DESERET EVENING NEWS. GEORGE Q. CANNON. EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

C. P. R. R. FREIGHTS.

THE Sacramento Daily Union suffers no opportunity to escape of finding fault with the charges of the Central Pacific Railroad. The Union Pacific Railroad made a general reduction on freight charges between Omaha and Cheyenne equal to twenty-five per cent. of the old rates, to take effect on the 11th ult. This would reduce freight to ten and sixtenths cents per mile currency; which is seven and a half cents in gold. The Union says that the rates charged on the Central Pacific end of the road are just double those now charged between Omaha and Cheyenne. As the Union Pacific will doubtless continue the same rates on to this city, that paper submits, to all having at heart the real public interests of California, whether it would not be a good deal better for them to encourage the Union Pacific Company in becoming a rival of the Central Pacific by pushing their road through from Salt Lake, via Beckworth Pass, to Vallejo. That paper will, at least, think so until their home company manifests so much public spirit as to carry as cheaply as the Eastern Company. With such charges for freight it cannot see the force of the arguments that the people of the Pacific | ty and cruelty. Were its existence not Coast are directly interested in the Central Pacific Company first reaching Sal Lake City.

Washburne, of Wisconsin, made a speech some time ago in Congress favorable to the reduction of fares on the whole line. In the course of this speech San Francisco to Chicago at the rates He says:

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then charged by the Union Pacific-14 cents per ton per mile-or about 40 per cents per ton per mile or about 40 per into the mysteries which render it such a formidable instrument of torture. The rates still charged by the Central Pacific. But since his speech the U. P. R. R, to about four feet long by about three feet meet the demands of the public, has in width, and resembles, in the lower

Availability will be a great re iation with that party. Judge Chase's deportment through the admiration of ment trial has se many of the Democrate. He is thought to be an available man; but even if he onsent to stand on their platform, it is doubtful if they could unite upon him. It has been asserted that a plan was in contemplation to form a new party of which he is to be the leader, and

voted for the acquittal of President Johnson, were to be members. T contradicted by the New York Times, which paper says, that "these gentlemen, is there is the best authority for stating, are all for Graut, and entertain no other political purpose than to do what in em lies for his success on the Chicago Platform during the coming campaign." Some sealous Republicans thought the seven who voted "not guilty" ought to be read out of the party, but the New York Sun says "No Republican politician, except the fools, has ever thought of turning these Senators out of that party. We can tell the Republicans, too, that they have no votes to throw away, and that they had better enlarge their party rather than diminish it, if they wish to carry the next election."

EDITORIAL SUMMARY.

The "Shower Bath" is a method of punishment used in some of the State prisons in this country, and one which can scarcely be surpassed for inhumaniauthenticated by reliable testimony, it would not be believed that at the present time such a remnant of barbarity could be even thought of, much less practiced.

A recent visitor to Sing Sing, in a letter to the New York Times, gives an he stated that it would cost \$5,000 to account of this method of torture as freight a car-load of merchandise from practiced in the New York State prison.

"On a recent visit I paid to Sing Sing, was permitted to enter the room where the bath was located, and was initiated come down 25 per cent. on its charges. The price, even with this reduction, is having his hands and feet fastened imband of iron in such a manner as to raise his face toward the ceiling, rendering motion impossible and respiration difficult. While in this fixed position PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN. PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN. difficult. While in this fixed position the water is let upon his head in full force through a tin plate perforated with large holes, which is situated at the top of the box. A keeper stands outside the bath in charge of the stopper, and a me-dical man attends to determine how much the poor creature can endure. The THERE is every prospect at present of a punishment consists in suffocation, and very exciting Presidential campaign. while there is no actual intent to take Both of the great parties are preparing themselves for the contest with a zeal and determination unmanifold in the hospital books as cases of "apoplexy" and "heart disease," which were smply deaths produced by the shower bath. We have all read of such proceedings as the above in the days when priestly intolerance had reached its highest point in the inquisitions in Spain; and the destruction of that abominable institution is considered one of the good deeds performed under the auspices of the first Napoleon, In America no such exercise of despotic power is necessary to abolish such eruelty. Practices of this kind are far behind the intelligence and humanity of the age, and all that is needed to secure their speedy and prompt abolition is to arouse public attention to the fact that they really exist. for whoever may be chosen by them must expect to receive the measure of abuse and villification which falls to the Future of the contiguous Polar re-glons." Gen. Kane was invited to known to possess much valuable information in relation to Russian America obtained from his brother, the deeply lamented, but celebrated arctic ex-plorer. The lecturer said his interest in Alaska arose from its geographical relation to the unexplored Polar Sea bout which so much interest had been The following are some of he expressed in relation to Arctic explo rations and the method of conducting

