#### Mrs. Harrison Dead.

WASHINGTON, D.C. Oct. 25 .- Mrs Harrison is no more. At 1:40 this morning came the end. For the nd time in the history of the White House a president's wife has died within its walls. Mrs. Har rison met death with the patience and resignation of a devout christian. and her last days were comparatively free from pain. For twenty-four hours the president and family have been almost constantly at her bedside awaiting the end. Last night was without incident. But late and early, so frequently that he could have slept but little, if at all, the president was in and out of the sick chamber, and was never easy for any length of time, Yesterday was clear and crisp and cool, and perhaps the luspiring sunshine and dryness of the atmosphere helped the invalid, and acted as a stimulant. Whenever she awoke from a troubled and unsatisfactory sleep, she was conscious. She could still recognize her surroundings, and a glance of recognition greeted the physician when he entered the sick room yesterday morning. Dr. Gardner was at the patient's bedside nearly the entire forenoon. He went away two or three times to attend to other professional duties.

Mrs. Harrison at noon was still conscious. A little before that, the president leaning over her, asked if old-time smile, that the approach sundown.

From 4 o'clock until well into the The calamity came without warnwire messages of condolence ad- against the hot boiler. dressed to the president. Hal ford promptly authorized a denial, but arrive in numbers.

Just after 6 o'clock Mrs. Ht rrison the sick woman still had sufficient strength to rally once more. Hours sped by, and at 1:40 a, m.

her spirit passed peacefully away.

ceived by the president, were those from Queen Victoria, ex-Secretary Blaine, ex-President Grover Clevehand, Vice President Morton, and Hon. Whitelaw Reid. The Death of Mrs. Harrison.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 25 .-The death in the White House, of case in the history of the executive mansion, in which the first wife of John Tyler, died, Two presidents, also, have died in the White House, Wm. Henry Harrison, the presi-

### MRS. HARRISON'S FUNERAL

Taylor.

Condolence of Cardinal Gibbons.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 25 .-The guard around the executive mansion to keep out intruders will be continued today. The funeral services will be held Thursday morning. They will be in no sense public, admission to them being limited strictly to those invited of official position. The president will rmit services to be the same as in he case of a member of a private amily. The body will not lie in ate. After services the body will se accompanied to Indianapolis where services of more public charoter will be held in the First Presterian church, and body interred n Crown Hitleemetery. All night long and today telegrams of condo socs have poured in at the White ones, but none of these will be few, including those from persons governments. The president is business in the city. averse to parades of this sort.

Condolence of Cardinal Gibbons CHICAGO, Ills., Oct. 25.—Cardinal Gibbons this morning sent the following telegram to President Harrison: "The pope, through Cardinal Rampollo, sends you his heartfelt condolence, in your present

Accident on Great Northern. DEMOCRATS MAY ENDORSE PENNOYER.

MOUNTAIN COMES TO MA HOMET.

May Endorse Governor Pennoyer

PORTLAND, Or., Oct. 25 .- A meetng of the Democratic executive mmittee will be held this afteroon for the purpose of considering he advisability of withdrawing the ntire Democratic electoral ticket in his state and endorsing those of the cople's party. The advocates of he fusion are sanguine of success.

Another Swap for Weaver. ST Louis, Oct. 25 .- Omaha Spec al: Three of the most influential Democrats in Nebraska who were in secret session all last night, decided to support Weaver Presidentials electors. The Democratic electors are to be kept in field, however, to maintain the party organization.

