

WT TL. 1889. WREINERDAY Costanes has resumed business at the

old stand and the work of introducing blils goes on as usual. Ir appears that felly (3) per cent. of the

abor and losther industry of Lynn suffored heavily by the recent fire.

Soussing Lings, it as stated, will break the record and appoint his comm before the holiday adjournment.

Coversmonts South is among the unfortunates who were cought by the defalcation of Cashier Silcott. He is just \$110 out of pocket by the embezzlement.

AAUTAST GENERAL HASTINGS and Senator Delemater have both publicly anthus entir.

Donixa a somnambulistic fit a farm the same way.

that he intends to push the work of the may take in the premises."

tade in respect to safe guarding the rights deserted by the members who flocked into war that followed. Since the close of the worthy fact, however, that they were not others hurried around to the Sergeant atconsumed by any particularly intense anxiety as to minority rights during the sessions of the last Congress.

It is gratifying to learn that no official action will be taken by the War Department on the death of Jeff Davis. The CHARGE."

Tax President last week appointed cancy on the Supreme Court Bench of ment and a wait in line.

A syxon and President Harrison's adgrave questions before the country. All



him between \$75,000 and \$100,000, which he covery. had drawn from the treasury to pay the sal-

of the boodlers' colony in Canada, although / Jefferson Davis was house June 3, 1805, in has not been traced vet.

dren bear the brunt of the dishonest man's dary Arademy at West Point, where but tol Hill. It was known that something un- army seven years. usual was in the air before the House con-

vened this morning and there were vague rumors that Silcott was a wrong-doer. These tion to know the truth of the matter.

from the Sergeant-at-arms Leedom :

numstances I respectfully request an im- bustened his death.

mediate investigation of my accounts under

the corridor to discuss the situation, while rebellion Davis has remained most of the Arms' office to ascertain some more particu-

his death, niways glorifying in the "lost given to the cashier, who took it to the lovely and cheery spartment into which the day night, November 30, in which seven

and then returned the cash or deposited in in tinguished invalid.

PRESS COMMENTS.

and using it as the occasion demanded.

#### Jefferson Davis Dead. New Ocrass, December 6 .- Jefferson Davi

died at 1245 this morning after a Hagering Washingman, December & C. E. Silent, illness of several weeks. He railled someashier in the office of the Sergeant-at-Arms what a lew days ago, but his physicians at cashier in the onice of increased, taking with of the House, has absconded, taking with the house are overall in the Monongalacia House, the coveral in the Monongalacia House, the target and best known hotel in Pittsburgh,

arise of the members for the month of No- are too well known to need reproduction, vember. It is supposed he is now a member but a brief sketch follows ;

that part of Christian county, Ky\_ which This startling news was imparted to Con- now forms Todd county. Soon after his greas just after it opened this morning. To- birth his father removed to Mississippi, seteight there are just 329 Gorgressmen in tling near Woodville, Wilkinson county, town who have not received their pay, while He received an academical education and Cashier Silcott is enjoying his plunder with was sent to Transylvania College, Kentucky, a woman named Bartlett, who disappeared which he left in 1624, having been appointwith him. A pentiless wife and three chil- of by President Monroe a cadet in the Mili-

rimes at their humble little home on Capi- graduated in 1828. He remained in the In 1843 he began his eventful political

career, and in 1844 was one of the Presidential electors of Minsissippi to vote for Polk little whispers rapidly grew in the corridors and Dallas. The following year he was and when the House was called to order ev. | elected a Representative in Congress, and erybody was in a state of nervous expecta- took an active part in the discussion of important questions. While he was in Congress

When Speaker Reed arose there was a si- the First Regiment of Mississippi volunteers lence, as each member heid his breath await- then enrolled for service in Merico, elected ing Mr. Reed's words. Glaucing at a piece him their Colonel. Overtaking the regiment nonneed their candidacy for the Guber- of paper which he held in his hand the at New Orleans, on its way to the seat of natorial nomination. The battle begins Speaker read the following communication war, he remained with it until the expiration of the term of its enlistment. He dis-

"I regret to report that C. E. Silcott, late tinguished bimself in the battle of Buena cashier of the office of Sergeaut-at-Arms, has Vista, February 23, 1847, where he received hand near Easton hitched up a team and departed from this city without settling his a severe wound, but remained in the saddle plowed a field, and then went back to accounts; and I have been unable to ascer- until the close of the action. This wound of the fire. He ran to all the rooms on his hed again. Farmers of the vicinity are tain his whereabonts and there is a defleren- caused him considerable trouble throughout floor and burst in the doors. He was nearly looking for more farm hands affected in or in the cash of the office. In view of these the remainder of his life, and indirectly

