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TWELVE O'CLOCK M.

FORTIETH CONGRESS.

IBy Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

WASHINGTON, June 1, 1868. SENATE. George C. Gorham, defeated last year for Governor of California, was elected Secretary without a ballot, with only one dis-

senting voice, Mr. McCreery. Mr. BUCKALEW announced the death of ex-President Buchanan. Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. A hill was pened ceding to Ohio the unsurveyed and unsold lands in the Virginia military reservation, reserving the right of sections of hundred and sixty acres.

To enable the Secretary of War to carry out the award of the Department to the heirs of Geo. Fasher for military spoilawar with the Creek Indians, provided the sum shall not exceed \$16,000. To relieve discharged soldiers who settle on lands under the homestead act from

payment of fee. To extend the lime for the completion of a military road from Fort Wilkins, Michigan, to Fort Howard, Green Bay, Wiscop-

To protect the rights of actual settlers on public lands, by forbidding the entry of more than three sections in any one township by means of Agricultural College Scrip.
Making a grant of land to Minnesota to aid in the improvement of the navigation of the Mississippi River, The purpose is to construct a dain and lock at Meaker's Island, between St. Paul and St. Anthony, thirteen feet high and to cost about \$320,000, according to plans and estimates of Gen.

Warren. To give effect to land grants made to Nevada. The Senate bill to amend the act for the relief of inhabitants of cities and towns on the public lands.

ARKANSAS BILL The Senate amendments to the Arkansas bill were non-concurred in, and on motion of Mr. STEVENS, Pa., a Committee of Conference was asked.

No. 20 THE TAX BILL. The House went into Committee on the

Mr. MILLER spoke briefly in its support.
Messrs. MAYNARD and ALLISON followed on the same side, the latter, how-ever, favoring a reduction of the tax on distilled spirits to 75 or 60 cents. As to to-bacco the Committee on Ways and Means would not insist on the increase proposed, He referred to the agreement made by that the remaining th marking there was no occasion for a general revision of the tariff, as the manufacturat revision of the tariff, as the manufacturing interests of the country were at present
in as prespectus condition. The yield of
coal this year is larger than ever before,
and the manufacture of gig from was never
more prosperous. In fact none of the great
manufacturing interests would suffer by a
failure to modify the tariff.

Mr. MYERS asked whether the Committee of Ways and Means intended to insist
on ten dollars on cigars?

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Mr. ALLISON replied the Committee proposed to leave the tax as now at five dollars.

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oliars. The general debate closed at three o'clock and the Committee proceeded to consider the bill in detail. Mr. BLAIN, of Maine, moved to strike

out the first section, which constitutes the Internal Revenue Department, and spoke in favor of his proposition.

Mr. LOGAN opposed the amendments and replied to Mr. Blain.

Mr. JUDD moved to amend the section by providing that the Commissioner shall be subject to removal or suspension only

Mr. WOOD opposed the amendment, as also did Mr. SCHENCK. also did Mr. SCHENCK.

Mr. BECK opposed the first section, arguing that under the Constitution Congress had no right to create a department, and declare who should fill it.

with the advice and consent of the Senate

declare who should fill it.

Mr. MAYNARD, replying, cited the case of the Department of Agriculture as in point. Mr. NICHOLSON stated in that case the sppointment was made after the passage of the act. The President nominated the same gentleman who had been at the head of the bureau, but the form of a new nomination

and confirmation had to be observed.

Mr. BLAINE took the same view and argued that if the President, immediately after the passage of the bill, ignored Mr. after the passage of the bill, ignored Mr. Rollins and sominated a formulationer, it would present a very serious question whether he had not a febal right to do so. Mr. JUDD replied to that objection and argued that Congress had the right to impose, additional duties upon an officer of the spectrum of the sections was all the sections of the section of

tions roposed to do.
Melari LOGAN, SCHENCK and others replied to the objections to the section, claiming there was nothing in it which militated with the constitutional provision

in regard to appointments.

Mr. GARFLILD appointments of the section by striking out the part which makes a separate department.

makes a separate department.

MACHER WIPSH (pipes) he sold on,
when the House took a recess.

TARNS At the evening session Mesurs. FARNS:
WORTH INGERSOLL, BLAINE and
POLAND opposed and Mr. SCHENCK advocated the section.

vocated the section.

