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NOTES OF THE TIMES.

SOUTH CAROLINA has no divorce laws upon its statue-books and does not grant a divorce for any cause whatever

THE Vatican budget for the coming year shows a deficit of \$300,000, and the Pope has resolved to adopt further measures of retrenchment.

CINCINNATI is so full of drunkards that Francis Murphy has decided to remain there for an indefinite period, and has canceled all other engagements.

In fourteen out of thirty-three counties in Washington territory, the office of superintendent of schools is held by women, five of whom are unmarried.

It is estimated that over \$500,000 has been spent in unsuccessful attempts to establish newspapers in Portland,

EFFORTS are being made to make Santa Ana, in Los Angeles county, a general fruit depot for southern Califor-•nia. Over \$100,000 are to be expended in improving the capacty of the cannery, which is now one of the largest in the United States.

A FLOCK of blackbirds, said to have been three miles in length and nearly a hundred yards wide, lately passed over Edenton bay, North Carolina. They obscured the heavens like a dark cloud, and the noise of their flight was like the rush of a mighty wind.

THE first invoice of feathers was received at San Diego, Cal., from the ostrichfarm at Mount Fasrview last Thursday. The feathers are very fine. Many of them are from chicks 15 months old. The price are \$3 to \$5 each, not cleaned.

An old citizen of Newburgh, N. Y., paid \$3 for the privilege of driving the last spike in the street railroad. The spike had been driven once before, but when the ancient burger appeared upon the scene and made known his willingness to pay for the privilege of driving it again, the workmen gladly pulled it out and let him hammer away at it.

ONE evening 'ast week says the Gazette, of Taunton, Mass., a party of young men in that city invited a number of young ladies to accompany them in a party sleigh-ride to a neighboring town. They all enjoyed themselves, but when the girls were called upon to pay their fate with the rest a damper was put upon the joyous proceedings, which only time and plenty of it can

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EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

The funeral of Senator Logan transpired on Friday and was conducted throughout in accordance with the pre-arranged programme, nothing interfering with the com-plete symmetry of the occasion, though the day was inclement from an interchangeable atmosphere of fog, sleet and flurries of snow, but thousands of people gathered in and about the capitol to witness the ceremonies and pay their respects to the la-mented statesman and hero. The Senate chamber had been appropriately prepared, and it is said the floral decorations exceeded any ever before seen upon any state occa-

any ever before seen upon any state occasion.

Among the more notable, was a piece sent by Mrs. Leland Stanford, wife of Senator Stanford, of California, a remark able gem consisting of a heart and anchor in white and red immortelles upon which was the inscription: "General John A. Logan passed into life immortal December 26th, 1886." The florists in charge said that this memorial would last, if carefully preserved, longer than the life of a man. "I have been here at every funeral since 1831," said the venerable doorkeeper of the Senate, Mr. Bassett, "and I never saw such a display as this."

The services in the Senate began soon after 12, and among the notable persons upon the floor were Gen. Robert C. Schenck late minister to England, Gen. John A. J. Creswell, Grant's post master general, who is the treasurer of the local Logan fund; Walter Blaine, who came as representative of his father; Alan Arthur, who came also to show the respect which his late father had for Gen Logan, and who was assigned as honorary pall-bearer to take the place of Robert T. Lincoln, who was detained; Col. Fred Grant, who much resembles now with his full beard his father: Gen. Williamson of lowa, late commissioner of the land offlice; Gen. Rosecrans, who always Iowa, late commissioner of the land office Gen. Rosecrans, who always admired Logan as a soldier. President Cleveland, owing to his health and the state of the weather was not present, but Mrs. Cleveland and Mrs. Folsom attended by Mrs. Manning and Mrs. Lamont were in the seats assigned for the

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The bereaved family entered from the door which leads from the vice president's room, which had been assigned to them. Mrs. Logan was dressed in the heaviest black, her features wholly covered by thick mourning, resting heavily upon the arm of her son, greatly affected. Mrs. Logan took a seat in front of the vice president's desk, and Manning Logan and James Logan sitting on either side of her. Next sat Mrs. Tucker, also in deepest mourning. Beside her was her husband, Maj. Tucker, and next in deep black, but unveiled, was Miss Andrew, the flancee of Manning Logan, and beside her, and resting awestruck upon her the little grandson, Logan Tucker. From the outset Mrs. Logan was deeply affected, although evidently under the greatest self-control, but when the eloquent passages of Doctor Newman's sermon were delivered in which the qualities of the dead were so graphically eulogized she could scarce refrain her emotion.

