# LATE TELEGRAPHIC JOTTINGS

# BOTH FROM HOME AND ABROAD.

What is Going On the World Over. Important Events Briefly Caronicled.

Washington News. Congressman Springer, of Illinois, is credited with having secured another positive ruling from the administration, this time from Pastmaster General Bissell. Mr. Springer is said to have put the case in this manner: "I understand, Mr. Postmaster General," he said that you have deter-mined to retain Republican Postmasters the full term of four years when nothing can be proved against their character or ability. But suppose that a postmaster appointed by Mr. Harrison served three years and died. and a Republican successor was appointed, will this man be allowed to serve four years, dating from the issue of the original com-mission, or will be be allowed to serve four years dating from the issue of his own com-mission?" "He will be allowed." said Mr. Bis-eil, slowly and positively, "to serve out four years of his own."

Internal Revenue Commissioner Mason submitted his last monthly report, the new Commissioner, Mr. Miller, relieving him tomorrow: For the nine months of the fiscal morrow: For the nine months of the fiscal year ending March 31, 1803, the aggregate receipts from Internal Revenue sources were \$125,510,016 35, a gain over the corre-spending period of 1892 of \$7,208,078. The principal items of increase were: Spirits, \$3,909,707, tobacca, \$1,170,971; fermented liquors, \$1,833,919, oleomargarine, \$290,-804. The aggregate receipts for March, were \$53,853.54 greater than for March, 1892.

Disasters, Accidents and Fatalities

The twine mill of Benjamin Moons, near Providence, R. I. was destroyed by an explosion. Emory Clark and Samuel Peery were killed outright, and Amos Farrington was fatally hurt, Others were seriously injured.

An explosion occurred in the Rusk-Ivane mine at Denver, Col., in which four men were killed and four injured. The identified dead are: George Young, Collin  $\mathbf{E}$ Rolley and P. McGovern.

Clark Robinson and Benjamin Dowe were killed at Lima, O., by a nitro-glycerine explosion at the glycerine works. The glycerine caught fire from friction.

A cyclone at Lyndon, Kas., Tuesday night blew down the court house and jail and the Methodist church, killing Henry Hirsh, who was standing on a street corner.

Daniel Erickson, of Bradford, Minn., went home late at night intoxicated, and in attempting to strike a light, set the house a fire. His wife and two children were cremated.

L. D. Reithman, an old and wealthy real estate man of Denver, Col., was killed while shoveling snow off his roof, by coming in contact with a live electric light wire.

#### Fires.

Cossville, the county seat of Earry County, Mo., was visited by a disastrous fire entailing a loss of over \$200,000, on which there is about \$30,000 insurance. The business portion of the town was cleaned out

At Prymousu, Mich., one business block. LONS. \$60,000.

At Enon, near Springfield, O., the Columbian paper mills. Loss \$70,000. Insurance \$40,000.

Near Denver, Col., three acres of buildings on the Windsor farm. Loss \$40,000;

on the Danube, was partly burned and many priceless works of art destroyed. The Dowager Duchess of Sutherland was committed to Holland prison under a sen-

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tence of imprisonment for six weeks for contempt of court. The failure is announced of the Austra-

lian joint stock bank with liabilities amounting to \$65,000,000. The deposits amount to \$55,000,000. The bank has 200 branches in Australia. The failure was due to the heavy withdrawal of deposits.

# THE CONDITION OF BUSINESS.

#### The Volume of TradeH as Been Retarded by the Weather. While the Financial Conditions Have

Acted as a Damper. R. G. Dun & Co's "Weekly Review of Trade" says: Monetary doubts have overshadowed all other influences at New York, but have not greatly affected trade at most other points. Wheat receipts have been 2,200,000 bushels at Western ports in four days, and Atlanta exports not 600,000 bushels. The stocks and receipts seem to have broken the Western corner and forced heavy liquidation. At Chicago, navigation opens with heavy shipments, and though weather retards business, its volume is fair and collections are satisfactory. Currency does not return as way expected and larg sums are tied up in Fair preparations, so that bankers are conservative.

