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"Free from the doting scruples that etter our free-born reason."

## INFLEXIBLE RULES.

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#### NOTES AND NEWS.

Mr William Cullen Bryant was 84 years old last Saturday.

Diamonds are worth \$10,000 a pound. Take a pound?

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Morton's estate is worth \$50,000. leaves a wife and three sons.

Senator Ransom, of North Carolina, is General John A Logan's covsin -Ex.

Gen W H F Lee, son of Robert E Lee, has been re-elected president of the Army of Northern Virginia Association.

hanged in the United States than live in any spective districts. other country."

New Orleans Picayune : "The old Ten Commandments were so personal that modern reformers have been obliged set up to containing the following : new rules on a different alley."

An Illinois clergyman too k to whiskey and quinine to cure his chills, and an investigating committee is looking for the quinine part.

Ex-Secretary Belknap isn't dying of remorse. On the contrary, he is doing a good business as a claim agent at Washington.

Osman Pasha is getting into such a tight place that it makes mighty little difference

swerable to the State courts for a crime TUTIONS. against the State and into which the The Raleigh Observer calls attention element of official duties did not enter to a matter of very grave importance, at all, would be to lay down a propoto-wit : a conflict between the laws of sition which could receive nothing but the United States and those of North ridicule from men of even the most Jarrett & Palmer train, by climbing on the roof of a coach. He says that from Carolina in regard to the time of hold imperfect legal knowledge.

A Scandalous Speech.

ng our next Congressional election, We look for a speedy denial of the Cheynne to Sherman he rather enarising from an oversight of the last statement contained in the Landmark. joyed the ride, but that between Sher-man and Green river bis experience Legislature. The general statute of If it goes undenied then we will know the act of the Assembly of March 12th, that a new epoch has been marked in rapid movement of the train and the 1877, chapter 275, contains the follow- the administration of justice in North rocking of the coach forced him to Carolina.

Section 1. On the Tuesday next afer the first Monday of November, 1880, and every four years thereafter, an election shall be held in the several election precincts in each county for \* \* \* And on said Tuesday next travesty of prayer proceeded? after the first Monday in November

ion is made for the election of Congressmen in 1878, and, hence, we go back to the previous Battle's Revisal, as follows in relation to this matter : The election shall be held at the same places as are prescribed for holding elections for members of the General

Assembly, on the first Tuesday in August, immediately preceding the termination of each Congress, &c. Next we have the act of the Assem-

providing as follows: drunkard, or a fool, or an imp. It two summers .- Cheyenne Leader. Section 1. There shall be an eleccame from the unsanctified mouth of tion held for the following officers on the Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage of the the first Thursday of August, in the year 1874, and every two years thereafter : Members of the General Assemed in his own church last Friday even-\* \* \* And also for members ing, as part of a scandalous, slanderous, of the House of Representatives of the horrible discourse, which was greeted Aleck Stephen says : "I would rather be United States Congress for their re

report, with uproarious laughter and Turning next to the act of the Asapplause. Will not the elders of his sembly of the 22nd of March, 1875, Tabernacle, or the Presbytery to which chapter 237, we find a special statute he belongs, or the Synod of which it is a part, or the General Assembly of his denomination, tie this man's tongue, Section 1. That there shall be an so that he shall hereafter be prevented

election held on Tuesday after the first from desecrating the pulpit and dis-Monday in November, 1876, for the gracing the religion by which he makes following officers, to wit: members of the General Assembly. \* \* \* \* \*

And also for members of the House of Representatives of the United States Congress for their respective districts. "It is plain from the above, therefore, it seems to us, that, if held in ac-cordance with the law of North Caro-before last, when General Judson Kil-"let me at him, let me chaw his mane;

Union Pacific. A tramp arrived here a few days ago from the West gives his experience in dead-heading it over the Union Pacific 2 from Cheyenne to Green river on the

