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JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT, Hon. HENRY GREEN, Northampton. AUDITOR GENBRAL.

Hon. JOHN A. LEMON, Blair County

CAPTAIN EADS proposes to build a huge railroad which shall transport the largest ship across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec. The plan is said to be feasible, and will not cost a tenth as much as the contemplated ship canal.

IOHN B. HAWLEY, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Saturday formally resigned his office as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury to take effect April 1. Mr. J. K. UPTON, of New Hampshire, Chief Clerk of the Treasury, will succeed him.

IF the Democracy really has so much sympathy for FITZ JOHN PORTER, and are anxious to give him \$60,000 back pay. suppose TILDEN pays the income tax he. owes the government, with the understanding that it shall be applied for that purpose.

-KEARNEY, the San Francisco black guard, was arrested on Thursday, charged with the utterance of obscene and pro fane language, which with his abuse and threats constitute his chief stock in trade. Certainly there should be some way in which to squelch this unmitigated nuisance.

WE shall expect now to see an exodu of strong-minded females. Those who are tired of living under the despotism of tyraunic man, and anxious to enjoy one of their heaven born and inalienable rights can go to Wisconsin, the Legislature of that State having just decided to give to women the ballot. Now let the dear creatures vote early and vote often.

MR. CLEMENT W. PEARSALL died and was buried in the Troy cemetery near Birmingham, Michigan, a few days ago. After a brief service at the grave the officiating minister gave notice that the coftin lid would be removed and packages of nitro-glycerine placed about the body. This was intended to prevent the grave from being visited by the body-snatchers.

JUDGE KELLEY went a gunning with a are usually very warm, and our cousins thirty-two pounder after a torn-tit in the are not above the employment of means Republican party will present an un-House on Thursday, last. Somebody at- of doubtful propriety when conducting tempted to tamper with him, and the ina canvass. Unseating a member of Par dignation the Judge displayed would be | liament for bribing and corrupting voter edifying if it was not so ludicrously out is not unusual. Already some of the canof proportion to the importance of the of- didates are getting up "booms" to enfence. His reputation is far above the sure re-election. necessity for vindication or explanation.

DON'T BURN THE BRIDGES THE House Committee on Coinage Weights and Measures, having reported one, which we would commend to the favorably on the bill authorizing the Seclm and earnest consideration o retary of the Treasury to exchange

enough to deserve and command paid lobbyists. The witness, in answer to a question, proceeded to give a definitheir support. ion of its meaning, as "a member of the Now we earnestly and in a friend-Legislature who would vote for a bill un

ly spirit renew our advice to all these der the inspiration of a pecuniary considpeople, not to burn their bridges. eration." The explanation was satisfactory to the legal gentleman. The term The campaign of 1872 should at once be a reminder and a warning. Then is a local one, originating at Harrisburg though why its suggested itself it is diffithere was great opposition to the recult to understand. Certainly there is comination of Gen. GBANT. Prominothing in the habits of the "bird of the nent Republicans in every State were monning" to justify such an imputation committed not only to oppose his as is conveyed by designating the corrupt nomination but election. It seemed lobbyists of the Capitol as "roosters." There does not appear to be anything in the early in the campaign as if the diverabits or nature of the fowl, which appersion was of such magnitude that tains to the lobby by way of comparison overwhelming defeat was to come to Now that it has had judicial investigation the commander who had never sufferand application the terms will become, i

ot classical, at least established. THE Senate committee upon the negr

bridges were glad to recross them, and the rout of the Democracy was exodus is beginning to get down to the omplete. Many of those who had bottom facts of the movement. A negro ommitted themselves not to vote for witness from Louisiana testified that the black people were impelled to leave the him were ready to cast their ballots State because, although they were free in his favor when the polls opened. they were still treated as slaves, because and those who persevered in their optheir sufferings had become unendurable and because they feared that if a Demo-

pented their indiscretion. cratic President should be elected they There is nothing at present which would be denied the right of emigration ustifies any Republican in declaring his wrong-doing in all its lengths and Now that the committee has undertaken to summon witnesses from Louisiana we that he will not support cheerfully hear no more nonsense about (Radical and zealously the Republican nomi plots and Republican conspiracies. We nee. It is not certain who that nomihear only of Democratic persecutions and

intense dread of Democratic supremacy. named as possible candidates there is not one who is not worthy of the The truth of the old saying that "mis support of every Republican. The ortunes never come singly," was unleast desirable of them is better than | tion would be made by acclamation; that leasantly exemplified in Texas township, the best Democrat, and it is not at the advices he received were that Ken-Wayne county, a few days ago, at the funeral of a young daughter of JOHN CAMPall likely that the least objectionable | tucky, Tennessee and Missouri would de-BELL. The funeral procession had just Democrat will be the candidate of started, when a horse attached to the hearse that party. The issues are to be became frightened at the noise caused by sharply defined, and there can be no the closing of the hearse door, and ran away. The horse, hearse and coffin were opportunity for mistaking the duty thrown down an embankment, injuring of every lover of his country. Perthe horse so badly that it had to be killsonal preferences and petty prejudices ed. The coffin was also thrown out of sink into insignificance when com-pared with the welfare of the Nation. the hearse, but not broken. The afflicted family had returned home only a short The question which every voter will time when the other twin daughter also died of diphtheria.

ter the affairs of the Nation, or a unit for him. THE present British Parliament will be lissolved on the 23d instant, and soon whether the party which attempted thereafter writs for a new election will be to destroy the Nation shall be enissued, and the new Parliament will meet trusted with its control. The minor bout the first of May. The present body questions which are now being agitathas been in existence six years. The eleced should not weigh as a feather in tion will cause great political excitement

the balance. And we predict that bethroughout Great Britain, as the contests fore the day of election comes, the divided front, and will march with unbroken and invincible columns, to a brilliant victory. If there are any malcontents, or incipient disorganizers or rebels, we advise them not to burn their bridges, because they will

find them handy when they are hurry. There is an old rule, and a good | ing back into the Republican ranks.

