CAMBRIA FREEMAND. -- AUGUST 25, 1876.



Having learned from the brief announce-

spotless life. At the time of his death Mr.

of the U.S. House of Representatives at

ford county, this State, in the year 1827,

been discovered, emigrated, to the Oil creek

valley from Fraukstown, then in Hunting-

close of the last century, whither he was

accompanied by Mr. Jonathan Titns, after

whom the city of Titusville was subse-

white settlers in that region. The father

of the deceased was a surveyor by profes-

ion, and a man of shrewd sense, wit and

natural ability, but not for seeing enongh,

it would seem, to behold in the great fu-

ture the value of his own possessions, he

having sold in 1852 for \$9,560 a tract of

land which brought over \$250,000 after the

The subject of this sketch, Hon. M. C.

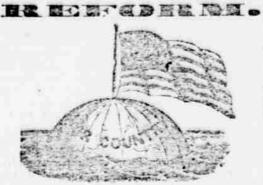
Kerr, received his education at the old

discovery of oil in that vicinity.

EBENSBURG, PA., Friday Morning, - August 25, 1876.

Democratic National Ticket. FOR PRESIDENT : SAMUEL J. TILDEN, of New York FOR VICE PRESIDENT : THOS. A. HENDRICKS, of Indiana. Democratic County Ticket.

STATE SENATOR : F. A. SHOEMAKER, Esq., Ebensburg. (Subject to District Conference.) ASSEMBLY: JOHN DOWNEY, Johnstown. JAMES J. THOMAS, Carroll Twp. SHERIFF : JOHN RYAN, Cambria Borongh. ASSOCIATE JUDGES : JOHN FLANAGAN, Stony Creek Twp. JOHN D. THOMAS, Ebensburg. POOR HOUSE DIRECTOR ISAAC N. WISSINGER, Blacklick Twp JURY COMMISSIONER : JOSEPH CRAMER, Allegheny Twp.



TILDEN, HENDRICKS, AND THE COUNTY TICKET!

The Annual Democratic County Meeting for Cambria will be held at the COURT HOUSE, Ebensburg,

On MONDAY EVENING, SEPT. 4th. Able speakers will be present. The people of all parties who desire a charge in the administration of the Government and wish Reform therein are requested to be in at-tendance and investigate for themselves. Let there be a grand ra'ly for Tilden and Hendricks, Reform and Good Times. By order of the Democratic Committee. L. D. WOODEUFF, Chairman.

SOME of our Republicau brethern do not approve of the remark of Governor Tilden. that when elected he will enter upon the duties of his position, "not as a holiday recreation, but very much in that spirit of consecration in which the soldiers enters for a couple of years, his wife still continubattle." To our mind this feeling of the importance of the work before him, of the enormity of the task which it is for him to accomplish, is one of the surest auguries It displays a just appreciation of the ob the dangers with which his path will be will require the expense of greater force ted in 1851, and from there removed to than most men possess. In addition to this impetus, depending upon its own inertia, every man whom the new President will find in office will have an interest in impeding his endeavous and pushing on the hidebus heap. Tilden has, however, shown his eminent ability to do just such work as will be necessary for its destruction, and we have no doubt about his success in whatever of the kind he undertakes. It cannot be done, however, by junketing about the country, and engaging in a series of varied pleasures and immoral rev chies, like Graat, who views his position as a personal gift for past services, and a Floyd county. In 1862 he was chosen re-thing intended only to yield him as much porter of the Supreme Court of Indiana, thing intended only to yield him as much sensuous gratification as possible. It will be hard work to uproot Grantism. Hayes could never accomplish it. He has neither the necessary strength of will nor capacity for the work. Tilden has ; but he knows that to the strongest man it will be a most arduous undertaking, and he will enter upon it in a proper and becoming spirit. -----On the day after the adjournment of Congress, with an indecent haste worthy of the present corrupt administration, Secretary of War Cameron issued an order to General Sherman commanding him to place firm in his principles without partisanship, troops at various points in several of the Southern States for the avowed parpose of protecting the negroes in the right of suffrage, but with no other object in view of Mississippi, South Carolina, Louisiana, and maybe Alabama. In issuing this infamous order the wily Secretary, who in this respect at least fully verifies the old adage of "like father, like son," has the House of Representatives in regard to the right of free suffrage at the South. Thpeople everywhere fail to see it in that light, and not only the Democratic and Independent, but many of the leading Republican papers of the country, denounce the infamy in no measured terms, as witness the following from the New York Post, a journal about whose Republican in the hearts of his admiring countrymen. orthodoxy there can be no question : The indecency of the President of the United States using his office and his authorty for the promotion of purely partisan ends is too manifest to need pointing out, and whether or not the President has willingly done this, he is worthy of blame for seeming to do it. * * * His order is unwise from the point of view of either patriotism or statesmanship, and there should be no other United States.

