THE tariff bill will soon be put in rel is folly of the most dangerous sort. operation, and in such shape that it can not fail to prove of great benefit to the business interests of the whole

FIFTEEN thousand members of the Grand Army of the Republic have peti-

are not yet in.

CANADIANS threaten a retaliatory tariff. They are at liberty to go ahead, Canadians can shape the legislation of this republic of 70,000,000.

Some of the Democratic papers are already worried about the size of the probable surplus under the Dingley bill. The compliment to the Republicans is neat, though unintentional. THE second trial of the Methodist

preacher-editor, Dr. Swallow, for libel, on a charge brought by Capt. John C. Delaney, was concluded last Thursday, and resulted in a verdict of guilty. A BANKRUPTCY bill that will work

fairness to all and injury to none would be of great benefit to the business interests of the country. When such a bill will be passed by Congress and become a law remains to be seen. PRESIDENT MCKINLEY is a strong

and hearty man. Since he has been in the White House he has stood more than one test of physical endurance, and stood it well. He is the right sort of a man for president, with a strong get over it the best way they can. mind in a strong body.

SENATORS Quay and Penrose each scored a point Monday, the latter in securing the appointment of Mr. Charlemagne Tower, Jr., as Minister to Austria, and the former that of ex-Representative Shallenberger as Second Assistant Postmaster General. These are the only important appointments that the state which gave President McKinley 300,000 majority has received up to date. But, "There are others,"

THE blockade which has been established around Crete may be "pacific" ing the battles of the "great assassin," not what the people who pay the taxes to support these governments want, but to the question, "What are they going

WHEN such a paper as the Providence Journal announces that the cotton manufacturers of that section have become convinced that the South will New England investment.

their grain in the near future. The vast shipments of grain abroad in the past few months show an increased deand other costly instrumentalities for the mand for that article by foreign consumers, and when the new reciprocity feature of the Dingley bill goes into o'the states it has long been the practice effect it will give to our grain, as well of the courts to do substantially what as other products, such an advantage th's North Dakota law call for. They in tariff rates abroad as to make a market for that enormous production of our agricultural area far in excess of form to the evidence. This rule should anything ever before known.

THE report that four Democrats in was set up. Then scarcely anybody read the House-three from Louisiana and anything concerning current events, for one from Texas—will vote for the tariff the newspaper was unknown. Now all bill is probably true. There is a strong likelihood, too, that some Democratic votes will be had for it in the Senate, is modified in one or the other direction where they would "count" for more by every scrap of additional information than they can in the other branch. In touching the matter. any case, the bill is reasonably sure to get all the votes in the Senate which it needs. The favor which Democratic papers in various parts of the country are showing for the tariff indicates that the measure will go through the Senate without much trouble.

EVERYTHING except silver seems to be strong in the markets these days. Silver is down close to the lowest paint it ever reached, with no sign of an advance in sight. Its condition in this Judgment Notes, Memorandums in fact respect resembles that of the party all styles, kinds and qualities of blank which championed it last year-that is, the silver coin, like the silver party, is worth less than half what it pretends | Books for Township Supervisors, Blank to be worth. Everybody would be glad books for everybody. to see silver twice as high as it is now, yet everybody with brains knows that the party which tried to boom it hurt it. That party's extravagances and follies destroyed all chances which its intelligent friends ever had of inveigling who gives an engagement ring to a girl the country to "do something for sil- under age cannot recover the ring if the they were about to meet a tragic death, ver" in the future.

THE legislature now in session in choosing a senator, but a deadlock has which she had broken. been the result since the first day it The Supreme Court reversed this and disturb the factions, each of which is return the ring, according to engagement befor his execution, on April 22 next. more interested in electing its man ethics. than in combining against the enemy. It has been decided quite often in recent years that an appointment of a

which the country wants disposed of. nal.

The election of a Republican senator from Kentucky without further delay the national campaign was a hard one in Kentucky, but it was won, and To jeopardize all the fruits of that great victory by continuing a factional quar-

That Investigation.

