London has more than doubled its population in the past half century.

Collectors of autographs remark that, while the typewriter never will supplant holograph letters altogether, it will make them scarcer and more valuable.

The Boston Globe figures it out that \$1,000 out of our population of 65,-000,000 own \$36,250,000,000 of our Nation's total wealth of \$62,610,000,000, otherwise one man out of every 2000 owns more than all the rest of the 2000.

The announcement that California would shortly become the seat of an extensive perfumery industry is now reported to be without adequate foundation, as the flowers are said to lack the strength of odor required to make the manufacture of extracts profitable.

Determined not to lose its reputation as the great obituary paper of the country, the Philadelphia Ledger, with what the New York Advertiser esteems commendable alacrity, has secured autograph obituaries of all the members of the Peary relief expedition. It could not have been a very cheerful occupation for the writers.

A woman of inventive mind, discovered by the New York Sun, is experimenting on a rubber coating for iron stone china used in restaurants and domestic porcelains. She thinks these should be as feasible as the noiseless tire and the mounting of chair legs in libraries and reading rooms. Incidentally she expects to find in her invention a large fortune, but her aim is distinctly philanthropic.

The New York Independent believes that the cultivation of athletics at girls' schools and colleges is likely to receive some stimulus from an award made by the United States Treasury Department to Miss Bertie Burr, of Nebraska, for rescuing two young women from drowning. Miss Burr, who learned how to swim at Lasell Seminary, Auburndale, Mass., will receive, not the silver medal awarded for heroism, but the gold medal only granted for cases of extraordinary daring and endurance.

A novelty in business enterprise h soon to be introduced in New York City. according to the News. It may be tersely described as a benevolent pawnshop. The mere suggestion of a pawnship with an aspiration higher than three per cent. a month makes this subject highly interesting. It is said that certain wealthy persons, connected with the Charity Organization Society, have determined to establish pawnshops throughout the city, to be operated at Benevolence and philanthrophy usually fail in the conduct of business enterprises, however, and the project of a cut-rate pawnshop may disappoint its well-meaning projectors.

# CONDITION OF THE STRIKE.

#### Late Dispatches Regarding the Situation at Homestead.

The Pennsylvania Militia Still Remain on Guard.

Late dispatches from Homestead, Penn., gave the following particulars concerning the state of the labor war between the Carnegie mill owners and their locked out employes: Hugh O'Donnell and Hugh Ross, against whom warrants had been issued, went to Pittsburg and held a consultation with their attorney, W. G. Brennan. At the close of their talk with Mr. Brennan, the two workmen proceeded to Alderman McMaster's office and gave themselves up and were by him remanded to jail. Mr. Brennan at once entered applica-tion for the release of Messrs. Ross and O'Donnell on bail. Mr. O'Donnell in an in-terview expressed his confidence in his being released on bail and his ability to ultimately

prove his innocence of any crime. A secret conference, over an hour in length, was held between the Governor of Pennsylvania, the President of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers of America, and the chief legal adviser of the 5000 striking employes of the Carnegie mills. From almost every aspect the meeting of the trio was a remarkable one. The place of the meeting guns on under the battery of the Gatling guns on Shanty Hill, and immediately in front of the The place of the meeting was directly main gateway through the high board fence and barb wire barrier enclosing marvelous array of turnaces, r and sinokestacks known as the rolls the and sinol Homestead Homestead works. Through the slats of the gate could be plainly seen the spot where the workmen and Pinkerton's slaughtered anch other. The meeting was in one of the houses usually occupied by the official representatives of the Carnegie Com-

pany in Homestead, but temporarily utilized as a residence for Governor Pattison. Neither Governor Pattison, Mr. Weihe nor Mr. Brennan would consent to be quoted one syilable as to the nature of the discu sion. It is said, however, that the removal of the troops from Homestead, and the bearings of that matter from each possible standpoint were

gone into. The last day of grace allowed by the Carnezie management for the striking steel-makers and other employes of the Ho mestead mills to apply for reinstatement has passed. Of the 3800 out one man left the

nks. He is John Miller, a heater. Not only did the men refuse to enter the ranks. fold to which they were invited, but they actually attended a picnic at Big Spring Grove, held on the last day of grace for the benefit of the relief fund.

