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WORKING FOR POLITICAL EF-

FECT. A few of the Northern Republican papers and politicians are trying to work up a little agitation over the Supreme court civil rights decision. but do not seem to be making much progress. It is somewhat remarkable that the only meetings held to protest against that decision have been in the North, where it was supposed the negro enjoyed all the civil rights he could handle, while in the South, for which especially the civil rights bill was passed, the negroes are not bothering their heads in the slightest degree about it. We said when commenting upon the decision when announced that it would not injuriously affect the colored people of the South, who would enjoy quite as many privileges since its announcement as they did before, and even more, as the Southern people would be inclined to grant many things voluntarily which they would resist under attempted compulsion. Since the decision of the court, Gov. Ireland, of Texas, has entered into correspondence with the managers of the railroads in that State urging them to place special cars on their passenger trains for the accommodation of colored travelers, while Sena tor Brown of Georgia, president of the Georgia Western road, has decided to do that upon his road, an example which will in all probability be followed by the managers of the other roads in that State. On roads where the travel is not such as to justify the running of separate cars, the road authorities will doubtless see that comfortable accommodations are provided for colored people, and that they be subjected to no unjust discriminating treatment. They should not be crowded into uncemfortable, inferior cars, and they are entitled to all the accommodation they are willing to pay for and for which the company accepts pay. Fair treatment is not only due to the colored people, but it is to the interest of the whites and to the

KILBOURN --- THOMPSON.

The Suit of Kilbourn vs. Door Keeper Thompson Begun.

Washington, Oct 29.—The suit of Hallet Kilbourn against John G. Thompson, ex-sergeant at arms of the House of Representatives, was called for trial to-day in the circuit court before Judge Coxe. Kilbourn who was summoned as a witness before the real estate pool investigating committee of the House in 1876 de-clined to testify in relation to the business of the firm of Kilbourn & Latta or produce books and papers of the firm. He was arrested by virtue of a resolution of the House by the sergeant at arms and being brought sergeant at arms and being brought before the bar of the House again refused to submit his books and papers he was thereupon committed to the district jail where he remained 45 days until after the adjournment of congress, when he gained his liberty through a writ of habeas corpus.

Kilbourn entered suit against

Thompson, sergeant at arms, for \$15,000 and was in April, 1882, awarded \$15,000 by the jury. This verdict however was set aside by Judge Mc-Arthur and the case now comes to \$35,000 damages. This morning the case was taken up. Kilbourn was present with his counsel, Senator Voorhees, Enoch Totton and Gen. N. L. Jeffries. John G. Thompson, defendant, was also in the court room with his counsel, Jere Wilson, Dis-trict Attorney Corkhill, and Assistant District Attorney Corkhill, and Assistant District Attorney Coyt. Some legal questions growing out of the pleas of the defendant to the amended bill to which the plaintiff demanded, were argued by the lawyers. One plea alleged that the amended statement of damages was barred by the statute of the constitution. Judge Coxe held that as the original suit was entered of the constitution. Judge Coxe held that as the original suit was entered within the time prescribed by law, the cause of action remaining the same an amendment merely to the statement of consequences of such action to the plaintiff was not equivlent to entering a new suit. The court also overruled the plea involving the jurisdiction of the House of ing the jurisdiction of the House of Representatives to order the arrest. The court then adjourned until tomorrow at the request of the counsel, Senator Voorhees having just arrived and not having had time for consul-tation with his associates. When court meets in the morning the first business before it will be the organization of the jury.

TOO MUCH COSSACK.

The Russian Government Getting

Alarmed. BERLIN, October 29.—It is stated in some official circles here that the Government is greatly incensed at the action of the Russian such large numbers of Cossacks on the frontier and that the salies of 46,000 bales, the salies of 46,000 bales Government is greatly incensed at the action of the Russian authorities ceedings of a warlike nature in Po-land are strangely at variance with such representations.

TAUT AS A BOWLINE.—South Amboy, N. J.—Capt John Riley, of the barge "Wm. H. Smith," of this place, says: "I have tried the great pain-conquerer, St. Jacobs Oil, and found it a good thing; it cured me. I shall always speak well of it."

Two Thousand Bales Burned.

CHARLESTON, Oct. 29.—South Carolina Railway Company who are insurers of the cotton which burned in their yards to-day state that the amount destroyed is 2,000 bales involving a loss of about \$100,000 which is fully covered by insurance. Insurance is distributed in all agencies that one in this city—amounts ranging from \$6,000, to 5,000.

Moreford's Acid Phosphiate.

As an Appetizer,

Dr. Morris Gibbs, Howard City, Mich, sys: 'I am greatly pleased with it as stonic rat is an agreeable and a good hard \$1.00; yellow dip and virgin \$2.00. Tar firm at \$1.60.

A TERRIFIC EXPLOSION.