have two bears nor Esquimaux will rob, and which should be latd down liberally, especial-ly if it can be had where the salers say they find it, near Cape Beaufort. And I am assured that I have hit on a good ractical notion in the uses to which would put a light, strong telegraph wire, insulated as late inter-oceanic experimentation has taught us to: I Yes, as I said before, I have my plans, and sociated with them a number the seven Republican members, who unpatented notions as these. Perhaps they would still conciliate for me polite attention. But I mention them which I intend to reflect upon. I am of opinion that the subject calls for con-scientious study. My individual aspir-ation may be thus summed up: I wish to study Arctic exploration upon the ground." ground In Europe much time, and means have been expended, and many lives lost in Arctic exploration, in the endeavor to discover the much desired north west passage. Since the loss of the expedition under the brave Frank-lin the interest in relation to this sub-ject has died out to a considerable ex-tent. But since the reported seeing of the Polar Continent last summer, public interest has again revived, and already English, French and German exploring expeditions are either con-templated or in preparation. In Ameri-ca, enthusiasm on this subject has never reached that point that it has in the old world. But the recent purchase by the United States of Russian America, coupled with the fact that the American Geographical Society is about to memorialize Congress to take and shook the houses in Peekskill. action on the expedition proposed by Gen. Kane, renders it not improbable that America may yet take the lead and gain the palm in Arctic explora-

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Liverpool. - John Bright made eech h re, to-day, at a meeting of the thusia stic,

across the stream, which changed the The Times Madrid corrrespondent bays the Spanish Government has granted the necessary authority for the telegraph lines in the Gulf of Mexico.

MILITARY REDROANIZATION Vienna.—Plans for the reorganization of the military forces of the empire are being gradually carried into effect. The standing, army will consist of 800,000 men the Landwehr of 200,000.

NAPIEB'S FORCES LEAVING.

London. Official dispatches from Gen. Napler say the army is still eva-cuating Abyssinia; a column passed Senafe on the last post on route. The rainy season had set in with great vio-lence; the streams were swollen. Six hundred natives had been drowned,

EXPLOSION OF A POWDER FACTORY. Newbury.-A portion of Smith and Rand's powder works, containing five tons of powder, exploded yesterday morning at 6 o'clock; there was only one man in the works at the time who was instantly killed. The debris was

Correspondence.

The following letter from Elder T. B. Foote, is well worth preserving, as he is probably the only living witness who was present at the court martial referred to in it, and heard Lucas pronounce sentence of death on the Prophet Joseph.

