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METROROLOGICAL.

Fair weather, winds mostly westerly, stationary or lower temperature, and higher pressure.

Cautionary signals from Hatteras to Prov-

The barometer is highest in Missouri and Illinois and lowest in the Middle Atlantic coast. General rains have fallen east of the Mississippi river and northerly winds prevail in the Southern States. In other districts they are light and variable. The temperature has fallen decidedly in Tennessee and the Ohio valley, and remained nearly stationary in other districts. day in New England, Middle and South Atlantic States.

SPORTING

English Races. London, May 15.—At the Manchester summer meeting today the race for the Saiford borough handicap plate of 1000 sovereigns was won by Lancaster's bay coit "Middlethorpe," Roseberry's brown horse "Roysteres," was second and Martin's bay gelding "Jovial" third. There were eighteen starters, including Keene's bay colt "Golden Gate."

The Billiard Tournament. New York, May 15.—Daley defeated Walace in the second game of the billiard tourna-In the evening game Sexton defeated Carter.
The attendance at both games was very slim.
Base Ball.

At Chicago—Chicagos 8, New Yorks 7. At Detroit—Philadelphias 4, Detroits 3. At Cleveland—Clevelands 2, Bostons 1. At Buffalo—Buffalos 5, Providence 4.

The Naval Academy Annapolis, Md., May 15.—The final examinations of naval cadets of the class of 1881 began today. Most of the class have reported. Under the recent decision of the Court of Claims the cadet engineers of this class will not be examined. About forty candidates for admission to the naval academy reported today.

ANAPOLIS, May 15.—Secretary Folger ar rived here today with a protege in the shape of a candidate for admission to the naval scademy. He was received at the academy with a salute of fifteen guns by the Sansee. The Constellation went in commission here today for a practice cruise with Commander A. H. Farquhar as captain.

The Liquor Question in Ohio.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, May 15.—The Ohio Brewers and Malsters' Association convened today in a session called in lieu of the annual meeting set for July, in order to consider the Scott law taxing saloons, and to transact business preliminary to the national convention in Detroit tomorrow. President Ebert delivered an address, denouncing the Scott law as oppressive and discriminating against saloon keepers whose business does not warrant paying the annual tax of \$200. He claimed that the statute is unconstitutional, and said a case has been arranged to test its validity in the Supreme Court. The Liquor Question in Ohio.

Terrific Thunder Storm on Long Island. New York, May 15.—A terrific thunder storm on Long Island. New York, May 15.—A terrific thunder storm passed over Jamaica, L. I., last night. At Springfield the residence of Mrs. Seaman Frederick was almost entirely demolished by lightning. The building was split in twain, and the roof torn to pieces. Mrs. Frederick and her daughter were thrown to the floor sensels, but soon recovered. Portions of the senseless, but soon recovered. Portions of the building were found 500 yards from the house. At Peter's meadow the barn of Cornelius Van Wycklen was struck by lightning and completely destroyed with its contents. A team of horses and three cows were killed.

NEWPORT, May 15.—Receiver Tilton E. Doolittle of the Townsend Savings Bank stated today that the bulk of the claims against that bank had already been proved, amount-ing in round numbers to \$2,800,000. There only remains \$400 to be proven and the receiver will, if the claimants are not heard rom, ask the court to order them debarred.

The Inter-State Convention of Coa PITTSBURG, Pa., May 15 .- The Inter-State convention of coal miners assembled here to-day and effected a temporary organization. A committee on credentials was appointed and the convention adjourned until afternoon. About 100 delegates are present from Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Illinois.

The Missouri Cyclone-Three Persons Killed at Macon. MACON, Mo., May 15 .- The business part of this place escaped with but little damage from the cylone, but the loss is estimated at \$100,-000. Three persons were silled, Mrs. Elijah Benta, Mrs. John Clarkson and Mr. Charles Ross.

MAINE.

Burglars Captured. LEWISTON, May 15 .- G. G. More's store at Barkerville, Lewiston, was entered Monday night and a large portion of the stock stolen. Tuesday noon officers captured the burglars in a barn with the stolen property. They gave the names of John Williams and Wm. Toles. Supreme Court at Alfred.

ALFRED, May 15 .- The May term of the Supreme Court opened to-day, Judge Libbey presiding. There was a large attendance of the bar. The continued docket numbers three hundred and forty-five cases.

The Late Ex-Goy. Washburn. BANGOR, May 15 .- At a meeting of the citizens in the common council room this afternoon resolutions of respect to the memory of the late ex-Gov. Washburn were offered by Hon. S. H. Blake and were adopted unanimously and a committee appointed to confer with the relatives of the deceased and arrange for a burial service at Mount Hope. The remains will arrive here Wednesday and services will be held at the cemetery Thursday morning at 10.30 o'clock.

Moosehead Lake Clear of Ice.

Ice has left Moosehead Lake. MARINE NEWS.

NEW BEDFORD, May 15.—The whaling bark control of the port, May 15.—The whaling bark on an island March 24th and was totally lost. Only a few casks and some stores were saved. The vessel and outfits were valued at \$250,000; insured. She was built at Bath, Me., in 1877, was 179 tons, rated A 1 and was owned, by Capt. William Lewis and others of this city and Attleboro. It was her second voyage. Loss of a Whaler.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Masonic Installation Masonic Installation.

Concord, May 15.—At the annual council of High Prists of New Hampshire at Masonic Temple this evening, the following officers were duly installed:—John J. Bell, of Exeter, Priest; Albert S. Waite, of Newport, Vice Priest; Elisha Ayer, of Keene, Chaplain; Alpheus W. Baker, of Lebanon, Treasurer; Geo. P. Cleaves, of Concord, Secretary; Frank D. Woodbury, of Concord, Master of Ceremonies; Geo. W. Flagg, of Keene, Conductor; Parlan P. Goodrich, of Lebanon, Herald; Waldo A. Russell, of Concord, Guard.

