

The United States Government had exexpend the money is that the actrequired plans and specifications for the new buildings pe ap-proved by the Board of Public Charities. They were submitted to this body and to the Compended \$1,000,000 on the Davis Island dam, appropriated \$100,000 for the purchase of a dam from the Monongahela Slackwater

AGAINST PROTECTIVE DUTIES.

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PROFESSORS COME TO BLOWS.

itudents So Scandalized That They Leave

the College.

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 24 .- A controvers

among members of faculty of the art depar

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minated this morning in a personal encounter minated this morning in a personal encounter hetween Dean Newton A. Wells and Prof. F. C. Gottwald. Some weeks since Gottwald pre-ferred charges of immorality and incom-petency against Wells, who is the bead master of the school. The trustees on Friday last, after a prolonged investigation, decided that the charge of im-morality had not been proved, but found that the Dean had been guilty of a flagrant indis-cretion. This morning Wells entered Gott-wald's studio, and warm words ensued between the two men. They finally came to blows. Gottwald struck Wells upon the head with an iron dumbbell, inflicting two slight scalp wounds. Wells bruised Gottwald's cheek and eye, and severely choked him. The noise of the disturbance brought a third professor to the studio, and the combatants were separated. Many of the students, feeling the disgrace brought upon the school, left the institution, vowing they would not return unless the facul-ty was reorganized.

HALF THEIR INVESTMENTS GONE.

A National Bank in Trouble, but Depositor

Will Be Paid.

that stockholders will realize about one-half.

and in which institutions he succeeded in in-vesting some \$30,000 for the Windsor people. The inst published statement shows liabilities and assets of \$1,750,000. The bank has done

but little business since the reduction of it capital, and its assets and liabilities are sub stantially the same as when the last statemen

THE WAYS OF SMUGGLERS.

New York Customs Officers Make Several

Important Captures of Goods.

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24 .- Surveyor Lyons' in

pectors had an interesting time to-day making

seizures. Treasury Agent Tratteur and In-spector McCord gathered in jewelry and cigars

spector McCord gathered in jewelry and clears from passengers on the steamahup Saale and the schoemer L A. Grout, Staff Officer Storey and Inspectors Brown and Donahue took from Marie Clementine Brochon, on La Bretagne, a satchel full of rings, earrings, brea-tpins, bracelets, gold spectacles and glasses, worth all toid \$1,00. The young woman had the satchel strapped around her waist. L. V. Hatsoll, on the Saale, had to give up woolen and silk underclothing, and John Bait, immigrant passenger on La Bretagne, brought in a trunk, with a false bot-tom and sides, a fine collection of silk and silk dress goods, and silver watches were found in the trunk.

ALLTANCE STATES COMBINING.

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WINDSOR, VT., Feb. 24 .- The Windsor Na

and in the country for Doneaster races and in the country for Doneaster races and other occasions. Mrs. Lycett Green, another of the defendants in the action, is a married daughter of Mrs. Wilson. One audacions reporter attempted to inter-wiew Mrs. Wilson concerning her detective work, which resulted in the alleged discovery of the Baronet's cheating. When the young man's business with the lady was discovered, however, he narrowly seesped rough treatment at the hands of the stalwart footman, who was speedily summoned. Meanwhile, those who move in the particular social set affected are taking sides upon the matter, and the friends of the tiled gentleman who is at present under a cloud assert that he will yet cover his ac-cusers with confusion.

Mrt. Arthur Wilson.

Navigation Company, and \$200,000 for the construction of a dam near the mouth of the Beaver river, all to help that interest.

The last Legislature had appropriated \$10,000 for survey of a ship canal from the Ohio to Lake Erie, which, if ever constructed, would demand the enlargement of wharf privileges instead of contraction. This bill affected the entire river interest which are a unit against it, as he would show by remonstrances signed by men representing \$15,000,000 of capital invested therein.

Onite a Number of Remonstrances.

In support of his position he caused to be asks the State for \$93,600 for the education and rend remonstrances signed by the Delta asks the State for \$95,000 for the efficient and maintainance of the 180 State pupils during the two years beginning June 1, 1891, and ending June 1, 1893, while their published report would seem to show that of the \$85,400 appropriated by the last Legislature for the two year's term ending June 1, 1891, they had expended only \$25,000 and had invested nearly \$59,000 in mort-rances Towboat Company, Mayflower Transportation Company, Thomas Fawcett & Sons, John A. Wood & Sons, W. W. O'Neil Coal Company, W. H. Brown's Sons, Horner & Roberts, Horner & Co., Pacific Coal Company and a large number of others.