A Mass of Dynamite Explodes, Blows Five Men in Fragments and Shatters and g Houses for Miles Around.

PITTSBURG, PA., Oct. 29.—Yesterday morning at Brooks' tunnel on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad eighty-five miles from this city, twelve hundred pounds of dynamite exploded, killing five men, the crew of a freight train side-tracked a short distance from the scene. The men were walking along the track near where the dynamite

wasstored. The railroad company has been strightening and widening the tunnel and some distance outside a magazine had been erected, in which was stored 1200 pounds of dynamite, to be used for blasting. A freight train had just passed through the tunnel and was side tracked to allow a passenger train to pass. Four of the crew of the freight train walked back to the vicinity of the magazine, and were engaged in conversation with the watchman when the people living in the vicinity were startled by a ter-rific concussion. Houses for 15 miles around were shaken to their foundations, and windows for a distance of 7 miles were shattered. The horror stricken people ran from their houses and it was found that dynamite had exploded. Everything near by gave evidence of the terrible force of the explosion. Trees were uprooted, huge rocks torn asunder and telegraph poles for a half mile were prostrated. Nothing remained of the magazine, and the men who stood near it just before the explosion were missing. Portions of the bodies, including legs, arms, hands and heads have been picked up half a mile distant, but so disfigured as to be unrecognizable. The names of only three of the victims are known, George Reynolds, engineer, Tice, a brakeman and Hammond a switchman. The cause of the explosion is en-

light on the accident are dead, it is Michigan Central. probable that the cause will never be | Mobile and Ohio..... known. Not far from the scene a Nashville and Chattanooga...... gun was found, and it is supposed that one of the victims discharged it, to explode. An inquest was held today by the coroner and a verdict of accidental death was rendered. Great excitement prevails and hundreds of people have gone to the scene of the

A SOCIALIST ORGAN.

The Government Keeps Its Lynx Eye On the Students.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 29.—The of the peasantry the socialists' propaganda has not made the progress it expected. The Journal published the names of various persons arrested in Cronstradt, Odessa and Nikolief, and says that two hundred students were expelled in a body from the commer-cial school at Bilaja Zerkow, in the government of Kiev, and no reason was assigned for such summary action. It also states that students of noble birth in Constantinav, the military school of St. Petersburg, have been required to furnish a list of the names of their present and former acquaintances, the alleged motive for which requirement being the finding of compromising documents in their

THINNING OUT.

The Scheme of the British Governmen to Get Rid of Its Poor.

Dublin, Oct. 29.—The Freemen Journal declares that the government circular just issued contains a suggestion to the Irish migration committee, proposing the wholesale shipment of Irish people to Canada. Every facility is to be offered to the gua: dians of the poor to promote immigration. No workhouse paupers are to be sent. Large contracts have been made with shipping companies for the conveyance of emigrants. The Canadian government is a party to the scheme, against which the Freemen's Journal warns all Irishmen

Iron and Steel Statistics.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 29.—The American Iron and Steel Association has received statistics showing a considerable falling off in the imports of iron and steel from Great Britain. The imports of these products last month footed up 55,144 tons, against 64,433 tons for the previous month The total imports for the nine months of this year were 540,099, while for the corresponding period last year they were 950,905 tons.

One of the drawbacks of married life is sickness of the little ones. For a cold or cough you cannot find a better remedy than Dr. Bull's cough syrup. Nearly all physicians prescribe it and no family should be without it.

Cholera Still Holds Its Grip.

ALEXANDRIA, Oct, 29.—There were six deaths from cholera here on Sun-day. The disease has made its appearance in Mecca.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

OCTOBER 29, 1883.

Produce.

and Occober \$1.06a\$1.061. Corn—Southern active and strong; Western dull and nominal. Southern white 65a 67; do. yellow 56a57.

BALTIMORE.—Night.—Octs—dull and steady; Southern 35a38; Western white 36a37; mixed 34a35; Pennsylvania 35a38. Provisions—quiet and steady; mess pork \$12.75. Bulk meats—shoulders and clear rib sides packed 64a72. Bacon—shoulders 7: clear rib sides 81; hams 16a17. Lard—refined 91. Coffee—firm; Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 11ta121. Sugar quiet; A soft 82. Whiskey—steady at \$1.18a \$1.181. Freights firm.

CHICAGO.—Night.—Flour steady. Reg.

Mayal Stores.

CHARLESTON.—Turpentine dull at 84c. bid. Rosin quiet; strained and good strained \$1.15.

VANNAH.—Turpentine steady at 34; 8^A 350 barrels. Rosin dull; strained sale⁸ ood do, \$1.20a\$1.35; sales 400 bar-

Financial.

