### WEDNESDAY, JAN. 19, 1870.

#### Encouraging Signs.

Although the political sky about the State Capitol has so long been overshadowed with the "murky" atmosphere of corruption to that extent that the chief magistrate of the Commonwealth has become frightened at the inevitable result, unless a reform is immediately inaugurated, Internal Revenue for this Congressional pearance of bancombe, if it may not be unless a reform is immediately inaugurated. District was to be made, there were nn-labelled bosh: yet we are happy to be enabled to record District was to be made, there were nuyet we are happy to be enabled to record that on Wednesday last, one stray and struggling beam of pure light penetrated the mist of pollution, and we hail it as a Jerc. Cook Esq., of Chattibersburg. I was labeled bosn.

Indeed bosn.

If his Excellency had referred to a copy of "Purdon's Digest"—a work which were Col. Ritchie, of Mercersburg, and the mist of pollution, and we hail it as a Jerc. Cook Esq., of Chattibersburg. I was the mist of pollution, and we hail it as a Jerc. Cook Esq., of Chaftibersburg. I was and of which the Governor doubtless has, the mist of pollution, and we hail it as a Jerc. Cook Esq., of Chaftibersburg. I was at least, one copy—he might have found, harbinger of a forthcoming day of reform a cond to kick up a row in Somerset countries. in the political management of the affairs

The fact which so inspires us with hope is that Gen W. W. Irwin the independent so I promised Scull. When the election candidate for State Treasurer was elected was over, I had him appointed. This apover the Radical Ring candidate, Robert pointment caused me to reap a whirlwind W. Mackey, the present incumbent, by a vote of 20 to 61.

We do not rejoice over this as a strict Democratic victory, but we are ready to swell the charus of joyful acclamation swell the charus of joyful acclamation my throat cut beautifully. Now, my plan ever the breaking up of one of the basest is to give Scull's position to Ritchie, and cliques that ever conspired to rob a tax in order to do this, Scull must be proviburdened people. We have still further ded for. Here is the opening. Let us exercising the same, and the said office stow Scull away in the Senate, and I can shall forthwith be declared vacant by the unswerving perseverance of the Democrats who unflinchingly arrayed themselves in independent portion of the Republicans have been vested with power which they claim to desire to correct the abuses which have been so long apparent in the administration of the freasury.

The Democrats have set us an example of what a minority can do if they will but set aside all bigotry and superstition and accept the true basis of success, which was when perfect victory could not be obtained to avail themselves of the nearest approach to the carrying out of their principles, and instead of laying in stubborn on the side of integrity of purpose, and certificate declaring Mr. Findlay elected united with honest men who had the true interests of the state in view, without political trickery. Another return judge party predilections, and by this means the was manufactured for Somerset county, true men of all parties can to day rejoice and he signed a certificate declaring Scull in the breaking up of that accursed Ring elected by seventeen votes, his calculation of legislative brokers that has so long in the election district, in the return of which fested the State Capital. We are firm in this informality had occurred. On this our determination to ever be found stri- certificate, thus signed, Cessna induced king hands with the good and true to break down all corrupt organizations without any party prejudice. True Democracy is based upon individual freedom of thought and action, held subservient only to pure and honest motives.

so paralyzed the democratic party will be shaken off without swerving in the least from the glorious principles which must the Senate. Senator Wallace presented to the senate of the senate se issues of the present time, and in the language of the Harrisburg Patriot we believe there is a great change in the poliles of the time awake and realize it."

## The Radical Muzzle.

Nothing which the Radical Congress has done more clearly shows the cloven foot of centralization of power than the bill that has been introduced into the Senate to prevent state legislatures from recinding acts of ratification of proposed amendments to the Federal Constitution. That a legislature had the right to enact laws for the government of a state fully implies that it has the right of reconsidering and repealing the same. The sequence is plain that Congress is at its old business legislating from necessity, which necessity is to perpetuate Radical power, aud to perpetuate power the Democratic principles of the constitution must be ignored. Having assumed the Executive government, and trampled upon the sacred principles of state rights, with impunity, their apparent desire is now to abolish state legislatures.

