TWELVE O'CLOCK; M.

NEWS BY CABLE.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] SOUTH AMERICA.

Paris, March 27.-Late Rio Janeiro letters received here state that General Palydoro has been assigned to the command of the allied forces now in Paraguay. Paraguayans at a recent as-semblage in Asuncion, adopted a petition praying the allies to form a provisional government, with that city as its capital.

FRANCE,

PARIS, March 27.—The Gaulois newspaper says that the Emperor Napoleon has demanded an explanation of the King of Prussia in regard to the recent mobilization of troops in the western provin-

TURKEY.

ATHENS, March 27.—Photiades Bey, the Turkish envoy and minister plenipotentiary, has arrived from Constantinople, and resumed amicable relations in behal of his government with the Grecian court.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. LONDON, March 27.—Evening—Consols, 16@931/: Five-Twenties,831/; Erie, 241/; linois, 97. Petroleum firm at 1s. 10d. for refined. Common Rosin, 6s. 6d. Tur-pentine, 81s. 9d. LIVERPOOL, March 27.—Cotton, Bread-stuffs and Produce markets closed to-

ANTWERP, March 27.—Petroleum quief; standard white, 56@56½.

PARIS, March 27.—Bourse firmer; rentes, 70f. 40c.

NEW YORK CITY.

Fish vs. Pacific Ratifoad—Erle Broad Gauge Route to Chicago—Escaped Con-vict Arrested and Rescued.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburga Gazette.] NEW YORK, Mirch 27, 1869. The deaths for the week were 483. The steamship City of Paris, for Liver. pool, took \$25,000, and the Rapidan, for

Havana, \$15,000 in specie. Judge Resecrans, of the Supreme Court, to-day issued an order removing to the United States Circuit Court the case of James Fisk vs. the Union Pacific Railroad. In the Circuit Court, before Judge Blatchford, Recorder Hacket asked and was given time to make resked and was given time to make return to a mandamus in the Pacific Railroad case served on him on the 132d inst.
After arguments Judge Blatchford decided the order of Judga Rosecrans
was a compliance with the terms of the
mandamus served on the Supreme Court

mandamus served on the Supreme Court, and the case was now properly in the United States Court. It is stated the Erie Railroad has Southern Railroad to build a road from Akron, Ohio, to Toledo, the Eric road receiving therefor the right to use the track of the former road until the 10th of next October, the right renewable on expiration. Engineers and workmen leave here for Akron on Monday. This

arrangement gives the Erie road a broad gauge through to Chicago.

William Forrester, an escaped convict from the penitentiary at Joliet, Ill., was arrested on Houston street by a Deputy Sheriff yesterday afternoon. He made some resistance, whereupon the pate some resistance, whereupon the noto-rious Theodore Allen interfered and Forrester escaped. Allen was arrested, but for want of evidence, was discharged. The steamer Pennsylvania, from Liverpool, and Deutchland, from Bremen, have arrived. The latter brings Southampton dates of the 16th and £33,000 of

NEW YORK, March 28.—No dispatches by Atlantic cable have been received since Saturday night.

CINCINNATI,

Contested Election Case—War on the Dogs—Robber Caught.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] CINCINNATI, March 27.—The testimon in the contest of P. W. Strader's seat in Congress, from the First District, by Benj. Eggleson, commenced to-day before Judge Cox, and will continue many

The people are in ecstacies over the action of Councils, yesterday, taxing degrated dollars each, and giving one dollar reward for every unmuzzled dog.

delivered to the pound.
Chas. Morris, the cork-legged robber, implicated in the Schlenker robbery last Wednesday, was arrested last night his person were found \$1,500 in cash, and \$250 gold watch.

Jesse R. Grant arrived from Washingson last night.

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Injunction Against Union Pacific Railroad Officers.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. 1 Sr. Louis, March 27.—Wayman Crow, Samuel M. Cubb and others, on the part of the stockholders of the Union Pacific Railroad, applied to the Union Pacine Railroad, applied to the Circuit Court to-day for an injunction to restrain the officers of that Company from entering on the poll book, to be used at an election for directors part. Mondon the poll book, to be used at an election for directors next: Monday, the names of all parties to whom stock has been transferred since February 26th. If appears that on that day the directors of the Company had all the stock owned by them transferred in lots of twenties to divers parties, in order to cast alarge vote; but, with this they would be beaten by the opposition to the "white line" ticket, and meantime being it more stock which they had transferred to parties who do not really own the stock, until they closed the books. The injunction was granted.

