FORTY-FIFTH YEAR,

ty of the New Rules.

ton, of West Virginia.

United States.

legality of this action. The case will event-

(FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.)

tested election case of Atkinson vs. Pendle-

ton, in the Pirst Virginia District, was de-

Atkinson, the contestee. The Democrats re-

REED COUNTS A QUORUM.

WASHINGTON, February 27 .- The con-

present Congress.

the new code of ruler.

with great interest.

ber of the House of Representatives.

EXCEEDINGLY IMPORTANT.

dleton's favor all the actions of Congress in

which Mr. Atkinson takes part will be viti-

ated, and an enormous quantity of litigation

may ensue over the legality of hills passed.

Pendleton will bring his case into court.

hang his case upon."

on important business.

MR. DALEELL'S OPINION.

to have the test made. Four or five of the

CLEVELAND CLEARS \$100,000.

Real Estate Operator.

THROW A STAFF COMMESSIONDENT ?

that the pince was practically a gift to Mr.

prophesied that property in this section

An electric railway is well under way

through the property purchased by the syn-

may enable the investors to sell at a profit,

Washington, the grading and paving of

other vast expenditures as inducements for

individuals to purchase lots and build, are

more than will be repaid in the next quar-ter of a century. The general opinion is that Cleveland is far shrewder than the in-

ANOTHER POSTOFFICE FIGHT.

Working to Her Behalf.

FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT, I

WASHINGTON, February 27 .- A delega-

postoffice at that place. It consisted of Col.

J. M. Reed, W. M. Fuller and R. E. Hop-

secure the office for Mrs. Reed, who is one

They visited the Postoffice Department

and presented Mrs. Reed's case to Mr. Wan-

amaker, and they then called upon Con-

A SOUTH AMERICAN ROAD

resaman Ray at the Capitol to solicit his

wood, and the object of their visit was to

vesting syndicate.

of the applicants.

streets where there are no dwellings, and

dicate, and this means of transportation

the suburban development around

LIGHTNER,

PITTSBURG. FRIDAY.

FEBRUARY 28, 1890.

HE BRIBED HIS RIVAL One Ohio Democratic Senator Not Satisfied With the Gerrymander-Cincinnati To Give Up the Girl Both Loved for Politically Reorganized-The

THE BILL IN DANGER.

Australian System. COLUMBUS, February 27 .- The Congressional redistricting bill was read the second time in the Senate to-day, and Senator Soncrant, Democrat, made an effort to have it referred to a special committee of three, with himself as chairman, in order that he might secure an amendment and relieve himself of the embarrassment caused by Lucas and Erie counties being placed in the same district. He was unable, however, to secure the reference, and the bill went through to the Committee on Privileges and Elections, to be reported next week. It is the opinion of many that the Democrats

ication of the same.

The bill abolishing the Cincinnati board of public works and creating a board of im-provements passed the Senate and is a law. It disposes of Foraker Republicans in office, and inducts Campbell Democrats. More than a hundred patriots are here from Cin-cinnati who want to be members of the new board. Governor Campbell has the appointment of the board and it is insisted that it is

ing for a State board of elections, which charge of the printing and distribution of powers. The secrecy of the ballot under the bill is to be secured by the Australian

THE CHINESE MAY GO

Back to the Celestial Empire to Engage in Gold Mining-Mongolians With Experience Will be at a Premium There.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.) NEW YORK, February 27 .- New York Chinamen are greatly excited just at present over the reports of the recent discoveries of rich gold mines in Northern China. Quite a number are expecting letters from If satisfactory they will at once sail for new gold field. A number of Chinese laundrymen have already advertised their shops for sale to raise the necessary means to get back to China. Most all of these Chinaerally circulated among the Chinamen here that inasmuch as no Christians will be per-

Yii, anold miner of California. He was the prospector and discoverer of the new mines, and it is believed he will stick to his old California comrades by giving them the first show. Mock Wing, the rich Chinese coast and landed the marine guard on importer, an old friend of the now famous Tong Yii, said that there was every induce-ment for the thousands of Chinese gold miners of America to go into these Chinese mines. First, because there will be no per-secution, and, second, the Chinese Govern-ment levies no tax upon either the mine or that night some food having been floated full extent of the law.

miles distant.

Mr. Bemis asserts that the railroads are Calla took the men on board, and immedi-using the project to cover the grabbing of a stely placed White and Kline under susclique of boodlers are trying to steal in with

Leaves Only Two Survivors Out of a Schoon-

er's Cresy. NEW YORK, February 27 .- Malarial fever in its worst form did deadly work among the crew of the schooner A. M. Brundrit, of St. Johns, Newfoundland, on her voyage When she arrived this morning only her captain and one sailor were left to navigate her. Three of the crew had died of the fever on the voyage, and one sailor lay more dead than alive in the cabin. For three weeks Captain Foote, with the ssistance of his one remaining seaman, navigated the schooner and attended to the

EDITORS UP IN ARMS.

MONTRHAL, February 27 .- The French A BLIZZARD IN KANSAS, of Cold and Bunger.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAN TO THE DISPATCH. 1 WICHITA, KAN., February 27 .- All day the mercury hovered about 100 below zero, last year. A violent northwest wind added greatly to the discomfort. It is now

legs will be necessary.

Many hundred head of cattle have already died and should the blizzard continue a few days, cattlemen say the loss will this week Louis Neebe, brother of Oscar be as great as that sustained eight years ago. The situation in Morton, and Hodgman counties s from 50 to 100 miles from railroads. The distributing committee in Stevens has sent out many wagons and agents look-ing for the poor, but the cold is so intense that it is impossible to make long drives. It is understood that

LINCOLN STILL LIVE

A Palso Report of His Death the Ca S Much Trouble - The Wonderin Vitality of the Lad - His Present Condition.

