TWELVE O'CLOCK; M.

NEWS BY CABLE.

British Parliament—The Speech of the Mayor of Cork at a Fenian Banquet Discussed and His Removal Urged-The Spanish Cortes-International

Conference at Berlin, (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.) GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, April 30 .- The speech of the Mayor of Cork, at the recent banquet in that oity, was the subject of long debates in both Houses of Parliament this evening, the attention of members being called especially to the Mayor's language respecting O'Farrell, who attempted to assassinate Prince Alfred in Sydney, N. S. W., as well as to his reference to the Prince himself. The Tories unbraided the .Government with being the indirect cause of the present state of Ireland.

In the House of Commons Mr. Bright thought the present condition of affairs in Ireland to be no cause for panic, but urged that both parties should strive to remedy the land grievance question at this session of Parliament.
For himself, he would not remain
on the Treasury Bench, if he did
not feel that he was honestly and energetically advocating measures which would effect great sulutary changes in Ireland. The settlement of the Church question will not stay the present out-rages in that portion of the United Kingdom, but it is the first example that any Parliament has ever given that it was willing to do justice to Ireland, and is an earnest of that intention.

Mr. Gladstone followed in support of

Mr. Bright. He had always found that Protestant ascendancy in favor of re-ligious establishments was the para-mount cause of the mode in which the power of the landlords had been used, and by which the relations of the tenants are itally affected. He thought Lord Stanley had anticipated too much, in demanding a policy upon the Land education. He feared misapprehension would attract to any representation that might be given now, but it was necessary to avoid the appearance of having sugges-ted measures from fear of panic or, upon a momentary occasion. He concluded by saying that the Government was anxious to substitute for the present condition a state of confidence in the country and loyalty to the Crown Mr. Gathorne Hardy, Conservative, urged the immediate removal of the Mayor of Cork. He considered that the Goyernment were bound to declare a policy on the Land question, and thus dissipate the unreasonable expectation of Ireland.

The subject was then dropped.

GERMANY. BERLIN, April 30.—The International Conference to promote the care of wounded in time of war, which has been in session in this city for several days, adopted sion in this city for several days, adopted an address to the people of the United States of America. In this document the members of the Conference express regret that no representative from the United States has been present during the proceedings, but the members are convinced that that great and noble nation, one of the forement in the world nation, one of the foremost in the world, which rendered such great service in the work of humanity, sympathizes deeply with this movement. The address is with this movement. The address is signed by forty delegates, among them the Turkish Embassador to Prussia. The Conference has ordered copies of the reports of its sittings to be sent to America, with the address.

MADRID, April 30 .- In the Cortes, Cuestas proposed an amendment to the new Constitution, recognizing the Catholic as the only religion of the country. It was rejected

MARINE NEWS.

QUEENSTOWN, April 30.—The steam-ship Java, from New York, April 21st, arrived and sailed for Liverpool.

PINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. London, April 30.—Evening.—Consols, 93%. Eve-Twenties dull at 80%. Stocks steady. Eric 20%, Illinois 98%. To-morrow will be a holiday on stock board.
PARIS, April 30.—Bourse firm. Rentes

71fr. 70c.
LIVERPOOL, April 30.—Cotton dull; LIYERPOOL, April 30.—Cotton dull; middling uplands at 11%d; Orleans at 12%d; sales of 1,000 bales. California white wheat 95, 10d.; red western, 8s. 4d. Flour at 21s. Corn at 26s. 3d. for new mixed. Oats 3s. 5d. Barley 5s. Peas 38s. 6d. Pore 104s. Beef 90s. Lard 71s. Cheesa 81s. Reson 61s. Common Rosin.

ess 81s. Bacon 61s. Common Rosin Petroleum unchanged. Tallow 45s. 3d. Turpentine 29s.
London, April 30.—Tallow 43s 9d; sugar 38s 6d. Petroleum, refined, 1s 8%d.
Antwerp, April 30.—Petroleum 35%.

