Cable Despatches. LONDON, December 14.- A barrel of powder exploded under the wall of the prison in Clerkenwall, where Col. Burke was confined. The wall was blown up, and twenty houses shattered. The firemen are digging for the dead. No prisoners escaped; forty men, women and children were wounded. The man who lit the fuse escaped.

### News Items.

CHARLESTON, December 14.—Arrived—steamer G. B. Upton, Boston; bark Esporanza, Havana. Sailed—steamers Falcon, Baltimore; Manhattan, New York.

Augusta, December 14.—It is reported that a collision occurred to-day between a party of negroes and the civil authorities, at Elberton, Elbert County, in which the Sheriff, George Allen, was killed and several others white and black and several others, white and black, were wound-

ed. The difficulty originated at a ball. Three of the persons implicated have not been arrested.

RICHMOND, December 14.—The weather is exceedingly cold here. A man was frozen to death in the city last night last night.

SAVANNAH, December 14.-John E. Hayes, editor of the Republican, was attacked by Charles H. Hopkins, this evening. Hayes was badly but not dangerously hurt, by a blow on the head with a loaded whip.

Atlanta, December 14.—In apparent defiance of the relief ordinance.

rent defiance of the relief ordinance adopted Thursday last by the Convention, the sheriff levied here today on a store, and closed it. Gen. Pope was appealed to, and replied that he could not intervene—the ordinance merely saying levies shall be suspended, but not preventing their being made. This construction is sustained by the bar, and under it the ordinance defeats its own end.

lasses active and unchanged. Flour dull and unchanged. Corn quiet and firm, at 1.15. Oats 85. Pork lower, at 23.50. Lard nominally unchanged.

Liverpool, December 13—Evening.—Cotton to arrive firmer, at 7d.; sales 10,000 bales.

London, December 14—3 P. M.—Bonds 71%.

Liverpool, December 14—2 P. M. adopted Thursday last by the Convention, the sheriff levied here to-day on a store, and closed it. Gen. Pope was appealed to, and replied

Washington, December 14.—A mixed delegation from Virginia, North and South Carolina, visited Stevens yesterday, when the following was elicited: Stevens regarded the impeachment failure an evidence of fickleness of public opinion. The Virginia delegate said the impeach the impeachment failure an evidence of fickleness of public opinion. The Virginia delegate said the impeachment failure would work seriously against reconstruction. Stevens remarked that it could not fail to be otherwise, and mutual regrets were exchanged. The North Carolina negro (Harris) said they would get along very well. The Northern whites were more frightened about negro suffrage than the Southern whites. Gov. Holden was the life blood of the Republican party of North Carolina. The Virginia delegate represented that the condition was critical, and unless Congress came to the relief of the suffering colored and white Unionists, it would was critical, and unless Congress came to the relief of the suffering colored and white Unionists, it would be terrible. Stevens favored the repeal of the clause requiring a ma-jority of registered voters. The delegation thought that would do; but suggested a law empowering the Conventions already called to estabtablish provisional governments immediately; then, if the Constitutions were defeated, they would have at least loyal State officers. Stevens said he had drawn up a bill with two or three beneficial provisions. One was to leave to a majority to affirm or reject the Constitution; another, that the present Conventions shall, as independent bodies, establish Go-vernments in lieu of District Commanders, as soon as Constitutions were ready for submission to Congress. The delegation approved this. Stevens inquired whether the old masters would be able to seduce the negroes from voting properly. Harris replied that the negroes were dependent on their old masters for their daily bread. There was danger, but Harris hoped the negroes were capable of enduring great privations. The Virginia delegate, Cook, (colored) said Harris' repeales a plied to the property of the cook of the

Republican President, and assure triumphant reconstruction. Stanton is to have full hearing be-fore the Senate Military Committee, to meet the President's charges.

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o meet the President's charges.
In addition to the \$500,000 already ppropriated, \$1,200,000 more is sale by E. & G. D. HOPE.

appropriated, \$1,200,000 more is asked for, to cover reconstruction expenses to date.

