MR EDITOR,-Permit me, through the that the constituencies trusted, nor because columns of the FARMER, to give the mode of they were believed to have broader views as salmon fishing, and a description of the nets to the needs of our young nation and to be commonly used in York County. The mode less influenced by sectional feelings than the of preparation is this-a fisherman stakes out conservatives that they were clothed with from the shore into the river, to the depth of power. Pending the investigations now in from six to eight feet, and the stakes are progress it is premature to pronounce decidedly driven from two to three feet apart. Then if upon the numerous scandals which this session he has an old net. rather tender for outside has developed, farther than to say that unless use, he stretches it from the shore to the more satisfactory explanations are given, Mr. outside stake, which is somewhat larger than Mackenzie's administration may find itself the others, and driven quite firmly. If he open to charges similar in character to those has no old net he takes small bushes and which the country so strongly condemned in Company was exempt from attachment. weaves them in between the stakes-this is 1873. called by some weiring out. Then the principal net is knit quite deep and generally about thirty feet long, then about one third of this net is doubled round on the lower end from the weir and when brought alongside it reaches within ten feet of the stake where the upper end is tied. Then the two cork lines are tied together and lead lines also, within three feet of the mouth of the fold, and this lap or fold is always made in towards the shore. Then there is a cord tied to the short part of the lap and tied to a stake driven inside and the mouth is extended three or four feet, according to the fancy of the fisherman. The salmon are supposed to come up inside of the net, go to the weir and feel his way out to the main net, then down the main net into the mouth of the bag, and as soon as the tail of the salmon touches the outer part of the bag he gives one dart down government. He claimed that the proper stream and goes into the bag.

Now, Mr. Editor, there has been a list of respectable names sent to me, and nearly all of whom are living near the fish warden for York, whose names are the following-Asa Dow, Walter Patterson, Moses Hillman, Freeman Fox, George H. Fox, Samuel Fo, his excellent manner in which he had dis-Albert Atherton, Asa Brooks, Zemira Way, charged his duties as Speaker, he attacked George II. Maxon, Asa Miller, Ezra Miller, Leonard Miller and Dow Brooks. Now if 1 have not given a faithful description, and as practiced at present in York County, I call on the Warden to contradict my statements in the public after he publishes his in FARMER or St. John News, that I have been misled, otherwise he must lay under some very grave charges. The public can call the mede trapping, bagging or snaring, just as they think proper.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your space that my communication has occupied, Yours very respectfully,

YORK COUNTY. York, April 10, 1877.

For the Colonial Farmer. DEAR SIR, - In the last issue of the Reporter Mr. W. II. Quinn informs the public that the York County Agricultural Society are still indebted to him. I am credibly informed that the case stands thus: Mr. Quinn had \$1,600 in the savings bank, drawing 4 per cent interest; this sum he agreed to loan Mr. Reid far out of the world as any one can get, and Vice Consul at St. John. for twelve months at 8 per cent, just double the potato starch when manufactured will be what he was receiving, and deducted from the about as far as possible from a market, the principal the first year's interest, namely \$128. probability is that the call will be in vain Subsequently he received from Mr. Temple great advantage of devoting their lives to \$200, making \$328 interest for \$1,472 loaned. | the cultivation of potatoes to sell at 25 cents When Mr. Pickard received the \$5000 from per bashel, U. S. currency. the Dominion Government Mr. Quinn was This extract shows a great deal of ignorance asked if he would accept \$1,600 in full for on the part of our contemporary. Starch is his claim. He accepted the amount without being largely manufactured in Aroostook and, hesitation and gave his receipt in full of all profitably too, as is evidenced by the fact that demands. That is about the way Mr. Quinn's five new factories will be put in operation claim stands. He was used much better than this year. Under these circumstances it is the poor laborers who worked on the Exhi- not probable that the seven factories already bition Building, and still he is not happy. in operation there have been making a loss One of the present Aldermen could, if he As to Aroostook being out of the world, it wished, state the hundsome discount Mr. will be only twelve hours from Bangor or St.

FAIR PLAY.

Quinn offered on the \$1,600 claim, but could John when the new arrangements on the New

The Colonial Farmer, especially to champion Aroostook; but we do not like to see a Provincial Journal decrying

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not find a purchaser.

