THE AMERICAN PRESBYTERIAN, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1868.

News of the Week.

CONGRESS.

Senate .- December 7-Forty-eight members were Dresent. Various bills and an amendment to the Constitution establishing universal suffrage, were presented.

House.—December 7.—One hundred and four members were present. Bills and a universal suffrage amendment were offered. A resolution to censure Reverdy Johnson and ask his recall was referred to the Foreign Committee by a vote of 94 to 41. GENERAL.

The Supreme Court met, Dec. 7, and Attorney General Evarts was sworn in.

STATES AND TEBRITORIES.

New York .- In the charter election, (Dec. 1st), A. Oakey Hall (Dem.) was elected Mayor and Richard O'Gorman, Corporation Counsel, by a majority of 54,000 in a vote of 75,000.—Gen. Cole was ac-quitted, Dec. 7, of the murder of Hiscock at Albauy, the jury finding that he was sane immediately fore and after the deed, but doubting his sanity while in the act.

Pennsylvania.-Hester Vaughan, a young English woman, has been lying under sentence of death in this city for the murder of her natural child. The advocates of woman's rights in New York city, sent on a deputation to visit her, held a mass meeting at the Cooper's Institute, made speeches (one part Hester Vaughan, ninety-nine parts woman's rights, got up a petition to Gov. Geary and sent Mrs. E. C. Stanton and a daughter of Gerritt Smith to present it. They were politely told that their interession had been anticipated by humane citizens' (mostly ladies) of Pennsylvania, and that further agitation was unnecessary, as the Governor had

determined on his action in the case. It is Illinois.—The National Cattle Commissioners' Convention, in session at Springfield, propose to prohibit the bringing of Texas cattle North between March 1st, and, Nov. 1st, so as to stop the cattle plague.

Indiana Sixty or seventy persons lost their lives by the collision and consequent burning of two steamboats on the Ohio river at Warsaw, Dec 4. Rev. Robert J. Parvin and Geo. W. Fahnestock and daughter of this city, and Rev. Franklin Ris-ing, formerly of Nevada, were among the lost. Iowa.—The majority for impartial suffrage is

24,265. California.-The State Supreme Court gives the

State vote to Gen. Grant. Nebraska:-The temporary R. R. bridge over

the Missouri River at Omaha, was opened to travel, Dec. 3d. The next day the bridge was so badly damaged by floating ice that its use had to be abandoned

Colorado.-Both parties Held conventions, Dec. 1st. The Republicans petitioned for the admission of Colorado as a State, but the Democrats were only agreed in asking R. R. appropriations from Con-

Virginia .--- The argument before the U.S. District Court, on the motion to quash the indictment of Jeff. Davis, was closed Teo. 4th. Chief Justice Chase was favorable to the motion, but as Judge Underwood was opposed, the difference of oninion was certified to the U.S. Supreme Court for decis-

Missouri -The St. Louis Merchants' Exchange approves of the plan to put the Telegraph lines under the U.S. Government.

Alabama.—The House of Representatives has repealed all laws against "miscegenation" by mar-riage.—The Legislature has passed the bill to suppress the K. K. K. Louisiana.-The citizens of New Orleans voted

Dec. 5, not to issue bonds to redeem the city cur-rency.—The Fifth District Court has decided that the Metropolitan Police Law for New Orleans is unconstitutional and that the Mayor's Chief of Police is the only legal one.-Gen. Steadman resigns the Collectorship of the Port of New Orleans.

Georgia .- The municipal authorities of Atlanta deny the right of the negroes to vote under the charter, and the right to hold a legal election with-out their votes. They postpone the election till the Legislature meets in January, when he charter can be conformed to the Reconstruction laws, by striking out the word white. The Democrats wish the election to proceed in spite of the charter. -The State electors did not cast the electoral vote for Seymour, Dec. 1st, as required by law, because the commission issued by the Governor specified, by a mistake, Dec. 9th. Another collision of the Savannah special police and negroes, followed by many arrests of the latter, is reported.—The Democrats carried the Atlanta municipal election by a small majority, Dec. 2d. Florida.—The Supreme Court decided, Dec. 3 to order process against Lieut. Gov. Gleason, who petitioned to have the case transferred to the U. S. Courts .- The Supreme Court decides that Lieut. Gov. Gleason has shown no legal cause why his case should be transferred to the U. S. Courts.

here.—The King received the French ambassador to-day and assured him of his friendship for France. -Madrid .- Espartero has been asked to become Dictator, and he is prophesiel of as Premier, should the Republicans elect the Cortes .- Pesth. - The War