MASSACHUSETTS.

New England Fair. Boston, May 15.—The New England Agricultural Society voted today to hold the next annual fair at Manchester, N. H.

Butler's First Veto.

At the session of the investigating committee today an affidavit was produced from Commissioner Raum to the effect that Gov. Butler was at the Internal Revenue Department Washington, Feb. 26 and 27, which covers the time during which the veto message was sent in. Evidence was also taken to show that Lieut. Gov. Ames had signed appropriation bills Feb. 27 as "acting Governor." Massachusetts Legislature.

The House today rejected the bill to compel foreign life insurance companies to issue in this state non-forfeitable policies like these of

Attempted Murder of a Clergyman's was taken from an intelligence office at Providence. She was not recommended. Through Mr. Fletcher's desire to help an impoverished girl she was engaged by him. Mrs. Brackett who kept houseigher Mr. Fletcher, had interfered with the matter of cooking. Mrs. Brackett was taken sick suddenly and the girl gave her gruel, which it has since been demonstrated was poisoned. The day afterwards the girl endeavored to induce two of the children to eat gingerbread she made. The children attempted to eat it. Dut it was so unpalatable that they did not eat it. The gingerbread was poisoned.

Body Snatcher Arrested.

North Adams, May 16.-Dr. W. C. Fox of was buried in Hoosac in January. The theft of the body occurred last month and Fox has been traced to a house near the cemetry, where two men say they saw the dead body in

Suffocated by Gas. New York, May 15.—On the arrival of the steamer Bristol at her pier in North River, this morning a man supposed to be S. Gurney, aged 60 years, was found insensible in a state room. The gas was turned on. The man had been suffocated in his sleep. The police took him to a hospital apparently in a dying condition. He is believed to be from East Boston.

A later despatch says Gurney is a dealer in grain and lives in Warcham, Mass.

The condition of A. S. Gurney, who was almost suffocated yn the steamer Bristol, was reported late tonight as much improved.

Consecrating a Church.

The edifice of St. Thomas church at 5th Avenue and 53d street was consecrated today, the services being conducted by Bishop Neely of Maine. The sermon was preached by Bishop William Stevens of Pennsylvania. Among those present were Revs. Dr. Morgan, Dix, Arthur, Brooks, Dr. H. C. Polles, Rev. Drs. Woodraff, Courtney and F. P. Morton of Boston and E. P. Fowler.

Salmi Morse Gets a. Conditional License.

Salmi Morse Gets & Conditional License Salmi Morse was today granted by Mayor Edson a three mouths' license for his temple, providing he did not produce the Passion Play

Burning of the Ten Eyck Mansion ALBANY, May 15.—The noted old Ten Eyck mansion on the Whitehall road was burned this morning. It was built 170 years ago by Gen. Bradstreet who made the house the headquarters of the Tories during the Revolution. For the past century it has been occupied by the Gansevoort and Ten Eyck families.

\$50,000 Fire in West Troy. ALBANY, May 15.—Fire this evening in the canal stable of Edward White of West Troy burned 40 horses and 60 tons hay. John E. Glass, druggist; Patrick Lyons, saloon keeper; James Woods, cigar dealer and De Kater, barber, were also burned out. Loss \$60.000.

LABOR TROUBLES.

CINCINNATI, May 15.—The shoemakers' lockout is enforced against all members of the tradesunions. So far no disturbance is reported. Between 3,000 and 4,000 employees are d Sullivan to Abandon the Ring.

New York, May 15.—Sullivan, the pugilist, says he has indulged in his last contest. He will open a saloon in Boston. Strikers Returned to Work. CHESTER, Pa., May 15.—Five hundred striking employes of the coton mills of S. Riddle & Son at Rockdale returned to work at the old

World's Cotton Exhibition. trial and cotton centennial exposition was char-tered and organized to-day. Under an act of Congress the President of the United States is to appoint seven members of the board of management on recommendation of subscribmanagement on recommendation of subscribers and six members on recommendation of the National Cotton Planters' Association. A finance and advisory committee, composed of foray of the wealthiest and most public spirited citizens, has been appointed, and as soon as the appointments of the board of management shall have been approved by the President the work of preparation will begin. The president of the organization, Col. E. D. Richardson, is the largest cotton planter and cotton factor in

WASHINGTON.

Instructions to Appraisers Concerning the New Tariff. the New Taritf.

Washington, May 15.—Secretary Folger has prepared a circular of instructions for the information and guidance of appraising officers in carrying out those provisions of the new tariff act which relate to the value of dutiable goods. By this circular appraisers are instructed that in determining under the new law what portion of the cost of foreign goods belongs to their market value and what portion comes under the denomination of charges, they must include in the value all the elements of the cost which are necessary to enable the manufacturer or vender to put the goods in a marketable condition, that is in the condition in which the articles are usually held for sale. Thus in the case of cigars which pay an ad valorem duty, the value would include the cost of the box containing the cigars as they are usually put up for sale, but not the cost of the larger or outer box in which a number of the smaller boxes are placed for shipment. This ruling is in accord with a decision rendered by Judge Clifford of Massachusetts in a case that arose in Boston under the tariff act of 1865, which repealed the duty on charges, and also with a decision rendered by Secretary McCullough in another case under the same act.