The political arena in Canada is not very of New Brunswick would do well to follow. John inviting just now. In the general Parliament and in the local legislatures the keenest intellects seem engaged in a contest, not as to what is the best policy to foster the growth of our nationality or promote the comfort and prosperity of the people, but to blacken each others' reputation and hold up for condemnation acts which if they are not criminal in the letter are so at least in the spirit. When the Pacific scandal was ended we hoped we had heard the last of corruption ; but it seems we were vastly in error and that the country was just on the eve of an epoch the chief characteristic of which would be the lack of common honesty in its public men. It does not matter on which side of politics men are ranked, none can shut their eyes to the fact that both in local and Dominion matters grave delinquencies have been detected. Plunder to a greater or less extent is inseparable from popular government in the present condition of the popular mind. Men are not always chosen for representative positions because of the purity of their morals or the some excellent music during the evening. integrity of their lives; wherefore those come into power who are not ashamed to abuse it | Society on the success of this their first public for their own pecuniary advantage; and the dramatic entertainment, and hope that the lany is really valuable and interesting. It public is too apt merely to shrug its shoulders succes- which it met with will induce them to contains a large amount of reading of interest. at the detection of the offence and continue give us many more. to give its confidence to the offender. What Canada needs is a higher standard of political honesty. The other day at Ottawa Sir John Macdonald, referring to Mr. Blake's speech on the Northern Railway matter, said in effect that if the Minister of Justice regarded him as a criminal he could not understand the extension of the Minister's The City Hall in Kingston Ont. is supplied hospitalities towards him. In our own local House how often have we heard the expression "he is a jolly good fellow" coupled with charges that were little short of criminal, and we have witnessed a philippic against a to bring out the full tone of a 3000 lbs bell. 2500 sheep on one ranch, only 800 have been public officer containing assertions, which if With gravity escapement and full compensate left alive, and a number of those are sick. in their work. true, would make shipwreck of the reputation ed pen lulum, this clock would cost in Boston assailed, closed by a friendly greeting between \$675. Dials are not furnished with it; the accuser and the accused. Now there is no wooden dials being generally used, a clock Mr. Alex. Macpherson, of that place, pulled difference between the man who boldly enters of this description could be placed in position a kettle of boiling water over on itself, and article about Wales—selecting this time the Derby has since written to Constantinople his neighbor's house and robs him and the man in our City Hall for about \$1000. We men- was scalded to death. who, placed in a position of trust, enriches tion this fact without recommending the himself or his friends at the public expense, Council to purchase one of these clocks, for which is not in favor of the former. Nevertheless backward and forward across the floors of Parliament charges of the latter character are hurled and the public learns the disclosures with little surprise and less indig- have been of a very warlike character. Telenation. The end of this is not difficult to grams on Saturday say that a council of war foresee if the people of the Dominion do not is being held in St. Petersburg, and that a mark this laxity of political morality with an declaration of war against Turkey is expected indellible mark of displeasure. Canada can on Tuesday. pay her officials good salaries and allow public contractors reasonably large profits; but she cannot afford, especially at the very outset of state of intoxication, fell off the Carleton her career, to allow the slightest act of official ferry floats on Saturday night, and was plunder to pass unrebuked or unpunished, drowned, Especially are the people justified in demanding the most scrupulous honesty at the hands The S.eamer David Weston arrived in provisions. In Mr. Norris' case the verdict, of the present Government. Mr. Mackenzie Fredericton, on Sunday about noon. Treasury because rightly or wrongly the for Indiantown Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock. Anglin.

najority of the electors believed the Mac SUPREME COURT JUDGMENTS .- Regina lonald administration had not been faithful McGovern-Conviction confirmed. to their trust and had confidence in the Allison vs Smith-Rule absolute for new professions of purity made by the opposition; for it was not to their superior statesmanship

The Anglin printing matter has been dis-

cussed in Parliament. Mr. Bowell moved

esolution of censure upon the government

for having paid Mr. Anglin in 1875 \$126.31,

in 1876 \$10,263.94, and \$2,709.33 for print-

ing and stationery done and furnished the

Post Office Department contrary to the pro-

visions of the act to secure the indepence of

Parliament. He made a lengthy and clever

ing especially upon the Col. Grey case on

which the then opposition took the same

regretted the occurence which was the cause

of the resolution, but claimed that the con-

tract was taken from Mr. Anglin so soon as

it was brought to the knowledge of the

way to have brought the matter before the

House was by a motion to refer it to the

committee on elections and privileges, and

called upon the supporters to resist the resolu-

tion as an improper one. Sir John Mac-

donald followed in a very able speech in

which after complimenting Mr. Anglin for

sacrifice Mr. Anglin, or subject themselves to

grave censure. The plea of "in dvertance'.

which has been set up will not avail as an

parson who, having occasion to mention from

the pulpit that a nice silk umbrella had been

taken from the church and an old cotton one

left in its stead, concluded his remarks by

saying: "of course it was a mistake; but

such mistakes are getting a little too

Referring to a Circular issued by a Mr.

Tilley of Aroostook, the Watchman says-

Aroostook and raise potatoes for starch

factories, but as the Aroestook is about as

was very large, in fact much larger than the

ladies, who rendered their parts admirably,

tended greatly to make the performance a

Laura, daughter of Howard, .. Miss Ada Dowling.

