... The Newspapers Publishers' Association elected officers at New York .- The will of Mrs. Sarah B. Place, deceased, late of Gloversville, N. Y., contains bequests as follows: Oberlin College, \$5,000; American Board of Foreign Missions, \$5,000 : Woman's Board of Missions, \$5,000; American Home Missionary Society, \$5,000; American Missionary Association, \$1,00), ---- William Waldorf Astor sent from London ten thousand dollars for the poor of New York city.

Judgment has been readered in the District Court in Sloux City, Iowa, in favor of the Fidelity Loan and Trust Company against the Sioux City Street Railway Company for \$558,000 on its trust bonds. A decree foreclosing the trust deed was given to secure the bonds issued, --- Information has been received that the Mosquito flag was hauled down at Bluefields by the Nicaraguan officials .- M. R. Morley, actuary of the Hartford Life and Annuity Company, died in Hartford, Ct., of apoplexy, age! sixty-six years. He was one of the best-known insurance men in the country. --- The coal miners to the number of 583 are out on a strike in Lethbridge, N. W. T. Last week the new superintendent issued a schedule in which a gene: al reduction in prices was given. --- Dr. F. M. Abott, a well-known physician, was shot by highwaymen in Indianapolis, and in turn shot and fatally wounded one of his assailants. --- The Mansfield coal region rioters were sentenced in Pittsburg by Judge Ewing. Of the thir:y-five foreigners convicted, seven were sentenced to the penitentiary for terms ranging from fifteen months to two years and six months, and twentyeight were sent to the workhouse for terms ranging from two months to one year .-Ezra Martin, an Englishman, thirty-five years of age, and a potter by trade, attempted to murder his wife, Clara, in Trenton, N. J., with a butcher knife. Martin next cut his own throat from ear to ear, and died in an hour. - Fire destroyed the buildings of Miller & Peck and Conlon Brothers, in Waterbury, Conn.

Mrs. Anna Matilda Jones, a widow, resid ing in Wismington, Del., received intelligence that by the death of an uncle in Germany she had inherited a million marks. -Arguments on the motion for a new trial of Prendergast, the murd erer of Mayor Harrison, of Chicago were concluded .- Several thousand unemployed men of Boston made a riotous demonstration in front of the state house. The governor made a speech to the erowd from the balcony, but his assuring words were offset by the rabid utterings of an Anarchist leader. Finally, the mob was quieted by the intelligence that the legislature had appointed a committee to meet a committee of the unemployed to discuss measures of relief. --- A terrible tragedy was enacted at the Grand Central depot at Hodston. Texas, the central figure being James R. Mitchell, and the trouble growing out of an old feud. Milton Sparks, D. L. Sutton, a constable, and an omnibus driver were killed. Mrs. Sparks was badly wounded, as was also a child she carried in her arms .- Joseph S. Hardin, a train robber serving a twenty years' sentence in the prison at Chester, Ills., escaped with the assistance of a "trusty" convict --- C. E. Ward of Duluth, was found frozen to death near the village of Merritt, in Minnesota, on the Messhe range. Ward was a well-known railroad conductor.

There will be over one million dollars which can be applied to a stock dividend when the World's Fair matters are settled. ---- A syndicate of wealthy men is said to be anxious to control the natural gas product of Indiana. --- The Chicago Fire Underwriters' Association has decided to advance twenty-five per cent. in mercantile risks.----At Maysville, Mo., K. Froman shot his wife and then killed himself. The wife may recover .-- Lewis Hendricks, colored, charged with being concerned in the murder of Mrs. Jessie Rucker at Staunton, Ala., was caught near Jamison, Ala., and shot to death .--John Loakum and C. H. Craft were arrested in Toxas and charged with wrecking a train. ---- An effort was made at Lancaster, Pa., tt blow up with a tomb the Cherry street bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad .---Emil Schmidt died at Hackensack, N. J., of a stab wound made two weeks ago by John Roetcher .- The City of Para, with her officers and crew of the wrecked ship Kearsarge, arrived at New York.

