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Special Despatch to the Baltimore Sun.

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When Mr. McFarland passed into the court room the anxiety to see him by the crowd was intense. He looked fresher and younger than he did at the time he shot Richardson.

A limited number of spectators only were admitted to the Court room. An immense crowd had to be driven from the building by the police.

Mr. McFarland took a seat in the Court room, and glanced around him with a smile on his face. Beside him sat his little son and his counsel, Hon. Eldridge F. Gerry, Hon. Charles S. Spencer and John Graham, Esq.

The greas is largely represented by editors as well as greporters.

The Grand Jury was charged for the term by Recorder Hackett, and they retired.

Recorder to District Attorney—Are you ready to proceed?

District Attorney—We are.

Mr. Spencer—We also are ready.

A dispatch from South Pass City, Wyo-

sumed. He had often been to Mr. Frothingham's church; thought he (Frothingham's church; thought he (Frothingham) had not done wrong in marrying Richardson.

Continual objections to his being a juryman were made by Mr. Graham.

At 2.15 P. M., Daniel E. Van Valkenburgh was accepted as a juror.

A number of others were objected to and excused.

A summary of the day's business is this About 175 of the panel were called, of whom a little under one-third answered.

Six jurors were obtained, but one was subsequently excused, leaving but five. The delience used three of their peremptory challenges.

The empaneling of the jury proceeds tempered.

The Avoudale Bellef Fund

Mr. H. Gaylord, treasurer of the Avondale Fund for the Relief of Widows and Orphans, reports that the amount of contributions received up to the 24th inst., was \$139,226.33; amount of interest accrued, \$1,568 28, making a total of \$140,794 61. Of this sum, \$64,765 67 has been jurvested in railroad and United States bonds; \$52,000 deposited on call in five banks at 5 and 6 per cent interest, \$22,142 36 has been paid to widows and children, and \$1,868 58 remains in the hands of the treasurer. The Association is incorporated with a three treasurer. The Association is incorporated with the continuation of the contributions and of the contributions are contributed to the contributions are contributed to

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.—At a stated meeting of Kosciusko Lodge, No. 374, I. O. of O. F., held Saturday evening. March 28th, the following resolutions in regard to the death of Brother H. W. Jones were adopted:
WHEREAS II has pleased the All-wise and Supreme Being, the treator and preserver of

ition. "Our streets and public places are full of intemperance, and not only do young men and old fall before it by the hundred, but even boys and women wear its fire blue ven boys and women wear its fire blue its underence on the sidewalk. Gambliely, but scarcely less extensively than many honorable avocations, and the gamblers include very class, from the boy of fifteen to the roac of sixty. Indeed, every vice on the roac of sixty. Indeed, every vice on the boy of sixty. Indeed, every vice on the roac of sixty. Indeed, every vice on the more than doubled in volume and in view in the pride and hope of the nation, fall before the subtle dostroyers faster than they fell during the Southern campaigns. Marriages are diminishing. Homes are base in the air. The streets are mined with pitalls of vice, and crimes are so frequent that they have ceased to shock or even to startle using the control of the planted with vulgarity. Echoes of profamity indeed, we expect an account of a wholesate robberty, divorce case and murder as spite for our breakfast. Many of our judges seem to imagine that tigs their business to have it exchanged for two \$500 for our breakfast. Many of our judges seem to imagine that tigs their business to have it exchanged for two \$500 for our breakfast. Many of our judges seem to imagine that tigs their business to have it exchanged for two \$500 for our breakfast. Many of our judges seem to imagine that tigs their business to have it exchanged for two \$500 for our breakfast. Many of our judges seem to imagine that tigs their business to have it exchanged for two \$500 for our breakfast. Many of our judges seem to imagine that tigs their business to have it exchanged for two \$500 for our breakfast. Many of our judges seem to imagine that tigs their business to have it exchanged for two \$500 for our breakfast. Many of our judges seem to imagine that tigs

medium height, with light hair and beard.

NEGRO KILLED.—An unknown negro
man was found dead on the Pennsylvania
Railroad track on Thursday, between Columbia and Mountville, with his head horribly crushed and almost severed from his
body. He had doubtless been run over by
a train of cars. His remains were taken to
Columbia, where a Coroner's inquest will
be held on them.

