



MIDNIGHT. NEWS BY CABLE.

NEWS BY CABLE. Ing appointments to the Ministry: Minis-er of Interior, De Forcade Le Rou-quette; Minister of Justice, Duetergior; Minister of Foreign Affairs, Auvergne; Minister of Commerce, Alfred Leroux; Min-ister of Commerce, Alfred Leroux; Minister Belease of Fenian Prisoners—The New French Ministry—Regency of Spain Recognized by France and Prossia-incendiary Fires in Madrid—The Czar Further Consideration of the Irish Church Incendiary Fires in Madrid-The Czar Forbids Russian Bishops Attending the coremony of the opening of the Snez Ecumenical Council-Francis Joseph canal will take place on the 17th of No Ecumenical Council-Francis Joseph Gives Audience to the Imperial and Hungarian Reicheraths\_The Ocean of Finance, declines office in the new Yacht Race-Formidable Conspiracy in ministry. China-Confirmation of the Decisive

Battle Between the Allies and Para-France and Prussia have recognized the Spanish Regency. The session of the Constituent Cortes has been suspended guayans. (By Telegraph to the Pitusburgh Gazette.) GREAT BRITAIN. until October. Previous to adjournment the Cortes appointed a Commission to

LONDON, July 16 .- Midnight .-- In the House of Commons to-night, the consideration of the Irish Church Bill was continued. Mr. Gladstone approved the amendment granting half a million of pounds for private endowments made prior to 1616, but moved to disagree to the provisions for the continuation of the Ulster grants. Mr. D'Israeli thought the proposal of

the Lords reasonable. Mr. Stafford, Northcote thought Mr. Gladstone's proposal would convert the Established Church into a voluntary missionary church. He asked as an act.

of justice and expediency that the Glebes should be left. Roundell Palmer supported the Lords' The amendment granting half a mil-The amendment granting half a mil-lion pounds for private endowments was agreed to.

The amendment containing the Ulster led the delegations and they would be ald-rants was rejected by 345 to 240. The ed with all the influences of the monarchy nnouncement was cheered from the in their labors for censolidation of peace grants was rejected by \$45 to 240. The announcement was cheered from the

other amendments, except that of post-poning the disposition of the surplus Mr. Gladstone moved to disagree, and

ish Parliament, urging the discharge such prisoners. FRANCE. PARIS. July 18 - The Journal Official De L'Empire to-day publishes a decree FOUR O'CLOCK, A. M. of the Emperor containing the follow ing appointments to the Ministry: Minis THE CAPITAL. Prof. Vashon, Colored, Admitted to the Bar of District of Columbia-Curren-

bers of the American Congress and Brit-

SPAIN.

MADRID, July 17.-The Governments of

supervise the affairs of the country dur-ing the intermission. We commissioned officers and three

tier. There had lately been an unusual number of incendiary fires in Madrid.

The civil and military authorities have

VIENNA, July 17.-The Emperor

ed an attack on the rebels at Hakodadh

OCEAN YACHT RACE.

HAVRE, July 17.-The ocean yacht race, from Cherbourg two hundred miles

The result of the battle is not known.

Trancis Joseph gave an audience to-day

AUSTRIA.

redoubled their vigilance.

cy Statement-Revenue Seizures-Died In the Street-Revenue Decision. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.) WASHINGTON, July 17, 1869. CURRENCY STATEMENT.

M. Lassepes officially announces that The amount of fractional currency shipped from the department during the week ember. It is rumored that M. Magne, Minister was \$108,146, to National Banks; bonds held as security for National Bank circu-

lation, \$342,873,100, and as security for public deposits, \$22,707,500. Bank circulation outstanding at this date. \$299,809,-295. Fractional currency redeemed and destroyed during the week, \$293,886.

COLORED LAWYER ADMITTED. In the Criminal Court to day, A. R. Brown, Esq., moved for the admission of Professor George B. Vashon to the bar of Professor.George B. Vashon to the dar-of the Criminal Court, and Judge Fisher directed his name to be entered. The Judge remarked that the rules required motions for admission to the barlito be made in the general term, but as the Supreme Court of the United States had decided in the case of Bradley that the Criminal Court was a separate Court, he croud take the responsibility of admitwould take the responsibility of admit-ting him, Professor Vashon is a well own "colored" man. He has heretofore practiced law in New York. is a member of the bar of the United States Supreme Court, and has recently been connected with the Freedmen's Bureau. He is said to be a finished scholar, having filled a Professorship in Allegheny (Pa.)