We have no desire to throw any obstacle

in the way of the purchase of a thoroughly

reliable clock for the City Hall, and in sug-

they should make further enquires before

we are not well enough informed on the snb-

News from Europe during the past week

A man named David McKee, while in a

ject to make any recommendation.

Pipton, a confirmed inebriate,.....

masher, his companion,.....

characters:-

Louisa Mordaunt

Emma Granville

Craig vs Chisholm-Appeal from Northumberland County Court. Nevins vs Chisholm-New trial ordered

Robin vs Taylor-Motion to set aside at

tachment dismissed. Kitchen vs Chatham Branch Railway. In the last two causes the Court decided that application to set aside an attachment

can be made only before appearance, Wetmore In the last cause the Court also repudiated

RIVER ST. JOHN IMPROVEMENTS, no such chance open in New Brunswick. The following answer has just been received

and the Board of Trade :-OTTAWA, April 11th, 1877. DEAR SIR,-I beg to acknowledge the receipt of the Memorial of the City of Fredericton, through its officers, in reference to the improvement of the St. John river. The importance of the subject to the whole St. John Valley is apparent, and as represenspeech, citing a number of precedents dwelltative of one of the Counties on the St. John. I will have much pleasure in impressing upon the Minister of Public Works the importance of 600 roubles. The Russian military police position as he, Mr. Bowell, did upon this of the subject set forth with so much force in arrested him on Turkish territory before he Chamberlain and Patterson with Northern matter. The Premier in reply said that he your Memorial which I have reason to believe had time to part with his plan. will be favorably considered.

> I am, Dear Sir. Yours very respectfully, (Signed) C. BURPEE. C. W. Beckwith, Esq., City Clerk.

about removing to Chatham to engage in caused by a defective flue. Insurance \$500.— the New York breads: affs and produce air loud above the crackling flames and the business there. We wish him every success Journal. in his new venture. Mr. Morris has for many years been closely identified with the active militia in this district, having filled the position of Major and Lieut. Colonel since 1867. He is an excellent officer and will be much missed in the battalion. Our friends at the North cannot do better than secure and it now lies at the bottom in twenty-six rejects the principal clauses of the protocol; feet of water." Mr. Mackenzie with much warmth, charging Mr. Morris' services in a similar capacity. him with deserting Mr. Anglin. The

Minister of Justice next spoke, taking the The S o'clock train from this City, same position as the Premier had done. He Friday afternoon ran off the track a short was followed by Mr. Tupper, Mr. Costigan distance below College Hill road. The acciand others, and upon a vote being taken the dent was caused by the rails spreading. The above names signed to his denial of my statements being correct, then I will own to statements being correct, then I will own to admitted that the transaction cannot be de- motive, was thrown from the track. The saloon in the rear, which were also burned.

| And others, and upon a vote being taken the dent was caused by the rans spreading. The sumed. It spread to McLaughlin's shop and in a room window on the Walnut street remedy for Biliousness, Sick Headache, and Russia ever demanded, there will be war from the creat, which were also burned. The land others, and upon a vote being taken the dent was caused by the rans action of the loco- sumed. It spread to McLaughlin's shop and in a room window on the Walnut street remedy for Biliousness, Sick Headache, and Russia ever demanded, there will be war from the creat, which were also burned. fended and when the committee on privileges, tender was somewhat damaged, but otherto which the matter has been referred, we ex- wise no injury of consequence was done the Hillson's house were saved but completely pect the government will either have to train.

NEWS ITEMS.

Mr. John Gairens has purchased the leas answer. We are reminded by it of a certain of the wharves and anchorage for \$345.

The Rev. Robt. Wilson will preach, so we are informed, in the Kirk on Sabbath morning The Dominion Parliament will probably be prorogued on the 25th inst. Dr. Earle was elected Mayor of St. John

on Tuesday last. The mills at St. Stephen and other parts of Charlotte have begun sawing.

Mr. Sankey's songs are being translated Capt. Chisholm has been appointed U. S

The steam ferries crossed the river here

The condition of Regent Street between King and Queen is discreditable to somebody Kansas don't want any more lawyers unless they know how to catch grasshoppers.

Canned baked beans is the latest export Mr. Henry Gill, of Gibson, lost four head

of cattle last week. They are supposed to have been poisoned from eating paint If the party who sent us the "ole to Spring' had sent what he owed us instead it wou'd have been more acceptable.

The St. Stephen Journal says that large uantities of potatoes are being Shipped from

Brunswick Railway go into effect. That hundreds of farmers are making money raising potatoes at 25 cents U.S. currency per bushel The Journal is authority for the statement ought to satisfy the Watchman that the that ploughing commenced at Oak Bay on speculation was a good one. We don't want | the 4th inst.