HAVEE, April 30.—Cotton 144 on spot.
MANCHESTER, April 30.—Cotton goods

market dull. FRANKPORT, April 30 .- Evening-5-20s FEANEFORT, April 30.—Evening—A. & G.
Lowdon, April 30.—Evening—A. & G.
W. consolidated shares, 25%. Since
closing the market, refined petroleum is
quoted on the street at 18 9d. // 2007
HAVET, April 30.—Evening—Cotton
closed quiet on spot and affoat.

Newspaper Scandal -- More Suits for

gBy Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] PHILADELPHIA, April 80.-John Rus-PHILADELPHIA, April 30.—John Russell Young arrived here this morning, and through his counsel, Hon. Benj. H. Brewster, Attorney General of Fenseyl. vanus, entered suit in the United States. Court against Forney's Press and the Evening Bulletin for publishing alleged it belious articles from the New York our of Monday last. Mr. Young claims dam. of Monday last. Mr. Young claims damages in both cases to the amount of \$100.

WHO LINE Respited to Prepare for Death, IBy Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

LOUISVILLE, April 30.—Gov. Stevenson granted the respite to J. Conley, the condemned negro, for time to prepare for the death, and not by reason of the mandagus; served upon the Sheriff by the U. G. District Judge, Bland Ballard, prohibiting the execution.

CHICAGO.

ars for Pecific Railroad-Sudden and

Mysterious Death—suicide—Military Department Order. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, April 30.—Six passenger cars, intended for the Central Pacific Railroad, from the car works of Wason city this afternoon in charge of Mr. Knox, of that road. They left this evening win the Northwestern and Union Pacific Road for Monument Point, and will be the first cars to pass over the en-tire line to San Francisco when the june tion is formed between the Union and

George W. Perkins, late Superintendent of the Chicago Reform School, has been appointed Warden of the State Penttentiary at Joliet, to take the place of Gen. Dornblager, resigned.
Edward Thornton, British Minister,
has applied to Gov. Palmer, of Illinois, to furnish toher Brittanic Majesty's gov-ernment all the laws and regulations in

force in the State concerning the Texas cattle plague and other contagious diseases affecting animals."

The wife of Dr. Wm. P. Duvall died suddenly yesterday morning at the Borden House, Janesville, Wis., from the effects of poison, but whether adminis-tered by herself or some one else is not yet known. Much excitement prevails. Frank McDonald, belonging in Joliet, committed suicide late last night at the Washington House, on Randolph street. He took poison, but for what reason is

The following order has been issued by lieut. Gen. Sheridan:
General Orders No. 6. The Quartermaster's Department at Chicago, Ill., will be exclusively subject to the orders of the Commanding Officer and Chief Quar-termaster of the Military District and the Assistant Quartermaster in charge will se accounted for only on the returns o these headquarters.

An order has been issued by General

An order has been issued by General Sherman, at Washington, appointing Major and Brevet Lieut. Col. Guido N. Lieber Judge Advocate of the Department of Dakota.

In accordance with the policy of the government, General Sheridan is determined to curtail the expenses of his termined to curtail the expenses of his department as much as practicable. Already several clerks and messengers in his head quarters have been discharged, and other movements looking toward retrenchment may be expected soon.

PHILADELPHIA.

Race Street Skating Rink Borned-Loss \$80,000-Naturalization Decision Set Aside-Cuban Meeting.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] PHILADELPHIA, April 30.—The mammoth Rink, on Twenty-first and Race streets, was totally destroyed by fire last night. Since the close of the winter it has been used as a velocipede school. The principal entertainment given in the building was the grand ball of the Odd Feilows, on Monday last. The Rink was feet, and completely covered with sheet iron. The arched roof fell with a tremendous crash. It was owned by a stock company and valued at \$150,000; insured for \$40,000. The Swedenborgian Church

tall. Judge Read decided that the September naturalizations were improper-and forbade the Prothonotary from mak-ing any endorsement of old certificates, or issuing new ones, even when satisfactory proof was given that the originals had been lost. Judge Thompson holds that Judge Read's action was extrajudicial, and of no binding authority. The Democrats claim that over five thousand active the state of sand naturalized, citizens were excluded from the polls in consequence of the rad-

cal decision.

