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Measures of Importance Introduced in the Senate and House-Mr. Cockran Speaks on the Lowry-White Contest Case-Other News.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The Senate yester-day passed Senator Hoar's joint resolu-tion for a constitutional amendment changing the time for the meeting of Congress and for the inaugura-tion of the President It provides that the terms of office of President, Viceshall commence and expire on April 30, instead of March 4, as at present. Senator Brewart introduced a bill providing that, after ninety days from its passage, Chinese laborers shall not have the right to enter the United States on the groun i of previous residence. Mr. Evarts spoke in favor of the Blair Educational bill

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.-In the Senate yesterday a memorial was presented saking that a rec procity treaty be entered into with Mexico in order to prevent smuggling. B.lis were reported from committees for an B.lis were reported from committees for an inspection of meats for exportation; prohibiting the importation of adulterated articles of food or drink, and increasing the pensions of soldiers and sailors who have lost both hands. A bill was introduced providing for the payment of a service pension of one cent for each day's service to all Union soldiers and sailors of the reballice.

characterized it as a free-trade document and challenged any one of the thirty-eight Democratic Sena ors to rise in his place and say that the President of the United S ates was in his judgment a protection at The Senator declared that either the President in his message intended free trade or e se he was not dealing fairly with the American people. The method of reduction proposed by the President meant the absolute and final destruction of the protective system. It meant practical and absolute free trade, so that the spirit and result of the message led to the same conclusion. the message led to the same conclusion.
T e Sennte adjourned before the speech
w.s finished.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—In the House yesterday a bil was reported granting a pension to the widow of General Logan and increasing the pension of the widow of General Blair. A bill was introduced to prohibit anijsted men from being engaged in any employment where they come into competi ion with civilians.

Washington, Feb. &.—After a long debate WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—After a long debate yesteriay the House adopted a resolution for the appointment of a special committee of five to investigate the Reading strike in all its phases, and also the differences existing between the miners and operators in the Lehigh and Schuylkill regions. The Urgency-De ciency bid was reported.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3.—In the House yesterial washington, feb. 3.—In the House yesterial washington.

terday a bill to prevent the transmission through the mails as second-class matter of cheap liters ure, and requir ng it to be transmitted as third-class matter, was sed. A bill was introduced for the organization of the Territory of Alaska Mr.
Crain, of Texa, from the Committee on
Presidential Elections, reported a joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment providing that Congress shall hold its
annual meetings on the first Monday in
Language.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.-In the House vesterday a bill was reported which prescribes the death penalty for willfully casting away a ship with intens to defraud the underwriters. The Committee on War Claims has agreed to report favorably the bill to reimburse the several States for interest on money expended by them on account of raising troops employed in aiding the United States in suppressing the late rebellion.

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Washington, Feb. 6.—The Lowry-White contested election case was the subject of carnest debate in the House Saturday, but a vote was not reached. Mr. Moore (Tex.), a member of the majority of the Commit-tee on Elections, contended that the contestee (Mr. White) had failed utterly to make proof of his naturalization. Mr. Rowell (Id.) presented the case of the contestee, and argued that he had comp etely proved his citizenship. Pourke Cockran (Dem.), of New York, spoke for Mr. White. He said:

THE HOLIDAYS ARE PAST, (Coera, white self-bit to a sent to which he has undoubtedly been elected. Mr. White stood before the House upon his oath declaring that in 1805 he went before the court in Alien County, Indiana, accompanied by witnesses, and complied with all the provisions of law, and that a certificate of naturalization was issued to him. Holding the views he (Cockran) did, there was nothing left for him to decide but the question whether he would believe the sworn attatement of a member of the House, corroborated by a character against which not one word had been uttered in this debate. He believed either that Mr. White was naturalized in Indiana or that he had committed pergury. This man, "said Mr. Cockran, "came before the House with thirty years of honorable left of give weight to his statement; he came here with a history which is part of the history of his country, and held important offices; he had discharged the duties of citizenship; he had shed his blood for his country, and held converse of his land merited a reservice beed strenk by reason of the ingralitude of his associates. It would rather that the court of the House with thirty want I, 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6 qt. tin pails, lowers and other kinds of tinware at the lowest prices.

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They Wanta Thousand Household NecesWanta Thousand Household NecesWanta Thousand Household NecesWelleving as I do, while that flag which Captain White and his associates have kept floating aloft in pride over every part of this country floats over my head; while I feel deeply grateful to the heroes who preserved an cemented with their blood this Union under which we live, I shall not cast a vote which would be treason to my constituency and which would pronounce a soldier of the Union guilty of perjury and unworthy of the association of of perjury and unworthy of the association of

of perjury and unworthy of the association of honorable men."

