

Telegraphic—Foreign Affairs.

THE NEW PARLIAMENT—ARGENTINE AFFAIRS—SHIPWRECK AND LOSS OF LIFE—ROYAL LIFE—FOOD FOR THE FAMISHED, ETC.

LONDON, March 5.—A steamer from Rio Janeiro, February 8th, arrived, and reports the probability of war with the Argentine States, on account of insurrection in Paraguay, was increasing, and there was a general decline of values in consequence. Troops and vessels were going forward to Paraguay at Buenos Ayres. Elections were in progress, and were attended with intense excitement. Troops were being detached to various points on the frontier, and a war with Brazil was looked upon as liable to break out at any moment. Monitions were arriving from the United States.

Cholera continued to rage, and deaths from the disease averaged seven daily. LONDON, March 5.—The new Parliament assembled to-day. The opening proceedings in the Chamber of Peers were formal and uninteresting. In the House of Commons, Mr. Henry Chaplin, Conservative, proposed and Lord Cavendish seconded the motion, that Mr. Brand, Speaker of the last House, be declared the Speaker of the present House. After eulogistic speeches, the motion was unanimously carried. Mr. P. Halbert congratulated the Speaker in behalf of the absent Minister, and Gladstone tendered him the compliments of the opposition. The swearing of members then began. Mr. Gladstone was most warmly received by the Liberal members when he entered the hall and took his seat on the front opposition bench.

LONDON, March 6.—Reports continue to come to hand of wrecks, accompanied with loss of life and disasters to vessels, caused by the heavy gales which lately swept over the Atlantic. The steamship Sedra, from Newcastle for this port, is said to have encountered a storm, and was lost. Thirty of the people on board were drowned.

PARIS, March 6.—An order has been issued by the Minister of Interior, prohibiting the sale of photographs of Count De Chambord.

LONDON, March 6.—The Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh are expected to reach England to-morrow. Extensive preparations have been made for their reception. The day will be observed as a holiday. Lord Northbrook, Viceroy and Governor-General of India, telegraphs to the Indian Office that it is expected the Government will be obliged to maintain 3,000,000 persons, for three months. The expenditures on account of the famine, to the end of February last, are estimated at \$750,000.

Telegraphic—American Matters.

LOUISIANA AFFAIRS—THE RAILROAD TROUBLES—THE TEMPERANCE MOVEMENT—THE SOCIAL EVIL, ETC., ETC.

NEW ORLEANS, March 5.—Buildings Nos. 92 and 94 Rampart street, and 89 and 91 Basin street, were burned to-day. Loss \$25,000.

The Republican, this morning, says the Legislature of Louisiana does not seem to consider itself safe in New Orleans, with the demonstrated hostility that surrounds them. They propose to withdraw to Baton Rouge. This intention is indicated by an appropriation of money for that purpose.

PHILADELPHIA, March 6.—A proposition was received here, this morning, that the Lehigh Valley Company would restore to the strikers ten per cent. taken from their wages last December, which they refused to accept. A pay car came to the State line this evening, with an official on board, but remained on the Pennsylvania side. They proposed to pay off and discharge all who refused to work at their offer. The strikers refused to cross into Pennsylvania to receive their pay, and the pay car went back. The strikers are firm in their demand to have the same pay as is received on the Erie Road. No trains are running. The mail cars are not run, the company refusing to move them unless the train can go with them. All the siding between Waverly and Sayre is filled with cars with breaks and set wheels taken off and switches spiked. Last evening, the passenger train came up to Athens, four miles from here, and was left there.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The lager beer dealers of Brooklyn will appeal to the general term of the Supreme Court from Judge Pratt's decision, giving the Excise Commissioners the right to revoke licenses for selling beer on Sundays.

A Key West despatch says the Wash, Despatch and Pinta arrived yesterday, from Havana. Admiral Case made a general signal that all reporters will be required to leave the fleet. All correspondents thereupon left immediately.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 6.—The erranders are now met by "Shoo, Fly," on key bugles.

SALT LAKE, March 6.—Two passenger trains from the West arrived at Ogden, to-day, and the track is believed to be clear of snow.

TOLDO, March 6.—Hillsdale College edifice, at Hillsdale, Mich., was burned this morning; loss \$75,000; insurance \$50,000.