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L	Exchange	.80
5	Money	28
í	Sub-treas balances—Gold\$118	,40
,	Currency	,68
5	Governments-strong.	
1	Four and a half per cents1	.14
1	*Three per cents1	00
1	State Bonds—firm.	
	Alabama-Class A, 2 to 5	81
1	Alabama—Class A. small	83
1	Alabama—Class B. 5's1	-00
1	Alabama—Class C. 4's	81
1	*Georgia 6'1	.02
1	1Georgia 7's, mortgages1	.04
١	Georgia, Gold1	.16
۱	Louisiana Consols.	74
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ı	*Virginia 6's	36
ı	Virginia Consols	43
١	Virginia, Deferred	8
ı	Adams' Express	
ı	American Express	89
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١	Chicago and Northwestern1	99
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ı	Chicago, St Louis and N. Orleans	82
ı	Consolidated Coal	15
ł	Del. and Lackawana 1	
ł	Denver and Rio Grande	25
ı	Erie	29
۱	East Tennessee	6
ı	Fort Wayne 1	82
١	Hannibal and St. Joseph	38
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١	Houston and Texas	46
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*New York Elevated...... 95 Norfolk and Western preferred 40% Northern Pacific common....... 291 Pacific Mail.... Pittsburg......1.36 Quicksilver. 5 Quicksilver, preferred. 30 Reading...... 512 Richmond and Allegheny..... 4

New Jersey Central...... New Orleans Pacific, 1sts.....

Union Pacific 884 United States Express 58 Wabash Pacific 204
Wabash Pacific preferred 331
1Wells Fargo 1.13

Cotton. New York—Dull; sales 299; mid-dling uplands 10%; orleans 10%; consol-idated net receipts 51,391; exports to Great Britain 9,748; to France—; to continent 20,252.

GALVESTON-Steady; middling 10 3-16 low middling 9; good ordinary 9; net receipts 5,373; gross receipts 5,430; sales 1,157; stock 94,141; exports coastwise 4,483; to France—; Great Britain 5,895.

NORFOLK—Steady; middling 10 3-16; net receipts 8,848; gross receipts 8,848; stock 47,300; exports to continent —; coastwise 5,452; sales 1,294; to Great Britain.

Baltimore—Steady; middling 10%; low middling 10; good ordinary 9%; net receipts 333; gross 8,046; sales 200; exports coastwise 3,695; etock 16,091. Boston-Steady; middling 10%; low middling 10‡; good ordinary 9‡; net receipts 88; gross 3,650; sales —; stock 3,230.

WILMINGTON—St'dy; middling 101-16; low middling 911-16; good ordinary 91-16; net receipts 1,625; gross 1,625; sales—; stock 17,768.

PHILADELPHIA—Dull; middling 10; low n. ddling 10; good ordinary 9; net receipts —; gross—; stock 2,589; exports to Great Britain—.

SAVANNAH—Steady; middling 10; low middling 94, good ordinary 91; net receipts 9,174; gross 9,174; sales 4,100; stock 10,120; exports to continent ——; channel ——; coast-

NEW ORLEANS—Quiet; middling 10\(\frac{3}{5}\); low middling 10\(\frac{1}{5}\); good ordinary 9\(\frac{3}{5}\); net receipts 17,585; gross 19,496; sales 3.000; stock 211,615; exports to Great Britain —; continent 18,869, coastwise 3,285.

MOBILE—Quiet; middling 101; low middling 9 15-16; good ordinary 91; net receipts 2,172; gross 2,175; sales 500; stock 18,975; exports coastwise 9,210. MEMPHIS—Quiet; middling 101; low middling 91; good ordinary 91; net receipts 5,264; gross 5,771; sales 3,578; shipments 1,200; stock 46,526.

Augusta—Steady; middling 91; low middling 91; good ordinary —; net receipts 1,805; gross —; sales 662. CHARLESTON—Dull; middling 101; low middling 9 15-16; good ordinary 91; net rec'ts 6,193; gross 6,193; sales 1,000; stock 98,994; exports to continent —; coastwise 2,481.

Futures. NEW YORK—Net receipts —; gross 1,193. Futures closed very dull with

Liverpool Cotton Market.

12,000; speculation and receipts 7,900; American 4,450. October delivery 5 68-64d; November and December 5 58-64d; November and December 5 58-64d; January and February 5 59-64d; April and May 6 3-64d. Futures dull.

1:80 p. M.—Sales American 3,500 bales.

February and March 5 61-64d.

8:00 p. M.—November and December

If You Love Misory, and Want to bo Miscrable. Perhaps you had better overwork yourself and gct into the grave as soon as possible, the victim of lassitude and debility.

Perhaps you had better keep your stomach in such a condition that it

cannot digest your food. Perhaps you had befler feeure the permanent disabling of your liver, so that you will be bilieus and sallow. Perhaps you had better seep your blood as pale and him as you can, so that you wont have any sucception, and can dragger to eather the other as if you were half dead. Perhaps you had better not take Brown's Irsa Divers, for that gentle and powerful remody will crowd relisery out by conding health and

strength in. But you really don't and 's miserable?

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