LONDON, February 27 .- [Copyright.]-Eminent physicians and surgeons, who, at a cost of something like \$250 daily, have been in attendance on young Abraham Lincoln since his removal from Paris weeks ago, are unanimously of the opinion that they have never treated a patient, youth or adult, of such marvelous recupera-tive powers. Operations of a most exhaust-

strongest man. On Tuesday night, for instance, the death agony seemed undeniably to have com-menced, and the doctors were so certain that death was at hand that they didn't think it seemly or necessary to disturb or pain the dying boy by dressing the wounds made by the surgeons' knives. Yet young Abraham a woke yesterday from prolonged death-like stuper with eyes almost healthfully bright and amilingly conscious of those around. Minister Lincoln alone had port of New York after Captain McKenzie refused to abandon hope, and hailed the apparent improvement as justification for his optimism. But a change for the worse soon

set in. Several painful operations were performed. The patient gradually col-

lapsed, and at 10 o' clock last night the doc-

tors announced that death must occur

within an hour, primarily owing to effusion on the lungs.

The night was one of intense suffering for the brave little patient, but again his wonderful constitution triumphed. In the early morning he regained consciousness, which fittully he maintained throughout the day the most unhappy shin probably that ever came into port. In the course of the cruise desertions had been frequent, and day. Two operations were performed to-day, giving relief which doctors describe significantly as "at least temporary." As I cable at midnight young Lincoln lies in a semicomatose state, and hope is in the ascend-

> Minister Lincoln has to-day received a large number of cablegrams of sympathy prompted by a false and inexcusable report of his death, apparently, published in the American newspapers. It is impossible for im to send more than a general message of thanks by means of the press, for nearly worn out with watching, and can think of little save his suffering son.

TO REFORM THE ARMY. iomo Severe Strictures Upon the Method in

Vegue in England. LONDON, February 27 .- The report of he Marquis of Hartington's commission on the army and navy will appear next week. It is severe on the War Office system, which it finds to be extravagant, cumbrous and inefficient. It dwells with emphasis upon the fact that the re-sponsibility of all heads of bureaus is only nominal, and it proposes to abolish the posi-tion of Commander in Chief, now held by the Duke of Cambridge, and to substitute a military Chief of Staff to be assisted by an

Advisory Board, to whom all heads of de-partments shall be directly responsible. It advises that the power of granting warrants be withdrawn from the Secretary of tate and be invested in Parliament. It declares that the navy is well organized and admirably managed.

PAUNCEFOTE IN TROUBLE, The Present Beltish Minister at Washington May Soon be Recalled.

[BY DUNL AP'S CABLE COMPANY.] LONDON, February 27 .- Minister Pauncefote, being found not quite sympathetic with Lord Salisbury on many important questions of policy, will in future be as-sisted by a high official from Canada, Mr. Duncan wanted to know how it was probably Sir Charles Tupper, whose mission, however, will be very temporary. probably sail this week. The difficulty arises through Stanley, Salisbury and Pauncefote holding divergent opinions on the fisheries question and the situation in Canada, which cause the dispatches between the three to be slightly incoherent.

It is rumored in high quarters that Pauncefote will shortly be superseded.

BISMARCK WILL NOT ATTEND. The German Labor Conference Will Pro-

coed Without His Presence. BERLIN, February 27 .- Austria, Italy, Holland, Switzerland, Denmark and Sweden have accepted the invitations to the Berlin Labor Conference. Neither Prince Bismarck nor Count Hezbert Bismarck will

attend. The Behring Sen Dispute Not Settled. LONDON, February 27 .- The Rt. Hon. Sir James Fergusson, Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, denied in the House of Commons that the Behring Sea question had been settled. Negotiations,

he said, are still proceeding. More Money for the Military. LONDON, February 27 .- The House of Commons has authorized the expenditure of \$20,000,000 in improving and extending the

military barracks throughout the country. Russin Getting Ready for Action.

ST. PETERSBURG, February 27. - The Russian army maneuvers for next summer will be on the most colossal scale

THAT LOTTERY SCHEME. The Money Rendy as Soon as the Sandager

Bill Becomes a Law.

BISMARCK, N.D., February 27.-This significant telegram from New Orleans has been received by the editor of the Bismarck Trib.

If the Sandager bill becomes a law we will

perfect the organization at once, incorporate under the act, and pay the money into the

State Treasury at once.
M. A. DAUPHIN, President, The above refutes General Early's asser-

tion that the Louisiana company had nothing to do with the Sandager bill. The Tribune publishes the telegram as a refutation of the Fargo Republicans' statement The Tribune says there is no question but faith, and that if the Sandager bill was with a request that he present them. enacted relief to the empty treasury would speedily be had. Dauphin's dispatch is in the present, not the past tense.

VERY ANXIOUS TO DROWN.

River and Lies Down.

Thomas Miller, aged 55 years, attempted to drown himself in the Monongahela river at the foot of Ferry street shortly before 1 o'clock this morning. Officer William Smith saw him and prevented the acccomplishment of his purpose by arresting and sending him to Central station,

The method by which Miller Intended drowning was by walking out a little way from the bank and laying down in the water. He tried the same act early in the evening, but was intercepted. Miller lives at Nuttridge's Hotel, Diamond street. His occupation is not known.

Miller is an old man, with a long white beard. He said that years ago he was a teacher in the Grant street school, and C. L. Magee was one of his pupils.