Washington, Feb. 7.—In the House yesterday Speaker C riliale resumed his duties. The Lowry-White contest was decided in favor of Wite, the sitting member, by a vote of 187 to 105, forty-seven Democrats voting with the Republicana Bills were introduced to refund United States 4 per cent bonds into 2½ per cent bonds; to divide the surplus money in the Treusury on the State.

the 1st of J nuary, 1888, among the several States and T rritories, to be used in aid of the common schools; to extend the commerce of the United States, and to proride a full reciproc ty Letween the United States and the Dominion of Canada; to prostates and the Dominion of Canada; to pro-cept the consumers of butter, by requiring whelesale dealers to pay an annual tax of \$500 and retificed in the pay an annual ax of one dollar. Also to repeal the elecmargarine tax

OTHER NOTES Washington, Feb. 2.—The major ty in the Ways, and Men a. Committee have substantially agreed upon the Tariff Reduction bill. Is provides for a total cut of mere than \$80,000,000, possibly \$85,000,000. The following is an outline of the bill:

Free list-Wool, salt, lumber, 150 chemicals, and numerous raw materials of, no great importance. Metal schedule—Steel rails to \$11 or \$12 per ton; pig-iron to \$5 per ton; tin-plate about 30 per ent. Reductions are also provided for in about all the articles entering into agricultural implements and tools. Sugar, 20 per cent; tobacco, 66 per cent; fruit brandles tree; elses amount not ver detailed on. Type: glass, amount not yet decided on,
Washington, Fen. 3.—The requien and

banquet of the survivors of the Thirty-fourth Congress took place yesterday. The reception of the veteran leg slators was largely attended, and before they separated they gave a sitting to Brady, the photog rupher, who suc eeded in getting a group of excellent likenesses, which will be added to his historical collection.

Washington, Feb. 4 —The President signed a number of bills Thursday morning,

washington, Feb. 3.—The bill to increase the pension of the totally helpless to \$72 per month was passed in the Senate yesterday. Ms Plumb spoke in favor of his resolution regarding inefficient mail service in the South and West. Mr. Kenua (W. Va.) spoke in favor of the President's message and in reply to Mr. Sherman's (O.) recent speech, and was answered by the Senator. Adjourn A to the 6th.

Washington, Feb. 7.—In the Senate yesterday the bill to amend the postal laws so that newspapers now sent free of postage to persons residing within the county of publication may be sent to persons living in other counties when they receive them at post-offices within the county of publication was passed. Senator Platt (Conn.) in a lengthy speech on the President's message characterized it as a free-trade document and challenged any one of the thirty-eight. New England, with New Jersey added. Mr. Gifford read at great length statements tending to substantiate the claim that the proposed States possess in an eminent degree the conditions as to area, productive capacity, population, loyalty, wealth and agricultural resources requisite to entitle them to admission to the sisterhood of States All persons will agree, he said, that the treatment received by the Territory from the hands of Congress regarding this matter of Statehood is without parallel in the country's history, in its neglect and injustice. He held that an excellent reason for the division and admission of the two parts of the Territory as distinct States was that the functions of the Government would be

> Dakota in opposition to division and in favor of a bill admitting the Territory as a

Sixty-Two and a Half Million Souls. New York, Feb. 1 .- The Tribune publishes a carefully-prepared estimate of the prob-able population of the United States at the present time, and puts it at 62,523,-597 persona. This figure is arrived at by allowing the ratio of deaths and births which past experience has revealed, and adding the excess of births and the influx by immigration during each year to the population given by the census of 1880, which was 50,155,783.

The Business Outlook. NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Advices received in this city are to the effect that the outlook for spring business throughout the country was never better, and that trade is constantly on the increase, with an easy money market. The business failures during the last seven days number for the United States 247, and for Canada 32, or a total of 272, as compared with 317 last week, and 261 for the corresponding week

### Swindlers Checkmated.

DETROIT, Mich., F b. 3.—The State Su-preme Court has rendered an elaborate decision on the validity of notes given by thousands of farmers in Michigan to the Bohemian oats agents. The court holds that such notes are obtained by fraud; that the transactions in which they are procured are in the nature of gambling transactions, and that they are null and void except when held by an innocent pur-chaser prior to the date of the decision.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., Feb. 3.—On Wednesday John Stumbaugh pleaded guilty of burglay and was sentenced by Judge Winfield to five years in jail. Stumbaugh was enraged at the length of the sentence and sword copiously at the judge, who imme-diately added nine years to the sentence.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Feb. 3-John Green-wood was arrested at Livingstone, Tenn., yesterday morning, on the charge of mur-der. He is accused of killing Andrew Wil-son seventeen years ago. He was locked up in jail to give the officers time to hunt

## up the testimony against him. A War-Horse Dead.

LANSING, Mich., Feb. 4.—"Buckskin," a horse ag d 30 years, and owned by Lieu-tenant D. L. Baker, of this city, died yesterday. Lieutenant Bacer took a leading part in the capture of J. Wilkes Booth, and during the entire chase Baker rode Buck-

Work of the Flames. CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 4.-Early Thursday morning several business blocks, including the post-office and Gazette office, at Court land, were destroyed by fire. Half the business places in the village burned and none of the contents was saved. The loss is \$50,-

### 000, but partly covered by insurance A Fatal Smash-Up.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The lightning express on the New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio road went through a broken frog yesterday near Steamburg, N. Y., kiding four men and one woman and injuring five others more or less severe.y.

The Remington Armory Sold. New York, Feb. 3 -Hartley & Graham, New York gun manufacturers, bid off the Remington Armory at \$152,000 at the sale by order of the court in Ilion, N. Y.

More "Dry" Counties in Michigan, DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 1.-Ingham and Oteego counties voted for probibition yes-terday, making sixteen "dry" counties in

#### THE CIVIL SERVICE. New Regulations Approved by

President Cleveland.

