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### CANINE SMUGGLERS.

[From our Regular Correspondent.] WASHINGTON, April 20, 1888. The great event of the week the capitol was the opening of the tariff debate in the house of repreentatives. It began on Tuesday with great dignity and decorum. Nearly every member was in his seat; many distingushed visitors were in the crowded galleries, and much interest was manifested in the beginning of the battle which the congressional war horses had

WASHINGTON LETTER.

long been sniffing from sfar. The first speech which presented the revenue reform of the question was made by Mr. Mills, of Texas, chairman of the Ways and Means committee. The reply came from Judge Kelly, the acknowledged leader and exponent of protection The discussion promises to be long continued and exhaustive. It will not be strange if it wears upon the public patience to some extent before a vote is reached. The president is at his old game

of vetoing private pension bills. Three such bills have fallen victims to his fearless pen during the pres-

Senator Stewart, of Nevada, has introduced a bill granting a pension of \$5000 a year to the widow of the late Chief Justice Waite. stated that the responsibility for the proposition was solely within himself, he believing that the widows of chief justices should be provided for in the same manner as inspection of his baggage. the widows of ex-presidents. It is believed in democratic circles

Phelos, of Vermont, has been lected for the vacant chief justice-GENERAL MERCHANDISE ship. The talk is that had the va cancy been that of an associate justiceship, the president would doubtless have chosen Senator Gray of Delaware, but as the vacancy chief justice, the latter gentleman is deemed too young to preside over the deliberations of the experienced old men on the supreme beach, and RECEIVED that consequently Mr. Phelps, who is sixty-six years of age, is the com-

Rev. Green Clay Smith, of Ken MILLINERY GOODS! tucky, who has recently accepted a call to the Mt. Sterling Baptist church is mentioned here as the probable presidential candidate of the prohibition party.

a Washington paper: "High license in his reversible overcoat and local option may put a temporary check on the progress of the prohibition movement, but will not discourage the bonest and irrepress-

mous crime," etc.

not to be ratified.

congressional district in the coun- 75 or 80 deg., but it is rare. try where the organization has established councils. The object of the conference is to consider what policy is most expedient to pursue with reference to the presidential campaign. It is not probable that the alliance will place a ticket in To Des Moines, Leavenworth, the field, but its action may have some effect in shaping the platforms Atchison and Kansas City. of the two great party conventions to be held in June.

as if he might be a boon companion. and lot."

officer in the north of France the assembly in honor of Conkling. as to completely conceal the ends in \$275,000. one place in Belgium to another in Villard hotel. France and vice versa, avoiding the high roads and the revenue men. The latter they are taught by bitter supply of uniforms of revenue officers on hand. These uniforms are donned by confederates whom the dogs have never seen, and these fellows beat and stone the dogs unmercifully. The result is the

dogs run whenever they see a genuine officer. When the dog is G. W. Hunt that he paid out \$200,000 reason is that work at good wages is more started off on his journey with his in money and is owed by the Oregon plentiful this spring than for the past few load the smuggler sets out for the Pacific \$500,000 for work on his un years. Ex. same place, but he takes the direct finished contract, a correspondent in the The International company of Mexico route, or travels boldy by rail, Albany Herald, who claims to know, has received a loan of \$3,000,000 with caring, of course, nothing for any states that the exact amount of work which to promote improvements in Lower There was a famous dog of this up to the time of his quitting work was kind in Manbeuge. He made the \$50,643.56. These figures the company fortune of his master by carrying expect to prove in court. laces across the French frontier. The senate committee on education a body of time timber. His natural color was white, but he and labor, ordered favorable reports on wore all sorts of disguises. Some- the following: Senator Blair's bill to times he was black, sometimes he restrict the sale of opium in the district was brown, and sometimes he was a of Columbia and the territories; house

an innocent sheep dog, traveling employed at Fort Stevens, at the jetty, county, W. T., claims that in summing with a flock of sheep. His death The outer end of the jetty is now far out up the Hill case, he finds that treasurer was quite tragic. Cute died in in the surf. The driving of piles goes short in his accounts to the amount of harness like a hero. He was chased on unremittedly, rock now being delivered \$16,952.29, and interest amounting to by the revenue officers and repent- faster than heretofore, edly fired upon. In swimming across the Escaut he was mortally wounded; but be managed to reach While speaking of this subject, I the shore, where he died. Laces will quote from a recent editorial of valued at 15,000 francs were found