Mr. Flinn said in reply that he was not surprised at the coal men sending remonstrances if they were as far astray as was Mr. Duulap. The object of the bill was simple. There was not room for the wagons of the gardeners and others coming to market, and it was desired to put them on the Allegheny wharf. This wharf has long been a recentacle for lumber piles and old boilers. No coal men land there, or ever use it, but they were jealous of any supposed aid. The main discrepancy in their report seems to lie in the fact that it shows that the infringement on their rights.

They, however, were not the only people lotal cust of maintaining the institution for the interested. Pittsburg had never given away They, however, were not the only people any of her wharfs. The portions now occupued by railroad had only been river banks, except in the case of the Baltimore and Ohio depot, and that had been built on pillars so that the wharf could still be used.

A Bolt Aimed at the Beaver Man.

The Senators from Allegheny represented ten times the coal and river interests represented by Mr. Dunlap, and were not likely to to anything against their interests. The bill was harmless. No building of market houses was contemplated, the intention simply being to relieve over-crowded markets and benefit the gardeners. The bill merely gave Councils the right to rent portions of the wharves, not used for shipping, for market purposes. The Councils asked for this bill, and they certainly ought to how more about the matter than the Sen-

Senator Upperman replied briefly in the same strain to Mr. Dunlap, and Mr. Flinn then asked for the postponement of the bill for the present, giving notice that he would call it up one week from to-day, and that the Coal Exchange and those against the bill must have their amendments ready. The trouble with them was that they did not know what they did want, while the Councils of Pitusburg did. The motion prevailed and the Senate adjourned.

HENRY HALL.

AMENDING THE ROAD BILL.

Several Changes Made and the Measure Wil Be Reported To-Day.

[FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.] HARRISBURG, Feb. 24.-The Committee o Counties and Townships made a number of changes in the recommitted road bill to-night. In section 2, the provision relative to the ap-pointment of road masters for the sub-districts as atricken out, leaving the supervisors in solu-image of the work. The wages to be paid or work is to be based on the value of buildbor performed by each laborer. In sec-now 8, the provision limiting the persons em-aloged on the roads to those between the ages of 18 and 55 is stricken out, and that against the suplement of uncaturalized persons modified as stricken out, leaving the supervisors in sole employment of unnaturalized persons modified so as to permit the hiring of alien taxpayers or

the planes were never returned, and the most per-sistent efforts of the Danville people to get them again into their possession have thus far failed. Ex-Senator Chalfant scored the board most unmercifully for the negligence, to put it mildly, which has for two years prevented the furnishing of decent accommodations to nearly furnishing of decent accommodation 150 unfortunate wards of the State. ns to nearly

A QUESTION OF FIGURES.

tee on Lunacy, and approved by both, but

Mr. Fow and the Western Pennsylvani Institution for Deaf and Dumb, [FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT,] HARRISBURG, Feb. 24 .- Mr. Fow, of Phila

delphia, excited some interest to day by assert-ing that the Western Pennsylvania Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, located at Edgewood, ectic and homeopathic practitioners. committee on Health and Sanitation an ot yet been acted upon. When the diff schools lock horns in the House over measures lively times may be expected.

Fees From Liquor Licenses,

525,000 and had invested nearly \$50,000 in mori-gages. Examination of the facts in the case will scarcely bear out Mr. Fow's assertion. It is true that their report shows that during the time it covers their receipts amounted, from all sources, to about \$165,000, while their expen-ditures were only about \$60,000, and that they invested over \$55,000 in morigages. Their re-port, however, covers the two years from Oc-tober 1, 1888, to October 1, 1890, and nearly \$30,-000 of their receipts were from the appropria-tion of 1887, and the expenditures for the seven months between October 1, 1890, and Jane 1, 1891, must yet be paid from the present appro-priation. With the balance now in their hands they propose to erect a building for the indu-trial training of girls without asking any State aid. The main discrepancy in their report HADDISDURG Feb 24-The Senate bill reurning all retail liquor license fees to the boroughs and townships wherein the ities. licensed places are located was acted upon by the House Ways and Means Committee to-day, and amended so as to return but one-half to the cities, boroughs and townships and one-half to the counties.

