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BOYS AND PLUMS.

Two youngsters were sent to the country
To board on a flourishing farm;
Just to tree the parents from trouble,
And keep the boys from all harm.
The fruit was found in abundance,
The boys's father wrote to his friend:
"If some fruit you can spare from your
chard."

ohard.
Some Damsons to me you'll please send."
But the farmer replied, in great anguish,
My Damsons I really can't send,
"Your damsons have ate all my Damsons,
Tour damsons you can have, my friend."

CITY AND COUNTY.

Interesting Items From Numero

County court next Monday. Doc Banks did business in Decatur

A. Sentel, of Pierson was in the city Wednesday.

Stockings by the car load. Cheap at the Palace. tf Mrs. Judge Eden is quite ill with

sciatic rheumatism. The Palace-Yarns, flannels and

blankets cheap. tf Santa Rawson visited John Moriarty at Bement Tuesday.

The Variety Store is closing out. Call

The death of Mrs. Sarah Monroe is

momentarily expected. Five hundred old style hoods at any price, at the Palace. tf

Toboggans, hoods and skirt goods at the Palace, cheap. tf

W. A. Haydon and A. L. Corrothers were in Decatur Monday. Esquire Woodruf, of Decatur is the

guest of friends in Sullivan. Trunks and valises at the Palace,

Edwin Hall, of Decatur, spent the

Sabbath with friends in Sullivan. I. J. Martin, editor of The Progress is able to be at his post this week

Five thousand pair woolen hosiery at one half price at the Palace, 1 tf W. G. Covey now occupies the property recently vacated by Judge Minor.

Clothing at much less than cost to quit the business.—THE PALACE. 1 tf The Thirty-sixth General Assembly

convened at Springfield, Wednesday L. M. Spitler was in Champaign the

first of the week, visiting an old school-

spent jast Sabbath with friends in Lovington. Claud Backhouse and Lucy Williams

Gent's shirts, drawers and gloves less than cost at the Palace. Going to T. A. Hallonbeck has been confined

to the house for several days with catarrhal fever. The finest line of mufflers and silk

handkerchiefs ever brought to the city, at the palace. tf Isaac Hudson was at Lovington Mon

day to see his brother. who is quite ill with typhoid fever.

Teeth extracted and new ones made at E. M. Scott's dental rooms. East side, over Brosam Bros. 22tf

A. T. Jenkins has been confined to

Dress goods, dress buttons, dress trimmings, etc., at less than cost. Ev erything goes at the Palace, tf

Mrs. Charles Hagerman left y day noon for a month's visit with her parents in Sumner, Richland county. candidate for Eurolling and Engrossing fer a favor by leaving it at the News clerk of the Illinois General Assembly

Mesdames J. T. Higginbotham and George Reimund and children returned to their homes in Urbana last Saturday.

Bus to any part of the city. Leave calls at the Elen house. I will attend all calls, day or night .- [J. F. EDEN. tf

Mrs. Harrison will be the thirty-t hird lady to preside over the white house, although Mr. Harrison will be only the twenty-third president.

Frank Spitler took the early morning train Tuesday for Springfield, in order to be present at the organization of the

A series of meetings are being held his week at the Methodist church. are services both afternoon and

Lou and Lottie Waters, with an ex lient company of artists, have dates Titus! Opera House the first week in

ified when put in, will be continued until ordered out, and charged for accordingly. tf

Mrs. Barbara Stanke, who has made er home in Milwaukee for the past few months is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Vm. Hancock.

Mrs. J. W. Davidson spent severa days last week with her father, iddo Hayes, of Mattoon, who has been very ill of pneumonia.

Miss Emma Jenkins is confined to the nouse with that disease which has been seeking victims here for the past two Dr. S. J. Hardin is prepared to treat

cholera hogs on the plan of no cure no pay. He will pay market price for all that die. 49tf Mrs, Ed Hunt and grandson, Ralph,

left Thursday morning for Tuscola where they will make beir home with Mr. and Mrs. Cooper.

O. B. Douglass has sold his residence to Jonathan Elder and the latter will move to town about February 1. The consideration was \$500.

W. G. Cochran has rented the room ecently vacated by Judge Meeker which he will use for the transaction of usiness while in Sullivan.

Dr. Trowbridge, dentist, over postflice. Best teeth for \$10 per set., fully warranted. Office open every day exent Thursday and Friday. tf

It is reported that earthquake shocks sufficiently violent to rattle windows were experienced in the vicinity of Mattoon and Shelbyville last Monday,

Chas. N. Twadell and T. T. Springer, of Lake City, were in town Monday. ton, Mass., will give a musical enter-The former on business connected with Rinment at the Titus Opera House the settlement of the estate of the late next Tuesday evening, January 15th. John Winnings.

took the early train yesterday morning lar prices, 50 cents. Reserved seats for Springfield. The arguments in the 75 cents. Tickets to be had at Fra-Corbin case will be heard by the appel- zer's. late court today.

Robert Peatro now occupies his new residence in the Southern part of town It is very complete in all its apart

On Tuesday, January 22, Jonathan Elder will sell at public sale all his farming implements consisting of plows, cultivators, harness, wagon etc. Also several ligad of horses and cows.

Ichabod Jennings' a member of the grain firm of Jennings Bros. of Mattoon was in the city Tuesday on his return from Cushman, where the firm has an agent who is buying grain for them.

The fresh lard and doughnut season has come. At the same time it can be digest doughnuts is to eat the hole and to his ashes. and throw the rest away .- Oakland Ledger.

his location.

The business men closed their store at seven o'clock on Wednesday, and Thursday evenings and will tonight in sponse to a request by the pastor of the M. E. church, who is holding a series of meetings this week.

At the special election held last Thursday in the thirty-second senatorial district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of T. L. McGrath, Lehman, the Republican candidate was elected by an overwhelming majority.

Chas. G. Roane came home Friday last for a few days visit with his parents Campbell, Neb., and reports the numerous Moultrie County progeny in that section of the state as well and happy.

Lost-a ladies shopping bag, containing cards with the names. Walter Rose, Oscar Rose and H. Rose. The name, Dora Rose, written inside of bag. the last named official from paying the John R. Pogue, of Lovington, is a Any person finding the same will conoffice. -- DORA ROSE. 5

> During the absence of W. S. Songer in Indiana J. A. Seass has had charge received as there are persons with courof the former's jewelry store. He is undoubtedly a good salesman, having is the problem. A sells B a horse for since Mr. Songer's departure added one full case of the mumps, warranted all \$70, and then sells it to C for \$100. wool and a yard wide.

For the space of 111 years from January 1, we are to have the figure nine in our years, and the occultists, who put much stress upon numbers, predict that the condition of mankind will be greatly improved over all past times during this period. It is the age of Kal

fice to the front room over Patterson's of the work by the township. This is a drug store. Dr. Johnson, however, will good idea. A law should also be passed still office in the same room. It will be a great saving of time as one can ob- the tain both medical and legal advice at the same call; kill two birds with one William D.

All pay locals, where time is not spec- His assets are reported at \$17,000. His many friends here will regret to learn of his embarrassment and we trust he will soon be able to resume.

> The friends of the late Judge David Davis Wednesday, through Mr. Leonard Sweet, of Chicago, formally presented to the State a marble bust of that emi Oglesby received the gift in behalf of the State. The bust has been placed in at Springfield.

So far as we can learn no one in this vicinity, except the Rev. J. W. Horner and wife, experienced any of the rock ngs of the earth, reported to have been felt south of here last Monday night. They, however, noticed three distinct waving or rocking motions which lasted only a few seconds; but was very distinctly manifested.

The sport loving residents of Douglas county are again becoming interested in the prospect of holding one of their annual fox drives, but if the coming chase does not reduce the numbers of the sly Reynards any more than tained that the species is in any danger of becoming extinct.

Notice the change in the Palace ad. this week. The proprietors are determined to reduce the stock and are offering some good bargains. This house has en joyed a reputation second to none in the county and all who patronize them can be asured of receiving courteous treatment and a just representation of the merits of their goods.

The celebrated Mendelssohn Quintette Club Concert Company, of Bosnext Tuesday evening, January 15th. This will be a rare treat for our people Flick Ashworth and John R. Eden and none should fail to attend. Popu-

The Rev. A. Liefeld, from Herborn Shelby county, a pastor of the German Lutherian denomination will preach a the Presbyterian church Wednesday ments and is a decided improvement to January 16 at seven o'clock P. M. The services will be conducted in German and the music will be furnished by the but the lady who has invited you will German class. A general invitation is extended to all but particularly to bred or ill-bred who fail of this small

Andrew Cochran, better known as Grandpa Cochran died at his home near Lovington, last Saturday evening. He was born in Ross county, Ohio. June 13, 1807, came to Illinois in 1844 until his death. He had many warm friends who will ever remember him as easually said that the easiest way to a peaceful, kind-hearted man. Peace

By the decision of the circuit court at Charleston, West Va., Wednesday, in an S. P. Earp, formerly sheriff of Moul- injunction case, Mr. Goff, the Republicrie county, but now located at Correct an condidate for governor, is fairly tionville, Iowa, is visiting relatives and elected, as is the Republican candidate friends in this vicinity. Mr. Earp is for congress in that district. But it reicely situated and is well pleased with mains for the legislature, which is poelected.

Wednesday was the first touch of real winter weather this section has exday Tuesday and Wednesday morning and farm drainage. found the ground covered with snow and the wind blowing a gale, and while it was not very cold still it was a very disagreeable day and very few persons were on the streets except thos business was such as to make it neces-

The attorneys for the defense in assistance in the preparation of the papers to be prepared and presented to the appellate court. They have also enjoined the county clerk from issning orders on the county treasurer and on

is attracting wide attention. Nearly as many different answers having been age enough to make the attempt. Here How much does A make by the two sales? The original cost of the horse does not enter into the proposition.

The DeWitt county board of super their representatives in the legislature to have a law passed empowering own-Judgo Mesker has moved his law of- lect it, and that they be paid the cost compelling railroad companies to keep

William Dodd, of Paris, Deputy Head Mrs. Perryman, who has been visiting friends in this vicinity, for several weeks prietor of the Palace in this city made the interest of the above named order. This order, although only nine years weeks to the returned to her' home in Kansas last an assignment at Fairmonnt. Wednesday.

ship until now there are over 800 camps and State's Attorney Jennings pro with a membership of over 30,000. Five new members were initiated into the camp here last Wednesday night, witness called for the people. He tes and other applications will soon be passed upon.

In a communication received from Mrs. Minor asking that the News be sent to her at Independence. Or., she states that she is much pleased with as to what he should do in the matter, the country and climate. Grass is the public corridor of the State House green, flowers are in bloom and every- thieft, Mr. Hancock, happening in Holthing has a spring like appearance. Last season potatoes were very fine and Heffern, the young man employed in grew to an enormous size. Some of the place. He notified Marshall Nazhem measuring over a foot in length worthy and the two returning to the and weighing in some instances five to six pounds. She also adds that she is so well pleased that Sullivan has no attractions for her.

There are certain small things all girls ought to know about—little forms of etiquette, the observance of which is expected of all well-bred people. Some inderstand by instinct, or inheritance, or by observation, but others appear to need a hint.

much chagrined at having been guilty of not making "party calls," in a city where she had spent, part of a winter and had been invited to several houses large towns, and actually did not know too late. She said that just before returning to her home, she heard a lady in the house where she was boarding ask another, "Have you made your party calls?"

The matter was a puzzle to her. A the first opportunity she asked a friend to whom she was not afraid to betray her ignorance, the meaning of the expression, and found that by the eti quette of society it was the polite and proper thing for her to make a call at way county, and was again re-elected ach of the houses where she had been invited. Imagine her chagrin on be ing told what a "party call" was! She did not wish to be considered crude or rude, but as crude or rude those host esses must regard her.

In some cases, like hers it is ignorance and in others it is negligence courtesy.

A good many instances have come to my knowledge since then, of young girls who have been honored by invitaparty, and never afterwards took the and settled on the farm where he lived trouble to call. I have known ever more discreditable thing—it is incredible, but true, that young people have actually left such a party without taking leave of their host and hostess! January Wide Awake.

Tile Makers Convention ers of this state will be interested in the following interesting program of the eleventh annual meeting of the Illinois Tile Makers Association, which litically doubtful, to decide finally, will be held in the State House, Springwhen canvassing the returns, who is field, January 21 and 22, 1889. Th meeting promises to be one of unusual farmers of the state who are using such perienced. It had rained nearly all each succeeding year, both for road large and increased quantities of tile

> PROGRAM.
> Tuesday 10 o'clock A. M., January 21.

Afternoon Session, 2 o'clock

Trossurers Report.
Appointment of Committees—Business, Resolutions, etc.
How to Increase the Demand for Tile. Mr. Osman, Editor Brick & Tile Gazette, Ottawa, Ill.
How to Avoid Mistakes in Tile Drainage.
E. J. Cantine, Bloomington, Ill. Question Box. Evening Session

Compartive Results Obtained by the Farmers, in the Use of Tile.

D. O. Loy, Monticello, Ill. Best Methods of Making Tile.

G. C. Stoil, Lexington, Ill. How to Increase the Demand for Tile.

J. F. Spalding, Glbson City, Ill. Morning Session.

Wednesday, 10 c'elock a. M., January 22.

Profits in Manufacture and Sale of Tile.

Alex McLean, Bardolph, Ill. Question Box, answered by J. J. W. Hillingsley, Indidnapolis, Ind.

For further information address the cretary, G. C. Stoll, Lexington, Ill. or to the president, E. M. Pike, Chenon,

Rail roads will sell excursion tickets to all who desire to attend the convenisors passed a resolution instructing tion. Parties attending the above meeting and passing over two or mor railways en route to the convention point for the full fare paid going over each line, as separate return tickets are issued for each company.

Heffern, Bound Over in the Sum of \$500.

The preliminary examination of Te ence Heffern, charged with the burand vest from the P. D. & E. depot, was held in Esquire D. R. Patterson's court on Tuesday afternoon. S. M. Smyser and W. G. Patterson defended

ed. Wm. Hancock, the P., D. & E. American express agent, was the first tified that early in December be had re ceived a package for Dr. E. M. Scott and that upon the latter refusing to ac cept it, the article was returned to the it had been stolen. A few days after the mes' billiard hall, noticed the vest on hall, escorted Terrence over to Dr. Scotts' office where the doctor identified the garments as the missing goods. Heffern claimed he had bought them of Chancey Shockey for \$4.50 and imme diately turned them over to Mr Hancock. Dr Scott and Marshall Nazworthy corroboratde Mr Hancock. The defense in-

was bound over in the sum of \$500 and in default was remanded to jail. Obituary.

argument on both sides the defendant

George Hetherington died quite suddenly of pneumonia at his home near Lovington, last Friday. He was sick only about forty-eight hours having She was refined and cultivated, but first complained of feeling unwell the had never been much in society in previous Wednesday. Those from here who attended his funeral were J. L. what was expected of her until it was Thayer, J. H. Dunscomb, S. D. Patterson and A. F. Robinson. The following sketch of his life was taken from

the Lovington Record. He was born in Hardy county, West Virginia, June 28, 1818, and moved in the office of a Hartford paper, where with his parents to Pickaway county, Ohio in 1833. At the age of eightee he became clerk in a business of general merchandising, continuing in the same until 1848 when he was elected to the office of county auditor of Pickato the same office in 1850.

He was married to Matilda E. Shenherd at Homer, Courtland county, New York, July 17, 1847, Two children were born to them, one dying in infancy and the other in the 22nd year of hi

He moved to Moultrie county. Illi nois, in 1855, and engaged in farming and was elected to the office of count clerk for Moultrie county, in the year 1873, filling the office for four years, when he sold his farm to Henry C. Shepherd and retired from active busi-

Mendelsshon Quintett Club. For forty years the Mendelsshon Quintette Club, of Boston, have charmed the music lovers of the nation. Th club has been undergoing changes in its membership during this time, but the veteran Thomas Ryan is yet at its head Cabinet. Secondly, it will be a Repuband so long as he remains there its high concert given last night by this club a the Detroit Light Guard Armory was greatly enjoyed by those present. It is not necessary to write that so far as ar tistic execution is concerned nothing details that mark the perfection of art is and always has been a feature of this that he was to be married in a little club's concerts.—Miss Byan has a fine over a month, and the Judge therefore voice. It may lack in sympathetic quality, but perfect method and the range just one month. He was thus able to and volume of her voice more than compensate for this. The audience wer not sparing in their applause, and both Miss. Ryan and Herr Hekking were recalled and responded with encore num bers.—Detroit Free Press, Nov. 14, 1888.

For Boys.

Get away from the crowd awhile every day, my dear boy. Stand to ope side and let the world run by while you get acquainted with yourself and see what kind of a fellow you are. Ask yourself hard questions about yourself.

Since Wisky to be got.

W. J. Mize Tired of Politics.

Unitrova, Pa., Jan. 7.—While descending the shaft in No. 2 Leisenring ccal mine, this county, Saturday, the rope of the cage what kind of a fellow you are. Ask says, "I am out of politics," There is nothing in it. I am tired of killing all three instantly. sources if you are really the kind of a boy people say you are. Find out if am going to attend to business, it has you are always honest; it you always cost me lots of money to be in politics. tell the square, perfect truth in business I have not made a dollar out of it, and transactions. Ask if your life is as good and upright at night as it is in the counts are all squared up now, and morning; if you are as good a temperance boy on a fishing excursion as you are at a Sunday school picnic; if you campaign. I have called a meeting of are as good a boy when you are down town as when you are at home; if, in short, you are the sort of a boy your taryship again. Campbell says he father hopes you are. Get on intimate won't be Chairman of the committee terms with yourself, and believe it every time you come out from the private interviews you will be stronger purer and better in every respect.--Ex

Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses have en issued since our last report.:

John A. Johnson Dora Hamilne

Teacher's Institute. The following is the program of th teacher's institute to be held at Loving-ton, Saturday, January 12, 1889:

STATE AND NATIONAL. ed From Various Quarters Regard ing People and Events.

It is said that Mrs. Ingersoll has per suaded her husband not to write an more infidel articles for the magazines. A very successful poultry show was

held at Decatur this week. Many fine birds were shown and the exhibition ELEVEN MORE VICTIMS GATHERED. was well patronized by the fanciers. Every school house in Nebraska and Dakota has been supplied with an extra stove, extra wood, and a stack of

provisions to be used in case of a bliz-Leonetta Meinhart, a little orphan girl living in Elgin, Ill.; has been in formed that she is one of the heirs to a

large fortune left by a relative of Ger-The Republican and the Democratic members of the United States senate have agreed that the final vote upon the troduced no witnesses and after a brief tariff reduction bill shall be taken Jan-

uary 16th. Sacramento, Cal., has passed an ordinance making it unlawful for any person under seventeen years of age to smoke cigarettes within the corpora-

tion limits. There are in Connecticut in propor tion to its population, a singulary large number of old people, of whom a goodly number are women. This would seem to indicate that its reputation as a land of steady habits is deserved.

Robert Bonner is sixty-four years old. He was an Irish lad and came to this country to seek his fortune in 1839. His first employment was as "devil" he received \$25 a year and his board.

Benjamin E. Hopkins, the assistant eashier of the wrecked Fidelity National Bank of Cincinnati, who was recently pardoned out of the Ohio State Prison ccause of his hopeless condition of health, died at his home in Cincinnati last Monday. A serious if not fatal accident occu

red last Saturday at Bement, in which Ira Johnston came near losing his life. While stooping over to take a cartridge from the barrel of his shot gun the gun vas discharged, blowing off his Jeft arm. Surgeons were summoned and dressed the wound. Geo. P. Davis, who for the past sixteen years has been the Democratic

resigned his office to accept a traveling position with a manufacturing firm. Mr. Davis is a living proof of the falsity of the proverb that office-holders seldom die and never resign.

constable of Republican Olney, has just

vas tried and convicted two months ago. At the trial he told the Judge quit jail on a Monday, and start for his home in Gordon county, where he was to be married on the following Wedlight sentence that he promised to send the Judge a gallon of the best moon-

shine whisky to be got.

what kind of a fellow you are. Ask says, "I am out of politics." yourself hard questions about yourself. "There is nothing in it. I am tired of Ask certain information, from original the work. My business has run lopsided, and now I have quit politics and in fact it has hurt me badly. Our acthere is \$1,000 in the tressurer's hands. to be used as a nest-egg for the next the State Committee for January 15, in Springfield. I won't take the Secreagain, but he may."

Moultrie County Taxes.

