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SUNLIGHT.

Manager Fiske's new dramatic paper seems likely to be successful.

Mr. J. Russell Young will, they say, arrange General Grant's accounts of his travels.

Six years ago there was but one Christian church in Japan. Now there are thirty-six.

Congressman-elect Lowe, of Alabama, says that he will vote independently of the Democrats in the Forty-sixth Congress.

Hon, Jefferson Davis' book of memories is to be published next spring simultaneously in New York and London, with a French edition in Paris.

The document known as Luther's will, has been pronounced authentic by a committee of experts, and will be deposited in a special case in the Perth Museum.

London Punch :- " Mercer-"Stockings. miss? Yes, miss. What number, miss, do you -?' Matter-of-fact young lady "Why, two, of course! Do you think I've got a wooden leg?' '

"Who was the meekest man, my son?" said the superintendent of a Bible class. "Moses, sir." "Very well, my boy; and who was the meekest woman?" "Please, sir, there never was no meekest woman.'

"The pedigree is worth more than the dog," said a witness in a case at London the other day where it came out that a man had bought a dog for £3 10s., which had its pedigree been known would have been cheap at £50.

been remarried four times, and about once | for the past several days, and the only fear more will convince me that we can never is that secondary hemorrhage may occur imports in United States notes. live happily together," said at the altar an during this week, which is not apprehend-Indiana woman to her husband when she ed. married him for the fifth time.

SUN TELEGRAMS.

EARLY AND MIDNIGHT REPORTS.

SUNDAY'S NEWS.

Boston, Dec. 15 .- The British barque Onaway, Capt. Jas. W. Wilmot, now at this port from the Mediterranian, reports that on the 1st August last, on a voyage from New York to Trieste, when the vessel was near some small island in the Gre-

cian Archipilago, two Greek seamen attacked the mate, fatally wounding him and atterwards attempted to kill the boatswain, a seaman, both of whom had their skulls fractured. The Captain fired upon the mutineers, wounding one, when both he and Peter jumped overboard and probably were drowned. The wounded men

were left at Malta. The mutineers probably intended capturing the vessel and running her in among the islands.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS., Dec. 15 .- In the Superior Court vesterday, Frank Finn was sentenced to State prison for life, for outraging Mrs. Julia Tracy at Agawam, in July last.

Lewis and Henry Peabody, sentenced to State prison for life for robbing and atrow. tempting to kill Geo. Brewster near Palmer, five years ago. They have just secured five years in a Connecticut prison.

COLUMBIA, Dec. 15 .- Governor Hampton's physicians state that he slept well last night, received nourishment readily this morning, and is steadily improving.

"Remember-now, we have separated and His condition remains as satisfactory as

RICHMOND, VA., Dec.-The tobacco

Pacific railroad bill, 'the vote on that metion being 26 yeas to 36 nays, Mr. Blaine's is to meet again next Wednesday. resolution, regarding the deprivation of the citizens of their rights, was taken up. The question being on Thurman's amendmont, was agreed to without division. Mr. Conkling moved as an amendment that the investigation be made by a select These appointments were also confirmed

committee of nine, instead of the judiciary to-day. committee, which was agreed to. Mr. Blaine then submitted an amendment, authorizing the committee to take amendment of Mr. Farmer that the investestimony by itself or by any sub-commit- ligating committee hold open sessions said: tee, and to visit any portion of the country. He understood the Senator from Maine obwhen such visit may, in their judgment, jected to the amendment upon the ground facilitate any portion of the object of the that in certain parts of the country, cerinquiry tain witnesses were willing to testify se-

Mr. Butler of South Carolina moved to cretly but not openly. The Senator had amend the amendment, so as to provide snoken about so and so being alleged in rethat the committee or any sub-committee gard to depriving citizens of their rights. thereof shall sit with open doors. There was not a particle of proof of the

A very animated debate was followed and fact. He (Butler) as a Senator in part reparticipated in by Messrs. Butler, Eustis, presenting the State of South Carolina, de-Bayard and others, contending for the open sired to say to the Senate and to the counnvestigation.