REVENUE DECISION. The Commissioner of Internal Reve-nue decides that when a manufacturer purchases second hand articles and ro-pairs the same and sells them, he should be required to include the sales of such articles in his overarily return and pay articles in his quarterly return and pay tax thereon as on sales of new articles

REVENUE SEIZURES. The Collector of the Second Alabama

District reports the seizure of forty boxes of tobacco for non-payment of tax. The Revenue Bureau is to-day in re ceipt of intelligence of the seizure of a large distillery in New York by Revenue

DEATH IN THE STREET.

Hiram L. Fisher, from Watertown, N. Y., a clerk in the Internal Revenue of-fice, died last night in the street. He had been indisposed for several days. BEVENUE RECEIPTS.

The Internal Revenue receipts to-day were \$1,673,000.

ST. LOUIS. Change of Gauge on Missouri Pacific Railroad-Biggest Day's Work on Record-Great Damage by Storm. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.).

Sr. Louis, July 18-The gauge throughout the entire line of the Missouri Pacific Railroad, a distance of three hundred and eight miles, was changed to" tween the hours of four A. M. and eight P. M. to day. This is said to be the greatest day's work of a similar characer that was ever done.

The storm which was reported as having occurred at Lavnton, Mo., on Wedneg occurred at Laynon, and, on wear nesday, amonnted to a tornado and swept over a portion of Clay and Lafayette counties, doing very great damage. At Lexington the Catholic church was whol. ly and the Presbyterian church partially unroofed, Quite a number of private houses lost their roofs and were otherwise damaged, and trees, chimnies, fences, &c., were blown down. All the saw mills on the river were unroofed and their chimnles knocked down. Similar damage was done at Dover and at Waverly. At Richmond, Ray county, the storm was very severe. The court honse was unroofed and con-siderably damaged. The Christian church, a new building not fully com-pleted, was totally demolished. The Methodist church was unroofed and one of the windows blown in. The Shaw House was very badly injured. Around the square a large number of buildings were blown down, unroofed and otherwise injured, and scattered about through the city dwellings, busi-ness houses, &c., were demolished, un-roofed and otherwise injured. The corn fields; wheat fields, orchards, fences, &c. throughout the country were frightfully damaged and houses torn to pieces by the wind. The devastation to the entire country is incalculable.

In Clay county the storm was terrible. Wheat, corn, fruit trees, forest trees and fences went down before it, and the country on its line of march is filled with

The storm at this point last night broke the heated term, and to day the weather has been cloudy and cool. The mercury A. M., stood at 72, at noon 74, and a P. M. 83.

## NEW YORK CITY.

Base Ball-Release of Captured Fill-busters-Trot on Union Course, By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] NEW YORK, July 17, 1869.

The Western Union Telegraph Club base ball by fifty-three to thirty-one.

The report that the captured filibus-ters were taken to Fort Lafayette was incorrect. They were kept on board the cutter Mahoning, at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, until this evening, when the men were all released and left with cheers for Cuba. Quite a number of them were from Richmond, Va., and have served in

Safety of Powell Expedition-Rain, Rain -Great Damage to Crops-Heavy Storm-Death at Billiards. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. CHICAGO, July 17 .- A telegram from

CHICAGO.

Green river announces the receipt of intelligence from the Powell exploring expedition up to July 4. The party passed the rapids, losing but one boat, All were well. When last heard from they were at Henry's Fork. The Tribune received three letters from Col. Powell, one dated

at Flaming Gorge, on Green river, June 2, the next camp near mouth of Vermill-ion river, June 6, and the third June 7, ion fiver, June 6, and the time state 1, at the same point. All were well and de-lighted with their exploration. It commenced raining about four o'clock this afternoon, and the water at

down in a lively mainer. A dispatch from Morris, Ill., says the Illinois river at that point is now lifteen feet above its usual summer stage, and

is rising fast. The ground is so wet in that vicinity that the farmers cannot get their barvesting machines on the ground, and are obliged to cut the wheat grain that is worth cutting by hand. A dispatch from Des Moines, Iowa says the rains of the past week have done

James T. Miller, in the employ of the White Collar Facket. Company, at Du-buque, was drowned from the wharf boat

A heavy storm passed over Peoris, Chil-

A heavy storm passed over Feoria, Chil-licothe and Henry, in this State, vester-day afternoon. Horses, trees, isones, etc. were blown down in considerable num-bers, involving heavy damages. No lives are reported lost. Congressmen Sawyer and Hopkins and the Wisconsin State officers arrived in this city to-day and will leave on Mon-day morning for California via the Sacific

-General Sherman and his daughter day morning for California via the Pacific

Railroad. H. G. Morse, a gentleman well known in this city, fell dead in Brunswick Bros. billiard hall about 11 o'clock this forenoon, while engaged in playing "pool" with a party of friends.

