a paisance to the Hon. B. H. Bristow, ex-century of the treasury, was given in Boston by friends and admirers. Over 150 persons were present, and addresses were delivered by Mr. Bristow, Hon. Marshal Jewell, General oseph Hawley, R. H. Dana, Jr., Mayor Pierce

The boot and shoe factory of Powers, Gastor & Co., of New York, failed for \$260,000; and the firm of George L. Watrous & Co., hat job-bers, with liabilities amounting to nearly

A three-story wooden block in Lowell, Mass., was destroyed by fire, and damage done to the extent of about \$43,000, on which there is a partial insurance.

A mill for the manufacture of trade do'lars was found in full operation in Philadelphia by United States secret service officers. At Jamestown, N. Y., I. M. Brown, aged sixty, a respected resident, hanged himself in

At Shenandoah, Pa., a Mr. Allen, died from

the effects of a dog s bite several weeks after he had been bitten. The New Jersey editorial convention met at

Trenton and elec ed officers. The secretary's report shows that there are twenty-one dailies and 144 weekly papers in the State.

Five prisoners escaped from the Charlestown (Mass.) prison by boring through the wall and getting upon the roof, from which they descended by a rope to an open held in the north wide of the water. side of the prison.

At Reading, Pa., Jacob and John Huntzinger, father and son, late president and cashier of the Miners' Trust Company of Pottsville, found guilty of defranding a depositor out of \$29,000, were sentenced each to two years' imprisonment, to pay a fine of \$500, and to make full restitution to the prosecutor. Fires: The Ontario flouring mill at Oswego,

Fires: The Ontario flouring mill at Oswego, N. I., was burned, and a loss incurred of about \$50,000, on which the insurance is about \$40,000; at Westfield, Vt., C. Reed & Son's boot and shoe establishment went down before the flames, the loss being about \$12,000; and at Poultney, Vt., J. E. Raudall's store and several adjoining buildings were destroyed, with an estimated loss of \$20,000, on which there is a partial insurance.

The suspension of two Philadelphia leather houses was followed closely by the failure of eight other firms in the same business, with total liabilities amounting to about \$1,500,000. Of this sum the firm of F. & C. Stokes, who carried paper for the nine other houses, owe approach.

A memorial service in honor of the late Samuel Bowles was held in the Church of the Unity, Springfield Mass, and was attended by Governor Rice and others prominent in politics and journalism. Addresses were delivered by Dr. J. G. Holland, Charles Francis Adams, Jr., and others, and letters were read from Secre-tary Schurz. Senator Dawes, etc.

Another heavy gale, with the coldest weather of the season, prevailed along the Atlantic coast and did considerable damage to the ship-

The cashier of the National State Bank of Newark, N. J., has been suspended by the president of the institution for irregularities onnected with his office.

The Connecticut House of Representatives has passed a resolution in opposition to the Bland silver bill and in favor of a resumption of specie payments.

Western and Southern States. James B. Groome was elected to the United States Senate from Maryland to succeed George R. Dennis, whose term expires March 4, 1879.

The four members of the Louisiana returnboard have been arraigned in the superior court at New Orleans on the charge of forging the returns from Vernon parish.

At a large meeting in the capitol at Atlanta, Ga., presided over by Mayor Augler, the repeal of the resumption act and the remonetization of silver was demanded. Resolutions have been passed by the chamber of commerce of Charleston, S. C., favoring the

resumption of specie payments and opposed to the remonetization of silver. The Ohio Senate has adopted a resolution favoring the Bland silver bill. At Plymouth, N. C., Arden A. Nelson (colored) was hanged for the murder of John N.

A body of Indians made a raid into Mason county, Texas, killed several persons and car-ried off a large quantity of live stock. United

States troops and Texan rangers were sent in Eleven firemen were injured, more or less severely, by the falling of a wall during a fire at Carrollton, Ill, which destroyed five business

The Buchanan Bank of St. Joseph. Mo., has made an assignment in favor of its depositors. The wholesale paint, glass and oil firm of Page

& Sprague, Chicago, have failed for nearly It has been decided by the State supreme t of South Carolina that the circuit judges

the State must be elected by ballot instead viva roce, and this decision unseats all the ait judges except two. Platt, Hubbell & Co., the largest mercantile and J. J. Jones, a wealthy farmer and stock alser of western Missouri, made an assignation being \$50,000.

A carriage containing four persons was struck a railroad train at a crossing in Milwaukee, and Franz Falk and Miss Helen Jacobs, were engaged to be married to each other ere instantly killed, while a sister of the lady as severely injured.

