The Centre Zeporter.

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THE CIVILSERVICE REFORM On the night of the 27 ult, the Civil Serrice reform bill passed the Senate. I1
provides for the appointment by the President, by and with the consent of the Sente, of three persons, not mor
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imprisonment, for any persion in the applicants calculated either to improve or injure their prospects, or in any way
to obstruct or deceive them as to their rights under the rules, or make any false
representations concerring the grade o ter the passage of the act the heads of
departments are required to classify thei clerks and employees in their respective
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cers not in the executive branch of th persons nominated for confirmation by
the Senate, are exempted from claseific two members of any family are eligibl for appointment in the same grade; rec
ommentations for appointment by any
Semet to be received, and no person is to be ap
pointed or retained in the servico who uses intoxicating beverages to excess.
The soliciting, receiving or giving of any purposes by any officer or employee is
prolibited under a penalty of punish ment by a fine not exceeding $\$ 5,000$, o
imprisonment not exceeding or both in the discretion of the court moval by the President of any member
of the commission and tho appointmen of his successor.

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| with a capital of $85,000,000$. The inco |  |
| porators are William H. Vanderbilt, Now |  |
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Olearfield and the bosiness transacted in Clearfield and Centre counties, for "th
arpose of mining and selling coal, iro re, fire clay and onther minerals, and a fom bituminous coal." The Susquehan hartered last August and of whioh Wil-
iam A. Wallace is president, together With the Reading system and the Pine
creek and Buffalo orairoad will form the
outlet for the business of this great cor poration, which will open up a marke
hitherto practically closed in that section A most singular accident, burning to death on horse-back, is reported from
Louisville. Patrick o'Neill, while light girts of the city, overturned alamp, an saturating his cothhs and covering the
orse he was riding with a aheet of fre The terrified animal ran down the stree
at the top of its speed, and finally in turning a sharp corner threw its rider
O'Neill, in a perfect blaze, ran to the
nearest house, but was before the flames were smothered. H
ntire body to the waist was burned to risp, and the back of his horse was lit
orally cooked. The following fearful tale of burnin
o death may serve as a temperance lec tare: A dwelling house situated nea
Corvallis, Benton county, Oregon, wa Two young men were burned to a crisp
and a third was so badly injured that $h$ not expected to recover. The ture
vent to bed drunk, leaving a large fir
urning, which oommunicated to building. The other inmates escaped. Up at Montreal the other day Justic
Laranger has declared that labor union or extorting higher wages are illegal
nd has awarded an employer $\$ 20$ dam age against a man named Bourden, low-work
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    Tic Day is at a loss to account for the there is a beliet in some quarters tha it will some day be worth something. It hears, however, adds the Pittaburg Post,
    thet a great many of the bonds have the a great many of the bonds have
    been worked up into fireboards and use that can be made of them.
    The Clinton Republican states tha Jadge Orvis was just ity miry in the Pi-
    livering his charge to the jury pher murder trial yesterday afternoon.
    Before closing his charge Jndge Orvie took occasion to call the the attontion of the
    jury, and the public se well to comings of the people of Clinton county in regard to the convicting of persons
    for selling liquor without license and
    The unlawful carrying of concealed weap ons. Had it not been for beer and a reap volver this mau would not be here
    charged with murder. The Jodge is in these matters is evident to alllaw abiding outizens.