Thomas J. Jeffries nandsome Queen Anne mansion at Lower Merion, Pa., was destroyed by fire. The house was being prepared for a summer residence, and was not quite finished. Loss \$10,000 .--- A daughter of Frederick S Mintzer, of Philadelphia, died from the trouble caused by a shoe nall which she swallowed three years ago. --- A letter received in San Francisco from the Island of Risten, one of the Society Group, relates the story of the hauling down of the French flag by a rebel, who was summarily dealt with by the commander of the French warship .-- The report that the steamer Millard of the Nicaragua Navigation Company, went down with all on board, has been confirmed -The million-dollar hotel in Middlesboro, Ky., constructed there a few years since, in the paimy days of the "Magie City," is advertised by the receiver for sale on March 12th Abner S. Kelser, the largest wholesale and retail carpet dealer in Schnylkill county, Pa., and also a real estate broker, made an assignment in Pottsville for the benefit of his creditors. His liabilities amount to nearly \$100,000.

MRS. LAURA M. JOHNS, president of the Woman's Suffrage Association of Kansas, gives her entire time to the interest of the cause she represents. She is on the road practically all the time traveling through Kansas.

BOLD BANDITS.

Murderous Work of Train Wreckers in California.

FIREMAN SHOT AND KILLED

Not Content With Ditching the Engine, Three Masked Robbers Fire Upon Wounded and Helpless Men.

A gang of train robbers wrecked Lassen ger train No. 29 on the Southern Pacific Railroad at Roscoe Station, twelve miles north of Los Angeles, Cal., at 1 o'clock the other morning. The highwaymen blew open the express car with dynamite and fired several shots at the trainmen who attempted to escape. Those shot by the robbers or injured in the wreck are:

Fireman Arthur Masters shot and killed while extricating himself from the wrecked

John Granger, who was stealing a ride on the train, shot and killed by the robbers. Engineer David Thomas probably tatally

injured by falling off his locomotive. Brakeman Foster, cut on head and badly

bruised. The robbers escaped with several strong boxes belonging to the Wells-Fargo Express Company, but the total amount of cash therein contained is believed to amount to not more than \$1,000.

None of the passengers, so far as known, with the exception of the tramp Granger was injured. The robbery was the most daring and cool piece of work done in the West for years, and it is believed that Chris Evans and Morell, the outlaws for whom California officers has been searching for monmis, planned and executed the crime.

The train was late in leaving Los Angeles. Beside the baggage, express and three passenger cars, there were two cars loaded with fruit for San Francisco. At Burban't, six miles north of Los Angeles, Conductor Odell telegraphed back indicating that at that time everything was all right. Several roughlooking men boarded the train at Borbank, and, it is believed, they were the accomplices of the robbers, who were waiting farther north to throw the switch and ditch

At Roscoe, six miles north of Burbank, in a short spur of track leading from the main line to a side track used for switching. As the locomotive neared the junction Engineer Thomas saw by the glare of the headlight that the switch was open. He reversed the engine and tried to stop the train, but the heavy load behind was too much to be stayed in the saort distance and the locomotive and two freight cars left the rails and fell a wreck

into the ditch. Before the passengers and Conductor Oleli could realized what had happened the woods adjoining the track with rifles in | iion bills were considered ir hands. A volle; of shots was fired at the engineer and fireman, who were struggling to escape from the tangled wreck, and then the gang kept up a fusilade of bullets to terrify the passengers and prevent them from leaving the cars. Fireman Masters was instantly killed at the first fire. The tramp, who was also struck by a bullet, diel on the spot. The engineer was badly hurt but managed to crawl into the brush out or sight

When the shock of tae accident was felt the accomplices who boarded the train at Burbank, left the rear coach and hurried to | eulogistic of the nominee. the express car, which stood on the rails un-harmed. They placed bombs under the car and the explosion tore off the doors. Express Messenger Harry Edgar was uninjured. The robbers then rifled the car of all its contents and mounting horses, which were tied in the woods near the railroad, galloped north.

Foster, the brakeman, was in one of the passenger coaches at the time of the accident and realized that robbers were at work as soon as he heard the rifle shots. He quietly slipped from the train and made his way toward the light he saw across the country, which proved to be a farmhouse. Foster got a team at the ranch after ar using the neighborhood, drove to Burbank and notified the deputy sheriff of that place. The Southern Pacific and Wells Fargo officials were notified of the robbery, and a train was sent at once to the scene. Dr. Ainsworth, the railroad company's surgeon, was sent to Roscoe but found no one to care for but Engineer Thomas. The bodies of fireman Masters and Granger were bought back to the

The belief that Evans and Morell who escaped from the Fresno jail several months ago, participated in the robbery, is shared by many railroad and express officials.