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Senator Sherman and Speaker Carlisle occupied chairs at the presidents desk and the clergy were at the desk of the secretararies. The solemn services were begun by the reading of the Ninotieth Psalm by Bishop Andrews. Prayer was offered by Dr. Tiffany. During the prayer the silence of the great assemblage was most impressive, broken as it was only by the uncontrollable sobs of the widow, who leaned as if for support toward her son, in whose firm grasp her hand remained throughout the ceremony. Some selections from the funeral service of the Epsicopal church (extracts from I. Corthe Epsicopal church (extracts from I. Corinthians) were read by Rev. Dr. Butler. The funeral oration was delivered by Rev.

Oregon, during the past twenty years

Between 6 A. M. Christmas day, and 6 A. M. Sunday, the police of New York city arrested four hundred drunks, and about three hundred during the previous twenty-four hours.

The Dominion on goverment has declined to compensate the Saskatoon settlers for protecting the goverment telegraph line during the rebellion before the arrival of the troops.

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Domestic News.

2 Laporte, Ind., reported a snow fall of three to five feet January 2nd. and railroads

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a call for \$10,000,000 of the 3 per cent loan of 1882. Interest will cease Feby. 1, 1887.

The snow storm throughout Michigan, January 1 and 2 was the worst in five years and railroad traffic in many parts had to be

At New York city, January 1, Mayor-Elect Hewitt and other municipal officers who were elected in November last, were formally installed, but without any special ceremony.

Marshall Hune of Forest, Ohio, shot and killed Charles Tarelton, whom he was taking under arrest from Tiffin. Tarelton had attempted to escape, and attacked Hune with a knife.

John Roach, the ship builder, is dying of epithelioma, and his agony is relieved only by anodynes. The development of his case has been very similar to that of Gen. Grant. the location, however, being the roof of the mouth, instead of the throat.

The order has been issued for the Peter Cooper monument at New York. The monument will be cast in bronze, in this country, and will be the largest on Manhattan island, and mounted on a pedestal f polished Quincy granite. It will cost between \$35,000 and \$40,000. About \$30,000 has been raised.

Western Pennsylvania and Northern Ohio were visited with a heavy snow storm on the 1st, throwing railroad trains all out of time. On the Cleveland & Pittsburg road the snow On the Cleveland & Pittsburg road the snow was a foot deep in some places, and on the northern part of the road two locomotives had to be attached to the south-bound trains. On the Ft. Wayne road there were fifteen inches of snow.

The business iailures throughout Canaka, is reported by Dun Wyman & Co., mercantile agents, indicate that for 1886 the number is 1,252 with liabilities of \$10,386,000, against 1,256 failures in 1885, with liabilities of \$8,861,000. The average liabilities of each failure in 1886 were \$8,295 as against an average of \$7,550 in 1885.

The Indian commission, consisting of

en route to Poplar River agency. They were entirely successful in their visit to Berthold agency, and made an agreement with the Indians there to surrender all of their reservation except a portion thirty-five miles square, and to take lands in several terms.

The statistics of figures for 1886 show a alight falling off compared with 1885. The number in the United States is 9,834, against 10,637 in 1885. The liabilities are \$114,000,000, against \$124,000,000 in 1885. Failures seem recently to have been unusually numerous, and the figures for the last quarter of 1885 show 2,746 against 2,400 in the last quarter of 1885, The liabilities were respectively, \$37,000,000 and \$25,000,000.

