AN EMERGENCY BILL

yesterday. Spot sales, 10,000 bales, of which 9,000 bales American, 500 for expect and speculation. The Liverpool market will be closed until Monday 80, 10 o'clock a. m. and on January 1st, 1896.

New York opened 1 to 3 points

lows, declined a few points more and

loss essed off a few points again,

oning quiet and steady 2 points be

ow yesterday.
The market will be elosed tomorrow

The receipts are estimated \$7,000 ales, against 49,000 below last year.

7.88 to —— ; February, 7.95 to 7.96 ; March, 8.02 to 8.03; April, 8.07 to

.08; May, 8.21 to 8.19; June, 8.15 to

10, July, 8.17 to 8.18; August 8:19

bard Bros. & Co.'s Cotton Lette

Advices from Liverpool were not as

good in tone as the trade expected not evening, and the market opened

sier to quickly recover on the cover-

ng of the local interest before the

Shristmas holidays. No disposition

zists to anticipate a decline. On the

untrary the trade at home and abroad

expect a falling off in the movement

dil stimulate the spinners of the

could to buy freely at advancing

prices. On this bellet the long as

casible, although it is beginning to

be felt in all commercial circles that

o permanent revival in business can a obtained until the currency ques

ion is settled, and by the estimation

of the greenbacks and placing upon

ng sufficient gold to pay all demands,

a temporary measure. The present

his season of the year, and the future

of prices will depend on the appear-

Poor Children Made Happy.

SYRAQUES, N. Y., Dec. 24 -Tb

Evening News will distribute from

seven of the largest balls in this city

The charitably inclined people have risen in a mass, and through the

News have supplied the greatest quantity of clothing, toys and candy ever been gathered at one time for the poer of this city.

Thirty-aix in the Rigging.

By Telegraph to the Pansa-Visivos.

Lowdon, Dec. 24.—The British shi

Mooreeby, Captain Boomber, bound

for Pisagua, Chili, is ashore on the coast of Ireland. The erew of thirty-

six is lashed in the rigging. A life

boat is trying to rescue the people. The weather is mild,

Oaban Filibusterers in New York.

New York, Dec. 24.-The steame

Antilla from Nassau, had seventees

luban filibusterers, arrested and tried

Lill is Quiet

Pamons Ship Suilder Dead.

BRIFART, Dec. 94.—Sir Edward Har

Special Election at Cape May.

Triegraph to the Prize Vierce.

OAPE MAT, N. J., Dec. 24.—A special election is being held today to yok on the proposition to allow an increase in this observe debt limited

Kansas Tenchers Mest.

Torus & Kan., Dec 24.—The thirty third annual meeting of the Kana State Tenchers' Association oper there innerrow.

muricle will only stee

By Telegraph to the Pages-Visiron.

at Namau, aboard

graph to the Press-Visitor.

auce of new factors in the situation.

ues of bonds are believed to be only

on of the market is as usual at

Hunnard Bros. & Co.

the banks the responsibility

Sales, 161,900 bales.

Prepared by the Ways and Means Committee,

TO BE PASSED THURSDAY

Nothing Doing in Congress Today-There Will be so General Tariff Revision.

VENEZUEGAN COMBIBSION

To be Composed of Men With Whom Politics is Merely an Incident.

raph to the Press-Visitor.

HINGTON, D. C., Dec. 24.—The ary Commissio vill probably not be annuanced by President Cleveland until the latter part of this week or the first of next

and one close to the Presid crity for the statement to y not a single name so led will be found on the or

The Precident, it is known, is arching the universities and coltes of this country for suitable

etary Olney is in daily consul

For Those Who are Hangry.

Omeago, Dec. 24.—The Salvation is hundred turkeys and fifty bar-els of potatoes are being cooked to-

> Devastating Ploods. ph to the Press-Visitor.

s, Tux., Des. 24.-Reports rrounding show that the flood is ore devastating than the worst in avious years. Red river continues to Traffic is almost suspended by

The Market Active and Strong.

By Pelegraph to Tam Phase-Visiron.

Naw Yoak, Dec 24.—Evidence that stock has recovered from the recent panio is planty today. The market is strong, active and irregular. Fluctuations are active and stocks brisk. There is nothing to excite suspicion or curiosity. The demand for action is fair.

Pennels Train in His Old Role.

By Felegraph to the Press-Visitor.

