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## A WEEK'S NEWS.

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CONGRESSIONAL. THE Senate met on the 24th and only transacted executive business.... The Speaker laid before the House a message from President, transmitting the report of the Secretary of State and papers relating to the trial, conviction and execution of the late Patrick O'Donnell. The Speaker announced the committees and the House adjourned.

#### WASHINGTON NOTES.

In a recent interview, ex-Senator Spencer stated to a Washington correspondent that the investigation of the star-route trials by Congress would be urged, his object being to learn why some persons were tried and others were not, and why so star-route cases; there were Western men deeper in than he.

JUDGE WYLIE discharged ex-Senator temps, owing to an informality of the sub-

MR. BLAND, Chairman of the Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures, is said Bloomington, Ill., gave way beneath the to favor recoining trade dollars into stand- accumulated weight of wet snow and went ard, and thinks the issuing of the latter should not be stopped. He is also of the in the ruins. The damage to the locomor relieved of command on account of nerv opinion that a mint ought to be established in the Mississippi Valley.

lingering illness.

kogee, Indian Territory, to investigate the tion of a Chief, and make recommendations looking to a settlement. The recommendathe Interior Department. The gentlemen above named are instructed to inform the raw sausage. Creeks that the Department will, if necessary, inforce the action recommended.

THE House Committee on Appropriations held a meeting recently and decided to prepare, if possible, Pension, Fortification, Consular and Military Academy Appropriation bills during the recess, so as to be presented to the House when Congress assembles.

It is said that Perry Belmont has got a splendid new house in Washington, and is having it fitted up in a manner to make Vanderbilt envior

THE issue of standard silver dollars for THE first-five months of the present fiscal year the total internal collections were \$51,279,438, being \$11,343,971 less than the A LATE fire at Fargo, D. T., destroyed a corresponding period last year. In spirits the total increase of collections were \$2,- insurance about half that amount. 074,771; fermented liquors, increase, \$497,-388; total decrease of collection in taxes on tobacco, \$9,191,601; from banks and teen men, eight of whom were killed. bankers, \$10,682,921; miscellaneous taxes,

A PETITION requesting Congress to prevent the importation of foreign laborers under contracts made abroad was said to be receiving many signatures of working. men in the mining and manufacturing districts of Pennsylvania.

#### THE EAST.

A SLEIGHING party, numbering fifteen persons, went over an embankment at Mill Village, Pa., recently, and James Krouch, Charles Imshwaler, Mary Kutter, Caroline Green and Mary Hessler were seriously

CAPEN. Superintendent of Schools at Canton, R. I., and Joseph Morton were killed by a snow plow on the Boston & Providence Railroad the other morning.

It was reported that there were prospects of trouble in the bituminous coal districts of Pennsylvania, Over fifteen thousand miners have expressed a willingness to co-operate and assist in a general

R. S. SMITH & Co., of Providence, R. I., have assigned. The firm operated two cotton mills in Providence, two in Johnstown and one in Woonsocket, in all 87,000 spindles. The failure involves the suspension of the Providence Steam Mill Company, Graton Manufacturing Company and the Franklin Manufacturing Company. The total indebtedness of the firm is about \$1,700,000. The company's property will be sold and the proceeds divided among the creditors.

J. P. DIEHL, formerly Collector of Cus toms at Philadelphia, was found dead in bed at Jersey City, N. J., recently. Coal gas is believed to have been the cause of his death.

THE Free Thinkers' Convention met at Salamanca, N. Y., the other evening. There was a large attendance. Among the speakers present were ex-Rev. Burnham. of Michigan, and John E. Remsburg, of Kansas.

THREE men while recently digging coal near Girardville, Pa., were buried by falling earth. One was fatally and the others seriously injured.

A RECENT dispatch from Hanover Gerbone killed his wife and committed suicide.

They were connected with the most prominent families of Albany, N. Y. She was a daughter of ex-United States Senator

Harrie.

THE number of failures in New York City in 1883 was 343; liabilities, \$20,857,843; actual assets, \$9,374,451.

HEAVY snow storms lately blockaded travel and interrupted telegraphic com-munication in the Northern and Eastern

works Company at McKeesport, Pa., will accept the reduction of from twelve to twenty-five per cent. announced to take place soon.

ABOUT eleven o'clock the night before defined with a large stone, the assailant securing the bag yard be converted into a repewalk.

ELLEN BROS.' furniture store, at Eau Claire, Wis., burned recently. Loss, \$35,-000; insurance, \$23,000.

The woman knocked Currier's hat off, friends and relatives of those hung, went when he pushed her away. Then she shot to town and provoked a quarrel with some

THE heaviest snow storm for years occurred in Central Illinois on the 22d.

AT Richmond, Ind., the other evening, Henry W. Johnson, a prominent criminal lawyer, while attempting to shoot one of the Baumer brothers, shot Policeman Wertenburg in the thigh, and was himself shot in the back of the head by an unknown party. The shooting was the result of a law suit between the Baumer brothers and a man named Vaughan.

WHILE Abe Morrison was seated in his store at Dubuque, Iowa, the other evening, with a gallon can of alcohol beside him, its contents became ignited, and all at once Mr. Morrison was in flames. He ran into much money was paid the Government at- the street and rolled into a snow pile until torneys. Dorsey was but small fry in the the flames were extinguished, but not before he was badly if not fatally burned. He afterwards returned to his store and with some assistance extinguished the Spencer, arraigned at Washington for con- flames, which had already done considerable damage.

THE other morning the roof of the round house of the Chicago & Alton Railroad, at and killed Christmas day by. a young mar down with a crash, burying six locomotives tives was quite serious. One man was quite severely injured.

THE wife of General Rosecrans died at ABOUT four weeks ago Carl Gull, a Ger-Washington a few days since, after a man boarding-house keeper, of Bloomington. Illa aged sixty; his son, aged twenty-THE Secretary of the Interior has ordered two; daughter, aged twenty, and a boarder Inspector Benedict, Agent Tufts and Special named Frink, were taken sick, and in a fected him for years. His friends feat Agent Townsend to proceed at once to Mus- few days it was discovered that their dis- that should be recover from his present kogee, Indian Territory, to investigate the ease was trichinosis. After dreadful suf-Creek troubles arising from the recent elec-fering Carl Gull died about a week ago; his for active service. son was in a precarious condition, with but little prospects of recovery, and the daughtion will form the basis of final action of ter was quite ill. Frink, it was thought, would also die. All the result of eating

THE large flouring mill of Goorge C. Thilenus, at Cape Girardeau, Mo., burned recently. Loss, \$60,000; insurance, \$50,000. A RESCUING party of thirty one persons went from Ouray, Colo., to the Virginius mines to take away the victims of the mine disaster of the day before, and while returning with the bodies on sleds a second snow slide came down and the party had a miraculous escape from being overwhelmed. The sleds containing four dead bodies, however, were carried two thousand feet down the mountain side, and then burled over a precipice five hundred feet the week ended December 23d was \$416,500. high, where they must remain until spring.

> A LATE fire at Fargo, D. T., destroyed a number of business houses. Loss, \$36,000;

Another Colorado snow slide recently occurred near Telluride carrying off four-

A FREIGHT train on the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northwestern Railrord, was wrecked recently at Columbus Junetion, Iowa. Five cars were derailed and Mark Fisher killed.

LAST July Gretchen Rummel, in her eighteenth year, daughter of a barber living in Munich, Bavaria, took fifteen hundred marks her father had saved up and ran away to America. She went to Cleve-land, O., where a woman friend lives, and found work as a domestic in a farmer's family at Collamer. Recently she wrote a penitent letter home, and by means of the other day the father and daughter set out on their return to Europe. -

JOHN A. CLARK was banged at Bozeman. M. T., for the murder of Thomas Rodgers

ing, destroyed Thomas Folk's furniture April 18, 1881, he was engaged to be marstore, C. A. Burbanks, jewelry: Rouner & ried to her. Hunter, boots and shoes; Anderson & In a late interview with Mr. Morrison,

Walker, bardware; J. P. Anderson, dry goods; J. H. Kilmer, groceries. THE four-year-old daughter of Alonzo

taking fire from a grate while the parents were absent from the room.

