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CABINET AFFLICTIONS CAUSE THE SENATE TO ADJOURN.

A Few More Shots Fired in the Smith, the Contestant from Wes

Washington, February 3.-SENATE -Immediately after the reading of the journal, Mr. Cameron announced the re-cent affliction in the families of two mem-bers of the cabinet and moved an adjournment which was agreed to unani-mously.

HOUSE.-The journal having been read Wyeth & Bro., and from other leading manufacturing chem-leading manufacturing chem-de Kinley, of Ohio, were upon their feet. petition. Don't lorget the place, No. 20 S. Main street, where you will at all times be served by competent prescriptionists.

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1889.

lack Mr. McKinley then demanded the previous question on his motion to approve the journal. The vote resulted, yeas, 154; nays none, and the speaker, following his precedent of ordering entered upon the journal the names of a dozen democrats present and not voting, declared the previous question ordered.

After arguing the case, Mr. O'Ferrall

After arguing the case, Mr. O'Ferrall ande allusion to the state of affairs with which the house found itself confronted. He did not believe, he said, that time has yet come, and God grant that it might never come, when the American people would tolerate autocratic power, whether wielded by the President of the United States at the other end of the control of the transfer of the house of the hou Purveyor to intelligent and appreciative Asheville and American families. Palates and tastes of people who believe in good living cannot be humbugged by "Cheap John" goods. Cheap goods and first quality are not synonymous. I have in stock and to arrive, all seasonable specialties, comprising in part Fruits, Oranges, Lemons, Cranberries, Raisins, Figs, Nuts, etc.

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An Indian grave vard has recently been discovered in New Jersey, in which many therefore the discovered in New Jersey, in which many therefore the discovered in New Jersey, in which many therefore the discovered in New Jersey, in which many therefore the discovered in New Jersey, in which many therefore the discovered in New Jersey, in which many the discovered in New Jersey, in which many therefore the discovered in New Jersey, in which many therefore the discovered in New Jersey, in which many therefore the discovered in New Jersey, in which many the discovered in New Jersey, in which many therefore

ne question then recurred on ordering the previous question on the adoption of the report of the committee on the election, and it was ordered, yeas, 166; nays, none. This is the first time After January 31 our Sac
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while not addressing himself especially to the consideration of the election case, made an entirely good humored speech in criticism of the recent rulings of the speaker, which cliented great applause and laughter as well from his political enemies as from his political triends, and the speaker could not himself repress an

On a motion to approve the journal some sharp practice prevailed. The democrats retraining from voting, and the speaker declaring a quorum present, and the motion carried by a vote of yeas, 158; nays, none. Although O'Ferrall did not

Mr. Crisp said, that if the speaker him-Mr. Crisp said, that it the speaker himself declared that the election case was to be taken up, and he would raise the question of consideration.

The speaker said that there had been brother and baby sister on

saying that while there was an under-standing as to what the length of the debate should be, there was no under-standing as to when it should be con-

tested election cases.
The formalities having been disposed of, Mr. O'Ferrall was recognized to continue his argument in support of the claims of conteste in the Smith-Jackson election

Four roll calls were required before the vote came finally on the seating of Mr. Smith, the contestant; but at the end,

he was declared entitled to a scat by a vote of yeas, 166; nays, none. Amid republican applause Mr. Smith appeared and took the oath of office; whereupon Mr. Springer sureastically enquired whether this was a proper time to make a motion to adjourn. With similar intonation of sarcasm the speaker replied in the affirmative, and the house ac-cordingly at 8.35 adjourned.

Sublime Parody on Justice. iashville American.

Probably the sublinest parody on jutice in the history of jurisprudence will be the prosecution by William W. Dudley of the State of Arkansas and its citizens for crimes and misdemeanors. He has been retained by Powell Clayton, of Little Rock, to assist in the work of thus dis-franchising the democratic party for al-leged frauds committed by it.

ANXIETY OF DEPOSITORS.

