THURSDAY, DEC. 2, 1880.

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PRESIDENT HAVES has been an economical office holder. He will retire the 4th of March with \$170,000 saved out of his salary of \$200,000 in four years. And why not? \$7,500 per nnnum is enough for a President to A PITTSBURGHER connected with

Truth says that the paper printed 268,-000 copies of the number containing W. Bennett, who was not a candidate. the fac simile of the Morey forgery, The tickets for the whole State were after Hewitt and Randall endorsed it as Garfield's penmanship. The Democratic National Committee took 75,000, and General Hancock bought 15.000.

THE OFFICIAL canvass of the recent election in Michigan has been declared as follows: Garfield, 186,195; Hancock, 131,301; Weaver, 84,895; Dow, 942; scattering, 332 Jerome Re-Holloway Democrat, 137,681; Woodman, Greenback, 35,532 All the nine Congressional districts are Republi-

AT A RECEPTION tendered to Joel Hembree and wife at the residence of | Electors, who has received a larger the bride's father. Colonel Dail, near vote on the face of the returns than Kingston, Boone county, Ky, arsenic was used in mistake for salt. The ursenie was intended for crows, but was put in edibles as seasoning instead of one Elector from Indiana would be of oned and six are now dead. Three more will probably die.

THE OFFICIAL vote of Illinois on presidental electors stands as follows: Garfield, 318,032; Hancock, 277,635; Weaver, 26,053; scattering, 517. Total, 622,267. Total vote of 1876, 554,066; increase, 68,201. Garfield's plurality, 49,397. Majority, 13,797. Garfield ran ahead of the Republican candidate for Governor 3,468 votes. Hancock ran ahead of the Democratic candidate for Governor 103 votes.

GOVERNOR DAVIS of Maine, has issued a proclamation declaring carried the amendment to the Constitution Union, 2,575 in Bartholomew, 1,486 in making only a plurality of votes necessary to elect a Governor. The point is again raised in popular discussion whether the amendment should apply to the late election, and the probability is that it will get into the courts and that use will be made of it to prevent General Plaisted becoming Governor.

up Barnum in his fraud ery, accepts the action of the Board of State Canwassers with reference to the result of the Presidential election in that State. There is one Democrat in the Board of Canvassers, and as he agreed peras gracefully as they can, most of them are doing.

THE CURIOUS fact is show by the New York city and county on the 2d | He therefore brought action to recover inst, that not one "scratched" ticket \$6,444.28, double the amount of for Presidential Electors was saved. Every one of the 35 candidates on the Republi an ticket received \$1,686 votes; a verdict in favor of plaintiff for the every one on the Democratic ticket received 123,015 votes; every one on the interest \$9,434,87. ceived 128,015 votes; every one on the Greenback ticket received 610 votes. and every one on the Prohibition and every one on the Prohibition in a san trought some years ago it ticket received 26 votes, and there were which the Columbia National Ban no defective and no blank ballots.

than any State in prohibitory legislation, by adopting an amendment to the constitution prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors except for medical, scientific and mechanical use. It is reported that this has been adopted by a majority of 20,0 0 votes. As a part of which they were anthorized to charge the Constitution this prohibitory law whatever interest might be agreed cannot be changed or repealed excert upon between the parties, and also through a two third vote of each not liable for any penalty, because Mr. branch of the Legislature, ratified by a Bletz had been reimbursed for all the through a two third vote of each vote of the people.

THE REPORT of the Census Bureau shows as plainly as can be that South the State Courts had no jurisdiction in honest count of the votes. The population is ascertained to be 995,306 an increase of 289,700 over the population credited the State in [87]. Of this peared for plaintiff, and Hugh M. population 391,404 are white, an increase of 101,404 in ten years. The fense. colored population is 604,235, an increase of 188,421 for the same period. This would indicate an increase of 5 per cent, of the white population and House. It will be the first instance of 45 per cent, for the colored. The col- the mother of a President, residing at 213,154.

furnishes the following information the eight years her illustrious son was in regard to immigration into the its occupant. She perferred to live in United States. There arrived in the retirement and is now residing with customs districts of Baltimore, Boston, her daughter at Jersey City. General Detroit, Huron, Minnesota, New Bed- Garfield's mother has always lived futile effort to force a man into Con ford, New Orleans, New York, Passa- with him and will continue to do so to maquaddy. Philadelphia and San the end of her days. Francisco, during the month ending October \$1, 1880, 69,808 passengers, of whom 61,312 were immigrants, 5,905 citizens of the United States returned from abroad, and 2,591 aliens not intending to reside in the United States Of this total number of immigrants there arrived from England, 6,665; danger to which people are exposed Wales, 110; Scotland, 1,388; Ireland, and great care should be taken by 5,705; Germany, 17,059; Austra, 1,555; Sweden, 3,486; Norway, 1,458; Den- horses. If you are riding and your mark, 950; France, 551; Switzerland, horse coughs, close your eyes, lest the and I am glad I did, for in less than 922; Spain, 79; Holland, 230; Belgium, 141; Italy, 1,651; Russia, 352; Poland, 184; Hungary, 481; Finland, 14; Dominion of Canada, 17,517; China. 474; Australasia, 81; Mexico, 83; Portugal, be vigilant, as the disease is prevailing tries 70

An Electoral Blunder.

