded an oppor-THE MORNING POST is highly spoken tunity for the Republican and Demoof on its general merits. It is a clean, cratic partisens to charge each other newsy, well prepared paper and greets with dereliction in dealing with the old soldiers. The principal speech of the day was by Mr. Allen, of Mississippi, "the Sage of Tupelo," who made his By propriation Committee, and representing his side in the consideration of the bill carrying he greatest sum ever contained in any will that has or will come before the House.

He criticized the committee for reporting the bill, which confessedly would not meet the requirement of the Bureau for the year. Pursuant to that suggestion, several Democratic speakers gave notice of their intention to move to amend the yearly increasing amount of appropriations for pensions from \$140,-000,000 to various other sums, one going done to put the Republicans "in a hole" | . on pension legislation. The debate will be continued tomorrow.

SPOFFORD'S HONESTY PROVED. Investigation of His Alleged "Shortage"

Proves His Honesty. By Telegraph to The Morning Post,. WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The story of vev H. Hannah, Private Secretary to the "shortage" of Librarian Spofford, Gov. Taylor, who perhaps is the best in- while Librarian of the Congressional formed person in the State except Library, in his accounts with the Lithe Governor himself, as to the calling brary, was revived today by the presentaof an extra session of the Legislature tion at the Postoffice Department of a and the Senatorial race, arrived here big batch of postal money orders for last night. In an interview, he said: payment. When Mr. Spofford's short-"The petitions from Memphis, asking an age was discovered, the explanaextra session are in our office, and when tion was, that it was due to Gov. Taylor returns from Michigan he carelessness, and that there was no proof will say whether an extra session will in any way of criminal intent. Spofbe called. If the people of Memphis ford made good the apparent deficit, and show that the legislation asked is nec. there was no prosecution. Since then essary, he will call the extra session. the work of removing books from the There is plenty of information to show old Congressional library in the Capitol this. If we have an extra session, a suc- to the new Library Building has been trary to its rights. The Government, cessor to Senator Harris will be elect- undertaken. In the drawer of Spofford's ed. This election alone would justify private desk there were found \$800 the calling of an extra session. Senator in currency and a number of checks. Turley will be a candidate. A great Another drawer was filled with postalmany of the politicians believe Benton money orders, some of which were for sums as high as \$500. A number of bun-As to the candidacy of Gov. Taylor, dles of postal orders were also found in

"This incident." said First Assistant conclusively the absolute honesty of ern manufacturers made large purchases Ainsworth R.Spofford. People who were of cotton last year, at what then aphave never doubted it for an instant.

A Very Gallant (!) Sultor.

Rock Hill were startled last night by five A reduction of wages was made to equal-

The Sun from Port au Prince says that same and then is unifered at a mended. A Richmond man is said to short and clubbed bim to death. The United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "sounding" the Senators and Delevise and a French cruiser arrived there to order to coroner's jury rendered a verdict charging system will and a French cruiser arrived there to order to coroner's jury rendered a verdict charging system. the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard to the United States cruiser "Marblehead" by "Sounding" the Senators and Delegard

BAPTIST STATE CONVENTIONS.

The Sixty-Seventh Met at Oxford Yester day With Dr. Marsh President. By Telegraph to The Morning Post.

Oxford, Dec. 9 .- The 67th Annual session of the Baptist State Convention met here today.

The annual sermon was delivered be fore a tremendous audience by Rev. A. C. Barron, of Charlotte. Rev. Dr. R. Marsh, of Oxford, was elected president, and all the other officers of the body were re-elected.

Corresponding Secretary White gave the following facts in an official statement made by him:

Reports now in hand show churches, 1,400; membership, 140,000, preachers. 700; baptized during the year, 8,500. Financial statistics; missions-state home and foreign, \$30,000, education of ministers, \$2,400; orphanage, \$15,000.

Total for all objects, \$325,000. These figures do not include the Western North Carolina Convention which reports 21,000 members. Mr. White regards the year's work as one of the best in all the sixty-seven years' history of the convention. When the convention was organized in 1830, there were only 15,000 members of Baptist Churches in all the State. Now. including colored Baptists, there are 325,000 members in the State.