Other, but get no Money. NEW YORK, February 3.-As early 10 o'clock, there were at least two hur dred angry depositors of the Lenox Hill bank around that structure. The fact that the bank statement of the bank ex-aminer was not fortheonism. aminer was not forthcoming as promised caused additional discontent. Many of the depositors formed themselves into groups and harangued each other on the situation. The all-round inclination seemed to be that the depositors must seemed to be that the depositors must act. In a short time three distinct actions called as many special meetings, but after a while it was thought better to hold but one meeting, which is now in session. The depositors to-day are not at all as good humored as they have been on the preceding days, and hopes have now descended to despair. Broker Pell left the Ludlow street jail at 10 o'clock for the United States building to await the result of the hunt of his friends for bail or mation to have it reduced Up to 10.30 the state of things around the Sixth National and Equitable banks was practically the same as during the next for done banks was practically the same as during the past few days.

IT IS COMPROMISED.

The Times Pays Parnell £3,000 Damages and Meets all costs. London, February 3.—The trial of the suit for libel brought by Parnell against the Times was to have begun to-day, but when the case was called, the counsel an-

nounced that the suit had been compro-mised, the Times paying Parnell £5,000 damages. Withdrawal was also andamages. Withdrawal was also announced of the action brought by Campbell, Parnell's private secretary, against the Times for damages for statements aftecting Campbell made by Webster, coun-sel for the Times, in his opening speech in the case of O'Donnel against Walter. proprietor of the Times, and for charge made against the plaintiff in an editoria published by the Times in July, 1888 The court room wascrowded and Parnel was present. He looked well. The au-nouncement of result of the actions caused a sensation in the court room It is stated that the Times will pa Campbell £200 damages besides meeting

A FEW NEWS ITEMS.

The American squadron of evolution

wenty days. A girl in New York on a visit to a dim museum committed suicide amid the crowd by taking Paris green.

Dr. McGlynn, the Catholic lectures who had gone to Chicago on an engage ment, was taken seriously ill on his arrival. His condition is critical.

It is reported in London that the little son of Minister Lincoln is dying of blood poison superinduced by injudicious treat-ment of the French physicians who at-tended him at Versailles.

at Plymouth, Pa., killing several, and burying others in the ruins, who were rescued more or less seriously hurt. A clothing store, immediately under an Italian hoarding house, North street, Boston, took fire Sunday morning and nine of the inmates of the boarding house

perished. The Lookout Mountain hotel, near Chattanooga, has been leased to Wil-liam Laudon, of New York, who has had

After speeches by Messes, Outhwaite of though somewhat warmer. Cotton Ohio, Lacey of Iowa, and Moore of stalks were not killed, and the next year Texas, Mr. Wilson of West Virginia. bloomed and fruited again. bloomed and traited again. A railroad has been built out from St

> costliest road in the State, being all built on ercosoted piles. The steamer Colina arrived at Halifax from Glasgow on the 1st after a rough passage of fourteen days. She was cov-ered with ice. She got into a field of ice and was locked in for eight hours. Up-

wards of two bundred ice counted in sight around her. The sporting editor of the St. Loui nays, none. Although O'Ferrall did not rise to claim the floor, the speaker declared that that member was recognized to proceed to the discussion of the election case.

Mr. Crisp said, that if the speaker him. Although O'Ferrall did not the speaker him. The sporting cuttor of the St. Louis been indicted for his participation, as referee, in the prize fight of three months of the speaker him. Nearly all the parties concerned

A negro boy, 12 years old, living a Louisiana, Mo., deliberately killed his The speaker said that there had been an understanding Saturday night, that the gratleman from Virginia had toe floor.

Mr. Crisp disputed this statement, saying that while there was an understanding both.

Mrs. Coppinger, the eldest damphter of Secretary Blame, whose illness we have before noted, died on Sunday morning.

The nearest guess to the correct time made by Nellie Bly in her trip around the world was made by F. W. Stevens, of New York. He came within two-fifths of a second, and over one hundred guesses were within fifteen seconds of the made.

A syndicate of Northern capitalists have bought thirty-six hundred city lots burne inside the corporate limits of Galveston, dead." including the Centennial park. The lots all lie in one body. The price paid was \$1,500,000. Evidently these purchasers have not the fear of Senator Ingalls or Speaker Reed before their eyes.

It is stated on good authority that the Midland road from Danville to Wash ington is to be laid with a double track to accommodate the great and growing traffic upon it. This conclusion was reached through the energies of Colo-nel W. H. Green, general superintendent. If this be done, the Midland will be the pioneer double track road of the South.

Comments on The "Citizen." Mr. T. G. Storesberry, of Benton, Kan.,

Rock, to assist in the work of thus distrachising the democratic party for alleged frauds committed by it.