ST. LOUIS, March 6.—A bill to repeal the social evil feature in the city charter of St. Louis was informally laid over in the State Senate, on motion of one of its most prominent friends. Another bill was introduced embodying the most stringent features for rooting out the evil.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The steamship Graf Bismarck, which arrived this morning, several days overdue, reports having experienced terribly heavy gales and head winds, with heavy seas, which commenced when two days out, and lasted almost the entire passage.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—Mr. Stephens has been confined to his bed three days, but receives friends.

In the Senate, the centennial bill, ap-

propriating \$3,000,000 for the centennial, was referred to the Appropriations Committee, where it is considered dead. A bill appointing five commissioners to regulate the trade in liquor passed, Scott, from the Finance Committee, reported favorably on Gordon's bill providing that no instrument or document required to be stamped, which was signed within the States of Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas or Texas, prior to July 1, 1865, shall be deemed invalid by reason of the failure to place stamps thereon. It is, however, provided by an amendment of the committee, that the rights of a purchaser in good faith prior to the passage of this bill shall not be affected by it.

Probabilities—On Saturday, for New England, the barometer will fall, with rising temperature, rain and snow, and winds veering to Easterly and Southerly, and increasing to fresh and brisk. For the Middle States and lower lake region, fresh to very brisk South-east to South-west winds, cloudy and rainy weather and rising temperature. For the South Atlantic States, fresh and brisk South to West winds, cloudy and rainy weather, clearing away during Saturday night. For the Gulf States, West to North winds, clear and clearing weather and falling temperature, with probably a "Norther" in Texas.

ATLANTA, March 6.—The marshal of Lawrenceville, Ga., yesterday, shot and killed a young man who was trying to escape. To-day, an old and prominent citizen of Lithonia, Ga., named Braswell, suicided by shooting himself with a bird gun. Mrs. Pettibone, of Atlanta, suicided to-day, by morphine. Reason, financial distress. She promised her little daughter fifty cents to take a dose, who did so. The physicians will save the girl.

Telegraphic—Commercial Reports.

LONDON, March 6.—Weather fair. New 54 3/4. Erics 4 1/2.

PARIS, March 6.—Rentes 59f. 70c. LIVERPOOL, March 6.—3 P. M.—Cotton steady—uplands 7 1/2 @ 7 3/4, Orleans 8; sales 14,000 bales, including 2,000 for speculation and export; sales include 8,500 American; of the week, 71,000, including 8,000 for export and 5,000 for speculation; stock 733,000, including 338,000 American; receipts of the week 74,000, including 42,000 American; actual export 7,000; sales of uplands, nothing below good ordinary, shipped February or March, 7 1/2; shipped March or April, 7 13-16; nothing below middling, deliverable in March, 7 1/2; stock afloat 457,000 bales, including 416,000 American.

LIVERPOOL, March 6.—Evening.—Cotton to arrive firmer; sales of uplands, nothing below good ordinary, shipped March or April, 7 1/2; Orleans, nothing below low middling, shipped March or April, 8 1/2. Yarus and fabrics at Manchester quiet and unchanged.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Noon.—Gold opened at 11 1/2. Cotton firm; sales 3,189 bales—uplands 16 1/2; Orleans 16 3/4. Futures opened: March 15-16, 15 13-32; April 15-23-32, 15 1/2; May 16-7-32, 16 1/4; June 16-21-32, 16 11-16; July 17-16, 16 1/2. Flour, wheat and corn firm. Pork firm—mess 16.00. Lard firm—steam 9 1/2 @ 9.16. Freights steady. Stocks active, feverish and lower. Money 3. Gold 11 1/2. Exchange—long 4.84 1/2; short 4.88 1/2. Government quiet and lower. State bonds active.