In the Thirty-sixth Congress, which met Commissioner or PENSIONS HAUX states such action as the House of Representatives in 1839, he was the recognized leader of the

Democrats in the Senate. His name for office and make such improvements as There was an instant's confusion, and then years had been frequently mentioned as a will enable him to have 8,000 claims dia- Representative Adams, of Illinois, was on candidate of the Democratic party for the his feet with a resolution authorizing the Presidency. At the convention for the never been reached in the history of the appointment of a committee of seven to in- nomination of President in 1800 he received vestigate the accounts of the Sergeant-at- many votes, although his friends announced Arms. This was adopted, and then Mr. Mc- that he did not desire the nomination. Just now the Democratic organs are Kinley moved an adjournment until Mon- Every school-boy is informed as to the part displaying an immense amount of solici- day, and in a lew moments the big room was Jefferson Davis took in the s cession and the

WITHR JEFFERSON DAVIS DIED.

The handsome residence of Mr. J. U Sileott was appointed by Mr. Leedom six Payne, in which Mr. Davis diad, is one of years ago, and until last night he had every the most comfortable and interiorly artistic confidence in him. Sileott comes from Ohlo, in all the city. It is of brown stone stucco and is a Democrat. The absconder has had two stories high, with broad verandahs, and every facility for getting hold of the mem- set in lovely grounds, where camelia bushes burs' money. For a number of years it has are spiked with bloom and oranges hang in reason given for this is that he was nev- been the custom for the Sergeant at-Arms to clusters on the trees. The house has a wide er "reconstructed," and, therefore, not a send into the members a printed slip, on kall running through the center, with drawcitizen. A hetter reason is that he was which the Congressmen acknowledged the ing rooms on one side, a library on the other unrepentant and traitorons to the day of receipt of their money. This slip was then and on the rear corner of the house, in a

the safe, as the members wished. This saved It is a wonderful pretty room with a rich-Judge Brewer, of Kansas, to fill the va- the members a trip to the Trersury Depart- toned Persian luced carpet on the floor, Pres. He not only admitted his grill, but

shades and lace curtains on the windows, the United States, Judge Brewer was In addition to their salaries a number of two fronting to the east and two to the south. Atraighten out the books. At first hadenied informed of his appointment as he was Congressmen had private accounts at the Pictures are on the walls, and there are a that he had taken more than \$1,20, but about to open the Circuit Court at Tope- Sergeant-at-Arms' office and these are the lounge, easy Turkish chairs and pretty care- when confronted with the evidence he adka, Kansas. He was so deeply moved by heaviest losers. Some of the wealthier mem- ed tables, and a huge carved oak Victoria mitted that he had stolen it all. the announcement that tears sprang to bers have not drawn their salaries for eight bedstead, on which the leaver of the Conconstant attendant was Mrs. Davis, who had

# The Menougabela House in Roins

of the Oldest and Best known tels in the Country Burned. rily before noon Tuesday Lire was disand isspite the efforts of the infore deport-mentuhe building was almost wrecked. No lives were lost, as the alarm had been sent through the house at one-and the guests were able to get out, though many had nar-

n, the head porter, who, upon going down stairs, found that the blaze had just started at the bottom of the freight elevator. Alnost as soon as O'Brien had a chance to give the alarm the flames shot up, through the elevator, shaft, and in an destant flie estire upper portion of the building was enveloped

PANIC ANONG THE GLASTS. A number of the 200 guests were just prearing for dinner and some were not completely dressed. Hastily donning whatever lay close at hand in the way of wearing apparel they rushed for the passenger elevator. only to find that the shaft, too, was a solid volume of smoke. The stairs were then resorted to and every one got out in safety. The smoke soon began to settle, and in a short time every person was compelled to leave the office.

W. S. Hughes, who was formerly clerk in is now traveling agent for the Marceaux ank all the symptoms of an aggravated ease of Wine Company, was among the first to hear vercome by the amoke, but still contrived

THE BURNED BUILDING.

At 1.30 o'clock, less than two hours after the fire was discovered, the flames were magnificent structure but the four blackened walls. The Monongahela House was one of the oldest hotels in the United States, It was built over sixty-five years ago, and was owned at that time by Thomas Crossan. The building, with the lot, was valued at \$500,000 and was only recently refitted at an expense of \$70,000.

