MIDDLEBURGH, PA., Oct. 11, 1888. CASUALTIES.

OVER ONE HUNDRED INJURED.

Appalling Calamity at a Polish Cornerstone Laying.

Over 100 people injured is the record of an accident which took place Sunday afternoon during the ceremonies attending the laying of the corner-stone of the new St. Mary's Polish Catholic church, in Reading, Pa. Probably 7,000 people gathered at the site of the church to witness the ceremonies, about 1,000 of whom were crowded on a temporary floor laid on the joists and walls of the edifice which had been carried up one story.

Archbishop Ryan, of Pailadelphia, perconsily conducted the ceremonies. After the corner-stone had been laid Father Libichi, pastor of the congregation, arose to speak, and had scarcely commence i his remarks when the newly-constructed walls gave way and one-fourth of the floor fell with an awful erash, precipitating 200 people to the ground, a distance from fifteen to eighteen feet. Men, women and children were thrown into a confused mass with joists, brick, stone and mortar on top of them. The excitement was intense, but willing bands at once commenced the work of extricating the unfortunates, many of whom had to be carried out and place! in neighboring houses, where their injuries were att oded to and they were then removed to their homes or to the hospital. It was fully two hours before the wounded were all eared for. It is said that several children are still missing.

Following is a list of those severely injured, the others receiving only slight cuts or bruises: Josephine Heine, Henry Harp, Ausgust Weis, Mamie Barlow, Catherine Broatman, Wm. Newmeyer, Aaron Yellis, Ambrose Lening, Frederick Shroid.

The following had their legs broken: Agustus B. Seling, George Siegreit, John D. Stableton, Miss Josephine Martin, Charles Sehl, John and George Neider, Patrick McDonnel, John Felix, George Stout, John Shide, Valentine Shide.

Up to midnight no deaths had occurred, although six or seven of the injured are in a very critical condition. Mayor Kenney, of Reading, is among the injured, one of his ankles being sprained. Archbishop Ryan and the priests assisting him escaped isjury.

TRAINS CRASH TOGETHER.

The B. & O. Cincinnati Express and a Freight Wrecked:

The Cincinnati Express, bound west, collided with an east-bound freight train near Dickerson's station, 40 miles west of Washington, on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. Three men were killed outright and several others seriously injured. The trains came together in a deep cut where there is a curve in the road, and while the express was running perhaps 50 miles an hour. There was an awful crash, and the mail car, the baggage car and express cars of the Cincinnati train, 3 freight cars and the two locomotives were Tiled up in a heap 30 feet high,

The night was pitch dark, and it was some time before the bowildered people in the passenger coaches and sleepers, none of whom were seriously injured, could realize the sitnation, and, with the train bands, render assistance to the unfortunate men who were buried in the wreck. Finally two men, John Wiley and John Casey, postul clerks, and John Redenlaugh, a brakeman on the freight train, were taken out dead. Joseph Jeffries, engineer on the passenger train; L. W. Gordon, express messanger; S. C. M. Jackson and A. C. Cook, postal clerks and J. B. Virts, the freight train fireman, were badly bruised and cut. Their escape from instant death seems almost miraculous. Engineer Weish, of the treight train, and his fireman, both jumped from the engine; Welsh was unic jured.

WHERE IS INGHAM GONE?

The Pitiful Cry of the Members of the Speculative Syndicate.

What appears to be one of the biggest swindling schemes in existence has come to light through the disappearance of Wm. H. Ingham and the closing of W. H. Ingham & Co.'s brokerage office at 38 Broadway, New York. The losses of the victims may exceed \$100,000. Ingham opened his office in April, 1887, and advertised a "speculative syndicate" which is described as a mutual pool to operate in stocks, tonds and grain. He issued every mozth printed statements, showing profits ranging from 18 1 2 to 67 per cent. Whether these dividen Is have all been paid is uncertain, but they have been paid since December, apparently out of the money invested by the dupes.

Last Saturday Ingham is und a notice to the members, announcing that he had met with heavy losses and was forced to suspend with the loss of the whole capital of the syndicate. He remarks that "we only hold your names and closes by saying that the word Co. after the name W. H. Ingham means that all the syndicate members constitute the company. The day this notice was issued Ingham disappeared, leaving his office

locked. Inglism had large accounts with the Seaboard National Bank and the United States National Hank, but never overdrew his ac-

counts, and paid for all services.

