EVENING BULLETIN.

Wednesday, May 4, 1870. THE DISTRICT ATTORNEYSHIP. While there is much reason for honest regret at the result of the contest for the District Atorneyship, the unanimous decision of the Court of Common Pleas will be accepted as law, by the law-loving people of this community. The regret is two-fold : first, that the investigations into the frauds of the election of 1868 were not pressed a little further, so that the will of the majority of the legal voters of Philadelphia might have been executed; and second, that, whatever Mr. Sheppard's personal merits and professional fitness may be, we lose, for the time, an officer who, during the short time of his office, has accomplished more for Philadelphia, in breaking up the gambling-houses and lottery-offices and other miquities which curse this community, than any officer who has preceded him. Mr. Gibbons has adorned/his official station by a career of integrity, courage and ability which we can ill afford to lose from any department of public service, and .we trust that

else, will be but a temporary one. The Republican party owes it to itself to take Mr. Gibbons up, and re-elect him by such a majority as will leave all contest out of the question. The past contest has been a most protracted, Railroad make some important changes in the complicated and laborious business. Time, running time. The most important is that of money, and talent have been freely expended the fast mail train, leaving here at 12.30 P. M., and the difficult task of mearthing the and the corresponding train from Pittsburgh. rascally plot to defeat the will of the people of This train stops nowhere between the two Philadelphia, and after all, it is shown that the cities except at Harrisburg, Altoona and Gallaborers stopped short of success, whether un- litzin. The stoppage at the latter place is in able to go farther, or believing that they had compliance with the rule of the road, which regone far enough, we know not. discharge the arduous duties of the office thus run from Philadelphia to Harrisburg, 107 asssigned him, honestly and conscientiously. miles, is made in three hours and If he shall succeed in carrying out the good twenty minutes. From Harrisburg to Altona, THE GREAT BROWN HALL IS work of reform which Mr. Gibbons has so | 132 miles, and from Gallitzin to Pittsburgh. well begun, it will be a fortunate circum- 105 miles, are the other long stretches, and the stance for Philadelphia, and will go far to time on them is correspondingly short. On no temper the disappointment which the un- other railroad in America are such long disavoidable conclusions of the Court have tances made without stopping for wood and

THE DELAWARE REVOLUTION. The certainty that the negroes will vote next

fall has caused a greater commotion in Delaware than in any other of the Northern and companies tried this year, as usual, to make Middle States. The noble soul of the model Senator Saulsbury not only is filled with rage the Pennsylvania. But the latter, having the and anguish at the thought that black men will shortest road, the best and the safest, started attain to the dignity of citizenship, but he is in this train, which is one with which the New keen distress because he foresees that such an York lines cannot pretend to compete. his power in the State. The Saulsburys and A very sensible article in the Press this the Bayards for years have divided Delaware morning upon the necessity for the immediate between them; and each family has ruled in application of radical sanitary measures to its own section with imperial power over sub- Bedford street, has this language in its conclumissive and unquestioning vassals. While voters | sion: "All this is based upon the rumor that could be openly bought in the lower counties, the relapsing fever is alarmingly prevalent in as they are bought at every election, and while Bedford street. It may or may not prove-Delaware was filled with a race of Democrats true." The remarks of the Press were proso bigoted and ignorant that the proverbial voked by the description of the infected dis-Berks county Dutchman seemed a miracle of trict published in this paper yesterday. That liberality and intelligence compared with them, description was the result of careful personal there was no hope for Delaware. She was observation, and was strictly correct in every pound hand and foot in the thrail of her rulers, and her respectable people were doomed to the constant humiliation of being represented in the Senate of the United States by a hopeless debanchee. The negro vote will change all developed the existence of a contagious disease which has bound hand and foot in the thrall of her rulers, particular. But if the Press questioned the struct the government.

and conservatism. We believe that in future | bor scene at Ostend, by Herzog; and 53. vears men will date the beginning of a new of the Deserted Home," a large and poetic era for the State from the day the first negro landscape, by Eaton. The sale takes place atvote is cast. The blacks themselves may not his Gallery, 1125 Chestnut street, B. Scott, Jr. possess greater enlightenment than the mass of a uctioneer.

the bill, is generally understood. The Civil Service reform has been very deliberately matured, and will be fully discussed in Congress before it is put upon its passage. It is, in some aspects, one of the most important measures ever presented to that body, revolutionizing, as it does, the whole system of American fail to introduce a great element of strength into the whole political fabric of the country. Our present system, tent persons fill thousands of important offices, is as demoralizing as it can well be; and the constant fluctuation in almost all offices does an incalculable amount of mischief both to the TAPER BEING SOLD AT VERY LOW public service and to those who seek its apprices.

