The Dally Intelligencer.

LANCASTER, DECEMBER 14, 1800.

The Mississippi Herrors.

It has been a long time since we have had the harrowing tale of the burning of a Mississippi river steamboat; and now we have two together. The river boat seems born to be burned as surely as the sparks fly. The packing of cotton close to in peril; and at this season, when the boats have all the cotton cargo they can carry, the passenger who boards them there is great vigilance used in watching against fire; and to this only can the comparative infrequency of disaster of late be attributed.

The passengers on these boats that have just been burned, had every chance that passengers on cotton ladened Mississippi bosts can have, to escape destruction; and that is shown to be hardly any chance at all. The fires were discovered immediately, and the boats were promptly headed for the shore, which they reached; but those in the rear of the boat were cut off from the shore by the fi smes and were compelled to throw themselves into the water. There was the same situation in both cases and it is the situation that always attends such disasters. It would seem possible to provide against it by carrying life saving rafts. Legislation is evidently needed to protect the life of the Mississippi traveler. One would think that no sensible person would board the boats under present conditions and with the knowledge that a fire is at any moment liable to occur, and that if it does the boat will be consumed in a moment and with almost certain loss of

Want to Buy a War. The beligerent spirit of the press and the firm position of our government in its foreign dealings might excuse the boldness of the observation that this healthy young nation is beginning to feel its oats. Mr. Oates, of Alabama, has also been felt. He arose in the House during the debate on the canal bill and remarked that he thought a small and cheap war would be a good thing to get. That was the substance of what he said though he referred to the purchase in a manner less abrupt. The report says that Mr. Oates did not think the Nicaragua enterprise would involve the nation in war, but he merely seized the opportunity to ventilate his views on the matter and began with the assertion that "nothing but a foreign war would ever completely tradicate sectionalism; and he exclaimed, "if it had no other beneficial result, such a war, if it was not a great and expensive one, would be worth the outlay." Mr. Herbart, also of Alabama, coincided with Mr. Ostes. There is nothing very novel in this view of war except the business-like condition of the size and cost of the lixury. No one can tell how great or expensive a war may be, and to act as a destroyer of sectionalism, a foreign war would have to be of alarming size. It might for example be doubted whether a war about Canada which involved the bombardment of Boston, New York, and perhaps the lake cities, or the collection of ship leads of money from them, would stranger?" said the driver. stimulate a kindly feeling in those cities towards Alabama, whose growing industries would be greatly encouraged. But if this first act of the drama was followed by a great and expensive series of operations by sea and land, so that the whole strength of the nation would be staggered by the burden, then sectionalism would surely be stifled. Sectionalism can be removed by war, but it is a painful, dangerous and exhausting operation, and the condition of the patient is by no means so desperate as to justify the consideration in Congress of that alternative.

Troubles of Zanzibar. Somebody has discovered a small Russlan settlement on the east coast of Africa, near to the English and German possessions, and a foreign correspondent at once produces a rumor that Russia will soon formally claim it and take a hand in the grand east African row. Our wooden cruiser, Swatara, has just been ordered to pass along that coast with her eight smooth bore muzzle loading pop guns. She is on her way to China and it is hoped that she will get there. As she passes the noisy dominions of the Sultan of Zanzi bar she will encounter many a naval monster of the fleets of the great powers, and may even witness the disciplining of that courageous ruler who appears to have chosen destruction by foreigners as preferable to complete submission to them. He has just announced that he would in future be guided by Mohammedan law alone, and has graphically explained what he meant, by a wholesale chopping off of heads and the publication of a programme including an exccution a day until his stock of captive enemies is exhausted. As Zanzibar is a land of wonderful fertility supporting a large and intensely Mohammedan population heartily favoring slavery, the sultan can hardly remain in power even by force of executions if he does not display active hostility to the operations against the slave trade. It must also be noted that that trade is by no means the only thing that the war ships are gunning for along the coast. They want to secure for their governments control of the shortest and best route to the trade of the lake region of Africa, and their gain will be loss to Zanzibar. Her only hope is that the conquerors may fall out among them-

The Seaboard Coal Pool.

The Seaboard Coal association which comprises all the tide-water shippers of Dituminous coal, are reported to have allotted five millions of tone of coal as the product of next year. They have a'so added to their regulations one that requires each shipper to pay into the assiciation twenty cents a ton for every ton of coal mined as a guarantee that the association price will not be undersold by him. The association is one that we do not hear a great deal of ; since it loves the darkness rather than light; but its operation is said to be very sat-isfactory to the parties in it. It studies the price of coal and enables each member to sell his proportion at a proper proft. So long as the demand is great enough to take the product of all the members of the association, they evidently profit by agreeing to stick together and keep up prices. It is when the demand a half profit rather than not sell, that comes; and against this the wenty cents a ton penalty is directed.