The return of O'Donnell and his hop eful words had much to do with this exhibition of the perfect organization they have. They trust him implicitly, and when he stated with positiveness in the early hours of the morning that the strike was bound to be settled satisfactorily to the men, they needed nothing more to confirm them in

their determination. Superintendent Porter, of the Carnegie superintendent Porter, of the Carhegie works, made a statement. It was that thirty-seven men in all had been added to the force in the mill, of which, he said, seven were former hands. In addition the company has seventy-three agents on the road who had engaged quite a number of people. The fires in the open hearth No 2 mill were lighted and the noise of the exhaust pipe could be heard all day long. There seems no doubt but that the force inside the mills has been materially increased from one source or another, the arrivals amounting, according to one conservative estimate, to

150 men. The situation at the Upper and Lower Union mills of the Carnegie Steel Company continued unchanged. The furnaces went on burning as usual, but no new men went to work, and the strikers maintained their firm attitude. At Beaver Falls the mills are still closed down, and seemingly no efforts are being made to start up. There have been several little clashes be-

tween the soldiers and the strikers. The guard at the works was strengthened, and nany of the strikers who were in a group or the opposite side of the street cursed the soldiers roundly. A Corporal and four men sent these talkers scurrying home. There was a large crowd in front of the stikers' headquarters in the afternoon. A company of soldiers came marching by and some one spat from the window of the strikers' meeting room upon the head of a soldier. The crowd laughed. The Captain halted his men and strode angrily into the building. He found that is was a purely accidental occurrence. When he reached the street he ordered the crowd to disperse. There was some hesitation at first, which the Captain quickly removed by ordering Fix bayone Governor Pattison continued his inspection of the regiments and had his picture taken at sundown sitting on the porch of Mill Superintendent Potter's house. The Gover-nor refused to say when he was going home. Brigadier-General Dechert was summoned to Homestead for a council of war with General Snowden on the future relations of the National Guard to the strikers. The officers of the different commands are busily engaged in preparing the pay rolls for the services performed by the troops. Section 52 of the Military Code of the State recites: 'When the National/Guard shall be in ac tual service its commissioned officers shall be paid the same as the officers of like grade in the regular army of the United States; its first sergeants, \$3 per day; its corporals, \$1.75 per day; its musicians and privates, \$1.50 per day, and each enlisted man, after serving a full term of enlistment, shall be entitled to an additional pay of twenty-five cents per day for service during the second term, and a further addition of twenty-five cents per day for service during each subsequent term of enlistment." According to the foregoing the privates will receive \$10.50 a week each as long as they stay at Homestead. As there are 6000 of them the State will pay over \$60,000 a In the present case it may be a long time before payment is made, as the appro priation for the Guard is \$300,000 a year. and if that is used up by an emergency, it will require an additional appropriation by the Legislature.

## THE NEWS EPITOMIZED.

#### Eastern and Middle States.

THE Atlantic Hotel at Long Branch, N.J., was burned; the guests had jewelry and clothing worth \$30,000 stolen from them. LAWRENCE AND GEORGE MCDERMOTT, twelve and fourteen years old respectively. were drowned while bathing in Mill River, New Haven, Conn.

DR. CHARLES D. SCUDDER, a son-in-law of ex-Senator Evarts, committed suicide at Northport, Long Island, N. Y. He stabbed

himself to the heart. JAMES BURNS and two boys, aged seven and eight, were killed by a train at the Fifth Street Pennsylvania Railroad crossing, Newark, N. J.

MICHAEL VARLEY and his crippled nineyear-old daughter Annie were found in a bathroom in New York City, both dead from suffocation by gas.

BURGESS MCLUCKIE, of Homestead, Penn., charged with mur er in counection with the recent labor riot, was released on \$10,000 bail.

LIEUTEVANT SIDNEY H. MAY, of the United States Navy, a member of the United States Naval Board, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head in his room, in the United Service Club, New York City. He was born in 1847.

The greater part of the business section of the village of Moosup, Conn., has been burned. The burned portion includes the New York and New England Railroad passenger station, two new dwelling houses, Hyde's meat market, the old Masonic Hall and two other business blocks.

