ELEVENTH YEAR.

Little Important Business Transacted in the Senate.

The Anti-Chinese Bill Again faken Up and Discussed by the House

Ex-Minister MdClure Detailing the Treatment of Americans in China

The Testimony of Shipherd Concerning His Scheme at the Investigation.

Miscellaneous Notes of a National Character.

### CONGRESS.

PROCEEDINGS IN THE SENATE. WASHINGTON, March 22 .- The life saving service bill was taken up. Mr. McPherson offered an amendment that the secretary of the treasury be authorized to regulate the compensation of crews and the number of surf men, none to get more than \$60 a month. Lost.

Mr. Hale's amendment to the life

saving service bill was adopted. The morning hour expired, cutting off further consideration of the bill. The annual consular and diplomatic

appropriation bill was taken up and passed with amendments by the com-The life saving service bill was taken up again; the salaries of district superintendents as proposed in the bill were reduced to the following

amounts: First district, Maine and New Hampshire, \$1,600; second, Massachusetts, \$1,500; third, Rhode Island and Long Island, \$1,800; fourth, New Jersey, \$1,800; fifth, Delaware and Chesapeake bay, \$1,500; sixth, Chesapeake bay and Cape Fear, \$1,800; seventh, the eastern coast of Florida, \$1,200; eighth, Gulf of Mex-

After executive session, adjourned at 5:20 p. m.

The senate in executive session confirmed Samuel Blatchford, to be asso-

tion of the bill. Mr. Washburn (Minn.) took the floor on the ground the coming of Chinese was an injustice to laboring

Mr. McClure, who was minister to Jhina under President Pierce, apported the bill, holding that no feeling of reciprocity existed between the two nations, and that the history of their relations show there never will be. He gave many instances of the ill treatment of Americans by the eling in China.

Mr. Kasson spoke in favor of his amendment to the bill making the the late treaty and he wished not to live to see the day when American faith would be classed with the term

The house then took a recess unti 10 o'clock to-morrow to continue debate on the bill.

# SHIPHERD.

INVESTIGATION RESUMED. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 22 .-The Shipherd investigation was re-Shipherd stated while on the journey to Washington from the house of a senator whom he refused to name the senator said Shipherd's claim, if endorsed by the government, would give the government a grand opportunity to open commercial relations with South America. The senator regarded the whole matter in the light of commercial annexation. The senator desired him to go to Washington and see Blaine and explain the matter to him, the senator promising to arrange an interview for the pur-pose, and Shipherd went to Washing-ton. The senator kept his word. The senator declined to accept a re-tainer on the ground that if the secretary took the matter up it might come before congress and as a member of congress he could not concientiously take a fee in the case. After the sec retary did take the matter up and it became understood it would be settled by the state department then he ok a fee, but four months later returned it when he learned that after without going before congress, he on representations that Galus is an returned the fee without any deduc-imbecile. tion for actual disbursement. Boutwell was retained as counsel on account of his freshness in international law through his position as counsel of the United States in the court of The governor has respited Jeremiah claims in a French-American case. Harrigan, sentenced to be hanged on Boutwell pronounced the claim good, Shea, until November 15.

THE NATIONAL CAPITAL. without a flaw and entirely satisfactory, and declared himself ready to submit the matter to the president. Shipherd sought an interview, but did not secure it. He had a talk with Gen. Adams about possible commercial relations with Bolivia as an annex

Suffering South. to the Peruvian scheme, but nothing came of it. No official of the United States was interested in the company, except that he (Shipherd) had employed as counsel with no expectation of benefits from his official position, W. H. Robertson, collector at New

Adjourned until to-morrow.

## CAPITAL NOTES

National Associated Press. ANOTHER OFFICE.

Anthony has introduced a bill to establish the office of assistant secretary of the ravy.

CABINET CHANGES.

and is generally credited. It is said Teller has telegraphed the governor of Colorado to appoint Representative Nine days ago Lieut. Sam Chur Belford senator. Chaffee does not chill was commissioned by Gov

The house committee on railways and canals has agreed to report a survey for water communication with Lake Michigan and the Detroit river. The nomination of A. L. Morrison, of Illinois, to be United States marshal of New Mexico, was sent to the

senate to day.