THE INDIANS

Cook's Campaign Against the Apaches Cook's Campaign Against the Apaches

Hermosillo, Mex., May 15.—Gen. Topatz,
commanding the troops in Sonora, thinks that
Cook's encounter with the Apaches recently
has driven them to their strongholds in the
Sierra Madres. The Apache question will
never be settled while they retain the Sar Carland Topata to the Cook's Carthe Sonora people think the Indian agents encourage the Indians to leave their reservation
to depredate and steal in Sonora, carrying
back their plunder to the reservation to exchange for arms and ammunition. The removal or extermination of the Apaches is the
only solution of the trouble. Gen. Topatz has
confidence in Crook's ability to conquer the
renegades. He hopes the United States Government will appreciate the difficulty and hardships, they are now encountering.

Tidings from Crook's Command.

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EL Paso, Tex., May 15.—The Times has the following from Gendaloupe, Canon, Arizona, dated May 10: From this point to Nugate and for a corresponding distance east, various camps and pickets of the command have been scouting ever since the first of the month when Gen. Crook crossed the line into Mixico. Crook is supposed to be very near Hornet's Nest by this time and it is fair to suppose that the Mexican allies have joined his command Isolated ranches and prospectors hereabouts are keeping close to the various camps for fear of being attacked by Chiricahuaus, who have endeavored to escape the environment and make their way north. There are many vague rumors of an engagement having already taken place.

The Choctaw Nation and their Freedmen.

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St. Louis, May 15.—A special session of the Choctaw indian Council met at Armstrong Academy, at the capital of the Nation, yesterday, having been called by principal Chief McCurlin to consider the freedman question. By the treaty of 1866, between the Federal Government and Confederate Indians, the Choctaws and Chickasaws agreed to emancipate and give the usual rights to the colored people in their nation within two years, for which the United States was to give them \$300,000. If they failed to adopt them in that time the money was to be used to remove and settle them elsewhere. The Choctaws failed to adopt them and the Government to move them, and they have been there ever since, without either citizenship rights or title to the land they work. The Choctaws now desire to adopt them, and it is for this purpose the council was called.

Proposed Raid by the Crees Stopped.

Helena, Mont., May 15.—The expected ad-

Fronce Murder of a Clergyman's Family.

Franklin, May 15.—The attempted murder by poison of Rev. Dr Fletcher's family is much more serious than first reported. It was a diabolical attempt to take the lives of five persons with no apparent motive and see aningly for the sole purpose of seeing the persons in the agonies of death. Hattle Wesley, a colored girl, was taken from an intelligence office at Projection. Through dence. She was not recommended. Through when they reach the reservation.

Mr. Wilson's Argument Still Unfinished.

Washington, May 15.—Mr. Wilson continued his address to the jury this morning, in behalf of Gen. Brady.

Wilson referred to the Bismarck-Tougna River route as confirmatory of his assertion that a route was not valuable solely in proportion to the amount of receipts at the terminus. Letters passing daily over that route bere stamps to the value of more than \$160, yet the balance sheets of the offices on the routes did not show sales of stamps to that amount. That tended to prove the mutual dependence of routes. When John Dorsey went out to establish that route he was forced to accept, a military escort, yet that same section was now settled. Even Custer's battle field had been occupied by thrifty emigrants. Yet the prosecution would have the jury believe that these services cost too much money. Brady refused to discontinue the service and the contractors lost \$40,000 or \$50,000, but that made no difference with the prosecution. If he had let them out, if he had granted their request to discontinue the service the government would have instanced that in proof of conspiracy. In reality Brady's course in regard to the Bismarck route was the best proof that there was no conspiracy. Conspirators did not usually force one another to lose money.

Court adjoprned before the conclusion of Wilson's address. Mr. Wilson's Argument Still Unfinishes.

TEWKSBURY ALMSHOUSE.

Boston, May 15.—In the Tewksbury examination today a question propounded yesterday to Dr. Porter by the Governor as to the sources outside of Tewksbury whence the Harvard Medical School received its bodies, was ruled out by the committee.

The Governor stated that he had got a list of mates at last and found about 53 names not counted for on the register of the institu-

tion.

Dr. Porter in his testimony described his relation with Marsh. He said that from 1872 to 1876, 272 bodies were brought from Tewksbury to the medical school, and that from two to five bodies had been reclaimed by friends after going to the school. Had it been known that any student took human skin to be tanned, in his opinion the student would have been expelled.

POLITICAL.

Montgomery, Ala., May 15.—The governor has ordered an election to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Congressman Heradon in the Mobile district to be held on the first Tuesday in July.

Muddle in Raleigh's Municipal Affairs Muddle in Releigh's Municipal Affairs RALKIGH, N. C., May 15.—At the election of aldermen May 10th eleven Democrats and six Republicans were elected. Three of the Democrats refused to affiliate with their party in caucus for selecting nominees for city offices. Among the Republicans were five place men holding office under the United States government. To-night at a meeting of the board one of them was declared ineligible under the State constitution whereupon all of the Republicans and three recalcitrant Democrats left the hall and the remaining Democrats then proceeded to elect city officers. The three proceeded to elect city officers. The three recalcitrant Democrats and all of the Republi-can aldermen reassembled elsewhere and an-nounced their purpose to elect city officers.

BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

Programme of the Opening Exercises.

New York, May 15.—The programme of exercises is how completed for the opening of the Brooklyn bridge. The exercises will begin at 2 p. m. There will be music, prayer by Rt. Rev. Bishop Littlejohn, presentation address by Wm. C. Kingsley, acceptance addresses from Mayor Lowe of Brooklyn and Mayor Edson of New York and orations from Abram S. Hewitt and Rev. Dr. R. S. Storrs. The marshal for the day will be Major General James Jourdan. President Arthur, Gov. Cleveland of New York and other invited guests will be escorted to the bridge from the Fifth Avenue Hotel by the 7th regiment. Programme of the Opening Exercises.

