CAPITAL CULLINGS

CONGRESS PROCEEDINGS AND GEN-ERAL CAPITAL NEWS.

Conference Report on the Naval Appro priation Bill Agreed to and Bill Passed-The House Generally Successful in the Retention of Its Economic Measures-The Brazilian Subsidy Scheme Attached to the Postoffice Bill-The Potter Committee Closing Up Its Inquiry-The River and Harbor Bill Reported-Liberal Appropriations for the Northwestern Rivers, Lake Superior, St. Mary's River and Canal, Etc.-Provision for a Sluiceway Over St. Anthony Falls-Miscellaneous.

FORTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

Senate. GOLD BANKS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.-Senotor Morrill, from the committee on finance, reported without amendment the Senate bill authorizing the conversion of national gold banks. Placed on

He also reported without amendment the Senate bill to amend sections 5,117 and 5,171 of the revised statutes, relative to the deposit of bonds. Placed on the calendar. POSTOFFICE BILL.

Senator Dorsey, from the committee on appropriations, reported back the postoffice appropriation bill, with various amendments. Placed on the calendar. He also reported from the same committee the amendment to the bill submitted by Senator Ferry, from the committee on postoffices and post roads, some days ago, providing for the classification of mail matter, and the readjustment of compensation to railroads, being substantially the same provisions agreed upon in the post route bill of last year, which failed to become a law on account of the Brazilian mail subsidy and other objectionable amendments. In submitting the report Senator Dorsey said the committee would not oppose the amendment if it should not be urged by the committee on postoffices and not recorded. and post roads.

Senator Ferry said the committee had instructed him to submit the amendment, and he

ould urge its passage. INTER-STATE COMMERCE. Sevator Cameron, of Pennsylvania, submitted a joint resolution providing for a commission to consider and report what legislation is needed for better regulation of commerce among the States. Referred.

WINES. The secretary of the treasury was directed to furnish such information as he may have with a view of ascertaining whether we receive any pure wines.

The Vice President submitted a communication from the secretary of the interior in answer to a resolution inquiring what additional clerical force will be necessary in the pension and surgeon general's offices to secure to applicants pensions prompt adjustment of their ims. Commissioner Bentley says: "No increase of force can secure to applicants prompt adjustment of their claims under the system now established by law. The settlement of claims in this office cannot be materially reduced, except by furnishing a higher order of talent, that is, lawyers whose education and experience render them experts in the examination and consideration of testimony."

NAVAL APPROPRIATION BILL. Senator Windom from the conference committee on the naval appropriation bill, submitted a report. Agreed to and bill passed. Senator Windom said the Senate added \$86,500 to the House bill. The House conferrees receded from its disagreement to amendments involving \$11,500, and the Senate receded from amendments involving \$75,000 additional for provisions and clothing. The bill as agreed upon appropriated \$14,029,968, being \$122,634 less than the appropriation for the present fis-cal year and \$157,412 less than the estimates

POLITICAL DISABILITIES. A number of bills p ed for removal of p

litical disabilities. IDAHO AND THE NEZ PERCES. Senator Cockrell, from the committee military affairs, reported with amendments the Senate bill to provide for ascertaining and reporting the expenses incurred by the Territory of Idaho and the people thereof in defending themselves from attacks and hostilities of the Nez Perces Indians in 1877. Placed on the

COURTS IN THE INDIAN TERRITORY. The committee on Territories reported favorably a bill to establish United States courts in

the Indian Territory and for other purposes. Placed on the calendar with a written report on the subject. LIBRARY. The bill to provide additional accommoda-

tions for the library of Congress led to a long BREVET HONORS. Pending discussion Senator Ferry submitted

an amendment to the army appropriation bill to provide that brevets conferred on officers of volunteers for services in the field who are now officers of the regular army, shall have the same force and effect, and confer the same right and privileges as if originally conferred in the regular army. ANIMAL TRANSPORTATION.

Senator McPherson gave notice that Saturday next he would move to take up the Senate bill relating to the transportation of animals NORMAN WIARD.

Senator Cameron, Wis., introduced a bill for the relief of the creditors and assigns of Norman Wiard. Referred. RELIEF.

Senator Cockrell introduced a bill for the relief of Daniel M. Frost and heirs and executors of Wm. McPherson, Missouri. Referred. On motion of Senator Thurman an executive session was held, and when the doors were reopened the Senate adjourned.

House of Representatives. APPROPRIATION BILLS. WASHINGTON, Feb. 11 .- The conference report

on the naval appropriation bill was agreed to, and the House then went into committee on the leg slative appropriation bill.

Mr. Patterson, of New York, opposed that portion of the bill which proposed transfer of the coast and geoditic society from the treasury to the interior department. That provision could risteally adolish the extension of public states and provision that the property of the propert

would virtually abolish the system of public would virtually abolish the system of public land surveys. The bill would throw an insurmountable obstacle in the way of settlement of the public domain. Messrs. Page, Dunnel, Haskell and Hale opposed the transfer and Wigginton, Hewitt, of North Carolina, Butler and Garfield favored it.

After some progress in the bill the committee arose and Mr. Regan, chairman of the committee arose and war and second the river and barbon.

tee on commerce, reported the river and harbon appropriation bill. Ordered printed and re committed. Adjourned.

GENERAL CAPTAL NEWS.

FOUR PER CENTS. WASHINGTON, Feb. 11 .- Subscriptions to the 4 per cent. loan since yesterday's report, \$3,-

502,400. RIO GRANDE FRONTIER.