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poses will then be fairly and intelligently tried. The country, at large, will certainly be the The country, at large, will certainly be the secretaried from Frame Pinno, has precised gainer by its. It cannot possibly make any-decision the World's Great Exhibition, Lonand. The highest crizes awarded when and and The highest crizes awarded when and chibitied. Warerooms, 72 Arch street.

System. THE LIGHT OF THE BUN.

The editor and publisher of the New York Standard announced, in his salutatory, on Satirday last, that his quarrel with Mr. Dana, of ie Sun, could "afford to wait." Mr. Dana does not seem satisfied with this postponement, and opens new volleys of abusive Billingsgate upon Mr. Young. Whereupon, the latter conludes that waiting has ceased to be a virtue, and returns the fire with a preliminary broad side of most damaging effect. This first broadside, which loses some little of its force by the paper, gives that interesting letter of Mr. Dana's in which he recommended himself to Presiden and official career, exceedingly unpleasant to ration for Mr. Dana's character or past ser-

It is needless for us to repeat our often ties, but Mr. Dana's has chosen to find his profit in the most violent personalities agains pected that he will not be repaid in his own

The New York Sun has done nothing to elevate American journalism or to improve American political or social morals under its present management. It has wholly and persistently disappointed the hopes and wishes of its real friends. It delights in professing that it "shines for all." But it shines, unfortunately, chiefly as the face of the Jacob Marley ais supersedure, by Mr. Sheppard or by any one did on Scrooge's door, "like a bad lobster in a dark cellar."

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THE GEORGIA BILL

INDIAN TROUBLES

General Sheridan on the War-Path

FROM WASHINGTON.

Breeial Despatch to the Phila. Evening Bulletin.]

The Honse Attendance,
WASHINGTON, May 4.—The House assem-

hled at 11 o'clock, with a better attendance

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then resumed on Mr. Jenckes's Civil Service

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w at 1925.

Reading Railroad was very quiet, with small sales after a board at 1936 b. o. Pennsylvania sold at 56 ex div bliadelphia and Erie at 22% s. o., and Northern Ce

ate taxes. The Union National Bank has declared a dividend of

ive Per Cont., clear of all taxes.
The Penn National Bank has declared a dividend of its Per Cent., clear of all taxes.
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Philindelphia Produce Market.
Wednesday: May 4.—There is a firm feeling in the lour market, no one will deny that fact, but the trade is

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Weiss beer proper is not fermented\_liquor, but can be made so, and in the latter case must pay tax as such. Mr. Julius Brieson has been appointed Inspector in the New York Custom House. Deputy Collector and Inspector of Customs at Cherryfield, Machine District, Maine.

FROM NEW YORK. Another Financial Canard. NEW YORK, May 4 .- After careful investiation of the rumor sent from here, yester-lay afternoon, to the effect that the Prussian Government had ordered all American ra way securities to be withdrawn from t Wall street canard, started to raise gold an en turned to account against the Northern

Pacific Railroad.

None of the foreign banking-houses have invence advices. The house from whom the story seems to have emanated now denie having received it. The Prussian Government has no more consome talk of submitting new securities to the governing committee of the Berlin Bourse, before admitting them to quotation, with a view to exclude properly worthless securities some of which, in the absence of such restriction. tions, have obtained currency there.

The McFarland Trial.

The McFarland trial attracts no unusual attention this morning. The first witness called was Mrs. Samuel Sinefair, a diguified, gracious looking lady, the wite of the publisher of the Tribune. She testified that when Mrs. McFarland she gave readings witness furnished he I tried to get McFarland a situation in the fall of 1866; went to Washington with Mrs. Calhoun in February, 1867; received a letter from Mrs. Richardson about that time; wrote THE STEAMSHIP YAZOO to her.

4.—In reply to one from her? Objected to, and objection overruled A:—Xes.

4.—Were you aware before the receipt of that letter that Mrs. McL'arland was going to leave her husband? Objected to.

Here another spirited discussion took place between counsel, bitter words passing sotto Through Bills of Lading given in connection with Morgan's lines from New Orleans to MUBILE, GAL-VESTON INDIANOLA, LAVACCA and BRAZOS at

an improper associate for ladies; am not hostile to the prisoner; am sorry for them. After taking some further unimportant tes-timony the Court took a recess.

