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There seems to be no truth in the report that Gen. Cox has been offered a foreign mission.

The tax levy in Waseo county is 31 per cent .- the glorious results of Democratic economy.

Balance in the U.S. Treasury, Oct. 15th. was : Coin. \$98,181,000; currency, \$24,260,000; gold certificates, \$12,356,000

Jas. A. Udell, of Eugene, has been appointed I'. S. Commissioner, in place of A. A. Skinner, removed, by the U. S. Circuit Court.

Charles L. Douglass, indicted for killing E. D. Holbrook at Idaho City, I. T., a few months since, has been released from jail ou \$5,000 bail.

J. A. Abbott, formerly of Josephine county, Oregon; charged with killing his brother at Idaho City on the 4th of July, has been tried and acquitted.

The State Fair receipts were between \$13,000 and \$14,000, and the expenses will swallow up about two-thirds of the receipts, leaving a handsome balance.

From all accounts the Grand Lodge of Good Templars, in session at Oregon City the present week, are having a splendid time.

It is stated that the work on the Northern Pacific Railroad, between Portland and Puget Sound, will commence the present year.

On the 18th inst., the House passed Stout's Metropolitan Police Bill, by a strict party vote-29 to 14-and the bill only awaits the signature of the Govern- ular Republican ticket for county officers or to become a law.

The bill providing for canal and locks on the west side of the river, at Oregon City, has passed both branches of the Legislature, and is now in the hands of the Governor.

It is stated that Ben. Holladay has bought the mill property of Estes & Stimson, on the river just lelow the gas edly carry the Second, Third, Fourth, works, in Portland, paying therefor Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Eleventh, Four-\$90,000.

Mr. C. P. Ferry, of the firm of Russe'l & Ferry, real estate brokers, Portland, Sixth District to Denver, will stand interest of the firm. The business of this | at present. enterprising firm is rapidly increasing.

Prussia had, October 10th, 650,000 men in the field, 520,000 of whom were the Republicans. fit for duty. There remains in the whole of Germany, under arms and ready for duty, but 250,000 available men.

The Late Elections.

We find in the Oregonian of the 19th the 17th inst., we find the following: inst. the following compilation of returns and details of the late elections in the East :

PENNSTLVANIA. First, District-Samuel P. Randall Dem.) has 4,815 majority.

Second District-J. V. Creely (Ind. uitable adjustment" means the repu-Rep.) has a majority of 1,000 over Chus. O'Neil, the regular Republican nominee. distion of such debt, and that the inte general election was a decision to that Third District-Leonard Myers (Reeffect, therefore be it-

Resolved, By the House, the Senate concurring, that the people of the State publican) claims a majority of 600 over John Moffit (Dem), a large Republican of Oregon are opposed to the giolation of any contract which the General Governgain. Fourth District -W. D. Kelly (Rep.)

ment has made with its creditors, or to has a majority rising 2,000 over Wm. B. any repudiation of the public debt of the United States. Thomas (Ind). Fifth District-Still in Doubt. The

Mr. Alexander-I move that the resreturns from Bucks county are not all in. It is said A. C Harner (Rep) is defeatolution be rejected promptly. ed by John A. Reading (Democrat). The motion prevailed by the following Sixth District -- The majority for Acvote : Ayes-Messrs, Alexander, Amis, Bur-

ker (Dem.) is estimated at 1,500. Seventh District -- Washington Townnett, Caldwell, Clark, Calloway, Carlisle, send (Rep.) is elected by 2,500 major-Drain, Dorris, DeSheil, Elkins, Fulton,

Eighth District-The majority for J. Lawrence Getz (Dem.) is nearly 6,000. Ninth District-The majority for O.

J. Dickey (Rep.) is 5,800. Tenth District-The vote is very close between John W. Killinger (Rep.) and

Dunbar, Davenport, Harrison, Hare Mills, O'Regan, Paquet, Quimby, Stark-weather and Whalley-12 Cyrus D. Gloniger, Democrat). It will take the full returns to settle the ques-It will tion. The majority will be very small either way.