At a meeting in New York City William F. Harrity was chosen Chairman of the Dem-ocratic National Committee, S. P. Sheerin, Secretary, and R. B. Roosevelt, Treasurer. THE Sagamore Club, of Harlem, New York City, entertained Grover Cleveland and Adlai E. Stevenson at a reception.

GOVERNOR FLOWER of New York, re-viewed the Naval Militia and the National Guard at the Peekskill State Camp.

ALL the skilled workmen in Carnegie's steel mills at Duquesne, Pittsburg, Penn., numbering about 750, went out on strike in sympathy with the Homestead men. Governor Pattison left Homestead for Harris

#### South and West.

burg.

MRS. EMMA PHIPPS, aged thirty-five years; Miss Blanche Phipps, aged twenty-six years, and Frank McCamp, aged thirteen years, were killed at a railway crossing near New Albany, Ind., a train striking their carringe.

AT Frankfort, Ky., Ben Calmer, a young man, killed his brother, Samuel Calmer, a bachelor aged fifty years. A dispute arose between the brothers and Ben seized a chair, striking his brother, killing him instantly.

W. J. STONE, of Nevada, Vernon County, was nominated for Governor by the Missouri Democratic State Convention at Jefferson City on the nineteenth ballot.

THE People's Party of Georgia met at At-lanta and nominated William L. Peck for Governor, and selected an Electoral ticket pledged to vote for Weaver and Field.

THE colored school in Brick Head village, Ga., was struck by lightning. The school was filled with pupils, fifty in number, and two teachers. One of the teachers, Miss Butler, and two pupils were fatally injured. Sydney Stanfield and George Turner were killed outright.

THE Michigan Republican Convention at Saginaw placed a State ticket in the field headed by John T. Rich for Governor. THE business portion of Rio Vista, Cal.,

has been destroyed by fire. THE stallion Palo Alto, who held the stal-

lion trotting record, died a few days since at Senator Stanford's farm, near Redwood, Cal., from pneumonia. Palo Alto made the mile stallion record at Stockton, Cal., on November 17, 1891. Time, 2:08%.

THE Republican State Convention at Mad on nominated C. E. Sheldon for Governor. THE Prople's Party of Florida held their

State Convention at Jacksonville. A Stat ticket was nominated, headed by A. P Baskin for Governor

THE school enumeration just finished gives caro a population of

STRINGENT measures to prevent the spread of the cholera were taken by Russis, Aut-tria, Spain and Brazil.

TELEGRAPHIC reports from all parts of Manitoba, Canada, state that the crops are in magnificent condition, not a single drawback being reported. THE Hazaras, who are fighting for their

independence against the Ameer of Afghanistan, have ambushed his troops an 1 killed many hundreds of them. SEVERE storms were experienced through.

out Great Britain; the ship Maxwell was wrecked off the mouth of the Mersey. Three Gloucester fishermen were drowned.

CHILE's influenza epidemic has grown to such proportions that Congress

HENRY B. RYDER, the United States Consul at Copenhagen, Denmark, has been arrested, charged with fraud in connection with the liquidation of a testamentary estate.

THREE persons were killed and a number injured in a railroad collision at Tamworth, Canada.

THE Board of Trade inquiry into the loss THE Board of Trade inquiry into the loss of the City of Chicago has ended. The judgment of the Board is that the disaster was due to careless navigation. The Cap-tain's certificate is suspended for nine months.

ORDERS were issued by the Italian Gov. ernment for the cruiser Giovanni Bauson to take part in New York's Columbus celebration in October

CANDELARCE PEREZ, the famous Mexican bandit, has been executed at Lacatecas, Mexico THE Government of Honiuras closel its

coast to foreign commerce.

A HEAVY thunderstorm, followed by a A HEAVY taunderstorm, followed by a terrible hallstorm, passed over Marmora, Canada. Fruit and grain were completely destroyed. Hundred of windows were broken and other damage was done. Some of the hallstones picked up measure1 six inches in circumference

THE Arion singers of New York City were received at Munich, Bavaria, by the United Singing Societies of that city, and a festival with illumination and firsworks was given in their honor

THE recent account of volcanic eruptions on Great Sanguir Island were confirmed by official dispatches, which said that 2000 per-sons had been killed.

## FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

In the Senate, 135TH DAY .- The General Deficiency bill was discussed -A resolution was agreed to instructing the Committee on Contingent Expenses to inquire into the working of the

immigration laws. immigration laws. 1387H DAY.—The Anti-Option bill was made the unfinished business.—The General Deficiency bill was passed.—Mr. Morgan introduced the bill introduced in the House some time since granting to C. C. Moreno and his associates the right to lay telegraph cables in the Pacific Ocean between the

American and Asiatic coasts. 1377H DAY.-The nomination of George Shiras, of Pennsylvania, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court was received -A partial report of the Finance Com-mittee on the effect of the tariff on prices ente i

138TH DAY .- Mr. Vest spoke in opposi tion to the Anti-Option bill-Mr. Pad-dock reported a bill to provide for the es-tablishmentsprotection and administration of public forest reservations and for other

139TH DAY-The Anti-Option bill was opposed by Messrs. Daniel and White — The bill to accept a bequest made by General George W. Cullum for the erection of a memorial hall at West Point was passed — Mr. Warren addressed the Benate in favor of the bill introduced by him for the Bonate in irrigation and reclamation of arid lands. It was referred to the Committee on Irrigation — The House joint resolutions as to sending from the Patent Office to the World's Columbian Exposition models and drawings of inventions by women, and as to requesting from the Queen Regent of Spain. the municipal government of Genoa and others the loan of relics of Columbus were

140TH DAY .--- The House bill providing for retaliation against Canada in the matter of the Weiland Canal was unanimously passed mitory talk on the in a

### THE ELECTIONS OF 1892.

#### Offices to be Filled and the Dates at Which They Will be Held.

The elections of 1892 inc u le those in all the States for 444 Presidential Electors. which will be held on Tuesday, November S. All will be chosen by the several States at large, except in Michigan, where two will be chosen by the State at large and ten by Con-gressional districts. There are also to be elected the National House of Representatives (two members have already been chosen in Oregon) and State Legislatures, which will choose twenty-six United States Senators (one Senator having already been elected in Rhoie Island by the Legislature chosen this year). The other electlo the year are thus grouped by the Albany

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nited States Senator, vice Gray (Dem.), ovember 8.

Fiorida will elect Governor, State officera nd a Legislature to choose a United States Senator, vice Pasco (Dem.), October 4, and wo Representatives in Congress November 8

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Iowa will elect Secretary of State and even Representatives in Congress Novem-

Kansas will elect Governor, State officers, and eight Representatives in Congress No-

Kentucky will elect eleven Representaves in Congress November 8, Louisiana elected Foster (Dem.) Governor

11 a Democratic Legislature to choose a Inited States Senator, vice Gibson (Dam.) April 18; will elect six Representatives in ongress November 8.

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Congress and Legislature November 8. Massachusetts will elect Governor, State officers, thirteen Representatives in Con-gress, and a Legislature to choose a United States Senator, vice Dawes (Rep.), Novem-

Michigan will elect Governor and State officers, twelve Representatives in Congress, and a Legislature to choose a United States enator, vice Stockbridge (Rep.), November S. Minnesota will elect Governor and State officers, seven Representatives in Congress, and a Legislature to choose a United States Senator, vice Davis (Rep.) November 8. Mississippi will elect seven Representa-tives in Congress November S.

Missouri will elect Goveraor and State officers, fifteen Representatives in Congress, and a Legislature to choose a United States Senator, vice Cockrell (Deni.), November 8. Montana will elect Governor and State officers, a Representative in Congress, and a Legislature to choose a United States Sentor, vice Sanders (Rep.), November 8. Nebraska will elect Governor and State

officers, six Representatives in Congress and a Legislature to choose a United States Senator, vice Paddock (Rep.), November 8. Nevada will elect Supreme Court Judge, 3 Representative in Congress, and a Legisla-ture to choose a United States Senator, vice tewart (Rep.), November 8. New Hampshire will elect Governor and Representatives in Congress Novem

### SUPREME COURT VACANCY.

George Shiras, of Pennsylvania, is Justice Bradley's Successor.