Ill. His wife held his head above water for some time, crying for help, but as none THE French Government has decided to came he became exhausted and went down. ers in Colorado.

quarreled on Christmas eve, at Fairfield, ning of next session. The prohibition does knife, cutting him on the left shoulder. and Bordeaux, where, however, arrivals Thomas then turned and picking up a stick are subjected to rigid scrutiny. Thomas thirty. Both were stock traders had killed. It is believed he was shot im and well to do. The trouble is said to have mediately after killing the hog. grown out of business relations.

#### THE SOUTH.

of man, wife and two children, and two

States.

It was currently reported that three thousand employes of the National Tube-

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ARTHUR G. CURRIER was probably fatality shot by Lena West in a bar-room at Newburyport, Mass., on Christmas night.

As aloon at McDade, Tex., by fifty well damage along the coast. At Pittsfield, armed masked men, carried a mile into the brash and hanged to a tree. The men the business failures of the country for the week ended December 28th were 214, a large decline from the previous week.

of the men supposed to be engaged in the hanging. A fight ensued, during which two of the six, Jack Bayley and Asa Bayley, were killed, and a third, Howard Bayley, badly wounded. A young man named Griffin, was also mortally wounded.

A STREET fight took place at Allendale. S. C., on Christmas, in which two persons were killed and five others wounded. John Hudlett, Marshal of the town, Evan and Jovce Strange and others, had an altereacation with Frank Weaver and Ulry Middleton, in which the two Stranges were wounded. Returning from this fight, which was carried on until Weaver and Middle ton got nearly out of town, they met L. B. and Frank O'Bryan and Gus Allen return ing from a dimer party, when one of the Strange boys insulted them. A general row ensued, sticks, knives and pistols being freely used. Evan Strange and Ton Hudlett were killed outright, the two Johr Hudletts severely wounded and the two O'Bryans slightly.

MISS STEVENSON, a young lady living near Bastrop, La., was accidentally shot named Kitchen.

GENERAL MCKENZIE, commander of the Department of Texas, has been temporarily ous prostration and mental depression. and it is stated his condition is such as to lead his friends to send him to the Military Insane Asylum at Washington, During the war he was twice severely wounded and had much nervous trouble which af

THE Mexicans are making war on nickels Recently a refusal to accept them in the market at the City of Mexico caused quar rels, resulting in firing and cries of "Dowr with the nickel." The panic spread and all business houses were closed. A mot passed through the streets breaking lamps and windows. Troops fired blank car tridges at the mob and cavalry charged the crowd, and order was finally restored without bloodshed.

A JEWISH school and synagogue Galatin, a suburb of Constantinople (Turkey), burned recently. Fifteen students perished, and the same number were missing. The directress of the school. siezed with fright, threw herself from s window and was killed.

It is stated that France is determined to enter into no negotiations for peace with China until the French occupy Bacninh.

Ir was reported that the French Govern ment had telegraphed to Admiral Courbet. urging him to follow up his victory at Sontay with the utmost promptness and energy compatible with prudence. It was expected that Admiral Courbet would make an attack upon Hong Hoa before marching against Bacninh.

A SERIOUS riot took place at Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, recently, occasioned by an Orange procession being fired upon Four men were killed, eight reported mor tally and eighteen to twenty slightly wounded.

#### TRIE LATEST.

THE sanitary condition of Havana (Cuba) is reported to be improving. Only ten deaths from yellow fever for the week ended postmark her father traced her, and the December 26. The cases were scattered among the population and not confined to shipping and military hospitals as they usually are.

Miss Hill, of Hill-Sharon fame, recently had Frederick C. Burchard arrested at San A FIRE at Saranac, Mich., the other morn- Francisco for testifying in court that on

Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, be is quoted as saying that the committee will report a bill making a pretty Campbell, residing near Bellaire, O., was general reduction in existing duties; that recently burned to death by her clothes in arranging the provisions of the bill the committee will look to the possibility of preparing a measure that can pass Con-PETER McKinney, night watchman on gress, but whether or not the bill can get the Government fleet, fell off one of the through the House without being amended boats the other night, at Mount Carmel, so as to destroy its usefulness, is a matter of mere conjecture.

Snow slides continue to annihilate min- salted meats until the Chambers have pronounced upon the bill which the Minister Two brothers, Jeff. and Thomas Hobbs, of Commerce will introduce at the begin-Mo., when Jeff. pursued Thomas with a not apply to the ports of Havre, Mantes

hit his brother over the head, inflicting in- The dead body of Penn Girt, a negro juries from which he died during the night. preacher, was found the other day six Jeff. was twenty-three years of age and miles from Brinkley, Ark., beside a hog he

THE Trades' Congress at Toronto (Ont.), unanimously resolved that the future welfare of the working people of the Dominion WHILE a family named Gray, consisting required the prohibition of the importation of Chinese labor.

swollen stream and all drowned.

At Pine Bluff, Ark., the superintendent of a gang of convicts, was found guilty of whipping a prisoner so severely as to cause death, and was sentenced to the penitentiary for twenty-one years.

The other night, as the collector of the First National Bank of Nashville (Tenn.) was going to the post-office with the day's yard January 15 and the dismissed of helf

#### THE HOUSE COMMITTEES.

Complete List of the Standing and Select Committees of the National House of Representatives.

ctions-Messrs. Turner of Georgia, Davis of Missouri, Converse, Cooke, Bennett, Lowry, Elliott, Robertson of Kentucky, Adams of New York, Ranney, Pett.bone, Miller of Pennsylvania, Valentine, Hepburn of Iowa, and Hart.

Ways and Means-Messrs. Morrison, Mills, Blount, blackburn, Hewitt of New York, Herbert, Hurd, Jones of Arkansas, Kelley, Kasson of Iowa, McKinley of Onio, Hiscock of New York and Russe.l

Appropriations—Messrs, Randall, Farney, Ellis, Holman, Hancock, Townshend, Hutchins, Follet, Burnes, Keifer, Cannon, Ryan, Calkins, Horr and Washburn. Judiciary—Messrs, Tucker, Hammond, Cul-bertson of Texas, Moulton, Broacheal, Dors-heimer, Collins, Seney, Reed of Maine, E. B. Taylor of Ohio, McCord, Brown of Indiana and Poland.

Banking and Currency—Messrs, Buckner, Ermentrout, Porter, Hunt, Mills of Texas, Chandler, Wilkins, Yople, Bingley, Brumm, Adams of Illinois, Henderson of Iowa, and Hooper. Coinage, Weights and Measures—Mossrs, Bland, Dowd, Hardy, Nicholls, Pusey, Japhani, Tulley, Belford, La.e., Chaze, Everhart and Luna.

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Commerce—Messrs, Reagan, Clardy, Turner of Kentucky, Dunn, Seymour, Glasscock, Woodward, Boyle, Barksda, e. O'Neill of Pennsylvania, Davis of Illinois, Wadsworth, Long, Steward of Vermont and Peters.

Rivers and Harbors—Messrs, Willis, Blanchard, Jones of Alaban a Gibson, Rankin, Breckenidge, Murpny, Sumner, Houseman, Henderson of Illinois, Fayne, Robinson of Ohio, Chace, Stone and Burleigh.

Agriculture—Messrs, Harch of Missourt, Aiken, Dibrell, Williams, Petch, Green, Winans, Weller, Patton, Cullen, Wilson of Iowa, White of Minnesota, Ochiltree, Howey, Stephenson, Raymond of Dakota.

