CITY MATTERS. - Subscribe for the PHENIX.

Droves of fine cattle and mules, have come into Columbia in the past few

Washington's birth day falls, on Sunday, but it will be, generally colebrated on Monday.

We surrender all the possible space in this morning's issue to the proceedings of the Tax-Payers' Convention.

All hands took a recess during our proceedings last evening, and partook of Bello. The Greenock, for Pensacola, oysters furnished by Mr. Davies, which put back to the Clyde, having expewere pronounced fine.

We are thankful to the committee for an invitation to attend the celebration of Washington's birth-day, in Charleston, on Monday, the 23d instant.

The Governor has appointed the following Notaries Public: J. B. Johnson, of Sumter; J. J. Getsinger, of Barnwell; L. P. Covar, of Edgefield, and W. L. Ehmey, of Orangeburg.

Gov. J. C. Bown, of Tennessce, made a requisition upou Gov. Moses, for the arrest of W. G. Bomar, supposed to be in Charleston, on the ground of breach of trust. The requisition was granted.

The following gentlemen compose the committee, under the resolutions of Mr. J. G. Thompson, introduced in the Tax-Payers' Convention, to wait upon the State Treasurer: Messrs. J. G. Thompson, Gabriel Cannon, J. C. Sheppard.

Special attention is directed to the advertisement of seed potatoes, by R. O'Neale, Jr. His crop this year was valuable potato ever planted in this stable. country, being more productive than qualities.

A vocal concert will be given to-night, at Parker's Hall, by the Sunday Schools of the Washington and Marion Street Churches. Prof. W. H. Evans has the reputation of being an efficient and able teacher, and as he has been training the children of the two schools for some time, a very pleasant entertainment may be auticipated.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS, THURS-DAY, February 19. - The court met at 10 A. M., his Honor Judge R. B. Carpenter presiding.

James Thomas-grand larceny; not

guilty.

Belle and Ann Riley—receiving stolen

goods; not guilty.

The court adjourned at 2 P. M. When you wish

To buy oysters, fish, Go to Davies. When you aim To eat some game, Go to Davies. When you howl, For want of fowl, · Go to Davies. When you want Potatoes good to plant, Go to Davies. When you think

You want a drink,

Don't go to Davies.

Mr. Gaines, of the Palmetto State Immigration Agency, will leave Columbia, to-night, for his office in New York, During the past six weeks, he has supplied several hundred farmers with select immigrants. He has large num | can be accorded us. bers of orders now to fill, and new one very day. He says he is able to send a thousand families into the State each week, if the orders and money are sent in. His Columbia office is over Scott's bank, Main street, where he will be found to-day, ready to receive orders, and where his agent, Mr. A. C. Moore, will be found any day. All orders by letter should be addressed Tilmain R. Gaines, Columbia, S. C.; or 369 Canal street. New York.

There are two members in the Colorado Legislature who can neither speak nor understand the English lan-

[Colorado is not an isolated case, by a long shot.]

LIST OF NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Prof. W. H. Evans-Concert. Races of the S. O. Jockey Club.

NERVOUS DEBILITY .- A DEPRESSED, IRRITABLE STATE OF MIND; WEAK, NER-VOUS, EXHAUSTED FEELING; NO ENERGY OR ANIMATION; CONFUSED HEAD, WEAR MEMORY, OFTEN WITH DEBILITATING, IN-VOLUNTARY DISCHARGES. -The consequence of excesses, mental over-work or indiscretions. This nervous Debility finds a sovereign cure in Humphreys' HOMOPATHIO SPECIFIC, No. 28. It tones up the system, arrests discharges, dispels the mental gloom and despondency, and rejevenates the entire system; brandies. it is perfectly harmless and always efwhich is important in old serious cases;

Telegraphic-Foreign Affairs. D'ISRAELI ACCEPTA THE PREMIERSHIP-MARINE DISASTERS- DESTRUCTIVE FIRES,

London, February 19.-D'Iraeli has ccepted the Premiership. The extensive cotton mill in Leeds

was destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss estimated at \$350,000. A large fire is also reported in Dundee and Shields. The ship Berham, from Pensacola for

Barrow, put into Holyhead yesterday dismasted. The ship Island Home, at Liverpool, from Charleston, was damaged by collision with the bark Canada

rienced severe gales.