Eleventh District-The majority for "equitable adjustment" did not mean re-John B. Stornes (Dem.) is estimated at pudiation, will see, by the light of the 7.000.

Twelfih District-L. D. Shoemaker action of the Democracy in the Oregon (Rep.) is reported elected, but this is Legislature, in the matter of the resoludoubtful. tion above quoted, that they have labored Thirteenth District-Ulysses Mercur

under a delusion-that they have been (Rep.) is said to be elected by 150 majordeceived by their leaders into supporting This is also doubtful. ity. This is also doubtful. Fourteenth District-John B. Packer

bedrock Repudiationists-men whose (Rep.) is certainly elected by over 2,000 hearts are still full of rancor and hate majority. toward the old flag, and who are willing Cessna's election in the Sixteenth District is still in doubt ; also, Stewart's and anxious to prove their hatred by every act calculated to weaken and bring election in the Twenty-first District. discredit upon, and eventually destroy,

General Negley is re elected by about 2,200 majority in the Twenty-second this glorious old Union of the Stripes (Pittsburg) District. and Stars. The whole course of the In the Twenty-third District the regpresent Legislative Assembly has been marked by acts of discourtesy and malig is elected in Allegheny by some thous-

nant party spite. The will of the people. In the State Legislature the Republicans will have a majority of five in the Senate, which is a gain of two. The House will stand the same as last year. Leeds, the Republican candidate, has a majority for Sheriff in Philadelphia.

OB10.

The Republicans gain one Congress man in the First District, and undoubttcenth and Nineteenth. Nothing has been heard from the Sixth District. The representation in Congress, conceding the prosperity of the State, and increase the goes to the Atlantic States soon, in the thirteen Republicans tosix Democrats, as burdens of taxation, through a combina-Anothen dispatch says the State will

have, according to the latest indications, fourteen Republicans and five Democrats in Congress, a gain of one member for eminent body of law makers. And now,

REPUBLATION .- In the reported pro-Telegraphic Summary.

Mr. Whalley offered the following :

United States, and-

the Speaker-30.

Nays-Messrs. Apperson, Carson

Those simple minded Democrats who

ceedings of the Oregon Legislature, on WASHINGTON, October 13th .- Collector Robb, of Sayannah, forbade placing the United States flag at half-mast on ac-Whereas, The late Democratic couven-tion resolved in favor of "equitable ad-justment" of the public debt of the count of the death of Lee. His actions caused intense excitement. Boutwell telegraphed approving it.

NEW YCRE, October 13th -The well known suit of John O'Mahony against Whereas, It is claimed that such "eq-August Belmont, for recovery of Fenian funds, was finally decided to day in favor of Belmont, through the default of plain-

> "Brick" Pomeroy and F. J. Tucker have disposed of the Daily Democrat to J. H. Lambert.

WASHINGTON, October 13th .- The President is in receipt of telegrams to day announcing the result of the elections. He expressed some fears of Indiana, but said on the whole they had turned out better than he anticipated. He expressed regret at Schenck's defeat. Schenck's Ohio friends here say that

he will be given Secretary Cox's place in the Cabinet. Others say he will get his seat by contest. A disputch from Senator Morton says

Grant, Helm, Holman, Hunter, McLain, the Democratic State ticket in Indiana is McCoy, Munkers, Ostrander, Porter, elected by about 2,000 majority. The Rader, Shuck, Savage, Thompson, Town-send, Wells, Waldron, Whiteaker, and Legislature is in doubt. A private dispatch from Mount Vernon, Indiana, says

Morgan's majority is about 2,400. IIARRISBURO, October 13th .- The la test reports from the Sixteenth Congressional District make Myers (Democratic). apparent majority 12; but it will require an official vote to determine with certain contended, during the late canvass, that ty who is elected to Congress. CHICAGO, October 13th .- Returns for Iowa election indicate a Republican ma-

jority on the State ticket of about 36,000. The Congressional delegation is entirely unchanged. PHILADELPHIA, October 13th .- The

Fifth Congressional District is still in doubt. The Sixth is probably Democratic. Townsend, Republican, is elected to Congress from the Seventh District by

about 3,000 majority. LONDON, October 1811.-One day's later dates have been received from Rio Janeiro.

