Elk County Advocate.

J. S. BORD WELL, Er. dito SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 12 1870.

A WOMAN REBELLION IN MAINE .- A singular and unfortunate scene recently oc curred at the State House in Augusta, Me. Mrs. Thurston, of Portland, had caused a notice of a sale of the State of Maine, its rights, appurtenances, &c., to be posted upon the doors of the State House, and a little befere 10 o'clock she ascended the Speaker's rostrum and proceeded to sel! far as this went, all was well; but the time for the opening of the session had now ar rived, and Mrs. T. was politoly requested to come down from her position, but she de. clined to do so, saying that she had bought in the State and must stay and keep her position. Upon the Clerk ordering the messengers to remove her viet armis, a scene of great confusion ensued. She utterly refused to be ejected by force, The mambers began to beg Mrs. T. to go out quietly, but she was deaf to their entreaties; the resisted fliercely, but was finally persuaded to retire, and was last seen in the State Library, looking up legal authorities to sustain her claim. The Argus says the affair was universally regretted by all as a affair was universally regretted by all as a health, without the use of medicine. Ser very unfortunate circumstruce, because the free. Address Mr. GREEN D. FRANKLIN. 1154w Jetsey City, N. J. subject of it was a woman, and one who is deemed to be demented upon one subject, although perfectly sane upon all other ques-

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The San Francisco police are raibing on Chinese gambling houses, with small result The door-keeper at these dens has his hands always on a string, which, when pulled, sounds a gong beneath the gambling table. and enables all hands to clear up and make their escape in case any unwelcome visitors come. So well have they operated that one keeper of such an establishment has procured the puncshment by fine of an officer who entered his saloon.

A.TERRIBLE STORM

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LITTE VALLEY, N. Y. Feby. 6 .- Theodore Nicolos was on Friday convicted in the Cattaraugus court of Oyer and Terminer, of the murder of Dr. Andrew Mend, in Allegany, on the 18th December last. He was sentenced yesterqay morning to be hanged on the 18th March. This is the second conviction for murder during this term of court. Much excitement Abuse may be effectually removed without prevailed during the trial of Nicholos, as the medicine, and without dangerous surgical opmurder of Dr. Mead was the most brutal ever committed in western New York.

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