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About 160 delegates are present from Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Illinois.

Burglar Lynched.

St. Louis, May 15.—Thursday night while two burglars were attempting to rob tte store of Burchard & Lake in Littleton, Missouri, they shot and killed a young son of Burchard. A companion of Burchard then fired and killed one of the burglars. The other field but on Saturday was captured by a pursuing party and is believed to have been lynched.

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Wallace, agod 32, who kept a branch meat market for F. S. Andrew & Co., went from home a week ago Sunday, telling his wife he would take a run of 15 minutes with an Irish setter dog and has not been seen since. His wife thinks he has been the victim of foul play as he had \$50 or \$60 with him. It was to-day as he had \$50 or \$60 with him. It was to-day to the firm. A Family of Desperados Shot.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—Eleven ships of 22,000 short tons capacity are now at this port. At this time last year there were 45,000 tons of wheat engagements and 214,000 tons on the way and engaged against 250,000 tons at the corresponding date of the previous year.

The Thompson Murder Case.

HARRODSBURG, Ky., May 15.—Hon. D. W. Voorhees concluded his address to the jury in the Thompson case on behalf of the defence at noon. His effort was to show that Davis had so injured the defendant as to justify his course.

The Delawere Peach Crop.

Middlettwn May 15.—The peach crop in Delaware and on the eastern shore of Maryland promises well for this year.

Berious Illness of Jefferson Davis.

New York, May 15.—A New Orleans dispatch states Jefferson Davis, is seriously ill and promises well for this year.

Scranton, Pa., May 15.—Hon. S. S. Renedict, a well known citizen of Carbondale and proprietor of the Advance of that city, died to day aged 67. He was a member of the legislature in 1851.

FOREIGN.

The Pope Disapproves of the Parnell Fund.

Archbishop Croke's Friends Displeased at Papal Interference.

Rumored Attempt to Blow Up a Steamship.

Beginning of the Trial of Fltzharris. Dublin, May 15.—The trial of Fitzharris, as accessory to the murder of Lord Frederick Cavendish and Burke began here to-day. The Pope's Circular to the Irish Bishops.
Rome, May 15.—The Pope, in his circular to the Irish bishops, says that whatever Parnell's object may be his followers have often adopted a course openly against the rules of the Pope's letter to Cardinal McCabe and instructions sent to the bishops, which were accepted at their recent meeting in Dublin. While it is lawful for the Irish to seek redress for their grievances and to strive for their rights, they should at the same time seek God's justice and remember the wickedness of illegal means for furthering even a just cause. The duty of the clergy is to curb the excited feelings of the people and to urge justice and moderation. The clergy are not permitted to depart from these rules and join and promote movements meansistent with them. Solicition to relieve distress are passions are condemned. The clergy must hold aloof when it is plain that by such movements hatred and dissensions are aroused, distinguished persons are insulted, crimes and murders are uncensured. Patriotism is measured by tge amount subscribed and people are thereby intimidated. Therefore the Parnell fund is disapproved of and no clergyman should recommend or promote it.

Attempt to Destroy a British Steamer.

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London, May 15.—The Times says the particulars of an attempt to destroy a steamer plying between Liverpool and New York have just leaked out at the former place. It appears that just before the vessel referred to left Liverpool for New York on her last veyage, having on board a number of emigrants, a man gave the steward a box and requested him as a layor to convey it to New York. The steward's suspicions were aroused and he consulted the captain, who ordered that the box be opened. This was done in the presence of the captain and officers, and the box was found to contain an infernal machine. The contents of the box were thrown overboard, but the box itself was retained and a note made of the address upon it. The fact of this discovery was not made known publicly in New York on the vessel's arrival there, but the Britisn consul general in that city was notified of it. The steamer has just returned to the Mersey from New York.

A New York despatch pronounces this story a canard.

The United States Leads.

LONDON, May 15.—The Times says that in variety and completeness of illustration the United States collection at the fisheries exhibi-tion is not surpassed by any foreign contribu-Madagascar's War Preparations.

The Standard has advices from Madagascar stating that war preparations in the interior are greater than those being made on the coast. A majority of Saka Lavas have joined Sovas in defense of their independence. The French are apparently loath to begin operations, their forces being inadequate to cope with the natives.

Cellision of Railroad Trains. An excursion train from Grimsby on the Greath Northern Railroad, collided today with a Midland Railroad excursion train. Many persons were injured.

Credit for the Tonquin Expedition. PARIS, May 15.—The Chamber of Deputies to-day resumed the consideration of the credit for the Tonquin expedition. M. Challemel Lacour, Minister of Foreign Affairs, said there was no cause for disquiet on account of the action of China, which was not a military empire. Credit was adopted by a vote of 358 to

Berlin, May 15.—The Emperor, while conversing with M. Waddington to-day, dwelt strongly upon the importance which he attached to the good relations with France.

The Chinese Riot at British Columbia.

Victoria, B. C., May 15.—The recent Chinese riot at Tyson, on the line of the ratiway, creates considerable excitement. Facts elicited at the inquest show that the Chinese assaulted the white foreman during the day.

At night a vigilance committee of twenty

Castle Island, May 15.—Several shots were fired from ambush at a caretaker here on Sunday and he was severely wounded. The affair is much commented on and considerable alarm has been caused, as it was hoped that such deliberate outrages had been checked.