# Crawford County System.

Although there has been a powerful ef-fort put forth on the part of the "Ring" Mr. Cook told Cessna that whenever a masters of Susquehanna county to wheedle the unsuspecting portion of the Reto perpetuate the very thing which they spirit.

profess a determination to destroy. The fact is plain that you may put a thief in a pulpit, and he will be a thief ratify the Fifteenth Amendment, because still, aside from all the influence that the titizens distranchised by the Constitu-Pending a vote to recommit, the House at tion of that istate, would become voters four o'clock, adjourned. pulpit will have upon him; and you may under the operation of that Amendment, adopt as many Crawford systems as you and little Rhoda; would then be carried of a bill to authorize the refunding and the committee made their report on Friplease, and let the same Jacobins manage, by the democrats. The radicals of that consolidation of the national debt, to exame jacobins manage, by the democrats. The radicals of that consolidation of the national debt, to exame results. We state don't want universal suffrage very tend banking facilities and establish speare indeed firm in the belief that Susquement. The following bills were introduced: More effectually to preserve the neutral relations of the United States.

The radicals of that consolidation of the national debt, to example the committee made their report on Friendle, and state of political ruscality is unprecedented and we trust that it will introduced. More effectually to preserve the neutral relations of the United States.

A bill will be introduced into the Level of the consolidation of the national debt, to example the committee made their report on Friendle, and the committee made their report of the committee made the committee made their report of the committee made their report of the committee made the committee made the committee made the committee made the committee mad fast giving way to sober sense and reason. in Kansas and Ohio.

#### The Scull Findley Case.

Our readers are aware that the counties of Somersct, Bedford and Fulton form a Senatorial District. In October last, an election was held for Senator. Senator Statman had been renominated by the Radical Senatorial Conferees, but a general howl went up from the better class of the party against him, so that he was obliged to withdraw. Then arose the

ened to kick up a row in Somerset connty unless I would promise him the same lowing: position in writing. I found that I could not afford dissension in Somerset county,

f wrath "from the friends of Ritchie and Cook. To appease Cook's anger, I pro-cured him an appointment as Assistant Assessor. Ritchie's friends have indulged in the most terrible threats, and, if I run for Congress again, I may expect to have

emove this difficulty from my path." Thus argued the astute Congressma who unflinchingly arrayed themselves in and his reasoning provailed. Scull was solid phalanx on the side of honesty, the put on the track for Senator as the nominee of John Cessna, and with such a load of unpopularity on his shoulders, was beaten as a matter of course. He was defeated by the radicals of his own County. who preferred the Democratic candidate. Hiram Findlay, to a man who allowed himself to be used as the tool of John

But there was a little informality in the cratic election districts. There was no allegation of fraud, or illegal voting. But the return Judge had forgotten to bring with him one of the papers was smally presented at the meeting of the return judge.

This paper was smalled and after.

Internot exceeding \$1,000, and to undergo an imprisonment not exceeding one year; and if still in office, be adjudged thereafter incapable of exercising the same, and the cant by the court passing sentence.

For further information if rightless the return presented from one of the Demociples, and instead of laying in stubborn es. This paper was supplied, and, after-idleness because the full goal could not be wards, at a meeting of the return judges reached at once, they placed themselves for the several counties, they all signed a

by twenty one votes. : Cessna saw that here was a chance for might be harmonized in this county for the We believe that a new era in the politics of the state of Pennsylvania was begun on Wednesday last, and we carnestly hope that the stubborn lethargy which has