The Government Employes Are Given Protection Against Political Assessments and Coercion-A Comprehensive Summary.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The President has approved and promulgated a revision of the civil-service rules, which makes several very important changes in the system of appointments upon tests of fitness applied to applicants for places in the departments at Washington and in the classified cus ome offices and post-offices. The commission has also revised the civi-s rvice regula-tions to conform to the new rules. The new rules and regulations which were prepare by Commissioner Oberly and amended by the other commissioners will go into effect on March 1. In brief they are as follows: The general rules are nine in number and are applicable, except in one or two particulars, to all parts o the class fied service, and to some parts of the service not yet class fied under the law or rules. By these rules it is made an offense, punishable by dismissal, for any officer of the executive civ.l service to use his offical sutherity or influence for the purpose of interfering with an election, of controlling the results thereof, or to damiss or to cause to be dism seed, or to use

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4—The President signed a number of bills Thursday morning, among them the urgent deficiency and the act making an appropriation for the establishment of experimental agricultural stations in connection with colleges throughout the Union.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The Post-office Department is to arm an of the postal empoyes in charge of mail matter on exposed Wessern routes, the object being to put a stop to mail robberies

IN BEHALF OF DAKOTA,

Delegate Gifford Talks to the House Committee on Territories.

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Washington, Feb. 2—Delegate C. S. Gifford, of Dakota, was heard yesterday morning by the House Committee on Territories in favor of the bill to admit North and South Dakota as separate States contain each nearly 75,000 square miles. or member of the House of Representatives, or Territorial delegate, any money or other valuable thing, on account of or to the applied to the promotion of any political purpose whatever. It is also provided that no question in any examination shall be so framed as to elicit the political or religious op nion or affiliation of competitors for place, and that if any appointing or nominating officer shall make inquiry concerning, or in any other way attempt to ascertain, the politics or religion of any person who has passed an examination, or who shall discriminate in favor of or against such

son who has passed an examination, or who shall discriminate in favor of or against such person, he shall be dismissed from office.

Another important feature of the general rules gives authority to an appointing or nominating officer, to whom the Commissioners may send the names of persons declared by them to be eligible to a certain place, to object in writing to all or any one of the persons thus certified, stating that for reasons to be particularly specified such persons, or any of them, are not capable of performing the duties of the vacant place, and the Commissioners are directed to make certification of other names if the objections are ascertained to be good and the objections are ascertained to be good and well founded. The general rules also provide that soldiers and sailors who have been honthe functions of the Government would be better exercised by two States of medium size than would be the case if the Territory in its large, unwieldy condition were admitted as a whola.

Arguments were also made by M. Rae Hymers, of Dakota, in favor of division of the Territory, and by W. E. Purcell, of North Pattern of the classified service honorably discharged soldiers and sailors who have been honorably discharged in the craminations, and that in making any reduction of force in the classified service honorably discharged soldiers and sailors, and also the discharged soldiers and sailors, and also the widows and orphans of deceased soldiers and that it can be done."

sailors, shall be retained in preference to others. The department rules authorize the classification of commissions and independent bu-reaus, as well as the departments at Washing-

ten, and prescribes the examination that must be provided to test fitness for admission to this branch of the service.

The maximum age limitation of forty-five years is abrogated, and the minimum limita-tion is raised from eighteen to twenty years. Soldiers and sailors who have a claim of prefersoluters and satiors we have a claim of preser-ence in civil and military appointments are let in at 65 per centum, but in all other cases the minimum grade of eligibility has been raised from 65 to 70 per centum. The number of names to be certified to an appointing officer from which to select for an appointment has been reduced from four to three.

### FINE-WORKERS CONVICTED.

The Indiana Tally-Sheet Conspirators Denied a New Trial and Sentenced to Pen-Itentiary Terms. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 4.—Judge Woods

in the Federal Court yesterday, overruled the motions for a new trial in the cases of Coy and Bernhamer, the convicted tally-sheet conspirators. Coy was then sentenced to the penitentiary for eighteen months and to pay a fine of \$100; Bernhamer to go for a year and pay a fine of \$1,000. They were remanded to the county jail, where they will remain, pending the appeal to Indea Greeham. to Judge Gresham.

A Buried City Come to L'ght. San Francisco, Feb. 4.—The steamer Beigic, which arrived Thursday, brings Hong Kong advices to January 3 and Yokohama advices to January 17. The city of Naiyen, north of Ningpo, which was submerged about 1,000 years ago, has recently been partly exposed to view, and a number of vases, plates and other utensils of the Sough dynasty has been recovered by the

#### Hundreds of Houses Burned. San l'hancisco, Feb. 4.—The following has been received from China by the steamer Belgic: A fire at Foochow destroyed over 400 houses. The heaviest single loss was \$40,000. Fifteen hundr houses were destroyed by a fire whi originated in a church at Matsumat

Passed Away. NEW OBLEANS, Feb. 4.-Joseph H. Oglesh president of the Louisiana National Ban and brother of the Governor of Illino died Thursday night. The funeral service were held at St. Paul's Church Thursda and the remains were sipped to Madiso

Ind., for burial. Confessed a Murder HOPEINSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 5.-Louis Tate, negro desperado, was arrested Friday afte noon for stealing hogs, and his fright, le it was for a more serious crime, led to h confession of having killed a negro here

Committed Seventy Forgeries. LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Feb. 1.-Toll Maso a five years' convict, was found dead in h cell at the prison here yesterday. Mason case was prominent from the fact that committed over seventy forgeries.

In Prison Twenty Years, JOLIET, Ill., Feb. 1.-Edward and Isa Westfall, father and son, sentenced fro Rock Island, were released from pris yesterday after completing sentences twenty years each for burglary.

Big Saw-Mills Burned. SEATTLE, W. T., Feb. 5 .- At Port Blakely, opposite this city, two saw-mills, the largest on Puget Sound, were burned Friday at a loss of \$250,000, with no insurance.