7 P. M.—Cotton—net receipts 649 bales; gross 2,885. Futures closed steady; sales 21,100; March 15 13-32; April 15 11-16, 15 23-32; May 16 1-16; June 16 19-32; July 16 29-32. Cotton firmly held; sales 3,835 bales, at 16 1/2 @ 16 3/4. Flour dull and unchanged. Whiskey firm, at 96 cash; 96 1/2 @ 97 regular. W.loat in limited supply, fair export inquiry and 1 @ 2c. better. Corn 1c. better and rather more doing—78 @ 82 for new Western mixed; 81 @ 82 for high mixed and yellow Western; 78 @ 83 1/2 for white Western. Rice quiet and unchanged. Pork firm—now mess 16.00. Beef unchanged. Lard firm, at 9 7-16 @ 9 1/2. Freights to Liverpool firm—cotton, sail 5-16 @ 3/4; steam 3/4 @ 7-16; grain, sail 9 1/2; steam 10 1/2. Money easy, at 2 @ 3. Sterling very dull, at 4.84 1/2. Gold active and weak, at 11 1/2 @ 11 1/4. Governments dull and lower. States quiet and nominal.

CINCINNATI, March 6.—Flour dull. Corn quiet, at 58 @ 62. Pork firm, at 15 06 1/2 @ 15 25. Lard firm—8 1/4 for steam; 8 1/2 @ 8 3/4 for kettle. Bacon firm and scarce—6 1/2 @ 6 3/4 for shoulders; 8 1/2 @ 8 3/4 for clear rib; 8 1/2 @ 8 3/4 for clear. Whiskey firm, at 98.

LOUISVILLE, March 6.—Flour and corn quiet and unchanged. Provisions in fair demand and advanced. Pork 15.00. Bacon—6 1/2 for shoulders; 8 1/2 for clear rib; 9 for clear sides. Lard—8 1/2 for tierce; 9 1/4 for keg. Whiskey 92 1/2.

ST. LOUIS, March 6.—Flour—low grades in good demand and scarce; prices unchanged. Corn firmer—60 1/2 for No. 2 mixed. Whiskey dull, at 93. Pork firm, at 15.25. Bacon strong and advancing; jobbing good in order lots—6 1/2 @ 7 for shoulders; 8 1/2 @ 8 3/4 for clear rib; 8 1/2 @ 9 for clear sides. Lard in good demand and higher, at 8.56 1/2 @ 8.62 1/2.

MOBILE, March 6.—Cotton firm and quiet—middling 15 1/2, outside; low middling 14 1/2; good ordinary 10 1/2; stock 58,969 bales; weekly net receipts 5,793; gross 5,838; exports to continent 1,225; coastwise 4,488; sales 8,500.

BALTIMORE, March 6.—Cotton quiet—middling 15 1/2; low middling 14 1/2; good ordinary 13 1/2; stock 1,479; weekly net receipts 592 bales; gross 1,302; exports to Great Britain 506; coastwise 1,207; sales 1,667; spinners 572.

WILMINGTON, March 6.—Cotton firm—middling 15; stock 2,953; weekly net receipts 598 bales; exports coastwise 1,267; sales 100.

CHARLESTON, March 6.—Cotton firm—middling 15 1/2; low middling 14 1/2 @ 14 3/4; good ordinary 14; stock 55,263; weekly net receipts 9,481 bales; gross

10,158; exports to Great Britain 4,798; continent 37,577; France, 2,481; coastwise 86,151; sales 10,300.

NEW ORLEANS, March 6.—Cotton less active and prices maintained—middling 15 1/2; low middling 14 1/2; good ordinary 13 1/2; ordinary 11; net receipts 5,460 bales; gross 5,563; exports Great Britain 8,211; coastwise 426; sales 8,790; stock 304,583; weekly net receipts 38,684; gross 11,963; exports Great Britain 43,945; continent 4,190; France 3,708; coastwise 6,811; sales 39,100.

BOSTON, March 6.—Cotton quiet and firmer—middling 16 1/2; net receipts 103 bales; gross 430; exports Great Britain 680; sales 200; stock 5,600; weekly net receipts 556; gross 12,575; exports Great Britain 1,849; sales 1,150.

PHILADELPHIA, March 6.—Cotton firm—middling 16 1/2; low middling 15 1/2; strict good ordinary 14 1/2; ordinary 12 1/2; good ordinary 14; weekly net receipts 2,094; gross 4,779; exports Great Britain 901.

SAYANNAH, March 6.—Cotton firm—middling 15 1/2; stock 74,053 bales; weekly net receipts 12,131; exports to Great Britain 8,797; to continent 23,714; coastwise 2,985; sales 4,954.

NORFOLK, March 6.—Cotton firm—low middling 14 1/2; stock 14,350 bales; weekly net receipts 11,871; exports coastwise 12,973; sales 2,150.

