the last twenty years.

of Daniel Webster.

Bluff, at Newport.

At the recent Comencement of the

Boston Latin School, the first Franklin

medal was awarded to a grand nephew

Kittens are said to be taking the

place of poodle dogs, as occupants of the

elegant equipages which drive along the

At a Lowell, Mass., slaughter house,

party of six consumptives are exper-

menting with the beef blood cure with

strictly prohibited by the municipal au-

thorities, Boston Mass., passed a very

is in Paterson, N. J., inspecting the con-

struction of the locomotives being built

for that power at the Grant Worls

A German barber has recently celc-

brated his sixtieth year of service with

the razor. During that time he shaved

200,012 persons and earned 3,900 th: -

An ex-member of Congress for Missis-

sippi was among the recent arrivals as

the Albany Penitentiary. He was un-

der a sentence of \$1,000 fine and two

years' imprisonment for embezzlement.

In order to secure the circulation of

its paper at Saratoga on Sunday morn-

ing the New York Herald establish-

ment runs a special train to that resort,

lerving the former city at 3:30 in the

The Brooklyn Eagle eredits the re-

duction of freights on live stock to the

Grangers. It is said that the freight-

on cattle from Chicago to New York

have been reduced from \$135 to \$80,

and from Buffalo to New York \$80 to

in only nineteen of the thirty-two coun-

ties South Carolina one hundred and

forty-six square miles of territory have

been sold for State and county taxes,

whilst five hundred and twenty-seven

equare miles have been forfeited to the

State at tax sales during the current

The age of Simon Sturges of Allen-

town, Pa, was 79 years when he died

He had been married four times, the

weddings having been on his fortieth,

fift eth, sixtieth, and seventieth birth-

days. His last wife was dead, too, and

it is likely that, had Mr. Struges lived

another year, he would have celebrated

his eightieth birthday in the accus-tomed style, because he was a very

"The shingles upon the roof of the

First Congregational church in East

Haddam, Connecticut," says the New

Haven Register, "were placed there

seventy-nine years ago, and the root is

s ill tight. The Rev Isaac Parsons was

pastor of this church continuously for

The folks of seventy-five years ago

The final and very severe test of the

St Louis and Illinois bridge was made on

July 2d. Fourteen Iccomotives, averag-

ing forty tons each, were placed seven on

each side of each arch, which produced

a deflection of two and a half inches on

the centre arch, which is five hundred

and twenty feet long. Several other

tests were made, all of which were re-

garded as highly satisfactory by a large

number of distinguished engineers pres-

A special dispatch to Cincinnati states

that E. J. Thorn and Francis Tierna, of

been negotiated among farmers by these

men. Their plan was to get some far-

mer who could not read to sign what

purported to be a contract for the agency

of a patent plough between the farmer

and a certain R. R. Fenner & Co., but

A most atrocious attempt at poisoning

at Bridgeport, Conn., has just been made public. Four young business men

got their lives insured for 20,000 each.

sometime ago, with the agreement tla

poisoned with phosphorus, was sent to

one of the other men, and it is supposed

that one of the insolvents was guilty of

trying this method of extricating him-

Divorce suits, where a separation is

asked in consequence of cruel treatment,

seems that in this, as in other matters.

there is an important exception to the

rule, and that there are sometimes hus-

band-beating wives as well as wife-beat-

Michael Lahy, who was graduated from the Pittsfield (Mass.) High School

last week, at the age of twenty-one, is a

remarkable young man. When a child,

while playing on the railroad track, he

was run over by a train, and it was neces-

sary to amputate both arms so close to

are left. Nevertheless, he has perse-

ing husbands.

self from his difficulties

which was really a personal note.

methodical old man.

parsons.'

ent.

According to the Charleston News,

morning of Sunday.

\$45 per ear load.

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agreeable Fourth of July.

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lers.

THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1874.

Republican State Convention.

The Republicans of Pennsylvania will hold a State Convention at Harrisburg, at boon on Wednesday, August 19. 1874, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Lieutenant Governor, Auditor General, Secretary of Internal Affairs, and Judge of the Supreme Court.

The representation of the several counties in this Convention will be based on the apportionment of Senators and Representatives made by the present Legislature, each Senatorial and Representative district being entitled to delegates equal in number to its representation in the Legislature under said apportionment.

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GENERAL NOTES.