James Russell Lewell Seriously Ill.

THREE CENTS

> ancils Show Their Capacty for Tall Hustling.

RAPID TRANSIT NOWHERE.

Eleven Street Railroad Ordinances Passed in a Hurry.

THE YEAR'S ESTIMATES INDORSED.

Millage for Each Ward in the City,

With County Tax. THE SOURCES OF THE DEFICIENCY

Both branches of Conneil met yesterday in special session and passed the appropriation ordinance, as previously published.

They also passed ten street railroad ordinances, with an eleventh ordinance covering all of them. This latter action was practically unanimous. Yesterday was a field day in Councils. both branches meeting in special session,

the subjects under discussion being of paramount importance to every taxpayer in the city, the appropriation ordinance for the current year and some 11 street railroad ordinances o ccupying the attention of each branch. The street rallroad ordinances were asked to be deferred until the next regular meeting of Councils on Monday by S. D. Warmenstle, but the motion being defeated by 29 to 2, he changed his vote on the final passage of the ordinances to aye.

In the Common branch Mr. Waggoner, of the Sixteenth ward, in discussing the appropriation ordinance, wanted \$50,000 deducted from the park appropriations to be applied to the improvement of Liberty avenue. This was defeated and the ordinance passed as first presented.

MILLIONS COULD BE USED.

In Common Council, where the appropriation ordinance was necessarily first considered, after the objections of Mr. Waggoner, Mr. Carnahan said that to repair all the streets that needed it an appropriation of \$6,000,000 or \$3,000,000 would be required. The Sixteenth ward got two streets this year, and all the money couldn't be used in that one ward. He objected strenuously to cutting down the parks. Over half the \$200,000 was for buying property, and the rest was only about enough to make approaches to the park.

Mr. Carnahan denied that there was more than a very small sum in the ordinance for deficiencies. Abundance of money was appropriated last year, but it wasn't all paid: \$293,000 was in the hands of delinquent collectors or represented by liens against property. It was absurd to say there was a deficiency because people did not pay their taxes. There was no under-estimate except for liquor licenses, and Councils could not tell what a court could do. There were two extraordinary expenses last year. One was the Red pond and the other was the fight in court over the assessments, which took money. He maintained that the ordinance that \$190,000 of the \$262,000 fixed for street appropriation was to be spent in six cou-tiguous wards. He was answered that the

streets were main avenues, and said he was PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Some spirited discussion followed, on the application of small sums, between members from the East End, Southside, and Seven-teenth and Thirteenth wards, participated in by Messrs. Sam Duneau, Hugh son, McGonnigle and others, and the ordinance went to a final vote. It was passed by a vote of 36 aves, all the members present voting in the affirmative. The absent members were Messrs, Baum, Culbertso Douthett, Gardner, Hannau, Lydon, Mo-Dermott Steineeke and Wightman Mr. Magee also presented an ordinance fixing the salary of the clerk of the Depart

ment of Charities at \$1,500, which was Mr. Carnahan called up the ordinance reestablishing the grade of Brereton street; passed. Mr. Ferguson refused to vote on

this ordinance because a copy of the bill was not on his desk as the law requires. Mr. Waggener also refused to vote. . The Duquesne Traction Company ordinance, which had just been passed in Select

Council, was taken up and passed without a word of discussion. Then the other ordinances that are a part of the system-the Craig street railway, the Highland street railway, the Larimer street railway, the Howe street railway, the East Eud Railway Company, the Wilkinsburg and East End Railway Company, the Wilkinsburg Railway Company, the Duquesne Rathway Company, the Market Street Railway Company-

The passage of the ordinance re-establishing the grade of Brereton avenue was reconsidered, as it was stated that the new grade would destroy the street. The question will be considered at the next meeting.

SOME MORE OF THE SAME.

Mr. Carnahan presented ordinances grant-

ing the right of way to the Ellsworth Street Passenger Railway Company from Fifth avenue and Neville street, along Neville street to Ellsworth street, and along that street to South Highland avenue; and to the Negley Avenue and Roup Street Passenger Railway Company from Fifth avenue and Roup street, along Roup street, Negley avenue and Stanton avenue to Highland avenue. Both are double track roads, can use cables or electricity, must be commenced in nine months and finished in two years, and have the usual restrictive conditions. They were referred. Mr. Carnahan said the ordinances were handed to him by Colonel Elkins, of the Fifth avenue line,

Mr. Duncan presented an ordinance extending the time of completing the Pittsburg Passenger Railway Company to March 1, Passenger Railway Company to March 1, 1891. This is the line projected for Webster avenue. Mr. Bigham presented an ordinance locating the intersection of Grace and Woodville avenues in the Thirty-second ward. Mr. Binder presented a resolution requesting the Chief of the Department of Public Works to confer with the authorities f Beltzhoover borough in reference to having that part of Washington avenue which is the dividing line between the city borough put in good condition. All the pa-

EVERYTHING GOES.

ALL IN SIGHT. First the Traction Road Ordinances Co.

Through, and Then the Appropriation Provisions Are Enten-All as Slick as Clockwork-No Friction at All.

was a communication from Controller Morrow, stating that the assessors' reports of the last triennial assessment were printed and ready for distribution, and suggesting that they be turned over to the City Trensurer

TO KEEP IT QUIET.

Senators Determined to Preserve the Sccrecy of Executive Sessions - The Extraordinary Preenutions Which Are New Being Democrats to Test the Legali-Taken by Them.