London, February 19 —The Times says the Earl of Derby is to receive the portfolio of Secretary of State for the Foreign Department, and the Marquis of Salisbury that of Secretary of State for India. It is probable D'Israeli will complete his Cabinet by to night. It is said the Marquis of Westminster is to be made a Duke.

Telegraphic-American Matters.

INDIAN DEPREDATIONS-THE EPIZOOTIC-BLOODY POLICEMAN-THE SIAMESE AU TOPSY --- STRIKES --- WOMEN RESISTING

TAXATION, ETC., ETC. NEW YORK, February 18.—In the Court of General Sessions to-day, a police officer, named Slattery, was sentenced to State's prison for seven and a half years, on a charge of assault with intent to kill a respectable citizen. Slat-tery was drunk at the time, and beat the lainant in a shocking manner, and would have killed him but for the inter ference of a roundsman.

The distemper which prevails among horses in this city, and was thought confined to stage and street car horses, is also found in the stables of leading express companies, as well as in livery and private stables. Thirty fatal cases 2,000 bushels. He claims this the most have been reported in one horse car

GALVESTON, February 18 -A special despatch from Austin says that six citiany other, and unsurpassed in eating zens of Beaver Creek, near Fort Sill, were robbed of all their horses Kiowa Indians, from the reservation. Forty head of horses and mules were stolen from the ranches on the Rio Grande, thirty miles above Fort Quitmau.

FLORIDA BAY, February 19 .- The Brooklyn and Wachnsett leave to day to search for the iron-clad Diotator. Measures were being taken for a cruise along the coast to find her. The Frolio has sailed from Portsmouth, for the same purpose. The steamer Dispatch, which left for Havana Tuesday, on account of reports that Consul General Hall had been obliged to fly from the Spanish mob in Havana, and take refuge upon board a British iron-clad, has

not yet returned.

Boston, February 19.—Collector Russell has telegraphed the withdrawal of his resignation.

KEY WEST, February 19-10 A. M.-

The Dictator has just arrived in sight, coming into the harbor.

Mobile, February 19.—Charles B.

Wallace has been here, and has given an appeal bond to the Supreme Court of the United States, in the Alabama and Chattanooga Railroad case, for meal ad-

Рипларедина, February 19.—500 men in Porter & Dickey's cotton works, in Kensing, struck for wages. Troubles in the shoe trade are threatened.

XENIA, ORIG, February 19 .- The State Grange passed resolutions endors ing the women's temperance movement. NEW ORLEANS, February 19 .- A mass meeting of the citizens passed a series

of resolutions, closing thus: Resolved, That we claim now, at the hands of Congress, as we have in the past, recognition of the government elected in November, 1872, of which Gov. McEnery is head; or in default thereof, that the present government be superseded by military provisional Cotton easier but not quotably lower; rule, and a new election be ordered, sales 12,000 bales, including 2,000 for

the bodies of the twins were exposed upon a table at the upper end of the hall, in front of the audience. The plaster casts which were taken from time to time, during the progress of the

human anatomy.

Washington, February 19.—Chief
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Louisville, February 19.—Flour
quiet and unchanged. Corn 71(a72.

heard arguments in favor of the reduction of taxes on leaf tobacco and fruit

In the Senate, 200 bankers and busificient. Price \$5 for a package of five ness men of Chicago petition against an boxes and a large \$2 vial of powder, increase of currency. Logan said he had heard of this petition before. qr \$1 per single box. Sold by ALL knew many of those who had signed it, and weak-steam 834; kettle 9. Bacon dull, with small sales—shoulders 634; brice. Address Humphreys' Specific the first to close their doors, last fall, clear rib 836; clear 834. Whiskey ac-HOMEHATHIC MEDICINE COMPANY, No. 162 Broadway, N. Y. For sale by Geigen & McGirgor, Columbia, S. C. Decity film by the prevailing sentiment in his limited of payer. 162 Broadway, N. Y. For sale by Geigen & McGirgor, Columbia, S. C. Decity film by the prevailing sentiment in his limited of payer. 163 by the many spain, and as a recommendation show in the street of the sere, the was happy. 164 by the was happy. 165 b

