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### FORTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, February 11. - SENATE. mittee on finance, reported, without amendment, the Senate bill authorizing the conversion of national gold banks. Placed on the calendar.

The demand for newspapers at all the suburban stations is greater than since the outbreak of the Franco-German war. He also reported from the same committee, without amendment, the Senate bill to sections 5, 157 and 5,171 of the livised Statutes of the United States, relative to the deposit of bonds. [These are two bills introduced by Mr. Morrill on are two bills introduced by Mr. Morrill on to-day decided to send six battarious of infantry, two regiments of cavalry, two batteries of artillery, a company of engineers, three companies of the army service corps to reinforce Lord Chelmsford in

yesterday.] Placed on calendar. Mr. Dorsey, of Arkansas, from the committee on appropriations, reported back the postoffice appropriation bill, with can exceed the frankness of the recital, for various amendments, which was placed on the calendar.

He also reported from the same com-He also reported from the same committee an amendment to the bill submitted
by Mr. Ferry, from the committee on post
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want of vigilance on the part of our own offices and postroads some days ago, pro- force. It is clear that the Zulus are even viding for the reclassification of mail matter and the readjustment of compensation thorities expected them to be. It was paid to railroads for the transportation of known that they were well drilled e mails; substantially the same pro- that great numbers are armed with visions as were agreed upon in the postbecome a law on account of the Brazilian bow large a force they can mass at one mail subsidy and other objectionable point. Sad as the loss of our troops is, amendments thereto. In submitting the still graver is the petil which must arise report, Mr. Dorsey said the committee with defeat. The Zulus will be embolwould not oppose an amendment if it dened, and the colonists will be exposed to should be urged by the committee on tresh and formidable dangers. In these postoffices and postroads. Mr. Ferry said circumstances the duty of the government the committee had instructed him to sub- cannot admit of the slightest doubt, and mit an amendment, and he would urge its it is to send ample reinforcement to the

Mr. Sargent, of California, submitted a hour. It may be that they can be more resolution requesting the Secretary of quickly sent from Mauritius or India than State to furnish the Senate with informa- from England, but at all events no effort tion in the possession of the State Depart- and no expenditure must be spared to save ment, or that may be obtained through the the colony from disaster and the power of onsular service, relating to the methods the country from grave injury. It is a of production of the various kinds of fer- melancholy consolation, meanwhile, that mented, and alcoholic liquors imported the gallant troops of the 24th regiment did into the United States; also the laws and their duty and died at their posts like customs of trade in force and prevailing at | Englishmen. various places affecting the purity of such liquors and genuineness of labels and the commander of the expedition, sets marks designating them. He also sub- down the British loss at 30 officers and mitted a resolution requesting the Secre- about 500 non commissioned officers and tary of the Treasury to furnish similar in- rank and file of the imperial troops, and formation, and said that as the object of 70 non-commissioned officers and rank these resolutions was to ascertain whether and file or the Colonial troops. we received any pure wines, he hoped the A court of inquiry has been ordered to Committee on Finance would give the collect evidence regarding this unfortusubject their early attention.

Mr. Conkling, referring to the last resolution, said it was not usual to "request" a cabinet officer to furnish information outside of it. to the Senate, but to direct him to do so. The resolution was amended as suggested, and then referred to the committee on

Mr. Kernan, of New York, introduced a bil. to authorize the President to appoint Geo. Foster Robinson to be paymaster in the U. S. army. Referred to to be made for the semi-monthly steamthe committee on military affairs. Robinson is the man who defended Secretary States and Brazil by two lines, one from Seward from the assassin Payne.

The Senate agreed to the conference report on the naval bill, which was passed. Bill passed for removing the political lisabilities of Chas F. Spottswood and C. H. Kennedy, of Virginia, and Isaac R. Trimble, of Maryland.

A joint resolution providing for a commission to consider and report upon what legislation is needed for a better regulation of commerce among the States was submitted and referred to the committee on

The postal appropriation bill, with sundry amendments, was reported back from the committee and placed on the calendar. The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill for erecting a library building on Judiciary Square.

House.-The House has agreed to the conference report on the naval appropriation bill, and is now in committee on the legislative appropriation bill.

in the House to-day the majority and minority reports of the committee on elections in Florida and the contested election case of Finley vs. Bisbee were submitted and laid on the table for future action. The majority report is in favor of Finley's claim, and is signed by all the Democratic members of the committee, except Mr. Turney, of Pennsylvania, who joins the

Republicans in a report in favor of Bisbee. The House went into committee of the whole on the legislative, judicial and ex-ccutive appropriation bill, and after a protracted discussion, the House proceeded to consider the bill by paragraphs for amendment. After making some progress, the committee rose.

Mr. Regan, of Texas, chairman of the dispatch says a terrible accident occurred committee on commerce, reported the river this morning at the foot of Grand avenue, in and harbor appropriation bill, which was the cut being made for the Chicago & Alton ordered to be printed and recommitted. Railroad. At that hour, the cut, with its almos' perpendicular walls, ninety feet

### Republican Caucus.

WASHINGTON, Feb. M .- A caucus of the Republican Senators was held to-day. The purpose of the signers of the call was to secure an assignment of some early date for action upon the Corbin and Butler contest. No determination was reached. There was some informal discussion as to what course should be pursued in case any amendments providing for the repeal of the federal supervisors and test oath laws are attached by the House to one of the Annual appropriation bills. Although no action was taken the general tenor of the opinions expressed was to the effect that the effort to enact such legislation upon an appropriation bill should be resisted even to the extent of causing the bill to fail.

