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SUMMARY OF NEWS.

The London Times, in its editorial of Jan. 1, predicts that the new year will be one of general peace.

only \$50,000,000.

The U.S. Senate has passed the bill for dent and acting President of the United even of our own State, we cannot but esnegro suffrage in the District of Columbia, States, was guilty of acts designed to sub- feem ourselves highly fortunate to live in over the President by a vote of 29 to 10, vert the Government of the United States, the midst of so quiet and law-abiding a and the House by a vote of 113 to 38. It or any department thereof, and whether community, as we do. Peace and Indusis now a law.

papers.

a solitary affirmative in the lower Houseof Mr. Lewis, delegate from Fairfax.

The Richmoud Examiner is disposed to A Presidential Impeachment is an altoattach very little importance to the resogether unprecedented and a very solemn lution for impeaching the President, offerprecedure. The Constitution of the United ed by Mr. Ashley, of Ohio, and adopted States declares (Art. 1, Sec. 2) that the by a vote of 108 to 38, in the House of House of Representatives shall have the putting of the suggestion and Representatives, and thinks the resolution sole power of impeachment, and (Art. 1, of inquiry only a safe and convenient insult Sec. 3) that the Senate shall have the sole L. L. D., the distinguished and worthy to the Chief Magistrate. It is not con- power to try all impeachments. By Art. templated to go beyond a report perhaps. 2, Sec. 4, the persons made liable to imand it is doubtful whether even this step peachment, are the president, the vice-

will be ventured upon. president, and all civil officers of the United States. The offences for which a guilty The stock of cotton on hand in New York is estimated at 195,900 bales. person may be impeached are (Art. 2, Sec. The Constitutional Amendment was 4) "treason, bribery, and other high crimes rejected, on the 8th inst., by the Kentucky and misdemeanors." Art. 3, Sec. 3, de-Legislature, in the Senate, by a vote of 24 clares that "treason against the United to 7, and, in the House, by a vote of 62 States shall consist only in levying war against them, or in adhering to their eneto 26.

IMPEACHMENT OF THE PRESIDENT. On the 7th inst., in the U.S. House of and not witstanding the unfavorableness of most successful. It is a remarkable fact, creasing reputation, and fell in the battle Representatives, Mr. Ashley, of Ohio, in- the weather, onr citizens have come to and one strongly illustrative of the con- of the Wilderness Creek. S. HASSELL, ::::: Editor. troduced a resolution impeaching Andrew town in great numbers. The legal gentle- North-Carolina people in general, that for Raleigh, was another most rare spirit.-Johnson, Vice-Prestdent and acting Presi men in attendance are Messrs Asa Biggs, the long period of seventy years there Belonging to the class of 1860, enumerated Wednesday, Jan'ry 16, 1867. dent of the United States, of high erimes J. G. Cartaway, Henry Gilliam, Jos. J. have been virtually but two presidents- above, he was the youngest of eight who and misdemeanors, in that he usurped Martin, J Edwin Moore, William Moore, power and violated laws, that he had made Jesse R. Stubbs, Jos. T. Waldo, S. W. a corrupt use of the appointing power. the Watts, A. S. Williams, P. H. Winston .pardoning power, and the veto-power, that A considerable amount of business has chair for twenty-eight years, another for intellectual attainments. He, too, was to he had corruptly disposed of the public been transacted, and the very efficient offi-

Napoleon's speech on New Year's day property of the United States, that he had cers of the court succeeded in accomplishto the diplomatic corps expressed a wish corruptly interfered in elections and was ing the criminal docket in a single day .for peace and conciliation, the stability of guilty of other high erimes and misde- We take eccasion to congratulate our peo-A. T. Stewart, of New York, is about Committee on the Judiciary to inquire and the general prevalence of peaceful into retire from active business. He is worth whether, in the discharge of his power dustrial habits among them. In considerand duties, Andrew Johnson, Vice-Presi- ing the fearful condition of some sections

he has been guilty of such acts as in law, try we regard as the parents of many of On Jan. 10, the Virginia Assembly re- would be denominated high crimes and the sweetest temporal blessings. May jected the Constitutional Amendment, by misdemeanors which required the inter- they continue to prevail, until our desolata unanimous vote in the Senate, and with position of the House, and that the Com- ed fields and homes-once more rejoice and mittee have power to send for persons and blossom as the rose.

LAST NINETY DAYS OF THE WAR.