country. The equalization of the curment, repealing all laws which restricted national bank circulation, was defeated. Gordon submitted a substitute, instructing the committee to report as soon as practicable a bill for free banking, and providing for the convertibility of United States treasury notes into low interest bonds or gold coin, at the option of the Government, and the bonds convertible into treasury notes at the option of the holder. Rejected. Conkling said if Senators wanted an illustra tion of the infirmity of this whole proceeding, he submitted they had it now. This whole thing had been going on without the appropriate committee of the Senate having given to the Sanate anything which might be termed a financial scheme. Oglesby, of Illinois, said he thought there was in the Senate to-day the ability, intelligence and experience to compare with the most fa-vorable era of the American republic. In the House, White, from the Judi-

ciary Committee, reported a bill for the appointment of a United States Marshal in the Western District of North Carolina; also, a bill to provide for the elec-tion of two Representatives at large for Alabama, unless the Legislature shall otherwise provide by law before the time fixed for the election. He stated the failure of the Legislature to re-dis-trict the State, one House Lein, Democratic and the other one Republican. The bill passed. A bill to pay Texas the balance due to it by the treasury under the law of 1850, was referred to the Committee of the Whole. Also, a bill dividing the State of Louisiana into two judicial districts, and a bill repealing all laws requiring oaths or proof of

laine Company, Judge Clifford rendered a decision, which, in effect, affirms the plaintiff's claim for about \$688,000. The case has been in court fifteen years, and may be carried to the United States Supreme Court.

ST. LOUIS, February 19.—The residence of R. J. Watson, near here, was burned to-day; loss \$40,000.

Worcester, Mass., February 19.—
Stephen and Abbio Kelley Foster, with Miss Sarah Wall and Miss Marietta rlag, refused to pay taxes because ladies cannot vote. Their property is advertised for sale to-morrow. A convention to protest against the law is in session here to day. The Smith sisters, of Giastonbury, were present this morn-ing, and made addresses.

HARTFORD, February 19 - Delegates of fourteen colleges began their session here this morning, to consider the matter of inter-collegiate contests other than physical.

Telegraphic-Commercial Reports.

COLUMBIA, February 19 .- Sales of cotton, to-day, 75 bales-middling 1414. London, February 19.—Consols 9218 @9214. Bullion increased £250,000. LIVERPOOL, February 19-Noon .-

Cotton easier but not quotably lower;

New York, February 19-Noon .-Gold 12%. Stocks dull. Money 4. Exchange—long 485; short 4.88%. Governments strong and active. State bonds activer Cotton weak and irreguautopsy, were at hand, and, together with a number of diagrams, photographic views and drawings, were used by the demonstrator, Dr. W. H. Pancoast, to illustrate the report. The coast, to illustrate the report. The property of the demonstrator of the coast, to illustrate the report. The coast can be coast, to illustrate the report. The coast can be coast, to illustrate the report. The coast can be coast, to illustrate the report. The coast can be coast, to illustrate the report. The coast can be coast, to illustrate the report. The coast can be coast, to illustrate the report. The coast can be coast, to illustrate the report. The coast can be coast can be coast. The c graphic views and drawings, were used by the demonstrator, Dr. W. H. Pancoast, to illustrate the report. The bodies also were very frequently used by

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planatory of certain physiological pecu-liarities in the respective bodies. Pro-minent among these peculiarities, was what Dr. Pancoast called the fatty cord, which extended from the muccus mem-brane of the stomach to which it ad-July 17 5.32, 1734. Cotton weak and ingly in the memories of all who saw irregular; sales 1,314 bales, at 1616 (4) them, for with youth at the helm and

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CINCINNATI, February 19.—Fiour steady. Corn quiet, at 58@61. Pork all infalible! He quiet and weak, at 15.00. Lard quiet

GALVESTON, February 19.—Cotton quiet—good ordinary 1334; middling 1634; net receipts 1,753 bales; exports coastwise 27; to Great Britain 4,967;

s les 1,000. New Orleans, February 19 .- Cotton irregular, active and lower-middling 16/5; low middling 15/5; good ordinary 13/5; net receipts 2,811 bales; gross 4,625; exports continent 1,391; France 1,763; constwise 300; sales 4,000.

SAVANNAH, February 19. - Cotton quiet and easy; net receipts 2.341 bales; ex France 1,431; coustwise 1,722; sales 1,385; Great Britain 3,129.

