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PITTSBURG, WEDNESDAY, FEB. 5, 1890.

RECEPTION VS DELEGATES.

The irrepressible Chal Dick, who was a striking figure in the days of relief work at Johnston, declares that the delegates of Cambria county were begged for Delamater through the general impression that no one would oppose Hastings. That being the case, it appears that General Hastings' friends in that county are chiefly blame for their failure to look after the interest of their candidate.

THE BUSTLER FRACKE.

The day after the national House of Representatives completes its fight by beating a contestant by party predictions, the West Virginia Legislature follows suit by deciding the Governorship of that State with a similar vote. The West Virginia people showed a little more respect for the principles of popular government than the House did, by taking a good deal more time to investigate the case, but the estimate of the quality of a strict party vote shows the case to have been decided upon the same principle.

THE CONCLUSION OF THE MATTER.

The forcible declaration is made by the New York Sun that Thomas C. Platt's injection of politics into the New York World's Fair project may "blow up the World's Fair," but is likely to send the Republican politicians "sky high with it."

A PARTY PROGRAMME.

An election in two counties of Ohio yesterday was expected to settle the political complexion of Ohio and make a possible change of 15 votes in the national House of Representatives. This will eventuate from the fact that if the Democrats get control of the Ohio Senate they will correct the Republican error of their State by a Democratic majority.

A VIOLANTE VERMEGERICHT.

The reminiscences of the early history of Montana which have been produced by the election of Sanders to the United States Senate by the Republican branch of the legislature under equally outrageous conditions, ruled by the vigilantes of whom Sanders, aided by John X. Beidler, was the active chief.

GOOD FOR QUEBEC PAPAS.

The Legislature of the Province of Quebec has just passed a law giving a hundred acres of the public lands to the father of twelve living legitimate children. The act which makes this remarkable provision says no more of the principle presumably underlying it than that the gift is intended as a mark of "consideration for fruitfulness in the sacred and civil bonds of matrimony."

THE HATTEN LEGATION.

They Hand in Their Resignations Because of an Imperative Reason. New York, February 4.—The resignation of the Hatten Legation, and of Deslandes, the Consul at that port, have resigned, their resignations having been asked for, and they have accepted of them.

IT WILL BE A CORPORATION NOW.

St. Louis, February 4.—It is announced here on reliable authority that the preliminary steps have been taken to transfer the National Lined Oil Trust, which has its inception in this city, into a corporation with a capital of \$10,000,000.

abandon his claims to the favorites of the secret court, requires something more convincing than the verbal statement of the men engaged in such things. The very fact that such a system gave free play to denunciations for personal revenge, or sentences to secure possession of desirable property, is enough to condemn it.

THE RECORDS OF DESTRUCTION.

The story told by the succession of papers in the Orphans' Court books of Cambria county devoted to the settlement of the estates of persons who died "about 4:30 P. M. May 31, 1888," is a solemn and enduring record of the destruction of the great food.

TWO KINDS OF PAPERS.

One of the most interesting contributions to the thoughtful side of the recent Press Club banquet in this city was Mr. George Williams' paper of declination. A paragraph in that letter ran thus: "Whatever may be truly said of individual offenses, I am very sure that the American press is the most truly popular conservative force in the country, and that it has fully justified its right to the freedom which it won in this city in the name of John Peter Zenger, one hundred and fifty years ago."

PEOPLE OF PROMINENCE.

The Bishop of Durham, England, has been offered to the Dean of Windsor. James C. Hill, Jr., of Richmond, recently accepted the position of highest point of Mount Popocatepetl, in Mexico. The Earl of Zetland, Viceroy of Ireland, has his first cabinet in London.

BOOKS BRING GOOD FRUITS.

Spirited Bidding at the Public Sale of the Barlow Collections. NEW YORK, February 4.—The second day's sale of the collection of books of Lawyer Barlow, which was published by spirit, bidding, chiefly among the agents of large libraries. The main interest centered in the books containing the famous letters of Columbus.

DEATHS OF A DAY.

Mrs. Margaret Herron. On Sunday last died Mrs. Margaret Herron, a lady, who from her age and numerous offspring, might have lived in patriarchal times. Mrs. Herron had almost complete command of her faculties, and she died at her residence, 1022 E. 10th street, at 10 o'clock yesterday morning.

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THE TOPICAL TALKER.

Dividing a Horse Unfits a Job for Shopping Tours.—The Undertaker Meant Well in His Play Tricks.—A Word to Mr. Witt. The wife of a Pittsburg merchant who resides some little distance out of town had occasion to hire a carriage the other day from a livery stable to take a shopping tour.

THE MONTHLY MEETING.

The monthly meeting of the Pittsburg branch of the United Literary and Scientific Circle will be held at the chapel of the Y. M. C. A. building on Thursday evening of this week, February 6.

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THE CLOSING SCENE OF THE FAMOUS CASES IN WEST VIRGINIA.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. CHARLESTON, W. Va., February 4.—Judge Fleming has been declared Governor of West Virginia by the joint assembly of the two Houses. The end of the long agony came at 11:30 this morning, and the Democrats went by a majority of three votes, President Carl of the Senate, voting for the Democrats.

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CURIOS CONDENSATIONS.

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