Gen. Ord was before the House committee to-day advocating the bill for more suitable military posts for the protection of the Rio Grande frontier.

CORBIN-BUTLER. Republican Senators in caucus to-day failed

ment of an early date of action upon the Corbin-Butler contest. There was an informal discussion of the course to pursue in case the amendments providing for the repeal of the federal supervisors and test oath laws are attached by the House of the Supervisor and the tached by the House to the appropriation bills.

The general tenor of the expression was to the effect that an effort to enact such legislation upon an appropriation bill should be strenuously resisted, even to the extent of causing even to the extent of causing

POTTER.

The Potter investigating committee in secre ession to-day, laid on the table the letter from Dr. Greene, president of the Western Union Telegraph company, published Monday. There were a few comments upon its publication before the letter came into the hands of the committee. A majority of the Potter committee, it was stated, did not intend to call any other witnesses at present. Whether they will subsequently, remains to be considered. Republications. licans would like to have one or two witnesses testify regarding the points elicited in New York. Adjourned until Thursday. Woolley is one of the witnesses to be subpossed.

WAR CLAIMS. The House committee on war claims to-day agreed to report a bill appropriating about \$500,000 to pay claims approved by accounting ficers of the treasury under the act of July

INDIAN TERRITORY. The bill reported by Senator Patterson from the committee on territories "to establish a United States court in the Indian Territory, and for other purposes," provides for regulating the administration of justice in the territory, and for making citizens of white, colored and Indian residents. The unanimous report of the committee accompanying the bill includes an elaborate review of the condition of the

RIVER AND HARBOR BILL.

AMOUNTS APPROPRIATED. The river and harbor appropriation bill or dered reported to the House contains the following appropriations in Western States: Removal of snags, etc., Mississippi \$100,000

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Improvement of the Missouri river at Atchison...
Improvement of the Missouri river

at Ft. Leavenworth. at Ft. Leavenworth.
Improvement of the Missouri river
at St. Joseph.
Survey of the Missouri river from the Survey of the Missouri river from the mouth to Sioux City.
Snag boat for the upper Mississippi. The Mississippi river from St. Paul to Des Moines rapids.
The Mississippi river near the mouth of the Illinois river.
Kentucky river.
Improvement of the Des Moines rapids and opening canal.
Galena river and harbor.
Chippewa river.

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Milwaukee river..... Improvement of Fox river..... mprovement of Calumet river.... Grand Haven harbor..... South Haven harbor..... lichigan City harbor.....

Osage river, Kansas.
Sluiceway, St. Anthony Falls.....
Removal of raft, Red river.....
Surveys of the south pass of the Mis-

sissippi river..... Removal of obstructions in the Red river.... Tennessee river above Chattanooga

Tennessee river below Chattanooga Vicksburg harbor..... Cumberland river above Nashville . . Buffalo harbor.....

tions and surveys.....

Total amount appropriated \$5,786,000 Annual Meeting of the Northwestern Dairy

men's Association. CHICAGO, Feb. 11 .- The thirteenth annual meeting of the Northwestern Dairymen's association was held here to-day and began with three sessions. President Hiram Smith, of Wisconsin, delivered the annual address, iu which he held there was a bright future for the dairy industry. He stated last year's production iu the United States to be: cheese, three bundred and fifty million pounds, and butter one billion five hundred million pounds. Value of butter and cheese exported last year twenty-seven million dollars. After the appointment of various committees Charles Randolph, secretary of the board of trade, delivered an address of welcome and several interesting address of welcome. retary of the board of trade, delivered an address of welcome, and several interesting addresses were made. The evening session levoted to a humorous lecture and song.

A Matter for the Legislature.

Sr. Louis, Feb. 11.—The court of appeals to day, in the case of an application for an injunction to restrain the board of public schools from teaching foreign languages and orna-mental branches in the public schools, decided that the whole matter is in the hands of the islature, and that the courts have no powers

Failure at Chippewa Falls. [Special Telegram to the Globe.]

CHIPPEWA FALLS. Wis., Feb. 11.-Stanley Bros. & Co., merchants and lumbermen, made an assignment to B. J. Churchill, yesterday. Assets and liabilities about equal. nches of snow fell last night.

Close of the Reno Case

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—The argument of counse in the Reno inquiry was concluded to-day, and the court went into secret session to make out its report. When completed the report will be forwarded to Washington and its contents will first be made public there.

Generosity. [Martin County Sentinel.]

Since the organization of the State, Minn apolis and St. Paul have generously supplied it with a Governor almost continuously, beside

AFRICA CONFIRMED.

The Troops Enticed From Their Camp and Exterminated by Overwhelming Numbers-More Than a Hundred Officers and Ten Hundred Soldiers Slain-Three Hundred Dead in One Group-The Zulu Los Estimated at Over Two Thousand -Plague and Miscellaneous Old World News.