WASHINGTON, February 27 .- The Dolph Investigating Committee to-day continued seedings of executive sessions of the Sen-REED COUNTS A QUORUM For the Purpose of Bonneing Pendle-THE CASE WILL BE CARRIED UP room from the corridor, 20 feet away from the Senate walls, was securely locked, in To the Supreme Judicial Tribunal of the order to keep out any newspaper men who

might have succeeded in evading the cordon of guards at the bottom of the stairs.

The doorkeepers were all required to ove their chairs and their positions further GROVER AS A REAL ESTATE OPERATOR, away from the Hely of Holies. Up to the present time they have been allowed to stay sithin six fect of the doors, but now they nust move to a minimum distance of ten ect. This rule in several instances pushed Atkinson now occupies a sent in Congress, representing the First West Virginia keepers into committee rooms on the opdistrict. Pendleton, Democrat, was bounced site side of the corridors. Heretofore it has yesterday. Four less than a quorum voted, on regarded as sufficient to shut and lock the two doors which separate the press gal-lery and the press lobby, where the workers but Speaker Reed counted more than

enough. The Democrats will now test the most of their writing. What the Senate expects to accomplish by this change is not clear. Reporters generally are not dull of hearing, but it was never charged that they could hear through four feet of solid wall or through two heavy ually go to the Supreme Court. The decision will affect all the legislation of the cors-one of iron and two inches thick, the other of wood, an inch and a half thick, and covered with terra cotta baine.

A GOOD SALARY FOR HAMILTON.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH.

The Surgeon General of the Marine Hospital elded to-day by the House in favor of Mr. to Get \$6,000 a Year.

frained from voting, in order to have the WASHINGTON, February 27 .- The Senate case decided by less than what they claim to-day passed a bill fixing the salary of Dr. to be a constitutional quorum, and thus give Hamilton, the Surgeon General of the them an opportunity to test the legality of Marine Hospital Service, at \$6,000 a year. An attempt was made to arrange the salary of this official so that he should hereafter receive the same sum and The Republicans mustered 162 votes, four allowance now given by law to the Surgeon General of the Army. It was less than a quorum, and the Speaker counted pointed out by Senztors Chandler and Manderson, however, that to use such puraseology in the bill would probably re-71 Democrats present and not voting. Mr. Atkinson then appeared before the bar of the House and the oath of office was adminsult in Dr. Hamilton drawing much more istered to him. Mr. Pendleton proposes to than \$6,000, as it would give him the advantage of longevity pay and other perqui-sites belonging to army officers. Mr. George opposed the bill, and when told by Senator test the constitutionality of this action by the House and to carry the case into the courts. In this he will be supported by the Cullom that it was offered for the purpose of equalizing Dr. Hamilton's pay with that of Democrats, and the result will be awaited the Surgeon General of the Army, Mr. George replied that the better way to The case will be brought in either a West qualize the salaries would be to reduce of the Surgeon General of the Army to Virginia or a District of Columbia court, 1,000, the amount new drawn by Dr. Ham-ton. Mr. George also suggested that it under que warrante proceedings, and will eventually land in the United States Suald be better for the Government to spend surplus funds in behalf of people made preme Court, where the final decision will estitute by floods and other calamities than be made on the question by what warrant or by raising salaries. The office of Surgeon right Mr. Atkinson holds his seat as a memeneral of the Marine Hospital Service is a ureau of the Tressury Department, and the pay of Dr. Hamilton is thus made equal to of the highest priced Treasury The decision will be of great importance, in Washington, the Treasurer of the United for the reason that, should it be in Mr. Pen-States, who also receives \$5,000 a year.

SHOOTING IN A TRAIN.

Wemen Scream and Faint and Men Dodge Behind the Sants. St. Louis, February 27. - Mark A.

If the decision is in favor of Mr. Atkinson then the right of a Speaker of the House to Baren, a Chicago gambler, was shot an dangerously wounded by Charles Hatfield, "The Republicans of the House are not at of Henderson, Ky., on an Iron Mountain all sorry that the opportunity has been oftrain near Dexter, Mo. Tuesday night about fered to test the new rules," said Mr. Dalo'clock. Baren and a companion, George zell. "The rights of the presiding officer to Jones, also of Chicago, had engaged in a game of poker with Hatfield and a count a quorum has been recognized from the earliest history of Congress and the raveling man named Kellar, It was point will be settled once for all if Mr. game, and Hatfield, who looked like a farmer, but evidently was not canche the idea after losing about \$700, and started for Baren with an nely looking revolver in "The House, by the Constitution, is made his hand. He first struck Baren with the the sole judge of the qualifications of its weapon, then shot him in the wrist and ght breast, inflicting ugly and possibly members and it certainly has the right to make its own rules. For these reasons I

atal wounds. There was a wild scene on the train. don't see that Mr. Pendleton has much to Women screamed and fainted and men dodged behind seats until the shooting The Republicans made no effort to secure was all over. Hatfield turned when his re the attendance of their absent members to volver was emptied and coolly walked into make a quorum, but were perfectly willing the next car. Baren was carried to Poplar Bluff, and when he reached there was unconscious from loss of blood. No effort was absentees are sick and the others are away nade to eateh Hatfield, who left the train before it reached Poplar Bluff, it being evi-

