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Some time during the fall of '97 we advertised as "New Berne's **Busiest Store.**"

While not using these words in every "ad", still we have felt no need since then to withdraw that statement.

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H. B. Duffy.

doubted by thelauthorities here, although He entered parliament in 1832 as a most of them are British cables. member from Newark. Mr. Gladstone nati 5. Fleets Arranged

was at that time a strong Tory. For Admiral Sampson is placed in comtwenty years he was a leader in the Conmand of the three great squadrons of servative party. He gradually drifted American fighting ships around the into Liberalism, and became a member Island of Cuba.

of Lord Palmerton's cabinet in 1859. One squadron will be directed by Com-When Palmerton's death occurred modore Schley, the second by either Gladstone succeeded him as leader of the Captain Clark of the battleship Oregon Liberals in the house of commons. When or Commedore Watson, and the third the Liberals attained power in 1868, after will be directly under the supervision of Disraeli's first government, Gladstone Sampson himself.

became premier. He held the position Admiral Sampson will have his flagfor six years, and again from 1880 to 1885, ship the New York, the battleships when he declared for Irish home rule. Indiana and Iowa, the cruisers Cincin-A large body of his supporters deserted nati, Columbia, and Minneapolis, besides him, and he was defeated in 1886. H smaller craft, in his squadron. was again prime minister in 1892.

Commodore Schley will have the Mr. Gladstone was married in 1838 to Brooklyn as flagship, the battleship Miss Margaret Glynne, an heliess, who Texas, cruisers New Orleans and Yale, was then 25 years old. She aided her and the monitors Puritan and Miantone husband in every way possible. The

Cleveland, 16 mah, and lesser vessels. Baitimore, 13 latter years of Mr. Gladstone's life have Watson or Clark will have battleship New*York, 14 been spent at Hawarden castle, the Oregon, the cruisers Montgomery and Boston, 15 property of his wife, which is at the Gateway to Wales. Mr. and Mrs. Glad-St. Paul, the Marietta, the dynamite Chicago, 11 cruiser Buffalo and the monitors Terror stone have seven children, four sons and and Amphitrite. three daughters. Pailadelphia, 9

In order to check any move which Mr. Gladstone began public life as a Cervers may contemplete executing Conservative. He was the son of a mer-St. Louis, Louisville, upon the American coast and to prevent chant. He inherited that commercial the possibility of his escaping north spirit which regards business as the first through the Windward passage or concern of human life.

around the west end of Cuba the squad-"It is doubtful whether he ever con rens will be located so that he can be sidered any great question without first intercepted and forced to fight or surrenestimating its business effects on Great

Britain. He was cautious, reserved in The entire fighting strength practi- temper-a business statesman. He becally of the navy on the Atlantic side is lieved in disturbing things with words now within a few hundred miles of and reforming things with legislative Havans. It can be mobilized off Havans enactments."

if necessary in iwenty-four hours, or For nearly twenty years he was ashinha can estel the Spanish fleet if it goes the foremost lieutenant of Sir Robert to Cloufuegos.

l'oel, the great leader. The Cadiz Firet,

Then he gradually drifted into Liberal-It is reported from London that the ism, and after being for some time more date for the sailing of the Cadiz fleet has or less a "free laner," he went into Lord been postponed. The fleet consists of Palaserton's cabinetiu 1839. the first class buttleship Pelayo, three G.adstone recognized the fact that his

armored cruisers, five auxiliary cruis- montal history was one of development ers, and three torpedo bostr. They are rather than of consistency.

supposed to carry 11,000 troops to the "I was educated," said he, "to regard GOOD FARM

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The Lvil Havanese.

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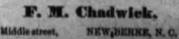
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