Reports from other cities show extensive embarrassment from severe storms and the backward spring, with some signs of shrinkage in trade from other causes. The tardy spring makes clothing quiet and the advance in shoes retards buying. The building trade is active and the demand for lumber large, but sales of wool are moder-

Fig iron is a shade firm for foundry, but Figuren is a shade firm for foundry, but Bessener is weaker at Fitsburg and Birm-ingham. No. 2 is offered at \$9. Trade in bar is dull, with the price as low as ever, and a cut to 1.6 cents in beams and chan-nels is reported. Collections throughout the country are at most points slower than

The business failures during the last seven days number, for the United States, 180; Canada, 28; total 208, as compared with 209 last week, 223 the week previous to the last and 101 for the corresponding week of last year.

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St. Louis	des en enco	20,227,715	I	7.1
Pittsburg		16,713,100	T	10.1
Baltimore			1	19.7
San Francisco		15,574,371	Ĩ	10.0
Cincinnati		14,115,580	Ĩ	54
Cleveland		6.237.511	÷ 7	10.1

principal cities of the country is \$1,242,015,-614, an increase of 18.6 per cent. The totals exclusive of New York City amount to \$335,405,546, and shows an increase of 9.8 per cent.

# Official Crop Bulletin.

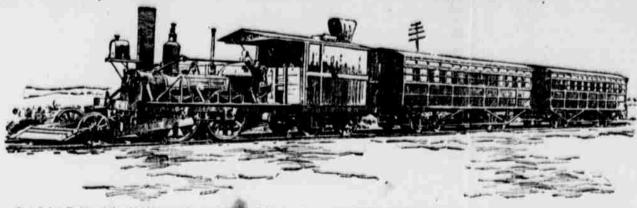
The Department of Agriculture at Washington has issued the following Weather Crop Bulletin: The past week has been cooler than usual, except in the South Atlantic States, and in the vicinity of the lower lakes, where a slight excess in temperature was reported. The preater portion of the wheat belt, which was deficient in moisture at last report, received during the last week from one to two inches more than the usual amount of rain fall, and although some damage is reported from floods in Tennessee the increased moisture

# JOHN BULL LOCOMOTIVE AND TRAIN.

The famous John Bull engine, with its antique passenger coaches, which have so long done duty as chicken houses, arrived in Chicago on Saturday for the World's Fair, after an eventful up from New York city, over the Jennsylvania lines. Thousands of people congregated at the different stations to watch the old train pass, and at many points perfect stations were given. Several weeks ago it was taken to the shops near Jersey City, overhaultd and placed in a concition for the most momentous trip. of its eventful existence.

of its eventful existence. As the inustration shows, the engine presents a strange contrast to the magnificent locomotives of the present day. While the essential principles of locomotion by steam is the same in the old and new, the mechanism is entirely different. One of the most nota-ble features of the John Bull is the pilot, commonly known as the cow-catcher. As originally constructed in England there was no pilot attached, but when the engine was placed in service on the Camden & Amboy road it was found absolutely necessary to provide a pilot in order to assist the machine in taking curves. Mr. Stevens set himself the task of planning one, and although it was a crude and awk ward affair, it served the purpose. The first pilot was a frame one made of oak, eight by four test, pinned together at the corners. Under the forward end were a pair of wheels 25 inches in diameter, while the other end was fastened to an extension of the axie outside of the forward driving, wheels, as it was found that a play of about one inch on each side of the pedestal of the front wheels was necessary in order to get around the curves. Robert L. Stevens the founder of the Camden & Amboy railroad, was responsible for the importation of the engine, as heordered if from Stevenson, the English inventor. It was completed in May, 1851, and arrived in America three months later. I saac Dripps, a young mechanic, made the first experimental trip, and after many trials considerable change was made in the machinery. Wood was originally used for fuel.

