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The president has issued his proclamation, setting apart Thursday, November 26th, 1885, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer.

The postoffice department has been informed that the interchange of money orlers between the United States and Japan began October 1, and nine orders were drawn on Japan on the first two days of that month.

Leading clearing-houses of the United States report that the gross bank exchanges for the week ending October 31, were \$263,979,104, an increase of 12.6 per cent., compared with the corresponding week a year ago.

The Yamhill democratic county convention nominated Dr. E. E. Goucher, of McMinnville, for the vacant sens torship of that county. It is thought that the fight will now be as much on locality as politics, on account of the county seat question.

An anti-Chinese meeting in San Francisco last Saturday evening was attended by 5000 people, represented by the cigar makers' union, the white cooks and waiters, the boiler makers' union and the sailors union and the Knights of Labor. The sentiment of the meeting was to boycott the Chinese in all quarters, an l to absolutely give them no employ ment and to buy no cigars, boots, shoes or clothing made by them, and to have no washing done by them. In fact, the object is to boycott them in every quartar. Eloquent speeches were mide by prominent men, an lit is thought that something practical will come out of it.

In a recent speech of Senator Sherman's, at Petersburg, Virginia, hesaid: "It had been said of him that he was waving the bloody shirt. If it was meant by waving the bloody shirt that | Treasury will be put on trial for the be had sought to renew the animosities first time, and be made to show the of the war, then there was a grave mistake, for he had constantly said that A number of Senators have much cuthe war was over, and its animosities closity to see how he will conduct himshould be buried out of sight; that he would not hold any confederate soldier responsible for what he did luring the war, and that all he wished was to preserve the acknowledged results of the war, and among the rights thus obtained, he claimed that one was that every man of lawful age should be allowed to exercise his right to vote, without distinction of race, colorer previous condition." The speaker claimed that in the last presidential election the colored people had been deprived of their franchise, and that by this means, Grover Cleveland became president of the United States, instead of James G. Blaine. It was not the war of the rebellion, but the war upon the ballot-box which he had arraigned.

men, stout, robust and willing, can be seen idly loafing their vigorous days away. Could these young men's idle our State would be doubled. Sitting around whittling sticks, spinning yarns some instances useless class of men. Would they work! They have demonstrated that they will, and for small live in a rented house. remunération. The fact is we have no manufactories that utilize this idle la-leased during the week to Congressmen bor. Work for these young men would who expect to contribute to the social mark an epoch in the moral condition doings of the season. Senator Stan of our future citizens as, at present, ford of California, and Representative idleness, they are forced to accept but Scott from Erie, the two railway men. places them in the maw of all the vices will be neighbors, as they have taken of the day. Our idle young men rep- houses on the same square. As they resent so much wealth that is being both have millions of money, their lost to us every day and this loss will friends are expecting to be well entercontinue until manufactories come to tained.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24, 1885. Speculation continues in regard to he Administration's position in the New York campaign. When Gov. Hill asked the authorities here to use heir influence to prevent two local ickets being nominated in New York ity, and the Administration people reused to interfere the democrats were much surprised. They cannot believe that the President does not desire Mr. Hill's election. Some of them construe the President's non-interference in this way. Mr. Cleveland is ambitious for re-nomination. He intends to hold the Independents. He wants to be able to say to his party, three years from now, I am the only man you can nominate who can secure the Independent vote. I alone can carry the state of New York.

Senators and Representatives are laily dropping into the city to arrange for their winter residence. They are off again in a few days, but each has something to say before he goes away in regard to the Administration's policy. Nearly every prominent Demo crat who comes to Washington complains bitterly of the way the Presient conducts business. Not only do key criticize his public course, but hey are displeased with his personal eception of them. They do not know exactly what to do about it. Altogether the situation is intensely interesting and tempestuous times are predicted for the winter. The approaching Congress, it is thought, will be the most exciting one that has been known ince the war.

If the D mocratic party breaks with he only Administration it has had for wenty years, as now seems imminent will have to take the back seat for all time. Senator Van Wyck, of Ne raska, says he thinks the President as good reason for being suspicious of he Democratic Senators. They have orced some very queer people on him. Others explain the uncomfortable

diffness and reserve about Mr. Cleve and through the fact that he is unfadiliar with public affeirs, and that it is ifficult for him to carry on conversaions upon national affairs with experinced men. Here in Washington, the eterans of public life have almost a language of their own. To them much is expressed by mere adusion. No detailed explanations are needed, and it is embarrassing for a stranger who has not lived in this atmosphere of Nationil politics to discuss with them.

Next winter the Secretary of the rank he will take among public men. self. Whenever any financial legislacion is up before Congress the Finance Committees of the body always summon before them the Secretary of the freasury explain nis views and assist in shaping legislaion. Or if any legislation is pendng before his department, he is expected to come before these committees and explain what is and what is not required. The Senate committee is made up of very skillful, exie ienced men. Senator Morrill, of Vermont, is chairman, and Senator Sherman, one of the most experienced in financial affairs, of all the Senators, is on this committee. Senators, Allison, Aldrich, Beck and McPherson are also close financial stulents, and Mr. Manning will have to study very hard between now and the In every town in the Valley, young neeting of Congress in order to answer off-hand the many questions these well informed Senators will ask him.

There is no foundation for the report hours be utilized in labor the wealth of that Senator Cameron is about to rerign his seat in the United States Senate. He expects to be here at the and gossiping over the happenings of opening of Congress, and to make his the day, they grow into a lazy and in home in Washington until the adjourn- day, Nov. 10ta, 1885. ment of the Senate. As he sold his handsome residence last spring, he will

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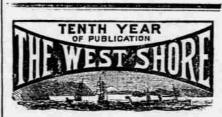
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