MEMPHIS, March 6.—Cotton quiet, firm and unchanged—low middling 14 1/2 @ 14 3/4; receipts 1,275 bales; shipments 1,497; stock 58,776; weekly receipts 9,280; shipments 10,296.

ARGUSTA, March 6.—Cotton quiet—middling 15; receipts 496 bales; sales 1,023; stock 27,591; weekly receipts 3,176; shipments 3,531; sales 4,088; spinners 623.

The Detroit Free Press tells us that "they have just discovered that 'red rum' spells 'murder,' if the word 'murder' is spelled backwards." A most singular and startling discovery, certainly; and yet, there are human beings so steeped in crime and swamped in degradation, as to spell the most cold-blooded and diabolical "murder" backwards and swallow it every day of their miserable lives.

WE WONDER—When we realize in a measure the wickedness of this generation, and reflect that it has not been destroyed by fire or flood, we cannot help wondering what the moral condition of mankind was in the time of our respected ancestor Noah, when the world was flooded and the people thereof destroyed for their sinfulness.

[Farmville (Va.) Mercury.]

The youthful Emperor of China is said—like the Caliph Haroun-el-Raschid—to walk at night incognito through the streets of Peking. This violation of all the sentiments and traditions of his office is taken by foreign residents as a good sign that he will follow a wise and beneficent policy throughout his reign.

Chorus of ladies (to comely orator who is ascending the ladder to hang decorations)—"Oh, Mr. Sweetfoot, do take care! Don't go up! So dangerous! Do come down! Oh! Rector, (sarcastically), "Really, Sweetfoot, don't you think you'd better let a married man do that?"—Punch.

CATERING FOR THE CATS—A young man in New York, with an eye to business, has hit upon the novel idea of catering for cats, or rather furnishing provender for them at so much a week. The originator of the plan has over 100 felines to feed, for which he gets thirty cents per capita.

In his day, Brabantio, the Venetian Senator, must have been one of the Conservative school of politicians, opposed to the "hayseed" movement, for he says in "Othello," act I, scene I: "What tellst thou me of robbery? My house is not a gaug!"

A South Australian man has just discovered a cure for diphtheria, which has been used in the colony with great success. It consists of a dose of four drops of strong sulphuric acid in three-quarters of a tumbler of water for adults, and a smaller dose for children.

The finest and largest specimens of Jamaica ginger ever seen grew on Dunn's Lake, Florida. It is perfect in every particular, and from its great productivity will yield per acre a sufficient quantity at ten cents per pound to make \$300 clear profit.

When you buy a new lamp chimney put it in a vessel of cold water, set it on the stove and boil. You can never break that chimney, unless you throw a flat-iron at it, and won't break it even then—if you miss it.

The poorest girls in the world are those who have never been brought up to work. Every daughter should be taught to earn her own living. The wheel of fortune rolls swiftly round—the rich are very likely to become poor and the poor rich.

A Prairie du Chien ball, given in honor of a wedding, began at 10 o'clock, one morning, and lasted until the next daylight. When it closed the bride was drunk, and the husband had been taken to jail for beating one of the guests.

A dentist in Butler took a lien on a set of false teeth he put in a man's mouth. A judgment has been obtained on the lien, and the sheriff is now in a quandary to know how he is going to enforce it.

Col. Blood ascended the office stairs of the St. Paul (Minn.) Press to trash the editor, but was struck in the stomach by an inkstar and rolled to the bottom.

The editors of the two Atlanta dailies are talking of forming themselves into a military company. There is only one trouble—they are all colonels.

Mexico is mending. She has had three months of uninterrupted peace, and all kinds of business is improving in conse-

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1874. SENATE.

The Senate met at 12 M. The House of Representatives sent a message announcing that the enacting clauses of the following bills had been stricken out: Senate bill to authorize and empower the Apprentices' and Mifors' Library Society, of Charleston, to unite with and form a part of the Charleston Library Society; Senate bill to amend Section 1, Chapter CXI, Title II, Part III, of the General Statutes, relating to the drawing of juries.

The House also sent to the Senate a message, refusing to concur in the amendment to "a bill to make appropriation for the ordinary expenses of the Government," for the payment of contingent accounts, passed at the special and regular session of 1873, in the sum of \$25,000 on the orders of the presiding officers, attested by the Clerks of the two houses.

