

THE SEVERE WEATHER.

LATEST ACCOUNTS OF THE COLD, NORTH, SOUTH, EAST AND WEST.

The Cold in the City.

Saturday was the coldest day of the year. The thermometer at 8 A. M. stood five degrees below the freezing point, and had only returned to it at 10 o'clock.

The Cold in Columbia.

Special Telegram to the News. Columbia, Sunday Night, December 29. We are still enveloped in snow, and the weather is intensely cold.

The Robbers Gang Reduced to a Solitary Survivor.

Through the Head, and Shot Dead. William Wilson the Man-Body Taken to Columbia. Fully Identified - \$3000 in Rewards Earned.

The Cold in North Carolina.

Snow on 27th at Wilmington, and the severe weather known there for years past.

The Cold at the North.

New York, December 29. The weather is moderating slightly. There is considerable ice in the rivers and bay.

The Cold in the West.

MEMPHIS, December 29. The river commenced falling last night, indicating another gage. The total loss so far will not exceed two hundred thousand dollars.

Little Rock, December 28.

The city is entirely out of coal. No trains from Memphis for three days.

SALT LAKE, December 28.

Twelve persons are missing from the Cottonwood avalanche. The slide came down a mountain a mile distant with fearful speed.

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Abbeville, December 27.

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TOPICS IN EDGEFIELD.

Weather and Crops-The New Railroad-Gin-house Fires-Long Leases, &c.

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