THE AMERIOAN PRESBYTERIAN, THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1868.

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referred. The vill to repeal the cotor tax was
pasted, with amendments exempting cotton grown
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ralized citizens was referred to the Foreign Rela-
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al governnents in the South, was considered
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 in executive session, by the decisive. vote of 35 yea
toe nays, adopted the report of the Military Com-
nittee refusing to con nittee, refusing to concur in the suspension of Sec
retary Stinton by the President.
House. January 7 th. - Mr. Schenck, from the House- Janary 7 thi- Mr. Schenck, from the
Ways and Masnctonmitee, reportred a bill to pre spirits, which whs passed. The Election Conmittee
in the contested case or Symes vs. Trimble, of Ken. tucky, reported that Mr. Trimble was entited to
his seat. Mr. Cary, of Ohio, spoke in fayor of pay
 to intercede with' uazeen Victoriat to secure the spee dy relesse or Rev. John McMahon, a citizeen of in-
diana, convicted as a Fenian raider and now con-
fined in Kingaton, $C$. W., was riported. The Sentined in Kingston, C. W., was riported. The Sen-
ate amendment to the eotton bil were referred to
the Conmmittee on Ways January 9th-The Postmaster-General was di-
rected to communicate the reasons for the discontinuance of the midnight mail between New York
and Philadelphia and other places, and whether it should not be resumed, The Whaces, and whether MMetrer Com-
nission bill was passed. A conmunication wis received from the Yresident showing thiat tiventy-
one States had ratifed the proposed fourteenth ar one states ade raared
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contested case of the First Rentuck District was


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January 13 .-The bill placing the South under
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alition of a law of Congress shall be given by the Su-
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 pension of the rules. Mr. Williames, of Pennisylva-
nia, offered an gmendment requiring unanimous consent of the Judges. This was rejected, and the the
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Massachusetts. - Chires C. Jeweth, Superintenrening of Jonuary 8th.
New York.-The Legislature met, January 7th
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Denocrats in the Honse. The Governor's message
was read. City.- The Hercald says: "Most of the manufac
uring establisinments are keeping on the usual
 but are working on half time. The taileors, watiters
nnd clerks are at present the only clases who have been discharged trum employment to any extent,
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ases, and alleo other bills, was received. January loth.-In the Howte, the dead lock came to anury end
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