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On Monday the forty-ninth Congress assembled at Washington in its second and last session which will only last three months. Of these the customary holiday vacation must be deducted so that actually only eleven weeks remain for its work. This is very little time, yet a good deal may be done if congress applies itself to its duties with a will. In another place we give an article which makes mention of the first and most important bills demanding the attention of the house.

President Cleveland's message, which was sent to both houses of Congress on Monday afternoon, is a production indicative of broadest statesmanship. We are only sorry that the columns of the Journal do not afford the space to give the document in full. The President discusses the vital national questions in sections beginning with a full explanation of the relations of the United States with foreign countries. A summary of the receipts and expenditures of the Treasury Department is the next item of interest in as much as it plainly shows that under a Democratic administration the service has been done honestly and economically. On the tariff question he takes a firm and unmistable position and lays down plans which if followed can not fail to bring about a reform of the present unreasonable revenue system, a reform which the whole country demands. He denounces in plain terms a system which unneeessarily draws milllions from the people annually at the cost of their industry and business enterprises and advises a speedy change. He touches upon civil service reform and his remarks in that line give no uncertain sound. He is determined to stand by his former promises and declares that a reform of this kind is an absolute necessity. He also recommends a rapid process of training and educating the Indians, pointing out the fact that civilization and barbarism cannot exist together. In short the message covers the ground in every respect, gives valuable advise and suggests remedies for existing evils.

The almost certain choice of State Treasurer Quay to the United States Senate, now that the Democratic, as well as the Republican counties are quoted as indorsing him, will leave a vacancy at the head of the Commonwealth's exchequer. How this is to be filled and by whom is a subject of query. The manner of filling the office is explained by section 8 article 4 of the State Constitution, which provides that the Executive shall nominate a proper person to the Senate to fill the vacancy, this body having the power of confirmation. The section also provides that a person shall be chosen at the next general election to fill the office, unless the vacancy occur within three calendar months immediately preceeding such election. As a State Treasurer would have been chosen anyhow in 1887, the term being but two years, the calling of Quay to a higher honor will not necessitate extra convention work. Who his successor will be is a matter within the breast of the Governor-elect, General Beaver. Quay's active competitors for the nomination in 1885 were Ex-State Senator Jacob H. Longenecker, of Bedford, and James A. McDevitt, of Lancaster, formerly of Pittsburg, the latter a chum of Chris L. Magee's, with whom he used to make "mud-pies" in his boyhood days. McDevitt is hardly widely known enough to receive the call for the appointment, although Magee will undoubtedly press him before next summer's convention for the place. As in the late Congressional struggle in the Seventeenth district Ex-Senator Longenecker was unsuccessful, it is presumed he

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Congress Ready to Begin Work Without Delay.

Washington, Dec. 7.—At the first blush of the session members of the House come in with the idea that they are going to do considerable work during this short session. Those who want to reform the tariff are particularly eager and energetic. Each man who has his pet project hopes to get some action on it. Some of the old heads predict that there will be no legislation to speak of this winter beyond the passage of the appropriation bills. Others equally as old and wise say that as a matter of fact there is more chance for work during a short than a long session, and they expect to be very active from now until the 4th of March. A great part of the long session is wasted in committee work. Now this work is all done, and everything is ready to go ahead with. The Ways and Means Committee men are bound to have a tariff fight. The strong position taken by the President on that question has given them new courage. They insist that a tariff for revenue only must be the cry. Straight issue must be made, and all who cannot stand under that banner cannot march in their lines. They were never more determined. They will start the fight almost at once. The committee on Public Lands expect to get some of their measures through. The committee on Agriculture will try to pass the department of Agriculture and Labor bill, and expect to succeed. It is already a special order, with but 40 minutes debate pending on it, and that at the disposal of the Chairman of the committee, Mr. Hatch. He said to-day that he expected to get about four-fifths of the votes of the House for it. Mr. Crisp expects to get the Union Pacific Railroad Extension bill through the House among the first things, and Mr. Reagan expects a successful issue of the conference on the Inter-State Commerce bill. The committees on Coinage, Weights and Measures, and on Banking and Currency, expect legislation upon matters of finance. Altogether the members have come back free and ready for work, with no fear of a campaign before them.

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Miscellaneous News.

Her False Teeth in Her Stomach.

Patterson, N. J., Dec. 7.—Mrs. Henry Lowe, of 247 River street, while drinking a glass of water last Friday afternoon, loosened a gutta percha plate with five false teeth, and they slipped down her throat. The physician, in trying to get the plate out of the throat moved it so that it slipped into her stomach. It is now proposed to remove the teeth by the operation of opening the stomach, and the doctors say that if this is not done speedily Mrs. Lowe will die of inflammation.

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A Girl Accidentally Shot.

The following accident which happened at Reading on last Saturday shows how dangerous it is to have loaded firearms lie around the house carelessly, and it should serve as a warning to those who are in the habit of doing so. Miss Ida Neiman went to a closet in the residence of her father, Jacob A. Neiman, on North Eighth street, to secure an article of clothing, when a self-cocking revolver that lay on a shelf was accidentally discharged. The ball entered her face below the eye, causing a serious and probably fatal wound. Drs. Wenger and Weidman have thus far been unable to extract the bullet.

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ed. The cave-in covers an area of one and one-half acres, the surface having settled 15 feet. The cause of the accident is attributed to the robbing of the pillars in the mine underneath. The colliery is operated by Dr. H. K. Rice. The loss will amount to several thousand dollars.

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D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes that he was afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs: had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this Wonderful Discovery.

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Dividing Grand Army Funds.

Shamokin, Pa., Dec. 5. The nature of the Grand Army of the Republic precludes the possibility of its existence beyond the present generation. Several of the Posts in Eastern Pennsylvania own valuable property, and how to make a satisfactory disposal of it has been considered for some years. Lincoln Post, of this town, at its last meeting established a precedent, which will be generally followed. The Post will be changed to a dual organization by the incorporation of all members into an open house association. At the end of 15 years the property, which will be worth $75,000, will be divided between existing members of the Post and the children of members who shall have died.

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Found Dying in His Yard.

Ezra D. Parker, the Most Prominent Member of the Juniata Bar.

Mifflintown, Dec. 3.—Ezra D. Parker, Mifflintown's most prominent citizen, was found about eight o'clock last evening at the foot of the steps in the back yard of his residence in a semi-unconscious condition. He had left a neighbor's house but a short time before and was unable to gain an entrance to his home before his sickness overtook him. Members of his family heard the noise of his falling, and on going to the door found him unable to move. He was carried into the house and immediate attention given him and medical aid summoned, but he gradually sank until ten o'clock this morning, when he breathed his last. His death was caused by an attack of apoplexy.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the past few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years Doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure now on the market. It is taken internally in doses from ten drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly upon the blood and mucus surface of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonials. Address,

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Michael J. Hess, a laborer, living on Oak street, was the hero. For a wager of $25 he made the leap. He was picked up by a friend, who was waiting in a boat. Hess was unconscious. He was rowed ashore and carried to a saloon, where stimulants were poured down his throat.

He revived from the shock and said that in the period between leaving the bridge and striking the water he was not conscious. Hess left the saloon and walked through the streets in his wet clothes to his home. He drank more whisky and got into bed very drunk. He is now doing well.

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