> was one never to be forgotten. The I wind his arms and legs around a stovepipe and hang on for dear life. His hat blew off early in the ordeal, and

after the train left this city he was discovered by the engineer, who began throwing a heavy shower of cinders;

From whose mouth was it that this but so rapid was the movement of the the following officers : First, Governor. irreverent, blasphemous, and shocking train that the heaviest ones merely cut through his clothes like bullets, while aforesaid, and every two years there-after an election shall be held for pray that thou will destroy all those realized he must part with them, but members of Congress in the several that do not bow before thee and put he dared not loosen a hand to tuck them out of office. And this we ask then under him, and they were soon in the name of Schiedam schnapps and torn off to blow away. Although he lager beer and old rye whiskey. Amen and amen." [Laughter.] Did it come from the mouth of a uently struck in the face by flying reckless infidel, to whom prayer is cinders, so that when he reached chapter 22, section 2, which provides mere gibberish? Did it come from the Green River his face and neck were mouth of a drunken sot, when his badly cut and scratched. So great tongue was thick and his reason was the poor tramp's fear of reeled? Did it come from the mouth being thrown off and killed of a babbling, brainless fool, who knew that this, added to the terrible strain nothing of the decencies of language, or of hanging to the pipe by main the proprieties of sense? Did it come strength for so long a distance, and the from the mouth of the devil, or of one intense suffering from the wounds inof the imps of hell ? Alas ! brethren, it flicted by the cinders, caused his hair came from the pulpit, through the to turn gray, and when he climbed bly of February 14th, 1874, chapter 132, mouth of a preacher, who would resent down at Green River he looked a man the imputation of being an infidel, or a who had seen fifty instead of twenty-

A "BAD MAN" AT A SOCIAL GATHER-Brooklyn Tabernacle and of the Pres-ING IN THE BLACK HILLS .- When the byterian denomination. It was utterexciting moment of "gents to the right" was announced his colossal cowhides smote the floor like the stamps of a quartz mill. When the welcome by his hearers, according to the Herald sound of "balance to the right" ran through the crowded hall our pilgrim uttered one long hoop-ee, and shouldering his fair partner absorbed a tumblerful of burning fluid. "Partners for a quadrille." Our hero sprang upon the floor and extemporized a break-down. "Dog on my melt. I am the tiger of the wood. Come here, gal, let's have some more tarantler juice." 'All set," shouted the floor manager. 'Scrape them cat's innards and let's THE FORREST-KILPATRICK DUEL .cod-fish around." In the excitement of The sketch of Gen. Forrest in the "all hands around," a heavy weight New York World makes the following unfortunately collided with our pilreference to the duel with General Kil- grim, and explanations were of no



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to him now whether he's R Clay Crawford or not.

Secretary McCrary has issued an order forbidding the employes of the War Department to drink any spirituous liquors between the hours of 9 a m and 4 p m.

Ewing is already the Democratic leader in the House, and he hasn't been a Congressman for a month. If he does these things in the green tree what will he do in the dead wood?

As a frightened darkey, chased by an infuriated bull, neared the boundaries of the field, he enthusiastically exclaimed : "Millions for defence, but not one cent for de Territories, of representatives and delbrute."

Mr Hendricks winks at Mr Tilden and Mr Tilden winks at Mr Hendricks, and both exclaim : "O ain't we say, though ! and ain't we robust !"-New York Tribune.

Judge Spofford, one of the Louisiana claimants for a seat in the Senate, is very rich, and if he gets in he and his wife will play an important part in Washington society.

In the Senatorial race in Ohio Mr Pendleton has one very important advantage over outset of the session.

"Next Sabbath," remarked a Deadwood Sabbath there will be no morning service, provided the collection to-day will warrant us in sending down to Yankton for a hundred rats and Rednosed Bill's black-andtan pup."

The idea of adjourning the extra session of Congress before the time for the beginning of the regular session has been abandoned. The currency and the several deficiency bills will occupy for the assembling of the December apprehension." session.