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The John Bull weighs 22,000 pounds, exclusive of the tender, and 52,200 including the tender. The ordinary standard passenger locomotive in use on the Pennsylvania railroad at the present time weighs 176,000 pounds, or more than five times as much as its origi-

Icomotive in use on the Pennsylvania railroad at the present time weighs 176,000 pounds, of more than five times as much as its original processor.
The curious contrivance, resembling a poke bonnet, which surmounts the tender, was called the "gig-top." In it sat the forward brakeman, who not only kept a sharp lookout for other trains approached on the same track, but signalled to the rear brakeman when occasion required, and worked the brakes on the locomotive and tender by a long lever which extended up between the knees. There was no belicord nor gong on the locomotive, so all communications between engineer and brakemen was by word of mouth. All there original features are retained in the restored engine.
Hardly less unique than the locomotive itself are the passenger coaches on the historic train. Some 25 years ago a farmer near South Amiloy bought one of the discarded coaches of the old Camden and Amboy railroad. He removed it from its trucks, and, planting to posts in the ground, converted it into a chicken coop. It served in this capacity until a few months ago when a representative of the Pennsylvania railroad, looking for relice, happened upon it, and entered into negotiations for its purchase. The thrifty farmer, realizing that lapse of time had en tower the hennery with increased value, demanded a price which represented compound inference on the original purchase money, but the matter was adjusted, and the passenger coach of 20 years ago transformed into a chick en coop is once more fixed upon its trucks, and went to Chicago as a part of the John Builtrain. After its recovery the coache was reflicted and reuploistered, so that it appears now in all the prisine glory of its palmy days. The history of the other coach is not quife so removery the coache was reflicted and reuploistered, so that it appears now in all the prisine glory of its palmy days. The history of the other coach is not quife so requery to coach is not quife to the reactin the second is not quife to the requesting a

# HOME RULE VICTORY

# IT PASSES SECOND READING.

Mr. Balfour and Mr. Gladstone Made the Closing Speeches. Great Enthusiasm.

The members of the house of commons rushed to their seats on Friday for the final encounter over the second reading of the Irish home-rule bill. Prime Minister Gladstone, as soon as he arrived, was presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers sent from Ireland and accompanied by the inscription "All blessings and power to the friend of poor and distressed Ireland. May God pros per you."

Upon the opening of business in the house Wm, O'Brieu (Nationalist), member ) from Cork city, asked if Mr. Gladstone had received a resolution adopted and signed by the mayor and alderman of Cork approving the establishment of an Irish parliament in Dublin.

Mr. Gladstone replied: "Yes, I had much pleasure in receiving the resolution, all the more as I am informed that it expresses the uniform views of all corporate bodies Ireland," Mr. T. W. Russell, the Liberal member

who opposes home rule for Ireland and who represents the south division of Tyrone, usked if Mr. Gladstone knew that half the members of the municipal council of Cork

#### A MESSAGE IN RHYME, The Mayor of Lancaster, Pa., Gives His Inaugural in Doggerel. The Hon. H. W. Carpenter, Mayor of

Lancaster, Pa., has perpetrated an innovation. His inaugural address is in poetry. Here is the remarkable document : To All Whom It May Concern :

We've never in Lancaster had an inaugural So the first one we have is given in dorgerel. I have studied and pondered and thought

'twould be nice To give the saloonists a little advice. It is cheaper than fines, and, I trust, more

effective-And as to my office you know it's elective-So I hope in the future you'll close up your

doors, The first time it's my fault, the next time

Its yours That you opened on Sunday, or after the Allowed by the Council-I'll apply all the

A nowed by the connent-r if apply an the powers Contained in the State or municipal code And 'twill be your own fault if you're sent o'er the road. I believe to start early; be open and frank. So I'll not be compelled to give you a yank That will quite incommode you in person and porse

and purse. And I know after one dose that you'll get

no worse. Don't lool with the "cops" or entice them

to drink. Or from any duty to skirmish or shrink. I'm a triend to saloonists, one, each and all. And for my sake and yours don't one of you

Into the belief that "Carp" will be easy. For if you depart I'll make it quite breezy Both in your neighborhood and that of the turn, but with cheerful confidence among