The following is a statement of taxes for the year 1888 by townships in the county of Moultrie; also amount of taxes on railroads in said county, for the

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Marrowbone Township	S 18.857.6
	10,511,
Bollivan	32,595,
TOO ATTIKCOIL	16,930.
	9,597.
Jonathan Cookii	7,977. 9,242.
Jonathan Creek"	
I I & St. Louis railroad	100 March 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19
Terre Haute & Peoria railros	d
P. D. & E. railroad	5,004.
Wabash & St Louis	6,587.1
Mata in the second seco	
Total	DIZI, CUL.

To whom it may concern: All those knowing themselves indebted to me since last year will please call and settle

at once. I must have my money.

The Insatiate River.

Disasters Follow Fast on the Broad Mississippi.

The Paris C. Brown Strikes a Snag and Goes Down—As Ocean Steamer Cut Nearly In Two and the Engineer Killed —Awful Havoc Resulting from an En-gineer's Carolesaness—Five Men Blows to Eternity-Death in the Shaft.

gineer's Carolesaness—Five Men Blowa to Eternity—Death in the Shaft.

New Orlleans, Jan. 7.—The steamer Paris C. Brown, sank Saturday night at Hermitage plantation, and is a total week, She was from New Orleans for Cincinnati, the cause of the disaster being the striking of a snar. Details of the accident are very meager. The vessel lies with only the pilot house and a little of the upper deck above water. Eleven persons were drowned, for whom the following is a list: William Marshall, of Gallipolis, cabin hand; — Miller, Vicksburg, passenger; William Marshall, Cincinnati, cabin hand; — Miller, Vicksburg, passenger; William Marshall, Cincinnati, cabin hand; — Miller, Vicksburg, passenger; William Marshall, Cincinnati, dothlack; Samuel Gray, Cincinnati, fireman; Abraham Mitchell, New Orleans, fireman; a barber, a porter, and a cabin boy, names unknown.

Many barrels and other fragments of cargo have floated down, A large part of the cargo will be a total loss. The boat was owned by Captain A. M. Halliday and C. G. Young, was valued at: \$23,000, was insured for \$14,000 and bad about 450 tons of freight aboard, consisting of car wheels, sugar, molasses and aundries, partiy covered by insurance, She was built at Cincinnatin 1878 and has made over ninety trips between that city and New Orleans, without accident. The officers were: Capt. C. G. Young; chief clerk, Press Ellison; second clerk, I. M. Young; chief ongineer, James Bleen; second ongineer, Samuel Nawkirk; pilots, George Trunnell and Wash Kinley; mates, L. Moggery and Peter Baumgarden.

A BOILER'S DEADLY BURST.

Four Men Killed Instantly and Other Frightful Effects. Frightfal Effects,
CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 7.—Nows has
been received here of a terrible accidents
which occurred Saturday at New Hope,
Mercer County. Seven farmers of the neighborhood had congregated at William Carter's steam gr'ss mill to obtain their usual
supplies of flour. About L o'clock William
Jerome, Thomas Carter, Joseph E. French,
Wade Shufflebarger, John Wilmmet, Lavi
Shields and Ell Shields was sitting in the
mill talking, when a terrible explosion occurred.

curred.

The boiler had burst. The mill was totally The boiler had burst. The mill was totally wrecked and the following named men killed: Joseph E. French, Thomas Carter, Levi Shields and John Wimmer. Ell Shields was horribly scalded and died yesterday. Watle Shufflebarger was badly burned about the face and body. William Jerome was injured on the head and face, and had his collar bone broken. William Carter was seriously burned and injured internally. The explosion was of terrific force. The beams were broken into splinters and pleese of the boiler weighing 200 pounds were blown your 300 yards. It is thought that Engineer Sbufflebarger allowed the water in the boiler to get too low.

die and never resign.

"What do you think about the Cabinet?" asks a correspondent. Well, in the first place it will be a Harrison Cabinet. Secondly, it will be a Republican Cabinet. Secondly, it will be a Republican Cabinet. Thirdly, it will be a Cabinet of statesmen, each adopted to his place. And fourthly, it will be a Cabinet that will please the people, because it will be built for business, and not for dress parade.—Inter Ocean.

Dan Langley, a Georgia moonshiner, was tried and convicted two months

A Fatal Freight Train Wreek.
YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan: 7.—Two freight trains on the Pittsburg & Western railroad collieded on a sharp curve eleven miles east of here Saturday night. D. McHenry, ouglineer of one, was taken out of the wreckage badly mangled and will die. Thomas Jenkins, onglueer of the other train, is thought to be fatally injured. He was taken to his home at Newcastle, Pa. William Condon, fireman, escaped with severe bruises. Henry Molz, fireman, was brought to the hospital here, and his chances for recovery are dublous. A misunderstanding as to orders caused the wrock. A Fatal Freight Train Wreek

Opposition to the Sanday Papers

Boomers in Bad Luck.

New York, Jan. 5.—The World has the following special from Kansas City: The following special from Kansas City: The following was received by The Kansas City: Times Thursday night from Purcell, I. T.: Springer City, Oklahoma, a. city of 3,000 people, is under martial law. The mayor and city treasurer have gone away and the United States army orders all citizens to leave. Purcell is overrun with fugitives from the promised land.

Passenger Agents To Be Dismissed. Sr. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 5.—It is announced here that the Eric Railway company, in order to reduce expenses, have notified four-teen of their traveling passenger agents and division passenger agents located in the west, that their services will no longer be required after Feb. I.

Death of Benjamin Hopkins,
CIRCINSATI, Jan. 7.—Benjamin Hopkins,
of Fidelity bank fame, who was recently
pardoned from the Olio penifentiary by
President Cleveland, died Monday morning
at 6:20 at bits home, 568. Richmond street, of
droppy,

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W. G. COVEY, Editor and Publisher

EDITORIAL ETCHINGS

THE trouble with New York as to the Cabinet is that it has to much good Cabinet timber. But it is a great state, and there is no reason why it should not be well supplied with Cabinet mem bers as well as with the raw material.

GRANITE from Maine is to be used in constructing the Virginia monument to General Robert E. Lee, and the Demo-crats in Virginia are kicking about it. They are right. By all means they should use rebel granite for a rebel monument.

For so small a State, Delaware i well supplied with Republican candidates for United States Senator. There are not less than ten gentlemen walk ing around its little area with their lightning-rods up, and any one of them is better man than Bayard.

Ir may be in some remote future the democrats will have a chance to elect another president; but certainly for a great many years to come they must be content to wage a hopeless fight. The new states soon to be added to the union will increase the strength of the Repub lican party to such an extent that it can not possibly be beaten so long as the present general difference of political opinion and policy shall be maintained; and furthermore, it is very likely that Missouri, Virginia, and West Virginia will all be found in the Republican column in 1892.—Globe Democrat.

THE Texas wool-growers do not be lieve in free wool. A meeting of the flockmasters of four of the largest wool growing counties in the state was held on the 26th, which adopted resolutions asking Congress to prevent the importation of foreign wool under the name of various kinds of waste, so as to avoid the duty; expressing great satisfaction at the result of the late election, thinking it a vindication of the protective system, and in view of the fact that all of the Texas delegates in Congress are opposed to the present tariff system and favor free wool, they respectfully request the Hon. S. J. Randall, of Pennsylvania, and Hon. William McKinley of Ohio, to represent the Texas wool growers when a revision of the tariff comes up in th House.

THERE is nothing that will so tend to give the business interests of the country a greater boom than the settlement of the tariff question. With the revenue to the needs of the government through the revision of the tariff on protective lines, there will be a return of confidence to men who have been hesitating about incurring the expense of au increase of manufacturing facilities, or who have been desirous of em-barking in new enterprise which would be disastrously affected by a free trade revision. Since President Cleveland forced the tariff question to the front, everybody whose business is dependent on a retention of the protective idea has been in a suspense. There has been a year of doubt and uncertainty. This state of things must continue until a proper revision is made. When the surplus can no longer be used—a cry to excite the ignorant and credulous, there is every probability that the tariff policy of the United States will assume a more stable form than it has done for years.

THE Democratic leaders are now en gaged in revolutionary schemes to or ganize the next house in congress. The plan is for the clerk to arbitrarily put enough Democrats on the list to make a majority regardless of whether they vere elected or not. A part of the scheme is for the Democratic governors to withhold certificates of election from a sufficient number of Republican con gressmen elect to leave the Democrats in the majority. The governor of West Virginia, in pursuance of this plan is withholding the certificates of the two Republicans elected from that state. e governor of Tennessee be it said to his credit refused to obey, the orders of the Democratic revolutionists, Democratic friends may as well understand that this scheme will not work The Republican representatives who have been honestly elected will be in attendance at Washington at the opening of the new congress. They will constitute a majority, and they will proceed to organize, elect a speaker and other officers and proceed to business. The senate will recognize no other body but this and President Harother body put his and resident har-rison will ignore the Democratic "rump" house and recognize the legal-ly elected one. It will be impossible for the "rump" members to get any pay or any recognition from any source. It will not be long before the

Democratic revolutionist will be crawling under cover and seeking admission to the legal body. They will find General Harrison's backbone resembles a the Last Report was Made up handspike when it comes to carrying out the legally expressed will of the We appreciate the chagrin people. We appreciate will count with which the Demecrats will count Terms: \$1.50 Per Year in Advance the railroad ties from Washington to their homes, but they had as well get their shoes heavily soled and get ready for the "grand march" which will begin soon after the inauguration-Champaign Co. Herald.

They "Mean Business."

If any one has ever given Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy a fair trial and has not been cured thereby, the manufacturers of that unfailing remedy would like to hear from that individual, for when they offer, as they do, in good faith, \$500 reward for a case of nasal catarrh which they cannot cure, they mean just what they say. They are financially responsible, and abundantly able, to make good their guarantee if they fail, as any one can learn by making proper inquiry. Remedy sold by all druggists at 50 cents.

A Sunflower Hedge,

A willow hedge across the garden or on the north side of it, is a great protection, but while waiting for this to grow plant three or four rows of sunflowers acroos the piece. When the flower stems begin to grow drive some lath in the row about six feet apart, bracing the out side ones well; then stretch two or three lengths of binder-twine on each side of the row, winding them once around each lath, and wind some cotton twine around the middle pair of strands between each cluster of flower stalks to to keep them from falling or being blown down. The seed heads must be gatherd as fast as they ripen and open enough to show the seed, and spread out in cool dry place to dry out thoroughly, when the seed can be rub bed or threshed out with a light stick and cleaned in a fanning mill or winnowed out by the wind. In the fall plow up a few furrows on the south side of the stalks which are left standing through the winter; harrow and work down fine and plant onion sets at once. The hedge or sunflowers will catch and hold the snow, and so protect the onions during the winter that when the snow is off the ground in spring they will start at once into growth, and furnish the first early green onions.—American Agriculturist for January.

He Wilted.

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"That reminds me," said an actor, " of an incident up in St. Paul last season in which two comedians figured. Walt Williams, the monopole man, was up there visiting Crane at the time, and one evening after the performance the trio repaired to the Turkish bath rooms. Mrs. Crane' was at the hotel and learned something which it was important that Billy should know at once. She know where he was, and on her way to the hotel effice to get a messenger, she met one of Billy's St. Faul friends. He volunteered his services for the mission, and the important message Mrs. Crane was glad to intrust to him rather than to a boy. The gentleman is quite a swell in St. Faul and an immenulate dresser, always being attired in the height of fashion. On this evening he was particularly well dressed, having just returned from escorting a lady home, from the theatre. Well, Be rushed over to the Turkish bath and inquired for Crane. The attendant informed him that Crane was in the hot room with his party. The gentleman thought to rush in there, deliver his message and dash out again. He went in and delivered the message, but while Crane and Walt held his attention, Lou Harrison slipped out and locked the door. The temperature in the hot room was 150 degs. The gentleman was kept in there fifteen minutes, desylte his begging and pleading. When he was a sllowed to escape he was a sight. His clothes had melted all over him, and in undressing he had to call in the aid of a surgeon and his scalpel."—Chicago Herald.

Tail End of Leap Year. They were talking of names.
"I hate the name of Smith; don't you, Miss

Ethel?"
"Indeed I do, Mr. Wallstreet. If it were
mine, I'd change it."
"What to?"

"What to?"
"Well, I don't know. Wallstreet, perhaps,
if I got the chance? (this very demurely).
And then Mr. Wallstreet, remembering it
was leap year, blushed and told Miss Ethel
she would have to ask his mother.—Harper's
Bhzar.

Just Remuneration.
"Your new play, Thespus, is a great suc

cess."
"It ought to be, considering the expense; the scenery cost \$8,000, other expenses \$12,000, and I have a high priced company."
"Where are you going with that box of

cigars?"
"I'm going to send it to the fellow who wrote the play for me. He is entitled to some recognition."—Nebraska State Journal.

Unappreciated Interest.

"Gentlemen," said an indignant passenger on a South side cable car yesterday, "will none of you get up and give this old lady a seat?"

"I'll thank you, sir," snapped the lady, "to attend to your own affairs. I am not as old as you are by twenty years, if I'm any judge of a person's age."

The indignant passenger got off at the next crossing.—Chicago Tribune.

The Resson Why.

"How is it, young man," he said, "that you can make \$3,000 a year playing baseball, while I, a college professor, can only make \$2,000!"

"Well, I don't know, sir," was the reply.
"I s'pose a man's intalligence generally governs such matters."—New York Sun.

He Was A-stone-ished.
Scribbler—How do you like my new volume of poems, Panman!
Penman—Your language, my dear fallow, reminds me of nature in her wildest aspects, Scribbler—Does it, indeed!
Penman—Yes, it is decidedly rocky.—Boston Post.

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Very Like Leathe Very Like Leather.

Patron (in a restaurant)—What's this?

Waiter—A beef steals.

R.—I thought it was a fish,

W.—A fish! 'What kind of a fish?

F.—A fried sole,—Boston Courier.

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WHAT WAS IN THE MINE.

"After an eighteen mile jaunt we came to the entrance of the mine. The earth covering had fallen in, and, though wreek, and ruin were all around, there was a good sized aperture, and we had no difficulty in entering it. We had advanced about fifty yards in the long, desolate tunnel, and if there is anything desolate in this world it is the dark, damp tunnel of a desorted mine. We carried pine fagots in one hand to give us light, and were moving along in a stoophile posture, as miners go, when all of a sudden I noticed great big tracks in the soft mud at the bottom. "Good heavens!" said I, 'there are bears in here, and if we don't get out we are done for.' We beat a hasty retreat, and reaching the open air again gathered dry bushes and sticks to smoke them out. We stacked them up pretty high in the mouth of the tunnel and threw dirt on them to cause them to smolder and throw the smoke backward.

"Then we sat down with our runs to await.

the tunnel and threw dirt on them to cause them to smolder and throw the smoke backward.

"Then we sat down with our guns to await the enemy." We had sat there fifteen or twenty minutes, and were tired holding the guns so long and began to talk about other things. Still nothing came. We discussed a variety of subjects; our attention became entirely relaxed, and I was in the midst of a story when boohl boohl a huge golden tiger leaped over the fire and us, with a great bound. In a twinkling another, with the same boohl boohl and bigger than the other, leaped the barrier, collided against Estabroo'; knocked him down and went flying beyond like a greased streak of lightning. "Every last one of us forgot his gun and went racing around trying to find trees to climb. An old she tiger and two kittens with piercing yowls next followed and went chambering up the hillside after the other two. By this time every one of us was either perched in a tree or shinning up a sapling. Our guns were lying scattered on the ground, and, old hunters as we were, we were clearly beaten. "Perched in our trees, after our fright was "the service of the ground received in the contract of the service of the ground, and, old hunters as we were, after our fright was "the service of the ground of the gr

shot in the heart. He was a very fine one, large and powerful, and with a magnificent skin.

"Into the next canyon we traced the other tigers. They traveled almost together, going only filteen or twenty feet apart in places. The Mexican at last corralled them in a soft limestone mountain, crumbling in places like ohalk, and with holes in one side made by weather and animals. It was their other retreat. This time, while we made preparations to smoke them out, we stationed ourselves a hundred yards away, spread far apart, so we could get a good aim at their bodies while they ran. The first came bounding out like a shot out of a gun, but we were on the alert this time, and three bullets pierced him and laid him low.

"Then the old one and her young came along. We shot into them, wounding the big one, and she turned on us. Estabrook was caught and his coat torn off. Turning to fiee, the tiger caught him by the left hand and put her teeth through it and crushed it. The kittens, weighing about 100 pounds apiece, would not run and advanced to aid in the fight. A rifle ball from one of us crippled one and laid the other low, and on we rushed, firing all the while, to the hid of Estabrook. Some say we missed the britte.

A feeling of duliness and languor, Which is not akin to pain.

And resembles suffering only As the mist resembles rain,

The Ricker.

I really and truly believe that the day will come when the kicker will be classed, where he belongs and be entitled to the reverence due him. I look upon him as a philosopher and a philanthropist. He stands forth one man out of 10,000. He is actuated by the most unselfish motives. He is the real reformer.—M. Quad in Detroit Free Press.

Brown—Why, of course, it ain't right, Dumley. You can't be more than 40 at the outside.—Harper's Bazar.

THE ROYAL TIGER.

TOLD BY A PARTICIPANT.

Her Young.

For fifty, years Paul Gillett, the old hunter and Indian trader, has been a conspicuous figure in the Colorado and Gila river districts. He has taken part in a number of sovere brushes with the Apaches and other tribes, but in his old age, owing to the military forces on the frontier and the lessaning of Indian difficulties, he is now devoting more attention to hunting.

His eye is yet undimmed, and though now nearly 70 years of age he is strong and stalwart. It would take a book to tell of his varied experiences. Moreover, he is not inclined to talk much of himself. However, he consented to tell an Examiner representative of a strange experience he had with royal Chibuahua tigers, as an animal of which nothing is known quite so far north as San Francisco.

which nothing is known quite so far north as San Francisco.
"You must know," said he, "that these tigers are the most beautiful animals in America. They are robust and seven or eight feet long, a boautiful golden color, and spotted like a leopard. The royal tiger of Bengal is striped and has no dots on him. Moreover, his general color is dun, and not gold, like the tiger of the Aztec races.

"A thorough going cat, in all his movements, sly niud light of tread, and with the strength of a Hercules, a man cannot afford to fool around much when he meets one out under the southern pinon trees.

"It was in September that myself, Tim Estabrook and John Wilkinson yere camped at our mines at the head of Dolores canyon. A party of Mexicans came in and reported that they had found an old Spanish mine a few miles out. The Spanish mines were to a large extent covered over and concealed at the time of the revolution, and many of them were lost. It was one of these lost mines that the Mexicans said they had. We sateful after it, carrying our express rifles with us, for we nover in that section go out unarmed, for fear of renegade Apaches, let alone vicious wild animals.

WHAT WAS IN THE MINE.

beaten.

"Gerched in our trees, after our fright was over, we indulged in loud shrieks and laughter. The situation was too ludicrous.

A SUCCESSFUL TRIP.

"But we resolved to go after these tigers, and we did it. We got a skilled Mexican trailer to go with us, and we traced them across guiches, through shrubs, and finally caught a glimpse of one perched in a rocky cleft. Wilkinson brought him down by a shot in the heart. He was a very fine one, large and powerful, and with a magnificent skin.

crippled one and laid the other low, and on we rushed, firing all the while, to the aid of Estabrook. Some say we missed the britis. We had to fire with the greatest care, to keep from hitting the native, and it seemed to me that it was fully flive minutes before we planted a fatal ball in her.

"Estabrook was so badly maimed by the teeth of the tiger that he has never recovered from it. His hand was so torn that two of his fingers hung by shreds of flesh, and his arm above the wrist was also lacerated.

"These tiger skins are very valuable and we sold the two big ones in Los Angeles afterward for \$30 each. The little ones brought \$20 each. They were so fine and soft that they are now in the parlors of W. H. Robertson, at Los Angeles, more as an ornament than for use.

"This was the closest call I ever had with any wild animals. Bear, deer and other kinds of game on the borders I have killed in large numbers, but there is nothing on the frontier now that is so victous as this tiger."—San Francisco Examiner.

Dumley (to Brown)—Brown, I understand that Robinson referred to me yesterday as an old fool. I don't think that sort of thing is right.

AN EXPERIENCE WITH THE BEASTS,

Smoking Them Out of a Deserted Mine Old Hunters Who Forgot Their Guns-A Fight with an Enraged Mother and

The Kicker.

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Alexander Newell, a little newsboy of Albany, Ga., was standing on the railroad track, numindful of an approaching train, when a negro pulled him off just in the nick of time. Alexander gave his rescuer a quartan.



