

THE public debt statement shows the decrease of the debt during month of February to be \$9,344,896.28.

NATIONAL buggars is what the Democratic free trade journals call the advocates of a protective tariff.

REPORTS from Tennessee state that the late cold weather has killed the peach crop, which was in full bloom.

THE veritable wagon in which John Brown carried runaway negroes from Missouri, and in which the ammunition used at Harper's Ferry by Brown's men were carried, has been sold to Herbert S. Farrall, editor of the Iowa City Republican, of West Liberty, Ia., who will put the old vehicle into use as an office delivery wagon.

DUKE the red-handed assassin and foul slanderer, taking his cue from the clearly expressed opinion of decent people, has refused to appear before the House for qualification.

CIRCULARS are being sent to soldiers in different sections of the country by Western agents, who set forth that for ten dollars 160 acres of good land can be secured without the formality of occupying it for four years, less the time of service in the army, as provided by law.

ERIE will this year expend \$72,900 for school purpose. A Pottstown thief stole the crepe from the door of a house.

AN effort is organizing to strike another blow at the standard monopoly, by building a pipe line to Pittsburgh and diverting traffic away from the Standard at Cleveland.

New Apportionment.

The Congressional apportionment bill passed by the Democrats of the House, or what is known as the Nicholson bill will go to the Senate this week.

SIXTH District—Chester and Delaware counties—Republican.

SEVENTH District—Montgomery and Lehigh counties—Democratic.

EIGHT District—Berks county—Democratic.

NINTH District—Lancaster county—Republican.

TENTH District—Northampton and Bucks counties—Democratic.

ELEVENTH District—Lackawanna, Wayne, Pike, Monroe and Wyoming counties—Democratic.

TWELFTH District—Luzerne and Carbon counties—Democratic.

THIRTEENTH District—Schuylkill and Columbia counties—Democratic.

FOURTEENTH District—Dauphin, Lebanon and Perry counties—Republican.

FIFTEENTH District—Bradford, Susquehanna, Tioga and Potter counties—Republican.

SIXTEENTH District—Lycoming, Sullivan, Northumberland, Montour and Snyder counties—Democratic.

SEVENTEENTH District—Franklin, Fulton, Bedford, Huntingdon, Mifflin and Juniata—Republican.

EIGHTEENTH District—Cambria, Somerset and Fayette—Democratic.

NINETEENTH District—York, Adams and Cumberland—Democratic.

TWENTIETH District—Clearfield, Centre, Union and Blair—Democratic.

TWENTY-FIRST District—Westmoreland, Green and Washington—Democratic.

TWENTY-SECOND District—Pittsburg Republican.

TWENTY-THIRD District—City of Allegheny and part of Allegheny county—Republican.

TWENTY-FOURTH District—Beaver, Lawrence and parts of Allegheny county—Republican.

TWENTY-FIFTH District—Clarion, Jefferson, Elk, McKean, Cameron and Clinton—Democratic.

TWENTY-SIXTH District—Butler, Armstrong, Indiana—Republican.

strong, Indiana—Republican. Twenty seventh District—Erie, and Crawford—Republican.

This makes fifteen Republican Districts, and thirteen Democratic.

THIS Legislature, with all the Democratic promises which have been so lavishly scattered about, seems to make no greater progress in legislation than others that have gone before.

THE one hundred days fixed by law as the limit, are nearly up, and but few bills have been passed, far fewer than had gone through at a corresponding date at the last session.

THE programme on the part of the Democratic leaders is to hurry through the appropriation bills and pass the Democratic apportionment in the House and send it to the Senate with all its iniquities.

THE Legislature can sit sixty days in extra session, and as the full time allowed will doubtless be spent in fruitless attempts to get up a satisfactory apportionment, the reform members of the present House will be able at the end of their labors to pocket \$1,600 of salary, which is more than has been paid to the members of any General Assembly since the provisions of the new Constitution requiring biennial sessions went into effect.

STATE NOTES.

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Berks county has three thousand surviving veterans of the late war.

Miss Lizzie Nutt is receiving letters of sympathy from all parts of the country.

During last week the Pennsylvania railroad carried 280,340 tons of coal over their road.

Edison electric illuminating company, of Danville, has been organized. Capital \$50,000.

The collieries of the Philadelphia and Reading coal and iron company are to be supplied with dirt burning engines.

A musical convention will be held in Bradford during the second week in May. Carl Zerahan, of Boston, will act as conductor.

The importation of colored laborers has created great discontent among the Clearfield county miners. A strike is thought to be imminent.

The Clarion county jury commissioners were somewhat surprised when they discovered they had drawn a woman's name for jurymen for April term.

If a few more woman were drawn the juries would give better satisfaction sometimes.

Judge Elcock, of Philadelphia, asserts that divorces are easier to obtain in Pennsylvania than in any other State.

Last week in Washington county the panel of jurors was quashed on account if the jury wheel not having been properly sealed when the names were drawn therefrom.

Elk County has two more square miles than Erie county. In the matter of population, however, the difference is not so slight, Erie having 78,681 to Elk's 12,800. Erie was formed in 1800, and Elk in 1843.

It is alleged that Rev. John Tompkins, of Fayette county, fought in the Crimean war, witnessed the charge at Balaklava, served through the late rebellion in a Pennsylvania regiment, and all to finally become a school teacher.

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JENKS TWP. AUDITORS' REPORT. MARIENVILLE, Pa., March 12, 1883. J. D. HUNT, Township Treasurer, in account with Jenks Township Road Funds. To amt rec'd from S. F. Rohrer, former Treasurer \$ 37 13

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