From the Harrisburg Telegraph. Those people who were clamoring fo an investigation of the State Treasury and Auditor General's Departments have secured their investigation-a very caretioned the legislature of Pennsylvania ful and exhaustive one, by the wayto prohibit the sale of liquor on Memo- and have discovered that the funds of the State are intact, that the State has not lost a cent under the present or any other Over two thousand women register- State Treasurer and Auditor General; ed in Fort Scott, Kansas, and on electhat the financial system of the State is tion day worked hard for their candid- perfect; that the State Treasurer has work ates. All the returns of the casualties | for several more clerks if it had pay for them; that the Auditor General, working along new lines that require a great deal of assistance, has been forced to do his work short-handed, and did it so well \$1,000,000. that he collected \$900,000 delinquent any other things that were of moment, but they did not find what the people who demanded the investigation wanted and that was that there is crookedness in the handling of the State's funds. The to 13 yeas. The senatorial patriots con ommittee recommends that there be an creased force in the financial departents, and that there be six depositories State funds in the State, three in Phildelphia, two in Allegheny and one in

Intelligent Jurers. In an article on intelligence in the jury ox the Washington Post says: As a sample of the wisest and most progressive legislation that the winter has produced in any part of the country we elect an act passed by the solons of North Dakota. It is a law providing that no person shall be disqualified as a juryman because of having expressed or prove the character of juries in that state by rendering it possible to secure inteli cent citizens for jury duty. The plain fact is that every person who reads the newspapers has formed an opinion to any that sort of a blockade for Greece, as no intelligent person ever has an opinion her sunken vessel of a few days ago of such a case that is fixed beyond the discovered. The big powers are fight- power of change, "If the facts are as stated in the papers, or by common as Gladstone calls the Sultan. This is rumor," the intelligent citizens thinks "the accused is guilty." But his mind is in a receptive condition, and if the evidence disproves reports and establishes until the people give a definite answer a reasonable doubt, he is ready to acquit. The law requires that a case shall be to do about it?" the governments will decided according to the evidence pre-

sented to the jury. The more intelligent the juror, the greater his capacity for free ing his mind from all extraneous in fluences and applying to a case none of the reports or rumors that he may have heard. An innocent defendant has less to fear from intelligence than from ignotake possession of that industry, and rance and stolidity in the jury box. It is that "there is now a movement to man-th; guilty man-almost invariableufacture goods of which linen is the whose counsel tries to sift out the better only or a partial constituent in New class of citizens drafted for jury service, England," it is evident that the good and gets as many ignorant men as possitimes which the South has so long an- ble among the twelve who are to try his ticipated will soon be coming, and that client The law of all the states give to each of which is to be in charge of a good treat her properly. She complained that with them will be many millions of persons charged with crime all the adafety of society. To permit the lawyers to shut out the reading men, and fill the to find a greatly improved market for jury boxes with men of so low an intelthink, is a policy calculated to foster

crime and create disrespect for the courts

In the District of Columbia and some d) not exclude a proposed juror for having formed an opinion, provided he appears to be willing to change it to conbe universally adopted, for the conditions have changed since the old rule men who are fit to sit on a jury read the papers, and, as we have said, they form a conditional opinion-an opinion that

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CHAS. H. FISHER.

Law on Engagement Rings. Court to-day decided that a young man miss refuses to wed. Philip Stromberg gave an \$80 diamond sparkler to Carrie al weeks. Rubenstein when he popped and was Kentucky for the purpose of electing a Schiskel and sold the diamond. She was United States senator does not appear 19 years old and Philip sued her for the ring. A lower Court gave him judg vious struggle. The body was called ment, on the ground that the gift was together for the express purpose of previsional on the promise of marriage,

senator by the governor, when the leg- dye. It should be diluted to the proper their execution, applies, of course, to all the sum to be paid to Pennsylvania shall islature failed to do its duty, will not hold in the Senate. That body is the hold in the Senate. That body is the ticularly appropriate, but a variety is a few days ahead of all other measures, introduced a bill to rate the disabilities of all soldiers and sailors that are equivajudge of the qualifications of its mempleasing-red, pink, blue, pale yellow was to make sure that the man who in a all soldiers and sailors that are equivabers. The recent contests in Oregon and purple. Eggs can be boiled hard fit of jealous rage so wantonly murdered lent to the loss of a hand or foot at \$50 a and Delaware should be of some value and painted in water colors with a single the confiding a tress, Madge Yorke in month. This bill, if passed, would affect to the Kentuckians. There are several spring flower, as a primrose, or a butter- Philadelphia, might not die without re- 21,000 pensioners, who now get only \$24 contests awaiting disposition by the fly, also a symbol of the resurrection, celving all the final attentions to which a month, and give them \$125,000 a month Senate committee. Owing to the make- They should be arranged in nests of moss. his friends considered him entitled. up of that body at present, it is not pos- German children believe that the Easter sible to organize it so that the majority | eggs are laid by bares, so representations

News From the State Capital.