International Young Men's Christian Association Convention.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

PORTIAND, ME. July 17.-The Inter-national Young Men's Christian Associ-ation discussed to-day "How to Conduct Meetings and Qualifications for Member-ship," The latter discussion grew ship." The latter discussion grew heated, some maintaining that "Unitarians" are not Christians. The exciteto-day beat the Stock Exchange Club at ment was allayed by singing and prayer, and the question referred to a special com-

mittee. A large amount was raised by contri-bution to sustain publications and extend the work of the Association to the Pacific Coast .: The question of admitting women to membership was left to the individual associations.

A resolution was adopted that the secnday in Noven a day of prayer for the Lord's blessing upon the work of the Association. steamship Rhein, from Bremen, on her arrival, charged with absconding with a large amount of money from Germany. Also, one that the Executive Committe Allo, onext the interaction of the second se -Dispatches from the West say that General Augur has gone to Fort Sedg-wick to meet General Carr, who has just eturned from his expedition. The party of Indians killed are now said to have returned from his expedition been Sioux. reported a resolution that the management of the Association should be ker

-Chief Justice Chase is in, New York; -The deaths in New York last week

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

-The steamer City of Baltimore, from Liverpool, arrived at New York yesterday.

-The Erie Railway paid over \$3,000 to passengers for baggage burnt at Mount Hope.

-There were four cases of sunstroke in New York and two in Hoboken on Saturday.

-Geo. Watts, another money lender of Wall street, has been balled on charges of usury.

-Lieut. General Sheridan and staff arrived at Newport, R. I., on Saturday, and were the guests of L. P. Morton. -Wm. Korn was held in \$10,000 bailed at New York, on Saturday, to answer:

charges of frauds on customs revenue. The cholera has made its appearance in Hoboken and Jersey City, and a few

new cases have occurred in New York.

-Patrick Hauley, a grave digger in Greenwood Cemetery, New York, was killed instantly by lightning on Friday afternoon.

-S. A. D. Chittenden, formerly master car builder on the North Missouri Railroad, died at Perry Springs, Illinois, on Tuesday last.

-C. B. Elliott and C. Moore, the "re-lief" of the Harvard Crew, sailed for Livrpool on Saturday, in the steamsnip City of Boston.

-James Carberry was arrested in Brooklyn, on Saturdey, for amashing the skull of one Hamell, a bar keeper, who will die.

are at the Tremont House, Bost is understood he will be present at Dart-mouth College commencement on Tuesday.

-Arizons advices say a portion of the Eighth Cavalry attacked a band of In-dians near Wickenburgh. Nine savages were killed, and one soldier was seriousvounded

-Henry Schumatz committed suicide at Cincinnati, Thursday night, by shooting himself with a pistol. Cause domestic difficulty. His wife deserted him a few months ago.

-The New England hotel at Cleveland, Ohio, was partially destroyed by fire on Saturday night. Loss \$25,000; insured in Aetna, Hartford, for \$20,000, Washing-ton, New York; for \$5,000.

-Laurent Clerc, for more than fifty years prominently identified with the cause of deaf mute instruction, died at his residence at Hartford, Conn., yesterday, aged eighty-three years.

-Two hundred Cuban patriots on Gai-dener's Island refused to disperse on Wednesday, and an additional force was called for by Marshal Barlow. No violence is contemplated, only dispersion.

-Edward Laurens and son were ar-

funds

'Mr. D'Israeli supported the Lords' amendment. He thought the Governamendment. He indugit the Govan-ment plans not matured, and that they ought to be left for future consideration. Mr. Bright said the distribution of the surplus was a different matter. The

agreed to.

