Towanda, Pa., Dec. 8, 1881,

In one county in Iowa at the recent election not a Democratic vote was cast.

No. General HANCOCK did not attend the Tariff Convention held in New York

HON. GLENNI W. SCHOPIELD, of this State, was sworn in as a Judge of the Court of Claims, last week.

THE exports of grain for the current year show a decrease of 36,289,000 bush-

become eminent citizens. Not a person has as yet been suggested

as a candidate for Governor next year that meets the approbation of Mr. C. SPIKER WOLFE, of Union county. Mr. CHARLES SPYKER, it may be proper to mention, has not as vet been mentioned. Those who have felt that the great

ance agents, will be very much relieved e-mpany has imported twelve English agents, who will soon be let loose on the

fixing the pay of members at \$500 each for the session, with milage attached, but no money for stationery or postage.

motive engine in the United States. Now there are 16,445, all made here and costing \$194,450,000. Our railroad cars of all kinds number 498,000, costing \$600,000,000, making the total value of railway rolling stock \$754,450,000. We build locomotives for every part of the civilized world.

THE Supreme Court has re-districted Middle District and the rest of the State act of Assembly.

Or the new Senates the Cincinnati Republicans have good reason to be satisfied with the Senate as it stands, all parties can find cause for satisfaction in the fact not only juits each party, but each individual mem'er, upon good behavior.

For the information of members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, we mention the fact that at the session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge held last month topic and the necessity of speedy action at Cincinnati, an amendment to the con- by Congress. stitution was adopted which provides that all the business of ubordinate lodges shall be transacted in the third degree after July 1, 1882. It will no doubt prove greatly to the interest and harmony of

It is among the certainties that New Jersey will elect a Republican Senator to succeed McPherson, Oregon a Republican to succeed GROVER, and Virginia a States are the Republicans likely to lose ground, and in the next Congress Republican control of the Senate will be unques tioned. And all this is the result of an "off year."

cer-like conduct resulting from drunkenhe might approve and confirm, or else set the names of the four have been stricken from the rolls of the army. This is creditable to the President. The army is no place for a drunken officer.

The new Sceretary of the Treasury going ahead, and is showing himself an ardent believer in the wisdom of paying whole country at heart. It is neither off the national debt as soon as this can philosophical or epigrammatic, but it buried. How it came where it was be done without imposing any additional burden upon the taxpaying public. It forward, comprehensive statement of was though), that he was about to make and important call, and expectation has not been disappointed, as extended sixes to the amount of \$20,000,000 were called for its consideration. It is a busi- rated a terrible riot. Clubs and stone in Friday. At this rate it will not be very ness-like document, and treats of the killed and three others fatally wounded. long before only the fours and the fourand-a halfs remain.

Duning the days that the body o President GARFIELD lay in state in Cleveland a woman annoyed the widow and friends with whom she was then staying by most persistent efforts to get Queen Lictoria's wreath and some of the other doral rélics from the catafalque, for the purpose, as she then represented, of em balming and preserving the flowers for Chicago ladies to present to Mrs. Gartield. She was frequently rebuffed, but Brown to the Mayor of the city, from whom she succeeded in getting a number of the floral pieces. She took them to Chicago, and now has advertised them for sale, claiming to have paid several thousand doilars for them.

Philadelphia, and whose thety it was to select a special committee of seven on organization, has authorized the announcement that he has appointed the it was shamed into silence long enough to permit the funeral of the condition, and the condition, it was shamed into silence long enough to permit the funeral of the during which the expectant groom value searched the empty receptacles of his enough to permit the funeral of the designating Strater Lee as a member, so that the whole committee is constituted as follows: John Strawart, Chambers burg; J. M. Geist, Laucaster; William burg; J. M. Geist, Laucaster; Wi

FIELD relics were sent out by the Cleve- these prophets the entire policy of land bureau, in response to applications.

President Abthub was to relate to Church has refused to entertain the appeal of Dr. Thomas, of Chicago, and the punishment of every friend of expelled him. flowers, etc., left from the obsequies entered bonds in the sum of \$10,000 to not manufacture from lumber other than that used at the obsequies. The articles will be sold for the benefit of the GAR-FIELE monument fund.

We agree with Senator Davis, of Illi nois, says the North American, that the Reublican party is a pretty vigorous sort of an institution, and rather tough to disrupt and destroy. It has required a els. The decrease is attributed to high number of years of adventurous experiment to satisfy Mr. Davis on that point, but he appears now to be fully convinced. THERE isn't a peorhouse in all Norway. Any other doubtful Republicans who so poor there that they have to ask for ing the party can easily do so by getting charity they are shipped to America to outside of it for a time, and surveying its strength and force from a point of view. While the Democratic party lasts, the Republican organization cannot possibly be

SECRETARY HUNT advises a reconstruction of the navy, which is novel in some respects and not so novel in others. He proposes that the building of iron-clads which become obsolete in a few years need of this country was more life insur- should he suspended, and that swift unarmored steamers should be substituted vessels would enable them to run away in the event of a war and their capture adopted providing for biennial instead of at a single step. This involves such a annual sessions of the Legislature, and large appropriation that Congress cannot be induced to vote the money, whereas by in all things has acted exactly as suggesting the work in installments from year to year, and hiding its magnitude om the Congressional eye, even a greater sum might be gently extracted. The jar, nothing whatever to give cause bluff sailors who preside over the navy for a single censurious remark. department cannot be expected, however, te resort to such cunning diplomacy.