Over One Hundred Years Old. Newton, N. J., Feb. 3.—Henry Straum (colored) died here, aged 109 years. He was born in Louisiana, and had in his possession a certificate of his birth.

### THE READING STRIKE.

The Situation Growing Desperate-Union READING, Pa., Feb. 4.—The first serious

READING, Pa., Feb. 4.—The first serious outbreak since the beginning of the troubles in the Schuylkill mining regions occurred Thursday. The trouble was at the William Penn mine, which started up Wednesday independently of the Enighta. A large force of police were about the mine, but while twenty Hungarians and Poles were on their way to the mines before daylight about an equal number of strikers in ambueh attacked them and with clubs beat them in a terrible manner. The foreigners were threatened with instant death if they were threatened with instant death if they ever attempted to go to work again. There was great excitement for a time, and it would have taken but very little more to

BIENANDOM, Pa., Feb. 4.—The striking miners here attacked non-union workmen yesterday, a riot followed, and in the fracas

three men were wounded, two fatally.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Feb. 6.—At the Kehley non-union miners were returning home after finishing work for the day, they were accompanied by the police. They were met by a crowd of exasperated Polish and Hungarian strikers armed with clubs and stones. The latter made an onslaught on the non-union men and officers and drove them back. The officers concluded not to shoot down the Poles in cold blood, and retreated a short distance, warning the excited men to keep back. Several shots were exchanged, however, on both sides, and just when a mur-derous fusilade was about to be commenced derous rushinde was about to be commenced the citizens appeared as messengers of peace, mingled among the mob, and finally aucoceded in keeping them off, dispersing them and sending them back to their shan-ties. As far as can be learned but one man was wounded Officer Witman of Potavilla

#### AGAINST FREE TRADE.

Meeting of the Besten Home Market Club Meeting of the Beston Home Market Club—Several Speeches.

Boston, Feb. S.—The first public meeting ever held in Boston in support of the principle of a protective tariff took place Wednesday evening at Tremont Temple under the anspires of the Home Market Club, General W. F. Draper presided and the principal speakers were J. W. Jarrett, of Pittsburgh, and Colonel A. S. Colyer, of Nashville, Tenn.

Colonel Colyer was given a warm wel-

Colonel Colyer was given a warm wel-come. He discussed the tariff question in the South chiefly, and summed up his view of the situation thus: "I think the people are beginning to appreciate the need of pre-tection, and that the sentiment in that direction, and that the sentiment in that direction is rapidly growing. In Kentucky a majority of 80,000 a few years ago was reduced to 16,000 last year. The people want protection and must have it."

Mr. Jarrett sharply criticised President Cleveland's tariff views as expressed in his message. He said: "The President talks of reduced the tariff views as expressed."

reducing the tariff just as if it were the only tax that burdens the American people, when tax that burdens the American people, when we have an internal revenue tax about which he had not a word to say. He talks about reducing the tariff duties without reducing the wages of the working-max. I make this open declaration—that with one exception I don't know of any article today on the protected list; I don't know of the protected list; I don't know of the protected list; I don't know of the light of the ligh one article produced on a large scale in the United States where a reduc-tion of the tariff would not mean suffering on the part of labor. I say this as a representative labor man, and I defy him or any

New York, Peb. 6.—The new year starts off with a fire record which will far surpass that of last year if it maintains its present proportions. The total fire losses of 1887 were \$130,000,000, an increase of \$15,-000,000 over 1886. The losses in January, 1867, were \$7,912,535; last month, \$13,-320,885, and in the first two days of February nearly \$2,000,000 worth of property was destroyed.

Died at the Age of 111.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 5.—Mrs. Margaret Arnold died Friday near Pancoastburg, Fayette County. She was 111 years of age, being born in 1777 in Augusta, Va. She has two sisters living, one in Iowa and one in Dakota. They, too, are remarkable for their longevity. One of them is 106 and the other 108. Both are in good health.

Thankful That Their Lives Were Spared JOLEF, Ill., Feb. 5.—Governor Ogicsby has been at the State prison for two days. Friday he accorded an interview to Fielden and Schwab, the Anarchists, who expressed their gratitude to him for saving them from the gallows

Terrible Suicide and Murder. London, Feb. 4.—A chemist named Derby, his wife and six children, were found dead yesterday at Manchester. The man had evidently poisoned his family, owing to some distress of mind, and committed suicide. They had been dead for some

An Indian Catholic 140 Years Old. ROME, Feb. 4.-Mgr. Adam, of California yesterday presented to the Pope a photograph of Gabriel, an Indian Catholic, 140 years old, for whom he asked a special blessing.

#### THE MARKETS.

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Local Business Items. A new 10to girl at Mark Bonnar's.

Artificial TEETH WITHOUT A HATCH'S.

Democrat. Arrives in Lowell on early

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Coffee. 30 CENTS WILL BUY THE best coffee in town—Honey "If misfortune overtakes you smile," dollars for six months rental of Water Co., for seven-hundred fifty dollars for six months rental of Water Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fe-

FOUND, -A lady's gold pin. Can be Muir, who will put out a 40-acre orchard On motion the Council adjourned. Farm of about 150 acres, within 24 miles As the master so is the servant. As of Lowell. Good buildings and land your brains are, so is your body. Use Meeting of the Common Council.

well watered. Enquire of S. P. Hicks. Warner's Log Cabin Rose Cream, and Present, full board.