SAN FRANCISCO. Dec. 25 .- Hawali advices says that President Dole and his cabinet are pleased with the way the ex-Queen is conducting herself, since she has been paroled. ran sent he followed in the colored you twice by psychism." Will see no bonds and throw the re-confolity of the grids on Congress-Clearing House Certificates.

Chinese at Port Arthur.

of the even of a three mast

Naw Your, Dec. 24.-Liverpoo Attorney-General's Opinion seared 1-64 up, gained another 1-64 eat lost part of the improvement, of the Lease.

TO ANNUL THE CHARTER

cation, which was Granted by

seedings brought by Judge Schenck and others to annul the charter of the North Carolins Rallroad. He decided to make application to

He decided to make application to the Supreme Court, or a Justice of the Court, for the purpose of bring-ing suit in his name to annul the charter of the North Carolina Rall-road. In doing this, Attorney Gener I Osborne stated that in his c to lease was valid for it was sue amed by decisions in the Supreme

It was not very long after the dedision of the Attorney General was made known that Chief Justice Fairploth and Associate Justice, Montgomery appeared in the court room.
The application asking for the privilege of bringing sult in the Attorney General's name to annul the charter was handed the Chief Justice. He stated that he did not desire the pres-ence of anyone other than the Attor-ney General, and the court room was cleared of witnesses as well as coun-

consultation with the Justices some The Court granted the Attorney General's application and the case will come regularly before them at

tion which Judge Schenck's petition contemplates is to annul the charter of the North Carolina Railroad. It has een understood, and so publish hat it was to annul the les action, however, proposes to annu-the charter of the road as the first step, and if this is done it would ap-pear that the road could at one be placed in the hands of a receiver and its disorganization and dismem bern cut would be a possible result The people of the State would do well to fix this fact in their minds.

A pretty Christman greeting was sheek for a good round sum. It was a beautifully designed check, litho-

and its face read as follows: The Bank of Friendship, Unlimited, Good Will, Square Branch.

Pay to the order of THE PRESS-VISITOR Thousand Hearty Greetings.

T. A. MONTGOMBRY." The check will be endorsed and Irawn at the bank where Mr. Montgomery has ample capital in genial good fellowship to meet it, and he nay depend upon it that his many friends in this city have on deposit here a pientitude of good will upon hich he may at any time make sight draft.

ANOTHER INSTITUTE TOUR.

Commissioner Patterson to Star After the Holidays. Commissioner Patterson will be Commissioner Patterson will be away from Raleigh for some after the general holidays are over. But it will not be in "Pleasant Valley" his western home, that he will daily way the lime with turkey and feast ng and reasting of apples. For the commissioner is a "son of toll."

It is to be another Institute tour he two preceding were unqualified uary the sixth and seventh; ight and pinth Mr. Patter

eak at Newton; on the tenth and eventh those who farm around coresville will hear the music of

es Patterson voice.
So it will be away long yonder in
the middle of next January that Mr.
atterson will be seen of Raleigh

WAR PEELING DEAD.

on Sentiment Against War-augh Papers Cry Traiter an port War 14to Preparations. Cable to the Frem-Visitor, LORDON, Dec. 23 — The St. James

anatte says: "The Irish lauder Rederent of war." Other afternoon pany about a salmay mood on bot des of the Atlantic.

ocrate Preparing to Block Hi

[washington Nows.]
Republican Senators are in with their brethren in the Hou

the next mouth or six weeks, but wishing to do a thing and doing it are outirely different. Anything can be accomplished in the House that Czar Reed and his lieutenants

Red rules were made for just such ng to pass a tariff bill in less the House Ways and Means Commit-

aders in the "Upper House." The rules of the Senate allow up alted debate on any measure, and the Democratic Senators propose to put in a large amount of talking in rder to save the country, if possible, from another dose of McKinleyism.

ee can ever pass the Senate, say

PINGERS SAVED HER LIPE.

John Nowell Tried to Kill a Bowery John Nowell was before Mayer Russ

day charged with attempting to take that which he could not give—the life of Lou McSwaln. Lou has a slash in her throat some

bree laches in distance, and two fingers are artistically carved around the bone. John became angered at comething the aforesaid Lon had stated. Out came his "razee" and with a circular swipe from the shoulder. John sent the rasor straight to the "lady'e" throat, Lou stopped the force of the messenger of death by sacrificing two fingers. Those fingers saved her life Only a flesh wound disfigures her throat.