Death of Speaker Kerr.

The proclamation of President Grant, which is made public in the form of a letter ment in our last issue that Hon. Michael from Secretary Cameron to General Sher-C. Kerr, late Speaker of the national House man, means war upon the people of the South, or it has no meaning. If its inten-tion were only to protect the right of suf-frage, it would be merely objectionable of Representatives, was lying at the point of death at Rockbridge Alum Springs, W. upon principle; but taken in connection Va., our readers will be pained though not with the premise of the President to use surprised now to hear that the fears then "troops and money" in order to carry cerentertained have, unfortunately for the tain Southern States for the Republican country, proved only too true-that that party, it amounts to a menace against the liberties of our citizens, a threat to revolugreat and good man has been called from time to eternity, his death occurring at suntionize our system of government.

"Troops and Money."

It pretends to be based upon the preamdown on Saturday evening. For months ble and resolution recently passed by the House of Representatives, declaring that past the country has been prepared to hear these sad tidings, Mr. Kerr having long been a great sufferer from consumption of the bowels, which toward the end involved tain, condign and effectual punishment. these sad tidings, Mr. Kerr having long This is an entirely proper declaration, and the President and Secretary Cameron the lungs also, but the hope was still upper the most in the public mind that some change would do well to heed it when they begin for the better would take place in his phyto introduce soldiers into the South for the purpose of carrying the States of North Carolina, Mississippi and Louisiana, but sical condition and that this faithful and able statesmen would yet be spared, for it is only the declaration of a principle, and does not confer a particle of power upon a time at least, to the nation that so fittingly honored him and to whose service anybody. It is impossible to construe the he devoted the best years of a pure and resolution as an act of legislation.

The country believes that all attempts to prevent the free exercise of the right of Kerr was a member of Congress from the suffrage should be punished, and the res-olution was passed with the object of Third District of Indiana, which he was ! then representing for the fifth time in that bringing this belief to the attention of those whose duty it is to punish such ofbody, and was, as already stated, Speaker fenses. Whose duty, then, is it? Not of the U. S. House of Representatives at its recent session, being the first one hold-ing that high position who died while in State in which the offenses are committed. office. He was born near Titusville, Craw. That it is neither your duty nor your right to interfere in the matter has been declared by two practically unanimous decisions of and has a twin brother still residing in that the Supreme Court of the United States, county. His, father, Samuel Kerr, upon so plainly and unmistakably that no doubt whose farm the first oil is said to have can be raised concerning the principle and its application. "Certainly it will not be claimed," says the Court, adjudicating this very question of prevention of the right don but now in Blair county, towards the of suffrage, "that the United States have quently named-these two being the first of Representatives, recognizing this settlement, confined itself to the declaration of the principle, and did not attempt to do an unconstitutional act by conferring power to enforce it. That is left to the States, where alone it belongs. The Fiftcenth Amendment declares that the right of suffrage shall not be abridged by the United States or any State on account of color, etc. It is not claimed that either the United States or any States have attempted to abridge the right of suffrage on this account. Therefore there is no case to which the Fifteenth Amendment can possibly apply

Erie academy and spent several years in Messrs. Grant and Cameron may be prethat city, where at the age of nineteen he sumed to interpose another view of the case. Suppose, they may say, that the married a schoolmistress named Miss Coo-States are unable to provent offenses against the right of suffrage, or to punish ver, who was several years his senior. He soon after went west, where he remained such offenses, and that they call upon the United States for assistance? You had better overhaul the Constitution of your ing to reside in Erie, the fact of their marriage being kepta profound secret between

The Mollie Maguire Trials.