THE WEATHER.—Ever since the first of the present month we have had very disagreeable weather, which culminated last evening in a regular snow storm. The snow fell to the depth of three inches, and has resulted in rendering the streets very sloppy, and pedestrianism quite unpleasant. The country roads, which some days ago were becoming tolerably good, have again been rendered bad by the late heavy rains and our country friends, driving to rains, and our country friends, driving town to finish up the "business of the first find the journey a tedious one.

Oxford And Peach Bottom R. R.—The Oxford Press states that Mr. Hood and his corps of Engineers are now surveying eastward from the Susquehanna on the Oxford and Peach Bottom Railroad on what is called the Southern Route. Having arrived at Donnell's Summit on the Penn Hill and Lancaster road, in Fulton township, on Saturday evening the 28th. The route, as far as surveyed, was pronounced entirely practicable and the grade in getting out from the river, via Peter's creek, oasy. They expect to cross at Rea's forting and connect with the P. and B. C. R. R. near Nottingham station, this week.

A NUMBER of the farmers in the southern part of the county have already sown their onts; others are busily engaged in plowing their fields preparatory for sowing. Much ground intended to be planted in corn was plowed during the warm weather of January. The wheat fields look well, and the public roads, until recently so terribly bad.

PHOEBE ANN MARTIN.

N. B.—The above shows conclusively HOW low an agent will stoop, and by false representations, paying cash, &c., succeeds in getting a card against a rival and much superior Sewing Machine, THE WHEELER & WILSON.

WHEREAS It has pleased the All-wise and supreme Being, the Creator and preserver of all things, to remove from our midst by death, our worthy estecmed and belowed Brother H. W. Jones. The first belief the being the Brother H. W. Jones and the best of the best which has been sustained by the brotherhood, that by this dispensation of Divine Providence we have lost a valuable and substantial Brother—Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with the parents, relatives and friends of our Brother in this their sad befreavement.

Resolved, That our Lodge be draped in mourning for the space of thirty days, and that the brothers wear the usual badge of mourning for Resolved. That in testimony of the respect we bear to his memory as a well tried and devoted friend, associate and Brother these resolutions bear to his memory, as a well tried and devo friend, associate and Brother these resolution be printed in one or more of the County papa and that a copy of the same be forwarded the parents of the deceased.

P. G.—F. BRENNEMAN,
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P. G.—WA. CRAWFORD,
P. G.—JOHN CONRAD,
Committee SPECIAL NOTICES. \$5 Deafness, Blindness and Catarr reated with the utmost success, by J. Isaacs, M. I and Professor of Diseases of the Eye and Ear, (i speciality) in the Medical College of Pennsylvania, years experience, (formerly of Leyden, Holland.) N

To Remove Moth Patches, Freckle and Tan from the face, use PERRY'S MOTH AND FRECKLE LOTION. The only reliable and harmless remedy. Prepared by Dr. B. C. Perry, 49 Bond st., N. Y. Sold by all Druggists.

je9-tyw 87 Nassau St., New York 22. his bride 37. He swears that she made him believe she was but his own age, by using Magnolia Baim upon her face, neck and hands. Poor youth, He probably found her elbows weren't quite so soft and pretty Gught Higan to be Indicated? We know of many similar cases. This Baim gives a most wonderful pearly and natural complexion, to which we don't object. We like pretty women. To finish the picture, they should use Lyon's Kathatron upon the hair. With pearly chin, rosy checks, and soft, luxuriant tresses, they become irrestatible.

DEATHS. STRINK. Huddenly, on the 4th Inst., in this city, Rev. J. J. Strive, in the 5th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late resi dence in Centre Square, on Thursday, the 7th Inst., at

WARRIAGES. Wise-Lorey.—On the 29th inst., by the Roy. J. J. trine, Jacob Wise to Lizzie Lorey, both of Munor WP. CHEREAGEROCER—CARR—On Bunday, January 30 VIDENTIAL THE PROPERTY OF THE STREET OF T WARKETS.

Philadelphia Grain Market. PHILADELPHIA, April 5.—The Flour market isquiet, and prices particularly of the modium and low grades (awar buyers; there is very sittle demand exceed, from home consumers

Steame.

Out bus bus. Canada Barley sold at 21.10.

No sales were reported in Malt.

In the absence of sales we quote No. i Quereliron Bark at 3r per ton.

Whiskey has advanced; holders are and ing
St. 100s.1.07.