We present, in another column, some extracts from the concluding chapter and appendix of this interesting and valuable work. It was written by Miss Cornelia with the assistance of Hon. David L. Swain, pressed by the force, truthfulness, and authenticity of the entire narrative. No

This is the week of our county court, dent in the United Starrs, and one of the country. He served with continually in-

that two of the senior professors have re- received the first distinction During his mained for forty years each, one of them college life, and throughout the whole of occupying the same chair for that whole his brief but brilliant career, he was as conperiod. Another professor has held his spienous for his fidelity to duty as for his twenty-four, another for seventeen years. have consecrated his rare gifts to the min-I doubt if any college in the country can istry of the Church. He fell, while leading show a similar record. During the five a charge on the enemy's works, ten miles years immediately preceding the war, the east of Richmond. Mortally wounded inaverage number of students was about the breast, he said, " Boys, I'm killed, bat thrones and the prosperity of all nations. meanors. The resolution instructs the ple upon the small number of disturbances four bundred and twenty-five-a larger I wish I could live to see you take those number than was registered at any similar works." In a few moments the works institution in the Union except Yale .- were carried and the enemy routed. In The average receipts for tuition exceeded half an hour after, he died peacefully and twenty thousand dollars per annum; and calmly; his promotion to lieutenant colonel it is another circumstance which probably arriving just after his death.

has no parallel in American colleges. that : Cantain George B. Johnson, of Edenton with a meagre endowment, the munificent a graduate of 1859, bearing away the highpatronage of the public enabled the an- est bonors, died in Chapel Hill of a decline thorities of the institution to make perma- brought on by the hardships of prison life nent improvements in the edifices and at Sandusky, Ohio. One of his professors grounds, and additions to the library and wrote of him : " His powers of mind were apparatus, amounting in value, as exhibited unusual, his energy of character very markby the reports of the trustees, to the sum ed his tastes all scholarly, and his attainof more than a hundred thousand dollars ! ments' extensive and accurate. Always This was effected by skillful financiering, pure and upright and truthful and unselfish. and by giving the faculty very moderate Never was a whisper of reproach or cen-

salaries, and is a striking, illustration at sure uttered against him." least of North- Carolina thrift and careful Lieutenant I. Royster, of Raleigh, was management. Since 1837, moreover, the one of the graduates of the University faculty have been authorized to receive who would have shed a lustre on its name without charge for tuition or room pent, had he lived. One of the eighth of 1860 my native of the State possessed of the who received the first distinction, he was requisite endowments, natural and acquired in many respects a remarkable genius-inwhose circumstances may make such as tellectually one of the most gitted young sistance necessary. About ten young men imen who ever left these halls. He tell at President of our State University. Upon annually have availed themselves of this Gettysburgh, advancing to the charge cona careful perusal, we have been much im- privilege, and these have in numerous in- siderably in front of his company and singstances won the highest honors of the ing "Dixie" as he met his instant death. University, and attained like distinction in Captain E. Graham Morrow, of Chapel

the various walks of life. Two remarkable Hill fell at Gettysburgh. Another noble, where else have we seen so correct and cases of this character, presented during modest, gallant, and true young man. He satisfactory an account of the closing the discussion of the proposition to extend was a son of North-Carolina in a particular scenes of the late tearful struggle in North temporary relief to the University, in the sense, for he came of fathers, graudfathers, Carolina. Miss Spencer has succeeded in last General Assembly, must be fresh in great-grandfathers and ancestors even exhibiting a very faithful record of those the remembrance of many of my readers. more remote who had been an honor to In addition to the beneficence of this gen- the same soil before him. On these six sad and eventful days. The interests of eral ordinance, the two, Literary Societies slight memorials there is yet a crown to be

of the President.

of Hayti, has been poisoned.

now worth less than the barrel containing of procedure is laid down by the latest it .- Cause-over supply.

During the month of December, 9, 638 offered by some member of the House, emigrants arrived at Castle Garden,- charging the party to be impeached with mostly from Liverpool.

Charles Giudot, the inventor of the "Bel- ing at once his impeachment, or, what is gian pavement," has contracted to repuve atore common, providing for a committee Broadway, New York, from the Battery of inquiry. If the resolution is passed by to Fourteenth street, at a cost of \$372,000. the House, and it a committee of inquiry stitution, which, uncontrolled and unconlead to the altar one of Louisiana's fairest accused, and in favor of an impeachment, daughters.

The little French Prince Imperial speaks (the same or another) is instructed to imthron languagea A London noon was turned to midnight demand that that body make due provision

by a fog, on the 20th ultimo. There are more than a nundred miles of good sleighing in the streets of Boston.

for \$5,400.