A New York telegram says that the dissatisfaction with the ruling powers of the Knights of Labor continues to grow, and it is doubtful if half of the members of district assembly 49 are in sympathy with the actions of the leaders of that body. Of the 75,000 or 100,000 members of the district at least 20,000 are suspended and a good proportion of the membership of the locals which are not suspended do not believe in the leaders. It is not probable, however: that there will be an open revolt until after the question of the special session of the general assembly has been settled.

The residence of Don Domingo Gana, the Chillian Minister at Washington, was burglarized Dec. 31st, and \$7,000 worth of property stolen. The thief was caught as he was taking a New York train and all the valuables found.

At Cairo, Ills., in a saloon quarrel Sunday evening, Thomas Spicer, colored, was thrown to the floor by Henry Haves and Thomas Meahan, who covered him with tur-pentine and set fire to his clothing. The victim died. The perpetrators are in jail.

A gang of professional safe-blowers is operating in Northern Ohio. Tuesday night he safe in the postoffice at Wadsworth, Summit county, was blown open, and a quantity of stamps taken. Next the burglar drove to Western Star, a neighboring hamlet, blew open the safe in the postoffice and store kept by D. C. Dague, and secured nearly \$600 in money, stamps and checks.

All but \$12,000 of the money stolen from the Adams Express in the October robbery the Adams Express in the October robbery has been recovered. Witrock, Weaver, and Haight have been indicted. The prisoners, it is stated, will be brought into court, plead guilty, receive sentence and go immediately to the penitentiary. If this proves to be the case the charges against Messenger Fotheringham cannot manifestly be sustained, for robbery in the first degree is highway robbery and if the messenger was implicated in the robbery the latter crime was not committed.

The arrests at Chicago of the Adams Express robbers seem to have brought in the press robbers seem to have brought in the perpetrators, and a very large proportion of the money has been found with the men or in the possession of their wives. Mrs. Haight had \$12,000, Mrs. Witrock several thousands sewed up in her garments. Every party yet implicated is a former resident of Leavenworth, Kansas. Weaver, Cook, Witrock and Haight were school boys there together. As they grew up they became wild and reckless and were classed as tough characters. They were all there last summer and it is believed the robbery was planned in Leavenworth. It is rumored that Fotheringham the express messenger is so far exculpated by these arrests that he will soon be released from prison.

Fires and Casualties.

Gifard, Pa., closed 1886 with a \$65,000 fire, including the opera house block.

2 Nine of the principal business houses of Knightsville, Ind., burned on the 2nd, with heavy loss, and little insurance.

The Detroit Alaska Sock factory burned and a number of girls in the third story barely escaped with their lives. Loss \$37,

Dr. Patten, formery a successfull dentist, but of late years intemperate and eking out existence by cobbling, was burned up in his house at Franklin, Maine.

burned. Loss on building \$75,000. insurance \$25,000. Other losses \$10,000.

At Sanfords Corners, Jefferson Co., N. Y., the clothes of Mrs. Edwin Stanford, a young married woman took fire from the stove and she was burned to death.

At Cole Brillfant, Mo., the residence of Samuel Cupples burned January 2, with a number of valuable paintings recently imported from Europe. Loss \$45,000.

2 The Bibb county orphan home, at Macon, Ga., burned New Years night, and 45 children were turned out in their night clothes with the thermometer 12 degrees below zero.

Two boilers in the Seiberling mower and reaper works at Akron, Ohio, exploded Dec. 31, demolishing the two stery brick boiler house and injuring five men, one of whom died.

Portage la Prairie lost ten houses by fire, Jan. 2. Four people had to escape by jumping from a second story window and one lady was injured. Loss \$30,000, insurance one half.

Two steamers and four barges lying at anchor at Cairo, Ill., loaded with cotton, soda ash and sundries took fire on the morning of the 28th, and burned to the water's edge. Loss \$1.000

Fire at Greensburg, Westmoreland Co.. Pa., on the 29th destroyed four buildings, among the finest in the city including the Laird House, from which guests escaped in their night clothes. The loss is \$150,000.