Generals Galey and Rivas were pur suing Lopez. The rebels under Lunzo had been a tacked and captured. The rebels are so

demoralized that their early submission s anticipated. Montevideo was beseiged by the insurgents. The oitizens were greatly alarm-

as expressed at the ballot box, has been utterly ignored, and every principle of LOND'N, Oct. 16 .- The World's cor respondents at Ostend says that Bazaine equity and justice outraged. Their made a fourth and overwhelming attempt promised "economy" is blossoming in an in force, marching by Laduchamp and emptied Treasury and an increase of Mezieres seven miles from 'Metz, while taxation. Their respect for the will of another part of his army furiously asthe "dear people," for the franchise, is sailed the Germans beyond Noisselle The Germans were beaten in both direcshown by the enactment of laws taking tions, their camps broken up and the the election of local officers out of the main body driven to Pont a Mousson,

calculated to retard the growth and holds the line to Meziers and Navange.

BERLIN, Oct. 16 .- American diplo mats in Paris having the goodwill of the tion of ignorance and party spite on the Paris government, propose that Alsace part of the overwhelming Democratic and Lorraise with Luxemburge, go to majority, receive the first attention of that | Belgium and their neutrality be guaran teed by European powers. It is under stood that France will consent to the

after wasting the time and money of the proposition. LONDON, Oct. 16 .- It is understood that Russia tusists upon a European Congress as preliminary to a treaty of peace and that Prince Gortzschakoff has formed the Government at Berlin that to be neutralized, Russia will require equivalent guarantees to be given to her

China show that preparations for war continue. The Chinese professed to be-lieve that French representatives exceeded their instructions of making peremptory demands, which must lead to war.

LONDON, Oct. 16 .- It is probable that General Burnside will be able to get the Americans remaining in Paris out. This will be the limit of success of his efforts and the sole result of his labors.

Bismarck continues to insist on cession of Alsace and Lorraine. Favre. fortified by the improved military coudition for the temper and power of the re-

sistance of the capital, says the nation shall perish before acceding to such conditions. A brother of Bazaine writes to the Jounal d'Ameurs denying that he refused to recognize the Republic or that he holds Metz for the Napoleonic dynasbuild a small town. ty. He adds : Bazaine does not consid

sixth volume. It says : Passing in safe-ty through the dangerous period of babyer himself Marshal of the Empire, but of France. HAVANA, Oct. 15 -The blacks in hood, having been proof against soothing

Martinique revolted on the 24th ult., syrup and debilitating postrums general burned fifty plantations and killed some ly, it sallies forth this morning free from whites. The revolt was suppressed. It leading strings and shouting triumphant. was caused by the revolution in France. ly "see my new boots !" There has arrived from Spain a steam-From the Seattle paper of the 11th:

er with 3,000 troops. The amount of travel on the different Gen. Valmazeda reported an action at steamers on the Sound is of late assum Molinevido, in which 100 insurgents ing huge proportions. Whether it is

were kill; Spanish loss not stated. owing to a greater influx of strangers in LONDON, Oct. 17 .- The French fleet our midst, or that our own citizens are s again assembling off Duokirk. This availing themselves of the cheap rates of fact coupled with the unexpected arrival fare-as 25 cents will take one almost of a squidron in the North Sea, causes anywhere-we are not advised; probathe Germans to remove lights and restore bly it is a little of both causes which torpedoes and other obstacles in the Elbe. tend to such a result. Yesterday the

The Squadron in the North Sea is accomsteamer nust have carried down pained by flat bottomed boats. The Ger-Sound at least 250 persons. nans apprehend mischief. Tours, Oct. 17 .- All the Depart-In the State of Indiana the contest be-

ments within one hundred kilometres of and will be required to organize Military

tionate increase of population from the South than any other one of the neighfrom the armies confronting each other boring States, and fewer Germans, who

A dispatch from Briesach announces that the garrison made a successful sortie yesterday morning. A thick fog prevailed, and the Prussians were surprised

LONDON, Cet. 17 .- A powder maga zine exploded near Alexandria recently,

when local issues drop out of sight, there is no reason to doubt that the Republi-The Duke of Mecklenburg reports the capitulation of Soissons and 4,000 French cans can carry Indiana by a good a ajor prisoners. The Prussian army was to ity.-Orrgonian.