For a specimen of Northern pulpit oratory the reader is referred to an extract from a sermon delivered last Friday night in Now York, by DeWitt Talmage, and the comment of the New to yet rival Beecher in blasphemy, as he has for a long while aped him in sensationalism.

lina, our next election for members of patrick was canvassing Indiana for the I'm a coyote. Thursday in August, 1878."

States Revised Statutes, section 25. provides as follows :

The Tuesday next after the first Mon day in November, 1876, is established as the day in each of the States and Territories of the United States for the election of representatives and dele-gates to the Forty-fifth Congress; and the Tuesuay next after the first Mon-

day in November, in every second year thereafter, is established as the day for the election, in each of the States and egates to the Congress commencing on the 4th day of March next thereafter.

The Observer, commenting upon the Forrest "did not move in the same so- Messenger. quotations just given, says: "It is cial sphere." Had this duel taken clear from the above statement of the place, it doubtless would have been case that the State law fixes the first

Thursday in August as the day of election, and that the federal law fixes Tuesday next after the first Monday in November as the day, and we find our-

selves therefore in the unfortunate predicament of being required by the fresh, clear-eyed young girl of sevenare required by the federal law to hold election, but it has no operation in prescribing the necessary machinery for holding that election, and there is no provision elsewhere made for carrying the federal law into execution .--One thing is certain, the election can-

not be held on any other day than that prescribed by Congress, without putting in peril the entire representation from this State, a contingency that we cannot contemplate without the all the time between this and the time most serious alarm and the gravest

> Our contemporary concludes, as we think rightly, that the only way out of the difficulty is for the Governor to Journal: "There may be circumstances call the Legislature together in extra session to so amend our law on this subject as to make it conform with that of the United States. The necesseems to be the only alternative.

A MONSTROUS IDEA.

POSITION OF PARTIES IN THE SENATE. the notorious Ed Ray, an ex-revenue -The United States Senate lately official who is well remembered by the told by the Home Journal, how he shall stood 39 Republicans, 33 Democrate, 1 public as the murderer of old man Sni- deport himself upon meeting a lady, Independent (Judge Davis). The de- der, a peaceable and respectable citi-cease of Mr. Morton and seating of Mr. zen of Ashe county, was arraigned The instinct of a true gentleman is his ruide. If he has been on a drunk, or Voorhees will leave the Republicans in Wilkes Superior Court last week for slandered the fair one, we would sugbut 4 majority. Louisiana has no Sen- an assault with intent to commit a gest that "he must drop his eyes as she ator and South Carolina but one Two rape upon a twelve year old girl in passes him ." -Greenville (S. C.) News. Republicans and Judge Davis can seat Watauga county, and that he filed an the Democrats from both these States. affidavit and was allowed by Judge

back with sabres, as that was the proper way for two cavalrymen to meet.

conducted in a style delightfully dram-

N. Y.) Record relates the following "'' 'I'd marry any girl in the room that will have me,' said a half tipsy young fellow. 'I'll take you,' said a red only a few weeks ago in the near

young fellow had been drinking and thought he would say something 'smart' and astonish the girls with his audacity. The girl, however, had heard that he was a 'good fellow,' and being moved by that spirit which 'will not take a dare if death come,' took him at his word. They are now living with the young fellow's parents, and are studying each other's character at their leisure."

This tremendous piece of informa-tion comes from the New York Home when a gentleman may lift his hat to a passing lady, even though he cannot bow to her. She may be offended with him, and yet he may respect and feel kindly to her. He may deserve her York Sun upon this deliverance is ear-nestly commended. Talmage bids fair sity for this is to be regretted, but it express his continued reverence by uncovering his head in her presence: but he has no right to look at her as she passes him. He must drop his eyes." It is just such bosh as the above that The Statesville Landmark states that is doing more than anything else to de stroy the germ of true politeness. Any