ASTOUNDING REVELATIONS BY A WITNESS.

POTTSVILLE, August 18 .- Quite a sensation was created to-day in the case of Commonwealth vs. Yellow Jack Donahoe and other Mollies, charged with a conspiracy to aid and abet the murder of Gomer James. The Commonwealth called Richard Condon, a brother-in-law of Patrick Collins, our County Commissioner. He testified that he went to Tamaqua on the 25th of August, 1875, the day of the convention at which it was determined to reward the murder of Gomer James, and

a committee was appointed to decide who was the murderer and entitled to the reward. Condon further testified that he went to Tamaqua at the request of one James Reilly, known as "Jimmy, the Bum," who is now the Bank Tax Collector of Schuylkill county, and a member of the Centennial Police, to which he was appointed by or through the influence of Governor Hartranft, Reilly complained to Condon that he had been expelled from the Molhes by Jack Kehoe, because Reilly had sold at the election the votes of a township, and that Reilly wanted the witness to assist him in getting reinstated in the order. They went to Tamaqua together and there

Condon saw McParlen (then known as Mc-Kenna), and tried through him to have Reilly reinstated, but was informed by McParlen that Reilly could not be reinstated at that time, because Slattery had been just expelled from the order at the instance of "Yellow Jack" Donohoe.

The testimony to day shows the abject terror in which this society was held in the Mahonoy Valley. It was shown that Mc-Parlen and Patrick Butler, one of the defendants, held their high court of investigation in the presence of a dozen or more persons, some of whom were, and some were not, members of the order, before which court Thomas Hurley appeared with witnesses, eager to prove that he was a murderer! Such a scene is not equaled in the history of the world. Such, however, was the terror inspired by this orthe power or are required to do mere police duty in the States." But this point is be-yond argument. It has been settied by the highest authority in the land. The House four hours after such disclosure. Samuel A. Garrett, Esq., opened for the defend ants but did not promise any testimony to materially change the facts as proved by the Commonwealth. After the opening the defense put Christopher Donnelly, one of the defendants, upon the stand, but his testimony was not concluded when Court adjourned.

John J. Slattery, already under bail for procuring parties to commit arson, was again arrested last night and put in jail upon the charge of being implicated in the conspiracy to murder Jesse Major and William Major. He was committed in default of bail.