Three hundred divorces were granted in Chicago, during 1866.

It is said that a divorce was never grant- the Senate, by a committee who are aped in South Carolina. Scarcely anything pointed to conduct the trial on the part of else can hetter indicate the true character the House, and who are usually styled the of a people.

. The New York World's definition of a cess summoning the accused then issues very liberal body is George Peabody.

ed publication for wart of funds.

buried in the vicinity of the various camps being sworn to do justice according to the in Ohio, has been ascertained to be 2,307. Constitution and the laws. The person Direct trade between Nortolk and Eu- thus impeached is then called upon to aprope has been established, and the steamer pear and answer. If he makes default, the

erpool.

last week, and arranged for sixty confer- is appointed for the trial, which thereafter \$73,000, and it is expected that the Cente- trials. It any juestion arise among the trustees, Colonel Benjamin Smith, the aid nary gifts will amount to \$5,000,000,

The Atlantic Hotel in Norfolk, one of mies, giving them aid and comfort." . This should be procured and procu the finest south of Baltimore, was des- would seem to be a very clear definition troyed by fire on the morning of the 8th. of "treason;" but the House and Senate, The New York Tribune, Times, and being so well qualified to make black Heral , are opposed to the impeachment white, and white black, may make the definition embrace whatever they please, and

There is a report that President Geffard, they are at perfect liberty to determine what is meant by "bribery, and other high"

authorities, as follows: A resolution is

and their report is adopted, a committee for the trial, and inform the Senate that

articles of impeachment will be prepared by the House and exhibited before the iliar with the history of the State to be

is intrusted to prepare articles of impeachment, which, being reported to the House,

managers of the impeachment. Due profrom the Senate, and is served by their The New York Watchman has suspend- sergeant-at-arms; and on the day therein

appointed, the Senate resolves itself into a The exact number of Confederate dead ourt of impeachment, all the Senators B azilian was to sail on Thursday for Liv- Senate proceeds ex parte (one-sided.y.) If

ences. The missionary contributions of proceeds according to law and usage, and sources, it would never have struggled into that body amounted last year nearly to much in the same way as common judicial existence. At the first meeting of the

Senators, who now act as judges, they are decamp of General Washington and sab. University at the opening of the war, all sequent Governor of the State, made a of whom volunteered at once. five-namely sults," and it will embrace a view of the La France says that in no case will the considered with closed doors, and are de- donation of twenty thousand acres of Captains Anderson, Bryan, Johnson, Morsider the cided by yeas and nays, and only the de- Chicakasaw lands. Major Charles Girard, row, and Lieutenant, Royster-tell on the G. Mem-shall be convicted without the concurrence G. Mem-Shall be convicted without the concurrence G. Mem-Shall be convicted without the concurrence Shall be convicted without the concurrence G. Mem-Shall be convicted without the c and bestowed on it property supposed to Captain Anderson, of Wilmington, was nating political causes, obtained by a long be equal in value to forty thousand dollars. a brother of General George B. Anderson. and honorable service in the national coun-In the present measure, the Radicals are General Thomas Person, the old chief of He graduated with the highest distinction cils; his incorruptible integrity; his cononce more doing all in their power to the Regulators, gave in cash ten hundred in the year 1858. His class consisted of servatism and fidelity through the most originate a desolating continental revolu- and twenty-five dollars to the completion ninety-four members, nearly all of whom exciting and radical revolutions, point to tion, and in case they are successful, we of one of the buildings, this was the largest it is believed entered the army. Two of him as fitting narrator of his country's his-cash donation ever received by the Uni- the seven who shared the first distinction tory. The colleague and friend of Clay, teel perfectly assured that they themselves versity; and Girard Hall, Person Hall, with him-one subsequently tutor in the Calboun, and Webster, he is a connecting will suffer its heaviest disasters. Divine and Smith Hall, preserve in their names University, W. C. Dowd, the other Cap- link with the mighty past, and, as Vicevengeance will not slumber forever: the the grateful remembrance of the earliest tain W. C. Lord, of Salisbury-are in their President of the late Southern Confeder-Sword of justice will shortly descend in and most munificent patrons of the insti- graves. tution. It is a striking evidence of the Captain William Adams, of Greensbore, furnishing in his own person no inapt figure overwhelming dismay and ruin to the poverty of the times that the ladies of the whose name occurs first on the roll of his of the times he proposes to reproduce people that delight in war. God hath not chier city of North Carolina were able to classmates, was killed at Sharpsburgh .- with the pen of the faithful historian. forgotten to be gracious; such a thought present only a quadrant in token of their Captain Hagh T. Browr. (halt-brother to There is perhaps no man now living in is our infirmity, but we should remember interest in the new undertaking, and the General Gordon,) fell at Springfield; and eithe of the late immical sections who the years and the works of the right hand ladies of Raleigh & small pair of globes. Lieutenant Thomas Cowan, at Sharps- excites less animosity or commands a more in 1795, the first student arrived, and burgh. Among those who have survived honorable esteem, and we feel that we are of the Most High. from that day to this the whole course of the perils of the battle-field and the hos- neither predicting or expecting too much His purpose shall stand, and He will do the University has been one of great and pital, are Lieutenant-Colonels H. C. Jones, when we say that Mr. Stephens's work The iron crown of Lombardy is shortly all His holy pleasure. Nothing is truer steadily increasing reputation and useful- A. C. McAllister, and J. T. Morehead, will prove a new and welcome era in the