try, that the people of his State desired a Mr. Butler's amendment was rejected by vote of 30 to 30-a strict party vote. A subsequent umendment that the com- appeared before the committee in South expenses from the Indian revenue. He mittee or any sub-committee should sit with Carolina, could testify safely as he could open doors, requested to do so by any memin Maine. ber of the committee, was also rejected by Mr. Eustis, of Louisiana, said so far as

a strict party vote; and without further Louisiana is concerned, the past investigaaction the Senate adjourned until to-mortion proved that the Republican witnesses were not intimidated. because the Repub-

The discussion to day was very animated. lican witnesses not only testified there, but the Democratic Senators, and particularly a great many of them testified on both Messrs. Butler, Merrimon and Ransom, persisting in a demand for the open invesfull and fair investigation as he claimed. tigation, and Blaine contending against it he would vote for the amendment to open with great activity.

had two hundred letters complaining of penditure on India. House.--- Has been engaged in reference to bills. Among them was one introduced outrages. He (Butler) understood that Senator to say in his speech on Wednesby Mr. Wood for the payment of duties on A bill appropriating \$130,000 for defi- newspaper publication. If newspaper weeks. The court will remain in mourning ciency in railroad mail transportation has statements were evidence, the Senator six weeks.

been reported from the Committee on Ap- from Maine as well as himself (Mr. Butler) yould have been hung and quartered long copriations, and is to ago. He (Mr. Butler) could go into Maine the Austrian delegation voted for the commorrow

to the cipher telegrams. The committee to do certain things in certain contingencies not yet realized, and it would be con-WASHINGTON, Dec. 15 .- The President trary to usage to publish a document to-day nominated as commissioners of the which has not yet been fully respended to. Hot Springs in Ark., Aaron H. Cragin, of | but as soon as the decisive point is reach-New Hampshire; John Coburn, of Ind .: | ep, which I hope will be the case shortly, and Marcellus L. Stearns, of Florida. I shall publish that dispatch and all the tion of the Powers without exception, and In the Senate to-day, Senator Butler in replying to Mr. Blaine's objection to the

everything done in favor of Greece will be through the collective action of Europe at the instance of France.

A Reuter's telegram from Constantinople says, the Russian authorities at Adrianople sold immense quantities of grain and a large number of horses. It is stated that they intend to evacuate the city in January.

In the House of Commons Mr. George Campbell remarked that the porte was still able to largely import munitions of war from America, although it professed its inability to release Rhodope refugees. Mr. Stanley, Under Secretary of Inmost complete and the fullest investigation | dia, moved that the consent of the House which could be made, and any witness who be given for the defrayal of Afghan war stated that the Government hoped and believed that the war would remain a mere frontier war.

reinstate suspended car drivers, Farrell and Mr. Fawcett moved to amend, to the effect that the proposal was unjust. Mr. Gladstone seconded the amendthis morning. About forty cars are run-

ment, declaring that the proposal invited ning, driven by new hands, under police the House to entirely abdicate control sides. Mr. Butler said if Blaine desired over the direction of the war. After several minor speeches, Mr. Staf

ford Northcote declared that it was not doors. The Senator (Mr. Blaine) said he intended to charge the whole military ex-

journed sine die.

other important items.

services.

The debate was adjourned. The public has been in mourning for the been discontinued. day last, that he based his statements on Grand Duchess of Hesse for the last three Ashe county to Wilkesboro.

gation agreed to the Austrian delegation

out the grants for the iron clads and for

increasing the number of army officers and

Several bridges, says the Gazette, were PESTH. Dec. 16 .- An agreement having wept away by been established between the delegations, ast week. Leaving her door unlocked while absent mon estimates for 1879, amounting to 105.000.000 florins, and passed through the Mrs. Dupree, of Newbern, was robbed of third reading bill for the occupation grant money, provisions, &c. of 20,000,000 florins. The delegations ad-

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O'Hara vs. Kitchin.