It was one of those numerous Box ry seenes, where a man is not considered a "gemman" unless he carries

the proverbial shaving weapon on "his Mayor Russ sent Nowell on to court n \$900 justified bond.

BOTH HORSES KILLER

Result of a Serious Cultision of Two

Hack drivers Alex. Miller and Ber Ourtis are both cussing their luck this Christmas; for each has lost a valuable horse. The way the ani-

ing and peculiar.
It was several days ago that one of these wall known drivers was speed. ing out Hillaboro street, and the other was bowling along towards town They met at St. Mary's gate. Inst what was the misunds

ing neither of the men know, but at any rate there was a collision. The two rapidly moving carriages came to a audden stop. There was the crash of collision, the frantic kick-ing of struggling horses and the curses of drivers.

When an examination was made both horses were well nigh helpless. From one of them blood was spurting; this horse was never gotten back to town, for that night he died. Last evening the other horse died also from almost the identically same

kind of injury as the other. Both animals were stabb als were stabled by the aves of the approaching carriages, sch was stabled in the brast, one brough the beart.

The Roseboro Agent Robbed S. W. Greer, agent of the South-ern Express Company, at Roseboro, a station on the Cape Fear & Yad-rin Valley Railroad, in Comberland was held up about 1 o'cl anty, was held up about I o'clock turday morning by two masked in who compelled him to open his le and deliver to them a package attaining \$000 which had been need in the hands of the express ent Friday afternoon by a repre-nantive of the Durham Fertilizer ompany for transhipment to Duram. The robbers departed, leav

ng no clue. Pind Friends at Home. The defendants in the famous rance cases who were sentenced to leasfort. They all took appeals to likely some up for hearing in February or Murch. The men were given a cordial evicence in Seanfort and are utili hold in esteem so it is said.

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e for the trial of civil on

the Bestoard Can Cause a Grea

The Atlanta Constitution, speaking of the S. A. L.'s withdrawal cays: And yet it is difficult to see how such a war among the roads can be averted if the Seaboard should put itself in the attitude of antagonizing the interests of the association in this way. When this system was out of the association fast year there was always a row on smoog the railroads. and rates went to please. It is reason able to presume that conditions would be worse now, for it is nothing but legislation, it is true, but the fair to predict that the Southern. which is the deadliest rival of the Seaboard, would grow more autagonistic than it was before against the Seaboard, and would cut to the quick and put an end to all antagonism in terms of war since it wasn't successful to maintain peaceful relations with the Seaboard very long in terms of com-

> It will be remembered that the new association was launched on quite a different plan from the old. This was in the nature of a compromise rder to get the Seaboard within the ranks of the organization. Now that this system refuses to break bread any longer with the competing lines at the association table it may be reasonably expected that they will light it to the bitter end if a rate war

Prominent railroad officials in Atinta predict all manner of trouble to grow out of this recent disturbance. The Southern States Freight Associaion in the meantime has no board of arbitration-no court of high authority to settle the countless little quarrels of the bickering lines This will make the trouble come with far more promptness than were the situation

A STANGE FREAK

Maiden Lady, Who Lives Plat River, Ducham County.

A strange story comes from Flat River, in this county. It is the mat ter of Miss E B Teasley and the L & D. railroad.

The public will remember that lege of running their track through her land, or rather her meadow. The commissioners awarded her the sum of \$500. This was considered a very iberal allowance. The company paid the amount into the office of the Superior Court of the county Miss Peasley has persistently declined to receive it

Several years ago she advertised der. The sale was held, but there were no bidders, and she now lays laim to the whole road.

Under the law, unclaimed property, remaining for a certain number of years, shall be turned over to the State University. The time has nearly, or about, expired, the sum of \$450 will be turned over to the University Miss Teasley has been informed of this fast, but still she declines to reeive it - Darham Son.

YEW STAFF OFFICER.

Sovernor Carr Appoints W.G. Dorte Colonel and Aide de Camp.