Bond Offerings.

Washington, February 3.—Bond offerings to-day aggregated \$140,000; all four and a halfs at 1.04%, and all accepted.

Wites:

"I do not wish The Citizen to stop if the committed by it.

"I do not wish The Citizen to stop its visits to me as long as I live. I take five papers and The Citizen is the first one I read. I have been taking it for seven years. It has been one of the most of the fire. He was up and dressed before 7 o'clock, and was prepared to go up stairs to clean the silver. He slept in the basement. "Just as I was starting up stairs," said he, "a colored man range city of fine airs.

SECRETARY TRACY'S LOSS.

HIS WIFE AND DAUGHTER DIE

Condition-An Account of a Ter-

rible Fire at His Home in Wash-Washington, February 3.—A terrible calamity visited the household of Secretary Tracy this morning, whereby three persons lost their lives and three others were badly injured. The house, a three story and basement brick, is situated on 1 street between Connecticut avenue and Seventeenth street, and has recently undergone extensive improvements. Persons passing the house this morning at 7 o'clock saw smoke issuing from the front clock saw smoke issuing from the front vindows and at once raised an alarm of

The fire and police departments responded promptly. The premises were almost concealed by the dense smoke, which was just lifting. It was soon discovered that the house was all ablaze unside, and that the main stairway was burnt, thus cutting off communication with the sleeping apartments on the second and third floors. Several streams of water were played on the flames, and with the sleeping apartments on the second and third floors. Several streams of was taken through the alley, for it was not feemed proper to bring him through the room in which his wife lay dying, every effort was made to check the fire and to rescue the immates.

A scene of the wildest confusion ensued when it was known that all the members of the family were in the house. The fire-out of the house where the secretary lay unconsidered and where Mr. Terminal through the alley, for it was not feemed proper to bring him through the room in which his wife lay dying. The President walked out from the white House as soon as he heard of the tragedy. He was weeping as he came out of the house where the secretary lay unconsidered and where Mr. Terminal through the alley, for it was not feemed proper to bring him through the alley, for it was not feemed proper to bring him through the room in which his wife lay dying.

A scene of the wildest confusion ensued when it was known that all the members of the family were in the house. The fremen behaved like heroes in the emergency and went through fire and smoke in searching for them in the different apartments. Mrs. Wilmerding, the secretary's daughter, and Miss Wilmerding forced their way through the blinding smoke and immed from the second story windered their way through the second story windered the second and jumped from the second story win and jumped from the second story win-dow front. Ladders were raised for them, out in their excitement they failed to see them. Mrs. Wilmerding broke her left wrist and was severely bruised. Her daughter was badly injured about the lower limbs, but broke no bones. They both suffered severely from the shock. They were taken at once to the residence of Dr. Baxter near by, and restoratives applied.

applied.
While this sad scene was being enacted in the front of the house, the firemen were engaged in removing the other members of the family from the rear. Chief En-gineer Parrish forced bis way into Mrs. Fracy's bedroom and found her lying on her bed overcome by suffocation. He carried her to the window, and with the issistance of others carried her almost lifeless body down a ladder and up an alley to the house of Mrs. Rheem, on Eighteenth street. She was then unconscious, and although every effort known to medical science was used, it was im-possible to save her life. She died within few minutes of hemorrhage. She was not burned but died from sufficiation. Her body was taken to the residence of

Attorney General Miller,
Almost at the same time two more odies were taken from the burning milding. One was that of the secretary's laughter, Miss Marie, and the other was one of the servants. Both bodies were burned to a crisp and were unrecogniz-able by their features. Miss Tracy's body was distinguished from the others only by the superior texture of what remained of her stockings. The charred remains were taken to an undertaker's establish-

nent in the vicinity. Secretary Tracy himself had a most Secretary Tracy himself had a most miraculous escape and is now lying in a somewhat precarious condition at the residence of Hon. J. C. Bancroft Davis on II street near Eighteenth street. Like all the others he was overcome in his sleep by the smoke which filled the house and rendered him completely helpless. He was discovered in this condition, and with considerable difficulty was removed to a place near one of the windows. Criesfor a ladder were quickly answered, and many willing hands were raised to assist him to the ground. He was at once removed to a neighbor's house and was soon surrounded by physicians, including Drs. Wales and Ruth. He was suffering Drs. Wales and Ruth. He was suffering to the louse, burned beyond recognition. Both the bodies of Miss Tracey nition. Both the bodie from asphyxia. The doctors applied ar-tificial means to induce respiration, and succeeded after an hour's work in restor-the fire was caused by overheated air ing him to semi-consciousness. It was then thought safe to remove him to Judge Davis' house. Hemprovedslowly from that time on, and soon regaine consciousness, recognizing friends who called to inquire in regard to his condition. Among the first of these were the President, Vice President and several members of the cabinet. The full extent of his terrible affliction is withheld from him for the present. His first inquiry upon recovering consciousness was in regard to the safety of his family. He is

triends are very sanguine of his complete recovery.

