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The findings and sentence of the naval
court-martial, of which Vice Admiral Far cour-martial, of which Vice Admiral Far
ragut was oresident, for the trial of Com
modore Craven for dectiving to thodore Craven for declining to challilenge wall, in the harbor of Ferrol have been pub-
lished. The court sentenced Coumodore Craven to be suspended for two years. The
Secereary of the Navy returned the findings which reiterated its decision. The Sereta-
ry of the Navy then disolved the court, and, ry of the Navy then disolved he court, and
releasing Commodore Craven from arrest,
directed him to The Heralds Washington dispatch hys
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disechargec soliers, by unprineipled claim
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first believed. The comphints of swinded
discharged soldiers, who have received the discharged soldiers, ful rate.
The English press is doing well in de
nouncing th. horribe butcheries perpetra
tud in the island of Jamaica during the late
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Terrort or in the mast turbarous ages. The
English people is divided between shame Mnd idignation; and well they zuay be.
The question of the amission of the Southern claimants to seats in the Hoose of
Representatives it is now ochidered, has
been fully determined. The vote in the
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Masons has had a strange effeet. It is Masons has had a strange effeet. It is said
that with n a day fate it was ppbished
the tro seeret lodges in in oune received 2 2 new members. It is also asserted that
Pope Pius was a member of the order it
the early part of his life. The Fremansons of Massachucetts having
ehartere the Lonse of coloce Masons, al
Newern. North Carolina, the wite Ma mantere and are striving to supprees them
it mill not be done, bowever, while our troops are there.
The British authorities have come pretty
fully to the conclusion that no praticable
armor can render war shiss shot and bullet armor can render war chips shot and bulle
proof As the power of hhe guns is increa
ed the armor is made thicker, but in exer instance, so far, the guns ultimately come
of winners. English eities is quite rapid. Since the census was taken in 1 s61 the population of th
borougk of Shefield has inereased from IS5.

## Ite is sid that Jeff Dovis is thrning his ont

## his soul. Well, he has much to repent of and should be dilligent, as his days arc

 Georse Grinder, the husband of MarthGrinder, lately convicted in the crimina court of Pittsburg on the charge of murder was also tried for the same offence and ac for an Ohio State Agrieultural College hav Oxford, be taken for the purpose.
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men at Selma, Alabamas. They are not almen at Selma, Alabama. They are not al
loweet to onter the cityse except under very
presing circumst ances There is at present living in Sweeden
young man aged 19 years, who is 9 teet 3 fivebes in height. At eight years of age ha
was five feet 3 inches.
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## a number of steamers and barges, valued a \$300,000. The railroad bill before the Tennessee


Stste. It positively asserted that General $L_{0}$ will acoept the mission to Mexieo by

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 fought and won. The bill of Mr. Clarke,
of Kases., which is now before the House,
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by providing for a uniform bounty of $\$ 100$ by providing for a uniform bounty of serm
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