American silver continues to arrive from Canada, and within a few days past one mil-lion dollars has been purchased by foreign bankers, and is being packed for shipment. Resignation of Judge Plerrepont.

Judge Plerrepont has tendered his resignation as United States Attorney of this distri Specie Shipment. The steamer China, for Europe, to-day took out \$85,090 in specie.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Financial and Commercial Quotations

FROM EUROPE. The the American Pross Association. LONDON, May 4, 2 P. M.—Consois for money, 537. United States bonds of 1832, 885; 1860s, 885; 1867s, 901; Ten-forties, 86. Illinois Central, 112; Eric Railway, 182.

Liverproof, May 4, 2 P. M.—Cotton is quiet. Sales are estimated at 10,000 bales. Prices are unchanged. California Wheat, 98. 6d. 28s. 7d.; Spring do., 8s. 2d; Winter do., 8s. 16d. Flour, 20s. Corn. 23s. Pork, 100s. Beef, 111s. Lard, 69s. 6d. Bacon, 58s. Tallow, 44s. Parts, May 4.—The Bourse is firm. Rentes, 74f. 50s.

ing between 114%a114%.
United States, Scentilies are quiet and somewhat
United States, Scentilies are quiet and somewhat
United with silet upward tendency in prices.
The block market is dult and prices rather weak.
There was some demand for State Securities, with sales
of the Sixes, first series, at 104%, and third do, at 110.
City Bonds were quiet. Sales of the old at 102 and the
new at 1075. FINANCIAL MATTERS Philadelphia and Brie at 23% s. o., and Northern Central at 46.

Canel shares were neglected. In the balance of the list the only sales were in Sprace and Pine at 23, and Groen and Coates Streets Railroad at 23.

The Pennsylvania Central Hallroad Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent. on the capital stock of the Company, payable on and after May 28th, at the office of the Company, clear of National and State taxes. Money Market Firmer-Governments Steady and Unchanged-Gold Declined-Stocks Quiet.

By the American Press Association. NEW YORK: May 4.—The money market i rather firmer, at 5 to 6 per cent. Governmen bonds are steady, with little change of importance to note.

Sterling exchange is on the basis of steady.
1(9) for sixty-day bills.

Gold opened dull and steady at 114, and declined to 114?, and remains steady at that figure. The rate paid for carrying is 5 per cent.
The stock market is quiet, with slight trans-actions. Lake Shore and Northwest Common were the main features, the former being quoted at 971, and the latter at 801. Boston, Hartford and Eric was also firm, with quotations at 5/152. The balance of the list is very irregular. New York Central at 97; Reading at 101; Pittsburgh at 1054; Rock Island at -Southern State Securities are dull and quiet, Pacific Railway mortgages were lower; Centrals at 91 at 12; Unions, at 55 a 36. The stock market since noon has been firmer, and Harlem has been the chief fe ture, selling as high as 1421, and closed at 1401 al41, and the balance of the market sympa-

By the American Press Association. FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

thizing closely with Harlem.

WASHINGTON, May & SENATE.—The House joint resolution for nal adjournment on the 4th of July was taken p, when Mr. Hamlin moved to strike out the th, and insert the 2d of July. Mr. Sumner moved to lay the resolution on the table. Lost—yeas, 15; nays, 41. Mr. Hamlin withdrew his amendment.
Mr. Morrill (Vt.) moved to refer the resolution to the Committee on Finance.
Mr. Wilson sustained the motion to refer. Congress had sat more hours and done less this year than ever before. None of the great measures—the Tarifi, Funding bill, Appropriation bills and other leading matters—had been passed, and he was opposed to fixing

been passed, and he was opposed to fixing the day and then have advantage taken of it to defeat these important measures.

St. 65 for Double Extra O. 60, 65 cm. 65 for 65 for 15 Mr. Cameron opposed the reference to the Finance Committee. That Committee had re-including many ladies. At one o'clock to-day John Fredericksburg and Petersburg of the State of the country of the State of the of 4.00 bbls. at 54a4 25 for Fine; \$5 20a5 60 for Superfine at d Extra.

Grath—Receipts, Wheat, 50,700 bushels. The market is fairly active, and a shade firmer. The sales are 20,000 bushels No. 2 Milwankes at \$116a1-18, and No.-1-45, at bushels No. 2 Milwankes at \$116a1-18, and No.-1-45, at remarks.