Secretary Lincoln has, under the new appropriation, authorized 500,-000 rations to be sent to Arkansas, 200,000 to Mississippi, 300,000 to Louisiana and 70,000 each to New Madrid, Charleston and Gayaso, Mo.; also 100 hospital tents for use at Mississippi City.

Mrs. Grant received many callers at the White House to day.

The president's dinner to-night was attended by General and Mrs. Grapt, Secretary Frelinghuysen and wife, Judge and Mrs. Gray, and others. There was Marine band music, flowers,

passed safely over the bridge. A con-struction train closely following, broke through, carrying four spans of the bridge with it. The cars caught fire and two men burned alive. Seven others are reported killed outright, and eleven or twelve seriously injured. A passenger train was immediately behind the construction train and narrowly escaped.

St. Paul, Minn., March 22.-The following are the names of the killed and injured: Killed Thos. Grady, Chinese, and related instances to no friends; Geo. Machier, Marysville, show the intellectual inferiority of the Ks.; Thos. Wilson, Ole Johnson, J. people, many of which incidents came McCormick, Wm. Watson, Jas. under his own observation while trav-O'Brien, of Degraff, Minn.; M. Mc-Audrews, relations at Pittsburg, Pa. Seriously injured-Geo. Miller arm broken, head cut; T. O. Barry, interm ten years instead of twenty, doing away with the passport system and omitting the clause which makes the bill apply to skilled labor. He opposed the bill because it takes advan- there. Many of them were burned tage of the confidence which the Chi-nese reposed in the United States by were brought to Mandan, where a carpenter shop is fitted up with cots. The company is doing all in its power to make them comfortable. The ac-'Punic faith." California demands cident was beyond all human foresomething more reasonable than this sight and under the circumstances un-

# Political.

National Associated Press. HARRISBURG, Pa., March 22.-The democratic state committee decided to hold the next convention at Harrisburg on June 28th.

Kansas City, Mo., March 22 The democratic convention to-day kominated the following ticket for municipal officers: Mayor, Geo. M. Shelby; treasurer, Louis P. Eveland: auditor, Jno. C. Shea; city attorney, P. McGrath; recorder, H. Fenny; supervisor of registration, Otto Seitz.

# Mormon Converts.

CHATTANOOGA, March 22.-Elder Morgan, presiding elder of the Mormor church for Virginia, North Caro lina, Tennessee, Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi, left to day for Utah with 100 converts gathered in the above states. At Nashville he will be joined 50 or 75 more.

## Sentence of an Imbecile Com-National Associated Press.

SPRINGFIELD, March 21.—The gov. ernor to-day commuted to life im-prisonment the sentence of Galus, who was to be hauged at Chicago on all the matter could not be settled Friday. The commutation was made

WILMINGTON, Del., March 22 several weeks' examination Friday next for the murder of Dennis

## **COVERNMENT CRUB**

The Only Trouble Being that the Supplies are not in Sufficient Quantity.

Report of One of the Commissioners to Investigate the Extent of Destitution.

Washington, March 22 .- Senator Showing a Demoralizing Condition of Affairs in Arkansag.

LATTLE ROCK, Ark., March 22. want the senatorship. 'Feller's Indian views are not in harmony with the present commissionera. Price, who will resign, and other prominent officers are to be changed.

Bale is talked of for the navy as a He returned last night, and has made the overflowed districts of this state. He returned last night, and has made a lengthy and minute report of his observations. He found the larger portion of Desha and t wo-thirds of Chicota county under water, and thousands of their inbabitants in appalling destitution. Some scenes witnessed were heartrending. In places absolutely everything wasswept away by the floods, leaving a once prosperangly by the floods, leaving a once prosperangly living thing near them. The government supplies saved hundreds from death by starvation, and thousands of their observations. The strikes of the spinners was also held this evening. The strikes the nature and addresses from all patts of the constraint of the situation. A strike of the spinners was also held this evening, at which resolutions to favore the emperor made a very notable speech in reply to an address by a deputation of the conservative committee of draw on their deposits, but on the constraint of the strate a better idea of the nature and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the deutle and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the delegrams and addresses from all patts of the constraint on the constraint on the care of the constraint on the constraint peace offering to the stalwarts for passing Chaffee by.