THE Tariff Convention in session New York City last week was composed bus ness interests of the country. Hon. reason they may perhaps learn that GEORGE B. LORING, the temporary chair of delegates representing the principal of the President. In seeking for a GEORGE B. LORING, the temporary chairman, is United States Commissioner of the State so as to leave only seven coun- Agriculture, and Senator WARNER MILties in the Western District, three in the LER, of New York, chosen afterwards permanent presiding officer, is a consistest manufacturing city in the Union there denounces is not the reflected wickedthere, as \$165,000,000 were invested in manufactures, giving employment to 274,- of the investigation will relate to a Commercial's opinion is that while the 732 persons, or about one-quarter of the debased press. entire population. A letter read from Senator BLAINE declared that at no previous time in the history of our country body. The public welfare is to be mostly was the principle of protection to Amerifound in the close political division. That | can industry stronger with the masses of the people. Judge KELLEY, of this State, made a strong appeal during the evening session in favor of a reduction of internal revenue taxes. An additional treasury surplus of nine millions for the closing month evidences the importance of this

THE MESSAGE.

In a supplement we lay before our readers the full text of President the various lodges to prepare for the ABTHUR's message, read in both Houses of Congress on Tuesday afternoon last. Perhaps never in the history of our country has a state paper been so anxiously looked that had as close and careful read-Johnston. In none of the Republican ing, as will this first message of Presitime to read the document at the tate to the value of \$960,000. time of writing this, as closely as we Since Mr. Arthur became President tended comment until a later issue. make an annual appropriation for its of the United States, four army court | The idea of the paper that we gather aside or modify, the sentences imposed, and strongest in adherence to com-He has approved all the sentences, and mon sense, and sound principle, as Postmaster General Friday to authorize well as in broad statesmanlike tone, as any paper of the kind emanating the reports of agricultural colleges which the law requires to be interchanged from any of his predecessors, and among all the colleges annually.

that it will-win golden opinions from every man who has the true interests of bones among the asu heaps on a value of the days ago, were horrified by of the people, and the welfare of the the discovery of a human arm, evidently is, on the contrary, a plain, straight. advisable to lay before Congress affairs of the Nation in a manner Officers are hunting for the guilty parties. that will no doubt please business men and meet the approval of the deburg on Wednesday evening of last week, by Detective Lyon and Officer marks its author as one of the ablest

men now in public life.

THE PRESIDENT AND HIS CRITICS. President ARTHUR has occupied the Executive office for about ninety days. He succeeded to the chair made vacant by the death of GARfinally procured a card from Stanley FIELD under circumstances in the last degree embarassing. The Satanic worst of his probable succession. He man of doubtful character and debas-SENATOR J. W. LEE, who was Chair corrupt and vindictive measures could 162 pounds. man of the recent meeting of Independent | be expected. All this, and more, the Republicans at the Continental Hotel, Satanic press urged day by day, until, by the very nobility of Mr. ARTHUR'S

LIPS, New Castle; HUGH S. FLEMING, Cabinet without ceremony. He was Cabinet without ceremony. He was Pittsburg; J. W. Lee, Frankin. It will be the duty of this Committee, and one of its first duties, to designate the General Committee of 251, corresponding with the number of the Senators and Representatives from the several districts, who will institute the work of organization.

Cabinet without ceremony. He was Castle; Itour S. Fleming, President Garfield.

Cabinet without ceremony. He was to be able to act free that says: "My daughters are so feeble and sad, with no strength, all out of that his predecessor had done. Reform party bias: It is a singular fact that, at this most prosperous profile as to their feelings last spring toward President Garfield.

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NEARLY 60,000 envelopes full of GAR- as decency would allow. To believe

having been used up, a leading furniture President GARFIELD, and to the reverhaving been used up, a leading furniture establishment at Cleveland has been sal of the policy, so far as it had been office Department Friday shows that the given the contract by the Relic Bureau revealed, of that administration. And the month of November amount to \$111, to manufacture articles from the lumber so on, from that time to this very 155 per annum. nsed at the Garrield catafalque. They day, the Salanic press has been barking at the President's beels, impugning his motives and misrepresenting his every public and private act.

The first question that caturally recurs is-" What has President ABdone? His first official utterance during the last week in November. contained one of the finest tributes to the deserving of his predecessor rules of the House so as to permit mem-that has been paid by any American, bers who are not Catholics or Christians to the deserving of his predecessor public or private. In his inaugural, or dispense with it and make a simple Mr. ARTHUR said that it should be promise to keep the laws of Spain.

An exchange says that when people get | want to ascertain the difficulty of destroy- his care to impress the lesson of the life and great services of his predecessor upon the American people. This covered all the ground. Had the refusal of postmasters to receive mail matter from alleged infected dishe meant less he would have said tricts, and prescribing the method of funigation under direction of medical authorities before such quarantined mail content to express his intentions in matter is forwarded. few words. And what has he done? He has began where Garrield left off and quietly preserved the line of policy by him marked out. No man policy by him marked out. No man has been punished because of his political friendships or enmitties. The political friendships or enmitties. The by the information that one New York in their place. The speed of the latter list of appointments prepared by his shots at Beggs, but says it was in selfpredecessor was taken up bodily and defence. Beggs bore a high character. sent to the Senate for its action. No

> But the abuse still goes on. For what reason? We invite the public to take notice of the facts, and to furnish a reason for this vile abuse ness of its conductors. The next era

GARFIELD would have done. There

has been no reversal of anything, no

STATE NEWS.