More Common Pleas Judges, [FROM & STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

HARRISBURG, Feb. 24 .- The committee ointed by the bar of Allegheny county will ppear before the House Judiciary Ge Committee on Thursday in advocacy of the bill creating an additional judge for each of the Common Pleas Courts of the county.

REQUISITION NOT HONORED.

Warrant of Extradition.

to recognize Mr. Bulkeley's signature as Gov-

ernor. Thereupon, after a conference, orders were sent to Officer Dodds to remain in Albany

until he received further orders. The prosecu-ting atterney, John P. Kellogg, went to Hart-ford to see Governor Buikeley. He has just re-

the House of Mrs. Allers.

locked up in Raymond Street Jall as a witness

against her brother-in-law, Joseph Kelly, whom she accused of robbery, gave yesterday what

ISPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. 1

Governor Hill Refuses to Sign a Connecticut AFTER BALLOT REFORM. Strong Fight to Be Made for Calling a Con-

stitutional Convention. (FROM & STAFF CORRESPONDENT.)

HARRISBURG, Feb. 24-Wherry's bill pro viding for the calling of a constitu. tional convention to amend the organic law by striking out the provision requiring the numbering of ballots, an amendment which is demanded by those who favor the Australian system of voting in its entirety, was reported favorably this morning by the Judiciary Gen-eral Committee. The Democratic side of the House will make a determined fight for this measure, but its prospects are notrosy, as con-stitution tinkering is not regarded with much

two years.

stitution tinkering is not regarded with much favor. Mr. Wherry maintains that the Baker ballot bill, now pending in the Judiciary General Convnitee, is manifestly unconstitutional in that provision which requires the voter to paste the corner of the ballot over the number placed thereon by the election officer, and holds that an election held under its provisions would be declared void by the Supreme Court if the question were raised, as it undoubtedly would be. Such a result as this, Mr. Wherry asserts, might lead to a very sorious crisis in the State.

might lead to a very serious crisis in the State BILLS INTRODUCED.

Measures in House and Senate of Mor Than Ordinary Interest. SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCEL

HARRISBURG, Feb. 24.-In the Senate to-day Mr. Flinn presented remonstrances from churches against any modification of the Sun-

day law. Bills were introduced as follows: Brandt Green, appropriating \$13,500 to the

Brandt Green, appropriating \$13,500 to the Connelleville Hospital. Penrose, Philadelphia, providing for appoint-ment of a commission for uniformity of legis-lation concerning marriage and divorce, etc., and appropriating \$4,000. Flinn, Allegbeny, providing that police mag-istrates in cities of the second class have full jurisdiction and authority to receive and take criminal information meusing any person or persons of the commission or any felony or misdemeanor and to administer oaths. Ross, of Bucks, giving the same rights to re-cover chanages in the cases of railroad employes as in the cases of other persons. The following bitis were introduced in the House: she now declares is the true story of the occur-rence. She says that Kelly, whom she exculment of a commission for uniformity of legislation concerning marriage and divorce, etc.
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Walton, Philadelphia (by request), to prevent the exhibition of puysical or mental deprediation of puysical or meetal deprediation.
Finaharris, Cambria, providing that teachers'

MEDICAL EXAMINATION.

Lively Fight Between the Two Schools Is BORDEAUX, Feb. 24 .- An important meeting Expected. of the Victualler League was held last

IFROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.] when two resolutions were adopted. The first protested in the name of justice and the gen-HARRISBURG, Feb. 24 .- The bill to provide

for the examinaton of physicians, commonly known as the medical examiner's bill, was re-

ported affirmatively by the House Judiciary General Committee. It is practically the same

bill introduced in the last House by Dr. Walk, of Philadelphia, and which was

eral welfare against the so-called protective duties, and demands that the customs, like other taxes, should be solely based on the in-terests of the public treasury. The second was addressed to "Mr. Grover Cleveland" and is worded thus: "That this meeting after the energetic pro-test against the McKinley tariff bill, congrat-ulates the American free traders in the person of ex-President Cleveland on the victory over McKinley in the last Congressional elections," by Dr. Walk, of Philadeiphia, and defeated after a protracted fight. It is measure prepared by the "old school" physicians and indorsed by the State Medical Association, and will be bitterly fought by the

> The New Italian Premier Sets the Example IBT DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY.1

IPRON & STAFF CORRESPONDENT.1

ROME, Feb. 24.-Economy is being actively carried out in the departments of the Govern-ment, even to the extent of reducing the carriages and horses of the Ministers. Signor Di Rudini, Prime Minister, has resigned his official salary, and Count D'Arco, the Under Secretary of State, has followed his example. It is believed that the Prime Minister will

It is believed that the Frime Minister will make some important statements in regard to the measures of economy at the next meeting of Parilament on March 2, which will reassure the country. The King looks upon the ener-getic action of the new ministry in trying to solve the problem of this economical crisis with the highest satisfaction.