Governor of Virginia Removed. [By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette,] RICHMOND, March 27.—Gen. Stoneman to-day issued an order removing Governor Wells, and assuming the duties of the office himself. Mayor Burgess, of Peters, burg, was also removed from office.

Advices from China and Japan. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—The Gre Republic, from Hong Kong February 19th, arrived to-night. The arrar gements between Burlingame and Lord Clarendon that hereafter all negtitations are to be conducted with the Central Government instead of the local authorities, and that before war is inaugurated disputes that before war is inaugurated disputes must be referred to the home government must be referred to the name government gives great dissatisfaction to the Hong Kong Press, which cites the Swotow affair as sufficient commentary on the first part of the stipulation.

affair as sufficient commentary on the first part of the stipulation.

The British gunboat Algerine returned to Kong Kong from an unsuccessful search for the missing French man-of-war Lemonge, which left Saigon on the list of November, the loss of which is now looked upon as certain.

A meeting of merchants of Foochow in respect to tea deficulties resulted in the Viceroy, in concert with the trade committee, is using a proclamation against the fraudulent conduct of tea men in the false packing of cargoes.

Intelligence from Japan is meagre. Admiral Enomatic is strongly fortifying Poseteon, near Volcano bay, intending to fight it out unless the Mikado complies with the demands of the exiled Keras, that they shall return to the island of Yeddoc, and that the late Tycoon be sent as their ruler. The ram Stonewall left Yokshomo March 3d, for Yeddoc, to be immediately transferred to the Japaneze government.

A difficulty occurred at Klota between transferred to the Japaneze government.

A difficulty occurred at Kiota between the followers of Satsuma and Choiste. It is reported several streets were set on fire and that the flames reached the palace of the Mikado, who fled to Osaka. It is reported the assassination of the governor of Osako originated from the fact that a high official was murdered

nere. Admiral Eromatto celebrated the event of his taking entire possession of the Island of Yeddo by firing a salute of one hundred and one guns from the fleet and hundred and one guns from the neet and batteries ashore. He notified all the consuls of the formation of the provisional government, and of the appointment of the necessary permanent officers of the principal departments. His forces are rapidly increasing and it will be no easy natter for the Mikado to subdue him and retake the Island.

china Catholic priests from the north report the Mahommedan rebels strong in force on the road to Pekin, and predict the fall of the Celestial Empire within a

year.
Mining at Cheafos is stagnant.
A further missionary difficulty occurred at Foochow. The assistance of the British gunboats was called. Plantage and a stage of the contract and a stage of the c cards were posted about the city calling cards were posted about the city calling on the people to arise and exterminate all roreigners. An English fleet of three gunboats destroyed two villages near Swato, because of an outrage by the Chinese on the crew of a gunboat.

The Washington treaty of 1868 between China and the United States has been received at Shanghae, and only awaits a fitting opportunity for delivery to Prince Kung at Pekin.

The Cuban Insurrection. [By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] HAVANA, March 27.-The report published here a few days ago that a heavy battle had been fought between the government troops and insurgents in the Eastern Department, on the road from Remedios to Moron, is untrue. The engagement was only a slight skirmish. The steamer Comanditario, which was

The steamer Comanditario, which was taken possession of by her passengers, carried but one day's supply of coal. The vessels which arrived to-day report seeing the Comanditario off Stirup Keys, under sail. Others report seeing her an chored off the Bahama banks, one hundred miles from Nassau. A Spanish man-of-war has gone in pursuit of her.

Intelligence from Sagua states that a man-of-war has gone in pursuit of her.

Intelligence from Sagua states that a party of young Cubans organized themselves into a military company with the intention of joining the insurgents. They were betrayed, however, by one of their number, and all, including Medurio, their reputed leader, imprisoned.