-Schuylkill county is over run by burglars. -Patridges sell for twenty-five cents a pair at Sunbury. -A wolf was shot at Tioga Center, Tioga county, last week.

-There is a boy seven years old Wilkesbarre who smokes, chews tobacco and drinks lager. -The death of Senator Isaac Hereter of Adams county, of typhus malaria, took place at Gettysburg on Thursday evening.

-A Lancaster county man has obtained etters patent on a machine for making cigars, which he claims will do the work

-During a fire, which occurred in Scranton at an early hour Thursday morning, two women named McCarthy and Reed perished in the flames while in -Hon. W. H. Withington, ex-Legisla-

tive representative, and a prominen member of the Northumberland county for, or one issued by an Executive bar, died at Shamokin on Friday night after several weeks' illness.' dent ARTHUR. We have not had ninety-seven county or local agricultural

-Andrew Carnegie, of Pittsburg, ha would wish, to speak of its different points at length, and must defer ex- \$250,000, provided the city will agree to

Governor Hoyt has respited Jonathan from a hasty perusal of the docu- Mayer and Israel Erb, of Snyder county, ment is, that it is one of the clearest December 16, so that their cases may be examination was not concluded. in statement, frankest in admissions, heard at the December meeting of the Board of Pardons.

> -Two Reading boys, while hunting fled, who took charge of the arm and had

found is a mystery. -One hundred Swedish and Irish labor ers at work on the Pittsburg, Bradford matters that the President deemed and Buffalo Railroad visited Kane Friday evening to see their foreman regarding wages. They became drunk and inaugu-

-Joseph Moyer was arrested at Midpeople generally. It is a paper that Smith, on the charge of being implicated in the robbery and murder of a peddle in that vicinity some fifteen years since. He was committed to jail at Middleburg for trial at the next term of Court. He is also charged with following Detective Lyon with a rifle with the avowed inten-

tion of shooting him, on account of the arrest of the Kintzler murderers. -Adam Price and his son had an exciting adventure a few days ago near luntingdon. They observed a large buck struggling in the river, and procuring a animal had become wedged between two stumps, but his legs were free, and he at press had for weeks predicted the once assumed the offensive on the approach of the boat. After vainly endeavoring to disable him with the oars, Mr. had been held up to public gaze as a Price seized the buck by the horns, and after a desperate struggle succeeded in drowning him, when he was taken to the ed instincts, from whom nothing but shore. He had four prongs and weighed

> -A wedding came very near being postponed in Pittsburg on Thursday evening on account of what might be considered a harsh rule adopted by the alderman who was selected to perform the cer-

GENERAL NEWS. -The Supreme Court of the Methodist

expelled him.

-Robert A. Barnes, a well-known Barnes professorship will be established

-According to reports received by the National Board of Health, smallpox prevails in Pittsburg, Richmond, Philadeled to have occurred in the latter city -- Amendments have been proposed the Spanish Congress for modifying the

-In consequence of alarm in som portions of the west as to the spread of

The murderers used a shotgun, loaded murderers. Wagner confessed firing two -The boiler in the Yazoo oil works, at gle particular departed from what feet long, with five flues, was blown across the street under a house of posite, tearing away the supports of the house. was called the GABFIELD policy, but -About three o'clock Thursday morning a party of masked men, numbering seventy-five or one hundred, took from

colored, charged with the murder of T M. Lynch, and hanged them in a grove of trees near the spot where the murder was committed. To get at the prisoners the jailor was taken from his home and forced to open the doors, when the guards were disarmed and shut up in the guard-house. -The first portion of the report of the corrupt practices are not confined to of bank directors and examiners, and

jail at Oxford, Granville county, N.

C., John Brodie and Shadrack Hester,

public service. They may learn that question of their apointment, liabilities accusers somtimes attribute their and control. The details of the troubles own baseness to the subjects of their Newark, and of the Pacific National in the Eastern. This division, so favorable to Philadelphia, displeases the Western lawyers, and there is talk of applying to the Legislature to district the State by mainder of the report will be made

THE GUITEAU TRIAL.

WEDNESDAY. The assasin of President Garfield in his own defence. He repeated but this was voted down and ballotinspired of the Deity to murder the ing as follows: President, and vehemently asserted that personal considerations had no Kelfer...... weight in leading him to the great Historian 44 41 crime of July 2. He said that he Read 15 16 16 Read 11 12 12 felt relieved of a burden and happy after he had fired upon the President.

He also stated that for twenty years he had entertained the expectation of being at some time elected to be President of the United States, and Reed...... he had not given up that expectation yet. The spectators laughed at this orth.... declaration. The cross-examination of the assassin was begun.

THURSDAY. Judge Porter continued to crossexamine Guiteau Thursday, and the assassin displayed remarkable quickness of perception and much shrewdness In spite of cunning, however, he was involved in many contradictions, and was fairly brought to bay more than once. At such times he ither became angry and violent or insolent and defiant. The crossexamination took a wide range, and was apparently directed to show that the assassin's claim of Divine inspir-

FRIDAY.