Mr. POLAND proved to simend by providing that the President should by and with the sadvine and consent of the Senate appoint the head of the Department.

Mr. JUDD'S amendment was agreed to.

Mr. GARFIELD moved to sinend the section by making it read, "That the office of Commissioner of Internal Revenue be continued," whereupon Mr. BLAINE withdrew his motion to stelke out the section.

After debute the inustion was taken on After debute the question was taken on Mr. (ARFIELD'S amendment—ayes 47; nays 46, no quoi nin.

The roll was called and ninety-five members answered. answered.

nays forty-nine.
The Chairsoned in the hegitive, thaking a quorum and the amendment was reiected.
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ing yes.

Mriste by E official and another to the third section, that no female clerks be employed, except wives, without or daughter. ters of soldiers who served in the late, war in the same of the United States. Rejected forty against fifty seven.

FROM EUROPE.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette J GREAT BRITAIN.

London, June 4.—Dispatches from Gen eral Napier state that he was still evacuating Abyssinia, the column having passed Senate, one of the last posts on the route. General Napier reports that the rainy season had set in with unusual violence, and was attended with disastrous consequences to the inhabitants of the lowlands. The flood running through the Secroo defile, a vast nountain gorge, was already of such violence that 600 natives had been drowned. London, June 4.—A dispatch from Gen. Napier, dated Adigeral, May 21st, says a small detachment of troops will remain at Zoulla. All the remaining troops of the expedition have some forward to Annesly Bay to embark for home.

Another official dispatch from Gen. Na-Another official dispatch from Gen. Napier, dated June 1st, reports that the Grown of Theodorus captured in Magadela, was returned to the Queen, who remained at the capital. Gen. Napier also states a great flood swept through Sooroo defile, causing much damage and rendering the road impassible. Fonly six natives, were frowned, instead of six hundred, as reported. The health of the soldiers is good.

LIVERPOOL, June 4.—John Bright was entertained at a public breakfast this morning by prominent members of the Liberal party of this city. Mr. Bright made a powerful speech. After reviewing the policy of the various Tory administrations up to the present time on the diestion of the Irish Church, he drew a strong con-trast between the course of the present-Premier and that of Mr. Gladstone in deal-Premier and that of Mr. Gladstone in dealing with this matter. He advised Liberals to put forth all their strength at the next Parliamentary election, and with great earnestness exhorted the people of Great Britain to support the Liberal party, declaring the success of its policy the only means of adjusting the dissension in Ireland and perfecting her Union with England. The speaker was frequently interrupted by applause, and loudly cheered at rupted by applause, and loudly cheered at the conclusion.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. London, June 4—Evening,—Consols—money, 9614, account, 94%; bonds 7214; Illinois, 9714; Erie, 45%. Bullion in the Bank of England increased £879,000.

FRANKFORT, June 4—Evening.—Bonds

PARIS, June 4-Evening.—Rentes 69 fres. 12 centimes. Liverpoot, June 4—Evening.—Cotton sales 8,000 bales uplands at 11 4d; Orleans 11 4d. Breadstuffs; No 2 wheat, 11s 10d.

New York City Matters. thy Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Basette.]
New York, June 4.—The building Nos.
14 and 16, Amity Place, owned by Mr. Dingee, of Youkers, and occupied by Hageletdestroyed by fire this morning. Loss fifty thousand dollars. The adjoining buildings were considerably damaged.

The German Catholic Union last evening, after appointing a Committee to draft an address to the Pope, expressing sympathy as well as conviction to the maintenance of

the temporal power necessary to his inde-pendence as the spiritual lead of the Church, adjourned to meet at Chicago next year.
The Empire Club re-organized, Issiah

Rynders, President. Rynders has declared in favor of Chase for the Democratic nomi-

The English system of betting was introduced by the American Jockey Club. There were quite brisk transactions last night on the approaching Jerome Park races.

Capt. Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte arrival. ed in the St. Laurent, on a visit to Balti-

more.
The Commercial Exchange Association of Philadelphia adopted resolutions last evening asking Congress to reduce the whisky tax to twenty cents, to be collected

whisky ax to twenty cents, to be collected in the distillery.

