TWELVE O'CLOCK M.

FORTIETH CONGRESS.

Resolutions from Texas Convention-National Currency Bill Passed in the Senate--Kentucky Contested Election Case Expatriation Rights--Revenue on Distilled Spirits--The Commerce Bill-Chinese Embassy -- Texas Asks for Protection from Assassins and Robbers. TBy Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

SENATE:

WASHINGTON, June 17, 1868. The CHAIR submitted a communication from the Constitutional Convention of Texas, transmitting resolutions adopted by the Convention, requesting a change in the law, at the earliest moment, authorizing the Commander of the District to appoint Registers of Election. Referred to

Committee on Judiciary.

Also, a communication from the Secre tary of War transmitting the draft of the proposed law in relation to Judge Advocates of the Army. Referred to Committee on Military affairs.

Also, a communication from Maj. Gen. Sheridan, Commander of the District of Missouri, urging that the Central Pacific Rallroad he completed from Atabian to The Rallroad be completed from Atchison to Ft. Leavenworth. Referred to Committee on

Mr. WILSON introduced a joint resolu-tion to remit the duties on cortain religious books donated to people of the United States. Referred to the Committee on Ficific Railroad.

Mr. WILSON also introduced a joint res olution authorizing the sale of damaged or unserviceable arms, ordnance and ordnance Referred to the Committee on Mil-

itary Affairs.
Mr. TRUMBULL, from: the Committee on Judiciary, recommended the indefinite postponement of several bills in relation to e establishment of a uniform system of bankruptcy. Agreed to.
On motion of Mr. SHERMAN, the bill in

On motion of Mr. SHERMAN, the bill in relation to national currency was again taken up.
Mr. CAMERON denounced the first secmr. UAMERUN denounced the first sec-tion, forbidding any National bank from paying interest on the balances of any other, a shaving boon, got up for the purpose of enabling the city banks to use the funds of til next session, but since it was to be con-

Mr. CHANDLER also opposed the first section.

Mr. SPRAGUE took the floor, but was shortly interrupted by the smoothed ment

shortly interrupted by the shinotest of the Chinese Embassy.

Mr. SUMNER presented the guests, and the President protem made a brief speech of welcome, during which time there was a goneral hand-shaking and conversation through interpretors with the Orientals.

The President protem again called the Senate to order, and the Embassy retired

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Mr. SPRAGUE resumed the floor, and Mr. SPRAGUE resumed the noor, and spoke against all inflation. He, would yote for the motion to strike out, and hoped the whole subject would be tabled.

Mr. HENDRICKS would vote to strike

matter should be left to the banking interest to regulate for themselves.

Shortly before two o'cleck, the CHAIR laid before the Senate a telegraphic dispatch from the Constitutional Convention of Texas, dated Austin, June 18th, forwardisout the first section, as in his opinion the matter should be left to the banking interest to regulate for themselves.

Shortly before two o'cleck, the CHAIR

resolutions just adopted, on which they ask the action of Congress. The resolutions, after reciting the lawlessness existing in certain portions of the State, urge upon Congress the necessity of authorizing the organization, by the Convention, of a milipatory force in several constitute of the convention of a milipatory force in several constitute of the convention of a milipatory force in several constitute of the convention of a milipatory force in several constitute of the convention of a milipatory force in several constitute of the convention of a milipatory force in several constitute of the convention of a milipatory force in several conventions of the convention of the conven as, dated Austin, June 16th, forwarding tary force in several counties to act in con-nection with the Military Commander, for whom they express confidence, for the purpose of protecting the fives and property of their citizens, now preyed upon by assains and robbers, and assert that otherwise they will be obliged to organize for their confidence.

own defence.
The matter was referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

After further discussion the first section of the currency bill was struck out by a

wote of 36 to 11.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEM, who would have voted aye, was paired with Mr. Drake, and Mr. Davis, who would have voted may, with Mr. Thaver. Mr. SHERMAN then offered his substi-

tute for the fifth section, providing for the belter distribution of National Bank currency, an amount not exceeding twenty, millions may be issued to banking associations organized in States and Territories tions organized in States and Territories having a less circulation than five dollars per inhabitant, and that within one year the same shall be withdrawn pro rata from banks in States and Territories thaying an amount in excess of their proportion under the apt of March 3d, 1884, to ascertain which the Comptroller of Currency is to make a

Mr. FESSENDEN moved to amend by

agreed to.
Mr. BAMSAY offered an amendment prepared, he said, by the Comptroller of Currency, as an additional section, author-Ising changes of the name or location of lating changes of the name or location of National banks upon application to the Comptroller of Currency, and public notice given, which was rejected—11 to 23.