LONDON, Oct. 17 .- The Prussians have evacuated Beaugency. They blew

The Prussians are still at Meuny, but in small force.

The opening shots of the Prussian

ecret Mission. Gan betta this morning started for however, are picking encouraging quanti-

Lyons and Bisancon in response to peti- ties for a beginning, but we think the 1.000 claims on the other. The total tions of journals and people of those middle crop, and in some cases the bot amount of claims of American citizens

WASHINGTON TERRITORY .- A whale which yielded 210 gallons of oil was found a few days ago on the besch at J. Hoffman is to be appointed Surveyor Whidby's Island, Puget Sound. General of Oregon.

Parties at Vancouver are dorating land in large quantities to the N. P. R. land in large quantities to the N. P. R. have been commenced for the approach R. Co. on condition that the company lo- ing term of the Circuit Court at Portland.

cates its principal depot there. Persons connected with the so called vigilance committee which killed McDaniel and Gibson in Pierce county, W. T. early last spring, will be brought to trial before the District Court there this

Judge Sawyer has telegraphed Judge Deady that he will sttend the U.S. Cirweek. An Olympia paper says: Thirty of the German emigrants lately from Chicago,

Such tickets were run in nearly one

the Democrats. In the national contest,

"Cotton is beginning to open, but will

not yield as well as heretofore supposed

adds:

of diverting.

parties.

mand the regular forces in the Vosges, with a brigade of the Garde Mobile. we are informed by Gov. Solomon, have Boston has a resident who has started taken claims on the Muckelshute, in Pierce county, where they propose to

on his second century with a fair prospect of completing it. There is, of course The Vancouver Register has begun its no inducement to leave Boston to go to heaven.

cuit Court at Portland.

A current of wind or heated air passed ver a South Carolina cotton field, the ther day, and, within a few hours, the whole crop had whitened and died.

VARIOUS ITEMS.

The Herold has a report that Hon. J.

Two hundred and sixty-seven cases

The P. T Company are lengthening the hull of the Fatinie Patton nineteen feet, and improving the model of her hull.

Garitaldi has been appointed to con

The largest steamboat ever launched on a Western river, is now being built at Jeffersonville, Ky. Her extreme length is 330 feet.

The wife of a farmer residing near Troy, N. Y., was surprised, a few days since, while breaking an egg, to find that it contained another egg of a much smaller size.

An old farmer's description of a pointless preacher was : "A good man, likely ; but he will take with the teeth up."

A runaway husband was so cut up at being brought back by the police to his matrimonial duties, that he hanged himself with his suspenders in Louisville the other day.

A Distressing Cough causes the friends f the sufferer as much pain as the sufferer himself. Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry will certainly cure coughs, colds, arrest consumption, and that speedily. When did it ever fail ?

A woman in Catoosa county (Georgia) unity of action and a determined effort on the part of the Republicans of Indiana to s reported to have recently shouted herwin. In October, 1868, they carried the self to death under the influence of ex-State by only about 900 majority, though cessive religious excitement. Gen. Grant carried it in the month fol-

Twelve bridesmaids, twelve groomsmen and twelve ushers are to marry a couple lowing by about 10,000. In the election just held the State is close, both parties in New York next month in a church claiming it. The great feature this year where the decorations are to cost over is the large number of independent Re-\$8,000.

publican tickets throughout the State. A hog entered a grocery store in Brunswick (Missouri) recently, when a dog third of the counties and greatly aided attacked him, bit off his tail, and then seized the hog by the ear and led it shrieking back to its quarters in the rear. The dog then returned to thestore, picked up the tail and carried it out to the