HAVE CHANGED THE PRESIDENTIAL

Chicago, November 24.- A despatch from Indianapolis says that B. G. Par-ker, the Republican Elector nomi-nated in place of General Thomas W. Bennett, who was withdrawn because of his alleged connection with a Federal office, has been defeated through the blunders of omiting his name from the tickets in Perry, Floyd, Bartholomew, Putnam and Wells counties, in which Parker did not get a single vote. This will elect D. W. Chambers the Democrat Elector, by about 5,000 majority.

A FURTHER EXPLANATION. Indianapolis, November 24.—By reason of the stupidity of some of the election officers the votes east for Benjamin G. Parker as elector on the Republican ticket in several counties name of Bennett, who had declined, and for whom Parker had been substituted The attention of election officers and local committees in every precinct in the State was called to the charge, and every precaution urged to see that the proper corrections were made in the tall-sheets and poll-books, publican for governor, received 177,954; and it is only by the grossest carelessness of the election officers that votes which were cast for Benjamin G. Parker should be returned for Thomas W. Bennett. The error affects several housand votes, and under certain circumstances, may lead to a certificate being given to one of the Hancock that counted for Parker. Governor Gray, when interviewed on the sub ject to-day, said there was no desire to salt. Twenty-seven guests were pois- no possible advantage to the Democrats, but he knew of no legal method of correcting the returns if it should appear that the mistake was made by the clerks of Election Boards in crediting the votes for Parker to Bennett on the tally sheet, but if the error was on the part of the county clerks he thought it might be corrected, because those officials were still in existence, while the Election Board, having passed out of existence, could not be reorganized to correct any error that had been made. As in seven counties the total Republican vote is returned for Bennett it is probable that the view of the case adopted by the Governor may furnish a solution of the difficulty. The official shows that Bennett re-

Owen and 2,139 in Putnam. Usurious Interest.

HEAVY VERDICT AGAINST A BANK-A CASE FOR THE UNITED STATES SU PREME COURT.

Laneaster, Nov. 21.-One of the most interesting cases ever tried in this vicinity has just been decided in the Common Pleas Court of this THE New York World, which at one time showed a disposition to back County, resulting in a verdict of \$9,444.87 in favor of Frederick S Bletz, of Columbia, against the Columbia National Bank. The suit was brought for a penalty for the alleged charging of usurious interest, an Act of Congress providing that no national bank shall take a greater rate of in-tres than the law of the State in which the bank is located allows, and prescribing a penalty equal to double the feetly with his Republican colleage es amount of interest paid. The circumthere does not appear to be anything stances of the case were these; Befor the Democrats to do but to submit tween December 4, 1871, and Septeminterest paid, with interest from December 1, 1873, and the above facts having been proved the court directed

THE DEFENSE. For the deanse it was claimed that was plaintiff and Mr. Bletz defendant -just the reverse of the present case Kansas has gone a little further but involving the same issues-all excess of interest above 6 per cent. and interest on the same had been allowed as an offset. They claimed, further, that the act of Congress allows a National bank to charge as much interest as any bank of issue in the State where it is located, and that in the years 1871, 1872 and 1873 numerous banks of this kind were chartered, in that the Columbia National Bank was As we have not the exact figures we interest he had paid, that having been a waiver of any penalty that might attach. In conclusion, they held that Carolina would be Republican on an actions of this kind. The case has excited great interest, and will go to the Supreme Court of the United North, Esq., solicitor for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, for the de-

GENERAL GARFIELD will take his aged mother with him to the White ored population exceeds the white by the executive mansion. General Grant's mother is yet living, but never The chief of the bureau of statistics even visited the White House during

-A lad named Fred. Palmer, son of the manager of the Western Union telegraph office at Elmira, N. Y., has lost an eye from epizooty poisoning. The lad washed his face with a hand kerchief he had used to clean saliva that his horse had coughed on his coat steeve. This contagion reveals a new persons who have to be much around moisture from him should enter them-In the face of such a danger as this, precautions will at once suggest themselves for protection, which will needs 82; Azores, 79; and from other coun- among the animals to an alarming

Attacked by Tramps.