Mr. Edmunds favored the resolution in brief remarks.

Mr. Saulsbury would vote for the resolution for the very reasons assigned against it. He had never known so much mischief done in old-frily active. Receipts, 25,000 bushels. Sales of 20,000 bushels. Sales of any one session, and the sooner we collision to receive their papers, which were any one session, and the sooner we collision.

all the year, at 18%. Sales of 2,000 burrels, and By at 12%. Befined was inactive, and holders less firm. Mr. Fenton presented the memorial of prominent ship owners of New York city in June and July 12% and Angust to December at 20%. June and July 12% and Angust to December at 20% and 10,850 gallons to New York. By the American Press Association. But this provided by the Lynch bill, now pending in Congress. House.—Mr. Buffington, from the Committee on the Reduction of American Toinage, with a declining tendency. Cotton is dull and weak, with a declining tendency. Middlings at 21% cents; low Middlings at 21% cents; both prices are nominal. Flour is steady and firm. Sales 1,000 bils. Western Exitia at \$5 103 12% for Spring; \$5 37/365 75 for Winter; to be rise of Western Family, private terms; 150 bils. Howard Street do. at \$6 12%.

Wheat The market is easier, with no quotable chause.

Velley Leves and Drainage Company.

Velley Leves and Drainage Company.

The Convention of such exclusion left and organized a separate society, which admits all poposition to the memorial of prominent ship owners of New York city in prominent ship Arlington House. Adopted.

Mr. Beck asked unanimous consent to introduce a resolution asking the President by what anthority General Terry has arrested citizens of Georgia and brought them to trial cussed, but gave way to

in military courts, denying them the privilege of the writ of habeas corpus, etc. Objection was made.

Mr. Beck—I desire to know who objects to the gentleman from Indiana, Mr. Shanks, noug others. Mr. Beck—Then I demand the regular order Mr. Beck said he objected henceforth to

everything out of the regular order.

Mr. Cobb (N. C.) then addressed the House in favor of the Civil Service bill, with certain Amendments were submitted by Messrs. Beck demanded the regular order of business, and accordingly the regular order, being the ruport of the Conference Committee on the disagreement of the two Houses relative to the Census bill, was taken up and the report concurred in.

The Civil Service bill being next in order, to set it aside and take up the bill in relation to the decline in American commerce.

Mr. Bingham denounced the bill as 'illegal and impolitic.' However desirable it might be to reform the civil service, it ought not to be done in the manner proposed by this bill. It was in direct contravention of the Constitution taking the arrest the service.

Committee of the Whole on the Tariff

vesting it in three men. It inevitably creates an aristocracy or privileged class, who would absorb official positions.

Hurther debate was interrupted by the expectation of the condens. On motion of Mr. Schenck the House went | carora

BY TELEGRAPH.

NEWS FROM LONDON AND PARIS

Napoleon Congratulated on Escape.

[By the American Press Association.] cent conspiracy was not a political dodge.

> Congratulatory Notes to the Emperor. poleon has received notes of congratulation from Queen Victoria, the King of Prussia, and the Emperor of Russia, upon his recent escape from the assassin's hand. GREECE The Brigand Outrage... The Conference

nbassadors of the protectorate powers hel here, to consider the recent outrages by the brigands, has been without result. The Rus sian Gevernment supports Greece in her po sition in the affair: Financial and Commercial

LONDON, May 4.—Sugar is dull on the spand quiet and steady affoat. Refined P Os. 7d. per cwi.
Bremen, May 4, Evening.—Petroleum Closed quiet.

HAMBURG, May 4, Evening.—Petroleum

FROM WASHINGTON. [Special Despatch to the Phila. Evening Bullstin.]
Business in Congress.

ill return home on Friday.
The Chicago club arrived at New Orleans last night, and are guests of the Lone Star club, with which they play on the 8th inst. An Obio Congressional Candidate. The Cleveland Leader and the Herald urge The Medical Convention. Akron, as the Republican candidate to Con-The music of the Sangerfest will cost \$6,000. An orchestra of 136 pieces is engaged, and will rehearse five times preceding the festival.

FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS. [SENATE-Continued from Third Edition. ] A joint resolution to amend the Act of April cannon to the McPherson statue

FROM THE WEST.

OHIO. Rase-Ball Items.