A premiur teature of the fire was that all the papers were drawn for the sale and transfer of the building at three o'clock this afternoon, the price being \$175,000.

The Monongalisia House was burned down in 1845 and rebuilt.

A Terrible Charge.

MINNEAPOLIS, Dozember 8,-Charles S. Ostrum, until Friday night cashier and bookkeeper of the Pianeer Press, Minneapolis de ent, is suspected of setting the fire which burned the Tribung, building, Satur Treasury Department, secured the money sun streams all day, lay the patient and dis- men lost their lives. The charge made against Ostrom on Friday night was that he had stolen \$2,300 of the funds of the Pionser did what he could to help the company

The terrible rumor almost immediately or nine months, allowing it to accumulate federacy lies in the embrase of death. His got abroad that he had deliberately set the T-Dame building on fire to cover up his peo-In this way, Rife, of Pennsylvania, lost never left his bedside since his illness began. ulations. He was confronted with the mirable message will be found on the \$2,500 and J. D. Taylor lost \$3,000. Other In a comfortable home wrapper of gray and charge of arson, and the grand Jury will BRIDGE SALE. first page of this paper. It is a clear def- losers and their amounts are : Catchings, of black this gentle ministrant was always at make a thorough investigation of the matinition of the Republican party upon all ono: Bingham, of Pennsylvania, \$2,000: the invalid's side, and if she left him for a moment he asked for her and was freited or jail to day. In answer to the question: McCormick, of Pennsylvania, \$700 ; Osborne, uneasy until she returned. Friends con- "Are you willing to say anything about the on that you set the Tribune build. at 1 o'clock p. m.; the building of two now abut-needs for the bridge at Shade crossing, over Sto-nyerteek, in Quemahoning Township. Masonry to be first-class, and laid in econemi. Aim, on ing afire ?' he replied with emotion : "Yes. I did not set the building on fire. This charge is no surprise to me. In fact, I expected it would be made before. I certainly had every incentive in the world to destroy those books. If they had been ournel up there would have been no evithat suspicion would point to me when all points to the square fort dence against me. It is perfectly natural proof against me, I left the books out of the safe on Saturday night, I had often done this before and a starday night, I had often done this before, and nothing was ever thought of it. Some of the men in the office generally EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. 1. Some of the men in the office generative inclusion in the office generative inclusion in the office generative inclusion. Some of the indersigned by the proper authority in the undersigned by the proper authority in the undersigned by the proper authority in the indersigned by the proper authority in the proper authority in the proper authority in the indersign logical conclusion of nine men out of ten would be that I am responsible for the origin of the fire gin of the fire. "I think I can prove that I was not at the *Tribuse* building on Saturday. I left the office be ween 5 and 6 o'clock P. x., and J. B. MILLER. office be ween 5 and 6 o'clock P. M., and J. A. BELLET, Attorney. went to the Union Railway station, intending to leave this part of the country. While in the depot, walting for the train, I thought A the matter over and figally concluded it would be better to stay here and face the Referring to the fact that the War-Departrouble. I went up to the Samult House to ment flag was not half-masted in honor o Jeff Davis, Roger Q. Mills said : "We can't get my wife. Sue wasn't there, and 1 then went to the West Hotel and to several other expect fair treatment from this Administration. The mistake in not half-masting the places, gotting to my house ab at 9 r. st. A detective had been shalowing Ostrom flag lies in the fact that Davis did not inclie i the Rebellion. He was opposed to it, but for a week before the fire, and will be asked when his State disagreed with him he was by the grand jury to state what he knows of confronted with two courses of procedure- Ostrom's movements on that Saturday night aken fire at midnight instead of at noon Britain, but for the United States. It is to abide by the General Government or go Ostrom is a young man, and has been in the the chances are that many lives would satisfactory here, and it was not expected to with his State and people. He reluctantly employ of the Pioneer Pear Company for have been sacrificed. As it was, all the be satisfactory to the "Thunderer" or other chose the latter course. But this Adminis- about three years. He has a young wife tration cannot heap any odium upon Davis' whom he married about three months ago, memory in the minds of the Southerners The money, it is learned, was last by gamand all high-minded Northerners. By this bling, which cutsed great surprise since he very manifestation of a narrow political was considered an extremely moral fellow. bigotry they enshrine his nobler, holler than who never drank, and way not known to take any interest in games of chance. THE SDORFTARY OF WAR WILL TAKE NO OFFICIAL ACTION UPON THE DESTIL OF DAVIS. Guilty in the First Dagree. WASHINGTON, Dec. 8 .- The following tele-Jogastows, December 0 - The jury in the gram was received to day by Secretary Proc-Carter-Mathewamur.lar case nen lere I a verdict of guilty in the first degree this after-NEW ORLEANS,, December 8, 1889. The jury was polled and each jurot To the Han. Secretary of War, Washington sponded "guilty in the first degree." A motion in arrest of judgment and for a new I have officially to inform you that the trial was entered. Charles Carter, the convicted munderer, is 25 years of ago. He came here two years ary from Winchester, Va The murder was the result of quarrel about a white girl named Enma Dann, with JAMES A. SHAKESPHARE. whom Carter and John Mathews, both col-Mayor of New Orleans ored, were infatuated.