Havana journals publish dispatches from all parts of the Island. The news received is favoreble to the Government. Reports of several skirmishes between

Reports of several skirmishes between teports of several skirmishes between troops and insurgents have been received. The steamer Comenal has been armed and fitted out as a gunboat, and to-day sailed from Cardenas to intercept an expedition expected from Nassua. One of the Peruvian monitors remained four days at Puerto Naranjo, four leagues from Gibrs, during which time the crew were engaged in outting wood for the

were engaged in cutting wood for the purpose of supplying steam.

HAVANA, March 28.—The rest of the passengers and crew of the steamer Com-anditaro have arrived at Cardenas. They denounce the Purser and Engineer as leaders in the plot for seizing the vessel.

Two men were killed in the streets of Havana to-day, and six were arrested for uttering seditious cries. E. R. Cordingten, American Consular Agent at Gibrala, has brought a prisoner to Havana.

vana. From Sandwich Islands.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.) SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—The steamer Idaho arrived this evening with Honolulu advices up to March 17th. Business was unusally dull.
February 22d was observed in Heno-lulu by the flying of bunting from Funch Bowl Battery and foreign Consulates' private residences.

The crater of Kilania is reported in action again. Two shocks of an early-quake were felt at Hilo. No danger of draught prevails in the island of Howaii.

News from Hayel.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] HAVANA, March 27.-Advices from Porte-au-Prince to the 18th are received. Salnave was in a precarious situation.

Owing to the State of the finances the navy had not received any pay for three mouths, and there was a murmuring feeling at the Capital against Salnave. The blacks were jealous of the whites and assassinations were feared. A petition was in circulation province that

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M. THE CAPITAL.

Supervisor Appointed - Army Orders-Money Department-Gen.Sickles—Revenue Frauds

By Telegraph to the Pittaburgh Gazette. WASHINGTON, March 27, 1869. SUPERVISOR APPOINTED. N. A. H. Ball was to-day appointed Supervisor of Internal Revenue for the Department of California, Utah and Arizons, in place of L. W. Wiggins. ARMY ORDER.

The following order has just been is sued : The following orders have been received, and are published for the gov-

ernment of all conderned: War Department, March 26 .- By direction of the President, the order of the Secretary of War, dated War Department, March 5, published in General Orders No. 11, Headquarters of the Army, dated March 8, except so much as directs Gen. W. T. Sherman to assume command of the Army of the United States, is hereby rescinded. All official business which the law or regulations requires the action by law or regulations requires the action of the President or Secretary of War, will be submitted by the Chiefs of Staff of Corps, Departments and Bureau to the Secretary of War. All orders and instructions relating to military operations issued by the President or Secretary of War, will be issued through the General of the Armir.

General of the Army.

[Signed] John A. Rawlins,
Secretary of War.

By command of Gen. Sherman.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT. The office of the Superintendent of the The office of the Superintendent of the Treasury building was this morning thronged with persons of all sexes and colors, anxious concerning the distribution of the sweeping and scrubbing patronage. The Superintendent has charge also of the watchmen of the Treasury, and has been engaged to day in listening to claims of atolicants. Mr. Jules Golay. ronage. The Superinjendent has charge also of the watchmen of the Treasury, and has been engaged to day in listening to claims of applicants. Mr. Jules Golay, a clerk in the Treasury department, has been appointed as testing to the Chief of the Bureau of Printing.

The colored people of St. Joseph, Missouri, and Leavenworth, Kansas, design to celebrate the 14th of April, the aniversary of the assassination of Lincoln appointed as testing to the Chief of Amendment.

ASSIGNED TO DUTY. General Adelbert Ames is assigned to General Adelbert Ames is assigned to duty as Assistant Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau for Missisrippi. General Reynolds is assigned to duty as Assistant Commissioner of the same Bureau for Texas. General T. S. Crain, retired, is assigned to duty in the improvetired, is assigned to duty in the improve-ment of the St. Clair flats in Michigan.

ILLICIT DISTILLING. J. J. Noah, Supervisor of Internal Revenue for the District of Tennessee, has reported to the Bureau information

Surgeon Basil Norris telegraphs to-night from Greenville that Ex-President Johnson suffered intensely from neuralyis with calculus. He is relieved, however, and on his feet again. GEN, SICKLES.

