

# The Centre Reporter.

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CENTRE HALL, Pa., June 26, 1879.

Hayes' cabinet is divided upon the question of vetoes. It is asserted upon positive knowledge that two of his cabinet ministers insist upon a further exercise of the veto power, and others oppose it. The edge of the precipice has been reached and Sherman hesitates in view of the future.

What plazes the rails is how to wave the bloody shirt in Ohio. Fremont and Rice, the democratic nominees, went through the war. None of their republican opponents ever smelt rebel powder. The democratic ticket with three legs is bound to beat the republican ticket with its four legs.

The last of the Bonapartes is dead. Louis was lately sent to Africa to help the English fight the Zulus, had a short military career. The Prince was killed in attack, and his body found with many wounds. The widowed ex-empress Eugenie will have the sympathy of all, while France will be rid of one dynasty that has brought her glory as well as trouble and disaster.

Mexico has another revolution—and how would she get along without one? A special from Laredo, dated the 23rd inst., says reliable telegrams inform us that Gen. Negret, commanding the Mexican army, has pronounced against Diaz and left the city with three thousand adherents. Diaz is in pursuit. Vallarta, President of the Supreme Court, is acting President. Congress has disbanded. Diaz has removed to Vera Cruz and is appointing Gen. Tolentino to the command of the Monterey district.

The Lycoming Insurance Company is getting its feet from the newspapers in various localities. The complaint is burdensome assessments with the suspicion that the assessments are not correct. We know that people in this county, insured in that company have brought complaint to the Reporter office, frequently in the last few years, of a similar nature.

New York city has secured one of the Egyptian obelisks to be huge and the world to be put up in our commercial metropolis. Any reader of the Reporter who may wish to try his hand at deciphering hieroglyphics can do so when the obelisk arrives at New York. In the mean time let us subscribe our bird tracks and chicken scratches or upon the obelisk. The Reporter of this paper, which evil tongues report as good as Greely's.

The new projected Darien ship canal is assuming shape, as the following will show:

In the final sitting of the International Congress in London on 14, De Lesseps said, in order to prove the reality of the interest taken in the projected Panama ship canal, and to prevent undue advantage being taken by possible financiers of capital, it had been desired to call for the first subscription of \$2,000,000 francs in the decision had only been taken three days ago, he had just received from his son in Paris the information that the whole sum had been subscribed. It would now be possible for him, he said, to obtain the concession and commence the undertaking.

The French legislative assembly can get into an uproar as well as the Pennsylvania legislature or U. S. Congress. On the 16th in the discussion on the Chamber of Deputies bill in the Chamber of Deputies, M. de Cassagnac accused M. Ferry of uttering calumnies against the religious orders and with falsifying documents. He refused to retract the charges, and on the left voting to censure M. de Cassagnac the confusion became so great that M. Gambetta, President of the Chamber, left the chair, closing the session for an hour. M. de Cassagnac had cleared the galleries and had taken confusion. On resuming his sitting the Chamber voted to exclude M. de Cassagnac from the Chamber for three days. M. de Cassagnac, replying to the vote of the House, declared that the present Cabinet was infamous. M. Gambetta threatened him with a censure. The sitting was suspended and the debate was ultimately adjourned.

The London Standard's correspondent at Paris, describing the scenes in the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, says many members of the Right rushed toward the ministerial bench. M. Daricet called Minister Girard a coward. M. de Cassagnac was suspended and the debate was ultimately adjourned.

A special from Washington says: It is evident from conversation in administration circles that Mr. Hayes and members of his cabinet are somewhat uneasy over the political situation, as affected by the events of the past week in congress. One member of the administration, commenting on the subject, observed that there was no question in his mind that the republican party has been losing ground by the course which its leaders have pursued since the return of the veto bills. The action of the republicans on the house on the army bill was in accord with the views of the administration respecting the amendments to this bill they not desiring that the republicans should support the bill but to quietly vote against it, and allow Mr. Hayes to sign it if he contained no provision impairing his independence of action. The course of the republicans in the senate, however, under the leadership of Senator Conkling, was calculated not only to embarrass the administration, but to neutralize all the beneficial effects which had been gained in the earlier part of the controversy.

