RATES OF ADVERTISING



BEDFORD, PA., FRIDAY FER. 23, 1866

LEAF TOBACCO-Average yield per acre

SORGHUM MOLASSES. -Average yield per

XXXIXTH CONGRESS

SENATE.-The credentials of L. E. Par

TUESDAY February 13.

PAY CASH. bushel on first of January, 1865, 1 71. As a bit of friendly advice to our readers Average yield per acre in 1865, stated in at the present time, we would say, buy noth bushels, 224. Average price per bushel on ing that you can do without, unless you are irst of January, 1866, 86 2 3.

able to pay for it in cash. The credit system has generally been the bane of the poor man in tempting him to buy on credit with the hope of a more prosperous future in which to pay. That hoped for future seldom came and his little all was eventually swallowed up to pay for what he had bought, pecially a bad time to buy on credit. The secretary of the Treasury persists in his ef-forts to contract the current of the c forts to contract the currency and force a specie resumption. We believe it to be a on first of January, 1866, 98 1 6. suicidal policy, but unless Congress firmly opposes his scheme and curtails instead of bushel on first of January, 1866, 87. Av. extending the Secretary's power, he will cererage vield per acre in 1865, stated in bushtainly try the dangerous experiment, and this is why we give the warning. If forced of January, 1866, 48. to a sudden resumption of specie payment, it will only be reached through one of the most tremendous financial crashes that has ever been known. The result of such a price per bushelon first of January, 1865, crash will be to bring ruin upon thousands 1 631. Average yield per acre in 1865, stawho are now happy and prosperous-stop ted in bushels, 161. Average price per bushel on first of January, 1866, 1 03. our manufacturing and railroad enterprises, and reduce the prices of labor and produce to the very lowest point. Every one can in 1864, stated in pounds, 1,1681. Average understand how difficult it will be, with la- price per pound on first of January, 1865. 181. Average yield per acre in 1865, stated bor at fifty cents per day and wheat at seventy-five cents or a dollar per bushel, to pay in pounds, 977. Average price per pound debts contracted when labor was worth one on first of January, 1866, 093-11. dollar and fifty cents per day, and wheat HAY-Average yield per acre in 1864, worth two dollars and twenty five cents per stated in tons, 1 3-10. Average price per bushel with everything else in a proportion. ton on 1st of January, 1865, 24 55. Average yield per acre in 1865, stated in ton 1 3-5 Yet this is likely to be the unfortunate con-Average price per ton on 1st of January, dition of every one who incurs debts in the face of a threatened financial revulsion. We 1866, 11.23. are sorry that it becomes our duty thus to acre in 1864, stated in gallons, 1148. Averwarn our firiends, and discourage the underage price per gallon on 1st of January, 1864, taking of enterprises, at present, that nestated in gallons, 1211. Average price per cessitate credit, but it is the only safe course gallon on 1st of January, 1866, 1031 .-until the Secretary of the Treasury changes

his present views or Congress so restricts his Pittsburgh Chronicle. powers and defines his duties as to unable us to determine with a reasonable degree of certainty our future financial condition.

## VETO OF THE FREEDMAN'S BILL.

The President's message vetoing the The President's message vetoing the Freedmen's Bureau Bill was transmitted to and read in the Senate on Monday. It has caused considerable excitement in political circles. Whether Congress will attempt to pass it over the veto or modify its form re-mains to be accessed by a senate of Alabama, were presented and laid on the table. A petition of colored soldiers, asking the right of suffrage, was presented. Another amendment to the Constitution was proposed, providing "Congress shall have power to make all laws necessary and proper to secure to the citizens of each State the privileges and immunities of citizens of mains to be seen. Some such measure is the several States, and to all persons of the mains to be seen. Some such measure is absolutely necessary to secure the lives and property of the Freedmen. Whether the President suggests any other practicable method of providing for their safety we can-not say as we have not yet had time to read the message. the several States, and to all persons of the several States equal protection in the right of life, liberty and property." Ordered to be printed. A committee was instructed to report what legislation was necessary to pro-tect travellers on western steamboats from danger by explosion of tubular boilers. The bill to extend the time for withdrawing conde from warehouses was taken up and