At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce to day, the resolutions of the Board of Trade of Louisville, favoring a reduction of taxes on distilled spirits and to bacco, were adopted. The resolutions favor a tax of fifty cents per gallon on whisky. A communication from the Board of Trade per forther assistance by the Course. urging further assistance by the Govern-ment to the Southern Pacific Railroad was referred to the Executive Committee. The works of the American Fibre Disintegrating Company, in Brooklyn, were burned this morning. Loss \$76,000; partially inspect.

tially insured.

The trial of the libel suit of ex-Postmas ter Cook of Chicago, against the Tibune, is set for the 20th inst.

James Jones and Levison were arrested in an attempt to negotiate a portion of the bonds stolen from Kingsland & Son in March. Over fifty thousand dollars were

taken,
Joseph W. Hadley, alias Burton, has been arrested for issuing forged checks on the First National Hank, Brooklyn Thomas K. Keinedy and John Bryan, Revenue officers, were convicted of illicitly removing seized whist?

Edmund Wallache alias Franks is on trial charged with obtaining \$21,000 worth of goods from Garshall. Resembled & Co.

of goods from Gershall, Rosenfield & Co. by false pretences. Explosion and Fire in Philadelphia, By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] PHILADELPHIA, June 4.—An explosion of a tank occurred in the Crescent Alcohol
Works restorday, and the building, which was three stories in height, was soon in fismes. (It was stored with liquor in various stages of preparation, and with expensive machinery. With the exception of a few barrels of marketable alcohol, the en-

tire contents of the building were troyed, and nothing of the structure itself walls. Two tenement houses adjoining were also nearly destroyed. The entire loss is estimated at \$25,900.

Base Bali Matches. EBy Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gasette:) CLEVELAND, June 4.—In the match, Railway Union Base Ball Club versus Forest City Base Ball Club, for the chamrorest City Base Ball Club, for the championship of the Western Reserve and prize ball and bat the former won in eight innings. Score twenty-one to darketen.

Cingus and, Inne 4. There were shout one thousand people of the grounds to-day at Xenia, O., to, witness a match game of base ball between the Xenia Club, of Xenia, and the Athletics of Philadelphia. Only eight innings were played. The game resulted in the defeat of the Xenia Club, scoring algebras a Athletics besets y line.

Ville Westand the Podestries (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gasette.)

Rowning June 4 Weston, falled to so, complish fits one handred miles in 23 hours in taking 1904, miles in 22 hours and 52 minutes.

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

The Tariff Bill-Contested Election Case-Thé Hoosac Tunnel. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

THE CAPITAL.

WASHINGTON, June 4, 1868. THE TARIFF BILL. It should have been stated yesterday that Ways and Means with Messrs. Brooks and Niblack against laying on the table Mr. Brooks' resolution that the tariff should be reduced to the same extent that tax was vas removed from manufactures in the re ently passed Internal Revenue Bill.

THE HOOSAC TUNNEL. In the House to-day the bill appropri-ating five million dollars for the comple-tion of the Hoosac tunnel passed to be engrossed by 107 yeas to 94 nays. The bill was amended to provide for the reservation of one million of the contract money unti

TYPOGRAPHICAL CONVENTION. The National Typographical Union has chosen Albany for the next annual meeting, and adopted resolutions against the international copyright law, in favor of the eight hour law for government workshops, each member of subordinate Unions for a reserve fund to aid weak Unions in contests with unscrupulous capitalists during

CONTESTED ELECTION CASE. The Committee on Elections to-day, in the Missouri contested case of Hogan against. Plle, voted to retain the latter in his place.

NO MOBE CLERKS. Secretary of the Treasury has de-to make-no-more clerical appointments

CANADA.

The Fenian Scare-Military Movements, (By Telegraph to Pitchurgh Gaserie. 1 Montkeat, June 4.—The military authorities here obtained possession of the Court House and Academy at Huntington and Durham for the accommodation of troops to be stationed on the frontier. The 78th Highlanders are under orders for Quebec England. It is believed the government don't attach sufficient importance to the Fenian rumors to induce them to retain the

Homeopathists in Convention.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] ST. LOUIS, June 4.—The Homeopathic Convention met atten o'clock this morning the President in the chair. The day was occupied mainly in the presentation of re-

The members of the Institute number live hundred and fifty, and about fifty new members were elected to-day. Twenty-five States, one Territory and the District of Columbia are represented in nearly all of which homeopathy is making fine pro-

of which homeopathy is making fine progress.