Ministerial benches. Mr. D'Israeli intimated that it was not necessary for the House to divide on the

peace. · CHINA. HONG KONG, July 24, via LONDON, July 17 .- A proclamation denouncing foreign 17.—A proclamation denouncing loreign-ers has been extensively posted in towns and villages on the Yangstee river by, agents of a secret society. A conspiracy has been discovered at Foo Chow, baving for its object the opening of another 'raeping rebellion. It is rumored over fifty thousand men are connected with roment had made minute inquiry as to the suitable distinction of income aris-ing irdin the surplus. He had no inter-est other than any member of the House, or contrary, to the wishes of the Irish

to delegations of the Imperial and Hunga-rian Reichsraths. In reply to the President of the Hungarian delegation, he said he had been called to exercise equal College. influence over the common affairs of the and public confidence. The Emperor then addressed Prince Auersperg, Presi-

dent of the delegation of the Imperial Reichsrath, and assured him that sin-cere cooperation with the Hungarian delegation was the surest guarantee for the maintenance of internal and external

the money was the property of the Irish, the movement. Advices from Yokanoma to the 16th o June are received. The naval and mili tary forces of the Mikado had common and ought to be appropriated to the ben-dit of Ireland. This plan was open to the least objection. To leave the ques-tion open would only pave the, way for future embartassment. He appealed to future empartassment. He appeared to the House not to put an obstacle in the way of the passage of the bill. The amendment of the Lords was then, rejected by 290 against 218. Great cheers

to sea and back, took place yesterday and to day. The yachts entered were greeted the result. The depate on the amended Irish Church bill was continued in the Com-mons until a late hour this morning.

the Grinever, Aline, Cambria, Julia, Dane, Mystero, Ondalle and Sylvia, They all started at eleven o'clock on Thur-day, After the rejection of the amendment proposed by the Peers, Mr. D'Israeli took the Cambra returning to the starting point first, closely followed by the Julia. The Cambria won the race by only three the floor and spoke at some length. He regretted the repudiation of the amend-ments adopted in the House of Lords. seconds time in forty six hours. The race was a remarkably fine one. There The Church was not the question at issue The Church was not the question at lease at the late elections. He thought the agreement of the Lords to send the bill the second time was an act of magna-nimity, considering the majority unfawas no time allowance, all yachts enter ing on an equal footing. BRAZIL AND PARAGUAY.

LONDON, July 17.-Advices from Rio Janeiro to the 20th ult. folly confirm the e to the measure, and the agree ment was only given under the under standing that Commons would conside reported victory of the Allies over Lopez. reported victory of the Allies over LOP2. The Paraguayans lost 500 killed and wounded and 3 prisoners and 12 guns. A treaty establishing a Provisional Gov-ernment for Paraguay had been conthe amendments in a conciliatory spirit He could not understand how the course the Government had taken could be reconciled to the expectations held out to Inded.

the House of Lords. Mr. Gladstone replied, saving that the promise given to the House of Lords was that the amendments which could be ap-LONDON, July 18.-Additional advices from Rio Janeiro represent that the al lied army in Paraguay, after their recent victory, advanced to Villa Rica, and at last accounts commanded all the approved would be respectfully considered, and he maintained that the pledge had not been violated. He had conceded proaches to the place. President Lopez had declared the Consuls of France and much in deference to the Lords, and had fulfilled, more than fulfilled, the pledge Italy deserters. which he had given. (Great cheering) He was certain that if any harm had been GERMANY.

done to the Church, it was by those who described the grievous and enervating ef-fect disestablishment would have on the BERLIN, July 17 .- Deputy Mende has been septenced to one year's imprison-ment, and three workmen to three months' imprisonment for complicity in rent and life of the religious community. If the church was destitute of energy and vigor, the sconer they quitted it the bet-ter. He must fill the sclemn protest against the degrading, disheartening con-victions and express an humble and conthe Desseldorf riots. POPUGAL.