[By the American Press Association.]

Nebraska.

The joint resolution donating condemned House-[Continued from the Third Edition. mittee for examination and report. It is expected that this committee will be ready to January 1st, 1871, the duty shall be 1½ cent per that the patents recorded in the patent-office

Mr. Brooks appealed from the decision, adding that he would give three millions for the benefits of the paragraph as it now stands, and could bring forward responsible security todirectly interested, was voting in violation o the rnles. The Chair ruled that was a question for the cussed, but gave way to the Tariff bill, which

| House, not for the Committee. | Mr. McNeely moved the Committee rise, in | Mr. McNeely moved the Committee rise, in | I agt. Veny 46. Mr. Brooks's appeal was not sustained.

FROM THE SOUTH.

THE COURTS.

[By the American Press Association.] MARYLAND. Horrible Death::: A Woman Burned to BALTIMORE, May 4.—Last night a colored woman named Mary Butler, while heating a pot of tea on the coals in a fire-place, fell asleep, and her clothes taking fire, her body was literally burned to a crisp before the flames could be extinguished. She died in about three-quarters of an hour after the

4:30 O'Clock. BY TELEGRAPH.

Convention --- Affairs in Chicago --- Suicides, Fires, &c.

AFFAIRS IN NEW: YORK The McFarland Trial

FROM THE WEST. [ By the American Press Association:] Escape of an Outlaw.

ied for rape, discharged, and afterwards in-uired for by the New York authorities to answer for numerous crimes, has made good his escape. A reward has been offered for his re-"Tobacco Crop. The tobacco crop in this location will be larger this season than ever before. City Ballroads. The street railroads have opened with fla

Meeting of the Grand Ledge, of Odd Fellows. MANSFIELD, May 4.—The Grand Encamp-ment of Odd Fellows of Ohio is now in session. About sixty delegates from abroa are in attendance.
(Trouble Among Whisky Merchants) CINCINNATI, May 4.-Mr. Fowler, the Whisky Commissioner, made an assignment, and, consequent thereupon, John M. Secrist houses in the city, made an assignment also. The latter firm was involved with the former abuse such an important power.

But still, the forms of law in the adoption of stock to satisfy the same.

Railroad Construction FORT WAYNE, May 4.—About thirty miles of rails of the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad have been laid, leaving a gap of only FT. WAYNE, May 4.—The election of long our Democrats and three Independents Editorial Convention INDIANAPOLIS. May 4.-At the editorial convention to meet in this city on the 27th some interesting questions will be discussed.

Jno. Bachman, a Prussian engaver, aged fifty-nine, who came to this country with his vite and nine children, and 30,000 roubles, lost Il in the course of a few years, and yesterd An Awful Case of Death. VINCENNES, May 4.—A girl fell head fore

luding two hotels, store and shops, were de-royed by fire on Monday night. Loss 50.000. Insurance \$5,000. Fall of a Building—Five Mon Injured. CHICAGO, May 4.- Five men were injured esterday afternoon by the fall of a two-story a little boy, who was playing about the buil

The meeting of the Cook County Women Franchise Association yesterday afternoon was very slimly attended, and in the evening

there was not a quorum. The speakers wer Mrs. Harriet Brooks, Miss Matilda Victor, Baton Rouge, La., and a young lawyer name

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 4.—After the recess M and to his wife, among which was the confes A long argument then ensued as to the evi Judge Garvin then rose and said the proseervations. Resignation of Judge Pierrepont--A Pre-The report that Judge Pierrepont had ten-ELLIOTT -Ou the 4th inst., of scarlet fever, Willie b. Kennrick, only child of George and Lizzie Elliott,

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully nvited to attend the luneral, from the residence of his parents. No 27s Chester street, on Friday, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Odd Fellows' Cemetery. LADIES' DRESS GOODS Principal Agency for Butterick's Unrivalled Patterns For Ladics, Misses, Boys and Little Children, Cut accurately and warranted to fit any size. PRICES LOWER THAN ANY OTHER PATTERNS Lacies' Overskirts and Sacques, every style,

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usual typographical blunders of a new news-Johnson for the Collectorship of New York. and a running comment upon his journalistic

read, if one has happened to indulge any admiexpressed disapproval of newspaper 'personaliall who offend bim, and it is bardly to be ex-

FAST RAILROADING. The summer time-tables of the Pennsylvania quires every train to stop there, on account of Mr. Sheppard will undoubtedly endeavor to the heavy mountain grade each side. The

necessarily caused among a large body of our | water. But they are made on the Pennsylvaarrived at Harrisburg, there was still a good

this; it will kick Saulsbury out, and give the State into the hands of Republicans who will stricken down two hundred victims in two weeks within three squares of its office.

