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From Steamship Chattahoochee off Cape Hatteras, on night of Nov. 27th, Eastward bound, Frank Keilbach, sge 35, weight approximately 125 pounds, dark hair, dark: mustache.

For the recovery and detention of body until identi-fied we offer the sum of Two Hundred Dollars.

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Where Are the Punds for State Ex. penditure to Come Prom.

Half a Million Dollars Will Be Needed for 1902. New Textile School Machinery. The Alling Omelals.

RALEIGH, Dec. 30 .- Today chief clerk Moody, of the State treasury, made up a immary of expenditures for 1900, and lose which under the acts of 1901 will nest the great increase. Here are the priations for various purposes in 1900 and those for 1902:

Deaf Mute School Blind Institution University Normal and Industrial College gricultural & Mechani-

cal College gricultural & Mechanical College (colored) Morganton Hospital for Insane Raleigh Hospital for Indoldaboro Hospital for Insane

angerous insane and negre Normal schools Net increase of 1903 over 1900 \$ 186,000 Balance unpaid for 1901 100,000 To be paid in 1902

Increase in pensions Increase in public schools ncrease in judiciary Increase in sundries Total increase to be met \$581,000. The

act increase in revenue over 1900 will not be over \$70,000, the officials say. There is therefore a great problem before them. Here is nearly half a million dollars to be met. How shall it be met The legislature evidently thought the new revenue act would -yield a vast inrease. The treasury officials say it does ot materialize,

10,000

Dr. George A. Renn, assistant surgeon J. S. A., arrived yesterday from the Philippines, where he has been two years. He made the trip around the The machinery is being installed in

he nearly completed textile school Dec building at the agricultural college here. Its value is estimated at \$25,000 and it is a gift to the co?lege. The cost of the building is \$25,000.

Attorney general Gilmer is now able Ribe:o sit up a little daily and yesterday took several steps. State superintendent Toon's heart vesterday suddenly showed signs of weakness, and today its action was not good.

An Evangelist's Story.

"I suffered for years with a bronchial or lung trouble and tried various remedies but did not obtain permanent relief U.S. S. 481 until I commenced using One Minute Tex. Pac 39 Cough Cure," writes Rev. James Kirkman, evangelist of Belle River, Ill. "I have no hesitation in recommending it to all sufferers from maladies of this kind." One Minute Cough Cure affords immediate relief for coughs, colds and all kinds of throat and lung troubles. For croup it is unequalled. Absolutely safe. Very pleasant to take, never falls and is really a favorite with the children They like it. F. S. Duffy.

Walnut Taffy and Walnut Buttercupe at McSorley's.

Distinguished Citizen Gone.

RALEIGH, Dec. 30 .- William Henry Harrison Cowles died this afternoon at his home near Wilkesboro.

During the Civil War he was the Colonel of the First North Carolina cavalry and his promotion to brigadier generalcy was specially recommended by Governor Vance. He served four terms in the United States Congress and was a secretary of the North Carolina Senate and solfcitor of this district. His age was 61.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup Cures a Cough or Cold at once. Conquers Croup, Whooping Cough and Measles Cough without fail. Best for Bronchitis, Hoarseners, Grippe, Pheumonia, Con-sumption and Lung Affections. Quick, sure results. Price, 26c.

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HALF A BILLION IN DIVIDENDS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 80.-Interest and dividend disbursements for the January period will this year break all records point of volume.

The recorded disbursements of the July period on railway and manufacturing stocks and bonds amounted to \$128-149,483. From this a conservative estimate is made that the payments of the present period at New York alone will fully equal \$150,000,000.

Conservative estimates place the Janu ary distributions of Boston at \$35,000,have to be made in 1903. The result is 600 and of Philadelphia at \$25,000,000 tartling to the officials, and they want Considerable payments are also made at o know whence the money will come to Baltimore, Chicago and St. Louis. It is impossible to make any estimate of the figures as prepared, showing the approvast sum which falls due in the country in general. It is a vast sum; possibly \$500,000,000.

Among the large payments of interes \$ 40,000 43,500 are those of the Government, exceeding 67,500 65,000 \$4,600,000, which have been anticipated, 95,000 37,500 and following hard upon the January period come pension payments of abo

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road will distribute upward of \$3,400, 000 in interest, the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy in excess of \$2,000,000, the Baltimore and Ohio about \$2,000,000.