As we announced last week. Messrs.

THE Investigating Committee of the Sour of our Members of Congress find Maine Legislature have at length extort- the expenses of an election very heavy, ed from ex-Governor GARCELON the ad- but they are trifling compared with the mission that he was guilty of negligence expense of a contest for Member of Par-in not looking into facts and figures for liament in England. Instances are given ed, the popular sentiment was found so unequive himself, instand of accepting the state. where the legitimate outlay was over cally is favor of Mr. Lincon that as serious or can where the legitimate outlay was over himself, instead of accepting the statements of his "wicked partners" of his \$100,000. The canvass is conducted by regularly appointed agents, who superin-Council, for rather better than gospel tend all the details, and exercise the truths. The position of the ex-Governo utmost ingenuity to put the cash where it at the present time is a rather pitiable one. Before he became Governor be was | will do the most good, and at the same a man of excellent private reputation, and sime avoid the penalties of the law. reputable men of all. parties were quite THE Hoosac Tunnel had its 199th vis-

well satisfied to have him in the Executive chair, for it was believed that, al- tim on Sunday morning, ALBERT MARthough he might not make a particularly CEOS being killed by the explosion of a brilliant Governor, he would at least blast. The tinnel was commenced twenty make an honest one. He had a chance of years ago, and the number of fatal accigoing out of office with honor, but in an dents has averaged twenty a year. The unlucky moment he permitted himself to work has been accomplished at a fearful ed defeat. But before the election those who had not burned their be drawn into the Fusionist conspiracy to

set aside the results of an election, and It is nothing against a man's Repub the result was that he went out of office licanism that he has a strong preference in disgrace and without having even the for any particular candidate, provided he mean satisfaction of succeeding in the acconcedes to others the same right, and is complishment of his objects. He is just now making bad worse by attempting to willing to accept cheerfully the decision throw the onus of the conspiracy on the of the majority, expressed through the accepted and legitimate channels. nembers of his Council, and by refraining position have almost unanimously re- from seeking to in a measure to rehabili-It has been the popular belief that the tate himself in the esteem of his fellowpresence of railroad officials ensured safecitizens by making a clean breast of the ty for a train, but on the West Chester whole business and candidly confessing

Road, Monday, an excursion train laden with officials was demolished, by a colbreadths. lision, fortunately without very serious SENATOR CAMERON is reported as have nce will be. Certainly of all the men ing assured a delegation of rhiladelphis MR. WOLFE sends a telegram from

polticians that his "faith in the fact that Lewisburg, denying that the prosecution GRANT would be nominated remained un in the Riot bill bribery cases assent to on shaken : that he didn't believe there would be a ballot, but that the nominasentence, and that he should deprecate

THE Woman Suffragists are happy, fo was closeted most of the day with leading five female achool trustees were elected Missouri Republicans. To a persistent | Wednesday at Middletown, N. Y., by handsome majorities.

such a result ?"

Convention

cost of human life.

Senator Conkling's Speech and the Utic Convention.

It may seem presumptuous ler to criticise the speech of the great Senat from New York ; and if the speech were indeed as great as the Senator's reputation, and as unanswe ble as the Elmira Advertiser, the New York Con

mercial Advertiser and his other fulsome flattere have declared it to be, then it would be presump ons as the attack of David on Goliath; and no such accessful termination for the sesaliant could be give up possession of the Chapel. A

oped for. But the speech is not "a masterp oratory," and except for its arrogance might have been made by any well-informed boy in a debating school. Mr. Conkling is a good lawyer, | ward by day and night in the building, and knows how to present the strong points of his President has sent to the Senate a mes- case to good advantage, how to be bitter and sar- dispossessed. The Church militant still the plaintiff's attorney." It is easy to see that his general knowledge is not extensive, and that the

stock of English words in his vocabulary is scanty are made to do such constant and repeated service in season and out of season, that some of them which thousands of soldiers who were gofairly groan with weariness. Here is a specimen | ing to the front and returning from the cannot consent to the surrender of this of the Utics speech which his admirers say "sur

member them. We would be glad to oblige him, but we can't do it. There are are some withesen in New Orients who can remember snything they ralt to; perhaps he can prove it by them. Here certed resistance to his reposition shockingly mangled. his advocates choosing delegates to the Mations rention with barely a show of Testitines fro very loyal State except Missouri, which chose

legates for General Grant." See American Con ct. vol. 2nd, page 445. There was a sort of mass meeting held at Cleve land on the Sist of May, 1964, at which about 350 rsons were present, very few or none of them in e capacity of delegates, of which General John ochrane, who is now shouting for Grant, was President, general factorum, and grand aggregate

mont was nominated for Presiden eneral Fre and General Cochrans for Vice-President. Bot adidates accepted the nomination, and bot libdow before election, having discovered the hey were not likely to receive as many votes as tere were States in the Union. Mr. Conking is not a finished orator, and has

none of the natural gifts of a popular speake cold and restless, without magnetic power, without sympathy, without enthusiasm, without charity nd without eloquence, his words fell in the Con vention, not like the welcome music of a summe rain on thirsty earth and drooping flowers, but

with the chilly thud of frozen clods on the comn a friend at a winter funeral. If Mr. Conkling, and others like him, incapal of conciliation, and utterly devoid of statesman ship, are allowed to lead the Republican party they will lead it down beside a deep grave, fro which only a superintending pr inipotent hand can rescue it.

PHILADELPHIA LETTER

PHILADELPHIA, March 15, 1880. The "etherial mildness" of the "gentle spring " has not been experienced during the past week; but on the contrary "rude Boreas blustering railler", has acquiesce in a pardon or commutation of juled with absolute away. The expectations of those who thought the spring had come in earnest have been bitterly disappointed. The truckers had already commenced their gardening operations, and their green things have come to grief. February gave the promise of an early summer, but March preserves its old-time reputation for unreliability and inclemency.