Oxford, today and tomorrow, December | bank of the three which failed.

WHEAT STILL A-RISING?

By Telegraph to The Morning Post, CHICAGO, Dec. 9 .- Wheat sold today at the highest prices since 1891, when the Russian famine scare put prices up. The top price was \$1.09 or 104c. above the low price yesterday and 71c. on the opening price. In a week the price has Orange county, and a member of a dishave control of the December delivery, the first telegraph operator at Raleigh today that when he went to dig up his object was to secure a pension after the object was to secure a pension after the panic, and the price at times advanced the Principal Clerk of the lower house And This Near the Close of the 19th 2c. between trades. Arrangements have of the Legislature. He prepared the

Weather Over the State Today. By Telegraph to The Morning Post.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.-Forecast for Friday: North Carolina, fair, slightly ably so. warmer; southerly winds. Tennessee local rains; southerly winds; slightly

Mrs Cannon Sues for Divorce.

Telegraph to The Morning Post NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 9.—Counsel for Mrs. Lillian Bain Cannon have filed the bill was developed at today's investigation in the divorce proceedings which she, by the committee appointed by the through her guardian, E. C. Bain, has grand camp of Confederate Veterans instituted against Joseph P. Cannon, who of Virginia, as to its history committee. was conviced of conspiring against her. The charges are that some member of The bill sets out that after living with the history committee was in the employ the defendent in Norfolk for about two of the book trust, and they were on trial weeks, was compelled to leave his substantiated. It was also charged that home and seek shelter elsewhere.

THE COTTON FIELDS. No Strikes in "Dixle Land," and This Section Affords Best Laboring Hands-

Thought Cotton Couldn't Get Any Lower than Last Year Hence-By Telegraph to The Morning Post. FALL RIVER, Mass., Dec. 9 .- The ac- acknowledged that it was his signature, tion of the Manutacturers' Association but said he could not recollect for what in deciding to reduce wages also of the money was paid. The committee about 27,000 operatives in this city has adjourned till tomorrow to give Stubbs caused no end of excitement. The op- time to refresh his memory. For thirty eratives have been expecting the cut for years he has been prominent in politics the pass three weeks. It will mean a in Virginia. The weak defense astonloss of wages of about \$18,000 weekly. ishes every one. Cloth is 21c., the lowest in the history plus of two hundred million pieces, and the surplus still increasing. Dif- And Undertaker's Bills Were Heavy, but ferent unions say they are well prepared financially to resist any cut." The new schedule is expected to go into effect January 1st. It is the general belief among operatives that there will be a

strike. They say they are better organized than ever before. market, while dull, was not dull enough he had taken out on his life. The third to compel a reduction, at any rate, not wife, and Schmidt were buried in the a 10 per cent. reduction. It is also de- same grave. The whole amount of inclared that the cut is primarily due to sprance collected was nearly \$12,000. cotton fields, and who have cheap brain trouble. labor always at their doors. The Eastonversant with the facts in the case peared to be the * lowest possible price. But the extraordinary large crop this By Telegraph to The Morning Post. year has forced prices still lower. Thus the manufacturers, whose foresight had

The Colored Parson Fared Badly.

By Telegraph to The Morning Post.

Hammond, a colored "church leader." Both were remanded to jail.

Prof. Rheim, of Weaverville College, Drops Dead.

COL. CAMERON IS NO MORE.

He, Too, Passed Away Very Suddenly Yesterday at His Home In Asheville Proceedings Begun in Court to Remove McLeod as Receiver of the Western North Car-

olina Bank.

special Despatch to The Morning Post. ASHKVILLE, N. C., Dec. 9.—Col. John D. Cameron, one of the best known and generally esteemed citizens of North Carolina, passed away at his residence here today

Prof. J. E. Rheim, President of Weaversville College, suddenly dropped dead today at his home, in the presence of some of the family, who, together with many of the citizens of the State, are shocked to hear of his demise.