Johanna Rosch and Bridget Brophy, burned by the explosion of a can of coal oil on Wednesday, have died from their

An immense meeting was held at the An immense meeting was accepted a Academy of Music to-night to sympathize with the struggling Cubans. The thusiasm was very great.

CINCINNATI.

Heavy Verdict for the Governmen Benzine Seized in Transits.

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IBy Telegraph to the Pittaburgh Gazette.1
CINCINNATI, April 30. - In the United
States Court, at Coyington, to day, Judge
Ballard on the bench, a judgment was
rendered against A. W. Darling, of Carrollton, Ky., for \$200,000 in favor of the
United States. The suit was to recover
tax on whisky shipped from Carrollton
and consigned to Henry Grotenkemper,
Cincinnati. This whisky, instead of going as consigned, was taken to another
house and sold as free whisky. The
case, in another form, was before the
United States Court in this city last fall,
and the jury dissigneed.

United States Court in this city last fall, and the jury disagreed.

The Local Inspectors last night took one hundred and fifty barrels of benzine off the steamer Louisville for New Ordeans. It lies on the landing. If the case is properly reported, the benzine will be forfeited and the boat suffer the peguinary penalty.

pecuniary penalty. Railway Leased.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)
READING, Pa., April 30.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the East Pennsylvania Railroad, in this city to day, the Directors were authorized to declare a stock dividend of one hundred per cent, clear of all taxes, payable to stock holders on the 12th of May. Also to lease the road for nine hundred and ninety-nine warrs to the Philadeinhia and Reading road for hime numered and ninety-nine years to the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company. At a subsequent meeting of Directors proper steps were taken to darry the action of the stock-holders into effect. The Reading road will enter into possession of the East Pennsylvania road to morrow.

Affairs in Texas.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] GALVESTON, April 80 .- An attempt wa made to day by armed men to break up a quarterly meeting of the Colored Methodist Church at Columbia, Texas, but was promptly stopped by the citizens who protected the minister and congre

gation.

A Republican Convention is called to be held at Houston, on the fourth Monday of May, to harmonize, if possible, the two, wings of that party and nominate candidates for State officers.

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

THE CAPITAL.

Revenue Decision—Dispatches from the Minister to Mexico-Pacific Railroad Appointments-Printing Office Changes -The President Will Not Visit the Pacific Coast,

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] WASHINGTON, April 30, 1869. THE NEW YORK TAX CASE. Commissioner Delano has at last de-

cided the tax case, about which the New York brokers have been making such a fight. He helds that any one having a place of business or where credits are opened by deposit or collection of money subject to be paid upon a draft check or order, or where money is loaned on col-laterals, must be regarded as a banker and taxed as such upon the capital em-ployed beyond the average amount in-vested in United States bonds, and also upon the average amount deposited, whether payable on demand or at some future day. That in ascertaining the amount of capital, all money used in the business of banking must be regarded as capital, whether furnished by the firm porrowed; and it is immaterial for what time loans are made. That loans are frequently charged to furnish reliable capital for banking purposes, and in such cases the average amount borrowed should be ascertained and taxed as capishould be secretained and taste as capi-tal. That the average amount of depos-its, both those upon which interest is paid and upon which none is paid, is taxable. And that the same firm may be engaged in business as bankers and brokers does not release them from liabilities to pay taxes upon their capital and deposits em-

ployed in their business as bankers. THE MEXICAN DISPATCHES. The statement that Dr. Brink, United States Vice Consul at the City of Mexico, yesterday brought important dissatches from Minister Rosecrans, has excited public curiosity as to their contents. They were delivered to President Grant to-day, and by him transferred to the Secretary of State. Although their pre-cise terms have not yet officially transferred, it as stated in unusually well informed circles that Gen. Rosecrans, who, contrary to former rumors. pleasant and friendly terms with the Mexican government, his communi-cated to our own government his views of the condition of that country, showing the dangers to which it is constantly ex posed from domestic disturbance and the pecuniary embarrassment which prevent is national and social improvement.

