We are sincerely appreciative of the liberal patronage extended us during the past year and wish to all A Merry Christmas and Happy and Prosperous Coming Year.

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BELLATE, December 29.

Here we are in the midst of Christman gs, due weather, &c.

On the evening of Fith inst. Mr. Cecil as May Wetherington. They were mar-of at the residence of Mr. James H. ock. We learn that they will live at me near Cove. Thus two of ou ils is going on there is a plan for one come near us to live and sure sough just after sunset on the 28th stant we behold quite a fine escort om Lance Chapel, and the party es-orted was Hr. H. H. House with his oride Miss Lucy Lane, who leaving the ane goes to the House and there abides. our vicinity is the daughter of Bryan nd Nannie Lane near Fort Barnwell. he newly married couple were made

ting, at Lance Chapel. We are informed that the church was and all the attendants acquitted themthe way the young folks looked and talked at the reception that renowed hand: wedding march of Mendelsohn will soon Cot have to be repeated somewhere for we can almost bear the sound of marriage ells not far in the distance.

ne at 2 p m, Rev. C. G. Du Rout, offic-

Three young ladies from Kinston were in the bridal party, and with, we learn, spend a few days in the vicinity of Bel-

It has seemed just a little dull for day or two about here, but these of our vicinity who were off to the wedding having returned, with considerable resforcement, we may expect more visible signs of life for the remainder of the

Mr. John French who has been quite sick with pneumonia for more than a week, is now improving and we trust will soon be up again.

There are some chills in the vicinity and one case of hemorrhagic fever reported, Bozey Richardson, Mrs. E. S.

Farmers generally are resting thi reek, though a few seem to think that

conlight nights is quite a treat and we hope all who are well enough to be out injoying it finely.

The good physician is often perple xed skill is often exhausted without results. save you money and help your doctor. C. D. Bradham.

Paris, Dec. 28 .- The Court of Cassaion today examined M. Casimir-Perier, ex-President of France, and M. Barthou, ex-Minister of the interior, in the proceedin's attending the revision of the aiready stated is \$129,090.

Dreyfus case. The testimony was Superintendent Stronach

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 28 .- The cruiser Suffalo arrived today at Port Sald, en oute for Mantia, just sixteen and a half lays out from New York. Thus she has roken all naval records up to this point in her voyage. She carries 700 sailors to relieve men in Dewey's fleet, whose time

Quarter-Mile of Prescriptions!

four inches wide and quarter of ong. Imagine such a strip closel with writing, probably 10,00; and you will get some idea of that care we have expended in the ment. Not an error, has been not a drug used that was not a sly fresh and reliable. The increase number of prescriptions fills

INCREASED RESOURCES

aylor, tired of living alone, and board Of Splendid Preportions by State

Captain Day Takes Penitentiary Land Grants. Raleigh Growing. A Full Jail, A McKinley Plan. Pension Money.

HALRIGH. N. C., December 29. The party drove into Mr S W Ipocks, the statement of banks in North Caroshere a very warm reception was tenline and jt is a most remarkable one. It Three forces of police face each other on
may be artistically furnished and decored them. An elegant supper was shows that in 71 days there has been an the Prado, each in its own way main-rated at comparatively small cost. The erved and the party of forty, chiefly increase in their resources of nearly half taining or ler. sources are \$11,021,295.

finely decorated, the contracting parties ble. Capt. Day will take an inventory of all the property of the penitentiary. selves with the very best of order. From From the report of the retiring superin- full understanding exists, and the utmost tendent these are the following stores on

> Cotton, 1,931 bales, estimated at \$21 a distrust of Americans. bale, \$40,551. This will be devoted to paying the \$26,000 borrowed from the

Corn, 5,000 barrels at \$2 a barrel, \$10,-000. The corn crop will be 15,000 barrels, but 10,000 barrels will be consumed and 5.000 sold.

Wheat in mills at Weldon, 5,394 bush els at 75 cents a bushel, \$4,045. Peanuts, 7,800 bushels at 55 cents a bushel, \$4 290.

Rice, \$10,000 worth. \$28,000 is to be covered back into the State Treasury for borrowed money.

sound during the last ten years and that nity for Loting stores and dwellings. the receipts in that office, during that time have been \$180,030,

has gone forward and progressed rapidly station, from which they took cars to towards becoming a live little city. to camp. They had the honor of being Thirty miles of sidewalks have been the first Americans to come up Obispo they must push along and keep moving curbed, graded and paved. For the first sir et, which was profusely decorated, time holly and mistiet se were sold here and gave them a rare reception. They on the streets. As a person from the greated a fine impression, marching in This beautiful weather, sharp, bracing north remarked, that showed that Ral- excellent order. eigh was coming to the front.