Accident on Great Northern. SPOKANE, Wash., Oct. 25 .- One of the most appalling accidents in she wished for anything. With the the history of Washington railroads occurred yesterday at the point of death only made more tender and where the Great Northern railroad trustful, she answered low, but crosses the Wenatchee river the secvery distinctly, "No, dear," Ap- ond time. The bridge over that parently she was conscious. There stream collapsed while a construcwas little change during the after- tion train was crossing. Seven men noon, but every change was for the were killed outright, five fatally inworse, and the watchers were fear- jured, and six others were so seriful that death would ensue about ously hurt that some of them may

evening, the president and all mem- ing, and while the men were hard bers of his far.ily remained at Mrs. at work, unmindful of their danger. Harrison's bedside. As the day The bridge began first to totter, and (signed) H. E. Taubeneck, chairwaned and the sun sank behind the before they could run to the other man national committee. western hills, the anxiety of the end of the structure it collapsed, watchers became more and more carrying them into the river, 60 feet intense. The shadows deepened, below. There were six flat cars and the sun sunk to rest, night came, an engine on the bridge at the time, and yet the end was not. Some one | but fortunately the engine was not had sent to Indianapolis a bulletir, coupled to the cars. Had it been, announcing Mrs. Harrison's death, the accident would have been all the The premature report spread rapidly more appaling, for some of the inover the country from west to es st, jured would have been killed by a and there began to flow upon the slow and horrible death of rousting

#### The New Army Bill.

BERLIN, Oct. 25 .- Official details It did not overtake the original of the new army bill are published. story, and messages continued to The peace effective force from October 1, 1893, to March 31, 1895, is fixed at 492,068. The service of the suffered another sinking spell, But infinity is generally reduced to two up his residence there tomorrow. years. The adoption of this measure is necessary because the former military preponderence of Germany Among messages of ympathy re- France is placed at 4,053,000, and of of the winter abroad, but it appears Russia 4,556,000. When reorganiza- he has abandoned the idea of leav tion under the bill is completed, the German army will have attained a stength of 4,400,000, whereas France will not be able to exceed her present strength. The bill retains the instructed to remain at their offices. power of the military authorities to This points to the drafting of a comkeep the men in the ranks until prehensive scheme of domestic leg-Mrs. Harrison, makes the second they have completed the third year islation. of service. This will be done as a punishment for offences under the military code.

Return of the Lost Hunter. ELLENSBURG, Wash., Oct. 25 .dent's grandfather, and Zachariah An Indian returned from Icicle

creek last evening, bringing Jason Dunkel, who was lost two weeks ago. He wandered in the snow and fog eleven days, and subsisted the entire time on one grouse. His feet were badly frozen.

Indictment Against Collector. EL PASO, TEXAS, Oct. 25,-The United States grand jury returned an indictment against Collector of Customs Webster Flanagan, well known for his remark "What are we here for?" Special Deputy Collector W. Pimm, and Ah John, Chinaman, for assisting the Chinese to enter the United States unlawfully.

Trouble Feared in Montana. MISSOULA, Mont., Oct. 25.-Geo. Thompson, a prominent non-union leader of Gem. Idaho, in reply to an inquiry, said: "I fear the worst. It ooks worse than it did before the ast outbreak, and all that is needed to make war, is some action on

Warehouse Men Strike. NEW ORLHANS, Oct. 25 .- A general strike of warehous; men, packers and drivers is inaugurated. The made public at present at least, and chief difference of contention on the has been formed for the purpose of Cures rick headache,

either side toward hostilities."

The Copyright Law.

OTTOWA, Ontario, Oct. 25 .- A deputation of Canadian publishers has arrived here at the request of Sir John Thompson, minister of justice, to discuss copyright matters ity of the Canadian copyright bill. Information received from England on the subject, it is said, strengthens the belief that the Capadian bill, although long deferred, will be allowed by the British government, the Count Szapary's successor," which means the practical exclusion from Canada of American reprints of Euglish copyright works. Canada has been advised by Great Britain that she can withdraw form the Berne copyright treaty. The Dominion government will take advantage of the suggestion.

Tin Plate Manufactory.

SPRINGFIELD, Ills., Oct. 25. - There have been filed bere articles of incorporation by the Swansea Steel and Tin Plate Company, capital ganized for the manufacture of to visit it. American tin plate. The principal stockholders are Welsh capitalists. The plant, which will consist of four mills, will be located at St. Paul, Minn., and will employ not less than 300 men, and be in operation by June 1st.