Foreign Affairs—Messrs, Curtin, Belmont, Deuster, Clements, Cox of North Carolina, G. D. Wisco Virginia, Stewartof Texas, Lamb of Indiana, Rice, Wait, Kitchen, Phelps and Hill, Malitary Affairs—Messrs, Rosecrans, Slocum, Dibreil, Morgan, Wolford, Nicholls, Murray, Duncan, Steele, Bayne, Lyman, Laird, Cutcheon, Magrianiss of Montana.

Nava' Atalris—Messrs, Cox of New York,

Maya Adairs Hosses, Cox of New York, Morse, Talcott, Buchanan, Eaton, Ballentyne, McAdoo, Harmer, Thomas, Goff, Jr., and Boutelle. Post-offices and Post-road :- Messrs. Money, Post-offices and Post-road :- Messrs. Money, Worl Cosmove, Riggs, Rogers of Ar

Boutelle.
Post-offices and Post-road i-Messrs. Money, Reese, War I, Cosgrove, Riggs, Rogers of Arkiness, Tay, or of Tennessee, Jones of Toxas, Palize, Bingham, Peele, Sharpe of New York, White of Kentucky, Wakefield, McGormick.
Railways and Canals-Messrs. Davidson, Hobitzelle. Murphy. Palge, Caldwell, Turner of Kentucky, Wemple, Culbertson of Kentucky, James, Atkinson, Hatch of Michigan.
Public Lands-Messrs. Cobb, Scales, Ontes, Shaw, Lewis, Henby, Van Eaton, Belford, Strait, Auderson, Payson and Brents of Washington Territory.
Indian Affairs-Messrs. Wellborn, Graves, Stevens, Peelle, Pearce, Finerty, Skinner of North Carolina, Smith, Kinne, George, Perkins, Nelson, Oury of Arizona.
Territories-Messrs. Evans of South Carolina, Pryor, Arnot, Hardeman, Lantfan, Alexander, Carleton, Foran, J. D. Taylor of Onio, Kellogg, Johnson, Lawrence, Struble and Post of Wyoming.

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Manufactures—Messrs. Bagley, J. D. Wise of Virginia, Mitchell, Caldwell, Crisp, Lewis, Brewer of New Jersey, Mackey, Ellwood and Jampbell.

Mines and Mining-Mesers, Warner of Tennessee, Cassidy, Alexander, Skinner of North Cirolina, Miller of Texas, Wood, Stevens; Brietung, Culbertson of Kentucky, O'Hara and Singster of Idaho.

nd singster of Idano. Loyees and Improvements of the Mississippi tiver–Messrs, King, Dunn. O'Neil of Missouri, Jost, Campbell, Jones of Wisconsin, Henley, thomas, J. S. Wise of Virginia, Honey and

Thomas, J. S. Wise of Virginia, Honey and Whiting. Militia-Messrs. Muller of New York, Coving-ton, McAdoo, Peelle, Boyle, Ballentyne, Strait, ey, Valentine and Cutcheon. ims—Messrs, McMillan, Do Claims—Mosses, McMillan, Dowd, Tillman, Warner of O dio, Van Alystine, Fo kery, Wood, Lové, Snyuer of New Mexico, Ray of New Hampshire, Price, O chiltree, Elwood, Brown of Pennsylvania and Ray of New York.

War Claims—Messrs, Geddes, Jones of Wisconsin, Stone, Fulley, Rogers of New York, Weller, Fefrell, Kellogg, Everhart, Renell and Boven.

Bowen.
Revisison of Laws – Messrs. Oates, Buchanan,
McMilian, Hill, Clay, Ward, Hemphill, Brown
of Pennsylvania, Bayne, Spooner and McCormick.

mick.

Public Buillings and Grounds—Messrs Stockdayer, Young, Dibble, Reese, Hopkins, Pusey, Wemple, Worthington, Brainerd, Hotton, Kean, Jr., Breitung and Milliken.

Pacific Railroads—Messis, Cassidy, Throckmortin, Cabell, Thompson, Jr., Jordan, Crisp, Post, Wilson of Iowa, Willard, Dunham and Hanback. Hanback.

- Expenditures in the War Department—
Messrs, Thompson, Jr., Ferrell, Taylor of
Tennessee, Elliott, Mayo, Johnson and Han-

back.
Expenditures in the Navy Department— Messrs, Morse, Hewitt of New York, Shaw, Davidsen, Houck, Davis of Massachusetts and Lawrence. Expenditures in the Department of Justice— Messrs, Sprieger, Hemphilt, Van Alstyne, Friar, Stewart of Vermont, Bower and Steph-mson.

Expenditures for Public Buildings-

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Expenditures in the Post-Office Department—Messrs, Morgan, Talbott, Robinson of New York, Neece, Peelle, Stone and Nutting.

Expenditures in the Interior Department—Messrs, Young, Clardy, Cook, Storm, Brumm, Dunham and Payne.

Patents—Messrs, Vance, Singleton, Mitchell, Greenicat, Habsel, Duegan, Wingus of Wisconsin and Hepburn.

Education—Messrs, Aiken, Converse, Willis, Budd, Arnot, Duncan, Wingus of Wisconsin, Taylor of Ohio, Millikin, Hatch of Michigan and Morrell.

Invalid Pensions—Messrs, Watson, LeFevre, Fyan, Wingus of Michigan, Budd, Sumner of Wisconsin, Patton, Lovering, Bagley, Ray of New Hampshire, Cullen, Harks, J. S. Wisco Virginia, Holmes and Morrell.

Pensions—Messrs, Hewitt of Alabanna, Tillman, Robinson et New Verk, LeFevre, Stocksinger, Jones of Texas, Wafford, Steele, Laird, Struble and York.

siger, Jones of Texas, Wafford, Steele, Laird, Struble and York.

Expenditures In the State Department—Messrs. Hardeman, Durgan, Worthington, Campbell, Barr, Headerson of Iowa and Price. Expenditures in the Treasury Department—Messrs. Davis of Missouri, Hewittof Alabama, Patton, Connelly, Lacey, Libbey and Payner. Labor—Missrs, Hoykins, O'Neill, of Missouri Foran, Lovering, Mackey, James and Haydes. District of Columbia—Messrs. Barbour, Muldrow, Shelby, Eldridge, Wilson of West Virginia, Fielder, Spriggs, Barr, Gruenther, McComas and Jeffords.

Private Land Chims—Messrs. Muldrow, Mutchler, Williams of Alabama, Haskell, Coserove, Eldridge, Lowery, Payson, Parker, Way and Weaver.

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Public Heal h-Mesers, Beach, Graves, iggs, Chandler, Fiedler, Davis of Massachu-

Public Health—Mesers, Beach, Graves, Riggs, Chandler, Fiedler, Davis of Massachusetts, Evans of Pennsylvania, Libbey and Pettibone.

Ventilation and Acoustics—Messrs, Hardy, Cabell, Green, Shelley, Jeffords, Evans of Pennsylvania and Braner of New York.

Enrolled Bills—Mesers, Neece, Warner of Tennessee, Sayder of West Virginia, Yaple, Peters and Holmes

Select Committee on Reform in the Civil Service—Messrs. Mutchler, Cox, Clements, Hoblitzell, Finerty, Barksdale, Scymour, Robertson of Kentucky, Binkham, Phelps, Millard, Lyman, Hitt and McAdoo.

Public Liquor Traihe—Messrs, Hill, Bland, Kleiner, Carleton Evans, Davis of Illinois, Gruenther, Goff, Jr., and Campbell.

American Ship Building and Ship. Owning—Messes, Slocum, Deuster, Dibble, Throckmorton, Hunt, Findley, More, Dingley, O Nelli of Pennsylvania, George and Long.

On Law Respecting Elections of President and Vice-President—Messrs, Eaton, Springer, Clay, Jordan, Price, Bennett, Kleiner, Findlay, Parkes, White of Kentucky, Peters, Hart, and Wait.