Mr. DAVIS offered the following as an additional section: That all laws imposing

additional section: That all laws imposing any tax on circulating notes of issue made by any bank of any State or Territory, or imposing any tag in any form on such banks, be and the saine are hereby repeal-

ed. Rejected without division.
The bill then passed by the following. Yeas Mesara Buckalew, Cattell, Chand-ler, Cole, Cragin, Davis, Doolittle, Ferry,

Harlan, Henderson, Howard, McCreery, Nve, Patterson, (N. H.,) Patterson (Tenn.,) Pomeroy, Ramsay, Ross, Sher-man, Stewart, Sumner, van Winkle, Wade, Willey, and Wilson—25. Nave Messrs, Anthony, Bayard, Cam-eron; Conking, Edmunds, Fessenden,

Howe, Hendricks, Morgan, Sprague, Trumbulf, Vickers, Williams, Yates—14. Mr. Morrill (Vt.), who would have voted aye. paired with Mr. Morrill (Me.) op-

The bill now goes to the House.

Mr. HOWARD tried to call up the bill elative to the Union Pacific Railroad Company, but a motion to go into Executive on prevailed. Meantime the bill for the removal of political disabilities came over from the House, with a request for a Committee of

mendments, which was or-After a short Executive session, the Sen-

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Mr. COOK, from the Committee on Elections, reported Mr. McKee entitled to a seat from the Ninth Kentucky District. He will call the resolution up next week.

Mr. INGERSOLL offered a resolution directing the Committee of Ways and Means to consider and report on the subject of tax on capital, deposits and circulation of na-tional and other banks of issue, in connection with the bill directed to be prepared.

Mr. RANDALL suggested to include also
tax on Government deposits. Mr. INGERSOLL so modified the resolution and it was agreed to.
Mr. JULIAN introduced a bill for the

sale of the Hot Springs Reservation in Arkansas. Referred. Mr. VAN WYCK asked leave to offer preamble and resolution on the subject of American naturalized citizens, directing the President to demand immediately from any foreign government that may have im-American citizens for word spoken in this country an acknowledge-ment as complete and ample as was made by the United States government in the apology for the arrest of Mason and Slidell, and demand reparation in all instan-

ces, and report what he has done to secure such rights and rediress of wrongs.

Mr. STEVENS, of Pa. said this was

a very grave matter. The resolution asserted a great many things about which he knew nothing. He desired to abate it.

The resolution went over under the rule.

Mr. STEVENS, of Pa., offered a resolu-Mr. STEVENS, of ra., othered a resolu-tion instructing the Ways and Means Com-mittee to enquire into the expediency of reporting a bill to collect revenue on distil-ed spirits on the principle of taxing the capacity, of still and apparatus, mak-ing due allowance for waste, to certain provisions like the following certain provisions like the following: first, call in expert builders and operators and ascertain the utmost quantity a still can produce in twenty-four hours, constant running: second, let the distiller country banks without paying for them. He constant running: second, let the distiller desired the subject should be deferred untake out a license for such time as he may take out a license for such time as he, may choose to operate, paying or giving good security to pay tax on all spirits that can be produced within the period of the license: third, if the distiller shall be found to overrun the period of license, he shall be subject to imprisonment in the penitentiary; fourth, if any one shall be found to have

distilled spirits without a license he shall

still shall be heavily punished.
The resolution was referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.
The SPEAKER presented resolutions of

the Texas Convention. Referred to the Committee on Reconstruction.
Mr. WASHBURNE, Mass., from Com-

tion, as the special order, of the bill reported by Mr. Eliot, from Committee on Comed by Mr. Eliot, from Commutee on Commerce to promote American Commerce.
Mr. ELIOT addressed the Hoise on the National importance of the bill, the provisions of which have already been published.

ions of which have already been published.
Mr. MORRILL moved to amend the second section by providing that in order that American lumber, cordage, from copper, chains, and anchors might be used in the construction of American vessels, there should be allowed a bounty equal to the

should be allowed a bounty equal to the drawback of duty on these materials actually used in construction.