> From the Guard : Mr. James Humphreys, of this place, had his leg broken in Friday last, near the ankle, by a fall from a mule, which he was attempting to break. Mr. Calvin Cox, on Thursday, had his shoulder dislocated by a tall from a wagon. Dr Staples attended both the above cases, and the patients are doing

well. though few cultivators were sauguine. Within the past week the weed has com The Mexican claims, with all the ac menced throwing off, and the ground is covered with small bolls. Some persons, companying documents piled up, would make a very respectable public building. There are nearly 1,100 on one side, and against Mexico, including that of the

ween the two parties has for several the enemy are declared in a state of siege, years been closer than in, any of the ther great States. The reason is that Indiana has received a greater propor-Committees of defense. Nothing official has yet been received near Laferte. A battle is imminent. are nearly all Republicans. It requires

and many were killed and wounded MARINBURG, Oct. 16, via London,

Oct. 17 .- A balloon which left Paris at 7 A. M., with four passengers, alighted here at 1 o'clock P. M. The zeronaut reports Paris still courageous. A battle occurred on the 15th outside the walls. 3,000 Prussians were killed.

killing and wounding fifty people

enter the city on Sunday.

The New Orleans Price Current, of the 24th ult., says that great damage is up the viaduet there before marching done to the cotton crop by worms in Louisiana and Eastern Texas. It furth r

combardment of Paris were fired from Belville on Friday.

Tours, Oct. 17-M. Keartry, recently from Paris, will go to Madrid on a

PRUSSIAN DESIGNS .-- On our first page will be found an article, taken from Startling Theory," having special refer- trict, doubtful-General Wallace, Reence to the designs of Prussia on Cuba. The writer maintains that Germany is hatching schemes of conquest likely to District, Packard, Republican. trouble the repose of Uncle Sam. Il is the Legislature in Evansville. argument is highly susational, but is rather too far fetched to be at all within the bounds of probability. Prussia has all the work she can possibly attend to in Europe for many years to come, and allowing that Bismarck's desire to secure colonial possessions for his country to be ever so intense, he has too much wariness to think of arousing the hostility of the United States by any movement look- 2.000 ing to the siezure of Cuba. There is COMMENTS BY THE NEW YORK TRIBUNE. plenty of territory in Asia or Africa that s not yet been brought under subjectian to civilized nations, which Prussia might seize, and thus plant her flag on foreign soil, without pouching upon Uncle Sam's preserves.

Latest War News.

der of all the forces in Northwestern Republicans. For the most that the French armies will be able to armies.

On the 19th a band of Irish and American volunteers had reached Paris, 000 a year, and will be still further reand were marching through the streets, duced, while the public expenses have carrying American and French flags.

Chatues Dun, after a hard fight. Five hundred prisoners, of the Garde

Mobile, escaped from the Prussians near Chateau Thierry, during an attack made by the Franc Terrieurs, on the 16th.

French sharpshooters throughout the French sharpshooters throughout the country were becoming more and more effective, causing the German armies person in full accord with the Adminis great trouble and loss.

The battle of Bagneaux resulted so disastrously to the Prussians, that they asked for six hours armistice to bury their dead

Bismarak's proposals for peace, through General Burnside, were the payment of an indemnity of eighty millions sterling, Alsace and Lorraine to be neutral tarritory for ten years, and then to decide by ebiseitum their future status; the Prussians to enter Paris and sign a peace here. The terms were indignantly refused by the French.

INDIANA. In the First District, Niblack, Demo-

erat, is elected; Second District, Kerr, merely to put money into the pockets of Democrat; Third District, Holman, Democrat; Fourth District, Coburn, Republican ; Sixth District, Voorhees, Democrat; Seventh District, doubtful; Eighth of the true interests and wants of the the San Francisco Chronicle, entitled "a District, Tyner, Republican; Ninth Dis- State, it is heralded abroad that immepublican, probably elected ; Tenth District, Williams, Republican; Eleventh

The Republicans gain two members of

IOWA.

Des Moines gives 600 Republican majority, a large gain ; Green county 300 Cass county, 325 ; Madison county 600. The Republican majority in the State will be over 30,000.

NEW JERSEY.