LISEON, July 17.—Hon. Samuel Shella-barger yesterday had a special audience with the King, and presented his cre-dentials as Minister of the United States. victions and express an humble and con fident expectation. Though time and trial intervened, the members of the church will regard the day of the passage of this act as the day of their religious RUSSIA.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 17.-The Czar forbids the attendance of Russian Bishregeneration. Right Hon. Gathorne Hardy then took the floor. He scoepied the appeal made to posterity. in regard to the pheneticial effects of the bill. He supported Mr. D'Israeli's statement, that John Bright had used threats of dissolution of Parops at the Ecumenical Council. MABINE NEWS

QUEENSTOWN, July 18.-The steamship loiorado, from New York for Liverpool, liament to keep the party together and coerce the House of Lords. He considarrived to-day. BOUTHAMPTON, July 18.-The steamer Deutschland, from New York for Bremeb, has arrived. ared the Lords as a co-ordinate authority

and thought they had been treated in an Mr. Bright depied he had ever used FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. threats of dissolution. His only refer ence to the subject was, that there might LONDON, July 17-Kvening.-Consols for money 93%; on account, 93%@98%.

be an expression of popular opinion on the subject of concurrent endowment, whre it referred to the nation. He re-American securities; 5-20 bonds to Lon-don 821/; Eries 191/1; Lilinois 931/; stocks gretted this unfounded charge which the had been brought forward, but which the great insjority of the House disbelleved. Bitesdy. PARIS: July 17-Evening.-The Bourse is Stoop: Rantes 70f. Suc. ANTWERP, July 17-Evening -Petro-leum.closed at 49%f. for standard white. FRANKFORT, July 18:-5-20 bonds are After further debate, a committee was appointed to draw up a report embody.

ing the reasons for disagreement to the amendments proposed by the House of ing the reasons for unsurement to the line of guoted to day at \$7%. Adjourned. It is said that the Lords will give up dul; midding uplands 12%d; Orleans their amendments to the Irish Church bill in regard to concurrent endowments wheat 10s. 7d; red western No.2 9s. 2d.@ 94 3d. Western Flour 23s. 6d. Corn-

bill in regard to concurrent endowments and Uister grants, but will adhere to the amendments refusing to devote surphys proceeds of church property to the relief of unavoidable calamity and suffering as proposed in the original preamble, and deferring the appropriation of the fund LONDON, July 17.—Mr. Paul Bagley, of the United States, had an interview 765-terday with Earl Granville with refer-ence to the release of American citizeus

ence to the release of American citizens, London, July 17,-Sperm bil 291. Su-now imprisoned on charges of Fenianism, gar 398. 9d. Whale oil £10. Calcutta He presented petitions signed by mem. Linseed 9a. 6d.

peditions will be attempted from this WASHINGTON, July 18, 1869. ARMY OF THE TENNESSEE.

The following has just been promul-gated by the Secretary of "The Army of he Tennessee: the Tennessee: "Washington, D. C., July 15, 1869.-To the officers of the Army of the Tennes-

see: You are respectfully notified that in accordance with the provisions made at your last annual meeting, the tourth anand repeat, to harness, between American Girl and Mountain Boy, was won by the former in two straight heats. Time your last annual meeting, no long and pual returnion of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee will the held at Louis-ville, Ky., on the seventeenth day of November, 1869, at ten o'clock in the forencon. Every officer who has at any 2:23:4, 2:2134. time served with honor in the Army and Department of the Ten-

nessee is by the constitution en-titled to membership, and to all such an earnest request is extended to be pres-Business of unusual importance

ent. Business of unusual importance will claim the attention of the Society at this meeting, and it is hoped there will full attendance. The local Committee of Arrangements, at Louisville, to be selected, will make all needed prep-aration for the meeting and give notice.

[Signed] Gen. JNO. A. RAWLINS, President. L. M. DAYTON, Recording Secretary. A. HICKENLOOPER, Corresponding Secretary, Cincinnati, Ohio.

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION MEETING. At a meeting of the Typographical Union of this city, last evening, it was resolved that the Constitution of the nion be amended so that the number apprentices at the Government offic be increased with the desire of the Congressional Printer. The further con-sideration of the case of the colored compositor Douglass was almost unanimous-ly postponed until the next stated meetog in January next.

NORTH CAROLINA BANKS.

Railroad.

The resources and liabilities of the North Carolina National Banks, on the 12th of June, were \$2,693,000; capital stock, \$833,000; specie, \$32,000; legal ten-der notes, \$254,000.