B.dget has passed. December 4.—London.—Gladstone formally accepted the Premiership from the Queen yesterday, and held a reception of Liberal M. P.'s at night at his residence. The papers are speculating on his Madrid.—Gen. R. Sanz is the new Captain General of Porto Rico,-Gen. Dulce sails for Cuba Dec. 15. December 5.-London.-The Times urges the new ministry not to accede to Mr. Seward's last demand, that the questions of international law in-volved in the Alabama claims be referred to the mixed commission. Such a commission could come to no decision,-The rumors as to the new minietry are inconclusive. Mr. Coleridge declines to serve under Sir J. P. Collier, and Sir Roundell Palmer is excluded by his opposition to the Irish Church Bill. John Bright is said to refuse the India Secretaryship .--- Rumors [false] of an insurrection in Paris caused a financial panic to day.-Pars.-The panic here to-day was caused by a rumor that Turkey had sent Greece an ultimatum .-- Vien-

na.-Von Beust has been made a Count in consideration of his services. December 6.—London.—The Observer gives the following as Mr. Gladstone's Cabinet: Chancellor, Made.

Sir Win, Page Wood; President of Privy Council, Lord Kimberly, Lord of the Privy Seal, Earl Rus-sell; Chancellor of the Rochequer, Robert Lowe; First Lord of the Admiralty, Childers; Foreign Secretary, Lord Clarendon; Home Secretary, Hen-ry A. Bruce; Secretary of War, Cardwell; Secretary lor, India, Duke of Argyle; Colonial Secretary, Barl Granville, Southarn for Iraland Chichester, Forte-Granville; Secretary for Ireland, Chichester Forte-scue; President of Poor Law Board, Goschen; President of the Board of Trade, Bright, Postmaster General, De Grey; Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, Chas. P. Villiers; Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Earl Spencer; Lord Chancellor of Ireland, O'Hagan. -Despatches from Paris report that city as tranquil.-Turkey, sustained by all the Great Powers, has sent Greece an ultimatum, but preserves her In the diplomatic relations intact.—Madrid.—La Imparcal urges liberal reforms in Cuba, but demands that the insurrection fostered by the U.S. filibusters, be

doubts the correctness of the statement that Earl Spencer, Bruce, Villiers and Mr. Coleridge will hold the places specified by *The Observer*. It adds that James Moncreeff, M. P., will be Lord Advocate for Scotland.—The *Hibernia* (Glasgow to New York) has foundered on the Irish coast. Thirty-three lives lost, --- Madrid, --- The Republicans paraded Cadiz yesterday with arms and threats, but were dispersed by the military. A month's postponement of the election is rumored

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Indians.-Gen. Sheridan reports a battle with the Arapahoes and the capture of the camp. He is moving southward on their winter hunting-ground.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

December 1.—London.—All the 656 members of the new Parliament have been elected, and The Times announces a majority of 112 for the Liberals. Times announces a major ty of 112 for the Insteads. [The majority in last Parliament, on the Irish Church Bill, was 60.]—Gladstone's "Chapter of an Autobiography" has needlessly alienated many of his triends.—The Queen congratulated Lord Monck on his government of Canada.—Liverpool is to feast the retiring cabinet, and Disraeli will create no new peers.—Paris.—The Printers are on a strike.—Gen. Prim writes to Le Gaulois, denying any negotiations with the Bourbons, or any purpose to accomplish a coup d' etat.—Madrid.—The Republicans have bro-en up monarchist meetings in Orense and in Valladolid.-It is rumored here that the U.S. have recognized the Cuban insurgents as belligerents.-Berlin .- The minister of Justice urges the extension of the Prussian legal system to all North Germany.-Constantinople.-Turkey (it is believed) will recall her Ambassador from Athens, unless recruiting for

ner Am oassador from Attens, untess retruiting for Crete in Greece is stopped. **December 2.**—London.—Disraeli announces his intention to resign the premiership immediately, before the meeting of Parliament. He had hoped that the country would not endorse the Irish Church measures of the Liberals, but the result of the election had showed that he could not command the tion had showed that he could not command the respect of the incoming Parijament. He still re-gards Mr. Gladstone's measures as wrong, imprac-ticable, and if practicable, rhinous. He and his friends will favor Irish Church Reform, but will fight against disestablishment and disendowment to the last.—Cork.—The Corkonians have chosen for Mayor, a Mr. Sullivan, who lost his position as Justice of the Peace for sympathy with Benjanism.

December 3.—London.—At the dinner to Rever-dy Johnson, at Birmingham, John Bright said the presence of the American Minister was a proof that the U. S. forgives its enemies in England as freely as it has forgiven the rebels in America. He de-plored England's recognizing the rebels as belligerents, and rejoiced in the prospect of a speedy and anicable settlement of pending difficulties, The Times denounces Disraeli's resignation as cowardly, Times denounces Disraeli's resignation as cowardly, and unprecedented; but the other papers, of both parties, praise it, as saving the Queen from embar-rassment and the Tories from mortification.—The attempt to commemorate the death of Baudin at Parts, yesterday was easily suffiressed by the police. A journal in mourning, was sized and the prosecu-tions of the press continue.—Bismarck is

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