Raleigh Observer, 1Mth.

Gov. Hampton is regarded as less favorable although no serious change has taken Much interest is felt in the pending contest between O'Hara and Mr. Kitchin for again last night and retained nourisha certificate of election to the Forty-sixth orrespondence on Greece. I have now orrhage occurs the prespect of his recovery Halifax, Edgecombe and Craven, in rejectment as usual this morning. Unless a hemongress. O'Hara's complaint alleges erstatements which do not encourage this those counties because of irregularities, pretended or real. The matter has been heard by Judge Seymour, who, on yester-Later-The condition of Gov. Hampton day, rendered his judgment, deciding that the county canvassing boards of Halifas and Edgecombe erred in rejecting the re-turns made to them in their respective CLEVELAND, Dec. 16 .- At a meeting of counties; that the irregularities complained the clergymen of the Evangelical churches of did not vitiate the vote, and that their of this city, they heartily and unanimously powers were ministerial only, and issued a endorsed the proposal made by Moody and mandamus to the members of their boards, clergy of Baltimore, that a united effort be commanding them perempterily to meet at made by all true christians in the United the county scats of their respective coun-States in the month of January following ties on Monday (yesterday) at 2 o'clock for a week of prayer, towards a general re- p. m., and to canvass all the returns made vival throughout the land, and express a of the November election, and to make due return of their action immediately to the State canvassing board.

The Board of Canvassers of Craven demurred to O'Hara's complaint, because it nue Railroad Company having refused to failed to allege that the canvassing and counting of the rejected returns by that board would have given him a majority of the votes cast. His Honor sustained the demurrer, but gave leave to the plaintiff to amend his complaint

It is understood that the Canvassing Board will take the question to the Supreme Court for review by appeal. They have already given notice to that effect in the event of an adverse decision by His Honor.

The State Board of Canvassers meets on Wednesday next-the day to which they have adjourned, to act in the premises.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

hope that the response will be general.'

The Ithaca Journal published the fol- manufactory of Thomas C. Williams & lowing as original at the head of the local | Co. was burned to-day. column :

'Tis sweet to be remembered But there is one thing sweeter still; That is to be forgotten When you owe a darn big bill.

"Yours squeezingly," an English lover signed his letters, and he and his sweet heart used to go to sleep in the same arm chair with the same handkerchief over their faces, all of which the jury took into consideration when assessing the damages for breach of promise.

While cruising through the Ellico group in Polynesia the bark John Williams sailed through immense quantities of pumice stone that had not been affoat more than three or four months, and passed numerous trees, eighty or ninety feet long, that had been torn up by the roots and were not of a sort produced in the low coral islands. Submarine volcanoes and tornadoes are indicated.

Serkys tea. which gives the firmness and freshness of youth to the oldest face if drunk copiously and regularly, is all the rage in Europe. It has the color of amber, resembles no other tea, is drunk with or without sugar or cream, according to taste and is a very agreeable beverage. Louis XIV.'s physician, who speaks of it in his travels, says that he has seen women of seventy who, having drank Serkys all their lives, did not seem more than twenty or twenty-five.

Burton and Aikens, deacons in the same Campbellite church in Robard, Kentucky, loved each the other's wife. They did not hide their sentiments from each other, but endeavored to settle the difficulty amicably by exchanging wives. An agreement to that effect was made in writing and signed. The wives were away on a visit when this bargain was made, and were informed of it on their return. Mrs. Burton readily assented, and it is suspected that she had advised the trade; but Mrs. Aikens objected, and the plan failed.

Miss Matilda Hindman, of Denver, Col. pronounces untrue the statements that female suffrage is a failure in Wyoming Territory, and says that the women vote in a nicely carpeted room in a hotel, where the judges are three bright and intelligent women and two dignified and pleasing men; that there is no electioneering ; that they vote in twenty-eight seconds on an average; that men keep quiet and do not spit on the sidewalk along which the women voters pass, and that mothers trundle their babycarriages up to the polling place, vote and move on.