Mr. Conkling's leadership is not regarded as judicious and has been criticized in such a spirit of domineering arrogance that an amicable arrangement between the two parties will be ineffectually presented, and the republicans will stand committed to an aggressive course which Mr. Hayes is satisfied that will place no obstacles in the way of the performance of his duties. Hence the view that there is nothing in the measure to prevent him using the army for all legitimate purposes at the polls or elsewhere. That the simple prohibition of using the army for police duty in no way prevented its use to put down riots or for any other purpose allowed under the constitution is stated in the report of the committee on the subject of the situation on the prospective action of Mr. Hayes would again throw the republican senators and the administration into antagonism.

## THE STRUGGLE IN WASHINGTON.

The three appropriation bills the legislative branch has passed, have been signed by Mr. Hayes. The army bill and the judicial bill have been passed and await executive action. Notwithstanding that the army bill passed the house with the support of all the republicans but two, Mr. Hayes vetoed it. When the bill was sent to the senate Conkling and Blaine met it with a fierce opposition. The dangerous import of the words "police force" in the section prohibiting the employment of troops at the discretion of the president, was the cause of the opposition. The dangerous import of the words "police force" in the section prohibiting the employment of troops at the discretion of the president, was the cause of the opposition. The dangerous import of the words "police force" in the section prohibiting the employment of troops at the discretion of the president, was the cause of the opposition.

While Reconnoitering He is Killed by a Bullet.

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THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Washington, June 23.—His fraudulently had last succeeded to the presidency of the United States. The news of his death was received in London with great interest and sympathy.

FATAL BOILER EXPLOSION.

Allentown, Pa., June 22.—A terrific explosion occurred at the mines on the 21st inst. The explosion occurred at the mines on the 21st inst. The explosion occurred at the mines on the 21st inst.

AN EARTHQUAKE IN SICILY.

Rome, June 18.—There was a violent earthquake yesterday near the town of Aci, in Sicily, seven miles northeast of Catania. Four villages in the vicinity were almost wholly destroyed. The earthquake occurred at the town of Aci, in Sicily, seven miles northeast of Catania.

A FATHER'S CRIME.

Springfield, Mass., June 22.—John Kenner, a German, at South John street, shot his three children, all girls, aged six, four and one year, being unable to support them. He has been out of work since February. At that time he went to the street and begged for food. He was arrested and committed to the State Prison.

A FIERCE BULL DOG.

A bull dog that was stolen from Lord Dufferin in Canada, a year ago, turned up lately in Terre Haute, where she killed a man and a woman. The dog was found in Terre Haute, where she killed a man and a woman.

## EXTERMINATING CATHOLICS.

How One Man's Effort in That Direction Resulted.

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A BRIDGEPORT MAN SHOT BY HIS WIFE.

Bridgeport, Conn., June 18.—In a shop on the corner of Water and Elm streets, Bridgeport, Conn., a man was shot by his wife. The man was shot by his wife.

A LARGE FIRE AT HUNTINGDON.

Huntingdon, June 19.—An early fire broke out in the town of Huntingdon, Pa., on the 19th inst. The fire broke out in the town of Huntingdon, Pa., on the 19th inst.

THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST.

The announcement that a new edition of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary is about to be published, containing many new words and phrases, is a most valuable feature. The dictionary is a most valuable feature.

THE WORLD'S BALM.

Dr. J. C. Ayer's Sore Throat Remedy is a most valuable medicine for the cure of all sore throats. It is a most valuable medicine for the cure of all sore throats.

THE PERFECTED BROTHER OF WELLS.

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## PLANTING TREES BY THE ROAD-SIDE.

The following very important law passed by the Legislature at the present session:

THE RIGHT OF TAX-PAYERS TO WORK OUT ROAD TAXES.

A correspondent, in a recent issue of the Williamsport Banner, inquired "Whether or not a Supervisor is compelled to afford tax-payers an opportunity to work out their road taxes?"

Provided before the issuing of duplicate and warrant for the collection of road taxes, it shall be the duty of the Supervisor of every township to give notice to all persons rated for such taxes, by advertisement or otherwise, to attend at such times and places as such Supervisors may direct, to work out their respective taxes.

CHICKERING, STEINWAY, ARION, WATERS, MASON & HAMLIN.

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## COME AND SEE AT THE BIG SHOW.

THE LARGEST AND BEST SELECTED STOCK EVER OFFERED IN CENTRE HALL, AT Wolf's Stand. DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

Stocked with full lines of DOMESTICS, DRESS GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, WHITE GOODS, NOTIONS, LADIES' READY-MADE SUITS, PARASOLS, UMBRELLAS, FANCY GOODS, HATS, CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES, ETC., ETC.

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