MISCELLANEOUS.

a lengthy and minute report of his observations. He found the larger portion of Desha and t we-thirds of any living thing near them. The government supplies saved hundreds from death by starvation, and thou-sands from terrible suffering. The stories circulated that undeserving parties received much of the supplies he found untrue except in one instance. The area of country supplied by the commission at Arkansas City, Desha county, is ten miles long and seven miles wide, and contains over a thousand destitutes. One

thousand more rations are wanted there immediately. The rations issued were three pounds of salt meat and a peck of meal per week. At Terine, Lieut. Churchill found the supplies injudiciously distributed to

seen dying and the rest starving. In one store built high on stilts and surrounded by water he found all living together a large family, among whom was an old woman at the point of

a number of other animals. From St. Francis, Miss., Crittenden and other counties of this state, similar tales of misery and distress reached here some days ago. General Nangam, commissioner for the state, estimated the number destitute at 17,000. It is now claimed they will aggregate 20,000 people. It will take three or four weeks before the water leaves the plantations, and even then they will be dependent on outside aid for support. The loss of stock, Lieut. Churchill says, has been so great that with what remains farmers

is eight miles long.
Yazoo Ciry, Miss., March 22.—The river has fallen about two inches. About 500 persons have arrived here during the last week; 500 more are at the camp ground and fed principally by citizens. The demoralization of labor is complete. All say they do not intend to go back to the bottoms.

### Suicide. National Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 22 .- Phillip member of the old Knickerbocker family, was found dead in his room at the Brunswick Hotel, where he lived, this morning, with a bullet hole through his head and an English bulldog revolver in his hand. His wife and he had been together at the minstrels Tuesday night. She occupied a suit of rooms on the floor above, while he lodged in the single room where

# Mason's Sentence to be Mitigated.

WASHINGTON, March 22 .- The applications for Sergeant Mason's pardon have been referred to the war department. His sentence will be mitigated to dismissal from the ser-

found.

NEWTON, N. H., March 22 .- Geo. Currier's shoe contractor's shop at this place burned to-day. Loss, \$25,-000; no insurance. The stock belonged mostly to Haverhill parties. The Illinois Legislature in Extra

Session.

National Associated Pross

Springfield, Ill., March 22.—A large number of members arrived to-

night. There is no doubt that a quo- stant relief. rum will be present in both branches when the legislature meets in extra session to-morrow. No reorganization is expected, but a caucus of republican senators appointed a com- seller W. W. Kerr left for Washingmittee to-night to report to a call ton to-night, and will resume werk in caucus to-morrow morning on the the star route cases.

# subject of senate employes looking to GOD'S CIFT TO GERMANY. tunes with the Canada Pacific syndi-

The governor's message, which will be delivered in the afternoon it is understood, will take strong grounds in favor of enlarging the Illinois & Michigan canal and transferring the same to the government, and also in favor of the construction of the Hen-

nepin canal. Impeaching a Judge.

Sr. Paul, March 22.—The senate, which for eighty days has been sitting as a court of impeachment, trying charges of drunkenness and lewdness charges of drunkenness and lewdness against E. St. Julian Cox, judge of the Ninth district court, took final action to-day. He was found guilty on article 2 by a vote of 28 to 10. There are eighteen articles in all, but this is the principal one and was a test vote and settled Cox's fate so far as the senate is concerned. The whole matter, however, is subject to review by The report that Teller will be appointed secretary of the interior is the only topic of conversation to-night

Humans and Animals Living and the supreme court. The impeachment has cost the state \$35,000. There are eighteen articles against There are eighteen articles against Cox, and he was found guilty on seven, which insures his removal.

## The Pacific Mills Strike-

LAWRENCE, Mass., March 22,-The city has been perfectly quiet to-day.
The weavers' relief society held a meeting and voted to hold a mass meeting to-morrow in order to demonstrate a batter idea of the country. The bill virtually gives to the government a monopoly of the tobacco trade, and insures to it a very large revenue.