The cylinder of a calcium light packed in se flies of the Halifax street theater. Baltiwe, exploded just before the beginning of a stinee performance. Four or five employes of s theater were injured by the explosion, and ic was imminent among the andience, but nately quiet was restored before anybody

From Washington.

the House committee on appropriations have at the pay of letter carriers at \$800 and 900 per annum for first and second class aries, the latter to apply to cities containing 75,000 inhabitants.

d. a cabinet meeting the President an-need his inten ion to send to Congress a seage on the subject of Chinese immigra-

During a discussion in the House regarding bill for the relief of W. H. N wman for proty destroyed at Alexandria, Va., in the war, z. Jones, of Ohio, sent up to the clerk's desk and had Samuel J. Tilden's letter of acceptage of the presidential nomination read. The iscussion that followed was wound up by expresentative Mills, of Texas, who said that ir. Tilden would never again be the Demoratic candidate for President.

A meeting of prominent business men from I parts of the United States will be held in sehing on soon for the purpose of discussing se question of how to restore American comree and to urge Congress to take steps leadone-cent eating house has been opened in

meeting was held by the silver and anti-imption members of the House for the pur-of consulting as to the best methods of using the remonetization of silver and the seal of the resumption act. Speeches were by Mesurs. Eving, of Ohio, and Butler, Massachusetts, and an executive committee seven was appointed for the purpose of urthering the object of the meeting.

A grand mass in memory of the late king of laly was celebrated in the leading Catholic burch of Washington. The President, cab-net, supreme court justices, Senaturs, Repre-ciatatives and members of the diplomatic corps we present

In response to a resolution of the Senate the the actual cost of the war with the Nez Indians was \$931,329

Robert G. Ingereoll appeared before unittee of ways and means, having revision of the internal revenue ed in favor of the abolition of sage banks

Foreign News. The American residents in Rome have pre-sented an address to King Humbert of Haly through the Uni ed States ambassador. Queen Vic'oria's speech to parliament has

caused disappointment in Constantinople. The Egyptian obelisk (Cleopatra's needle) has arrived in London. A banquet to the African explorer, Stanley, was given in Paris.

The Russians have entered Adrianople, and it has been decided that the sultan and Turkish government quit Constantinopie as soon as the enemy a rives within twenty-five miles of that

A collision took place in the Mersey, off Liverpool, between the American ship Baring Brothers, from Norfolk, Va., and the Spanish steamship Ponce. The steamship was sunk and two of her crew drowned.

King Alfonso of Spain was married to his consin. the Princess Mercedes, daughter of the Duke de Montpensier, at Madrid The marriage ceremonies were of great splendor, and were followed by an imposing procession. Special envoys were present from many foreign courts, and the streets were crowded with people in holiday attire. Thousands of strangers were present in the city, which was bril lantly illuminated. The festivities were to continue five days and to include the national amusements of a grand buil fight, horse recommendations. riage ceremonies were of great splendor, and to continue five days and to include the national assumements of a grand bull fight, horse racing, a banquet to one thousand of the poor of the city, historical processions, etc. All children born on the marriage day are to be dowered. The bride is in her eighteenth year, and received \$5,000,000 as a marriage portion from her father, besides numerous magnificent jewels from her husband and relatives. The bridegroom is in his twenty-first year and is bridegroom is in his twenty-first year and is the son of ex-Queen Isabella.

CONGRESSIONAL SUMMARY.

A large number of petitions were presented by Senators Hoar. Wallace, Conkling, and others, remonstrating against any reduction in the duties on imports, and against the restoration of the duty on tes and coffee, all of which were referred to the committee on finance...

Mr. Cameron, of Pennsylvania, presented a bill anthorizing the coinage of the standard silver dollar, and providing that gold and silver

anthorizing the coinage of the standard silver dollar, and providing that gold and silver jointly, and not otherwise, shall be a full legal tender. Referred to the committee on finance ...Mr. Beck, of Kentucky, submitted a concurrent resolution declaring that it is unnecessary and inexpedient to impose taxes at this time asked for by the secretary of the treasury to provide \$37,000,000 for the sinking fund, and directing the secretary not to purchase any and directing the secretary not to purchase any more bonds for the liquidation of the public debt until directed to do so by Congress. The debt until directed to do so by Congress. The resolution was ordered to be printed.... At the expiration of the morning hour the Senate resumed consideration of the resolution of Mr. Matthews, declaring the right of the government to pay the bonds in silver, and Mr. Jones, of Florida, and Mr. Cockreil, of Missouri, spoke in favor thereof. Without reaching a vote the Senate adjourned. Senate adjourned.

Senate adjourned.

Petitions were presented for and against the remonetization of silver, the repeal of the resumption act and unguarded legislation on the tariff.... A resolution accepting the statue of William King, first governor of Maine, contributed by the State of Maine to the national collection of statuary, and returning the thanks of Congress to the people of that State for the contribution, was offered by Mr. Hamlin. Remarks on the life and character Remarks on the life and character of Mr. King were made by Messrs. Hamlin and Blaine, the latter, in his address, making al-

lusions to Massachusetts, to which the Senators from that State responded. Adjourned.

