

Tire Pazmonerr visited Harrisburg las
week, and was presented to both houses of woek, and was
the legislatare.


Geo. W. M. Curris, oloses his connect-
ion with the civil service reform, by the following letter to the President. This been carried out.
My Dear Sir:-As the circumstances un-
der which several important appointments


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Gkn. Huwtex undoubtedly owes the in-
creased majority by which he was re-elected creased majority by which he was re-elected
to Congress, to the attempts he mado to defeat the "Salary Steal." When that
bill was before the House he made a speecl against it in which ho used the following
strong language. "One party already has its grave dug,
and the other wauts to be side oy side widt
it. Back of these two political parties are t. Back of these two political parties are
the American people, who will have some thing still further to say about the ques-
tuon, I care ol litlo about parties and
elections that, if this is to be the otyle of
 what party comes after it. We can't have
anything worse, in my pinion, than the
paty party which begirs, six months after the
most ardent pofosions of economy, to
raise our own salaries, so that wo may put
in in our pockets $\$, 0,00$ not dreamed of until
two or three weeks ago." Gen. Hawley, akso consistenty refuses Connectient Election.
The roturns from every town in give Haven Rep., 39,200; Ingersoll, Dem , Dit 44,$900 ;$ Smith, Tem., 2,091. Ingersoll's
majority 8,600 . Hawley, Rep., is re-elected by 1,521 marjority; in the Second district, Kellogg Rep.,
is ze-lected by 5,875 majority; in the Third district, Sturkweather, Rep., is ro-elected
iy 1,521 majority; in the Fourth district,

The Republicans have a majority of one have a majogity of from 19 to 18 in the Houre.

Wife Murder at Raston.
Bnuffown, in the suburbis of Easton, was 8 sth innt. The man was arrested and is lodgod in jail. Crouse, who had beon in
town drinking hard, came lome, and, displeased, attacked his wifo and beat fored to nave hili daughas is fathor interaeverely cut and badly beaten.

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Rall Roads and Canals.
The constitutional convention the subject of R. R. monopolies considera-
ble attention. The committee to the attention. The committee to whioh
thect ras referred, make twozeports. Hon. J. Baily, makes a minority report which deals with the question in a very
able manner and closes his report with a proposal to incorporate
tions in the Constitution
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suach supervisory powers over said corpo
rations as may be nocessary for the poblic $\begin{gathered}\text { Brigham Young Retires. }\end{gathered}$
Salt Lake, April 8.- Brigham yo formally resigned the position of trustee of
the Mormon eliureh before an immense audience in tho tabernacle to-day, stating
that he proposed to go to Arizona beyond
the reach of mails and telegraph. He has recently resigned the office of president of
the Deseret nationan bank, Zion cooppera-
tive mercantile institution, and Utah Cen-
tral and Southern railood. In retiring
thus from all business, surrendering the thus from all basiness, surrendering the
vast possessions of the church and leaving
the territory, he practially abdicates the
throne which he has so long occupied, and admits that his power is ended. Ho has
made a will dividing his immense property
qually among his sixteen wives and sixty equally among his sixteen wives and sixty
children, and carefully stipulating the method of the division. It is believed that all the Mormons will follow the changed
fortunes of their self-deposed leader, and
that, so far as Utah is concerned, the Mormon problem may be considered solved.
Rain, Hail and Wind Storm in Iowa. Bain, hail and wand stormin in Iowa.
terrible rain, hail and wind storm over Crrible rain, hail and wind storm over
known came up at a minutes notioe this ing lons of life. The storm struck the city
on West Hill, tearing the soof from a school-house and descending through the
business portion of the city. Buildings business portion of the city. Buildings
were unroofed and a great deal of damage
done. The worst of the catastrophe was done. The worst of the catastrophe was
the destruction of T. N. Pond's butter and gig depot on: Jeffersongtreet, and the deat
of seven persons. The houso was blown down and twenty-five persons buried in the
ruins. Mr. Pond and three others were taken out dead, and nineteen others were
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tamilies have been compelled to move, and stories of their dwellings. Many farm
houses are ineme houses are inundated, and horses and oat-
tle are atruggling to reach places of safety.
In the principal streets of this place, the and some boats. Your bridgen on Grant river, be
twen Brantord and Onondago, have been
carried away. Off the Track.
A St. Louis dispatoh of the 10 th inst.
sayn: As a small train on the St. Louis and Kansas Northern railroad was passing a point two miles dast of Wellsville yester
day morning at a a high rate of speed,
jumped the track. The whole train excep jumped engine tumbled down an embankement the cars turning bottom upward. Henry
P. Darlington, Philadelphia, was cut about the head, but not dangerousty hurt. W.A.
Barrow, of Blaston, had a leg brokew, an several others, names unknown, were mor
or less injured. The cause was a loose rail
A Woman Murdered by a Woman, A private dispatch says, that Mrs. Work
nan, the wifo of the Methodist minite man, the wifo of the Methodiat mininter
has confessed the murder of Mrs Hedges an
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fenso, The general feoling it that Mra.
Workman, driven frantic by the discovery of hor hunband's too intimate relations
with widow Hedgen, in a fit of desperation killed the supposed cause of her domestic
misery.