If any of the farmers in York County have not like to see a Provincial Journal decrying potatoes to spare they will find a good market the resources of a district whose trade will in the near future enrich our own people, and

Two dwelling bouses were destroyed by the example of whose inhabitants the farmers fire, Tuesday night, at Mosquite Cove. St. The members of St. Dunstan's T. A. Society

Mr. Peter Archibald dropped dead in the gave a dramatic entertainment in their new street at Truro, N. S., on Sunday last. Cause Hall on Monday evening last. The attendance supposed to be apoplexy. Mr. Fairweather is about giving up the

Hall could comfortably accommodate. The Park Hotel, St. John, and devoting his atpiece for the evening was "The Drunkard's tention to farming. Warning," which was rendered in a manner A boy named Henry McGinnis fell six that would have been creditable to professtories down the Grand Central Hotel, New sional. We think we are safe in asserting York, on Saturday and was mangled to death. that the acting was as good if not better than We call attention to the notice of Mr. Geo. that of any other amateurs who have performed in our city. The presence of the

. Clark in another column. The house is pleasantly situated and commodious. An aspirant to the office of Councillor in success. The following is the cast of the Black North offers a Chromo to every man who will vote for him.

Mr. Granville, a wealthy merchant, G. T. Scully. Edward Mordaunt, his son-in-law, F. J. McPeake. A correspondent wants to know " where he sight of the new post office is to be." As Seymour, clerk to Granville, W. G. Broderick. et we don't know that Fredericton has any 'sight' for a new post office.

Miss Adelaide Murray has been appointed Registrar of Deeds in the County of Yar-Bryson's Band was present and furnished nouth, Nova Scotia; and the lawyers there take a whole day now to make a search. We must congratulate the members of the

The April number of The Printer's Miscelnot only to printers but to the general reader. A locomotive and two cars on the Chatham branch ran off the track on Friday last, caus-

gesting to the Committee of the Council that San Francisco wants to get Moody and well .- N. Y. Chronicle. Sankey after Boston becomes converted. purchasing we were influenced by the most friendly feelings to the Mayor and Council. Why does not St. John make an effort to secure their services? The reporters of the by one of Howard's \$550 clocks which has daily press there sadly need conversion.

been in use since 1845 and has given perfect Sheep are dying off rapidly in some parts satisfaction. This clock will move the hands of San Diego county, one of the principal on an eight feet dial and is powerful enough | wool-growing districts of California. Out of The Summerside Progress says that a little child about eleven months old, belonging to

> Mr. A. D. Goodwin, American Vice Consut n St. John, who decamped with a considerable sum of other people's money, was arrested in Boston and forced to disgorge a good part of his plunder.

On Friday night the ice in the river made its final start. It went out quietly without doing very serious damage. A portion of the Union Line Wharf sustained some injury, and Sherman's wharf was somewhat damaged, but otherwise but little injury was done.

An action has been brought against Mr Norris, M. P. for violation of "The Independence of Parliament" Act. The law prescribes a penalty of \$2000 per day for every day a and BLACKMORE'S "Erema"- the most member sits or votes after violation of its striking novels now being published serially if one is obtained, will be for over \$100,000. and his party were handed the keys of the Tae Steamer May Queen leaves Fredericton Like proceedings are threatened against Mr. DE FOREST, MAURICE THOMPSON, KATE

The Fredericton News is a new periodica' issued semi-occasionally by James Phelan, the proprietor of the new wholesale and retail boot and shoe store. It is nothing a year superbly illustrated and almost as wonderful

as the low price of Phelon's goods. The Russian Minister at London is name Schouvaloff. If it would only shovel off some of the complications which his predecessors have heaped upon the European situation, the world will conclude that there is something in a name after all.

A returned Black Hill miner writes to the Skowhegan Journal to say that wages are \$1.00 a day in that much lauded locality with more of our young men better go? There's after that date will not be admitted.

The Easter Sittings of the Supreme Court opened on Tuesday, with eighty-nine cases employment. to the Memorial of the City of Fredericton, standing over from previous terms to be of "the best legislator's" statutes. A clerk in the Rassian ordinance office

Alexandropol has just been condemned to

panal servitude for life for seiling a plan of the fortress there to the Turks for the sum Washington. Grant's house, (formerly the Poor House of ton. No doubts exist that Blaine, Butler,

the Parish of St. Stephen) at Old Ridge, was and others intend to assail Hayes's policy. destroyed by fire. The out-houses in the rear of the building were saved. Mr. Grant Mr. W. S. Morris, Clothier, of this City, is lost the most of his furniture. The fire was

> A Sydney despatch to the Halifax Chronicle says:-

"A ninety-six feet whale came Schooner Pond with the ice and was taken possession of. After fifteen cart loads of blubber had been removed the whale was the Eastern question. shoved into deep water by the ice going out, feet of water."

