

CENTRE HALL REPORTER. CENTRE HALL, PA., APRIL 8th, 1870.

From Washington.

A letter received here recently from Jefferson Davis alludes to the statement made by Schator Cameron in the Senate, that when Davis withdrew Cameron told him that a negro would succeed him. Mr. Davis says that Cameron made no such statement to him at that or any other time; that he made no remarks at the time Mr. Davis retired other than the expression of his good wishes. He also states that he has expected Mr. Cameron, as a matter of duty to himself and to truth, to deny having made the statement in the Senate imputed to him by the newspa-

The House, in committee of the whole on the tariff bill, has agreed a tax of twenty cents per pound on all qualities of tea, and four cents per pound on all kinds of coffee. An effort was made to put tea, on the free list, but it failed. The committee, by a large vote, sustained the Ways and Means. The Louisiana members wanted coffee put on the free list, and an additional tax of five cents imposed on raw sugar. but this also failed There is no possibility of the action of the committee being reversed when the bill comes into the House

The latest matrimonial sensation is the reported engagement of Chief Justice Chase to Miss Constance Kinney.

The R.R. Subsciptions.

A return of the amount of subscriptions, taken in the different townships along the line of our projected rail-road, must be made to the President of the company, Mr. Geo. F. Miller by the 20th of this month. As to conditional stock, or subscriptions made on condition that the road pass through certain localities such will not be accepted. Mr Miller, in a letter to Mr. Wm. Wolf, of this place, says: that in his return he shall "state if any portion has been subscribed upon condi tions, and if so, how much, and what are the conditions. Conditional stock will not be counted."

All the stock taken in Centre county was subscribed with the understanding that it be spent apon the work in the locality where the same was subscibed, which is fair, and the assurance has been repeatedly given by Mr. Miller, that it shall be so applied. There is none or very little, subscirbed in Centre-county upon any other con-

Connecticut Democratic.

At the election, held in Connecticut on Monday last, English, Democrat, was elected governor by about 700 ma-

The yeas and mays on the passage of the railroad bill whereby nine and a half million dollars of first class securities are taken from the Sinking Fund, and second mortgage bonds of the projected railraod substituted in their stead, stood as follows:

In the Senate: - Yeas, 20-Nays

In the House :- Yeas, 59 -Nays 34. From this it will be seen that the bill passed by a large vote, and that Mr. Meyer's vote, and that of the members of Union and Huntingdon, could not have defeated the bill. Mr. Meyer was sick the week the bill passed hence was unable to vote.

Proclamation Announcing the Ratification of the 15th Ament-

The following proclamation was issued to-day by Hon. Hamilton Fish. Secretary of State: To all whom these presents may come

greeting: Know ye that the Congress of the United States, on or about the twentyseventh day of February, one thous-and eight hundred and sixty-mine, passed resolutions, in words and figures as follows, to wit:

Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, twothirds of both Houses concurring, That the following articles be proposed to the legislatures of the several States as an amendment to the Constitution of the Unit d States, which, when ratified by three-fourths of said legislatures, shall be valid as part of the Constitu-

tion, namely: ARTICLE 15, SEC. 1. The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States, or by any State, on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude.

SEC. 2. Oncress shall have power

to enforce this article by apprepriate And further, That happears from official documents on file in this department, that the amendment to the Constitution of the United States, prepared as aforesaid, has been matified by the legislatures of North Carolina, West Virgimia, Massachusetts, Wisconsin, Maine, Louisiana, Michigan, South Carolina, Pennsylvania, Arkarr sas, Connecticut, Florida, Illinois, Indiana, New York, New Hampshire, Nevada, Vermont, Virginia, Alabama, Missouri, Mississippi, Ohio, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Rhodo Island, Nebraska and Texas -in all twenty-

nine States. And further, That the States whose legislatures have so ratified the proposed amendment constitute three-fourths

the official documents on file in this

resolutions claiming to withdraw from said ratification of said amendment, which had been made by the legislature and of which official notice had been filed in this department.

And further, That it appears from in official document on file in this department that the legislature of Georia has, by a resolution, ratified the

proposed amendment. Now, therefore, be it known that I. of the United States, by virtue and in pursuance of said section of an act of Congress, approved the 20th of April, 1818, entitled An act to provide for purposes as part of the Constitution of the United States. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Department of State to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington this thirtieth day of March, one thousand But I hope he is the last nager we will eight hundred and seventy, and of the have to tache,—T. M'Grant in the N. independence of the United States the Y. Democrat. namety fourth. HAMILTON FISH.

The Income Tax.