ANOTHER MOLLIE CAGED. This morning officer John T. Heisler, of the Coal & Iron police, took a sholl towards Mt. Laffee, having in his pocket a warrant for the arrest of John Stanton. He saw Stanton and persuaded him, in regular Coal & Iron police style, to accountry, gentlemen, and remember that it company him down to 'Squire Reed's is now the law of the land. The provision office, where John was informed what he them. His friends were greatly astonished is plain and simple. Cut out section IV of was arrested for, and charged with, havat the end of that time to learn that he was article IV, and paste it in your hats. Then ing conspired with other Mollies to kill of the success with which we feel confident that his efforts are destined to be crowned. It displays a just appreciation of the oh to jail, providing he could not furbail, his astonishment was tain the dignity of an insurrection against very great. He wanted a hearing, but as beset, of the amount of persistent energy fortunate one. His wife, however, during slightest danger in any State of the Union. on account of no witnesses being present, State authority. Of this there is not the it was impossible to have it this morning. that it will be necessary to expend in the Lis absence in the west, had the misfortune If such a case of domestic violence were to it was postponed until to-morrow. Stanoccur, you could only interfere on the ap- ton then wanted to be let off until to mor plication of the Legislature of the State, or row, when he said he thought he could of the executive, when the Legislature furnish bail, but the 'Squire is not so green cannot be convened. The limit of your as John thought he was. He is the man mentioned in the evidence in the late trials there is not even an unconstitutional enact. as being one of the managers of the Mollie Magnire ball, held in the old Town Hall, to raise funds to defend Kelley and Doyle. Officer Heisler escorted him up to jail. REMARKABLE HORSEMANSHIP. - At the Berks county fair grounds at Reading, on Saturday, young Tony Espinosa, not yet whatever to use the army of the United fourteen years or age undertook and suc cessfully accomplished the feat of riding 25 in the exercise of the right to vote," nor miles in less than an hour's time. The boy for assisting in the punishment of any per- is a dark-skinned Mexican lad, tough, sons whatever. The possession of any such brave, healthy and determined. He wore power by the United States has been point. | blue knee breeches and fancy colored cap edly denied by the Supreme Court in the and white shirt, His father superintended Grant Parish case, where it was expressly the changing of horses, which was done at parties. Besides serving in the Legislature | declared that the "dnty of the Government | the end of every mile. The first mile was to afford protection is limited always by run in 2:14, the second in 2:09, the third in 2:15 and in about that time throughout, The proclamation (there is no other name | with few exceptions, the miles were run. As each mile was completed, one of the troupe would catch the horse as he crossed the score in full speed, and throw him back ers, and unauthorized by even the sem-blance of a law, intends to wage war against would jump off and in an instant would be certain States of the Union, for the purpose on the back of an other animal and gallopof upholding the supremacy of a political ing away. The sixth heat the horse boltparty. Secretary Cameron orders General ed from the track and ran down over the Sherman to do a manifestly illegal act, an rocks, but the boy mastered the animal act for which there is not the shadow of a and kept on his back. By this accident warrant in law. The act would be entirely three minutes were lost, However, the lad determined to make up for lost time estly intended for the protection of the and he rode swifter than before. Round right of suffrage ; as it is intended as a por- and round the course he went, fifty-two tion of the plan to carry certain States for times without stopping and as he came the Republican party by the use of "troops home the last time, he was received with and money," it becomes a conspiracy great applause when the judges announced that the 25 miles had been accomplished the rights of the people. President Grant in 581 minutes. The boy was obliged to ride around the course 52 times to make up just where they are, or they will be met the distance lost between the two stands, with such a storm of public indignation as as the start was made at the outcome, will make them think that a tornado has the track being short. The boy did not appear very tired. He was slightly perspired, and all the refreshments he took

News and Other Notings.

-- A New London man successfully grafted a sweet pear on to a sour apple tree. -The order of the Sisters of Charity now number over fifty thousand through-

out the world. -A terrible storm passed over western Missouri on Saturday. The damage is estimated at \$100,000.

-By the upsetting of a sail-boat on Cayuga Lake, on Sunday, James King, Patrick Garvey, and Jacob Lyke were drowned.

-Four boys were drowned on Sunday in the North river at New York, the boats in which they were rowing being run down by steamboats.

-Four colored persons attending a camp-meeting at Red Bank, N. J., were drowned by the overturning of a boat in Shursbury river on Sunday last.

-While examining a pistol, Miss Prosce, a young lady of Lewisburg, accidentally shot herself, the bullet lodging in her brain, and she will not recover.

-Ten thousand dollars for excavation and filling up in the garden of the White House. The work was done by two ne-groes and a boy in four days.

-A Holyoke boy, whose spine has been weakened by illness, runs on all fours like a dog. His health is good, and he hops over the ground at a lively rate.

-Governor Hendricks, it is stated, does not intend to remain silent during the canvass. After a short rest at his nome he will begin work and then-listen for thunder.

-Mr. George W. Childs, of the Phila delphia Ledger, at his own expense, is send ing all the boys in the House of Refuge at Philadelphia to see the centennial exhibition.

-A Pittsburgh man is raising wheat from seed that grew in Egypt 3,000 years ago. It came over with a mommy, and was for some time in the Smithsonian Institution.

--At Cullman, Ala., there is a colony of Germans, mostly from Ohio, and at the recent State election 134 out of the entire population of 152 voted the democratic ticket.

-The statue of Christopher Columbus to be erected on the centennial grounds has arrived from Italy and will be unveiled on the anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus.