DE HAVEN & BRO., BANKERS, PHIL., April 5. 28 48 94-100

BEEF CATTLE—Were in demand this yeek at in advance of about 1/2 per by about 1,300 head rrived and sold at 100-100/2 for extra Petatsy 1-ania, and Western steeps; sold for each of our to sold do, and 600 1/2 per by gross, for compact, ct oquality. The following are the partless.

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714091 c, gross. 25 H. Chain, Chester county, 80-91-2c, gross. 120 John Smith & Brother, Lancaster county 7649 4c, gross. 38 J. & L. Frank, Laneaster county, 81 ph/90 gross. 30 Gus. Schomberger & Co., Lancaster co., Sc 9)2c, gross. 70 Hone & Co., Lancuster concity, 8609 2c 70 Hope & Co., takes 17 1988 (c. gross, 45 H. Frank, Western, 7\(\frac{1}{2}\pi\text{0}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\end{1}\)\(\text{clemson, Lancaster co., 7\(\frac{1}{2}\pi\text{0}\)\(\frac{1}{2}\)\(\text{clemson, Lancaster co., 8\(\pi\text{0}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{2}\)\(\text{1}\)\(\text{clemson, Lancaster co., 8\(\pi\text{0}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{2}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{clemson, 1}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{clemson, 1}\)\(\text{0}\)\(\text{clemson, 1}\)\(\text{clemson, 1}\)\(\text{cl

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Sheep—Were in fair demand at an advance;
7,500 head sold at the different yards at 72,500 get
per b, gross, as to condition.

Hogs—Were higher: 2,800 head sold at the
different yards at \$12,506,517 or stop, and \$13,50
6,44 per 100 lbs., het, for corn fed. LANCASTER, Saturday, April 2.

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MONDAY

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. STATE OF NATHANIEL JENKINS

INSTATE OF JACOB DELLINGER, LATI undersigned, residing in sale GEO, S. MANN.

TSTATE OF JOHN 8. HACKER, LATE To of Litiz, Warwick twp., dec d.—Letter of administration on said estate having begranted to the undersigned, all persons in diate payment, and these having december of the same will present their for settlement to the undersigned.

CHARLOTE HACKER, Litiz, Lameaster co., JOSEPH S. THOME.

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Mt. Joy twp., Lancaster co.

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EAST KING STREET, WO DOORS EAST OF THE COURT HOUSE SUITS FOR ALL AGES. MADE OF THE BEST MATERIALS,

A variety of beautiful patterns constantly cand. We intend to make this a specialty. Agency for the Staten Island Dyeing Esta islanch, one of the oldest and best in t Ishment, one of the oldest and best in in sumify.
Laddes' Dresses, Cashmere, Broche, Wool Zrape, and all other Shawls; Gentlemen's Coats, Pants and Vests, Kid Gloves, &., dyed-leaned and refulished in the best manner.

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CHANGE OF HOURS
On and after MONDAY, APRIL 1, 1870, trains
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Leave Philadelphia, from Depot of P. W. &
B. R. R., corner Broad street and Washington venue, For Port Deposit, at 7 A. M. and 4:39 P. M. For Oxford, at 7 A. M., 4:39 P. M., and 7 P. M. For Chadlé Ford and Chester Creek R. R., I 7 A. M., 10 A. M., 2:30 P. M., 1:30 P. M., and 7 n leaving Philadelphia at 7 A. M. con-

rom Baltimore. Oxford at 6:05 A. M., 10:25 A. M. and 5:30 P. M. Chadd's Ford at 7:26 A. M., 12:00 M., 1:30 P. M., 45 P. M. and 6:49 P. M. 4.5 P. M. and 6.49 P. M. Trains leave Baltimore for all stations on the P. & B. C. R. R. at 7.30 A. M., and 2.15 P. M. ably 14 Passengers are allowed to take wearing appared only as baggage, and the Company will not be responsible for an amount exceeding one hundred dollars, unless a special contract is made for the same. made for the same. HENRY WOOD, General Superintendent. WISTAR'S BALSAM

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FOR COUGHS, COLDS,

INFLUENZA, CONSUMPTION This well-known remedy does not dry up ough, and leave the cause behind, as is th se with most preparations; but it looser id cleanses the lungs, and allays irritation SETH W. FOWLER & SON.