SHERMAN'S TRUST MEASURE

The Ex-President a Great Success as a Comes Up in the Senate and Meets With

Vigorous Opposition WASHINGTON February 27 -The sale of WASHINGTON, February 27 .- The Senthe country place of ex-President Cleveland ate to-day took up the bill to declare unlawful trusts and combinations in restraint for \$140,000 to a syndicate of Californians is the sensation of the day in real estate cir. of trade and production. Mr. Sherman, who reported the bill from the Committee eles. By this transaction Mr. Cleveland on Finance, said that he had been instructed clears at least \$100,000, even admitting that by the committee to move to strike out the he paid the price for the property which was third section, which fixes penalties for the aumounced at the time. It has always been asserted by responsible real estate dealers was constitutional) and on the ground that beom suburban property in this direction. Congress had not the constitutional power to When Cieveland was defeated it was

Mr. George's argument was mainly of a would suffer a collapse, but the vast capital legal and technical character, designed to prove that it would be impossible ever to get invested has been powerful enough to prevent that, and this new deal will give it a a conviction under the bill; and, as to the civil suits provided for in it, he said that no such events would ever be instituted and not one would be successful. He characterized the bill as a measure that would aggravate rather than diminish the evil. The bill went over without action.

INSTEAD OF A WORLD'S FAIR

Washington is to Have a \$75,000 Statue of Christopher Columbus.

WASHINGTON, February 27 .- A bill passed the Senate to-day for the erection and location of a bronze statue of Christopher Columbus and the removal of the naval nonument to a new site. The bill printer \$75,000, and fixes as the site for the The Friends of a Connellsville Weman tatue the circle on the western entrance to the Capitel on Pennsylvania avenue, where the naval monument now sta-The contract is to be made by the Secre ary of the Navy, the Chairman of the Joint tion from Connellsville was to-day in the mittee on the Library, and the architect city in connection with the contest over the

A VICTORY FOR WARMOUTH.

The Louisinen Carpet Bagger Will Probably be Confirmed by the Senate. WASHINGTON, February 27 .- By what is vote the Senate Committee on Commerce today ordered a invorable report on the nom-

inderstood to be a practically unanimous ination of ex-Governor Warmouth to be Collector of Customs at New Orleans. It is understood that the nomination will receive considerable Democratic support when it comes before the Senate for confirmation.

Pell Still in the Tumbs.

NEW YORK, February 27 .- The grand jury had President Claussen under examination to-day. To-morrow is the last day made for a line of railroad extending South of the February term, and they will then probably hand in whatever indictments they have found. Pell had not secured bail this the city of Sucre, and to detail officers in afternoon, and was again locked up in the few minutes later and wrecked nearly all the public service to prosecute the work.

Tombs.

A TOO ARDENT LOVER

Arrested for Persecuting the Object of His Affections-He Chargesn Priest With Being the Cause of All His Trouble-Two Staries.

SEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. NEW YORK, February 27 .- George J. Whitbred, 28 years old, a cashier in the Asits inquiry into the methods by which pro- tor House restaurant, was arraigned to-day before Justice Walsh, accused of disorderly ate became public. Under the new rule | conduct. Father Ward had caused the arput into effect, when the Senate went into | rest of Whitbred last night. For some time executive session, the press lobby, in which Whitbred had been an admirer of Miss are located the Capitol offices of the Asso- Katie Jacques, a pretty 20-year-old teacher cinted Press and United Press, as well as in St. Charles' Parochial School, and has all committee rooms on the gallery floor, | persisted in his attentions to the young lady, were cleared, and strict watch kept over although she has frequently told him that them until the Senate doors were opened again. The door leading into the document sent her letters declaring his undying love and how impossible it would be for him to live without her, and has also annoyed her

greatly by meeting her unexpectedly and pressing his suit. When passing into the church with her aunt, Miss McCabe, last night Miss Jacques noticed Whitbred standing a few feet away, but he didn't interfere with her. As she was leaving the church, however, after the services. Whitbred suddenly approached her and demanded that she should go with him immediately to the priest's house and get married. Miss Jacques and her aunt hurried back into the vestry and out by another exit, and went to the parochial residence. Father Ward called a policeman and had Whitbred, who was still lingering

near the vestry door, arrested.
"This young man," Father Ward said, "was sent to the College of the Propaganda five years ago by the late Rev. Dr. O'Donnell. He soon came back and for some time taught school for me. It was while he was engaged that he became acquainted with Miss Jacques. He subsequently went to St.
Leonard's Academy. He has been bothering
the life out of Miss Jacques, and she has tried
everything to keep out of his way, but with-

out success. Miss Jacques hasn't the slightest desire to marry him." This is what Whitbred himself said:
"Katie and I have been engaged to be married, but her aunt, Miss Cabe, and Father Ward are keeping her away from me. They have tried in every possible way to keep me from seeing her. I love her and cannot live without her, and it the girl were allowed to have her own way she would marry me.' Whitbred has sent letters to Rome com plaining about the interference of Father

Ward in his love affair. DESPERATE ATTEMPT AT MURDER,

Prominent Physician Assunited in His Office at Midnight. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCILA COLUMBUS, February 27 .- An effort was made at 11 o'clock to-night to assassinate Dr. Alexauder Neil, a physician of considerable local reputation. A large, burly man called and asked the doctor to attend his wife, and when the door was opened he sprang into the hall and said he had come to kill him. The stranger drew a revolver and placed it at the head of the physician, but the latter grabbed him and in the scuffle succeeded in wrenching the revolver from his hands and it rell to the floor, while the would-be assassin escaped through the door.

A few minutes afterward a stone was thrown through the plate glass door of the Neil residence. The name of Dr. Neil was prominently used in connection with the recent death in this city of Psyche Fallis,

intruder of to-night may have been a rela-tive of the deceased girl seeking venguance.

EVANGELICAL CONFERENCE.