BARLEY-Average yield per acre in 1864, stated in bushels, 18. Average price per

ting against the constitutional amendment relative to representation. A petition from military officers for an increase of pay was also presented. The Committee on Post Roads reported a bill for the erection of a bridge across the Mississippi at St. Louis. A discussion then ensued as to whether the Colorado bill or the act to fix the military establishment should be taken up. The military bill was finally read, but no action was taken. The constitutional amendment CORN-Average yield per acre in 1864 military bill was inally read, but no action was taken. The constitutional amendment relative to representation was then consider-ed. Mr. Williams of Oregon, spoke on the subject, and then Mr. Hendricks took the floor, then the bill was postponed. The bill to prevent and punish kidnapping was passtated in bushels, 19<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. Average price per bushel on first of January, 1865, 1 54<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>. Average yield per acre in 1865, stated in bushels, 40. Average price per bushel on first of January, 1866, 80. POTATOES-Average yield per acre in

Bo prevent and punch kidnapping was pas-sed. HOUSE.—The Committee on Appropria-tions reported a bill making appropriations for the Post office Department for the year ending June 25, 1867. Mr. Raymond pre-sented a petition from the citizens of New York for the protection of American indus-try. The bill authorizing the deposit of postage stamps for sale under the direction of the Postmaster general was then taken up and discussed. A motion to lay the bill on the table was disagreed to, and it was postponed for two weeks. The Miscellan-eous Appropriation bill was then considered in Committee of the Whole. An amend-ment, providing that in future purchases of of carpets for government uses shall be of OATS-Average yield per acre in 1864, stated in bushels, 291. Average price per els, 34. Average price per bushel on first BUCKWHEAT-Average yield per acre in of carpets for government uses shall be of American manufacture, was agreed to. A recess was then taken until evening, when

a session was held for speech making. FRIDAY February 16. SENATE. —The bill appropriating \$6,775,-000 to reimburse the State of Missouri for war expenses was reported. A remonstrance of the Ohio Legislature against the assumpion by the General Government of the war of the several States was presented and refeered. Several petitions and memorials were presented. Some discussion en-sued upon a proposition to take up the bill

for the reorganization of the army, it being claimed that the Colorado admission bill was claimed that the Colorado admission on was of more importance, but the morning hour expiring, the representation amendment was taken up Mr. Williams, of Oregon, spoke at length. Adjourned. HOUSE.— The Post Office appropriation bill was made the special order for Thursday Patiling, for prototing the proceeding of the pro-

Petitions for protective tariffs were presen-ted. The bill for the sale of postage stamps on credit was debated and postponed for two weeks. The bill to authorize the sale of stamped envelopes at the cost of the stamp impressed thereon was postponed for two

weeks. bill wa The miscellaneous appropriation bill was taken up; an amendment prescrib-ing that carpets bought by the Government was received. Petitions against the Lom-bard and South streets supplement were presented. The question of concurring in the joint resolution of the House to adjourn until the 27th was then considered, and after being so amended as to read "that when the Legislature adjourns to morrow (to-day) it will do so to meet on Tuesday, February 07" it are not of 17 meres to 14 public buildings, &c., should be Amerrican manufacture, was agreed to. An evening session for speech making was held but no business was done. Adjourned.

sons, elected to the Senate by the Legisla-ture of Alabama, were presented and laid on SATURDAY, Feb. 17. SENATE .- A bill to prevent the fraudulent and illegal use of the mails was presen-ted and referred. It is intended to check the practice of mailing handbills or circu-lars to induce people to invest their money in gift enterprises or lotteries. Postmasters are authorized not to deliver such letters to privileges and immunities of citizens of the address when they are satisfied that it is fictitious, but to send all such to the dead-letter office, that they may be returned to the writers. A petition was presented by citizens of Virginia, asking for a territorial government to be established there. The bill to grant the benefits of the pension law

MONDAY, Feb. 20.