Chinese Concessions to France. The French Government has obtained from the King of Annam two decrees, the first of which converts into French concessions the districts comprising the towns of Hai-Phong, Hd-Not and Tourane and a wide tract of country round about and grants France all rights over those districts. The second decree provides that French property throughout Tonquin and at free ports shall be subject to French laws, and that French subteets shall be permitted to possess their funds in usufruct and acquire property anywhere in Annam subject to Annamese laws.

A child was born is North Carolina a few days ago with two perfectly developed tongues. In behalf of a maligned, down-trodden and oppressed sex we hasten to say that the child is a boy.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF

Alva Norman, of near Dundee, Ohio, was trampled upon and bitten by a vicious stallion on Wednes lay night so severely that he will die. He is 60 years old,

"Oregon Charley," an Indian medicine peddler, has eloped from Olean, N. Y., with Miss Berths Russel. Churley is said to have a wife and two children in Oregon.

Dan Lenhey, a resident of the Ninth ward, Pittsburgh, shot and fatally wounded his trother-in-law, Thomas Miller. The murder occurred in a silcon at No. 1326 Penn avenue, which be onged to W. S. McKenna, who died last Monday.

Aaron Bean, a negro, was killed by a mob of infuriated citizens near Jasper, Texas, We fnes lay.

Rev. Dr. Zerby, professor of Hebrew at Heipelberg College, Tiffin, O., has been chosen President of the institution,

At Chicago a young man named Clark was in stantly killed by his arm coming in contact with an electric wire, receiving the full force of a forty-eight current. A mass meeting of citizens composed of

both parties was held at Cooper Union, New York, and nominated Hon. A. S. Hewitt for Miss Tillie Ingersol, of Washington, Pa. demanded \$50,000 damages from Richard

Stewart Willis, of Brooklyn, for taking her

affections and not taking her, but when the case came to trial her attorney asked for a discontinuance of the suit, she to pay the Congress has passed the bill allowing vessels not carrying passengers to use petroleum as full on permits issued by the Secretary of

the Treasury and without the consent of the Supervising Inspectors, The New York Court of Appenls has reversed the judgment of conviction against

Alderman McQuale. Lewis Sanders, a farmer of Hancock county, West Virginia, while drunk fell from his horse and was killed. He was 35 years of

age and leaves a family. During the past two weeks there have been twenty-two cases of typhoid fever at Shermansville, Pa. Every member of J. H.

Findley's family is down with the disease, The Bank of England has raised its rate of discount to 5 per cent, says the Boston Herald, an advance of 1 per cent. Five per cent, may fairly be regarded as a high rate. for it has been reached but twice in five years, and exceeded only three times in the past

Sherick & Dillinger's coke-works, at Pennsville, Pa., 114 ovens have been fired up after prolonged idleness.

William Lenard and Miss Dolly Henry, of Parker, Pa., eloped one night last week and were married at Jamestown, N. Y.

Burglars entered the merchant tailoring establishment of W. H. Gibboney, at Urichsville, O., and carried away goods to the value

A daughter of Solomon Heiser, of Milten township, Mahoning county, O., fed carbolic acid to her baby brother, aged 4 months, and killed the child,

A young man named Clark, an employe of the Thompson-Houston Electric Company at Chicago, was instantly killed by an electric shock from a wire.

Mrs Elizabeth Tilton is threatened with dindness. Since the memorable scenes of 13 years ago, in which she figured so conspicuously, Mrs. Tilton has led a quiet life with her mother, Mrs. Morse, and her two sons. For several years her eyes have shown signs of failing, but it was not until very recently that a loss of sight appeared thre iten-

The body of Mrs. Anna Rowland, who was buried in the Dunker churchyard Carlisle, Pa., recently, has been exhumed by ghouls They were frightened off and the body was left lying on the ground until care! for by relatives. It was thought she had been buried with diamond rings on her flogers and other rostly jewelry.

The International Bank of Berlin has been founded with a capital of \$5,000,000. It absorbs Goldberger's banking business without taking the liabilities. The directors faclude Goldberger and Dessauer, manager of the Rotshchilds' Vienna house, who are president and vice-president respectively.