Jersey, at the charter election swept the city by a majority of 2,500, a gain

The Tribune sets down the returns already ascertained as indicating substantial Republican victories. It says the returns from Peonsylvania indicate that the Republicans hold their owe on Congressmen, and in certain portions of the State have done even better than could about to sink when his young wife jumpreasonably have been expected.

The recent cloctions in the Eastern Bourbaki has been appointed comman- States show substantial victories for the Dart France. He expresses the firm conviction this result is due to the honest and able administration of the sflairs of Governassume the offensive in a few weeks, and ment in the hands of President Grant. defeat, if not entirely destroy, the German Through his administration the public debt is rapidly diminishing, taxation has

been reduced \$70,000,000 or \$80,000,been curtailed as rapidly as a due regard On the 18th the Prussians captured to the interests of the people would admit.

> A late dispatch states that considerable interest is felt in regard to the complexion of the newly elected Legislature of Indiana, as Senator Morron's final acceptance of the English mission depends

ration and Congress.

A Washington dispatch of the 12th inst., says that the Administration is well pleased with the general result of the late elections, and accepts it as a proof that the policy of the President has been substantially endorsed by the people.

The steamship Comandors effected ap

entrance into Coos Bay and into the month of the Coquelle river, ashort time ago, and the citizens along the harbor ware so jubilant over the event that they fired salutes.

It is announced that the Legislature will adjourn to-day.

people, in enacting outrageous, unlawful, uncalled for and purely partisan measures, "reliable Democrats," who might otherwise go unprovided for, to the detriment if the fortress of the Rhine frontier are diately upon the heels of the adjourn ment of the present Legislature, an extra session will be convened by the Gov-

ernor! Let the Democratic revel go

FROM WISCONSIN .- A preacher of

on should take a barrel and fill it with the Holy Ghost, and another and fill it with whisky, and call this congregation Troyes, and also a reserve corps formed up and let you take your choice, the whis-The Republicans of Newark, New ky would be gone first."

Milwaukee has a sensible base-ball club. where each member employs a small boy to pick up the ball for him.

From the Devil river, we learn of anothr instance of the herois of woman. A few days ago, while nine young people were crossing the river referred to in a small boat, a sudden gust of wind struck them and threw a Mr. Southweld, one of the number, overboard. He was just ed overboard, seized his coat-collar and kent his head above water until another boat went to their assistance and took them on board. They had only been mar-

ried two months. Several young ladies at Elkhorn recent ly demonstrated their belief in the doctrines of Lucy Stone Black well and Anna Dickinson, by starting on an excursion into the country without male incumbran CCS.

INCREASE OF PPULATION IN TEXAS. Returns from ten counties in Texas have been received at the consus bureau, which shows a population of 38,359 against 18. 494 by the census of 1860, a gain of 14. 865, or over 80 per cent. Should the balance of the State show a corresponding increase the total population under the present census will amount to nearly 1.100.000

There will be a transit of Venus across the sun in 1874, and astronomers are al ready busy in making arrangements, for the careful examination, as by it the distance of the sun from the earth is determined. The last transit of Venus was in 1769, and since that time instruments of greater exectness have been made. Its results will be watched with great inter-

out by scientific men. The honor of being the first woman lecturer made welcome by the Southern-ers is claimed for Miss Olive Logan. Last

year she lectured in Delaware, Maryland and Kentucky. Baltimore and Louisville gave her four good houses in one season. This year she has received invitations from Virginia - State hitherto unknown by experience to women lectures, and indeed to lectures at all. .

> The Salem Mercury has been enlarged. It is now a five column paper.

mand of Russia is supported by an informal note from Austria. LONDON. Oct. 16 .- A special correspondent of the Tribune at Berlin on the

14th, telegraphs that the armies investing Paris have been and are still receiv ing heavy reinforcements, comprising Waushara has been discharged for being Landwehr of the guard heretolore at personal to his hearers. He said : "If Strasbourg, the bulk of the newly formed thirteenth army corps before Toul, and a Baden division which is marching by in Silesia, which is i. all about 100,000. The 15th army corps, under Gen. Von Werder, is advancing from Upper Alsace

against the Rhine. Operations at Paris are delayed by Bismarck's desire to prevent shelling the city. An attack is now expected next

week TOURS, Oct. 16 .- Dates from Paristo the 14th are received. Prussians were driven from Bayeau and Chantillon on the 13th by a heavy reconnoitering force from the city supported by guns of the fortifications.