How Much more Humane the Whipping-Post !

Electricity has been added to the duck ing-tub as a mode of punishment in the Columbus (Ohio) penitentiary. The prisouer is first stripped of his clothing, then blindfolded and taken into the room where | ner as the committee of conference. the tub is kept. There he is ordered to

Malloy, a groceryman at West 41st street, was stabbed and instantly killed, while ow, by Philip Whitney, a drunken ruffian, whom Malloy had helped in many ways: The murder was one of the most aggra-

vated characters ever known. ROME. Dec. 15 .- Signor Depretes has undertaken the formation of the Cabinet.

ROME, Dec. 15.—Sympathetic references to the death of Princess' Alice, were made affirmative. The Republicans voted no, in all churches here to-day.

sylvania voting with the Democrats. LONDON, Dec. 15 .- A Constantinople dispatch of the 13th inst. says: "Prince Lehanoff has presented a note protesting against the new Turkish loan, and declair- tion as to whether there was any balance ing that Turkey has no right to alievate on the loan account standing to the credit her resources prior to the liquidating of of the treasury, in any national bank, on her engagements, including the war indemnity. Another naval dispatch from St.

Petersburg, under date of Dec: 14th, deamounts held by each. nies that Russia would object to the loan."

Forty-Fifth Congress-Investiga- tions from \$100,000 to \$1,000,000. 1 of 1

tions. &c.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 .- SENATE-The excess of \$10,000,000, an additional comthe death of Princess Alice, said: Oh, Lord, for all that mourn this day alike in ments, large aggregate subscription sales palaces of kings and in lonely dwellings of of bonds will be greatly stimulated. the poor, we beseech Thy mercy and Thy

favor.

them were the following : By Mr. Davis of Massachusetts: For national museum. Referred to the committee on public buildings and grounds. By Mr. Grover of Oregon : To regulate the employment labor on public works of the United States. Referred to the

committee on commerce. A joint meeting of the Senaté and House than a quorum of the House put in an ap-

pearance. The following sub-committees on the part of the Senate were appointed to visit New Orleans and vicinity: Eustis, Lamar and Paddock. To visit Memphis and vicinity: Harris, Matthews and Conover.

A corresponding sub-committee will be appointed by the House committee to conduct these branches of investigation in conjunction with the Senators above named any interest be paid. during the approaching holiday recess of

Congress. It has also been arranged that the

Mr. Coke, of Texas, submitted a resolu- tion is necessary, as well as for the time of sit down in water three inches deep, and, tion instructing that all laws providing allowing dividends uncalled for to enure to have ultimately seen that the execution of one pole of the battery having been placed for the compensation of United States At- the benefit of other depositors. in the water, a sponge is attached to the torneys by means of fees and the passage other. With this sponge the body of the of laws and fixing the salaries for such ofprisoner is touched rapidly in several ficers. Agreed to. sachusetts, United States Circuit Judge have come around to it. A large number for the first judicial circuit; Joseph Cully. of its clauses are already carried out. places. Not knowing where he is to be | Mr. Beck, of Kentucky, submitted a retouched, as his eyes are still kept blind- solution that the Secretary of the Treas- United States Marshal for the southern Batoum, with its territory, has been givenfolded, his suffering becomes the greater ury be directed and required to appear be- district of Ohio. The pain sometimes produced is said to be fore the Senate in person on Wednesday great, and causes the prisoner to shout in next at 1 o'clock, p. m. to inform the committee held a meeting took, and took | Persia, and Dobrudja has been occupied loud and piercing tones. Unless a careful Senate what reason, if any he has for failaction, upon an application of Attorney by Roumania. The Bosnia-Herzegovina physician is employed to direct the use of ing to answer the resolution of the Senate General Cocke, of Florida, to be permit- question is nearly settled, and the Austrothe electricity people will be led to ques- of the 3rd of December, 1878, in regard to ted to introduce evidence, corroborative of Turkish convention seems on the point of \$10. tion the wisdom and humanity of this in- amounts of silver coin received for custom his statement, last winter, that he had seen being concluded. In Montenegre, difficulnovation. This is the refinement of cru- dues, and whether he has applied it or any Governor Noves and Governor Stearns ties are resulting very peculiar in local sitpart of it to the payment of interest on the come out of the room, where the board of uations, which have delayed the surrender elty. bonds or notes of the United States, and if canvassers was in session, although for an of Podgoritza, but the Porte is endeavor-Military Gossip. not so applied, to state the reason why, hour or more he had been unable to eb- ing to effect it. The Servian delimitation R deigh News. &c. During his remarks on the resolution, tain admission, which the statement was is half finished. The French commission Breech-loading rifles, cal. 50, were yes- Mr. Beck said the Secretary of the Treas- emphatically denied by Noves and Stearns, came to Paris a few days ago, and though terday sent the Anderson Rifles. of Ring- ury had increased the bonded debt of the The committee, to-day, decided that, as | bad season prevents its completion of the wood. Halifax county, and the Jarvis United States to the extent of \$704,499,- this conflict of veracity does not involve bounding of Vrauja district. the chief ob-Light Infantry, of Greenville, Pitt, 450, by selling bonds and hoarding gold. any material point in the subject of inquiry, each company receiving 60 stand. Both After a brief debate, the resolution was they will not hear any witness concerning both sides. Roumelian delemitation is less these commands belong to the First Bat- laid over. At the expiration of the morn- it, but they made an order allowing Cocke advanced and cannot be carried at all points talion of Infantry, N. C. S. G. ing's business, the Senate took up the re- to file ex parte affidavits in support of his