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Master's Sale. State of Illinois. Moultrie county ss. Moultrie county in the matter of Rosa B. Waggoner et al. vs. S. G. Waggoner et al. Inclanaery. Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause, in the said court, at the November term, A. D. 1888, I. Isaac Hudson Master of Chancery for suits of the said court, at the November term, A. D. 1888, I. Isaac Hudson Master of Chancery for suits of the said court, at the November term, A. D. 1888, I. Isaac Hudson Master of Chancery for suits of the court, at the November term, A. D. 1888, I. Isaac Hudson Master of Chancer, and Illinois, I. Sale the west door of the court house, in Sullivan, in said county, the following described real estate, in the county of Moultrie and state of Illinois, towit: Lot eight, (3), in loke twenty-three, (23), in Kennedy's addition to the village of Bethany, Illinois, also block thirty-eight, (88), on lot "Intry-eight, (88), in Noble's second (2nd) addition to the village of Bethany, Illinois, in section twenty-two, (22), town fourteen, (14), north, vange four, (4), east of third principal meridian. Hunning thence north one hundred (100), feet, thence east sixty (80), feet, thence south one hundred (100), feet, thence was tisky (80), feet, the control of the place of berinning in block thirty-eight, (88), in Noble's second (2nd) addition to the village of Bethany, Illinois, upon the following terms to-wit: One third to be paid cash at time of sale, one third in one year, and one third in two years from date of sale, deferred payments to be secured by notes at six per cent, and mortaging upon premises sold. Sald premises will be sold together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging the sale tuposon, Master in Chancery, December 18. A. D. 1888 vister in Chancery,

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On the Meikone River

On the Melkong River.

An account of a journey down the Melkong river by M. Gauthier, a French traveler in Indo-China, was read at the meeting of the Paris Society of Commercial Geography. M. Ganthier was in company with M. Pavie, the French consul at Luang-Prabang, in the Siamese Laos state of the same name, and started down the Melkong to its mouth at the same time that M. Pavie started to the north-east to reach Hanoi and the valley of the Red river of Tonquin. At Luang-Prabang the Melkong is about 900 yards in width, and when in flood reaches a width of 1,200 yards. The town is a market of considerable importance for the Laos states. M. Gauthier descended the river at the rate of about its miles an hour in a boat-containing a few tons of merchandise. Virgin forests lined the banks, and the villages were few and far between. After passing several dangerous rapids, he reached Paklaye, where the river was about 1,400 yards wide. Sleng-Cabg was the first populous fown that he passed; it consists of a number of huts constructed on piles in the river. Between this and Nong-Kai is the chief place in central Laos and has a number of Chinese merchants. Trade is carried on through Bangkok, and M. Ganthier calculates that a ton of merchandise costs in carriage 25 between the two places. The Laotens are not only muturally lazy, but they fear to work lest they should be plundered by the Siamese authorities. Those parts of the Laos states which are drained by the Melkong are exceedingly fertile and might become the granary of the whole region.—London Times.

Drawing the Line.
Landlady (aying to start the conversation
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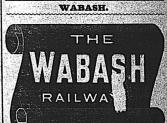
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I hat found out dot der tief who plots to stead my horse goes along mit his head down shust der same ash der man who repeats der I cord's Prayer. You can't shudge a feller by his looks.

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MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 31.—Dr. Carver's right hand was powerless when he took up his rifle at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, and he had not strength enough to throw the lever of his Winchester down. The doctor applied the electric battery, but the full strength of it had no effect on him. Dr. James was called in, and he advised Carver to quit, but he refused to stop, and said:

"If you can only get this hand to work Fill go ahead if it kills me." After receiving an injection of morphine into his swollen arm Dr. Carver commenced khooting at 10 o'clock. As the time was not up until 10 o'clock. Sunday mosning, and he had only 1,009 shots to make up the doctor was confident he would break his record, and he did so, for at 2:53 a.m. yesterday he fired at and hit the last of the 60,000 bulls and retired a victor, but with a most completely used up body.

Trial of the Vesuvius.

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PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 29.—The dynamite cruiser Vesuvius left Philadelphia
Thursday morning to make a second test of



The Vesuvius.

ber speed. She returned yesterday afternoon. The expert placed aboard of her by the government reports that over a course where the water was too shallow to give a fair test of her highest speed she made. Thursday 19,5½ knots per hour, and yesterday over the same course 19 47 knots, with one of the air pumps on the port engine out of order. The Messra. Cramp, her builders, ask another trial in deep water, and have no doubt that she will prove the fastest vessel affoat.

Teeth Inserted Free of Charge Boy-Say, mister, father wants to know what's the cheapest way of getting teeth in-

serted.
Village Dentist (significantly)—Well, I reckon the cheapest way that I know is to come and steal my apples when my bull dog's around.—New York Journal.



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"What's In a Name"?

Shakespeare said there was nothing but there is. Would Cosar have had such notoriety if his name had been Caleb W. Pickersgill? Think of Patti drawing \$7,000 a night if the bill-boards announced her as Jane Brown! The idea is absurd. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Fellats is a name that has made a record. These tiny, sugar-coated pills circ sick and bilions headache, bowel complaints, internal fever and costiyeness,

Over the Occurrences of the Last Twelve Months. THE RECORD OF THE PAST YEAR.

Receipts and Expenses of the Govern-ment and a Few Financial Comparisons —Southern Progress During the Year— The Long Roll of Lost in Disasters— And the Black List of the Possessed of a Devil-A Record Full of Interest.

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Chicago, Jan. 2.—The year that closed at midnight Monday has left its record for the instruction of those who choose to look into it. The following statements and figures will recall many facts, and should be of use to the statesman and exigent and interest innits of a telegram it is not practicable to give much in detail, but many of the most important and suggestive statistics can be generalized, and such as were at hand are given. To begin with here is a review of the financial operations of the government:

For the past year the revenues collected by the United States government have averaged more than \$1,000,000 a day, including all Sundays and bolidays, or \$374,400,000 for the twelve months. This aggregate is less by \$8,000,000 than for the preceding year, and it is at the rate of a little more than \$6 per capita of the population, about 'the average rate of the past fifteen years, and less than helf the highest rate of federal taxation por capita per annum of which the government have been about \$209,000,000, or \$23,000,000 greater than during 1857, and 1 greater than any previous year since 1874. These expenditures increased each quarter, beginning with \$57,200,000 in the first quarter, and ending with \$83,000,000 in the fourth.

The freasury surplus at the close of the year was about \$40,000,000, compared to \$70,000,000 when the year began. Its fluctuations by months were considerable, its highest aggregated and half.

The reasury surplus has been twice as great during 1888 as during 1887, and the highest angengates of the preceding year.

The year has witnessed a reduction of the outstanding interest-bearing debt of the Unified States by about \$100,000,000.

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Total. Second of the year the outstanding bonds were, approximately:
Four per cent. bonds \$250,000,000
Four and a half \$250,000,000 Each class has been reduced by about \$50.000,000 during the year. The public debt per capita of population was at its highest in 1855, when it averaged about \$70 per inhabitant. The interest-bearing debt is now less than \$13 per capita of population, or about one-fifth as great as twenty years ago. The money circulation of the United States at the close of the present year was greater by nearly \$30,000,000 than when the year-berail, or about \$1,410,000 620 as economics.

gan, or about \$1,410,000,000, as com \$1,380,000,000 at the close of nd this large increase was entirely in no small denomination.

and this large increase was entirely in notes of small denomination.

The foreign commerce of the year, exclusive of coin and buillion, shows imports of about the value of \$720,000,000 and experis of \$500,000,000, or an excess of imports of \$40,000,000. For the proceding calculate the imports of increhandise were \$708,000,000 in value and the exports 175,000,000, or an excess of exports of \$7,000,000.

Industrial Development South.

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The Manufacturers' Record, of Baltimore, Md., in its annual review of the south's industrial development, shows that the capital represented by now mining and manufacturing enterprises, organized in 1853, was \$163, 800,000, divided as follows: Alabama, \$21, 43,000; Kentucky, \$28,000,000; Texas, \$17, \$54,000; Georgia, \$14,250,000; Maryland, \$10,070,000; West Virginia, \$11, 774,000; Tennessee, \$11,159,000; Maryland, \$10,070,000; West Virginia, \$10,114,000; Arkansas, \$3,483,000; North Carolina, \$7,350,000; Lonislana, \$6,356,000; South Carolina, \$4,313,000; Elorida, \$4,731,000; Mississippi, \$1,968,000.

Money Lost by Fullures.

Bradstreet's summary of fullures in the
United States shows the following comparisons: Failures in 1888, 10.587, against 9,740
in 1887, and 10.588 in 1886. Total actual assets—In 1888, 861,099,041; in 1887, 364,051,009,
in '1886, \$109,342,092; in 1887, 1396,005,009,
in 1886, \$178,618,291. Per cont. of assets to
liabilities—In 1888, 543, in 1887, 494; in 1886,
49.

CASUALTY AND CRIME.

Unwelcome Occurrences That Marked the Passage of Time.

We now come to those events that have filled homes with sorrow or disgrace, or both, demoralized communities, or destroyed

in 1886, and 987 in 1886. The total number of those seriously injured also shows a docrease, being 1,894, as compared with 1,999 in 1893, 800 in 1893, 980 in 1893, 980 in 1893, 980 in 1893, 980 in 1893, 189 in 1893, in

perishing by disease and battle; and, incliding the yellow fever victims in this country, is 66, 107, as compared with 187,050 in 1887, 118,1023 in 1885, and 381,345 in 1885.

There have been no great battles during the year. With the exception of a small loss of life occasioned by rebellions in Thibet, Samoa, Hayti, and Afghanistan, amounting to 3,306, the little wars have been confined to Africa, the casualties in which have been 6,694, or a total of 8,494, as compared with 1,678 in 1887, 14,374 in 1886, and 241,000 in 1885.

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So far as reported 4,015 lives have been lost upon the cacean and 89 upon the lakes and rivers (a total of 4,095 as compared with 4,029 in 1887, 2,749 in 1883, and 2,397 in 1885), 1,554 by railroads, 2,801 by disasters in the New World, 49,300 by disasters in the New 1887, 192,791 in 1880, and 887,463 in 1885.

The loss of life by disaster has been especially severe in Chin a, where the enormous total of nearly 40,000 lives have been sacrificed, 19,000 of them being the victims of an earthquake, and the remainder of floods. The greatest marine disaster was the loss of the steamer Pemples in the Indian ocean May 12, by which 1,100 lives were lost.

Property Losses by Fire.

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The losses by fire in the United States for the year have not been as large as they were in 1887. There have been 210 fires where the loss in each was \$100,000 or more, and seven where it was not less than \$1,000,000. Philadelphia, Jan. 23, and New York, Jan. 30, the loss in each case was \$1,500,000. The total for each month in the year is given below.

January. \$7,810,000 August 3,675,000 April. 4,390,000 September. 5,337,000 March 3,726,000 October. 1,320,000 April. 4,390,000 December. 3,810,000 July 3,505,000 Grand Total. \$1,479,000 July 3,505,000 Grand Total. \$1,479,000 July 5,505,000 Grand Total. \$1,479,000 July 5,500,000 Grand Total. \$1,479,000 July 5,500,000 Grand Total. \$1,479,000 Light for 1885, \$40,023,000; for 1885, \$24,023,000; for 1885, \$24,065,500. The entire fire losses in the United States, adding those under \$100,000,000, in each case, will reach less than \$100,000,000, in compared with about \$130,000,000 in 1887 and \$115,000,000 to in 1880.

The Wages of Sin.

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The sheriff has had more work on the scaffold during 1838 than for two years before, but Judge Lynch has domonstrated that he doesn't cure the ill he complains of by coning forward with more business than for two previous years. The statistics on the latter subject also throw a doubt upon either the efficiency of our judicial system or whether our-civilization is a success. There is food for thought in the fact that the mob executions of the past year have nearly doubled in number those accomplished in pursuance of an orderly and legal administration of justice, which it is not the purpose of this review to give expression to.

The number of legal executions during the year was 87, as compared with 79 in 1837, 83 in 1830 and 103 in 1825. The executions in the several states were as follows: Alabama, 5; Arkansas, 5; California, 5; Connecticut, 1; Delaware, 1; Georgia, 3; Illinois, 2; Indiana, 1; Iowa, 1; Kansas, 2; Kontucky, 1; Louisiana, 3; Maryland, 1; Massachusetts, 1, New York, 9; New Jersey, 4; North Caròlina, 2, Otio, 3; Oregon, 1; Pennsylvania, 5; South Carolina, 5; Tennessee, 2; Texas, 6; Arizona, 1; Idaho, 2; Montana, 2; Washington, 1; Wyoming, 1; Indian Territory, 2 Of this number all were males but one, 57 were whites, 29 negroes and La Chinaman. During the same period the mob has executed what is euphoniously called "summary justica" in newspaper headlines upon 144 victinas, as compared with 123 in 1857, 133 in 1886, and 181 in 1855. The Jynchings in the various states were as follows: Alabama, 11, Arkansas, 2; California, 2; Colorado, 5; Florida, 2; Georgia, 18; Illinois, 2; Kansas, 4; Kentucky, 7; Louisiana, 8; Michigan, 1, Missi-shipi, 11; Missi-ship, 11; Missi-ship,

incendiarism, horse-stealing and "insulting women."

Of murder there were 2,184 cases as compared with 2,335 in 1887, 1,499 in 1885, and 1,893 in 1885. The causes of these murders may be classified as follows: Quarrels, 1,635; unknown, 247; jealousy, 24; ilquor, 192; by highwaymen, 143; bighwaymen killed, 82; insanity, 51; resisting arrese, 64; self-defense, 33; infantielde, 60; riots, 34; outrage, 6; strikes, 12; duels, 2.

C Took Their Own Lives.

At Chicago Christian Gehrkens, dealer to toys, confessed judgment Friday for \$3,311. His liabilities are about \$1,000, due chiefly to eastern creditors, with assets from \$4,000 to \$6,000; consisting solely of the stock in

to \$8,000, consisting solely of the stock in strade.

The Northwestera Miller, of Minneapolis, says editorially that the flouring mills of the northwest will not run more than half capacity during next month. This is in accordance with the decision of the Milwaukes convention of millers.

Mrs. Libble Beechler, the woman who killed Harry W. King, of Chicago, at Omaha a few weeks ago, made a desperate but unsuccessful attempt to escape from the jail in that city last Sunday, by trying to overpower the jailer and his assistant.

A telegram was received at Chicago Friday night stating that C. F. Merle, agent in San Frincisco of Fairbanks & Co., of Chicago, had skipped with \$80,000 of his employers funds Mr. Fairbanks said Merle might owe the firm something, but it could not be anything like \$90,000.

The commissioner of the general land

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The commissioner of the general land office of Texas reports that the state has disposed of all its lands except these set apart for the schools, state university and asylums.

The Cleveland Leader disposes of a rumor that ex-President Hayes would be in the cabinet of Gen. Harrison by stating that it has the highest authority for saying that he will not.

Dr. Chaffee, who was arrested in Chicago for malpractice in producing an abortion, was put under bonds of \$10,000 by Judge Jamisson Friday. The doctor says he will have abundant syldence to clear himself.

Over \$6,000 worth of stained glass, manufactured in England for the cathedral at Dubuque, Ia. was selzed Friday at that city by Surveyor McLauphin. It is held subject to the payment of \$3,000 in duty. The surveyor claims the glass is subject to a daty of \$5 per cent, not withstanding the secretary of the treasury informed Senator. Allison that, being for church purposes, it was exempte.

empt.

The church in Shaker Village, Canterbury, N. H., although built in 1742, has never been reshingled. The shingles are of heart pine, and were fastened on with wooden pega.

Leong Sing, a Chinaman, was hanged at San Francisco Friday for the murder of his uncle.



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BETHANY.

Prof. W. L. Jones is in Springfield this week William Smith was in Mattoon last Friday John Bentz was the guest of Indiana friend

A child of A. M. Rhodes' was reported quite

Barnhart Christman has purchased a hous and lot of Daniel Allen.

M. M. Crowder was the first man to pay his taxes in Marrowbone township.

Mrs. Birdsal is coutemplating a length visit with friends, in Springfield.

J. H. Wright and family have moved Newton. They left Bethany Monday. The G. A. R. have moved into their new hall over Hill and Ashmore's store room. Last week Alexander Vaughan bought Wil-liam Lee's two houses in the west part of

Erastus Magruder, of Macon, was the guest of his many friends, in this community, last

week.

Misses Maggie McCord and Mollie Lansdon
were entertained by Mt. Zion friends, from
Saturday until Tuesday.

A. S. Rhodes, one of our best farmers, sold a fine horse last week to a Pennsylvania man, for the neat little sum of \$260. The name given last week of the Sons of Veterans campas "Tommy Strayham," should

have read "Tommy Strayhorn." J. A. Palmer, of Paris, was in town Monday looking for a room in which to deliver his il-lustrated lecture on the "Holy Land."

Mr. Otterbury and Mr. Fry have traded places. Mr. Otterbury moving to Brush Creek and Mr. Fry to the Crowder property.

Carlton, the barber, sold his outfit to Clarence Lynn and has gone like the Arab. Vale Carlton, the barber, has gone to St. Louis.

Misses Rachel C. and Ella McGuire, who

have been at home for the holidays, returned to their school duties at Normal last Monday Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kennedy and daughter Loe, who has been the guests of relatives for two weeks, returned to their home at Clinton Monday.

The week of prayer will be observed at the C.P. church this week with services each evening. A protracted service will follow next week.

Miss Allice Kennedy gave an old fashioned spelling school, at the Pull Tight on last Fri-day ovening; Miss Minnie Mitchel was the champion speller. William Stables and C. L. Hale were in atten

dance upon the great poultry show, at Decatur, Tuesday. Mr. Hale has a number of fine chickens on exhibition.

Ass Shottleworth sold his residence proper-ty last week to Mrs. Elizabeth Wortman and has moved his family into the house lately vacated by A. L. Armstrong.

Saturday, by failing from a bridge upon which he was working. A heavy timber that he was working with fell upon him but fortunately hands. His escape from being killed was

C. H. Smith and Miss Olive Walker were married Sunday evening at the C.P. parson age, by the Rev. H. R. Crockett. The groom is one of the efficient clerks at Hill and Ashmore's store and is much respected in this community. The bride is noted for her beau-ty and accomplishments. May long life and happiness attend them.

The Wash Alexander post G. A. R. gave a public institution of officers last Saturday night. The following officers were duly installed: Post Commander, J. M. Lansden; Sr. Vice, J. T. Lawson; Jr. Vice, S. M. McReynolds; Jr. Master, Hugh Smith; Adjutant, J. A. Mitchell; Officer of the Guard, George C. Mitchell; Officer of the Guard, George C. Mitchell; The post will give as quaterior. Mitchell. The post will give an entertain-ment and oyster supper soon, which will be duly announced.

CUPID'S VICTIMS,
A pleasant social event always forms an epoch in the community in which it occurs and one of the most pleasant that we were ever one of the most pleasant that we were ever called upon to chronicle, took place on Thursday evening, January 3d, at the country residence of our esteemed friend, Geo. C. Mitchell. On that evening in the presence of some forty invited guests and relatives Hon. J. T. Lawson, in his usual happy manner, spoke the mystic words that mace William H. Hoskins, it, and Miss Julia Mitchell husband and wife. The groom is the well-known son of Perry Hoskins and needs no words of ours to commend the life he has lived in this community. The bride is the dutiful daughter of a worthy father and mother and is well fitted to be a helpmeet in the fullest sense of the word, to the husband ahe has chosen.

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The supper that was served after the cere-mony was a marvel of cullmary set and re-ceived ample justice, as we are able to say from personal experience, from all present. After supper some fine music was rendered with Mrs, Belle Perkins and Miss Dora Ken, redy as created. Artor suppor some line music was rendered with Mrs. Belle, Perkins and Miss Dors Kennedy as organists. The company dispersed at a late hour with many expressions of good will to Mr. and Mrs. Hoskins, who were the recipients of numerous and useful presents, among which we noticed the following: Towels, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kennedy; fruit dish. Miss Minnie Smith; aliver tes apong, Al Shartzon; water pitcher, Arthur Smith; cake dish, Chas. Lansden; berry dish, Mr. and Mrs. D. Fr. Kennedy; bread receiver, Miss Ida Hoskins; comb case and mirror, Chas. Hoskins; silver tes apons, Nelson and Thomas Look; full set of dishes, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hoskins; et of knives and forks, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Mitchell; water pitcher, Miss Fannie Molntyre; tablecoth, Mr. and Mrs. Wr. H. Hoskins, st.; glass set, Miss Ews Hoskins; tablecoth, Miss Barbara Mitchell; tablecloth, Buford and Toad Mitchell; glass water set, John and Gura Majors; pickle dish, Mrs. Norris; tablecloth, Mr. and Mrs. Yeakle; bed spread, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scheer; pair pillow covers, Miss Barah Solomon.