At Geneva, Pa., on the 3rd the boiler in Thompson's saw mill exploded wrecking the mill, killing three men outright and badly injuring a fourth. Frank Thompson, son of the proprietor was one of the killed.

At East St. Louis, Ills., a water tank on the roof of Helm's brewery fell through the roof killing one man and breaking pipes causing the escape of ammonia gas which was inhaled by two men causing their death.

At Niagara Falls, on the evening of Jan. 3. a man dressed in a dark suit of clothes committed suicide by jumping from the railway suspension bridge into the rapids of the Niagara river a distance of 195 feet.

At Carthage, N. Y., Jan. 3, Richard Ingraham of Fulton and Benjamin Benson of Ogdensburg were instantly killed and George Varney of Carthage badly injured while loading oil cars in the Joyville mines, by a mass of frozen oil and rock falling upon

in the Temple theatre, Philadelphia, the curtain took fire from a gas jet, and the edificeb urned in an incredibly short time. Three men lest their lives, and ethers, including females, were rescued by means of ropes and ladders. Loss on building \$200,000; scenery &cc. \$225,000; insurance \$127,000.

Ohio, a freight and passenger train on the Baltimore & Ohio R. R., came in collis wrecking both, and three passenger coaches were burned. The bodies of nineteen passengers had been taken from the wreck when the first report was sent, and doubtless more were lost. The thermometer was 2 degrees below zero, and the scens was one of indescribable horror.

At Scranton, Pa., Mrs. John Burke, going upstairs with a lighted lamp fell to the bottom and was stunned. The lamp exploded and set her clothing on fire. Before she could be rescued she was burned almost to a crisp. Her husband, who is blind, was unable to render assistance, but his cries brought help to the house, which, unfortu-nately, arrived too late.

The fishing season from the port of Gloucester, Mass., has been an exceedingly disastrous one. The figures show a total loss of 27 vessels, with a tonnage of 175,126, valued at \$152,300 and insured for \$119,231. The number of lives lost 137. The Christmas and New Year gales of 1885 proved very calamitous. The losses from Dec. 1 to March composed 12 vessels, 3 with crews of 43 men, while 24 other men lost their lives while visiting trawls or were washed overboard. The total loss was 66 lives, and nearly \$100,000 worth of property in these gales. Fourteen women were left wretched, and 35 children fatherless. The crews noted above have all been lost since March.

A frightful accident occurred January 1, at a R. R. crossing two miles from Fort Wayne, Ind. A sleigh containing 20 persons going to a dance was struck by a train and two ladies killed and several terribly hurt. The driver, who saw the approaching train and was implored by the gentlemen to stop, but did not. The gentleman jumped out, but the ladies did not succeed in doing this until too late. The scene just after the accident was heart-rending. A relief train was sent to the scene with a corps of surgeons, and the dead and wounded were properly cared for. properly cared for.

Political and Personal.

The fund for Mrs. Logan had reached \$50,000. January 3.

The public debt statement for December shows a reduction of \$8,000,000.

U. P. Snider, deputy controller of the currency, has been apointed examiner of the national banks at the cities of New York, Brooklyn and Jersey City, in place of A. M.

Forty thousand dollars had been reported January 1st for the Mrs. Logan fund.

P. Henry Dugro the grand sachem of Tammany hall, has resigned. County Clerk James A. Flack has been elected to succeed

The chairmanship of the Senate Committee on Military affairs, which Gen, Logan has held for years will probably go to Senator Sewell of New Jersey.

Eleven thousand dollars was subscribed on Wednesday to the fund for Mrs. Logan, making a total of \$26,000, at the close of the second day after starting the fund.

Col. Lamont said Monday that President Cleveland seemed to be much improved by his New Years' day experience. He spent the day in his private room, and saw no callers.

John S. Newbury, one of the foremost lawyers of Detroit, Mich., died January 2, aged 61 years, leaving a wife and four children and an estate of \$3,000,000. He was in Congress in 1878, and came near being given a place in Garfield's Cabinet.