with a corps of detectives and make the Mr. Chalmers moved to suspend the NEW YORK, Dec. 15 .- Last night, John | rules and pass the bill, making it a penal State a stench in the nostrils of the world. Following in the same line of debate, offence for any officer, agent or contractor of the United States to intimidate in the Senator Bayard said there was something putting up the shutters on his store wind- election of members of Congress, or of un American in this secret inquisition. If President, by contributions of money, or the charges made were true, he hoped exposure would follow, and punishment folby vice, or abuse of official privilege, or bribes, threats, influence, etc. Also maklow exposure. If the charges were untrue,

ing it a penal offence to solicit or receive he hoped the punishment would fall upon those who placed them on foot. Merrimon. contributions for election purposes from N. C.) said he had an experience two persons in the employment of the Government. Rejected-yeas, 132; nays, 103; years ago on investigating committees in

not receiving the necessary two-thirds in the South, and he could not conceive of a better plan to encourage perjury than by Canada Money for the Royal Prinhaving closed doors. He had seen day afand the Democrats aye, Kelley of Penn-

ter day, the rankest injustice done to scores of men who were not there to defend A resolution was adopted, calling on the the Secretary of the Treasury for informathemselves. The secret investigations were against the principles of eternal justice and wrong to the American people. Ransom, (N. C.) said for seven long years he had sat here and heard his people abused, but the first of March, 1876, or on the first of any succeeding month, until January, '79. his duty was to bear it. Now when it was proposed to indict them, they would meet with the names of such banks, and the

them half-way and say, "Turn on the lights, and see it all." God forbid that it The treasury department contemplates should go out to the balance of mankind, the issuance of a circular, fixing commissioners' subscriptions of 4 per cent. consels, and go down the stream of time forever, that this American Senate declared that to June 30th, 1879, as follows : Subscripan investigation should not be made in the per cent.; subscriptions from \$1,000,000 to light of day. [Applause in the gallery.] \$10,000,000, 1 of 1 per cent.; amounts in The Senate confirmed Lewis Wallace to be Governor of New Mexico, and Col.

chaplain, in his opening prayer, alluding to mission of one-tenth of 1 per cent. It is Randolph B. March, to be Inspector Genthought that, by offering such induce- eral. Senator Eustes, in his remarks advocating Senator Butler's amendment, favoring

open sessions of the proposed investigating The House has already passed five genecommittee, said that he would avail himself of the proper opportunity to vindicate the people of Louisiana, against the oft repeated accusations which had been made against them in the Senate for political