Chief Justice Fuller took his outh of office and assumed the active duties of his position

Monday. Francis W. Williams, aged 61, senior partner of the extensive banking and commission house of Williams, Black & Co., of New Vork, shot himself dead in the Grand Union Hotel, owing to worry over the troubles of the firm, which was caught in the Hutchinson squeezs on wheat,

Mr. Henry Clews, the Wall street broker, says the extraordinary corn crop should be taken into the account when the bread question is considered. "It should be remembered," says he, "that corn is food for both min and beast, and the most who'e some and nutritions at that. My own experience in recently substituting cora food for wheat has resulted in increased animal spirits, and I recommend that hereafter corn be substituted for wheat

until the latter recedes to its proper level." John Williams, of Lima, O., went home after a long spree, quarrele i with his wife, put a revolver to his head and killed himself. Manager George Hurd, of the Springfield Telephone Exchange, is short \$1,000 in his accounts an I has been removed.

The Akron Ministerial Association appointed a committee of laymen and pastors to secure the enforcement of laws requiring stores to close on Sunday.

John Cash, confined in the lockup at Massillion, for larceny, committed suicide on Sund sy night by hanging. He first tried to cut his throat, then to drown himself, and finally succeeded in stringing himself up.

The Surplus Reduced \$93,000,000. Monday's purchase of bonds, amounting to \$3,782,200, completes the requirements of the sinking fund for the present fiscal year. All the bonds purchased sines July 1, \$48,721,776, have been applied to this fund, and that amount is regarde I as sufficient for the purposes of the fund during the present fis at year. The recent heavy purchase of bonds hes reduced the surplus, according to the

Treasurer's figures, to \$89,500,000. Monday's

purchases are nos "awayer, included in his

calculations.

BUSINESS REVIEW.

DUN CONDEMNS THE WHEAT BOOM.

The Condition of Business Good With That One Exception-Southern Merchants Recovering From the Fever Scare.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade

The great wheat speculation has been the bsorbing feature this week, for, though the September corner came to an end, with heavy losses for sellers, it left the market in such a state that much higher prices for other options were easily obtained. With December wheat at \$1.18 at Chicago, there came heavy selling and sharp reaction. But the state of the market is still against all reason; cash wheat sells for more at Chicago than at Liverpool, and at one time it would have paid to ship wheat back from Antwerp to New York. The effects of this wild speculation will be injurious to legitimate trade, both foreign and domestic, and to consumers in this country it has alre-dy brought dearer flour and an advages in the price of bread. At New York sales of wheat amounted to 108,463,000 bushels, more than three times the entire visible supply, and the prices closed 8 5-8 cents higher than a week ago,

Corn advanced 2 cents, with sales of 13,* 000,000 bushels, and cats a fraction. The speculative fever was felt in other markets, and pork rose \$1 per barrel; land 35 cents, and hogs 25 cents per 100 pounds; coffee rose I cent with sales of 516,590 ba'es, and cil nearly I cent, with sales of 6,783,000 bar-

The stock market has witnessed much selling and some reaction, and yet the average of prices is a stade higher than a week go. But the advance of the Bank of England rate to 5 per cent, and the advance by the Bank of France to 4 1-2 per cent., lead to some liquidation of foreign accounts in American securities, and may cause more hereafter.

Foreign trade does not mot rially change: imports continue a little larger than a verr ago, while material improvement in exports is not to be expected with the speculative prices now ruling here. But the Treasury pours out money freely, having disbursed during the past week \$5,500,000 more than it has taken in, and the large offerings of bonds indicate that the distarsements can be kept up for a considerable time without advancing the prices paid much farther,

It is also encouraging that, while the number of failures is large, the amount of liabilities for the third quarter of the year shows a great decrease from \$73,022,556 last year to \$29,114,254 for the quarter just ended. Business failures during the last seven days number, for the United States, 184; Canada, 27; total, 211, as compared with 220 last week and 212 for the corresponding week of last

"OLD HUTCH."

The Farly Career of the Boss Wheat Gambler.

Until now remarkably little has been known regarding the early life of B. P. Hutchieson, whose manipulations in the wheat market are the wonder of many people. The story of his career has been told in detail.