> One would suppose that the Lenten season with its obligatory fasting and prayer would have the effect to promote brotherly feeling and Christian charity in the churches, but it does not appear to have settled the difficulties in Christ Church, and now a portion of the vestrymen are camped in the Chapel "holding the fort." against the Rector and Church authorities. The difficulty grew out of the request of the Rector for the resignation of Rev. Mr. Hudge, who officiated as an as sistant in the Chapel, which is a branch

of Old Christ Church. He promptly tendcred his resignation, but his vestry and congregation won't accept and refuse to possession is nine points in the law, a portion of the vestry keep watch and and are determined to stay until legally hold the entrenchments.

William Cooper, of this city, who aban doned his business at the outbreak of the Rebellion, and gave his premises for the establishment of a refreshment saloon, a

ONE hundred dollars fine, costs, some machinery in a building on Sixth street, had his clothes caught by the and eighteen months in the Eastern are gradually changing their sentishaft, his head and fost at each revolution | Penitentiary was the sentence for all ments, and no longer talk of riots or striking alternately the ceiling and the the keepers of bawdy-houses that extreme measures. floor. His skull was fractured in several came before the court during its last

bool in a tug.

bery Mountain.

places and the lower part of his body term at Williamsport. It is expected that work will be The Supreme Court of this State, or Monday last, rendered a decision against Johnstown to Somerset during the

early part of April. The cost will the claims of a number of heirs of the Gibe about \$750,000, the Cambria Iron rard estate, who had filed a bill in equity against the city of Philadelphia, to recovone-half of the amount. er the personal and real estate, left by An old women, supposed to be very poor, living near Middlesex, Stephen Girard, conditionally for the support of the college-the claimants assert Butler county, was taken dangerousng that as the permanent fund for that ly sick a few days ago, and neighbors, purpose was more than sufficient for the who went to the old woman's aid, aintenance of the institution, the be-

made a search of the premises They found at least \$1,000 hidden in quest was void, and they are entitled to the property. different places.

## WASHINGTON LETTER. GENERAL NEWS. O'LEARY won the San Francisco WASHINGTON, D. C., March 13, 1850.

When the Grant and anti-Grant men valking match. were struggling for supremacy in Penn sylvania, the Democrats were loud in their predictions of a split in the Republi

can ranks. But that stroggle was mere pleasantry compared with the bitter fight ow being waged there between the Tillen and anti-Tilden factions. They are going for each other like Kilkeny cats. The State Convention meets at Pittsburg

CASTELAB n the 18th instant, and to control its action is the object to be attained., It is generally conceded, that if Tilden conrols the Pennsylvania delegates, his nomination is assured. Hence the anti-Tillenites are doing their level best. But it is f no use-Tilden is going for the empty honor of the Democratic Presidential

nomination in a way that means success and one that his opponents being unable to cope with, hate him all the more for. The "moral obligation" the party owes he is bound it shall pay, or else suffer. The proceedings in Congress show that the party realize this, hence they are careless of their record, reckless and descent accident. perate. By the way-the latest Democratic combination is "Tilden and Fitz

John Porter," because they "both seek vindication.

The Democrats in their endeavors t make political capital, seem to have lost sight of Mr. Wood's three and one-half per cent. refunding bill which they promised to pass in a hurry. Although this measure is of doubtful policy to Republicans yet it would seem that argument upon it would be safer for the Democrate than that now engaged in. Several days ago Mr. Wood made an able speech on his bill, and his Democratic brethren, un able to appreciate a really good speech, coolly left the Hall, leaving their financial champion to speak to a far more appreciative Republican audience. But when Mr. House made his slanderous attack upon the Republican administration, every Democrat was in his seat, smiling approval. The average Democratic Congress cannot grasp anything deeper that.

tump\_speech. The protection of the Indian Territory, runaway accident. ending the action of Congress, is the subject of much anxiety in army circles, and it has been determined that if the force now there is inadequate to prevent and testified regarding the Fusion in the levee near the barracks at trespass, the available force in the East | business. ar, were fed, died a few weeks ago. a ent out. It is not to be believed however, that the people will disobey the President's proclamation. The opening of the Indian Territory is only a matter HOWARD. of time. riou's. DENNIS KEARNEY .-- A dispatch from San Francisco, dated the 16th,' says in

AT San Francisco the workingmen

JOHN WELCH. on trial at Fremont. Ohio, for the murder of a man named Cotteracker, in May, 1878, was commenced on the new milroad from last evening found guilty of murder in the first degree.

THE Kentucky House of Representatives Tuesday refused to give Company, at Johnstown, subscribing Henry Ward Beecher the use of the Legislative Hall for the purpose of delivering an address.

THE heaviest rains have fallen for the past four days known in Georgia for years; all the streams are very high, and over flows which will damage the crops are reported.

The Eric railway has begun a suit to recover from James McHenry \$1 .-307,000, with interest from July last. The complaint states "that this amount was received by McHenry for the use of the plaintiffs.

Most of the piano factories of New The ship N. B. Palmer reports that ork were closed Monday in conseon February 15th she spoke the Brituence of the strike of the workmen. ish steamer Deer, which went from THE famine in Armenia and the Glasgow for the Island of Trinidad. Kurdestan extends over an area of with her cargo in the aforehold on one hundred thousand square miles. fire for four days. She hoped to be

THERE is considerable ice in the able to reach Trinidad. Iudson below Castleton, and the THE firm of J. W. Amerman & Co., oats were not running Saturday. brokers in Broad street. New York, of suspended Monday morning. The JOHN SAMMET, the murderer Christian Spuhlar, was sentenced at embarrassment of the firm is said to be due to contracts in Nashville and Canton, Ohio, to be hanged on June Chattanooga stock.