CHARLESTON, February 19 .- Cottonmiddling 15%; low middling 15; good ord mary 14%; net receipts 1,029 bales; exports to France 1,750; coastwise 482;

PHILADELPHIA, February 19 .- Cotton net receipts 261 bales; gross 1,029. Boston, February 19.—Cotton quiet -net receipts 63 bales; sales 200. MEMPHIS, February 19.—Cotton-

ceipts 1,525 bales; shipments 1,685. WILMINGTON, February 19.—Cotton dull-net receipts 223 bales; exports constwise 36; sales 21.

MARY, THE MOTHER OF WASHINGTON -A Virginia member of Congress had introduced a resolution looking to the finishing of a monument over the rethat the necessity for the bill arose from mains of Mary, the mother of Washington, which repose in the burial ground near Fredericksburg, Virginia. It seems that the corner stone of such a monument was laid many years ago with great ceremony-Gen. Jackson and other dis tinguished men being present; but that since that time nothing has been done towards building the shaft. It would perhaps be better, suggests the Philadelphia Ledger, to wait until we com-

> the conductor passed through the car, he was greeted with: "Please tell me when we get to Chester." Courteous man though he is, even his patience was finally exhausted, and he politely requested the unfortunate female to maintain silence, as he had heard and would heed her injunction. Chester was finally reached, and "Chester" was yelled at the car door. The train again started, and the conductor mounted, the car in train back up to the station. "I'm real glad you obliged me," said the daughter of Eve to exaperated conductor. "My

FAR DIFFERENT. - Certainly there is no deceiving of one's husband nor one's physician; nor is it any easier for the politicians to deceive the people, upon whose breath and favor they depend for their very existence. - Index Appeal.

A married friend of ours, upon read-ing the above, ejiculated, "The devil, there isu't!" He referred to the hasband, not to the physician or people.

[Farmville (Va) Mercury. A good mother was trying to explain rule, and a new election be ordered, under Federal auspices, as the best that can be accorded us.

Washington, February 19.—A bill was passed in the House making the course of study for cadet engineers at Annapolis four years, instead of two.

Philadelphia, February 19.—At. a Constant of the state of the late of the state of the late of the state of the late of th

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Dr. Pancoast, for the purpose of explaining passages of the report. The intensest interest was displayed during the remarks of the demonstrator, exhibit remarks of the demonstrator of the demons

within a few days of each other, at ad-

Another remedy has been discovered for rheumatism in London. It is a hot and consequent shock produced. sand bath. This makes 7,348 remedies-

John Dog petitioned to the Massachasetts Legislature to change his whip a pauther. name, and they made it John Keer, and he was happy.

fourteen years.

THE STATE LEGISLATURE. THURSDAY, FRBRUARY 19, 1874. SENATE.

ber 1, 1873.

ing, no Acts of incorporation, passed instructive chapter. Their net gains during the extra or the present session come in at the spigot and run out at the of the General Assembly, shall be pubbing. The only satisfaction they have lished in any of the newspapers of the is the pleasure of counting over from State at the expense of the State, which \$5,000 to \$50,000 once a year, holding it a few days, and then planking it

Pending the consideration of a bill to down for corn, hay, fodder, leaves, make appropriation to pay the claims acorns, meat, whiskey and tobacco. beld in trust by J. Woodruff and A. O Jones against the State, the Senate adourned.

vember 1, 1873, was passed.

lutions were reported as engrossed and Orange, Newark, Montclair and vicinity, ready for a third reading.

ing all laws requiring oaths or proof of loyalty from public creditors under contracts, &c., before April, 1861. Negley, of Pennaylvania, presonted the memory of Pennaylvania, presented the monument to the

and the conductor mounted, the car in which was his persecutor. "Will you tell me when we get to Chester?" she said. "This is Chester," he exclaimed, and, grasping the bell-rope, he had the train back up to the station. "I'm real amour propre makes them generous, of stated that pew No. 63, in the middle officers in grand uniforms, and of per girls of the Presbyterian church, (Dr. ple apparently seeking favor from the Hall's,) corner of Fifth avenue and bring them lack."

A parcel of Chicago women have re Killed BY A Home-Made Gun. -A A parcel of Chicago women have recently invented a new God and founded boy living at Slopertown, Iowa, was far a new church. The one they call "God, tally injured Saturday. He had made a the Father; Lord, the Mother; Christ, gun of a piece of gas-pipe by pounding the Son; Soul, the Daughter," and the a piece of iron into one end of it for a other, "The United States Independ-breach, and when he fired, this piece of ent Government Church of Women." metal was blown out, entering his fore-Some of those Chicago men and women head and burying itself in his brain. can discover and travel more new routes Died, in Stattgart, Wurtemberg, Ger-

one of his little devils, I'd knock the one of his little devils, I'd knock the stuffing out of him."