The house was completely gutted by the fire. The walls are standing but the interior presents a picture of ruin and desolation. The residence of Judge W. S. desolation. The residence of Judge W.S. Cox, of the district supreme court, which adjoins it on the left, was badly dam-

aged by water.
Chief Parrish of the fire department told his story as follows: "I paid no atten-tion to the fire when I heard there were people in the house. I left my way through the smoke to the second floor and found a man in bed in a room. I tried to pick him up, but he was almost too heavy. I managed to drag him into the back room wherethere was more air, and then I broke a window out and sidered.

Mr. Bynum moved to adjourn. The motion to adjourn was lost by a vote of yeas, 120; nays, 157; and the speaker delared the question to be on the con-

never in his life did he see or hear of such of Weaverville died Sunday morning of never in his hie did he see or hear of such a sight. "It seemed," he said, "as though hell had broken loose and sent its fiery tongue to earth. The whole building seemed one seething mass of flames, bursting freely from every point. Scream followed scream, each one more borrible and blood curdling than the other, from the interior of the building.

Work Enough at Home. Only a few people were passing at the time, and they seemed lost and bewild-ered. Engines soon arrived. You know

residence. He was an eye witness of part of the fire. He was up and dressed before 7 o'clock, and was prepared to go up stairs to clean the silver. He slept in the basement. "Just as I was starting up stairs," said he, "a colored man rang up stairs," said he, "a colored man rang up stairs."

chough on its hand in the shape of a good-sized African question at home.

A through railway from Chicago to Buenos Ayers is suggested. It is a good idea to connect the windy city with the city of fine airs.

WHITLOCK'S,

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the bell and told the butler who an

the bell and told the butler who answered it that the house was on fire."

The butler ran up stairs and immediately rushed back, shouting, "My God, the house is on fire." The entire first floor was in flames. We ran out the front floor, Mrs. Wilmerding and her daughter were at the front second story window screaming for help. Both ladies jumped. Neither fell on their fect, but on their sides.

The house of Mr. E. S. Rheem, No. 821 17th street, itself almost reached by the fire, was thrown open for the reception. Secretary in a Precarious

fire, was thrown open for the reception of the dead and dving. Mrs. Tracy, still alive, was brought in by a couple of firemen and placed on a sofa in the din-ing room. Here she lingered for about an hour, fully conscious, and apparently suffering but little. It was a little after s o'clock when she spat up a little blood, hardly enough to be termed a hemorrhage. closed her eyes and without a moan ceased to breathe.

inconscious and where Mrs. Tracy was lying. NOTHER VERSION OF MRS. TRACKY'S

DEATH. Mrs. Tracey endeavored to escape by propping herself from her bedroom win dow, and in her effort to decrease the distance to the ground she grasped a narrow stone window sill and lowered herself as far as she was able. Those who saw her in her perilous position shouted to her to hold on, but either she did not hear, or her strength failed her, for after thus hanging a moment between life and death, she fell forty feet into an area way. She was immediately taken to the house of a neighbor, Dr. Rheem, and placed upon a lounge in the sitting and placed upon a lounge in the sitting room. She was perfectly conscions, and that not seem to suffer pain. Occasionally she complained of an oppression in the neighborhood of her heart, and tound difficulty in breathing. She talked awhile, coughing slightly, and then became silent. The physicians looked at each other significantly. Mrs. Tracey was dead. The inmediate cause of her death was supposed to be from injuries to her heart. posed to be from injuries to her heart, sustained in her fall from the window, which flooded her lungs with blood. Her body was soon removed to the residence of Attorney General Miller, on Massa-chusetts avenue. Almost at the same time two bodies were taken from the burning building. One was the secreta-ry's daughter, Miss Mary, a young lady, and the other was that of a French maid. Josephine. That of the former was found by Chief Parrish, lying on the floor in the second floor hall at the head of the stairs. The body was not greatly disfigured by the fire. She had evidently died of suffocation. The chief litted the lifeless had in his games and although hickess body in his armes, and although the staircase was ablaze, he brought it safely out into the street. Of the French maid little is known, save that her dead body was found in her room on the top floor of the house, burned beyond recog-nition. Both the bodies of Miss Tracey and her maid were taken

MURDER IN MITCHELL.