A bill was introduced in the house is the imperative duty of the legisla- Thursday by Mr. Jeffries to provide for a ture. It would be a disgrace upon the building commission to erect a new capimajority if factional quarrels should tol. The measure authorizes the govern open the way for the return of Black- or, auditor general and state treasurer, who constitute the commission, to ask ourn. The fight for sound money in for competitive bids and specification for a modern building from architects citizens and residents of Pennsylvania, Blackburn and his allies, the free sil- to be submitted within thirty days after verites, were over brown, it was hoped it becomes a law. The commission shall at that time, for good. It was an agree- select five of the best plans which shall become the property of the state and they shall pay for those selected by di-

cost of the building into equal parts and giving to each architect an equal share. From the five plans selected the comnission shall select an architect who shall superintend the erection of the building, for which he shall receive four and one-half per cent, of the cost of the work from builders who are citizens of Pennsylvania. The bids shall be received some time. at a fixed time and shall be opened in public and scheduled and the contract awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, who shall give proper security for vember 1, 1898. The entire work done upon the building shall be by citizens of possible, used in the construction shall be | quietly shaping themselves. secured in Pennsylvania. The cost of erecting the building shall not exceed

A new legislative apportionment bil ly behind in their accounts; that while was introduced by Mr. Patterson, of the force in the department has been Blair, Allegheny county gains four memincreased by the addition of a couple of bers, Cambria, Lackawanna, Blair, Jefclerks in the past ten years, yet the num- ferson, Clearfield and Luzerne one each, ber of corporations that are now doing while the counties of Adams, Chester, business runs into thousands, and it is a Crawford, Lawrence, Somerset, Bedford, matter of constant effort to keep business | Clarion, Huntingdon, Mercer, Wayne, up to date. The committee found a good | Bradford, Columbia, Lancaster and Schuylkill each lose a member.

> The bill to prohibit treating to intoxicating liquor was killed by a vote of 22 sidered this bill un-American.

By a vote of 92 to 78 the house killed a in the state from six to seven months Harrisburg, each of them to pay two per | This measure has been up at every ses cent. on all deposits of State funds. That sion for ten years and has always been is about the sum and substance of the knocked out by the rural members. munittee's report. If it satisfies the Twelve years ago the term was increased riends of the State Treasurer and the from five to six months and no legisla Auditor General they have no reason to tion on this point has since been enacted. omplain, and if the suspicious people Mr. Hermann, of Snyder, led the oppowho are always wanting some kind of an sition yesterday and won after a hard investigation do not like it-well, really, fight. The bill was called up for third it can not be helped. They will have to reading and final passage by Chairman Hammond, of the education committe

The joint committee appointed to inand the auditor general made its report Tuesday. The report practically exonerates the state treasurer and auditor gen- gates would be Anti-Combiners anyway. eral from the charges of mismanagement which have been made against their offi- were given no direct promise of Federal ing to holidays in the following particuces. Whatever effects were found were ascribed to an insufficient clerical force stand that they would receive fair treat- made a legal holiday. This is February and to faults in the systems under which ment from Senators Penrose and Quay. election day. Labor day is the first Monthe departments are managed. The house accepted both reports, but took no to break from the Combine, and Martin urday now observed. This is to conform vote on the question of adoption.

The jury in the case of the soldiers' orphans' school commission against Rev. Dr. Swallow, editor of the Pennsylvania as regards Turkey, but it has not been and every important criminal case; but Methodist, charged with criminal libel, returned a verdict of not guilty, but directed the defendant to pay the costs,

> At a meeting of the "Seventy-six," Thursday night, Senator William Flinn offered a resolution calling on John Wanamaker to become a candidate for State Treasurer, and it was unanimously

The good roads bill drafted by John ed by the supervisors to direct repairs to from various quarters of the globe. the roads. Their shall also be a treasurer of the board of supervisors who shall relieve the board from all clerical work just as the roadmaster relieves the supervi-Inder the new law the townships will be districted into sections of twenty miles vantages that are consistent with the that reports to him and acts upon instruc- seize her and place her in a large bureau tions received from time to time from the

Rockwood Normal.

