

WASHINGTON, D. C., MAY 23, 1874.

The Senate remained in session all night and at seven o'clock this morning passed the Civil Rights bill, and then adjourned till Monday.

Russia produces most of the platinum which finds its way into market. The production is small, however, that of Russia in 1871 being only 4100 pounds.

EUROPE produces annually \$65,000,000 value of ribbons, fully one-half of which are made in France.

United States Senator Ferry, of Connecticut, is very ill of a spinal disease and he will probably never be able to resume his place in the Senate.

At New Castle, Del., on Saturday, seven men were publicly flogged and pilloried for burglary and larceny.

Fires have been raging in the woods in Lone Island since Friday. It is estimated that 10,000, to 15,000 acres of timber land have been burned over.

Some idea may be formed of the power of the water rushing through the crevasses on the Mississippi, by its tearing up huge cottonwood trees two and a half feet in diameter and scattering them over neighboring plantations.

The estate of the late Oakes Ames was represented insolvent by the executors, in the Probate Court at Taunton, Mass., on Friday.

Among the passengers on the steamship Herman, of the Bremen line, which arrived at Baltimore on the 13th, were 185 Mononites, from the vicinity of Odessa, Southern Russia, who propose to settle in Dakota or Nebraska.

Luke Egan, the notorious burglar, who escaped from State prison at Allegheny City, Pa., about eighteen months since, after tunneling under the walls for six months, was arrested in Buffalo last week and sent to Allegheny.

Suit has been commenced by the United States against the official bond of ex-Postmaster Patrick Henry Jones, of New York, for \$500,000, to cover a deficiency of accounts amounting to \$10,000, arising, as alleged, from embezzlement by John W. Norton and others.

There is great excitement at Los Angeles, California, in consequence of the arrest of Vasquez, the bandit. The jail is guarded by a strong force of men to prevent the escape or lynching of the prisoner. The total appropriation for the capture of Vasquez and his men was \$15,000; \$8,000 for the chief.

A new bureau is proposed at Washington. It is to be presided over by a Commissioner of Internal Commerce, whose duties are to be to gather, collect, and annually report to Congress statistics and facts relating to commerce among the States, especially as to railroads and their charges, management, &c.

From several hundreds of reliable dispatches it appears that the prospects for an abundant yield of wheat this year are unusually favorable in the States of Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, and Michigan. The average seeded is fully up to that of 1873. Most of the Indian corn has been plucked under favorable auspices.

The President on May 15 issued a proclamation recognizing Baxter's government in Arkansas, directing that the Legislature and Governor be reinstated in the State House, and ordering all who may have combined to resist the authority of Baxter to return to their homes within ten days or be subject to punishment.

Two members of the Yellowstone expedition have returned to Bozeman, Montana, and report the whole party returning. The command penetrated the country to near the vicinity of the Tongue river. From the 1st to the 20th of April the force was harassed the whole time by the Indians. Four pitched battles were fought, in which 100 Indians were killed. The skirmishing was continuous and bands of from 100 to 1,000 Indians were hovering around. The whole outfit is in a battered and exhausted condition. The party lost one killed named Z. Yates, and two wounded; twenty horses were also killed. The members of the expedition assert that rich mines exist in the Big Horn mountains, but the vigilance of the Sioux rendered prospecting out of the question.

TREASURER'S SALE OF UNSEATED LAND. NOTICE is hereby given that agreeably to the Act of Assembly, passed the 13th day of March, 1874, entitled "an Act to amend an Act," directing the mode of selling Lands for taxes &c. The following Tracts of Unseated Land in Elk County, will be exposed to public sale or entry, for arrears of taxes, at the Court House in Ridgway on the second Monday of June next (being the 8th day of June, A. D. 1874), unless sooner paid.

DEWEZETTE TOWNSHIP. War. Acres. Warrantee or Owner. Taxes. 4332 1/2 James Stokes 93 40

FOX TOWNSHIP. 4244 79 J. L. Ellis 35 37

4341 591 Sampson Short 257 47

4342 219 do 96 98

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60 M O'Sullivan for 1873 1 32

10 Lots James Coyle 4 19

1 Lot 340 Rev Louis Cartuyval 1 46

10 Lots 200 Benzinger and Eschbach 10 86

4115 50 Edward Delaunt 10 86

4116 50 do 10 86

4117 50 do 10 86

4118 50 do 10 86

4119 50 do 10 86

4120 50 do 10 86

4242 347 N B Lane and others 45 07

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MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP. 2548 900 Owners unknown 311 50

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