characterize it, but let the dead past bury its dead, and arise and follow the living sworn in on the strength of it. Scull's restitution of some of the fortunes, baggage smashing a penal of fence; supcertificate, signed by one man, was also which he alleges have been made by the presented, and, contrary to all precedents and the plainest principles of instice, not to speak of the common sense view of the tics of our state. "Let the Rip Van Wink- matter, the case was referred to a committee of three appointed by the Speaker, to determine which of the two had the prima facie right to the seat. Cessna was on the floor of the Senate, making suggesment. A committee was appointed composed of two radicals, who had already expressed an opinion that Scull was entitled to the seat, and one Democrat. They made a report last week, declaring, as was anticipated, the prima facie right to be in Scall. The Senate was not ready, how ever, to endorse such an absurd proposiof this week. Whether or not all the radical Senators, except Lowry, are so horribly fanatical as to be guilty of such political depravity as a vote in support of this report implies, it is impossible to tell. Senator Lowry fought the report bravely and insisted upon a vote on it. Senator Billingfelt, of Lancaster, has an excellent reputation for personal integrity. We shall see whether he can "throw con-science to the Devil" and vote for this reand Judiciary branches of the Federal port, and then prate about his honesty

publican party into a measure apparently stately scaled in the Senate—he is to be feasable, but which from the leading where an applicant for the position. Whereupon, our information is, that Cess—Without action on the bill the Senate. lights who are managing it, savors of the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of that old rotten clique whose to labor for Scull's interests, by making the struggling of the scale of the sca rascality was so apparent at the Convention last fall. We see that the pill, althor sugar coated, does not go down with the thinking Republicans of the county.— or Ritchie, must be a disappointed man. Virginia, and demanded the previous They cannot see why the system heretofore adopted and used, is not an honest
system, and that if honest men manage
which will grow into several bushels bewhich will grow into several bushels bewhich will grow into several bushels bewell as any, and the adopting of a new system, with the same dishonest, rotten; which will grow into several bushels be twee the Speaker voting in the negative. It was discovered however, that a whon this political trickster shall receive the count had been made; and the condemnation at the hands of the that the motion to reconsider was carried. Grow clique to manage it, will only serve people, which his double dealing and po- The House then refused to order the main to perpetuate the very thing which they litted trickery so richly deserve!—Valley question, and the bill went over. Under

the duties of pension agents, and to pre-It is said that Rhode Island will not scribe the method of paying pensioners,

ting at the state of the state

# The Governor and the State

It is late to comment upon Governo Referring to the alleged abuses in the State Treasurer's office, the Governor appealed to the Legislature, "in the name of the good people of Pennsylvania," to correct these abuses, and to provide means

obliged to withdraw. Then arose the question, who is to be his successor? Cessus stepped in, and answered this question immediately, "Edward Scull must be the man," Why.?

We were not present at the meeting of the radical leaders of the district who fix that matter up, but we feel sure that central reasons stated his case in about this way.

"When the appointment of Assessor of peal to the Legislature assumes the apular subject, and of the fact that the Gov- lution of the New York Legislature, withernor's late Attorney General was anxious drawing the assent heretofore given to the to prosecute the alleged offenders, and ratification of the fifteenth amendment, When the appointment of Assessor of peal to the Legislature assumes the ap-

SECTION 70. If any officer of this Commonwealth, or of any city, borough, county or township thereof, shall loan out, with r without interest or return therefor any money or valuable security received by him or which may be in his possession or un-der his control by virtue of his office, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor in office, and on conviction be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, and undergo an imprisonment, by separate or solitary confinement at labor not exceeding five years; and if still in of-fice, be adjudged thereafter incapable of

Court passing the sentence.

Sec. 71. If any such officer shall enter Into any contract or agreement with any bank, corporation or individual, or association of individuals, by which said officer is to derive any benefit gain or advantage from the deposit with such bank, corporation or individual, or association, of any money or valuable security held by him, or which may be in his possession, or un-der his control by virtue of his said office, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction, be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding \$1,000. and to undergo

cant by the court passing sentence. For further information, if required, the Governor might have referred to the fourth section of the act of 16th of April, 1840, P. L. 444; tenth section of the act of 27th of May, 1841, P. L. 402; the seventeenth section of the act of 16th of April, 1845, P. L. 536; and the first and second sections of the act of 26th of April, 1855. P. L. 328. The sixty fourth sec-tion is part of the fifth article of the tenth section of the act of 16th April, 1850, P.

