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With this issue the Centre Reporter not rung for his funeral, nor the salutes enters its ninth volume. When we look fired in honor over his grave-it was the back and see our commencement with a glad shout of 40 million of Freemen who list of 175 names, now swelled near un- in one century after his attempted ty to 1200, we flatter ourselves that we ranny and enslavement of their three have published a paper that met the wants and desires of the citizens of Centre. Our list has steadily increased from the first issue of the Reporter to enlightened and powerful nation upon the present writing-without offering the globe. For this Chromos, gifts, or sending out canvassers. We offered the Reporter upon its merits alone, and we are glad that it finds appreciation in so many families Thankful for the friendship and good will shown us on many sides, which we have striven to merit, we promise that in the future our efforts shall be to sustain the reputation of the Reporter as the advocate of truth, honest men, and true democratic principles, trusting to retain all our old friends, and welcoming all new ones.

ty-nine.
May Freedom spread from pole to pole Gov. Hartranft has granted pardons to Parks and several of the miners convic ed with him in Clearfield county. That Europe, Asia and Afric's folk, Is free from all oppression's yoke, And Geogethe Third "unhonored

Instead of making the taxing church-property an issue, as he reco mends in his message and to help in his third term aspirations, could Grant no as well have tacked on it whether the tax on whiskey shall be honestly collected or not.

Grant should first see that the whiskey tax is faithfully collected before he proposes to collect taxes off of churchproperty. What guarantee does he give that he will not allow his agents, th Babcocks, Averys, Joyces and M'Donalds to steal the church tax as they did the whiskey tax?

They have already scorched the White House, and if the prosecuting attorneys use all the evidence that will be brought to them in the Babcock trial they'l play hell with every man in the Executive Mansion.—John A. Joyce, Missouri Peni

that we're all alive and kicking and in-Joyce having been a white-house pet. tend to ring and shoot and celebrate and he ought to be booked as to what will go on just one whole year, and invite play lich with every man in the executive them over to see our big show-admis mansion. The whiskey thieves have sion 50 cents. While they can report been traced right into the white-house only one sovereign, we can report 40 already, and the man next to Grant himmillions, and have room enough for 200 self has been nabbed. The goose having million more, and that, taken altogether hung allitudulum, as Babcock tele- we are quite a big thing on ice and graphed to St. Louisafter his ride with the know a thing or two and know how to President, it may possibly "play lich with make our mark. Johnny Bull may at every man in the Executive Mansion tend our big centennialbration and go to if "not a guilty man is to escape." The amount of business and number

of cases disposed of in the Clinton coun ty court, last week, should be gratifying to the litigants as well as beneficial to the tax payers of our neighboring county. Judges Mayer and Orvis kept two courts in session, whenever the engagements of attorneys could be so arranged to suit. And we understand that it is the desire and intention of the Judges to continue holding double courts until the business now on hand shall have been disposed of. The last cases reached had been of three years standing, which is entirely too long, when the litigants are ready at any time, and anxious to have their cases disposed of in the shortest time possible. When cases are delayed

vent his nomination, and failing in that regulating such little matters as curren- long time to describe the various sins of House at seven and a half o'clock on Moncarried their opposition to the ballots cy, national debt, resumption, and the Grant, even if he only mentioned them day evening. Seventy-four members were box and attempted his defeat there. We management of public highways. When in groups; and it would have taken present with Jos. S. Lusk Chairman. are glad that at least a few of these few the Eastern daily papers reached here Grant a very long time to make such a democrats who opposed Mr. Mackey's with the pretentious proceedings, our confession as is required from penitents. election are now seeing their evor and citizens were surprised to learn that such But even if the meeting had lasted are coming to his right hand. We trust an important body had come, deliberathrough the whole of Sunday night and

demonstra who opposed Mr. Mackeys is settle, the pretentions proceedings, or clothes are shoot, your annual that thirt motives are hoose, your annual that the "winto store and the control of the con

THE CENTENNIAL YEAR. All the big and little bells of Centr

independent, the happiest, freest, me

Of revolution's fathers sired,
To keep Columbia Free and True,
That posterity may ring in Centenni

Until its echo reach o'er eagle's soar.
And all the belis ding-dong.
Our patriot sires would stand no wron;
Let 1876 our Centennial Sabbath be.
Now one hundred years we have be-

Then ring aloud, fire along the line From January first to December Twen

And the tyrant's doom from every tower toll,

While a universe reveres our own

great Washington.
Hail Columbia, happy land,"
In 1876 a migthty band!