President Harrison has nominated George-Shiras, of Pennsylvania, as an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, thus: filling the vacancy which has existed in the Third Judicial Circuit since the death of

Third Judicial Circuit sizes the death of Associate Justice Bradley. George Shiras, Jr., was born in Pittsburg, Penn., in 1832, where his father also was born and still lives at eighty-eight years of age. One of his sons is a United States District Judge of eight Western States. The populate of a page indicial honors is District Judge of eight Western States. The nominee for new judicial honors is a cousin of ex-Secretary Blaine, with whome he is on intimate terms. He entered the Ohio University in 1851, and entered Yale Law School in 1853. He also studied law in Pittsburg, where he was admitted to the bar, where almost continuously since he has led the uneventful life of a hard worker whose uneventful life of a hard worker who time and thought have been occupied with time and thought have been occupied with his profession. He is one of the very few men upon whom Yale College has con-ferred the degree of LL.D. In 1881, when the great fight against bossism was made in the Pennsylvania Leg-islature, and when a deadlock ex-isted on the selection of a United States Senator, Mr. Shiras, in a secret caucus, was chosen by a majority of two votes as a com-promise for the place. The next morning, however, another caucus was ordered by the political leaders, and John J. Mitchell was nominated and elected, serving until

Mr. Shiras has never been an active partiean. His income from his legal practice is said to be second to no lawyer in the State. As a lawyer he stands very high. His fam-dy consists of his wife and two sons.

The Pittsourg Bar Association and law-yers from all over the State endorsed his. candidacy with much enthusiasm.

#### THE MARKETS.

#### Late Wholesale Prices of Country Produce Quoted in New York.

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Alabama will elect Governor and State officers August 1 and nine Representatives in Congress November 8.

Arkansas will elect Governor and State

Flying machines for use in war have engaged no little attention of late on the part of inventors. Maxim, the designer of the famous gun, claims to have produced one which can be controlled. He declares that he can fill his aerial car with explosives and hover in it over the city of London, holding that great metropolis at ransom to the extent of as many millions of pounds as he chooses to mention. Thus situated he can announce his terms by dropping a small package containing a statement of them and his ultimatum of "Cash or Crash!" His contrivance is a cylinder of aluminum containing a three-fourths vacuum, its collapse being prevented by strong ribs inside. It is propelled and steered by electric gear, and is further sustained and balanced by the wings of a great acroplane, with an automatic arrangement of a compensatory nature that brings the machine immediately back to the horizontal when it tends to vary therefrom.

When Bernard Schmiz, having been in this country twenty-six years, went back to Germany on a visit two years ago, he was seized and put into the German army to serve his term as a German citizen. Vainly his Kansas neighbors sent petitions for his release, as nobody paid any attention to them. Finally his little eleven year old girl, Maggie Schmiz, wrote a letter to the Empress of Germany, in increase in their wages. When their detelling her in artless child fashion how her mother and the children all missed their father, and begging that he might be sent back to them. The letter was neither properly addressed nor stamped, but each official into whose hands it fell sent it on, and at last it reached the Empress. The little girl's plea touched her motherly heart, and through her intercession, as stated by the Berlin papers, Schmiz was released and given free passage back to his home. The neighbors have been celebrating his return, and in a triumphal procession little Maggie had the first place. Thus writes F. W. Howe, the author of "The Story of a Country 'Town," in which (Atchison) this incident has just occurred.

## RIUTOUS REAPERS SHOT.

They Seized Corn to Enforce a Demand For Higher Wages.

A band of 180 reapers, men and women, mployed at Bebar, Hungary, struck for mands were refuse 1 they saized a wagon loaded with corn. declaring that that would be a fair share of the profits. Their em-ployer summened the gendarmes to restore

The Inspector commanding the gen Jarmes gave the command to fire to his men and they poused a volley into the riotous strikers. One of the strikers stabled the inspector. The mob showed no disposition to disperse after they had been fired upon, and the gendarmes, who were armed with Manniicher riffys, fired volley after volley into them, until forty-two rounds were dis charged.

Twelve men and women were killed and many were wounded before the mob was driven from the place. The strikers, for-iunately for themselves, were scattered about the field, and it was owing to this fact that a larger number were not killed or rounded

A DISCREPANCY of \$34,000 has been found the accounts of the Milwaukee (Wis.) Water Department.

