WE RISE TO EXPLAIN.

We have to ask our patrons to be as lenient with us as possible for the failure of our last week's issue. One of those unavoidable accidents which will sometimes happen in a printing office United States and British America; occurred to us, and the result was our weekly visit was deferred. We hope German citizens in France, and the and trust that such a thing will not happen to us again, but that all will go well. The new year is close upon us, and we have made arrangements to supply our friends with magazines and other publications cheap. For clubbing rates we refer to notices in another column. Any publication wanted by the public can be obtained by leaving the money with us, and we will insure the forthcoming of the desired publication. Wishing to extend the circulation of our own paper, and at the same time accommodate the public, we offer these inducements. Having our paper on a firm basis, we propose to devote our energies to its editorial columns, and whatever of talent we may possess shall be applied to that purpose. We ask the continuance of patronage of our citizens, and may the time soon come when the REPUBLICAN shall be a welcome visitor to every household in the land.

PITY 'TIS TIS TRUE.

Another bright star has fallen from the constellation of our unfortunate Democratic friends. Much has been said about the certainty of Judge Trumbull, of Illinois, becoming a can didate for the Presidency in 1872 against Gen. Grant. But Trumbull now comes forth and declines the honor. The New York Sun and other papers of that ilk have also advocated the claims of Horace Greeley, and expected to see Greeley come out in the Tribune and abuse Grant, and severely criticise his message. To their great discomfiture, however, the message receives a favorable comment from the Tribune, and Mr. Greeley states his intention to support the nominee, and

> One by one their stars are falling, One by one their hopes decay,

And the adoption of the passive policy is their only course. This is really a safe and proper course. The people will always be true to themselves; and when satisfied that any party organization is corrupt and unworthy of support, they will always suppress it. The Democracy have tried for years to resume control of national affairs, but have signally failed. Now let them rest until the party in power shall be guilty of some act calculated to bring the censure of the people, and entitle it to defeat, then, under the name of Democracy, or some other nomenclature, rise from its temporary obscurity. and, based upon truth and justice, ride to position and power. But now it is hopeless; and the only plausible thing to do is to bide their time, be it long or

DISMISSAL FROM WEST POINT .-Secretary Belknap has taken a step in the right direction by dismissing cadet Drewer for interfering with another cadet in the discharge of his duties. The practice of these students of "deviling,"-as they term it-a new recruit, has been practiced in our Universities time immemorial until it has become almost unbearable; and many young students have been compelled to resign their situation, rather than submit to indignities heaped upon them by the older classes. The example set by | these desirable ends, of the rapid dethe Secretary will, we hope, be followed by our Academies and Universities, until a quietus be put to this nefarious practice. It is time that this relie of barbarism was eliminated from our educational system altogether, as a disgrace to the age, and an insult to common sense. All efforts should be made to render the acquisition of knowledgehard enough at best-as pleasant as possible, and all petty annoyances should be removed from the path of the beginner-

tion to sell one half of Reed's Opera House for \$35,000 is a Boss-Tweed pauper labor of Europe. job. The present owners gave only months ago.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE,

We have not space to devote to this document entire. After the usual preliminaries the President refers to the friendly relations existing between the United States and other powers of the world. He then recommends the appointment of a force for the establishment of the boundary line between the refers to the withdrawal of protection to policy which the Government is maintaining toward European, South American and Asiatic Governments. In regard to the Catacazy affair he says:

"It was impossible, with self respect, or with a just regard for the dignity of the country, to permit Mr. Catacazy to continue to hold interviews with this Government. After his abuse of the Government, the inexcusable course of the Russian Minister at Washington rendered it necessary to ask his recall, and to decline to longer receive that functionary as a diplomatic representative. That there is no desire on the part of this Government to diminish the cordiality of these relations, the hospitable reception which has been given to the Grand Duke is a proof, and that on our side we share the wishes of the reasonable assurance of a permanent peace, and that the intimate, friendly relatious which have so long existed between the United States and Russia may continue undisturbed, the visit of the third son of the Emperor

The action taken by the Government in stopping barbarities committed by the Coreans is thus stated:

"Impelled by a desire to put an end to the barbarous treatment of our shipwrecked sailors on the Corean coast, I instructed our Minister at Pekin to en deavor to conclude a convention with Corea for securing the safety and humane treatment of such mariners. Admiral Rodgers was instructed to accompany him with a sufficient force to protect him in case of need. A small surveying party sent out, on reaching the coast, was treacherously attacked at a disadvantage. Ample opportunity was given for explanation and apology for the insult , neither came. A force was then landed. After a march of an bour in a rugged and difficult country, the forts from which the outrages had been committed were gallantry assaulted and were destroyed. Having thus punished the criminals, and having vindi ated the honor of the flag, the expedition returned, finding it im, racticable, under the circumstances, to conclude the desired convention. I respectfully refer to the correspondence relating thereto, herewith submitted, and leave the subject for such action as Congress may

Owing to the fact that our Ministers in China and Japan have to depend on interpreters who imperfectly understand our language, the President recommends that at least four youths be added to the official family there to learn those languages and to act as interpreters; also that measures be taken for the sustentation of American ship, ping. With reference to Cuban affairs, it is stated that measures have been taken to fully protect the rights of American citizens, and hopes are expressed that the difficulties between the United States and Spain growing out of Cuban affairs may be amicably settled. Upon the question of finance, the President says:

"The national debt has been reduced to the extent of \$86,057,126 during the year, and by the negotiations of national bonds at a low rate of interest, the interest of the national debt has been so far diminished that now the sum to be raised for interest account is nearly \$17,000,000 less than it was on the 1st of March, 1869. It was highly desirable that this rapid diminution should take, place both to strengthen the credit of the country, and to convince its citizens of their entire ability to meet every dollar of liability without bankrupting them. But in view of the accomplishment of velopment of the resources of the country, its increasing ability to meet large lemands, and the amount already paid, it is not desirable that the present resources of the country should continue to be taxed in order to continue this rapid payment."

The recommendations concerning the tariff and Internal Revenues, are certainly fair and logical, viz.: that the tariff should be lowered as much as possible and protect home industries, In regard to articles that enter into general use, and that cannot be produced at home, should be placed upon The Farmer says that the proposi- the free list, and such other deductions made as can be without bringing our House to Marion County for a Court own labor into competition with the

Concerning public lands, it is recom-\$33,000 for the entire building a few | mended that they be reserved for actual

The matter of Civil Service reform having been submitted before, and referred to a committee, does not now receive marked attention.

Taken altogether, it is a fair statement of the status of Governmental affairs without any attempt at literary flourish, yet couched in such language as to be plain, and easily comprehended, making such recommendations as the exigences of the case seem to de mand. Just such a decument will meet the approval of the people, as it is clear, sound and reliable.

IN MEMORIAM,

At a regular meeting of La Creole Lodge; No. 23, I. O. G. T., on the 2d inst., the following resolutions were adopted, expressive of the feelings of the Lodge with reference to the death of Sister Kate Howe:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God, in his providence, to remove from our midst, by death, Sister Kate Howe,

therefore be it Resolved. That in the death of our beloved Sister, this Lodge has lost one of its exemplary members, the community one of its brightest, most amiable and lovely ornaments, and her family one of its dearest earthly ties,

Resolved, That we bow in humble submission to the will of our Heavenly Father, and though we mourn. we mourn not as those who have no hope, but in confidence that our loss is her eternal gain.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with the bereaved family in this, their great affliction, and we most pray that the God of all grace and consolation will comfort and sustain them while they live, and finally reunite them in that temple not made with hands, eternal in the Heavens.

Resolved, That this report be made permanent record on our minutes, and that we will wear the usual badge for thirty days, as a memorial of regard, and that a copy of these Resolutions be | Oregon Iron works for 89,722. turnished the Good Templar, P. C. Advocate, and the OREGON REPUBLI-CAN, and that our Secretary be instructed to furnish the bereaved family a copy with the seal of this Lodge at-

ASA SHREVE, AMELIA E. SCRIBER, M. M. OGLESBY, JOHN E. SMITH, MARY E LEE, Committee.

Telegraphic Summary.

The connection between Euglish and American publishers appears to be extending and growing closer every year. This fall and summer nearly every book importing house in the United States has been personally represented in

James Denison, for forty one years reporter for the London Times, died, at the age of seventy three, a few days Before railways and telegraphs were known he managed the news expresses for the Times in the west of England, and many struggles took place between him and Mr. Charles Dickens, who then represented the pounds Morning Chronicle, to secure priority of information for their respective journals.

During the month of October 14,263 emigrants took their departure from Liverpool for the United States.

Means are to be taken to prevent future difficulties between Prussian sol diers and the French inhabitants.