8 o'clock in the store occupied by Mr. T. R. Pearson at Smith's Corner, which was con- as follows: "One thing appears certain-The house of J. T. Smith, Esq., and Mr. before many days." gutted. Mason Hall, Mr. Hewson's house Protocol Russia will act immediately. and shop across the street were saved by great exertions. Mr. Pearson's shop is insured for \$2,000 and stock for \$6,000 .-

George Francis Train spends his leisure time in prophecy. He predicts a few failures in the business world as imminent. The Rothschilds, the Barings, the Bank of England, Vanderbilt, Jay Gould, Tom Scott and a few millions. George has come to this conclusion since he sunk his individuality in Universality, absorbed his egotism in evolution, and by living in solitude and on boiled rice so storehoused his electricity and magnetism as

There are a good many honest people in the onion business. A farmer at Old Town, valued highly as a present from his mother, and lost the ornament while putting up onions for market last autumn. Before he missed it the onions had been sent away to a wholesale dealer in Providence, R. I., and by him retailed in all directions. Nevertheless, the farmer wrote about his loss to the lagent, the agent wrote to the wholesale dealer, the wholesale dealer wrote to the ing him. He then went home and shot him retailers, and when, a few day ago, one of the latter found it in a barrel, it was passed back

We have before alluded to the creditable issue of the recut examination of the National Life Ins. Co., of the United States, by the Michigan insurance commissioner; but the ipon telegraphic information, and without a complete report of the examiner. In these lays when the fire is trying every life insurance company's work, of what sort it is, the successful endurance of the trial by any prominent company is worthy of something Commissioner Row is known to all the insurance fraternity as a conscientions and capable official. His examinations of companies are thorough, and his reports after such examinations can be implicitly trusted. For

by the commissioner in person, for himself on the frontier. and for the insurance departments of New | York, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania. The of North Carolina have been indicted for de- the killed; also H. Hazen, deputy auditor of mortgages and trust deeds of the company, frauding the revenue. its principle asset, amounting in all to \$2,-321,239, were examined in detail, as to form, execution, title and present value. The otherassets of the company were examined with equal care, and every doubtful item was elimnated from the final statement. Out of this examination the company comes with a net surplus to policyholders ef \$1,418,833, and the investigation reveals also that its entire reserve is invested in United States bonds and mortgages of unquestionable security. The National has always bad and deserved a high reputation. It is now in the hands of the men who made it, and their administration of its affairs is so discreet and able as to give all the assurance that can be desired of its future prosperity. Mr. Peet, the presi-

dent of the company, is an accomplished actuary as well as a capable executive. By him were the foundations of the company's ing considerable damage. A broken rail was success laid; by him was that success achieved, and his presence in the executive chair is a good guaranty that all will continue to go Mr. J. B. Gunter is Agent for the above Company in Fredericton.

> HARPER'S MAGAZINE for May, with a score given up hopes of effecting a compromise of articles and ninety-five illustration, is The difficulty will settle itself in a few days and on furniture \$142,000. The building replete with variety and superbly beautiful. The gem of the Number is Mrs. Frances MACE's poem "Israfil," with eight illustra- Hoboken were chloroformed by burglars for \$525,000. The furniture, owned by tions by Fredericks. Both the poet and the vesterday morning, and property to the Brazlin, Darling & Co., was valuee at \$200,artist have displayed rare qualities of genius amount of \$700 stolen. A richly illustrated article on Florence is

contributed by O. M. SPENCER, author of the article recently published on Genoa. valley of the Usk, and especially the site of categorically declaring that the Porte must King Arthur's Round Table. Mrs. MARY TREAT gives some fresh obser-

South, with striking illustrations.

In "An old Gentleman's Recollections," to midnight. HORACE E. SCUDDER gives some entertaining extracts from the dairy of Mr. Samuel Jewett tragedy confirms the general belief tion of May weather in advance of the Philadelphia, just after the Revolution, with exploding the hand grenade. illustrations from that gentleman's sketches. A. H. GUERNSEY has an illustrated paper on " Cameron's Journey across Africa.

CHARLES READE'S "A Woman-Hater -are continued. This Number also contains three short stories-all of them decidedly original. Poems are contributed by J. W. HILLARD, and NINA LAFARGUE.

TELEGRAPHIC ITEMS.