Mr. ELDRIDGE opposed the amendment, claiming that the bill had steered clear of anything like bounty.

Mr. BLAIN opposed the bill, claiming that depression in the ship building interest was not caused by the laws of the county. was not caused by the law of the country were depressed and he undertook to say that if the copper of foreign countries was admitted free of duty for ship building purposes, the copper mines on Lake Superior would ted free of duty for ship building purposes, the copper mines on Lake Superior would have to be closed. The proposed drawback on copper was simply a blow struck at that interest, and the arguments in support of it would apply equally as well against the whole protection system of the country. He believed the enterprise of the American people would remedy all present difficulties about companyers and the carrying trade. There was no necessity for this bill, which undertook to save one interest by striking statement showing the amount to be retired by each of such banks, and to make requisition upon them, commencing with those having the largest occess, and incase of fallure to furnish it; it is made the duty of the Comptroler of Currency to sell at auction a sufficient amount of bonds held to scoure the circuistion of such banks.

The bill having passed through Committee, to strike out section five and insert, that upon the issue of any such instonal circulation provided for in this section, the Secretary of the Tressury is hereby authorized and required to permanently withdraw an equal amount of U. S. notes. Rejected Mr. FENSENDEN, moved to amend, by selling the little strike outs.

Mr. FESENDEN moved to amend by adding the following: Provided that the circulation herein authorized shall be is sued as only circulation is withdrawn, so the agreed to troub and the sued as only circulation is withdrawn, so the agreed to the different to the sued as only circulation shall not at any time exceed \$30,000,000. Agreed to agreed to the word of the three are made for the war. There were preparations made for building of the Kannetoe River fifteen building of the Kannetoe River fifteen and barks averaging a thousand tons each, which would be built duty or and duty the control of the contr duty, and a large number of value would be built this year in the State of Maine, quite large enough for the purspect ahead.

Mr. MYERS spoke in lavor of all the sections of the bil, except that allowing a drawback on this building materials.

Mr. LYNCH made an argument in support, of the bill. In the source of his remarks he spoke of every article entering into ships being taxed.

Mr. ELDRINGE saked if there was anything on a laboring man of the West from

thing on a laboring man of the West, from the crown of his head to the sole of his foot that was not taxed for the benefit of manufactures. Mr. L. V. N. H. reguerked: the war, which had nearly annihilated. American and merce, had protected and stimulated man-ulasturing and agricultural interests, and these interests were to-day in a more thriv-

ing condition than before the war; but the

ing condition than before the war; but the American built ship, which had to pay taxes on all its materials, was brought into direct competition with British ships, which pay no such taxes. There was therefore no analogy between the cases.

Mr. ELDRIDGE agreed with the gentleman from Maine that ship building should be free from taxation; but he protested against discrimination in favor of ships or against the laboring man.

against the laboring man.

Mr. LYNCH said he did not agree with the gentleman from Wisconsin. He (Lynch) was in favor of protecting An can labor and industry. Subsequently Mr Lynch stated that the letter from the Batl hip builder came, not from sahip builde but a ship owner—a man who had a branch of his house in Liverpool, and was therefore interested in keeping up depres-Messrs. BROOKS, WASHBURNE, of Wisconsin, SPAULDING, and PIKE advo-

cated the bill.

Mr. BROOMALL proposed to aniend Mr. Morrill's amendment by adding a provision that the present tariff duties be increas-

ed five per cent.

Mr. ALLISON opposed and Messrs.

PILE and BFTLER havored the bill.

Mr. ALLISON as a test of the House, noved to table the bill.

Mr. PIKE offered to amend the bill by the second setion. striking copper out of the second sction.

Mr. ALLISON said he would still move to table the bill.

The question was taken and the bill was tabled—82 to 44.

On motion of Mr. FARNSWORTH, the

On motion of Mr. FARNSWORTH, the Senate amendments to the bill to relieve certain citizens of North Carolina from po-litical disabilities were non-concurred in and a Committee of Conference asked. Mr. BINGHAM gave notice that he would to-morrow call up his motion to re-consider the vote on the twenty-per cent resolution Adjourned & Dried Land

THE SAENGERFEST.