New Years day at Washington was rainy The opera house at Galesburg, Ill., took fire on the 29th from a defective fire and burned. Loss on building \$75,000 insurance was in excellent condition, though his face showed traces of his painful illness. Secre-taries Manning, Endicott and Vilas and their wives, with Secretaries Bayard and Whitney received with President and Mrs. Cleveland in the Blue parlor, which was a bower floral beauty.

About the only legacy left by Gen. Logan to his family is the copyright of his book, The Great Conspiracy, and that is of mere conjectural value. However a movement has been instituted at Washington for a fund for Mrs. Logan and in the first four hours \$10,000 was subscribed and the first day \$15.000. It is expected Chicago will contribute \$50,000, and a fund be accumulated that will be an honor to those who take part in this testimonial to the heroic dead.

The burial case for Gen. Logan was made at Onedia, N. Y., and is of Spanish red ceat Onedia, N. Y., and is of spanish red cedar covered with broad-cloth, and heavily draped with the same, the drapery trimmed with silk fringe and tassels. This casket encloses a full glass air-tight copper case, tufted throughout with cream-tinted satin in, and a pillow of the same material. The top of the case opens full length, and is also tufted with cream-tinted satin. The whole is enclosed in a polished red cedar outside box with gold-trimmings.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Foreign Budget.

Dec. 31, ten miners were killed to-day by the falling of a cage in a colliery at Houghton Spring, in Durham, England. Rumors are persistently kept afloat in

St. Petersburg and Odessa that Prince Alex. ander is arranging for his return to Sofia as king of Bulgaria. At Madrid, Spain, Dec. 31, fire broke out

in the reserved enclosure at People's Park, where the annual fair was being held. A panic ensued and it is reported that several hundred persons were burned or crushed to

At Portsmouth, Eng., Jan. 2, an explosion of gas occurred in the Cambridge barracks at Portsmouth, doing considerable damage. Six soldiers were killed. Twenty-one were found and extricated from the ruins. All of the rescued were more or less injured.

At Rome, Italy, the fire in the Odescalchi palace Jan. 2, was caused by the lamps on a Christmas tree. All the jewels belonging to the princess and all the valuable pictures including a small Raphael, and the whole of a splendid collection of ancient furniture on the second floor were burned. The loss is \$1,000,000. The palace was not insured.

MINNERVIA.

Minnesota News.

Charles Berk, a prominent citizen of Hastegs, died Jan. 2, of consumption, aged 43.

Fairmont had a gay New Year's eve at the social given by the Fairmont Atlantic club. About \$00,000 was the amount expended during 1886 in Waseos is building improvements. This is an increase of about \$20,000 over last year.

After more than a week's expenditure of time and the examination of 254 men a jury was obtained on Tuesday at St. Paul fort be trial of J. D. Martin for murder.

Prof. Gutterson, conductor of the Beeth ven musical association at Owatonna was given a surprise social New Years eve, and purse of \$50 as a token of appreciation.

The cold wave of the 27th struck Minne ta and Dakota points, a good ways below zero. At St. Paul 25 below, Brainerd 34 to 35 below, Winona 20 below, Watertown, Dak., 40 below, Fargo 35 below, McGregor, Iowa, 35 below.

January 1, 2 and 8, at Fairbault, the ther mometer ranged 30, 85 and 88 below zero.

The postoffice of Metz, Yellow Medicine county Minn., was established Jan. 3, with Solomon Auderson as postmaster. J. H. Whiting was appointed postmaster at Bil ver Creek, Wright county, Minn.

At Anoka, the Lincoln mill has taken in 150,000 bushels of wheat since September, beating any previous record. The annual meeting of the Anoka County Agricultural society will be held Saturday, Jan. 15, at which time will occur the election of officers.

The steam flouring mill of Sherman Peet at Mapleton caught fire Friday evening and was entirely destroyed. The loss is something like \$5,000, beside the loss of about 6,000 bushels of wheat, part of which also belonged to Mr. Peet. There was no insurance.