Three Serious Charges Preferred Against Bishop J. J. Esher. SHAMOKIN, February 27 .- The Eastern Pennsylvania Evangelical Conference was opened this morning by Bishop J. J. Esher. of Chicago. The roll call showed 165 minpreferred against Bishop Esher by four eiders. The charges were of such a nature that the committee considered a trial abso-Church, Reading. Bishop Esher was then conested to vacate the chair, but he deobligated to occupy the chair, and his duty would not permit him to vacate it. The harges against Bishop Esher are: slander and evil speaking; second, fulsehood; third, creating dissensions by perpetuating and intensitying the agitation in our church and disturbing her peace by a re-vival of old and previously adjusted diffi-

culties and differences." EXTENSIVE LUMBER FRAUDS.

The Government Sold to Have Been Swin

died Out of Many Millions. PAPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH, I CALAIS, ME., February 27 .- It has just come to the surface here that the recent charge of alleged extensive lumber frauds on the St. Croix river has attracted the attention of Treasury officials at Washington, and that an investigation by a board of special agents will be inaugurated in a few offense of entering the trusts or combina-tions. Mr. George opposed the bill, both on the ground of its inefficiency (if the bill the Government inquisitors with a broaddays. The lumber kings in this section side of testimony in extenuation of their

business methods. This hearing will be one of the most important known to the Treasury Department, as it is believed the questionable operations of a number of the most prominent lumber dealers involve millions of dollars which have been wrongfully withheld from the

A \$200,000 FORGER ARRESTED.

public treasury.

Wm. Furstman, of Portine, Ill., Captured by New Orleans. PONTIAC, ILL., February 27 .- Sheriff Wilson, of this city, to-day received a telegram from the Chief of Police at New Orleans announcing the arrest and identification at that place of William H. Furstman, whose sudden disappearance from here November 2 last and the subsequent disclosure that he had committed forgery to the amount of nearly \$200,000 created such a sensation. There are 24 indictments for torgery pending against him in this county. A requisition will be asked for at once

PENDLETON'S BODY HERE.

unless waived by the prisoner.

The Remains of the Ex-Minister Arrive at nu American Port. NEW YORK, February 27,-The body of the late George H. Pendleton, ex-Minister to Germany, reached here to-day. The En-terprise came to anchor in the North river this afternoon. The body of Pendleton will be brought ashore to-morrow. The casket containing the remains lay on the quarter deck during the whole voyage.

A tarpaulin was wrapped around it, and over that was an American ensign. The

coffin was continually guarded by marines, CHARLESTON, W. Va., February 27 .- A landslide occurred near Quinnement, 100 miles east of here, on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway at 4 o'clock this morning, covering the track for 200 vards. A freight train of 18 loaded cars ran into

And Then Bloped With the Man Who Had Secured the Money.

A SUIT NOW BROUGHT FOR CONSPIRACY. The Disappointed Swain is Anxious to Recover His

Lost Boodle.

\$1,000 in Cold Cash.

THE FAIR MAID FEIGNED DEATH

Alfred Nagle and Michael Schwarz, of Nanticoke, both loved Clara Neuberger. Nagle paid Schwarz \$1,000 to leave town and give up the girl. Clara was in the scheme, however, and feigning death, skipped to Philadelphia with Schwarz. They were married six months ago and Nagle has just discovered the conspiracy He has sued to recover the money.

INPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR. WILKESBARRE, February 27 .- A rearkable conspiracy case has just come to ght in the town of Nanticoke. In that wn there lived until six months ago Clara Neuberger, a young lady highly spoken of nd having many friends. Miss Neuburger had many admirers, among whom were Alfred Nagle, a young Austrian employed in a clothing store, and Michael Schwarz. Nagle had a couple of thousand dollars

a worthless fellow without a penny. Yet system of voting. despite these features he was the favorite for the young woman's hand. Nagle realized this, and made every attempt to overthrow him in the affections of Miss Neuburger, but without avail. He then became desperate and appealed to Schwarz to let him have the girl for his wife, but Schwarz wouldn't listen to any such proposition.

HE TRIED BRIBERY. As a last resort Nagle offered his successful rival a bribe. He would give him \$250

if he would give up the girl. Schwarz claimed to be insulted and one Sunday evening, meeting Nagle, gave him a sound thrashing. But Nagl; was not to be driven from the field yet. By the aid of a triend Schwarz was approached again. This time he was offered \$1,000 if he would renounce all claims to the girl and move out of the town. At first Schwarz wouldn't hear of it, but two days after he called upon the friend of Nagle and said he was ready to take the money. He loved the girl dear-ly and she loved him, but he was poor, work was slack and he must have money. Nagle

would not pay over the money until he had first seen Miss Neuburger. The latter thought it would be best it schwarz had a \$1,000 rather than a wife. On the strength of this hint, Nagle paid over to Schwarz \$1,000, taking his receipt for the same. In the contract there was also a promise that Schwarz should leave town mediately upon the payment of the ney. This he did, taking his departure the 2d of last September.

of Cincinnati, who came here and was the subject of malpractice. It is thought the THE FIELD NOW CLEAR. Nagle now congratulated himself upon having the field all to himself. He laid siege to Miss Neuburger's heart carnestly, and told his friends that the wedding day wouldn't be far off. Early in October, however, Nagle had the misjortune to fall and break his leg. He was confined to the house until the middle of last month. In the meantime, he suffered a double affliction.