The Zulu Massacre. THE NEWS CONFIRMED. LONDON, Feb. 11 .- Details of the disaster to the British force in South Africa show that the guns were spiked before they were captured. The Times says, editorially, the government is bound to send reinforcements without an hour's delay and spare no expense or effort. The Times, commenting on the news from Cape Town, says: "Nothing can exceed the frankness of the recital for it is clear nothing has been held back. It would be useless to de ny either the sadness or the extreme gravity of the catastrophe. Whether there was or was not any want of vigilance on the part of our own force, it is clear the Zalus are even more forforce, it is clear the Zulus are even more to-midable than our military authorities expected them to be. It was known they are well drilled, that great numbers are armed with oreech loaders, and that they could fight courageously. We know but too well how large courageously. We know but too well how large a force they can mass at one point. Bad as is the loss of our troops, still graver is the peril which must arise. With this defeat the Zulus will be emboldened and the colonists be exposed to fresh and formidable dangers. In these circumstances the duty of the government cannot adjust of the duty of the government cannot admit of the slightest doubt, and it is to send ample reinforcements to the Cape without the needless delay of a single hour. It may be they can be more quickly sent from the Moaritus or India than from England, but at all events no India than from England, but at all events no effort and no expenditure must be spared to save the colony from disaster and the power of the country from grave injury. It is a melantholy consolation, meanwhile, that the gallant troops of the Twenty-fourth regiment did their duty and died at their posts like Englishmen.

The news of the defeat caused a sensation throughout London, and the demand for newspapers at all suburban stations was greater than since the outbreak of the Franco-German war.

TROOPS ENGAGED. The following is the full strength of the British column, part of which was attacked by Zulus: Number Three column, headquarters at Helpmakaar, near Roorkes, infantry commandant, Col. Glyn; First battalion Twenty-fourth regiment artillery, with seven-pounder guns; infantry, seven companies—First battalion, Twenty-fourth regiment, under Lieutenant-Colonel Degachor; Native Mounted Police and Volunteers; Native Caribineers; Buffalo Border Guard; Newcastle Mounted Rifles, all mounted and averging forty men each and native

and averaging forty men each, and native contingent of 1,000 men, under Commandant Lonsdale, late Seventy-fourth Highlanders. OFFICIAL REPORTS. The following communication has been re ceived at the war office from Lord Chelmsford: "I regret to have to report a very disastrous engagement the 22d of January, between Zulus and a pertion of No. 3 column, which was left and a pertion of No. 3 column, which was left to guard camp about ten miles in front of Roork's drift. Zulus came down in overwhelming numbers, and in spite of a gallant resistence by five companies of the first battery, 24th regiment, one company of the second battalion, 24th regiment, two guns, two rocket tubes, 164 mon tives, they overwhelmed them. The camp con taining all the surplus amunitien and trans port of No. 3 column, was taken and but few of its defenders escaped. Our loss, I fear, must be set down at thirty officers and about five hundred non-commissioned officers, rank and file, imperial file colonial troops."

A COURT OF INQUIRY has been ordered to assemble to collect evidence regarding this unfortunate affair, which will be forwarded to you as soon as received. Full particulars as far as can be obtained have been sent in my dispatch, which will reach you by the next mail. It would seem that the troops were entited away from their camp, as the action took place about a mile and a quar ter outside of it. The remainder of Col ter outside of it. The remainder of Col. Glyn's column reoccupied the camp after dark the same night, having been with me twelve miles away all day. On the following morning we arrived at Roork's drift post, which for twelve hours had been attacked by from 3,000 to 4,000 Zulus. Its defense by some eighty men of the Twenty-fourth regiment was most gallant.

THREE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY BODIES lay close around the post. I compute the Zulu loss at 1,000 here alone. At the camp where the disaster occurred the loss of the enemy is computed at over 2,000. Col. Pearson commanding No. 1 column, had been attacked but he repulsed the Zulus. A CABINET COUNCIL. 5.000

to-day decided to send six battalions of infan try, two regiments of cavalry, two batteries of artillery, a company of engineers, three companies of the army service corps, and a company of the army hospital corps to reinforce Lord Chalmsford.

REINFORCEMENTS. The reinforcements for Cape Colony ordered from England number about 1,000 men. The government is actively inquiring concerning private steamers. The Assistance, the only troop ship in the harbor, is being rapidly pre-pared for service at Portsmouth. The first lord of admiralty, speaking at Westminster to-night, stated that troops sufficient to end the troubles with the Zulus would be on the way to the cape within a week. He declared he had every

General Foreign News. -

FIGHTING THE PLAGUE. St. Petersburg, Feb. 11.-Gen. Louis Melikoff has proposed to the governors of Astrachan, Samoa and Saratoff that all paper money circu lating be exchanged for new through the Koms voiga bank and destroyed. Attention of the medical authorities is concentrated on Selitreno and the neighboring districts. The St. Petersburg sanitary committee propose to cleanse the canal and organize large hospitals which could be anchored in the Gulf of Bosnia; also to organize sanitary committees in each district the city and province.

FRANCE AND AMERICA Paris, Feb. 11.-Gov. Noyes, the American minister and staff, visited the committee on the proposed treaty of commerce between France and the United States, the governor expressing an ardent desire for the development of com-

AMERICAN CATTLE. LIVERPOOL, Feb. 11.-The order of the priv council revoking, after March 3d, article 13 of the foreign animals order, so far as it relates to the United States, was a great surprise. All cattle from the United States, after March 3d, will have to be slaughtered in the abattoirs now preparing on the docks at Birkenhead and Live pool, within ten days after land tog.

PARIS, Feb. 11 .- President Grevy has signed decree making appointments and changes affecting eighteen generals and twelve commanders of corps. General Farre has been manders of corps. General Farre has been appointed commandant at Lyons, General Chichant at Chalons, and General DeGalefet at Tours. General Wolff replaces Duke D'Aumale at Besanson. Le Temps says Duke D'Aumale has been appointed inspector general. Henri Daumer, the caricaturist, is dead.