BERLIN. Oct. 16 .- There are rumors of a difference of upinion at the King's headquarters, Moltke favoring immediate bombardment, while Bismarck and the Crown Prince favor slower process of siege and starvation, and argue that they have nothing to fear from the garrison and can spare half his investing army to break up attempted organization and besiege cities in other parts of the coun-

Leading citizens of Berlin publish their names to a protest against annexa tion of Alsace and Lorraine.

LONDON, Oct. 16 .- The World's co respondent at Bologne says engagements have taken place within three days at Chevissy, Escales, Elis and Laferte, (St. Aubin.) in each of which the Germans were badly beaten. In the latter en-gagement, which occurred Thursday, Germans to the number of between 8,000 or 9,000, were attacked early in the morning by a force of 10,000 Gardes Mobile and troops of the line of the army of Loire. They were badly posted and taken by surprise, but fought with determination until taken in the flank by

the right wing of the French, when they sought to retreat through the town of Laferte. The inhabitants, aided by a small body of French Tirreurs, barricaded the

main streets and resisted the Germans until the main body of the pursuing French fell upon them syain, out the ie reating columns in two and captured or lispersed the whole. LISBON, Uct. 16 -The opening of

the Cortes took place to day. The King announced the renewal of diplomatic relations with Italy, and that the promised neutrality will be maintained in the pres-

ent war. - Lonpon, Oct. 16 .-- Late advices from

NEW YORK, Oct. 17 .- Attorney Gen eral Akerman is in town to night, and in consultation with the U. S. District Judge in reference to the coming election. Trouble is apprehended. Tam-many utters threats if Deputy Marshals and troops are used at the polls as au thorized by the new law. the Baltie and Polish line. This de-

> NARROW GUAGE RAILROADS .-- On this subject the Portland Herald has this: A revolution is threatened in regard to railroads. The narrow guage railway, which can be made with about three-fitths the cost of ordinary ed both hands into the hot stuff, and railroads, together with the Fairlie engine, which, by its increased power, its adaptation to curves, its economy of rails, and its freedom from oscillation, gives us the assurance that the day is not far distant when every village of the land sion and conflagration, which the heroism will have its railroad connecting with

the main branches, which will be laid between the larger commercial points. The Fairlie engine on the narrow track has already been tested in Wales, where it has been demonstrated that it can accomplish the work once deemed possible only on the heaviest rails, broadest guages, and work the heaviest locomotives. In India, a three foot guage has been demonstrated to be sufficient for an extensive traffic, including cotton and rice. The London Times says that distinguished English engineers report that with the Fairlie engine they can manage the heaviest traffics of the world. In regard to the narrow track railroads already laid, we take the following from the Baltimore Sun :

It is stated that water cresses furnish a In England there is a short railroad. positive antidote to the injurious effects fourteen miles in length, of only two feet of nicotine, and it has been recommended guage, which has proved most profitable to shareholders and useful to the public. to soak tobacco leaves with an extract of this vegetable, as, without effecting the There are other like reads of two feet six peculiar aroma of the tobacco, it is exinches guage In Belgium there is a pected to obviate any dangerous results. road of three feet four inches; in India of four leet; in Sweeden and Norway, several of three feet six inches; on Mt. and disgust everybody with the offensive Cenis, one of three feet ; and now engineers in Europe, who have given this some old fogy doctor who has not discov-ered and will not be'ieve that the world matter the most attention, prefer a guage of two fect six inches or three feet. Their moves, tells you that it cannot be cured. common speed, even in the crooked. The proprietor of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will pay \$500 reward for a case of Catarrh which he cannot cure. Sold mountain regions of Norway and Wales. is said to be from fifteen to eighteen and a half miles per hour, and their cost by dauggists, or send sixty cents to R at most three fifths that of an ordinary Pierce, M. D., 123 Seneca street, Buf railway. The improved machines emfalo, N. Y., for it. A pamphlet free Beware of counterfeits and worthless im ployed upon these roads combine lightness, great tractile power, and perfect evenness of movement, and thus obviates itations. Remember that the Gennine has Dr. Pierce's private Government the trouble of excessive oscillation of locomotives on narrow railways, which Stamp upon each package. This Stamp issued by the United States Government originated the necessity of broad guages.