L. 482. (Report on the Penal Code, 21.) So much for the remedy furnished by the criminal law. There is, also, a civil operations, and of all earnings acquired by him through any misuse of the public funds. The laws already on the statute hooks furnished the laws already on the statute hooks furnished to the laws already on the statute hooks furnished to the laws already on the statute hooks furnished to the laws already on the statute hooks furnished to the laws already on the statute hooks furnished to the laws already on the statute hooks furnished to the laws already on the statute has a law to the laws already on the statute has a law to the laws already on the statute has a law to the laws already on the statute has a law to the laws already on the statute has a law to the laws already on the statute has a law to the laws already on the statute has a law to the laws already on the statute has a law to the laws already on the statute has a law to the law to the laws already on the statute has a law to the law to books furnish all the means necessary to purify any impure State office—to punish any unalfeasance in the office to question, and thus to provent a recurrence of abuses. Had the Governor permitted Mr. Brews-

state Treasurers on a salary of \$1,700 per annum, and upon the prospect of a speedy purification of the Treasurer's office. By way of comforting the public on this sociation. subject, however uncomfortable the fact may be to certain individuals we would remark that, although a Treasurer may have had a "settlement" with the state. and retired to private life, years ago, both he and his accounts may be brought into

court, and, if it can be proved that he has violated the above sections of the statute he or his sureties can be compelled to pay to the state the full amount of all th "earnings" received by him through any misuse or misapplication of the state funds: and we may add that, if the Governor deemed it impolitic to prosecute such ex-offenders before the October election, when his then Attorney General desired thus to 4, do the state some service," there statute of limitations is inoperative as to the state.—Day.

## CONGRESSIONAL SUMMARY.

SENATE January, 10th.—Several comhereafter. For our part we can have no munications were laid before the Senate, faith in the personal integrity of any sen-ator who supports such a bald political duced. A resolution in favor of including inquity as this is. But Cessna found trouble ahead. In subjects for negotiation with Great Britain fixing this thing so as to accommodate was discussed during the morning hour, trict to Scull, radical, in place of Findlay, Ritchie, he entirely forgot our friend Jere.

The Virginia bill was then taken up, and the legally elected Democrat. Mr. Wul-Cook Esq. of the Repository. We are in-formed—of course we cannot vouch for Mr. Stewart argued in favor of its passage. Mr. Conkling followed, on the same side, Mr. Cook told Cessna that whenever a thought the Senate inight very properly vacancy occurs in the Assessorship—for hesitate, as the state once admitted, it blatant hypocrite, Harry White, objected, would be incompetent for Congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-und presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-und presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the congress to presented a certificate signed by some tice of the state paying the members post-under the cong

> suspension of the rules, the bill to define was taken up and discussed at length.

honest men. Passion and prejudice are Amendment and it has passed the Senate To provide for an increase of national bank note currency. For free banking to gislature increasing the pay of jurors.

gold basis. A bill to exempt certain articles from internal duty, passed. The Virginia bill was discussed at some length. In the House a bill for the admission of

Virginia was reported from the Committee on Reconstruction, and laid over for one day. A bill was reported from the Committee on naval affairs, providing for the removal of the Philadelphia Navy Yard to League Island. After some debate the subject was laid over under the

for preventing their continuance.
In view of existing laws on this partic- January 12.—In the Senate, joint resowere presented. A bill to refund and consolidate the national debt, and extend banking facilities was introduced. After which the Virginia bill was taken up and

discussed at length.
House.—In the House, joint resolutions of the New York Legislature were presented. A bill to rpeal the act of 1862, relating to general and petit jurors in United States Courts, was referred. The bill for