MONDAY. J. E. Wiggins & Sons' steam saw mills at Alberton, P. E. I., burned Friday night; loss

Turkey continues her preparations for war. O'Leary won in the six days' \$5,000 walk with Weston at Islington. At the finish O'Leary had walked 520 miles and Weston

The schooner "Maud Thompson," of Proidence, was sunk by a collision on Friday ight off Fishing, and four lives were lost. Notice is given in the Canadian Gazette that the militiamen who served in the war of 1812, and who have not, as yet, sent in claims participate in the appropriation made for ch services, should forward their claims and the chances of being shot at any time by an declarations to the Department of Militia the doctrine that the property of a Railway Indian. Fine place to live in: had not a few before the 10th of May next. Claims received for shooting his father, the jury returned a

The factory of the American Knife Company at Northfield, Conn., was burned on Saturday: 100 hands thrown out of

James Boyt, of Richmond, Pa., who had misunderstanding regarding family matters argued. It would be interesting to know with his nephew, Wm. Boyt, attacked him how many of these arose out of the efforts of with a knife on Saturday, while drunk, when the bench and bar to make common sense out his nephew struck him on the head with a stick, killing him immediately.

Stockholders \$50,000.

The World says at a conference Republicans on Thursday, it was decided that Chamberlain should hold the State House On Monday morning last, Mr. Alexander and compel the U.S. troops to install Hamp-

President Hayes is going to spend the

numer months at the Soldiers' Home, near

European warlike reports have stiffened

Thorneycraft & Co.'s Wolverhampton, Eng., Iron Works are about to close because the enforcement of the eight hour system resulted in continuous loss. 1,200 workmen will be thrown out of employment. Uneasiness prevails in London regarding

A Constantinople despatch says the Porte rmament; declines sending an envoy to St. AN EXTENSIVE FIRE took place at Am- Petersburg, and insists on being left alone in herst yesterday morning. It broke out about dealing with Montenegro. War is codsidered

The Pall Mall Gazette concludes an article

The St. Petersburg Journal says that in the and fastened the frail rope to the window event of the Porte refusing to accept the sill, regardless of the fact that it did not By the breaking of a bridge near Malvers, window and let himself down hand over hand. train on a branch of the Cleveland and He reached the end of the sheet and then Pittsburg Railroad was precipitated into the for the first time seemed to realize his frightcreek, killing the fireman and wounding the ful position. For some minutes, swaving to

Garfield and Foster.

Lee's guards, filed in the Attorney General's survived only a short time. office, deposes that Lee's confession was other such small fry are to go under with obtained by Attorney Howard by promise of liabilities to the amount of twen'y thousand reprieve, and that as published by Howard important facts implicating Brigham Young

WEDNESDAY.

to make him the central battery of the vital forces of the universe. That's what he says affording an opportunity of repairing the breach between the Church and the State. which the man hauled up, and making it fast to the window sill, descended by it in safety and \$100 would not buy it if I could get no Chemberlain retires and leaves the Gover- to the ground.

ip to Hampton, and the Federal troops have acated the South Carolina State House. The Times' leading article, reviewing the and Mrs. Scott met their death in the same Eastern question, deprecates hasty action. in this State, had a gold ring which he The Sultan, it thinks, should be allowed a day of grace. The Russian representative has informed

> Safvei Pasha that Russia desires the Porte's eply to the protocol before the 13th. Affairs are regarded as extremely critical. On Tuesday Hiram Arbuckle, of East Montpelier, shot George Short twice; then shot his brother-in-law. Geo. Bancroft. Bancroft ran and Arbuckle pursued, shooting him in the back and through the heart, kill-

self through the head. He is believed to The St. Petersburg Bourse Gazette de from hand to hand until it finally reached its clares that war is inevitable. The situation is such that retreat is impossible for either

> A despatch to the Times from St. Petersburg says that bad news has been received by the Government from Turkey. A war towels she rolled down the stairs of the hotel. manifesto is expected on Friday. The Porte's circular to the Ottoman repr ntatives abroad does not reject the protocol absolutely, but consents to send delegates to St. Petersburg to disarm if Russia will dis-

arm at the same time. The Emperor William, in gracious terms,

ected Montenegro's demands. have received the Porte's decision respecting the protocol. Peace or war now depends on more than one month he was occupied with There is some question of prolonging the Russia's reception of the Turkish circular. awaiting identification. Mrs. Moran, a

within the next week receive clear proof of names unknown, were either killed by jumpmatician and actuary, Prof. Watson, and its Russia's determination to attain the end for ing from windows or were suffocated by assets were carefully scrutinized and sifted which her troops have been concentrated on smoke and were dragged out of the burning