The select committee on yellow fever, met in joint session this evening. After the general discussion, it was decided that the respective committees act jointly, and a communication in relation to the Freed. that a proper expert be appointed to atmen's Saving and Trust Company, and tend them throughout their Southern tour. states the balances standing to the credit It was generally agreed that Dr. Woodcommittee on yellow fever inquiry was to of the institution at the end of each year worth, Superintendent of the Marine Hosto have been held this morning but less as follows : Dec. 31, 1874, \$147,541 ; Dec. pital Service, and Drs. Barnes and Coch-'75, \$249,176; Dec. 31, '76, \$265,694; rane, be placed on the list of experts, and in addition there be selected one prominent physician from Philadelphia, New York and Boston.

The Eastern Question. Etc.

LONDON, Dec. 16 .- In his speech last Saturday, in reply to a question of M. Gontaul Bison, in the French Senate, not

in the Chamber of Deputies, as stated in the Versailles, dispatch, M. Waddington the French foreign minister said : "I am happy to say that despite certain hankerings for doing more or less than the treaty

of Berlin requires, all cabinets, those have ing something to gain as well as those hav ing something to lose by such divergences.

The Spirit of the South says a post office will be asked for at M. J. Hines', near PESTH. Dec. 16 .- The Hungarirn dele-Mt. Pleasant, Richmond county.

Gov. Hampton-Anxiety Still.

place since yesterday. He rested well

The Union Prayer Movement.

Car Drivers' Strike.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 .- The Third Ave.

Kearney formed a strike, which took place

protection. No violence is yet reported.

NOTES NORTH CAROLINIAN.

Pee Dee post office, Ansen county, has

Col. W. H. H. Cowles has removed from

Toumanent at Bayboro on the 23rd.

The depot is guarded by police.

eral days to come.

is regarded less favorable.

COLUMBIA, Dec. 16 .- The condition of

At the annual election of officers of the the amendment to the amendment, striking Roanoke Literary Society at Weldon J. G. Lockhart was chosen President.

> The Concord Register is glad to state that the son of Mr. Rinehardt, who was injured last week by falling in the well, is ecovering.

Greenesbore Central Protestant :-QUEBEC, Dec. 16.-In consequence of Slaughtered hogs are held at 5 cents per the death of Princess Alice, pravers were pound; chickens, 8 to 124 cents apiece : vesterday offered by the various city beef, 3 to 64 cents, the latter steak.

churches for the Queen Royal family and The Charlotte Observer says Judge their affliction, and the dead march was Dick in the Federal Court decided that generally given at the conclusion of the mortgage on a stock of goods, subject time to time to renewals, fraudulent per se

MONTREAL, Dec. 16 .- References were Franklin Reporter: Mr. Ramsav, liv, made in all the churches yesterday of the ing on lotla in this county. raised about death of Princess Alice. The churches 80 bushels of corn the past season on one acre of land, cultivating the crop entirely TORONTO, Dec. 16 .- Special prayers

with the hoe. Topic : Died, in Lenoir, Sunday morning, December 8th. at 4 o'clock.of diphtheria. Catherine Adelaide, daughter of Judge C. A. Cilley. aged seven months

and twenty days. Just published in Chicago, "Her Beauty Haunts me Yet"-a ballad from the dramatic poem "The Mis-Kodeed," words by Mrs. Mary Bayard Clarke, of Newbern, and melody by James Gill.

Lenoir Topic : Two young men, Messrs. be similar to those dispatched by the Se- McMillan and Lindsay, returned from cretary of State for the Colonies on the Kansas last Tuesday, after a year's expe-death of the Prince Consort at that time. rience in the West. They report hard per cent. lower than ever known here before. Lord Moulk invited the people of Cana- times, and seem glad to get back to their old homes.