KYE-Average yield per acre in 1864, sta-<br/>ted in bushels, 141. Average price per<br/>bushel on first of January, 1865, 1 70 1-6.<br/>Average yield per acre in 1865, stated in<br/>bushels, 131. Average price per bushel on<br/>first of January, 1866, 1 37 2 3.Wade presented the resolution of the Ohio<br/>Legislature against the assumption of the Ohio<br/>twar debts of the several States by the Gen-<br/>errl Government. Mr. Summer presented<br/>a debts of the colored delegates who<br/>recently waited upon the President, protes-<br/>ting against the constitutional amendment<br/>relative to representation. A netition fromwas presented. An historical painting of<br/>the battle of Gettysburg is to be prepared.<br/>An act has been introduced to further ex-<br/>errl Government. Mr. Summer presented<br/>against the constitutional amendment<br/>relative to representation. A netition from

HOUSE.

SENATE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 16.

SENATE.

Petitions for and against Sunday travel handed in. A petition from the Orphans' Home at Germantown for an appropriation was received. Petitions against the Lom-

27," it passed by a vote of 17 years to 14 pays. [This was also concurred in by the

Adjourned.

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WEDNESDAY, Feb. 14. SENATE.

# Cash Payment Commenced—Rebel Claims for Land Bonaty—Interview with John Ross—Contraction of the Currency Move—Yearly Internal Rev-enue Receipts—Army Officers Dissat-isfied—The New Minister to Mexico— Photographers Delegation in Wash-ington. Remonstrances were presented against extending the privileges of the Lombard and South street Railway Company. Peti-

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—The Tribune's pecial says: Treasurer Spinner, yesterday, ommenced paying, in cash, all war and navy warrants amounting to \$10,000, and under. tions and remonstrances in regard to Sun-day travel were laid before the House, and and all Quartermasters and other disburs ing officers checks under \$5,000. All sum day travel were laid before the House, and referred. The bill to amend the revenue law of the State, which relieves real estate from taxation except the half-mill tax, was passed. Resolutions remonstrating against the action of Congress in taxing crude pe-troleum were laid over. The bill appropri-ating half a million dollars for the benefit of the citizans of Chambersburg was passed. Adjourned. ing officers checks under \$5,000. All sums amounting to more than the sums mention-ed, will be paid one half in eash and one half in certificates of indebtedness, in ac-cordance with a recent regulation of the Treasury. As only about one-third as many certificates are being issued as formerly, the Treasurer is induced to believe that those now in the market will soon come up to par value

FROM WASHINGTON.

Major General Terry is expected in Wash-The eight bour labor law was made the special order for Wednesday next. The act incorporating the Shenango Valley Railroad was passed. Adjourned. ington to-day in answer to a summons from the Reconstruction Committee. Judge Barrett, Commissioner of the Pen-

duge Barrett, Commissioner of the Pen-sion Bureau, yesterday decided relative to the claims of an ex-rebel soldier for land bounty, on the ground that he had rendered military service to the government in the war of 1812, that by his participation in the war against the Union he had forfeited his tild to an even the formation of the formation SENATE. On Thursday, numerous petitions were received for Sunday railway travel. Also, one from the Corn Exchange and others, asking for a change in the flour inspection laws. One of the petitions for Sunday travel was signed by 6500 citizent of Philadelphia, mostly Correspondent The resolution to adjourn title to any awards for services prior to the

John Ross, whose claims to the chieftain-ship of the Cherokees was ignored by the Commission recently sent out to form trea-ties with the hostile Indian tribes, yesterday held a long interview with President John-son. Ross is represented by the members of the Commission as possessing great wealth and living in a style of elegance unsurpassed by his more enlightened eastern brethren. His visit in Washington is believed to be for the purpose of securing his recognition by the government as Chief of the Chero-kees. John Ross, whose claims to the chieftain mostly Germans. The resolution to adjourn from the 16th to the 27th was agreed to. Wien Forney, Esq., was re-elected State Librarian. A number of bills of a private Librarian. A number of bills of a private character were passed. At the evening ses-sion a bill appropriating \$10,000 for the im-provement of the navigation of the upper Delaware river was passed. Also, an act extending until January next the time for preparing a plan of the harbor of Philadel-phia, and imposing a penalty for extending wharves into tidewater without a license. Adjourned