BULGARIA. SOPHIA, Feb., 11.—The Bulgarian assembly

The ministry will be absolutely responsible to the national assembly, which will control the legislative, financial and administrative de

Paris, Feb. 11.-It is expected the official journal will publish to-morrow a decree transferring seven and dismissing or retiring twelve procurators general. Four commanders of army corps will be transferred and nine dis-

AFGHAN. CALCUTTA, Feb. 11.—The report of the death

Paris, Feb. 11.—Mons. Despress, archbishor of Toleuns and Norbunee, has been created a

speaking in the chamber of deputies, predicted that if the plague penetrated Europe it would destroy a third of the population.

Servia has formed a partial cordon on her

Turkish frontier against the plague. BEAN'S BOOK.

Interesting Scraps From the Note Book of

Samuel Bean, at Present the Guest of Sheriff King. Samuel Bean, the colored "pusson," who combined the special duties of porter at the Metropolitan with the general occupation of thief, held quite a levce at police headof ther, held quite a levee at police head-quarters yesterday. Some called to inquire about property; others to see the disciple, and again others out of friendship. Bean is no small potatoes in knowledge of the world, and while around about he has accumulated a bit of learning here and there. He's been an exhorter at times, and was very successful in the evangelical field. He writes a very good hand, and though his spelling is mixed he is above sublunary matters in his thoughts. He commenced his autobiography in a note book commenced his autobiography in a note book found among his effects, and had covered two round among his effects, and had covered two pages when his literacy work was stopped either by his arrest or call for "boots." Here's what he has to remark upon the abstruse subject of life in general, and his own most especially ust as written:

Samuel Bean's Past Life, in Youth and a Por-Samuel Bean's Past Life, in Youth, and a Portion of Manhood. Born in the year of 1858. So runs the title to this badly-spoilt contribution to the world of letters. Then he says: Sense I have arrived to the years of ma-I have been drifted with the waves of time.

But the greater portion of my life have been spent in wickedness and folly.

And the rest of my life Shall be employed in the service of Christi-But in referring back to the year of 1870 & 69
It brings things to bear in mind of the past
life that was past in that wild territorial coun-

try of Texas,
And in the time of my Traversing the interior part of this country, I was one of the most tyrantical creatures that ever lived Or

I guess.

Because my life was not any more than the wind which bloweth and is not visible to our natural eyes.

From this I pass into the days of my youth which was very happy until I reached man-hood. Then man's troubles begin.

Firstly—I was trouble about my soul, it troubled me day to night and the earth with all of its dlicious ornaments was of any pleas-

ure to me.
In recalling to my youth's days again, I will ndeavor to make a few brief remarks in favor of the science politically used in all the public

schools. I regards it as an encouraging signs of the times that the recent effective representation of the need of political science in the public schools has met with the favor it seemed to do. It is evident to-day, if never before, that chil dren educated by the State should be trained some extent for the State.

Here, unfortunately the hiatus comes in.
And the solution of the great problem for
State benefit, will have to be done while Bean
is serving the State, in a capacity other than a

THE NEW YORK BATTLE GROUND, What the New York Papers Say Concern

ing Conkling's Defeat. The Tribune says, on Conkling's defeat "Several considerations tended to this result. There was a growing feeling that it was neither fair to the officials concerned, nor good business policy for the government, to force into the most important office under the secretary of the treasury an official openly hostile to him. Above all, there was a strong feeling that the New York custom-house should not be that the New York custom-nouse should not be permitted to become an open sore on the body of the Republican party. One way or another the matter had to be adjusted, and the Sena-tors found it easiest to adjust it by keeping in the men against whom no complaints were made. The settlement is of this long-continued controvery is hailed with satisfaction by the Republicans in Washington, whether they like Republicans in Washington, whether they like the way in which it has been settled or not. the way in which it has been settled or not. The fight against these last nominations was made by Conkling against the judgment of a large majority of the Republicans in the New York delegation, who could see no good end to be sub-served by it, and in this many other Republicans, among them some who voted with Conkling in the Senate, agreed. Conkling and the subsequent of the senate of the s ling seems to have asked the advice of none of his political associates, and to have acted wholly on his own sense of what was right and proper in the premises. The hope is expressed to-night by Republicans of every shade of opinion that the result of to-day's work may be accepted in good faith, and in something of the same spirit which pervaded the Republican party in New York last fall at the Saratoga convention, and afterward in the campaign, and still later when the Senator was re-elected. Harmory is the Republican watchword, and every Republican will be expected to contribute his share to securing it, no matter what may be his private disappointments. On this point there seems to be absolutely no division among influential members of the party in Washing-

The Times says: "The struggle became a mere trial of strength between opposing political powers, and the result has as little to do with the character of either the new collector or the old one as it has with the forgotten principles of civil-service reform. Condlings de ciples of civil-service reform. Conkling's defeat may serve to remind him that tact and moderation are quite as necessary qualifications of a successful politician as-the power of invective or the trick of calling names. Neither Conkling nor any one else, however, can derive from the success of the administration in this struggle any engouragement for political box.

from the success of the administration in this struggle any encouragement for political honesty or personal consistency."

The World says: "Having no leadership or concerted plan of action, a good many Democrats took advantage of the liberty in non-essentials left them by the caucus to vote for Hayes' nominations. They did this obviously, under the impression that, by doing it, they would weaken the Republican party in New York. There was not much more civil-service referm in this course than in the course of Sherman and Hayes, and it remains to be seen Sherman and Hayes, and it remains to be seen whether there was or was not much political gumption in it."