State into the record from their lethardy and reconwake the people from their lethargy and reconwill sell, on the 5th and 6th instants, without If the better men of the State get into power reserve, his entire collection of French and SPRING AND SUMMER OF 1870 they will abolish the whipping post and pillory; other first-class pictures—a chance which our they will organize a common school system, - | connoisseurs will not wish to miss. Included for Delaware never had one, under State are two fine pictures by Oswald Achenbach, direction; they will send decent men to Con- 69 and 181, of such a quality as is scarcely ever gress and overthrow the authority of the Sauls- offered at peremptory sale. Other gems are: bury-Bayard clique; they will have a Legisla- No. 60. By W. Boulanger, "The Escort to the

Bath," a Pompeii scene of seven figures, very ture which will encourage every enterprise that will develop the resources of the State and add of color as fresh as a Spring violet, by Bouteto its wealth, and will take some measures to bonne; 181. "Children Sledding," a pretty oring the benighted people of the work by Lasalle; 142. "More Keady to Play lower counties into contact with that | than to Dress," by Carana, an exquisitely outside world with which they are at present in little sympathy. In all that bonne; 52. The Pets," a charming pastoral makes a State rich and powerful and entitled by Dieffenbach; 155. By Dansaert, "The New to respect, Delaware is fifty years behind her Novel, a reading scene, full of character, with sisters; and the fault is chargeable entirely to the Democratic party and its misorable bigotry the Democratic party and its miserable bigotry astonishing Desgoffe; 167. A tumultuous har-astonishing Desgoffe; 167. A tumultuous har-

the white people; but they will vote with the Republican party, and the success of that party is Delaware's direct need at this moment.

CIVIL SERVICE.

Mr. Jenckes has at last got his Civil Service bill up, in the House. The subject of the reform proposed in this bill has been extensively discussed, for a year past, and the essential principle of competitive examination for the twenty-odd thousand offices comprised in the bill is generally understood. The Civil in the House of the principle of competitive examination for the twenty-odd thousand offices comprised in the bill is generally understood. The Civil in the House of the principle of competitive examination for the twenty-odd thousand offices comprised in the bill is generally understood. The Civil in the House of the principle of the p f a superior ninkil.

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Hembers in Favor of the Seventh Section.

The statement telegraphed from here yester day, denying the truth of your despatch on Monday, which said the majority of the members of the Ways and Means Committee seem to favor the retention of the seventh section of the Funding bill, compelling banks to exchange their securities, is itself incorrect.

Your correspond ent telegraphed the result of the meeting of the Ways and Means Committee, on Monday, upon the authority of one of the most prominent members of that Comoff the most prominent members of that Comoff the Monday, upon the authority of one of the most prominent members of that Comoff the Monday, upon the authority of one of the most prominent members of that Comoff the Monday of the Monday, upon the authority of one of the most prominent members of that Comoff the Monday of the Mone of the Monday of the Monday of the Monday of the Monday of the of the most prominent members of that Committee, who reiterates the correctness of his statement, and says that the talk of the members shows clearly that the majority of the Committee are opposed to striking out the Committee are opposed to striking out the Committee are opposed to striking out the control of the contr Committee are opnosed to striking out the neventh section, but favor its retention with slight modifications. This statement is authori-

Brthe American Press Association. WASHINGTON, May 4.—General Sherman nas received several despatches from General Sheridan. The Indians have taken possession of several small forts near Fort bully and in Bye Flow-or Corn Meal; small sales of the former at \$5.22 per barrel.

The Wheat market is quiet and steady, there being year little trauser except for the best qualities. Sales of 1.00 bus, Western and Pennsylvania Red at \$1.30 al 35, and 1.00 bus, choice Ambier at \$1.41; White ranges from \$1.40 al 10. Bye is held at \$1.10. Corn is less scive, but prices are unchanged. Sales of 4.500 bushels 'ellow shout, at \$1.11; White at \$1.03 al 10, and Western mixec at \$1.00. Dats are unchanged. Sales of Barley or Malt.