Two timber men named Wilcox and Aca were shot and killed by J. J. Bowles at Arkansas City, Ark., during a quarrel about a business transaction.

THE Waters-Piercs Oil Company's ware-Louis, Mo., was destroyed by vuse, in St fire. Loss, \$200,000.

THE remains of J. S. Breedlove and the Pennsylvania capitalist, Fish, have been found in a canyon of the Cocopah Moun-tains, near San Diego, Cal. No trace could be found of Breedlove's son, who started out with the party. These gentlemen left Campo July 4th, in search of a gol d mine on the desert.

#### Washington.

In the House of Representatives the bill appropriating \$5,000,000 to aid the World's Fair in Chicago was defeated.

CHAIRMAN CARTER, of the Republican National Committee, handed to the President his resignation as Commissioner of the General Land Office, and returned to New York to assume active control of the campaign.

PRESIDENT HARRISON reviewed League of American Wheelman, 5000 strong, from the portico of the White House.

The President has signed the Naval Appropriation bill.

COLONEL E. A. CARR, Sixth Cavalry, has been appointed a Brigadier-General of the Army, vice General Stanley, ratired.

LOUIS E. MCCOMAS, of Maryland, has een appointed by Chairman Carter Secretary of the National Republican Committee Mr McComas accepted the position and will begin the discharge of its duties in New York City forthwith.

THE President has nominated the follow Ing to be Consuls of the United States: John A. Barnes, of Illinois, at Chemnitz: Darley R. Bruk, of South Dakota, at Messina; Cyrus W. Field, of New York, at Bruns-wick; Carl Bailey Hurst, of the District of Columbia, at Catania; Charles August Vortriede, of Ohio, at Horgen; Aulick Palmer, District of Columbia, to be Consul-General at Dresden, Germany.

THE President made the following nomina THE President made the following nomina-tions: Charles F. Markell, of Maryland, to be Secretary of the Legation of the United States at Brazil; Adam Everiv, of Pennsyl-vania, to be Consul of the United States at Birmingham

ROBERT AND WILLIAM FINKERTON, the ROBERT AND WILLIAM FINKERTON, the proprietors of what they style "a general detective and watchman business," were put upon the stand by the Congressional Committee arpointed to investigate the Homestead strike, and were questioned as to the methods pursued in the organization of such bands as that which invaded the lit-tic Fenneyivania towa on July 6.

HE President granted par lon in the case of Willard M. Cooper, convicted in New York of passing counterfeit silver dollars, and sentenced in March to two years' imprisonment.

THE Senate, in executive session, con-firmed the following nominations: Envova Extraordinary and Ministers Plenimotenti-ary-Andrew D. White, of New York, to Russia; A. Loudon Snowden, of Pennsyl-vania, to Spain, and Truxton Beale, of Cali-fornia, to Greece, Roumania and Servia. Cyrus W. Field, of New York, was also con-firmed as Consul to Brunswick, Germany.

Foreign.

THE Province of Ravigo, in Northern Italy, was swept by a cyclone, with grant loss of life and property.

stead matter the Senate continued bate on the Anti-Option bill, Mr. White, of Louisana, concluded his speech against the measure.

#### In the House,

158TH DAY .- Discussion of the appropria-on of \$5,000,000 for the World's Fair at hicago was continued.

159TH DAY.-Mr. Broderick introduced a bill forbidding the interstate transportation of armed forces. The measure is aimed at the Pinkertons —The House adopted the Senate joint resolution authorizing the Committee on Labor to make an investi-gation of the slums of cities-Mr. Lind, of Minnesots, on behalf of the of the committee appo minority investigate the administration of the Pension Office, submitted the views of the minority -An evening session was held for three Office hours, during which the World's Fair ap-propriation was debated.

160rH DAY. - The Senate amendment to Sundry Civil bill, appropriating \$5,000,000 for the World's Fair was non-concurred in; the Sunday closing proviso was concurred in. The Sundry Civil bill was then passed as amended, and the Speaker appointed Representatives Holman, Say-ers and Bingham as the conferees -A resolution was passed for the appoint-ment of a special committee of five members to investigate the election laws and methods in the city and county of Naw York conference report on the Fortification bill was agreed to.