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 10 .- So far as the consists of 221 notables. Of these 108 are | Courier-Journal correspondent reports there is members ex-officio, 91 elected by popular vote no yellow fever in the South, although some and 22 nominated by the prince. The prince sort of sickness seems to have been caused by will have a civil list of a million piastres, and succession to the throne will be hereditary.

DAY'S DOINGS.

Fatal Land Silde at Kansas City, Mo--Six Pitmen Crushed Beneath a Huge Mass of Earth---Criminal, Casualty and Fire

DEATH IN THE PIT.

St. Louis, Feb. 11.-A Kansas City dispatch says: A terrible accident occurred obout 7:30 this morning, at the foot of Grand avenue, in CALCUTTA. Feb. 11.—The report of the death of the ameer of Afghanistan is untrue. It is the ameer of Bokhara. The ameer of Afghanistan will endeavor to reach Herat. Yakoob Khan recently sent a cavalry regiment to Kohnstan to quell disturbances among the tribes there, whereupon the factions suspended hostilities, and attacked and routed the regiment.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BERLIN, Feb. 11.—The emperor will open the reichstag and deliver a speech from the throne to-morrow.

PARIS, Feb. 11.—Mons. Despress, archbishop of Toleuns and Norbunee, has been created as a constant of the death of the death and this morning, at the foot of Grand avenue, in a cut being made for the Chicago & Alton railroad. At that hour the cut, with its almost perpendicular walls ninety feet high, caved in and buried the workmen and their teams under thousands of yards of fallen earth. There were four teams in the cut at the time, and ten men working at each team. Besides there was the foreman, James McCarthy, his clerk, and three men working with picks. Mr. Soder, the contractor, was not in the cut. Six persons were killed outright and several wounded. The following are the killed: Peter Bagley, James Hager, Thomas Casey, Ed. Hinef, Dan Lucett and Richard Rine. All the bodies have been recovered. The scene is heartrending.

PARIS, Feb. 11.—Mons. Despress, archbishop of Toleuns and Norbunee, has been created a cardinal.

Gen. Toddleben announces he will commence the evacuation of Adrianople in ten days.
Albert Grevy has been elected vice president of the French chambers.
The English privy council has ordered a careful inspection of the bills of health, and of the crews and passengers of vessels arriving from the Black Sea.

The president of the Italian board of health, speaking in the chamber of deputies, predicted recovered. The scene is heartrending. time were standing squarely across the evation, and six of them were overwhelmed vation, and six of them were overwhelmed by
the huge mass of earth and sank down to die
under its ponderous weight. Those who escaped, dazed with horror though they were,
rushed with desperate energy upon
the murderous earth and with frantic
speed set to work to relieve their
buried comrades. Three hours of
untiring labor and six dead bodies were brought
to view, the names of whom were reported in

to view, the names of whom were reported in the previous dispatch. An immense crowd of

the previous dispatch. An immense crowd of people collected at each cut and could only be kept out of danger by the utmost efforts of the police. Women and children of the workmen in the cut came running from all directions, rushed excitedly through the crowd, calling the names of husband, father, or brother, whom they feared had been crushed to death. They could hardly be restrained from breaking through the scene was not only sad but hardly be restrained from breaking through the lines, and the scene was not only sad but heartrending. The walls of the excavation are about ninety feet high, and almost perpen-dicular. There is no rock there, and nothing to sustain them but their own cohesion. A POOR SHOT.

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—About half-past 9 o'clock to-night Frank Ryan, of this city, shot his wife, from whom he has been separated for a year or two, and then shot himself in the head. Ryan, it appears, has been endeavoring to induce his wife to live with him again, but failing had threatened to kill her. Neither of the arties are seriously injured.

WANTS TO COMPROMISE. PORTLAND, Feb. 11.-Captain Prince, con victed of pension frauds, offers to pay the government \$15,000 for his release. BURIED.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Feb. 11.-The embankment at Ziegler's ore beds, fifteen miles away, caved in, burying fifteen persons, killing one, and seriously injuring four. THROAT CUTTING. CINCINNATI, Feb. 11.-William Meyer and his

wife Mollie Meyer, two rather hard characters, met at the corner of Sixth and John streets, tonight, quarreled, and the husband slashed his wife across the throat from ear to ear, but not . The woman the hospital. The man escaped. COUNTERFEITER'S SENTENCE TRENTON, N. J., Feb. 11.-Henry Cole, ac-

enced to pay a fine of \$2,000, and twelve years in the State prison.
CONFLAGRATIONS. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 11.-The Pennsylvania ack works, Norristown, are partially burned.

Insurance \$60,000.

LEBANON, N. H., Feb. 11.—A fire in G. N. Northern's building caused a loss of \$30,000.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Feb. 11.—The jail at Auusta burned last night. It cost \$82,000.
MILWAUKEE, Feb. 11.—Fire last night de troyed a group of buildings five miles north of the city owned by Chas. Herman. The property destroyed included a flouring mill of four run of stone, a pearl barley mill, starch factory and five drying kilns used for drying peas and starch. Loss \$30,000; no insurance.

ALL AROUND THE GLOBE.

Judge Baxter, of the United States district court, at Memphis, has decided to appoint a reeiver for that city.

A strike is in progress against a reduction of vages on the Metropolitan elevated railway, New York city. The Very Rev. Cornelius Moynihan, for thirty

years pastor of St. Peter's church. New Orleans, died yesterday. John Hope has been arrested in New York, charged with complicity in the Manhattan bank robbery. Other arrests are expected. W. B. Fleming has been elected to Congress from the Savannah, Ga., district, in plac John Hartridge, deceased. No opposition. George W. Gift, editor of the Napa, Cal., Reporter, a captain in the confederate army during the war, died at Napa yesterday.