The Redistribution Bill.

MADISON, Wis., Oct 25 .- After one week spent by the joint apportionment committee considering legis- of killing Policeman Cox. lative redistribution bill the demomajority this morning brought in a bill against the republican minority, and submitted it to the legislature to be forced through \$1.15@120. both houses today.

That Lie Nailed.

ST Louis, Mo., Oct. 24.—Head- 713 quarters People's National party. The Lease interview is a fake.

Watering the Stock.

NEW YORK, Oct, 25 .- The stock nolders of the western Union tele graph have increased the capital stock to one hundred million.

#### FOREIGN NEWS.

Stir in English Politics.

LONDON, Oct. 25.-The political season begins in earnest, on Thurs- bad record." day, when a cabinet council will be held, Sir William Vernon Harcourt, chancellor of the exchequer, was installed in Downing street Saturday, and Gladstone will take John Morley, chief secretary for freland, is expected to arrive from Dublin Wednesday. It was expecthas gone. The war strength of ed Gladstone would spend a portion ing England because of anticipated trouble in drafting a homerule bill. All the parliamentary draftsmen in the various departments have been

Received the Lord Mayor. LONDON, Oct. 25 .- According to custom, Baron Herschell, lord chanmayor-elect of London, in the house of lords yesterday. The lord chancellor commented upon the fact that the election of Knill had been received with determined hostility in certain quarters, owing to the creed Mr. Kimsay is in a quandary how to in which he believed. The lord manage the matter and get his chancellor said that undoubtedly the time was past when it was impossible for a Catholic to hold office religious liberty had been fought A charge of 25 cents will be made man believed was no barrier to his privileges, rights or honors.

Rough Weather at Sea.

LONDON, Oct. 25 .- The Guion line teamer Alaska, from New York, October 15, for Liverpool, arrived at Queenstown yesterday. She reports encountering terrific weather, which delayed her one day. On some days of the voyage the officers considered ber in a dangerous position. The anchor line steamer City of Rome, is probably the heaviest legal tax from New York, October 15, for payer in the Williamette valley, his Glasgow, passed Troy island this taxes alone being equal to the inmorning. She did not call at Mo-

Will Take All the Stock.

mibly not at all. If any, only a part of the unions; only union mem- taking the whole £1,750,000 of Trubers should be employed. The result guayan stock belonging to the Barof unusual prominence or from other may be a prolonged tie up of all the ing estate. The liquidators of Baring Bros. & Co. are considering an offer for the stock by the syndicate. The price offered is considerably above the current quotations.

New Premier for Hungary.

LONDON, Oct. 25 .- The News' with a view to enabling the Domin- Szapary, the Hungarian premier, is not know that Dr. King's New Dision government to reply to a dis- expected to resign forthwith. Durpatch from the British government ing Saturday's sitting of the Huncalling for certain information re- garian chamber, Count Apponyi quired before the Imperial govern- openly referred to the matter, sayment declare on the constitutional- ing he was placing a wreath on the coffin of the premier's incompetence. That evening three sections of the of the democratic state central comopposition celebrated their so-called mittee, and to all whom it may convictory by a banquet, at which Count Carn, and signed by Robert A. Miller, Polonyi toasted Count Apponyi as

May go to Chicago.

London, Oct. 25,-At a dinner party at New Mat et last week, at which the Prince of Wales was a guest, he was asked if there was any truth in the report of his pro- and withdraw my acceptance thereposed visit to Chicago. The prince replied that he doubted whether he could get away next year at a suitable time. Upon the suggestion that the exhibition would probably mittee, I find myself not eligible to pleasant and cures. be kept open for a second season, the prince said he hoped it would. stock, \$200,000. The company is or- as he then might be able to arrange

Fenians to Be Liberated.