# PRESIDENT JLEVELAND SPEAKS He States That the Redemption of Any Kind of Treasury No es Except in

Gold Has Not Been Contemplated. The President at Washington authorized

the following statement:

The inclination on the part of the public to accept newspaper reports concerning the intentions of those charged with the management of our national finances seems to justify emphatic contradiction of the statement that the redemption of any kind of Treatury notes, except in gold, has at any time been determined upon or contemplat-ed by the Secretary of the Treasury or any other member of the present administration The President and his Cabinet are absolute-ly harmonions in the determination to exercise every power conferred upon them to maintain the public credit, to keep the public faith and to preserve the parity be-tween gold and silver, and between all fi-nancial obligations of the Government. While the law of 1800 forcing the pur-chase of a fixed amount of silver every

month provides that the Secretary of the Treasury, in his discretion, may redeem in either go'd or silver the Tressury notes given in payment of silver purchase, yet the declaration of the policy of the Govern-ment to maintain the parity between the two metals seens so clearly to regulate this

discretion, as to dictate their redemption in Of course, perplexities and difficulties have

grown out of an unfortunate financial poli-cy, which we found in vocue, and embar-rassments have arisen from ill-advised financial legislation confronting us at every

The storm was not confined to Milward or the lake shore. Reports from all per-in the State indicate that the gale was m spread and the velocity of the wind alm unprecedented. The wind blew 85 : hour here. Three hundred feet of the ernment break water is washed away. means a loss of a good many thousand dollar. The schooner Loraine, of Ea Three hundred feet of the bound for Racine, went ashore off the early this morning and is pounding Three men comprising the crew were ta off by the life saving crew.

# AWFUL LIST OF DISASTERS

HEAVY WINDS AND SNO BTORMS.

Mississippi Visited By a Tornado. Fin Adds to the Horror. Many Lives Lost at Milwaukee.

MERIDAN, MISS .- A frightful tornal passed over Jasper and Clarke counts Thursday afternoon. A settlement of cal ins inhabited by colored people was de stroyed and many of the unfortunate mates lost their lives.

Dr. T. J. Krouse, one of the largest plas tation owners in the South, was a liter loser. Every stick of timber on his pla was carried away and every house dens ished. His son had his skull crushed. negro on Dr. Krouse's plantation, name Henry German, with his wife and ninech dren, were imprisoned under the rulas his cabin, and fire originating from the kitchen, slowly roasted the unfortune wretches, who piteously begged that dea might come and release them from the sufferings.

The latest reports received show that on 40 people were killed by yesterday's torne and over 200 severely injured, some whom are likely to die.

Curcano.-High winds, approaching e clones in severity, and accompanied a rain, snow and hall, have again played to with the telegraph wires throughout West. Throughout lows, Wise Western lilinois, Nebraska and Mi the wires are practically useless and Mins munication is cut off from Mississippi a Louisiana. WEST SUPERIOR, WIS.,-A heavy

west wind has prevailed here for alm hours. Thursday morning it began ing, and the storm has continued all a By noon the electric cars had been taken it being impossible to get through drifts. Trains on all railroads are delay Isurrantso, Mich.—Nearly a foot of sa fell here Thursday. Trains are de ayed a wagon ronds are impassable.

MINMEAPOLIS, MICH.—The rain set which provailed here all day Thursd turned to snow at night, and Friday from to 10 inches of snow covers the ground of street car system is completely blocked the snow is damp and packs. Advices fer points through the State, from Dakota in Wisconsin indicate that the storm is gen

ST. PAUL, MINN.-In the 23 hours ends at 5 o'clock Thursday evening there was fall of 30 inches of snow at St. Cloud,

fail of 30 inches of snow at St. Cloud, 1 inches at Sleepy Eye and 16 inches here. AN AWILL LAKE DISASTEE. MILWAUKEE-Fourieen men lost the lives Thursday in the fierce storm who lashed Lake Michigan. They were coup-ed in the construction of the new with works intake tunnel, being engaged bricking up a shaft in the crib 3,001 fs from the shore. The hurricane swept and the frail structure which had been in upon the top of the crib to shelter the upon the top of the crib to shelter th and dashed them into the seething is

Through the heroic efforts of the lif-ing crew, one man, James Miller, was a He is lying at the Emergency Hospia weak to tell bis awful story. The work in charge of Shailor & Schniglon, Ch contractors, whose loss will be about E 000. Work upon the tunnel will be der 000. Work upon the t ed for several months.