The Veteran's Son. St. Valentine's Day next Tuesday. A sickly smile-Lemonade - [Puck.

her sister Mrs. A. K. Beadle, G. W. Harch is closing out his stock, of Goods at cost for cash only.

Several sleighloads of young people of the something very lady-like this place went to Ada last Thursday of the damages to her in pulling down THE OLD RELIABLE ROUTE TO ALL POINTS G. W. Hatch is closing out his stock, the fact, -- [Toledo Bee. of Goods at cost for cash only.

[Boston Post.]

This is a genuine sale I am going away, and every article must be sold at some price.

Mrs. C. A. Chapman, of Grand Rapids, is spending the week with Mrs. M. C. Barber and other friends.

Miss Nellie Kennedy, of Ioma, and Mrs. Chapman has the scholarship.

Mrs. Chapman has the sc

Remember you can buy your Dry officers were elected for the coming

Lowell during our closing out sale
G. W. HATCH.

Messrs. W. T. Lerkin, Dave Cariin, E.

Pasco, C. C. Wilson, J. R. Shaw and D.

Secretary and Town.

Year.

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1st Vice Pres.—A. W. Weekes.
2nd Vice Pres.—D. G. Look.
3nd Vice Pres.—A. W. Burnett. Goods ju-t as cheap as any dea'er ir year, Pasco, U. C. Wilson, J. R. Shaw and D. Secretary and Treasurer F. D. Eddy. ed to his wife, and as she did not 7:30 A. M.

Pasco, C. C. Wilson, J. R. Shaw and D. Secretary and Treasurer—F. D. Eddy.

S. Searman spent Sunday with Dr White.

Baptis: Social and Oyster suppor at Successful and Secretary and Treasurer—F. D. Eddy.

Segrent at Arms—C. O Hill Delegate to meeting of State League and found her cold. Mrs. Spence's maden name was Hannah Chapel, and Satisfactory Teas and Coffees Matthew Hunter's Friday evening The new M. E. parsonage is complet- her father. Gurdon Chapel, was one of Meet at Robertson's store 6:30 p m. Bill et, the pastor and family have taken the first settlers in the township of Ada.

ing stock in the corner, last used as the which to be proud have arranged to of Ada since its organization. The Central Hotel, which has been re-mod-eled and put in fine shape for the cloth-on Monday evening. F-bruary 13th. been heart disease.

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The Veteran's Son," at Music Hall

Of August, 1887, enact an ordinance Wednesday eve., the 8th, too late for as

ast night, to-night and to-morrow night. granting to The Lowell Water Company to report in this issue, and next Wed-Detroit morning papers. Delivered by S. A. Bush, at 121 cents a week. (22ti. April showers bring forth umbrellas —

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Do not wait until the best bargains found at the Gallery over the Post Ofare gone But come now. contract and agreement were afterwards tant thing for a farmer to do at present G. W. HATCH.

be had at this office by proving property \*F. R. Ecker has ten of his R. C. Brown pany, and works have been constructed plenty of cool water without any trouble Leghorns on exhibition at the Ypsilanti thereunder. And when the hot summer weather comes on, WHEREAS, The number of hydrants and insure himself a good cash market who make connections with the water Bergin SELLS HONEY BEE

A "premature wrinkle" is one that comes for a woman's face before she is placed, according to the directions of is generally understood that the Creammarried.—[Utica Observer.

W. H. Eddy and E. W. Dodge are at
WHEREAS, by an actual public test is raised in water and kept in good shape.

House for Sale.

A 10-room house, in good condition, well and cistern, good barn, for sale at a bargain.

C. D. Pease, Lowell.

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W. H. Eddy and E. W. Dodge are at ten-ling the meeting of the Grand Lod ge of A. O. U. W. at Detroit this week.

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R solved, by the Common Council of the village of Lowell, in special session assembled, that the system of water fire, Grant, Mich.

Shelf and Heavy

For Sale, Several choice farms lo- cannot expect to have a button sewed Company, the supply of water furnished these who so kindly furnished the

hook Rough Notes.

N. P. Husted has taken an order for Lowell Journal, 1,500 apple trees from Brad Hayes, of J. C. Moore,

in the spring. Mr. Hayes has a little clear your head of that horrid Catarrh. Minutes read and approved.

50c. All druggists. Messrs Westfall and Kitchen were A. S Ford, here Wednesday, in the interest of the Charles and Charles drama "The Drunkard;" or, "The Fall- Bills & B.oth, en Saved," which they expect to soon | S F. Edmunds. Thermometer below zero all day yesassisted by local talent.

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The glorious climate of California is E. A. Sunderlin, Good Bed Blankets only \$1.00 per pair at HATCH'S.

Hose, Mittens and underwear at a sacrifice at Hatch's for cash.

Miss Lula Jones, of Saranac, is visiting her sister Mrs. A. K. Beadle.

The giorious climate of Cambridge Complaints of Cambridge as a complaint of Cambridge Complaints are complainting that they feel the cold there as severely as in any of the Northern cities east of the Rockies, and the real estate boomers of the Pacific coast are paralyzed when called on for an explanation of Cambridge Complainting that they feel the cold there as severely as in any of the Northern cities east of the Rockies, and the real estate village for the ensuing year at \$674.00 per annum.

On motion A. C. Morgan was appointed night watch and lamp lighter for the village for the ensuing year at \$674.00 per annum.

about a hand of four queens.—[Puck.]

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Jackets going at less than cost at

Ada hotel, they tripped the fantas.

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HATCH'S.

A co operative mill association—a trayeling company of prize fighters.—

It to toe until they had all decided they had had pleasure enough for one eventing. They returned home well pleased with the event.