## Latest from Mexico.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] CITY OF MEXICO, July 10, VIS HAVANA, July 17.-The Congressional elections were peaceably conducted throughout

the country. The contract with Campbell & Co. for a telegraph line between Mexico and Lotuca has been algued. Work on the railroad, from Puebla to

Mexico has comme NEW YORK, July 18,-A special dis-NEW YORK, July: 15.—A special dis-patch from Havana, yesterday, gives the following additional Mexical news: Eququit Montes will probably be made Minister of Justice. Gen. Eacobedo has been granted four months leave of ab-sence to look after his property, which has been infured by the incursions of Vargos, The new Minister from Italy. will be received soon by the Government. Preparations are being made for the cel-biration, in September, of the completion of the Puebla branch of the Vers. Orus

President Grant at Cape May.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Galette. ). C. PE MAY, July 18 .- The weather has

C. PE MAY, July 18.—The weather has been delightful here to-day. The city is crowded with visitors, the President and his family being the great objects of in-terest. The President reviewed the Philadelphia Grey. Reserves this afters noon at 7:20 o'clock, at their camp. The President afterwards complimented Col-onel Lytta upon the fide appearance of his command. A national salute of twentr-one guns was fired upon the noon at 7:20 o'clock, at their camp. The
President afterwards complimented Col-onel Latta upon the fine appearance of twenty-one guns was fired upon the President's arrival. A large number of ladies and gentlemen. witnessed the re-view and much enthusiasm prevalled.
(By Telegrach to the Pittabargh Gazette.)
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vicinity, the Cuban Junta having decid-ed to make a Southern port their base of operations. A steamer is reported to have sailed for that port, and the men released to-day will all proceed thicher in small squads and embark on board her for their original destination. At Union Course to-day the trot, mile

BOSTON.

Conventions. Open air meetings were held this even Release of Seized Lager-Drowned-

While Bathing. By telegra, h to the Pittshurgh Gazette, 1

Boston, July 17 .- The large quantity members from States were appointed as follows: Rhode Island, E. R. Hollier; Vermont, O. B. Douglass; Ohio, J. H. Cheever; Indiana, H. H. Judson; Mary-land, Rob't H. Williams; Michigan, Si-las Farmer; Wisconsin, J. H. Cole; Colo-rado, John Armstrong; Pennsylvania, Thos. McCree, Jr.; Massachussetts, L.P. Rowland; Connec.leut; Newton Fuller; New Hampshire, Charles W. Moore; New Jersey, William. J. Carle-ton; Maine, B. Towle; New York, John J. Platt; Illinois, H. H. Wood; Maine, W. O. Hicksy; Nebraska. Wm. members from States were appoi of lager seized July 6th in the saloon of Brothers Pfaff, was returned to them to day. The reason given for its resto-ration was that the property would spoil before a decision could be reached in the Courts. A different result was experi-enced by Mathias Nichols, in Cambridge, whose entire stock, consisting of one key of lager, was seized and the owner sen tended to three months at the House of Correction and fined iffy dollars. Judge Putnam, late President of the Senate, and recently appointed to the Judgeship,

passed sentence. Miss Jennie Whittier, aged eighteen and Mrs. Minnie M'Gregor, aged twenty, were drowned in the Merrimac river, at Lowell, today, while bathing. Mrs. M Gregor leaves a hueband and one child. Edward Turner, aged eighteen, was drowned last evening at Jamaica Plain, while bathing.

FROM CUEA.

Frightful Mortality Among the Troops.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] HAVANA, July 17 .- Sickness is in work. This aroused the enthusiasm of work. This aroused the entrusiasm of the Convention and a considerable amount was raised for this purpose. Indianapolis was the place decided upon for the next meeting. The Committee on Credentials reported creasing among the Spanish and rebel forces, and the mortality is frightful. It is estimated that the deaths amount to fifteen per cent. monthly among the men in the field on both sides. The Spanish troops are affected mostly with vonito. he number of delegates present seven while the insurgents suffer from cholera and disrrhoea, caused especially by want hundred and seventy-three; correspond-ing members filty-seven; total, eight hundred and thirty. The Convention closed, after making

Remedies and Neuvins, to arm the vor-(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.) unteers about to take the field against the rebels.

Heavy Rain Storm-Killed by Lightning. [By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Watette.] CINCINNATI, July 18 .- There was a heavy rain storm to-day with much thun der and lightning. The house of Mr. Doty, in the Seventeenth ward, was struck by lightning, a daughter, seven-teen years old, instantly killed, and his wife and boy shocked. There is much damage from overflowed cellars. One horse was drowned on Sycamore street. Patrick Doyle was drowned by falling from a barge in the Seventeenth ward.

Fire at Scranton, Pa,-Man Burned to Death.