Following are the names of some of men who were in the crib: Peter Jos Chicago; John and William Pressner ( cago; Harry Miller; John McBride, Mise Dwyer, George Gregg, John Pecisto Agustus Lacovitiz, Joseph Mueller, ma William Priestly, miner, Ebenezer All cook; George Wholly, miner; Freder Spanner, miner,

covered by insurance.

The Ocean View hotel and a number of business houses at Rendondo, Cal., were destroyed by fire. Loss about \$60,000.

Forty houses at Slivno, a village of Bohemia, have been destroyed by fire. Four persons were killed and 40 injured.

Warden, Wash., has been wiped out by fire. It contained 1,000 inhabitants, most of whom are shelterless.

# Crime and Penalties.

Three persons were killed at a serenade near Ness City, Kansas, A young man named Anderson was married and a crowd of neighbors screnade i Anderson and his bride with tin pans, cowbells and shotguns A drunken cowboy fited a load of buck shot into the cottage where the wedding was being celebrated slightly wounding the bride. This angered Anderson and he fired. both barrels of a shot gun into the crowd outside. Two men were instantly killed and a third fatally injured.

#### Judicial.

MARSIED WOMEN'S RIGHTS .- Justice Blatford, for the Supreme Court of the United States, at Washington, delivered an opinion as to the powers of married women in disposing of real estate. It was, in brief, that a married woman may not dispose of property the title to which vests in her name under a power of attorney given to her husband, although he joins in the deed executed by him as such agent or attorney.

#### Cholern Advices.

Panis-Cholera has broken out again in the lumatic asylum in Guimpor, department of Finistro. Five patients have died of the disease.

ST. FETTBALLE-The official cholera statistics show that from March 13 to March 27 there were 400 new cases and 120 deaths in the Government of Pocolia, and from March 27 to April 13, 113 new cases and 33 deaths in the Government of Oofa. Elsewhere in the Empire 15 new cases and new en deaths are reported.

### Legislative.

The New York Assembly has passed the Anti-conspiracy bill directed against employes. The vote stood 03 to 54.

The bill to prohibit combinations formed to advance the price of necessaries of life was passed in the New York assembly and now goes to the governor.

#### Canital. Labor and Industrial.

All the plasters in Buffalo, N. Y., with the exception of about 40, went on strike to enforce their demand for \$3 50 a day, which the master masons refused to grant. Work is stopped on nearly every building in course of construction.

#### Miscellaneous.

A live bald headed eagle from the Rock ies was present the other day when Carter Harrison was inaugurated World's Fair Mayor of Chicago.

BEYOND OUR BORDERS. The Hohenzollern palace at Sigmaringen.

is likely to prove favorable in this region. The spring wheat also received about one inch more than the normal rain fall, but in this section the moisture was already in excess.

Generally the week was co'd and not favorable to farm work throughout the prin-cipal agricultural States, except in the east sortion of the cotton region where 11:0 weather was generally favorable for farm work, but where tain is needed, Special telegraphic reports: Pennsylvania-Cool, wet weather delayed

work generally, little progress in northern portion: in southern portion crop growing finely; good stand of wheat and grass; outook invorable. Tennessee-All crops looking well; low-

lands badly washed by floods on 13th and 14th; some damage to corn by cut worms cut worms abacco plants interoving since rain. Kentucky-Excessive rains retarded farm

work; grasses and meadows improved. Missouri -- Fields generally look fair har

work retarded and ground too wet and cold for germinating. Illinois-Oat seeding complete. Fruit in

jured by frests, especially in southern counties, wheat improving: meadows and pastures good in southern portions.