The cross-examination of Guiteau by Judge Porter was continued and brought to a conclusion Friday. The assassin spoke of himself as a man of destiny. He described the "delightful and cosy 'fellowship" he witnessed between President Gar-'removed" in order to avert the evils He admitted having had some remorse for his crime, but quickly qualified the admission as he saw its earing on his case. He was involved in some contradictions, but tion. He would not say that he was

SATURDAY.

Among the witnesses examined Saturday in the Guiteau trial were Senator David Davis, of Illinois. important points by these witnesses they were disappointed. Not only did Mr. Storrs refuse to express any opinion as to the sanity or insanity of the murderer, but he very plainly stated that he had never had any reason to suspect on the part of the prisoner a lack of the capacity to listinguish between right and wrong. Senator Davis was interrogated at some length by Mr. Scoville as to the Conkling controversy in particular and the condition of American politics in general. His answers at times called out the suppressed laughter of the spectators. MONDAY. .

Several experts were called to the stand in the Guiteau trial Monday, asked to answer a hypothetical question based upon the testimony for borough Tennessee Herald. the defence. Assuming the propo-

The court room was crowded Tuesday. Guiteau and the Judge came Charles Farwell, of Chicago, testified one leg off; Hugh Lewis, of Wiscitizen of St. Louis, has given \$25,000 to that he never considered the prison-the Mcthodist Central College, Fayette, er sane. He thought he could dis-Howard county, Mo. It is understood a tinguish between right and wrong. tinguish between right and wrong. George C. Gorham took the stand. Guiteau asked him whether he did not publish many articles last spring denouncing the President for wreck-THUR done that he should be assailed phia. Brooklyn and Chicago. Twenty-ing the Republican party? Mr. Gorby these hounds?" What has he eight deaths from the disease are reportant in the latter of th ed by the Court. The files of the stand later with his files. Mr. Scoville said that he had made an unsmallpox, Acting Postmaster General successful attempt to secure the Hatton has issued an order providing for President's attendance. After some the adjournment of the Republican

discussion the prosecution agreed to caucus this evening the Democratic allow Mr. Scoville to prepare the interrogatories to be submitted to the hall and organized a caucus for the President and allow his evidence in ensuing Congress, by re-electing this form to be put in. Judge Cox Representative House, of Tennessee, this form to be put in. Judge Cox -Dr. Joseph A. Beggs, book-keeper refused to sign Guiteau's order for witnesses. The defence then closed. Adjourned. Guiteau was very abusive during the entire proceedings.

month of the recent election in that State an amount to the Constitution was supported by Messrs. Knott has been dismissed and the resignation of the main building. Seven the colored member of the Garrier was supported by Messrs. Knott has been dismissed and the resignation was supported by Messrs. Was all the construction of a many amount to the Constitution was supported by Messrs. Harrier was all the construction of a many and the construction of a many and the construction of a many and the construction. Note that the ces. Mr. Jay Hubbell, of Michigan, called the caucus to order. Mr. Robeson, of New Jersey, was selected as chairman of the caucus, Mr. Miller, of Pennsylvania, as secretary, and Messrs. McCook, of

> McClue, of Ohio, as assistant secretaries and tellers. The caucus then adjourned, sub-After a roll-call, to which the full Republican membership of 146 members responded, nominations for the Speakership were declared to be Frank Hiscock, of New York, by Representative Camp, of New York; Speaker; Gilbert De La Matyr. In-James W. Keifer, of Ohio, by Representative Hazleton, of Wisconsin; John & Kasson, of Iowa, by Repre- arms; H. M. Williams, of Missouri, sentative Cannon, of Illinois; Mark for Door-keeper; W. H. C. Moore, H. Dunnell, of Minnesota, by Strait, of Pennsylvania, for Postmaster. of Minnesota; Godlove S. Orth, by Representative Calkins; J. C. Bur-

rows, of Michigan, by Horr, of Michigan; and Thomas B. Reed, of Maine, by Lindsey, of Maine. J. Hyatt Smith went into the aucus at the last moment. John regular Republican, was absent. A motion was made and advocated

BIXTERN BALLOTINGS. 146 145 145 146 146 145 145 146 IY X XI XII XIII XIV XV XVI

146 146 146 142 147 145 145 144 On the 16th ballot being announcprogress of the last ballot, re-entered others in a less degree. with the committee, and was greeted with long and continued applause. MR. KEIFER'S SPEECH.

On being escorted to the Speaker's ation was an afterthought, devised chair, Mr. Keifer feelingly expressed on him by the Republican members of the House of Representatives, and congratulated them on the spirit kindness and good will which alone had characterized the canvass for the nomination. He went on to field and Secretary Blaine, and party—because he believed that the which, he said, intensified his conviction bound up in the ascendancy of those best interests of the country are principles-and if the choice made here to-day should be ratified by the to the best of his ability endeavor to discharge the high office of Speaker uninfluenced by partisan considerations, and do justice alike to all volved in some contradictions, but be adhered to his claim of inspiration applause.]

parties and all sections. [Great | Father McCarty, parish priest at Greenfield, was shot and seriously

BALLOTING FOR MINOR OFFICERS. Candidates for the Clerkship were placed in nomination, and balloted