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Stoom of the Suprem Court of the Julied decision of the Suprem Court of the Julied States all soldiers who er listed before July 224, 1881, for the term of three years, and were honorably discharge for disability before serving free pearage no entitled to one hundred dollars bounty. This applies to the men of the Pennsylvania Reserving the Volunter Corps. Men object July 22d, 1861, ar also patieled. For prompt attention apply the States of the Union be seld July 22d, 1861, ar also patieled. For prompt attention apply, the States of the Union States BLASK, as States and States of the Union States BLASK, as States and States a

PHILADELPHIA APPILS—THE Flour market is quiet, and prices particularly of the medium and low grades Gaver buyers; there is very little demand excess from home consumers who purchased so bids in lots at \$1.37\(\frac{1}{2}\) for Superfine; \$4.621\(\frac{1}{2}\) for Extras; \$5 for low grades, up to \$5.57\(\frac{1}{2}\) for Extras; \$5 for low grades, up to \$5.57\(\frac{1}{2}\) for Fenni a do do; \$5.57\(\frac{1}{2}\) for Fenni a fing to quality.

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No. 5 NASSAU STREET NEW YORK, February 15th, 1870.

The remarkable success which attended ou egotiation of the Louns of the CENTRAL
PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY and the Actific RAILROAD COMPANY and the WESTERN PAGFICHALROAD COMPANY and the 181550 in \$11.550 and the popularity and credit which these Loans have marked acrops, have shown that the First Mortgage Bonds of wisely-located and honorably-managed Railroadsare promptly recognized and readily taken as the most sutable, safe, and advantageous form of investment, yielding a more liberal income than can hereafter be derived from Government Bonds, and available to take their place.

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Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, connec ng the Atlantic coast and the m ing the Atlantic coast and the magnificent harbors of the Chesapeake Bay with the Ohio River at a point of reliable navigation, and thus, with the entire Railroad system and water transportation of the great West and Southwest forms the additional East and West Transportation. Southwest forms the assertively demand-west Trunk Line, so imperatively demand-of for the accommodation of the immense and

rapidly-growing transportation between the Atlantic scaboard and Europe on the one hand and the great producing regions of the Ohio and Mississippi Valleys on the other. 2The importance of this Road as a new outlet from the West to the sea magnifies it into one of national consequence, and in-sures to it an extensive thorough traffic from the nent of the extensive agricultural and mineral esources of Virginia and West Virginia, it ossesses, along, its own line, the elements of large and profitable local business.

Thus the great interests, both general and CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILROAD to the Ohlo River, afford the surest guarantee

Its superiority as an East and West route, and the promise of an immense and profitable trade awaiting its completion, have drawn to it the attention and co-operation of prominent Capitalists and Railroad men of this City of Capitalists and Railroad men of this City of sound judgment and known integrity, whose connection with it, together with that of emi-nent citizens and business men of Virginia and Wost Virginia, insures au energetic, hon-orable, and successful management. The Road is completed and in operation from Richmond to the celebrated White Sulphur Springs of West Virginia, 27 miles, and there remain but 200 miles (now partially constructed) to be completed, to carry it to the proposed terminus on the Ohlo river at, or near, the mouth of the Big Sandy river, 150 miles above Lines are now projected or in progress through Ohio and Kentucky to this point, which will connect the Chesnpeake and Chio with the entire Railrond systems of

Its valuable franchises and superior advant ages will place the CHESAPEAKEANDOHIO RAILROAD COMPANY among the richest and RAILROAD COMPANY among the richest and most powerful and trustworting corporations of the country; and there exists a present value, in completed road and work done, equal to the entire amount of the morigage.

The details of the Loan have been arranged with special reference to the wants of all classes of investors, and combine the various features of convenience, safety, and protection against loss or fraud.

The Bonds are in denominations of

The Bonds are in denominations of 81000, 85000, and 8100.