### Wintry Russia.

ible zealots who are pledged to make This being such an extremely cold the Missouri, Kansas & Texas system. a relentless war on alcohol. This climate, wood is the principal com- A Victoria, B. C., telegram says; The check will give the republican party modity, and its production affords bill granting 200,000 acres of land to the a respite, but cannot annul the de- employment for a large per centage Kootena & Columbia Railway has passed cree that dooms it to disintegration of the people. For miles along the the house. The railway will connect the his hired men. The latter was driving some through the instrumentality of pro- river here and at St. Petersburg are Kootenai lakes with the Columbia river. "Any kind of license, high or unloading during the entire time connecting with the Canadian Pacific. low, is simply abhorrent to persons the streams are open for navigation. The largest cotton-mill in the world is An offensive name was applied by the who regard liquor selling an infa. Wood is burned in the house for said to be located at Kianholm, in Russia. stockman and the recipient thereof im-The senate committee on foreign in the year. I have worn a heavy spindles and 2200 looms, disposes of a steer and belabored him with the lasso relations has decided on a party overcoat during the middle of the force of 6300 horse-power, and gives till he cried "peccavi," The fracas may vote that the Fisheries treaty ought day at St. Petersburg in August, employment to 7000 hands. and then was chilly. The great The American Alliance will hold wonder is where vegetation gets in the calender. Besides being General a national conference in this city on sufficient warmth to propagate it. Grant's birthday, it will be honored in the 23rd of May, to which one dele- Occasionally there is a warm day, several states as Arbor Day. The excergate at least will be sent from every when the thermometer will go up to cises of this day can be combined with

### Chief Justice Nominated.

Washington, April 39 - The president has sent to the senate the nomination of Melville W. Fuller. of Illinois, to be chief justice of the United States supreme court.

THE NEW CHIEF JUSTICE'S CAREER. Curcago, April 30 .- The nomination of Melville Weston Fuller, of The alliance believes in the re- Chicago, as chief justice of the striction of immigration to the ex- United States, is regarded here tent of excluding its undesirable with unbounded satisfaction by elements, and in requiring of its leading men of both parties. Fulforeign born citizens a residence of ler, in every respect, is fitted to fill twenty-one years as precedent to that high office. He was born in the elective franchise; but it pre- Augusta, Maine, February 11, 1823, scribes no religious views, and and graduated in Bowdoin in 1853, Minister Phelps being his classmate. After studying law at Bangor, and attending lectures at Harvard. "What have you been doing for a Fuller came to Chicago. His ability living lately?" asked a very tough- was speedily recognized, and for looking citizen of a man who looked thirty years he has won distinction

"Burglarizing." "What was your He has been prominent at several for the statement that President Cleve- Indiana and Ohio show no imlast job?" "I tackeled the residence democratic national conventions, land has not definitely decided on a man provement. FOR CASES For full information regarding Rates, of a real estate agent last night." and in 1860 was selected to deliver for the vacant chief-justiceship, All Prospects in Missouri and Maps, etc., apply to "Have any luck?" "Yes; first an address to Stephen A. Douglas, assertions to the contrary are unwarrant- Michigan are not flattering. A rate." "What did you get?" "I In his practice in the supreme court able. He states that Mr. Bayard survey of spring wheat shows that General Agent, No. 3 Washington Street, got away without buying a house of the United States, Fuller has admitted to him very candidly that he in Minnesota and Dakota seeding is frequently come in contact with was seriously considering leaving the about twelve to fourteen days late. Edmunds, Thurman and other great cabinet and going before his people for but the condition of the ground is The president approved of the set to lawyers, but has never failed to hold re-election to the senate. This has been thought to be an offset for the lateprevent persons in the cities of Wash- his own against the greatest of suggested to Mr. Cleveland, and he has ness of the season. Seeding has ington and Georgetown from making them. He is familiar with the deci- the appointment of Minister Phelps to practically commenced this week. books and pools on the result of trotting sions of the court, and especially succeed Mr. Bayard under consideration Reports show a decrease of acreage on all constitutional questions.

New York Sun: The shooting of Col. Bob Ingersoll will deliver the river, at Pillchuck, twenty-five miles up a big dog by a French custom house memorial address in the New York the river from Stanwood on Wednesday

other day, has given rise to some The results of the seal fisheries thus young ladies and one man were lost. queer dog stories in the French far prove to be the greatest ever known. They were crossing the river in a canoe. oscause he was suspiciously fat. The Newfoundland coast. There were recover it the canoe ran into the riffles, post-mortem examination revealed seventeen steamers engaged. Of these and becoming unmanageable capsized, the fact the animal wore a leather ten went north into the Gulf of St. throwing the occupants into the water,

the bair. In this coat the dog Articles, incorporating the Portland of whom several were standing on the carried several hundred cigars. On Hotel company, have been filed. The land, could render assistance. The names the Belgian frontier smuggling with incorporators are: H. W. Corbett, W. of the persons who took the fatal ride the aid of trained dogs is said to be S. Ladd. C. H. Lewis, A. N. King, were Lillie Wheeler, aged 18 years; a flourishing business. Cigars, Frank Dekum, S. G. Reed, H. W. Anna Thompson, aged 16; Ellen Aldridge, jewelry, and laces constitute the Scott, Van B. DeLashmutt, G. Markle, aged 17, and 1, B. Vancie, aged 40, trade. The animals receive a special [r., D. F. Sherman, and S. B. Willey. training for their profession. The The object of the corporation stated most practice consists in traveling from briefly, yet fully, is to complete the

Dexter, the famous trotter, died Douglas county, Oregon, mile in 2:17}.