THE Guion steamship Montana is DUBING Monday morning's session shore at Church Bay. The passen- of the Bucholz murder trial at Bridgegers and mails will be sent to Liver. port, Conn., Chief Justice Park charged the jury. The charge is con-The lower House of the Austrian sidered to have been against the

Reichsrath has decided to discuss the accused. The jury is still out. bill for a railroad through the Ail-Ar the Hammond colliery, near Girardville, Tuesday morning, just. THE Princess Louise, according after the men went into the shaft the o an Ottawa despatch, has nearly gangways caved in, and imprisoned recovered from the effects of the retwenty miners. After several hours,. all the men were released. Martin THE carpenters and brick layers McDonald was mortally injured. of Boston held meetings Friday The rest escaped with a few bruises. night and organized to obtain an ad- The wildest excitement prevailed for

1 time. vance in wages. A prominent citizen has been ar-THEODORE THOMAS severed his. connection with the Cincinnati Colrested at Atlanta, Ga., for threatenlege of Music. He will take charge ing to kill Rev. R. C. Foule (rector of the May Festival. of St. Phillip's Church at that place), in the pulpit, on Sunday, and going P A. SAWYEB, having testified beto church avowedly for that purpose. fore the Committee on State Seal of the Maine House of Representa. He accuses Foule of causing a divorce between himself and wife. He tive, ewas discharged from custody has been bound over to keep the WILLIAN F. TAYLOB, ex-Auditor

of Public Accounts of Virginia, was peace. found dead in his bed in Richmond, THE Grand Jury of Union county. Friday morning. He was 68 years New Jersey, Monday brought a true: bill against Charles A. Middleton .. of age. SMITH COLLEGE, at Northampton, secretary of the Continental Tele-Mass., has been closed two weeks, graph Company, an organization

before the spring vacation, owing to. owned by the Western Union Telethe appearance of a case of scarlet graph Company, for wantonly cutting down the wires and poles of the American Union Telegraph Company. MRS. CHARLES GOODWIN, of Strath-

roy, Ont., was killed and her hus-The lower Mississippi river is very band was dangerouly injured by a high, and apprehension is felt for le vees in some places. A crevasse 39 feet wide is reported near Lockport. EX-GOVERNOB GARCELON appeared before the Investigating Committee | La., and the State Engineer will send of the Maine Legislature Friday, men to repair it. There was a break New Orleans, but men were at once

President HAYES, who has said within a few days that he favored the nomination of President GRANT. All of which our readers are at liberty

s pleases them. THE presence of M. DE LESSEPS at the

"The policy of this country is a canal un der American control. The United States

any interference with the regular course of justice. clare for GRANT, and that even though SLALWART Republicans are not bolters. BLAINE claimed the Indiana delegation. They recognize, at all times, and under that GRANT would get the half of it. Furall circumstances, the first law of party ther, that he thought that GRANT's nomexistence, which is-submission, complete ination would be assured at least two and unreserved, to the will of the weeks before the convention.

majority. ELIHU B. WASHBURNE, of Illinois, rived at St. Louis a few days ago, and

says : The latest convert to Grantism is

to take with as many grains of allowance

interviewer he said he had no doubt that have to meet, is whether the Repub- GRANT would be nominated at Chicago lican party shall continue to adminis- and that the Illinois delegation would be A dispatch to the Philadelphia Recor

National Capital has had the effect to bring up the Monroe Doctrine, and the sage in regard to the Panama Canal, castic to those who differ with him in opinion, and enunciated by President MONROE. The

nessage contains the following in refer-

which is a re-affirmation of the principle how to hide the weak points in his case by "abusing ence to the proposed Panania Canal : as the tools in the kit of a traveling tinker, and

dard silver dollars for trade dollars, and providing that no more trade dollars shall | It is not to cross a bridge before getbe coined, it is not improbable that it will ting to it. And our advice to the pass the House. The bill also provides that the trade dollars received by the Treasury shall be recoined into standard the bridges behind them. They may Dauphin County Court. Mr. KRMBLE's tection to one or more of the great powsilver dollars.

Tuz recent decision of the Supreme has tinted the leaves. For while it. Court of this State in a usury case is a is the privilege of every Republican most important one, for it defines clearly the present condition of the law against prejudices and to be for whoever he usury. The decision amounts to this that a debtor who contracts to pay more time will soon come when he must than six per cent, interest, may, if he chooses, decline to pay the excess; but face the naked question as to whethhe cannot, as in former times, repudiate er or not he is willing to surrender the whole debt. He can be compelled at the destinies and interests of the least to pay six per cent. Nation into the hands of the Democ-

"LOVE laughs at locksmiths," but it don't often send a young maiden to the Those unwise and excitable Renuptial altar, clothed only in her robe de nuit. At Elizabeth City, N. C., a young selves into a fury over the probable lady was lately married under peculiar action of the Chicago Convention, circumstances. She was about to elope will do well to allow reason and with her lover. Her father got wind of it, fired upon her lover, wounding him in the arm. Taking in the situation at a | There is nothing in the probabilities | understanding with the prosecution that glance, the young girl fled from her room | which calls for the exhibition of tem. | the moral effect of a public conviction in her night clothes, joined her lover, and per or which would cause a moment's in this garb fled to Hymen's altar. anxiety. The distinguished and hon-

THE state of public opinion in the South is shown by the failure to secure a jury to try GULLY for the murder of Judge GIL-MER. The Kemper County massacre i ers, and the trial of one of the murderers | support such a man if nominated or was set down for last week. Mrs. Gu- that defeat will inevitably come if MER, the widow of the murdered man, was in attendance, but she had her long iourneys in vain as no jury could be had. and the trial was postponed. This probably ends the farce of attempting to punish a man for the slight offense of not better that the nominee of the murdering Republicans in cold blood.