Miss Nettle Wright visited in Axcola las Orlie Ellars returned to college last Wed-

Dr. Polk, of Arcola, made a profes

Miss Lillie Vradenburgh, of Arcols, is the uest of her brother this week. A little girl of S. Vradenburgh, has bee quite ill but is now improving.

Hunsaker Bros. are spending a few days mong friends, at Terre Haute.

Mrs. Warren spent a day in Decatur last week, in the interest of her health.

Miss Carrie Stapp arrived here Saturday and will spend a few weeks among friends. The Graphic office has been moved into the uilding formerly occupied by John Warren John Warren has moved his steck of harness stc, into his new building, north of the new

A letter received by a friend, from Miss Mollie Reeves, who quite recently took up her abode in the sunny land of flowers, says, she is having a jolly time and is well pleased with her new home.

Misses Lola Wright and Sarah Palmer Messers. Ned Hunsacker, Harvey Sharp and John Heacock, attended the regular meet-ing of the county lodge of Good Templars, at Arcola last Thursday. Old fashioned "spelling bees" are being re-

vived and indulged in by progressive men. One was held at the German' school-house're-cently and dame rumor informs us that Ar thur expects to be "up with the times," soon Quite a number of our young people at-tended meeting at West Prairie last Sunday nisht. A protracted meeting, which has re-sulted in, not only adding to the church, but eviving the hearts of old Christians, where the fire of religion was burning very feebly, closed, Monday night. Elder Barker, their beloved paster of over twenty years, conlucted the meetings.

most promising young men, are attending school at Terre Haute. The former was C. T. of the I. O. G. T. lodge, and by his departure demanded a new election which resulted in placing Dr. Kelly in the chair. It is carnestly hoped that each nember will attend regular and assist the Dr. in his high and responsible position. position.

LOVINGTON.

Isaac Hudson, of Sullivan, was in town

W. G. Cochran went to Springfield last Sat urday, to attend the legislature.

Samuel Earp, of Iowa, is in town this weel on business and to visit old friends.

J. R. Pogue went to Sprinfield last Saturday. Dont Sibley, of -, is in town visiting rela

A. W. Bear moved into the property of Jess Hamburg Monday, and T. D. Cairns moved in the house vacated by Mr. Bear.

Joe and John Dawson went to Decatur Fri day to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs Margaret Downing, which took place Sunday Sam Patterson, J. L. Thayer, J. H. Dun-scomb and A. F. Robinson, of Sullivan, attended the funeral of Mr. Hetherington Sur

Died, January 4th, at the residence of Chas. H. Byner, two miles south of Lovington, Mr. Georgo Hetherington. He was buried in the Kellar cemetery.

Died, January 5th, at 8 p. m., at his home two miles northwest of Loyington, Mr. Andrew Cochran. The remains were interred in the Hewitt cemetery.

Frank Howell was the man who held the lucky number that drew the prize stick of candy at L. B. French's Palace Restaurant removed to D. R. Sutter's old stand. The can

removed to D. R. Suttor's old stand. The cantrollar last Saturday and Sunday, was an unusually interesting service. Elder Orr is well fitted for the office of Presiding Elder.

Christman and Davis have opened a meat market in the room formerly occupied by W. F. Logan and Co., as an office. They propose to furnish at all times the best meats that the

The ladies of the Methodist church held The indies of the Methodist church held their first social at the parsonage Monday night. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all. The collection was good. The next social will be held at Dr. Smith's on Friday evening, January 18th. All are invited to come and have a good time and help the cause.

The families of Dr. John Gibbon and J. D. Campbell, of Fairview, and W. B. Shook, of Lovington, met at P. C. Gibbon's, one and one-half miles east of Cushman on Sunday one-half miles east of Cushman on Sunday last and enjoyed a nise dinner, the occasion being the fifth anniversary of the marrige of P. O. Gibbon and Amy Ray. It was also a re-union of the family of Dr. Gibbon, all of his children being present.

LAKE CITY.

Miss Bertha Brown is sick with typhoid fe

Wilson Kneff was in town on business last Monday.

George Lovejoy and wife spent New Year day, at Bethany. O. P. Shreves and Green Matherly were in Decatur last Monday.

Miss Mary Hogan is canvasing for the life of General Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fowley visited relative at Riverton last week. Macy and Nellie Redfern, and Maude Sin

lair are on the sick list. Mrs. Donor, of Dalton City, organized a W. J. T. U. here last Thursday.

T. T. Springer and C. N. Twadell did bus ness at Sullivan last Monday.

The Rev. Hobbs preaches at the Methodist church next Sunday and Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. James Odor, of Mt. Zion, visited d Green Matherly and family last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. George Dower's little three-year-old daughter, Olive, while playing last Sunday had her arm broken at the wrist.

Manda Sinclair, Lanson Springer, Nellic Redfern, Cora Smith and Johnnie Hogar passed the best examination of the Lake City chool last month.

Died, at Decatur, January 1, Clara, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Winnings. The remains were interred at the Winnings family grave yard.

DALTON CITY,

The first cold wave of the season arrived the first cold wave of the first

Mrs. Steine, of Windsor, is visiting at Mr and Mrs. John Garrett's.

George Conn intends to go to Decatur in few days to work for a contractor in that gity Miss Cora Towie, of Waverly, Kan., was at Dalton City last week, visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Clark and family. She returned to Kan-

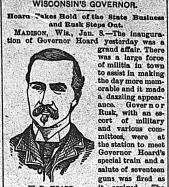
John Uppendahl went to Peoria last Mon lay to attend the funeral of Mr. Hippin of the irm of Smith, Hippin & Co., who died sudden-yin that city on Saturday last.

WILLIAMSBURG. Farmers are busy shelling corn. The Burg has a new blacksmith. Andrew Webster has moved back on his

Grandma Hutchins has returned from her visit in Shelby county.

James Bathe was in the vicinity of the Burg last week buying calves.

WISCONSIN'S GOVERNOR



Governor Hoard's special train and a

7. D. HOARD. it arrived. The ion was then formed and escorted the two governors to the capitol, where there were thousands of people waiting and cheer-

two governors to the capitol, where there were thousand of people waiting and cheering both gentlemen.

The inauguration ceremonies took place in the assembly chamber, where the party was taken and Mayor Doyon made an introductory speech in which he paid a graceful compliment to the retiring governor, and in an equally graceful manner welcomed the new executive. At the conclusion of this speech the governor-elect stepped forward and made a very brief address, declaring that his purpose was to discharge the duties of the office with an eye single to the welfare of the state.

The oath was then administered, three cheess were given and the new governor proceeded to his office, where the following appointments were announced: Private secretary, Henry Casson, of Viroqua; superintendent of public property, H. C. Adams, of Madison; adjutant-general, George W. Burchard, of Fort Atkinson, rank of brigadier general; quartermaster general, Michael Griffin, of Eau Claire, rank of brigadier general, addes-de-camps Charles King, of Milwauke; Isaac H. Wing, of Bayfield, D. W. Curtis, of Fort Atkinson; Theodore W. Golden, of Janesville; Jesse Stone, of Watertown; Frederick Becker, Manitowoo, and Henry Casson, of Viroqua.

Later he was escorted by the militia to the executive residence. The inaugural ball was a decided success and a gigantic crush. The governor was there with his wife and a reception was held, at. which Gen. Lucius Fairchild made the introductions.

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Indianapolis Clergymen Take No Action on the Inaugural Hop.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 8.—At the regular meeting of the Indianapolis Ministerial association yesterday a resolution was adopted appointing a committee of seven, representing all denominations, to prepare an address expressing cordial Christian regard for the presedent-elect. In a paper read by Dr. Lucas, allusion was made to the inaugural ball, the doctor saying that those who favor the ball ought not to say that those who oppose it to say that those who oppose it to say that the other is seeking popularity with the world; charity should characterize us in all things. In discussing the paper Ray. Dr. Jenckes treated the matter of the ball in a rather light and jocular manner. The subject was then dropped and the association proceeded to other business.

Gen. Harrison spent the morning in his library at work on his message. His social callers included parties from New York, Chicago, Boston, and other cities, who stopped over while passing through. The presidential electors of Illinois and Ohiohave sont word that 'immediatoly upon casting their votes next Monday at Springfield and Columbus they will leave for Indiánapolis, arriving here Wednesday morning, where they will be met by the Indiana electors, and as one body the chosen representatives of the three great states will march out to Gen. Harrison's house and pay their respects.

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The Author of the Murchison Letter.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. a.—it is announced on authority of those who have been in the secret from the first that the author of the Murchison letter is George Osgoodby, of Pomona, where his father, an Englishman by hirth, resides. Osgoodby is 24 years old, and a native of New York. Murchison is a fanily name connected with the Osgoodby s by marriage. the Orgoodbys by marriage.

At the annual meeting at Terre Hante, Ind., of the Vandalia railway shareholders Henry S. Ives was dropped from the disctory and Hermann Hulman, of Terre Haute, elected to the vacancy. W. R. Mc-Keen was re-elected president.

BAKING POWDER.



LEGAL.

MASTER'S SALE.—STATE OF ILLINOIS, Ill Moultrie County, as. Moultrie county of the state of Hram John-William of the matter of Hram John-William of the matter of Hram John-William of the matter of Hram John-William of the Master of the Master of Is hereby given, that in pursuance of a deveral order entered in the above entitled cause, in said court, on the th day of Docember, A. D. 1889, at ten o clock in the Chapter, A. D. 1889, at ten o clock in the Master of Tebruary, A. D. 1889, at ten o clock in the Master of the Master of the Court, on the Judice of the Court, on the Judice of the Court House Sullying, in said county, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Moultrie and state of Illinois, to wit: Iest and [1] and two (2), in block blackers (2) in the original town, now city of Sullivan situated in Moultrie county stagular the Illinois, together with all and thereinto belonging.

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CVER CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE

Lieut. Gov. Robertson Declares He Will Take the Chair and the Democrats Are Determined That He Shall Not-Gov. House of Control of the tariff bill. Vest's motion to reduce the duty on cotton threads, yarns, etc., to 35 per cent. ad valorem was rejected, as was another by him to make at the Inaugural Bail—"Hurchlson" Discovered.

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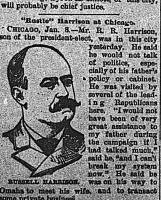
Robertson declares that he will insist upon his rights and the Republican Senators will back him. A repetition of the scenes of violence that marked the session two years

violence that marked the session two years ago is probable. It is generally understood that the Democrate will put forward Senator J. F. Cox. of Morgan county, as their candidate for presiding officer of the senate. It is anticipated the senate may remain deadlocked on this question during the four days and continue practically unorganized until the installation of Lieutenant Governor Chace. This con'est is at present the uppermost political theme here, as both sides are determined, and Col. Robertson's friends declare he will take his seat.

and Col. Robertson's friends: Genero as an attach his seat,
Candidates for speaker of the house are Mason J. Niblack, of Vincennes; Gabriel J. Schn uck, of Marion county, and James E. Willard, of Lawrence county. Niblack is a son of Judge W. F. Niblack, for many years of the supreme court of Indiana, and one of the most popular Democrats in Indiana. It is generally conceded that Niblack is in the lead, with Representative Schmuck pressing him. The hotels are full of members of the assembly.

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The newly elected judges of the supreme court were inducted into office yesterday morning. The new judges are Walter Olds, John G. Berkebire, and Philas D. Coffee, ail Republicans. The hold-over judges are Byron K. Elliott, Republican, and James Mitchell, Democrat. Thus the supreme tribunal of Indiana is Republican in politics for the second time in the history of the state. Judge Byron K. Elliott, of this city, will probably be chief justice.



mahs to meet his wife, and to transact me private business.

he National Lawmakers Resume Business at the Old Stand.

Washington Cirr, Jan. a.—The reassem-ling of congress, after the holliday recess, was a quiet affair, and the members simply

THEY ARE AT IT AGAIN.

of other amendments of similar character were rejected, and at 5 p. m. the senate adjourned.

The house committee on rules reported to to that body a resolution, the purpose of which was to dispense with the call of states and territories on the first and third Monday of each month, and thereby to diminish the power of the fillbusters. The previous question was demanded by Reed, and on this question Randall, one of the rules committee, voted no. The first wote showed no quorum, the result of fillbustering, and the house, at 3.05 p. m., adjourned.

Washington City, Jan. 5.—The tariff bill occupied the attention of the senate most of yesterday, but it was laid aside without much progress after a long political debate. The senate rules were amended to give the privilege of the floor to the president-elect and vice president-elect. A brief executive session was then held, and the sonate adjourned.

The house passed the Nicaragus bill with amendments providing; that the United States shall not be committed to any liability of the company, which statement shall be issued in excess of capital until the latter paid in shall amount to \$5,000,000; that congress shall have the right to amend alter or research and the small and the research of the shall amount to \$5,000,000; that congress shall have the right to amend alter or research and the small have the right to amend alter or research and the small have the right to amend alter or research and the small have the right to amend alter or research and the small have the right to amend alter or research and the small have the right to amend alter or research and the small have the right to amend alter or research and the small have the right to amend alter or research and the small have the right to amend alter or research and the small have the right to a small and alter or research and the small have the right to a small have the right to a

sued in excess of capital until the latter paid in shall amount to \$5,000,000; that congress shall have the right to amond, alter or repeal the act and regulate the rates of toll. The vote on the bill was 174 yeas to 35 mays. The bill now goes back to the senate. The resolution abolishing the call of states, for business under suspension of the rules on two Mondays in each month was then taken up, but after a debate the opponents of the measure declined to vote and left the house without a quorum and adjournment was taken.

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Washington City, Jan. ?,—In the senate Saturday Sherman called up a joint resolution defining the position of the United States regarding the control by any European power of any water-way constructed across Central America, and wanted it acted upon at once. There was some opposition, and Gray offered, an amendment modifying the language, but the whole matter went over. The tariff bill was then resumed, and a number of amendments offered, bu an action taken, and at 4:45 the senate adjourned.

Fillbuster had charge of the house sgain, on the proposition to abolish the call of states on "suspension" Monday, Springer succeeded in getting a resolution passed instructing the sergeant-at-arms to notify absent members to be present Monday. A resolution was passed authorising the war and naval office to loan bunting to decorate the city on March 4, and the house adjourned.

Washington City, Jan. 8.—As soon as the routing members but the conting members to the test of the country.

journed.

WASHINGTON CITY, Jau. 8.—As soon as the routine morning business was disposed of in the senate yesterday that body went into secret session on Edmunds' Panama canal resolution and the debate occupied the whole day until 5:49 p. m. The only action taken after the doors were opened was to fix Jan. 23 instead of 31 for the final vote on the tastiff tell.

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Roll-calls, under the lead of the fillbusters who oppose the resolution abolishing the call of states on "suspension" Mondays, occupied the whole day in the house, which adjourned at 5 p. m. without a particle of progress in legislation.

Washington Crry, Jan. 9.—The senate yestersay pussed the house bill requiring the delivery of special delivery letters whether postage is propaid or not. Sherman introduced a bill providing a complete syst.

Got a Verdict for \$12,000.

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Miss Lucy M. Noyes, a school teacher of this city, was yesterday awarded \$12,000 damages by the jury in her sult against the Chicago City Street Rallway company. Miss Noyes was riding in a coupe when a cable-car of the above road collided with her vehicle causing serious injuries to the occupant, from which she will probably never recover. Her sult was for \$20,000. Got a Verdict for \$12,000

Rov. Knight Accepts. LANCASTER, Pa., Jan. t.—The Rev. Cyrus F. Knight of this city, recently elected bishop of the Milwaukee diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church, has notified an official committee of his acceptance of the office.

THE BURLINGTON STRIKERS.

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Pith of the Agreement They Made with the Railway,
CHICAGO, Jan, 8.—The seal of secrecy was last night removed from the terms of agreement between the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad company and the conference committee of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. The terms are in effect that the company will not follow up, blacklist, or in any manner attempt to proscribe those who were concerned in the strike, but, on the contrary, will give to all who have not been guilty of violence, or other improper conduct, latters of introduction, showing their record, and in all proper ways assist them in finding employment. Vice President Stone, of the Burlington stated that the agreement contained all that the men had claimed, and that the company was asked to concede.

EARTHQUAKE IN ILLINOIS.

Three Towns Report a Shake That Rat tled the Windows tled the Windows.

SHELBYVILLE, Ills., Jan. 9.—The severest shock of earthquake known here for years startled the citizens Monday night about 11 o'clock. Buildings were shaken perceptibly, and many persons were frightened from their beds.

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MAYTOON, Ills., Jan. 9.—Shortly before 11
o'clock Monday night a decided earthquake
shock was felt in this city. Windows were
rattled aid in some instances buildings were
rocked. Much alarm was cause by the co-

currence.

Fana, Ilis, Jan. 9.—About 11 o'closel.

Monday night a severe earthquake was felt in this city. Large buildings were awayed perceptibly and many people were awakened by the shock.

the shock.

The Washington Post, under the new management, which took hold Monday, annuances that it intends to be for Washington, washington interests and Washingtonians, first, last, and all the time.

Moody, the avangalist has begun a series of meetings in Mechanical payillon, San Francisco, to last about a month. Over 6,000 people were present at the first meeting Sunday and as many Monday.

STATE SOLONS ASSEMBLING.

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Hitmois Legislators Caucus—Their Nominees—West Virginia and Elsewiere.

SPRINGPIELD, Ills., Jan. 9.—The Republican senate caucus finet last night with Senator Bacon in the chair. A committee consisting of Senators Pierce, Gibbs, Washburne, Greenwood, Reinhardt, Bogardus, Hagle, Matthews, and McMillan was appointed to select the standing committees of the senate.

The candidates for president pro tem of the senate were; Humps was selected, obtaining 32 votes. L. F. Watson got the secretaryship, and Stephen Maddock, of Edgar county, the position of sergeant at-arms, For chaplain, the Rev A. A. Burley of the African Methodist church, Springfield, was nominated on the second ballot.

The house Republicans met with Republics of Cooks as abstract.

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The house Republicans met with Republicans of Cook as chairman, Asa C. Matthews had no opposition for speaker and John A. Reseve was equally fortunate as to the clerkship. Both were nominated by acclaimation with great enthusiasm.

The Democrats of the house made A. W. Wells chairman of their caucus and selected Clayton E. Craftis, of Cook county, for the nominee for speaker, and John Larimer, of Salem, for chief clerk.

A "steering" committee was announced by the chair as follows: Manning of Cook, Merritt of Marion, Jones of Sangamon, Eddy of McLean, Davis of Green, Brown of LaSalle, and Wells of Adams. Judge Prem.

LaSalle, and Wells of Adams. Judge Pren-dergast, of Chicago, was invited to address the caucus. He came forward and made a brief speech, mainly with reference to sub-jects demanding the attention of the legisla-

The senate Democrats selected Har-Reiter, of Belleville, as candidate for pri-dent pro tem and Charles W. Gordon, Woodford, for secretary.

The West Virginia Legislature.

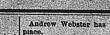
CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 9.—Rwey
Democratic member of the house want into
caucus last night. J. J. Wood, of Olid
county, was nominated for speaker, and J.
W. Hamilton, of Calhoun, for clerk. The
Republicans made complimentary nominations, but have no hope of organizing that
hody. body.

In the senatorial caucus the Democrats decided to make no nominations. The Republicans beld their session with closed doors and their nomination for president is not known.

The Wisconsin Statesmen.

Madison, Wia, Jan. 9.—The Republicans of both the house and senate held cancuses yesterday. Officers of the senate ware chosen in the caucus as follows: T. A. Dyson, I.a. Crosse, president pro tom; C. R. Bross, Madison, chief clerk; T. J. George, Menominee, sergeant-at-arms; H. Stons Richardson, Oshkosh, postumater, Assembly officers will be: Thomas B. Mills, Jackson county, speaker; E. D. Coe, Whitewater, chief. clerk; L. R. Parsons, Lake Mills, sergeant-at-arms.