JANUARY 13 .- In the Senate bills were introduced and referred as follows: To prevent the collection of taxes on propery exempt from taxation prescribing rules of evidence in certain cases. The consideration of the Virginia bill was resumed. In the House, resolutions were intro-duced as follows: To establish territorial government over civilized Indians; to provide for the reduction of expenditure and of taxation, and adverse to the acquisition of further territory. The bill pro-viding against donations by subordinate government officials to superiors, in the nature of presents, was passed. Discus-

sion of the Virginia bill was then resumed. In the Senate, on the 14th, petitions re-lating to various subjects were presented.A resolution relating to the average cost of the manufacture of American pig iron in Pennsylvania, was discussed. The Virginia bill was then taken up, and debated and finally, on motion of Senator Trum-mon, that the path to rectitude had been bull, it was resolved to vote on the bill on traveled so little of late years that it was Monday next, at 4 p. m.

The House engaged in debate upon the Virginia bill after the journal was read and the discussion was exhaustive. The question recurring upon the final passage of the bill offered by Mr. Bingham as a substitute for the bill of the committee, it passed by vote of 98 to 95.

# Pennsylvanta Legislature.

Jan. 11th .- Bills were introduced in the Senate authorizing excutors and administrators to testify in their own behalf; people that Genry was not legally elected in suits where they are interested; to decrease the number of legislative officers; to regulate the practice of surgery in Philadelphia; to authorize accused persons to Wilmington, Del., and for this brought testify at their own request; to enable the the driver of the team before a justice. people at the next election to vote for At- The justice dismissed the case, it being torney General and Secretary of State; to Company; to lix the salary of the Gov- to sue. ernor at \$8,000; to incorporate the Philadelphia Warehousing Company; to provide for certain avenues in Fairmount

committee to investigate into the manner of conducting the affairs of the State The new properties of the Committee of in general orders the death of General Ways and Means, and various amend- Moyer, than whom, he says, a better ter to proceed, as he desired to do, the ob- Ways and Means, and various amend- Moyer, than whom, he says, a ject which his Excellency calls upon the ments to resolutions to present each soldier or a brayer man never lived.

plementary to the City Park bill.

A resolution endorsing Senator Came- cey. The difficulty arose from a law suit. ron's course on the Cuba question was referred.

nominee, by a vote of 70 to 61. Jan, 13th .- In the Senate various petitions from citizens of Philadelphia were referred. The Metropolitan Police Bill was reported from Committee. Also, the seen of him since he left. bill for greater security from fires in Phil-adelphia. Bills were introduced as follows: Declaring 7 per cent, the legal rate of interest; amendatory of the act allowing parties in interest to testify, etc.: incorpo rating the Women's Branch of the Pennis nothing to prevent his excellency from sylvania Society to Prevent Cruelty to ordering the present law officer of the Animals, and the overloading of the city Animals, and the overloading of the city

> salary of the Governor to \$7,000 was considered and passed.

## Rascally Legislation.

state senate was to commit an act of per-filly even more outrageous than any pre-has set the neighborhood all in a blaze; triet to Scull, radical, in place of Findlay, out till more can be got. lace presented the certificate of the elecwrong. He declared there was a wrong other Harrisburg leaks be stopped. intended by the proposed reference, or if it was not intended, it would unavoidably LET IT BE EXAMINED.—In the result. This thing of allowing a certifi-cate to be accepted that had but one signer would turn to ashes on the hands of any party that tolerated it, and, if he had he world.

Findlay, who the return judges declare payers want to know. Let a little day and as much gold in the Sunset, was legally elected, and so it proved when light into these dark places.

—A bill will be introduced into the Lefrom any disposition to retrench, but because the members do not like Geary.

#### News Items.

-The report made by Capt. Raymond of the engineer corps, describes Yukon river in Alaska, as the third largest river to the world.