The Committee on University reported resolutions approving the action of the board of regents of the University of Michigan in appointing Prof. C. J. Hempel to the chair of homeopathy in that institution. Resolutions were adopted recognizing and approving the action of civil authorities in cases where they have shown a ties in cases where they have shown a friendly disposition towards the claims of homeopathic physicians to seats in boards of health and other branches of public service, and pledging all proper support to such officers as recognize the claims of the homeopathic school.

Papers were presented preferring charges against Dr. Neilson, of Boston, and referred to a Committee. The report of the Bureau of Chemical Medicinē was read. Dr. Franklin, of St. Louis, presented a

diagnosis of a remarkable case of tumor of the bone, which he had surgically and sucthe bone, which he had surgically and successfully treated.

Dr. Helmuth, of St. Louis, presented a negro woman suffering from a large tumor and successfully operated on her before the Institute.

the institute.

At three P. M. the Convention adjourned and all the members and a number of other

persons went to Alton on a pleasure excursion. Memphis- Matters-A Desperate Affray-

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, June 4.—A desperate affray occurred in Munroe street last night, between the police and negro burglars, who had entered Price & Yeatman's counting room, in which Captain Perry Southern was shot fatally. One negro named Kage was snot lateny. One negro named Rage-Bedford was mortally wounded. The rest-escaped, but through the confession of Bedford, all of them, three in number, were arrested this morning. It was with greatest difficulty the police were restrained from innicting summary punish-

Ment on them.

'Matt Dwyer was killed this morning on Randolph road by John Lennehan, who found him in bed, and with an axe split his head open, caused by improper intimacy between Dwyer, and the wife of Lennehan. The latter surrendered himself and is convinted.

now in jail.

J.T. Le Guere, a druggist of this city, was drowned this morning in Lake Hope-field, while lishing, by his persque upset-

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

Newsure, N. Y., June 3. The graining works, and the glazing mill at Smith & works and the glazing mill at Smith & Kand's Powder Works, near this city, containing five tons of powder, blew my yesterday morning atom ten o'clouds. One of the workmen, Adam Schasster, a German, twenty-two years of age, was killed, his body being horribly mangled. He was the of the Explosion is therefore unknown. The body of Schasster and, the debris of the Explosion is therefore unknown. The buildings blown up were thrown hundreds of feet in the air, and the report was distinctly heard for a distance of furty miles in the air, and the report was distinctly heard for a distance of furty miles in an area of the Executive Committee. Inmediately after the election, to elect a Secretary and Freatury who shall hold office and receive such committee and the Executive Committee in the air, and the report was distinctly heard for a distance of furty miles the Executive Committee may be held on the call of seven miles may be held on the call of seven miles may be held on the call of seven mate, on twenty days notice being given by the Secretary of the Executive Committee. The Convention of the Executive Committee may be held on the call of seven mate, on twenty days notice being given by the Secretary of the Executive Committee. The Convention of the Executive Committee may be held on the call of seven mate, on twenty days notice being given by the Secretary of the Executive Committee. The Convention of the Executive Committee may be held on the call of seven mate, on twenty days notice being given by the Secretary of the Executive Committee. The Convention of the Executive Committee may be held on the call of seven mate, on twenty days notice being given by the Secretary of the Executive Committee. The Convention of the Convention of

Cox CORD. N. H., June 4.—Governor Har-riman was inaugurated and delivered the arinual inclination of the mainly di-

arinus, hestage order. His mainly directed to local affairs. The floating debt is
seduced to less than \$40,000, and the entire
State indebtedness to about \$3,500,000. Two
hundred and histy thousand of debt have
been paid the past year. The material interestage the State or in a prospercus conaltions. The Governor arges on the Legislatener the duty of encouraging home manusectures and airciculture, and closes, with
a brief allusion to national affairs.

* TRADE CONVENTION.

ational Organization-Constitution Pre-

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. PHILADELPHIA, June 4.—The National Board of Trade Convention reassembled this morning, the temporary chairman Chas. G. Nasro, in the chair.

On motion of C. J. Hoffman, of Philadel phia, the various delegates were called, and the chairman of each reported the action of the Board he represented had taken with reference to the new system of weights and measures. The majority of the gentle-Mr. Allison voted in the Committee of men reported that no action had been taken by their Boards. They await some action by Congress.