By direction of the Secretary of War, Daniel E. Sickles is ordered, at his own request, to report for examination to General McDowell, President of the Redring Board at New York. REGISTER OF THE TREASURY. There seems to be no doubt that a Register of the Treasury will be nominated

on Monday next. WASHINGTON, March 28, 1869. CONGRESSIONAL SESSION. It is now thought by members of Congress of both parties that adjournment sine die will not take place before the middle of April.

COMMISSIONS WITHHELD. The commissions of various parties who we've confirmed for office in the last few days of the former administration are yet withheld and the subject is in the ands of the Attorney General. DIVISION OF TEXAS.

A delegation from division and anti-division parities in Texas were before the Reconstruction Committee yesterday morning, by appointment. The Georgia bill having been taken up by the Committee mittee, the case was postponed until Tuesday.

APPOINTMENTS. The several heads of Departments were busy all day yesterday, principally with Republican members of Congress, in relation to removals from and appoint-

declaring the expulsion of colored mem-bers void.

PACIFIC RAILROADS.

The following telegram was recently received by the Secretary of the Interior:

Salt Lake, Utah, March 19.—The report on the Central Pacific road will require time. We think you should know that time. We think you should know that time, who have seen both, deem the Central Pacific Railroad as incomplete as the

Union Pacific road.

[Signed.]

G. K. WARREN,

Brev. Maj. Gen. U. S. A.,

J. B. BLICKENSDERFER,

Special Commission.

The above refers to the manner of constructing the two roads. Another teleiu Tennessee — Ex-President

Johnson—Treasury Register—
Currency Statement — Congressional Session—Appointments and Removals—With—
holding of Commissions—The
Case of Georgia—Pacific Railreads.

The above refers to the manner of constructing the two roads. Another telegram just received says the Union Pacific road track is laid twenty-five miles of Monument Point. The grading of the last mentioned distance is completed, with the exception of six miles, over
enty-five miles yest of Monument Point, leaving a gap between the roads of one hundred and twenty-six miles, over
which rails are to be laid.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

-At Cincinnati, Sunday morning, an express driver was kicked by his horse, and instantly killed. —About two hundred and fifty bags of delayed overland mail was received in San Francisco on Saturday.

—All the breaks on the Delaware and Hudson railroad and canal have been re-paired, and the whole line is again open. -At Milwaukee, on Sunday, Alexan- think he is crazy on the subject, and are der Vieny, aged eighteen years, fell out trying to dissuade him from it, but he per-of a boat in the river and was drowned. -At St. Louis, on Friday, a man named Chas. Moore was sued for defiling his step-daughter, about fifteen years of

Orders have been received at the Portsmouth Navy Yard to fit the United States steamer Galena for sea. It is supposed her destination is Cuba.

Advices from Spain render it certain that Montpensier will be proclaimed King. He will arrive in Spain within a fortnight, as the iron-clad Victoria is now at Lisbon.

—Only thirty miles of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Rallroad remain to be built to complete the road to the Missouri river, connecting with the Union Pacific Rallroad.

—A dispatch from Atlanta, Ga., states that a negro, charged with murder and rape, was taken from jail in Dooley county, Tuesday night, by a disguised mob, and burned to death.

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will leave for Fort Hays to perform that resvice. John Henry, a negro, went on board the steamer Julia at St. Louis, on Friday, and becoming obstreperous, was ordered off the boat by Wm. Bates, one of the engineers. Henry turned on Bates and gave him a terrible cut on the neck with a razor. Henry was arrested. Bates' wound is very severe, but possibly not

wound is very severe, but possibly not fatal. has reported to the Bureau information of an additional seizure of eight illicit an animated discussion, endorsed the State, where troops are helping him.

The Buffalo Board of Trade, after an animated discussion, endorsed the resolutions adopted March 3d by the New York City Produce Exchange, factors the enlarging and improvement voring the enlarging and improvement of canals in New York State and a general reform in the management of the same. There was only one dissenting

—At the regular meeting of the Wo-man's Suffrage Association at St. Louis, on Saturday, a committee was appointed to wait on the County Court and urge to wait on the County Court and urge upon them not only the propriety but importance of appointing a Matron for the county jail; who shall have special charge of the female prisoners therein, subject to the general supervision of the jail, the Matron to make monthly reports to the Court of the number and the condition of said prisoners, and the Matron not to be the wife or relative of the jailor. A finance committee ative of the jailor. A finance committee was also appointed to raise funds to carry on the suffrage movement throughout the State, by putting speakers in the field and organizing sub-associations.