St. Paul, Minn., March 22. - Camps of engineering parties on the Northern Pacific road have been raided to such on extent, stock driven of supplies by God, and not to be taken away by on extent, stock driven off, supplies stolen, etc., that Gen. Terry has given them military protection.

Washington, March 22.—A dispatch from Agent Miles at Fort Reno, Indian territory, states that the government of the French republic, assur-

Whitney, last June. Whitney was by Prince Bismarck to carry the tothe son of Myra Clarke Gaines.

occasions the reappearance of the dis- feels its defeat keenly. death, fifteen mules, several cows and

ERIE, Pa., March 22 .- The mother superior of St. Vincent hospital here died this morning, aged 59. She founded the order of Sisters of St. Joseph, to which belonged the diocese of Buffalo, N. Y. She came to Erie in 1860, when she founded a large orphan asylum of her order. She also built St. Vincent's hospital and was wonderfully successful.

SALEM, Mass., March 22.-Capt John Bertram, sea captain, died today, aged 86 years. He was a privateer in the war of 1812, was capcan scarcely till one-eighth part of the largest tured twice and taken to England. land usually cultivated. The largest He traded extensively with Patagonia. He traded extensively with Patagonia, break in the Mississippi river is just Madagascar and other distant parts. below Gaines, in Chicota county; it He left property in Salem, railroad stocks and western property estima ted at \$5,000,000 to \$10,000,000. He had married three times and leaves widow and three daughters.

QUEBEC, March 21 .- A flutter of excitement has been caused in social circles here over the rumored immediate marriage of Sir Hugh Allen to Miss Gordon of this city.

Boston, March 21. - President Arthur has pardoned Royal B. Conant, sentenced March 5, 1880, to five Van Rennestear, aged 40, rich and a years' imprisonment for embezzlement while acting cashier of a national bank of this city. HARRISRURG, Pa., March 21 .- The

board of pardons which was in session here to-day had under consideration a calendar of 22 cases. The session where connection can be made with tornonate made are demanded for lasted until a late hour this evening, when it was found that six persons more & Ohio for Washington and committed for minor offense had been Baltimore. granted pardons. The board refused to grant any interference in the cases Another railroad is about to reach of Jonathan Mertier, of Snyder coun y out an arm to clasp Kansas City.

## Throat Disease Often Commence With

Cold, cough, or unusual exertion of the voice. These incipient symptoms are allayed by the use of Brown's Bronchial Troches," which if neglected often result in a chronic trouble of the throat. mar22-dw-1w

# Economy. A fortune may be spent in using ineffectual medicines, when by applying Thomas' Eclectric Oil a speedy and economical cure can be effected. In cases of rheumatism, lame back, bodily allments or pains of every description, it affords in than trailef.

PHILADELPHIA, March 21.-Coun-

## Remarkable Statement Made by Emperor William.

In Response to an Address Congratulating Him on Living So Long.

He Claims His Crown is a Divine Symbol of Absolute Authority.

And it Was Never Intended it Should be Taken Away by Man.

Miscellaneous News that Came Over the Cable.

National Associated Press.

BERLIN, March 22. - Prince Bis-marck has decided to submit his bill defeated to dissolve parliament and cisco.

pression upon those who heard it.

LONDON, March 22.—The king of

CHICAGO, March 22.—Fifteen new turned a vote of 30 to 32. Prince cases of small pox are reported to-day Bismarck, who was expecting a unanand seven deaths. The colder weather imous decision in favor of the bill,

> The National Zeitung publishes that the general staff of the Russian nicipal court of Minneapolis to-day. army reports that it is impossible for war and that in view of existing comstrengthening of their whole line of defense, especially at Warsaw and

other points, against an invasion. LONDON, March 21.-A messag from the queen regarding the nuptial grant from the government to Prince Leopold in his approaching marriage with Princess Helena of Waldeck, was read in both houses this afternoon, and will be called up for con-

sideration on Thursday next. The United States government has adhered to the Geneva Red Cross convention.