THE Canadian weather prophet who announced a concentration of the snows · of winter in the month of March ought to feel encouraged by the weather returns of the first two weeks. He will need a be expected in the latter case, should coul many snow storms, however, to the Democracy get into possession of comfort him for the utter failure of his all the branches of the government, prophecies for February. Weather prophets have the advantage possessed by all seers, that the mass of people remember only their successes and forget all about their failures, even when the latter amount to ninety-nine per cent, of the to- himself frankly or emphatically for tal prophecies. GRANT OF BLAINE OF SHERMAN. It

Some of the Democratic papers hav been terribly worried about the possible Republican candidate for the Presidency. And now a new source of tribulation is discovered. One of them is in fear "that that we should work ourselves into a the GRANT papers will support BLAINE or frenzy, and do or say things which SHERMAN if either shall be nominated are calculated to embarrass our fuand the BLAINE and SHERMAN papers ture action; and hazard party success. will support GRANT if he shall lead the ticket." Which is much nearer the truth the "third term " spook, is unworthy than the Democratic papers are usually of the men who are engaged in magin the habit of getting. We would be nifying it, and while they don't beglad to relieve their distress / but we are afraid this anticipated calamity is lieve there is any danger or importlikely to come upon them. ance attached to it, is nevertheless

from its constant reiteration calcula-SENATOR CARPENTER may not be versed in ornithology, but the verdancy he exhibited in reference to the Harrisburg "roo ter," is delightfully amusing. Is it possible that the legislative bird is unknown in Wisconsin? Certainly Senator CAR-PENTER has been "cock of the walk" long enough to be thoroughly posted in the cognomen, either philologically, or figuratively. Yet in the PETROFF trial, when a witness testified that the immac-

KEMBLE, SALTER, RUMBERGER and hysterical and terrified Republicans. CRAWFORD, indicted for "corrupt solicitation" of members of the Legislature in capital invested by citizens or corporaconnection with the Riots Damage bill, tions of other countries in such an enterrestless and crotchetcy is not to burn pleaded guilty, when arranged in the prise must in a great degree look for proneed them to recross, and get back into plea of guilty was accompanied by a ers of the world. No European power qualifying statement that while admitting | can intervene such protection without the Republican ranks before autumn

his guilt, he denied being "corruptly" a adopting measures on this continent transgressor, which Judge PEARSON de which the United States would deem clined to accept. The trial of EMIL J. | wholly inadmissible." to have his preferences and even his PETROFF resulted in a conviction on both counts of the indictment. The Judge SECRETARY SHERMAN has written pleases for the Presidency, yet the fixed upon the 29th of March, as the letter to a friend in Chicago, in which he time when he will pass sentence. The says "The first public mention of my trial of the remainder of the cases was | candidacy was in the inference drawn postponed until April next. The legal from my letter to the Hon. Mr. HASKIN, penalty of the offense to which these four of New York, in which I stated what I plead guilty is a fine not exceeding \$1000, would seek to do in case of my nomina and an imprisonment not exceeding two tion and election. Since that time I have

vears. A formal announcement is made been considered by the public as a candiby advertisement in a Harrisburg paper, date, and have so regarded myself with publicans who are working them- by the five men' awaiting sentence of the purpose neither to press any one to their intention to apply to the Board of support me, nor to decline such friendly Parlons for a remission of whatever pen- aid as is offered me. This positition I in- in their preferences between two candidates that alty may be imposed upon them. It is tend to occupy to the end. I do not think given out that the pleas of guilty were it necessary for me to belittle or arraign General GRANT, Senator BLAINE, or any gi e the greatest satisfaction to the people, no moderation to resume their sway. made "under a more or less definite one else, nor will I use my official position to promote my candidacy." Which was more to be desired than the imprison is a very dignified and proper position to ment of the parties accused, and that the occupy, and one which will command the respect of the whole country. leading actors in the prosecution will not

orable men who are likely to be appear before the Board of Pardons an nominated, are all worthy of the sup- | renew the battle there." Whatever of THE Butler, Pa., Citizen, discussing port of every Republican. And he truth there may be in this statement, the 'dark horses " for the Presidential nomination has the following : who goes about whining and growl. public will receive with great satisfaction still fresh in the recollection of our read- | ing, and declaring that he will not | the certainty of the fact, that this prosecution is likely to create a more healthy on at the Chicago atmosphere about the halls of legislation. who would be a better man, if such a and that professional lobbying will be some one else is named, is neither a done away with for a time, at least. There Galusha A. Grow, of our own State? He sensible man nor a good Republican. | are dozens of men, throughout the State, nent degree and be a candidate whom all would be proud of. Senator Blaine is When the nomination is made it be- more richly deserving of purishment than those now caught in the toils, and the comes a simple question whether it is is one of the reasons why the Republicans of this State have rallied to him as they offenders who now await sentence are by n) means the most culpable. That they have. We feel confident of his nomina-tion, and believe he should have it, but if Republican party, though he may not will be dealt with in such a way as will

be our favorite, shall be chosen, or best preserve the interests of, public here is a "dark horse" in the matte whether we would have a Democratic then we say, Galusha A. Grow. Garfield, morality, we have no doubt, and the undmunds or Washburn would be good administration, with its consequent pleasant predicament in which they are but Grow better." reaction and mischief. What might placed, will deter others from following their example. STRAWS! The instructions for Judge

THE condition of affairs has reached such a threatening and dangerous attihas been clearly foreshadowed by the tude in San Francisco, that the law-abidproceedings of the extra session, and ing and orderly portion of the poputhe attempted usurpation in Maine. lation has been impelled to organize un-We respect a partizan who declares | der the name of the "Citizens' Protective