A normal and intermediate school will e opened at Rockwood, April 26, 1897. For full information address O. O. SAYLOR

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Married Them Up a Tree.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., March 25.-Miss sickness will give way to cheerful looks Lizzie Swanger and Harry Bangler, her produced by renewed health. If you are everybody needing blank books of any accepted suitor, quarreled at a party held drifting on the coast of disease, throw an kind will find a large stock and great va- at a neighbor's house, near Montrose. anchor to windward by summoning the Shortly before midnight they returned to Bitters to your assistance. It will keep their homes. They were accompanied you in safety. by the Rev. W. Hunter. The party had occasion to pass through

a field. Here they were pursued by a fu-

rious bull and all three took to a tree. Miss Swanger climbed one tree and floral wreath from the White House con-Bangler and the minister the adjoining The infuriated bull ran around and received to-day by the family of Brakearound the tree, bellowing and throwing man William Painter, who died here on

the earth in the air. The trio remained Tuesday from injuries received at the up the tree nearly an hour and no relief Union Depot, Pittsburg, when the inaugame. The bull still stood guard. Thinking this an excellent time to reconcile the couple the minister began. His work was done, however, almost beerowd that was thronging McKinley's fore he had begun. The couple desired train.

and the minister married them. Bangler had had a license in his pocket for sever-Looking glasses, all sizes in stock or to order, can be had at the right price at SNYDER'S ART STORE.

to be married then and there, thinking

Permitted to Visit Gentry. HARRISBURG, Pa., March 26,-After one of the most remarkable fights in bemet. Owing to the long and emprofit. says that as the girl was under legal age half of the convicted murderer, actor able fight of the former body, the state her promise of marriage could neither be James B. Gentry, a new law has been enforced or action for breach of promise hurried through the Legislature, and was has had but one representative in the had against her, and that as Philip, to-day signed by Governor Hasting, per-Senate, but that fact does not seem to therefore, had to rely on her honor to mitting visitors to see the doomed actor The new act, which amends the musty

old law of 1835, that forbade even counsel to see prisoners convicted of capital called into service by the proclamation Easter eggs can be colored with aniline cases, within a specified period before of June 15, 1833. The bill provides that

"For three years I suffered from Salt of this little animal are often placed on Rheum. It covered my hand to such an them, or near them. Painted butterflies, extent that I could not wash them. Two elties in Japan, German and English The Senate has a great deal of important matter before it just now, over the nest.-April Ladies' Home Jour- me." Libbie Young, Popes Mills, St. lower prices than ever before. Call at Lawrence County, N. Y.

THE COMBINE UNDONE.

Senater Quay Makes a Deal With Philadelphia Leaders.

A Saturday's telegram from Philadel phia says: David Martin has been served with formal notice that he cannot control the delegates from this city to the next State convention. Of the eightyeight men who will form Philadelphia's representation in the convention fully sixty, if not seventy or more, will be friends of Senator Quay and will favor the nomination of the candidates for viding one-half of one per cent. of the State Treasurer and Auditor-General that

have the support of the man from Beaver. This means the collapse of the anti-Quay fight in the State, Without an almost solid delegation from this city aided by the Combine adherents of Magee and Flinn in the western end of the State those who seek to down Quay would building. The commissioners shall advertise thirty days for bids for the entire s break in the Philadelphia end of the Combine was near has been apparent for The beginning of the end was for

shadowed when Leaders Patton, Anderson, McNichol and Klemmer went to Florida to consult with Senator Quay. the completion of the work before No- At that time it was announced that it was probable that important developments in keep them closed until 6 o'clock in the State politics would be the outcome of Pennsylvania and all materials, so far as the trip. Since then events have been

NOTICE TO MARTIN. Yesterday the news leaked out the this delegation of leaders with several others had formally informed David Martin that in the fature his orders Coal Company. The Company expects would not be recognized. The ward to open seven mines in that locality, and leaders said that they would continue to Mr. Hite has all the work in charge .support the administration in local affairs, but in State and national politics they would be for Quay. Inci lentally it was also intimated to Mr. Martin that in the future the Mayor would be recognized as the leader in municipal matters. This practically relegates Mr. Martin to the osition of a mere ward leader.