In the matter of the three bank failures here, all within thirty days, a short The convention will meet next year in time ago, the following development if the States eventually decide Monroe or Greenville, prabably Monroe. occurred here today anent the same: In to intervene in Cuba they would court today proceeding were filed looking find the Spanish Government ready to The Seventh Annual meeting of the to the removal of L. P. McLeod, one of defend its rights and honor. The Span-Woman's Missionary Societies will be the receivers of the three banks, viz., ish press generally publish bellieose artiheld in the Presbyterian Church, of the "Western Carolina," the only State cles declaring in favor of the Govern-

There are no other developments in relation to the adjustment of the banks' affairs or the prosecution of the officers of the First National, who are under A Case of A "Fool and His Money Soon bond until next term of court. It is, however, now generally-undesstood the By Telegraph to The Morning Post. depositors in the latter bank will receive | HARDINSBURG, Ky., Dec. 9 .- A few a dividend through a deal made with the days ago Daniel Haynes, a well-to-do late officials and their friends.

John D. Cameron was a native of ship the wheat out threw shorts into a News of this city, and for many years been made by the Leiter pool to buy handbook of North Carolina, which the By Telegraph to The Morning Post

THE SDHOOL HISTORY SCANDAL. Womack's Defense So Weak as to Astonish

Closest Friends. By Telegraph to The Morning Post. RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 9.—A sensation the work of the committee to secure history suited to Southern schools. was blocked by the obstructive methods DEMOGRATIC in favor of books of one publishing company; circumstantially established. The checks were placed on evidence, as high as \$165,000,000. This will be BRING YOUR COTTON MILLS TO which were paid to J. N. Stubbs, now WILL SOON DECIDE ON FUTURE Grand Commander of Virginia, and then chairman of the History Committee. They were drawn by J. W. Womack, well known here as the agent of the American Book Coompany. Mr. Stubb denied that he ever received checks Purpose of Becoming Their Widows or had any transactions with Womack. When shown the name on the checks he pronounced them forgeries. He later

of the trade mills, which have a sur- HAD A MULTIPLICITY OF WIVES

Insurance Collections Heavier. By Melegraph to The Morning Post. NEW YORK, Dec. 9 .- Charles Seanoli, 51 years old, was arrested today, suspected of three murders. Two of the supposed victims were Seanoli's, wives. Since '83 the man has been married five times. Four wives are dead, each of NEW YORK, Dec. 9 .- Cotton experts them insured. After the death, of each say that a 10 per cent. reduction by the Seanoli collected the insurance. Besides Cotton Manufacturers' Association at this, Scanoli buried a man named Fall River yesterday is designed to pre- Wm. Schmidt under his own name and cipitate a strike. The condition of the then collected insurance on the policy ship in the House came up. over-production; secondly, to the keen In no case were any of his wives ill facturers, who are close to the every case they died of apoplexy or some

THE SIX-DAY BIKE RACE. O'Clock This Morning.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10 .- 2 a. m. - At the six-day bicycle race at Madison Square been mistaken, were placed on an un- Garden, which will end Saturday night COLUMBIA, S. C., Dec. 9.—Citizenso ff equal footing with their competitors. the race has been so fast that it has been almost killing in its effect upon some of the men. Stephane, the Frenchman, succumbed tonight to the terrible strain, and was carried off the track in a pitiable condition. Seventeen others still

Mount Vernon, Ga., Dec. 9 .- Frank remain in the race Miller, of Chicago, never faltered in was found dead tonight in the yard of what has now come to be regarded Rev. E. Jones, a colored "preacher," as a phenomenal performance. Up to 8 near Rhine. Jones was jealeous of his o'clock this morning he had had only wife and Hammond, and being suspict three hours' sleep since he started and ious that Hammond was intimate with declares he has not a pain or ache. He By Cable to The Morning Post. her, set a trap for him. He pretended is now over 80 miles in the lead. He to be going off to attend to some relig- has lost 10 pounds and has no color in St. Petersburg says that unrest has been Moore, 1,425 miles.

FINANCIAL CONDITION OF CUBA.

Sugar Planters Ask Loan of Half-Million to Grind Their Crop.