'Old Hutch' is a New England Vanker. He legan his business career in the little village of North Reading, N. H., about 46 years ago, when he entered the employ of a man named Edwin Foster, who kept a country store, Here he was paid \$20 a year to look after the store, and when not so employed, to mend Children's shoes in the rear of the store. Mr. Foster employed another lad in the tore, to whom he gave \$30 a year. Ben did not like this distinction in salaries, and rebelled a minst it. The other boy was paid \$10 more a year because he could "read writing hand" and was, therefore, more valuable to his employer than Ben. Finally Ben obtaine! permission from Mr. Foster to use part of an old shed, which he built into a kind of store with patche i-up doors on the side and an old window in front whereupon was inscribed: Ben Hutchinson, Boots and Shoes." Hero young Ben made boots and shoes on his own count. Every Satu-day night he would go Lynn on foot and buy his stock and sell the shoes he had made. He employed severs il boys about the neighborhood to assist him. When he returned he dways brought some "jimeracks" with him, which he would trade off to the boys, and, although he paid them money for their work

on Saturday, by Monday he managed to get t all tack in trading with them. Ben was a natural trader. After awhile e got tired of his small business and decited go into tusiness on a larger scale. While n Lynn he discovered that some men in the commission business were making more money than he was without doing any hard work; so he concluded to give up the manufacture of shoes and go into the commission business, which he did in 1850 on Pearl street, Boston. After remaining there two years he went to Milwaukee, where he started in general business. Finally, some years later, he moved to Chicago and engaged in wheat commission trading. He is now worth

Four Drowned Together.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneman, with four children, and Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, with three children, started from Mt. Vernon wharf to cross the Wiconico river to their home in Dorchester county, Md. Phillips, with a load of lum er, was in one of the can es and the other members of the party were in the other. When near the mouth of the river a sud len gust of wind struck the canoe containing the women and children and the light vessel capsiz d. Mrs. Kennerman and her infant child and two of the Phillips children were drowed. Mrs. Phillips and Mr. Kennorman were saved with great difficulty. Three of the Konnerman children hung on to the bow of the boat and waited until their rescuers took them off.

A West Virginia Tragedy.

Henry Tyree was found dead in the cabin of John Hambrick, a lumberman, on Smithers creek, near Charleston, West Virginia There were about a doz-n knife wounds i his treast, one of them being through his heart. Hambrick has disappeared. There is no cause known at present for the murder and the coroner's jury returned a verdic simply charging Hambrick with the crime-

THE TRUSTS ATTACKED.

The State of New York Against the Sugar Monopoly.

Judge O'Brien, of the New York Supreme Court, granted permission to State Attorney General Charles F. Tabot to bring an action against the Havemyers & Elder Sugar Refining Company to annul its charter. This company, with 13 others, is a member of the Sugar Trust combination. The Attorney General has appointed General Roger Pryor as counsel to represent in this matter. E mund H. Sentenne makes the principal affidavit in the case. He recites that the Sugar Trust was formed in August, 1887, for the purpose of arbitrarily controlling the manufacture and sale of sugar, increasing its price and controlling the management of all reflueries. In October last the trust deed was executed. The Havemeyer refinery, under the trust, passed under the control of the trustees of the combination. The affi lavit states that the combination has suspended and closed several refineries connected with the trust and has thrown out of employment and reduced to want a large number of working men. The combination, it is alleged, is illegal, a monopoly and a criminal conspiracy under the laws of the State of New York, and is oppressive to its people and detrimental to the welfare of the State of New York and of the United States. By becoming a party to this combination it is alleged the defendants have violated the law, transcended its powers, forfeite l its charter and become liable to be dissolved. The object of the suit is to annul the corporate existence of the company and to vacate its charter upon the ground that it has violated, the act under which it was incorporated and has exercised privileges and franchises not conferred upon it by law.

POISONED IN THE HAREM.

An American Girl Included in the Sultan's Clearance of Surplus Wives.

It has just crept out through friends in Milan, where she was known as 'la bella prima donna, that Laura Schrimer, a Boston girl, and not many years ago a rising and popular singer on the American opera stage, has been poisoced with thirteen other inmates of the harem of the Saltan of Turkey; in Constantinople, of course, where for centuries the sack or the bow string has been the prerogatives of the Sultan, and no one has ever been the wiser. It was in 1884, while in an opera company singing in Constantinople, that she became the Sultan's favorite, and entered upon the career which has ended in death. The friends of the unhappy cantatrice in Milan claim to have undoubted evidence of the frightful crime, and a leading Milanese paper has boldly stated it as a fact. According to the story, one night poison was placed in the ice-cream furnished to the occupants of the Imperial seraglio, and 14 poor wemen, including the American girl, were found dead in the morning. Of course there was no coroner's inquest, no verdict. The bodies of the victims were huried away to nameless graves, and the curtain droppe !.