The jail is full of prisoners and Sheriff Page has had a night watchman put on city in celebration of the Spanish evacduty to prevent any attempt at escape. Auditor Ayer has been requested by Lee and Ludlow, will review about 20, hen his patient does not improve; his the chief of the war record office at | 000 men from the roof of the Inglaterra Washington to furnish him with a list of Hotel. General Lee will-march his men If the medicine was good and pure the the Confederate cemeteries and the num- from the camp to Vedado, where they effect might be different. Let us fill ber of soldiers buried in them It is sup some prescriptions for you, we might posed to be the outcome of President will then march down San Lazaro street save you money and help your doctor. McKinley's expressions while south.

Grippe has made its appearance here, are not of a severe type.

pensions. Over one third of the pensions have already been paid. The amount Superintendent Stronach of the Sold-

iers Home will mak for an appropriation of \$20,000 for the Home. The present yet parents should know there is one appropriation is \$8,500.

When you ask for De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve don't accept a counterfeit or imitation. There are more cases of Piles being cured by this, than all others combined. FS Duffy.

THE MARKETS,

Yesterday's market quotations furnished by W. A. Porterfield & Co. Commis

STOCKS. Open High. Low, Class gar..... 1921 1251 1221 1251 Am Tobacco.... 148 148 149 C. G. W...... 16 C. R. & Q. 1981 1841 1981 1941 R. I 1182 1142 1186 1142 S. & P 1181 1191 1181 1192 L. & N 641 641 641 Paoples Gas.... 1004 1094 100 1094 75

Open, High, Low. Close March....... 5.56 5.58 5.58 CHICAGO MARKETS. WREAT- Open. High, Low, Clos May 701 701 601 70

tors, and the transaction of such business as may come before them he held at their Banking House on

State Treasurer Worth today issued senting three distinct ideas of sover. Mr. Johnson will explain how the vari

ing people seemed to enjoy the oc. a million dollars. There are 44 State Last night American provost guards with the aid of the accompanying drawon with much pleasure and delight, banks, 23 private banks and 6 savings patrolled the streets, picking up strag. ings, almost say one with taste may folliss Lucy Lane who has just been won banks, making 72 in all. The total regiers wherever they met them. East of low the instructions given. The articles Capt. W. H. Day accepts the superin- duty, while at each street intersecting may be transformed from the common endency of the penitentiary. Mr. J. R. | west of the Prado two mounted Cuban | place into a thing of artistic beauty and Tillery of Halifax has agreed to be the insurgents stood ready to suppress any coziness. There is no subject of such

> good feeling is expressed. The Cubans openly avow hatred of Spaniards and

Under some circumstances this condition of affairs would surely result is great disorder, but owing to the evident fesire of all classes to pass January with as little trouble as possible Havana

Making a total of \$38.836, of which is more necessary for the reason that a The Secretary of State shows in his well organized in Havana, to bring on report that 600 land grants have been general rioting and thus make opportu-

The Second Louisiana Volunteers marched up Oblispo street today to the During the year just ending Raleigh Prado, going thence to the Christina

> It has been definitely decided that the American troops will march through tie nation General Brooke, with Generals will be halted for lunch and a rest. They

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. There has been pension money to the All druggists refund the money if it fails amount of \$45,000 paid out so far for to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. If. Q. on each tablet.

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the Prado the Spanish troops did police will show how the interior of a house manager of the State farms. Democrats disturbances. These troops checked all vital interest to Americans as the imwill be given places as rapidly as possi- rioting as soon as they could reach the

Between Spaniards and Americans a popular and useful as his "Inside of a son's articles will doubtless prove as Hundred Homes."

is quieter than was expected.

Orders were given today to use the sternest measures in repressing further street disorders. General Brooke feels that the safe plan is to deal harshly with offenders, rather than risk a possible riot of serious proportions. This course conspiratey is said to have been formed by the Nanigos, a band of men who are

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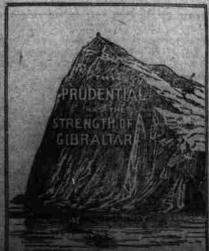


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