

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

AT HOME AND ABROAD.

The strike of the New York cigar makers has been declared off. The total subscription to the Charleston relief fund amounts to over \$161,000. The democratic first Michigan district nominated Judge J. Logan for congress.

The water or not. The cup therefore remains with America. Captain William H. Powell, of Potawatomie county, Kansas, who for a number of years held a position in the executive department in Washington, died at his residence in that city from consumption and an acute cancer on his tongue.

The demonstration of the Knights of Labor in Baltimore was the largest of the industrial classes ever witnessed. In many parts of the city the streets were thronged. The gathering took place in East Baltimore. The line was composed of eight divisions, preceded by a platoon of police, and through the entire line were flags and floats representing the various unions.

Phil Cheek was nominated for insurance commissioner, and Peabrook for state superintendent of public instruction. Henry Harnhaw, of Oshkosh, for state treasurer. Near Brown's turpentine still, a few miles from Way Cross, Ga., three negroes seized Miss Williams, a pretty eighteen-year-old girl, dancing at a proreunion picnic.

THE MAINE ELECTION. The Largest Republican Majority of Any Year, Except Presidential Years, in Fifty Years. The Republicans Carried the Sixteen Counties of the State. The Republican Plurality in this City is the Largest Ever Known.

STOCK NOTES. When hogs are eating clover or green stuff, give them access to charcoal or ashes. Charred corn cobs make an excellent charcoal. Dry corn is good feed with clover, as it balances the ration.