Henry T. Blow, of St. Louis, presented

the following: The street of Resolved, That a Committee of five be appointed by the President to consider the material interests; of: the country and to present briefly those leading features nec-essary to a thorough discussion of all means necessary to be employed for their rapid development on a more substantial, economical and comprehensive basis.

mical and comprehensive basis.

Several gentlemen argued the resolution was out of order, from the fact that the present organization was but a temporary one. The Chair ruled, that it being only a preliminary subject, and one which may be adopted or rejected by the permanent organization, it was in order.

The resolution was therefore adopted, and the Chair appointed the following

and the Chair appointed the following centlemen as the Committee Messrs. Blow, St. Louis; Henry; Portland; Froley, Philadelphia; Green, Milwankee; Davis, Mr. Fraley, of Philadelphia, submitted WHEREAS, The revenue laws of the United States now existing were enacted before steam locomotion both by lake and ocean had revolutionized the manner of

conducting the great and commercial en-terprise of the world; and Whereas, The terprise of the world; and Whereas, The provisions of these laws required the entry and appraisal of all goods imported for account, of parties resident at interior ports to be made at the port of arrival; and Whereas, This provision of law is without benefit to any one by the greatly overcrowding of certain Custon Houses, by interposing unnecessary delays and expenses, and by, necessitating many intermediate agencies, at the post of arrival, operates to retard the legitimate current of trade between foreign producers and consumers of the interior of the country, and thus curtails the revenues of the government by discouraging foreign trade; government by disconniging foreign trade; and Whereds, A bill has been passed by the House of Representatives designed to remove many of the difficulties interposed

by the present laws, therefore Resolved, That this organisation do most argently solicit of the honorable Senate of the United States now in session an equal-ly favorable consideration of said bill and its enactment into a law.

The Chair decided the presentia and residution at the present stage out of order.

Mr. Froley moved they be referred to the permanent organization for consideration: A motion to lay on the table prevailed, to enable the Committee on By-Laws and Constitution to present their report.

John A. Gan, of Cincinnati, Chairman of John A. Gan, of Cincinnati, Chairman of the Committee on Organization, reported a Constitution, which was considered and acted upon by sections. The articles as adopted were as follows:

ABTICLE 1st—Section 1st. This Association shall be designated and known as the "National Board of Trade."

ABTICLE 2d—Section let, Each local Board of Trade, Chamber of Commerce, or other bodies organized for general commercial purposes, and duly chartered under the purposes, and duly chartered under the State or National laws, shall be entitled to membership in this Association, and shall be accorded the following representation: Each such Association having from fifty to one hundred active members having the right to vote in their respective organization, shall be entitled to one delegate, having from one hundred to three hundred members two delegates, having from three hundred to five hundred members three delegates, having five hundred members four delegates, having five hundred members four delegates, and for each additional five hundred members one additional delegate Section 2. Delegates shall be selected by the various local organizations in such manner as each may see fit, for a term of not less than one year. At each meeting of the Association they shall present credentials from the officers of their respectively. tive constituencies showing them to be en-titled to represent such bodies in this As-sociation, which credentials shall certify sociation, which credentials shall certify the member or members authorized to vote then connected with the body claiming representation; which has a copy of their charter on file in the hands of the Secretary. charter on hie in the nands of the secretary.

Section 3. Honorary members may be elected to the Association on the proposal of any one of the Constitutional organizations; they shall have no voice in its affairs. or in disposing of its business; they may on leave address the Association or submit

questions for its consideration.

Section 4. Any Board of Trade or Chamber of Commerce in British North America may, upon application, become a corresponding member of this Association, and ponding member of this Association, and may be represented at its meeting by dele-

may be represented at its meeting by delegates, who shall sit as honorary members, but who shall not be entitled to vote.

Some debate took place on the locality of the Executive Committee. It was moved to insert Philadelphia in section three of of article four, which was lost.

Anticle 3d—Section 1st. Each delegate shall be entitled to one vote in person, but no voting by proxy shall be allowed. All votes, except on the election of officers, shall be also vote. Any member may demand a division, and on the demands demands on the decimary demands division, and on the demands demands on the demands of the section of the demands division, and on the demands demands on the demands of the dem may demand a division, and on the de-mand of three or more, members a call for yeas and nave shall be had, and the result yeas and have such so man, and the confedence of the same shall be duly recorded.

