

CURIOUS CONDENSATIONS.

—There is a man living at Liberty, Ind. who eats newspapers as a regular diet, so i

abilities would be balanced in Pittsburgh the obvious fact that no one can collect taxes off a dead man; but in Mississippi, where taxes are light, owing to the difficulty of collecting anything else, it does

THERE will be 350 seats set apart for the representatives of the press at the National Democratic Convention at Chicago. This is a larger number than has been assigned for this purpose at any previous national convention of either political party, but there will be none too many.—*Boston Herald.*

Harmony Is a Good Thing.
 [Louis Globe-Democrat.]
 Harmony is a magnificent thing—for the
 fellows who have got the other fellows
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DOOR MIGUEL ALZA, Judge of the Mexican Supreme Court of Justice, died yesterday. He was prominent in Mexican history of the recent past, in justice and war, and was Governor of the State of Oaxaca at one time.

REPRESENTATIVE SPRINGER, Chairman, presided at the meeting of the House Ways and Means Committee yesterday for the first time in several months. Mr. Springer is beginning to look like himself again but he is ill weak and easily fatigued.

Elderly Icelative (to school girl)—Aman-
da. You are looking odd. You must not be too am-
icious. Tell me the truth now—haven't you been
erring the midnight oil?
Miss Amanda (her paleness all gone)—Whr. yes,
gentle, but—but not much. We turned the lamp
own very low. —Chicago Tribune.