Miss Nellie Kennedy, of Ionia, and banner.

Miss Ola Lewis, of Port Huron, visited Mrs Bell has the punctuality banner.

Were elected as follows: Challes H. Miss Ola Lewis, of Port Huron, visited
Miss Maggie Boles, last week.

Miss Lottie Pea-e. Miss Nora Holker
and D. E. Spahr, of Grand Rapids, were
guests of Miss Mate Althen this week.

Mr. Bock has the attendance benner.

The Young Men's Republican Club
held their annual meeting last Thursday
even ng. at which time the following
officers were elected for the coming

25 cents.

possession and now the Methodist proShe was of Canadian birth. She was a
no member of the Congregational church

on Monday evening. February 13th. They will receive their friends at the parsonage from 6 to 7, but as the house will be too small to accomdate all who came, refreshments and the programme of the tree, will be given at the church. Prof. Carlisle, of Ionia, will be present and eatertain with his excellent elocutionary talent. The music will consist of solos and selections by the chair, ship, kept an account of baking during 1887. The result is as follows: 259 pies, 307 toaves of bread, 1,837 biscuits, 12 puddings, 80 cakes, 615 fried cakes and 966 cookies. Total 4,076 pieces.

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election in the county.

Lowell Markets Thursday morning.

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Ducks 9c. Potatoes, 70c. Oats 33 to 35c. Corn 55 and 60. Clover Seed choice 3.65. always with their vision obstructed with ship canal route from Grand Rapids to prime 3 85 Onions 90c and 1.00. Barley a l.t of freight cars. We are glad to Black lake at Holland. The distance is 1.30 to 1.35. Chickens 8 to 9c. Wheat, learn that the town Board is taking less than 25 miles, and it is believed that

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assented to and accepted by said com- is to get up ice so that he can have

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Company, the supply of water furnished and the character and quality thereof, are in all respects satisfactory, and tully comply with the terms and requirements of the said contract and ordinance of August 10th, 1887, and are hereby accepted by said village of Lowell.

The Lowell Republican club met Wedne-day evening and elected S. P. Hicks as delegate to the State League meeting to be held in Detroit the 22d, and C. G. Stone as alternate.

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On motion the same was adopted. On motion the screptance was dated back to Jan 5th, 1888.

D. G. Look, Town Treasurer.

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nteresting News from Various Portions of the Country.

he Michigan Temperance Alliance Aban dons Its Non-Partisan Position - Indiana Republicau State Committee-Other General News.

AMONG THE POLITICIANS. LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 1.—The Republicans will meet in State convention at Little Rock on the 10th of April to choose delgates to the National Republican conven-

MADDISON, Wis., Feb. 1.—The State Supreme Court has decided that the Legislature of 1885 extended to women the right to vote on school matters only, and

not at general elections.

JACKSON, Mich., Feb. 3.—The Michigan Temperance Alliance, in annual session Wednesday, abandoned its non-partisan position, electing the Prohibition State Central Committee its officers. A. D. Power, of

Northville, is president.
OSHKOSH, Wis., Feb. 3.—The State Central Committee of the Union Labor party of Wisconsin met here Wednesday, and after effecting an organization decided to hold the next State convention in this city

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 4.-The Congressional district conventions were held in this State Thursday to name State Central Committeemen. The following were se-

lected:
First district, F. B. Posey, of Pike; Second T H. Adams, of Knox; Third, M. M. Hurley, of Floyd; Fourth, Marcus R. Sulzer, of Jefferson; Fifth, Joseph I. Irwin, of Bartholomew; Sizth, L. D. Stubbs, of Wayne; Seventh, D. M. Ransdall, of Marion; Eighth, John H. Buford, of Monigomery; Ninth John R. Swedeland, of Tipton; Tenth, E. D. Crumbacker, or Porter; Eieventh, B. J. Dill, of Huntington; Twelfth, W. J. Bunyan, of Noble; Thirteenth, L. W. Roys, of Kosciusko.

MINNEAPOLIS, M.m., Feb. 4.—The convention of Minneaota Republican clubs assembled here Thursday afternoon, with about 300 delegates present from every county. T. E. Searle, of Stearns County, was chosen temporary chairman. Speeches were made by several of the prominent delegates, who said they were not as-sembled to formulate a policy or favor the nomination of any Presidential candidate, but to organize so as to give the candidate

mominated full support.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Feb. 4.—The State Republican League adjourned yesterday, its labors being completed. Candidates and platforms were not discussed, the league voting to support the Republican candidate for President F. E. Searles, of St. Cloud, was elected permanent chairman of the league Resolutions were passed pledging the State to the Republican party, extend-ing sympathy to Ireland and scoring the Democratic party for not admitting Dakota
LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 4 —The Kentucky
Leislature ajourned at Frankfort yesterday

Springrield, Ill., Feb. 4.—It has been decided to call a convention of Illinois Republican clubs to be held here March 8

NEW YORK, Feb. 4 -A Washington dispatch to the World says the political friends of both President Cleveland and Governor Hill are in Washington working to secure the New York delegation. Ex-Mayor Grace is also there as a friend of the President and also in the interests of his own fight for the New York Governor

nor Gray, of Indiana, and Governor Hill, of this State, favor holding the National mocratic convention in Indiana.

SEWARD, Neb., Feb. 7.-Miss Etta Shattuck, the young school teacher who recently lost both limbs as a result of her exposure during the blizzard of January 12, died here yesterday morning. Her suffering during her illness was intense. The Omaha Bee fund, which has now reached \$9,750, will probably be turned over to her

Twenty Lives Lost.