DEEPENING THE FRENCH BROAD .--

Let go my harness; I'm Congress must be held on the first Republicans, he spoke of General For-rest in such a way that the latter chal eyes out; I'm a woolly horse bard to communicating therewith, in which sores and Thursday in August, 1878." Thursday in August, 1878." Yet npon this subject the United States Revised Statuse, section 25, provides as follows: The Tuesday next after the first Mon day in November, 1876, is established as the day in each of the States and day in November, 1876, is established as the day in each of the States and election of representatives and dele-gates to the Forty-fifth Congress; and

Hilliard Morgan, convicted of burglary, and Stephen Dudan, convicted of Gen. Duke at once engaged for his burglary with intent to commit rape, principal a steed for the encounter-a have been sentenced to be hanged at horse recommended by his owner as able to go over a church steeple if nec-essary—and awaited Gen. Kilpatrick's reply. Kilpatrick, however, declined to fight, on the ground that he and Forrest "did not move in the same so-

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nasal twang, offensive breath, impaired or total deprivation of sense of smell and taste, dizzi-

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election time--been made the subject of laudation; but when those useful parts of MARRIED ON THE SPOT .- The Olean the human structure become too visible in consequence of leanness, they can scarcely be calle | graceful. The eye delights not to dwell upon angles and ridges in either man or woman. Moreover, extreme emaciation is a sign of imperfect digestion and conse-General Ewing. Mr Pendleton is not in dicament of being required by the fresh, clear-eyed young girl of seven- quent poverty of the blood. Both these Congress mixing himself all up at the very State law to hold the election for mem- teen. And in half an hour the two evils are remedied by Hostetter's Stomach bers of Congress in August, when we were married and being congratulated Bitters, which render digestion an assimilaby their friends. This actually occur- tion certainties, in consequence of which the blood acquires richness and the body "Next Sabbath," remarked a Deadwood pastor to his congregation as the contribu-tion box was being dealt around, "Next law must control in fixing the day of participants were a farmer's son and a digestion and promoter of physical well befarmer's daughter, neither of whom ing the body rapidly gains in vigor, color rehad exchanged a word with the other turns to the hollow cheek, the appetite imuntil the above scene occurred. The proves, nervous symptoms vanish, and a healthfal impetus is given to every vital function.

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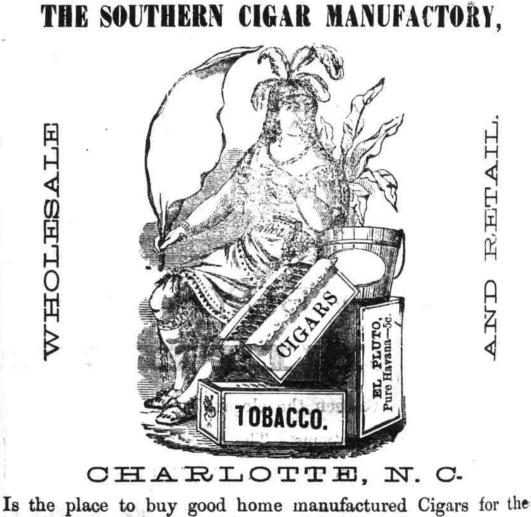
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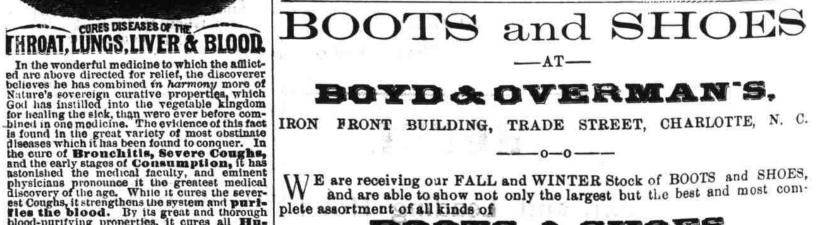
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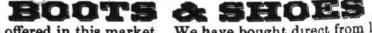
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