An enormous landside has occurred at Posiloppo, Italy. A mass of rock and earth measuring 5,000 cubic yards fell upon a number of house, crushing them, but fortunately killing only one person. Soveral



A. Hutchins visited on West Pravio the last of last week,

There was a spelling match at the Merrit school house last Tuesday evening. Francis Ray and Jim Weatherby were the champions

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BOYS AND PLUMS.

Two youngsters were sent to the country
To board on a flourishing farm;
Just to free the parents from trouble,
And keep the boys from all harm.
The fruit was found in abundance,
The boys's father wrote to his friend;
"If some fruit you can spare from your cohard
Some Danisons to me you'll please send."
But the farmer replied, in gree tanguish,
My Damisons I really can't seld,
"Your damisons have ate all my Damisons,
Your damisons you can have, my friend."

CITY AND COUNTY.

Interesting Items From Numer Sources.

County court next Monday. Doc Banks did business in Decatu Thursday.

A. Sentel, of Pierson was in the city Wednesday. Stockings by the car load. Cheap at

Mrs. Judge Eden is quite ill with

The Palace-Yarns, flannels and blankets cheap. tf

Santa Rawson visited John Moriarty at Bement Tuesday.

The Variety Store is closing out. Call and get prices. 5-tf

The death of Mrs. Sarah Monroe is momentarily expected.

Five hundred old style hoods at any price, at the Palace, tf Toboggans, hoods and skirt goods

at the Palace, cheap. tf W. A. Haydon and A. L. Corrothers were in Decatur Monday.

Esquire Woodruf, of Decatur is the guest of friends in Sullivan.

Trunks and valises at the Palace, very cheap. Call and see. tf

Edwin Hall, of Decatur, spent the Sabbath with friends in Sullivan. 1. J. Martin, editor of The Progress,

Five thousand pair woolen hosiery at

one half price at the Palace. 1 tf. W. G. Covey now occupies the property recently vacated by Judge Minor.

Clothing at much less than cost to quit the business.—The Palace. 1 tf The Thirty-sixth General Assembly convened at Springfield, Wednesday

L. M. Spitler was in Champaign the first of the week, visiting an old school-

Claud Backhouse and Lucy Williams spent last Sabbath with friends in Lov-ington,

Gent's shirts, drawers and gloves less than cost at the Palace. Going to quit. 1 tf T. A. Hollonbeck has been confined

to the house for several days with ca-The finest line of mufflers and silk

handkerchiefs ever brought to the city, ries of meetings this week. at the palace, tf Isaac Hudson was at Lovington Mon day to see his brother. who is quite ill

with typhoid fever. Teeth extracted and new ones made at E. M. Scott's dental rooms. East

side, over Brosam Bros. 22tf

with a severe case of neuralgia. Dress goods, dress buttons, dress gs, etc., at less than cost. Ev-

erything goes at the Palace, tf Mrs. Charles Hagerman left yester

day noon for a month's visit with her parents in Sumner, Richland county. John R. Pogue, of Lovington, is a

candidate for Enrolling and Engrossing clerk of the Illinois General Assembly. Mesdames J. T. Higginbotham and

George Reimund and children returned to their homes in Urbana last Saturday.

Bus to any part of the city. Leave calls at the Eden house. I will attend all calls, day or night.—[J. F. Eden, tf

Mrs. Harrison will be the thirty-third lady to preside over the white house, although Mr. Harrison will be only the

Frank Spitler took the early morning train Tuesday for Springfield in order to be present at the organization of the

this week at the Methodist church. There are services both afternoon and

Lou and Lottie Waters, with an exnt company of artists, have dates

All pay locals, where time is not specuntil ordered out, and charged for accordingly. tf

Mrs. Barbara Stanke, who has made er home in Milwaukee for the past few months is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Hancock.

Mrs. J. W. Davidson spent severa lays last week with her father, iddo Hayes, of Mattoon, who has been very ill of pneumonia.

Miss Emma Jenkins is confined to the house with that disease which has been seeking victims here for the past two months-mumps.

Dr. S. J. Hardin is prepared to treat cholera hogs on the plan of no cure no pay. He will pay market price for all that die. 49tf

Mrs. Ed Hunt and grandson, Ralph left Thursday morning for Tuscola. where they will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Cooper.

O. B. Douglass has sold his residence to Jonathan Elder and the latter will move to town about February 1. The consideration was \$500.

W. G. Cochran has rented the room recently vacated by Judge Meeker which he will use for the transaction of ousiness while in Sullivan.

Dr. Trowbridge, dentist, over post-office. Best teeth for \$10 per set., fully warranted. Office open every day except Thursday and Friday. tf

It is reported that earthquake shocks, sufficiently violent to rattle windows were experienced in the vicinity of Matoon and Shelbyville last Monday.

Chas. N. Twadell and T. T. Springer, of Lake City, were in town Monday. The former on business connected with the settlement of the estate of the late John Winnings.

Corbin case will be heard by the appel- zer's. late court today. Robert Peadro now occupies his new

residence in the southern part of town It is very complete in all its apartments and is a decided improvement to that part of the city.

On Tuesday, January 22, Jonathan farming implements consisting of plows, cultivators, harness, wagon etc. Also several head of horses and cows.

Ichabod Jennings' a member of the grain firm of Jennings Bros. of Mattoon was in the city Tuesday on his rean agent who is buying grain for them.

The fresh lard and doughnut season nas come. At the same time it can b casually said that the easiest way to digest doughnuts is to eat the hole and and throw the rest away.—Oakland Ledger.

S. P. Earp, formerly sheriff of Moulfriends in this vicinity. nicely situated and is well pleased with | mains for the legislature, which is po-

The business men closed their stores at seven o'clock on Wednesday, and Thursday evenings and will tonight in response to a request by the pastor of the M. E. church, who is holding a se

At the special election held last Thurs day in the thirty-second senatorial distriet to fill the vacancy caused by the death of T. L. McGrath, Lehman, the Republican candidate was elected by an overwhelming majority.

Chas. G. Roane came home Friday to the house several days this week M. D. To a few days visit with his parents Campbell, Neb., and reports the numerous Moultrie County progeny in that ection of the state as well and happy

> Lost-a ladies shopping bag, containing cards with the names, Walter Rose, Oscar Rose and H. Rose. The name, Dora Rose, written inside of bag. Any person finding the same will confer a favor by leaving it at the News office.—Dona Rose. 5

n Indiana J. A. Seass has had charg of the former's jewelry store. He is indoubtedly a good salesman, having since Mr. Songer's departure added one full case of the mumps, warranted all

For the space of 111 years from January 1, we are to have the figure nine in our years, and the occultists, who out much stress upon numbers, predict that the condition of mankind will be during this period. It is the age of Kal

fice to the front room over Patterson's of the work by the township. This is a drug store. Dr. Johnson, however, will good idea. A law should also be passed a great saving of time as one can obtile weeds tain both medical and legal advice at way.—Ex. the same call; kill two birds with one

or of the Palace in this city ma n assignment at Fairmount. Wednes day, for the benefit of his creditors.

His assets are reported at \$17,000. His many friends here will regret to learn of his embarrassment and we trust he will soon be able to resume.

The friends of the late Judge David Davis Wednesday, through Mr. Leonard Sweet, of Chicago, formally presented to the State a marble bust of that emi nent jurist and statesman. Governor Oglesby received the gift in behalf of the State. The bust has been placed in the public corridor of the State House at Springfield.

So far as we can learn no one in this vicinity, except the Rev. J. W. Horner and wife, experienced any of the rockings of the earth, reported to have been felt south of here last Monday night. They, however, noticed three distinct waving or rocking motions which lasted only a few seconds, but was very dis tinctly manifested.

The sport loving residents of Douglas county are again becoming interested in the prospect of holding, one of their annual fox drives, but if the com ing chase does not reduce the numbers of the sly Reynards any more than past ones have, no fears need be enter tained that the species is in any danger of becoming extinct.

Notice the change in the Palace ad. this week. The proprietors are determined to reduce the stock and are offering some good bargains. This house has enjoyed a reputation second to none in the county and all who patronize them can ment and a just representation of the merits of their goods.

The celebrated Mendelssohn Quintette Club Concert Company, of Bos ton, Mass., will give a musical enter tainment at the Titus Opera House next Tuesday evening, January 15th This will be a rare treat for our people Flick Ashworth and John R. Eden and none should fail to attend. Poputook the early train yesterday morning lar prices, 50 cents. Reserved seats for Springfield. The arguments in the 75 cents. Tickets to be had at Fra-

The Rev. A. Liefeld, from Herborn Shelby county, a pastor of the German Lutherian denomination will preach at the Presbyterian church Wednesday. January 16 at seven o'clock P. M. The services will be conducted in German and the music will be furnished by the Elder will sell at public sale all his German class. A general invitation is be likely to set persons down as underfarming implements consisting of extended to all but particularly to bred or ill-bred who fail of this small

Andrew Cochran, better known as Grandpa Cochran died at his home He was born in Ross county, Ohio. turn from Cashman, where the firm has June 13, 1807, came to Illinois in 1844 and settled on the farm where he lived until his death. He had many warm friends who will ever remember him as a peaceful, kind-hearted man. Peace to his ashes.

By the decision of the circuit court at Charleston, West Va., Wednesday, in an injunction case, Mr. Goff, the Republic trie county, but now located at Correcan candidate for governor, is fairly tionville, Iowa, is visiting relatives and elected, as is the Republican candidate Mr. Earp is for congress in that district. But it relitically doubtful, to decide finally, when canvassing the returns, who is elected.

> Wednesday was the first touch of real winter weather this section has experienced. It had rained nearly all lay Tuesday and Wednesday morning and farm drainage. found the ground covered with snow and the wind blowing a gale, and while it was not very cold still it was a very disagreeable day and very few persons were on the streets except those whose business was such as to make it neces

The attorneys for the defense in the Corbin case have enjoined the supervisors from appropriating funds for the employment of additional legal assistance in the preparation of the papers to be prepared and presented to the appellate court. They have also enjoined the county clerk from issuing orders on the county treasurer and on the last named official from paying the

The Chicago Journal's latest problem s attracting wide attention. Nearly as many different answers having bee received as there are persons with courage enough to make the attempt. Here is the problem. A sells B a horse for \$80, and afterwards buys it back for How much does A make by the two sales? The original cost of the horse does not enter into the proposition.

The DeWitt county board of super visors passed a resolution instructing to have a law passed empowering owners of land to have the weeds cut down where the highway commissioners neg-lect it, and that they be paid the cost compelling railroad companies to keep the weeds down along their right-of

William Dodd, of Paris, Deputy Head Counsel of the order of Modern Woodnen has been in the city this week in the interest of the above named order. This order, although only nine years

ship until now there are over 800 camps with a membership of over 30,000 ed. Wm. Hancock, the P., D. & E. Five new members were initiated into the camp here last Wednesday night. and other applications will_soon be tified that early in December be had repassed upon.

In a communication received from Mrs. Minor asking that the News be sent to her at Independence, Or., she states that she is much pleased with the country and climate. Grass is green, flowers are in bloom and everything has a spring like appearance Last season potatoes were very fine and grew to an enormous size. Some of them measuring over a foot in length and weighing in some instances five to hall, escorted Terrence over to Dr. so well pleased that Sullivan has no attractions for her.

Party Calls. There are certain small things all girls ought to know about—little forms of etiquette, the observance of which is expected of all well-bred people. Some understand by instinct, or inheritance, or by observation, but others appear to

A lady once told me that she was much chagrined at having been guilty of not making "party calls," in a city where she had spent part of a winter and had been invited to several houses. She was refined and cultivated, but had never been much in society in previous Wednesday. Those from here large towns, and actually did not know what was expected of her until it was too late. She said that just before returning to her home, she heard a lady house where she was boarding ask another, "Have you made your party calls?",

The matter was a puzzle to her. At the first opportunity she asked a friend Ohio in 1833. At the age of eighteen to whom she was not afraid to betray her ignorance, the meaning of the expression, and found that by the etiquette of society it was the polite and proper thing for her to make a call at each of the houses where she had been nvited. Imagine her chagrin on being told what a "party call" was! She did not wish to be considered crude or York, July 17, 1847. Two children rude, but as crude or rude those host-

esses must regard her. In some cases, like hers it is ignocance and in others it is negligence; but the lady who has invited you will

A good many instances have come to my knowledge since then, of young girls who have been honored by invita-tions to a choice garden or and dor party, and never afterwards took the trouble to call. I have known even a more discreditable thing-it is incredible, but true, that young people have actually left such a party without taking leave of their host and hostess! January

Tile Makers Convention farmers as well as the tile makers of this state will be interested in the following interesting program of the eleventh annual meeting of the Illinois Tile Makers Association, which will be held in the State House, Springfield, January 21 and 22, 1889. The meeting promises to be one of unusual interest to tile makers as well as the farmers of the state who are using such large and increased quantities of tile each succeeding year, both for road

PROGRAM.
Tuesday 10 o'clock A. M., January 21.

Call to order.
Address of Welcome...... Gov. Joseph Fifer.
Roll Call.
Reports of members as to the interest in drainage, in their respective localities, and surgestions for the advancement of the tile makers business.

lutions, etc.

How to Increase the Demand for Tile, Mr. Osman, Editor Brick & Tile Gazette, Ottawa, III.

How to Avold Mistakes in Tile Drainage.

E. I. Cantine, Bloomington, III.

Question Box.

Question Box. Evening Session.
Compartive Results Obtained by the Farmers, in the Use of Tile. D. O. Loy, Monticello, Ill. Best Methods of Mading Toy, Monticello, Ill. How to Increase the Domand for Tile. J. F. Spalding, Gibson City, Ill. Morning Session.
Wodnesday, 10 o'clook A. M. January 22.

Profits in Manufacture and Sale of Tile......

Alex MoLean, Bardolph, Ili,
Question Box, answered by J. J. W. Billingsley, Indianapolis, Ind.

For further information address the secretary, G. C. Stoll, Lexington, Ill. or to the president, E. M. Pike, Chenoa, Rail roads will sell excursion tickets

to all who desire to attend the convention. Parties attending the above meeting and passing over two or more railways en route to the convention should procure receipts at each starting each line, as separate return tickets are issued for each company.

Preliminary Examination of Terren Heffern. Bound Over in the Sum of \$500.

rence Heffern, charged with the burglary of a package containing a coat was held in Esquire D. R. Patterson's court on Tuesday afternoon. S. M.

American express agent, was the first ceived a package for Dr. E. M. Scott cept it, the article was returned to the depot. While waiting for instructions as to what he should do in the matter, it had been stolen. A few days after the thieft, Mr. Hancock, happening in Holmes' billiard hall, noticed the vest on Heffern, the young man employed in the place. He notified Marshall Nazworthy and the two returning to the the garments as the missing goods. Heffern claimed he had bought them of Chancey Shockey for \$4.50 and immediately turned them over to Mr Hancock. Dr Scott and Marshall Nazworthy corroboratde Mr Hancock. The defense in troduced no witnesses and after a brief argument on both sides the defendant was bound over in the sum of \$500 and in default was remanded to jail.

Obituary.

George Hetherington died quite suddenly of pneumonia at his home near Lovington, last Friday. He was sick only about forty-eight hours having first complained of feeling unwell the who attended his funeral were J. L. Thayer, J. H. Dunscomb, S. D. Patterson and A. F. Robinson. The following sketch of his life was taken from

He was born in Hardy county, West Virginia, June 28, 1818, and moved with his parents to Pickaway county, he became clerk in a business of general merchandising, continuing in the same until 1848 when he was elected to the office of county auditor of Pickaway county, and was again re-elected to the same office in 1850.

He was married to Matilda E. Shepherd at Homer, Courtland county, New were born to them, one dying in infancy and the other in the 22nd year of his

He moved to Moultrie county, Illinois, in 1855, and engaged in farming and was elected to the office of county clerk for Moultrie county, in the year 1873, filling the office for four years, when he sold his farm to Henry C. Shepherd and retired from active busi-

The Mendelsshon Quatett Club

Quintette Club, of Boston, have charm-

For forty years the Mendelsshor

ed the music lovers of the nation. The club has been undergoing changes in its membership during this time, but the veteran Thomas Ryan is yet at its head and so long as he remains there its high artiste standard will be maintained. The the Detroit Light Guard Armory was greatly enjoyed by those present. It is tistic execution is concerned nothing was left to be desired. Finish in all the details that mark the perfection of art is and always has been a feature of this club's concerts. Miss Ryan has a fine voice. It may lack in sympathetic quality, but perfect method and the range and volume of her voice more than com-

called and responded with encore num pers.—Detroit Free Press, Nov. 14, 1888. For Boys.

pensate for this. The audience were

not sparing in their applause, and both

Miss. Ryan and Herr Hekking were re-

Get away from the crowd awhile ev ery day, my dear boy. Stand to one side and let the world run by while you what kind of a fellow you are. Ask says, "I am out of politics," yourself hard questions about yourself. "There is nothing in it. I am tired of Ask certain information from original the work. My business has run lop-sources if you are really the kind of a sided, and now I have quit politics and you are always honest; if you always cost me lots of money to be in politics. tell the square, perfect truth in business I have not made a dollar out of it, and transactions. Ask it your life is as in fact it has hurt me badly. Our acgood and upright at night as it is in the counts are all squared up now, and are at a Sunday school picnic; if you town as when you are at home; if, in short, you are the sort of a boy your father hopes you are. Get on intimate terms with yourself, and believe it. every time you come out from the private interviews you will be stronger, purer and better in every respect.--Ex

Marriage Licenses. The following marriage licenses have peen issued since our last report.:

Ölive Walker John A. Johnson Dora Hamiline: Teacher's Institute.

The following is the program of the ton, Saturday, January 12, 1889:

held at Decatur this week. Many fine birds were shown and the exhibition was well patronized by the fanciers.

STATE AND NATIONAL.

suaded her husband not to write any

A very successful poultry show was

Every school house in Nebraska and Dakota has been supplied with an extra stove, extra wood and a stack of provisions to be used in case of a bliz-

he received \$25 a year and his board. Benjamin E. Hopkins, the assistant ashier of the wrecked Fidelity National Bank of Cincinnati, who was recently

pardoned out of the Ohio State Prison

health, died at his home in Cincinnati

ccause of his hopeless condition of

last Monday. A serious if not fatal accident occur-red last Saturday at Bement, in which Ira Johnston came near losing his life. While stooping over to take a cartridge from the barrel of his shot gun the gun was discharged, blowing off his left arm, Surgeons were summoned and dressed the wound.

Geo. P. Davis, who for the past sixeen years has been the Democratic constable of Republican Olney, has just resigned his office to accept a traveling position with a manufacturing firm. Mr. Davis is a living proof of the falsity of the proverb that office-holders seldom die and never resign.

"What do you think about the Cabiet?" asks a correspondent. Well, in the first place it will be a Harrison Cabinet, Secondly, it will be a Republican Cabinet. Thirdly, it will be a Cabinet of statesmen, each adopted to concert given last night by this club at his place. And fourthly, it will be a Cabinet that will please the people. because it will be built for business, and not for dress parade.—Inter Ocean. Dan Langley, a Georgia moonshiner, was tried and convicted two months

ago. At the trial he told the Judge that he was to be married in a little sentenced him to imprisonment for just one month. He was thus able to quit jail on a Monday, and start for his home in Gordon county, where he was to be married on the following Wednesday. He was so thankful light sentence that he promised to send the Judge a gallon of the best moonshine whisky to be got.

W. J. Mize Tired of Politics.
W. J. Mize, Secretary of the Democratic State Central Committee seems am going to attend to business. It has morning; if you are as good a temper- there is \$1,000 in the treasurer's hands, ance boy on a fishing excursion as you to be used as a nest-egg for the next campaign. I bave calle are as/good a boy when you are down the State Committee for January 15, in Springfield. I won't take the Secretaryship again. Campbell says he won't be Chairman of the committee again, but he may."

The following is a statement of taxes for the year 1888 by townships in the county of Moultrie; also amount of taxes on railroads in said county, for the

54	Bumvan
ă	Lovington
ă	Whitley "
¢	East Nelson "
ş	Jonathan Creek**
i.	Jonathan Creek ¹⁴
7	LOWE
d	1 & St. Louis railroad
á	Terre Haute & Peoria railroad
ä	P. D. & E. railroad
d	Wabash & St Louis
Ÿ.	STREET, NO. 12 PORTS STREET, NO. 12 PORTS
d	Total\$
S.	

knowing themselves indebted to me since last year will please call and settle

The Insatiate River. ed From Various Quarters Regarding People and Events. It is said that Mrs. Ingersoll has per-

Disasters Follow Fast on the Broad Mississippi.

ELEVEN MORE VICTIMS GATHERED.