PRINTING OMISSIONS THAT WOULD TWO BROTHERS, ASSAULTED, DEFEND THEMSELVES-ONE OF THE ASSAIL

ANTS NEARLY KILLED. While Thomas Coyle and his brother Francis were on their way to their home in Kelleyville, Delaware county, on Tuesday afternoon, they were attacked back of Woodland Cemetery by two tramps. One of the strangers caught hold of the coat of Thomas and presented a revolver at his head. Francis Coyle came to his rescue and struck the tramp on the head with a stone, felling him to the ground and facturing his skull The Coyle brothers were then pursued by several other rough characters who had been lurking about the neighborhood, but the appearance of an officer caused the gang to take to their heels. They were chased and the following were captured James Cullen and James Riley of New York: Edward Knight of No. 108 Siegel street; Ed-ward Jones of Camden, N. J.; James Zaynor and John W. Thomas. Returning to the scene of the attack the officers found the injured tramp, who gave the name of John Sheppard, lying on the ground. He wa moved to the University Hospital, where his condition was reported to be critical. The Coyle brothers were also taken into custody, and yes terday all of the parties were given a hearing at the Central Station. John W. Thomas was held in \$1,500 bail as the ringleader of the gang, and the others were placed under \$800 bail each. Thomas and Francis Coyle were committed to await the result of Sheppard's injuries. Later in the day application was made to Judge Thayer in the old Court house to fix bail in the case, and the Judge. after listening to the facts, named \$2,500 as the amount.

The Search for the Forger.

DISCOVERY THAT THE ENVELOPE ORIGINALLY BORE ANOTHER NAME. New York, November 23,-Counsel or the prosecution in the Morey letter case for some time past have been carefully examining the letter and the envelope in which it was enclosed, to see if either would afford any clue to the writer. As has heretofore been stated, the Washington postmark is different from that in use at the Post Office there at the date of the letter Now it is certain that the envelope riginally bore another name. Photograph copies of it, very much enhave been taken, and these eveal that an address has been nearly erased from it. The name was either "Cox' or "Fox," care of some com-pany, "New York City.", The first name looks like Edwin or Edward. Various inquiries have been made among persons bearing this name, but without results. None of them recalis receiving a letter from Washington at that time. Inquiries will be con-tinued in this direction. Meanwhile no additional indictments have been foundby the Grand Jury against any of the persons implicated in forging and circulating the letter. It was ex-pected that some would be found to-day. John I. Devenport has returned from Ohio, and when asked how he left the President-elect he laughingly that he "went no jurther than Cleve-land." Despatches from the Clevereplied that he was not at Mentor: iand." Despatches from the West reported that both he and Marshall lewell, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, had cailed on General Garfield. It was understood that they were there in connection with the forged letter.

How Chalmers was Counted In.

OVER FIVE THOUSAND VOTES THROWN

OUT ON VARIOUS PRETEXTS. From the Vicksburg, Miss., Herald, Nov. 14. We have already expressed, mildly out firmly, our opinion about the article that is needed by every family ber 3,1873, the plaintiff, Mr. Bletz, who but firmly, our opinion about the article that is needed by every family was an extensive lumber merchant of election in this district, but have in the world. The profit to Agents Columbia, had a number of notes discounted at the Columbia National figures from the different counties. official canvass of the votes cast in this money to the amount of \$3,222.14 Commissioners to the Secretary of the Election to you. Either ladies or gentle-

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We give below the votes received and counted by the Precinct Inspector, but which were thrown out by the Election Commissioners of the varioucounties on account of alleged irregu larities and informalities. In Jeffer son county the votes were not thrown out, but one ballot-box with a large number of votes was shot-gunnea out. We have not the figures from Coahoma, but learn that Chalmets was beaten between 700 and 800 votes. and that the Commissioners threw out every box in the county but one.

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Total	716	4,632

The list shows that in one district in Mississippi 5,358 ballots were thrown out, and this does not include Coahoma, where all the boxes, save one were thrown out. What other "work was done we know not, but we do know that the above is enough to last

awhile. Our readers should reflect seriously on this business. Every good citizen is more or less interested in it. It is alteged that this is done in the interest of the Democratic party, and that the party is asked by Gen. Chambers organ to carry it. It is not done in the interest of the Democratic party or the best interests of the people, and the party, the officials, the district, and the State, should positively re-fuse to countenance it. It is done in a gress regardless of the injury it will do to our party, to our good name and to our State. As one who has served the Democratic party second to none in the State and South, we spurn it and denounce it before the whole

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