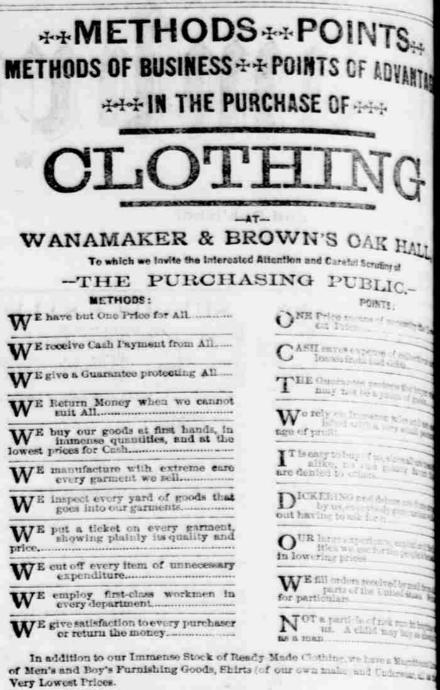
-The mother of Robert Gorrell, Esq., of Centralia, Schuylkill county, died a few days ago, at the advanced age of 102 years. Her father died at the age of 106 years and her mothor 107.

-The International dog-show at Philadelphia begins to assume form and feature. Over 460 entries have been made comprising some of the most celebrated canines on both sides of the water.

-Peter Bott, of West Manchester township, York county, is accredited with hav-ing threshed 87 bushels of wheat from 112, two balls in Robine, inflicting wounds from dozen sheaves, and that the grain weighed which he died in a few minutes. 67 pounds to the bushel.

-Sam. Camden, a negro, was taken from jail at Huntington, West Virginia, last Wednesday, and hanged. He was charged with an indecent assault on an eight year old white child.

-Mr. Beecher advises readers of newsrapers always to skip the editorials. The Baltimore Sun suggests that in Plymouth Church not only the preaching should be juries are considered dangerous. skipped, but also the practice.



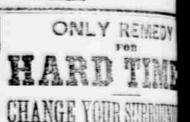
WANAMAKER & BROWN, OAE HALL, S. E. COR. SIXTH & MARKET STREETS. PHILADELPHIA

-James H. Light and T. A. Robine of Calhoun, Mo., got into a quarrel on Sun day in that town over some business mat ters. Robine struck Light several blows with a wheel spoke, felling him to the ground and injuring him seriously. While on the ground Light drew a pistol and put

price.

-A serious stabbing affair occurred at McClintock's tavern, in Newport, Perry county, on Saturday night. Dr. S. Whitmer being intoxicated, his wife was endeavoring to take him home, when he struck her several times. She called on a man named Burd to assist her. Whitmer drew a knife and cut Burd in the vicinity of the main artery in his neck. His in-

-Wiley McClish, a respectable old far--Nethaving any sea-serpent story handy | mer in Stewart county, Tenn., was recently the captain of a New London vessel reports | murdered by two negroes, his head out off being boarded at sea by Colorado beetles. and burned on one spot, while his body was They appeared in such overwhelming force carried to another. The object of the



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HON. GIDEON WELLES, who it will be remembered was the first Secretary of the Navy under President Lincoln, is out flat footed for Tilden, Hendricks and Reform. The election of Tilden and Hendricks will its duty to you, to the party and the coun-its duty to you, to the party and the coun-the national committee wakes up and does greatest addressed more and for the committee were that the states that two miners, James Martin and Berry Marcanes Martin and In speaking of Mr. Tilden's letter of accept-effect a saving of ONE HUNDRED MILLIONS try, defeat is certain in October. I never proposed movement is in every way com-effect a saving of ONE HUNDRED MILLIONS try, defeat is certain in October. I never mendable and feasible. It has been thought of Molly Machiner, were attact

template, although future developments stacles that will be thrown in his way, of showed that they were entirely groundless, of a mere riot or local disturbance, and at- nish \$5,000 the match proving in every respect a very prosecution of his work. The great mass to fall out of a window, receiving injuries of corruption which is now ro ling over the which greatly marred her personal beauty. country has, in its movement, acquired Mr. Kerr subsequently studied law in the such momentum that to stay its progress University of Louisville, where he gradua-New Albany, Ind., one year later. From this time until his death his highly honorable career is briefly traced in the following laws of the country is there the slightest which we clip from Monday's issue of the authority for the acts which Messrs. Grant Philadelphia Times :

