THURSDAY, MAY 29, 1884.

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The students of Washington and Jefferson College, at Washington. Pa. recently held a mock National Convention and nominated Senator Edmuuds for President. Mr. Edmunds acknowledged the honor in the following letter to the president of the Convention, who personated J. D. 'Cameron: "Dear Sir-I have yours of the 18th inst., and sincerely thank the young gent'emen of Washington and Jefferson College for the compliment paid me, I much prefer it to the actual office in question, the attributes its slaughter. embarrassments and burdens of which I do not desire to assume."

A Washington letter says: "Mr. Blaine said to-day to a warm personal friend who called upon him: I do not expect myself to be nominated, and furthermore I do not expect to see Mr. Arthur nominated, but I think, next to Edmunds, the man who is most likely to receive the nomination is Senator Sherman. 'Clint' Wheeler, 'Bob' Mc-Cord and 'Mike' Dady, all personal umph of the free trade faction. triends of the President, spent last evening with him, and to day assert that the President is sure to be nominated on the third or fourth ballot. Secretary Chandler goes to Chicago tomorrow or next day to meet ex-Senator Clayton and other leaders of Southern delegations. Chandler is without doubt to manage the President's canvass at Chicago."

London is threatened with a smallpox scare. The malady is alarmingly prevalent is several of the metropolitan districts, and is spreading from the city to the adjoining provinces, several of which are already badly infected -Some idea of the present prevalence of summer in America. the plague may be formed from the magnitude of the efforts which have already been forced upon the authorities to combat the disease. The city of London alone, since the start of the plague last November. has expended \$250,000 for additional accommoda- to Berliez, the eminent composer. tions for the constantly increasing num ber of the afflicted. It is now proposed to erect new metropolitan smallpox hospitals at a cost of \$750,000, making a total of \$1,000,000 added to the public expense by the persistent ravages of this malady alone.

manufactures of the country is located 1.735. in the nine easternmost States of the Union-New England, New York, New Jersey, and Penusylvania. Of the \$920,000,000 of capital invested in the manufacture of cotton goods, according to the last census, \$192,000,000 departments have reached an \$1,800 -88 per cent. of the whole-was in these States. Eighty-one millions of the \$96,000,000 invested in the woolen goods manufacture-nearly [89 per cent-was in the same States. The proportion for silk, worsted goods, fair weather. hoisery, carpets, and mixed textiles was larger still, so that, when all the textile spent \$10,000,000 upon the new water industries of the country are combined, we find that the gross capital invested in them is \$431,878,000, of which sum \$357,574,000 represented the amount invested in them in the nine States named, being 891 per cent of it all.

That first gun fired by Tammany the other night made a big poice, and gave a bigger boom than ever to "the old ticket," which, by the wag, is now talked of by all men. Hon. Thos. L. Cling.nan, of this State, was one of the Vice-Presidents. John Kelly did the honors of the occasion and there was a decidedly harmonious good time on the the other night, and asked the privilege occasion. An extract from the proceedings will be found interesting:

great majority of the Democractic par ty in the House of Representatives to reduce taxation under the Morrison bill-only defeated by a few misguided Democrats acting with their political opponents-receive our warmest praise, and we hereby tender them our thanks for their honest exertions. The repre sentatives whose action thus relegated the question of tariff reform to the future, we leave to the justice of their constituents, who, by their work, will continue to pay 100 per cent. tax on rice and blankets, 50 per cent. tax on sugar, and from 50 per cent, to 100 per cent. tax on many of the necessaries of life. 'By their works, for evil or good, thou shalt know them."
"Resolved. That the severest blow

ever dealt at the liberties of the American citizen and the perpetuity of our republican institutions was the their of the Presidency by the Republican party in 1876. That fraud will forever be a stain on our history as a people; it can never be effaced, or should it ever be hasn't one of us boys been licked this pardoned. It was a deadly thrust term. We kind of stood in on the simed at the life of the republic. An matter, you see, and always calculate unconstitutional commission, created to have two or three mice round our to override the will of the people. ac- desk somewhere, and the minute the

President Garfield, the army of the gathers up her skirts and squeals, and World and you will find that HOP United States was concentrated in and by the time the mouse is killed and around the capital by order of President things is quieted down, the boy she Grant to prevent the representatives of the people from electing a President in the mode provided in the constitution, the rankest usurpation practiced by a military tyrant. The usurpation was consummated and the assassius of self-government were severally rewarded out of the public treasury, and self-government were severally rewarded out of the public treasury, and the public treasury to protecting her from the furious beast, and she hasn't the heart to lay a hand on him."—Boston Post.