They will be issued as Coupon Bonds, payable to Bearer, and may be held in that foirn; or The Bond may be registered in the name of the owner, with the coupons remaining payable to bearer attached, the principal being then transferable only on the brooks of the Company, unless reassigned to bearer; or The coupons may be detected and concolled.

unless reassigned to hearer; or
The coupons may be detached and cancelled,
the Bond made a permanent Registered Bond,
transferable only on the books of the Company
and the interest made payable only to the registered owner or his attorney.
The three classes will be known respectively Ist. "Coupon Bonds payable to Bear

2d. "Registered Bonde with Coupons 3d. "Registered Bonds with Conpons detached," and should be so designated by Correspondents in specifying the class of Bonds They have thirty years to run from Janu ary 15, 1870, with interest at six per cent. per annum from November 1, 1860. PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD IN THE CITY

The interest is payable in MAY and November, that it may take the place of that of the earlier issues of Five-Twenties, and suit the nvenience of our friends who already hold entral and Western Pacific B erest payable in January and July, and who may desire, in making additional investments, to have their interest receivable at different

The Loan is secured by a mortgage upon the entire Line of Road from Richmond to the Ohio entire Line of Road from Richmond to the Ohio River, with the equipment and all other prop-erty and appurtenances connected therewith A SINKING FUND OF \$100,000 PER ANNUM I PROVIDED FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE BONDS, TO TAKE EFFECT ONE YEAR AFFERTIES COMPLETION OF THE ROAD. The mortgage is for \$15,000,000, of which \$2,000,000 will be reserved and held for trust for the redemption of outstanding Bonds of the Virginia Central Railroad Company, now

Virginia Central Rautroad Company, now merged in the CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO.

Of the remaining \$15,00,000, a saudicient amount will be sold to complete the road to the Ohlo river, perfect and improve the portion now in operation, and thoroughly equip the whole for a large and active traffic.

The present price is 80 and accrued interest, A Loan so amply secured, so carefully guarded, and so certain hereafter to command a prominent place among the favorito securities in the markets, both of this Country and Europe, will be at once appreciated and quickly absorbed.

Very respectfully,

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FISK & HATCH, Bankers,

P. S.-We have issued pamphlets containing Il particulars, statistical details, maps, etc. hich will be furnished upon application. which will be furnished upon application.

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ment in Virginia. The resolution was withdrawn. The Tariff bill was considered. Pending action on the sugar clauses, the House adjourned. The State Legislature.

sponsibility therefor. Mr. Schenek suggested a modification, so as to extend the inquiry to the conduct of the captain of the

Bombay, which was accepted, and the res-osution, as modified, was adopted. Mr. Julian introduced a bill to protect settlers on the public lands. Mr. Porter offered a winds the waveful was the required translates.

sary to put down the rebellion, and main-tain the authority of the National Govern-

to public lands. Mr. Forter outered a ution reciting the municipal troubles ichmond, and directing the Recon-tion Committee to inquire into the , and report what legislation is neces-

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In the House, a number of bills were in-In the House, a number of only were in-troduced and appropriately referred. Joint resolutions of respect to the memory of Major General Thomas were adopted. Ad-

In the Senate the House bill incorpora In the Senate the House bill incorpora-ting the International Steamship Company was postponed for the present. The bill allowing certain railway companies in Philadelphia to extend their tracks was passed. A number of House bills were reported on favorably. The Penn Square building act, after being amended, was passed. Adjourned. building act, after being amended, was passed. Adjourned. In the House, the bill repealing the delinquent tax bill was reported on nega-tively. The consideration of the Metropol-

A train on the Mississippi Central ad broke through a tres hear Ricketts' Station on Friday even The engine, baggage car, and one nger car were smashed, and save-

The State Legislature.
THURSDAY, March 31.
In the Senate, a joint-grootation was reported from the Committee protesting against an air-line railroad through this State, to connect Washington and New York. The Sinking Fund bill was then taken up, discussed, and finally passed. Among the bills introduced was one regarding the erection of public buildings on Penn Square.

Journed.

FRIDAY, April 1.

In the Senate, among the bills reported was one urging Congress to abolish West-Point. The Governor vetoed the act relative to the will of Mrs. Burr. Adjourned. In the House, a bill was passed authorizing the Governor to appoint inspectors of leaf tobacco. Adjourned.

Monday, April 4.

In the Senate the House, bill incorpora-

Captain Foster, of Chicago, in his deposition, said that Powers had been on his vessel three years; that he was known in Buffalo and everywhere as "Crazy Jack;" that he was crazy on religion; said that God was a woman and the Goddess of Liberty was God; hated the Jows intensely, and wanted to go to Jerusalem to kill all of them; wanted to take his own life once; imagined he had a big fly in his stomach, and much more of the same kind. As Powers had not been a resident of the State a year, he cannot be sent to the Insane Asylum under existing laws, and application has been made to the Logislature for the passage of a special act to suit the case. vessels under reciprocity treaties. A future disposing of the amendment, the committee rose, and the Senate bill authorizing the creation of a bridge across the Delaware was concurred in. An evening session was held for debate only.