cided that they could not. Unusual in-It is said that the news was conveyed terest was centered in the case and the to Mr. Martin by Select Councilman Patton. None of those in the deal would talk about the matter last night. When asked for an affirmation or a denial the answer was invariably a quiet smile and who keep bottles of cocktails on their ill increasing the minimum school term | a request that they be excused from talking. The deal is quite comprehensive in

its character. It is said to include Robert J. Moore, of the Fourth ward: Select Councilman Anderson, of the Sixth and Tenth; Select Councilman Klemmer, of the Eleventh: Health Officer Stulb, of the Twelfth; Clerk of Quarter Sessions Abern, of the Thirteenth, and County Commissioner Wildemore, of the Fourteenth wards. Select Conneilman McCoach of the Thirtieth ward, is not as yet included in the arrangement, but he will in all probab il ity act with the other leaders. Not in- the indorsement af the Governor and vestigate the offices of the state treasurer | cluding McCoach, these leaders control thirteen delegates to the State Convention. Aside from these at least fifty dele-

It is said that in return the leaders patronage, but they were given to under- lars: The third Tuesday of February is worst other ward leaders are also reads will be lucky if he can secure twelve to laws of other states. When the 30th of delegates by the time the convention rolls | May falls on Sunday, the day succeeding,

Great Storm at Sea.

Terrible tales of disaster and suffering a legal holiday. ome from the sea, following close upon the violent storms that raged. About 200 lives have been lost, and the end of this Hill, Ind., last week. The boys were frightful narrative is not yet in sight. twins, twenty-two years old, and mem-The steamer St. Nazare went down off bers of a prominent and wealthy family. Hatteras, and 78 people were lost. Some Miss Higgs, over whom they fought, is of those who escaped became erazed in the daughter of one of the wealthiest the little boats, and in their madness umped out into the sea. Only four perons out of 82 were saved. The steamer struck each other, when Calvin drew a Utrecht, from Rotterdam to Japan is Hamilton, deputy secretary of agricult- thought to have foundered, and 100 lives ure, and now in the legislative mill, lost. The steamer Rialto, of the Wilson aims to secure efficient work from the Line, was blown up at sea on March 3 citizens who work out their road tax by and went to the bottom. Only one man placing over them a roadmaster appoint- was lost. Other disasters are reported

Kept His Wife in a Drawer.

PATERSON, N. J., March 26.-Mrs. sors from the work of directing repairs. John Vanderstadt yesterday appeared before Justice Levy and asked him to summon her husband and warn him to common laborer, who directs the labor her husband, when he felt like it, would drawer. He had bored holes in the back of the bureau to allow the passage of air, and when he put his wife in the drawer he would lock it keeping her there in some instances as long as five hours, Mrs. Vanderstadt said he was not of a puarrelsome nature, and that he looked upon the affair as a joke. When Vanderstadt appeared before the Justice he promised not to repeat his performance, and as his wife did not want him punished he was allowed to go.

Beaming With Smiles Are the countenances of people who have found speedy and thorough relief from malarial, kidney, bilious, dyspeptic or nervous troubles through the aid of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. Such countenances are very numerous. So are letters from their owners attesting the efficacy of the great family medicine. Among the signals of distress thrown out by the stomach, bowels and liver in a state of disorder, are sick headache, heartburn, nausea, loss of appetite, sallowness of the skin and eyeballs, and an uncertain state of the bowels. They should be heeded at once. If the Bitters are resorted to, the woe-begone look which accompanies

Wreath Sent by McKinley. ALTOONA, Pa., March 25.-A beautiful dolence from President McKinley, were ural train pulled in. Painter was fatally injured through being crushed against a post by the

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Pennsylvania Legislation.

Washington, D. C., March 25.-Senator Penrose to day re-introduced the bill put in last session by Senator Quay to indemnify the State of Pennsylvania for money expended in 1864 for the militia

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Inauguration Travel. News Items Mrs. Sarah I. Brown, who died recent-Inauguration business of the B. & C

une of \$60,000 to Methodist charities.

Contractor M. C. Hite, who has done

An important case has just been decid-

ed by Judge McComas of Washington D.

C. It involved the question of whether

the heirs of a suicide could collect his in-

surance from the Knights Templars and

Masons Indemnity company. It was de-

ruling may have an important bearing

Commissioner of Internal Revenue

Foreman has decided that saloonkeepers

shelves for sale to travelers and others

witl be obliged to pay a rectifier's license

of \$100 a year. The ruling will not ap-

ply to cocktails manufactured in the pres

ence of the purchaser and put up in bot-

The venerable but vigorous Hon.

icorge V. Lawrence, of Washington

county, who is nearly eighty years old,

but erect and alert as if he was but fifty,

is in the National Capital looking after

his fences for the Marshalship of the

Western District. The ex-Legislator has

other State officials, members of the Leg-

islature, and members of Congress rep

In the state senate an act was passed

finally changing the existing laws relat-

Monday, is made Memorial day, instead

of Saturday, as under the existing law.