-Jack Rilev and Dan Giddings, two Mackerelvillians, fought fourteen rounds in a prize fight Saturday morning, for in the hands of members of the Evan gelical Church, which was adopted. A resolution was adopted favoring State two hundred dollars. Giddings got ter-ribly whipped, and the affair terminated in a free fight.

-On Friday last several parties were At the Saturday session of the Inter-national Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association corresponding nted a able business men are implicated. Their names are withheld for the present at the request of the police.

-General W. R. Miles, of Yazoo City, Mississippl, is en route to California. He is commissioned by the Vicksburg Chamber of Commerce to investigate the feasibility of obtaining Chinese laborers. If he finds it practicable he will make contracts for several thousand Celestials. for planters in the South.

-The Coroner's jury at Port Jervis, Maine, W. O. Hickey; Nebraska, Wm. R. Bentley; Iowa, the former member; found James Griffin guilty of culpable negligence for not attending to his duty as engineer of the freight train, thereby Missouri, S. E. Greenwood; Kentucky, Mr. Wheat; Ontario, Wm. Anderson; Foronto, J. R. Dragall; Montreal, James causing the death of Rev. Halleck and others, Griffin has been arrested. The Eric Company have settled with the in-jured on the latter's own terms. Farquebar; Hallfax and New Bruns-wick, J. L. Clawson; St. John, Prince Edward's Island, R. W. Sprague. They

-Five houses and four unfinished houses in Brooklyn, New York, were are to report quarterly. Mr. Miller reported five thousand four hundred subscribers to the general fund. Several hundred more were quickly blown down by a tornado Friday after-noon. All the bathing houses at Coney island were blown to bleess. The mot of a Coney Island car was blown off, and several thousand dollars worth of dam-age was done by the same storm in Ca-narsie. A delegate announced that the Catholics were educating colored priests to work among their race in the South and gave one hundred dollars for a similar

-An escaped marderer from Clinton prison made his appearance in charge of officers at Sing Sing prison on Saturday, having been committed on a sentence for larceny in New York city. The prison, authorities refused to receive him until he had served out his sentence in the Clinton prison, and he was taken back to New York.

-Gen. Stewart and Major Foster, engi-neers, are surveying a line of railroad from Lebanon. Tenn., to the Kentucky arrangements for various meetings in different parts of the city to-day. State line. The ultimate object is to construct a road to connect with one-coming from Kentucky and giving Nash-ville closer connection with Cincinnati. Preliminary surveys showed a cheap practicable road with easy crossing of the amberland river.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gatette.) HARTYPED, Conn., July 18.—A fire broke out in the barn of the Windsor Hotel in Windsor, owned by Messra. Griswold and Gilletle, about two o'clock on Saturday afternoon, which soon spread to the hotel. A steam fire engine was sent up by the railroad from this city, but before the flames could be checked the barn and three sheds, a barn near by owned by Capen brothers. -The body of William W. Lawrence, watchman at Hoboken Ferry, at New York, was found Saturday morning in the canal at Hoboken, shockingly mullisted. He had been murdered and thrown into the water. Engineer Donglass and J. Parsons, second officer of the Providence. near by owned by Capen brothers, a store belonging to the estate of James propellor Osalates, have been arrested. at New York on suspicion of his murder. Lawrence when last seen being in their Loomis, and occupied for the postoffice and as a variety store by E. P. Elisworth, company and having a dispute with, them.

ware consumed. The loss, to the botal proprietors le estimated at \$18,000; in-sured for \$9,000 in Hartford and New York offices. Mr. Elleworth's loss in goods is \$2,000; insured in the Actua and -The excursion party from Cleveland, Indianapolis and other points, who met with a rairoad accident near Lawrence, Kansas, on Wednesday last, passed through St. Louis Baturday afternoon through St. Louis Baturusy alternoon en route home. The wounded members of the party were comfortably provided. for and doing well. They passed reso-intions before leaving Lawrence exonors-River from the Powell expedition, dated Kenny's Fork, July 4th. They were all well and had passed through the rapids with the loss of but one boat.

goods is \$2,000: insured in the contact and in Connecticut effices of Hartford and in Providence and Springfield fire and marine. The loss to the owners of the store building and to Caper brothers is from \$5,000 to \$8,000. -A letter has been received at Green

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Fire at Windsor, Connecticut,

and exposure. When the hot and rainy seasons are past, the volunteers will go into active service in the field, and rein-