The Senate insisted on its amendment, and a message sent to the House of Representatives accordingly, whereupon the House agreed to the amendment.

Mr. Hope presented the petition of sundry citizens of Lexington County, praying the passage of an Act of incorporation for the village of Lexington.

Mr. Nash introduced a bill to provide aid for A. P. Turner.

Mr. Jervey—Bill to incorporate the National Savings Bank, of Charleston; bill to authorize and empower the Intendant and Wardens of the town of Moultrieville to exercise certain powers and confer certain rights and privileges in conformity therewith.

A bill to relieve the bondsmen of the late County Treasurer of Greenville, James M. Allen, was passed.

A joint resolution providing for re-assessment of real estate in 1874 was passed.

A resolution to donate a block of granite in the State House yard to the Indianapolis Cemetery was adopted.

A House concurrent resolution instructing the Attorney-General to prosecute Niles G. Parker, for illegally issuing certain conversion bonds, was laid on the table.

Mr. Whittemore submitted the following, which was ordered for consideration to-morrow:

Resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, That the bills recommended by the joint special committee appointed to examine the calendars of the two houses, shall at once be considered and acted upon, and no new measures of legislation shall be introduced or entertained at the present session, in order that an early adjournment may be effected.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. The House met at 11 A. M.

Mr. Simms presented claim of J. D. Allen.

Mr. Crews presented petition of Thos. Steers, contractor of the Blue Ridge Railroad Company.

Mr. Bowley introduced the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Privileges and Elections be requested to report, at an early day, a bill to provide for the general elections and the manner of conducting the same; said bill to include the registration of all legal voters, in accordance with Section 3, Article VIII, of the State Constitution.

Mr. Meizez presented petition of sundry citizens of Lexington village, requesting Act of incorporation.

Mr. Rice introduced a joint resolution to assert the election law in Union County and the State.

The resolution in reference to adjournment, (printed in Senate proceedings) was adopted, and ordered to be sent to the Senate.

A joint resolution authorizing and requiring the State Treasurer to pay to the County Treasurer of Greenville the sum of \$10,050, to be applied to free school purposes, was read the second time.

The enacting clause of a Senate bill authorizing the County Commissioners of Orangeburg to levy an additional tax for certain purposes, was stricken out.

A Senate joint resolution authorizing the State Treasurer to pay and cancel certain pay certificates now held and owned by Felix Cardarelli, of Columbia, was laid on the table.

The resolving clause of a joint resolution to authorize the laying of an artificial Mosaic stone pavement on the first floor of the State House, and to make an appropriation to pay the same, was stricken out.

The enacting clause of a bill to enable the Jury Commissioners of Sumter County to prepare a list and draw a jury for said County, was stricken out; also, of a bill to direct, authorize and empower the County Commissioners of Sumter County to sell and convey certain County property.

H. W. Purvis, Adjutant and Inspector-General, owing to the insufficiency of the appropriation for his department, tendered his resignation to the Governor. The House ordered the Governor to accept it. Pending the consideration of a measure to provide for filling the vacancy, the House adjourned.

Ben Zino asked O'Shea: "How is it that the most reliable account of the deluge makes no mention of Irishmen having been taken into the ark?"

"Divil the one was there," said O'Shea.

"How then was the race perpetuated?" queried Ben.

"Faith," said O'Shea, "in those days the Irish were wealthy, and had a boat of their own."

Special Meeting of the City Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, COLUMBIA, S. C., March 5, 1874.

Present—His Honor the Mayor, and Aldermen Lowades, Mitchell, Carroll, Young, Taylor, Carr, Williams, Griffin and Cooper. Absent—Aldermen Carpenter, Thompson and Hoge.

The Mayor stated the object of the meeting to be to try the case of F. Schmidt, for violation of the ordinance concerning fencing in open lots on Main street; as, according to the opinion of the City Attorney, the Mayor alone had not the power vested in him.

The Mayor also stated that Mr. Schmidt had been before him, but refused to obey the orders of his court.

Mr. Schmidt being present, Alderman Griffin moved that Council at once proceed with the case. Adopted.