The job is such a cold-blooded and desperate piece of work that officers familiar with the two desperadoes agree that it bears their trade-mark. It is not over six weeks ago that a previous attempt was made to hold up a Southern Pacific train at Roscoe Station. By a mere accident the plan was

FELL INTO THE FIRE.

Eight Men Carried Down in a Burning Building-All Rescued.

Eight firemen were carried down by a falling floor and some of them were badly injured at Newark, N. J. The firemen were called shortly after noon to the drug store at 179 Verona avenue. When they arrived they found the frame building occupied by the druggist wrapped in flames.

While the fire was at its height a number of the men of the insurance patrol, No. 9 engine and No. 2 truck were at work on the second floor of No. 177. The men from the patrol reached the windows and climbed to pinces of safety.

The firemen were carried down by the floor into the flames teneath. Their companions went to their rescue at once and all were taken out.

AN Etruscan tomb of the period 800 B. C. was opened in the presence of Baron Blane, Minister Potter and other noted persons,

FFITY-THIRD CONGRESS.

Sanate.

54TH DAY .- The chief event in the Senate occurred in the executive session, and was the promptitude with which the Senate confirmed the Supreme Court nomination of the President without referring it to a committee. In the open session of the Senate Senator Hale presented a resolution to investigate certain printing contracts, which was adopted. Senator Daniel opened his argument in support of the administration in the

55TH DAY. -In the Senate, Senator Daniel, of Virginia, concluded his speech on the Hawaiian question, and, while supporting warmly the course that has been followed by the administration, he declared there was now nothing to do but to recognize the new government. After the conclusion of Senator Daniel's speece, the bill for auditional prin-ting office facilities was taken up and dis-cussed in a desultory manner the remainder

56TH DAY. -In the Senate some time was spent discussing whether Mr. Mills had Mr. McPherson's place on the finance committee. Mr. McPherson finally said Mr. Mills temporarily occupied his place, because he was sick.—Mr. White, of California, made a speech on the Hawalian resolution in favor of the President's policy.

57TH. - Senator Pettigrew introduced a bill in the Senate providing that sergeant majors in the army shall be paid \$34 per month the first year of enlistment. Senator Hansborough offered an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the Tariff bill putting a duty of two cents per pound on chocolate and of twenty-five per cent. ad valorem on chocolate confectionary.

58TH DAY .- The United States Senate was not in session to-day.

House.

54TH DAY .- The fllibustering over the Silver bill in the House continued until four o'clock, when an adjournment was had to give the Democrats an opportunity to consider the si. uation in caucus,

55TH DAY.—The deadlock on the Bland Seignforage bill wasnot broken in the House. Roll-call followed roll-call until four o'clock when it being apparent that Mr. Bland could not muster a quorum on his proposition, he moved an adjournment.

56TH DAY. -In the House, after four hours' fruitless work trying to get a quorum on the Biand bill, on motion of Mr. Biand the House The highest number of votes polled was 170, nine short of a quorum.

57TH DAY .- The session of the House was marked by the most turbulent and disorderly cenes. Mr. Bland still declined to entertain any propositions to compromise with the opponents of the measure upon the representation of certain Western Republicans that they would cease flibustering and support the measure if be would give more additional time for debate, moved that the debate continue until Saturday. But he did not get a vote on his amend-ed proposition. Exciting events growing out of the wholesale arrest of members in out of the wholesale arrest of members in compliance with the resolution adopted led to disorder and tumuit, which, after continuing for hours, was suddenly terminated in an adjournment, Mr. Cummings denounced an attempt to arrest him on the floor. He characterized this session on Washington's Birthday as a farce and moved an adjournment.

58TH DAY .- The members of the House under arrest were final'y discharged from custouy by dispensing with further proceedings under the call. It required four hours accomplish this .--- Mr. Bland made a bitter speech against filibustering .-- After the arrested members had been discharged Mr. Bland returned to the Sliver bill, but his notion failed again for lack of a quorum. He lacked two votes only. --- The House three masked men jumped into view from took a recess till evening, when private pen-

SUPREME COURT SEAT.