ARTICLE 4—Section 1. The administration of the affairs of this Association shall

be vested in a President and fourteen Vice Presidents, who shall be elected at the an-

The Convention then adjourned till to

Newfoundland Items

da at an hour's notice.

IN ASHVILLE, June 2.—The wheat harvest is commencing in this section of Tennessee. It will be large and excellent in quality.

Thos. Bradley, of Hickman, Ky., and Robert Walthew, employes on the Nashville and Northwestern Railroad, had a resistant to down Bath paying End segren contre to-day. Both parties fired several shots and Walthew was severely wounded. Several hundred citizens of Kentucky arrived in Nashville to-day, invited to par-ticipate in the celebration of the opening of the railroad to Hopkinsville and Evans ville. A banquet was tendered them by the Nashville business men. It was largehy attended. It took place at Masonic Hall. All the principal families of Nashville were represented. Ladies and gentlemen, Democrats and Radicals, mingled freely at the table and in the dance.

Affairs in Nashville.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

The Louisiana Election.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette] New Orleans, June 4.—In reply to a request from one of the defented candidates for permission to examine the election returns, for the purpose of contesting the seat of his opponent, Gen. Buchanan states that a certified abstract will be furnished by the Secretary of State as soon as if can be made, probably by the 10th inst., which will furnish all the information required. It is generally believed a forthcoming order will install all those elected who can take the test oath, and that this order will prob-ably take effect about the the 18th.

Railroad Election.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] CHICAGO, June 4. The stockholders of CHICAGO, June 4.—The stockholders of the Chicago and North-western Rajlroad to-day elected the following list of Direc-tors: Henry Baxter, M. L. Sykes, Jr., Jno. M. Burke, Samuel Sloat. Benjamin Nathan, James Benedict, George S. Scott, John Bloodgood, F. P. James, W. C. Gurnee, Russell Sage, of New York; John B. Tur-ner, Wm. H. Ferry, Perry H. Smith, Geo-L. Dunlap, of Chicago; and Alex. Mitchell, of Milwaukee. It is understood that the present western management will be represent western management will be re-

General Synod of the Reformed Church. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] Hubson, June 4.—At the General Synod of the Reformed Church the attendance was much larger than yesterday. The forencen was devoted to business. The acrament of the Lord's Supper was cele

Chief Justice Chase at Richmond.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] RICHMOND, June 4.—Chief Justice Cha as engaged in the trial of causes on the civil docket in the United States Court. He will remain about ten days. Many prominent citizens have paid their respects

Wagon Race at Chicago. IBy Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette, I CHICAGO, June 4.-The wagon race between Bashaw and Jim Rockey, advertised for some time, came off to-day, the former winning the second, third and fourth heats.

Time, 2:30, 2:34 and 2:31%.

THE COURTS. United States District Court-Judge Mc.

Candless. In the case of Robert Cofville and others. indictment illicit distilling, the jury failed to agree and were discharged. The case of the United States vs. the vinegar establishment of Arthur Ballou, on

econd street, reported on trial vesterday. was resumed. A. M. Brown, Esq., of counsel for the defense, read the answer to the libel. It sets forth that Arthur Ballou is the owner of the establishment in question, and that he was establishment in question, and that he was not engaged in the manufacture of distilled spirits; that it is not true that low wines or other distilled spirits were found on the premises, nor that distilled spirits were ld as vinegar on the premises, and that no distilled spirits were sold as vinegar by the respondent, and that he did not refuse to give a distiller's bond. The answer de

nies all the allegations contained in the libel. The case was not concluded at adournment: The following business was transacted in the bankruptcy branch of Court: A peti-tion for adjudication was filed by John S. Clark, of Potter county, and the usual order made. Petitions for final discharge were filed by Robert Steele, of Jefferson county, Henry Troth, of Columbia county, Charles C. Cean, of Warren county, G. A. Charles C. Cean, of Warren county; G. A. Newkirk, Warren county; James Dewitt; Montour county; John R. Loder, Mifflin county; John A. Lemon, Blair county; Alexander Dobbins, Blair county; William S. Green, Jefferson county; Daniel Smith, Jefferson county; John M. Kilbourn, Potter county; John L. Doty, Clinton county; Emanuel Guyer, Bradford county; Simeon Dunn, Pittsburgh. Dunn, Pittsburgh. Final Discharges—Martin C. Wilcox, Joseph Crediford, Hiram N. Gough, Bradford

ounty. A tredit see bed District Court_Judge Hampton. In the case of Richards et al. vs. Cassiday

et al., reported yesterday, the jury re-turned a verdict in favor of plaintiff for the sum of \$4,506,50.

