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# inistration of Mr. ALLIBONE, she was forever disturbing the best workings of the banking TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1857.

View of America ; The City ; General News. The Song-writers of England; The Courts; Birtish Testimonial to American Heroism. she again began to be unable to pay up her

-THE UTTER DISFRANCHISEMENT OF balances of the exchanges in coin, but were THE PEOPLE OF FIFTEEN COUNTIES OF KANSAS.

WALKEE in his letter of resignation, against a fact not generally understood, but which we had promised the other banks, if they would deem a triumphant and unanswerable reply to those who allege that the powers of the Convention were sovereign, and that in conseother banks, and the extent of the deception quence of its failure to submit its work to the practised on them made known. people, Congress has no right to go behind We trust that the Legislature will notice the its action, and to insist upon a ratification of

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We have recently been allowed to exam system of this city, such as it is, by the an extract from the log of the United States grossest violations of the plainest rules of steamer Wabash, recently built at this port, safety - a course which the public could and now attached to the home squadron, being know nothing of; the banks could only know the only one of the new frigates that has been by feeling the consequences, and about in active service since her trial trip. We con-

OUR NAVAL STEAMERS

by teeling the consequences, and about in active service since her trial trip. We con-which they kept steadily mute. We are fess our surprise that so large avessel could be which they kept steadily mute. We are for some aware that so far back as four years, one propelled at such a speed with so small a bank had the spirit to protest at the set-quantity of coal. On a recent cruise she was tlement meeting (then held but once a week) under steam one hundred and two hours, with be a great blow.

everal of the city banks, early in September ast, were willing to expose her then, when he again began to be unable to pay up her is the again began to be up her to be up her to be again be With this moderate consumption of coal, a persuaded to let her go on. The fair promises, ship of 3,500 tons, drawing 22<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> feet, made an

and solomn asseverations of her president im- average speed of 71 knots per hour under This result has not been equalled by any

steamer of equal size in the world, and a direct comparison made between the Wabash and demanded, and were not produced, that the two English screw steamers, at Aspinwall, to 12 mays, providing that when the two Houses nsolvency, of the bank was revealed to the gave her an advantage of 25 per cent. in fuel. This result is, no doubt, owing to the supo-

rior working of her engineers, as indicated by the vacuum of twenty-seven inches. which important defect we have pointed out in the was superior to that of the English steamers,

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