All trains on the Ohio & Mississippi railroad were detained at Plana station, Ohio, from 6 A. to 6 P. M. Sunday, by the enforcement Milwaukee and the surrounding country was

visited by a heavy snow storm yesterday. The fall was from 6 to 13 inches in depth in differ-Jacob Hicht and Abraham Stein of New York city, have been arrested at the instance of the board of health, for buying and slaugh-

A national conference of colored citizens, to consider the situation of the colored people in the South, socially, morally, etc., will be held at Nashville, Tenn., May 6. The striking miners of Coshocton, Ohio, have posted notices in the vicinity of the union lines warning the men at work there that they

will do them hurt if work is not stopped by Thursday next. Schaefer, at New York, last night, was awarded the first prize in the recent billiard tournament, of \$1,000 in gold and silver won, and Slosson, Sexton and Daly the second, third and fourth prizes.

The grand jury of Charleston, S. C., yester-day found a true bill against E. W. Mackey, Republican, for libel, in publishing charges agains? W. L. Daggett, Democrat. of stuffing the ballot box at Palmetto engine house at the

The liablities of Osborn, Chase & Swain, pie ture frame manufacturers, of Toledo, O., are stated at \$190,000, with nominal assets of about the same amount. Alleged cause of failure, speculation in real estate and decline in prices of goods. The company employed 200 hands. The Brooklyn health officers charge that a

number of cows suffering from pleuro pneu-monia have been taken from stables and slaughtered at the abattoirs. The carcasses are now under guard until veterinary surgeon A gorge in the Missouri river at Glasgow destroyed a span of the railroad bridge which was being built for the Chicago & Alton railwas being built for the Chicago & Alton rail-road by the American Bridge company, of Chi-cago. The loss, which is \$30,000 to \$40,000, falls on the bridge company. It would have been ready for use by March 1st.

It is announced from Detroit that the steamers of the Northern Transit company, heretofore connecting with the Vermont Central railroad at Ogdensburg, will run during the coming season from Chicago to Sarnia, Ontarie, Toledo and Cleveland, and solely in the interest of the Grand Trunk railway.

MINNESOTA NEWS.

The liquor license at Rushford is fixed \$100. Diphtheria prevails to an alarming extent in

Carver. The oldest inhabitant says, "Look out for a early spring."

A few cases of diphtheria are reported in Northfield and vicinity. A number of lumber camps in the State are breaking up on account of the lack of snow.

The sale of railroad tickets at the depot in Hastings during the month of January, amounted to \$1,503.68. The dry goods house of A. C. Anderson, of Kasson, succumbed to the pressure of the times last week, and was closed.

Numerous deaths are reported among the cat-tle in Rice county. The fatality is believed by many to be due to wire binding. H. Schmidt was thrown from his buggy in Owatonna, the other day, and severely bruised, one of his arms being disabled.

Large quantities of fish have died this win-ter in Indian lake, near Mankato. There are different theories as to the cause. Ashbury Newman, a harness maker of Sauk Rapids, has been adjudged insane, and has been taken to the hospital at St. Peter.

Snow is noted by the State papers as having fallen in different localities recently from one to eight inches in depth, but it did not stay H. M. Atkins, of the Sherburne county Stay, has sold his interest to his partner, Arthur N. Dale, by whom the paper will in future be conducted.

A confidence man in Marston, Dakota county, spent about a week "boarding round" negotiating to buy a farm, and finally swindled a farmer out of a twenty dollar bill and de-

About 100 car loads of stone is to be used by the railroad company in riprapping the trestle work opposite Hastings. The stone is pro-duced at Red Wing.

George Bailey, of Elk River, while logging, by the slipping of a handspike, had the whole weight of a log brought down upon his shoul-der, crushing it badly. Malcom Clark, of the town of St. Charles, Winona county, will be entitled to about \$1,200 pension arrearages by the new Congressional pension bill. D. B. Dale's store at Fairmont, Martin coun-

ty, was closed by the sheriff last week. Slow collections and hard times proved too much for the storekeeper. The small boy, son of Mr. Morlock, of Jordan, Scott county, whose eye was injured by a piece of gun-cap which he placed on a stove and struck with a hatchet, has lost the sight of

tin county, is strongly agitated, and there is a growing sentiment in favor of bonding the county to the amount of \$10,000 or \$12,000 for that purpose. Gould's drug store in Fairmont has been closed by Mr. Hewett, of Winnebago City, who held a \$3,700 mortgage given by Mr. Gould to the Bank of Fairmont on the stock of

The project of building a court house in Mar-

drugs, etc. Diphtheria of a fatally malignant type, is still raging in Castle Rock, Dakota county, and vicinity. Mrs. Wheeler, who attended Mr. Slocum's children when sick of it, took the disease and died.

Dr. Gates amputated four fingers from the hand of Mr. Wallace Hemphill, of Winnebago Valley. Mr. Hemphill froze his fingers very badly New Year's night, and after futile efforts o heal them amputation was found necessary. John McCombe, a married man, had an altercation the other day with Mrs. D. Jones, of St. Charles, an honest, hard-working woman, whose daughter he had seduced, and during the controversy he draw a revelop arrested and taken before a justice and fined

Mrs. C. H. Plummer, of Wabasha, while lifting some articles on the tea table suffered the fracture of an arm. A year ago her collar bone was broken by some trifling wrench. The doctor states that this extreme brittleness of her complice of Ulrich, the counterfeiter, was senoones is due to excess of phosphate of lime. Princeton Union: The brother of Hattie Stanley informs us that he saw his sister recently, and he thought she would gladly return home if she was not afraid to do so. The fool-ish girl has had all her romantic ideas about life in a wigwam with an Indian lover dispelled by this time.

by this time. The Hokah Blade learns that work will be commenced on the Southern Minnesota railway extension as soon as spring opens, and the road pushed on towards the Missouri river. Upon the same subject the Lanesboro Journal says: "It is said the Southern Minnesota will be extended 140 miles next season.