The movement for advanced wages continues at Rouen, where the strikes among the several trades are on the

A Congress for the consideration of trades unions will be held at Berlin on the 19th. A union of all workingmen's association for co-operative purposes is

W. F. Forbes, Indian pension agent in Philadelphia, has been suspended. He is charged with being a defaulter to the amount of \$251,000, which, it is said, he has expressed his willingness to

The estimates submitted for the expenses of the Government for the next fiscal year do not differ materially from those of last year, except that the pension list is larger. The net ordinary expenses last year were \$292,000,000.

Col. Whitley is effectively breaking up counterfeiting gangs. On Saturday, in New York, he arrested B J. Monale, a man named Montagro, and Valdersairdes, in whose possession were found dies for ten dollar gold pieces.

Gen. Schofield will be placed in the Indian Bureau to control the Indians in Arizona. He will be instructed to bring them all in upon reservation and keep them there.

Among the bills introduced in the Senate was one regulating the pay of officers of the navy and Executive Department, and one for the incorporation of the Postal and Telegraph Department.

the Radical Reform.

State Items.

[Gleanings from State Exchanges.] An astrologer has located himself in

The Episcopal Church at Salem has purchased a fine organ.

A vein of coal eight feet in depth has been discovered in Douglas county. The residents of Baker City are en-

enjoying themselves hugely skating on Three suits are pending by the

Courts, by parties in Portland, against the O. S. N. Co. The O. & C. Railroad are building, at their works in East Portland, two

passenger coaches for the N. P. R. R. The report that the Harrisburg bridge was injured by the late high i

water is denied by the Eugene journals. The new Methodist Church at Hills boro will be dedicated the first Sunday in January.

A grand Ball will be given at the Salem Opera House, on the 29th inst., by the Salem Brass Band.

erect a large hotel on Fourth Street, Portland. The Advocate gives the receipts of the Ladies' Relief Fund for the month

of November as \$231 60. The cabinet of specimens or museum of Rev. P. S. Knight is attracting con-

siderable attention in Salem It has been ascertained that Rogue River can be entered by steamers. The

Rev. Thomas Condon has been lecturing in Salem during the week on the subject of "Our Mountain Ranges

and the Interior Basin." A young fellow of Baker County was arrested last week for stealing a horse from a deaf and dumb man in Baker

City, and was held to bail for \$500. The contract for furnishing the metal work for the Lighthouse at Cape Foulweather was let, on the 8th inst., to the

At the Warm Springs Indian Reservation the Indians now marry according to civilized rites, and the Agent keeps a record of the event.

Miss Carrie F. Young has returned to the Willamette Valley, and is preparing to make a tour to lecture on the cause of temperance.

Halsey, on the line of the O. & C. Railroad, is reported to have grown more rapidly than any other town in the State.

Miss Carrie Moore has been enter-

taining the people of Salem with her extraordinary feats on the velocipede, Rev. Mr. Knight's cabinet, which is

now attracting the attention of the citizens of Salem, is a collection of preserved specimens of insects. The Benton Democrat is informed

that the hands are to be drawn off from the East Side road, and be put at work on the West Side. Hurrah for the West side! say we. Mr. Ralph Geer informs the States-

man that he has killed a lot of fine fat hogs, fattened entirely on apples; among them one which weighed 300 The Jury in the case of Pumpelly vs. Oregon State Agricultural Society.

suit for damages for expulsion from the Fair Grounds, rendered a verdict of \$75 for plaintiff.

Wilbur F. Cornell, B. B. Taylor and Eugene Semple have organized as the Herala publishing Company They have purchased, and will hereafter publish, the Oregon Daily and Weekly

Rev. A. W. Sweeney, who was elected Mayor of Albany last week, declines the office, on the ground that the honorable office which he now holds (a minister of the Gospel) is all he can attend to. This is not common now-a days, though semi-occasionally men

The exercises of examination of students of Willamette University, Salem. have been in progress during the week. Everything seems satisfactory, and the Institute is reported to be in a flourishing condition. Oregon is rapidly assuming a high position among the States as an educator of the young.

An Irishman employed a Salem bootmaker to make him a pair of boots, and when they were finished put them on of the Emerald Isle down, took the by tradnig at the boots off, and drove him out of the

Under the head of "Another Larceny," the Jacksonville Times has this: A man named Conner was arrested at Grant's Pass on Wednesday, charged with wilfully, maliciously and feloniously, without the fear of God before his eyes, but being seduced by the instigation of the devil, taken and carried away one wife and one baby, twenty months old, and one span of horses, the property of William Savage, An imposing demonstration was made of Yambill County. Conner may be last evening at Birmingham in favor of said to have "taken his start in Yamhill," at any rate.

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