-A subscription list has been opened throughout Germany to raise \$9,000 to complete a colossal statue of Arminius nenced in 1816.

-A splented marble colossal statue of Esculapius was found by a countryman in a field at Pozzuoli. It belongs to the best school of Roman art. -Three thousand latters from fools to

New York swindling firms have already accumulated at the dead-letter office, unen unulated at the dead-letter office, uner the recent order of Mr. Creswell.

—The Postmasters General reports to 28, but is not visible in America. It can der the recent order of Mr. Creswell. the Senate that the Postal Convention with France failed because of the Direc-

tor of Ports claiming an unequal share of the postage. -Heavy gales have prevailed throughthe transfer of the Philadelphia Navy out Ireland since last Friday, damaging yard to League Island was considered duthe shipping. Many lives were lost and

ring the morning hour. The Virginia much property destroyed. They have bill was discussed at length. -Henry Ward Beccher's salary has-been increased from \$12,500 to \$17,500. -A Mobile negro demonstrated his

> tongue the other day. -Greeley's first essay on Agriculture will be upon the best method of planting

-- The ox-King of Naples is in great financial embarrassment, his revenue being reduced to 10,000 frances per month. -Six men had a fight in a justice of

the peace's office in Butler county, Missouri, about a watch. When time was called two were dead. -A clergyman said, in a recent ser-

ompletely run to grass. -Hubert Quigley, formerly of Balti-more, was crushed to death in St. Louis

between two ponderous castings, at the foundry of G. B. Allen. -The London Times has won a suit against the Clerkenwell News, which pa-

per printed its own name in very small type at the head of its sheet, with "Lon-don Times" in large bold letters beneath. -There is a rumor that sufficient evidence has been procured to convince the

and that the documents will be given to the people. More business for Covode. -A man was run over by an ox-cart in

common law that any man slow enough ratify the charter of the Delaware Bridge to be run over by an ox-team is too slow -At Cheyenne, lately, a missionary preached on a dry goods box, his choir sitting in a buggy. The horse got fright-ened and ran away with the choir, pro-

In the House, resolution to appoint a voking the inquiry from the Protestant churchman: "Could not that horse be brought East? He would command a larbe price.'

—The last injured husband lives in publican journals everywhere, says the X. Clinton. Iowa. He is a negro, and he pounded a septuagenarian grocer to death tions of Mr. Stanton's importance as a There is a peculiarity in the government and 12th-Hiram Findaly was sworn in Clinton, Iowa. He is a negro, and he

following were considered and passed; To -Andrew Hynes Ewing, son of Anincrease, the Governor's salary to \$7,000; drew Ewing, of Nashville, Tennessee, was Kentucky, by a man named William Yan-

-Gustave Fischer, the High Sheriff of save taking away life-of which however, this respect, if not in any other, Mount Union is Cook Co., Mo., left for parts unknown on he was guilty in the case of Mrs. Surratt. a model College. The joint convention of the Senate and the 15th of December. He took with House assembled, and on the third ballot, him a favorite son, about four years of Irwin was deeted, over Mackey, cacus age, and between \$15,000 and \$20,000, borrowed a few days before. He also drew about \$8,000 in fees due to his of-fice, and neglected to pay over the share colt which was foaled in Medina county due to his deputies.

> -Think of this! If you are under thirty years of age and in the habit of thirty years of age and in the habit of smoking, by economizing to the amount Messrs. Northrop and Dean of Cleveland. of only one segar a day, you can pay the premium on a policy of two thousand dollars in the American Life Insurance bring it east in a short time." Company of Philadelphia. The American Life Insurance Company of Philadel-Agent.