On Payment of Pensions, Bounties and Back

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Joint and Select Committees on Printing—dessrs, Scales, Rogers of New York, Smith of

#### The Triumph of Right Methods.

at last triumphed. The party has, by the election of Mr. Carlisle, put time The Republican party leaders are serving and cowardly fears away from now pretending to be felicitating themthem and assumed an attitude which selves on the selection of Mr. Carlisle the country can clearly understand. for the Speakership of the House. Upon the simple but comprehensive issue of tariff reform the country will be They base their pretended hopes first upon the fact that the Speaker appealed to for party support, and hand omes from the South, and second that in hand with the promise of good gov-ernment which it is abundantly able to guarantee, will go the other pledge of deliverance from grasping monopolies he represents tariff retorm. The Republican party, while it is wicked and corrupt, is not an assemblage of fools, and, while there may be, and doubtand tariff oppressions, not danger to American labor, but justice to all in the less are, many foolish and stupid men who put themselves forward as leaders, widest, freest, best sense of the term. With a strict regard for the rights of the mass of voters in all sections of the country are tolerably sensible people. They know, if the leaders do not that the selection of Mr. Car.isle for labor, judged not by the clamor of fattening monopolies, but based in a sense of common justice to all alike, with honest toil justly recompensed for its efforts and the blessings of her Govern-Speaker is judicious, and seeures public confidence. The Republican leaders are anxious to open the campaign with the sectional cry of the "bloody-shirt," and push it on by afrighting the country with the notion that taxis ment extended to every section and to every man, the Democratic party can face its enemies and win a glorious victory. This is the meaning of Carlisle's eform means the destruction of Amerielection, and the country fully underan labor. In the first place, the Solid stands it .- American Register. outh has nothing to do with the suc-cess of Mr. Carlisle; for he was not Unreasonable Criticism. chosen because be came from the South, but because he best represents the living principles and issues of the Demo-"The South is no longer only solid; it is dom'nant-in the Democratic party, gratic party. He represents all that the Democracy has been struggling for at least." Such is the asinine remark of the New York Tribune, and the sensince the war-the right of the people timent will echo along the line of the to conduct their domestic affairs, and small-fry Republican newspapers throughout the country. All this be-cause of the election to the Speakership to enjoy the fruits of their labor free from the officious intermeddling of political adventurers, and the more of a man from Kentucky and to the odious tyranny of moneyed rings and giant monopolies. The more sensible mass of Republican voters who are as Clerkship of a man from M'ssouri. This absurd idea is limited to the narrowest, most uninfluential faction of much interested in good government as the Republican party. Republicans our Demogratic brethren, know that the accident of birth or residence cuts no figure in calculations which have whose common sense is not only "solid" but "dominant"—men of honesty and candor-do not reason in this unreasonto do with the material interests of the able way. They feel that no party capital is to be made on such false and flimsy pretexts, but that the situation, country, and know also that wise and patriotic statesmanship is just as likely to come from a man born south of Mawhile perilous to Republican success,

son and Dixon's line as one north of it, and that it is not the locality which involves no menace to the peace of the country or the stability of its business makes the statesman, but the quality of interests. A Republican member of Congress, mind and the traits of character which. he possesses. Regarded in this light no man has appeared in our National counconversing with a correspondent of the New York Times in relation to the elecels in many years who is the superior t'on of Mr. Carlisle, makes use of the of the one whom the Democratic party following language: has chosen as its legislative leader. Can the geographical distinction so affect the mind of a statesman as to condition his patriotism by the character of his surroundings, or would the man whose shiring talents and sterling qualities, as vouched for by friend and foe alike, and whose exalted views of public affairs are the theme of general admiration, temper his zeal for the

utterances anywhere, to lead to any be-

lief but that his elevation to a great and

his power for the advancement of Na-

tional interests and the good of the people with whom his interests are

sire to prevent themselves from being

overcome by the wiser lessons of states

manship, which it may be Mr. Carlisle's

happy privilege to teach, but the masses who will be able by and by to read and

judge for themselves, will not be easily

nisled into a oblief which will do them

The South is no more become the rul-

politics because of Mr. Carlisle's e'ec-

ion than it would have been had either

Mr. Ran lall or Mrs Cox been chosen.

tion means simply a combination of cir-

cumstances common to politics and ful-ly illustrated in all political history:

terests of the Nation, and as if there was

something dreadful to be apprehended if Southern men and Southern views

has its strength in the South, there is

no denying this, but it is from no lack

They would not object to Southern

lisle's selection means a very great and

important change in Democratic polities, viz: that the day of temporizing

and fooling with living and vital issues is past, and that hereafter the Demo-

cratic ilag will represent something and mean something. The day of hiding and shirking behind imaginary dangers

is over, and henceforth the Democratic party will appeal to the whole country,

But the Republicans with insist that

injustice.

He is honest, frank and earnest. He is just as much concerned to take care of the business interests of the country as anybody I know. Then he knows that there is a prejudice against Southern men, and a belief that no man from the South is fit to be entrusted with power. He will make an effort to disappoint everybody who holds that belief, and I am afraid be will succeed. Should he do so there will be an end of sectionalism, a solidification not of the South or of the North, but of the Nation.

This onlying discloses the real and This opinion discloses the real and ablic good and consider his duty to the only cause of Republican alarm. It is Nation only in so far as it might adnot that they fear the effect of a Demovance sectional interest? Does any eratic majority in Congress upon the public welfare, but the fatal consesensible man believe this, or can any part san prejudice sufficiently blind the quences to the grand old party, which average judgment to accept such a con-

that majority threatens.

Should its legislation be wise, efficient, dusion? There is nothing in Mr. Carlisle's history as a public man, or his remedial where remed'es of existing grievances are needed, reformatory where existing abuses call for reform, responsible position will be accepted as a sacred trust—to do all that may be in and uniformly honest, thorough and patriotic, as we have every reason to believe it will be, then, indeed, as the Republican Representative truly says, people with whom had leaders may ident fied. Republican leaders may seek to deny all this in the natural dewill there supervene "an end of sec-tionalism" and a "solidification of the

Nation. Such is the apprehension that "hurts" the Tribune and its following - only this and nothing more .-- Washington Post.

#### A Crank and a False Prophet.

El Mahdi McClure, of the Philadelphia Times, has worked himself into a terrible state over the election of Mr. Carlisle to the Speakership. In the elevation to that office of the eminent ing dominating power in Democratic statesman of Kentucky he sees another Democratic defeat, and assured victory All are Democrats and all strove as carnestly for the support of Southern votes as Mr. Carlisle d.d. and his selecfor the Republican party, whether its candidate be Arthur, Blaine or Grant. Indeed, so at the mercy of the high tariff monomania is he that he makes a most pitiful exhibition of himself. He throws up the sponge in behalf of the party of the people and announces that the selection means predominant South-ern influence in our politics, as if that t is beaten already, and that it has wilfully thrown away its splendid oppor-tunity to again control the affairs of the se tion were alien to the common in-Nation. Virginia goes back to Mahone. North Carolina, Alabama, Louisiana, Tennessee and West Virginia become came to le recognized in the theater of doubtful States. The North is solidly National contest. Have the Southern States no voice in our National affairs, arrayed against the wicked Democracy. Such is the situation, according to the or shall that great section relinquish its False Prophet of Philadelphia, and such right to be heard because its people dif-fer with those of the North in their po-litical views? It is not that any politicit has been made by the election of John G. Carl'sle, of Kentucky, to the Speakership of the House of Repreal rights are denied them, but because sentatives over Samuel J. Randall. that section is Democratic rather than Pennsylvania. If, now, the Republic Republican from causes which are well ans should nominate Blaine they would understood by all thinking people, that sweep the North and divide the South; the objection comes, and the bugbear of a solid South with its meaningless that twaddle is constantly dragged in to do should be their standard-bearer they should be their standard-bearer they campa'gn duty. The Democratic party would carry the country by storm. What the result would be if Flanagan, of Texas, should be the Republican candidate, El Mahdi does not say, but of attention on the part of the Republican managers that it is so, but rather from their failure to make it otherwise. it is fair to presume that in his judgment the party would pull through. Nevertheless, we would not advise the votes, nor Southern States if they could Democrats to give up their organization have them; it is because the South just yet. Let them remember that will not be bought or driven to Repubwhile there's life there's hope. And let them not forget that El Mahdi McClure, lican principles, so called, that the South becomes an object of painful besides being a false prophet, comes solicitude to Republican hopes. All this the voters of the North understand, very near to being a crank .- Boston and they also understand that Mr. Car-

-The latest mining sensation is the discovery of a diamond the size of a bean in a mining claim near Helena, M. T. The finder was ignorant of its value, and was going to have it set in a pin as a curious stone, and was much surprised on being told by a jeweler, who offered him forty-five dollars for it, that it was a diamond. On learning what it was he refused three hundred doilars for it, and claims to have plenty East, West, North and South, for support and give a reason for the fath more like it in his diggings.—Salt Lake which is in them. Right methods have | Special.