#### Simple Dupes of a Gilb Talker.

ELLMORT CITY, Mr. December 8 - Henry toberis, a sharp more with a glib tomme aples nest sum of money not of the reli o is members of lessnee in this sty by presenting himself as a prophet whose with for discovering finance events had not superstitious negroes were easily dupol, and Roberts was doing a lively business when the law stepped in and put and end to bis operations. At the hearing last evening his richims appeared against him, and their evi-The fire was discovered by Thomas O Brb-said to have been offered by the would be

prophet to obtain their money. His victims were Andrew Lyle and wife, to whom he represented that a certain de ceased gentleman of Etileuti City had de-

posited in the earth a pot containing \$100,its whereabouts, and that upon the paymen of a nominal sum the treasure could be ob

tained. Lyle says he and his wffe together handed over to him \$16 60 for which he promised \$100 to the former and \$3,000 to the Intter.

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> Her Life was Dispaired Of. light a mother's love and provers surmount all

ficulties, and I determined to try fir. David Kenzedy's Favorite Remedy, made at Rondout, T. This was a last resort, and I hoped, although the case was a very severe one, that the Favorite Remedy would do for her what it had inder control, and nothing remained of the done for others. How happy 1 am that I determined upon this essarse. The fever left her-her appetite impreved-and one by one the well oms of the disease left her. Words fail to express my grattude, and I cannot too earnistly recommend the Favorite Remedy. It

A MARVELOUS RECOVERY. and is due entirely to the Favorite Remedy.

which was the only medicine taken after her case was abandoned by the physicians.

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MONDAY, JANUARY 6, 1890. Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day,

Now, therefore, I., R. S. McMillen, High Sherlff of Sumerst County, hereby issue my proclama-tion giving police to all jaracs, witnesses eliminou et and to all particle in estuss to be them and there irised, to be in antendance at and Court. Shimarr's Orrice, J. R. S. McMil, LEN, bec. L. 1996. Sherlif. tied, to be in attends StERIFF'S OFFICE, } Dec. 13, 1988. }

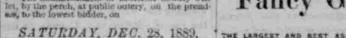
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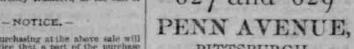
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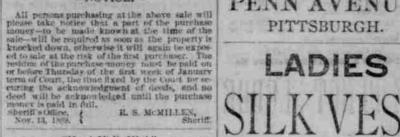
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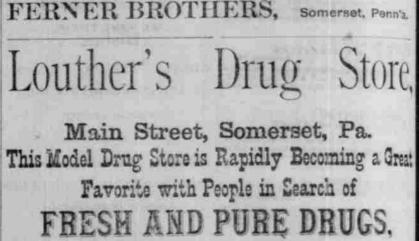
The Exposition is closed until October next. We saw it. It was great, being in its infaucy, but we saw enough to convince cur-relves of the fact that enterprise, such as dis-played there, should not be passed by with-out some comment. But we still wonder why it was that only our wholesale biquor house was so buildly represented. You could see its pyramid of bottles from any part of the great building. It was the pretiest dis-play there. Max Khien has proved the tub sky and pink. This is the best quality we the great building. It was the prettiest dis-play there. Max Kieln has proved the pub-lie that he wants to be seen. His "Silver Age" rye whiskey has now such a well earn-ed reputation that he is proud of it and he wants everybody to see it. His goods are pars and reliable. You can have his Silver Age at \$1.50 per full quarts. His Gacken-heimer, Fincht, Overhedt or Gibson at \$1.00 per court of Gaussi for \$2000. Sund for his have ever shown, at the price, \$1, all sizes. to \$2.50, the very fiorst China Silk in whites