Boycotting the Pope. DUBLIN, May 15.—The trouble between the Pope and Archbiship Croke, resulting from the papal utterances against priestly interference with Irish affairs, is still the subject of the papal utterance with Irish affairs, is still the subject of the papar discussion. sharp discussion. Some excitement has been caused by an article in the Express referring to caused by an article in the Express referring to the matter. It says that the archbishop's friends seriously intend boycotting the Pope for taking the part of the government and threatening ferfeiture of the episcopate as a penalty for participation in the Irish agitation. Archbishop Croke's friends will refuse, according to the Express, to pay even the "Griffith's Valuation," and they will also refuse to pay "Peter's Pence." This proposal through the press to boycott the holy father is provoking much comment.

Foreign Notes. The Paris Gauleis says that at a meeting of the Suez Canal Company, to be held on June 4th, a proposal will be made to construct a canal parallel with the existing one at a cost of

canal parallel with the existing one at a cost of 125,000,000 francs.

In the Spanish Chamber of Deputies on the Budget bill reducing the ordinary budget 10,000,000 pesetas and increasing the extraordinary budget 18,000,000 pesetas, making the latter over 100,000,000 pesetas. This inclues a loan of 86,000,000 pesetas for public works.

At the London chess tournament on Monday Mackenzie and Mason played draw games with English and Tzscnigorin respectively. Steinitz, Zukertort. Winawer, Sellman and Blackburne defeated Bird, Rosenthal, Thipworth, Noa and Mortimer respectively.

Mortimer respectively.

Fighting has occurred between Cetewayo's torces and Chief Usibebu, the latter being aided by the Boers. The former were worsted with heavy loss. Cetewayo is gathering strength in anticipation of a further attack. in anticipation of a further attack.

A London despatch states that James Younger is dead.

DISASTROUS FIRE

Partial Burning of Barrodsburg, Ken tucky. HARRODSBURG, May 15.—At 11 o'clock last night a fire started in Tibbett's lumber yard, and at midnight was sweeping all before it. Lexington had been telegraphed to send steam

[SECOND DESPATCH.] [SECOND DESPATCH.]

About midnight last night a fire started in the office of Tibbett's lumber yard. The wind was blowing hard and the fire spread rapidly, and in half an hour the principal business square of the town was in flames. The new Preebyterian church was destroyed, together with thirty other buildings. The fire engine was useless for want of water, but the citizens did what they could to help extinguish the flames. Congressman Phil B. Thompson, who who is trial for murder, was one of the busiest workers, and his jury yied in fighting the fire under charge of a deputy sheriff. The fire is not yet under control. The loss is estimated at \$150,000,

SOUTH AMERICA.

A Treaty of Peace Concluded Between Peru and Chili. VALPERAISO, May 15.—A treaty of peace be-tween Chill and Peru has been signed by Gen, Novoa and Gen. Iglesias and is said to have

THE DOMINION.

Snow Storm at St. John. ST. JOHN, May 15.—Snow fell for some time here today and was succeeded by a heavy.

A Suspicious Looking Vessel.

HALIFAX, May 15.—The following letter was received tonighe from J. R. Keany, keeper of Barrington Lightship: "A few days ago a fine looking two-topmast schooner of about 100 tons burden, with all her flying kites set, came into Barrington Bay, passed by the lightship, tacked and went out again. She had about fifty men on deck."

Processitions at Welland Canal. A Suspicious Looking Vessel. Precautions at Welland Canal.

ST. CATHERINE'S, Ont., May 15.—A rumor that the dynamiters intended damage to the Welland Canal has led the authorities to take extra precautions to protect exposed points.

Helena's Debt Settled. Helena's Debt Settled.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 15.—A special despatch from Helana. Ark., to the Gazette says that the creditors of that city have agreed to accept a settlement at fifty cents on the dollar in 20-year bonds at 4 per cent. interest for five years and 6 per cent. interest for the remainder. The total debt is over half a million dollars and taxable value \$960,000.

Sent to Prison for Thirty-Five Years. Chicago, May 15.—Thomas Walsh, who whipped his wife to death with a leather strap and who pleaded guilty, was sentenced by Judge Barnum to thirty-five years in the penitentiary. Walsh's crime is described as one of the most brutal ever recited in court.

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The Trieste Gazette reports that Count de Vessels arriving at Suez from Bombay are being quarantined, owing to the existence of cholera in that place. A block comprising Ramsey's bank, three flour stores, two groceries, a stable and a few small stores was burned Monday, in Bartlett, Dak. Loss \$60,000.

A. P. Hatch has been elected president of the New York stock exchange. Exports for the week, exclusive of specie, from New York, amounted to \$6,476,956. The dwelling of B. Martin in Sanford, Ky., was burned Monday, and two children, aged 2 and 4 years, perished in the flames. An older daughter was badly burned.

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Mis Charles Butler gives \$60,000 for the erection of a new Episoccal church at Stockbridge, her native place.

George Beachman, an office boy 14 years old, employed in the law firm of Allen, Lane & Savage, in Boston, has been arrested for opening boxes in the postoffice and abstracting letters containing money and valuables.

There is no change in Senator Anthony's condition. He passed a tranquil and comfortable night.

Judge Milton Brown died Monday in Jacks.

Judge Mitton Brown died Monday in Jack-son, Tenn., aged 80. The deceased was an ex-member of Congress and for several years was president both of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad and Mississippi Central Railroad. AN UNLUCKY CRAFT.

The Ill Fate That Has Pursued the Ship Harvey Mills.