By Telegraph to The Morning Post. HAVANA, Dec. 7 .- The Board of Sugar-Planters today asked Blanco to lend the sugar estate owners a half-million to en-

able them to grind. "The country is ruined," said the board in its petition. "There is no money or credit. There are no banks to advance a cent to the farmers. Private money-lenders do not exist now. Laborers may return to work, but we do not know how to pay them, or even feed them, the devastation of the coun-

try having been so complete." The news is confirmed of the destruction of Canto del Embarcadero, Santiago de Cuba Proxince, by Calixto Garcia, with a dynamite gun. It is officially acknowleged that the insurgents captured \$40,000 in gold from Spanish officers at La Caimanera.

Spanish and American Newspapers.

By Telegrap to The Morning Post, MADRID, Dec. 9 .- At a Cabinet meeting today Minister Sagasta, read the digest of comments of the European press on President McKinley's Message to the American Congress, proving that a majority of the newspapers sympathize

with Spain. Sagasta declared that ment taking measures to defend their country against threatened intervention.

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farmer of this county, buried nearly \$3,000 in gold back of his stable, thinking he would keep it there more safely

5,000,000 bushels. The money is already Agricultural Department issued some London, Dec. 9.-A despatch from years ago. He did newspaper work at Athens to the Daily News says: The Asheville for a number of years. The two soldiers who attempted to assassindeceased was widely known among the ate the Sultan in Vildiz Kiosk Monday public men of the State, and favor. have been arrested. Promises of clemency failing to clicit the names of persons who instigated the crime, the prisoners were tortured to death. They revealed absolutely nothing under the

Mistress Bryan as a Politician.

By Telegraph to The Morning Post. Denison, Tex., Dec. 9 .- Mrs. Bryan, in an interview today, said: "Should my ausband live, he will be a candidate for a presidential nomination in 1900. If ominated his election is assured in any event. He will certainly stand on the platform of 1896, without quibble or change of any sort.

POLICY OF PARTY.

Pension Widow Nulsance, the Abuse of Young Girls Marrying Old Soldiers for

and Drawing Pension Money. The Democrats of the House will cauus soon on party policy. Representaive Richardson, the caucus manager, said today that He was consulting with members as to what day would suit frem, and he expected that the heeting, would occur the latter part of this week or early next week. Considerable difference of opinion has arisen among the Democratic members as to the necessity of a caucus, and some of the Democratic eaders have withheld their names from the call on the ground that a caucus at this time could do no good and might lead to considerable difference and division. The promotere of the caucus secured about 50 signatures, which are sufficient to require-Chairman Richardson to issue a call when a convenient time is agreed upon a The understanding is that the purpose of the caucus is to determine on a line of policy as to Cuba, Hayti and finance: although it would not be surprising if ... some question as to Democratic leaders

The Pension Widow Nuisance.

The House Committee on Invalid Pensions met and took action that is intended to correct the alleged rapidly growing abuse of young women marrying old soldiers and sailors for the purpose of becoming their widows and drawing a pension from the Government. This subject has been much discussed in view of Speed Unprecedented .-- Scores Up to One the comparatively large number of widow claimants on account of the Reva olutionary war, the war of 1812 and Mexican war service of husbands. The committee authorized Chairman Ray to obtain from the Committee on Rules an order or rule permitting an amendment to the pension appropriation bill, providing that no pension shall shereafter be granted to the widow of a soldier or other person who is married to such soldier or person after the passage of this Act, excepting, however, all soldiers, sailors, officers, etc. now in or who may hereafter, enter the military or naval service of the United States

Unrest Among Aslatic Moslems.

LONDON, Dec. 9.- A despatch from ious duties, butconcealed himself to his face. The crowds are enormous excited among Asiastic Moslems by WASHINGTON, Dec. 9.—The condition await further developments. It is said from morning till midnight, and interest Molland or priests is causing anxiety in of Senator McLaurin, of South Caro- he caught him in the house and then is unprecedented. The score of the first line who is gill here is extreme ferment among lina, who is still here, sick of typhoid shot and clubbed bim to death. The five men at 1 a. m. (Friday) is: Miller, Musselmans of Caucasus and Turkestan.