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A report from the Superintendent of Erie City Schools shows that out of 3, 772 pupils, the number of 3,052 are studying German.

The Commercial's Washington special says the pressure upon the Speaker for leading places on the House Committees is simply frightful.

The New York delegation is urging the appointment of C. E. Coon of the Elmira district to succeed Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Upton.

A cypress tree felled by N. B. Jordan of High Hill Creek, S. C., measured twenty-five feet in circumference at the butt. It took two axmen five hours to cut it down.

The State Branch of the Emerald Beneficial Association will hold its biennial session at Altoona, on January 10. The society numbers about 2,500 members in Pennsylvania.

Criminal proceedings for conspiracy have been instituted by the deputy Attorney General, against the officers of the State Capitol Mutual Insurance company of Harrisburg. They entered bail in the sum of \$1,000.

The Bradford New Era says the conflict between the bull and bear element in oil promises to be of unseen interest between this and the 1st of January.

The Lebanon Courier says the" political manipulator who would again try to secure another term for General Grant would be met with a smile of derision or frown of indignation."

The Bradford Star says the boom in oil may be the legitimate result of the condition of the field, but "it is more probable that it is the result of dexterous manipulation."

The Clerk of the House has appointed William H. Smith as House Librarian. Smith is a colored man, who for many years has been a messenger in the library and earned his position by intelligence and devotion to duty.

The Chambersburg Valley Spirit believes that the publication of pensionersnames and 'the amount they received from the Government would prevent a good deal of fraud, in calling public attention to persons undeserving of the Government's bonnty.

The Williamsport Gazette and Bulletin remarks: " The revelation of a dishonest clerk is unearthing a series of peculations in Philadelphia second only to those that were brought to light in New York when Tweed & Co., were arrested, convicted and punished."

The soft metal men are fighting the logic of events in insisting that silver coinage shall go on when the United States is risking its own credit in the future, and in the present depreciating its coin supply in the markets of the world, by coining sliver dollars with less metal in them than the mint mark calls for.

For the first time since the close of the war we have a soldier Speaker of the House of Representatives. Gen. Keifer served as a volunteer for four years and two months, and was wounded four times., During the period we have spoken of the patriots who have presided over the House of Representatives have been hard fighters, but their hard fighting was done For \$28. at home.



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