EXTENDED TO EUROPE.

The Adams Express Company Maket Contracts With Foreign Railway Lines.

John Hoey, of the Adams Express pany, has made contracts in Europe for the establishment of the Adams Express system on several of the most important railway lines. He first experimented by having express packages sent from London to different parts of Europe, and then went to raris and did the same thing. The experiments satisfied him that the people of Europa did not know what our express service is. Having done this, he opened negotiations with the principal English and continental railway companies, and succeeded in making arrangements for placing Alans Express cars on all the through trains from Liverpool to London, London to Dover, Calais to Paris and Paris to Berlin. It is also understood that Mr. Hoey has secured options for contracts on other lines Mr. Hoey says the e mp my will soon have express offlees established in all the principle cities in Europe. He does not expect to make money out of the venture at once, but thinks it will pay eventually,

WHISKY DID IT.

Seven Persons Burned to Death and Another Dying.

A family named Richter, farmers. living Letween Geneva and Ohiowa, Neb., consisting of the husband and wife and five children, were all burned to death, with the exception of the husband. who was so seriously burned that he will probably die. A tramp who was spending the night with them was also burned to death. The fire is believed to have been due to the tramp and Richter getting drunk together earlier in the day.

THE MORAVIAN SYNOD.

Reports of the Leading Committees Presented and A Jopted.

Rev. Robt, H. Herbst, & Gracebam, Md. led in the devotional expreises of the Moravian Synod at South Bethlehem, Pa.

The Committee on Syaodical Expenses reported total receipts \$2,708; total expenses, \$1,984. The report of the Committee on Church Government, on the proper method of filling vac ne es (sy special election), was adopted.

In response to the overture of the committee appointed by the General Convocation of the Protestant Episcopal Church, held in Chicago last actumn, inviting the Moravian Church to appoint a committee of conference, with a view of promoting concact among all Christians, the Committee on Fraternal Relations reported a preamble and resolutions cordially accepting the invitation, and directed the Pres dent of the Synod to appoint a committee of five bishops, three presbyters and two laymen.

Tobacco Badly Nipped by Frost

The tobseco crop in Kentucky has been badly damaged by the frost of September 33 From one-third to one-half of the crop was

FEVER ABATING.

THE STRICKEN DISTRICTS MORE HOPEFUL

Only Six Deaths at Jacksonville-Fernandina Almost Free of the Plague-False Alarm at Gallipolis,

At Jacksonville, Fia., there were 73 new crees and 6 deaths. About 35 extra purses will be thipped away at the expense of the Comm. es en Medical Aid.

The situation is hopeful, and the city would e cheerful but for the death of Col. Daniel, who is deeply mourned.

There is a movement on foot to raise a fund for the erection of a monument to the mem-

cry of Colonel Daniel. FERNANDINA HAS FEW CASES.

Fernancina advices give five new cases of fever. The 80 colored persons reported sick are now being looked up to see if they have yellow fever. They have called no physicians, and the cases are supposed to be

LITTLE SICKNESS AT DECATUR.

At Decatur, Ala., The cold wave has made the outlook more encouraging. Four cases have been reported during the past twentyfour hours, besides one or two doubtful ones, Two deaths have occurred. The sick are all reported in good condition. Several patients have been dismissed as well during the past day, leaving only about 14 cases under treat-

A postoffice bas been established just outside the city limits and one of the newspaspers will appear for the first time in three weeks.

GALLIPOLIS HAS NO PEYER.

The report of yellow fever at Gallipolis, O., is fabe in every particular. We have had nothing here resembling it. The three deaths reported were one diabetes, one obstruction of the bowels and one consumption. Dispatch from Point Pleasant evid ntly prompted by malice. Gallipolis healthier than ever before in her history. John L. Vance.

WELCOME TO FEVER REFUGERS. The Columbia, S. C. City Board of Health resolved to invite refugees from all yellow fever districts to come to Columbia. The city has not been quarantined against any locality, and has been open to all who mi, ht ome, but We inesiay the gates were formally thrown open to refugees from any or all the infected districts.

RIOT AT GALVESTON.

A Colored Policeman in Self Defense Shoots Two White Men.