The bill taxing Life and Fire Insur ance Companies \$100 per annum, person the Senate on the 18th. pitios.

tom crop, will be found deficient. Woodhouse Tchuaatepee Company, HEROISM .- Swinemunde, Prussia, is \$357.907.519. fortified place, and within the limits of

A train on the South Side (Long Isthe fort immense quantities of ammuni land) Railroad ran six miles in five min. tion are now manufactured. The process utes recently. of making shells is finished by the seal

A Herald cable dispatch from Tours ing of each with boiling pitch. Each says it is strictly true that after the loss of 200,000 stand of arms at Sedan, the shell must be held singly, over the ves sel of pitch, while another man seals it. French Government sent to England to As might be expected, the operation is a ticklish one; as all about are scattered piles of shells scaled or otherwise. purchase as many rifles. They succeeded in getting some, but nothing like the number wanted. France now offers to Recently a man who was holding a shell buy any number of rifes in America at let it fall into the vessel of boiling pitch; 250 tranes each, delivered at some port when the Chief of Ordinance, who wain France. standing near superintending the opera-

tions, without losing one moment, plung In Soissons 250 houses were burned to the ground. A terrible struggle occurred there. No quarter was shown. The seizing the shell flung it into a tub of cold water standing near. He fainted Duke of Mecklenburg is said to have wept at the slaughter, refused to order an mmediately afterward from pain. But ssault, and asked the French to capituad he hesitated a second or so, there would have been a most disastrous explolate in the name of humanity.

Fresh proposals of peace are rumored of a single individual alone was capable in which Luxomboury, Alsace and Lorrain are to be neutral States under Prince Henry of Orange Nassau.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE .- Mr. Wil It costs three ceuts less to raise a pound iam Davidson, real estate dealer, has effected a sale of lots 3, 6 and 7, in block of cotton now than before emancin 24, situated on Third street, between F was proclaimed.

and G streets, (Conch's Addition.) with An old sgricultural laborer in England a house on the same, to Col. J. S. Walker tried a muscular method of evangelizing and Capt.H. A. Nickerson, for the sum his family. Being remonstrated with by of \$2,750, in U. S. gold coin. Also, lot the pastor for not "bringing up" his boys 7 in block 15, (Couch's Addition,) to Mr. as he should, he replied : "I dinnow 'ow B. F. Dowell, for the sum of \$500 cuin. 'tis, sir; I order 'em down to pray night and mornin', and when they won't go The Acting Commissioner of Internal down I knocks 'em down-and yet they Revenue has decided that the American

ain't good !" Bible Society, American Tract Society. A young ruffian, who had violated his and other kindred associations are neither obligations as a member of the Lodge of literary, educational, or charitable, within Good Templars, at Oswego, by appear-ing at a meeting with a bottle of whisky, added injury to insult afterward, when the meaning of section 27 of the recent act of Congress, and are, therefore, liable to succession and legacy taxes like other called up for expulsion, by "expelling his quoudam brothers from the room with a club.

An upper country paper reports the death of Rev. W. P. Koger in Grande Roude Valley, by "accidental poisoning." The "accidental" part of the fatal affair is reported to be administering of opium pills by a man named Hayden (who professed to know something of medicine), to cure an attack of cholera morbus. Mr Hawk, Hawk, Spit, Spit, Blow, Blow, Hayden ought to be taught in an effectodor from your Catarrh, just because ive manner that poisoning is a crime.

MARRIED

At the residence of Wm, Eastman, by Stephen Porter, J. P., Mr. W. S. Strong, of Line county and Emma J. Cleaver, of Marion county. Compliments received. Mr. Strong and lady have our best wishes for their future wel happiness.

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