Union," and have made & formal antherefrom. Three ex-Governors-Bournonneement of their organization and WELL CLAFLIN and RICE-will be delepurposes. The preparations of the orgates-at-large from Massachusetts to is the distinguishing characteristic of der-loving citizens for the putting down Chicago, and they are GRANT men. the Republican party that it allows of disturbances, the protection of proper-Free Speech. But it is not necessary | ty, and the prompt punishment of the has attained considerable celebrity for his because we are partial to any man agitators and incendiaries, were so mani fest, and the recollection of the old-time vigilance committee so vivid and sugges-

tive of unpleasant consequences to the agitators, that the Kearneyites have called a halt, and protest that their incendia-The ridiculious prominence given to ry utterances were mere "sound and fury, signifying nothing." It is but a few days since that the sand-lot orators were first part of May." uttering their fearful denunciations and uttering their bloody threats, and the assembled hoodlums were passing resolu tions that if interfered with in their de signs on China-town they would "visit

ted to work mischief, should Gen. upon the low, designing minions of power, backed though they may be by cow-GRANT be nominated. Then there ardly capitalists and corporations, punishare partizans of the other candidates ment so swift and speedy that readers of who assert with lugrubious counhistory will shudder at the record." And tenances, that the Maine statesman Mayor KALLOCK, in a speech made the is vulnerable, and that a campaign | same day, said that the resolutions in sub-

with his past record for consistent Towanda, July 8, '79-11. be a "rooster," both Senator CARPENTER and Mr. GowEs professed ignorance of by give Mr. GowEs professed ignorance of the term and its meaning. We can hand by give Mr. GowEs noticiously active in the gualestive Halls, and keeps every cinter at Harrisburg a skilled corps of the Legislative Halls, and keeps every cinter at Harrisburg a skilled corps of the stores and dwellings were saved. be a "rooster," both Senator CARPENTER and now the Mayor wooders that anyon the professed ignorance of the professed ignorance of the term and its meaning. the term and its meaning term and its meaning. the term and its mea promptly squelching violence are so effiulate P. asked him how he would like to devotion to the principles of the vasses of the people and found three-fourths of weighs two hundred and thirteen pounds. store, was destroyed by fire on Tueswas begun, some twenty years ago.

prised everybody" and in which "he excelled control to any European power or to any now it is said his family are in a condition himself": "If delegations are to go to represent combination of European powers. The not their own will, but the will and judgment of in which aid would be acceptable. It surethose behind them, what is the objection, what it is not a more matter of charity that would not be the cowardice of our manly saying their wants should be responded to, for what we believe ?" there are thousands in the States, who What he says in the above sentence when stated

would consider it an honor to contribute n direct terms, without any circumloc craw-fish rhetoric, is precisely this: 1. The dele- to the relatives of one who was their bengation from this State to Chicago is to represe factor in years past. not their own will, nor the will of the people in Mr. Francis Murphy, the celebrated

their districts, but the will and judgment of those behind them. 2. The Grant majority in this Convention is behind them. 3. If the Grent macity, and will at once inaugurate a temority, having the power, does not instruct them to perance revival in the city churches. ote for Grant, then the Grant men are cowards The annual commencement of the Jef-He appeals to their State pride to have their delferson Medical College took place at noon egation instructed to vote as a unit. He says, ically : "How proud we should feel if on the at the Academy of Music. The proroll coming down to the letter N. New York is gramme comprised music by the Germaed, and some of her delegates vote for one man nia Orchestra, Mr. William Stoll, Jr., and some for another, and when it comes to be conductor; a prayer by Rev. I. I. Nicholannounced, if they virtually neutralized each other and left the roll-call where it was, and then comes son; the conferring of degrees and prizlittle New Hampshire and casts her ten votes and es; a valedictory address by Professor she determines the ballot. Would not the Bepublicans of New York feel proud in the presence of There were one hundred and ninety-six graduates, and at least twice that num-

Now in the case he supposes, it seems to n if the people of New York are so equally divided ber of boquets and floral designs, presented to the new-made M. D.'s by admiring. their delegates would just neutralize each othe riends. "and leave the roll-call where it was," that it

Jacob Miller, an intoxicated tramp, was would be the best plan, and the one that would arrested by Reserve Gouldey, Saturday only of that State but of others, not to instruct but let the delegates be free to represent the will with a stick one of the massive plate winthe people in their respective districts. If near dows of Bailey's jewelry store, Twelfth ly haif the people in New York are for Blaine. and Chestnut streets.

there is no good reason why the whole delegation The advance guard of the "salvation rom that State should be compelled to vote fo Grant. In Penusvivania there is undoubtediv s army" from London, has reached this majority of the people against a third-term Presi

city, and arranged for holding meetings. nsylvania delegation is ex-The corps of workers is English, and has pected to vote solid for Grant. No matter how old the precedent, nor how great the men who father been well known there for the last two or "Speaking of the "dark horse" that the iniquity, the unit doctrine, especially in State may be introduced and carry off the nearly equally divided, is a crime and an outrage. three years. Their idea is to bring the Gospel into the streets, to the ignorant and "We know," said Mr. Conkling, "the poor. Their usual plan is to take hold of whelming judgment of the Republicans of this compromise has to be made, than Hon. State; let us state it honestly and fairly." The hands, dressed in a peculiar garb, marchvote was taken at the close of this speech and re ing into some crowded thoroughfare, would give satisfaction to all in an emi- snited as follows: "For the nominee of the Chicasinging hymns, set to a popular tune. go Convention, whoever he may be," 180; fo Grant, 217; majority for Grant. 37. Opinions dif When a crowd is gathered they begin to Iso a Pennsylvanian by birth, and that | fer, but if Mr. Conkling considers 37 majority preach. There are now one hundred and twenty-five corps and stations of the gates, then it is because he loves to use a big word "Salvation Army" in Great Britain, with o represent small figures. When it is remembered one hundred and seventy-nine officers that the Utica Convention was composed of one lelegate from cach assembly district, be the nun wholly employed in its labor. Friends of her of Republican voters in it ever so small, and the work claim that through its influence

me additional delegate for each 1,500 Republica "the character of the whole population ers; and when we bear in mind that many of of South Wales has been changed, the the assembly districts in the cities, and especially charge sheets of the police courts have

of New York and Brooklyn, are so strongly Dem EDMUNDS in Vermont are said to ensure tic that the Republican votes are scarcely worth unting-and sometimes, we suspect, don't get the votes for GRANT. The latest from has almost suspended, and whole counties nted ; and when we consider that these strong North Carolina is that SHERMAN alreads have been roused to spiritual concern." tic districts with but few Republic has seven, and will have eight more of They will unquestionably attract much oters in them almost without exception sent Grant elegates to the Convention, we are compelled t that State's delegation. Michigan was at attention here, but it is questionable if believe Mr. Conkling's assertion of the "ove first thought certain for GRANT, but their methods are suited to the necessishelming " judgment of the Republicans of Ner BLAINE will have a number of delegates York for Grant to be unwarranted and untrue and yet he demands that New York, like Fennsyl vania, in the National Convention shall be soli for the third-term candidate. It is amusing t hear the great vensior talk of the country district having been carried against Grant "by an able seem to be successful.