He makes various suggestions and re commends the immediate action of the government in affording to American citizens such guarantees of protection as will encourage them to avail themselves material injerests to the United States and at the same time benefit the Repub lic of Mexico.

COMPLETION OF PACIFIC BAILBOAD. The President of the Union Pacific Railread having written the Secretary of the Interior that the road is now finished and the rails of the two roads will proba-bly be joined next week, the latter re-plied to-day, that it is deemed advisable that the Commissioners designated to examine the completed sections of that road, upon which report has not yet been made, should examine and report upon the road from the thousand mile post to Promentory Summit as soon as the requisite forms are complied with.

PUBLIC DEBT STATEMENT. The debt statement, which will be promptly issued on the lst proximo, will show a decrease of about three millions of dollars. The interest on the May 5-20's—twenty-four millions—is not charged up until after the lst. Nor is this interest, which now appears in the aggregate of the debt every month, deducted from the total until the next state. ment, at which time the public may look for a large decrease in the debt, not only from this cause but from largely increas-ed receipts of internal revenue.

RAILBOAD COMMISSIONERS. The Secretary of the Interior has been informed by the following named gentlemen of the acceptance of their appointment by the President, under the joint resolution of Congress, approved April 10th, as Commissioners to examine and report upon the condition of the Union Parific Rallingles Gen. Least E. Berry Description of the Union Parific Rallingles Gen. Pacific Kallroads: Gen. Joseph F. Boyd of Kentucky, Samuel G. Fellows, o Pennsylvania, Edward F. Winslow, o lows, and Hiram Walbridge, of New

BESIGNATION. Hobley Ashton, who last summer temporarily assumed the position of Assistant Attorney General, at the request of Hon. Wm. Evarts, to-day for-mally resigned it for the purpose of re-turning to his private legal practice in this city. Walbridge A. Field, of Bos-ton, his successor, will enter upon his duties to-morrow and act as Attorney General during the absence of Mr. Hoar, who left Washington to-night for Massa, chusetts, to be absent for a week.

APPOINTMENTS. The following appointments were made by the President: Alfred Sanford, Su-pervising Inspector for the Fourth Dis-

moneys received from importers for the storage of goods in private bonded ware-houses. He has disallowed the claim of houses. He has disastowed the com-naval officers and surveyors to this com-pensation, unless when performing the

PRINTING OFFICE CHANGES. A. M. Clapp, Superintendent of Government Printing, has removed C. E. Lathrop, Foreman of Congressional Document Room, Mark Woodward, Assistant Foreman, and John C. Francons Foreman of Executive Printing Room. The last named had been for thirteen years connected with the office.

WILL NOT VISIT CALIFORNIA. Mr. Bargenit, of California, saked

President Grant to day whether he intended to visit California during the coming summer, when the President replied that the distance was too great, and he could not spare the time from official

DISPATCHES FROM MEXICO. Mr. Brink, special bearer of dispatches from Mexico, who arrived here yesterday, had an interview with the President this morning, when he delivered his dispatches. The President referred them to Secretary Fish.

CABINET MEETING. All the members of the Cabinet were present at the meeting this morning, with the exception of the Postmaster

NEW YORK CITY

Physician Attempts Suicide—Counter-teker Recaptured—Forger Committed —Bank Injunction

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.1 NEW YORK, April 30, 1869. Dr. Black, one of the physicians charged with causing the death of the girl Ellen Carlock, was found in his cell in Hudson county, N. J., jail, this morning, with his throat cut. Four wounds were also found on his wrists, and a long gash across his stomach. The wounds were all made with a razor, but neither of them is of a serious nature.

