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We will print some interesting mat-ter about the Washington Centennial on our outside pages next week.

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 1889.

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Oklahoma, the one-time land of promise, has turned out to be a land of sand-storms, stagnant water, and smallpox. What disappointed hopes have failed to accomplish towards depopulating the recently populated territory disease will likely complete, if recent reports from its mushroom cities are verified

The Pennsylvania Legislature attended the Celebration in New York on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, and the people paid the expense, which is said to be \$1000 a day. This is simply legalized robbery. If members of the legislature want to go on a pleasure trip they have a perfect right to do so, but they ought not to compel the state to foot the bills. It is well enough to be patrioute, and very carry learning to the received of the state to foot the bills. It is well enough to be patrioute, and very carry learning to the salve means to make the President's health has not been better in twenty years than it is now. This story is gotten up for out-of-town consumption; it will not pass here to the consumption to continues to pound with dyspepsia, and Sulphar Bitters is the only medicine that will care him. is well enough to be patriotic, and very easy too, when some one else pays for away at the silver question, but he has

A terrible railroad accident occurred on Sanday on the Grand Trunk Railway near Hamilton, Ontario, by which twenty lives were lost. The train was composed of an engine, two baggage cars, a smoker, three coaches, a Pull-

man car and two sleepers.

The accident occurred at the junction, where a "Y" is built. This "Y" is used to switch through trains for Toronto on to the Toronto branch from

The train is said to have been running at the rate of forty miles an hour or more. When directly on passing the switch the engine jumped the track fide settlers arrived. and planged into a water-tank which stood in a space between the "Y", sma-hing the tank into atoms and turning the engine upside down.

The baggage cars came directly after two were soon in flames.

ception of the two Wagner cars in the rear of the train, were huddled tog-ther by the shock, and soon caught fire from the baggage cars. The passengers on the train, numbering over that Warner's Safe Cure cause consider the work of the train over the control of the train over the control of 150, many of whom were asleep, at the time, had a terrible experience. Large slivers of iron and wood flew in all directions, and the confusion among the pass-ngers can better be imagined than described.

The majority of those aboard the train were enabled to get out of the coaches before the fire reached them, but in the confusion which reigned it is not known how many victims were left to the mercy of the flames, pinned in by the material of the wreck and

a vestige of wood or anything that would burn left. One car, the bag gage was demoralized, and the engine was the most complete wreck imagina-

take part in the Centennial festivities. Among them was a part of the Detriot Light infantry, but none of them were injured, with the exception of one who got a slight cut over his eye.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington, April 29, 1889 some interesting reading on that President Harrison has refused to extend the time for the Railway Mail Service to pass under the rules of the Civil Service Commission. Consequertly no appointment can be made in that branch of the government service after May first, except through the Civil Service Commission. This action was taken in opposition to the wishes of Postmaster General Wanamaker, who has asked to have the time extended.

The President and the rest of the administration with its wives, daughters, sons, cousins, and aunts, to say nothing of the grandchildren, left here on a special train (furnished them free)

or a special train (furnished them free) shortly after 1 o'clock this morning en route to New York to take part in the Centencial celebration of George Washington's inauguration. The office seekers and Congressmen disappeared with the appointing powers, but most of them will probably be back by the last of the week.

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The most thoroughly disappointed man in the United States—Billy Ma hone, of Virginia—had quite a long interview with the President on Saturday, and it is said that he made a most piteous appeal for recognition of some sort. He is no longer choice about what he gets. He started out by de-manding a Cabinet position, but now he humbly asks to be allowed to name a few of the smaller Federal officials in Virginia, and it is by no means certain that even that privilege is to be al-

President Harrison as a lawyer must be familiar with the old English legal maxim which says "the receiver of stolen goods is as bad as the thief," but his action in cutting the acquain-tance of his old friend W. W. Dadley, who organized the doubtful voters of Indiana into "blocks of five", and stole the state, proves that he does not believe in the aforesaid maxim. It has been hinted around Washington for some time that President Harrison had refused to speak to Col. Dudley since the latter was unfortunate enough to get shown up in the "blocks of five" business. Could it be because the President disapproves of such crooked-ness? Why, Dudley has been one of his crookedest and ablest lieutenants nis crookedest and ablest lieutenants for Lo these many years, sud it was for just such work that he, by special request, had Dudley treasurer of the Republican National Committee. Gen. Harrison did not seem to object to the crookedness then, on the contrary he accepted all the benefit therefrom. But when Col. Dudley was stupid enough to be caught, Gen. Harrison's virtue developed, and he resolved to have nothing more to do with such a very wicked man as Dudley. It is strange that every body eise should know of Col. Dudley's dark ways all these years and that the President should have been entirely ignorant.