Mr. McPherson was thereupon delared the caucus nominee. One ballot also sufficed to terminate the contest for the position of rgeant-at-Arms, Col. Geo. W. Hooker, of Vermont, (late Assistant cretary of the Republican National Committee.) 80 votes, and thereby the caucus nomination, against Geo. Wm. Bunn, of Pennsylvania, 11. The first ballot for Doorkeeper

resulted in the choice of Walter P. Brownlow, of Tennessee, who received 123, against 13 for Edward Jardine, of New York, and three scattering. Mr. Brownlow is a but in most cases they were only nephew of late "Parson" Brownlow. He is now editor of the Jones-

prisoner. The prisoner expressed a pastor of the church attended by

his speeches he declared that he on the soldiers' roll of the House of "would rather be bung as a sensible Representatives of the United man than acquitted as a fool." The States, be retained by the Door-President has declined to appear as keeper of the House on said roll subject, however, to dismissal for just and sufficient cause: S. H. Decker, of Ohio, both arms off; Jno. Ryan, of Pennsylvania, one leg off James J. McConnell, of Indiana consin, one arm off; John Rome, of

Democrats. The caucus then adjourned sine nepuon can spoke for themselves. The augmented by that of J. D. White, the vacancy caused by his resignal may be true that additional laws are Court stated that the prisoner could of Kentucky, (who is expected in tion in the term ending March 3, yet necessary to give every citizen produce the files, but could not comblete protection in the exercise real the witness to tell what they pel the witness to tell what they reinforced by two Virginia Read-porarily filled by the appointment of of all political rights. he would have Mr. Gorman on the justers, and in all probability by ex-Senator Edgerton. several Greenback members.

Three are Republicans and three

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Soon after members elect assembled in the same for chairman, and Representatives Frost, of Missouri, and Melbern, o Texas, as secretaries. Proctor Knott, of Kentucky

offered a resolution endorsing th declarations of the Democratic National Convention of 1876 and 1880 the supposed object being to put the Democratic members on record in favor of the plank endorsing the Mr. Hooker moved to indefinitely postpone the resolution. Carried.

Mr. McKenna, of West Virginia, moved that the caucus endorse and put in nomination as Democratic candidates, all the officers of the last New York, Updegraff, of Iowa and without dissent.

> ject to the call of the chairman. WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.-The Greenback members elect of the House of

Nicholas Ford, of Missouri, for diana, for Clerk; Lee Crandall, of Washington, D. C., for Sergeant at-

D. White, of Kentucky, the 146th large flouring mills and one cotton mill, and causing the death of at again went upon the witness stand briefly by Mr. Bayne, of Pennsyllin the Pillsbury B Flouring Mill, Vednesday and continued to testify vania, that the voting be viva voce, owned and operated by C. A. Pillsbury & Company. It communicated melancholy event be reported to the keeper, H. M. Williams; Postmaster, G. H. WOOD & CO. his now familiar claim that he was ing was then proceded with, result to the Excelsior mill owned by Dorillus Morrison, and operated by C. A. Pillsbury & Co, and to the Minneapolis mill, owned and operdepartment.

The fire then communicated to the

on for effect before a jury. The cross- his thanks for the honor conferred in consequence. A third person, the presence of 285 Representatives who occupied a position in front of called. the office of Pillsbury & Co., was the sense of being an advocate of great violence, shattering windows The clerk stated that it was a mere adjourned the principles of the Republican as far as ten blocks away from the clerical error, which he immediately for some time, and the explosion is as likely to have been from confined Morse, Scales, Mills and Deuster. of Mr. Blaine's influence over him. House of Representatives, he would gas as from flour dust. The loss is estimated at about \$345.000.

Springfield, Mass., December 4.wounded last evening at the parochial residence by David McMellen McMellen's wife left him several years ago because he treated her badly and has recently been acting as 143. For Keifer, 148; for Randall, Emory A. Storrs, of Chicago, and Edward McPherson, of Pa..... 92 housekeeper at the priest's residence. J. H. Rainey, of S. C...... 42 He visited her last Monday and f the defence expected to gain some Scattering............... 7 urged her to live with him, but she refused. Last night he called upon 141 her again and she still refused to go with him. He returned three times to the priest's house, ringing the bell violently and kicking at the door. Father McCarty finally came to the door himself and McMellen shot him service. twice and then ran away. One ball entered the priest's body near the navel and was removed from the back. This evening Father McCarty F. Dawson, of Cala. who had 28, and is in a dangerous condition and is reported to be sinking.

Thousands Leaving Germany. Berlin, Dec. 4—The cause of the debate on emigration in the Reichstag yesterday was an item in the home estimates for 18,000 marks, which was to be used to discourage emigration from Germany to the United States. Baron Von Bottisher, Secretary of State, in reply to a Deputy in the state of the country. I believe that retary of State, in reply to a Deputy in the state of the state of the said estate are requested to make immediate powers of this high office with, I trust, a due share of diffidence and distrust of my own ability to meet) them acceptably to you and the country. I believe that the same duly auditionally will administratic. Berlin, Dec. 4.—The cause of the orough Tennessee Herald.