A difficulty occured on East Strand near Seventeenth street, Galveston, Texas, resulting in the shooting of two white men, cotton jammers by trade, named W. J. Jackson and Otto Oslen, and a serious clubbing of a colored police officer, Henry Shaw, who did the shooting, in attempting to arrest one of the men who had been complained of for disturbing public worship at the Seamen's Bethel, corner of Seventeenth s reet and Strand. the two men were under the influence of liquor, and Jackson had be n ejected from the church by the minister, who appealed to the officer to arrest him, Jackson resisted arrest on the ground that the officer was a negro, and he and others, according to the officer's statement, distrimed him of his c'ub and was applying it to his head very vigorously, when be pulled his pistol and fired 3 shots, the first taking effect in Jackson's right breast, passing through his lung and inflicting what may prove a fatal wound. Olsen was shot through the hand. Before other officers arrived a large crowd had congregated and the officer was being severely beaten and threats to hang him were loud and determine). The officer was taken to jail as soon as possible, to protect him from the violence of the mob.

A Thousand Men Drowned.

From a lyices received by the steamer Belgic it is learned that the whole of the new embankment of the Yellow river, at Chang Chou, begun last autumn, and carried on at a cost equal to over nine millions of dollars, has been completely swept away by the res cont flood. Of the eight thousand lineal feet of river wall recently completed, not one inch remains and the water is pouring through the immense gap into Honan, unchecked. From eight hun ired to one thousand laborers who were on the bank were swept away and drowned.

The cholera is still raging at Hong Kong, the daily average of new patients ranging from 40 to 50, most of wnom die of the dis-

A storm on August 3) at Nokagori, in Japan, caused the following damage: Number of houses demolishe for half destroye !, 3,000; vessels totally lost, 85; vessels wrecked, 500; number of persons wounded, injured and re-

ceiving public assistance, 53,000. The American yacht Coronet resched Yohohama September 17 on its voyage around the world. From this port the owner proposes to return to New York via Singapore, Bombay, Sucz Canal, Mediterranean Sea and Liverpool.

Riot on a Train.

A drunken mob which was returning from the Akron, O. fair got into a fight on a Valley Railroad passenger train at Uniontown, Stark county, and endeavored to take posses sion of the car. The trainmen resisted and a row ensued, during which the windows of the car were broken, seats torn up and the lights extinguished, and the women and chil dren screamed. Finally the train was stopped and the toughs jumped off and disappeared. During the row many passengers were relieved of their pocketbooks. The railway official and police are on the track of the

Inspecting American Railways, Henry Tyler, of London, President of the

Grand Trunk Railway, who has been making a tour of the American continent, arrived in Chicago. He landed in this country about a month ego, his mission being partly to inspect the railway systems of the United States, but chiefly to look after the interests of his own company. He proceeded westward over the Northern Pacific to Yellowstone Park, and thence to Portland, Oregon, returning by the Southern Pacific and in the field, and all growing along creeks and achieves the front all over the county are to the effect that from one-third to one-half of the crop was caught y the frost.

The field, and all growing along creeks and achieves the field and the A chison. On his arrival at Chicago, he was most by General Manager Hickson, who will accompany him on his eastwar i journey from this point. Sir Henry will sait for Europe in about a week.

Closing prices: Wheat—October, \$1 185-58. November, \$1 20 1-8; December, \$1 21 58; May, \$1 223 4 Corn—October, 44 3-4c; November, \$1 20 1-8; December, \$1 20 1-8;

FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

Majority and minori y reports on the Tariff fill were were presented to the Senate Thursday.

The majority declares that the demand for a careful and thorough revenue laws is im-

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Second—To pretect honest importers and domestic producers from the disestrons consequences resulting from fraudulent unders valuations of imported merchandess on which ad valorem rates of duty are levied.

THERD—To remedy the defects, anomalies and incongruities which have been from time to time discovered in the tar-iff schedules, or which have been treated by erronious decisions of the Treasury Department.

FOURTH—To secure the proper readjustment and equalization of tariff raises resourced necessary by modified business conditions, improvements in methods of production, radical changes in prices, or by new elements or sources of competition.

FIFTH—To give relief and protection to many industries which are now suffering on account of the inadequate raise levied on competing products.

The report of the minority makes a door.