The report of Col. Moore, Superintendent of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, tendent of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, shows the gross receipts for 1868 to be \$3,770,890, an increase over last year of \$74,209. The increase in passenger earnings is \$33,721; increase in passenger earnings, \$57,255; the decrease in express earnings, occasioned by the withdrawal of the Merchants Union Express Company, \$46,768. The net earnings of the road were, \$119,237; previous year, \$96,054, increase, \$145,182. The track and machinery of the road are in good order. Many improvements have been made during the year. In anticipation of a change of gauge, contracts have been made for forty-six new engines, thirty-five freight cars and fifteen hundred new rails, the whole equipment deliverable in June.

may had not received any pay for three imoths, and, there was a inurmuring feeling at the Capital-Saginat Sainave. The blacks were fealous of the whites and assassinations were feared. A petition was in circulation praying for the blockstiing; of the blockstiing; of the port of Aux Cayes. Gold was 270 premium.

—At San Francisco, Cal., in the libel suit of Capital H. O. Winsor against the Evening Bulletin for, fifty, thousand dollars damages, the jury were absent three minutes and rendered a verdict for defendants. The alleged libel consisted in stating that Winsor while in command of the ship Interpld, on a voyage from New York in 1867, was dissipated, treated his sailors brutally, finsily set one of his seamen adrift in an open boat off Easter Island, and that the man was never heard from and wes supposed to have perished.

Were Duky all day yesterday, principally with Republican members of Congress, in relation to removals from and appointments to office. According to the representations of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purison of Missouri, with his heading that the representations of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members are thein made for that purisons of some of these members are thein made for that purisons of some of these members are thein made for that purisons of some of these members, arread for that purisons of some of these members are thein made for that purisons of some of these members are thein made

A Shiftless Man An artist tells the following story in Harper's Monthly for April:

In the spring of 1841 I was searching for a studio in which to set up my easel.

My "house hunting" ended at the New York University, where I found what I wanted in one of the turrets of that stately edifice! When I had fixed my choice the to the Brazilian throne, in case the prejanitor, who accompanied me in my ex-janitor, who accompanied me in my ex-amination of the rooms, threw open a door on the opposite side of the hall and invited me to enter. I found myself in what was evidently an artist's studio, but every object in it here indubitable signs every object in it bore indubitable signs of unthrift and neglect. The statuettes, busts and mode's of various kinds were covered with dust and cobwebs; dusty canvasses were faced to the wall, and stumps of brushes and scraps of paper litered the floor. The only signs of industry consisted of a few masterly crayon drawings and little broaders and little literature. drawings and little luscious studies of

color pinned to the wall. chine by which he expects to send mescame by which he expects to send messages from one place to another. He is a very good painter, and might do well if he would only stick to his business; but, Lord!" he added, with a smeer of supreme contempt, "the idea of telling by a little streak of lightning what a body is saying at the other end of it! His friends think he is crazy on the subject and expects.

Judge of the astonishment when he informed me that the "shiftless" individual, whose foolish waste of time so excited -Edgar Irving, nephew of the late Washington Irving, has been appointed United States Dispatch Agent of New Myouthul artistic fancy, it was possimy youthful artistic fancy, it was possible for mortal to attain—S. F. B. Morse, since much better known as the inventor of the eclectic telegraph. But a little while after this his fame, was flashing throughout the world, and the unbelievers who voted him insane were forced to confess that there was at least "method in his

Railway Snow-Sheds in California. The Central Pacific Railway Company have erected a building which is doubtless the largest in the world. It is twentytwo miles in length, sixteen feet in width, and sixteen feet in height, not including the pitch of the roof. It is put up in the most substantial manner, all the timbers used being of the best quality to be obtained. The sides are enclosed, and were it not for the fact that daylight penetrates through the interstices between the boards. the whole affair would be very like a huge CURRENCY.