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States. Baron Von Bottisher, Sector you and the country. I believe that you as a body and individually will gentiemen named below. In addition, the Conference itself passed a resolution designating Sonator Lee as a member, so that the whole committee is constituted as follows: John Solution grid of evil came out of their heigh burg, J. M. Geist, Laucaster; William Ref. J. M. Geist, Laucaster; William Ref. Laucaster; Laucaster; William Ref. Laucaster; William Ref. Laucaster; Laucast mans were attracted thither by the to be a Republican, but in all other certainty of finding everything which respects I hope to be able to act free

CONGRESS.

at Noon Monday.

MR. KEIFER ELECTED SPEAKER.

first regular session of the Forty- ment. The violence of party spirit seventh Congress began to-day, and has materially subsided and in great New Jersey, one arm off; Capt. J. both Houses were called to order at measure because many of the reasons

terchange of friendly greetings by is to sustain and continue to build the memoers, the President pro tem. up an unparalleled prosperity. It die, after a continuous session of (Senator Davis, of Ill.), formally con- should be our highest aim to permaseven hours. There is no doubt that vened the Chamber, and after prayer nently promote and not cripple it. the Republican nominees will be by the Chaplain presented the cre- This Congress should be, and I proelected on Monday, for the 146 votes dentials of Senator-elect William foundly hope it will be, marked pecast in the caucus to-day, if not then Windom, of Minnesota, chosen to fill culiarly as a business Congress. It

> tials, Senator Windom, accompanied and with no impending legislative ate were adopted.

Secretary of the Senate, the Sergeant- judgment, I am ready to take the at-Arms of the Senate, chief clerk of oath prescribed by law and the Conthe Court of Claims and the Public stitution, and forthwith proceed with Printer were presented by the Chair, my best ability, guided by a sincere and laid on the table. and honest purpose to discharge the After the presentation of several duties belonging to the office to bills. resolutions, etc., the Senate which you have elected me."

he following resolution:

Representatives to night nominated shall serve on each of said commit-son then offered a resolution for the

M. the Senate adjourned.

Mr. Sherman submitted a resoluof Pennsylvania, for Postmaster.

Mr. Sherman stimutted a resolution, which also lies over until tomorrow, for the appointment on the part of the Senate of six Senators to join such committee as may be appointed on the part of the House to consider and report by what token of substitutes for Mr. Robeson's resolution, so as to make it read:

Mr. House, of Tennessee, offered substitutes for Mr. Robeson's resolution, so as to make it read:

Chaffee and I. Manch-ster 261 perches to a corner: thence south 132 earl along lands of W. H. Darbling and Joseph Haigh. Altert Conking and Joseph Haigh, Altert Conking and 20 perches of land.

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The assembling of the first regular session of the Forty-seventh Conated by Crocker, Fisk & Co., which gress had the effect of drawing to exploded, killing Neil Fredericks, the Capitol, this morning a vast first assistant engineer of the fire number of visitors. As early as ten o'clock the approaches leading to the building presented a lively appear-Empire Mill, owned by L. F. Wal- ance, and by cleven every seat in the son, of Massachusetts, and operated galleries of the House of Represenbrands then fell upon the roof of a for the Diplomatic Corps, was filled, cotton factory, near by, owned by even the steps leading to them being Dorillus Morrison, and it was also utilized as seating places. On the consumed, together with a trestle floor the members indulged in cordial work in the rear of the mills, and handshaking and greetings. Mr. ed, Mr. Hiscock moved that James several freight cars filled with wheat. Keifer stood for a short time in the W. Keifer's nomination be made The fire had communicated to the rear of the desks, and was warmly unanimous, which was immediately mill of Crocker, Fisk & Co., when congratulated by his colleagues upon done, and the chairman appointed the explosion occurred and leveled his success in obtaining the Republi-Messrs. Hiscock, Reed and Kasson a the walls of the structure, crushing can nomination for the Speakership. committee to notify him of the cau- the elevated railroad track in front The hum of conversation and the

cus action. Mr. Keifer, who had of the mill, killing three persons and bursts of merry laughter continued withdrawn from the hall during the injuring one fatally, and several until twelve o'clock, when it was A member of a hook and ladder House, Mr. Adams, called the body company, named Huey, is among to order and announced the opening the killed. Several other firemen of the session. He then poceeded to to Mr. Powers was sworn in. were injured, and the force at the call the roll, beginning with the State flames were somewhat demoralized of Alabama. The roll-call disclosed who has not yet been identified, and elect, and the list of absentees was killed by a flying missile, and one tion to the fact that the clerk had

other person, who was standing un. called the name of Mr. Farnum as rules as it may deem proper. der the elevated railroad was crushed Representative from the Third disto death. The explosion was one of trict of Vermont, instead of Mr. Grant. scene and arousing people from their rectified. The roll call was then finearly slumbers in all parts of the ished, and showed that 290 Repre-HAMMOND-METCHELL,—At the Parsonage in Aspinwali, Nov. 29th, by Rev. Hallock Armi-strong, Mr. Lysander Hammond, of Jackson, Tioga county, and Miss Alzada El Mitchell, of city. The mill had been shut down sentatives had answered to their names, the absentees being Messrs Nominations for Speaker being then in order, Mr. J. Warren Keifer.