Miss Neuburger took sick and died. So Nagle was led to believe.

be carried to the funeral, but his physician forbade him to leave the house. His sister isters present. Rev. W. A. Leopold was | Carolina went to the Neuburger household appointed secretary. Charges were then and says she saw the gir' laid out in the preferred against Bishop Esher by four wreath of roses, the gift of her brother, on the casket. She then took her departure, That night the casket was closed and allutely necessary, and March 19 was fixed as the time for trial to be held in the Salem where some of the Neuburger family were

Nobedy now remembers having seen a direct to do so, stating that he had been hearse about the place, but at the time chligated to occupy the chair, and his duty everybody believed, of course, that a funeral had actually taken place. The Neuburger girl resided with her aunt and the neighors were all Polanders and Hungarians. Nagle grieved very hard over the death of is sweetheart, and his companions noticed that he wasn't the same man as of yore. It seemed as though he would never recover

SURPRISING INTELLIGENCE. About a week ago, however, he was thunderstruck when he learned that Miss Neuburger had not died, but was still in the land of the living. She had been seen Philadelphia in company with Schwarz nd her aunt. The man who saw her, nticokean himself, was positive that his eves had not deceived him. All doubts, wever, were set aside yesterday when John Lenoke, a Polish butcher, returned from a trip to Philadelphia. He said he had talked to Schwarz. He was married to niortably in the Quaker City.

the Nenburger girl and they were living Schwarz said he was not sorry for Nagle. he latter had used every means, fair and oul, to win the girl away from him. money he thought he could do everynuisance to the girl, and to get rid of him she entered into a conspiracy with Schwarz by which the latter was to take the money so as to enable him to go to housekeeping The original plan was for the girl to leave town secretly, but when Nagle met with his accident she thought of the death plan, thinking that if Nagle thought she was

dead he would become reconciled to his fate and forget her. She rigged up a coffin of rough boards and covered it with black cloth. Nagle's sister was then invited to call and see the corpse. When the visitor departed Miss Neuburge jumped out of the casket, and fled to meet er lover, who was waiting for her at White Haven Junction. Nagle is not reconciled to the condition of things. He has brought suit to recover his \$1,000. A constable was sent yesterday to Philadelphia to arrest

DOM PEDRO ON BRAZIL. The Late Emperor Thinks the Union Will Be

Maintained.

NEW YORK, February 27 .- Dr. Morel. editor of La Nacion, of Buenos Ayres, has written a letter to Dr. Mendonea, Brazilian Minister to Washington, giving parts of an interview with Dom Pedro. Dr. Mendonea returned from this city to Washington to-Dr. Morel says that he found the deto sed Emperor very reluctant to talk about the affairs of Brazii. He ich resigned to his fate, and would look with tranquility upon the future course of the new Republic. Dom Pedro said that at the present time the new Republic had all it could attend to with its own affairs without interfering with foreign matters. The Republic, he thought, had to be consolidated. Dom Pedro said the Republicans had done him great injustice. In ease of future complications and a call from the people to return to the throne, Dom Pedro said he would respond. Dom Pedro said he had no intention at present of issning a manifesto. He believed that Brazil would maintain the Union under the new order of things. The people were pre-pared for the change. As to the prospect of a reaction in favor of a dynasty. Dom Pedro said the future alone would tell.

is to continue to exist, we will ask for the repeal of the confederation." IN HIS BROTHER'S BEHALF.

Anarchist Neebe. They presented a petition from the leading brewers of Chicago to the Governor,

urging him to speedy action in the matter. Governor Fifer, after considerable discussion, said he wished for a little more time in which to make a decision.

He Was Impudent. ling character have been frequently per-formed during the past week. Indeed they have been of daily occurrence, yet the young sufferer's phenomenal vitality has enabled him to bear a strain sufficient to kill the

who are opposing the bill in its present form will be able to defeat or secure a modimade against the commander.

not in accord with his professions of retorm and home rule. A bill was offered in the House this even shall be composed of four members to be appointed by the Governor, the board to have the ballots and the regulation of the voting. The Secretary of State is to be Secretary of the board. County boards or elections are to be appointed except in the counties containing the four large cities of the State, and the boards in these are to have additional

home containing more definite information. China to be ready to buy up claims in the men were old California miners. It is genmitted by the Chinese authorities to enter the Chinese new "Eldorados" it is the intention of the big mining companies, who have recently ordered \$4,000,000 worth of stamp mills from Chicago, to engage China-men who have had mining experience in

California.

The chief operator of these mills is Tong

A TEMPEST IN A TEAPOT.

Hotel Men Object to the Location of the World's Fair Building. CHICAGO, February 27 .- Warren Leland and H. V. Bemis, owners respectively of the Leland House and the Hotel Richlieu, declared in an interview to-night that they would fight tooth and nail against the proposition to locate the World's Fair on the lake front. Both the hotels named face on the lake park. The hotel proprietors argue that the park, notwithstanding any stipulations that might be made, would be lumbered per-

manently with whatever fair buildings were constructed, shutting out the fresh air and big piece of land for a depot, and that a a lange system of docks. He threatens to carry the matter to the Supreme Court, if

necessary, to secure the defeat of the plan. PEVER ON SHIPBOARD

from Barcelona to this port, which termi-nated this morning. She left Barcelona 30 days ago, with Captain Foots and a crew of

wants of the sick man in the cabin.

The French Press Protests Against the Abolition of Their Language.

press continues to be particularly violent over the abolition of their language in the Northwest, and the Orange bills. La Nationale, says: "It salvation against the rising tide of English persecution can be had by no other means than more intimate union with our American neighbors, we would not hesitate to ask that the line of demarcation between the two countries be struck off the map of North America."