Indiana-Itain fail excessive: tempera-ture and sunshine deficient; favorable to crops but not to plowing and seeding; wheat

improved. Ohio-Wheat, oats, clover and grass Ohio-Wheat, oats, clover and grass made splendid growth; farm work, plowing

and seeding stopped by heavy rains. Michigan—Crops have advanced slowly owing to high winds and cool nights; plowing for categeneral; some potatoes and early vegetables planted; meadows and pastures in fine condition; fruit prospects excellent.

Wisconsin-Little farming done during the past week owing to freezing weather. The season is, however, ten days early. All rops and conditions are favorable Cranerry vines wintered well.

Minnesota-Snow on the ground in the orthwest. Nothing done and little pronorthwart. gress made elsewhere. The soil is too wet and cold. Potatoes are being planted in the southern counties. The weather during the week was very unfavorable for seeding.

owa-in the southwestern district dry cold winds have injured winter wheat. Seed-ing is practically completed. Plowing is in progress. Corn planting has begun in the outheastern district.

#### A FATAL MINE EXPLOSION.

Three Men Killed and Two More Will Probably Die.

A most disastrous fire occurred at Tower,

Minn. J. B.Kattles, who leaves a wife and four children, was instantly killed. Charles Nelson had a gas pipe driven through his chest and died afterwards. He leaves a wife and five children. Jacob Kashavir was killed by having both legs blown off. Nine others were seriously injured, of whom two will probably die. The fire was caused by a explosion of dynamite.

## IMITATES A DOG.

An Illinois Woman Goes Mad From Bite Ten Years Old.

Alton, Ills., has a curiosity in the nature of a woman affected with hydrophobia to such an extent that she imitates the action of a dog. The woman is the wife of Richard Isom, colored, and ten years ago was bitten by a dog. She barks at intervals and before being tied crawled about on all fours The authorities are in a dilemma to know what shall be done with her.

were absent when the resolution was adopt-

Mr. O'Brien sprang to his feet and with considerable vehemence said: "That is not r

Mr. Gladstone ca'mly replied to Mr. Rusall's question: "The resolution expresses the feeling of a great major tv of the Irish municipal councils," and added that the bone rule till was certain to pass its second reading to might and that it would go to the committee on May 4. This statement was received with cheers by the supporters of

Sir Henry James, Liberal Unionist, spoke in opposition to the bill during most of the resson. Early in the evening the debate was monopolized by minor members. At 10 o'clock Mr. Gladstone entered hurrlediy and was greeted with cheers. The members began to return rapidly. At 10:30 Mr. Bal-lour was received with cheers. All the members had taken their places and the house waited expectantly for the heavy guns of the final debate on the second reading.

Mr. Balfour rose shortly before 11 o'clock He made a long, elequent and impassioned speech in opposition, closing with these words amid cheers;

If you commit this great political crime you make yourselves responsible for an irre-pairable national disaster and all hopes of a eaceful and united Ireland will vanish

Mr. Gladstone rose and the cheering was repeated, but not by the same throats. Mr. Balfour he was in splendid form. eated, but not by the same throats. Like His voice was clearer and fuller than before during the session and his movements have vidence of unusual energy and earnestness

You cannot be surprised that we have undertaken the solution of this great question, and, as on the one hand it is not ne least of the arduous efforts of the Liberal so, on the other hand, it will have its pace in history-aye, and not remote early history-as not the least day but least durable fruitful and blessed among its accomplished

Before the cheering ceased George Bartey, Conservative for North Islington, rose o continue the debate. Mr. Morley, chief ecretary for Ireland, moved the closure and it was adopted. Then the members divided and soon followed the announcement that the bill had passed the second reading by a the only had passed the second reading by a vote of 347 to 304, which was the signal for more cheers and hat waving. There was another demonstration when Mr. Gladstone left the house. Crowds had gathered out-side the building and as the prime minister rode away he was followed by their cheers. The division was taken and article The division was taken on strict party Every Nationalist member with the majority. The dissident Liberais, to a man, went with the opposition. The prince of Wales femained until the result of the division was abnounced.