Appearance of Chicago Monster Gala Torchlight Procession.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] CHICAGO, June 17 .- A large portion of the city presents a gala appearance to-day, in honor of the Saengerfest. A long the line of march down Clark street from Bridge to of marci nown clark street from the dose the Turner's Hall, there is not a house which does not bear some evidence of joy on the part of the inmates, that the Fost has at last arrived. Every window and every doorway is adorned with floral every doorway is adorned with floral control of the wreaths and bears inscriptions manifesting the enthusiasm. State and Wells streets, where the Germans most abound, South Side and Randolph, and Madison streets, and West Side, are brilliant with deco-

rations.
Scarcely a grathaus or lagor beer saloon but has its tribute to the singing brothers from abroad. Many of the shops and stores are trimmed with combined colors of the Fatherland and the United States. The stars and stripes are often seen alongside old German colors, gold red and black, and the new colors of the North German Contederation.

North German Contederation.

ner's Hall, Ulrick's Hall, Wabash Avenue rank, and other headquarters are decorant, and the most handsome manner. Turread in the most handsome manner

societies from soroau have been arriving since 5:30 this morning, and other large delegations from the east will arrive todelegations from the east will arrive tomight and to-morrow. The delegates from
the old country, who were expected at 8:30
this morning, will not arrive until to-morrow, on account of a long detention they
experienced in Ohio in consequence of the
destruction of a railroad bridge near.

At eight o'clock this evening a grand pro-cession was formed at Ulrich's Hall, and marched to Wabash avenue. The procession was haf an hour passing a give point. It contained several bands and wa point. It contained several bands and was profusely interspersed with flags, &c. The streets through which it passed were crowded with people. At the Rink the singers, were welcomed by Mayor Rice in a brief speech, after which the formal reception and concert took place. The chorus consisted of five hundred values, composed of Chicago societies, with an orchestra of seventy places. After the concert a grand torchlight procession, with flags, transparencies, &c., formed on Wabish avenue and marched through the principal streets to headquarters. The evening closes with social gatherings at Turner's Hall, Dutches Haus, Ufrich's Hall, and other headquarters of local secieties. ters of local secieties.

RICHMOND. Frial, Conviction and Sentence of Whisky Inspectors and a Revenue Officer for De-

frauding the Government—The Case of Judge Marcalth, Sec. By Telegraph to the Pilinburgh Gasette.) RICHMOND, VA., June 17 .- The trial of John H. Anderson, late Collector of the Fourth District. R. W. Elsow and A. J.

Goulding, Whisky Inspecters, and J. H. Patterson, Assessor of Internal Revenue, for engaging in whicky frauds, has been concluded and the prisoners found guilty. Anderson was sentenced to the Pententian were both sentenced to two years in the Penitentiary, and a fine of five thousand dollars, and Goulding one year's imprisonment and a fine of two thousand dollars. A motion was made for a new trial, but was overruled. The prisoners are to be sent to

the Penitentiary.
The investigation against Judge Meredith for unlawfully admitting foreigners to citi-zenship, is finished, and the inlitary com-mission will render a verdict in a few days. Several deputations of Republicans have waited on Gen. Stoneman with the re-quest that he order an immediate election n this State, without reference to a revis-on of the registration voters. Gen. Stone man declines to take any action, saying that the matter was beyond his control and in the hands of Congress.

New nork City Matters

(By Telegraph to the Europeyn Gasette, 1 New York, June 17.—Eight schooners, and four allock have entered for the New York Yacht Club regatts to-morrow. An aid society for Southern educational purposes has been formed in the city, to last five years. For the present its efforts will be directed to the permanent establishment of Christian parish and home

schools.
Four stallions, imported by Thos. Wallgate, of St. Paul, Mhim.; arrived yesterday
from England.
Mr. Burlingsme, the two European Scoretaries and the two Mandarins, will attend a public dinner on the 28d, leaving the
rest, of the Chinese Embassy at Washington D. C.
Gertrude Phifer and George Reinhardt
were arrested for attempted murder of the
highing of the former.
Report says an injunction has been issued
at the instance of Mr. Defor part rejuing the at the instance of Mr. Defoe restraining the North Western Company Directors from paying dividends.