Forty millions now from three.— View the acorn-now the stately t As Liberty's blossoms full it bears,

Good fruit with all oppressed on

Now we have no patent on the abov

poetry; and further, we disclaim any

hing of a personal nature between

eorge the Third or John Bull and the

Reporter. The little unpleasantness of

776, has passed over and Uncle Sam

gets along so finely since having set up

for himself that none of his boys feels

Now let all cannon roar,

The bells were rung. And cannon fired, By patriots inspired,

unsung"

shares.

NOMINIOUS DEVICES TO GAIN AN HONORA Hall joined in ringing in the Centennial year, and made splendid music to the patriot's ear. The ding-donging of bells How Spencer Obtained His Seat in on New Year eve was enough to disturb George the Third in his tomb, and recall to his recollection tea-parties and stamp acts; and the salutes from cannon, anvils

and smaller fire-arms, that joined the with spectators. glad songs of the bells from Maine to the gulf and from New York to 'Frisco were enough to give that long departed mor arch the Bunker Hill nightmare, with the surrender of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown for a side-show. But why let uch sounds disturb him? the bells were nillions of ancestors, find themselve the possessors of his American colonic

A RADICAL'S CAREER.

like giving him a black eye or blue shins-but we only feel like letting those fellows across the Atlantic creek know

e given time to prepare a memorial to another hour a day we cannot see.

bridge is 540 feet long by 48 feet wide For the Report and the whole work was done in the CHEAP INTOXICATING LIQUORS. emarkably short time of three hours No sober citizen can look without con-

Philadelphia, Dec. 16,

A REBORITOR CHEEKER

Monogenery AL, the whole was the control time of the beauty and the whole was the age of the second through the control of the control

officer of the Senate to connive at this fraud and to rule in violation of all parliamentary law and usage so as to unseat a Senator elected by the people and seat in his place a partisan of Spencer, who had no certificate of election. He caused to be filled the lobby of the Senate with armed retainers to overawe Senators and sustain by force and violence what he had achieved by fraud. He used his power and influence and money.

The fortable bed and rush pell-mell to the office at least as early as ten o'clock; he at once dives into the arduous labor of office at least as early as ten o'clock; he at once dives into the arduous labor of reading the newspapers, and when that is done, tired and exhausted he puts on his overcoat and goes to lunch, and as the rules require him to be back in a couple of hours, he finds time to play with armed retainers to overawe Senators and sustain by force and violence what he had achieved by fraud. He used his power and influence and money.

The baviour, and then he will save treasures in the saviour, and society has a right to extent this pittance as the only punishment which can reach them, for the outrages they have committed. There is no country where the means of intoxication are so abundant and so cheap as in our own, and the consequences are don't want talk about resting here. It is our privilege to work here, and the rest only punishment which can reach them, for the outrages they have committed. There is no country where the means of intoxication are so abundant and so cheap as in our own, and the center to out hearts are there. Our treasures are in the attent is into it can reach them, only punishment which can reach them, only punish what he had achieved by fraud. He used his power and influence and money. He contracted through his position as Senator to debauch men in office and out, so that in his conduct he was working evil continually.

The report was received and ordered printed with evidence and the committing of the restoration of the restoration of duty on tea and coffee. Then he rushes back to his business; arranges the paper weight on his desk, opens a new box of steel pens, and then finding it is three o'clock, the weary, worn-out clerk rushes home to oil his hair and seek a little relaxation in a game of poker or a visit to his girl. How he is to endure such drudgery for another hour a day we cannot see.

of ale. Then he rushes back to his business, into this fatal poison, disguised in a thounces, and forms, to allure us to destruction. It sand forms, to allure us to destruction, It desk, opens a new box of steel pens, and then finding it is three o'clock, the enters every door—the cup is presented to enters every door—the cup is presented to every lip. In the last annual message of line the restoration of from the congress, we find the following: "One means for increasing the super." And if the Lord calls it president Grant receives on the view of the view of

make our mark. Johnny Bull may attend our big centennialization and ogic centennialization and opic centennialization and opic centennialization and opic centennialization of the United States Senate against Spencer's further occupancy of his seat in the them of student the compared to compare with or with the death at the coll death at the Committee or which such the train the only means to raise revenue—necessarist used by every means to raise revenue—necessarist used by cerv means the or of every poor family; the whisky, the shares of which he talt are the only means to raise revenue—necessarist used by cerv means the or of every poor family; the whisky, the omption of which bethe salt are the only means to raise revenue—necessarist used by cerv means the or of every poor family; the whisky, the only means to raise revenue—necessarist used by cerv means the or of every poor family; the whisky, the omption of the Countries of the United States Senate against Spence of the deat on infanticide, and it was said babies did its, that would result from this measure. At the noon prayer meeting to-day, af-

present with Jos. S. Lusk Chairman.

Mr. Relghard (Lycoming) offered the following:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the caucus that the House is organized ready for the transaction of business. Carried unanimously.

According to this resolution, the House was always forgivene.

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