NEPHI, May 28th, 1868. Editor Descret News:-I came to Far West in 1837, and bought of the United States a quarter section reciting that, Whereas a pretension has been put forth to the effect that the vote of a Senator on impeachment so far differs in character from the vote on any other question that the people have no right to criticise it; and whereas, such pretensions are calculated to impair that I was with Bro. James Hendricks, who recedom of judgment which belongs to the people on all the acts of their Repre-sentatives, therefore, in order to remove all doubts on the question and to declare the constitutional rights of the people in prisoners. I soon met a sentinel, but cases of impeachment, resolved that passed on without speaking or being when assuming the Senate is a court in questioned. I met about thirty homejudicial power, that Senators cannot claim their vote exempt from the Judg-ment of the people. The resolution in-stances the people's condemnation of Tanney's Dred Scott decision, and asserts reply by me was repeated three times. Two of them then rode up to me, one on each side, and took me by the coat collar and started off at full speed drag-ging me into camp where they let me down. This heroic deed (!) was greated exercising a certain provided by the Constitution; that the proceedings in the impeachment trial were not according to law, but purely political for political affairs to be tried by a political body and ending in a po-itical judgment, and therefore the Sentor in the bands of the British in 1813, and was treated with civility. I passed on and came to where a goard many placed around the prisoners,— Joseph Smith, S. Rigdon, L. Wight, C. Baldwin and Geo. W. Robinson, and I think another, but I am not certain, who were seated in a wagon, from all of whom I received a baw of recognition except from S. Rigdon, who sat with his head down and his face buried in his hands. I walked around the entire guard, were adopted when the bill passed. The bill to extend the time for the comple-tion of the Southern Pacific Railroad passed. The bill to provide a temporary government for the Territory of Wyo-ming also passed. last time on my Prophet, for his die was cast, &c. After passing around the guard, I passed on and met Wm. E. McLellan, formerly one of the Twelve Apostles. He was armed. I asked him to explain why he was there. He said "The Bible and all religion are matters of speculation and priestoraft, from be-ginning to end, and 'Joe' in the big-gest speculator of them all." I told Insolution in Honor of "OLD BUCK" TABLED.
Woodward offered a resolution reciting, that whatever diversities of opin-ion may prevail relative to the admin-istrative powers of Ex-President Buchanan the members of the Home ed. McLellan slunk away, and I never eordially units in honoring his purity of character, his ability and patriotism, and request the Speaker to appoint of the Model been a primerical function of the Model been a primary of the Model been a primerical fu

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direction of the current. The creek has damage to Bro. out several large apple tree

Yesterday. You will, nodoubt, be pleased to learn that some sisters here have commenced braiding and making their own straw hats. One of them remarked to me, a few days ago, that she knew no reason why the ladies of Utah were not as ca-pable of creating their own fashions as those of Paris. That sister is sensible,

certainly. Yours, CHAS D. EVANS.

The following communication puts different coloring upon the circumstance noticed in yesterday's NEWS under the heading "Nearly Serious." We direct the attention of T. F. Tracey, Esq., to it, satisfied that such a thing would meet his prompt reprobation.

FARMINGTON, DAVIS Co., June 2, 1868.

Editor Descret Evening News:-Dear Sir:-A circumstance happened yester-day, which created a feeling of indigna-tion here. As two of Bro. Lot Smith's boys, about eight or ten years old, were coming down from Weber, both riding the same horse and driving a cow, the stage overtook them on a dugway in. Weber Kanyon; and without giving them a chance to get out of the way, the driver suffered the stage to strike the horse, which knocked it into the river. One boy jumped off in time to save him-self, but the other remained on the horse, which swam the river, but could not find a landing on the other side. The boy, however, got off and let the horse swim back, and then traveled on foot along the other side of the river to the mouth of the kauyon, a distance of two

or three miles. The stage driver still went on, until some of the passengers jumped from the cosch, saw the one boy safe on the other side, and brought the other down to the station.

The water was not very swift where this happened, or both horse and rider would have gone down stream Such outrages as this should come to the notice of the Company, or we may have to record something with a less happy



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still high enough from the East, at least our citizens who have them to pay will think so. The Union thinks the Central Pacific one of the "home institutions"

THERE is every prospect at present of a and determination unparalleled in the history of the nation. Already the columns of the party journals teem with personalities; the Republican papers with eulogies of Grant and Colfax, and their opponents with denunciations of them and their policy. If we believe the papers which advocate their cause, their election will confer blessings unnumbered on the nation; if we believe their opponents, the dismemberment and ruin of the Republic must be the inevitable consequences of their elevation to office. As the Democratic party has not vet selected its candidates for President and Vice-President the fight on their part is confined principally to assailing the Republican nominees. Ere long they will have to assume the defensive, lot of political candidates, and especially those who aspire to the chief offices in lecture on this subject because he was