> Citizen: Gen. Gorman has greatly improved the Pioneer of late, while our new cotemporary, the Journal, sparkles with Bro. Eve's good humor. If we do say it, who oughtn't to say it, Asheville presents papers not far behind those of other towns her size.

Charlotte Observer : Rev. Mr. Bronson, late rector of St. Peter's Episcopal Church, in this city, has been elected professor of Latin in a college at Waterbury, Mass., a position which is admirably suited to his tastes and culture.

Rockingham Spirit : A telegram was received here last week to the effect that two of Mr. James H. Aycock's (of this town) turpentine stills, located in Southern Georgia, were burned, involving a considerable loss. Did not learn the origin of the fire, but suppose that it was accidental.

Lenoir Topic: Our member is not pledged, yet he could scarcely find in this county a Democrat who does not favor the election of Gov. Z. B. Vance, and we hope that he will be elected on the first ballot. With Ransom and Vance in the Senate,

our hope for the future will be brightened

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OTTAWA, Dec. 16 .- No steps have yet been taken at Redeau regarding the death of the Princess. Neither the Marquis nor Princess Louise attended divine service in the new Edenburgh chapel. Yesterday a special service was being conducted at the Redeau Hall. It is probable imperial or-

were offered in the city churches yesterday

for the Queen Royal family, in consequence

ders regulating the nature of the mourning will be called to-day and will perhaps cretary of State for the Colonies on the

were draped in mourning.

of their present bereavement.

da to wear suitable mourning as suggested by the Imperial Court Chamberlain.

> ----New York Criminal Matters.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16 .- As suspected, the Manhattan bank robbers when being taken from the Jefferson police court this afternoon, a desperate attempt was made to rescue one of them. Red Reary. Pistols were drawn and but for the plucky resistance of detectives, the attempt would have succeeded. A man named Rielly was arrested for participation. It is reported OVER THE ATLANTIC CABLE. | that Farrell, the second leader of the Third Avenue strikers, has been arrested and

clubbed by the police.

Shorter Telegrams.

The schooner Abbie and Era for Savannah with guane, has put in at Norfolk with udder carried away.

Sailed by inland route, from Norfolk for South Carolina, United States coast survev Endeavor. She will be engaged in scientific work until spring.

Lieut. Col. B. S. Alexander, senior offithe treaty on all sides, is the only way of cer of the engineer corps of the United and perpetuated. The President sent the following nomi- not jeopordizing the peace of Europe. We States army on this coast, died yesterday Society item in Charlotte nations to the Senate : Jno. Lowell, Mas- want first to maintain that opinion and all in San Francisco. was generally acknowledged, Alex. B. Sayres, the Philadelphia wifeby the elderly gentlemen, that murderer, who was to have been hanged on prettiest girls at the theatre, Wednesday, has been reprieved by the last, was a visitor from an up to Russia. The Russians have evacated Governor until January 14th. Carolina city, and the name in WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 .- The Potter Erzeroum, which has been handed over to At Norfelk, Va., a fine of \$500 imposed by the Custom House on the schr. Henri-Lincolnton Progress : Qu etta from Vicksburg, has been reduced to accident occurred at the Duff near Brevard Station, Gaston Saturday evening. It appea The eastern telegraph company's super-Simpson, a miner, was timber intendent at Liverpool, Wm. Anderson, wel, and a large rock fell fro an Englishman and native employe of the and dislocated his left hip. company, was murdered outside the gates is in a critical condition. of the city last Saturday evening. The Asheville Citizen: Mai. British consul is investigating the outkins, Fort Preble, Portland, Maine, of the rage. First Artillery, U.S. army, which figured A dispatch from Valparaiso, says the in the Mexican War, and of which the British barque Thalia, Capt. MacMasti, stacle has been settled and accepted by late Gen. Martin was an officer, is preparfrom Glasgow, August 28th, for Honolulu, ing a history of said regiment, and desires any information of the general which may be furnished him. We have sent a copy of Custom House, City Hall and Court h foundered at sea. A part of the crew were landed here. in the winter, but we hope it will be ter-minated next spring. As to Greece, you The Sheridan Case. know that the initiation with which we are services. NEW YORK, Dec. 16 .- United States repreached, is part of our traditional policy. Weldon News : The injunction case of District Attorney Woodford, argued in the To your satisfaction, Greece is to remove the tax-payers against L. M. Long, cel-Whalen-Sheridan case before Judge Wal-No action was taken, to-day, in regard one of the most dangerous demands of the lector of Halifax county, to restrain the collection of certain taxes claimed to be lace this morning, that the plaintiff had Eastern question, and this to the interest no cause for action. He also held that the suit was not against the government unconstitutional, was argued on Tuesday, of the Porte itself, for the treaty of Berlin to have some durability." indirectly, but against Sheridan individu- in Halifax, before his honor Judge Sey stored to the Porte the considerable auc-leus it possesses in Europe should be gov-erned by it without the constant fear of attacks. This is why Europe is pressing her accord to the rectification of the great against Sheridan. Messrs. Woodford and board of commissioners to state that the propriation for the opening of the river for cratic side, and an unsuccessful motion by deneral Butler was not present at the frontier. I cannot yet produce a circular Beckwith, then proceeded to argue the taxes were levied before they went into Senator Matthews to take up the Texas meeting to-day, and no allusion was made I addressed to the Powers, for it invited them validity of Hoyt's title.