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the leading Republican newspapers and \$416; Riley, of Pennsylvania, \$116; Atkinpoliticians pronounce it a sound and con- son, of Pennsylvania, \$1,500; Harmer, of Davis was very fond, but these were not alservative document, calculated to inspire Pennsylvania, \$416; Judge Kelley, of Penn- lowed to remain in the sick room for any confidence in the wisdom of the admin- | sylvania, \$191; McKinley, of Ohio, \$300; | length of time. At the outset jollies, frui

re-assembling of Congress, Speaker Reed \$116; Darlington, of Pennsylvania, \$1,000 announced a number of his most import- Suil, of Pennsylvania, \$10; Daizell, of ant committees. McKinley is made Penneylvania, \$416; and Bayne, of Penn-Chairman of the Committee on Ways sylvania, \$1,000. and Means; Mr. Cannon, Chairman of Committee on Appropriations and Judse Kelley, Chairman of the Committee on Tole lo Blade : An impression has been Manufactures

Turs is the Centennial Congress, and gathered in Washington to be in readiness for work shows that we have made some progress in 100 years. The first Congress was called to mest in New York March 4 1789, and on that day only twenty-one members of both Houses were on hand to begin work. The House did not have a quorum until April 1, nor the Senate until April 6.

In is extremely fortunate that the conflagration in that historic old hostlery, the Monongahela House, at Pittsburgh Thursday, was unattended by the loss of life which so frequently accompanies a lestructive fire in a great hotel filled with people. If the Monongahela House had ersonal effects, eacaped safely,

The lou i-mouthed talkers and gramafford to forget. They will not now be ignored by the Republican party. The poor-house is not the place for the men who risked everything to preserve the Union The country owes its present and richness to their valor But for their services there would be no United States with its "great surplus in the Treasury.

Avorunn mscal has turned himself out Charles E. Silcott, Cashier of the Serntatives, has absconded with some \$72-Sileott was a Democrat, of course appointed by Sergeant-at-Arms Leedom. Through the defalcation of Silcott many anembers of Congress have lost sums still lives in a large portion of the country ranging from a few dollars to more than where he has been worshiped as the chief \$3,000. The loss will fall partly upon champion of the false doctrines that justified Londom and partly upon these Congressmen who had given receipts in advance the present rebellion takes it clearly deand left money in Leedom's possession scribed by President Harrison and Attorneywithout any voncher for it. It is to be General Miller in their reference to the suphoused that this unfortunate affair will lead to a reformation in the method of drawing money by Congressmen.

Just because a colored man named Finley applied for the position of postmaster at Abbeyville, South Carolina, he was so hadly beaten by a mob of white men that he will be a cripple for life. Unlike the ordinary Southern colored man when beaten almost to death, he idn't take his pupishment in silence but went to Washington on the opening extraordinary action is that Congress will Pope was painfully but not dangerously

point a committee of investigation,

Mutchler, of Pennsylvania, \$416; Owens, of and all manner of delicaties were proffered

Indiana, \$1,500; Butterworth, of Ohio, \$500 ; until Mr. Davis was compelled to decline Manan Menuviay is the Republican Adams, of Illinois, \$999, O'Neill, of Penu them. The sick man's food was only milk. leader of the House. On Manday, at the sylvania, \$416 : Randall, of Penneylvania, ice, beef ica, and rarely a broiled chop. LYING IN STATE.

> New Omnans, Pecember 7.-The remains of Jefferson Davis were viewed by thousands of people to-day. The Army of Southern Virginia's tomb, in Mettarie cemetery has been chosen as the temporary resting place. The arrangements for the funeral are spread in the West that Mr. Reed is not being perfected and nothing will be lacking to make the demonstration one of the most

sound upon the tariff. Nothing could be more erroneous, as his speech against the eventful of its kind in the history of the the promptness with which the members Mills bill fully attests. He is in perfect ac south. Orion Frazer, of Atlanta, has made cord with the Republican principle of pro- a mark of Mr. Davis' face for a statue to be erected here. The sword worn by Mr. Da-

D. C. :

Philadelphia Record : A brave nation of vis in the Black Hawk war will be buried 60,000 000 people, miniful of the rights of with him. Governor Lowry, of Mississippi, others and jealous of its own, needs no has issued a proclamation unging the citielaborate system of coast defenses to meet | zens of the state to join in memorial services the more or less remote contingency of for- on the day of the futteral. eign war. Antual war would be less destruct- ROOTE Q. MILLS OLDERFIES JEFFERSON DATES ive and calamitous than would be the perpet-AND INSULTS THE NATION.

