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It was not many years ago when al skapes ased hu the United states cam Now, a Massachusetts company is filliog orders for nickle plated skates to be sen to Germany.
Brother Hawley, of the Montrose Dryoorat, is to be congratulated. He ran for Senator in a district that is nat urally Repablican by over 1,000 majority and bat his competitor, Waller, the Radical nominee, almost 500. He will make just as popular a Seuator as he was a candidate, and the people of ais dis trict may feel grateful that they have representative in the Senate who will not be the tool of ringe, the agent of corpor Bellefonte Watchman.

The Springfietd Republacan has n doubt that intimidation was practiced by the Louisiana Democrats last week. But it adds: "When we find a Franklin county town showing as remarkable a political learn that United States troops wer stationed in West. Féliciuna, abnve all When we find that the total vote iwa the tom ever before polled, we migtake the temper of Norhers people ir hes the proposition to throw protest again of the account."

## The ney Delagation in the XLV Con

 gress from this state, stands as follows: The Republicans have gained Harmer in the Fifth, $O$ verton in the Fifteenth, Campbell in the Seventeentb, Errett inthe Twenty second; Bapue in the Twéty the 'Twenty second, Bayue in the Twenty
third, Witite in the Twenty fifth, Thon third, Uhite in the Twenty fift, Thompson in the Twenty-sixth and Watson in
the Twenty-seventh-eight in all ; and the Twenty-seventh- eight in all; and
the Democrats bave gained Wright an the Democrats bave gained Wright in 10. Republicans and 17 Denocrats, Th new delegation stands 17 Republicans 10 and the Democrats one-Col.' Wright in the Luzzrne District.

The successor of President Grant wil be entitled to take the oath of office on the 4th day of March, and to have his may be Sunday. The oath is asainly ad ministered by the Chief Justice of the United States sud this may be done on a Sunday when the 4th of March fall on that day. The ceremony of inauguratiou is not pecessary to consutate:
legal title to the office. As soon as th legal title to the office. As soon as th es to hold the office, and bis succeasor instantly becomes President by operation of law. The inanguration can take place on the next day according to custom. This will have to be the course taken When President Grant's successor comes to take posse8sion of the office. Ther
will be no interregina, as some hav supposed there might be; and Presiden Grant will not bold over.
Massachusetts has just begun to see
the results of its cessus, for the results of its census, for which it bas already paid something over $\$ 100,000$ It jomprieped not only population and agricallural products and property, and en th the worle The popilation of th State is 1,651912 of whom 794,383 males and 857,529 females-an excess of 63,146 of the latter. Some of the perrather interesting. There were 73,000 widows and only 20,000 widowers, showing that there is stifl a prejudiee agains becoming a second husband. Each na tree-born mother had an average of 3,5 ehildren and each foreign born of 4,91 The number of legal voters is 351,113 , and yet only 267,000 of them went to publuc schools, with property worth twen ty-two millions, and there are 1,87 tibn ero containing yar on the Chrle Hoyth, with buildings, $2,771,000$ books work will podopbily be found to worth all it has coat.

The official majority for Tilden a Hendricks in New Jersey is 12,475 .

The Congregution al insists thatiir M Beecher ever espects to be vindicated. time he set about dt. The change enue to Delaware county, compelling the diseontinuance of Moulton's suit does not strike the Congregational as ance of conscious innocience.
Th HOUSE The Republican majority in the nex will be about 35 . The of Penusplvanic ill be about as. he Democrus hav ustained losses as follows: Philadel
bia, 2; Carbon, 1 ; Delaware; 2 ; Alle bia, 2; Carbon, 1 ; Delaware, 2; Alle
beuy, 10 ; Butler. 1 ; Beaver, 1; Was heuy, 10 ; Butler, 1 ; Beaver, 1 ; Was
ington, 2 ; Crawford; $3 ;$ V + +inango, 2 ington, $2 ;$ Crawford, 3 ; Vthango, 2
Hantingdon, $1 ;$ Blair, 1; Bradford, 1 Hantingdon, $1 ;$ Blair, $1 ;$ Bradford, 1
M'Kean, $1 ;$ Potter, $1 ;$ Franklin, 2 Lazerne, 5 ; Miflin, 1-3\%. The Dem crate make gains as follows: Lancas Cer city, 1 ; Dauphin county, 1 ; Forest ; Montour, 1 ; Northumberlaud, 1 bucke, 1 ; Wyom!ng, 1 ; Wayne, 2-9howing a net Republican gain of 28 . Acoording to these fignres the Republ Cans will have in the house 118 and th Democrats 83. The senate will stan
bout the same as last pear