Sanator White, of Louisiana, Secures the Prize,

Edward Douglass White, United States Senator from Lou slana, was Monday nominated by the President to be an Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court. The nomination was speedily confirmed after a number of speeches in executive session

The nomination was in the pature of a surprise. It was also satisfactory, not only because of the conceded fitness of the nominee, but also because by it the President ended the fight which has inaugurated by his selection of Mr. Hornblower and later of Mr. Peckham.

The fact that a n mination would be sent to the Senate became known at the Capitol in that mysterious way in which rumors float through the Washington air, and it was also known that the fortunate nominee would be a Senator.

The appearance of Mr. Pruden, the executive secretary, at half past two o'clock ended the suspense. The nomination was written in very large letters upon a sheet of official paper, but as the manifold copies had not been prepared for distribution, as they usq. ally are, the Senators did not learn of tha nomination until one or two of them had been beckoned to the desk by Senator Vilas, who was presiding, and informed of Senator White's selection. Then the news traveled through the Senate and through the Capitol

Senator Caffrey moved that the Senate go into executive session as soon as Mr. Daniel reached a point where he could suspend his

When the doors had been closed, the nomination was laid before the Senate and the motion was made toat it be confirmed without even the formality of a reference to the Judiciary Committee. It had been rumored that there might be opposition to the action of the President in going outside of the circuit, but there was not the slightest manifestation of this feeling. On the contrary, there was a succession of eulogistic speeches, Senator Caffery gave an interesting sketch of Senator White's life and spoke in the highest terms of the nominee; Senator Pugh told how much it pleased him to see Senator White's name sent in, and Senator Hill also fell into line with some pleasant words, After these few speeches, the nomination

was at once confirmed. A SKETCH OF HIS LILE.

Edward Douglas White was born in the Par sh of Lafourche, La., in November, 1845, and was educated at Mount St. Mary's, Md., at the Jesuit College in New Orleans and at Georgetown College, Washington. He served in the Confederate Army, being taken prisoner at Vicksburg, and after the close of the war, in 1868, was licensed to practice law by the Supreme Court of Louisiana. In 1874, he was elected a State Senator, and was appointed four years later associate justice of the Supreme Court of Louisiana by Gov. Nieholls. He was elected to the Senate to succeed James B. Eustis. and took his seat March 4, 1891. The term does not expire until March 3, 1897.

DISASTERS AND CASUALTIES

About 30 persons were frozen to death in Oklahoma and Indian Territories during the recent blizzard.

By the explosion of the boiler of a Santa Fe shifting engine at Temple Texas, three trainmen were fatally injured.

A fire started in the Colonnada between the Agricultural and Machinery Buildings, at the World's Fair, and for a time threatened both structures, but it was confined to the Colonnade.

By the breaking out of molten iron and cinder at the Brooke Iron Company's furnace at Birdsboro, Penna, Calvin Sheeler, James Potis, James Hesser and Elam Reider were seriously burned. Sheeler's injuries may result fatally.

The levee at Horn Lake Landing, on the Mississippi, 50 miles below Memphis, broke, and about 5,000 acres of valuable farm land were inundated. There is danger that the channel of the river may be turned into Horn Lake and further damage done.

Several days ago the family of Charles Kruger, eight in number, of Michigan City, Indiana, partook heartily of some pork, and later were taken violently ill, suffering from trichnia. The mother died, and it is said there is no possibility of any of the household recovering.

According to a despatch from New Castle, Penna., "Italians in the settlements near Ellwood City are said to be starving. Dogs and cats are being exten and the fences are being torn down for fuel. They are now endeavoring to get help for the poor authorities, but are meeting with little success, as the treasuries have been emptied for the relief of American cinzens.

During a performance of trained animals at the Mid-Winter Fair, at San Francisco, the electric lights went out, and, in the darkness, one of the keepers, Carle Thieman, was attacked and horribly mutilated by two flerce lions. Grave doubts are entertained as to Thieman's recovery. He was rescued from certain death by the coolness of Colonel Boone, the owner of the show, who entered the care and beat the animals back from their victim.