Senater Sherman, on Tuesday, preposed in the Senate a measure which continues this tax indefinitely, but reduces it after this year to three per cent. Congress has already declared that this inquisitorial, unnecessary and most annoying tax shall cease this year. It was a war measure, that ought to be abandoned when the military necessity for it ceased. The people have borne it patiently, in the hope that the pledge already given by Congress of its ending in 1869 would be faithfully observed. The attempts to continue it have been met by opposition every-where, from men of all parties and of all sections. It has been denounced as a most unworthy and indefensible means of raising revenue; as offering a premium upon falsehood and deception It is a measure that ought to have been erased from the statute book long ago. Senator Sherman cannot afford to defy public opinion by any endeavors to continue this most unjust tax. The people have determined that this exaction must cease, and they will remember to his discredit any pulic servant no matter what his profession, who tries to fasten it longer upon them. -Philadelphia Ledger.

Another Earthquake in California.

San Francisco, April 2.-At 11:50 occurred here. Its duration was six seconds. There was no damage to life, limb or pr party, but there was intense animals were terribly frightened, and several runaways resulted. The City Hall, where court was in session, the Merchants' Exchange, the Mercantile Library, the Custom House and other public buildings were instantly vaca-ted, and a great panic was created in the hotels. The strees swarmed with people in a moment. It was raining at the time. Prior to the shock the barometer was observed to fall very

It turns out now, by the report of the Military Committee, unanimously agreed upon, that there was not the remotest evidence given before it that Mr. Golladay of Kentucky was impli cated in the cadet business. Had Mr. Golladay remained in his place in Congress, as did the other Democrat members who were falsely charged, and for political effect, with complicity in the metarious business, it would have been better for him. It is ereditable, though, to the integrity of Democratic members of Congress to thus receive the ficial assurance of their political oppenents, that not even one of their number has been found guilty of this species of corruption that has been officially fastened upon so many Republican Congressmen, and which they could not even successfully deny, and the punishment for which they escaped by corrupt combinations.

John Schultz made a desperate attempt on Tuesday night, in New York, to kill his wife. Schultz two years age went to California, at which time ho made over to his wife, to guard against accidents, twenty thousand dollars' worth of property, and since his return his wife has refused to allow him to have any control of the property. Armed with a razor he cut his wife's throat three times, finishing by knocking her down and kicking her brutally. She is not expected to recover. Schultz was committed to await the

The Cousin of Ulysses on Revels'

We have been having a haird time wid the nager Sinator, Mishter Revels. since me lasht letther. It was found necissary to give the black divil some instruction about votin, because he was ist as liable to easht his vote for one party as another. We thiried for several days to make him vote right, by compelling him to watch Summer. and vote as he did. As the nager can't remiraber faces, and was as apt to take Summer for a Dimecrat, we conspelle Summer to wear a rose in his buttonhole, fhich the nager kept watch of, but Buthler, just to kape his hand in shtole the rose from Sunner for a joke, and give it to Mishter Cox, not thinkin of the consequences, and begorra, the nager watched Mishter German named Dauhrdt and a Norwegain, Cox, and fhin an important measure name unknown, at Spencer, Clay county, came up, he voted the same as Mishter Lowa; of three other men, names unknown, Cox. Cox is a Dimecrat! That won't

do, you know. But the greathest throuble we have had wid the nager Sinator was about a spache. The Dimecrats kept taunt- uncertain age, who resides near Waverly of the whole number of the United ing us wid remarks about our nager, Morgan county, Ill., is the owner of four

make them belave he could do all these things, fhether he could or not. So we got a carpet-bagger thate named Bullock, Governor of Georgia, to write out a spache for the nager, and the divil's own haird work we have had bating it intil his head. The spache was moighty short, and ye would think aven a monkey could eventually learn to repate it but be the howly Saint Pathrick, we have been every night for three wakes Hamilton Fish, Secretary of the State | committing that spach, to that nager's memory. All us promiuent men, such the publication of laws of the United | teaching him that spache, until we are States and for other purposes, I do hereby certify that that amendment Yestherday he got up in the Sinate has become valid to all intents and and repated it, and did pretty well only he got it wrong ind first, but the reprothers fixed it all right. He held up a shate of paper forminst him, and

A Short Story With a Moral. From a volume of sermons by Robert

shuck wid him, and he felt relaved.

Laird Collier of Chicago.] An English writer says: "That night I was out late I returned by the Lee Cabin about 11 o'clock. As I approached I saw a strange-looking object cowering under the low caves. A cold rain was falling ; it was autumn I drew near, and there was Millie, wet to the skin. Her father had driven lain down to listen for the heavy snoring of his drunken slumbers so that she might creep back to bed Before she heard it nature seemed exhausted, and she fell into a troubled sleep, with rain-drops pattering upon her. I tried to take her home with me, but no, true as a martyr to his faith, she struggled from me and re turned to the now dark and silent cabin. Things went on in this way for weeks and months, but at length Lee grew less violent, even in his dranken fits, to his self-denying child; and one day, when he woke from a slumber, after a debauch, and found her preparing breakfast for bim, and singing a childish song, he turned to m. yesterday a sharp earthquake her, and with a tone almost tender, said: "Millie, what makes you stay with me?"