DETAILS OF THE ZANTE CALAM. ITY.

The List of Dead Increasing. Sufferings of the Homeless.

The details of the calamity that has be fallen Zante show that since the beginning of April there have been a total of 100 earthquake shocks, averaging five every day. When the terrific shock came, on Monday morning last, the city of Zante was practically wholly destroyed. There are not in the city 50 houses that are safe for people to live in. It is now known that 150 persons lost their lives in the disaster and this list is likely to be added to when the ruins are cleared away, if this is ever done. H. Dra-gumail, Acting Minister of Interior, who has made a journey through villages lying in the vicinity of the capital, reports that he found scarcely a house standing. The suf-ing among the homeless people is great.

Now don't you presume that I ever will

quait Or throw up my hands when once well in

line, For I think to be right is both just and

divine. And if after two years of quiet and care You make up your minds to oust me from

there Put shoulder to wheel, and work with a

To quit me from office that I fail to fill. Don't think for a moment that "Carp" is a

foal-You'll make a mistake if you break o'er the

A mistake it will be you will find to your

sorrow When you settle up the morn of the morrow. Here's another good subject : I think the police

Need a little attention, instruction and

grease To oil up their joints and hasten their ways So they get in their thirty instead of ten

days Every month, and take care to let alone

booze And try to dispense with their sweet nightly

snooze. For I'll be around-I'm not hard to keep, And no one can tell at what hours I sleep. Fil run the department, or "bust" up the

ranch, Fil have no lieutenants or "reference

There is an old saving 'a new broom sweeps uean,

But I give you my word that I say what I inean-

You "keep up your trace" and "hoe your OWH TOW. And I will assure you things smoothly will

go. .

The closing bell will be rung to-night and regularly hereafter at 11 o'clock standard time. All who are interested in its ringing will govern themselves accordingly, and all who do not interest themselves in its ringing, will be governed accordingly.

H. W. CARPENTER,

April 18, '63. Mayor,' City of Lancaster.

NO EPIDEMIC OF CHOLERA.

The Opinion of a New York Newspaper,

After a Careful Investigation. The New York "World" thus summarizes a four column article on the subject of the likelihood of cholera epidemic this summert

The "World" has gathered the opinions of the leading physicians of New York and the health officials on the probabilities of a cholera epidemic this summer. On the whole a careful review of what these medi-cal experts say leads to the conclusion that a choiera epidemic is not probable. There is an almost unanimous belief that w- will have some cases of cholera during the ho months. The doctors, however, point out work clearly in the interviews which follow the reason why these sporadic cases are not likely to become evidemic."

## Ten Silver Miners Lose Their Lives.

At Butte, Mont., fire broke out in the shaft of Silver Bow mine, on the Butte and Hoston properties, near the 500-foot level. Ten men are known to have been entombed on that level and are supposed to be dead.

#### The Eskimos Desert the Fair.

The Eskimos have deserted at Chicago They have flown from their buts in the Fair grounds, and will start an exhibition of their own outside the Exposition fences. They grew weary of their managers.

the people and a patriotic disposition to co-operate, threatened danger will be averted pending a legislative return to a better and sounder financial plan. The strong credit of the country, still unimpaired, and the good sense of our people, which has never good sense of our people, which has never failed in time of need, are at hand to save us from disaster.

# The Gold Reserve Again Incact.

The amount of gold taken from the Treasury's reserve fund Friday was made good Saturday and about \$700,000 free gold added to the Treasury resources. It is expected that this will be increased shortly as there is a disposition shown by the Western bankers to help the treasury swell its gold balance. Several bankers in New York, too, are stated to have turned in gold in New

MORE STRANGE FINDS.

Bones of a Supposed Chief of a Vanished Race Found in the Martins Ferry Mound.

for greenbacks.