kees. The World's special says: The House Committee on Banking will report in favor of adopting some policy whereby the Nation-al Banks will be compelled to exchange the present system of allowing said banks to hold interest bearing legel tender notes for the redemption of their liabilities. This course will compel the National Banks to surrender the interest hearing legal tender The House of Representatives passed the The Honse of Representatives passed the bill relative to marriages. Also an act allow-ing claims for horses, wagons, forage and personal property injured or destroyed by our militia forces, to be presented and paid within one year. Mr. Josepha saked leave to introduce a bill providing that the ques-tion of Sunday car travel shall be submitted to the nearboard the October election but surrender the interest bearing legal tender notes and substitue legal tenders. This will be the first move towards a contraction to the people at the October election, but the House refused to suspend the rule. Adof the currency. The World's special says the Ways and

Means Committee have divided up the vari-ous matters connected with the Tax Comous matters connected with the lax Com-misioners' report to the sub-committees, who are holding daily sessions and examin-ing into the matter referred to the respec-tive Committees. It will be some time be-fore the sub-committees will be ready to re-port to the Committee. The *Chiloraci* sense a private dis-

The *Tribune's* special says a private dis-patch in Washington from a prominent member of the Connecticut Union State Convention states that a resolution recom mending the early admission of Tennesse was voted down in the Committee on res

House, viz: to adjourn from February 16 to 26.] Wien Forney was re-elected State. librarian. The bill allowing commissioners clerks to administer oaths was passed. Intions. The Tribune this morning publishes tables from the report of the Commissioner of In-ternal Revenue, which show that the receipts of internal revenue for the year ending June Also, the one to incorporate the Pottstown Iron Company, and another authorizing 30, 1865, were \$211,129,529,17, of which the amount collected by the Collectors and Assessors was \$183,112,804,69. The ex-pense of collecting this sum was \$4,769,-cce 21 counties, cities and boroughs to settle and compromise claims and suits arising out of their subscription to railroad stock. A bill was called up and passed allowing the Union Canal Company to sell their branch canal

66,31. The *Times*' special says there is much The Times' special says there is much dissatisfaction expressed among army offi-cers, who have served with distinction in the war, that the military bill, as last repor-ted to the Senate, makes no provision for the promotion of any of the officers who sprang from or served with volunteers. Vig-orous efforts will be made to secure this fea-ture in the recommination of the army the message. BANCROFT'S ORATION. BANCROFT'S ORATION. BANCROFT'S ORATION. Dratio on the occasion of the rami error of the number of the powers of infantry, cadets, etc. The five regiments of artillery, twelve of cavalry, fifty of infantry, cadets, etc. The five regiments of artillery is the bill allowing expected to regiments of artillery is the battalions of the first, second, third and figures and elect the songanized, taking the present first ten as organized, taking the present first ten be own while regiments of colored troops. Six new and railroad northeast of and including the ture in the reorganization of the army. Hon. L. D. Campbell, recently appointed Minister to Mexico, arrieved in Washington yesterday, and had an interview with the He visits Washington upon Ohio in a few days, there to remain until the Sen-ate shall have acted upon his nomination as Minister to the Mexican Republic.

J. R. HURBORROW......JOHN LU DUBBOBBOW & LUEZ, JOHN LUTZ U.S. ARMY CLAIM AGENCY BOUNTY, BACK PAY, PENSIONS, and other Claims against the Govern BOUNTY AND BACK PAY.

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A. L. CURTIS, Esq., San Antonia, Nevada.

2d. Widows of officers, soldiers, or seamen, dy-ing of wounds received or of disease contracted in the military or naval service as above. 3d. Children under sixteen years of age, of such deceased persons, if their be no widow surviving, or from the time of the widow's second marriage. 4th. Mothers (who have no husband living) of officers, soldiers, or seamen, deceased as horseaid, provided the latter have left neither widow nor children ander sixteen years of age; and provided also, that the mother was dependent, wholly or in part, upon the deceased for support. 5th. Sisters under sixteen years of age of such deceased persons, dependent on the latter, wholly or in part, for support; provided there are no right-ful claimants of either of the last preceding classes. Hon. JOSEPH CASEY, Justice U. S. Court Hon. JOSEPH CASEY, Justice U. S. Court of Claims, Washington, D. C.
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Major General JOHN W. GEARY, U. S. A.
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dence, in Colerain township, on

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A Estate of William Stoner, late of Monroe township, deceased. Letters of Administration having been granted to the undersigned, by the Register of Bedford county, on said estate, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate pay-ment, and those having claims against the same must present them properly authenticated for said

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JOB WORK executed CHEAP . in PLAN and FANDY colors at the "Inquirer Office'

Administratrix.