### Spanish Affairs.

MADRID, Feb. 11.—On receipt of official reports from Puerto Plata, the Spanish Government will, if necessary, dispatch a man-of-war to San Domingo to exact a heavy indemnity for the families of two Generals, taken from the Spanish steamer and shot by the San Domingo authorities,

and for satisfaction to the Spanish flag. The Spanish Government has purchased all the private rights in Cabrera, one of the Balearic Islands in the Mediterranean. They intend to establish there a penitentiary and agricultural colony.

### Hartridge's Successor.

SAVANNAH, GA., Feb. 11.-W. B. Fleming has been elected to Congress from this District to fill the place of Mr. Harridge, deceased. There was no opposition. The Rio Grande frontier. The committee appear disposed to report the bill favorably, vote was very small in this county-only

The Manhattan Bank Robbery.

NRW YORK, Feb. 11,-The police have made an important arrest in connection with the Manhattan Bank robbery. The prisoner is John Hope, and he was taken into custody last night.

English Cattle Order.

the United States, was a great surprise to

and Liverpool, within ten days after land-

Hiver Improvements.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.-The river and

harbor bill which was concluded by the

The amount appropriated by the bill is

Striking Hailroaders.

NEW YORK, February 11 .- The strike

against a reduction of wages on the Metro-

politan Elevated Railway Extension from

83d to 110th streets con inues, though

everything is very quiet. Two thousand men are engaged in the movement, but it

is expected that they will return to work at

The Cattle Disease.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.-The Brooklyn

health officers charge that a number of

cows suffering from pleuro pneumonia

have been taken from the stables and

slaughtered at abattoirs. The carcases are

under guard until the veterinary surgeons

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South Africa.

Defeat of British Troops in Africa.

London, Feb. 11.-Summonses were is-

med this morning for a Cabinet council to be held this afternoon to deliberate on the

reverses to the British troops in Zululand.

Official telegrams announcing the defeat,

which were received at the Colonial office

at 12:30 o'clock this morning, confirm the

details of the affair heretofore given in

these dispatches. The news of the defeat

caused a sensation throughout London.

London, Feb. 11.—The cabinet council to-day decided to send six battalions of

LONDON, Feb. 11.-The Times comment-

ing on news from Capetown, says nothing

it's clear that nothing has been held back.

It would be useless to deny either the sad-

more formidable than our military au-

breech loaders, and that they could fight

Cape without the needless delay of a single

LONDON, Feb. 11.-Lord Chelmsford,

nate affair. It would seem that the troops

were enticed away from their camp, as

the action took place a mile and a quarter

Congressional Committees.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.-The Senate

Committee on appropriations this morning

agreed to add to the Postoffice appropria-

tion bill the section authorizing contracts

ship mail service between the United

New York via Norfolk, and the other

receive a compensation not exceeding one

hundred and fifty thousand dollars per

annum. The Committee recommend that

the appropriation be two hundred thou-

sand dollars or so much thereof as may be

being that steamships for the New Orleans

line will not be ready to commence run-

ning before the expiration of about two-

Foreign News.

ST. PRIERSBURG, Feb. 11.—The St. Pe-

ersburg sanitary committee have proposed

to cleanse the canals and to organize a

barge hospital in the Neva which could be

organize a sanitary committee in each dis-

trict of the city and province of St. Peters-

Paris Feb. 11.-The Government's am-

nesty bill grants amnesty to all persons

it is expected, will be signed to day.

BERLIN, Feb. 11.- It seems now settled

hat the Emperor will open the Reichstag

in person and deliver his speech from the

Terrible Accident.

Sr. Louis, Feb. 11.-A Kansas City

high, caved in and buried the workmen

and their teams under 6,000 yards of

earth. There were four teams in the cut

at the time, and ten men working at each

team. Besides these, there were the

foreman James McCarthy, his clerk, and two men working with the pick. Mr.

Soden, the contractor, was not in the cut.

Six persons were killed outright, and

several wounded. The following are

killed: Peter Bagley, James Hagen, Thos. Casey, Ed. Hines, Dan Lucett and

Richard Kine. All the bodies have been

British Labor Troubles.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 11.—The steamship

confer with the delegates appointed at

yesterday's meeting of the strikers. Much

The City of Brussels is ready for sea

Owing to the delay in the arrival of the Celtic, the White Star Company has chartered the Cunard steamship Marathon

to take her place. The latter will sail for

Wa-hington Items.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.-A. A. Mabson

Gen. Ord was before the House Com-

and are now in communication with the

Secretary of War as to the best method of

A New Cardinal.

Paris, Feb. 11.—Monseigneur Desprese, rehbishop of Toulouse, has been created

complying with the provisions thereof.

armness is manifested on both sides.

and will sail this afternoon.

New York on Thursday.

Springs, Alabama.

recovered. The scene is heartrending.

thirds of the year.

throne to-morrow.

from New Orleans via Galveston, each to

RALEIGH, N. C., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1879.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

the trade here All cattle from the United States after March 3d will have to be slaughtered in abattoirs, now being prepared on the docks of Birkenhead

committee on commerce to-day, contains the following among its appropriations: Cape Fear River, \$25,000; Neuse River, \$15,000; French Broad River, \$5,000. Our Country Friends

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February 8th, '79.

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20 cases Pine Apple Succotash and Corn. 6 cases Munson's Fresh Peaches, 3 lb cans. 2 bbls. Plain Cucumber and Mixed Pickles. 6 cases Sweet Oranges and Fresh Lemons. American on Head and Canada Oatmeal.

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0 Prizes \$500 each \$10,000. 9 Prizes \$300 each, Approximation Prizes \$2,700 9 Prizes \$200 each, Approximation Prizes \$1,800 9 Prizes \$100 each, Approximation Prizes \$ 900 1,960 Prizes,

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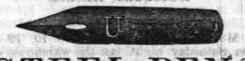
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