February 12, Lincoln's birthday, is made

George and Calvin Holmes, brother s

fought a duel to the death near Moore's

Calvin is wounded over the heart.

depot to her hotel, and the injury to her

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South Fork Record.

ly at Bloomsburg, Pa., gave all her fortwas not as large this year as it was four years ago, and the same holds true for the other Railroads. From all that can State Factory Inspector James Campbe ascertained the B. & O. handled more bell says that there are 100,000 more people employed in Pennsylvania now than people into Washington than any other Railroad entering that city, and General Fassenger Agent Scall has figured that The Tennessee legislature has passed a bill making whitecapping a felony, pun- 34,000 tickets were sold. Of this number fully 18,000 were sold in Bultimore on the ishable by imprisonment in the penitenmorning of March 4h. D. F. Maroney, tiary for not less than three nor more than Superintendent or Transportation, reports that commencing on the morning of aware of the fact that there is a law al- March 1st and ending at 3.30 p. m. March 4th, exclusive, the B. & O. ran into Washlowing farmers a certain deduction in ington 154 scheduled trains with 128 extheir road tax when they use wagons of tra cars, and 108 special trains with 771 4 inch tire for hauling loads over one ton. cars. The number of trains leaving Distinct earthquake shocks were felt in Washington was practically the same several parts of Canada, on Tuesday and it is supposed that fully 30,000 of the evening. At Montreal, Quebec, they people who went in came out before lasted about fifteen seconds, and at Mor-March 6th, making the total bandling of risburg, Ontario, from thirty to fifty secabout 64,000 people for the inauguration. Most of this travel was from the east and Judge Martin Bell has filed his decisions a very small proportion from points west in the Blair County liquor license, Sixtyof the Ohio River, it being quite evident six licenses were granted, ten applicathat the high rate of fare deterred many from coming, and the short limit on the tions refused, and five were held over. The successful ones were admonished to tickets also seriously effected business. discourage the bucket trade and to close

their bars at 11 o'clock each night and During the inauguration the B. & O. tested very severely the use of two conductors on excursion and other heavily loaded trains. The Operating Departconsiderable excavating about South ment reports that the innovation was Fork during the past two months, departsuccessful to a marked degree, and some ed on Monday morning, with a large 65,000 people were handled in a very force of men, for Scalp Level, where he short space of time without a single accihas the contract for the Berwind-White dent to a passenger.

> The Only One To Stand the Test.

Rev. William Copp, whose father was a physician for over fifty years, in New Jersey, and who himself spent many years preparing for the practice of medicine, but subsequently entered the ministry of the M. E. Church, writes: "I am glad to testify that I have had analyzed all the sarsaparilla preparations known in the trade, but

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it, as I consider it the safest as well as the best to be had."-WM. Corr, Pastor M. E. Church, Jackson, Minn. Sarsaparilla

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families in the county. The brothers met in the road. They quarreled and No. 21-ready about April 10-will be ne of the largest and most complete revolver and fired. Several shots were mail order guides we've ever publishedexchanged, when George dropped dead. over 150 pages in the book-prices of everything we sell-pictures of the goods The Kentucky Court of Appeals has afon almost every page-every suggestion firmed the decision of the lower Court, and bit of information that will help giving the once famous actress-Pauline make buying here satisfactory and profit Markham-\$6,000 damages for a broken able to you, no matter where you live. leg, sustained at Louisville four years ago | Send your address and we'll mail you a She fell into a cellar while going from the copy free, postpaid.

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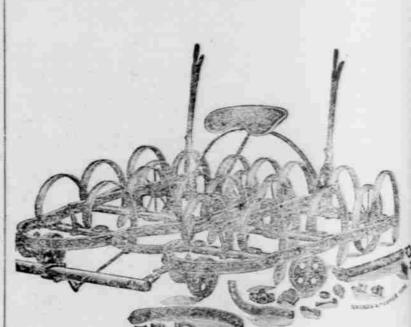
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