The Governor's staff has on it auother officer-noices a somebody than Capt W. G. Dortch, of Goldsboro. It is Col. Dortch now, for the apsigtment was made vesterday after on and the Gaptain became a Colnel and Aide de Camp of the Gov-

arnor's staff The selection is an admirable one No more gallant or experienced an officer than ex Captain Dorton could have been found to sugment the fine uniformed, estrich feathered staff His commanding figure will look well in the company to which he has been

For years Col. Dortch has be d of the Goldsboro company. He is well posted in military me as well up, perhaps, as any man in the State.

oroughly Prepared Physicia It is all important that every person who undertakes the practice of medi-

Dr. Harrey C. Upchurch, son of the

ate William G Upehureh, who reelus and surgery in this city spe lour years in the study of mee nd-surgery. He graduated at the college of Physicians and Surgeons, medical department, of Columbia Col-age, New York City; he is also a raduate of Columbus Hospital and he Sloane Maternity Hospital of New tant Su, con in the Van

CASHED BY TREASURY

coored shows

Cancelled.

Sharp Centleman Passed One Elder Potts-Was Arrested and Afterwards Released.

Only bankers and bloated be olders are supposed to each and oust couposs. Men 'looking sork" are not supposed to deal bright green, crisp notes which are emblematic of wealth.

At the Treasurer's office last week ery nearly \$300,000 in coupons, which had been cashed in by the State, were counted by the Legislative Committee and supposedly burned in the Treasurer's big bou[d] fire which was noted in these columns. True, the coupons were tossed in the fire, but that is where this story gets its start.

There was a great draught in the fire place that day. The heap of coupone, which were plied high in a tin ox, were thrown in the fire place carefully. Every little ellip of the greenback-looking stuff which happened to fail to one elde was carefully picked up, and placed in the high-leaping flumes. As was stated above there was a great draught in the flue. Many of the conpone, light as a feather, went up the smoky climsey and out into the brisk December air. They fell lightly through the bare limbs of the mighty oaks and speckled the grounds here and there. Some of these coupons may have stopped their etheral flight by lighting on the limbs of the trees The extent of capitol square's coupon covered carpet may never be known But cortain it is that one of these con poos that made its way out of the tiu box, into the fire place, out of the

Yesterday afternoon late, a mi whose appearance indicated that he held no high station in life, entered the Tr-asurer's office. He walked up some years ago the Lynchburg & to the cashier's eage and laid down Durham railroad procured the privone of these coupous which had been one of these coupous which had been cancelled with a steel stamper. The ancellor cuts a cross shaped figure.

Elder Josiah Potts made his way to he counter, his eyes consumied behind heavy pair of spectacles. The tranger gave his name, A. W. Garrison, Rider Potts raked the con pon ever the counter and handed his enstomer two crisp ten-dollar bills. the road for sale to the highest bid- The stranger was soon out of the

Elder Potts, the possessor of the speelled coopen, took it over to hie desk. Running his money-counting hands over the face of the elegantly engraved coupen, be detected a flaw A close scrating confirmed his sus-

Rider Potts was soon in a stir. On of the Treasurers office, and in the espitol grounds he quickly made hi appearance with his bare bead. Two policemen were informed of his having been made a victim of a sharper They stated that they saw a man answering to the description of the one given by him, emerge from the apitol and join another person at the

Payetteville street gate. Elder Potts returned to the capitol perrous and exci ed. It was a rather costly experience of eashing can elled coupons. An examination of the the oupon which had been passed over the Treasurer's counter twice, and redeemed the same number of times showed that the defect had been remedied in a most clever manner The coupon had probably been rubbed over with a damp rag and pressed with an iron. The cross clipped by the cancelling machine was carefully spoothed over and the coupon pre sented as new and orisp appearance as it did when perfectly nes.

Up at the Capital grounds janitors and office boys were out scouting for coupons yesterday afternoon and today. A number of them were found. The policeman found Lawrison in the Capitol grounds, but the man who cine and surgery should be as fully eas with him at the gate glided away prepared as the means to this end will rather advoitly. The charge of false pretense was preferred against Lawrison. He was carried to the station bouse and thoroughly searched, but to money was found on his person. At 1 p. m the case was given

earing before Mayor Russ. Lewis Young, an employee at the capitol testified that he saw soupons in Lawrim's pontet. Elder Potts, being a Quaker by faith, did not take the ath. He testified that Lawrison was he same was who presented the con-on and received payment in reture.

The City May Do the Work, B When the Board of Aldermen "

at the called meeting and rescinded the action of a former meeting, calling In Capitol Square-Had Been for a special election on the issue \$50,000 in bonds for street improve ments, there was expressed by some members of the B and a probability that the work of improvement o streets would be inaugurated withou the holding of a special election. It sas the sense of those who expressed this vies, that the city would make the improvements by borrowing money for the purpose. The action of Supreme Court in deciding that the e-unty commissioners of Forsythe indebtedness for the construction of a

people, was taken as a precedent.