Fairmont, Martin county, Sentinel: "We are unable to give anything definite this week as regards the outcome of the Bank of Fairmont failure. Affairs are in a complicated condition. The different partnerships and numerous parties directly and indirectly connected with the institution, render it a laborinected with the institution, render it a labori-ous task to get at the actual condition of af-The Sauk Rapids Press gives an account of a row that occurred in the town of Maywood, Benton county, instigated mainly by the royal presence of King Alcohol. The bridegroom

threw a stone at one of the party, and missing his mark, hit his father, an old man, on the head, felling him to the ground, and rendering him unconscious for a time. At last account the old gentleman was in a critical condition Owatonna Journal: From the list of births and deaths in Steele county, compiled by the clerk of court, we learn that the number of births was 406, of which 195 were males and 211 females. There were three pairs of twins, each pair male and female. The number of deaths was 156, of which 79 were males and 77 females. Seventy-nine of the whole number of deaths were children 6 years old and under, and 21 were between the ages of 6 and 21. Thirty died of diphtheria, ten of consumption, two

were struck by lightning and four killed by accidents. In one of the deaths from old age the deceased was 101 years old. Worthington Advance: The recent failures in Worthington are supposed by many to be due to the fact that our merchants have trusted their goods out to the farmers and are unable to collect. We have made considerable inquiry to collect. We have made considerable inquiry as to this, and find that it is not the case. No one of the business houses which recently failed had any large amount trusted out. The failure in the case of two of the firms was due to old debts and in the other to the fact that the house had laid in a large stock of goods in anticipation of a heavy trade, which, owing to the failure of the crop, did not follow. Of course, if there had been a brisk fall trade, all our merchants might have pulled through but our merchants might have pulled through, but the point we wish to make, on behalf of the farmers, is that they are not to blame, as is

generally supposed. Weakening.

| Hastings Gazette. | Bill King is weakening on the fair question and now proposes that the State society unite with him in giving grand annual exhibitions midway between St. Paul and Minneapolis, provided the first of the series be held upon the grounds in Minneapolis this year. It is needless to add that the evident self sacrifice on his part will not be executed. his part will not be accepted. An Editor Announces Himself as a Candi

|Mankato Union.| But St. Paul and Minneapolis have been, according to their thinking, the State of Minnesota ever since its organization. Hence, it followed, they furnished the Governors. We shall bother you gentlemen for this position, one of these days.

date for Governor.

The Proper Republican Candidate. |Carver County Free Press.]

Just now the press of the State seems to b much agitated whether Pillsbury or Jim Wakefield shall be the next Governor. We favor neither. In our opinion Hon. William S. King, ex-Representative in Congress, is just the man for the place.

The produce firm of Oliver Gibbs & Co., Montreal, have failed. Liabilities will prob-ably reach \$100,000.

BROWER'S BAD MEMORY.

One of Washburn's Swag Dispensers Corraled at St. Cloud -- Money Spent for Work, Beer. Etc., but His Memory Treacherous

As to Amounts. [Special Telegram to the Globe.]

Sr. CLOUD, Minn., Feb. 11 .- J. V. Brower, register in the land office, was examined to-day in the Donnelly-Washburn contest. He testified that he had had correspondence with Washburn; that he received from Minueapolis \$50 or more; that he had canvassed the counties of Todd and Morrison in behalf of Washburn; that he had paid money to different parties named by him for working at the polls, for the hire of teams, for cigars, beer, etc. Some of these were Democrats. He thought it was all right to hire Democrats to work at the polls for Republicans. His memory was very bad as to a great many particulars. He could not recollect what amounts he paid to anybody. He could not tell whether he was in North Prairie one hour or two days. He could not tell whether

one hour or two days. He could not tell whether he spent \$50 or \$500 in the canvass.

He told of one man, Charles Berens, of North He told or one man, Charles Berens, of North Prairie, who offered to write to Washburn and sell his influence to Washburn for \$50, but Washburn, Brower says, didn't want to buy, but sent the letter to him (Brower) and he saw Berens, whom he considered a valuable man to secure. What he (Brower) paid out for expenses of travel, etc., was repaid him by the commit-

A good many amusing scenes occurred over Brower's inability to remember anything about money paid out by him. [His testimony, on the whole, was very damaging to Washburn.

THE HORSE. Mr. Mealey's Importation-Miscellaneous

A private note from Mr. H. C. Mealey, Monticello, informs us that we under-weighted the Norman colt recently purchased by him. The colt was bred and raised by D. Dunham, Wayne, Dupage county, Ill., will be three years old June 1st next, stands sixteen hands, and weighs 1,460 pounds. The GLOBE received its information from one of the best horsemen in the State, who pronounced the cost norsemen in the State, who pronounced the colt one of the finest pieces of horse flesh ever brought into the State, an assettion fully borne out by the description thus given of him. The corrected description by Mr. Mealey is all in favor of the colt. Mr. Mealey is to be congratulated upon the ownership of such an animal and the borne the ownership of such an animal and the hors interests of the State upon Mr. Mealey's enterprise in the purchase.