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 7.-The English bark Abercorn, with a cargo of iron ore from Maryport, Eng., for this city, was wrecked on the coast of Washington Territory on the night of February 1. It is thought that fully twenty lives were lost. The vessel was commanded by Captain Mc-Cullom and was valued, with cargo, at

Honesdale, Pa., Feb. 7.—Judge Hand, of the Scranton district, has decided that a person indicted for murder can not be reperson indicted for murder can not be re-tried after the disagreement of a jury. If this is sustained on appeal several murderers awaiting second trials must be released, and it will appear that a number of persons have been illegally hanged.

Perished in a Burning House. Bolivia, N. Y., Feb. 7.—The residence of George J. Hill, near here, was burned last night. Mrs. Hill and two small children perished in the flames. Mr. Hill was badly burned and is not expected to live. The fire was caused by natural gas, with which the house was heated.

Three Deaths by Dynamite. Woodside, Mich., Feb. 7.—An explosion at the dynamite works yesterday, destroyed two packing-houses and killed three men, Joseph Umond, Adam Usela and John Oleson, all single.

Judge Sage's Important Bank Decision CINCINNATI, Feb. 7.-Judge Sage decided esterday that bank directors are not criminally liable for the acts of cashiers unless their connection with the crime is definitely

MACON, Ga., Feb. 4.—Amos Grant, a colored farmer living near this city, murdered his wife, his boy and his wife's sister yes-terday and then killed himself. Family

Killed His Mother.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 1.—While drunk yesterday John Cullen, a ship carpenter, killed his mother with an axe. He said he committed the crime to save her from the

Desperadoes at Large. Sr. Louis, Feb. 1 — Joseph Thompson (colored) and Connosky, a Creek Indian, both condemned to death, are at large in Indian Territory. Seven persons have been

killed in attempts to capture them. MINDEN, La., Feb. 4.—James Cornelius, a negro boy 14 years old, was hanged here yesterday for the murder a year ago of Er-

nest Wren, aged 4 years. Many Idle Convicts. SING SING, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Over 1,200 convicts in prison here are tille in their cells, owing to the failure of the Legislature te

supply funds to run the shops. A Long Tramp Begins. New York, Feb. 6.—An international six days' walking match, with for y-night con-

testants, commenced in this city at 12 clock last night

I have used Ely's Cream Balm for dry catarrh (to which every Eastern person is subject who comes to live in a high altitude). It has proved a cure in my case.—B. F. M. Weeks, Denver,

MARY, I think you had better try are diseases of the blood, and always ences to actual clients is your State, county, of the properities of Hibstown, sent free. Address town, sent free. Address town, sent free. Address C. A. SNOW & CO., the highest praise for it.

MINOR NEWS ITEMS.

For Week Ended February 7. A convention of educators will be held i Washington on the 14th Otto P. Clark, ex-Commissioner of Pen-

ns, died in Washington on Saturday. About one hundred Irishmen were ar rested under the Crimes act in Ireland last

John C. Eno, the New York bank-wrecker, is reported as arranging to return from

Terrible mortality among cattle was reported from Southern and Western Texas on Saturday. C. C. Farwell & Co., Boot and shoe mann-

cturers at Danyers, Mass., failed on Monday for \$200,000. At a stone quarry near Paris, Ky., two men had their eyes blown out Thursday by a premature blast.

The wife of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes

died on Monday at the family residence in Boston, aged 69 years While putting up clothes at Titusville, Pa., Monday, Mrs. Sarah Stein, sged 70, acci-dentally hanged herself.

By a fire in the blacksmith-shop of James David in New York Monday fifteen horses were burded. Loss, \$5,000.

In a dispate at Centerville, Ilk, Saturday night, James Mounce shot and killed Adam Spear. The murderer was arrested.

Twelve business buildings at St. Ill, were burned Sunday night. Loss, \$25,-000; insurance, \$14,000 Ex-Mayor Sullivan, of Dublin, was re-

leased from Tuliamore prison on Wedness day, after two months' continement. Benjamin E. Hopkins, of the Fidelity Bank of Cincinnati, was on Saturday found guilty as charged in the indictment.

An explosion on Monday at the dynamite works at Woodside, Mich., destroyed two packing-houses and killed three men. The Pittsburgh tube works resu operations Monday, subject to a settlement of the wages question by arbitration. now lighted by the incandescent elec-

John Nazro, who at one time owned th tric system. largest hardware store in the world, died in Milwaukee on Monday, aged 61 years. The General Executive Board of the Knights of Labor reports that the order has increased by 50,000 members since Janu-

The Merced Canal in California, twentyseven miles long, and built to irrigate over 250,000 screa, was formally opened Tues-

the jewelry store of Chapman & Gale, at Norfolk, Va., and stole property valued at \$30,000 A new railroad, the Winona & Southwest-ern, to run from Omaha, Neb., to Winona, Minn., was incorporated at Des Moines, Ia., Monday.

The dry-goods house of Barnes, Hengerer

& Co., at Buffalo, N. Y., was burned on Wednesday, causing a loss of about \$1, 200,000. Ernst Brockob, a thirteen-year-old boy, died in great agony in Chicago on Friday of hydrophobia. He was bitten by a dog a

Dr. E. Miles Willett, supreme medical examiner of the Catholic Knights of America, died suddenly Monday at his residence in Memphis, Tenn. Prof. Charles Linden, a well-known natu-

ralist and member of the American Associa-

tion for the Advancement of Science, died

at Buffalo Friday. The English Reformed Funeral Associa tion is said to be doing a great deal in bringing expensive and estentatious fu-nerals into disuse.