Mr. Robeson: Samuel J. Randall, of Pennsylvania, by Mr. House, and Mr. Nicholas Ford, of Missouri, by Mr. Murch. Messrs. Burrows, o Michigan, and Holman, McCook and COWANDA-MARKETS. Ladd were appointed tellers. The roll was called and the result General dealers in Groceries and Produce, corn Main and Pine Streets. was as follows: Whole number of

The result having been announced,

made a brief speech expressing his
thanks for the distinguished bears

Butter, tubs 25 @ Rolls...... 24 @ Rolls...... 24 @ Rolls...... 28 @ thanks for the distinguished honor conferred upon him.

Gentlemen of the House of Rep-

time in our Nation's history, no par- THE BRADFORD REPORTER

since, and for many years prior to the accession of Abraham Lincoln to the executive chair, has there been

so few unsettled vital questions of a

national character, in relation to

which party lines have been closely

drawn. The national prosperity of

the people is in advance of any other

for its existence are not gone, while

With evenly balanced party pow

The speech was loudly applauded

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 5.—The period in the history of our Govern-W. White, of Ohio, one arm off noon.

In the Senate, after the usual in- the universal tendency of the people After the reading of the creden- er, with few grounds for party strife,

by Senator Hoar, appeared, was duly duties, I venture to suggest that the pushified and entered upon his duties. present is an auspicious time to enact Resolutions for committees of no- laws to guard against the recurrence tification to the House of Represendof dangers to our institutions and to tatives and the President, informing insure tranquility at perilous times them of the organization of the Sen- in the future: Again thanking you The annual reports of the acting invoking your aid and generous

took a recess until 2:30 p.m. On reassembling, Mr. Edmunds presented and Judge Kelly, at the request of the clerk proceeded to administer That the standing and special com- the oath. Having taken the oath, mittees of the Senate, as they exist | the Speaker stated that the members-

ed at the close of the last session of elect would be proceeded with, the the Senate, be revised and continued oath to be administered to a dozen for the present session of the Senate. | members at a time. Objections were Mr. Pugh moved the following as made to administering the oath to several members, but it was finally That the President of the Senate administered to all whose names were

be and is hereby authorized to de- on the roll, thereupon the Speaker cide whether the Committees of the stated that the role of the House was Senate shall be equally or otherwise completed, and that the next business divided between the two political in order was the election of a Clerk. House. Carried by a viva voce vote parties represented in the Senate, Mr. Robeson, of N. J., nominated and if divided, that he be also au- Edward McPherson, of Pa., Mr. thorized to name what committees House, of Tenn., George M. Adams, shall be composed of a majority of of Ky., and Mr. Murch, of Me., Gil-Democratic Senators, and that after bert De La Matyr, of Indiana. such decision and designation, the Mr. McPherson was elected by a Senate shall proceed in accordance vote of 148, against 129 for Adams, therewith to elect the Senators who and 9 for De La Matyr. Mr. Robe-

> election of the following officers: Mr. Edmunds desired to raise a For Sergeant-at-Arms, G. W. Hook, point of order upon the amerdment, er, of Vt, for Doorkeeper, W. P. BER 22d, A. D. 1881, at 1 o'clock, P. M. said innebut yielded the floor, and at 2.40 P. Brownlow, of Tenn.; for Postmaster,

States to express the deep sensibility | son; Doorkeeper, C. W. Field; Postof the nation on the event of the de- master, A. M. C. Nowlin. Garfield, and that so much of the following as a substitute: For Ser-President's message as relates to that | geant-at Arms, Lee Crandell'; Door-

W. C. More. Mr. Murch's substitue was rejected House of Representatives. by a viva voce vote, and Mr. House's by a vote of yeas, 123; nays, 157. The original resolution was then adopted, and all the officers sworn On motion of Mr. Hiscock, of New York, it was resolved that a committee of three members be appointed to act with a similar committee on by C. A. Pillsbury & Co. Burning tatives, except in the space reserved part of the Senate, to wait upon the Messrs Hiscock, Orth and Reagan

vere appointed as such committee.

ution for the election Frederick D

Powers, of Virginia, as Chaplain.

Mr. Robeson then offered a reso-

Mr. House of Tennessee, moved

Pending action, the House at 5.25

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Mr. Kasson, of Iowa, called atten-

of Ohio, was put in nomination by

129; for Ford, 8. Mr. Keifer was escorted to the Speaker's chair by Messrs. Randall and Hiscock, and took the oath of office, which was administered by M. Kel-ley, of Pennsylvania, as the oldest member of the House in point of

Before taking the oath, Mr. Keifer

resentatives: I thank you with a Sheep Pelts... leart filled with gratitude for the

Dem Advertisements.

A NNUAL MEETING.—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the First National Bank of Towanda, Pa., for the election of Directors and for the transaction of any other business that may be brought before it, will be held at the office of the Bank, in the Borough of Towanda, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 10th, 1982, between the hours of 1 and 3.P. M. netween the hours of 1 and 3 P. M.
N. N. BETT3, Cashler,
Towarda, Pa., Dec. 5, 1461.

NNUAL MEETING.—The An. nual Meeting of the Grange Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Troy will be held at Troy Grange Hall on the SECOND THURSDAY of JANUARY next, at 10 A m, for the purpose of electing thirteen Directors and transacting such ther business as may be necessary.