THE FIGHT AGAINST STANLEY.

Mrs. Jameson Gets Fresh Facts on Her Trin to Zanzibare

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Meeting of Frenchmen.

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RUDINI WANTS ECONOMY.

by Resigning His Salary.

LONDON, Feb. 24 .- There is every prospect that the Stanley-Jameson controversy will soon be opened with added bitterness. Mrs. Jame-

son and her brother, who, some time, ago sailed for Zanzibar to obtain additional information regarding the famous rear guard, have now been heard from. They claim that they have obtained fresh facts that throw much light on the disputed points in the controversy. Mrs. Jameson says that it is her intention to spread this addi-tional unformation before the public at an early date. WATERBURY, Feb. 24.-Saturday Inspector Byrnes captured in New York Charles Eardon, who is wanted here for burglarizing Elkins & Wakes' safe. Detective Thomas Dodds went for him Sunday with requisition papers signed by Governor Bulkeley. Word was received by Chief Egan to-day that Governor Hill refused

PERSECUTION OF HEBREWS.

ian Consuls Abroad Instructed Not to Vise Their Passports.

IBY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY. 1

VIENNA, Feb. 24.-A report from Brody, Gal-cia, on the frontier, 58 miles from Lemberg, arned. Mr. Bulkeley said nothing could be done, and Mr. Bulkeley said nothing could be done, and a message was sent to Officer Dodds to come home, and let the matter drop. Dodds may yet be directed to seize the burglar the moment he is released by the New York police Saturday. There is the greatest indiguation here over the matter among hen of both parties. The com-plications which can follow such an action are disagreeable to contemplate. Any New York criminals are safe in Connecticut, since Gov-ernor Hill would make requisition on Judge Morris, who could not be recognized by local authorities. states that the Russian Consuls abroad have been forbidden to affix in future their vise to the passports of Hebrew travelers, no matter of what nationality. This, it is understood, will not apply to the merchants and manufacturers of good standing.

ANDREW CARNEGIE'S TONIC.

He Has Accomplished Half the Voyage Ordered by His Physician.

HELPED HER BROTHER-IN-LAW. IBY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY.L LONDON, Feb. 24.-Andrew Carnegie, who only arrived here last week on the Teutonic, Tillie Hahn Tells How They Both Robbed only arrived here inst week on the feddolf, will return home on the same vessel to-morrow. His trip has greatly improved his health. "I was ordered a tonic," said Mr. Carnegie, "and naturally patronized this popular vessel of the White Star Line." SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. NEW YORK, Feb 24 .- Miss Tillie Hahn, the eroine of the masked burglar yarn, who is

Mrs. Ashton Dilke to Marry.

(BY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY.)

LONDON, Feb. 24,-Mrs. Ashton Dilke, wel known for her prominence in reform move-menta, is engaged to Mr. Russell Cooke, son of Major Wm. Cooke, the sitting magistrate at Maryiebons Police Court, Seymour place. The day fixed for the nuptuals is not yet announced.

The Astors in London.

Churchill's Visit to South Africa

INT DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY.1 LONDON, Feb. 24-Lord Randolph Churchill

[BY DUNLAP'S CABLE COMPANY] LONDON, Feb. 24.-Mr. and Mrs. Walderf

Astor, who have been passing the winter months at Srighton, will return to Lansdowne House, their town residence, next week for the

ress goods

his side. Only for a moment he lay there, a then he jumped to his feet, his face flush and his skin and clothes torn.