Base Ball at Cleveland. By Talketha the Principal and it. 1 CLEVELAND, June 17.—A base ball match between the Atlantic Club of Brooklyo, and Railway Uninps, of Claveland, to-day;

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

THE CAPITAL.

The Ejection of a Colored Woman from a Car—The Mayoralty Question—Interviews with Certificates Chase and the Presidency—The Reward for Capture of Jeff. Davis-The Case of Surratt.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] WASHINGTON, June 17, 1868.

INVESTIGATION CLOSED. The Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, who were instructed to inquire into the alleged forcible ejection of Mrs. Kate Brown, a colored woman in charge of the ladies retiring room of the Senate, from a car of the Alexandria railroad, made a report to-day confirmatory of the statements before made; but that Mrs. Brown has instituted suit against the Company for damages, and that the policeman who ejected her from the car has since been distributed from the car has since been dismissed from the service of the Company.
They recommend that the resolution for the present remain on the table. CAPTORS OF JEFF. DAVIS AND THEIR RE-

The bill reported from the House Committee on Claims to-day provides for the distribution of the one hundred thousand dollars reward among the captors of Jeff. Davis. The rewards to James H. Wilson, of Illinois, late Major General of Volunteers, Benjamin D. Pritchard, late Lieutenant. Colonel of the Fourth Michigan Cavalry, and Joseph A. Youmans, late Captain in the First Ohio Cavalry, are three thousand dollars each. The balance is to be divided are rate among the officers and be divided pro rata among the officers and men of of the Fourth Michigan Cavalry men of of the Fourth Michigan Cavalry and a detachment the First Wisconsin Cav-airy accompanying Captain Youmans, principally of Ohio, who were present on the morning of May 10th, 1805, proportion-ally to the monthly pay proper to which each was entitled.

WHITE HOUSE VISITORS. A large number of visitors were in attendance at the Executive Mansion to-day, including many ladies and several individ-

uals of prominence.

A Committee of citizens of Washington, including the Mayor ad interim and several members of the Conservative wing of the City Councils had interviews with the President in reference to the bill which passed Congress relating to muni ipal officers.
Generals Rosseau and Hancock, and Senators Henderson and Bucksiew also had interviews with President Johnson.

THE MATORALTY QUESTION. The Supreme Court of the District of Coleclared Dovles J. Bowen de fucto Mayor of Washington.

JUDGE CHASE AND THE PRESIDENCY. At an interview with the President last evening Judge Chase expressed a willingness to accept the Democratic nomination on a platform embracing the living issues of the day. RECONSTRUTION MEASURES. Specials state that the Reconstruction

Committee held two sessions to-day, the subjects under consideration being the di-vision of Texas and the pest means of securing the adoption of the Virginia Consti tution. THREE PER CENT. CERTIFICATES. The Senate Finance Committee will probably soon report a bill authorizing the issue of twenty millions three per cent. certificates for the redemption of compound in

SUPREME COURT. In the District Court to-day, Judge Fisher ecognized S. J. Bowen as Mayor of Wash ngton, and Col. Cooper as Corporation At orney, in place of James H. Bradley, Jr.

SURRATT CASE. It is understood the Grand Jury is examining witnesses with a view to bringing in a new indictment systust Surrett, charging him only with cohapiracy to take the life of President Lincoln.

CINCINNATI.

Daring Robbery of a County Treasury-Great Damage from a Rain Storm.
(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

CINCINNATI, June 17 .- About 9:80 to night some naknown persons entered the Treasurer's office of Clinton county, Ohio, at Wilmington, and knocked down the Treasurer, Mr. A. Hacket, as he was in the act of depositing the receipts of the day in the vault. The thiever, after hinding and gagging Mr. Hacket, took \$5,000 from the anit and made their escape.

The heavy rains last night washed away

several bridges and trestles on the Marietta & Cincinnati Ralfroad, between Loveland and Chillicothe, and the passage of trains will be stopped for some days. No accurate second of the damage can be given. A heavy rain and thunder storm is prevail. ing here to-night.

COULTEB-HAMILL BOAT RACE. (By Telegraph to the Pittellorgh Gazette.