The currency shipped to New Orleans was one hundred thousand dollars; to National Enrice one hundred and fifty thousand dollars; to the American Minister is urging the circulation, \$342,740,100; for deposits, \$3.241335; total currency redeemed during theweek, \$563,535; total circulation, \$299,
Assigned orders to most of constitutional in a most peculiar manner, and is, in addition, firmly boiled to the rocks where dition, firmly botted to the rocks where dition, firmly botted to the rocks where where saveral private interviews with President to the few visitors whe are admitted, on account of a painful cough which greatly with the few visitors whe are admitted, on account of a painful cough which greatly with the few visitors whe are admitted, on account of a painful cough which greatly with the few visitors whe are admitted, on account of a painful cough which greatly annoys him.—Columbus Journal.

Existence of a cliff where snow slides are to be feared, an extension of the roof has been carried to the cliffs, so that falling masses shall pass over the building and lodge on the other side. In many places, where side to the few visitors whe are admitted, on account of a painful cough which greatly were shown slides are to be feared, an extension of the roof has been carried to the cliffs, so that falling masses shall pass over the building and lodge on the other side. In many places, where side to the few visitors whe are admitted, on account of a painful cough which greatly were shown slides are to be feared, an extension of the roof has been carried to the cliffs, so that falling masses shall pass over the building and lodge on the other side. In many places, where side to the few visitors whe are admitted, on account of a painful cough which greatly annoys him.—Columbus Journal.

Extension of the roof has been carried to extension of the roof has been carried to were heavily increase during the cliffs, so that falling masses shall pass over the building and lodge on the other side. In many place tunnel. The building is braced together than 1,800,000 square feet, or nearly 44 and where the struggle for life can be acres. One of the best proofs of the stability of the structure is in the fact that, with the exception of a few mlles which had not been really completed, it thoroughly answered the purpose for which it was designed during the recent severe

storm, in which it was subjected to the most severe tests. Boiling,

Another adaptation of a familiar fact to a practical use has been made in reference to increasing the rapidity of boiling in vessels. It will often be noticed in a vessel containing boiling water that the ebullition seems to start from a very few, sometimes only one or two favored spots; and on close examination, it will be seen that this results from the prevalence of some speck or particle adhering to the inner surface of the vessel, appearing to determine the escape of the bubble. By supplying to a steam boiler artificially such points of escape of the air bubbles, the process of the disengagement of steam can be very much facilitated. Aln an experiment made by Mr. Tomhinson, when water was boiled for twenty minutes in a glass flask by itself, 995 grains boiled away; but when pieces of coke were added 1,130 grains of water disappeared in the same time. In another instance in the same time. In another instance, it was found that 262 grains of water were evaporated from a still containing nothing but water, while, after some pleces of charcoal were added, 334 grains evaporated in the same time. These suggestions have been thrown out for the consideration of practical men, and we have no doubt that like all such they will soon be utilized.—Phila. Ledger.

Statistics of American Intemperance. Dr. McKinley, of St. Louis, has compiled, after a very careful research, some very interesting and startling statistics of inebriation in the United States. By him the following statements are made: Taking the population of this country at forty not to intoxication; 50 are ephemeral drinkers; 25 drink periodically, called "spreeing;" and 3 are habitual inebriates.

To every 178 who drink, 3 are confirmed inebriates; 25 are periodical drinkers; 50 are ephemeral drinkers. There is 1 conare ephemeral drinkers. There is 1 confirmed inebrtate to every 59\(\frac{1}{2}\) of men. Of mentioned in the Scriptures, have been thoroughly explored recently by Macaste ardent spirits; 36 drink ale or beer constantly; 14 drink ardent spirits periodically, and 8 are habitual trabulates. Pretaste ardent spirits; 36 drink ale or beer constantly; 14 drink ardent spirits periodically, and 8 are habitual inebriates. Predominance in confirmed inebriates of the ically, and 8 are habitual inebriates. Predominance in confirmed inebriates of the sexes: 8 men in every 178; 3 women in every 100-1 confirmed inebriate to every 100-1 confirmed inebriate to every 100 women. Fewer women drink than men, but a larger proportion of them become habitual drinkers. Debauch drinkers arely become habitual, but periodical drinkers arely become habitual become habitual the proposition of them in the river Abana and Pharrar, in consequence of the wild beasts, there is a down inaccurately on the maps by travelers. odical drinkers; the latter rarely become habitual, out periodical drinkers; the latter rarely become habitual inebriates, as the violence of their drinking is too great, and leads to with stone doors, rafters and window their drinking is too great, and intervals shutters, covered with Greek inscriptions,

CLIPPINGS.

