# BELLEFONTE, PA.

GENERAL NEWS.

Hon, Simon Cameron will spend the winter in Mexico.

One of the incidental morals of the Speakership contest is that it is hard to be at the machine managers at their

own game.

The report of Mayor King, of Philadelphia, shows the funded debt of the city to be \$68.737.876.41. The value of taxable property, \$543,769.129.

Hon. S. S. Cox, who has recently returned from a tour of Europe and the Holy Land, was serenaded by his friends in New York last week.

The Sioux Indians who did not sur-render with Sitting Bull, have come in. They are very poor and will have to be fed this winter or they will starve.

The President on Friday last nomi-nated Hon. J. C. Rancroft Davis, of New York, for Assistant Secretary of State, and a large number of postmast-

The application made for a new trial and change of venue in the case of the Fayette county Mollie Maguires, has been refused and the trial will preceed at Uniontown.

An American Jew at St. Petersburg performing in a circus, has received or-ders to quit the capital, simply on ac-count of professing the Hebrew faith. He has protested.

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The condition of the cotton crop, as reported to the Department of Agriculture, is lower than at any season since 1866. The total crop is estimated at about 4,900,000 bales.

The total coal tonnage of all the carrying companies for the month of November was 2.727,868 tons, being an increase of 235,207 tons as compared with the same month last year.

The forthcoming annual report of the Missouri Immigration Society it is said will show the additions to the population of the State during the past twelve months by immigration to be ever 100,000 families.

A New Jersey preacher who recently officiated at a funeral, said that if the dead brother was saved it was "by the skin of his teeth." He was severely criticised for uttering this Bible truth on the melancholy occasion.

In Philadelphia they are preparing to erect a memorial church to Thomas A. Scott. It is to be built by subscriptions from the friends and co-laborers of Mr. Scott. The site selected is Thirty-fith and Spring Garden street.

The Commissioner of the General Land Office has ordered the sale of about five thousand acres of public lands lying near Toledo, on Lake Erie, The sale will take place on February 13 next, at the Land Office, in Washington.

A mulatto woman named Fanny Crawford has just returned to her farm in Mississippi with fifty negroes, from Sumter county, Alabama. This year, about closing time, she worked 300 hands on her farm, which she manages

The empire of Japan raised 38,900,000 bushels of wheat this year, all winter wheat. The only improvements in what culture and separation over the practice of semi civilized nations were introduced into Japan a hundred years are by the Hollanders. ago by the Hollanders.

The exports of breadstuffs for November were valued at \$22.053.198, against \$18.025.880 for the same month last year. The total exports for the eleven months ending November 30 were \$257,231.045, against \$210.874,360 for the same period of last year.

Cincinnati has had a serious accident by a line of an electric light getting on a telephone wire and sending in a dis-charge which melted down the tele-phone instrument, set fire to the var-nish and woodwork, and left the clerk, whose ear was at the telephone, stun

since the disclosures concerning the corrupt practices in the Philadelphia tax office were made J. C. Crump, late chief clerk, refunded to the Central Soup Society \$500 wrongfully exacted for taxes. It is said that the money to make this payment was loaned him by ex-Tax Receiver Smith.

Mr. Randall, Mr. Carlisle, Mr. Cox and the other Democratic parliamenta-rians, says the New York World, must regard Speaker K-ifer with the same appreciative interest with which in the good old days a den of veteran lions greeted the advent in the amphitheatre of a portly martyr. He is "meat for them."

Cyrus Field, of New York, is the champion of Presidential widows. Having accomplished the endowment of the widow Garfield, satisfactorily, he now proposes to have Congress enlarge the pension of \$3.000 paid the widow Lincoln to \$10,000, or as much more as the finances of the Government will allow.

A Pittsburg inspector has brought to light a new fraud. It appears that one barrel of genuine oysters can be so increased in bulk by a proper admixture of lime and water that it will sell for two barrels. The Pittsburg dealers have not hesitated to add to their profits by this scandalous device. They are to be prosecuted.

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Mrs. Lincoln writes her friends that she has completely lost the use of her eyes. Her letters are written by an attendant. She does not say what caused this new trouble nor how serious it is likely to prove. She has been accustomed to sit alone in a dark room, which may have weakened her eyes, although they never failed her before. She says as, to her general health she is yory weak.

Meager Tranch & Knight, wholesale.

Messrs. French & Knight, wholesale grocers in Eric, have just detected the existence of a queer band of thieves who have been committing extensive depredations upon their money drawer for several years. Workmen in making repairs a few days ago, descerned a large made entifely of missing notes, many of them uninjured.

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