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mored snubbing a certainity by giving out a letter which he wrote to a gentleman in Indiana, who had asked his influence in getting an office for which he was an applicant. The following paragraph from Dudley's letter tells the whole story:

"Perhaps there is no one in the whole country who had done as much

"Perhaps there is no one in the whole country who has done so much for General Harrtson during the last them and none was in sight behind. They had left a howling mob in our Democratic friends down in In-Guthrie baffled in its efforts to join in the flight of the state of the s dianapolis have started the bue and cry the flight. The uselessness of pro on me, brother Ben does not seem to ceeding to Guthrie was apparent, and feel that he can afford to recognize me as an acquaintance and consequently I dont take dinner at the White House with the laggard train.

Senator Stewart continues to pound not yet been able to persuade the administration to increase its monthly purchase of bullion. He still hopes to

Senators Sherman and Quay who have been saying uncomplimentary things about each other, have shaken hands and outwardly made up, but they have both doubtless made up their minds to get even with the other at the

first opportunity.

The General Land Office will investigate the charges that Government ofcials took advantage of their official positions for taking possession fradu-lently of choice town lots and home-steads in Oklahoma before the bona

DR T. HEMAN BREHMER, an emin-

ent German authority, says: 'Con-sumption is always due to deficient nu-The baggage cars came directly after the engine, and the first of these was pitched over the engine and thrown on the main track, leaving its wheels behind it. The other baggage car caught fi e from the engine and the two were soon in flames. order. This explains why the proprie-The coaches following, with the ex- tors of Warners Safe Cure claim that sumption. But the fact is that if your kidneys be cured and put in a bealthy condition they expel the uric said and poisonous waste matter, and prevent the irritation of the delicate substances of the lurgs, thereby removing the cause. When the effect is removed the symptom of kidney disease, which is called consumption disappears, and with it the irritation which caused it.

Two dead bodies, and the remains of fifteen others were taken from the ruins.

Seven cars including one baggage, two first class coaches, a smoker, a first-class day coach, and two Wagner sleepers were burned, there being not specified to the seven cars including one baggage, two first class coaches, a smoker, a first-class day coach, and two Wagner sleepers were burned, there being not specified to the seven cars including the seven cars inc

sleep-rs were burned, there being not a vestige of wood or anything that would burn left. One car, the bag Quaker city. This publication naturally created some excitement but publication The loss to the company will be enormous. Many of those in the train were on their way to New York to to put the knife into it and declared not half as much as an article in the that the nation's generosity had been imposed upon and abused, as about onefourth of all the pensions granted had

been fraudulently obtained. This is rather bold talk for a monopolistic journal to indulge in. In the next issue the Manufacturer ought to treat of the high tariff and its beneficiaries. It could doubtless present

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TERRIBLE PRIVATIONS AND SUFFERING AMONG THE SETTLERS.

Chaos reigns not only in Oklahoma, but in the entire tributary country The railroad is prostrated, communica-tions are entirely cut off. The West ern Union, with its crush of train dispatching, would not touch a message of another character in the Territory

neither the north or south-bound passenger trains, due, had been heard from. An hour of waiting passed, when a train of twenty cattle cars crept up from the South. The cars were locked, but upon the roofs, the buffers, amid the coal on the tender, on the pilot and the gangway of the locomotive and packed in upon the caboose was a dense and miser ble throng of men. The train from

as might be expected."

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absolute:
1. Second account of Samuel E. Smith. Trustee of the bequest of John E. Fowler, deceased to the Poor of Briarcreek Twp. Columbia Countr. Pa. Wm. H. SNYDER, Proth'r's office, April 8, 1889. Proth notary. A MEND MENT TO THE CONSTITUTION
A proposed to the citizens of this Common wealth
by the General Assembly of the Common wealth
of Pennsylvania, for their approval or rejection at
a special election to be held June is, 1888. Pul
lished by order of the Secretary of the Common
wealth, in pursuance of Article XVIII of the Constitution.
Joint resolution proposing an amendment to
the Constitution of this Common-wealth: the Constitution of this Commo-wealth:
Sacrino 1. Be it resolved by the Sena
House of Representatives of the Common
of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met,
the following amendment is proposed to the
stitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsy
in accordance with the Eighteenth Article 2

AMENDMENT.

The manufacture, sale, or keeping for sale of intoxicating liquor, to be used as a beverage, is hereby prohibited, and any violation of this prohibition shall be a misdesneanor, punishable as shall be provided by law.

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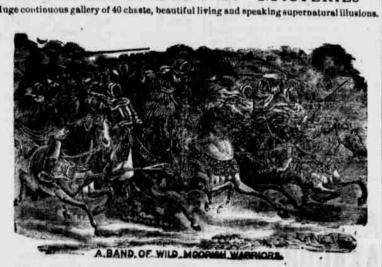
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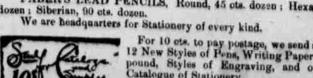
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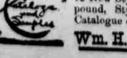
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