at two o'cleck this morning. It was full of in Berkshire, England, have been identified guests. The flames spread rapidly. There at the morgae. Mr. Clarke, a railway conwas a terrible panic. The exact number of ductor with his wife and child, are among in their orders early to Charles H. Gilmor, lives lost has not yet been ascertained; fifty the killed. Miss Frankie McCleilan, an Oromocto, the original importer and raiser of is the estimate. Several were killed in actress, is seriously injured. jumping from the third, fourth and fifth story | Wm. F. Maitland, member of the Britisl windows. The guests were mostly South- House of Commons, who was married in this erners and Westerners. Kate Claxton, the city a few weeks ago, was residing at this actress who narrowly escaped at the Brooklyn | hotel with his wife. He was separated from theatre disaster, saved herself by wrapping her, and under the impression she was killed, her face in wet towels and running through became intensely excited and evidently los the flames and smoke down the main stair- his mental balance. About six o'clock this way. The German Consul, Brooklyn, escap- morning he went to the room of a friend and ed by jumping from the window. Several shot himself. The coroner held an inquest

THURSDAY.

The commission apponted to settle the

million dollars.

The difficulty will settle itself in a few days by desertions from the Packard House.

The family of Geo. Scheinder at West

S1,250,000, but was purchased by Cambell

S1 an 1121c. for Postage, enclosed to Northrup

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A cable despatch says that Lord Derby's reservation on signing the protocol has been in no way rely upon England,
Mrs. Mary Fielding, of Astoria, while

vations concerning the familiar birds of the standing upon a bed-post white-washing, on Tuesday, fell and the post penetrated her An illustrated article by ERNEST INGRE- abdomen. She died yesterday in great agony. SOLL, entitled "At the Gateway of the The early reports of the mortality of the will only tend to warm up the atmosphere Catskill," is an interesting sketch of a region St. Louis fire are believed to be exaggerated, Spring birds will arrive thickly and early months in the neighborhood of the metropolis, but but it is probable that the exact loss will first retaining the primitive customs of the never be known, as many bodies are wholly likelihood, be well clear of ice at an early consumed. Twelve bodies were recovered up date, and navigation open. The melting of

Breck, relating to society in Boston and that Orville Jewett shot himself after month." Charles H. Gilman, of Lowell, was robbed and murdered at Rockville, Mass., vesterday. Three suspected men have been arrested. The paper mills at Palmer Falls, New York, was burned. Loss \$140,000.

To-day is an annual fast day in Massachusets. to reject Russia's demands.

A despatch to the Times from St. Peters- reach that needs scratching. burg says the Porte's note had been received. War is manifest, though not for a week.

A despatch from Scutari says: Fighting has been going on in the Miridite county since Sunday, Dervish Pasha having rejected Rev. James Cameron, Chatsworth. It is

The verdict in the inquest on the Jewett tragedy finds that Orville Jewett committed evangelical and unsectarian in character, its

Only twelve persons are known to have perished at the St. Louis fire. are always replete with weighty thought, Several marine disasters have occurred, and three lives lost in recent gales on the Middle Atlantic Coast. its tone it is very decided, without the least At Bath, Me., in the trial of the boy Cox indication of bigotry. It never minces mat-

verdict of manslaughter. The foreign news has advanced gold to 61 Exchanges 487 short-489 long. BURNING OF THE SOUTHERN

HOTEL. St. Louis, April 11.

The Southern Hotel was burned this morning. A large number of persons lost their lives in the flames, or by jumping from THE MOST VALUABLE GIFT-RE-Gen. Carey is charged with buying a the upper stories to the pavement. The Colorado Mine for \$22,000 and charging building was crowded with guests at the time. Before the engines arrived at the hotel the entire upper stories were on fire. At 2 o'clock the scene was indescribable. The windows in the upper stories were crowded with SHRIEKING MEN AND WOMEN.

whom it seemed impossible to save. In ten minutes the fire had ascended to the elevators and rotunda and spread itself over the sixth floor, immediately under the roof. This floor was occupied entirely by employes of the hotel, the largest number of whom were females. Frantic men, women and children bogus people in unheard-of localities of foreign ran through the halls and corridors, their noise of falling timbers.

The smoke was so dense in some of the halls that the gas jets were totally obscured, do not delay until medicine may be powerless which rendered egress to those most familiar to aid you. No injurious effect can possibly with the interior of the building most difficult. The density of the smoke drove many of the guest back into their rooms, and they rushed to the windows screaming frantically to those below to rescue them from the rapidly spread- ant. These Indian Remedies are widely ing flames. Ladders were raised as soon as possible and women and children with nothing on but their night clothes were rescued as fast as possible. Some fainted, while others fell exhausted to the ground.