Rufus Nash, one of the counterfeiters who escaped from jail in Albany, has

A fire this afternoon in Park Place damaged the stock of the Glen Cove Starch Company to the amount of \$1,000; fully insured. James Smith, arrested on suspicion of seing concerned in the Jay Cook & Co. orgeries, was examined before Justice

Dowling, to-day, and committed in de-ault of \$1,000 bail. No new facts were ilcited. By arrangement between Justice Nelson and District Attorney Pierrepont, the Fullerton case will be tried June 7th. Judge Barnard has issued an injunction igainst the Continental Bank, forbidding the paying over of any money to J. J. Baker, supposed to be one of the clerks of the Union Pacific Railroad. Baker

had ninety-one dollars on deposit, which the bank will hold subject to the injunc-A large meeting of Methodists in favor of lay delegations was held this evening in Williamsburg.

European mail advices state the whole telegraph, 33,600 miles of core of the French Atlantic cable; was completed

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

April 16th.

National Convention at Newark N J. By Telegraph to the Pitisburgh Gazette-] NEWARK, N. J., April 30 .- At the afteroon session of the National Sunday School Convention, the subject discussed ter pleads in extenuation of this act that was, "How shall we increase the spiritual Mueller seduced an unmarried sister of Crest."

School Convention, the subject discussed ter pleads in extenuation of this act that mueller seduced an unmarried sister of Crest.

The ported normal schools and classes, encouraging the organization of State and county Institutes and denouncing intemperance. Resolutions were adopted by a unani-mons vote of representatives from twenty-

At the evening session of the National Sabbath School Convention, speeches were made by E. D. Jones, of St. Louis, Drs. Poor and Taylor, of Newark, Revs. T. H. Vincent, Ralph Wells, Mr. Har-ling, of Canada, and other distintinnished Suuday School laborers. The Enrollment Committee reported five hundred and forty-five delegates representing twenty-nine States, Canada, England and South Africa. Farewell speeches were made by Mayor Reddie and Rev. Dr. Fish, and responded to by Geo. H. Stuart, The Convention then adjourned.

ST. LOUIS.

Customs Receipts—Habeas Corpus Refused-The Grain Route Movement. By Telegraph to the Pittzhurgh Gazette.] St. Louis, April 80.—The receipts

oustoms here for April were \$249,958. The Supreme Court to-day refused to grant a writ of habeas corpus, applied for by Captain Wm. B. Donaldson, who is in jail on the old charge of killing a negro, on the steamer Great Republic last summer.

A Committee, consisting of Lieutenant Governor Stanard, President of the St. Louis Grain Association, P. Plant, Presi-Schick. President of the Board of Trade others, has been appointed to visit New Orleans in the interest of the grain movement by the giver route.

Markets by Telegraph.

New Obleans, April 30.—Cotton; receipts to-day, 1,432 bales; for the week; gross 8,296 bales, net 6,955 bales; exports to-day, none; for the week; to Great Britain 6,379 bales, to the Continent 430 bales, coastwise 1,351 bales; steek on hand, 87,677 bales; sales to-day, 2,400 bales, for the week; 10,200 bales; demand better at 28,0028 of or middlings. Gold bales, for the week, 10,200 bales; demand better at 28@28¼c for iniddlings. Gold 134¼. Exchange stering, 146¾. New York sight, ¼ premium. Flour duil at \$5,55 for superfine, \$5,75@5,90 for double extra, and \$6,37¼ for treble extra. Corn quiet at 75@76c for white. Oats firm at 70c. Bran scarce at \$1,50. Hay; prime \$30,00@31,00. Pork duil at \$32,00. Bacon reguling at 13¼/@174c for shoulders. oats firm at Hay; prime Bollon, Ky.