LEAPED 120 FEET.

A Champion Ski-Runner's Great Feat in Minnesota.

There seems to be no limit to the possibilities of the ski-runner in leaping through space. At the tournament held at Red Wing, Minn., Torjus Hemmestvedt, the world's champion ski-runner, broke his own record by 16 feet. A previous thaw had rendered the course icy and correspondingly slippery, and the contestants dashed down the steep incline with aimost lightning-like rapidity. Many excellent records had been made and the speciators were already satisfied that they had seen the most marvelous feats of ski-running possible. When Hemmestvedt came down the last time he leaped through space the enormous distance of 120 feet, which eclipsed by far all the records both in this country and Norway. The champion fell in a hard place, but did not burt himself seriously.

A aki or skee is a wooden runner of tough wood from five to ten feet long, an inch or an inch and a-half thick in the middle, but thinner toward the ends, and inch wider than the shoe of the user and turned up in a curve at the front. One is secured to each foot in such a way as to be easily cast off in case of accident. They are used for sliding down a declivity or as a substitute for snow

EULLETS IN A CROWD.

Three Man Killed and Several Wounded in a Railway Station.

In the Grand Central Station, Houston, Texas, James Mitchell, of Richmond, shot to death three men and badly wounded several persons, including two women and a child. The shooting grew out of the famous Fort Bend feud known as the Jaybird-Woodpecker quarrel. James R. Mitchell, the murderer, has been a central figure in that affair. Miiton Sparks and D. L. Sutton, Constable of Eagle Lake, were in the city as attached witnesses in a Fort Bend feud murder case, and Mrs. Sparks accompanied her husband. Mitchell, who was waiting for his father and brother from Richmond, espied Sutton and opened fire. It was | promptly returned, Sutton falling after firing

a second shot. Mitchell kept up his firing until he had fired six shots. Milton Sparks and Daniel Gleason, an omnibus driver, were also killed. Mrs. Sparks, wife of the murdered man, was tadly wounded, also the child which she carried. A brother of Sparks was mortally wounded st.d Mrs. McDowell, an aged woman, received one of the bullets and is not likely to live.

The waiting room was crowded, and when Mitchell began shooting there was a rush for the doors. The crowd was panie stricken, and many persons were badly hurt in the crush. Mitchell was arrested.

WHIPPED BY WHITECAPS.

Two Men Nearly Meet Death at the Hands of a Mcb.

B. F. Williams and William Turley, living out on Brier Creek, W. Va., were carried out of their house by an organized band of sixteen White Cappers and whipped almost to death with bickory switches.

The victims were given twelve hours to leave the country, but they went to Charleston and filed information which will lead to the arrest of fourteen of the most prominent citizens. The whipped men are tough characters, but they allege that they had given information to Federal authorities concerning an alleged green goods transaction, and the whipping was in revenge.

BIG STORM IN THE WEST.

Heavy Falls of Snow Tie up Railroad Treffic in Colorado.

A snow storm has been raging in the vicinity of Kokomo, Col., for several days. The snow is six feet deep on the level, the passenger train leaving Denver Sunday morning turned back from Kokomo.

PENNSYLVANIA ITEMS.

Epitome of News Gleaned from Various Parts of the State

NOTWITHSTANDING all of the efforts put forth by the officials of the Kingston Coal Company, the thirteen men imprisoned in the Gaylord Colliery have not been recov-

JUDGE WOLFE, of Lewisburg, attempted to burn down the Wolfe block. He is not in his right mind.

E. S. Briggs, who attempted to get \$50 fsom E. E. Thatcher, of West Chester, on false pretense, was arrested and sent to jali. ATTORNEY GENERAL HENSEL has decided that the State laws require that the candidates for the House of Representatives must file certificates of election.