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Demorests Monthly for January, 1884, is an unusually entertaining number, and exceedingly rich in illustrations. The frontispiece is a fine steel engraving of Sir Frederick Leighton's celebrated painting, "Wedded."

John E. Pearce and Elmer Reed, the murder of Mr. McMillan, in Emporia, a short time ago, when week, in the Lyon County District Court, plead guilty of murder in the first degree, and were sentenced to be confined in the penitentiary for one year and then hanged.

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Speakership; so we are informed hobby he has done more to tear terprise, high tariff paper.

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of the saloons in this city men yet I might pass Morgan's infernal have been seen drunk on our efforts to injure me in my business streets, and the question arises: professionally, were it not for the Largest in the Where did they got the intoxicant? fact that every member of my fam-Ask of the Kansas City wholesale lly is laboring as bard, or barder liquor houses, and they can tell than myself, with the same object To Give Satisfaction; you, if they will.

in some of our Democratic friends (I believe it was) said: have concluded to turn over a new leaf, and are revolving in their

the Chase County Courant one Democrat on it; and in the any other man of my acquaintmatter of advertising, we received ance." during the year just past \$257.50 worth of advertising from Republicans of the county, \$246.80 worth from Greenbackers, thus making a total of \$504.30 worth from our political opponents, while we received bread out of the mouths of the but \$255.75 werth form the Democrats of the county.

The personal organ grinder copies the following from the El Dorado Republican, Without a word home towns in preference to those ment, and to take such further acof other counties .- Property owners of a county should aid in building up home towns and encourage home interests. Every dollar of property accumulated distributes the burden of taxation by increasing the taxable wealth. Mutual suport; a community of interest, or a general 'standing in' with each who were arrested on suspicion of other is what makes towns and counties wealthy." The foregoing is very true; but is it not in direct the case came on for trial, last opposition to the actions of the organ grinder? The way he "stood in" with the Courant when it was first started was to give out that he wanted "no borrowing nor lending between the two office; and then as soon as he found out where he could buy a couple of notes secured by a mortgage on our material, he bought said notes, in the name of his wife, and had this office colsed for nearly two weeks. Then again, he stood ready to "stand in" with us a few years ago year, or clubbed with the Courant, by buying our office for a mere song when all of our material was advertised to be sold at Constable's sale; but we paid the debt and saved him the trouble of taking The manufacturing interests of charge of what was to us our daily the country are now going to the bread. He has a style peculiarly "demnition bow-wows" on account his own of "standing in" with peeof the election of Carisle to the ple, and by carrying out his pet by the Republican press. We down the good name and good forguess Carliele wont hurt the hun- tune of many of the best citizens of dreds of turnaces and iron mills the county than has all the rest of that have closed up within the last the county put together. We copy - [L 8] month. Pity they could not have the following from the COURANT of held out a short time longer, so the April 6, 1877, to show that this blame could have been laid at the manner of "standing in" of his is

Speaker's door .- Potter (Pa ) En- net of recent date, but that it is We have perfected arrangements with the publishers of the American Farmer, of Fort Wayne, Ind., that enables us to offer our subscribers a first class Agricultural Magazine at the bare cost of the white paper.

A cronic affliction: "There is hard-ly a well known citizizen of the Office by Orangs 1. C. Smith against William T. Morris for abandoning his Homestead Entry No. 6, 472! dated June 2, 1877. upon s out half (4) of southwest quarter (4) of section eight (8), township twenty-one (21), south, of range seven (7), east, in hase county, Kansas, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are herebyl summoned to appear at this Office on the 6th day of February, 1884. at 10 o'clock, a. m., to respond and furnish a cronic affliction: "There is hardat the bare cost of the white paper F. P. Cochran, S. P. Young, A. S. Heward, H. L. Hunt, J. R. Blackshere, Henry Weaver, O. H. Drinkwater, F. L. Drinkwater, J. C. Dwelle, F. E. Smith, S. A. Perrigo, Leroy Martin, Lot Leonard, Wm. Doughty, S. L. Roberts, C. M. Brown, Ed. C. Holmes, John R. Holmes, W. W. Sanders, A. J. Penrod, Chris. Schnavely, Frank Alliston, Calvin Baker, Arch. Miller, Geo. W. Yeager, G.-W. Brickell, C. A. Mead, Sr., Wm. H. Shaft, D. P. Shaft, A. R. Ice. P. P. Schri ver. Hewitt Craik, H. E. Snyder, The probibitionists are rather S. T. Bennett, W. P. Martin, H. A. premature in their rejoicing over Chamberlain, C. C. Watsen and the closing of the saloons, if their many others, whom we might object, as they so frequently boast, meatien, having had the vials of be the suppression of the liquor its wrath emptied upon them." traffic and drunkenness. The exit To again show the character of the of the saloons here in Kansas will organ grinder's "standing in" with be the signal for the revival of the folks we copy the following from a jug, demijohn, and convenient letter of Judge S. P. Young, which pant and half pint flask era, which appeared in the Courant of July prevailed throughout the State a 21, 1876: "The purpose in the vilfew years ago. The departure of lianeus heart of the liar gives charthe saloon means more whisky and acter to his lie. I have admitted less beer and increased drunken. that I am poor, but am laboring CIANT WELL DRILL ness. Why, even since the closing bard to better my condition; and

'The meanest devil out of hell.

Is he that will kiss and gang and tell.' minds how they can best help us But, I say, the old Scott was miscause in this county. We will give them a hint how it can be done, and that is for the Democrate to do as well by us as do the Republicans and Greenbackers, if they can not do better than them; and to let the Democrats know how well the other parties are doing for us, we will say that there are about two Republicans and Greenbackers and Greenbackers about two Republicans and Greenbackers and Greenbackers are doing for us, we will say that there are about two Republicans and Greenbackers are doing for us, we will say that there are about two Republicans and Greenbackers are doing for us, we will say that there are about two Republicans and Greenbackers on our subscription list to falsehood into smaller space than the devil right to chances to increase their wealthy. Those who do not improve their opportunity remain in poverty. We offer a great chance to make money. We want many men, women boys and girls to work for us right in their own locality. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages, Expensive outil turnished free. No one work, or only your space moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address Stinson & Co., Portland, Maise. and thus promote the Democratic taken. We have a very much

in view. When looked at from

this point, it would seem the last

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County, Kansas:

You are hereby requested to be present at a mass meeting to be held in the Strong City Opera House, on Saturday, January 12. 1884, at I o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of securing an expression of comment, thus showing that he of opinion from the masses respectendorses it: "All other things be- ing the Judicial murder of Patrick ing equal, it pays to patronize O'Donnell by the Brithish Govern-

> tion as may be advisable. CHAS. H. CARSWELL, W. E. TIMMONS, JAMES HOLLAND, WILLIAM MARTIN. P. B. MCCABE. MATT. McDONALD. Committee.

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL LAND.