Goes Down-An Ocean Steamer Nearly in Two and the Engineer Killed

—Awful Havoc Resulting from an Engineer's Carclesaness—Five Men Blown
to Eternity—Death in the Shaft.

provisions to be used in case of a blizzard.

Leonetta Meinhart, a little orphan girl living in Elgin, Ill., has been informed that she is one of the heirs to a large fortune left by a relative of Germany.

The Republican and the Democratic members of the United States senate have agreed that the final vote upon the tariff reduction bill shall be taken January 16th.

Sacramento. Cal., has passed an ordinance making it unlawful for any person under seventeen years of ago to smoke cigarettes within the corporation limits.

There are in Connecticut in proportion to its population, a singulary large number of old people, of whom a goodly number of old people, of whom a goodly number are women. This would seem to indicate that its reputation as a land of steady habits is deserved.

Robert Bonner is sixty-four years old He was an Irish lad and came to this country to seek his fortune in 1839.
His first employment was as "devil" in the office of a Hartford paper, where he received \$25 a year and his board.

Benjamin E. Hopkins, the assistant

A BOILER'S DEADLY BURST,

our Men Killed Instantly and Other CHARLESTON, W. Va., Jan. 7.—News has been received here of a terrible accident which occurred Saturday at New Hops, Mercer County, Seven farmers of the neigh-beshood had congressed at William Co. berhood had congregated at William Car-ter's steam grist mill to obtain their usual supplies of fleur. About 1 c'clock William Jerome, Thomas Carter, Joseph E. French, Wade Shufil-barger, John Wimmer, Levi Shields and Eli Shields was sitting in the mill talking, when a terrible explosion oc-curred.

mill talking, when a terrible explosion occurred.

The boiler had burst. The mill was totally wrecked and the following named men killed: Joseph E. Freuch, Thomas Carter, Levi Shields and John Wimmer. Eli Shields was horribly scalded and died yesterday. Wade Shighlebarger was badly burned about the face and body. William Jerome was injured on the head and face, and had his collar bone broken. William Carter was seriously burned and injured internally. The explosion was of terrific force. The beams were broken into splinters and pieces of the boiler weighing 20) pounds were blown over 310 yards. It is thought that Engineer Shufflabarger allowed the water in the boiler to get too low.

An Ocean Steamer Sunk.

An Ocean Steamer Sunk BALTIMORE, Jan. 7.—The German Lloyd steamer Main, from Bremen to Baltimore vin New York, was in collision Saturday afternoon with the British steamer Montana, afternoon with the British steamer Montana, of the Atlantic Transportation line, bound out for London, off North Point. The Montana was sunk. Chief Engineer Young, of the Montana, was killed. Mr. Young was killed by a falling boom. The remainder of the Montana's crew clambered aboard the Main before she backed away. The hole in the Montana was big enough to drive a team through and she sank as soon as the Main backed off. She lies in shallow water with her bow in sight.

A Fatal Freight Train Wreek.
YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 7.—Two freight
trains on the Pitteburg & Western railroad
collieded on a sharp curve eleven miles east
of here Saturday night. D. McHenry, engineer of one, was taken out of the wreekage badly mangled and will die. Thomas
Jenkins, engineer of the other train, is
thought to be fatally injured. He was taken
to his home at Newcastle, Pa. William
Condon, fireman, escaped with severe
bruisea. Henry Molz, fireman, was brought
to the hospital here, and his chances for recovery are dublous. A misunderstanding as
to orders caused the wreck.

Frightful Fall Down a Shaft. UNIONTOWN, Pa., Jan. 7.—While descending the shaft in No. 2 Leisenring coal mine, this county, Saturday, the rope of the cage broke, letting the case fall a distance of the cage in the case and in the case of t broke, letting the cage fall a distance of feet, with William Clark, William Farr

killing all three instantly.

Opposition to the Sauday Papers.

Minneapolis, Jan. 7.—The Presbyterians are in earnest in their opposition to the Sanday papers. The following document, signed by the eleven Presbyterian ministers of the city, was read from all pulpits of that denomination yesterday: "The Presbyterian pastors of Minneapolis, all of whose names are hereunto affixed, believing the use of the Sunday paper to be a distinct violation of divine law, do most earnestly urge and entreat the people of their congregations to abstain from patronizing it as an advertising medium and from either purchasing or reading it."

Boomers in Bad Luck.

New York, Jan. 5.—The World has the following special from Kansas City: The following was received by The Kansas City Times. Thursday night from Purcell, I.T.: Springer City, Oklahoma, a city of 3,000 people, is under martial law. The mayor and city treasurer have gone away and the United States army orders all citizens to leave. Purcell is overrun with fugitives from the promised land.

Death of Benjamin Hopkins Cincinnary, Jan. 7.—Benjamin Hoj of Fidelity bank fame, who was re-pardoned from the Onio penitentia President Cleveland, died Monday mo at 6:80 at his home, 888 Richmond stre

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EDITORIAL ETCHINGS.

THE trouble with New York as to the Cabinet is that it has to much good Cabinet timber. But it is a great state, and there is no reason why not be well supplied with Cabinet members as well as with the raw material.

GRANITE from Maine is to be used in constructing the Virginia monument to General Robert E. Lee, and the Demo-They are right. By all means they should use rebel granite for a rebel outside ones well they startly and the nower than the now about six feet apart, braining the outside ones well they startly the root and the now about six feet apart, braining the startly are the norman and the now about six feet apart, braining the norman are kicking about it. monument.

For so small a State, Delaware is well supplied with Republican candidwell supplied with Republican candid-ates for United States Senator. There are not less than ten gentlemen wells are not less than ten gentlemen walk-ing around its little area with their lightning rods up, and any one of them is a gatherd as fast as they ripen and open better man than Bayard. .

Ir may be in some remote future the democrats will have a chance to elect another president; but certainly for a great many years to come they must be content to wage a hopeless fight. The new states soon to be added to the union will increase the strength of the Republican party to such an extent that it can not possibly be beaten so long as the ent general difference of political opinion and policy shall be maintained; and furthermore, it is very likely that Missouri, Virginia, and West Virginia will all be found in the Republican column in 1892.—Globe Democrat.

THE Texas wool-growers do not be lieve in free wool. A meeting of the flockmasters of four of the largest woolgrowing counties in the state was held on the 26th, which adopted resolutions asking Congress to prevent the importation of foreign wool under the name of various kinds of waste, so as to avoid the duty; expressing great satisfaction at the result of the late election, thinking it a vindication of the protective system, and in view of the fact that all of the Texas delegates in Congress are or the least delegates in Congress are opposed to the present tariff system and favor free wool, they respectfully request the Hon. S. J. Randall, of Penn-sylvania, and Hon. William McKinley. of Ohio, to represent the Texas woolgrowers when a revision of the tariff comes up in th House.

There is nothing that will so tend to give the business interests of the country a greater boom than the settlement of the tariff question. With the revenue to the needs of the government through the ravision of the tariff on protective lines, there will be a return of confidence to men who have been hesitating about incurring the expense of au increase of manufacturing facilities, or who have been desirous of embarking in new enterprise which would e disastrously affected by a free trade revision. Since President Cleveland forced the tariff question to the front, everybody whose business is dependent on a retention of the protective idea has been in a suspense. There has been a year of doubt and uncertainty. This state of things must continue until a proper revision is made. When the surplus can no longer be used—a cry to excite the ignorant and credulous, there is every probability that the tariff policy of the United States will assume a more stable form than it has done for years.

THE Democratic leaders are now en gaged in revolutionary schemes to organize the next house in congress. The plan is for the clerk to arbitrarily put mough Democrats on the list to make a majority regardless of whether they were elected or not. A part of the scheme is for the Democratic governors to withhold certificates of election from a sufficient number of Republican con-gressmen elect to leave the Democrats gressmen elect to leave the Democrats in the majority. The governor of West Virginia, in pursuance of this plan is withholding the certificates of the two Republicans elected from that state. The governor of Tennessee be it said to his gradity chused to obey the orders of the Democratic revolutionists. Our Democratic friends may as well understand that this scheme will not work.

The Reason Why.

"How is it, young man," he said, "that you can make \$3,000 a year playing baseball, while it a college professor, can only make \$2,000?"

"Weal, I don't know, sir," was the reply. "I *pose a man's intelligence generally governs such matters."—New York Sun.

He Was A-stone-lahed.

Scribbler—How do you like my new yol. stand that this scheme will not work The Republican representatives who have been honestly elected will be in attendance at Washington at the opening of the new congress. They will constitute a majority, and they will proceed to organize, elect a speaker and other officers and proceed to bush ness. The senate will recognize no other body but this and President Har-rison will ignore the Democratic 'rump' house and recognize the legal ly elected one. It will be impossible "rump" house and recognize the legally elected one. It will be impossible
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Democratic revolutionist will be crawling under cover and seeking admission to the legal body. They will find Ger eral Harrison's backbone resembles handspike when it comes to carrying out the legally expressed will of the people. We appreciate the chagri with which the Demecrats will count the railroad ties from Washington their homes, but they had as well go their shoes heavily soled and get reac for the "grand march" which wi begin soon after the inauguration-Champaign Co. Herald.

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A Sunflower Hedge,

A willow hedge across the garden of on the north side of it, is a great protection, but while waiting for this to grow plant three or four rows of sunflowers acroos the piece. When the flower three lengths of binder-twine on each side of the row, winding them once around each lath, and wind some cotton to keep them from falling or being blown down. The seed heads must be enough to show the seed, and spread out in cool dry place to dry out thoroughly, when the seed can be rubbed or threshed out with a light stick and cleaned in a fanning mill or win-nowed out by the wind. In the fall plow up a few furrows on the south side of the stalks which areleft standing through the winter: harrow and work down fine and plant onion sets at once. The hedge or sunflowers will catch and hold the snow, and so protect the onions during the winter that when the snow is off the ground in spring they will start at once into growth, and furnish the first early green onions.—American Agriculturist for January.

He Witted.

"That reminds me," said an actor, "of an incident up in St, Paul last season in which two comedians figured. Wait Williams, the monopole man, was up there visiting Crane at the time, and one evening after the performance the trio repaired to the Turkish bath rooms. Mrs. Crane was at the hotel and learned something which it was important that Billy should know at once. She knew where he was, and on her way to the hotel effect oget a messenger, she met one of Billy's St. Paul friends. He volunteered his services for the mission, and the important message Mrs. Crane was glad to intrust to him rather than to a boy. The gentleman is quite a swell in St. Paul and an immaculate dresser, always being attired in the height of fashion. On this evening he was particularly wall dressed, having just returned from escorting a lady home from the theatre. Well, he rushed over to the Turkish bath and inquired for Crane.—The attendant informed him that Crane was in the hot room with his party. The gentleman thought to rush in there, deliver his message and dash out again. He went in and delivered the message, but while Crane and Walt held his attention, Lou Harrison slipped out and locked the door. The temperature in the hot room was 150 degs. The gentleman was kept in there offices minutes, despite his begging and pleading. When he was allowed to escape he was a sight. His clothes had melted all over him, and in undressing he had to call in the aid of a surgeon and his scalpel."—Chicago Hrail Call.

Tail End of Leap Year.

They were talking of names.

"I hate the name of Smith; don't you, Miss

"I hate the name of Smith; don't you, Miss Ethel?"

"Indeed I do, Mr. Wallstreet. If it were mine, I'd change it."

"What to?"

"Well, I don't know. Wallstreet, perhaps, if I got the chance" (kins very demurely).

And then Mr. Wallstreet, remembering it was leap year, blushed and told Miss Ethel she would have to ask his mother.—Harper's Bhzar.

Just Remuneration.
"Your new play, Thespus, is a great suc

the scenery cost \$8,000, other expenses \$12,000, and I have a high priced company."
"Where are you going with that box of cigars?"
"I'm going to send it to the fellow who wrote the play for ma. He is entitled to some recognition."—Nebraska State-Journal.

Unappreciated Interest.

"Gentlemen" said an indignant passenger
on a South side cable car yesterday, "will
none of you get up and give this old lady a
scatt".

seath "I'll thank you, sir," snapped the lady, "to attend to your own affairs. I am not as old as you are by twenty years, if I'm any judge of a person's age."

The indignant passenger got off at the next crossing.—Chicago Tribune.

He Was A-stone-lahed.
Scribbler—How do you like my new volume of poems, Penman!
Penman—Your language, my dear fellow,
reminds me of nature in her wildest aspecta,
Scribbler—Does it, indeed!
Panman—Yes, it is decidedly rocky,—Roston Post.

(Well Califyated. Milly—Don't you think Mr. Ribbons has rich voice!

Tubbs (heartlessly)—So he ought. He's
been yelling "Cashi" for the last ten years at
Poplin's.—New York World.

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THE ROYAL TIGER.

AN EXPERIENCE WITH THE BEASTS. TOLD BY A PARTICIPANT.

smoking Them Out of a Deserted Min Old Hunters Who Forgot Their Guns-A Fight with an Enraged Mother and

Her Young.

For fifty years Fgul Gillett, the old hunter and Indian trader, has been a conspicuous figure in the Colorado and Gila river districts. He has taken part in a number of severe brushes with the Apaches and other tribes, but in his old age, owing to the military forces on the frontier and the lessening of Indian difficulties, he is now devoting more attention to hunting.

His eye syst undimmed, and though now nearly 70 years of age he is strong and stalwart. It would take a book to tell of his varied experiences. Moreover, he is not inclined to talk much of himself. However, he consented to tell an Examiner representative of a strange experience he had with royal Chibuahua tigers, as an animal of which nothing is known quite so far north as San Francisco.

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which nothing is known quite so far north as San Francisco.
"You must know," said he, "that these tigers are the most beautiful animals in Ambrica. They are robust and seven or eight feet long, a beautiful golden color, and spotted like a leopard. The royal tiger of Bengal is striped and has no dots on him. Moreover, his general color is dun, and not gold, like the tiger of the Aztec races.

"A thorough going cat in all his movements, sly and light of tread, and with the strength of a Hercules, a mau cannot afford to fool around much when he meets one out under the southern pinon trees.

"It was in September that myself, Tim Estabrock and John Wilkinson were camped at our mines at the head of Dolores canyon. A party of Mexicans came in and reported that they had found an old Spanish mine a few miles out. The Spanish mines were to a large extent covered over and conceded at the time of the revolution, and many of them were lost, it was one of these lost mines that the Maxicans said they had. We set off after it, carrying our express rifles with us, for we never in that section go out unarmed, for fear of renegade Apaches, let alone vicious wild animals.

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"After an eighteen mile jaunt we came to the entrance of the mine. The earth covering had fallen in, and, though wreck and ruin were all around, there was a good sized aperture, and we had no difficulty in entering it. We had advanced about fifty yards in the long, desolate tunnel, and if there is anything desolate in this world it is the dark, damp tunnel of a deserted mine. We carried pine fagots in one hand to give us light, and were moving along in a stooping posture, as miners go, when all of a sudden I noticed great big tracks in the soft mud at the bottom. "Good heavens! said I, 'there are bears in here, and if we don't get out we are done for.' We beat a hasty retreat, and reaching the open gir again gathered dry bushes and sticks to smoke them out. We stacked them up pretty high in the mouth of the tunnel and threw dirt on them to cause them to smolder and throw the smoke backward.

"Then we sat down with our guns to await."

the tunnel and threw dirt on them to cause them to smolder and throw the smoke backward.

"Then we sat down with our guns to await the enemy. We had sat there fifteen or twenty minutes, and were tired holding the guns so long and began to talk about other things. Still nothing came. We discussed a variety of subjects; our attention became entirely relaxed, and I was in the midst of a story when boohl boohl a huge golden tiger leaped over the fire and us with a great bound. In a twinkling another, with the same boohl boohl and bigger than the other, leaped the barrier, collided against. Estabroot, knocked him down and went flying beyond like a greased streak of lightning. "Every last one of us forget his gun and went racing around trying to find, trees to climb. An old she tiger and two kittons with piercing yowls next followed and went; clambering up the hillside after the other two. By this time every one of us was either perched in a tree or shinning up a sapling. Our guns were lying scattered on the ground, and, old hunters as we were, we were clearly beaten. "Perched in our trees, after our fright was "Perched in our trees, after our fright was "Perched in our trees, after our fright was "Perched in our trees, after our fright was

beaten.
"Perched in our trees, after our fright was over, we indulged in loud shricks and laughter. The situation was too ludicrous.

A SUCCESSFUL TRIP.

"But we resolved to go inter these tigers, and we did it. We got a skilled Moxican trailer to go with us, and we traced them across gulehes, through shrubs, and finally caught a glimpse of one perched in a rocky cleft. Wilkinson brought him down by a shot in the heart. He was a very fine one, large and powerful, and with a magnificent skin.

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"Into the next canyon we traced the other ligers. They traveled almost together, going only fifteen or twenty feet apart in places. The Mexican at last corralled them in a soft

tigers. They traveled almost together, going only fifteen or twenty feet apart in places. The Mexican at last corralled them in a soft limestone mountain, crumbling in places like chalk, and with holes in one side made by weather and animals. It was their other retreat. This time, while we made preparations to smoke them out, we stationed ourselves a hundred yards away, spread far apart, so we could get a good aim at their bodies while they ran. The first came bounding out like a shot out of a gun, but we were on the alert this time, and three bullets pierced him and laid him low.

"Then the old one and her young came along. We shot into them, wounding the big one, and she turned on us. Estabrook was caught and his coat torn off. Turning to flee, the tiger caught him by the left hand and put her teeth, through it and crushed it. The kittens, weighing about 100 pounds aplece, would not run and advanced to aid in the fight. A wife ball from one of us crippled one and laid the other low, and on we rushed, firing all the while, to the aid of Estabrook. Some say we missed the brute. We had to fire with the greatest care, to keep from hitting the native, and it seemed to me that it was fully five minutes before we planted a fatal ball in her.

"Estabrook was so badly mainted by the teeth of the tiger that he has never recovered from it. His hand was so ton that two of his fingers hung by shreds of flesh, and his arm above the wrist was also lacerated.

"These tiger skins are very valuable and we sold the two big ones in Los Angeles afterward for \$30 each. The little ones brought \$50 each. They were so fine and soft that they are now in the parlors of W. H. Kobertson, et Los Angeles, more as an ornament than for the.

"This was the closest call I seer and other linds of game on the borders I have killed in large numbers, but there is nothing on the frontier now that is so vicious as this tiger."

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The Kicker.

Treally and truly believe that the day will come when the kicker will be classed where he belongs and be entitled to the reverence due him. I look upon him as a philosopher and a philanthropist. He stands forth one man cut of 10,000. He is actuated by the most unsellish motives. He is the real reformer.—M. Quad in Detroit Free Fress.

Doing Him a Rank Injustice.

Dumley (to Brown)—Brown, I understand that Robinson referred to me yesterday as an old fool. I don't think that sort of thing is right.

Brown—Why, of seconds.

ght. Brown—Why, of course, it ain't right, nmley. You can't be more than 40 at the atside.—Harper's Bazar. Probably All, Me Had.

Alexander Newell, a little newshoy of Albany, Ga., was standing on the relirend treek, unmindful of an approaching train, when a negro pulled him off just in the nick of time. Alexander gave his resource a quartary A HILLIAM

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On the Meikong River.

An account of a journey down the Meikong river by M. Ganthier, a Prench traveler in Indo-China, was read at the meeting of the Paris, Society of Commercial Geography. M. Ganthier was in company with M. Pavie, the French consul at Luang Prabang, in the Siamese Laos state of the same name, and started down the Meikong to its mouth at the same time that M. Pavie to its mouth at the same time that M. Pavie to its mouth at the same time that M. Pavie to its mouth at the same time that M. Pavie started to the north-east to reach Hanol and the valley of the Red river of Tonquin. At Luang Prabang the Meikong is about 500 yards in width, and when in flood reaches a width of 1,200 yards. The town is a market of considerable importance for the Laos states. M. Ganthier descended the river at the rate of about six miles an hour in a boat containing a few tons of merchandise. Virgin forests lined the banks, and the villages were few and far between. After passing several dangerons rapids, he reached Paklaye, where the river was about 1,400 yards wide. Sieng-Cang was the first populous fown that he passed; it consists of a number of huts constructed on piles in the river. Between this and Nong-Kai there is a succession of cataracta. Rubber forests extend along both banks. Nong-Kai is the other place in central Laos and has a number of Chinese merchants. Trade is carried on through Bangkok, and M. Ganthier calculates that a ton of merchandise costs in earriage £3 between the two places. The Laotlens are not only naturally lazy, but they fear to work lest they should be plundered by the Meikong are exceedingly fertile and might become the granary of the whole region.—London Times.