Mr. Blaine introduced a bill to authorize the coinage of silver dollars, and to make the same a legal tender to the amount of five dollars, and above that apport in a legal tender to the amount of five dollars, and above that amount in equal parts with gold. It was ordered to be printed... The resolution of Mr. Matthews to pay the principal and interest of the bonds in silver came up, and Mr. Cockrell, of Missouri, continued his remarks in favor of the resolution. Mr. Randolph, of New Jersey, spoke against the resolution. Adjourned. lution. Adjourned.

House. Bills were introduced and referred to proper committees: By Mr. Ketcham, of New York—Proposing an amendment to the constitution providing that no claim against the United States shall ever be paid unless the same shall have been presented to the proper tribunal within ten years from the time the claim shall have accrued. By Mr. Shallenberger, of Pennsylvania—Authorizing the coinage of the silver

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Dr. I. S. Johnson & Co., of Bangor, Maine, ing the coinage of the silver dollar and declaring gold and silver jointly, and not otherwise, to be a full legal tender. By Mr. Marsh, of Pennsylvania—For the transfer of the Indian bureau to the war department... A motion made by Mr. Southard, of Ohio, to suspend the rules and pass a bill making customs duties payable in green backs.

Ohio, to suspend the rules and pass a bill making customs duties payable in greenbacks after January, 1879, came up for a vote and was defeated—yeas 154, nays 96—pot two-thirds in the affirmative. Adjourned.

Mr. Ewing, of Ohio, from the committee on banking and currency, reported the resolution instructing that committee to ascertain the amount of gold and silver coin and bullion owned by the United States; the amount of bonds which have been sold by the secretary of the treasury for coin; the amount of gold and silver coin, bank-notes, and legal tenders held by banking institutions, and such other held by banking institutions, and such other facts; as will tend to inform the House when and by what method, it will be practicable and consistent with the public welfare to resume specie payments. Adopted ... The 'Senate joint resolution accepting from the State of Maine, the statue of its first governor, William King, was taken up and passed. Messrs. Five and Reed, of Maine, pronunced enlogies and then the House adjourned.

The steamboat bill was taken up in the House and discussed. A motion to exclude Chinese from employment as seamen on American steamships was debated and then withdrawn, steamships was debated and then withdrawn, the subject being already before a committee of the House... Eulogies on the late Senator Bogy were pronounced by Messrs. Cole, Hatcher, Rae and Chittenden of Missouri; Waddell of North Carolina; Philips, of Kansas; Knott of Kentucky; Sparks, of Illinois; Throckmorton, of Texas; Clark, of Missouri, and Ellis, of Louisiana. Adjourned.

The Bear Flag.

The history of the Bear Flag was recounted by John S. Hittell, at the last meeting of the San Francisco Pioneer Society. Captain J. C. Fremont, at the head of an exploring expedition sent out by the government of the United States, having entered California without leave of the Mexican government, was encamped at Mount Gablian in February, 1846, when a dispute arose between him and a native Californian about a horse the latter claimed as stolen. Freemont refused to surrender the horse, and defied the Mexican authorities, who had no troops that could safely attack the American riflemen. This defiance irritated the Mexicans, and threats were made against the American settlers. Fremont was invited by these settlers to declare war against Mexico, but declined to take so bold a step. The settlers organized themselves, and decided to anticipate an attack from the enemy. They captured Sonoma by a night attack, and thus started a revolution. "We must have a flag !" cried the riflemen. The wife of a settler supplied the muslin, and a house painter outlined a huge star, "Put in a grizzly!" suggested a rifle-man, and his comrades shouted, "Yes!" "Yes!" So the bear was painted standing nearly upright (his position when about to close with a formidable foe), facing the star, and beneath him were the words, "California Republic." The paint was obtained from a wheelright's shop, and the execution did not excel in artistic merit. The party had entered Sonoma early on the morning of Friday, June 12, and the flag was hoisted the same evening. On the 15th, Commander Ide issued a proclamation on behalf of the Republic of California,

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Gentlemen—I teel in dufy called upon voluntarily to give my teetimony in favor of DR. WISTAR'S BALBAM OF WILD CHERRY. I was taken sick last October with a lung complaint, ancompanied with a very serious cough; and after having been treated a number of weeks by the best physicians, they gave me over as an incurable case of Consumption, and for about air weeks my friends expected that I might dis any day, having entirely despaired of my recovery. At this time I read the advertisements and certificates of the WILD CHERRY BALSAM, and was induced to try it myself. I have taken five bottles, and from the commencement I have been gradually recovering. My cough has now entirely cased. I have regained my lean and strength, and am feeling quite well. I attribute the cure to DR WISTAR'S HALSAM OF WILD CHERRY, as I have taken no other medicine since I commenced taking that.

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W. H. JONES.

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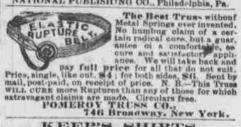
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