Wm. O. Goodloo, Lexander of Public Monson, Ky.

Wm. Vincent, Receiver of Public Monson, Fr. Dodge, Iowa.

Precision by attorney general has decided that collectors of customs are entitled, since July, 1836, to retain \$2,000 a year out of the moneys received from importers for the utorage of goods in private bondaria.

CHICAGO, April 30.—in the afternoon there was a fairly active movement in Wheat, No. 2 spring selling at \$1,08%@1,09% seller May, and \$1,00% on the spot, the market closing dult. Corn and Oats inactive and nominal. In the evening there was a firmer feeling in Wheat, No. 2 selling tolerably freely at \$1,09%@1,09% seller May, and \$1,10 on the spot. Nothing whatever doing in other grains or incovisions or lake frieghts. or provisions or lake frieghts.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

-A heavy hall storm prevailed in Henlerson county, Ky., on Thursday. —At Evansville, Indiana, Thursday night, James Miller attempted suicide by taking laudanum, but is recovering. At Evansville, Indiana, on Friday, the chair factory of John Buchner & Co. was destroyed by fire Loss about \$5,000; insured for \$2,400 in local offices. —Senator Fessenden, of Maine, was present in the House of Commons, in Ot-

town, Thursday night, during a debate on reciprocity.

-The negro charged with committing

-At Syracuse, New York, last evening, a section of the Salina street bridge over Erie Canal fell as the steamer No. 1, weighing four tons, was being drawn over it towards a fire. The engine was completely wrecked and three persons injured.

-Henry V. Clinton alias W. Bently, who was arrested in Wilmington, N.U., some time ago for forgery, has been identified as an old forger by Detective Jas. F. Rittenhouse, and was surrendered to the latter on requisition of the Governor of Illinois on the Governor of North Carolina. Bently will be carried to Champaign, Illinois, the scene of his

-A statement of the Postoffice affairs —A statement of the Postonice affairs for the first and second quarters of the current fiscal year shows that the funds are ample to meet all the expenses of the Department, and that no deficiency of the appropriation will be asked of Congress next winter. A portrait of Mr. Crasswall is being engraved for Poet. Cresswell is being engraved for Post-master General's drafts and warrants, which now bear Mr. Randall's head.

—At Ellsworth, Ks., a contract was entered into at a public meeting, Thursday night, between the citizens and Wm. Sigerson, representing capitalists of St.
Louis, for the construction, within thirty
days, of extensive stock yards for the
accommodation of the Texas cattle trade, this being the eastern point at which cat-tle from Texas can, under the law, enter Kansas. A very large business is anticipated this season.

—In Montgomery, twelve miles from Cincinnati, there was a fearful tragedy on Thursday. While Alonzo C. Mueller was seated at dinner with his family, Abraham Crest, a neighbor, entered; armed with a double parreled shot gun. A quarrel ensued in regard to family unatters, when Crest fired and Mueller fell pierced through the chest by the fell, pierced through the chest by the full charge. He cannot recover. Muel-ler married the sister of Crest. The lat-

Committee on Resolutions re-favorably to the formation of schools and classes, encouraging ury Department, of which I am chief, I desire to state that it is my intention to collect the revenues of the country and add them to the legitimate accounts of the country, and the surplus will be need in liquidating the indebtedness of the United States, and the rest will be invested in governments. As to the business of my department. I intend it ness of my department, I intend it shall be conducted in a manner that if it were written on the walls of this build-ing no man would be ashamed, and that no man shall feel he has been wronged of one cent. I deem it but fair and due to you that I should make this declaration. Thanking you for your kind re-ception, I have nothing further to say.

A HORRIBLE accident occurred at Alexander's brickyard, at Dayville, Ct., on Friday. Some of the knives in the tub in which the clay is cut up became de-ranged, and James Toomey, son of the Superintendent, having stopped them from running, got into the tub to remedy the difficulty. The other machinery in the building was in motion at the time, and the jar therefrom caused the belt to slip back upon the pulley. The knives were set in motion again, and Toomey's body was severed just below his arms.