Captain Jackson being sworn; testified that some two months ago, he had notified the defendant to fence in the cellar on his lot—that he had told him to do the same himself. One man had fallen into the pit, and broken a leg. Had spoken to defendant since, and received the same reply; but had since put up some posts and boards on the front, but the back part of the lot was still open. The front he did not consider fenced sufficiently strong; was, in fact, dangerous and a nuisance—a regular man trap.

H. W. Purvis, being sworn, stated that he was at a ward meeting some time since, at the Court House. Coming from there in company with S. Davis, heard groans, as of one in distress, in the cellar of the defendant, near the office of Bachman & Youmans. He went to his relief, and found his leg was broken; he was also internally injured.

Mr. Schmidt, being sworn, stated that he had fenced his lot according to law, and argued that no law compelled him to fence around the rear portion.

Alderman Cooper made a motion to give him five days to put a proper fence around his lot.

On motion, by Alderman Carroll, the same was laid on the table.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Taylor, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Chief of Police be instructed to put a fence around Mr. Schmidt's open lot or cellar, on Richardson street, and that the cost of said fence be charged to Mr. Schmidt, and collected according to law, in accordance with Section 4, of the ordinance concerning nuisances.

Mr. Schmidt gave notice of an appeal. On motion, Council adjourned.

CHAS. BARNUM, City Clerk.

"His reputation as a tonsorial artist is co-extensive with his fame as a law-maker," is the flattering encomium upon a Tennessee legislator, of colored origin, who abandoned a seat in the Assembly for a chair in the barber shop.

"Sah," he will say, "I advocated dat measure (does dat razor hurt?) for de common good of de whole constituem. (Have whampoo, sah?) I was in favor of de millian-dollar 'propriation—ten cents, sah; much obliged. I was den on de committee of de ways and means, brush hair, sah?" Thus will the retired Solon shave.

One of our exchanges puts it this way: James Gordon Bennett, of the New York Herald last week once \$30,000 to the suffering poor of New York city. About the same time, Robert Bonner, of the New York Ledger, gave \$40,000 for a farm near Terrytown, on which to keep his horses. In the amounts of the two investments, there is a slight difference; in their character, the difference is immeasurable.

There are two Indian tribes in Maine, the Passamaquoddy and the Penobscot, and each are represented in the Legislature by one of their own number. These two representatives of the red man take no part in legislation, but are allowed to draw their pay just the same as the representatives of the white men.

They spend most of their time during the session in the rotunda, engaged in pipe-smoking and chatting with each other in the dialect of their fathers.

M. Guizot, who is now in his eighty-eighth year, said recently: "Last year I finished my history of France, and this, please God, will see me commence my Universal History. I come of a hardy race. I can hear well, see well and work well. Plus IX can do the same; we are the hardest old men in Europe, and will outlive many who are yet young, if God please."

Tom Scott's a Boss.—During Col. Tom Scott's recent visit to St. Louis he was hailed on the street by a little black boy with, "Boss, have yer boots shined?" The Colonel pleasantly shook his finger at him, saying, "My boy, I am no boss." The little waif swung his box over his shoulder, and, eyeing the railroad king from head to foot, replied, "You're boss of yer boots, ain't yer?"

As soon as the Congressional chaplain closes his prayer in the House, the members begin an almost general clapping of hands, the method they have of calling pages to their side. Recently an elderly gentleman was present during such a scene for the first time, and exclaimed, "Well, that beats me! I don't see anything in that prayer worth cheering."

A little son of Captain James L. Reed killed a wild cat a few days ago, upon his plantation, Lancaster County, which measured four feet and four inches long. It is said to be the largest seen in that section for many years.

ACCIDENT ON THE ATLANTA.—On Thursday last, as the freight train going North from Atlanta, was near Buford station, five freight cars were precipitated down an embankment, and a colored brakeman killed.

Mrs. Della Adams, wife of Mr. J. Adams, died at her residence, in Lancaster County, on Tuesday last.

Small feather fans are stylish among the fair ones.

Astor owns 700 houses.

Funeral Invitation.

The friends and acquaintances of Mrs. M. E. Root and Mr. and Mrs. JAMES MCCAW are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services of the latter, THIS MORNING, at half-past 11 A. M., at Trinity Church.

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FRANK B. DOBSON, Sole Manager. March 7

BARNUM'S MUSEUM

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