WASHINGTON, April 2. WASHINGTON, April 2.
The U. S. Senate was not in session. In
the House a bill was passed continuing to
the widow of N. W. Parker his rights as

the widow of N. W. Parker his rights as I discoverer of two islands in the Pacific, I Bills were introduced by Mr. Potter, for a the redemption of bronze and nickel coins in sums of \$25; and by Mr. Butler, of Mass., for the collection of debts due the Government by Southern Railreads. The Tariff bill was considered in Committee of the Whole, and amendments changing the duties on tea and coffee were rejected leaving the duty on tea 20 cents, and on coffee, 5. When the sugar clause was reached the committee rose, and the Howse adjourned. Practical Joke on City Councils-Mayor Fox and the Colored People. All Fools' Day has come and gone again.
Its advent, was welcomed by the juvenile
community, who likewise regretted its departure. Stove-pipe hats, charged with
cobble-stones, were set about for the un-5. When the sugar clause was reached the committee rose, and the Honse adjourned.

Washington, April 4th.

In the U.S. Senate, the Georgia bill was taken up. Mr. Stewart moved to strike out the Bingham amendment, and Mr. Wilson offered an amendment extending the present Legislature for two years from its reorganization. Without disposing of the rose of the Section of the sector of the Section of the sector. cobbe-stones, were set anout to me division the composition of the suspecting to try their kicking qualities upon, to their chagrin and to the amuse ment of the jokers. Mysterious-looking packages were distributed to be picked up bythe uninitiated, who, on investigating their contents, were mortified to discover a defunct mouse or the remains of an "old solier". e matter, the Senate adjourned. In the House, Mr. Heaton introduced a Tieces of coin nailed to the pavemen Pieces of confinance of the present of those who were ealerly picked at to the merriment of those who were celebrating the day. Coatnils were decorated with newspapers and advertising eards to the delight of both old If appointing the election of Congressmenthe Tuesday after the first Monday in on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1872, and every second year thereafter. The rules were suspended, and alte bill passed by a vote of 114 to 40. Mr. Maynard introduced a resolution, directing the Secretary of the Navy to impure into the particulars of the jsinking of the Oncida, with a view to ascertain the re-sponsibility therefor. Mr. Schenck sug-gested a modification, so as to extend the

ans were december with elegate of both old and young, and thousands of little ingers were pointed in a direction where nothing was to be seen, accompanied with a hearty laugh at the expense of the duped and the familiar phrase of "April Fool." Decidedly the best sell of all was the anbecidedly the best sell of all was the announcement of the mass meeting of colored people in Independence Square in honor of the ratification of the Fifteenth amendment. Councils, at their meeting on Thursday, received a communication, signed John Charles, chairman of the committee on the celebration, requesting the use of the Square. Supposing it to be genuine, Councils readily granted the request, and the resolution was handed to Mayor Fox, who promptly afflixed his signature thereto. No hour was designated for the meeting, but it was

was handed to Mayor Fox, who promptly adhixed his signature thereto. No hour was designated for the meeting, but it was whispered about that it would occur at ten 'clock in the morning. Chief Mulholland detailed a large force Chief Mulholland detailed a large force of policemen to preserve order at the meeting, and had them divided into two squads, one at the Central Station as a reserve, the other in Independence Hall. By ten o'clock two hundred colored people and half as many whites congregated near the rear steps of the hall and anxiously awaited the opening of the meeting. As no platform had been creeted and to all appearances no preparations made, it was hinted that John Charles who asked for the square was a myth and the resolution was intended as a Charles who asked for the square was a myth and the resolution was intended as a first of April joke. The chief looked at the thing in that light and withdrew the police force. All day long, however, there was a continuous stream of colored men, women and children passing in and out of the square, inquiring when the meeting would take place, only to be told that the announcement was a huge April fool.—Philadelphia Post.