instruction of the present a erations.

University of North Car The Revolutionary history of the l

trate and exhausted from the Revolution-The oil in a full barrel of petroleum is crimes and misdemeanors." The method ary struggle, the very time when a superficial observer would have thought i enough for the people to get bread to eat and clothes to wear, our far-seeing patriots who knew well that without education no state can become great, and that the weakhis supposed offence, and either demand- er we were physically the more need there was for intellectual force and power to enable us to maintain our stand among the nations-these wise men projected and laid the foundations of a State literary inbigotries, should be an honor and a benefit to the commonwealth through all future generations. General Davie may Unifelianty, hiding Pevery man of distinc-

tion in the State at that time manifested a deep and cordial interest in its establish-'Most of my readers are sufficiently fam

A pew in a Boston church sold recently Senate. The same or another committee aware that, before the Revolution, the mother country would permit no college. or nurversity or school to be established but upon certain conditions utterly repugand approved by them, are transmitted to nant the principles of civil and religious liberty. The charter of Queen's College at Charlotte, Mecklenburg county, (the college, town, and county, all three being named in loyal compliment to his queen. was disallowed by George III., because other than members of the Established Church of England were appointed among the trustees. This act of tyranny did more to arouse the revolutionary spirit than the Stamp Act and all other causes combined The money that belonged to the commonschool jund was squandered by the mother country in the erection of a palace for the roval governor-the most splendid edifice of the tame on the continent. And at the close of the war for independence, so impoverished was the country that the Genhe appears and denies the charges, and eral Assembly could contribute nothing The nine Northern Methodist Bishops justs himself on trial (and he may appear toward the establishment of the Universiheld their annual meeting in New York by attorney.) an issue is formed, and a time ty, beyond endowing it with doubtful debts, escheats, and derelict property. So that if and had not been given from private.

truth seem to require that such volumes of the institution have each annually de- placed. These young men were all Chrisfrayed the entire expenses of one or more tians. That light above any that ever peneficiaries, during the time referred to, shone by, sea or shore falls upon their d these recipients of their bounty have graves.

ered service and occupy positions of The benefits of the war in our State le and usefulness which offer the should not be overlooked in summing up high tentouragement to perseverance in even a slight record concerning it. It the benefactions. An account current brought all classes nearer to each other versity is not minteresting. At the very how control the State and the University for The rich and the poor met together, A time when all our State interests lay pros- the ween the State and the University for The rich and the poor met together, A of the past quarter of a century, will show common cause became a common bond of the amount of the tuition and room-rent sympathy and kind feeling. Charity was of those young men, added to the bene- more freely dispensed, pride of station was factions of the Societies, is greatly in ex- forgotten. The Supreme Court judges cess of all the direct contributions? for its and the ex-governors, whose sous had support derived from the public anthori- marched away in the ranks side by side ties. Nay, more, that these sums, added with those of the day-laborer, felt a closer to the hundred thousand dollars resulting tie henceforth to their neighbor. When a from the net earnings of the institution, whole village poured in and around one were quite-equal in amount to the entire church building to hear the ministers of endowment now annihilated by the repu- every denomination pray the parting praydiation of the war-debt, and the consequent ers and invoke the farewell blessings in insolvency of the Bank of North-Carolina, unison on the village boys, there was little General Sheridan is said to be about to be ordered who report adversely to, the tamingted by party polities or religious in the stock of which more than the entire room for sectarian feeling. Christians of every name drew nearer to each other. endowment was invested.