WHO IS PHEBE BAKER?-A strange history, as well be seen (see advertise-ment). But most important of all is, The very first act of our present radical that those small trail boxes of her Wonvious doings of that body-we refer to the and now there is a perfect panic for fear giving of the seat in the Somerset Dis- the \$1,00 Pots (for families) won't hold

STOP THE LEAKS .- The Pennsylvania tion of Mr. Findlay, signed by the return Senate instead of restoring what is called judges of all the counties, and asked that the franking privilege, has agreed to allow be be sworn in. To this, that meek and cach member \$100 for postage. This is blatant hypocrite, Harry White, objected, quite an improvement over the old pracone man in Somerset county, declaring age. Last year, if our memory serves us, Scall elected, and moved that the whole the postage of our Legislature cost the matter be referred to a special committee, state some thirty three thousand dollars, strous and outrageous as this proposition will be but \$13,000, a saving of about may appear to our readers, it was carried—\$30,000 a session. One hundred dollars every radical senator, except Mr. Lowrey, is a large allowance, it seems to us, for voting for it, and to his honor be it said, each member, but nevertheless it is a large each member, but nevertheless it is a large party lash could not force him to do this saving in the item of postage. Let a few

LET IT BE EXAMINED .- In the Pennsylvania Senate the other day, Mr. Howard offered a resolution anthorizing the Finance Committee to examine into the o stand alone in defence of fair dealing he three years in respect to the use of the would do so before his constituents and state bonds and state funds, which was adopted. This is a move in the right di-Every body knew, of course, what this rection, and if the Committee will only meant, and what the report of this special do its duty, they can discover the process committe would be to give Scull the seat whereby the state Treasurer grows rich on

> The Legislature refused to authorize the Governor's message to be printed-at which Geary was wrothy, and says hard things about the members. This is not

#### Eclipses.

The six eclipses of the year will occur Indirect is a total eclipse of the moon

the morning of Jan. 17, visible in Asia Europe and the western part of North America. In the region of California and the interior of Oregon the moon will act totally eclipsed on the morning of the 17th at about suurise. Near the coast in Northern Califarnia, Oregon and Washington Territory the total phase passes off-before the moon sets. In Missouri, Iowa, Minnesota, Kansas and Nebraska the

moon sets partially eclipsed. A partial eclipse of the sun takes place on the 31st of January, but is visible on-

be seen only in the Southern Pacific ocean cast of Australia.

A total eclipse of the moon will occur July 12, also invisible in the U. States. Along the castern extremity of S. America and of North America, at Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Newfoundland, on the Atlantic Ocean, in Europe and Asia the eclipse will be visible. It will be a partial esclipse on the northeast coast of the British provinces at the time of the moon's rising. At Greenwich, England. the first contact with penumbra occurs at 7:46 p. m. and the last at 1:22 a. m. on the civil equality by biting off a white man's morning of the 13th.

A slight partial eclipse of the sun, visi-ble only in the Arctic regions, takes place

Cardiff giants.—Boston Post.

—An old Arizona trapper, who has just scalped his fifteenth Indian, says; "It's good slaying out here this season."

July 28.

There will be a total eclipse of the sun on December 28. The line of total obscuration runs through Southern Spain, Algiers, Sicily, Greece Tasker Spain, Algiers, Sicily, Greece, Turkey and into Russa. It is visible as a partial celipse at Greenwich, Liverpool, Edinburg Dublin and other important places in Europe.

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> A Two-Leggen Colt.—The Rochester Union says: "One of the greatest freaks of nature ever exhibited is now in Aiken's Nothing has been Ohio, and is now seven months old. It is of Black-hawk and Arabian stock-black in color and remarkably intelligent in action. It has no fore legs and stands erect.

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-Another careless sale of poison for physic, resulting in the death of a child, took place in Pittsburg last Friday. These fatal mistakes are becoming frequent of They arise from a reckless disre. gard of the commonest precaution against accidents. Until the test of fitness shall be applied to candidates for the responsible position of druggists' c'erks, these tragedies will frequently shock communi-ties. In the case before us the clerk testilied that the opium jar and the rhubarb ar stood one above the other, and were labeled alike. The outlandish datin abconduct of the State Treasurer for the last | breviations which obscure the jars in all drug steres are bac enough; but when opium is kept in a jar labeled "Rhubard." how far are we from tolerating systematic poisoning?