PRILADEDPHIA, June 17.-Crowds of strangers have arrived to witness the rowing match for the championship to-morrow between Himili and Coulters The former now is at 155 pounds and Coulter at 168. Betting \$100 to \$30 on Hamili.

Banker Hill Anniversary Scull Races (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. Boston, June 17. The liber third anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill was observed to day with greater pariotic dis-

observed the day with greater parrotte dis-play than for many years.

At the Charleston repatts to day the race of single sculls, two miles, was won by, Joseph F. Fay, Jr., sgainst five competitors. Time, fifteen minutes, and two sp. conds. The double scull race, same disconds. The double scull race, same disconds. tance, was won by C. T. Butler and M. Wells, Time, alxien minutes and four weige. The four cared boat race of four miles had six entries, and was won by the Samuel Moddy. Time, twenty-eight minutes and forty seconds.

Democratic Congressional Nomination. (By Telegraph to the Pitteburgh Gasette, 1
Lyndan Lyndam, Thing 117. The Ninth Congressional Democratic Convention. Judge Robert Lowry, of Fort Wayne Res-childes adopting the eighth of damary platers, and condensing the improbment trial, were adopted.

FROM EUROPE.

Imnesty by the Pope-Abyssinia -Nova Scotia's Complaint in the English House of Commons French Budget-War Plot in Germany—Admiral Farragut. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

GREAT BRITAIN. LONDON. June 17. - Dispatches from Rome dated the 15th, state the Pope inthe President-Three Per Cent. tended to issue a general amnesty to political offenders on the anniversary of his as ension to the Holy See.

English journals publish a telegram from Zoula, Abyssinia, dated June 2d. The troops of the expedition, except a body of cavalry, have left Zoula to embark for

Bombay. Gen. Sir Robert Napier was to leave on the 12th.
In the House of Commons on Tuesday night an interesting debate took place on a petition of the people of Nova Scotia against the Canadian act. Mr. Bright moved that a commission be appointed to inquire into the cause of discontent in Nova Scotia in regard to the operation of the act of confederation. Mr. Bright supported his motion with a speech, in which he declared an investigation into this matter could not be otherwise than advantageous. If re-fused, the people of Nova Scotia would feel that they were victims of a policy with which they did not and could not sympa-thize. Such refusal would increase hostilithize. Such refusal would increase hostili-ty to Canada and estrange them from Engty to Canada and estrange them from England and give powerful stimulus to their sympathy with the United States. Justice to the people of Nova Scotia and generosity to the United States demanded this inquiry. The Ministry would be greatly to blame should any untoward court result from a refusal to grant this

ent result from a refusal to grant this demand.

Mr. Wm. Baxter, member of Montrose, seconded the motion made by Mr. Bright. Right Hon. C. D. Adderly, under Secretary of the Colonial Department, replied for the government. He acknowledged that discontent prevailed in the province of Nova Scotia. He took occasion to deny of Nova Scotia. He took occasion to deny the correctness of a statement made by Mr. Bright, in a speech made on the 15th of May, to the effect that the passage of the Canadian Union act in Parliament was not final, but merely preliminary to the act of the Legislature of each of the provinces concerned. The appointment of this commission of inquiry would be a great evil, and be considered an insult by the Dominion of Canada.

He informed the House that steps had been taken by the Government to allay the present feeling in the North American provinces. He said this feeling was not so provinces. He said this feeling was not so bitter as represented, for the acts of the Canadian Parliament had since been approved by Nova Scotia, and whatever discontent still existed would probably disappear, as the people of that prevince had no reason to apprehend an ingreese of taxtion eason to apprehend an increase of taxation After further discussion a division of the

House took place on Mr. Bright's motion, which resulted, for the commission, 87; against, 183—majority against, 96.
Later in the exeming the Irish Church appointment of the suspensionary bill was passed to a third reading. appoint

GERMANY. Berlin, June 17.—In the South German Parliament to-day the entire budget was

adopted. A report is in circulation that certain important papers have been discovered in Si-lesin, which reveal the existence of a plot to involve the lesser Enrepean powers with France in a war against Prussia. King William has gone to visit Hanover for the first time since the late war with Austria.

FRANCE.

