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Towasda, Feb. 16, 1880.

The News Condensed.

June 22 is the time and Cincinnati the place for holding the Democratic National Convention.

Prince Bismarck and Mr. Longfellow have been elected honorary members of the royal historical society.

The funeral of Thomas Thomas (colored), aged 110 years, took place yesterday in West Baltimore.

Mr James Redpath, of Elysian Nights' memory, is the Tribune correspondent in

Mr. John Rice, and Mr. David Sandrob, both prominent citizens of Philadelphia, died on Sunday.

Small pox has broken out among the horses in Montreal. Luckily, however, it is not proving fatal.

Frank Brownell, who avenged Ellsworth's death at Alexandria in the beginning of the war, is about to lecture.

The Pope has sent instructions to the Catholic Bishops in Russia, calling upon them to urge the clergy not to mix in political agitations.

Patti is as popular as ever in Paris. The Baroness Hirsch gave her 15,000 francs (\$3,000) for one song at her

A company has been organized under the laws of New York to build a railroad from Hoboken, by way of Catskill and Syracuse, to Buffalo. The original company which was known as the New York, West Shore and Chicago railroad company, was organized in 1870.

The committee on commerce and navigathion of the Philadelphia council, as well as the representatives from the different commercial bodies are in Washington, to urge upon congress the necessity of making a proper appropriation for the improvement of the navigation of the Delaware and Schuylkill rivers. Congress will be asked for the sum of \$893,000.

The latest advices from St. Petersburg report the situation in that city as most critical, and the foreign population are in constant apprehension of an uprising in which their lives might be sacrificed. The excitement is intense, and many distinguished families have expressed their desire to leave the city. The government however refused to grant the necessary passports. Even in Russia official quarters a feeling of dread and uncertainty constant apprehension of an uprising in ters a feeling of dread and uncertainty prevails, and it is feared that in the event of trouble the Russian army cannot be depended upon to put down any insurrectionary movement.

The following is the substance of a a bill offered in the House yesterday, by Mr. Cofforth of this State: To organize a court of pension. Tee bill provdes that immediately after the passage of the act the president shall appoint, with the advice and consent of the senate, a chief justice and four judges, who shall constitute a court of pensions. Each of the judges is to receive a salary of four thousand dollars, and they are to hold their offices during good behavior. They are to sit in Washington, and are to examine and pass upon all claims for pensions that cannot be allowed by commissioner of pensions or that come up on appeal.

A singular and terrible accident has taken place at Riker Hollow, Stenben County, N. Y. Two men were cutting timber on a steep hillside fifty or sixty rods above a neighbor's house situated at

at the foot of the hill, and were running the timber to the flats on the snow-covered ground, the logs usually coming out 150 feet from the house. An immense pine log two feet in diameter and fifty feet long was deflected from the usual course, and, with increased velocity, shot directly toward the house, in which were nine women and children, including the family of one of the choppers, who were visiting the neighbor's family. The men stood speechless, hoping in vain that the log would change its direction. It struck house five feet from the ground and passed directly through both walls, part of which were carried along with it. One child was killed instantly and two other children were frightfully injured. The furniture was completely demolished, and it seemed wonderful that any one of the nine should have escaped alive.

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