> together as we did for four years, learned States say as much? with which the young men rushed into the notier and more generous impulses of ourmilitary service may be inferred from the nature were brought constantly into acfact that of the eighty members of the tion, stimulated by the heroic endurance Freshman class, but one remained to con- and spleudid gallantry of our soldiers, and tinue his education, and be was incapici- the general enthusiasm which prevailed tated by feeble health from joining his among us. Heaven torbid we should for-incomrades in the field. /Five members of get the good which the war brought is, the faculty volunteered / for the war; and amid such incalculable evils; and Heaven those who remained in their chairs, licing forbid we should ever forget its lessonsincapicitated by age or by their sacred industry, economy, ingennity, patience, profession from serving their country oth- faith, charity, and above all, and finally, wise than as teachers, resolved to keep the humility, and a firm resolve henceforth to, doors of the University open as long as a let well alone.

Can any other College in the United People who wept, and prayed, and rejoiced

dozen boys could be found amid the din That North-Carolina has within herself of arms who might be able to profit by it. fall the elements of a larger life and hope, It is stated upon good anthority, and is and a more diffused prosperity than she confidently believed, that there was not a has ever known, is not to be doubted by single regiment in the entire Concederate those who are acquainted with the wealth service in which could not be tound one of her internal resources and the consumor more old students of Chapel Hill. mate honesty, industay, and resolution of Of field officers in the Confederate ser- her people Time will heal these wounds vice, at least thirteen illustrious names are yet raw and bleeding; the tide of a new among the Alumni of the University, viz: and nobler lite will yet fill her veins and Lieut.-General Leonidas Polk. Brig.- throb in all her pulses; and taught in the Generals Geo. B. Anderson, Rutus Bar- school of adversity the noblest of all lesringer, L. O'B. Branch, Thos. L. Clingman, sons, our people will rise from their present Robert D. Johnston, Gaston Lewis, James dejection when their civil rights have been Johnston Petrigrew, Matt. W. Ransom, restored them. and with renewed hope in Ashley Spaight; and Adjutant-Generals God will go op to do their whole duty as R. C. Gatlin, John F. Hoke. heretofore.-Last Ninety Dairs of the War.

Generals Polk, Anderson, Branch, and Pettigrew were killed, and all the others (with the exception of the two bureau officers) severely wounded, and most of them in course of preparation a work that will more than once.

Of the six tutors connected with the

A Work by Mr. Stevens. Hon. Alex. H. Stevens, of Georgia, has prove an invaluable addition to cotemporaneous history. The title of the work will be a "History of the War between the States-tracing its Origin, Causes and Re-

the French government r order for compelling the eva Mexico by the 1st of March. The President has pardoned C. G. Mem- shall be convicted without the concurrence minger, the late Confederate Secretary of of two-thirds of the members. the Treasury

A son of Albert Sydney Johnson has been elected professor of history and English literature in Gen. Lee's college. Gen. Dix has arrived in Paris, and been presented to the Emperor.

The North Carolina Business Directory, a work highly valuable to every business and professional man in the State, has just been issued by Messrs Branson & Farrar, Raleigh. Price, \$1.00. The condemned Fenians have been sent to the Kingston penitentiary for a twenty

years' term. Mr. Seward's request for their trial papers has been refased.

to resume its place in Monza Cathedral.- than that "pride goeth before destruction, The restitution is to be attended with some and a haughty spirit before a fall." pomp. When the Prefect of Milan shall have announced the day fixed for it, a high Monza to be present at it.

ness. Dr. Joseph Caldwell was president Colonels John A. Gilmer and L. M. Mc- historical literature of the day, and be a from 1796 to 1855, (with the exception of Afee, and General Robert D. Johnaton. model of fairness, moderation and imparfour years, when Rev. Dr. Chapman pre- Captain Anderson was a candidate for tiality.

A large number of Chinamen are to be sided,) when the Hon. David L. Swain was orders in the Episcopal Church, but be- it will be published by the National court functionary will be despatched to imported to work on the Cantral Pacific appointed his successor, and he still re- lieved it his duty to contribute his share Publishing Company of this city and Philmains at the head, the oldest college presi- to the vindication of the rights of his adelphia .- Richmond Enquirer. Railroad.

subject heretofore attempted by no other

The distinguished abilities universally accorded to Mr. Stephens by friend and foe; his intimate acquaintance with origiacy. an embodiment of the living present.