Notice is hereby given that I will offer at

TUESDAY, JANUARY 8TH, 1884, between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m., and 3 o'clock, p. m., the following described school land, to-wit: Northeast quarter of northeast quarter of section 36, township 22, range 8. appraised value, \$3.50 per acre: northwest quarter of northeast quarter, southwest quarter of northeast quarter, southwest quarter of northeast quarter and northeast quarter of north cast quarter and northeast quarter of northwest quarter of northwest quarter of northwest quarter of northwest quarter of section 36, township 22 range 8 appraised value, \$3.00 per acre northwest quarter of section 36, township 22, range 8, appraised value, \$3.50 per acre, and southeast quarter of rorthwest quarter of section 36, township 22, range 8. appraised value, \$3.50 per acre, and southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 36, township 22, range 8. appraised value, \$3.50 per acre, situate in Chase county, Kunsas. Any person may have the privillege of making a bid or offer on said land, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a.m., and 3 o'clock p.m., on said day of sale, at my office, in Cotton-wood Falls, Chase county, Kansas.

Co Treasurer of Chase Co., Kansas. Co Treasurer of Chase Co., Kansas

#### BRIDGE NOTICE.

OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK, COTTON-)
wood Falls, Kas., Dec. 3, 1883
Notice is hereby given that the Board of
County Commissioners of Chase county, Kansas, intend to build a bridge at a place known
as the Osage crossing of the Cottonwood
river, in Diamond Creek township, in said
Chase county; that the estimated cost of
building such bridge is \$4,500,00, and that said
Board of Commissioners will, at its regular
Janunry, A. D. 1881, session, consider the
matter of building said bridge, and make an
appropriation therefor.

By order of the Board of County Commissioners.
S. A. Breese.
L. S.
County Clerk S. A. BREESE, County Clerk

#### NOTICE.

U. S. LAND OFFICE, WICHITA, KANSAS. Deccember 21, 1883 10 o'clock, a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

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K. Johnson, Pastor; Sabbath school, at 10
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service, at 11 o'clock, every alternate Sabbath, class meeting, at 12. m.; service every Sabbath evening at 8 o'clock.

M. E. Church South.—Rev. J R Bennett,
Tastor; service, first Sunday of the month,
at Dougherty's school-house on Foxcreek,
at 11 o'clock, a. m.; second Sunday, at
Covne branch, at 11, a. m; third Sunday,
at the Harris school-house, on Diamond
Mr. Frank Hardesty came up
from Kansas City, last Friday, and
will remain a while among his
friends and relatives.

Mr. W. A. Morgan has been ap-

Covne branch, at 11, a. m; third Sunday, at the Harri school-house, on Diamond creek, at 11, a. m; fourth Sunday, at Strong City, at 11, a. m.

Catholic—At Strong City—Rev. Guido Stallo, O. S. F., Pastor; services every Bunday and holyday of obligation, at 8 and 10 o'clock, A M.

Baptist—At Strong City—Rev. W. F. File, Pastor; Covenant and business meeting on Saturday before the first Sunday in each month; services, first and third Sunday in each month; services, first and third Sunday in each month, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. All are invited to attend. Meetings are held in the public school building. SOCIETIES.

Knights of Honor.—Falls Lodge, No. 747, neets on the first and third Tuesday evenmeets on the first and third Tuesday even-ing of each month; F B Hunt, Dictator; H P Brockett, Reporter. Masonic.—Zeredath Lodge No. 80 A F

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ing papers and periodicals, at the follow
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#### ANNUAL MEETING.

A meeting of all persons interested in the cemetery w'l be held in the Probate Court room on the ad day of January, 1884, at 2 o'clock, p. m., prompt, when the annual election of officers will be C. C. WHITSON,

Vice-Pres. J P. KUHL, Secretary.

Subscribe for the COURANT.

LOCAL SHORT STOPS.

Leap year. We need money.

Cold last Thursday.

Moderate weather Friday. Fair and moderate yesterday.

Cold, Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

How many times have you writ en 1883, this year?

Mr. P. Hedderman, of Strong City, has gone East.

Mr. I. C. Thomas, of Emporia was in town, Saturday. It tried to snow, Monday, but

the weather was too coid. We need money, but our debtors do not seem to think we do.

Dr C. E. Hait was down to

down to Emporia, on Wednesday his school land, in the same neighof last week.

Mr. Coarles Klausman is build ing two large barns on his place on South Fork.

Mrs. M. P. Strail has our thanks for a nice lot of spare ribs, backbone and sausage. It was very cold on New Year's

day, the wind blowing quite hard frem the northwest.

Misses Allie Hunt, Lillie Buchanan and Cora Billingslæ were down to Emporia, last week. Miss Jennie, daughter of Mr. J.

R. Helmes, of Elmdale, who is at- burry. tending Bethany College, at Topeka, spent the bolidays at home. Capt. White and wife, of Bazaar,

spent the holidays in Sedgwick county with their children, Mr.and Mrs. Cossen.

Satuaday night, to which every They will play at the Strong City one is invited. Mr. J. P. Kuhl had a raffle on 4th.

New Year's day, in which Mr. Geo. George won the capital prize, a \$30 set of harness. Down to zero was the way the mercury stood on the last night of

the old year, and on the first night

Mr. W. A. Morgan has been ap-

pointed postmaster at this place; and, as a Republican said to us, "Will wonders never cease?"

Mr. Hugh Griffis and Miss Gussie Brown, both of this county, than a home-made garment. The cases of Theo. Blenkeer, J. N. Nye. your produce. Thursday, December 27, 1883.

Misses Alice Rockwood and Gussie Brown and Mr. J. M. Warren attended the State Teachers' Association, at Topeka, last week.

Married, in Strong City, Decem ber 23, 1883, by the Rev. J. M. Miss Susunah F. Kelly, both of ico, where a good situation await- Kelley, at Young & Kelley's Law connection with his establishment that city.

reporter for the Ninth District happy life. Court, and Mr. F. P. Cochran, of last Thursday.

There was about an inch of snow year, but the wind blew so hard depth of three or tour feet.

Preaching at the Congregational church in Strong City, by the Rev. A. K Johnson, at 11 o'clock, a. m., on Sunday, January 13, and every alternate Sabbath thereafter.

The Rev. J. M. Benton, of the M. E. Church South, preaches the first Sunday of each month in the Baptist church in Strong City, at 11 o'clock, a. m., and 7:30, p. m.

Friends of the COUBANT, having legal notices to publish, will confer a favor on us by requesting their atterney or the county officers to have them published in the Cov-

The members of Class A, advanced grade of our city school, State. gave Prof. Wm. M. Crichton two

home from the East, on Christmas late: J. M. Tuttle, Dictator; W. L. G. L. Skinner's, Strong City, Kas Following Brands of Cigars: night. He spent about two weeks Cazaly, Vice Dictator; Geo George, A car load of Moline wogons

and three days in Washington City among friends.

Regular service at the Baptist church in Strong City will be held on the second and fourth Sundays of each month, at 11 o'clock, a. m and 7:30, p. m ; the Sunday-school. Have you subscribed for this pa- at 9:30, a. m, every Sunday.

Messrs. Ferry & Watson raffled Gather ice as soon as it gets off a marble-top bed-room set of furniture, on New Year's day, for \$100. The bedstead was won by Mrs. A. Ferlet, the bureau by Mr C. C. Watson, and the washstane by Mr. E. Cooley.

Mr. E. Cooley raffled off an organ, Monday night, for \$65, which was won by Messra J. W. McWilliams and C. C. Watson, who then threw for who should take the organ and give the other \$20, and Mr. Me Williams won the organ.

Congressman E. N. Morrill has bought the Largent farm near Marfield Green, and Mr. A. Z Emporia, on Wednesday of last Scribner will have to give possession thereof by March 25. Mr. Mr. J. R. Holmes and wife were Scribner will build a residence on borhood.

From the Emporia Republican, which got out a 16 page New Yar's edition, giving a history of Emporia, we learn that Mr. J. R. Holmes bought about two hundred yards of Brussells carpet in that city, last Saturday, for his new residence, near Elmdale.