RESPONSIBILITY.—At the back of every line that appears in these editorial columns, no matter what the subject, there is always some responsible party,

that fills the hole? In entering a nouse andria, on Saturday morning, after a do you push the frame back and go long illness.

The venerable John Bachman, the distinguished pastor, theologian and naturalist, is very ill at his residence in naturalist, is very ill at his residence in control of the control

visitors to a public hall found a man at not survive many days longer.

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The oldest fireman in Utica died the

hered, in the direction of, but not quite into, the bould of snion. There were peculiarities of the umbilical and liver in each body, together with many other abnormal growths, rarely found in the human anatomy.

Washington, February 19—Chief Justice Waite will not qualify until the

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General S. F. Patterson and General S. F. Patterson a

Provisions a shade lower. Pork 15.00@ County and the latter of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford a recent cold, stormy Sunday, and in 15.25. Bacon—shoulders 7; clear ruch state of Rutherford his death being caused by the exposure

An Iowa farmer who has been married only seven weeks, and has had to buy a wig, offers a bet that his wife can

Mrs. Green, a Kausus widow, wants forty women."

DRODUCES over 500 bushels to the acre, on favorable land. Equal to the "Variety again, and are a second control of the second c

the work goes on.

A BAD FAILURE IN GEORGIA. —A letter from Macon says: "The failure of SENATE.

The Senate assembled at 12 M.

The House sent to the Senate a bill Counties, is a leading topic of conversato make appropriation to meet the ordi-tion. Their liabilities are now known nary expenses of the State Government to be over \$190,000. Of this amount, for the fiscal year commencing Novem-Macon dances to the tune of \$40,000, A. S. Hartridge, of Savannah, \$60,000, and Mr. Maxwell introduced a bill to re-the balance scattered around promisculieve the bondsmen of the late County ously. They ran fifteen or sixteen plan-Treasurer of Greenville County.

Mr. Lee—Bills to incorporate the under the comprehensive title of Young Men's Christian Society, of huge.' No estimate has as yet been Chester; to provide for an assessment of made as to how much upon the dollar real property in the County of Chester they will be able to pay, but their cre-for the year 1874 ditors here anticipate little or nothing. for the year 1874

Mr. Whittemore introduced a con-Nor is the situation of other cotton current resolution that, in order to planters—that is, those who have plant-lessen the expense of the public print ed no hogs—much better than the above

THE SHERIFF'S SALE OF A CHURCH. St. John's Roman Catholic Church, at HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Orange, N. J., in the diocese recently A bill to make appropriation to meet presided over by Archbishop Bayley. the ordinary expenses of the govern- was sold Tuesday under the hammer to ment for the fiscal year commenced No-satisfy the claims of the creditors of the ember 1, 1873, was passed. church, whose aggregate claims foot up
A vast number of bills and joint reso the sum of \$260,000. The citizens of

with scarcely an exception, and irrespective of creeds, evince the deepest AN AFRICAN KING'S CURE FOR TOOTH Sympathy with their Catholic brethren, ACHE.—A correspondent at Cape Cosst who, after having struggled bravely for Castle, writing on the 15th December, the past eight years to provide themsays: King Bley still holds his position ing ample accommodation, should serve

writes: "Dear and umble Commander your Majesty: I am sorry you no send it is stated that the leading Grant Republicans of New York, not satisfied worse this day. You think pork bad for toothache, please send me more bottle toothache, please send me more bottle or endorsing the views of its editor, or endorsing the views of its editor, have just completed negotiations for An old Parisian beggar, iamous for the purchase of the New York Evening his success, thus explains the business "rales" to which he say the invariably adheres: "I never ask alms of one who has dined, as rosbif rounders a man selfish, nor of stout men as it looks that was \$350,000.

Government—they think that a gift will Nineteenth street, was sold at auction on Wednesday, for \$2,800. The ground rent is \$170 per annum.

-wards than any other people on the many, on the 23d of January, 1874, Mr.

A young man in Kingston, N. H., On Friday Night, February 20, 1874. PROF. W. H. EVANS,

Feb 20 1 For Sale ... 500 Bushels "SOUTHERN QUEEN"

Sweet Potatoes!

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