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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Eastern States.

The President has reford the bill entitled "an act to problbit H. R. PARKER, - - - - - Proprietor. military interference at elections.

The president's vete message was referred to the judiciary committee, and a resolution adopted that the house would vote on the question of reconsideration on the

News is received that on Saturday night Charles Reid of Sydney, Nebraska, who was in jail there for having murdered Henry Loomis the preceding day, was taken out by about 400 citizens and hanged to a telegraph pole in the main street of the town.

The cause of the rapid and considerable rise in wheat at Chicago on the 12th is continued bot weather throughout the northwest, combined, it is alleged, with a movement on the part of a speculative ring to force wheat above a dollar. The weather recently has been very unfavorable to growing crops in the northwest.

The Times, Tribune and Inter Ocean correspondents agree that the following will probably be the course of the democrats after a second veto: They will hold another caucus, and the present opinion appears to be that the legislative appropriation bill will pass the greatest possible restrictions and the army bill will be allowed to fail. They will then disband and go home.

Pacific Coast Dispatches.

An attempt was made to burn the Ohio house at Reno on the night of the 11th.

Capt. John Hayes, pilot of the cutter Wolcott, formerly of the steamship California, died at Port Towsend while sitting at dinner on the 11th. He leaves a wife and NORTON HOUSE, family in Portland, Oregon.

The Reno tar and feather brigade on the 12th, tarred and feather--ed a man named Ed. Davis. Davis has been keeping a squaw rendezyous, and is accused of furnishing whisky to Indians. He bore his punishment bravely, and declares that he will leave town. The brigade tried to catch two other Private Boarding House. fellows, but they were not success-

Connecticut Insurance Statistics.

From the New Haven Journal. Commissioner Stedman's report shows that the Connecticut fire insurance companies' increase in gross assets for 1878 is \$605,045; in surplus as regards policy-holders, \$608,846; and in surplus over all liabilities, \$408,846. The total gross assets of the state companies are \$17,654,915; surplus as regards | Main and Concomly Sts., Astoria policy-holders, \$12,702,598; liabilities, including capital, \$13,153,316; surplus over all liabilities, \$4,501;-598. In 1877 the ratio of expenditures to income was 105 99; last year, 91 86. Most of the Hartford companies did a better business last year than in 1877. Since 1874 the cash capital of Connecticut companies has increased from \$6,781,000 to \$8,201,000; gross assets, from \$13,560,127 to \$17,-645,716. During the same period there has been a decrease in the income, expenditures, premium, receipts, and losses paid, but the number of risks in force has been increased. The premium receipts for 1873 amounted to \$10,225,078, but for 1878 the aggregate was \$6,623,179. The losses paid in 1873 aggregated \$6,160,211, but last year only \$3,434,171.

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