corps of trained officials, with their salaries in their HENRY G. VENNOR, of Montreal, who. ckets, camped in a particular district and making their headquarters in the saddle, carrying o weather forecasts, gives the following as an active campaign on the high-roads and the byhis latest : "There will be snowfalls in roads for a month, particularly if the roads are had or the snow is deep." It will be news to the different parts of the United States and people in the country districts to learn that, con n Europe during April and extremely rary to President Hayes's civil service order, a backward weather in the fore part of corps of trained officials have been camped among them, riding bither and thither on the high-road May. The finest part of the year 1880 and by-roads, when the snow was deep and the Cummings, an equally notorious robber, will be its latter half. Further details, roads bad, and succeeded in 'carrying so many with dates, will be attempted toward the hem against Grant.

Somebody must have hoazed Mr. Conkling, un ess he is troubled with a vivid imagination, THERE will be to vote for on the State obody would suspect the great Senator of lying. ticket this year in Pennsylvania, one per-He is an honorable man. Hear him extol the citle bure the Grant strength came from : "You may son for Auditor-General in place of SCHELL, and one for Supreme Judge in go into a city, a metropolitan district; you may have the question fairly stated, and an overwheim ing, unmistakable verdict is for Gen. Grant." 1 place of Judge WOODWARD, deceased. Besides the two State officers, there will has not been generally supposed that the inhabita be a full delegation of Congressmen to be of the cities are more intelligent, bonest or patri otic than the people in the cour chosen, 25 members of the State Senate. been for the Republicans in the rural districts, Mr. Conking would never have seen the inside of the 210 members of the House of Representatives, and large county tickets.' This, in mber except as a spectator from the

iam Lincoln was re-nominated, and you remembe

sentencing KEARNEY, the Judge said it was not his duty to punish the prisoner temperance advocate, has returned to this for similar offenses in the past, but to confine himself to the present case. He Railroads. would pass judgment without prejudice, feeling or vindictiveness, but the sentence mposed would indicate the estimate of the gravity of the offense. KEARNEY received the sentence in silence, but his features indicated intense surprise and indigthe Chicago Convention. nation. He previously stated that he expected to get off with a fine of twenty dollars. After leaving the court, he free-

dian Agent at Menomonee reserva-Robert E. Rogers, and benediction. Is expressed his anger and chagrin, detion, for making fraudulent returns nouncing the penalty as outrageous, and and pesenting false vouchers to the claiming that he would beat it. Proba- Government. bly in the expectation of a nominal sen-THE weavers at Stewart's woolen ence, his connsel neglected to demand a

jury trial, and having no resource in that for higher wages, and on being refusdirection, filed an appeal to the Superior ed left the building in a body. Short-Court, furnishing bonds of \$3,000. Many ly afterwards the demand was accedafternoon, while endeavoring to batter in expressions of gratification at the Judge's ed to and work was resumed. action have been heard on all sides. He Two passenger trains ran into each was sentenced to pay a fine of \$1,000 and other, during a heavy snow storm, at undergo an imprisonment of six months.

STATE NEWS.

THE Reading brewers ask nine dollars a barrel for beer.

HANOVER boasts a Poland China by a horse at Hopetown, Ohio, Frihog, weighing over 950 pounds. day. Lawrence W. Barry was killed. COLONEL E BEATTY, a prominent and the fireman was fatally injured. citizen of Carlisle, died on Monday THE residence of Mr. Richard Johnson, a farmer, near Dennison.

THE Lancaster County Medical Society has begun a campaign against | Crawford county, Iowa, was burned, the medical practitioners who have and his two daughters perished in the flames. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and on diplomas. seven of their children had a narrow HON. ALEXANDER .H. COFFEOTH. escape.

Representative in Congress from the Somerset district, is dangerously ill with diphtheria. MB. W. T. SCHEIDE, of Tidioute.

has been appointed General Manager of the United Pipe Lines in the place been greatly reduced, the liquor traffic of the late E. Hopkins. to be the work of an incendiary. THIBTEEN wolves during the current winter have been scored by a

hunter named Brown, who lives in Burr township, Cambria county, ing the Alexandrian obelisk from S. A. Devenport has decided to Egypt to New York is borne by ties or habits of our people. We have too | remove to another State, and wants

William H. Vanderbilt, who is to pay \$75,000 when the task is success fully completed. THE scheme for uniting by canal the German Ocean and the Baltic is

so far matured that Herr Dahistrom, a Hamburg engineer, has been fur

government. LAFAYETTE COLLEGE, at Easton

HENRY WHITE, a lawyer of Williamsport, who died last week, was 8. Athletics are beginning to receive of the above hotel, respectfully solicits the path the Democratic candidate for Con- due attention from the students and augit-tf. the Democratic candidate for Con. due attention from the students and gress against the Hon. John I. Milli- they expect to put in the base ball

GEORGE THOMPSON has been arrest they could bear, and they may go under. ed at Bradford for committing a Early on Wednesday morning' last, an criminal assault upon Miss Lizzie elephant, said to be the first ever born in Howard, a very pretty young lady, captivity, was ushered into existence in 20 years of age. the building on Ridge Road, in which the HENRY C. RUFF fell against a reanimals belonging to Cooper & Bailey's | volving saw in Loyalhanna township, menagerie are kept. The matter is con- Westmoreland county, on Saturday

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et to close the opening and strengt MRS. DAVID GRIFFING, of Norwich, N. Y., was burned to death in her | en the bank.

house Saturday. The cause of the GENERAL HENRY A. THOMPSON, fire is unknown. It is said that Mrs. President of the National Bank of Griffing made her will the day pre- Baltimore, died Friday in Baltimore, in the 80th year of his age. He grad-

uated at West Point in 1819, and THE old business relations of the Atlantic and Pacific and Western | served in the army until 1836, when Union Telegraph Companies have he resigned and entered into mercanbeen fully restored on the Union tile business. He was respected for "steady qualities" throughout his Pacific and St. Joseph and Western active life.

