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MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 4, 1882.

MR. ARTHUR'S MESSAGE.

WHAT THE PRESIDENT HAS TO SAY.

He gives Congress Some of His Views on Matters of Governmental Policy, Internal Revenue, Reform, River and Harbor Bills, Star Route Trails and Other Subjects.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The second session of 47th Congress was opened at eleven o'clock. The galleries, though not crowded, were filled with spectators...

The speaker laid before the House the report of the tariff commission and on motion of Mr. Kelley (Pa.) it was referred to the ways and means committee.

The Senate was called to order at ten o'clock by the president pro tempore, Mr. Davis.

The message opened by reference to slight differences with Great Britain, on account of the arrest of American citizens in Ireland...

The president then recommends early consideration of such modifications of our reciprocity treaty with Hawaii...

The present rapid extinguishment of our national debt is by no means a cause for congratulation...

The secretary's recommendation of immediate and extensive reduction in the annual revenues of the government is heartily approved.

The present excise tax should be abolished as soon as it is safe to do so.

The present tariff system is in many respects unjust, making unequal distribution of its burdens and its benefits.

The motives that compelled the president to veto the river and harbor bill...

The president further suggests that considerable grants of money for national improvements be hereafter made...

Philadelphia, Dec. 4.—Cattle market dull; sales 4,000 head; prime 4 1/2c; common 4 1/4c...

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THE PRISON. Meeting of the Board of Directors. The prison board met at 10 o'clock this morning. A full board was present.

Change of Mind. I declined to insert your advertisement of Hop Bitters last year, because I then thought they might not be promotive of the cause of Temperance.

DEATHS. VITTOZ.—In this city, on the 31st inst., Mrs. Sarah Vittoz, in her 81st year.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.—The regular Monthly Meeting of this association will be held THIS EVENING.

CHEAP EXHIBITION TO PHILADELPHIA. ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1882, will go for three days, to Philadelphia, Pa.

CHARLES KIEMENSCHYER, aged 13 years, a son of Rev. O. Kiemenschyer, while playing on Christmas street, near the cemetery, on Saturday afternoon about 4 o'clock, was struck, knocked down and run over, by a horse and buggy in charge of two men.

On Saturday evening about five members of the Duke Street M. E. church met at the sexton, Abraham Nixdorf, in the lecture room of the church and presented him with a Christmas tree.

The hackmen of this city had a big supper at Keppeler's hotel, Neffville, last evening, Sunday is the only day that these men, who work hard all week, can get away, so they concluded to have their feed yesterday.

An Independent Judgment. The value of an article is almost always indicated by its price, and for years the people were content to pay for a genuine Liver-Foreigner's typewriter, and a genuine Liver-Foreigner's typewriter, and a genuine Liver-Foreigner's typewriter.

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Special Notices. When others are suffering, drop a word of kindness and sympathy to the afflicted.

Table with columns: Grains and Provision Quotations. One cent quotations of grain and provisions, furnished by A. K. York, Broker, 124 East King Street.

Table with columns: Stock Markets. New York, Philadelphia and Local Stocks.

A Modest Suggestion. If the proud and solitary state of Massachusetts, which puts so much Latin upon every official state document, stamped upon its great seal, would put a bottle of Hunt's Kidney Cure upon its seal instead, it would be better and answer every purpose.

Preserving our Timber Lands. The attention of Congress is directed to the question of preserving our forests, especially in the West.

Since the president in his last annual message called attention to civil service there has been no legislation on that subject, but public interest has increased.

Political Assessments Denounced. In the concluding portion of his message the president alludes to the frequency with which assessments for political purposes are made.

INDICATIONS. WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—For the Middle Atlantic States, warm south to west winds, fair weather, in southern portions, in the northern portions increasing cloudiness and light snow, lower barometer.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—There was a good attendance in the criminal court today, commencing at the beginning of the second trial of the Star Route cases.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Mr. O. McMichael, the new United States marshal, took the oath of office this morning and immediately took possession of his office.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The mercury along the Hudson this morning was three degrees below zero.

MARKETS. Philadelphia Market. Philadelphia, Dec. 4.—Flour weak, dull; superfine, \$3 1/2; extra, \$3 1/4; No. 1, \$3 1/4; No. 2, \$3 1/4.

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