A Terrible Fight There on Las

BAKERSVII.LE, N. C., February 1, '90. Another serious fight occurred on Big Rock creek, Mitchell county, becember 30, the scene of the serious affair at Christmas, the news of which has just reached us. In the affray Moulton By chanan was killed having been shot three times. Will Stanley, a son of the notorious Press Stanley, was mortally wounded. Press Stanley is from South Carolina, where he killed a man several years

ago and a reward of of \$400 is still offered for his capture. Stanley swears that he will never be taken alive and as he is a desperate char-acter, no one has ever succeeded in tak-ing him, though several attempts have been made. The present sheriff is a de termined and resolute man and is mak ing many arrests of desperate characters who have hitherto been able to dely the

The Oath Constitutional. Washington, February 31.—The su-preme court of the United States to-day rendered an opinion affirming the con-stitutionality of the Edmunds-Tucker daho test oath intended to prevent the tary, I couldn't move him any further, for I was exhausted and filled up to the neck with smoke. Then I went back into the smoke and fire again and found a young lady—Miss Mary Tracy, they unlawfully taking the prescribed test oath a young lady—Miss Mary Tracy, they tell me it was—and as I caught hold of her wrists to lift her up, the flesh came off her burning honds. She had been a burned. I got her out but she was polygany is a crime and that the consti-Dr. Ruth, at the solicitation of friends, visited the undertaker's establishment and identified Miss Tracy. He made a hurned examination and found she had died from sufficient. Mrs. Tracy was found to have died from rupture of blood vessels.

A gentleman who saw the same and the solicitation of religion, commits crime in the eyes of the law.

Mrs. Percentage of the solicitation for the solicitation of religion, commits crime in the eyes of the law.

Manchester (N. H.) Union Portugal should entertain no hopes of

MISCELLANEOUS.

J. S. GRANT, Ph. G., Of Philadelphia College of Pharmac Apothecary, 24 South Main St.

The Old Year has drawn to a close,

and with the beginning of the New Year ve wish to thank the public for their patronage and recognition of our efforts to do our full duty. We are fully conscious that it is to them that we owe the unexpected success of the past year, in which our business has been more than doubled, and we can only regard it as a new evidence that our business maxims are such as to cause our customers to have confidence in us and attract those who are cautious in dealing with any Pharmacist until they have become fully assured of the nature and extent of his business principles. In our dealing with the public we realize that the most serupulous care and honesty are paramount in importance. If these are virtues in all ordinary business transactions, they become sacred duties in Pharmacy, and without them no one can be a true Pharmacist. The health, maybe the life, or those dealing with the Apothecary depends upon them. We consider it our most sacred duty to shun adulterations and spoiled as well as inferior drugs. They constitute an evil from which Pharmacy suffers no less than the public. The evil is not a new one, inaugurated in late vears; it has existed as long as there were men whose capidity was stronger than their sense of justice, and it will loubtless continue as long as there may be men with conceptions of business so vague that they expect to purchase gold for the money value of dross. There are no other moral principles required for transacting a Pharmaceutical business than are necessary for any other business. Unwavering integrity that remains uninfluenced by the visions of gold along the road of questionable or deceitful practices is the only foundation for success that is worthy the name; it is so in every pursuit, and more particularly in Pharmacy, where as a matter of necessity it must be combined with constant vigilance in all directions, so as to secure

all possible safeguards. These are the principles which we have endeavored to live up to, and to which we trust our increasing success is due. We hope our former pations will show the same kindness toward as in the fature that they have in the past, knowing that no action of ours will ever make them regret a continuance of their fa-

J. S. GRANT, Ph. G., Pharmacist, 24 S. Main St., Asheville, N. C.

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best and most popular brands of Bleachings, Sheetings, Pillow Casings, Tickings. Denims and many novelties of curtain goods and household linens.

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