Panis, June 17 .- In the Ministerial report on the budget, reference is made to the general arming represented to be going on in Europe. The report declares both the people and government of France desire peace, and there is now no evidence that the existing state of tranquility throughout Europe will be disturbed. BELGIUM,

BRUSSEES, June 17 .- Admiral Farragut has invited King Leopold to review the 8quadron unner his command. The King

has accepted the invitation, and the review will take place at an early day in the harbor of Ostend. FINANCIAL, AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, June 17.—Evening.—Consols for money, 04%a94%; for account, 94%a 94%. Bonds 73; Illinois, 94%; Erie, 44%.—FRANKPORT, June 17.—Bonds, 77%.—LIVERFOOL: June 17.—Cotton; 15,000 bales uplands at \$10'\fall per lb; Orleans, 11\%all'\(\text{b}\) per lb. Breadstuffs firm: Refined Petroleum, 1s. 4d. Spirits. 8d. to arrive. Sugar; 26s. 6d.

Antwerp, June 16.—Petroleum dull at 47.

train on the N. Y. Central Railroad, due here at 2:30 this p, m., was thrown from the track about five miles this side of Scheneotady, while running at the rate of thirty miles an hour. The Merchants Union and American Express cars and one baggage our waster. Accident on the New York Central R. R. American Express care and one baggage car were thrown over an embankment twenty feet high and badly broken. One passenger car was thrown off the track but did not go over the embank-

ment. An express messanger named Carr was injured, but no passenger. The acci-dent was caused by a spreading rail. Confession of a Homicide, By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette, ? PLYMOUTH, Mass., June 17.—There is good reason for stating that Descon Andrews has confessed to his counsel that he killed Cornelius Holines, clair ing to have done soin solf defence. The confession is in writing and will lie submitted to the Grand.

Jury with a view to justify an indictment for manslaughter. Aug U. B. Benator from Plorida (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette,)
"PALLAR ASSE, Vane 17. The Legislature to-day elected At 8. Welsh, United States Senator for the Levis expiring March, 1869. There was no election for the term of four years. The result is uncertain though Osborn is shead things the interest of the control of the control

Commissioner Rollins has a reply to Secretary McCulloch, which is scorching. He gives facts showing that some of the He gives facts showing that some of the worst men in the country are assessors and coffectors, especially in New York. The President is anxions to get Hollins out, and he has been told by Republicans that after the will send in an able and homest man that the will send in an able and homest man insist, that, the man shall be a partisan legion, the paper of the place. The President has not defined the mame of a pure man for the place.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS

—A cargaof Africans, it is said was re-cently landed in Cuba. -Dixon & Brothers' cotton mill of Provilence was much damaged by fire Tuesday

A wigwam for the accommodation of the Pendleton escort is to be built in Tomp-kin's square, New York. -There were three hundred and ninetytwo deaths in New York last week, and one hundred and fifty in Brooklyn.

—All distilleries in the Eighth District, New York, were closed up yesterday by the authorities, on an order from Washing--Our Government has received assurances from its representatives in Eurepe that there is no danger of a general war

this summer. -Judge Ingraham refused to issue an in-

junction restraining the Metropolitan Po-lice from warning strangers away from cer-tain disreputable concert saloons. The bricklayers of New York have decided to work eight hours instead of ten hereafter, and the wages will be reduced from five to four and a half dollars a day. —Mr. Henderson, who has returned to Washington, says that the Democrats all sustain his vote on impeachment, and many Rupublican believe him to have been

-The work on the New Tammany Hall, New York; is progressing rapidly, and will be ready by the 4th of July. The hall is lofty, well ventilated, and will seat 5,000

-The Naval School examination has proved, as was expected, that institu-tion, under the exceedingly able supervi-sion of Vice-Admiral Porter, is in a very high state of efficiency.

The New York Committee of Arrange ments of the Schutzenfest havedetermined to formally receive the delegates from abroad on the 27th, and make a formal opening by a procession on the 29th. A steamboat excursion will be made on Sunday the 28th. -The new walking match in New York is going on without especial incident thus far. Haydock is yet in good condition, but Shaw complains of sore feet. The one hun-

dred and fifty-sixth mile was finished at noon to-day. The time per mile is nearly ten minutes, exclusive of rest. -The wife of Edward A. Pollard, of Virginia, had Mr. Pollard and Miss Crotty ar-rested on Tuesday for assault and battery. In her complaint she charges Pollard with having consumed her means in supporting himself, and then deserting her. In reply

he says she is a maniac through jealousy Financial Matters in New York.