There is no doubt at all that the law is riolated by the railroads that are intimately connected with the coal shippers in the Seaboard association. The Pennsylvania railroad [escapes the restriction of the inter-state commerce act, by the fact that it runs the whole distance to the coast within the state. It charges less for carrying coal to Philadelphia for shipment than for consumption. The interests of the people of the state are sacrificed to the need of meeting competition outside the state; which is a familiar fact to all its people. In this case there is however, no justification for it, as the seacoast shipment rate is an ample charge for the service. It is, we believe, \$1.25 per ton, which is at the rate of half a cent per ton per mile of carriage. The Philadelphia consumer is charged \$2.10; and there is no justification for this discrimination of a state railroad against the

That Water Power.

We understand from Mr. Riddle, of select council, that the water power owned by the city will not be used for making its electric light, because the councilmen are under the belief that water power is too unsteady to be utilized for such purpose. He says that it never has been used successfully for electric lighting save at Buffalo.

As to which we conceive that Mr. Riddle and the councilmen are entirely mistaken. There is no reason apparent why water power should not be as effective for working an electric plant as for any other; and it would take a great deal of experience to make anyone believe anything so seemingly silly. And it does not accord with our information, which is that water power is utilized for making electric power wherever it exists in sufficient quantity. It is possible that the power owned by the city on the Conestoga may not suffice for its plant; but if it is sufficient, there is no question whatever that it is the power for it to use to light the city.

As epidemic of diphtheria in Maine hes been traced to a strange but natural cause, the careless slaughter of great numbers of hedge hogs and crows. Fifty men went hunting for these things in November and it had been agreed that the party getting the smallest number of birds and hoge should pay for a supper. The whole number bagged were counted in the town hall and then looked in a vacant room and for gotten. A couple of dancing parties beid in the same building were distinguished by the sickness of many of the dancers, and the investigation that followed was noisy

WHEN at the Pilgrims dinner last week Ex-Governor Hoadly talked of San Francisco as only 400 miles west of the geographical centre of the United States, he stated a fact not half so weighly as it appears to ba. With the Aleutian Islands straggling hallway to Ohins, the centre referred to divides territory of frying pan proportions, and sounding phrase of the kind might be gotten up with reference to Denmark or Portugal or any other two cent nation. Where, by the way, is the geographical centre of the British Empire, with India, Australia, Cape Colony, Canada and Egyp ? or of France and Germany, with various colonies? Hoadly's story of a stage driver is a good variation of an old point. "May 1 ask where ye may be from,

From New York. "Why, that's amasin'! I'm an Eastern man myself. I was born an' raised in

Kansas." An Australian student in Philadelphia used to take delight in representing himself as an Eastern man that he might encourage friends from the prairie states to talk. Then he would begin about "when I was out west in London." He had reached America by way of England. There are some crooked notions on this spinning

DURING the late campaign when the operation of the highly protected bagging stust were exciting interest there was a very pleasant bit of news about the discovery and successful application of a process of making bagging out of pine nee-dies. It is now reported on excellent authority that a trust is being organized for the control of the manufacture of this kind of bagging. The cotton seed oil trust is said to be at the bottom of the scheme. So these "private affairs" are multiplying under the prospect of Republican favor as weeds to poor ground.

THREE hundred tin horns were distributed among the boys of a New York grammar school on the last day of school just before the Christmas holldays. Mr. Sutherland told the board of visitors present that the boys had worked hard for a year and he proposed to let them have as much fun as possible in the last half hour of chool for 1888. At a signal from him "s terrific blast from 300 horns broke the stillness of the room. Every boy was in his glory and each tried his level best to outdo others. They made one continuous and awful roar, which resembled more the noise of a hundred threshing machines than any that might be produced by human lungs. The visitors put their fingers in their ears, but the herder they pressed the harder the boys biew. Principal Sother land himself seemed as big a boy as any, and, indeed, was armed with an immense horn a yard long. Again the principal raised his hand. There was a complete transformation. The noise stopped instactly and the perfect stillness was for a tow moments almost as pairful as had been the noise. Hearty cheers were then given for trustees, teachers, classmates, principal, the girls, and other appropriate aniance and inanimate objects."

Perhaps that teacher knew his business and the boye, but it is not explained whether the visitors went home to an am bulance or not, and a bill for dameg .d hearing may yet be presented.

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