> "Here (at New Albany) his talents and ability soon brought him into notice, and in 1855 he was elected to the Legislature of Indiana for two years. In this position he enhanced his reputation and popularity both by votes and speeches. His judgment was ind, and he had the courage to vote for the right, no matter what influence was brought to bear upon him from interested Mr. Kerr also acted at different periods as City Attorney, and Prosecuting Attorney of and edited with great ability and clearness five volumes of the reports of that body. In 1862 he made his appearance on a national platform, having been chosen to the Thirtyninth Congress, and was re-elected in 1866. 1868, 1870 and 1874. In Congress the career of Mr. Kerr was true to the principles which he professed. He opposed all illegal schemes for abstracting money from the national treasury, insisted upon public officers being held to a strict account, urged the discontinuance of needless office-holders, and recommended bringing the government back to the early rules of honesty and economy. Being an impressive speaker, and at all times fortified with facts, Mr. Kerr com-

> manded the attention of the House whenever he spoke. His record is that of an honest, upright and consistent Democrat, and no suspicion of venality or trickery ever attached to him during his long and eventful public career."

Mr. Kerr's wife and son, his secretaries, and Hon. S. S. Cox and wife, were with than to secure for Hayes the electoral vote him at the time of his death, which was as calm and peaceful as the setting of the glorious sun whose decliinig rays so fittingly typified the closing scene in the life of one whose loss will be deeply felt in all parts of the nation he served so long and impudence to assert that the proceeding is so well. On Monday his remains, after in accordance with the spirit of the resolu- being embalmed, were taken to New Altions recently passed by the Democratic bany, Ind., his late home, under an escort sion of the original draft of the letter and consisting of several officers and members after investigation and comparison with of the House of Repre entatives, and will this afternoon be consigned to th ir last cemetery, of which Church he was for many years an earnest and consistent member. Peace to his honored ashes, and long may his memory remain fresh and green

THE record of Samuel J. Tilden as Governor of New York, and of the Democratic fined, it is true, to a few counties, but for-House, are in full accord. Tilden in one midabie, and it will defeat General Harri saved \$15,000,000 to his State. The House this movement. The leaders of the inde-000 to the nation. But for the blind ad- must be lectured to, documents be placed point of view pessible to a President of the herence to extravagance by the profligate Republican Senate and the corrupt Executive, the reduction in national taxes would cial campaign and no money. and we are have been over \$65,000,006, or about one beaten. The national committee has done dollar and a half per head, per annum, for nothing for Indiana-alone they are fight-ing their battle and bravely, but unless

The domestic violence must pass the limit power is prescribed by this section, and ment, now in existence, giving you any other or further suthority.

Neither in the Constitution nor in the and Cameron propose to commit. The section above referred to gives no power States "for protecting all citizens * * * the power it possesses for that purpose. for it) of the President through Secretary Cameron therefore means that the United States, transcending its constitutional powimproper and indefensible if it were honagainst the sonstitution, an outrage upon and Secretary Cameron had better stop been let loose.-St. Louis Times.

A CAPTURED LETTER .- Old Killcaral y Lets the Hayes Cat Out of the Bag .- The ed to ride without an effort. Indianopolis Sentinel of Tuesday last contains the subjoined letter. It seems that Kilpatrick has been speaking at Republican meetings in Indiana, and in this letter gives his impressions of the cauvass in that State to Hayes. The Sentincl has possesthe editor is satisfied of its genuineness :

"GRAND HOTEL, INDIANAPOLIS, Autour of six counties in Indiana, and feeling that any reliable information from this state will interest you, I write. In the first place the canvass is well conducted, the people are enthusiastic and determined. and the old war spirit thoroughly aroused ; and if it were not for one thing we could rest certain of victory in October. There is an independent party in this state, conin their hands, that they may be convinced of their folly. A bloody shirt campaign with money and Indiana is safe ; a finan-

during the ride was a few swallows of water. He sits gracefully in the saddle and appear-