Windom has organized a toboggan club and a ninety-foot chute, double slide, will be built to the river at the west end of Ninth street. An effort will be made to organize a uniformed company, which will possibly take in the St. Paul carnival during the winter.

At the annual meeting of the Farmers Alliance of Waseca County, the following officers were elected for 1837; George T. Dunn, president; L. C. Pennund, vice president; Peter Burns, treasurer; W. D. Armstrong, secretary. Six alliances were represented by sixteen delegates.

At Winona, James Thompson the laborer convicted of rape upon Rosabel Castleman a five-year old child, en May 6 last, was be fore Judge Start te-day for sentence. The motion of the defense for a new trial was denied and Thompson was sentenced to hard labor at Stillwater for life. Thompson is 27 years old and married.

The Mazeppa club has a toboggan slide of which it is very proud. The slide runs in a northeasterly direction over half a mile out onto the mill pond. The start is 200 feet above the level of the pond, and the descent is about 45 degrees and of nearly 400 feet in length. The club has over fifty members, and is arranging to procure suits so as to be able to attend the winter carnival at 8t.

Senator Sabin left for Washington Jan'y 2, says a Stillwater special, having prolonged his stay a day or two after the change in the date of Senator Logan's funeral, which did not give him time to be present. He expects to return here with his family about the middle of March, as he does not anticipate a special session. There is no contest over appointments, said he, and there is nothing to demand his attention after congress adjourns.

Official Canvass

Supreme Court Judges Gilfillan and Berry, District Court Judges Lochren and Simons and Secretary of State von Baumbach made the official canvass for State officers at St. Paul, January 3, with the following result:

Governor, McGill, 107,064, Ames, 104,464, Child 8,966, McGill, plurality, 2,600. Lieut. Gov. Rice, 114,038, Frank, 97,028, Pinkham, 9,271,Rice, plurality 17,010.

Treasurer, Mattson, 113,744, Jaeger, 25,-200, Bierce, 8,991, Mattson, plurality 18,544,

Auditor, Braden, 113,796, Lundberg 84,919. Allen 8,890, Braden, plurality, 28,877. Secretary State, Bobletter, 113,441, Poebler, 97,393, Kniss, 9,903, Bobletter, plurality, 16,046.

Attorney General, Clapp, 115,512, Ives, 95,-881, Hatch, 8,908, Clapp, plurality, 19,621.
Clerk Supreme Count, Jones, 113,197, O'Leary, 93,713, Fosnes, 9,002, Jones, plurality, 19,346.

Supreme Court Judges, Vanderburg, 185,-938, Mitchell, 195,540, Dickinson, 193,945, Mc-Knight, 8,873, Cochran, 8,868, Shannon, 8,927.

Constitutional Amendment to Article 8, Yes, 131,533, No. 17,914.

IOWA.

A passenger train on the C. B. & Q, R. R was thrown from the track at Afton, while running at the high rate of speed, the switch rod snapping with the frost, and the train run onto the side track and five cars divided run onto the side track and five cars divided and rolled down an enbankment. Fourteen passengers were injured but ten were able to proceed by the next train. Mrs. L. Math ews of Conway, Ia., was the most seriously hurt sustaining concussion of the brain and

On the afternoon of the 28th a boiler in on the atternoon of the zeta a boner in the Armstrong, mine at Angus, Iowa, exploded killing three men and wounding two others. The dead are: Sol Piper, fireman, scalded and mangled; John Blythe, pit boss, head blown off; Charles Carson, workman, blown to fragraments; the boiler head was blown through a coal car and a distance of a quarter of a mile beyond. No cause for the accident is assigned.

WISCONSIN.

Two large frame ice houses and a produce refrigerator belonging to Miles & Daggett, Madison, Wis., were burned Tuesday. The Daniels, arrived at Fort Buford last week, During the rehearsal of the Little Tycoon The British steamer Dragoman, which origin. The loss on buildings is \$10,000.