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Preтавивон, Jan. 12th, 1870. The severe cold snap of Sunday last has been followed by a mild season, and while your correspondent is now writing the rain is pattering against the window panes, suggestive of another season of high water in the Allegheny, as we have heavy snow above us, and the telegraphic reports to day note rain in almost every direcion. Our coal men are in extacles, as ever since the latter part of November we have had an ele-gant boating stage in both rivers, the conse-quence of which has been a series of shipments to lower river ports of over 18,000,000 of bushels, giving employment to hundreds of steamers an parges, and nearly two thousand men. No wonder the rains and snows of this winter have

proved a blessing In my last communication to the Democrat I touched principally upon educational matters, which is a theme as interesting to me as it is to many of your intelligent readers, for I believe the people of Susquehanna county are much in-terested in school matters, and if you and your readers will pardon me, I will give you a brief account of a celebrated College for the co-educate tion of the sexes, which I recently visited for

This subject of co-education has been attracting the attention of intelligent minds, both male and female, during the past year, a majority of whom have given the system the cold shoulder, and no wonder, because perhaps they had never seen a practical test. This your corres

has had the pleasure to investigate.

At Alliance, Ohlo, or rather just on the edge of the young and beautiful city, is Mount Union. Here twenty-three years ago a small school of six scholars was inaugurated in the loft of an old woolen factory, which has grown into a famous literary institution for the joint education of males and females, now known as Mount Union College. It is presided over by the Rev. I. N. Hartshorn, D. D., a noted educationist, a gentleman of fine culture and extensive travel.

From the small school of only six pupils, a splendid College has arisen, which among its members representatives from near-ly every State in the Union, and which has an annual attendance of over 500 males and females. A corps of fourteen instructors, highly appreciated as educators, assist Dr. Hartshorn in the government of the College, . The departments of study are six in number, as follows :--Classical, Scientific, Normal, Commercial, Mus-ical and the Fine Arts, each course of which is very thorough. The scientific department conof the Atlatantic Monthly. - Christain tains some valuable instruments and adjuncts, the Chemical Department an extensive "La-A friend of ours got a receipt from boratory, and the Museum and Fine Art gallery contains some of the most rare, perfect and beauhorse (worth \$500) that was given up to tiful specimens to be found in any institution of

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ton, (England.) Press.

The College is beautifully situated on spacious grounds, on which are erected several large and elegant buildings at a cost of nearly a quarter of a million of dollars. The scenery adjacent is beautiful and the location healthy, beside the society in the neighborhood is very intelligent and

For twenty years or more at Mount Union College this co-education system has been test-Stock-Breeder—Zaynesville (O.) Daily ed, without any evil results. The co-equal, con-Those that see a copy come down with Joint and thorough education of both sexes is then not only right, but it is to themselves and to society an absolute necessity. It is not only promotive of more thorough scholarship; but also, as in a family, of the better manners of both; it in mire in cost the colf respect, more the't-ful solicitude, and d'a firmer resolve to adopt proper self-government to sustain a good character.

which alone will go further even than parental tory, is the fact, that he was a tyrant liv- sequences. No peculiarity of any sect is taught. presses, and did everything a tyrant could troversy or political discussion is allowed to in-

> The Normal and Commercial departments of Mount Union College are very thorough and comprehensive. Since the organization as a College over 5,000 teachers, male and female, have gone from its portals, highly recommended as educators, and have made their mark in the education of youth.

In the Commercial department, some of the best business men in the West have graduated, and stand high in business circles. Such is but a few brief facts concerning Mount Union Colwho have purchased it for \$7,000, will lege, at Alliance, Ohio. Its rates of tuition are remarkably low, for the benefit given to students, and it has feature which is perhaps different than many other institutions. Students can enter at any time during the scholastic year, and receive a thorough education.

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