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and as yet the greatest fraud of the century has not been punished. To redress this wrong becomes the para- office as follows: tain this end we ask the earnest cooperation of every Democrat and every American citizen.

The name of Tilden whenever mentioned was cheered to the echo, and it would seem that Tammany is for Tilden no matter how the rest of the Union may be.

The "County Democracy" has asked for united action among the Democrats of New York and all breaches in our party are being healed.

plain talk in regard to the causes of the defeat of the tariff bill when it says:

At the Tammany Hall meeting Congressman Blackburn alluded to the deicat of the Morrison bill, and characterized as "traitors" the forty-one Democrats to whom, under Mr. Randall, he

The Morrison bill was really killed by its authors. They are responsible for its fate.

The bill was a mere demonstration. There was no possibility of its becoming a law. Still, as a measure of revenue reform dearly based on protection, it could have received nearly every vote in Congress.

But when the bill was launched in the House a cry went up from Morris sion. Carlisle, Hurd and Watterson that it was the first step in the march towards free trade, and its passage was demanded as the justification and tri That killed it-just as Mr. Carlisle's

before the Speakership election, would have killed his chances of filling the Speaker's chair. The Morrison horizontal tariff bill was killed by those who labelled it

free trade banquet speech, if delivered

SHORTS

"free trade.

In England a "drummer" is called a bagman.'

Fig brandy is the name of a new Calfornia drink. Norway has at present 1,565 kilome-

ters of railroad. There are 3,000 carp ponds in the State of Georgia.

Mrs. Nellie Sartoris will spend the

The valuation of Atlanta, Ga, was ncreased \$3,000,000 last year.

A paper chimney lifty feet high has lately been put up at Breslau. There are at least 280,000 children,

whites and blacks, in Louisiana. A monument is to be erected in Paris

The population of the United S ates is now less than 56,000,000. In Sweden workmen are paid ten to

wenty-five cents for twelve hours' la-Simon Cameron devotes his farm at

Lancaster, Pa , to tobacco raising chief-

A very large proportion of the textile last year was 16 7 per 1,000. The deaths Buffalo, N. Y., is making prepara-

tions for a big musical festival in June. In California, last year, 880,000 pounds of salt were extracted from sea

Only two women in the Washington

Madagascar, the third largest island, is over 1,000 miles in length, and 350 miles broad.

The Washington Monument goes up at the rate of two feet a day now, in all

The Brazilian Government has just supply of Rio.

MAY MOONSHINE.

Stock gambling is much older than some people suppose. They forget than Moses owed his whole success in life to being caught in one of the bull rushes on the Nile .- Boston Trans-

"Have you seen my new New Jersey?" inquired the city daughter of her father from the rural regions, who was visiting her "No, is it a bull or a heifer?" bluntly asked the stock-loving farmer.-Lincoln (Neb) Capital.

A Harlem man called at an upper Broadway scientific insrtument store of seeing one of the recently invented "storm indicators." "He said it was rather late, and he would like to look "Resolved, That the efforts of the at one before he went home. - New

York Commercial. At the roological gardens-A large man leans over toward the bench where the bears are confined. He loses his footing and falls in. Naturalty, be utters teart rending cries. The guardian rushes up, and, in a voice full of reproaches says: "Monsieur, it it is forbidden to to throw anything to the bears!"-French Wit.

"What a story teller Mirandy's got to be sence she went to thur 'cademy." remarked Mrs. Homespun to her husband. "W'y wot's the gal been doin now?" ask Daniel." "Doin'!" exclaim-Mrs. Homespun; "w'y, she said she must go to her room to disrobe as she wished to retire early." 'Disrobe and retire?" murmured Daniel; "wot's them, ma?" "I dunno," replid ma; BRAIN & NERVE. "but she didn't do nothin' o' the sort. She only undressed and went to bed." —Boston Transcript.

"No," said the schoolboy, "there complished its purpose by a vote of 8 the school-ma-am goes to lick a fellow somebody lets one of them mice loose. "According to the revelations of and then she gets upon her deck and

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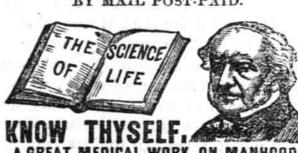
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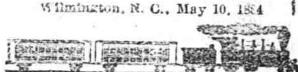
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