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The report of the minority makes a document of 12 printed pages. It begins with the statement that in the preparation of the substitute for the House bill no member of the minority of the committee was consulted or informed as to its provisions until it was reported to the full committee on the 25th of September. The minority recites the work of the sub-committee in hearing the "statements, arguments and appeals of manufacturers and others, who demand that the present high rate of teriff tax ation shall be mintained, and in most instance, prompted not by any revenue necessities, but alone for the purpose of increasing their own profits at the expense of 60,000,000 of tax-psyes." Continuing, they say, "It is safe to say that all the interests beneficed by a high protective tariff have been fully heard and have had much influence in shaping this saustitute. While the great body of the people, the taxpayers and victims of this policy, have not appeared and have not been heard."

The French Decree.

Referring to the French immigration decree, the Berlin North German Gazette advises Germans not to live in France.

It adds: "Every German who crosses the French frontier will understand that he has remove! from culture to barbarism and he has no right to complain if he comes into disagreeable contact with national customs and instincts."

The Vossische Zeitung opines that Italians, rather than Germans, are a med at. It admits that the decree ind cates that the French Government has weakly yielded to the Chauvinism of the masses, but says Germany cannot justly object, the provisions of the decree having long been enforced within her own border.

GENERAL MARKETS. PITTSBURGH. BUTTER—Creamery & Country roll CHEESE—Onio full cream New York 1 75 FRUITS-Apples, bbl Grapes, pound POULTRY—Chickens, p'r, POTATOES—Irish, bbl. 75 1 50 8 50 6 25 1 95 1 25 2 00 1 16 1 15 56 52 50 88 Sweets,
SEEDS—Clover, country,
Timothy
Blue grass
Millet
WHEAT—Oli No. 1 red 1 15 1 14 55 51

CORN-No. 2 yellow ear, Mixed ear, Shelled mixed, OATS—New No. 2 white, OATS—New No. 2 white,
RYE—New No. 2 Ohio cold Pa., 59
FLOUR—Fancy wint reset, 7 oo
Falley spri Rye Flour,
Rye Flour,
HAY-New Timothy,
Lesse, from wagons
MIDDLINGS-White, 15 00 17.00 Bran, Chop Feed,

26 00 23 00 16 00 BALTIMORE. Wheat-No. 2 red, Corn Oats-Western 31 20 Butter Eggs Hay---Western 17 00 CINCINNATI 1 18

Wheat-No. 2 red, Eggs 16 00 15 Butter PHILADELPHIA Flour—Family Wheat—No. 2, Red Corn—No. 2, Mixed Oats—Ungrade i White 7 50

1 22 52 33 Ry.—No. 2 Bu ter—Creamery Extra Cheese—N. Y. Fuli Cream

LIVE STOCK. ALLEGHENY LIVE STOCK YARDS.

There were 236 head on sale, of which 184 heal were from Chicago and 52 head from Ohio, sgainst 234 head last Monday. Alex. G-cenwald, who had all the supply, sold Chi-G-cenwald, who had all the supply, cago-bought cattle at 4 to 6 kg, and Onios at 41/4 to 51/4c. SHEEP AND LAMBS.

There were 348 head on size, all lambs, against 339 head ast Mond y; lambs sold at 434 to 644c, according to quality and cledition. It is not often that the market here is bare of sheep, but there was not much call for them.

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There were 258 hear on sile, against 219 head last Monday. A ex. Greenward sold 172 head at 63% to 63%c, W. Hockenberger 54 head at 6.3%c, and Ge a, Wetmer 22 hear at an average of 6.7dc. CHICAGO-Market slow; natives 10c lower;

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CINCINNATI O.-Hogs weaker; common and light, \$4.75 to 6; packing and butchers, BALTIMORE, Mn —Swine—Light supply and tairly good demand; quotations, \$8.50 to 8.75; receipts, 6,189 head.

Grain and Provisions. . trade and public for the amount of plunging in wheat at Chicago. There seemed to be little abatement in the bull fever when the market opened Saturday morning, with prices from 17-8 to 2c higher all around. Within 20 minutes from the opening December and Last week will long be remembered by the 20 minutes from the opening December sold to \$1 10, and May to \$1 2016, and from that point the advance was steady, with occasional fluctuations, until shortly before the closs December bulged to \$1.22; May to \$1.23 and r to \$1 20 1-2. From this point they

eased off to closing prices.
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