LONDON, Oct. 25 .- The Fenians Mullen and Dowling, serving senences in Marlborough jail, are about to be released. Mullen was convicted of complicity in the murders of Lord Frederick Cavendish, chief secretary for Ireland, and Burke, under secretary, in Phoenix Park, Dublin, May 6, 1882. Dowling was convicted

#### MARKETS.

Ferry and Liberty. PORTLAND, Oct. 25 .- Wheat valley, \$1.25@\$1.271 Walla Walla,

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 25. Wheat, Dec. \$1.35} CHICAGO, Ills., Oct.25 .- Wheat

#### NORTHWEST NEWS.

Captain Thomas, the new master of the steamer Tauckee, made his first trip over Tillamook bar last week, and was favorably impressed of Pullman vestibuled drawing-room with the entrance to the bay. He sleepers, with diving cars and day says the channel in the entrance is very short, and is comparatively very short, and is comparatively way, making close connection at safe and was surprised to find so Chicago with trains in all directions. good a harbor.

The Athena press of the 12st, says: "H. Moistrum will finish threshing today, having been out with his machine exactly 90 days. All told he has threshed 49,000 sacks, or about 100,000 bushels. Not a very

Last Sunday the water was turned Country Gentleman into the Prineville Irrigation Company's ditch and it carried a large volume of water so far as the ditch had been completed-between six and eight miles below town. The Ochoco Review says it looked like an easis in a desert to see the grand Farm Crops and Processes, artificial stream wending its way through the sage brush and sand, The benefits that will accrue from this company's enterprise, cannot be over estimated.

Again the time draws close to the date when the Oregon Pacific sale is to be consumated and \$1,000,000 is to go to satisfy receiver's and \$2,000,000 to send the toad eastward and buy steamers. Will the matter be settled, is an interesting question.

Sam L. Simpson, Oregon's best and most widely known poet, has Two Subscriptions, in one remittance \$ 4 taken a position on the Astola Daily Budget.

By the Douglas county exhibit, published in the Roseburg Review, we learn the debt of that county is cellor, received Stuart Knill, lord \$132,183.35. And still its warrants sell at par.

W. Kimsay, of Albany, rented his Polk county farm the past year for one-third of what it raised. He has just received word that smong the things raised were twin babes and third of the youngsters.

Tangent grange, Linn county, bas decided to hold an entertainment Nov. 22nd, beginning at 6 o'clock in without paltering with his religious the evening. There will be an convictions. Happily the battle of oyster supper and literary exercises. and won, and the creed in which a at the door, which will admit to both the supper and entertainment.

One item in the program of the Columbian exercises by the pupils in the deaf mute school at Salem, was the "Watermelon thief." Only a mute could do justice to the occasion by a full use of his fists and fingers .- Albany Democrat.

A Linn county exchange is responsible for this:-Hon. Til Ford. of Salem, is here attending court, having just returned from Junction City, where be made a Harrison come of some attorneys in his coun-

The great vegetable substitute for London, Oct. 25 .- A syndicate pills is Simmons Liver Regulator, Guaranteed Cure.

We authorise our advertised druggist to sell Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with a Cough, Cold or any Lung, Throat or Chest trouble, and will use this remedy as directed, giving it a fair trial, and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. Vienna correspondent says: "Count We could not make this offer did we covery could be relied on. It never disappoints. Trial bottles free at Dan'l, J. Fry's drugstore, 225 Com'l. St. Large size 50c. and \$1,00.

The Reason For It.

The following communication addressed to D.R. Murphy' chairman e :plains his declination:

Take notice: That I. Robert A. Miller, do hereby, and by these presents. decline to allow my name to be used as a candidate for presidential elector at the election to be held in the 2tate of Oregon on Tuesday, November 8,1892, and I do hereby resign said nomination for said position, of on file in the office of the secretary of state. My reason for decitn ing is as follows:

On account of advices received from the national democratic comfill the office if elected. Witness my hand this 20th day of October, A D. 1892.

Subscribed and sworn to on the above day and date.