At Martins Ferry, O., more human skulls and bones were found in the lower part of the big mound in Walnut Grove Saturday than any day since the work of removal was begun. Most of these were in a good state of preservation, some remarkably

About four feet above the bottom of the tumnlus is a fourteen-inch stratum of dark earth which bears evidence of fires having een kindled. In this was found thousands of burned stones, burned bones, bone dust, burned mussle shell, bits of charcoal, etc. The fires must have been intense and there . no doubt but what the basin for cremations. At the bottom of this strata is a layer of stone, carefully put in there, and just above the strata was unearthed the chief of a missing race. The burial had been made with greater cire than burials now-a days. Over the remains was a sement covering, eight feet long, three and one half feet wide and nearly an inch thick made of clay, small pieces of stone. etc., with a smoot surface of white material either side.

### IT IS NEARLY READY.

The Fair Will Open on Time as It Appears Now.

The arrangements for the World's Fair opening ceremonies at Chicago, are about completed. Secretary Culp received a telegram saying that Rev. W. H. Milburn, the blind chaplain of the house of representatives will offer the opening prayer. Invitatations will probably be issued to Red Cloud and some of the other Indian chiefs, who came to town to occupy seats on the platform as representatives of the race of original Americans.

Alarming reports to the contrary, 1.1.0 fierce storms of the past week did little damage to the stately White city.

## General Beale Dead.

General Edward Fitzgerald Beale died at Washington, D. C., Saturday noon.

General Beale was born in Washington Feb-ruary 4, 1823. He was educated at George-town college, and graduated from the Naval academy in 1842. He served with distincacademy in 1842. He served with distinc-tion in the Mexican war, and was commend-ed by Commodore Stockton. He was ap-pointed superintendent or Idian affairs for California and New Mexico and commis-sioned surveyor general for California. but declined the position in order that he might actively serve in the Federal army during the civil war. In 1876 he was appointed United States minister to Austria, but re-signed after a year's service and devoted himself to sheep raising in southern Cali-fornia.

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Received at Fortress Monroe Great Thunder of Salutes and Do play of Flags.

The three Columbus caravels arri-Ft. Monroe, Va . Friday morning in t the three Spanish warships and were ceived with great thunder of salutes and play of the flags of the countries repreed by the fleets and dropped anch the end of the American line of ve -day could not have been more heau: the scene more impressive as they ca the roads, decorated from jibboom rail with the flags of Castle and  $\Lambda$ and Queen Isabelia standing out and terring in the gentle breeze. At the la

the fleet was the unprotected cruiser.] Isabel, towing the flagship Santa which displayed the flag of an Santa Behind and a mile astern came the vessel Nueva Espana, with the Nina charge, and in the latter's wake was black pretected cruiser Reina Regen the Pinta. They were towed by as quarter of a mile of hawser and look nany ducks setting on the water W feathers of their tails plucked. the fort the Stars and Stripes were out and saluted by the leader, t quickly responding. Before the Maria was abreast of the Philadelph Dutch frigate Van Speyk ran up the ish colors and saluted them with rounds. Then the Russian ship Admiral saluted, and later every in the harbor honored these curious crafts and the country from which came.

THE GOLD RESERVE DEFLET

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Discussed at a Cabinet

Meeting.

Friday's Heavy Gold Engagements

At the cabinet meeting Friday n

the financial situation, it is understood

When the Treasury Department close

doors in the afternoon the gold reserv

\$100,000,000 had been depleted to the

When the day opened there was

Treasury \$185,000 of tree gold. This is was increased by gold offers from the

aggregating about \$1,250,000. The shipment of gold from New York, an ing to more than \$5,000,000, cut this

the such an extent that when the or met Secretary Carlisle found that the for gold up to that time had wiped free gold, and invaded the gold reser-the extent of \$2.557,000. As far as

be officially ascertained this is the au taken out of the gold reserve Friday is

port, although it is unofficially stated \$700,000 in gold, exclusive of that take at New York, has been withdrawn froi sub-treasury, at Boston. for export 10 ada, making about \$6,000,000 in gold 1

out of the country for shipment to me It is believed that this depletion is temporary and that within a few day depleted reserve will be restored to is ginal figure~\$100,000,000,

tent of \$2,509.000 to \$3,009.000.

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