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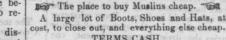
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tric eloquence, to the delineation of the im-mortal principles of human liberty and the enforcement of the universal obligations of the acknowledgment of human rights.

### KOONTZ AND COFFROTH.

The House of Representatives on Monday last took up the contested election case from the this Congressional District and adopted the majority report giving Coffroth the seat and leaving Koonts to contest. This result has been generally anticipated, as it is hardly pretended to be a decision on the merits of call the previous question. The new States of West Virginia and Nevada were directed to be represented by means of their escutwith the pasage of the constitutional a-

mendment at the last session.

The pressure of business, consequent upon two successive weeks of court, must be our excuse for the lack of our usual quantity of editorial matter in the last and present week's issue.

# Monthly Report of the Department of Agriculture.

WEDNESDAY February 14. SENATE. — A petition from the represen-tatives elect from Tennessee, asking that the present State government may be recognized &c., was presented. Also several petitions for the abolition of distinction in civil rights on account of color. The women of New England petitioned for the elective franchise. The prenoved awardment to the Constitu-We are indebted to Commissioner Newton for this exceedingly interesting report of the Department of Agriculture, for Jan-England petitioned for the elective franchise. The proposed amendment to the Constitu-tion relative to representation was taken up Mr. Henderson continued his speech com-menced on Tuesday. Mr. Clark also spoke on the subject. Mr. Ramsey introduced a bill appropriating \$20,000 to be expended for the survey of the upper Mississippi river from the Falls of St. Anthony to the Rock Island Rapids, and \$5000 for the survey of the Minnesota river to the month of the uary, 1866. The report regards the greatly decreased importation of foreign wool in 1865, 22,541,674 pounds, as a gratifying decrease, for it shows the progress that is making in supplying the demands of the country in a commodity so essential to its wants and comfort. But the increased import of woolen goods, being in value \$4, 632,629, shows that there is still a demand upon both the grower and manufacturer of wool which they should meet, and which they work that the average to be port of woolen goods, being in value \$4,-

they ought under the present tariff duties. memorial asking for an appropriation of \$200,000, to remove rocks in the harbor of We import nearly a million dollars' worth \$200,000, to remove rocks in the harbor of that city. A resolution authorizing the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy to grant to the city of New York ves-sels of hulks, for quarantine purposes, was passed. A bill to establish a National Bureau of Education was introduced, and referred to a Select Committee of seven. The Committee on Ways and Means was instructed to inquire into the exnedience of of cigars; these, we suppose, are mostly of the best Havana; but if, as is alleged by the cigar manufacturer, this is occasioned by the internal tax being greater than the duty of foreign articles, such an inequality, the report suggests, should not be permit-

structed to inquire into the expediency of aduating the tax on tobacco. The Com-The report embraces a number of tables graduating the tax on tobacco. The Com-mittee on Post offices reported a resolution exhibiting the yield per acre of the leading appointing a commission to select a site for a post office building in New York city. Afcrops of 1864 and 1865, and their prices on a post office building in New York city. Af-ter some discussion the resolution was passed A bill authorizing the Postmaster General, when the public service shall require and until the 30th of June, 1868, to deposit pos-tage stamps with such persons as he may select for sale and circulation, under the in-structions of the Postmaster General, com-mension and screeding five per com-to be the first day of January, 1865 and 1866. The comparison shows a favorable yield in 1865, but a great falling off in prices during the fall and winter of 1865. This decline is severely felt by the farmers, because the scarcity of labor made the production of the crop of 1865 very costly. Add to this the structions of the rostmaster oreneral, com-pensation not exceeding five per cent to be allowed, was reported and caused a lengthy debate, but no final action was taken. The Michigan contested election case was taken up, and the resolution confirming Mr. Trow-bridge in the possession of his ceat was adop-ted. The Bankrupt bill was then discussed in the the adjournment continued high rates of everything they buy, and there is cause for the complaints that reach the department. We quote from the table, showing the average yield per acre and the average prices of the principal up to the adjournm crops of the loyal Atlantic States for 1864

and 1865, confirming our attention to our own State:

WHEAT-Average yield per acre in 1864. stated in bushels, 12. Average price per bushel on first of January, 1865, 2 40. Average yield per acre in 1865, stated in bushels, 12, 1-5. Average price per bushel on first of January, 1869, 2 05 2 3.

onclusion was arrived at and the Senate ad-objection was make, to introduce a proposi-objection was make, to introduce a proposi-tion for an amendment to the Constitution, that no one who has held a civil or military

HOUSE.—A preamble and resolutions were presented affirming the Monroe doctrine, deenonneing the action of France in setting up an empire in Mexico, and calling upon the President to solicit the assistance of all the republics in the continent for the pur-pose of enforcing the spirit of the resolution. It was referred to the Committee on Foreign position under the rebel government shall be eligible to oHce under the United States Government, Adjourned. SENATE. - A memorial from colored men of Florida was presented, asking a remedy for the refusal of landholders to lease lands to them. Petitions for the enactment of an international copyright law, for a reduction international copyright law, for a reduction of the tax on petroleum and agricultural im-plements were presented. A bill to increase the capital of the national banks twenty-one million dollars to provide circulation for the Pacific States and Territories, was present-ed. A joint resolution to disband the mili-tary forces of the rebellious States was pre-sented by Mr. Wilson. He read letters from Generals Thomas, Swayne, Hartsuff and others, in charge of the freedmen in the Gulf States, which represented that there was danger of the "extinction of the to be represented by means of their escut-cheons on the glass panels in the ceiling. A resolution was offered that James M. Johnson, claiming to be elected a Represen-

tative from Arkansas, be admitted to the floor of the House, on which a long debate ensued. The resolution was finally laid on the table. The Baldwin Trowbridge contes-ted election case was discussed. Adjourned.

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the order States, which represented that there was danger of the "extinction of the negro race and the expulsion of Northern men, if the militia should not be superseded by United States forces. The representa-tion amendment was debated. A mes age from the President, vetoing the freeemen's bureau bill, was received. It was mored to bureau bill, was received. It was moved to reconsider the bill, and an order was made that it be taken up at one o'clock to-day.

HOUSE.—Bills were presented to pa pounties to the soldiers of 1861 and 1862 bounties to the soldiers of 1861 and 1862, equal to the highest bounties of 1863 and 1864; making eight hours a legal day's work for all workmen employed by the United States Government, and to repeal acts exempting United States bonds from taxation. Joint resolutions were introdu-ced to amend the Constitution of the Uni-ted States so as to exclude from all offices of the Government those who have or who may hereafter engage in rebellion or conspinay hereafter engage in rebellion or conspi may hereafter engage in rebellion or conspi-racy against the Government, and another declaring that the loyal States, or those who resisted rebellion, are sufficient to adopt amendments to the Constitution. They were referred. Mr. Longyear, of Michigan, offered a series of resolutions, declaring that the organized rebellion and the results of the war had left the people of tha South without all civil government

the results of the war had left the people of tha South without all civil government, hence it became the duty of Congress to authorize the people to erect State govern-ments, and, in the language of the Consti-tion, to guarantee to each State a republican form of government; and expressing as the deliberate sense of the House that the Pres-ident is justified in keeping an army in the rebel States, and is entitled to the thanks of Congress for protecting the lowel eliticon Congress for protecting the loyal citizens and freedmen; which were all adopted. The Pennsylvania contested election case was taken up, and a resolution declaring Mr. offroth entitled to the seat was passed Adjourned.

### THE LEGISLATURE.

TUESDAY, Feb. 13. SENATE. Petitions for and remonstrances against Sunday travel were presented, and a num-ber of private bills were variously acted on.