Some vessels are born unluckk. The ship Harvey Mills, which arrived in New York Monday, is a very prominent example of such craft. Indeed, for the continuous hard luck, it is doubted whether her last voyage has any parallel in the records of Atlantic navigation, fraught as such history is with marvellous events. The Harvey Mills is a square-rigged American ship, built in 1876 at Thomaston. American ship, built in 1876 at Thomaston where, also, she was formerly owned. Thirand chemicals, bound for New York. Monday she arrived. When a few days out from Liv-Channel, and was compelled to put back, mak she received additional damage by going

Touthe Editor of the Press: The oft-repeated criticism that it is not worth while to support a high school to graduate half from 135 in 1864 to 187 in 1870 and 1876; the number of girls from 161 in 1864 to 256, and among the names can be recognized those of the children of all classes of citizens from the

It is said that the high school education un fits them for practical life, yet there can be recognized in those catalogues, after a lapse of ten and fifteen years from graduation, the names of men who are already prominent in every department, professors, lawyers, mer many of the fifteen hundred different pupils who have attended the schools since 186 would wish to see it abolished? Is not a school which is always educating four hunhundred pupils doing a good work?

graduate, none are benefited. Pupils go to enters college without waiting to graduate that is more to the credit of the school. If a boy quits school for business, he only does what our critics wish to oblige all to do at the

It is claimed that boys who enter business

end of the grammar school course.

early are the most successful. We have some marked examples of success won under the pressure of difficulty, with the spur of necessity, but then how many have been kept back at the same time? Why do our prominent business men, who have fought their way up and educated themselves, or gone without, give their boys thorough schooling? Does their good judgment desert them in this matter? If we wish to see how this fighting up against difficulties works, let us go back five hundred years to the time when nearly every hundred years to the time when nearly every one was obliged to make his mark when he signed his name; when a book was so valuable that it could be piedged like a rare jewel. Then our merchants would be village hucksters; our shoe manufacturers would be cobblers at the bench; our clothing dealers would sit cross-legged; our lawyers would be petty scriveners with inkhorns at their belts; our ministers would be barefooted dirty friars, and our farmers and laborers would be little better than serfs. We should nearly all be ignorant allke, we should gain our news by gessiping at the corner, and should hail with delight our great teacher, the wandering ballad singer, who would entertain us with ballads as instructive as those which Barnum's chorus give us now.

VALPERAISO, May 15.—A treaty of peace between Chili and Peru has been signed by Gen, Novoa and Gen. Iglesias and is said to have been confirmed. Peru cedes Tacsa and Arica for ten years. At the end of that time a plebiscite is to be taken to determine to which country those provinces shall belong. The country acquiring them will pay the indemnity.

Murder of a Contractor on the Mexican National Railway.

GALVENTON, May 15.—The News' special says that Charles Wickland, awell know contactor, lott Monterey on Saturday to pay of he men at the present terminus of the Mexican has a contacted, and Wickland, and their brightest boys.

But what is successed them to contend the state is wenty times larger than that of for contractor on the Mexican was seen dashing up without a driver. The contractor was found mortally wounded in the bottom of the wagon. The two men were captured and turned over to the Mexican authorities.

Death of a Confederate General,

Tuscalossa, Ala, May 15.—Gen. Josiah Gorgas died here this evening, aged 65. He was a graduate of West Point, served through the Mexican war and at the outbreak of the late civil war he cast his fortunes with the Confederacy and was made chief of ordnance with rank of brigadier general.

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CLASS MAIL MATTER.

RAILWAYINOTES. The Trunk Lines' Conference.

At the April conference of the trunk line new legislation was adopted, looking to the prevention of a general disregard of the eastbound freight schedule. This legislation needs completion in detail. Much work is before the managers in the preparation of uniform instructions to be given to the general man-agers of the fast freight lines for the carrying out of the regulations of the joint executive ommittee. It is expected that these general managers will be present. The success of their proposed labors is of great importance as regards the averting of a war of rates this summer. On this account much will depend apon the attitude of the Grand Trunk of Canada. At the April meeting only the Chicago and Grand Trunk were represented, but it was stated subsequently that the Grand Trunk managers had assented to the action of the meeting. Railroad men, Monday, were in doubt as to how the Grand Trunk would act at yesterday's meetings. Its relations with the Lackawanna new trunk line, which declines to join the pool, suggested the possibility that it might not co-operate with the other roads. It is understood that proof of "cutting" rates by not only the Grand Trunk system but the Erie have been obtained by their rivals. It is announced from Montreal that the Great Eastern freight line running of the Grand Trunk system has perfected its summer connections with the Allan and Dominion lines. The position of the Grand Trunk is more important than that of the The Great Eastern Freight Line.

Composed of the Chicago and Grand Trunk Railroads, are making prep-Trunk managers had assented to the action of

Trunk Railroads, are making preparations for rapid transit of freight across the cean in connection with the Allan line of teamers, the first of which left Montreal yessteamers, the first of which left Montreal yes-terday. The roads have perfected arrange-ments to meet the steamers of the Allan line, and will probably start export trains of refrig-erator cars daily from Chicago to connect at Montreal with the Allan and Dominion lines of steamers. In addition they are taking traf-fic to New York over the Lackawanna and to Boston over the Central Vermont.

STATE NEWS.

Two miles below Winslow village, on the Kennebec is the property of the Maine Tin Mining Company. Work was recommenced about five weeks ago and night and day crews of five men each are employed. The shaft is now down about 100 feet, and the works are equipped with a steam hoisting pumping machine. Sinking is now going on at the rate of about one foot per day.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. John Landrie of Waterville, undertook to melt some pitch for a plaster to put on a lame side. She placed it on a stove in a tin can. The bottom of the can melted off, the pitch burst into flames and was thrown over her person, burning her face, bosom and arm in a terrible manner. Two men were also burned about the hands and arms in trying to extinguish the flames about her clothing.