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a time tones the stomach, ereates an

tite, and gives strength to every time

s of the body. Give it a trial. Ceneral Debility

For four years my wife suffer large tumor bunches on the glands under e arms, and general debility of the who stem. She became so poor in health hat we were on the verge of despair egarding her recovery. Physicians did not seem to understand her case; at all events she never derived any benefit from their treatment. She finally concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. The immediat fleet was so marked and satisfactory that she continued to take it, and this in the result: She has gained in weight

From 84 to III Pounds and is stronger and in better health than she has been for years. The bunches under er arms have diminished, and we believe Hood's Sarsuparilla will be too much for them in time." J. J. Nonchoss 226 Conmercial Street, Roston, Mass. Mood's Sarsaparilla

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Baby cried, Mother sighed.

Doctor prescribed: Castoria

#### Church Directory.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN,-Salem regon, Rev. J. E. Blair, Pastor, Sunday shool every Sunday, 10 a. m. Preaching every Sanday, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. n Church bouse on High street, between Marion and Union, Everybody welcome UNITED BRETHERN.-Two blocks south weit of passenger depot. Services every Sabbath at 11 o'clock, and at 7:30, Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting every Saturday night at 7:30. Everybody cordialy

invited. Rev. J S. Jennings, Pastor. METHODISTEPISCOPAL,-Services on Sab oath at 10:30 and 7:30. Sunday school at ng every Thursday Kellerman, pastor.

EVANGELICAL -Corner of Liberty and lenter streets. Sunday services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Sunday school 12 m., Y. P. S C. E. 6:30 p. m.; Prayer meeting Thursday, :30 p. m. J. Bowersox, paster, residence 427 Liberty street.

PRESBYTERIAN.-Church street, between emeketa and Center. Preaching morning and evening; Sabbath school at 12 m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Phursday at 7:30 p. m. Rev. F. H. Gwynne D. D., pastor.

SOUTH SALEM-M. E. church, Preaching every Sunday at 16:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3.00 p. m. Praye meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Epworth League, Friday at 8.00 p. m. Rev. Chas. H Lee, pastor.

THE CHURCH OF GOD,-Holds religeous ervices in the Good Templer's hall Tues. day, Thursday and Friday evenings. Sunlays at 10:30 a m. and 7:30. Sunday school at 3 p. m. Elder N. N. Mathews, pastor. ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH .- Che meketa and Cottage. Sunday services: Low mass 7:30 a. m.; high mass 10:30; Sunday chool 3 p. m.; vespers 7:30; week days, low

mass 7 a. m. Rev. J. S. White, pastor. CONGREGATIONAL.-Corner Center and Liberty Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school 12 m., Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting 7:30 p.m. Thurs day. Rev. C. L. Corwin, pastor. EVANGELICAL MISSION .- Corner Che

neketa and 17th streets. Service in Eng lish every Sunday evening at 7:30; Sunday school at 3:30 p m.; prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. ST. PAUL EPISCOPAL CPURCH.-Corner Church and Chemeketa, Services 10:30 a.

service Thursday 7:50 p. m. Rev. W. Lund, rector. Finst Bartist.-Liberty and Marion Services 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; Sunday school 12 m.; young people's meeting at 6 p. m.; prayer meeting 7:30 Thursday. Rev.

m, and 7 p. m.; Sunday school 11:45 a. m.;

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a. m. Evening service at 7:30. Rev. Joh Fechter, pastor. CHRISTIAN,-High and Center, Sunday school 12 m.; preaching 10:30 a. m.; youn people's society 0:00 p. m.; preaching 7:3 p. m. Rev. W. R. Williams, pastor. GERMAN REFORMED.-Capital and Mari-

0 a. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday 7:30 p b. Rev. J. Muelihaupt, pastor. CHRISTIAN SCIENCE. Services in Un arian hall at 10:30 a.m.and 7:30 p. m.; Sabeath school 12 m.; Bible study Thursday

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ervices at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday hool at 1 p. m. Rev. G. W. White, pustor Holiness and Divine Healing, at 115 High street, every Sunday aftergoos at 8 o'clock Temperance gospei mecetings at 4 o'clek

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THE ECHOES OF STATUARY HALL.