Drawing the Line.

Landlady trying to start the conversation) On the Meikong River.

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the lad to take some salt and salt the calf over in the pasture. The boy took about a quart of salt and rabbed over the calf, working it well into the hair A gang of colls in the pasture scented the salt and got after the calf. They licked the hair all off the calfs hide and tried to lick the hide off, too. Al tried to catch the calf to washit but the creature, thinking he wanted to lick, too, kept out of his reach. The boy and the calf and Farmer Al are all unhappy. The colts are the only ones that got any fun out of it.

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Dr. Carver Completes a Remarkable Feat in Markmanship.

Minnearolis, Doc. 3h.—Dr. Carver's right hand, was powerless when he took up his rifle at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, and he had not strength enough to throw the lever of his Winchester down. The doctor applied the electric battery, but the full strength of it had no effect on him. Dr. James was called in, and he adylsed Carver to quit, but he refused to stop, and said: "If you can only get this hand to work I'll go shead if it kills ma." After receiving an injection of morphine into his works arm Dr. Carver commenced shooting at 10 o'clock. As the time was not up until 10 o'clock Sunday morning, and he had only 1,000 shots to make up the doctor was confident he would break his record, and he did so, for at 2:35 a. m. yesterday be fired at and lit the last of the 60,000 balls and retired a victor, but with a most completely used up body.

Trial of the Vesuvius.

Trial of the Vesuvius PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Dec. 29.—The dynamic cruiser Vesuvius left Philadelphia Thursday morning to make a second test of



THE VESUVIUS.

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Ber speed. She returned yesterday afternoon. The expert placed aboard of her by the government reports that over a course where the water was too shallow to give a fair test of her highest speed she made Thursday 19.5½ knots per hour, and yesterday over the same course 10.4% fancts, with one of the air pumps on the port engine out of order. The Messra Cramp, her builders, ask another trial in deep water, and have no doubt that she will prove the fastest vessel affoct.

Boy—Say, mister, father wants to know what's the cheapest way of getting teeth in-

Village Dentist (significantly)—Well, 1 reckon the cheapest way that I know is to come and steal my apples when my bull dog's around.—New York Journal.

THEIR ADVANTAGES.

-Life. Carl Dunder's Philosophy.

Der man mitout any honor vhill alswear by it shust as queek as anypody else.

Some men demand a certificate of character simply pecause dey pay deir debts. It has a surprise to 'em.

I haf seen men who whas to good to beat a street ear mit a lead nickel. Dey afterwards robbed der bank of \$30,000 und skipped to Canada.

Some folks aff a noor femily a tarkest for Carl Dunder's Philosophy

Some folks gif a poor family a turkey for Thanksgiving, und some gif em a sheet of plano music. It was all der same thing, oxcept dot der music doan' make anybody seek.

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I haf found out dot der tief who plots to steal my horse goes along mit his head down shust der same ash der man who repeats der Lord's Prayer. You can't shudge a feller by his looks.

After I vhas seek on der bed I can look pack und see shust where I shouldn's haf done dot vhay. After I vhas well again I can see nottings.

I like to gif somepody advice, but when somepody advises me, I feel dot he should mind his own peesness.

No doubt somepody has buried his money in der ground, but you may look for de money und I vhill take a bushel of turnips.

It vhas curious dot among all der men who know vhas alls dis country und haf a remedy for der aliments, not one recommends more sawbuck and less chin-chin.

One reason vhy marriage vhas a failure vhas pecause der wife married for a home und der husband wanted a servant.

Conscience vhas a queer thing. It keeps us from sheating man out of a cent to his face und excuses un'fl we find und keep his wallet mit \$50 in it pehind his back.

No man is entirely satisfied mit der weather. For instance, der fly screen man firmly believes dot winter vhas invented shust to spoil his pesness und help der wood men out.—Detroit Free Frees.

Their Business Booming.

Probably no one thing has caused such a general revival of trade at S. D. Pattersons Drug Store as their giving away to their customers so many free trial bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. Their trade is simply enormous in this very valuable article from the fact that it always cures and never disappoints. Coughs, colds, astimas, bronchitis, croup, and all throat and lung diseases quickly cured. You can test by before buying by getting a trial bottle free, large size \$1. Every bottle warranted. \$3

Over the Occurrences of the Last Twelve Months.

THE RECORD OF THE PAST YEAR

-Southern Progress During the Year-The Long Roll of Lost in Disasters-And the Black List of the Possessed of a Devil—A Record Pull of Interest.

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And the Black List of the Possessed of
a Devil—A Record Full of Interest.

Chicago, Jan. 2.—The year that closed at
a midnight Monday has left its record for the
instruction of those who choose to look into
it. The following statements and figures
is will recall many facts, and should be of use
to the statesman and citizen allike. In the
limits of a telegram it is not practicable to
trye much in detail, but many of the most
important and suggestive statistics can be
generalized, and such as were at hand are
given. To begin with here is a review of
the financial operations of the government:
For the past year the revenues collected
by the United States government have averaged more than \$i.000,000 a day, including
all Sundays and holidays, or \$i74,400,000 for
the twelve months. This aggregate is less by
\$8,600,000 than for the preceding year, and
it is at the rate of a little more than \$5 per
capita of the population, about the average
rate of the past fifteen years, and less than
half the highest rate of. feloral taxation per
capita per annum of which the government
has been about \$200,000,000, or \$23,000,000
greater than during 1887, and greater than
any previous year since 1874. These expanditures increased each quarter, beginning with
\$57,200,000 in the first quarter, pending with
\$53,000,000 in the fourth.

The treasury surplus at the close of the
year was about \$60,000,000, compared to
\$70,000,000 when the year began. Its fluctuations by months were considerable, its highest point being to May, whom \$4, peached
\$110,000,000, and its lowest in Devember,
when it was as stated above, about \$60,000,000,

The average surplus has been twice as
great during 1888 as during 1887, and the
highest amount has been nearly double the
highest angregate of the preceding year.

The year has witnessed a reduction of the
outstanding bonds at the beginning of the
vear vere, in round numbers:

Four per cent, bonds\$730,000,000.

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...\$9t0,000,00 At the close of the year the outstanding

Total. \$8,000,000

Total. \$800,000,000

Each class has been reduced by about \$50,-000,000 during the year. The public debt per capita of population was at its highest in 1855, when it averaged about \$70 per inhabitant. The interest-bearing debt is now less than \$13 per capita of, population, or about one-fifth as great as twenty years ago. The money circulation of the United States at the close of the present year was greater by hearly \$80,000,000 than when the year begin, or about \$1,410,000,000, as: compared to \$1,330,000,000 at the close of 4787; and this large increase was entirely in notes of small denomination.

The foreign commerce of the year, ex-

of small denominates.

The foreign commerce of the year, exclusive of coin and buillon, shows imports of about the value of \$729,000,000 and experts of \$889,000,000 or an excess of imports of \$40,030,00. For the preceding calender the imports of merchandise were \$768,000,000 in value and the exports 715,000,000, or an excess of exports of \$7,000,000.

Andustrial Development South.
The Manufacturers' Record, of Baltimore, Ma, Ia its annual review of the south's in-instrial development, shows that the capital represented by new unining and manufacturing enterprises, organized in 1889, was \$108,800,000, divided as follows: Alabam, \$20,48,000; Kentucky, \$28,800,000; Texas, \$17,955,000; Georgia, \$14,200,000; Virginia, \$11,774,000; Tennessee, \$11,174,000; Maryland, \$10,070,400; Wost Virginia, \$10,114,000; Arkanas, \$8,483,000; North Carolina, \$7,330,000; Lonialam, \$0,356,000; South Carollin, \$4,913,000; Fiorida, \$4,731,000; Mississippi, \$1,903,000; Undustrial Development South.

84,313,000; Florida, \$4,731,000; Mississippi, \$1,083,000; Florida, \$4,731,000; Mississippi, \$1,083,000; Florida, \$4,731,000; Mississippi, \$1,083,000; Florida, \$4,731 in 1857, and 1,775 in 1850, a total in three years of 8,623, anddition to which there were hundreds of small enterprises, such as grist mills, otc., not counted in this enumeration. Reviewing the progress of the south since 1882. The Record shows that in that time 20,000 miles of railroad has been built, and that over \$709,000,000 have been spent in building new roads and improving old ones.

In 1850 the south made 397,371 tons of pigrico, and in 1880 the south, against 0,470,785 tons in 1850 there were 0,648,571 tons of coal mined in the south, against 10,470,785 tons in 1858. Cotton-mills have increased from 185, with 15,222 looms and 713,958 spindles in 1880, to over 300 mills, with 38,000 looms, and 1,500,000 spindles. The value of cotton goods made in the south in 1888 was nearly \$50,000,000, ngainst \$21,000,000 in 1880.

The value of the south's agricultural products for 1882 was \$800,000,000, against \$571,000,000 in 1887, and the lire stock is now estimated at \$575,000,000, against \$313,075,000 bushels in 1880.

Money Lost by Failures.

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Bradstrevies ammary of failures in the
United States shows the following comparisons: Failures in 1882, 10,537, against 9,740
in 1837, and 10,538 in 1880. Total actual assots—In 1888, \$61,909,911, in 1881, \$64,551,000;
in 1882, \$61,909,911, in 1882, \$64,551,000; in 1886, \$55,819,173. General liabilities -In 1888, \$129,242,402, in 1887, \$139,605,000; in 1880, \$173,643,201. Per cont. of assets to liabilities—In 1888, 52; in 1887, 492; in 1886,

CASUALTY AND CRIME.

Unwelcome Occurrences That Marked the Passage of Time.

We now come to those events that have filled homes with sorrow or disgrace, or both, demoralized communities, or destroyed property.

in 18-0, and 947 in 1883. The total number of those seriously injured also shows a decrease, being 1,894, as compared with 1,099 in 1887, 800 in 1885, and 956 in 1885. The most serious one occarred Oct, 10 on the Ichigh Valley railway, in which 65 were filled and 45 injured.

The cholers, though not so fatal as in past years, claims 6,395 victims in China and 630 in Chill. The yellow fever, which broke out in Jacksonville in August, raged until the first week in December, with a record of 410 whether week in December, with a record of 410 whether in the first week in December, with a record of 410 whether in 1897, 100,300 in 1885, and 101,000 in 1885, showing that the year has been a comparatively healthy one.

The whole 18to of canadides in the Old World, where the less of life was important enough to be telegraphed, includes these

erishing by diseas, and battle; and, includng the yellow fever victims in this country;
a 66,107, as compared with 187,950 in 1887,
18,023 in 1885, and 331,945 in 1885.
There have been no great battles during
the year. With the exception of a small loss
of life occasioned by reballions in Thitlet,
same, Havti, and Afghanisma, amounting
0 3,500, the little wars have been confined
of Africa, the casualties in which has been
(594, or a total of 8,994, as compared with
1,073 in 1887, 14,874 in 1886, and 241,000 in
1885.

9,673 in 1887, 14,374 in 1888, and 241,000 in 1885.

So far as reported 4,010 lives have been lost upon the ocean and 80 upon the lakes and rivers (a total of 4,095 as compared with 6,092 in 1887, 2,740 in 1880, and 2,397 in 1883), 1,554 by rallroads, 2,951 by disasters in the New World, 40,300 by disasters in the Old World, and 16,807 by battle and pestilence, making in all 74,097 as compared with 199,104 in 1887, 122,791 in 1880, and 387,463 in 1855.

The loss of life, by disaster has been especially sovere in China, where the enormous total of nearly 40,000 lives have been sacrificed, 19,000 of them being the victims of an earthquake, and the remainder of floods. The greatest marine disaster was the loss of the steamer Pemptis in the Indian ocean May 12, by which 1,100 lives were lost.

Property Louses by Fire.
The losses by fire in the United States for the year have not been as large as they were in 1887. There have been 210 fires where the loss in each was \$10,000 or more, and seven where it was not 1,800,000. Philadelphia, Jan. 21, and. New York, Jan. 40, the loss in each case was \$1,500,000. The total for each month in the

\$1,500,000. The total for each month in the year is given below.

January. \$7,80,000 August ... 3,070,000 February ... 4,000,000 September ... 5,357,000 Alarch ... 3,710,000 Cotober ... 1,330,000 Alarch ... 3,710,000 December ... 3,301,000 Blay ... 3,130,000 December ... 3,301,000 Juno ... 3,025,000 Grand Total ... \$7,770,000 For 1857 the grand total was \$65,159,000; for 1858; \$40,024,000; for 1858; \$32,460,500. The entire fire losses in the United States, adding those under \$100,000, in each case, will reach less than \$100,000,000, as compared with about \$130,000,000 in 1857 and \$115,000,000 in 1850. 000 in 1880.

The Wages of Sin.

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The Wages of Sin.

The sheriff has had more work on the scaffold during 1838 than for two years before,
but Judgo Lynch has demonstrated that he
doesn't cure the ill he complains of by coning forward with more business than for two
provious years. The statistics on the latter
subject also throw a doubt upon elither the
efficiency of our judical system or whetherour civilization is a success. There is food
for thought in the fact that the mob
executions of the past year have nearly
doubled in number these accomplished in
pursuance of an orderly and legal administration of justice, which it is not the purpose of this review to give expression to.

The number of legal executions during the
year was 87, as compared with 73 in 1897, 83
in 1886 and 108 in 1885. The executions in
the several states were as follows: Alabama,
5; Arkansas, 5; California, 5; Connacticut,
1; Delaware, 1; Georgia, 3; Illinois, 2; Indiana, 1; lowa, 1; Kansas, 2; Kentucky, 1;
Coulsiana, 3; Maryland, 1; Massachusetts, 1;
Minnesota, 1; Missisalppi, 4; Missouri, 4;
New York, 9; New Jersey, 4; North Carolina, 2, Ohio, 3; Oregon, 1; Pennsylvania, 5;
South Carolina, 5; Tennessee, 2; Texas, 6;
Arizona, 1; Idada, 2; Montana, 2; Washington, 1; Wyoming, 1; Indian Territory, 2;
Of this number all were males but one, 5'
were whites, 29 negroes and 1 a Chinaman,
During the same period the mob has exacuted what is euphoniously called "summary
justice" in newspaper headlines upon 144
victims, as compared with 123 in 1887, 123 in
1886, and 181 in 1885. The lynchings in the
various states were as follows: Alabama, 1;
Arkansas, 2; California, 2; Colorado, 5;
Florida, 2; Georgia, 18; Illinots, 2; Kansas,
4; Kentucky, 7; Louisiana, 3; Michigan, 1;
Missiship, 11; Missouri, 3; Novada, 1; Nobrasile, 3s, North Carolina, 10; Pennsylvania,
1; South Carolina, 2; Tennessee, 7; Texas, 15;
Virginia, 4; West, Virginia, 1; Wisconsia, 1;
Arizona-4; Dakota, 4; Idabo, 5; Montana,
5; Wyoning, 2; I

Took Their Own Lives.

At Chicago Christian Gehrkens, dealer in toys, confessed judgment Friday for \$3,311. His liabilities are about \$10,000, due thirty to eastern creditors, with assets from \$4,000 to \$5,000, consisting solely of the stock in

The Northwestern Miller, of Minneapolis,

The Northwestern Miller, of Minnespolis, says editorially that the flouring mills of the northwest will not run more than helt capacity during next month. This is in accordance with the decision of the Milwaukee convention of millers.

Mrs. Libbis Beechler, the woman who killed Harry W. King, of Chicago, at Omaha a few weeks ago, made a desperate but unsuccessful attempt to secape from the jull in that city last Sunday, by trying to overpower the jaller and his assistant.

A telegram was received at Chicago Friday night stating that C. F. Merle, agent in San Francisco of Fairbanks & Co., of Chicago, had skipped with \$60,000 of his employare funds. Mr. Fairbanks and Merle might owe the firm something, but it could not be anything like \$90,000.

The commissioner of the general land office of Texas reports that the state has disposed of all its lands except those set apart for the schools, state university and asylums. The Cleveland Leader disposes of a runor that ex-Prosident Hayes would be in the cabinet of Gen. Harrison, by stating that it has the highest authority for saying that he will not.

Dr. Chaffes who was avested in Chicago.

has the highest authority for saying that he will not.

Dr. Chaffee, who was avrested in Chicago for malpractice in producing an abortion, was put under bonds of \$10,000 by Judge Jamieson Friday. The doctor says he will have abundant evidence to clear binself. have abundant evidence to clear limself.

Over \$1 000 worth of stained glass, manufactured in England for the cathedral at Dubuque, i.a., was selzed Friday at that city by Surveyor Molaughin. It is held subject to the payment of \$3,000 in duty. The surveyor alaims the glass is subject to a duty of 45 per cent, notwithstanding the secretary of the treasury informed Senator Allizon that, being for church purposes, it was exampt.

empt.

The church in Shaker Village, Canterbury, N. H., although built in 1712, has never been reshingled. The shingles are of heart pine, and were fastened on with wooden pegs.

Leoig Sing, a Chinaman, was hanged at San Francisco Friday for the murder of his nucle.

uncle.

It is getting to be the fashion in New York to sait tenement houses with free tenants for the purpose of selling them. The sale being effected, the tenants move out.

MEDICAL.



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Correspondents are requested to write proper names plainly, state facts as they oc-cur and mail your items so as to reach this office on Wednesday,

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE.

BETHANY. Ruffin Davis has moved to town

Prof. W. L. Jones is in Springfield this week William Smith was in Mattoon last Friday John Bentz was the guest of Indiana friend

A child of A. M. Rhodes' was reported quite sick last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mulholland were Decatu visitors last Monday.

Barnhart Christman has purchased a house and lot of Daniel Allen.

M. M. Crowder was the first man to pay his taxes in Marrowbone township.

Mrs. Birdsal is contemplating a length; visit with friends, in Springfield.

J. H. Wright and family have moved to Newton. They left Bethany Monday.

The G. A. R. have moved into their net hall over Hill and Ashmore's store room.

Erastus Magruder, of Macon, was the gues of his many friends, in this community, las

Misses Maggie McCord and Mollie Lansder were entertained by Mt. Zion friends from Saturday until Tuesday.

A.S. Rhodes, one of our best farmers, sold a fine horse last week to a Pennsylvania man for the neat little sum of \$300. The name given last week of the Sons o Veterans campas "Tommy Strayham," should have read "Tommy Strayhorn."

J. A. Palmer, of Paris, was in town Monday looking for a room in which to deliver his illustrated lecture on the "Holy Land."

Mr. Otterbury and Mr. Fry have traded places. Mr. Otterbury moving to Brush Creek and Mr. Fry to the Crowder property.

Carlton, the barber, sold his outfit to ence Lynn and has gone like the Arab. V Carlton, the barber, has gone to St. Louis.

es Rachel C. and Ella McGuire, who have been at home for the holidays, returned to their school duties at Normal last. Monday Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kennedy and daughte Loc, who has been the guests of relatives fo two weeks, returned to their home at Clinto Monday.

The week of prayer will be observed at the C.P. church this week with services each evening. A protracted service will follow next week.

Miss Allice Kennedy gave an old fashioned spelling school, at the Pull Tight on last Fri-day evening; Miss Minnie Mitchel was the champion speller. William Stables and C. I. Hale were in atte

dance upon the great poultry show, at Deca-tur, Tuesday. Mr. Hale has a number of fine chickens on exhibition.

Asa Shettleworth sold his residence proper-ty last week to Mrs. Elizabeth Wortman and has moved his family into the house lately vacated by A. L. Armstrong.

Christman and Davis have opened a meat market in the room formerly occupied by W. F. Logan and Co. as an office. They propose to furnish at all times the best meats that the country affords.

James Lants was quite seriously hurt last Saturday, by falling from a bridge upon which he was working. A heavy timber that he was working with fell upon him but fortunately did no damage beyond mashing one of his hands. His escape from being killed was almost miraculous.

C. H. Smith and Miss Olive Walker were married Sunday evening at the C.P. paragrage, by the Rev. H. R. Crockett. The groom is one of the efficient clerks at Hill and Ashmore's store and is much respected in this community. The bride is noted for her beauty and accomplishments. May long life and happiness attend them.