Parisians eat 5000 horses yearly. A famine is threatened in India. Nail kegs are made in 7 minutes. California has 50 Episcopal churches.

Chicago bas 353 acres of pleasure lands. Illinois is already threashing her

wheat. Chicago is disgusted with its street beggars.

Only two hand organ makers in the United States. San Francisco is building a hotel to

cust \$1,200,000.

Florida reports a good crop of alligators this season. New Haven had a procession of bakers the other day.

78 years has a Wisconsin wood chopper been at his work. Sheep raising is assuming lively fea-

tures in Southern Illinois. Not one accident or fire occured in Baltimore on the Fourth.

Highwaymen infest the route from Salt Lake City to Montana.

Havana is blessed at this time with yellow fever and small pox. A New London, Conn., fishing boat

recently captured 25 sword fish, Quicksilver has been discovered in

the mountains back of Baralito, Cal. It is roughly estimated that the annual production of American wine is about twenty millions of gallons.

The women and children at Smyrna, Del., earned \$4000 picking strawberries.

A Jersey City pet-dog seized a lady by the lips and bit one off, a few days ago. An attempt was recently made by an

iomate to burn the almshouse at Lowell, A baloon voyage was recently made forty-four years, and the late Jeremiah from Buffalo, N. Y., to Salem, N. J.; Hutchins was deacon forty-seven years

time 13 hours. Five hundred Mormon emmigants ar- were pretty good judges of shingles and rived at New York on Monday.

Weymouth, Mass., celebrated its two hundred and fittieth anniversary Satur-

Gill, on trial for murder in New York has been sentenced to imprisonment for

The increased acreage of corn planted this season is in round numbers 2,000,-000 acres.

The majority for the new constitutional convention in Arkansas is estimated at 60,000.

The long strike of the union coal miners, at New S raitsville, Ohio, has ended, the miners returning to work in a body.

Miss Carrie Ostrander, one of the injured in the Baptist Church disaster at Syracuse on June 23, is dead, making the tourteenth victim. The Michigan Central Railroad de-

pot and freight house, at Grand Rapids, Michigan, was burned on July 7th. Loss, \$12,000. Orders were issued on July 2d, in

Boston, directing the police to kill all unlicensed dogs found at large within the city limits.

The assesed value of real and personal estate in the city and county of New York is reported at \$1,754,000,000, an increase of \$24,788,000 on the valuation of last year.

At Paterson, N. J., on Monday, Josephine Divine, who lives alone with an inva'id sister, was fatally burned while lighting a fire with coal oil.

Governor Groome, of Maryland, will commute the sentence of Charles Jones, the murderer, to life imprisonment. Jones was to have been hung August

are usually brought by the wife against A courier from General Custer's exthe husband. In a recent case in New pedition, telegraphing from Bismarck St. Paul, reports the command twenty York, however, this rule was reversed. The complainant was the husband, who miles out on the 4th at noon. The charged his wife with cruel and inhuweather was exceedingly hot. Five solman treatment, and so satisfied was the diers and one teamster had been sun-Julge from the testimony given of the struck. Custer's orders prohibit firing truth and gravity of the complaint, on Indians unless they show unmistakathat the divorce was granted. So it ble signs of hostillity.

Information telegraphed from Fort Fetterman states that on the 2d inst, a party of citszens engaged in bauling wood near there were fired on by six Iudians, but they escaped. At noon the same day eight Sioux attacked and shot Jesse Hampton, sixteen miles from the same post. He was dangerously wounded, and is now in the hospital at the

fort. A postponed exhibition of fireworks took place at New York on Monday the shoulders that no perceptible stumps evening. When near its close a pile of fireworks lying on the ground exploded vered in his studies, has not been absent by a spark from a rocket, and Roman or tardy once in his four years' course candles, bombs, rackets, etc., whizzed at the High School, and has become among an assemblage of about five thousand people. A number of persons were ing the leaves of his book with his injured, but only four so seriously as to tongue. He has also acquired a very require medical attendance. For a short legible and even handsome style of pentime there was a fearful panic among the | manship, which he executes with his

100 houses were unroofed at Wash-FRED SCHOENING & CO., ington, by last Saturday's storm. The mackerel catch at Cape Cod is

stated to be far in excess of any within Law, Commercial, Book, and General Job Printers. In maine, the other day lightning struck in thirteen places, between the cities of Bangor and Bucksport. and Stationers.

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