Their efficacy has been fully proved as a occurred, and one man who had been occupythe bed sheets into strips, tied them together reach over twenty feet, scrambled out of the and fro by the breeze, he tried convusively to The Herald says the contest for Speaker catch with his limbs a hold on the smooth es on the Democratic side between Randall | wall -at last with a piercing shrick his hands and Morrison and on the Republican between | slipped from the rope, and turning over and over he fell to the ground, striking on the The Sun says affidavits by one of John D. stone flags with a sickening thud. He

MEN JUMPED FROM THE FOURTH STORY

hurt, while others were killed on the spot, and one woman in the fifth story became panic stricken and jumped out, alighting on her feet. She is still alive. Her husband A cable despatch says the Papal Govern- tore up the bedding and let it out of the of a CROOKED LIMB, by six applications." ment regards the retirement of Bismarck as window. To this a fireman attached a rope,

A Mr. Wilson jumped from a fourth story window and was killed; Andrew Endsman "One small bottle of your ECLECTRIC OIL restored the voice where the person had not way. The mortality among the female spoken above a whisper in FIVE YEARS.' Rev. J. Mallory, of Wyoming, N. Y., writes boarders is said to have been great.

odging in the upper story, and the panic among them was perfectly terrible, and their efforts to escape wild and desperate. Numbers imped from the windows, and were either silled or mained for life. Among those who escaped was Kate Claxton, the actress, whose heroism during the Brooklyn theatre tragedy saved many valuable lives. When the fire broke out in that theatre, Dec. 5th, Miss Claxton was on the stage playing the character of Louise, the Blind Girl, in the drama of the "Two Orphans." After using all her efforts to calm the frantic audience she succeeded in making her escape in her stage ROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors costume. Her safety in this second conflagration was achieved through a like display of

coolness, for wrapping her head with wet escaping with only a few slight bruises. Christopher Tenan lost his life in attempting to save others; Phillip Gerald, a boarder, was brought out alive, but bereft of reason. THERE IS NOTHING LEFT OF THE HOTEL

the Fourth and Fifth street faces. The loss has refused Bismarck's request to be pension- of the building and contents is variously ed off, but has accorded him a lengthened estimated at from \$700,000 to \$1,000,000 insurance not known. No accurate list The Turkish Chamber of Deputies has re- the missing can be made out yet, owing to the confusion and excitement, but the number The Charged' Affairs at Constantinople is supposed to be between thirty and forty

There are several bodies at the morgue port of that examination is exhaustive and satisfactory. The liabilities of the company were computed by that well known mathematician and the mathematician and the mathematician and the company were computed by that well known mathematician and the company within the part much company and mathematical of the Katlonia, and his rearmistice between Turkey and Montenegro after April 13.

The Galos says: "Europe will probably is supposed to have perished. Six others building. Sidmore Hayden, superintendent A large number of tobacco manufacturers of the American Express stables, is among the Missouri Pacific Railway. The remains The Southern hotel, St. Louis, was burned of the Rev. R Adams, incumbent of a parish

JOB MOSES' Periodical Pills female servants, occupying the attic story, but could not decide whether death was female servants, occupying the attic story, but could not decide whether death was female servants and dangerous distributions are specified or accident.

Those most familiar with the circumstances of the fire, and best acquainted with the number of guests and employes in the house The insurrection in Cuba is not yet sur- believe that few if any bodies will be found. There were about 80 female servants in the Union depot at Sedalia, Mo., was destroyed hotel, only one of whom is known to be by fire and Antoine Burn perished in the missing. P. S. Shackleford, of New York, has both legs broken, and some few others of the saved are more or less injured. Frank political difficulty in South Carolina, have C. McLellan is thought to be fatally injured. The insurance on the building is \$290,000, 000, and is a total loss. The "Southern" was under the management of Messrs. B. D.

> Mr. Vennor in his Almanac for 1877 gives the following as the probabilities for the month of April:-

& Co. - Telegraph.

Decidedly showery, with balmy winds snow rapidly lessening. There may probably be one or two flurries of snow previous to the 15th or 17th of the month, but these during the month, and the river will in all leth March, Eupnemia Garioch, wife of John likelihood, he well clear of ice at an early Tawse, and mother of Mrs. Gordon W. Kelly cf the snow during this month will be extreme-A medical testimony at the inquest of the ly rapid, and there is every prospect of a por-

Spring Debility, langour, lassitude, and that low state of the system peculiar to the springtime of the year, are immediately relieved by the PERUVIAN SYRUP, which supplies the blood with its vital principle of life element-iron-infusing strength, vigor, and Everybody apprehends that if war breaks new life into all parts of the system. Being out, Austria will sooner or later be involved. free from alcohol, its energizing effects are

It is stated that Bismarck advised Turken not followed by corresponding reaction had. It is stated that Bismarck advised Turkey not followed by corresponding reaction, but are permanent. Sold by all druggists.

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DEATHS

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April 16, 1877.

F'ton, April 9, 1877.

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