Insurance Commissioner Luper reposts that stock fire insurance companies and mutual companies had a bad year in 1893, the losses exceeding 10 per cent, on premium in-

THE Traveling Men's Club, composed of representatives of the salesmen of the implements, vehicle and phosphate industries, held its annual meeting in York. THE second annual conference of the

Young People's Societies of the Presbytery of Carlisle was held at Chambersburg. Washington's birthday was celebrated in many of the State towns by public and private patriotic gatherings parades and exer-

cises at the schools. WM. HARDING, of New Mexico, was probable fatally wounded at Washingtonville by

a party of Danville sports. JOHN W. ELKINS, 15 years old, who had been missing for a few weeks returned to his

home in West Bothlehom, Stationmaster H. A. Reed, at Markleton, attempted suicide by shooting. His wound

will prove fatal. To prevent colliding with Lancaster coast ers, Lewis Mobn, of Petersburg, reined his borso and was thrown from the vehicle and was killed.

Ar Harrisburg Judge Simonton handed down an opinion in the case of the Commonwealth vs. the Union Passenger Railroad Company and the Philadelphia Traction Company in favor of the corporations.

Harry Manfried, the Italian convicted of Murder in the first degree for the killing of George Ochs, at St. Clair last August, was brought into court at Potisville, and sentence of death was imposed upon him by Judge O. P. Bechtel. Manfred is able to understand but a few words of English, and he sat unmoved when the sentence was read, as if he did not comprehend the meaning of the Judge's words. The case has been appealed to the Supreme Court.

ADRAM POOL, who resided in Limerick Township, near Pottstown, now in his 99th year, is the oldest male inhabitant of Montgomery county. He was born on the 1st of October, 1795, in Limerick Township and lived there all his life. He is in good health, has a good appetite, smokes his pipe daily and thinks he will live to be a hundred years old. His weight at this time is about 183 pounds. Mr. Pool is a shoemaker by trade. but he has been a farmer for fifty years.

An supe of rescuing the entomoed miners in the Gaylord Colliery at Plymouth has | LOUR-Balto, Best Pat.\$

The hearing of the three accused counterfeiters at Altoona showed their guilt clearly and no attempt at a defense was made. At a fox huut near Norristown a mad dog bit the fox, three dogs and lour horses and

escaped. The Webber family at Ashland has lost father, mother and son from the grip within ten days.

The Baltimore & Obio Railroad and the Philadelphia Traction Company disagree over the grade crossing in Chester and the railroad is watching to prevent any track laying at the grade.

According to the report of the Eric Soldier's and Sailors' Home there are now comfortably cared for by the State 404 old soldiers and sailors, of which eighty-nine were admitted during the past year. Ten were discharged for violating rules; 225 are natives of Pennsylvania, and the others are foreigners; 189 are from Philadelphia. The pensions received by the inmates aggregate

82,214 a month. Bethlehem Town Council passed the Lehigh Valley Traction Company's ordinance, giving it the right of way through the town, the Rapid Transit Company's refusal to accept of union tracks having been previously officially announced. The traction company is to have the road finished and in operation along north Main street and from the borough line to Linder street by October 1. The ordinance contains a provision to the effect that it must be accep'ed within thirty days or it shall become invalid.

General Superintendent Edwards, of the Kingston Coal Company, announced that the search for the entombed miners will be continued until they are found, dead or alive, no mat er what the expense may be. Thomas Picton, one of the buried men, was elected to office in Plymouth.

Father Gramlewicz was beseiged in St. Stanislaus Roman Catholic Church at Wilkes-Barre after refusing to officiate at a Polish funeral and was compelled to submit, An unknown miscreant badly wrecked the Cherry street bridge in Lancaster by a dy-

namite bomb. ONE man was killed by an explosion in a dynamite will in Sunnytown.

Chester County Republicans held their convention and indorsed the Gubernatorial candidacy of Gen. Hastings.

KILLED BY GLANDERS.

A Woman Contracts a Deadly Disease from a Horse's Sneeze.

Mrs. Sophia Beresford, wife of a prosperous drayman, died at her home in San Francisco, Cal., of glanders. Four weeks ago the woman's husband unwittingly purchased a diseased horse for the family to drive.

A few days later while Mrs. Beresford was standing near the horses head the animat speczed in her face. Soon afterwards she was stricken with chills and pains and swelling of the forehead. She finally became so bad that she was removed to the bospital and there the true nature of the disease was discovered. The health authorities killed the horse and will cause the arrest of the traders who sold it.

CABLE SPARKS.

WARSAW police claim to have discovered a plot to secure the freedom of Poland.