Whitey is held firmly at \$1.97 for iron-bound packages, without sales. made prisoners of the garrisons. Sheridan has again started for the frontier, but this time he goes as far as Fort Sully. There is time he goes as far as Fort Sully. There is now no doubt that the Indians mean business Benator Morton has prepared a call for

s, without sales.

Markets by Telegraph.

[Epecial Despatch to the Phila, Evening Bulletin.]

haw lough lay 4, 12%; P. M., Cotton. The mark

haw are without decided change, with a fe cancus of the Republicans in the House. It has already received the signatures of a large number of Congressmen. The object is to make arrangements for the fall campaign and Supervisor Presbery, of Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia is here looking for rooms in which to establish his jeens. Floury &c.—Reccipts, 8500 barrels.—The market for estern and State Flour is fairly active and Saloc. Supervisor Dutcher, of New York, is in

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oce. The Recorder fuled that in view of the Answer-I was not; I was actuated motives of pure friendship and charity in al Mr. Richardson and Mrs. McFarland first Mr. Richardson and Mrs. McFarland first met at my house at an entertainment; have read the intercepted letter; first read it six weeks ago; my conduct to Mrs. McFarland was in ignorance of this letter; a knowledge of its contents would not have changed my conduct towards them; see nothing in it to discountenance; do not think Richardson was an intercer associate for ladies; am not

The gin and milk case of Rev. Charles Smythe resulted in a verdict of suspension, which will be delivered this afternion, unless he flechies before the assembled elders, openly asknowledging his action to be a sin and worthy of serious punishment. He is given till this afternoon to confess, otherwise he will be suspended.

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J. M. Pettit names s. m. Lady Hightfoot. R. P. Stetson names b. m. Ida.

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ASHINGTON.

Business in Congress---The Adjournment Question in the Senate. FROM EUROPE.

The Paris Conspiracy.
London, May 4.—The Times, in its leade his morning on affairs in. France, calls upon the French Government to prove that the re It asserts that there has been no proof yet adduced to show that it was excepting the statement of Reauni, the attempted a sassip. who is known as a convicted thief and dedenied any knowledge of a plot to assassinate London, May 4.—The acconchement of the Princess Christianna has taken place. She gave this amendment have been complied with, birth to a daughter.

pose; but, as nearly two centuries ago its his-toric oak preserved its chartered liberties, so should its people now treasure in their hearts this vital principle of free government, for the time will surely come when it will be

inues good. During the past year the funded lebt has been reduced \$346,600. The entire liabilities of the State at the commencement of the present fiscal year were \$6,727,406 69.

ANTWERP, May 4.—Petroleum opened quiet at 52; francs. CINCINNATI, May 4.—The Red-Stockings will play the Orientals at Memphis to-day, and

rangacted in the Senate or House during th The American Medical Association re-as-embled at Lincoln Hall this morning A four hundred and twenty-four delegates had reported and presented acceptable creden-The representatives of the Women's Medical College of Philadelphia applied for admiscal College of Philadelphia applied for admiscalendar, and the following bills were passed:

clined to receive their papers, which were 20th, 1870, for the relief of John E. Griffin. made out and signed in regular order. The branch of the Pacific Railroad.

Committee also declined to receive the cre
Authorizing the Southern Minnesota RailAuthorizing the Southern Minnesota Rail-To aid in the construction of the Oregon made out and signed in regular order. The Committee also declined to receive the creater is store. The receipts of Pork are 133 barrels. The narket is fairly active and a shanefurer, at 522 75 for many one session, and the sooner we adjourn the better.

Mr. Cragin was opposed to the resolution, and stated his reasons therefor.

The resolution of the Pacific Railroad. Authorizing the Southern Minnesota Railroad Company to connect its line with the National Medical Association of the District of Columbia, which is composed of medical men who were opposed to the exclusion of colored physicians from the old established society, and the very many at 12c., June, at 12c., and b. o., all the year, at 14c. Sales of 2,000 barrels. May, at 12c., line at 12xc., and b. o., all the year, at 14c. Sales of 2,000 barrels. May, at 12c., line at 12xc. Internal property and descause of such exclusion left and organized a separate society, which admits all

Howard Street do. at \$612%.

Wheat—The market is easier, and prices are a Provisions—The market is easier and prices are a Provisions—The market is easier and prices are provided to the Convention to-morrow morning.