There will be an examination o' applicants for teachers' certificates, held at the school house in Cottonwood Falls, Saturday, January 12, 1884, at 9 o'clock, a. m. Come early, so that you need no MARY E. HUNT, Co. Supt.

There will be a donation sociable and the young folks did remarka | Morgan, Trustees, at the Rev. A. K. Johnson's on bly well in their several roles. Opera House, Friday evening, Jan

The Band "boys' " dance in Muone hundred and fifty couples in journed, on Friday, sine die: attendance. The supper was served and restaurant, and it needs no as to location of road. praise from us, as it was just such a supper as Mr. Young knows how

It does not take a mother half as nuch time to earn the nice girl's cloak, offered as a premium by The Housekeeper, Minneapolis, Minn., as it would to cut and make it, to say nothing of the cost of material; besides, the cloak is more stylish up to the Supreme Court, in the get the highest market price for were married in Emporia, on last grand premium list is sent free to M. A Redford and Nye & Red. any address.

Mr. A. B. Ladd, formerly of this county, but who for the last year has been in the South, called in to for Reifsnider who was released. see us, last Thursday, and let ye editor gaze at the minnature of his better-half. He left, Thursday Benton, Mr. Robert Challen and night, for Las Vegas, Now Mexed him. He and his have our best Office. Mr. A. Altedorffer, short hand wishes for a long, prosperous and

this city, were down to Emporia, of Strong City, was at rested at the instance of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hofman, of the same city, charged Sept. 9, 1883. DR. R. WALSH. fell on the last night of the old with an attempted rape on a fouryear-old child. The case came up that in some places it drifted to the for trial before 'Squire Miller, last Thursday, and Judge Young, the County Attorney caused the same to be dismissed at the cost of the prosecuting witnesses.

> Mr. Peter Weiland's billiard hali in Strong City, up stairs in the old | Breese's. Hildebrand building, is as neatly and hansomely fitted up as a par- tisement. lor, and would do credit to any metropolitan city; and while you can get refreshing drinks at the counter, nothing intoxicating is kept about the establishment; and, moreover no minor is allowed to play billiards in said hall without authority from his parents or guardian. It is, in fact, one of the best arranged and best conducted billiard balls we have seen in the

The following officers of Fals very nice Christmas presents- Lodge No. 747, Knights of Honor, "Court and Cross" and "Shak. were elected on the 18th ultimo. We would have published the li-t Mr. W. H. Helsinger returned last week, but it reached us too

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porter; J. P. Kuhl, Financial Re | porter; M. M. Kuhl, Treasurer; H. wire just received at M. A. Camp-The "Young Folks at Home P. Brockett, Chaplain; Jacob Horn-Concert," given by our home talent, berger, Guide, C. M. Baldwin, in Music Hall, on Monday night, Guardian; I. B. Vail, Sentinel; F. considering the inclemecy of the B. Hunt, Representative; H. P. weather, was very well attended, Brockett, M. E. Hunt and W. A.

#### DISTRICT COURT.

L. HOUK, JUDGE.

The District Court of this counsie Hall, last Thursday night, was ty has decided the following cases a most enjoyable affair, there being since our last report, and ad-

S. C. Park vs. County, appeal: in Mr. M. M. Young's new hotel decision of County Board reversed his drug store.

State vs. C. C. Watson; motion to re-tax costs sustained, and Mrs. Ann Decker's and R. Walsh's costs stricken out.

ruled as to Lawless, and sustained

In the case of the State ve. D.M. Reifsnider L. W. Clay appeared in fancy groceries. open court and became responsible

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REWARD. Lost, a surgeon's pocket case, on

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Good goods and bottom prices at

For confectionaries, go to J. Bauerle's. novl tf

jy6-tf You can get your staple dry goods at Breese's.

or \$50 cash.

up to the handle." Go to Howard's mill if you want to get the best of flour.

Another car of Canon City coal received at Peter Kubi's. Fresh goods all the time at the store of Breese, the grocer.

Parties indebted to Dr. Walsh are requested to call and settle. E. W. Brace, the plasterer, is an excellent workman. See his ad.

Candies, cigars, tobacco, etc., at

A car load of Glidden fence

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ple and fancy groceries and for sta-Bills of exceptions were signed ple dry goods, and where you can "A penny saved is a penny earned;" and the way to save your

pennies is to go to Breese's, where you can always get fresh staple and You can get meals or lunch at

any hour, from 6 o'clock, a m. until 10, p. m., at Jerry Williams'. on Main street, between Broadway digtt

J. Bauerle runs a confectionary in this city, at either of which you can get warm lunches at all bours.

J. W. Ferry wishes all of his Walter Woodring, age 16 year, er products, at Pennell's restaurant. customers "A Happy New Year," and says that those who are indebted to him can return the compliment by calling in and setting their accunte, as he wishes to turn be bought at this shop. over a new leaf.

Mr. M. H. Pennell has moved his restaurant into the old Hildebrand Bros. & Jones building, late ly purchased by him, and is now prepaired to furnish meals for any number, and to let farmers hitch

Doolittle & Son have the best and cheapest of boots and shoes to be found in this market; also, a full and groceries. A dollar saved is a dollar made; and you can't make dollars any easier than by saving First-class organs at E. Cooley's them; and the best way to save dollars is to buy your goods of A General Banking Business. Doolittle & Son.

S. A. Vail, Land, Lan and In-J. Bauerle is running the bakery improved and unimproved lands for sale; the unimproved lands, good for farming purposes, being worth from \$3 to \$5 per acre. He also bas town property for sale and for sale a non-residents. Office, west side of Cottonwood Avenue, Strong Cry,

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#### FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

-For lemon butter take one halfpound of pulverized sugar, whites of three eggs, yolk of one, two grated lemons; cook twenty minutes.—Boston

-A charming way to flavor custards is to beat fruit jelly with the whites of the eggs. Red raspberry jelly and quince jelly are especially nice for this. San Francisco Chronicle.

-While it may be an advantage to keep young pigs over winter in order to obtain hogs of large size next season, it | Piracus (the Harbor City) there are 25,is not always profitable, unless extra care be bestowed in supplying liberal food and warm quarters. The spring pig makes an animal of fair size and at ess expense.—Troy Times.

-Sugar Pudding: One quart of milk, one-quarter of a pound each of flour, sugar and butter; boil until thick, then add six eggs, the whites and yolks beaten separately; bake in a dish set in a pan partly filled with hot water one hour; serve with a sauce made of two cups of sugar, one-half cup of butter, well mixed .- Roston Globe.

When asked the six best substances for destroying insects above ground, Prof. C. V. Riley mentioned tobacco, soap, hellebore, arsenic, petroleum and pyrethrum. The first three are wellknown; but it has only lately been learned that the vapor of tobacco is not only effectual in destroying insects wherever it can be confined, as in greenhouses, but that it is less injurious to delicate plants than either the smoke or the liquid.—N. Y. Examiner.

-Lemon Sponge Cake: One-half pound of sugar, rub a few lumps on the peel of two lemons so as to extract the emon's flavor; dissolve the sugar in a gill of boiling water, add the juice of two lemons, and beat with the volks of four eggs until white and thick; stiring quarter of a pound of fine flour, beat the whites of the eggs until well frothed, and mix as thoroughly but as lightly as possible; butter and sift sugar over a mold, nearly fill it with the mixture, and bake at a yellow paper heat for thirty minutes.—N. Y. Herald.

Buttermilk is generally considered as inferior to skim mik in nutritive properties, but it is a valuable article of food. In India it is universally used and so highly esteemed by some of the pastoral tribes that they have this saying: "A man may live without bread, but without buttermilk he dies." Where there is a deficiency of meat and other nitrogenous foods buttermilk supplies the lack, as among the laborers in the hotel had invented for the purpose of United Kingdom. The Welsh make a making miserable the lives of other curd, which is eagerly eaten, by mixing, children. The Senator owed Garland buttermilk with boiling whey. This one, and saw his opportunity. He probread makes a palatable and nutritious meal .- N. Y. Tribune.