THURSDAY, February 15. SENATE. —Mr. Brown introduced a bill to appropriate \$6,775,000 to reimburse the State of Missouri for moneys expended to aid in the suppression of the rebelion. Mr. Pomeroy, a bill to revive and extend the provisions of and act granting the right of way, &c., to Arkansas and Missouri for the construction of a railroad from the mouth of the Ohio river to the Taxas boundary. Mr. Tentions for and reinformation and a num-ber of private bills were variously acted on. Adjourned. HOUSE. A bill prohibiting the selling of meat and farm produce from stalls or wagons within certain portions of the city, was presented. A bill providing for an inspector of gas me-ters; and one for the protection of miners,

Public bills were discussed, and an act relative to marriages discussed and passed. The first section authorizes aldermen, justices of the peace, clergymen, mayors, recor

ces of the peace, ciergymen, mayors, recor-ders and persons authorized by religious societies to perform the ceremony, and im-poses a fine of five hundred dollars on all other persons officiating. The second re-quires a certificate, attested by two witness-es, to be issued. The third imposes a pen-alty for macroing persons of uncound mind alty for marrying persons of unsound mind, minors, or those who are intoxicated. Affi davits that the applicants are over the age of twenty-one may be required by the per of twenty-one may be required by the per-son officiating, or the written consent of parents or guardians. The fourth provides that no marriage which has been consumma-ted shall be deemed invalid. Au act allow-ing claims for the payment of personal prop-erty injured by the State militia to be pre-sented and paid within one year was passed.

A long petition in favor of Sunday cars was presented by the unanimous consent of the unanimous consent of the House. The bill incorporating the New York and California Vinyard Company was reconsidered and passed. A bill providing that the question of Sunday travel be submitted to the polls at the October election was not allowed to be presented. An act allowing flour to be shipped to foreign ports without inspection was brought up, pending the discussion of which the House adjourned.

SATURDAY, Feb. 17.

### SENATE. Remonstrances against the Lombard and

South streets railway supplement were read Also, one against Sunday-car travel. A letter was read from Plymouth, Montgomery county, calling attention to the existence and spread of the cattle pleague in that county. It seems that the disease first county. It seems that the disease mass made its appearance in the spring of 1865, and since then has been steadily on the in-crease. A large number of cattle have died, and most of the meat has been sold. A considerable quantity of it too has been brough to this city and sold in our markets. A

to this city and sold in our markets. A special committee was appointed and the subject referred. A bill was read authoriz-ing the Southwark Passenger Railway Com-pany to extend their track from Washington street north along Swan and Penn street, and Delaware avenue to Dock, thence along Dock to Front, and along Front to Wash-ington. A supplement to the act defining the boundary between Philadelphia and Montgomery county was read. Adjourned Montgomery county was read. Adjourned until February 27th.

The race between the naval steamers Al-gonquin and Winooski has terminated with the arrival of the latter ship. It is probable that there will be much dispute on the mer-its of the trial. The Winooski is 974 tons, old measurement, 650, new-a paddle-wheel, mounting 10 guns. The Algonquin is precise ly similar. Their trial was expected to set-tle some points in Mr. Isherwood's theories of marine engines, represented in the Algor

The Liberty County (Mo.) Bank was rob-ed of \$72,000 on the 13th. The robbers rere bushwackers, and committed the rotwere bu bery by force.

The Indiana State Soldiers' Association was organized at Indianapolis on the 15th, and General N. Kimball was chosen President.

The Fenians are holding meetings in Ten-

A delegation of leading photogrophers in the United States, are in Washington, ask-ing to be relieved from the payment of any luties on their products, in stamps, and to be permitted to pay per centage on monthly sales each month. The Committee on Ways sales each month sales each month. The Committee on Wi and Means gave them a hearing yesterd: Among the delegation are M. B. Brady, Gurney and C. D. Fredericks, of New Yo and Allen Gardner of Washington.

The schooner J. H. Cator, of Norfolk, was wrecked on Hatteras on Saturday Feb. 10th, and the captain and crew (eight in number) were lost.

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