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These funds mature as a disbursing account, and are held subject, at all times, to the checks of commissioners, and are not. therefore, available for the use of the department. No interest has been paid, and the department having been changed, the responsibility of labor, holding and paying out funds, does not recommend that Mr. Sherman renews the recommenda-

tion he made last year, that the bank building be purchased and used by the House and Senate committee in Washing- Government, and suggests the final closing ton shall hereafter meet jointly although | up of the affairs of the company be trustthey will vote separately in the same man- ed to a receiver, under the direction of a comptroller of currency, for which legisla-

Mr. Sherman sent to the Senate, in re-

sponse to the resolution on the 5th inst.

Dec. 31, '77, \$381,306; Nov. 30, '78,

ral appropriation bills, viz: West Point A number of bills were introduced dur- academy, fortification, consular and diplong the morning hour and referred. Among matic, pension support and navy. They are now to be acted on by the Senate. The Indian appropriation bill is assigned the erection of a fire proof building for the for consideration to-morrow. No others purposes. will be reparted from the committee until after recess.

\$239,473.

A meeting was held at Oakville, War- solution of Mr. Blaine in regard to the cit- statement, and granting the same permisrea county, Dec. 7th, and a company was izens being deprived of their constitutional sion to the other side. No sub-committee organized, to which was given the name of "Cox Rifles." F. M. Fitts, was elected character, the amendment offered a few Captain, W. J. Davis, 1st Lt., J. Russell days ago by Mr. Thurman's direction, Palmer, 2d Lt., Geo. R. Quincey, Jr., 3d further inquiry as to whether a person has been dismissed from employment by reason

The Yadkin Survey.

Wilkesboro Witness.

complete the survey of the Yadkin River visors of elections, was agreed to without in a few days, and will make a favorable | division. report. Then let Congress give us an ap- After some apparition from the Demosteamboats.

rights. After a brief debate of a colloquial will be sent to Florida to continue the investigation of other matters there. to sending the sub-committee to Louisiana.

The Republican members have selected of his vote, or whether money was raised Mr. Cox, of Ohio, to represent them in any by assessment or otherwise upon Federal sub-committee, that may be sent to Louisofficeholders or employees for election pur- iana. Blackburn will probably accompany We learn that the surveying party will peses, and also into the conduct of super- Potter as second Democratic member.

It is supposed that the additional investi gation in Lousiana could be completed

	able in the future to attend to their wants than	
Observer: It , particularly at one of the	we were last Saturday, when, although our	
, night before other North	whole force, with two extra men, were en-	
s spelt with a	gaged every minute, a great many had to	
uite a serious fy gold mine, a county, last	leave on account of not being waited upon.	
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