A DIRECT POP ULAR VOTE.
The Journal of Conmerce and Herald urge the advantages of a direct popular vote in Presidential electio
editor of the Journal eays:
"Why he Journal says
hole people of the United Staty of the whole people of the United States have principle that the people of the difterent unties in New York unite in electing Governor. There is no good reaso or this difference in the manner of con ducting the State and national elections xcept that, in the creation of the ele ral college a certain priuciple of "Stat ights", was "recnguized. Under the sya em in practice each State, as a State, ha goice in the election of the Presidea and Vice-President, and gives all its vot the electoral college for one candidate
other. Furthermore, each State entitled to two electors answering to he number of its Senators at Washing.
on. Nevada with its 40,000 or 5000 nhabitants, is equal to New. York with is $4,000,000^{\prime}$ in this respect as wh lects one representative to Congress, she New York with nearly al votes, whil her pobulation, bas only chirty five votes. The same principle of disparity, though ot as grest, obtains in other of the States, old und new;

## THE SIIUATION

Kelloge's Returniug Board hegan its perations last Monday. In deference to barg Patriol, the board has yielded eo far as to abandom its orignal purpose of canvassing the voters in secret, and has consentea to allow five persuns of each
party to be presentat its meetings. 'Ihis rcise of any inflaence on the the Cohn Sherman, Garfield, Kelly part on est of the republican watchmen, ther was it due to the demandsinf the republ can press. So far from it the republicin leadere who went to New Orleans on pu tense of seeng a fair connt of the vot as well as the republican press have done nd are now doing all in their power to coourage the board in ite frandful par ooses. Is the very ontstart the bourd encountering most serious. embarrass ment. The democrats protest that the ct giving judical powers to the board in conflict with the constitution o Lovisiana and that the board as nct contitured as required by law, as it is com oosed Eolely of members of one polticical
party. On behalf of the deniocriti lectors On behal of the denocratic dectors a protest is also made against ican electors on the grownd the repab ere ineligible by the contitition by bol goffices of trust and proft ander United States. To farther increase th mbarrassments of the Returning Board t appears from the official returis of five parishes that by a mistake of the radical managers the names of the two flector at large and of the elector for the con resisional district only were voted for eaving the otber fike electore 1,900 be hind the ticket. In this dilemma th queption with the board is whether anoth democratic county shall beestruck from he canvass or whether the names that ere omitted shail be connted the sime 41 they had been actually soted for. By this blunder the democratic majority ongatly ten thousand, which vastly increapes the diffcalty to count it ont. But
sou Wells and his associates will be fully hem under thas that is devolved upon eld, Kelley and Ouay, and Grant's urance that he will sustain their count by military force at all hazards. In South Carulina the majority for
Hayes on the aggregution of the votes "actually rast" rauges from 300.to 1,000. The count liag been brought into the sapreme court and the democrats have
iled exceptions to it on the ground of iled exceptions to it on the ground of ross errors, irregularities and frauds,
which it is belieted will overthrow the eported result. A8. a sample of thes irregularities" t is stated that the detea d republican candidate for senator in Bary well county took a ballot-box into repablican votes and not a dety 131 . ote. Nothing was heard of this ontil five days ater the election when had been ascertained that the democratio majority in Barnwell was 1200 . After deposit!ng his ballot-box with the Rehurning Board this disciple of John Patterson fled and has not: since been seen or heard of. The sapreme court of South Carulina, in whom, singularly enough, all parties appesi to have confidence, will revise this and similar fraudb, and instruct the board of cauvassers it regard to their duties in the final count. In spite of the boastful assertions the republicans there is a clear majority or fidentls in foriua and the democra confidently declare that it will be impoo ad other radicals arre constantly ng dispatches to their friend sen ing cispatches to their friends in the folly abstaing from giving any figures on which their hopes are based. Ther whole reliance is in the board of can vassers, and John A. Kasson, ex-Gov Noyes and Gen. Lew. Wallace, after giving counsel and eucouragement to the Louisiana banditth, have hastened t Tallahassee to hold up the Florida coun ers to their work. Osborne telegraph Chancler that it "is all right there Which of course has 100 reference to the he has but merely an intimation that has ceen the members of the board of canvassers. The efforts at deliny on
the part of the board are believed to be for the purpose of preventing a full amd ar examination of the charges of fra bling Gov. Stearns to issue certifico the defeated radical candidates for elec ors withont an oficul ean rass of the otes. Steurne, as well as Kellog, bas proved himself 4 fit instrument of the radieal conspirators. His requisition tor troops the day after the election while the most profond peace reigned throughout the state jastifies the worst suspicions in regard to hio designs. By giving a ertificate to the defeated radical electors case, and pat the party leaders ninder the necesity of sustaining him in the position of governor. Iu a day or two more ght will be thrown upon the plans on people.
ABOUT PUPLISHING JURY We had so much other business that Grand and trated publish the lise of jurors, Term, this jear It has seemed to great wonder and some criticient, amoing tew of our readers, as appears by the personally and what we have heard othe persona
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