ual drain upon the country's resources in making preparations for an event that is not

likely to occur in this generation. New York Press: The London papers, so far as they have commented on President Harrison's message give it no indorsement beyond the extradition proposal. This is not unexpected. It is a thoroughly American decument. It was not written for Great guests, although many of them lost their organs of English opinion, nor yet to English statesmi

St. Louis Giobe Democrat : The message as a whole is a clear, strong, and houest docublers who imagined that they had enc- ment. On controverted points it is generally cereled in scaring the President from the in line with the proclamation of principles Republican policy of remembering the laid down in the Republican National platclaims of the old Union army, did. not form, and will meet with the favor of the know the man they had to deal with. majority of the members of the party. Even The pledges made from 1861-1863 were those who do not agree with it on partisan sacred pieles that no patriotic man can questions will cancele that the utterance is able, vigorous, and candid, and eminently worthy of the exalted office from which it

New York Press: Governor Foraker is Hon. Jefferson Davis, at one time Secretary certainly entitled to be presumed innocent of War of the United States, died in this of the charge of guilty knowledged of the city yestenday. His foneral will take place Campbell forgery until the contrary can be here on December 11 at 12 o'clock noon. proved, if ever. That the contrary ever will be proved may well be doubted since the Governor, in a card to the public, explicity in response thereto, Secretary Proctor to

denies any knowledge of the forgery previous night sent the following message : to Mr. Halstead's retraction, and shows that he was grossly imposed upon by Wood. geant-at-Arms of the House of Repre- Nobody who ever saw Joseph B. Forsker's Hon. James A. Shakespeare, Mayne New Oropen, manly face believes that he is guilty of anything like complicity in a forgery, and an Ohio Democrat at that, and was Such a thing is wholly un Forakerijke. New York Mail and Express-Jefferson Davis is dead : The rebellion which he led

> where he has been worshiped as the chief champion of the false doctrines that justified secession as a "State right." The form which secession as a "State right." The form which pression or intimidation of the suffrage. A Pensions for Dependent Soldiers. Republican Congress will legislate fearlessly WASHINGTON, Dec. 4 .- Senator Mandemon

and efficiently for the maintenance of the Constitutional guarantees that were the price paid by the people of those States where armed rebellion had raged for universal amnesty. And the President will enforce this legislation with rigor and vigor and fearlessness

### Fusilade in a Court Room.

on the pension rolls, regardless of the cause MARSHALD, TEX., Dec. 6 - During a pre- of the deatij of the pensioner, the children's liminary trial for the custody of the children pension to be at the rate of \$5 instead of \$2 in the divorce case of Keller vs. Keller in a month, and insane and helpless children of Congress and complained and showed his cripples body. The outcome of his was shot and mortally wounded. W. H.

Silcott, the Absconder

On the evening of November 4 they met WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, December 8. on the street and Carter at once open 21 fice on Mathews. Two bullets took effect in

Mathewsbody crusing death in a few hours. It is said Carter had a brother who way hang Your telegram informing me of the death of Mr. Davis is received. In refraining from any official action thereon, 1 would not, and hope I do not, add to the great sorrow of his ed in Pittsburgh a few years ago, and that he has two brothers still in that city .

family and many friends. It seems to me the right course and the best one for all. You will, I am sure, understand that its Administrator's Sale - OF

> Valuable Real Estate. REPITELD PROCTOR. Secretary of War.

Boat of the Ophane' Court of Somerset County Fa. to the under-igned directed, we will expose to public sale on the premises, on eintroduced to-day a bill provididing that all persons who served three months or more in the war and are disabled from any cause Tuesday, January 7, 1890,

not the result of their own vicious habits and are without adequate means of self-support, shall be entitled to a pension at the

at one o'clock in the afterneon, the following de-scribed real estate, lake the property of Perer Walter, doe'd, viz: A piece or parcel of land situate in Milford Township, Somernet County, PA., adjoining lands of Henry Barkman, John Coleman, Gillian A. Walter on Wan, Meyers restaining. rate of \$12 a month, and that dependent parents, widows and children shall be placed 243 ACRES, 243 and ninety dix perches (36) more or less, having

- Dwelling House, -





is no useas it will not cure, the troth of section because clear. No person uniterin any blowd, chronic or contogious discu-dista day pass without getting and rea-to interesting book, which will be give or mailed from. The gentlemen connector this countary are well known business me efforts to please its subscribers. New features will be added to its regular dep ments, including first-class

ILLUSTRATIONS.\_\_\_\_