THE Arkansas Republican State In the Criminal Court at Washingcentral committee has called the ton, Judge Hagner refused to grant State Convention at Little Rock, a new trial in the case of the negroes-April 28, to nominate Presidential Babe Bedford, Edward Queenan and: Samuel Penn, convicted of the murelectors and to select delegates to der of George Phillips Hirth on the evening of January 7, last, and sen-THE U. S. Grand Jury at Milwautenced the prisoners to be hanged on kee has indicted J. Bridgman, ex-In-April 30 next.

A lot of politicians of the Fourth. Fifth and Six wards of New York got up a grand spree at Hyland's saoon, on Sunday night, and, besides mills, at Glenham, New York, struck breaking the excise law, cracked a number of heads. A man named Burke was fatally shot, while a number of persons were stabbed. No arrests were made, as the row was not interfered with by the "best police

force in the world.? Red Desert, fifty miles west of Raw-A cable dispatch from Rome, spe-

lins, Wy. T., Friday morning, and cial to the New York Freeman's an engineer was fatally injured. Journal, announces that on Sunday, The p.ssengers escaped injury. March 14, the Pope. approved and

THE engine and nine cars of a named Right Rev. Michael Heiss, freight train on the Sciota Valley now Bishop of La Crosse, Wis., as Railroad were thrown from the track coadjutor, with right of succeeding to the Archbishop of Milwaukee, and approved and named Rev. John A. Watterman, president of Mount St. Mary's College, Emmittsburg, Md. to be Bishop of Columbus, Ohio.

GENERAL GRANT'S reception at Puebla, Mexico, was diversified by an excursion to the pyramids of Cholula. Entertainments in lavish style were given by the officials and

A fine farm house belonging to private citizens, and it was intended John Clark, three miles from Lackato give a ball in his honor on Easter. waxen, Pa., was burned on Friday | Monday, but he intended to sail for night. Loss, about \$3,000, with lit- Galveston on the 18th inst. The tle or no insurance. The cause of Governor returned General Grant's the fire is unl nown, but it is believed | visit on the 9th inst., and in the evening the General visited the Exposit ion. The party left Puebla and ar-Accombing to a Washington des-

patch to the Charleston (S. C.) News rived in the City of Mexico on the and Courier, the expense of remov. 11th inst.

WORKINGMEN .- Before you begin you heavy spring work after a winter of relaxation, your system needs cleausing and strengthening to prevent an attack of Ague, Billious or Spring Fever, or some other Spring sickness that will unfit you for a season's work. You will save time much sickness and great expense if you will use one bottle of Hop Bitters in your family this month. Don't wait. See

another column.

## Sotels.

THE CENTRAL BOTEL, ULSTER, PA. The undersigned having taken po

(SOUTH SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE.)

A tenement house in North Mar-gin street, Boston, was slightly dam-aged by fire early Friday morning. E. A. JENNINGS. Towanila, Pa., May 2, 1878,

ENRY HOUSE.

(ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN.) CORNER.MAIN & WASHINGTON STREETS TOWANDA, PA.

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field this year the strongest nine the EAGLE HOTEL, college has ever had. aged by fire early Friday morning. Benard McAleer and his daughter,

Mrs. Mary Douglass, becoming pan ic stricken, jumped from a window and are supposed to be fatally injured ALBERT MARCROS WAS killed by

addition to the Presidential contest, will the explosion of a blast in the Hooview, and Drs. Chapman and Leidy will died an hour afterward. You remember," he continued, ' when Abrawith him as a standard bearer would stance embodied his views ! The ordermake a lively campaign next Fall. leals at all hours. Terms to suif the times. Large stable attached. sac Tunnel on Sunday morning, report concerning it. The baby elephant THE frame building in McKeesbe a defensive one. Even SHEBMAN. loving citizens of San Francisco are so dewhat proceeded that nomination. The sights we This is the 199th fatal calamity that is thirty inches high, measures thirty-five | port, Allegheny county, occupied by WM. HENRY, PROPRIETOR. see now, the sounds we hear now, were all seen termined, and their preparations for the iron workers have become impressed and heard then. The newspaper folks took can. inches from the trunk to the crupper and Messra. Galvin & Bros. as a grocery has occured in this tunnel since it IRON has been booming in price, until

many churches, which are free to all, to to sell the Erie Gazette, which is a necessitate such gospel ceremonies. Street Republican organ in a Republican preaching is common here, but does not | county. 'Ins property of the Lehigh Slate During the past three or four weeks Company, at Allentown, was sold

some of the most noted convicts in the by the Sheriff yesterday afternoon to A car works and nail factory, it is

nished with a concession to commence preparatory operations in accordance with a plan submitted by him to the

closed vesterday for the spring vaca-

tion and the spring term begins April

sidered important in a scientific point of and was so badly injured that h

Eastern Penitentiary have become very Alexander Wilson, of Easton, for ill. This is especially the case with those \$37,000. said, are to be erected at Watsontown, Northumberland county, in this State, which will be managed by Peter Herdic.

men were all high livers when at large, had plenty of money and spent it freely. ken in 1878. Their confinement has been more than

who have long terms to serve. Their systems seem to have broken down complete ly, and one of them, Ike Marsh, a notorious burglar, is exceedingly sick. Dave s ill, and Colonel Rollins, the Chambersburg hank robber, is fast failing. These