# National Associated Pross.

Youngstown, O., March 22.—This evening's News-Register says that C. H. Andrews has sold an interest in the Pittsburg, Youngstown & Chicago railroad, in course of construction be tween Pittsburg and Akron, O., to Commodore Garrison, of New York. ed, rumor says, to build to a point who find it difficult to get accompany burg, Youngstown & Chicago. This sitted by the cold rea or. the Connellsville branch of the Balti- board and lod, ang.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 22.— Another railroad is about to reach say the branch will be commenced early this spring and be pushed for-

ward to rapid completion.
WINNIPEG, Man., March 22. Langdon & Shepard, of St. Paul, contractors for the next 500 miles of the Canadlan railway, are here in close consultation with Gen. G. R. Van Horn, relative to their contract, which is to be at once vigorously entered upon. Track-laying begins 200 miles west of Winnipeg, and they expect to construct and iron at the

rate of 50 miles per month. Considerable excitement has been

cate succeeded in depriving that en-terprise of its land grant of over 6,000 acres per mile. Should these two events occur the road is practically useless as a railroad enterprise.

City of Mexico, March 22.—The state government of Michoan has de-clared forfeited, on a technicality, the state contract with the Mexican National railway company for the build-ing of a line of railway from Morelia, the capital of the state of Paschuro. The company will, in case the state takes advantage of the technicality. appeal to the federal court for jurisdiction in the matter. There is a strong probability, however, of the difficulty being amicably adjusted without resort to the courts.

Dallas, Texas, March 22.—C P. Huntington passed north to-night en route from New Orleans. Rumor says he has been negotiating for the pur-chase of the Houston & Texas Cen-tral railroad, but the result is unknown. By the Pierce and Hu. tington combination they jointly build a road from El Paso to San Antonio. Huntington is there to use the Sunset route to Preston, thence by the Texas and New Orleans road to New Orleans. for a tobacco tax to reichstag, and if making a complete route to San Fran-

## Dominion News.

National Ass clated Press

sary to again remind the country what the crown in Prussia was; it was a articles brought into Canada as supmade a search in the vicinity, coming

consider the first paymaster, with the rank of major; Maj. James B. Potter, to be deputy paymaster general, with the rank of leutenant colonel; Wm. H. Gill, to be military store keeper, with the rank of captain.

\*\*Taked Ralirond Accident\*\*

\*\*Description of a terrible accident on the secretary of war the amount of money received by the Mississippi sufferers. The opponents of the Chinese bill asked Mr. Page to agree to the time globel he would fix a time after coorsulting with frends of the bill, but passenger train had gone that one propose to have a slood of amendments. He replied he would fix a time after coorsulting with frends of the bill, but possess that a passenger train had gone that the captain with frends of the bill, but passed asking a different of the country of the substant story is within a passenger train had gone that the captain that t to decide as to the requisition. Burke the most unconcerned of any of the has the best criminal counsel in the state, and friends who have plenty of money are determined to get him out of his scrape if possible

Sr. PAUL, Minn., March 22 .- Burke, alias Billy the Kid, the famous bank dispatch from St. Petersburg saying robber, was brought before the mu-By preconcerted arrangement the Russia at present to wage offensive charge of being a fugitive from justice was dismissed, but no sooner had the plications they recommend the instant handcuffs been removed than another pair was clasped upon his wrists, he being informed of rearrest on a warrants issued by Governor Hubbard for robberies in Albany and Niagara counties, N. Y., and delivered into the custody of Sheriff Hauck and Detective Hale, of Albany. The threatened offer of a habeas corpus was not made and Hauck and Hale left for Albany this evening. Enough crimes are charged to the Kid's account in Buffalo and Albany county to send him up for twenty years, to say noth-ing of bank robberies in Cleveland and elsewhere.

Immigration to Manitoba. WINNIPEG, Man., March 21.—Three emigrant trains from Ontario brought in over a thousand settlers from Ontario in the last forty-eight hours, and the regular trains a swed number with Garrison is building a railroad knewn every trip now made from St. Paul. as the Wheeling & Lake Erie, from The growth of this city is marvelous. Toledo to Wheeling, but has conclud- The city is crowded with stranger near Akron and there join the Pats- dations, la fi aps that are only usenwill make a direct and short line from reut har go up to fabulous fi ures.