La Justice, says: "Let it be said openly. Let it be said everywhere, that if Orangeism

Petition Presented Asking for a Pardon for

CHICAGO, February 27 .- In Springfield Neebe, the convicted Anarchist, had a conference with Governor Fifer touching a pardon for Oscar. Louis was accompanied by Jacob Gross, Louis Hutt and Captain McGrath, all well-known figures in Chicago

Another Attempt to Wreck a Train. CLEVELAND, February 27 .- An attempt was made last night to wreck the limited express on the Baltimore and Ohio road near Independence, Onio. Three ties were found wedged into a cattle guard and removed a few minutes before the arrival of the train.

Opera House block. The fire companies responded promptly to the call, and soon had the flames under control. The damage will be slight.

A CAPTAIN'S CRUELTY

The Allegations Against an Officer of the American Navy. /BY CABLE TO THE DISPATCH.1

A SAILOR CUT DOWN BY A SWORD In the Hands of the Commander Because

OFFICERS BROUGHT HOME IN IRONS. Cruise Cause Great Excitement in

Official Circles.

The American cruiser Enterprise arrived at New York vesterday. Two officers are under arrest and will be court-martialed. Charges of almost incredible cruelty are NEW YORK, February 27 .- Not since the days when the brig Somers came into the

had hanged Spencer, the son of the Secretary of the Navy, has a ship of war in time of peace arrived here that has been the object of so much general interest as the Enterprise, which came in to-day, after a cruise of two years and seven months on the European station. Commander Bowman H. McCalla is her commanding officer and this is his first command affoat. It will be a memorable one in naval history. The vessel left with a well selected crew and officers picked out by

Captain McCalla himself. She returned to

nearly every officer in the ward room had been under suspension one or many times. SOME LIVELY INCIDENTS. Among the incidents of the cruise which will illustrate the state of affairs on board is the following: When the ship was at Christiana a fireman named Walker got drunk, came on board, and was put in irons. Captain McCalla had him brought to the mast. When the officer of the deck questioned the man, Walker replied that he was

"drunk, and glad of it."

Thereupon Captain McCalla ordered the officer of the deck to cut the man down with officer of the deck to cut the man down with his sword. The officer of the deck refused. Captain McCalla, going into the cabin, buckled on his sword, and had the man brought on deck again. The man was brought up in irons, and the Captain, drawing his sword, cut him down, deluging the deck with blood and so severely injuring the man that the surgest had to be immediately. man that the surgeon had to be immediately summoned to attend to his wounds. GENERALLY UNFORTUNATE.

At the same port Captain McCalla piled his ship upon a defense jetty, but proved that he was not to blame because he did not know of the existence of the jetty. In various ports Captain McCalla seems to have been unfortunate, among them in Dart-mouth, England, where he had a squabble with the authorities in regard to a small bill for harbor privileges.
The incident of Thanksgiving Day, 1889, has received considerable attention. The Enterprise was lying at Gibraltar, and the

on board amused themselves with practice. A storm come up, and a boat was sent ashore to take off the men. The boat was capsized in the surf and beach, the captain signaled from the ship to narch to Centau, the nearest town, some 15

AN UNENVIABLE SITUATION. The Enterprise then set sail for Gibraltar. The way to Ceutau lay through an unknown country, inhabited only by roving banditti. There was no guide to be procured and the Americans had not a single round of ammunition. There were 34 men in the party, and about 2,000 pounds of baggage which they had been signalled to take with The two lieutenants decided to erect what shelter they could for the men, and stay where they were for the night. The

morning the Enterprise ceeded to Centau, and not finding the men there went back to the beach, where she found them. Captain Mepension. As, from first to last, every office on the ship has been under suspension, this was not considered remarkable Another adventure of Captain McCalla's

was at a picnic given in the neighborhood of Algiers. At this picnic Captain McCalla galiantly offered to mount the box of the arriage of Lady Playfair and drive her down to the city. A PECULIAR FEAT. Her coachman interfered, and Captain McCalla, seizing the whip, struck the coachman over the face. He did mount the box, and, repeatedly filling it with four of his own officers, drove at a tearing pace down to their city, the officers holding themselves ready to jump at any moment. The English conchmen of Algiers formed a league then, and when next the Commander and a party of his officers went ashore they were se upon by the combination. Several of the officers were roughly used, but the Captain escaped without injury.

As a result of this state of affairs two of

the officers are brought home under arrest to be tried by court-martial. They are Chief Engineer James Entwistle and Ensign George W. Kline. The chief engineer is accused of "impudence" to the Commander and the ensign is accused of sleeping at his

Eleven Persons Have Died From the Effects

which is 20 colder than it was at any time certain that the fruit in the State this year is almost totally destroyed, and the winter wheat is badly damaged. A hunting party from 30 miles west of turned this morning. All were badly frost-bitten. It is believed amputation of their

11 deaths have occurred in the northwest part of Stevens county. Sam Woodsdale, his wife and three children were found dead

Fire in Braddock Opera House Block. ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. BRADDOCK, February 28 .- 1:13 A. M .-Fire broke out in the cellar of the Lyttle an Old Man Walks Into the Monongabela

Boston, February 27 .- It is reported that the condition of James Russell Lowell, who had been suffering from a cold, is such as to cause considerable concern among his

SELECT COUNCIL QUICKLY PASSES

The first business before Select Council

To be Surveyed Under the Auspices of the General Government. WASHINGTON, February 27 .- In the the President to cause a reconer.

nfluence in the lady's behalf,

House to-day Mr. Buckulew, of Pennsylvania, introduced a resolution authorizing the Central American States, Ecuador, Peru and Bolivia, to