John A. Hickey, supreme marshal of the Catholic Mutual Benevolent Association, died Monday at Detroit, of pneumonia. He was ill but two days.

John C. Crowley, a prominent lawyer of Besten, who went to Europe suddenly last November, is said to be a defaulter to the extent of \$75,000.

The Tiskilwa Bank burglars, Fan Burnes

Clinton, In., Monday on a requisition from Governor Oglesby, of Illinois. S. F. Funk, an Ohio farmer who was also a forger, is found to have beaten Lima, Delphoa Yan Wert and Ottawa banks out of \$50,000. He is spending it in Canada. The Methodist church at Fremont, O.

was burned Monday, entailing a loss of \$10,000. The structure was considered the finest in the Central Ohio Conference. Maxwell's attorneys at St. Louis have abandoned the idea of asking for a rehear ng and will concentrate their efforts to ward securing a commutation of sentence Prof. Virehow has examined a fragment

taken from the very center of the trouble in the Crown Prince Frederick William's broat, and declares that it shows no evidence of cancer. Mr. Derby, a chemist, his wife, and six children were found dead in their dwelling in Manchester, Eng. It is supposed they were poisoned by man, who was made

desperate by poverty.

Andrew S. Stewart, an agent of the Mormons in Utah, has just secured from the Mexican Government the grant of 1,250,000 scres of land for a grand colonization scheme the Mormons are getting up. CINCINNATI, Feb. 7.—The Metropolitan National Bank, of this city, closed its doors yesterday. The bank's trouble is traced to

the increase of stock from \$509,000 to \$1,000,000. It is thought depositors will be paid in full. Ex-Vice-President Decamp was arrested on the charge of making s false oath as to the bank's condition. A Fatal Electric Shock.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 7.—A man and s horse were killed in this city yesterday by an electric shock. The horse became en-tangled in a telephone were which was in contact with an electric-light wire, and the man tried to get the beast upon its feet.

Broke Up the Gang. HAMBURG, Ia, Feb. 7. Charles Tierson, a farmer living near this place, shot and killed two men yesterday who were stealing his hogs, and his neighbors talked of giving him a gold watch for breaking up he gang of thieves.

A Luckless Town. BROWN'S VALLEY, Minn., Feb. 3 .- A fire here early yesterday morning caused a loss of \$18,000, only partially insured. The block containing Barrett Broa' hardware store burned. The town was recently blockaded by a bliszard.

Murdered His Wife. CHICAGO, Feb. 7.—Mrs. Kate Busch, of this city, was murdered yesterday by her husband, Matthew Busch, while she w. s eating her supper, because she willed her little property to her three children.

BERLIN, Feb. 7.—In a speech before the Reichstag yesterday Prince Bismarck and he believed the assurances of the Crar that there would be no war, bu Germany must be prepared for any emergency

Killed by an Explosion. BELMONT, O., Feb. 6 .- By the explosion of a boiler Saturday in a saw in it near this place, five men were killed outright and two more were fatally injured REV. S. A. LONG, pastor of the M.

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Saginaw Valley figures up a total of fifteen residents who are worth one mill-Last August a little daughter of D. Woolsey, of Bellaire, was bitten by a dog, and now she is afflicted with

Fenton's principal business houses are

pasms supposed to be hydrophobia and suffers terrible agony. It is feared she cannot recover.

Work has been resumed on the gas well on the Bromley farm, near Royal Oak. The well is about half a mile deep, has passed through 565 feet of crystal ized salt, and promises oil and gas. The company, by the terms of the contract, can develop no resources but oil and gas.

The Jackson Patriot tells a pitiful story of the poverty of a family there. Twin babies died and the father, being to poor too afford the expense of burying them this winter, put the little bodies in a box in a shed, to remain until the ground should thaw in the spring so he could bury them in his lot in the ceme-

The Mayor's message.-May we be pardoned for requesting the Mayor to ncorporate in his next message the fact that many of our most prominent citizens have been cured of rheumatism, neuralgia and kindred complaints, by Salvation Oil, and that he reccommend this valuable medicine to be kept in every family.

Goy. Luce says he proposes to help in preventing the sale of liquor within a mile of the State Soldier's Home, and this in spite of the fact that the New York Sun says Uncle Cyrus would un-York Sun says Uncle Cyrus would undertake many important measures if he wasn't obliged to groom his own horse. That \$1,000 salary is bringing Michigan more notoriety than if it was twenty-

five times as big. Having been troubled with a throat affection for 10 years, and having been under the treatement of some of the best physicians, without experincing any releif whatever, I concluded to try Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup,-the first dose releived and a twenty-five cent bottle cured me. C. T. WAMBLING,

334 Fayette Street, Baltimore, Md. An inquisitive Lansing Republican reporter, in looking over the record of pardons and commutations at the Capital, notes that during the past twentythree years a total of 483 pardons have been granted by the several administrations as follows: Gov. Crapo, in four years, 13; Gov. Baldwin, in four years, 80; Gov. Bagley, in four years, 126; Gov. in two years, 75; Gov. Alger, in two years, 47; Gov. Luce, in one year, 6. Gov. Crapo drew the line very close, as the above figurea show, and Gov. Bagley was the most lenient. Gov. Luce is scructinizing all applications with exceeding great care.

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