Ordinary persons, as well as lawyers, disagree on the decision of the
Sapreme Court and section 7, article
7 of the constitution is the of the constitution is the grounds for objection. It rends as follows:

"No county, city, town or other municipal corporation shall contract any debt, pledge its faith or loan its eredit, nor shall any tax be levied, or ollected by the officers of the same except for the necessary expenses holly and evergreens a thereof, unless by a vote of a majority look very attractive. of the qualified voters thereof."

The words "except for the neces expenses thereof" it is claimed give the aldermen the right to make improvements, as in the case of the county commissioners of Forsyth give them the right to construct a sourt house without a vote of the peo

That it is necessary to improve the streets and keep them in condition, there is no doubt. It has been don for years and will continue so, But the magnitude and extent of the improvement is a question for the alderen to decide.

A gentleman who is connected with the city in a high capacity cays that there will not be an usus of honds for street improvement. He takes the very sensible ground that the question of the legality of the bonds would arise and as a consequence they would not bring their real value. It would he somneh loss to the city.

The board will likely decide extent of the improvement intended to be taken.

The Scaboard's Freights and the

A circular letter from the ohn H. Winder, general manager, says: All freight trains on the Beaboard Air Line will be annulled during the Christmas holidays as follows:

Commencing at 4 p. m., Tuesday, Thursday, December 20th, 1895, and from 4 p. m., Tuesday, December Sist, 1895, until 7 a. m., Thursday, January

No perishable freight or live stock will be received at depots and junetion points for shipments from 4 p. m., Saturday, December 21st, 1895, until 7 a. m.s Thursday, December 96th, 1895, and from 5 p. m., Saturday, December 28th, 1895, until 7: a. m. Thursday, January 2nd 1896.

Freight depots will be closed Wednesday, December 25th, 1895, and | green. on Wednesday, January 1st, 1896, except the usual hours for delivery of parlabable fraight

All ticket off es and waiting roo will be kept open for the sale of tick-ts and accommodation of passengers as usual.

The Ladies Entitled to the Credit. To the Editor of the Press-Visitor.

DEAR SIE:-The wording of the local n your paper yesterday regarding the rulser fund would lead the public to uppose the lady sponsors here in the Christman things to be city, had only collected the \$36, paid Orphane at Goldebero o Mr. Sterens last week, while the ford Odd Fellows Rose truth is our ladies have collected the city. At Goldsboro to \$ 200 -credited to Raleigh. Let your phans are given a Ch Chamber of Commerce committee fol- the ladies and Odd Pe low our example.

Very respectfully.

Mus F. A. Ouns, For the sponsors.

Chreat Against Judge and Lawyer, News comes from Jones county shere the graveyard lunarance case were tried, that Judge Graham reseived a letter saying one of the con-spirators had said he intended to kill the judge and prosecuting attorneys and then take his own life. The man who made this threat got a long oratense. The judge gave the letter to the sheriff, who swore is a number of extra deputies and took other precaufordants in some cases made separate efforts to intimidate witnesser, but that the Joses sounty people clock right up to their date.

Condensed and Put in

FACTS AND GOSSI

The Southern Belly struck a section car at

pretty desorating at his

all day tomorrow, tions are reserved for Mr. Crawford, of the Im has arranged for a plum ment tonight and has be

went to Bilimore on systerday. The great millionair will be open

with a Christman or The thing has sunk three laches !" That was mas "gag" that made serve chase wildly up towards

A New York life im paid the New York Herald a single page advertisement Christman edition. We give an illustration of the cost of

ing in large cities. Tucker & Co. would do Broadway. Nothing ever seen here. The Rainig

Company put in the brilliant

Superintendent Howell a large attendance of school tendents and principals at the to be held here after Chris program has been arranged as be of great interest, both to the and those talking "shop."

Chelet Church and the Cl the Good Shopherd are till days and evenings with me hard working bands of decorators. Both shurshm will be very pretty in their

The Pause-Viniron would aggest to Superintenden the street railway that a ing that cars stop only on o A reporter has seen a car a than fourteen times between and the capital, a distant blocks.

sent to Goldsboro a li

Mr. C. C. McDonald in seciduous advertiser and benefactor in hit advertisems Raleigh. There are v orn" items of course, said detract nothing to

ot evening the infant