The next meeting of the Maine Bee Keepers' Association will be held in Augusta the 9th and 10th of August. PENCESCOT COUNTY.

SCHERSET COUNTY. O'Leary, the man who was stabled in a rapidly recovering and will be all right in a short time. Meanwhile the bail of the assailant has been reduced from \$4000 to \$1500, and having secured the same he is out of jail. His father came from Aroostook and procured

WALDO COUNTY.

Henry Page of Frankfort, aged about 40, at-tempted suicide Sunday by hanging. He was cut down in time to save his life. TUESDAY .- John P. Moses retracted his plea of ot guilty and pleaded guilty. Fined \$50. Paid. State v. John Cloarce. Assault with intent to kill, armed with a dangerous weapon. Defense-

and, insanity. Quite a number of witnesses were nsound mind. The government claimed that he possessed suffi cient mind and consciousness to know the nature of the act which he performed, and in accordance with State v. Lawrence, 57th Me., was responsible for his

A. W. Coembs, Co. Att'y, Municipal Court, BEFORE JUDGE GOULD. James White, Ann Maxwell, Thomas Dowd, Gil-

Intoxication. Fined \$5 and costs. Margaret Shanahan. Intoxication. Thirty days Thomas Shea. Assault. Fined \$1 and costs.

an D. Dam, John B. McGinty, Frank Silvadore

John Nally. Assault. Sixty days in county jail. FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

The wholesale market was without feature to-day Sugars are in good demand and prices firm at 91% for granulated and 85% for Extra C. Bermuds ions are a little easier and some sales have been advancing. Butter is dull and easier. Potatoes are very steady and a good trade is reported.

Oranges. 6 50@9 0 ... 93/8 Messina.....3 00@4 00 ...85% Palermo ....3 00@3 20

EREIGHTS-The market is more active but rate

PRICE THREE CENTS.

Foreign Exports. ST JOHNS,PR. Brig Jennie A Cheney-45,000 tlumber 2687 shooks and heads. POINT-4 PITRE. Schr Nellie Bowers-2603 rum thooks 5439 prs heads 100 drums fish 20,320 feet

Bailrond Beceipt ...

PORTLAND, May 14.
Received by Maine-Central Railroad, for Portland
27 cars miscellaneous merchandise; for connecting
roads 107 cars miscellaneous merchandise. Dry Goods Wholesnie Market.

Missouri Pacific
Wabash preferred.
Omaha common
Denver & R. G
Omaha preferred
Northern Pacific preferred
Pacific Mail

Toxas Pacific

BOSTON STOCKS.
Flint & Pere Marquette common.
A. T. & S. F.
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L. R. & Ft Smith
Marquette, Hughton & Ont. common Mexican Central 7s. New York, May 15.—Money on call loaned easy between at 3:24; closed offered 3; prime mercantile paper at 5 4:26. Exchange quiet and steady 4.834 for long and 4.85 4/2 for short. Governments irregular, State bonds dull but generally higher. Railroad bonds firm. New York Stock and Money Market. The following are the closing qu Lake Shore.

Watertown Cattle Market.

WATERTOWN, May 15.—The supply of Cattle was lighter than last week, demand good and prices well sustained.

\* Market Beef—Extra at 8 75@9 25; first quality at 7 50@8 50; second quality at 5 00@7 00; third quality at 4 25@4 75; receipts of Cattle 764 head. Store Cattle—Work Oxen 9 pair at 8100@2850. Milch Cows and Calves at \$20@48c; Farrow Cows \$18@\$34; ft.ncy \$50@\$80; Fearlings at \$12@\$21; two are old \$18@\$36; three years \$25@\$44. Swine—Receipts 11,500 head; Western fat Swine, ive,7½@83½c; Northern dressed hogs 9½@9½c. Sheep and Lambs—receipts 3582. Sales of Sheep

(By Telegraph.)
SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—The following are the closing official quotations of mining stocks to-day:

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Butter -We quote We-tern creameries at 26@
28c for choice, 22@25c for fair and good: Northern creameries at 26@28c for choice, 22@25c for fair and good; New York and Vermont dairies 21@24c & th for choice, 13@20c for fair and good; Western ladie packed 15@16; the market is moderate.

Cheese in moderate demand; 13@13½c for choice new and 12@12½c for fair and good; 8@10c for common; old 13½@1½ for best,

Eggs-in demand at 77½c for Eastern, 17@17½c for New York. Vermont and Northern, and 1c@17c & doz for Southern and Western.

Potatoes-The market is steady: Aroestock Rose 95c; Maine Ceutral and Northern Rose at 80@85c; Prolifics and Peerless 80@85c; other kinds 65@80c as to quality.

Chicago Live Stock Market. (By Telegraph.) CHICAGO, May 15.—Hogs—Receipts 15,000 head; shipments 3200 head; steady; heavy at 7 40@7 70; light 7 10@7 40; mixed at 7 00@7 35; skips 6 75@ 7 25. Cattle—Receipts 5,500 head; shipments 2,700; fairly active; exports at 6 40@6 60.

New York, May 15.—Flour market Receipts 18,285 bbls; exports 6050 bbls; dull, heavy and 5@ 10 lower; export and home trade demand limited, business for export mainly in low grades, part to arrive; sales 13,100 bbls.