The Curious Properties of the Old Rep

Statuary hall was for many years occupied by the house of representatives previous to the completion of the great south wing of the Capitol where the representatives now meet annually. It is a semicircular room, is this old hall of representatives. and a very peculiar place. For some reason which no one has been able to explain it is an echo hall, possessed of remarkable acoustic properties. There are certain blocks on the tiled floor which echo to other blocks, so that when a Capitol guide familiar with these blocks is standing seventy-five feet from you he will address you in an ordinary tone of voice, and the sound will come from the floor

Under the eagle there is an exit, and any one standing in the door back of those marble pillars can talk away across the hall to the opposite entrance and startle strangers as they enter the room. Some of the newspaper men have learned the lo cation of these echo stones and take great delight in puzzling visiting friends or new men on Newspape

air above your head.

The natural telephone is one of the wonders of this wonderful hall. Away over in the corner you can stand and whisper, while your friends may be at a similar corner on the opposite side of the room and dyspepsia? Simmons Regulator is hear every syllable as plainly as though you were standing face to face. The sound goes upward presumably, and comes down on the other side but how it is connected no one knows. This is the most wonderful acoustic puzzle in America-a great deal more inexplicable than the well known echo at the top of the dome.

> It was not the intention of the architect to make an echo hall. It H. was to build a room in which speechmaking would be easy and agreeable Instead, he builded a beautiful hall in which all conversation was veritable jargon. How the gentlemen ever managed to make their speeches and continue their debates no one now can imagine. Yet Daniel Webster, Henry Clay, John C. Calhoun and Hayne, of South Carolina, delivered some of their finest oratorical efforts beneath this roof. There is one block-about the tenth

one on the floor from the base of the column over which the eagle pre sides- which is called by the guide 'the central block." That is because it does not carry its echo to any other block in the room, but brings back to whoever stands upon it his own voice. If you were to stand upon the central block and utter your name you would hear the voice ringing in your ears-your own voice-like the roaring of a thousand people shouting in unison and calling you. It seems that this block is the acoustic center of the hall, and every sound made upon it is reflected back from every cranny of the room. What a terrible place it would be

for an orator to stand and listen to his own words as they came bounding back and reverberating with thunderous mockery! It is stated, however, by the "oldest inhabitant" that when the floors were carpeted the echoes were not so pronounced but nevertheless the members of the house complained constantly of the bad acoustic properties of the hall .-Washington Cor. Rochester Post-Ex-

Insolent to the Judge.

Insolence to magistrates in courts of justice seems to be daily on the increase. A young man who had insulted a judge was being tried for that offense at a provincial tribunal, when he was asked to give his name.

"You know very well what my name is," he replied rudely, " as you have the papers under your nose." "Is that your only answer?" inquired the magistrate.

"Yes. I have had enough of your justice. I don't recognize your right to judge me. I have only been too much of a victim of your stupid farce.

"Will you withdraw what you have just said?" asked the judge. "I would not lower myself to do such a thing," scornfully replied the prisoner, who was then and there condemned to two years' imprisonment. - London Telegraph.

Why He Advertised the Sermon. The Episcopal church in Hingham has a rector who keeps things interesting. He advertised far and near a few weeks ago that he would preach on the text, "There is no taste to the white of an egg." The town overflowed the little parish church. That was all. The preacher explained that he had been traveling, and a man told him that there was such a culinary statement in the Bible. Preacher as he was he had never seen it, and he told the man if he could show him the text he would preach from it. It proved to be from Job; hence the sermon as agreed. which he widely advertised because he thought it might interest other people ignorant and curious as him self.-New York Evening Sun.

Fall in Price.

Train Boy-Fan, madam? Lady-Those are ordinary palm leaf fans, and you charge twenty five cents for them.

Train Boy-That was before the train started. They're five cents now, mum.—Good News.

Caving In.

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