Among the heavy dividend payers reckoned at this perior are the Chicago and Northwestern road, about \$2,850,000 the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, \$1,731,332; the New York Central, above \$1,500,000; the New York, New Haven and Hartford, \$1,100,000. The Amalganated Copper Company will pay, the sum of \$1,550,000, and the Western Union Telegraph Company \$1,250,000.

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THE MARKETS.

The following quotations were received by J. E. Latham & Co, New Bern

	NE	w You	k, Dec	. 30.
COTTON;-	Open,	High.	Low.	Clos
Dec	8.00			8.0
January	8.05	8.07	8.00	8.0
March	8.14	8.14	8.10	8.1
May	8.21	8.21	8.17	8.1
July	. 8.25	8.25	8.20	8.2
		Chics	go, De	ec. 30.

Open, High, Low, Close WHEAT:-May 811 821 CORN:-Open. High. Low. Close May..... 651 661 651 Low. Close

New York, Dec. 30. Open. High. Low. Close Bugar..... 118 1181 1161 Con. T Bo Ry 83‡ U.*8. La..... 10‡ 48 A. C. F.... V. C. C..... 704 684

Cotton was quoted in the local market yesterday at 7.50 to 7.75

Spots 4.19-39 Bales 12,000 bales. Futures, Dco-Jan 4.31. Apr-May 4.30. May-June 4.81.

PORT RECEIPTS.

Same week Last week last year. 295,000 295,000 This week. Bat. 60000 Mon. 60000 16000 27000 Thurs. 26000 31000

176,000 How to Cure Croup. Mr. R. Gray, who lives near Amenia,

Duchess county, N. Y. says: "Chamber-lain's Cough Remedy is the best medi-cine I have ever used. It is a fine child-with the same emphasis as other counone I have ever used. It is a fine child-ren's remedy for croup and never falls to cure." When given as soon as the child becomes boarse, or even after the croupy cough has developed, it will pre-vent the attack. This should be borne in mind and as bottle of the Cough Reme-in mind and as bottle of the Cough Remedy kept at hand ready for matant use a n as these symptoms appear. For

PEOPLE OF THE DAY

He Played For the King. John Philip Sousa and his band have en winning laurels in Europe. Their most noteworthy success recently was made at Sandringham, where they played before King Edward and the royal family. The Victoria medal was presented by King Edward to the bandmaster, the Prince of Wales per-



sonally affixing the decoration to Sou sa's breast. In talking of the event to London correspondent Sousa sald: "We first played God Save the King," and then his majesty sent word he wanted 'The Star Spangled Banner, during the playing of which they all, including King Edward, stood up. The Recse-Davies collection of American iymn tunes and the Washington Post March' also were played. The king specially requested us to play 'Hands Across the Sea' and then sent word that he wanted 'El Capitan.' He next requested 'King Cotton' and the 'Coon Sand.' At the end the king again sent word to play "The Star Spangled Banner,' and again all present stood up."

Ex-Speaker Reed on Sympathy. Not one of the theater crowd knew Thomas Brackett Reed. The plays were over and the car crowded. The big man was seated, thinking, perhaps, of the days when he was known as the exar and the cartoonists gave much of their talent and time in caricaturing his ample curves and round face. Perhaps the ex-statesman wondered that there was not one friendly nod or respectful bow for him among those typical, well dressed and happy New Yorkers. The conductor knew the man from Maine and intended to stop the ear near 160 Central Park South, for Mr. Reed does not like to be carried beyond his destiuntion.

But with the many duties of his crowded car the conductor missed the chance to be courteous. The car had passed the corner when the conductor noticed the big man reaching to ring to the motorman. He hurrled to the exspeaker and expressed his sorrow at not stopping at the right place.

"Don't you sympathize with me, sir," said Mr. Reed, with the twinkle in his 664 eye which used to mean danger to presumptive congressmen. "You must not sympathize with any one. It is out of style, and the only place you can find sympathy now is in the dictionary."-

> Will Protect Germany's Interests. In view of the discussions anent the attitude of Germany toward the United States because of the invasion of her markets by the products of this coun try the utterances of imperial Chancellor Count von Bulow in the early hours of the present session of the reichstag are significant. He said that he wished that there should be no mistake regarding the government's attitude toward the commercial treaties. The government considered the renewal of the treatles of long duration to be most desirable, but Germany purposed ar-



ranging them on a basis satisfactory to

herself. The interests of other national would be met in a spirit of reciprocity

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