The Executors of Joseph Wainwright, deceased, ys. Haskell W. Buffum. This was an action to recover on a promissory note. The jury returned a verdict in favor of plaintiffs for the sum of \$2,893,34, the amount claimed with interest.

The next case taken up was that or Wro amount claimed with interest.

The next case taken up was that of Wm.
Finch, Jr., vs. the city of Pittsburgh.
This was an action to recover for work and labor done, by the paying of Smith street, in the Ninth ward. On trial

14 Cuarter Semions Judge Stowe. Guarter Sessions Judge Stowe,
Frank Solomon, colored, was placed on irial on an indictment charging him with assault and battery with intent to commit a rape on Annie irwin; of East Liberty; on the 12th of May last. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty; and the prisoner was sentenced to pay a fine of one thousand dollars and to undergo five years imprisonment in the Penitentiary, to which institution he was conveyed during the afternoon. Charles Laughrey plead guilty of an indictment charging him with assault and battery, James Robinson prosecutor, and was sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-live dollars and the costs.

James Newman, a lad, indicted for malicious mischief, on oath of Henry Jones, storelivents of the costs. licious mischief on oath of Henry Jones, storekeeper on the corner of Webster and

guilty, the prosecutor directed to pay one-third the costs and the defendant the remainder. Court of Common Pleas Judge Sterrett. In the case of Wmi McClury vs. Thomas A. Spence the jury returned a verdict in favor of plaintiff for the sum of \$530,50

Logan streets, Sixth ward, was found not

Newfoundland Rems.

[Extraction to the Publishman Guidetth.]

St. Johns, N. B., June 4.—A lathe manifold the property of the sum of \$530,500.

Sors of Paniel Richt deceased. This was an action to recover for work done, a The jury returned a verdict in favor of plaintiff for deep, killing two.

A dispatch from Halfax says the fourth regiment is under officer to proceed to Canada at an hour's notice.

labor done. On trial.

NUMBER 134.

United Presbyterian General Assembly-Argyle, N. Y. Nashville, June 4.—The wheat harvest FRIDAY, 2 P. M. It was agreed to hold a Conference on Tuesday evening, in behalf of the educational interests of the Church.

Collegiate and Theological. The Finance Committee was directed to prepare and publish an address on systematic benevolence. A Committee was appointed to negotiate for a copyright of Prof. Abner Jones' metrical version of the

In answer to the invitation of the Presbytery and people of Monmouth, fill, the next General Assembly was appointed to meet there on the 4th Wednesday of May, 1869, 2 o'clock, r. M. in 2d Church. Monday 9 A. M. The Committee on MONDAY 9 A. M. The Committee on Bills and Overtures presented a report on the subject of Union amongst the Presby-terian Churches, in response to the invita-tion by the Philadelphia Convention last

November.

The ground was taken that Union amongst evangelical Churches was greatly desirable, and that it seemed to be most practicable amongst the different Presby-November. terian bodies, yet it was necessary to be careful least the cause of truth suffer in the attempt; that the Philadelphia Basis was not a satisfactory platform, yet as it might serve as the basis of negotiations for might serve as the basis of negotiations for something more satisfactory, and as it is desirable to cultivate amongst brethren of different denominations a kind and fraternal spirit, it recommended the appoint nal spirit; it recommended the appointment of a Committee of twe to meet with similar. Committees from the other Churches. The Committee, to be appointed in due time, are directed in all negotiations to maintain in their integrity all the principles exhibited in the Westminister Confession and Catechisms.

In view of the great harmony existing in the Assembly on this and the other import-ant subject of Christian Communion, which was acted upon last week, Dr. Pressly was called upon to lead the Assembly in prayer, and thanksgiving, after which the

126th Psalm was sung.