The Elephant in a Bad Way. Then the general attention was directed to

anchon. She lay helpless, with one of her tion of Cameron. hind legs squeezed between the two runways. Three times she uttered that trumpeting roan and then she lay still, her small eyes rolling about plaintively. After the first crash all was confusion, but as soon as the exact nature of Fanchon's predicament was learned, a genius suggested that the bales of hay in the stable be piled up under the runways and Fanchon be permitted to fall on them. In an instant a dozen men began running out with these big bales and built a byramid of them right under Fanchon. Men pushed and hammered at the runways until they gave way and spread apart. Fanchon felt herself slipping and roared and kicked. She fell on the top bale, rolled off and landed on her side on the second tier of bales, roared and kicked and fell again, and this time landed on her feet on the solid ground, a very much surprised baby elephant. Then the crowd roared with delight and Fanchon looked pleased. and then she lay still, her small eyes rolling

A physician who happened to be in the crowd found that Mr. Reiche had sustained some injury in his chest. He belioved that the lower breast bone was broken and advised Mr. Reiche to go straight home, put himself to bed and send for a physician.

THE COLUMBUS TRAGEDY.

STRONG FEELING AGAINST THE ELLIOTT BROTHERS.

Efforts to Be Made to Have Them Admitted to Ball-Osborne Was Killed by P. J. Elliott and W. L. Hughes, a Specta by W. J. Elliott.

PEPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATCH. COLUMBUS, Feb. 23 .- The only topic of conversation on the streets to-day was the tional Bank, capital \$50,000, has gone into liqui-dation on account of heavy Western losses. It is said the depositors will be paid in full and tragedy of yesterday in which A. C. Osborne, one of the principals, and W. L. Hughes, an innocent bystander, were killed. The The bank was chartered in 1884 with a paid up Elliotts are still held at the city prison, capital of \$100,000, the majority of which was where an affidavit was filed against them capital of \$100,000, the majority of which was owned by the citizens of Windsor and vicinity. The capital was reduced in the sommer of 1800 to \$50,000. The bank had a Western agent by the name of J. S. Warden, who made several large investments in mortgages in Texas and Kansias, by which the bank suffered heavy losses. Warden was interested in several Kan-sas banks which have recently been wrecked, and in which in the bank as wrecked in into-day by E. S. Osborne, brother of the victim, charging them with murder in the first degree. It became noised about last night that the attorneys for the Elliotts had been tampering with the Coroner, looking to a favorable verdict, that their olients might

had been tampering with the Coroner, looking to a tavorable verdict, that their olients might be admitted to ball; also that a determined effort was to be made at the preliminary hear-ing to have the grade of crime so reduced that the case would be a ballable one. Sentiment was outspoken to-day, and there is no sympathy with the prisoner. Florence J. Elliott, of Cincinnati, a brother of the prisoner, came to the city late last night, and it was re-ported he was here for the purpose of killing J. W. Levering, editor of the World, whom the the prisoners did not find in their search yes-terday. Chief of Police Murphy sent word to hillot to come to headquarters, and insisted on knowing his business in the city, and threat-ened to lock him up at once unless he made known his intentions. Elliott said the situa-tion was had enough, and he had put away the gun he had breught with him from Cincinnati. Levering, the editor of the World, has kept to his room all day, fearing there might be an assault on the part of Elliott. He took this precaution on the advice of friends, not less than 50 of whom called at his home to-day. The post morteur which was held on the body of Osborne shows the shot which entered his chin and passed through to the back of the head was not necessarily fatal, but that he died from the shot in the vicinity of the heart. He received the latter shot from the revolver of P. J. Elliott after he had fallen to the floor in the hat store, where a portion of the tragedy oc-curred. The ervidence and statements which

J. Elliott after he had fallen to the floor in the hat store, where a portion of the tragedy oc-curred. The evidence and statements which have been taken indicate that W. J. Elliott fired the shot which entered the head of Osbornes. The balls were weighed after being taken from the body and found to be of differ-ent callber, and of the size used by each of the Elliotts.

Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas and Nebraska Act Together. SIOUX CITY, Feb: 24.—Farmers' Alliance men of lowa, Minnesota, Dakotas and Nebraska will hold a conference, beginning Wednesday next. It is expected that 500 delegates will be in at-tendance. Various matters are to be discussed and a plan of campaign mapped out.

of Democratic States which receive a go of Democratic States which receive a good slice of the nearly \$17,000,000 involved in the hill voted with the majority. A few Repub-licans voted with the minority. Of the Pennsylvanians overy Republican voted for the bill except Graig and Wright, who were not present. Of the Democrats, Ker, Mutchiler, Reilly and Vaux voted against the bill, while Brunner, Buckalew and Maish re-tuned to show their colors. with the nomination, but as the appointment was confirmed to-day without opposition it is very evident that his only desire was to have a little fun with the President. It is said, how-ever, that Teller's action was due to a sugges-tion of Computer

Not Altogether a Party Vote. The vote to-day by which the bill passed by a majority of 71 was largely a party vote,

though a considerable number of Democrata

ment providing that no money shall be paid to any State or Territory until the Legislature thereof, shall have accepted, by resolution, the sum appropriated in full satisfaction of all claims against the United States on account of

The Position of Each Member.