# Tail End Collision.

Sr. PAUL, March 22.-A heavy of Jonathan Mertier, of Snyder coun y or Henry Rumberger, of Dauphin county, both sentenced to be executed on Friday next.

Throat Disease Often Commenced to be a sent back another the proper will be a manufactured by the proper will section came along and collided with the end of the broken freight and completely destroyed two freight cars and seriously damaged the engine. No one was injured. The passenger due here at 2 a. m. was detained several hours in consequence of the wreck.

# Indignant Irishmen.

CHICAGO, March 22 .- An enthusiastic meeting of Irishmen was held after, or the vigilantes will know this evening at Wali's hall. Several why. produced here to-day from a report strong speeches were made denounce that the Dominion government have ing United States Minister Lowell that the Dominion government have decided to prevent connection between the Manitoba & Southwestern railway and the Northern Pacific at the international boundary and that the Canadian element recently out-mancu-versed by the Oregon Transcontinental company have by linking their forcompany have by linking their for president to recall Lowell.

# TRAIN ROBBER ARRESTED

Capture of Another One of the Blue Cut Gang.

Who, the Detectives Claim, Came From Washington Territory to do It.

He Asserts His Inuocence and Says He Will be Able to Prove an Alibi.

But the Officials are Convinced They Have Got Hold of the Right Man.

### The Work of Thining Out the Desperadoes Progressing Well.

National Associated Press KANSAS CITY, March 22.-Another of the parties suspected with having participated in the famous Blue Cut train robbery was arrested near Independence this afternoon. The last victim is Henry Bugler, a younger brother of John Bugler, already under indictment for the same offense.

Montreal, Can., March 22. - Hor- the Little Blue bridge. He was taken man. The speech created a great im- ace Crandall, a Nova Scotia civil en- at once to Independence and argineer, and sixteen mechanics, left raigned before Justice Shelly for ex-for the west to-day, enroute to the amination. He entered a plea of not Italy, in his reception of the French ambassador, spoke in most kindly terms of the French republic, assurterms of the French republic, assur-Indian territory, states that the government ordeg compelling a reduction of rations to Indians will probably cause an outbreak, as they will not submit to enrollment. Commissioner submit to enrollment. Commissioner signs of war but cordially desired submit to enrollment to obey in-

## parties who have been yet arrested. Marine Intelligence.

ational Associated Press. NEW YORK, March 22.-Sailed-The St. Laurent for Havre, the Butavia for Liverpool, the Devenia for Glasgow, the City of Para for Aspin-

Arrived-The Chateau Seville from Bordeaux, the Wieland from Hamburg, the Nevada from Liverpool, the France from Havre, the Castor from

Amsterdam. Southampton, March 22. - Arrived -The Main from New York for

Bramen. AMSTERDAM, March 22 .- Arrived-The Edam from New York. HAMBURG, March 22.-Arrived-

### The Silesia from New York. RAWLINS' ROUND UP.

A Necktie Party in That City and a General Cleaning Out of Thieves.

Rawlins, Wy. T., has been infested for some time with highwaymen, thieves and blacklegs, who have terrorized the authorities and made life decidedly unpleasant for the more respectable citizens. The depredations of these thieves have become so bold of late that the patience of the residents tinally give way, and a murder and robbery in one of the princist straw which broke the camel's

h ok. A determined vigilance committee armed themselves and after an exciting chase, on Sunday night they captured two of the most notorious of the outlaws. An open air court was instituted, the two prisoners were convicted and were summarily swung up. The scene of the double execution was in the stock yards a short distance out of the city, where the two criminals

were hung from a tall post. After accomplishing this rude act of justice the committee returned to the city and in a public place posted on a blackboard the names of six other well known desperadoes, with a notification that they would be given twelve hours in which to leave the city forever. It is needless to say that the individuals thus posted took immediate steps to skip. Among them was a near relative of a promi-

nent gentleman of this city.

It is expected that Rawlins will have peace within her borders here-

The Country