HOMES FOR THE HOMELESS. - At the national convention of the Irish Catholic Benevolent Union an emigration committee was appointed to care for the welfare of emigrants on their arrival in this country and to encourage emigration from the eastern portion of the United States to the Kilpatrick's signature on the hotel register, more desirable regions of the West and South. Under the auspices of the committee a colony of sixty families has been earthly resting place in the Presbyterian gust 21 .- Dear Sir : I have just finished a organized and transferred to homes in Minnesota. Since reaching the place of settlement forty more families have been added to the colony. These families had accumulated savings sufficent to pay their own expenses to Minnesota, with a considerable surplus capital for beginning the work of subduing the wilderness. The success of the colony has been very gratify-

ing. A movement was recently started in Philadelphia among the local branches of the Irish Catholic Union to organize a similar colony. Last Sunday a week delein its first session has saved nearly \$40,000,- pendents are poor, needy and in debt; they gates met from each association in the city to take formal action in the matter. A special committee was appointed to consider the subject and make suggestions. At a second meeting of the delegates, yesterday, the committee reported progress made during the week. Information had been obtained, as far as possible, concern-ing the localities in the West offering the six inches long. every inhabitant of the United States. - the national conmittee wakes up and does greatest inducements for immigration. The

They appeared in such overwhelming force that the hatches had to be closed. -A swimming match took place at St.

Louis Saturday between Tom Satcliffe and distance was ten miles, and the winner's time was one hour forty four minutes.

-It is impossible to shame a Radical. Colfax and Orth, they are billed to stump Indiana for "the ticket," and no protest comes from the lips of "honest Hayes." -The Clarion Democrat says : Allio, of Washington township, who is between 101 and 102 years, raked forty dozens of oats in one day this harvest. She works and seven inches around his hips, out in the field every day and enjoys it." -W. J. Hemphill who forged his father's check for \$32,000, to cover losses in stock

has been errested at Erie and taken back to Philadelphia for trial.

Boston to Detroit via the Atlantic, St. Lawrence, and the lakes, in a skiff weighing 160 pounds. He made the trip in 109 days, having 14 days to spare.

-A wagon containing John Shoar, wife and child was struck by a train at Middletown, Conn., Saturday. The horses were feet. The man and woman received frightful wounds ; the child was unhurt.

-A railroad, with a soul, which set aside for its conductors \$300 a year, paying them the dividends in addition to salary, with the understanding that in time the stock should be transferred to them, found peculation dwindle almost to nothing on its trains

-The Milwankee News makes the point strong, It says : Talking about "reform That kind of "reform" has been on trial for several years.

-The Chicago Times expresses the opinion that under the present administion, the only way to secure the intimidation of Sitting Bull is to make an anti Hayes voter of him. In which impossibility a bayonet would be thrust under his nose quicker than a wink.

-A newly invented gong that is constructed to warn engineers when they have passed over any rail that is loosened at the indicating the fact to him, and enabling him to give information, is being tested on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

-A report reached Wheeling, W. Va., on Monday evening last that a schoolmistress was waylaid a few days since at Glen coe, Ohio, and outraged, after which the ruffians cut out her tongue and otherwise mutilated her person. There are nonames given, and no arrests as yet.

- The Warsaw Times says that one of Dr. Crawford's horses the other day opened his mouth and put his foot in it. Strange calk in his mouth, and, but for an accidental discovery, would have been ruined.

-The six Fenian prisoners who made their escape from the British penal colony in Western Australia, on board the American whaling ship Catalpa, arrived safely in New York on Saturday. They are the heroes of the hour and are nearly torn to pieces by the congratulations of their Irish countrymen.

-The Reading Eagle says that Henry Deliker, near Pikeville, Pike township, Berks county, while cradling oats captured a black snake measuring 4 feet 5 inches in length. Inside of that snake was another, a spotted snake, 2 feet 10 inches long, and in that snake were 20 young snakes, each

murder was money, but only ten cents was found on his person. The negroes stripped him of his clothes, hewever, and were Frank Prince, the latter winning. The afterward discovered and arrested by this means.