Flour quotations—No 2 at 2 60@3 60; Superfine Western and State at 3 85@4 20; common to good extra Western and State 4 15@4 50; good to choice do at 4 60@7 25; common to choice White Wheat Western extra at 6 25@7 00; fancy do 7 10@7 25; common to good extra Western st. Louis at 4 15@7 00; common to choice extra St. Louis at 4 15@7 00; common to choice extra 55.20 at 20; common to good extra Obio at 4 15@7 00; common to choice extra st. Louis at 4 15@7 00; common to choice extra do at 6 60@7 60; City Mill extra at 3 55@6 00; 2000 bbls No 2 at 2 60@3 60; 700 bbls Superfine at 3 85@4 20;300 low extra 4 15@7 00, 4200 bbls Minnesota extra at 4 15@7 60. Southerr flour unchanged; common to fair at 4 50@5 30; good to choice at 15 35@7 00. Wheat—receipts 20,000 bush; exports 46,154 bush; cash ½@1 and options 4 @10 lower; export demand light and fairly active speculative trade, closing steady at shade above inside rates.saics 4,114,000 bush, including 122,000 bush on spot; No 3 Red at 1 1744 @1 184; No 2 do at 1 244/2@1 25 in elev, 1 234/2@1 234/4 delivered from store, 1 264/2@1 27 do elev; 1 223/4 fo b; No 1 Red State 1 274; No 1 White State 1 264/2; No 1 White, 11,000 at 1 16/4 elev; 1 14 fo b Bye easter; Canada and State at 75@79/4c; Western at 74@770. Barley nominal, Carm—cash ½@1 and options 4/2@4 and options 4/2@4 and options 4/2@4 lower; excepts 83,470 bush; exports 50,941 bush; sales 2,147,000 bush, including 227,000 bush on spot; No 3 at 63@63/4c; No 2 at 64/4/2@65c; low Mixed 65c; White Southern 70c; No 2 at 64/4/2@65c; low Mixed 65c; White Southern 70c; No 2

port with fair speculative trade, closing firm with a slight reaction; receipts 83,470 bush; supports 50,941 bush; sales 2,147,000 bush, including 257,000 bush on spot; No 3 at 63@63½c; No 2 at 64½6@66½c; low Mixed 65c; White Southern 70c; No 2 for May 64½@65½c; closing at 65c; June at 66½c; 60%5c; closing at 65½c; June at 66½c; 60%5c; closing at 65½c; June at 66½c; closing at 67¼c; August at 68½@69¼c, closing at 68%c; Sopt at 69½c. On 18½@850wc and less active; receipts 24,300 bush; sales 536,000 bush; No 3 at 47¾c; White 452c; No 2 at 48¼@48%s; White 452½c; White 53@57c; White State at 56@59c. Sugar is firm; refining at 7½@7¼; refined is quiet; White Extra C at 7¼@7¾; off A 8@8½c; Yellow C 7½@7¼; standard A 866@8½c; Yellow C 7½@7¼; standard A 866@8½c; Yellow C 7½@7¼; standard A 866@8½c; cut load 5½c; Confectioners A at 8½c; powdered 9@9¼; granulated 8¾c; crushed 9½s; Cubes at 9½c. Molasses is steady. Petroleum—united 1 01½; refined 7½c. Tallow weak; sales 80,000 fbs. 8 3-16@85c; Crushed 9½s; sales 80,000 fbs. 8 3-16@86-16. Pork more active for export; options nominal sales 440 bbls new mess on spot at 20 25@20 60; 25 family mess 21 62½c. Lard 3@6 points lower, heavy and irregular; trade quiet; prime steam on spot 11 95@12 00; 140 tes city steam at 11 40@11 50; refined for continent at 12 00; 12 25 for S. A. Butter declining; Western 10 @25c; creamery 27. Cheese calser; State 9@13½s. Freights weak; Wheat # steam 3d.

CHICAGO, May 15.—Flour market is unchanged; Spring Wheat 3 50@5 00; Minnesota at 3 50@4 25; bakers at 4 25@5 60; patents 6 00@7 50; Winter 4 25@6 00. Wheat—regular lower; 111½ May; 113½ for June; 11½c of August. Oats heavy at 41@41¼c cash; and May; 56¼c for August. Oats heavy at 41@41¼c cash and May; 56¼c for August. Oats heavy at 41@41¼c cash and May; 19 90@19 92½ for June; 55¼c June; 11 95 June; 12 02½@12 05 for July; 30 for August. Pork advanced 2½c for July; Lard unchanged.

At the closing call of the Board this afternoon Wheat declined ½c for May and ½c for August. Or August. Scalined 12 for

barley 25,000 bush.

St. Louis, May 15.—Flour is unchanged. Wheat is lower; No 2 Red Fall 1 13½ (2.13½ cash; 1 13½; May; 1 13½ (2.13½) cash; 1 13½; 1 13½ (2.14 for June: 115½, 2.1 15½ (2.15½) July; 1 16½ (2.15½) for August; No 3 at 1 08 bid. Pork easier; Jobbing at 20 25 20 30. Lard lower to sell. Receipts—Flour 3,000 bbls, wheat 15,000 bush, corn 00,000 bush, oats 0,000 bush, rye 0,000 bush barley 0,000 bush.

Shipments—Flour 5,000 bbls, wheat 7,000 bush Shipments—Flour 5,000 bbls, wheat 7,000 bush, corn 00,000 bush,oats 00,000 bush,rye 0,000 bush, barley 0000 bush. DETROIT May 15.—Wheat is easy; No 1 White fall spot at 1 08½; June 1 09¾; July at 1 11½; August at 1 12¾; No 2 at 98¾c: No 2 Red Winter 1 15½.

Receipts 16,000 bush; shipments 26,000 bush.

NEW CRLEANS, May 15,—Cotton quiet; Middling SAVANNAH, May 15 .- Cotton is firm; Middling up-

MOBILE, May 15,-Cotton is quiet; Middling: up-ands 1054 c. MEMPHIS, May 15.—Cotton steady; Middling up