

News of the Week.

XLIth CONGRESS—First Session.

Senate.—February 25.—A telegram from the Governor of Michigan urging the Senate "not to falter in executing the law against the Executive" was refused. On the ground that it had nothing to do with the business of the Senate. The Committee of the House to impeach the President was introduced, and Mr. Stevens announced the action of the House. The President of the Senate replied, "The Senate will take due order in the premises." The message of the House was referred to a special committee of seven. The Supplemental Reconstruction bill, allowing a majority of votes cast to decide elections, and registered voters to vote anywhere in a State, was passed, with an amendment, providing for the election of State officers and Congressmen on the same day with that for the new Constitution.

system of charity, has given over eighty thousand bushels of coal to the poor this winter. Illinois.—The iron-masters have found that iron ore can be smelted with Illinois coal, and furnaces are to be erected at Chicago to prosecute the business. Iowa.—A colored man has recovered \$10 from the election officers of Muskingum county for refusing to receive his vote at the November election. —The Senate, Feb. 27th, adopted a resolution favoring impeachment. The House agreed on a resolution instructing its representatives in Congress to urge the removal of the national capital to the West. Wisconsin.—Gen. Grant is the choice of the Republican Convention for next President. Minnesota.—St. Paul having sent 80,000 rats to Europe in one lot last month, the people are impatiently awaiting a fall in the price of imported European kid gloves.—The three cities of St. Paul, Minneapolis and St. Anthony, are making efforts to purchase from the Government the Falls of Minnehaha, and land adjacent, for a public park. Kentucky.—As neither the Governor nor John Young Brown consider the latter's seat in Congress vacant, no writ of election will be issued, and Mr. Brown's district will remain unrepresented until the next election. Kansas.—The Legislature has passed a bill allowing all persons to practice law, without distinction of sex or color. Texas.—The final corrections of the registration lists show the totals to be 56,578 white and 47,581 colored voters. The white majority is 9,997. Only 7,738 applications were rejected. Alabama.—Gen. Meade replaced in office the Sheriff of Leo county, whom Gen. Pope turned out just before he was ordered from the command of the District. This Sheriff had charge of the polls in Leo county at the late election.—Full returns of the election have been received at the military headquarters in Alabama, (but their publication is still forbidden.) Louisiana.—The Monroe Telegraph says the boats from Arkansas come down the river with cotton at the rate of five thousand bales per week. —The New Orleans aldermen, removed by Gen. Hancock have been reinstated by order of Gen. Grant. —The street and stable manure of New Orleans is to be utilized, and conveyed to planters on the Jackson Railroad. Indian.—The Legislature of the Cherokees, at its late session, passed an act appropriating ten thousand dollars for the erection of a building suitable for a Capitol, at Talliquan, the capital of the nation. New Mexico.—Twelve hundred Indians have been repulsed in an attack on Fort Lancaster.

and the United States, are to apply reciprocally to Germans and Americans. All previous engagements in regard to extradition are renewed—the treaty is made terminable at the end of ten years. February 28.—London, evening.—The Royal assent has been given to the bill for the suspension of the habeas corpus in Ireland. Dublin, evening.—Gen. Nagle and his fellow prisoners were indicted for treason at Sligo, to-day.—Paris, evening.—Prince Napoleon has left Paris on a visit to Germany.—The officers of the French army now absent on furlough have been ordered to report at their headquarters, on or before the 31st of March next, when all existing furloughs will terminate. February 29.—London.—In the case of General Nagle, now on trial at Sligo, a motion to transfer the case to the Court of Queen's Bench, in order that the trial might take place elsewhere, because no six Americans could be found in the whole city, and therefore it would be impossible to elect a mixed jury,—was refused, and the case proceeded without a jury. The trial was adjourned. The Times of this morning strongly urges the abandonment of the prosecution, saying that the point of law involved is, to say the least, questionable.—Berlin.—King William, of Prussia, in closing the sessions of the Diet last evening, congratulated the members on the success of their labors. The efforts of the Diet to insure peace to Europe, had been promptly and powerfully sustained by other great Powers, and the confidence thus restored will aid in the spiritual and temporal welfare of the nation.—Munich.—Louis the Second, King of Bavaria, died yesterday aged 23. March 1.—Dublin.—W. Johnson, Grand Secretary of the Orange Association, was tried last week on a charge of heading an illegal procession in county Down, and was found guilty and sentenced to fine and imprisonment.—Later news from the English captives in Abyssinia says they are still safe and well, at Magdala. The advance of the English army had arrived, at a place near Antalo. The Arabs are everywhere, friendly. No sickness among the troops.—Bremen.—A delegation of the workmen of Genoa waited upon Admiral Farago last week, and presented an address in which they say they desire to do him especial honor, as the representative of a country which sympathizes with the views of the illustrious patriot Mazzini. March 2.—London.—The new Cabinet is complete.—Berlin.—The Zollverein has hit the discussion and settlement of financial questions.—Constantinople.—Omar Pasha is to be superseded as Secretary of War. FOREIGN. Mexico.—It is stated that Senor Romero took a \$100,000 conveyment in payment of his salary of \$10,000. South America.—The Brazilian Government is buying negroes and freeing them on condition that they will enter the army. The cholera still rages in Buenos Ayres. Amongst Atlantic Cables, steam navigation, and those progressions of science and art that mark the nineteenth century, not the least useful, are Dr. Ayer's medicines. They take rank among the benefactions of mankind, from the rapidly and certainly with which they cure. Try AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL on a Cough and it is gone. What skin diseases or impurities of the blood withstand AYER'S SANSAPARILLA? AYER'S PILLS are the perfection of a purgative—every family should have them, as almost every family does. Not a trifle to be thankful for are good medicines and the knowledge how to use them for protection from disease. These Dr. Ayer's preparations and publications furnish, and we do not hesitate to commend them.—St. Louis Leader. BRILLIANT OF COMPLEXION is desirable in a lady; and for the preservation of it, Burnett's Kalliston is guaranteed to be a most powerful and reliable. Inflammation from sunburn, and the dryness caused by the wind and hair, is remedied by its application. It softens the skin, and is admirably adapted for gentlemen's use after shaving. All Druggists sell it. A RECENT writer has said that no nation bestows less attention on the human hair, than the Americans. We are pleased to know a Remedial Medicinal preparation which cures all diseases of the scalp, restores the hair to its natural color, and causes new hair to grow; this is Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.—Northern Gazette. A DECIDED IMPROVEMENT.—A Reif has invented and has on sale a new invention for baking potatoes. It is arranged to occupy the place of a boiler on the top of a stove, quires but little fuel, and the work is speedily done. Before an oven in the best of stoves can be properly heated, the potatoes in this Baker are ready for the table. It is an excellent contrivance on the score of economy.—It costs only a small sum, and this would be saved in fuel a good many times over in the course of a year. We have used the baker and know whereof we speak. SANFORD HALBURT, of the Christian Advocate. It is for sale by Bull & Co. Stove manufacturers, Buffalo, N. Y., to whom those interested can apply. The price is four dollars.

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