

ing the upper part of Central Park .--Meanwhile, Mrs. Astor's heart has been delighted by the public declaration of Christine Nilsson that though she dined at Windsor Palace and at the courts of Russia and Spain, she "never saw anything so regal" as at a dinner Mrs. Astor gave her last week. Yet of the two Mr. Astor will have the most lasting comfort.

The Boston Herald (Ind. Rep.) says: "The organized effort for the overthrowof trade monopoly which was started Tuesday in this city is one of the most hopeful and healthy evidences of public spirit that has been exhibited in Massachusetts for many years. With characteristic foresight Massachusetts has placed herself where she belongs, in the front rank of a great and progres- ble. sive movement, which is destined to quickly spread all over this country .-The practical platform for agitation laid down Mr. Charles Francis Adams. Jr., in his address, is one which will commend itself to all who are not completely carried away by the delusions of protection. First, after twenty years of profound peace, we do not need a war tariff; second, though a tariff for revenue, with incidental protection, may still be open to adverse criticism, a tariff for protection, with incidental revenue, is an abomination. This is not free trade, but it is a long first step in that direction, and one which must necessarily be taken. The reception which the Massachusetts movement has met with in Washington is a signify icant indication of the interest it has tail. "Yes, indeed!" replied Jones. "I aroused far beyond the borders of this guess there won't be much left of that State."

SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY. One of the latest invention enables a person to light gas-jets by an electric battery contained in a small portable

An Eoglish naturalist asserts that the hedgehog cannot be poisoned, neither strychnine, arsenic nor prussic acid having any effect upon it. It eats adders, regardless of their venomous

The cottonwood is being largely planted on the treeless ranges of the far West. Its wood is of but little value, but the growth is rapid and furnishes protection to trees of greater value. It is much used as a shelter to timber.

A fireproof ceiling has been invented. It is composed of tiles supported from joists by hangers, and hanging facing tiles placed against the sides of the joists and top piles placed between the upper joists. The top tiles and the tops of the joists are covered by a layer of cement. rendering the ceiling secure against fire.

The coral industry on the Algerian the French government. In future the fishing for coral must no longer be conducted with the use of apparatus made of iron or other metal, as it is supposed that implements of this nature tend to destroy the reefs and prevent their re-

Cr. Luigi Volpe estimates that there are in Italy at present 2,000,000 cows. which annually produce 384,000,000 gallons of of milk, of which one-baird is ty, in their various forms; also as a employed as food for calves, one-third is preventive against Fever and Ague, consumed in the natural condition. and other Intermittent Fevers, the while the remaining 128,000,000 are devoted to the manufacture of butter CALISAYA," made by CASWELL, HAZand cheese, and for this purpose have a ARD & Co., New York, and sold by all value of \$24,400,000.

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on the 1st instant. Two conventions, the Republican and the Liberal, met there on that day and after a good deal of contention and a large amount of wire-working, the former was gobbled up by the latter. It was a case in which a puny political Jonah swallowed the great North Carolina Republican whale. The Republicans met to nominate a State ticket for the campaign and to elect delegates to the Chicago Convention. There were about 250 delegates present, while the Liberal Convention was composed of about 25 delegates, yet the latter by a lit tle ca. jolery, a good deal of taffy and many promises, mixed up with some bulldozing, succeeded in capturing the en tire Republican host, horse, loot and dragoons. It was in the power of the latter to have put a formidable ticket in the field, for there are men of talent and influence within their ranks, but the licket they have consented to support has hardly the strength of respectability so far as brains and influence are concerned. It seems to us that the fire-tried Republicans, who have fought, bled and died, repeatedly, and have as often been resurrected to do battle again for the "party of grand moral ideas" must look upon the proceedings with amazement, and exclaim as they read the list of candidates, "How long have these men been Republicans and what have they ever done for the party?" And they might say with equal force, "Who are they. anyhow?" It is a genuine mule ticket, but it is a but is well known to physicians, very

"Yes," remarked Mrs. Smith, "our butcher is the most generous man I ever saw. He always cuts off more steak than I ask for-sometimes twice as much."-Boston Transcript.

Gordon Percival, at the ripe age of ed Voltaic Belt and Electric Appliances eighty-four, has just emigrated from on trial, for thirty days, to men, old evidently wants to grow up with the debility, lost vitality, and many other country .- Cultivator.

"We never sleep" is the motto of a celebrated detective firm. This is probably the reason such stupid work in the detective line has been done about this city recently .- New York Graphic.

"Isn't it awful?" cried Julia, as a dog, in an agony of fright, went scur-rying past with a tin kettle tied to his kettle."-Boston Transcript.

Wire lath and glass shingles are now being manufactured, and by and by it There were exciting times at Raleigh

> "Can a man see without eyes?" asked teacher when examining a class. "Yes, sir," replied a sharp boy. "How do you make that out?" asked the astonished teacher. "Because he can see with one," replied the quick-witted child.-Exchange.

> Rev. Mr. Beecher, in his lecture in Philadelphia, said : "Man never fell." Such ignorance is deplorable. A visit to a roller skating rink would soon convince him of his error. Mr. Beecher has never stepped on a banana skin, we opine.-Norr. Herald.

Tom Moore has a funny story of a sick man who was telling his symptoms (which appeared to him, of course, dreadful) to a medical friend, who, at each new item of disorder. exclaimed: 'Charming!" "Delightfull" "Pray go on!" And when he had finished, said with the utmost pleasure: "Do you know, my dear sir, you have got a complaint that has been for some time supposed to be extinct?'

Masher-"I know all about photography. don't you know; so just take me as I stand. Now, can you see my elbows where you are?" Photographer-"Yes, sir; perfectly." | Masher-"And look here, don't you know, I want the collar and eyeglass to show all right." Photographer-"I understand. Steady --done, sir." Masher-"Done, is it? Ah! but look here, you know, are you sure you have taken the best side of my head?" Photographer-"Quite sure, sir; the outside."-Photographic News.

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