THE Michigan Senate unanimously voted for the cession of the Saut Canal to the United States. The lower branch has yet to act on the matter.

to the Brazilian throne, in case the present Emperor dies without heirs.

CAPT. E. B. WARD, recently divorced in Detroit, was married on the 11th inst., at Conneaut, Ohio, to Miss Catharine gon, of Conneaut, a niece of Senator

THE COMMISSIONER of the General Land Office has received reliable informstion relative to diamond discoveries in Georgia. In a pit four by six, in washing for gold, three diamonds were found, one of which weighed one, and the other two

karats. color pinned to the wall.

"You will have an artist for your neighbor," said the janitor, "though he is not here much of late; he seems to be getting rather shiftless; he is wasting his model is said to exhibit great ingenuity.

The wings are fifteen feet in length each. The wings are fifteen feet in length each.

and together will cover nine hundred square feet of surface. PORTUGAL, which, like Spain, tolerates slavery in its colonies, has also taken a step toward emancipation. The official journal of the kingdom announces that the Ministry have submitted to the King a decree declaring all the claves of the Transoceanic colonies free, but requiring them to work as freedmen for their for-

mer masters until 1878. THE White Pine silver excitement is nabated; notwithstanding bitter cold weather and heavy snow storms are preailing there. The rush of people thither s increasing, and new and rich discoveries are daily reported. Hundreds of companies are already incorporated in San Francisco to work the White Pine mines,

are still being formed at the rate of three to five per day. Mount Hood and other high peaks in Oregon have begun to smoke, and the inhabitants of the State fear earthquakes. All the peaks named in the dispatch, Hood (13,000 feet high,) Jefferson (11,000 feet,) and the Three Sisters—not Brothers, as some of the papers print it— (11,000 feet,) are extinct volcanoes; and Mount Hood has been active within the

tradition of the Indian tribes. WE greatly regret to learn through a gentlemen of this city, who recently visited Mr. Stanton, that the ex-Secretary's health is in a worse condition than is generally believed. His system is in a very weak state, and so feeble has he become that he is unable to leave his room. He converses with great difficulty with

side. In many places, where side tracks are located, the building is wider than the figures given above. More than 40,000, 000 feet of lumber have been used in its solved to begin life anew in a country than the side of the solved to begin life anew in a country solved to begin life anew in construction. It covers an area of more where there is less competition than here,

DISCIPLINE among the female prisoners at the Hamburg Penitentiary is maintained by the following very instructive plan: The female prisoners are divided into two classes, one embracing the old women and the other the young girls. If one of the former class does not behave, which is very rarely the case, she is locked up in the dungeon on bread and water. Violations of discipline in the department of the young girls are punished as follows: The offender is dressed in a very ugly costume and sent to the old women's class. The girls hate this punishment so much that they will even hold their tongues for whole days in order to escape it.

A Duel which two Parisian editors were recently about to fight, was brought to an unexpected close by the arrival of their wives at the duelling grounds. The two ladies had heard of the affair of honor that was pending between their liege lords, and being acquainted with one another, had agreed to prevent the duel. So they dressed in the deepest mourning, and reached the grounds at the very moment when their husbands were ready to cross swords. When the two duellists saw their wives in mourning, cries of surprise burst from their lips. "Go on," said the ladies to them; "go on with your mad purpose; we merely wanted to show you what you are about to make of us." Of course the duel was

Akron, Ohio, didn't like Wirt Sikes' lecture, and he publishes a card, in which he says of the occasion: "I had agony in my throat; I did not speak to my aulience; I read as fast as I could read; I added nothing to what was written, and I subtracted fully one-third of what was written, and I subtracted fully one-third of what was written. I skipped recklessly; I omitted sometimes half a dozen pages together. Sequence could not possibly be maintained tained under these circumstances; personal magnetism could not reach my au-dience, or, if it did, it reached them only millions; of 300 men, 122 never drink spirits at all; 100 drink moderately, but and that in uttering words at all, with my every word tearing its way out as if it had claws, I was doing the hardest work Tever did in my life."

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