This year's Derby will be run on Wednesday

May 28. There are 290 nominations, and should there be twenty-five starters, the stake will be worth to the winner something like \$37,000. Parole, one of Mr. Pierre Lorillards' American heroes, now in England, has been entered for the Epsom gold cup, to be ran May 30, one mile and a half; weights, 3-year-olds, 112 pounds; 4-year-olds, 132 pounds, and 5 years

and upwards, 138 pounds.

Of the horses trotting under 2:30 last year,
Rarus, of course, trotted the greatest number
of three heats, 65. Next to him is the western porse, Doc Lexis, with 38: Hopeful, 37: Pro horse, Doc Lexis, with 38; Hopeful, 37; Protein, 36; Driver, 31; Wampoline, Lew Scott and Derby, 26 each; Edwin Forrest, 22; Wolford Z, 21; Bonesetter, 20; Adelaide, 24; Woodford Mambrino, 29; Baltimore, 20; Powers, 19; Ethel, (5 y. o.) 19; Edward, 18; Lucille, 11; Cozette, Croxie, Dick Moore, Mountain Quail, Scott's Thomas, 16 each.

More, Mountain Quai, Scott's Thomas, 16 each.

Mr. Joseph A. Young, Rochester, Minn., offers for sale the trotting horse John J. Cooke, record 2:29½, and better possibilities.

It is reported that Dan Mace will have charge, the coming season, of Mr. Charles Kerner's stable at Goshen, including Lady Mills, who recently showed a private trial in 2:19%.

It will be recollected that in April, 1878, Goldsmith Maid, the queen of the turf, was bred to General Washington, (son of General Knox out of Lady Thorn.) Budd Doble recently paid a visit to the queen, and says there is no doubt about her being in foal.

Mr. Chas. Reed has leased the Saratoga asso-

ciation course and grounds. There will be two meetings given at Saratoga, the first July 19th and the second August 5th, making twenty-five to twenty-seven days' racing.

Mr. L. A. Hitchcock, a turfman whose name and face was well known on the racecourses of the country, died Jan. 20th, 1879, at East Marshfield, Mass., in his 52d year. He was the owner of Limestone, Galway, Cariboo, Mollie Darling. Quits, Speculation, Crow's Meat, Lutitia H. and many other horses during his

career on the turf.

Mr. D. Swigert, Stockwood farm, Spring Station, Ky., has met with a serious loss in the death of the bay horse Mahlstick, five years old, by Lever, out of Rebecca T. Price, by the Colonel. Mahlstick ran some nineteen races in his two, three and four-year-old form, and wen the Levisville and the Levisville. won ten, amongst them the Louisville cup in 1878. The chestnut gelding John Virgin (record The chestnut gelding John Virgin (record 2:29), and the brown gelding Morris (record 2:29), have been matched for \$1,000, to be trotted over Beacon and Mystic parks in June.

Aurora, Ill., claims July 29th to Aug. 1st for a

trotting meeting.
The famous Bay Final, by Lexington, sire of Bay Leaf, was sold to Major Bond at public auction Jan. 15th, at Tattersall's, London, for

\$525. Oh. ho! Ah. ha! [Duluth Tribune.] If it is all the same to the Pioneer Press and to the Minneapolis Tribune, we would like to have them rise and explain what, if any, connection the promise of Gov. Pillsbury and his friends to decline to assist in, and to have nothing to do with the establishing of a morn-ing daily paper in Minneapolis, has to do with

deputy-warden here, wrote a letter to one of the St. Paul papers, the GLOBE, we believe, in which he described Pat Coffey as the most diabolical, three-story, triple-plated liar ever known. Now Pat, in his testimony before the

their excessively-ardent support of Gov. Pills-bury for a third term.

Would Have His Fun.

[Stillwater Gazette.]

Not long age W. W. Williams, formerly

committee of investigation says, "Williams was a good man, but he used to get drunk and kick a man in the gable end for pleasantness." Williams always would have his fun. DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN. OFFICE OF OBSERVATION, SIGNAL CORPS, U. S. A. INGERSOLL BLOCK, THIRD STREET, Observations taken at the same moment of

time at all stations.
Meteorological Record, Feb. 11, 1879, 9:56 P. M.

Breckenridge .. 30.18 -4
Duluth 29.97 16
Fort Garry ... 30.36 -8

Bar. Ther. Wind.

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Cloudy.

Pembina 30.30 Pt. Paul 19.88 Yankton30.18 -Below zero. DAILY LOCAL MEANS. Bar. Ther. Rel. Hum. Wind. Weather. 29.921 22.0 81.3 N. Fair. 29.921 22.0 81.3 N. Fair.
Amount of rainfall or melted snow, 0.00;
maximum thermometer, 27; minimum ther-

mometer, 14. W. B. GREENE, Private Signal Corps, U. S. A.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12, 1 A. M.—Indications for the upper lake region, upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys: Areas of snow with partly cloudy weather, lower temperature than on Tuesday and variable winds.

St. Paul Encampment No. 15. On Thursday evening, the 20th inst., the first annual hop of the St. Paul Encampment No. 15, T. O. O. F., takes place at Standard Hall. No pains will be spared to make the oc-casion immensly enjoyable. The members ap-pear in their beautiful uniforms. Admirable arrangements are being made, and a brilliant entertainment is assured.

Thos. S. Drew, elected Governor of Arkansas in 1844 and reelected 1850, died recently in Texas.