The Wash Alexander post G. A. R. gave a public instalation of officers last Saturday night. The following officers were duly installed; Post Commander, J. M. Lansden; Sr. ylies, J. Lawson; J. T. Vice, S. M. McRey, nolds; Jr. Master, Hugh Smith; Adjutant, J. A. Mitchell; Officer of the Guard, George C. Mitchell; Officer of the Guard, George C. Mitchell; The post will give an entertainment and cyster supper soon, which will be

A peasant soon event ways forms in the community in which it occurs and one of the most pleasant that we were ever called upon to chronicle, took place on Thursday evening, January Ed, at the country residence of our esteemed friend, Geo. C. Mitchell. On that evening in the presence of some forty invited guests and relatives Hon. J. T. Lawon, in his usual happy manner, spoke the mystic words that mace William H. Hoskins, Jr., and Miss Julia Mitchell husband and wife. The groom is the well-known son of Perry Hoskins and needs no words of ours to commend the life he has lived in this community. The bride is the dutiful daughter of a worthy father and mother and is well fitted to be a holpment in the fullest sense of the word, to the husband she has chosen.

The support that was served after the care.

helpmeet in the fullest sense of the word, to the husband she has chosen.

The supper that was served after the ceremony was a marvel of culinary art and received ample justice, as we are able to say from personal experience, from all present. After supper some fine music was rendered with Mrs. Belle Perkins and Miss. Dora Ken. nedy as organists. The company dispersed at a late hour with many expressions of good will to Mr. and Mrs. Hoskins, who were the recipients of numerous and useful presents, among which we noticed the following: Two-sis, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Kennedy; fruit dish, Miss Minnie Smith; sliver toa spoons, Al Shartson; water pitcher, Arthur Smith; cake dish, Chas. Eansden; berry dish, Mr. and Mrs. D.F. Kennedy; bread receiver, Miss Ida Hoskins; soomb case and mirror, thas. Hoskins; sliver toa spoons, Nelson and Thomas Look, full set of dishes, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Hoskins; set of knives and forks, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. Mitchell; water pitcher, Miss Fannie McIntyre; tablecioth, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hoskins, sr.; plass set, Miss Eva Hoskins; tablecioth, Miss Barbara Mitchell; tablecioth, Mr. and Toad Mitchell; glass water set, John and Chara Majors; pickle dish, Mrs. Norris; tablecioth, Mrs. Mitchell; water pitcher, pair pillow covers, Miss Sarah Solomon.

The newly wedded couple were given a re-

Miss Nettle Wright visited in Arcola la Orlie Ellars returned to college last Wed

Dr. Polk, of Arcola, made a profess visit to our city Saturday.

Miss Lillie Vradenburgh, of Arcola, is the guest of her brother this week.

A little girl of S. Vradenburgh, has been quite ill but is now improving. Hunsaker Bros, are spending a few day among friends, at Terre Haute.

Mrs. Warren spent a day in Decatur last week, in the interest of her health.

Miss Carrie Stapp arrived here Saturday and will spend a few weeks among friends. . The Graphic office has been moved into the building formerly occupied by John Warren

A letter received by a friend, from Miss Mollie Beeves, who quite recently took up her abode in the sunny land of flowers, says, she is having a jolly time and is well pleased with her new home.

Misses Lola Wright and Sarah Palmer Messers. Ned Hunsacker, Harvey Sharp and John Heacock, attended the regular meet-ing of the county lodge of Good Templars, at Arcola last Thursday.

Old fashioned "spelling bees" are being re vived and indulged in by progressive men One, was held at the German' school-house re

cently and dame rumor informs us that Au thur expects to be "up with the times," soon ture expects to be "up with the times," soon.

Quite a number of our young people attended meeting at West Prairie last Sunday
niSht. A protracted meeting, which has resulted in, not only adding to the church, but
reviving the bearts of old Christians, where
the first of religion was burning very feebly,
closed, Monday night. Elder Barker, their
beloved pastor of over twenty years, conducted the meetings.

ucted the meetings. most promising young men, are attending school at Terre Haute. The former was C. T of the I. O. G. T. lodge, and by his departure emanded a new election which resulted in classing Dr. Kelly in the chair. It is earnestly hoped that each member will attend regul and assist the Dr. in his high and responsit position.

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Isaac Hudson, of Sullivan, was in tow

W. G. Cochran went to Springfield last Sat urday, to attend the legislature. Samuel Earp, of Iowa, is in town this weel on business and to visit old friends.

J. R. Pogue went to Sprinfield last Saturday Dont Sibley, of —, is in town visiting rela-lives and friends.

A. W. Bear moved into the property of Jes Hamburg Monday, and T. D. Cairns moved i he house vacated by Mr. Bear.

Joe and John Dawson went to Decatur Friday to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Margaret Downing, which took place Sunday Sam Patterson, J. L. Thayer, J. H. Dun-scomb and A. F. Robinson, of Sullivan, at-tended the funeral of Mr. Hetherington Sun-

H. Byner, two miles south of Lovington, Mr. George Hetherington. He was buried in the Kellar cemetery.

Died, January 5th, at 8 r. n., at his home two miles northwest of Lovington, Mr., Andrew Cochran. The remains were interred in the Hewitt cometery.

Frank Howell was the man who held the lucky number that drew the prize stick of candy at L. B. French's Palace Restaurant removed to D. R. Sutter's old stand. The candy weighed three pounds.

Died, January 8th, at 8 P. M. at her father's Mr. Jas. Hill, four miles south of Loyington, Miss Sprah Hill, ago about nineteen years Miss Hill had been sick for several weeks. The remains were buried in the Kellar come tery. Wednesday. January 9th.

The ladies of the Methodist church held their first social at the parsonage, Monday night. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all. The collection was good. The next social will be held at Dr. Smith's on Friday evening, January 18th. All are invited to come and have a good time and help the cause.

The families of Dr. John Gibbon and J. D The families of Dr. John Glibbon and J. D. Campbell, of Fairview, and W. B. Shook, of Lovington, met at P. C. Glibbon's, one and one-half miles east of Cushman on Sunday last and enjoyed a nice dinner, the occasion being the fifth anniversary of the marrige of P. C. Glibbon and Amy Ray. It was also a reunion of the family of Dr. Glibbon, all of his children being present.

LAKE CITY.

Miss Bertha Brown is sick with typhoid fe

Wilson Kneff was in town on business la

George Lovejoy and wife spent New Year day, at Bethany.

O.P. Shreves and Green Matherly were in Decatur last Monday. Miss Mary Hogan is canvasing for the life of General Sheridan.

Macy and Nellie Redfern, and Maude Sin-clair are on the sick list.

T. T. Springer and C. N. Twadell did but ness at Sullivan last Monday. The Rev. Hobbs preaches at the Methodist church next Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. James Odor, of Mt. Zion, visit ed Green Matherly and family last Saturday and Sunday.

and Sunday.

Mr. George Dower's little three-year-old daughter, Olive, while playing last Sunday had her arm broken at the wrist.

Manda Sinclair, Lanson Springer, Nellie Redfern, Cora Smith and Johnnie Hogan passed the best examination of the Lake City school last month.

Died, at Decatur, January 1, Clara, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Winnings. The remains were interred at the Winnings family grave yard.

DALTON CITY.

The first cold wave of the senson arrive here last Tuesday night.

George Conn intends to go to Decatur in a few days to work for a contractor in that city. Miss Gora Towle, of Waverly, Kan, was at Dalton City last week, visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Clark and family. She returned to Kansas Monday. The Rev. R. B. Rutherford, of Mattoon, is conducting a series of meetings at the Presbyterian church the present week with good attendance at each meeting.

John Uppendahl went to Peorla last Mon day to attend the funeral of Mr. Hippin of the firm of Smith, Hippin & Co., who died sudden-y in that city on Saturday last.

WILLIAMSBURG. The Burg has a new blacksmith. Andrew Webster has moved back on his

A. Hutchins visited on West Prairie the las

Grandma Hutchins has returned from her visit in Shelby county. James Bathe was in the vicinity of the Burg last week buying culves. There was Aspelling match at the Merritt school house last Tuesday evening. Francis Ray and Jim Weatherby were the champions

WISCONSIN'S GOVERNOR. Hoard Takes Hold of the State Busine

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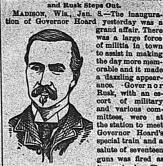
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two governors to the capitol, where the were thousands of people waiting and ch

procession was then formed and escorted the two governors to the capitol, where there were thousands of people waiting and cheering both gentlemen.

The inauguration ceremonies took place in the assembly chamber, where the party was taken and Mayor Doyou made an introductory speech in which he paid a graceful compliment to the retiring governor; and in an equality graceful manner welcomed the new executiva. At the conclusion of this speech the governor-elect stepped forward and made a very brief address, declaring that his purpose was to discharge the duties of the office with an eye single to the welfare of the state.

The oath was then administered, three cheeds were given and the new governor proceeded to his office, where the following appointments were announced: Private secretary, Henry Casson, of Viroqua; superintendent of public property, H. C. Adams, of Madison; adjutant-general, George W. Burchard, of Fort Atkinson, rank of brigadier general, aiguartermaster general, Michael Griffin, of Eau Claire, rank of brigadier general, aides decomps—Charles King, of Milwaukee; Isanc H. Wing, of Bayfield; D. W. Curtis, of Fort Atkinson; Theodore W. Golden, of Janesville; Jesse Stons, of Watertown; Frederick Becker, Manitowoc, and Henry Casson, of Viroqua.

Later he was escorted by the militia to the executive residence. The inaugural ball was a decided success and a gigantic crush. The governor was there with his wife and a reception was held, at willon Gen. Luclus Fairchild made the introductions.

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Indianapolis Clergymen Take No Action
on the Inaugural Hop.

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 8.—At the regular
meeting of the Indianapolis Ministrial association yesterday a resolution was adopted
appointing a committee of seven, representing all denominations, to prepare an address
expressing cordial Christian regard for the
presedent-elect. In a paper read by Dr.
Lucas, allusion was made to the inaugural
ball, the decote eaying that those who favor
the ball ought lot to say that those who oppose it are portained, nother ought those
who oppose it to say that the other is seeking
popularity with the world; charity should
characterize us in all things. In discussing
the paper Rev. Dr. Jenckes treated the matter of the ball in a ratter light and jocular
manner. The subject was then dropped and
the association proceeded to other business.
Gen. Harrison spent the morning in his
library at work on his message. His social
callers included parties from New York,
Chicago, Boston, and other cities, who
stopped over while passing through. The
presidential electors of Illinois and Ohio
have sent word that immediately upon casting their votes next Monday at Springfield
and Columbus they will-leave for Indianapolis, arriving here Wednesday morning,
where they will be met by the Indiana electors, and as one body thae chosen representatives of the three great states will march
out to Gen. Harrison's house and pay their
respects.

The Author of the Murchison Letter, Los Angales, Cal., Jan. 8.—It is an-mounced on authority of those who have been in the secret from the first that the anthor of the Murchison letter is George Oggoodby, of Pomona, where his father, an Englishman by birth, resides. Oggoodby is 34 years old, and a native of New York.

At the annual meeting at Terre Hante, Ind., of the Vandalia railway shareholders Henry S. Ives was dropped from the disctory and Hermann Hulman, of Terre Haute, elected to the vacancy. W. R. Mc-Keen was re-elected president.

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INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 8.—The Democratic senators in caucus last night determined not to allow Lieutenant Governor Robertson to preside at the organization of the senate on Thursday and to use force, if necessary, to prevent him from taking the chair. They also made arrangements to keep him from presiding over the joint meeting of the legislature on Monday to count the vote for governor and lieutenant governor, and to put the speaker of the house in the chair at that time.

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Robertson declares that he will insist upon
his rights and the Republican Senators will
back him. A repetition of the scenes of
riolones that marked the session two years

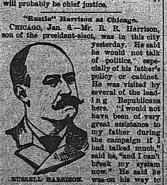
s generally understood that the Demo-will put forward Senator J. F. Cox. of an county, as their candidate for pre-confeer of the senate. It is anticipated ing the four days and continue unorganized until the installan of Lieutenant Governor Chace. This post is at present the uppermost political sme here, as both sides are determined, d Col. Robertson's friends declare he will

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Candidates for speaker of the house are Mason J. Niblack, of Vincennes; Gabriel J. Schruck, of Marion county, and James E. Willard, of Lawrence county. Niblack is a son of Judge W. F. Niblack, for many years of the supreme court of Indiana, and one of the most popular Democrats in Indiana. It is generally conceded that Niblack is in the lead, with Representative Schmuck pressing him. The hotels are full of members of the assembly.

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The newly elected judges of the supreme court were inducted into office yesterday morping. The new judges are Walter Olda, Jonn G. Berkshire, and Philas D. Coffee, all Republicans. The hold-over judges are Byton K. Elliotf, Republican, and James Mitchell, Democrat. Thus the supreme tribunal of Indians is Republican in politics for the second time in the history of the state. Judge Byron K. Elliotf, of this city, will probably be chief justice.



THEY ARE AT IT AGAIN. The National Lawmakers Resume Business at the Old Stand.

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan 3.—The reassem-bling of congress, after the holliday recess, was a quiet affair, and the members simply

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OVER CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE

Lieut. Gov. Robertson Declares He Will

Take the Chair and the Democrats Are
Determined That He Shall Not—Gov.

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began where they left off and proceeded to business at once. In the senate there was a quorym, but the bouse was very thin, only seventy-five members answering the rollcall.

Washington City, Jan. 4.—The principal business in the senate Thursday was the consideration of the tariff bill. Every the constant of the tariff bill then to reduce the duty on cotton threads, yarns, etc., to 85 per cent. ad valorem was rejected, as was another by him to make cotton thread 40 per cent. ad valorem was sever one on two other propositions. An ammendment providing that the duty on no article in the section should exceed 50 per cent. ad valorem was pending when the senate addition to loan flags to the inaugural committee on rules reported to the dead lock by the senate of the care of the senate of the care of the provided and the provided and valorem was pending when the senate of the care of the provided and the providing that the duty on no article in the section should exceed 50 per cent. ad valorem was pending when the senate of the provided the provided that the care of the provided that the care of the provided the provided that the provided that the provided the provided that the provided that

were rejected, and at 5 p. m. the senate adjourned.

The hause committee on rules reported to to that body a resolution, the purpose of which was to dispense with the call of states and territories on the first and third Monday of each month, and thereby to diminish the power of the fillibusters. The previous question Randall, one of the rules committee, voted no. The first vote showed no quorum, the result of fillibustering, and the house, at 3:05 p. m., adjourned.

Washingron City, Jan. 5.—The tariff bill occupied the attention of the senate most of yesterday, but it was laid saide without much progress after a long political debate. The senate rules were amended to give the privilege of the floor to the president-elect and vice president-elect. A brief executive session was then held, and the senate adjourned.

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The house passed the Nicaragua bill with
amendments providing: that the "United
States shall not be committed to any liability
of the company, which statement shall be
printed on every bond; that no stock shall
be issued until at least 10 per cent. is paid
for in money and that no bonds shall be isned in access of capital until the latter paid sized in screes of capital until the latter paid in shall amount to \$5,000,000; that congress shall have the right to amond, alter or repeal the act and regulate the rates of toll. The vote on the bill was 174 years to 34 mays. The bill now goes back to the senate. The resolution abolishing the call of states for fusiness under suspension of the rules on two Mondays in each month, was then taken business under suspension of the rules on two Mondays in each month was then taken up, but after a debate the opponents of the measure declined to vote and left the house without a quorum and adjournment was taken.

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Washington Cfrx, Jan, ?—In the senate Saturday Sherman called up a joint resolution defining the position of the United States regarding the control by any European power of any water-way constructed across Central America, and wanted it acted upon at once. There was some opposition, and Gray offered an amendment modifying the language, but the whole matter went over. The tariff bill was then resumed, and a number of amendments offered, bu mo action taken, and at 4.45 the senate adjourned. Fillbuster had charge of the house again, on the proposition to abolish the call of states on "suspension" Monday. Springer, succeeded in getting a resolution passed instructing the sergential-arms to notify absent members to be present Monday. A resolution was passed authorizing the war and naval office to loan bunbing to decorate the city on March 4, and the house adjourned.

Washington City, Jan 3.—As soon as the routine morning business was disposed of in the senate yesterday that body went into secret session on Edmunds' Panama unal resolution and the debate occupied the whole day until 5:49 p. m. The only action taken after the doors were opened was to fix Jan. 22 instead of 21 for the final vote on the tariff bill.

Roll-calls, under the lead of the filibustors

Roll-calls, under the lead of the filibusters who oppose the resolution abolishing the call of states on "supersion" Mondays, occupied the whole day in the house, which adjourned at 5 p. m. without a particle of progress in legination.

Washington Crry, Jan. 9.—The zenate yesterday passed the house bill requiring the delivary of special delivery letters whether postage is prepald or not. Sharman introduced a bill providing a complete ryas and the state of the complete ryas and the state of the complete ryas and the complet

tion to loan flags to the inaugural commit-tee, adjourned.

The house put an end to the dead-lock by adopting the plan of Monday night's caucus, the vote being 120 to 117 to recommit the resolution which was the bone of contention. A number of measures relating to house printing were passed, and then an attempt to get up the Smalls-Elliott contested election case from South Caroling developed the facicase from South Carolina developed the fact that fillbustering was still the weapon of the minority, and the house adjourned.

Got a Verdiet for \$12,000.

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Miss Lucy M. Noyas, a school teacher of this city, was yesterday awarded \$12,000 damages by the jury in her suit ngainst the Chicago City Street Railway company. Miss Noyas was riding in a coupe when a cable-car of the above road collided with her vehicle causing serious in juries to the occupant, from which she will probably naver recover. Her suit was for \$20,000.

Rev. Knight Accepts.

Lancasten, Pa., Jan. 1.—The Rev. Cyrus F. Knight of this city, recently elected bishop of the Milwankes discess of the Protestant Episcopal church, has notified an official committee of this acceptance of the offices of the successance of the offices.

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Pith of the Agreement They Made with the Hallway,

CHOAGO, Jan. 8.—The seal of secrecy was last night removed from the terms of agreement between the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railfoad company and the conference committee of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. The terms are in effect that the company will not follow up, blacklist, or in any manner attempt to proscribe those who were concerned in the strike, but, on the contrary, will give to all who have not been guilty of violence, or other improper no conduct, letters of introduction, showing their record, and in all proper ways assist them in finding employment. Vice President Stone, of the Burlington stated that the agreement contained all that the men had claimed, and that the company was asked to concede.

FARTHOUAKE IN ILLINOIS

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Three Towns Report a Shake That Rattled the Windows.

SHELBYVILLE, Ills., Jan. 2.—The severest shock of earthquake known here for years startled the citizens Monday night about it o'clock. Buildings were shaken perceptibly, and many persons were frightened from their beds.

Marroox, Ills., Jan. 2.—Shortly before 11 o'clock Monday night a decided earthquake shock was felt in this city. Windows were rattled and in some instances buildings were rocked. Much alarm was cause by the occurrence.

PANA, Ills., Jan. 9.—About 11 o'clock Monday night a severe earthquake was felt in this city. Large buildings were swayed perceptibly and many people were awakened by the shock.

The Washington Post, under the new man-

STATE SOLONS ASSEMBLING.

llinois Legislatore Caucus—Their Nomi-nees—West Virginia and Elsewhere. Brannorman, lila, Jan. 9.—The Repub-can senate caucus met last night with Senator Bacon in the chair. A committee



Eddy of McLean, Davis of Green, Brown of LaSalle, and Wells of Adams. Judge Pren-dergast, of Chicago, was invited to address the caucus. He came forward and made a brief speech, mainly with reference to sub-jects demanding the attention of the legisla-

The senate Democrats selected Henry Selter, of Belleville, as candidate for presi-dent pro tem and Charles W. Gordon, of Woodford, for secretary.

The West Virginia Legis The West Virginia Logislature, CHARLSFON, W. Ve, Jan, Q.—Every Democratic member of the house went into caucus: last night. J. J. Wood, of Onio county, was nominated for speaker, and J. W. Hamilton, of Calhoun, for clerk. The Republicans made complimentary nominations, but have no hope of organizing that hode.

body.

In the senatorial caucus the Democratz de-cided to make no nominations. The Repub-licans held their session with closed doors, and their nomination for president is not

Inown.

The Wisconsin Statesmen.

Maddon, Wis., Jan. 9.—The Republicans of both the house and senate held canoness yesterday. Officers of the senate were chosen in the canons as follows: T. A. Dyson, La. Crossa, president pro tom; C. E. Bross, Maddon, ohist clerk; T. J. George, Menomine, sergeant at-arms; H. Stone Richardson, Oshkosh, postmaster. Assembly officers will be: Thomas B. Mills, Jackson county, speaker; E. D. Coe, Whitewater, chief clerk; L. E. Parsons, Lake Mills, sergeant-at-arms.