#### Two Ways of Squandering Money.

"Ten years ago," said a sedate acquaintance of mine to his spendthrift brother, "we inherited one hundred and fifty thousand dollars apiece. You now have only abou; twenty thousand dollars left. Instead of using your fortune in some sort of business or paying attention to its profitable investment, you employed all your time in spending it. You put horses on the race track, you made extravagant tours in Europe. you kept a yacht, and worse than the rest you gambled. I am now told that you have joined the new American Turf Club. That will probably finish you off during this winter. I'm not my brother's keeper, and I want to warn you that I don't intend to be. When you've got to your last dollar, don't

come to me for help. That's all."
"I don't suppose you have spent more
than five thousand dollars a year for personal expenses since you came into your inheritance," was the response; "you haven't had a fast horse, nor a trip abroad, nor a yacht, nor a game of chance, nor any of the fun I've had from all these costly things. But I am dead sure you couldn't this day raise a dollar more in hard cash than I can. You've sunk your fortune just as quickly and irretrievably as I have, but the difference is, I have had a right royal good time, and you haven't, O, there's no use denying it. I have kept as close watch on you as you have on me. Thirty thousand went into petroleum wells that wouldn't squirt, twenty thousand in a railroad that folks won't ride on, forty thousand in mines with outputs of stone that won't stew out a pound of silver to the ton, and so on to the end of all your fortune, except about as much as I've got teft, I've been a fool in soon parting with my money, but so have you; but I have had ten years of jollity against your ten of dull worry. Don't you go to lecturing me." It is not approvingly, of course, but

merely as an illustration of two very different but equally rapid ways of losing money, that I have quoted that retort. The grave brother has decided to stop operations as an investor and get into smaller and safer business of a mercantile nature, thereby putting himself in a position to retrieve a part of all his losses. -N. Y. Cor. Chicago Journal.

-One of the most interesting of the exhibits at the recent London Fisheries Exposition was the boat in which Grace Darling, the light-house keeper's daughter, saved nine lives from a wreck off the Forfarshire coast, some forty years

#### Modern Life in Athens.

The following extracts from a private letter recently received by a Providence gentleman from an American student in Athens, Greece, will prove of general interest: "I live in a Greek family," he writes, "where we speak only Greek. The house is on Æolus street, with Socrates, Euripides and Hermis streets not far off; so that you can easily imagine the hallowed associations that are daily suggested. Our 'maid-of-all-work' is named Athena. There are twenty-eight newspapers in the city. I can count a dozen dailies on my fingers, and I presume there are others of which I have and 250 lawyers, as many priests, and a dozén thousand soldiers, the 80,000 people in Athens are pretty well supplied thing. I suppose you can attribute with these appurtenances of life. The city is very modern, though in some parts it does not look so; but where dirt is allowed to accumulate it soon makes Dumley. things look hoary. I suppose Athens is the type, or better than the type, of all the from afar, you know."—Philadelphia Oriental cities, and that where people | Call. can make a meal off a piece of bread and a bunch of grapes industry is not necessary. But I have not seen a manufactory in the city, aside from the little shops of a few handicraftsmen. The whole town has grown up about the palace of the King. The rich men are those who have made or are making fortunes elsewhere, and live here for so-The University of Athens has 2,-500 students, 1,500 of them in law, and two-thirds of them destined to be farmers—for many of the law students will never practice that profession. There are hundreds of wine shops well filled. The streets are full of bustling men, but they are bound for nowhere. At the 000 people engaged in active industry. Beside the foreign shipping there is a considerable coasting trade in farm produce. The people here are very proud, but the glory of a dead past is only a bond of unity and patriotism, not a support of individual life. There are no parties on public questions, only cliques supporting certain leaders with their politics, which may or may not be different.—Providence (R. I.) Star.

#### All Fixed.

An insurance agent in Nashville who was applied to by a small dealer in clothing for insurance on his stock, in-

"Did not your brother Isaaes burn out in Atlanta, and did they not find kerosene sprinkled all over the floors?" "Yes, dot vhas Isaaes, but didn't he proof dot a baull of kerosene busted on

"And didn't your brother Moses burn out in Charleston, and didn't they find

bon-fire down cellar?", "Yes, dot vhas Moses; but he satisfied the shury dot he lit der fire to find a leak in der waterpipe."
"Was it your brother Jacob who

burned out in Mobile?" "There was an explosion of powder,

wasn't there?" "Vell, Shacob said it vhas robbers who blew open his safe." "If this company insures you and you burn out there will be a rigid investiga-

tion," said the agent. "Vhell, dot vhas all right. If my store burns oop it will be found dot I vhas in Cincinnati, und dot my vhife vhas oop all night mit a corpse. a man who doan' give himself avhay.'

### An Arkansas Stomach.

Another dignified Senator has been taught the mysteries of the ostensible caramel which one of the boys of his cured some of the alleged sweets and placed them carelessly on his desk. The game succeeded. Garland spied the deceptive chocolates, and carelessly sauntered by, picked up one of them and said: "What are these, Senator?" "They are caramels. Take one."
"Thank you, I will," and he took one. Now the caramel was, filled with soap, and the jokers expected to see Garland spit out the nauseous stuff. That was where the laugh was to come in. But Garland disappointed them. He are up the whole thing, soap and all, and never made a sign. The perpetrator became frightened and ran out into the cloak-room, exclaiming. "Good Lord, I'm afraid the man's poisened." "Oh, you needn't be alarmed,' said Butler, of South Carolina. "Garland's got an Arkansas stomach." To this day no one knows whether Garland tasted the soap or not. - Washington Capital.

#### THE GENERAL MARKETS.

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KANSAS CITY, Dec	. 28,	1883.
CATTLE—Shipping Steers \$5.00 Native Heifers 3 00 Native Cows 3 00 Butchers' Steers 4 00 HOGS—Good to choice heavy Light 4 00	· (C)	5 25
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Medium new leaf 6 25	0	5 75
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#### A Reminiscence of the War.

"Yes," said Dumly, "I served three years in the war of the Rebellion, and if I do say it myself I made a good sol-

"You have a very soldierly bearing,"

said young Brown, admiringly.
"So I have been told," replied Dumley. "Even to this day," he continued. estrains of martial music will set my pulse bounding, and like a war-horse I scent the battle from afar.'

"Were you ever wounded, Mr. Dum-y?" asked Mrs. Simpson-Hendricks, considerably excited.

"N-no," he said, "I never was; I was not heard. With that number of papers and 250 lawyers, as many priests, and a "Yes, indeed," ventured young Brown, "a gunshot wound is an ugly

> your good fortune to your nose?" "What has my nose got to do with my not getting wounded?" demanded

#### How He Doubled His Trade.

Mr. Benj. W. Paton, pharmacist, Globe Village, Mass., says that the miraculous pain cure, St. Jacobs Oil, has greatly helped his other business, and the sales of the remely have doubled in one month. He keeps a large supply always on hand. Officers of the Army and Navy pronounce St. Jacobs O.1 to be the greatest pain-cure

To pay as you go is the best plan; especially if the man in charge will not let you go until you do pay.—N. O. Picayuns.

Advice to Consumptives. Advice to Consumptives.

On the appearance of the first symptoms, as general debility, loss of appetite, pallor, chi.ly sensations, followed by night-sweats and cough, prompt measures of relief should be taken. Consumption is scrofulous disease of the lungs; therefore use the great anti-scrofulous or blood-purifier and strength-restorer, Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery." Super or to cod liver oil as a nutritive, and unsurpassed as a pectoral. For weak lungs, spitting of blood, and kindred affections, it has no equal. Sold by druggists. For Dr. Pierce's tratise on Consumption send two stamps. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

A BRUNETTE flirt is like Captain Eads ie is successful with her jet eyes. -N. O. Picayune.

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