THE cotton mills in the United States are 0,527 in number, running 7,585,082 spindles, and consuming 417,367,771 pounds of cotton per annum. This gives to each mill an average of 1.162 spindles, and a consumption of 63,945 pounds of cotton per annum. The statistics, arranged according to the great geographical divisions of the country, are as follows: Northern States, 6,441 mills, running 7,359,020 spindles, consuming 385, 952,021 pounds of cotton annually. Southern States, 86 mills, running 226,062 spindles, consuming 31,418,750 pounds of cotton annually. This gives to each of the mills in the Northern States 1,142 spindles, and an annual consumption of 59,921 pounds of cotton, and each of the 50,921 pounds of cotton, and each of the mills in the Southern States an average of 2,698 spindles, and an annual consumption of 365,299 pounds of cotton. The mills in the Southern States, it will be perceived, are large establishments.

A CORRESPONDENT describing the inferwith the chin resung on a plank, and nead thrown back on another plank in such a way as to receive the deluge directly in the mouth. In from three to five minutes the man is drowned into unconscious.

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THE Coolies introduced into the British West India Colonies during 1868, according to a Parliamentary return just published in England, amounted in number to 3,001 persons, of whom 1,367 wenter to Trinidad, and 2,534 into British Gui-Two locomotives passed Poughkeepsie, N. Y., on Thursday, en route to California. They will be the first ones to go
over the complete length of the Pacific
Railroad. Eight more locomotives will
leave Schenottady for California over the
leave Schenottady for California over the
same route on the 10th of May.

to Trinidad, and 2,534 into British Guiana. Since 1843 there have been 207,022
immigrants introduced into the British
West Indies, and 341,265 into the island
of Mauritius. During the same period,
over 100,000 have returned from the colnics mentioned to their native countries. ana. Since 1843 there have been 207,022 immigrarits introduced into the British West Indies, and 841,285 into the island of Mauritius. During the beats the Pacific Railroad as far as possible, the headwaters of Country in these boats at

MONONGAILELA CITY.

Femplars' Convention—The Bycicle— Body Found-Paper Mill.

orrespondence of the the Pittsburgh Gazette.] MONONGAHELA CITY, April 30, 1869. MESSRS. EDITORS: I desire to give you an account of this pleasant town as it was and is, besides other topics of interest that have come under my notice on my trip here. Leaving Pittsburgh I took passage on the "calliopic" steamer 'Elisha Bernett." I found clerks Dales —Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Richardson has declined the position of Justice of the Superior Court of Massachusetts, recently tendered him by Gov.

and Smith in the office, and can assure you that your correspondent desired no more agreeable company than these officers. After an enjoyable trip of a few hours we reached this place, to find everyan outrage upon a young girl near New Haven, Conn., on Tuesday last, has been arrested and is now in jail there. He says his name is George Hudson, and he comes from Hartford.

thing moderately quiet. On the 27th inst. the Templars' Convention met at the M. E. Church. Delegates from Lodges in the adjoining counties were present. The meeting was first addressed by Hop. thing moderately quiet. On the 27th inst. adjoining counties were present. The meeting was first addressed by Hon. S. B. Chase, R. W. G. C. T. of North America, on "The Dangers of Moderate Drinking." The lecture was very clear and forcible and was received with approbation by the large audience assemprobation by the large audience assembled. Rev. Lemon, of your city, also delivered a lengthy address on the "Adulteration of Liquors" the following day. This gentleman offered statistics to back his opinions. Hon, George W. Lawrence, ex-Congressman from this district, being present, was called upon the cive his views on the discrimination. o give his views on the questions l the Convention, which he did with satisfaction to those present. A petition is now circulating, the object of which is o do away with the bars on the river boats. Here I think will be a knotty

point, and I fancy the temperance breth-ren will find it up hill work to squelch these #dens of iniquity," as the speakers repeatedly designated them. The Con-vention was well attended, and was in session only two days. I may here state that there are no licensed houses in this place, but the boys evidently know the "shades," and I dare say there is as much "benzine" and other intoxicating beverages hid away in the stomachs of many here as if there were license

This town, many of your readers will remember, was the scene of the "great Whiskey Insurrection" in 1795, or therebouts.