Gold Closed at 140%. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, June 17, 1868. MONEY AND GOLD. call. Sterling quiet at 10@10%. Gold irregular; opened at 141%, advanced to

141%, declined to 140% and closed at 140%. GOVERNMENTS Governments strong with good demand Governments strong with good demand for all descriptions. Coupons of 1881 117% (17%; do. '62, 113@113%; do. '64, 110%@111%; do. '65, 110%@111%; do. '68, 110%@111%; do. '68, 110%@111%; do. '68, 110%@111%; do. '68, 109%@110%; Six. per cent. currency bonds Pacific Railroad, 2%@3. Copversions of Seven-thirties in the last two days,\$3,309,950. The Treasury has commenced to pay the principal of the 1888 bonds due July last quot d at 98%. This checked the upward movement in Gold. The premium coin continues scarce, however, and borrowing notes at the closs was 3-64 per cent. until to-morrow. Border State bonds continue active and have further advanced.

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The following are the 5:30 prices: Canton, 49@43%; Cumberland, 33@35; Wells Express, 26%@28%; American Express, 52@52%; Adams Express, 56%@56%; Merchants Union Express, 28@28%; United States Express, 53%@54; Quicksliver, 25@52%; Mariposs, 3@4; Pacific Mail, 47%@57%; Atlantic, 31@34; Western Union Telegraph, 37%@37%; New York Central, 134%; G134%; Erie, 69%@69%; preferred, 75; Hudson, 140@141%; Heading, 99%@9%; Hartford and Erie, 15@16%; Ohio and Mississippi, 29%; Wabash, 48%@48%; St. Paul, 65%@66; preferred, 77%@@77%; M. C., 121%@122; Michisland, 134%; Pittsburgh, 88%@88%; Toledo, 164@155%; Pittsburgh, 88%@88%; Toledo, gan Suthern, 50% (500%; 1818).

154.0155/4; Pittsburgh, 88% (383%; Toledo, 107% (3107%; Rock Island, 106% (3100%; Northwestern Ex. Div., 55% (365%; Fort Wayne, 111% (311%; Columbus, 92; Chicago & Alton, preferred, 132; Frairie, du Chiem first preferred, 105; Missouris, 93; new Tennéssees, 75%; o. d. do, 76; North Carolines, 72.

198, 73. MINING SHARES. Mining shares quiet; Gregory, 546; Swith & Parmelee, 350; Quartz Hill, 125; Edge Hill, 380.

BUFFALO, Jule W.—Receipts, Corn. 110,000 bu. Shipments: Wheat, 7,000; Oorn. 110,000 bu. Oats: 47,000. Freights, 134; Wheat, 11: Corn; 71/; to New York. Flour; quiet: Wheat, fair demand and steady; sales: 11,000 bush: No. 2 choice, and 2 car loads No. 1 do, and Green Bay, at \$2,12. Corn; good demand, and firm! sales 8,000 bush where the No. 1 was a secretary 1776. bush, mostly No. 1 mixed western at 97c. Oats; inquiry fair; sales 60,000 tush at 1960, and 33,000 bush, to arrive, at same figure.

Rye; none in the market, Mess Fork; sales 1930,28,50... Lard; sales at 1850...

Albany Cattle Market (By Telegraph to the Pittshurgh Gazette.) ALBANY, June 17. The demand for catthe has been fair, without, however, any speculative demand; receipts of 4,220 head; over three-fourths were good weight and in fine marketable condition; sales of 3,300 fine marketable condition; sales of \$300 head, at 6070 for stockers and inferior light; 71680, 60 for ordinary to fair, and \$200, for good to extra fat and fine. Sheep in good request at 6270; receipts light; #Higgs sales for the week \$3,000 head, at \$7,2830, per 10, for light to including weights, and \$3,2930 for heavy and extra

New Orleans Market middlipgs, 375-q; receipts 17-bales; sales of 135 bales, Sterling exchange, 155a155, New York sight %6 premium. Gold 1404. Sagar and molasses doll. Figur dull; superior, 32,25a8,374; choice, \$12,40a15,60.