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During the taking of the vote Mr. Cox made the point of order that Mr. Morrell, who was In the House the Civil Service bill was dis-

> Washington, May 4 .- A letter has been received at the State Department from Captain Commercil, of the British steamer Momarch, returning his thanks for the courtesies ex-tended to him while at Portland and Annapo of business, and will do so every morning until this Congress adjourns on the 4th of July, unless this resolution be admitted for consid-A special order has been issued from the War Department relieving Brevet Major-General G. K. Warren, of the Engineer Corps, from the charge of the work of the Upper Mississippi river and the construction of the Rock Island bridge, and ordering him to Newport, R. I., to relieve Col. D. C. Houston, who has been ordered to take charge of the work of improving the harbor of Chicago. Sold and Potter. ton, who has been ordered to take charge of Messrs. Paine and Peters spoke in opposite work of improving the liarbor of Chicago tion to the bill.
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> Michigan City and New Buffalo, at his own several members were upon their feet to inroduce bills and resolutions on leave, but Mr. | printe professional duties as an Engineer offi-

Letter from Captain Commercil.

the work of improving the harbor of Chicago, Michigan City and New Buffalo, at his own request, to enable him to resume more appropriate professional duties as an Engineer officer.

Brevet Brigadier-General C. B. Comstock has been relieved from duty as Aide-de-camp to the General of the Army, and ordered to Detroit, Michigan, to relieve General W. F. Reynolds of the charge of the survey of the Northernand Western Lakes.

General Comstock from duty on his staff, takes occasion to assure him of the continuance of the great respect he cutertains for him personally and officially, and should the occasion ngain arrive, he will be glad to recall him to his military family.

Capt. M. B. Woodbury, ordered to the continuate of the U. S. receiving-ship Vermont, in place of Commander Lewis A. Kimberley, default of the Commander Lewis A. Kimberley default of the Commander Lewis A. Kimberley default in the Commander Lewis A. Kimberley def The Civil Service bill being next in order,
Mr. Buffington asked the unanimous consent
to set it aside and take up the bill in relation
to the decline in American commerce.
Mr. Bingham denounced the bill as illegal

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hite military control than it is under the Bullock dynasty. FROM NEW FNGLAND 1By the American Press Association. - CONNECTICUT. Inauguration of Governor English

expresses his belief that but for the excitement the thing would produce, the State of Georgia would be much better off under abso-

was inaugurated this afternoon. There was a large assymblage present at the ceremonies. Governor English communicated his message to the Legislature. He assumes the duties of the office with a profound sense of gratitude and an earnest desire to co-operational sense and a sense the sense of gratitude and sense the sense to co-operations. not been marked with events specially calling for legislation, he supposes the term of the session will be short. He recommends that the necessary" te taken for calling a convention at the

act of its own the operation of the Fifteent Amendment, it is necessary to alter the Cou titution for such purpose.

The right to vote is a constitutional privi-The right to vote is a constitutional privi-lege in Connecticut, and the qualifications of an elector are prescribed by the State consti-tution. The General Assembly has now power over the subject. That instrument, as it now stands, prescribes no qualification for any others than white citizens.

The Governor is not insensible to the cir-cumstances attending the adoption of the Rif-

cumstances attending the adoption of the Fif-teenth Amendment as, proclasmed by the President of the United States. The fact is notorious that the ratification of several of the States was accomplished by chicanery and force, which would properly vitiate any contract between one citizen and another. In its object and effect, too, it is revolutionary of that system of government which recognizes local self-government as necessary to the stability and indispensable to the practical working of republican institutions.

By the power of appropriate legislation which it gives to Congress it commits to the absolute control of the general Government the right to vote in every State, and the mockaries of elections which have in the mast few erics of elections which have in the past few years been held in the Southern States, under the bayonets of the Federal Government, are a

tegral portion of the organic law. The State of Connecticut would never give up the right to manage her own affairs in all times past, in her own way. I should not hesitate to recommended it for your adoption, but how of no way in which this can be accomplished. The State is powerless for that puragain recognized as the safeguard of the Re-He commends the Legislature to express its opinion for its influence upon the Represen-tatives of the State in Congress that a general amnesty for all merely political offences be

> most into a kettle of boiling soap, ing, and suffered a horrible death. ILLINOIS Fire-Loss 850.000. GENESER, May 4.—Fourteen buildings, in

There were sixty fires in this city in April.

[By the American Press Association.] The McFarland Trial.

25 cents.

MAXWELL'S. S. E. corner Chestuut and Eleventa Stands wim 3mrp FRED. SYLVESTER,