If we could attach any importance to the report of the New York Herald's special at. Washington, embraced in yesterday's dispatches-which it is very difficult to do-we should conclude that Judge Chase is coquetting with the De-Judge Chase is coquetting with the De-mocrats. His name has been frequently mentioned of late as a probable candi-date for the Chief Magistracy, and the propriety of his being taken up by the propriety of his being taken up by the in Arctic exploration, and considered Democratic party has been agitated in the possession of Alaska a peculiarly many journals. The names of some five fortunate occurrence, as furnishing a prominent Democrats have been many prominent Democrats have been "mentioned in connection with the Presidency. They are the Hon. G. H. Pendlethem: ton, Gen. W. S. Hancock, Gen. G. B. McClellan, Gen. F. B. Blair, jr., and

the for in any sum not less t a California, and got into conversi Gen. Hancock, for it is not probable that Gen. McClellan will be taken up again, and the other two gentlemen, Genera-Blair and Governor Haight, have no enthusiastic supporters outside of their will say that my notocos constinues constinues. I may preter-mit a discussion of them for the present. But as I shall be accessed of a desite to be windicate my brother's claim to have discovered the open cos, or an ambition of my own to ge to the North Pole, I will say that my notocos constinues for the Justice States Court. Chief Justice States whatever, and have no right, to sit on a court martial," After this, I returned to Far West, and ore than one hundred dollars for SEC. 7.— That the Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Regulating Auctioneers then to my home. The same off the state of the state HIDDER AGE WON'S Brought , 1980an Pole, I ally in-Richmond, S.—In the United States Court, Chief Justice Chass. presiding the case of Jeff. Davis was called, and on motion of the counsel for the defense the trial was postponed to the Novem-Blair and Governor Haight, have been will say that my enthusiastic supporters outside of their volves an avoid own States. Gen. Hancock is the choice of the War Democrats. With such a leader they think they can win. The Peace wing of that party leans to Mr. Peace wing of that party leans to Mr. farch 17th, 1860," is hereby repealed SPRINGYILLE, June T, 1868. DANIEL H. WELLS, Mayou H. J. CBOC Editor Desert Baus 37 he and the Chinese CAMPBELL, City Recorder, W8: Salt Lake City, Stor and Tase CLITA Navady they call it, with a vailey on time to time, in which have been building from Springville, Big Field. Three dows last week were devoted to burning drive ber term. L have in ches ano bes 104 ano 11 10 chis fish What have you ever tried in? PUBLIC DINNER TO BURLINGAME. Pendleton. Previous to the Impeach-ment business, President Johnson, it was thought stood an excellent chance steamers we B BCTO New York,-Mr. Burlingame accept-ed the tender of a public dinner from the merchants of New York, June 23. o sere thin the brethren as arepuictive for b of obtaining the nomination as the most Bemoved his Liquers beit from EART TEMPLE STREET to his Brisb-W shurenton the STATE BOAD, two and a half I alles from the City, where he will gestinge to available man the Democrats could select the way of the insects, which were neying northwild in the Given under my hand and SEAL Salt Lake City, the day THE HERALD ON THE REPORT bly jourfor their standard bearer in the Presi- Winter house of which I would set up more them one specimen in the course London. - The Morning Herald com- Many of the explorations. And, from lemons ments on the report of the toyal cont place i dearly learned in the war, at new sys-tem entirely to direct the operations of says the changes recommended are too the de great partich of the august this i dential campaign. Of late we have not einity. and year above men seen his name alluded to in this connecnce in their "last d tail off whitnes no hant the parents tion. refi bits il topation . Il install , Australia ad I am in somern! in T CAMPRELL AleraHOTOHO Gity Reco most then have been plugent key beset at it