North American Review.

mighty thick shaggy fellow. He bill to establish a department of labor; was called Cute (Nalin), and he was senate joint resolution proposing an well worthy of the name. A price amendment to the constitution forever printed matter, in mail exchange between was put upon his head, and all sorts prohibiting the manufacture, importation, of traps and ambuscades were pre- exportation, transportation and sale of pared for him. It is said that once spirituous liquors in the United States. he crossed the frontier disguised as About seventy-five men are now

The International & Great Northern company, embracing about 800 miles of dead as it might be. Mrs. Plumley is railway in Texas, controlled by Jay at the helm and is making it pretty Gould, it is said, is to go into the hands tropical in certain quarters.- Ex. of a receiver at the end of the month. Interest on \$8.000,000 of 6 per cent. bonds is due on May 1, and Gould has P, railroad cost \$6,000,000 for the 255 declared that he will not provide money miles. It could have been built via the Moscow Cor. Cleveland Leader: to pay interest. The company is part of Snoqualmie pass for probably one-half

heating purposes during every month | The establishment contains 340,000 medirtely "roped" him just like a wild Friday, April 27, is now a noted day

the beneficial and pleasant occupation of planting trees in barren places, and the same time keep green the memory of a distinguished soldier and statesman.

O. R. & N. for the Chicago market, where they bring \$1.50 per bushel. It costs a good deal to get them there and rather a small margin remains for the shipper. The great farming belt immediately tributary to Chicago must have had a sad failure of the great staple vegetable last year, to have a demand for it from this distance. - Salem States-

Sheep buyers from Nebraska are Eastern Oregon. Mr. E. L. Wood has Insects have already appeared in purchased over 40,000 head of mutton Kansas. sheep, chiefly in Umatilla, Morrow, Baker and Malheur counties. Other showing for a crop of winter wheat parties together have probably bought as of any state in the wheat belt, and many more. Mr. Wood thinks at least indications are that the state will 150,000 head of sheep will be driven out prove a failure as far as the yield as of Oregon this year.

among the foremost of the bar. A member of the house is authority treme conditions are mitigated.

### GENERAL NEWS.

No. 48.

recently at the stables of Robert Bonner

done by Mr. Hunt on both his contracts California.

Five hundred sacks of potatoes were shipped from this point yesterday by the

A remarkably sad accident happened on the north fork of the Stillaguamish of last week, in which the lives of three papers. The officer shot the dog in point of numbers, taken on the The man's hat fell off, and in trying to coat made to look like his own skin, Lawrence, and the others to the west The point at which the cance capsized and skillfully fastened at the and south shores. Steamers thus far the water was but about eighteen inches shoulders and haunches in such way reported bring 181,000 seals, valued at deep, but so swift that it carried the bodies into eleep water before the people,

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This paper may be found on file at
ec. P. Rowell & Co's Newspaper Advertising Bureau (10 Spruce street) where adversing contracts may be made for it in New

The estate of John A. Richards has been allowed \$574 by the Indian office, in settlement for losses sustained by depredations of Rogue river Indians in

The salmon run seems to be very light in New York. He was 30 years old, so far this senson as compared with experience to avoid, for the smug- He died of old age and exhaustion. former years. As yet there is only about Dexter was the greatest trotter of his one-half of the fishing gear in operation day. He was the first horse to trot a on the river. The principal reason for this is that the gross price of salmon, Gladstone answers Ingersoll and de | compared with the unusual small run fends the Christian religion, in the this spring, does not pay a man to engage in the business if he can obtain In regard to the claim of Contractor employment at anything else; and another

The first five miles of the Vancouver & Klickitat railroad is completed and ready for the iron. This section reaches

The postmaster-general has completed arrangements with the postmaster-general of Canada, establishing a uniform rate of postage of 1 cent per ounce on all merchandise, and I cent on two ounces of the two countries, and now known as third-class matter. The arrangement

The Baker City Tribune is not as

The prosecuting atterney of King

It is claimed by parties who should know that the Cascade division of the N

Fossil Journal: A somewhat lively horses into a corral, and his method of stacks of wood, and wood barges are On the latter will be placed steamers doing so not being approved by the other, the latter gave free vent to his tongue. be made a ground for litigation.

Port Discovery sawmill is running night and day, and will probably continue to do so for the next sixty days at least, There are at present ten vessels loading at that port, and one, the ship Edward O'Brien, has just sailed with a cargo of 1,400,000 feet of lumber. Six of the vessels in port are iron ships-which we believe is unprecedented at Puget Sound mills. The aggregate carrying capacity of these vessels amounts to between twelve and thirteen million feet of lumber.

### The Wheat Prospect Not Flattering in the Northwest.

The Northwestern Miller's report of the crop condition says: Instead of steady improvement there has been a steady decline in the general condition of the winter wheat crop for the last six weeks.

Illinois to-day makes the poorest

concerned unless the present ex-

in Iowa and Nebraska.