Internal revenue receipts to day \$400,000; for the week \$2,253,000. RICHMOND, December 14.—In the

Reconstruction Convention, resolutions of inquiry were offered: of in-corporating in the bill of rights, a clause declaring all test oaths diame-trically opposed to the principles of republican liberty; of enfranchising all persons from whom it is in the power of the Convention to remove existing disabilities. A resolution declaring all debts contracted since January 1st, 1860, in the purchase of slaves, null and void, was referred. Adjourned.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

owing to obstructions to navigation. Corn firm—yellow 1.22; white 1.18@ 1.20. Oats firm, at 70@75.

CINCINNATI, December 14.—Flour dull and unchanged. Corn dull, at 85c. Cotton dull—13½. Mess pork offered at 21 for old, and 22 for new. Augusta, December 14.—Cotton market quiet; sales 407 bales—middling 133/2/14

dling 133/4@14. SAVANNAH, December 14.—Cotton dull; prices unchanged—middling 14½; sales 596 bales.

CHARLESTON, December 14.-Cotton opened at an advance of 1/4c., but in consequence of Liverpool news receded to previous quotations—mid-

dling 15; sales 350 bales.

Mobile, December 14.—Sales cotton to-day 1,700 bales—middling 14;

New Orleans, December 14.—Cotton quiet—sales 3,600 bales; middling Orleans 1434. Sugar and molasses active and unchanged. Flour

LIVERPOOL, December 14-2 P. M. Cotton-more doing-uplands 71/4d.; to arrive 67/8.

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Dr. Geo. Smith's Dental Laboratory. but Harris hoped the negroes were capable of enduring great privations. The Virginia delegate, Cook, (colored,) said Harris' remarks applied to his district; 800 in Richmond lost places. Stevens hoped the whole Southern vote would be cast for the Republicen party this would be cast for the Republicen party the Republicant p

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100 BOXE: SMOKED HERRINGS, for sale at the unusually low price of 50 cents per box, by
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New York, December 14—Noon. Stocks steady. Gold 33% Mess pork dull, at 21.87. Cotton quiet, at 15½@15¾.

7P. M.—Cotton less active; sales 1,500 bales, at 15½@15¾. Flour closed quiet and steady. Wheat 2@3 c. better. Corn more active, and 2@3c. better—mixed Western 1.38@ 1.41. Pork very dull, at 21.25. Bacon dull. Lard drooping, at 12½@153 at such hours as may suit the convenience of parties. Classes at the Hall, for Ladies, will meet at 10 c'clock A. M.; Gentlemen at 8.P. M. Terms—Private lessons \$1 each. Juveniles in classes \$5 for twelve lessons. Mr. Balley agrees to teach all the Ball Room and Parlor Dances in twelve lessons. Families wishing to send their children will please apply immediately, as their stay is limited to one session only. Dec 10 Fashionable Dancing School.

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Sugar, Coffee and Molasses,
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Dec 8

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Dia, within the legal hours, the following property, viz:

The HOUSE and LOT on the corner of Gervais and Bull streets, in the city of Columbia, known as the late residence of the defendant. The lot contains one and one-third of an acre, more or less, and bounded as follows: On the South by Gervais street, on the East by Bull street, on the West by Dr. Leland's lot, and on the North by Lady street.

ALSO.

by Lady street.

ALSO,
The HOUSE and LOT on Washington street, in the city of Columbia, known and occupied as Law Offices, containing one-half acre, more or less, and bounded on the South by Washington street, on the West by the Court House lot, on the North by estate of R. W. Gibbes' and Dr. J. W. Powell's lots, and on the East by Mrs. Kennerly's lot; levied on as the property of John Bauskett, deceased, at the suit of W. H. Gibbes. Wm. A. Harris, et al., vs. John Bauskett. Terms cash.

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That lot of LAND on the corner of Camden and Marion streets, fronting on Camden street 30 feet, and on Marion street 200 feet, more or less, and bounded by said streets and by lands of Dr. Trezevant and Thomas J. Rawls.

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That LOT on Arsenal Hill, fronting South on Laurel street 30 feet, more or less, and running back 208 feet 8 inchesbounded East by Haltiwanger and West by Robertson.

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