"Simultaneously, and if practicable, Far West at 8 ofclock the next mor Gov. Haight. Another very prominent name is that of Gov. Seymour, who is very popular with his party and would doubtless carry his State, New York; but it is reported that he will not suffer his name is that of Gov. Seymour, who is very popular with his party and would doubtless carry his State, New York; but it is reported that he will not suffer his name to be submitted to the Conven-tion. From present appearances it seems as if the case would be narrowed down to the choice between Mr. Pendleton and Gen. Hancock, for it is not probable that Gen. McClellan will be tatzoned for the normal of the most of the most of the most of the most of the second of the convention of wither the submitted to the conven-tion. From present appearances it seems as if the case would be narrowed down to the choice between Mr. Pendleton and Gen. Maclellan will be tatzoned to winds the probable that Gen. McClellan will be tatzoned that the submit be tatzoned to winds the probable that Gen. McClellan will be tatzoned to the convention of the second to the most of the second to the probable that for with the present of the convention of the second to th reets in advertising REGUTATIONes a dilly bella villand Ballibe an coustreed as to prehibit any te of marcury, and the zine is AP Parties residing at BANPETE can secure Sheriff, Constable, or other officer, whose duty shall require him to sell property at public succion, from so do-YARN ALFORT DIRCHANGONT CITY for is carried parpendicularly, but it CASH OF GRAIN! SEC. 6.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance, not otherwise provided for, shall be liable Marble was once strolling alon! distant alba you and the Agent.

that the Senate cannot claim exemption. It also denies that the Supreme Court declared the Senate sitting on impeachment is not a court but only the Senate exercising a certain specific function provided by the Constitution; that the operate to change such character of the Senate, and therefore the Senators, before and after taking it, are equally ac-

BILLS PASSED.

Chandler called up the bill to regulate the foreign coasting trade on the north western coast. Several amendme

HOUSE. OHIO CONTESTED ELECTION CASE. The Ohio contested election case was taken up. After a debate the seat was given to Deland, 80 to 35. He appeared

and request the Speaker to appoint a committee to attend his funeral and to communicate a copy of this resolution to the relatives of the deceased. Woodto the relatives of the deceased. Wood-ward refused to modify by omitting the reference to patriotism and ability, and on motion of Farnsworth the resolution was tabled, 73, to 47. At the evening ression on motion of Blaine the Speaker

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on motion of Farnsworth the resolution was tabled, 73, to 47. At the evening ression on motion of Blaine the Speaker appointed a committee of seven to at-tend the funeral. GENERAL. REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING.

termination. With the exception of this incident nothing disturbs the quietude of our town. The farmers think they will still raise a crop, in spite of the "grasshop-pers," which are "bad" in places. Good health generally prevails. Respectfully, your brother,

OHARLES W. STAYNER.

AN ORDINANCE RECULATING AUCTIONEERS.

SEC. 1 .- Be it ordained by the City Council of Salt Lake City, that no person shall be allowed to sell or expose for sale, by way of vendue or auction, any property, within the limits of this city, without first obtaining a License from said Council for such purpose; for which such person shall pay to the Cor-poration the sum of one per cent. on all goods sold by him, and give Bonds with approved securities, in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, conditioned for the faithful and due performance of all duties as herein required, which bonds shall be approved by and filed with the City Recorder.

SEC. 2.—That all Auctioneers so li-censed, shall receive all articles which they may be required to sell at auction, giving receipts for the same; and on the close of any sale shall deliver a fair account of the same, and pay the amount thereof to the person or persons entitled thereto, deducting therefrom a com-mission not to exceed ten per cent. on the amount of sales

or affirmation, and exhibit to the City Recorder his books of sales, when re-quired so to do by said Recorder; and should any Auctioneer neglect or refuse night. Among some beef cattle in a yard I saw a yoke of oxen which be-longed to his father, and asked him why he did not turn them out but he thought is unsure to do so. I watched be liable to pay a fine in any sum not less than ten, nor more than one hun-dred dollars for each offense.

SEC. 4.-All Auctioneers are hereby forbidden to sell, or expose for sale, any kind of property so near the streets as or to use immoral or in or to make noisy accla

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