-His name is David Navarre, and he hails from Illinois. He has gone to the Notwithstanding the charges proven against Centennial, where he will be exhibited. His parents, who are both small people, accompanied him. This Western fat boy is fourteen years and five months old, and weighs 475 pounds. He is six feet seven inches tail, measures three feet and four inches across his shoulders, and six feet

-- The steamer Frisia, which arrived at New York on last Tuesday morning, rename, in Philadelphia in July last, to a ports that on the 17th inst., in latitude 48 degrees, 26 minutes, longitude 32 degrees, KIAND transactions, and afterward fled to Canada, | 6 minutes, it sighted a Spanish schooner in distress. Went on board and found her to be the Joaquina, from St. Domingo for -A venturesome Yankee has won a Havre. Took off Captain B. Palan, one wager of \$4,000 by making a voyage from sailor and one passenger. The rest of the crew, five in number, were reported to have died of starvation.

--At the chapel of St. Charles Borromeo's Seminary, Overbrook village, fifteen miles from the city, on the Pennsylvania Railcoad, Very Rev. Dr. James O'Conner was on Monday consecrated Bishop of killed and the occupants thrown twenty | Dibona and Vicar Apostolic of Nebraska. Archbishop Wood, of Phi'adelpha, assisted by Bishops O'Hara and Shanahan, of Scrauton, acted as consecrators. The new

Bishop is a brother of the first Bishop of Pittsburg, and was the first President of St. Michael's Theological Seminary, that city.

-At 11 o'clock on last Saturday night Isaac Dayton, John Fullan and John Hill, the murderers of Geo. Chislett, at Elmwood, N. J., on the 5th inst., were captured by Lieut. Everly, of Philadelphia, with two inside of the Republican party" reminds us offic ers, two miles from Muney, Lycoming of the man who bored a hole in the bottom county, Pa. Their whereabouts was made of his sinking boat to let the water out. known through a letter from Hill to his mother, who lives in Philadelphia. Officers started on Saturday and captured the felons at the house of an aunt of Fulian, at Muncy. The officers rushed into the bouse and captured them without trouble, it being a complete surprise.

-Two young men, Henry Smith, and 'Squire Hammond, who were in jail at Owentown, Owen county, Kentucky, for the murder of a highly respected citizen of Owen county, Robert Mardin, were taken from the jail about one o'clock on Saturday end, or in any way out of order, the goug morning last, by a masked band of forty men, and hung up to a tree near the town Very little excitement was manifested about the lynching-the citizens generally approving the lawless act. The young men were considered wild and reckless when under the influence of liquor, as was the case when they murdered Mr. Mardin,

-Col. Con. Maguire, who is now serving a sentence of six months in the St. Louis county jail for connection with whisky frauds, publishes a card in the Evening Dispatch of that city, correcting some statements recently made in public prints as it may appear, we are stating a literal fact. The horse actually caught his shoe closes as follows : When I again have the privilege of meeting my fellow citizens, which will be before the election, I shall have a little "vindicating" to do, and I may be able to show that some of our would-be Republican leaders, engaged now in preaching moral reform, ought to have striped suits on, and with their heads shaved be serving out a term in the Missouri penitentiary.

-A few days ago a Mrs. Corbit, of Ches ter, county, while washing, sat her three year old daughter in the yard and left her playing with a small dog. Shortly after the dog came to her, whined and looked toward the child. The mother gave one thought of the child and rushed into the yard, where she saw her little girl almost frightened to death. A black snake, near ly four feet long, was wound around the child's left leg. She gave one scream and

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an able mind-a statesman and a politician, who will give us an energetic and capable administration." He has little or no doubt day last re-nominated for Governor on the about Tilden's election.

my life felt so certain I was doing mendable and feasible. It has been thought of Molly Maguires on Monday afternoon. ked by a crowd caught the snake near the head, and al-PER YEAR in the Federal expenditures. my duty as in this contest ; and my desire best to provide money to enable families They were beaten with bludgeons, stabbed most strangled it, when it unwound itself for success, my dear sir, is my only excuse without means or employment to go West with knives and treated to showers of buifrom the child and lay on the ground, ap-Ex-Gov. E. D. MORGAN was on Wennes- for writing you. Your friend, in a body ; and, after pre-empting govern- lets. McCaffrey was killed outright and parently lifeless. The mother took up a ment land, found a colony, the embryo of Martin so terribly injured that he died in a snake almost to mince meat. The child, "J. KILPATRICK. hoe which lay near at hand, and cut the first ballot by the New York Republicans. "To R. B. Hayes, Governor," &c. on examination, was not the least injured.