"Because you are my father, and I

"You love me," repeated the wretched man ; "you love me !" He lokoed at his bloated limbs, his soiled and ragged clothes, "Love me," he still mur mured ; "Millie, what makes you love me? I am a poor drunkard ; everybody else despises me; why don't you?"
"Dear father," said the girl with swimming eyes, "my mother taught me to love you, and every night she comes from heaven and stands by my little bed, and says, Millie, don't leave your father; he will get away from that rum fiend some of these days, and then how happy you will be." The quiet, persistent love of this child was the redemption of this man.

The Richardson-M'Farland Case.

New York April 4,-The process of empaneling a jury in the M'Farland murder case continues slowly, too many persons summoned being biased either for or against the unfortunate prisoner. Among those in the court reem are a brother of the late A. D. Richardson and Mr. Sage, father of the woman who was the cause of the trouble. The court adjourned a few minutes before four o'clock, only six jurors having been found out of one hundred and sixty-eigt persons examined.

The Coal Strike.

Pettsville, April 2.-Almost all the colheries in this and Mahanoy region have stepped work on account of the refusal of the miners to accept the new basis offered by the operators. Some places are working at present, but no work will be permitted after to-day. A number of the young and unmarried men are leaving and seeking

work in the adjoining regions." The operators express themselves determined to stand by their resolutions in regard to the prices to be paid for labor adopted at the meeting held here on the 15th ult. The strike promises to be a long one, should both operators and men contime firm, as from present indications they

The Freeborn county (Minn.) Standard gives the following particulars of the freezing to death of an entire family : "On Tuesday night of last week, in the midst of the most fearful part of our late storm, a house belonging to one Griswold, in the town of Seeley, Faribault county, took fire and burned to the ground. In it lived a family by the name of Bates, consisting of the heads, and three children. The house appears to have been remote from other settlement, and the man went in search of assistance. He became bewildered, and wandered about on the prairie till morning. The wife and children became chilled with cold, and crawled into some out-shed for protection, where they all freze, and their lifeless bodies were

The same paper gives accounts of the freezing to death during the same storm, of two brothers named Coleman, living at Lake Belt, Martin county, Minnesot; a of a at Cherokee, Iowa, and another at Herron Lake, Jackson county, Iowa.

found the next day.

Miss Amanda Vansel, a maiden lady of 200 And further, That it appears from and couldn't make a spache to save land, six hundred of which are in cultiva-

mortgages and other collaterals for oaned. Miss Vansel is reputed to be 415 worth over one hundred thousand dollars. all of which she has earned by herself, and she manages and controls her estate with a judgment and skill that is unsurpassed by King Ludwig of Bavaria on Shrove

Tuesday fed fourteen hundred of the poor was an old woman one hundred and mine 100 years of age, born in 1761, under the 48 government of the Elector Max Joseph 111. 197 In 1812 she was the wife of a soldier, and 40 as Butler, Sumner, Logan, and meself went through the Russian campign, In and me cousin Ulisses, have been later years she has sustained herself by the taking turns sitting up wid Revels, sale of fruit. She is still in good health. 282

Say Mr. Julius, is der any place in the 311 Bible whar a cultud pussou is mentioned?', 270 said old Caesar to his friend. "well, dere is, an' if you'd been to meet n Sunday you'd heard the preacher read how Nigger Demus wanted to be born again. "wh'made paple belave he was rading.
Afther he got through we all wint and wh'-what he want to be born again for? I dunno; I spec he thought he might be 100 born a white man next time, and da's a good many niggers alibe now jes like old 488 Demus, but dey'll allers be niggers, any ; and then, at a sign from the !'.wod

> NEW ALBANY, April 4 .- A family 400 named Hertzeg, living near Hansville, 75 Kentucky, were acdidently poisoned by mixing arsenic instead of soda in pastry. Four died and but one surviion, alternately savory and Joy,

A Wilmington, Ohio, paper says: "During a rat hunt in Turnbull county, which lasted four weeks, 17,334, of the vermin were killed. Estimating the quantity of corn alone destroyed by each rat during the course of a year, 180 at the small quantity of one peck, less, her out some hours pefore; she had no doubt, than they have wasted, and lain down to listen for the heavy we find that 4,3331 bushels of corn have been saved for the distillery thro' the slaughter of the little beasts.

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A SSIGNES NOTICE.

Notice of F. R. Burkert, assignee of F. Burkert and the son has been filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Gentre County, to April term A. D., 1870, and unless exceptions are filed on or before first day of said term, it will be confirmed absolutely.

Taylor township. By order of the Count.

JOHN MORAN,