A Serions Fire from Nataral Canses.
An unusual acoident ocourred at Pleas An unusual acoident ocourred at Pleas-
anthill township, Pike county, III., a few days ago. John Bailey was threshing
wheat on the farm of Henry Brisco with a ten-horse machine. The greund being sof large quantity of straw had been thrown on the track to make solid walking for the
horses. A journal in the machine became so hot as to set the straw on fire and the Names spread so rupidily that in a fow min-
utes the madhine, a large quantity of threshed grain, and several ricks were consumed.
Five horses were burned to death. One man had most of his clothing bumed of
but was not fatally injured.
Serious Aceldent at McKecsport.
The bridge trentle supporting sevent
feot of the roof of the Nationa Works, situated at MoKeesport, Pennsylva last, greaking the gas conductor leading
from the gas producer to the furnnce from the gas producer to the furnaces.
The gas took fire, and the mill building
was immediately was immediately onveloped in flames and
totally dentroyed. Two hundred men were
miraculously, only one man was killed.
Several working men sustained injurio none of which are likely to prove fatal $\frac{\text { Loss, } 8200,000 \text {; insurance. }}{\text { Nft Worth Holding. }}$ south of Monticello, Minn., was on a moad when a de er run by a dog came so near
him that he caught it around the neck and him that he caught animand at once raised
held it fast. The animal
upon its hind feet, and commenced ham-
mering Mr. H. with its sharp fore feet.
He says he beld the deer long enough He says he beld the deer long enough to
ascertain it was as poor as a crow and then A Colored Justice.
Thomas Hazzard is the name of the col-
ored gentleman who was elected Justitee of
the Peace in Thornburg, Delaware county,
at the last election. The new 'squire is a shoemaker by occupation.
A Careless Man.
At Boston on the oth inst., the pooket
book of Nelson Curtis, the well-known
builder, was stolen from a pile of lumber
on Dovonshiro street, where he had mo-
mentarily laid it, while oxamining papers.
It contained $\$ 3,700$ in bank bills, and $\% 20$.
000 in notes.
Miscellaneous News Items.

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CZF Mrs. McGlynn, of Omaha, attempted
suicide by cutting her throat. She was so mad at the surgoon who sewed up the
wound, that she stabbed him twice, and it is thought he will die.
Cav At New York, last week, Androw
Higgins, whilo secreting bars of pig iro under a pier, in a small boat, was acciden-
tally caught in the hoisting gear of a derriek, and instantly killed.
LWFIn Chicago, last Wednesday, while the
Leon Brothers were performing their do ble trapeze act at Nixon's amphitheatre,
the young one slipped heavily to the ground a distance of some ten feet, striking on his
face and right side, and fracturing his right
thigh near the hip.

C37 The coal miners of St, Clair County are organizing to limit the amount of work
to bo done this summer, to prevent the coal market being stocked next winter, so that
they will not then be out of employment.
$t 3^{\prime}$ Elizaboth J. Holter has brought
suit against three liquor sollers of Mt. suit against three liquor sollers of Mt.
Pulakki, Logan County, In., for damages
sustained by the breaking of her husband's leg while he was intoxicatod.
t3n At the Borden mines, near Frostburg, Allegheny county, Joln Langly, an
employe, while being lowered down with a horse and cart, the horse becoming rest-
less, kieked the coupling loose, and were precipitated to the bottom, one hundred
and nixty-five feet. Langley was instautly EF'Geary Sterburne who eloped with
Josepheno Drew from Fisherville, N. H, last fall, was arraigned on a eriminal chargo
in the Supreme Judicial Court at Concord, and pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to
the full extent of the law, three years tar Every individual found in the streets of the cities and towns of Russia in a state of intoxication, is compellod to work at
sweeping the ntreets during the whole of the following day. The rigor and impar-
tality as to nation, sex, or condition, with which 'this rule is carried out ls worthy of
imitation by many more civilized nationes tar An individual who is described as a graduate of the Normal Scliool at Al-
bany," about to be united to a young lady, at Malta, Now York, entered a protest
against the elause in the ceremony which against the clause in the ceromony which ank a divorce, at least, he wished not to ank a divorce, at lensh,
bind his conscionce with nay pledgo to the
contrary. The minister retired in disgust, and the marriage did not take place.

## Rome, April 11 -The Pope in sufforing

from rheumatio fover and ulceration
the log. His illness is extremely serious.
A manufuctory in this city was de-
stroyed by lightuing yesterday, and forty persons were banied in the rains, five of
whom were killed and seventeen wounded.

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