The report of the Committee on the Board of Church extension recommended the consolidation of this Board with those of Domestic and Freedmen's Missions. It was made the order for Tuesday, 21/2 P. M. On Monday afternoon the report of the Board of Foreign Missions was considered and adopted. Ninety thousand dollars are appropriated for carrying on the operations of the Board in the various foreign fields during the coming year. It also directs the Board to send to India one additional missionary and one female teacher

tional missionary and one female teacher as soon as the funds will permit, and favors the adoption of measures to raise up a native ministry and native teachers as early as possible.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported that the article in the Directory for Worship, forbidding the use of instrumental music in the worship of God, which was overtured to receive the way overtured to the control of the was overtured to Presbyteries, was adopted by a large majority and was therefore de-chared the law of the Church. The same Committee also reported that the overture for a permanent Secretary of the Board of Domestic Missions was rejected by a vote

of 330 to 124.

In the evening a conference was held on the subject of Sabbath Schools. Interest-ing addresses were made and much valu-able experience on the important subject elicited. The Committee on Secret Societies hav-

ing failed to report, they were continued and directed to report to the Assembly next year.
Tuesday, 9 A. M.—A committee was raised to mature and report to the next Assembly a plan or bill to establish a fund to aid the widows of deceased ministers in indigent circumstances. Committee:

Getty, J. McCandless, John Dean, Arbuthnot and H. Harris.

Dr. Lambert, delegate from the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (N. S.) was introduced and addressed the Assembly. Amongst other interesting remarks he expressed the opinion that the proposed reunion between the Old and New School Assemblies was likely to fair, or at least be postponed by reason of the opposi-tion of a strong minority in the Old School

Assembly.
The Moderator in his reply referred to The Moderator in his reply referred to the fact that in former times they and we were united in opposition to slavery and were each now amongst the foremost in en-deavoring to educate and evangelize the freedmen.

—On Thursday night last Mr. Crabtree, father of Lotta, the actress, had some difficulty with his wife, at St. Louis, which reculty with his wife, at St. Louis, which re-sulted in his taking from his wife's trunk \$25,000 government bonds and \$10,000 in greenbacks, the earnings of his daughter, and leaving next morning for New York. He also struck his daughter and carried off all her jewelry, leaving her and her mo-ther without any money and an unpaid board bill. Crabtree announced his pur-pose to return to England and live at ease off his daughter's earnings. The affair has created a good deal of feeling at St. Louis, where Lotta is a great favorite.

Buffalo Market. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazotte.j —

BUFFALO, June 4.—Receipts—wheat, 22,000 bush; corn, 1,125,000 bush; oats, 55,000 bush; flour, 3,000 bbls. Shipments—wheat, bush; flour, \$,000 bbls. Shipments—wheat, 4,000 bush; corn, \$5,000 bush; oats, 40,000 bush. Freights on wheat nominal, at 14c; corn, shipped, 11½c, and oats 7½c; all to New York. Flour active for spring city ground at \$10. Wheat better; samples mostly withdrawn; sales, early, of 7,500 bush No 2 spring at \$1,92; late, 7,500 bush do at \$2. Corn better but excited; sales early of 8,000 bush western at \$5c, and 38,000 bush do at \$1; late, 8,000 bush white western at \$1,05; 8,000 bush mixed western at \$1,01,000 bush do at \$1,00, to arrive. Oats stronger; sales early of 40,000 bush western stronger; sales early of 40,000 bush western to arrive at 75c; late 27,060 bush do to arrive at 76c; generally 78c at the close on spot. Rye and Barley neglected; and the market bars. Mess pork dull at \$28,50. Lard dulf at 187c. Seeds and Highwines nominal.

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[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, June 4.—Cotton firm; middling 294c; sales of 400 bales; no receipts and no exports. Gold 140. Sterling 152/4a155. New York Sight Exchange 4 premium. Sugar and Molasses quiet and unchanged. Flour dull; superfine \$8,25; choice \$12,50a16,00. Corn dull at \$1,02/4a 107%. Pork dull at \$23,75. Bacon dull; shoulders 181/4a131/c; clear sides 171/4a191/c. Lard dull; tierce 19c; keg 20c. Markets generally inactive.

Milwaukee Market.

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[By Telegraph to the Pittaburgh diasette.]

MILWAUKEE, June 4.—Flour firmer;

choice Wisconsin and low at \$3,75a9; meduin at \$3,50a8,62; common at \$8a8,50.

Wheat unsettled and higher; \$2,10½, for No.

1; \$2,00 for No. 2 Cats, quiet at 67½0 for No. 2 Corn higher at 88c to No. 2. Grain freights quiet; 5c to Buffalb and 100 to Osfreights quiet (100 to Osfreights) to Osfreights