Yeas-Messrs, Adams, Allen (Mich.), Ander-

son#(Kan.), Arnold, Atkinson (Pa.), Atkinson (W. Va.), Baker, Banks, Bayne, Beldan, Bel-

CHANDLER ROUNDLY DENOUNCED.

Spley Proceedings in the New Hampshire House of Representatives.

Matchler, Beilly and Vaux voted against the bill, while Brunner, Buckalew and Maish re-fused to show their colors. Of the nearly \$17,090,000 involved in the bill the good slices; If it become a law, and will go as follows: Pennsylvania, in round numbers, \$1,654,000; New York, \$2,200,000; Ohio; \$1,338,600, and Illinois unward of \$1,000,000, Pennsyl-vania's much beloved neighbor, West Virginia, will get \$181,306. The bill passed the Senate last session. It is but slightly amended and that in a way which will be at once accepted by the Senate. Then it will go to the President, who, if he veto it, will yet to the transfer of upward of \$200,000 from the National Treasury to the Treasury of his State of Indiana. Harrison in Favor of the Measure. Concoun N. H. Feb. 24 -Nearly the entire afternoon session of the House was occupied by United States Senator-elect J. H. Gallinger. of Concord, and H. W. Greene, of Hopkinton, in replying under a question of personal privilege to the allegations made by United States Senator William E. Chandler, in an editorial in Sentor William E. Chandler, in an editorial in-the columns of his paper, the Concerd Monstor, that these gentlemen and other Republicans had entered into a series of barrains with Hon. Frank Jones, Hon. C. A. Sinclair and other in-fluential Democrats infinical to the interest of the Republicans of the State. Each gentleman Harrison in Favor of the Measure. There is a little danger of a veto, however. It was well understood that the President favors the bill; otherwise little effort would denice plainly and unequivocally every charge-Mr. Greene, being somewhat excited, called the retiring Senator "enr." "coward" and "assas sin of character." Another member character. have been made to pass it. When the bill was finally taken up to-day, Mr. Caswell, of Wis-consin, in charge of the bill, offered an amend-

Senator Chandler as an "unmitigated liar." Mr. Pillsbury submitted a scathing resolu-tion of censure against Mr. Chandier, calling upon him to either apologize or retract, but the resolution was tabled after a very spicy

EMMA ABBOTT'S CREMATION.

Rumors Concerning the Delay in the Mat-

claims against the United States on account of the levy and collection of the tax. Adopted. Mr. Oates, of Alahama, offered as an amend-ment to Mr. Caswell's amendment a proposi-tion to test the constitutionality of the cotton tax. Then, as a substitute for both amend-ments, Mr. Oates offered an amendment revir-ing for one year the right of action in the Court of Claims under the provisions of the captured and abandoned property act. This substitute was offered out of order, and on Mr. Grosve-nor's objection was ruled out. Mr. Oates' amendment was lost-yeas, St; nays, 160. Mr. Caswell's amendment was adopted. The pre-vious question was then ordered on the bills-yeas, 217; nays, 96. Mr. Oates, of Alabama, moved a recommitment. Lost-Yeas, St; nays, 17. The Position of Each Member. ter Dissipated. CHICAGO, Feb. 24.-There has been a deal of mystery surrounding the proposed cremation of the remains of Emma Abbott. The long delay in carrying out the wishes of the dead actress has given rise to numerous rumors, one actress has given rise to numerous rumors, one of them being the story that Mrs. Abbott, mother of the deccased, had objected to the proposed disposition of her daughter's body, and therefore the cremation was being put off. Mr. E. H. Carle, Miss Abbott's brother-in-law, said to-day that it was true that Mrs. Ab-bott did not like the idea of cremation, but that she would not object to her daughter's dying wish, and that the carrying out of it was entirely in the hands of the excentors. They would decide as to the time of having made the electrical test to determine the fact of death.

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