161st DAY .- The bill to raise life-savers pay was passed; that to give American registry to the Chinzse was defeated ----- The report of the Yellowstone Park Investigating Committee comments upon the alleged exer tion by Russell Harrison of influence with the Government in favor of a corporation. 162D DAY .- The bill for retaliation against Canada in canal tolls was passed — Mr. Hooker, of Mississippi, from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, reported the bill to provide for the calling of an international arbitration congress — The Senate bill was passed for the examina tion and promotion of enlisted men of the army to the grade of Second Lieutenant. Also Senate bill for the collection, custody and arrangement of military records of t Revolutionary War and the War of 1812.

163p DAY.-The discussion of the Senata amendments to the General Deficiency bill occupied the entire session and none of them was agreed to.

### A PITCHED BATTLE.

Attempts to Attach a Circus Result in a Free-for-All Riot.

There was a serious riot in the village of Phoenix, N. Y., a few nights ago, in which two persons were fatally hurt. It grew out of an attempt on the part of Deputy Sheriff Vickery and two officers to attach the prop-erty of Downie & Callagher, circus owners. The combination travels by canal, and while on the way to Phoenix from Oswego the circus boats ran into and damaged a canal boat. The managers refused to settls, and attachment papers were taken out. When the officers went to serve them the circuit men resisted and began shooting. The vil-lagers were attracted to the scene, and a gen-eral skirmish resulted, during which one of the circus hands and one of the officers were fatally hurt.

A large crowd assembled, and threats of lynching the circus men in a body were made. The wrath of the crowd was finally appeased when twelve of the circus hanzs were literally dragged to jail. The villagers guarded the jail all night to prevent tues from escaping.

New Jersey will elect Governor and State officers, eight Representatives in Congress, and a Legislature to choose a United States Senator, vice Blodgett (D.m.), November S. New York will elect Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals, thirty-four Representatives in Congress, and the Assembly of 128 members to take part in the election of a Inited States Senator, vice Hiscock (Rep.), November 8 North Carolina will elect Governor and

State officers and nine Representatives in ongress November 8

North Dakota will elect Governor and State officers, a Representative in Congress, and a Legislature to choose a United States Senator, vice Casey (Rep.), November 8. Ohio will elect Secretary of State and wenty-one Representatives in Congress

ovember 8. Oregon elected Supreme Court Judge and two Republican Representatives in Congress

June 6. Pennsylvania will elect thirty Representa tives in Congress and a Legislature to choose a United States Senator, vice Quay

(Rep.), November 8. Rhode Island elected Republican Gover-Rh nor and a Republican Legislature, which has elected Aldrich (Rep.) to the United States Senate April 6, and will elect two Represen-

Congress November 8. South Carolina will elect Governor and State officers and seven Representatives in tatives in

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Congress November 8. Tennessee will elect Governor and State officers, ten Representatives in Congress, and a Legislature to choose a Unitei States Senator, vice Bate (Dem.), November S. Texas will elect Governor and State officers and thirteen Representatives in Congress, November 8.

Vermont will elect Governor and State officers, two Bepresentatives in Congress, and a Legislature to choose a United States and a Legislature to choose a United States Senator, vice Proctor (Rep.), September 6. Virginia will elect ten Representatives in Congress November 8th. The Legislature will elect United States Senator, vice Hun-

ton, appointed pro tem. Washington will elect Governor and State

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States Senator, vice Faulkner (Dem.). ovember 8.

Wisconsin will elect Governor and State Wisconsin will elect Governor and State officers, ten Representatives in Congress, and a Legislature to choose a United States Senator, vice Sawyer (Rep.), November 8. Wyoming will elect Governor and State officers, a Representative in Congress, and a Legislature to choose a United States Sena-tor vice Warren (Rep.), November 8.

#### EIGHT PRISONERS KILLED.

#### Extraordinary Mortality Due to One Flash of Lightning.

The Warden of the Penitantiary at Zacatecas, Mexico, reports that a few days ago three prisoners, who were serving life sentences for robbery, were instantly killed by an electric discharge during the progress of a thunder stor.n, and ten more were made insensible by it, five of that number having since died from their injuries. CHAIN NO

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