The bycicle has found its way here.— Geo. W. Pittock and W. S. Ross, of your city, are the managers of the school.— Owing to the Templars Convention, business has been poor with them. They remain a few days longer, and I trust they will meet with such success as will repay them for their loss in the past.— They go hence to Brownsville, Morgantown, Uniontown, &c.
On Tuesday last the body of young Stockton Harvey, one of the five men drowned by the capsizing of a skiff near

Greensboro, about two months ago, was found. The body was taken in charge and conveyed to that place on the steamer "Bennet." On the arrival of the boat a large number of citizens asse the landing borne to his old home the people followed in procession. Yesterday horning accepts o'clock the remains were followed.

casualty. It lays here to be seen by the many visiting the spot. many visiting the spot.

I had the pleasure of meeting Chill
Hazzard, (who does everything from a
farmer to a lawyer and publisher,) this
week, and, with his affable assistants,
Geo. L. Mellinger and Lute C. Collins, gives perfect satisfaction in the postoffice and store room attached. A trip to the east side brought me to the paper mill of Mr. A. C. Culbertson. I was agreeably surprised to see such an extensive estab-lishment. The mill is one of the largest of the kind in the country, and supplies many houses in the east with the brown paper box boards, made at the mill. I think I have written more than

you will see fit to publish, so I will stop, trusting to be able to write again. DEFEATED CANDIDATES for Congress have, it is stated, of late years been in the habit of contesting the seats of their successful competitors in order to secure the amount usually voted to pay their expenses. During the last twelve years the payments have amounted to \$108,743 to successful contestants, and to \$69,653 o candidates who were unseated, making total of \$178,896. In order to prevent this extravagant expenditure, a bill has this extravagant expenditure, a bill has been introduced into Congress providing that in case of contested seats no money shall be paid to either candidate, until a decision is reached by the House, when the salary shall be given to the member legally elected. No greater sum of money is to be paid to the person declared not to be entitled than has actually here. be entitled than has actually been expended by him. The Committee on Elec-tions of the House, it is stated, have agreed to report this bill, and an effort will be made for its passage soon after the meet-

ing of Congress. THE highest store rent paid in Broad-way, New York, is that of Jaffray's dry goods store, corner of Leonard street, A CORRESPONDENT describing the infernal machine, termed the "shower bath," employed at Sing Sing prison, explains the method of punishment. The victim is stripped naked before a dozen keepers or guards, who are anxious to "see the sport," placed in a stock with hands and feet extended and firmly fastened by the wrists and ankles—spread eagle fashlon—with the chin resting on a plank, and head thrown back on another plank in such a sport," placed in a stock with hands and feet extended and firmly fastened by the wrists and ankles—spread eagle fashlon—with the chin resting on a plank, and head thrown back on another plank in such a store, corner of Leonard street, which brings \$60,000. The highest hotel reat is that of the Fifth Avenue, which brings \$60,000 per annum; but the most profitable of all its edifices is Trinity Building. This is occupied by offices. It cost about \$200,000, and rents for nearly one half that sum. Single offices bring from \$1,000 to 2,000, and the coal trade is almost entirely done here. A. T.

PROFESSOR POWELL, who departed some months ago in charge of the scientific expedition to explore the Rocky Mountains and the Great West, has returned to Bloomington, Illinois, for the purpose of procuring four portable boats the headwaters of Green River, and follow that and other streams into which it empties to the Pacific Ocean. In doing this the party will spend some ten months.