THE Brunswick succession has been settled by the Duke of Cumberland agreeing with Empeer William that the former's son shall succeed to the title.

THE Reichstag has adopted a proposal to introduce in Germany the Australian method of polling. A very large majority of de members voted in favor of the proposal.

The American ship Willie Reed, Captain Forbes, which sailed from Harwick for New York, has been wrecked off St. Valery. The crew, consisting of twenty-one men, was saved

THE Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animais, of Montreal, Can., has decided to prosecute the persons from New York who brought tousands of live chameleous for

Tuz National Liberal Federation at its meeting at Portsmouth adopted strong resolutions in condemnation of the House of Lords in obstructing legislation demanded by the people.

TROUBLE is expected between Spain and San Domingo because the government of the latter country refused to permit a Spanish contu. to land on the island, suspecting him of being in symoathy with revolutionists.

WORK AND WORKERS.

THE Benley and Gerwig furniture factory, one of the largest in Parkersburg, W. Va., resumed operations, employing 100 men.

Ar Youngstown, O., the American Tube and Iron Works started up with 400 men-The works had been idle for several mouths. ABOUT 120 weavers in Wam-utta Mill No. 6, New Bedford, Mass., left work when notified

of a reduction in wages to go into effect THE East Chicago Iron and Steel Company has asked its higher priced workmen to ac-

cept a 15 per cent, reduction in wages. The men have asked time to consider the matter. THE Alice Rubber Mill at Woonsocker, R. I., owned by the United States Rubber Company, employing 1,500 hands, was shut down for an indefinite period. The cause assigned

is repairs. AT Easton, Pa., Charles Onley, a Lebigh Valley brakeman, who while on strike, asstudied L. H. Moil, who was given his posion the road was sentenced to 6, days'

pr sonment. THE Convention of District No. 2, United Mine Workers of America, at Aitoona, Pa., ndopted a resolution lavoring a general strike of all miners as soon as possible, but

opposing local strikes. THE Bessemer Steel Works, a portion of the plant of the Troy (N. Y.) Steel and Iron Company, which went some months ago into the hands of receivers, will resume work in about two weeks. This resumption will employ about 8.0 men.

MARKETS.

BALTIMORE.

@ \$ 4 35 Grade Ertra. WHEAT-No. 2 Red..... CORN-No. 2 White..... OATS-Southern & Penn. Western White..... RYE-No. 2. 52 HAY-Choice Timothy... 15 53 Good to Prime....... 14 03 STRAW-Rye in car lds. 9 50

15 00 Wheat Blocks.... Oat Blocks..... 8 50 CANNED GOODS. TOMATOES-Stnd. No. 3.8 75 @ \$ 100 No. 2. 70 PEAS—Standards. 120 CORN-Dry Pack..... 85

HIDES. CITY STEERS..... 5 @ 3 5% POTATOES & VEGETABLES. POTATOES-Burbanks.. \$ 55 @ \$ ONIONS..... Yams....

HOGS PRODUCTS-shids.\$ 7%@8 Clear ribsides..... Mess Pork, per bar.... LARD—Crude..... 15 50 Best refined..... BUTTER. BUTTER-Fine Crmy....\$ @\$ Under fine.... Roll.....

CHEESE. CHEESE-N.Y. Factory.\$ 12% @ 8 N. Y. flats..... Skim Cheese..... EGGS. 15 @ 8 14 EGGS-State.....\$ North Carolina..... POULTRY. CHICKENS-Hens.....\$ 8 @ 8

Ducks, per Ib..... TOBACCO. TOBACCO-Md. Infer's.\$ 150 @ \$ 250 Sound common...... 300 Middling..... 600 Fancy..... 10 00

BEEF-Best Beeves.....\$ 4 35 | BEEF | Best | Beef | See | 375 | Good to Fair | 2 53 | 8HEEP | 5 50 FURS AND SKINS. MUSKRAT..... \$ 10 100

Opossum..... NEW YORK.

FLOUR-Southern...... 8 310 WHEAT-No. 2 Red...... 62 RYE-Western.....CORN-No. 2..... BUTTER-State. CHEESE-State

PHILADELPHIA.

WHEAT—No. 2 Red.... CORN—No. 8..... EGGS-Penns, ft......