D. LILLEY, President.
B. F. NEWBERY, Secretary.
Troy, Pa., Dec. S, 1881.

D'XECUTOR'S NOTICE. - Let Less testamentary having been granted to the indersigned, under the last will and testament of Benjamin Pierce, fate of LeRaysville Borough nenjamin Fierce, late of LeRays-lile Borough, deceased, all persons innebted to the estate of and decedent a e hereby notified to make immediate payment, and all having claims against said estate must present the same, duly authenticated to the andersigned for settlement.

L. L. BOSWORTH, Executor, LeRaysville, Pa., Dec. 8, 1881.

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to suit purchasers. Map of sub-divisions to be
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G. H. WELLES, Weala ing. Pa.,
or EDW, WELLES, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

TOMMITTEE'S SALE.—By vir-Henry Sherwood, of Mich. He also at a beach tree in line of land of C. Cook: thence north 2-2 east along lands of D. Edsworth. H. Chaffee and I. Manchester 281 perches to a corner: TERMS OF SALE-\$100 of purchase money to be paid in the day of sale, one-half the remainders master, A. M. U. Nowlin.

Mr. Murch, of Maine, offered the did, and the remainder with interest therefore as a substitute: For Ser- Nov. 24, 1881. confirmation of sale with interest on all un



President and inform him that a quorum of both Houses has assembled, and is ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make.

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AND BRIDGE STREETS. Towanda, Pa., Dec. 8, 1551. SURPRISING TO EVERYBODY It is surprising to most everybody what rison, of Louisiana, and Mr. Murch piles and piles of Clothing, Boots, Ladies to substitute that of P. P. Ingalls, of and Children's Shoes are carried away o Mr. Powers was sworn in.

Mr. Haskell offered a resolution Men's, Boy's and Children's Clothing, providing that the rules of the For. Boots, Ladies' and Children's Shoesty-six Congress shall be the rules of from every part and direction, from most the present House until otherwise joining counties. Towards has never ordered, and further that the Com seen so many strangers coming into town mittee on Rules when appointed shall as now, since the opening of the Great have leave to report at any time all Boston Clothing House. The news from such amendments or revision of said that establishment is spreading like a wild fire all over the country-and it won't be miles around will be convinced that a visit to that concern, even for an ordinary purchase, will pay them well. The sales opening, and the low prices they are sell-ing Clothing, Boots, Rubber Boots, Ladies' and Children's Shoes, Hats and Caps for, will make the Great Boston Clothing House the leading place for Clothing, MOODY—RICE.—At the residence of Mrs. Martha Moody, on William street. Wednesday even*ing, December 7th, by the Rev. C. H. Wright,
Mr. George V. Moody, of Towanda, to Miss
Mry E. Rice, of Emira.

the Great Boston Clothing House, just ELTON-MORLEY.—At the residence of Mrs. Ida M. Campoell, on Second street, Wednesday, Dec. 7th, by the Rev. C. H. Wright, Mr. John B. Felton and Miss Frank Morley, all of this place.

M. L. SCHNEEBERG, Prop.

Cheapest Clothier in the County. EXECUTORS' NOTICE - Where-p. statford, late of the township of Wyalusing, deceased, have been granted to the subscribers, all P. Staiford, late of the township of Wyalusing, deceased, have been granted to the subscribers, all persons indebted to the said est to are requested to make, immediate payment, and those baxing claims or demands against the estate of the discodent will make known the same without stelay to HARIMAN W. STALFORD, GEORGE P. STALFORD, Browntown Bradford Co. Pa. Executors.

UDITOR'S NOTICE, - In re

A the estate of Francis Taylor, decessed. The undersigned, an Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Bradford County to distribute funds be-Court of Bradford County to distribute trust belonging to said estate in the bands of H. L. S. etc.,
administrator pendents. lite, who attend to the
duties of his appointment at his office in the liorough of Towanda, on SATURIPAY, DECEMBER
17th, A. D. 1881, at 10 o'clock, A.M., when and
where all persons having claims on said fundament
present them or be fervered declared from coming
in upon the same. 180HNW, CODDING,
Towanda, Nov. 22, 1881. Another DARM FOR SALE -The sub-

scriber effers for sale his farm of 86 acres, located in Orwell township, hotween R me livrough and Orwell Hill, adjoining the farm of 0. J. Chubbuck, Good building and good grafted fruit orchard: Farm nearly attunder embiration. A good farm for grain or dairying. Ferms will be made easy to suit purchaser. For further part of larsenquire of Geo. W. Buck, at Citzens National Bank, Towanda, Pa., or of the subscriber.

Le Rayaville, Sept. 15-mat. JOHN BLACK. NTOTICE In the matter of the application of the Matini Building and Saving: Fund Association of the Borough of Towards for a decree of dissolution. In the Court of commen Term, 1871, and No. 417 December Term, 1881.

To all schom it may concern: Pathle of the County of Brad end, No. 288, Mey Term, 1871, and No. 417 December Term, 1881.

To all schom it may concern: Pathle of the 1881 hereby given that on the 14th day of November, A. D., 1881, the petition of the Mutual Building.

GEORGE N. HAWES American Hotel property for sale at a great bargain. The Hotel may be seen on the correr of Bridge and Water streets, in Towan is Borough It is one of the best and most central locations in the place. There is a good barn connected with the property. The free bridge and new depet near to it make this Hotel desirable for anyone wishing to engage in the business. A good active man with a small capital can pay for the property in a short time, roun the profits. It was papered and painted new last spring and is new in accellent condition.

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