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A most heart-rending calamity recently bell the family of Mr. Franklin, at Little York, Washington county, resulting in the death of Mrs. Franklin. The particulars, as we learn them, are about as follows:

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Mrs. H. Gaylord, treasurer of the Avondate for the lemonth of contributions, as 193, 226, 33; amount of interest accrued, \$1,568 28, making a total of \$140,794 61. Of this sum, \$64, 765 67 has been junvested in railroad and conscience. I wash may hands of her blood, for I appealed for her life and declared "she was not a subject to military duty, she had no amount of interest accrued, \$1,568 28, making a total of \$140,794 61. Of this sum, \$64, 765 67 has been junvested in railroad and united States bonds; \$22,194 36 has been paid to widows and or convulsions. A few days ago, while nurse size with an it and fell upon the coals, and the per cent intersection. The Assistant Treasurer and Secretary are allowed a small compensation. The Palanis in the hands of the treasurer. The Association is incorporated, and the Directors and Treasurer and Secretary are allowed a subwell of the plan is to pay \$16 67 per month to each widow, and \$8 35 to each boy under 14, and girl under 16 to each by the operators. Some pl

tained by keeping up a vigarious conjection. As an argument of the justice of the petition, it is claimed that the signers therefore the period of the petition, it is claimed that the signers therefore the period of the signers therefore the period of all the steel rails used in this country. In order to correct any wrong impressions that might obtain on this point by reason of the position we take, we desire to say that we alone have used on the railroads represented by us (the New York Central, Hudson River, and New York and Harlem) fully one-lifth of all the steel rails laid down, and one-third of the steel rails imported to this country. We were among the first in this country to adopt steel instead of iron rails, and intend continuing so to do as rapidly as the earnings and price will warrant.

With respect, I am yours truly, Cornelius Vanderbill, President.

The Richardson Tragedy-Trial of Me-Farland. New York, April 4.—Before nine o'clock this morning several hundred people as-sembled in the corridors of the Court of General Sessions, awaiting the commence-ment of the McFarland trial. The doors were unlocked soon after eleven o'clock, when the Recorder entered and took his eat. It is thought that a jury will not be

obtained for two days, although a panel of six hundred and fifty petit jurors have been summoned. The line of defence is still kept a profound secret by the prisoner's When Mr. MeFarland passed into the Court room the anxiety to see him by the crowd was intense. He looked fresher and younger than he did at the time he shot!

term by Recorder to District Attorney—Are you ready to proceed?

Recorder to District Attorney—We are, ready to proceed?

District Attorney—We are.

Mr. Spencer—We also are ready.

Mr. Graham, the senior counsel for the defence, called the attention of the Country of the farm and the senior counsel for the defence, called the attention of the Country of the depth of the senior counsel for the defence, called the attention of the Country of the depth of the senior counsel for the defence, called the attention of the Country of the depth of the senior counsel for the special country of the depth of the senior country of the

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til they are afraid to testify in court. Many of our cities are at the increy of banditti who plunder by ordinance and pick pockets by tax. The lobby is the most powerful branch of the Legislature, and almost any measure can be moneyed into law.—Half of the revenue officers are suspected of peculation, and lit is estimated that a single interest defrauded the Government of balf a million dellar lay year. The

cold and as hard as a stone." Brocke fur-rether relates that this extraordinary winter was followed by an equally uncommon spring. In May no sign of verdure was yet to be seen; it was still cold in July, and vegetation was then still further hindered by drought. The harvest was not over till late in the autumn, and by the middle of October the frost returned before the fruit in the gardens had time to ripen. Another Earthquake-No Damage but San Francisco, April 2.—At 11:50 a. m. SAN FRANCISCO, April —— vesterday a sharp earthquake occurred here. Its duration was six seconds. There was no damage to life, limb or property but there was intense excitement for There was no damage to life, limb or property, but there was intense excitement for a few moments. All animals were terribly frightened, and several runaways resulted. The City Hall, where court was in session, the Merchanta' Exchange, the Mercantile Library, the Custom House and other public buildings were instantly vacated, and a great panic was created in the hotels. The streets swarmed with people in a moment. It was raining at the time. Prior to the shock the barometer was observed to fall very rapidly.

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A NEGRO OUTRAGE.—Thursday a negro attempted to violate the person of a young white woman, a domestic in the family of Mr. Jacob Newcomer, of West Hempfield twp. The black villain tore almost all the clothing from the woman's body. Her screams and struggles induced him to beat a retreat, and he has not yet been apprehended.

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