American Union.

DENTON, MARYLAND:

THURSDAY MORNING:::::December 9, 1869.

THE second session of the Forty-first Congress assembled at noon on Monday, a quorum being present in both houses. Our report ends with the first day, and only the usual preliminaries had then been gone through with. A number of bills were introduced, but no action was taken upon them.

AN exchange very truthfully remarks that whether the people will it or not, a local paper is their representative abroad, their embassador in foreign parts, by which they must be judged. Let them, then take a patriotic interest in giving it news, co-operation and patronage. Like every other duty performed, it will be their gain in the long run.

POSTMASTER GENERAL CRESWELL will earnestly recommend the abolition of the franking privilege in his forthcoming annual message. And we trust his suggestions will meet with the approval of Congress, inasmuch as the franking privilege has dwindled into a machine for the extension of swindlers and the flooding the country with documents, the uselessness of which is plainly apparent to any thinking mind.

THE BEADLY-FISHER difficulty has finally reached a culmination. It will be remembered that in the Surratt trial Bradley made use of contemptuous language towards the Court, for which he was expelled from the bar by a decree of Judge Fisher. Bradley then instituted proceedings to recover from Fisher an equivalent for the alleged injury wrought by his dismissal, but the Supreme Court, to which the case was carried on appeal, has sustained the defendant (Fisher) in his plea that the order was made in the line of his duty. Bradley, therefore, recovers nothing.

AN INDICATION of what is to be the line of policy of the Democrats during the present session of Congress has been heralded from Washington. It is not dissimilar to the policy pursued by the Democrats at previous sessions, its main feature being antagonism to any and all measures calculated to benefit the people. This has been its cohesive power for years, and upon this it has wholly subsisted. Repudiation is to be openly advocated, and we are told that Andy Johnson has taken up his winter quarters in Washington to give the measure his advocacy and support. The Administration is also to be attacked, notwithstanding it has been promotive of the public weal from its very inception. But let it go on—let Democracy give a full and free manifestation of its real principles and designs. The sooner will the people learn to eschew it as a great evil, and at variance with national progress.

The President's Message.

The first message of President Grant to the Congress of the United States is before the public. We have barely room to indicate its leading features; but must say it is an able document, concise in its comprehension of our national affairs, and abounds in wisdom, and if Congress will but give ear to the recommendations of the President we shall soon be far advanced on the road to tranquility and wealth.

After congratulating Congress upon the innumerable blessings which we as a nation enjoy, the President reviews the work of reconstruction, and takes a satisfactory view of its accomplishment thus far. He asserts the Georgia Legislature has violated the Constitution of the State, and suggests the passage of a law authorizing the convening of the members originally elected to the Legislature, requiring each to take the prescribed oath, and admitting none who are ineligible under the XIVth amendment. Virginia, he thinks, has fully complied with the Reconstruction acts, and recommends the readmission of the State into the Union.

The President takes a very comprehensive view of our financial affairs, and deems that efforts should at once be made to return to specie payments, but counsels against great haste and indiscretion. Immediate resumption is neither practicable nor desirable.—His method is to authorize the Treasury to redeem its paper at a fixed price, whenever presented, and to withhold from circulation all currency so redeemed until sold again for gold. Our bonded debt now due he believes can be replaced by bonds bearing but four and a half per cent. interest, and the whole debt finally placed at its low rate of interest, with the understanding that the interest due upon the part of it held abroad will be paid at either of the three or four money centres of Europe.

The revolution in Cuba is considered, but the President expresses the opinion that the contest of Spain with her colony has not, at any time, assumed the conditions of a war in the sense of international law, or which show the existence of a *de facto* political organization of the insurgents sufficient to justify their recognition as beligerents. The Alabama claims are referred to as the only serious complication in our foreign affairs, and the belief is entertained that it is better not now to attempt a renewal of the negotiations. He approves the rejection of the Johnson-Clarenden treaty by the Senate.

The message concludes with a number of recommendations upon many important topics, among them the repeal of the Civil Tenure law, and the statement that Congress, in its patriotism and wisdom, will adopt such measures as will be the most conducive to the interests of the whole people. As for himself, he promises a strict adherence to the laws.

THE claiming of towns on the Peninsula appears to be alarmingly on the increase.—The latest town laid claim to is Centreville, Queen Anne's county, and its would-be possessor is a colored man, who represents himself as the heir of Jacob Hambleton. It appears that some years ago two colored men owned the ground in common, and the Sheriff sold the whole of it for the debts of one of the owners. The claimant alleges that he is the heir of the other proprietor and that half the land legally now belongs to him.

IT SEEMS that our statement that Governor Bowie had refused to pardon Snitcher was a little premature. He has since received executive clemency, and is now at liberty to enjoy his fortune. Upon what grounds his pardon was granted has not transpired, but we suppose money was at the bottom of it. He was caught in the act of stealing, was duly sentenced, and no considerations other than the fulfillment of the sentence should have turned him loose upon society. Money will not restrain a man from pursuing his evil propensities; and we cannot but regard this action of the Governor as unwise and the foundation of a precedent which will ultimate in no good to the State.

Letter from Federalsburg.

FEDERALSBURG, Dec. 6, 1869.

Mr. Editor :—

Having a leisure hour this stormy evening, we feel tempted to pen a line for your columns. Since "Benevolence" ceased writing for your paper, we rarely ever see anything from our quiet village. We are not entirely in *statu quo*, however, though but little is said about us in the *papers*, except when "Rambler," of the *Tribune*, or some other looks in on us for a moment while the train stops and gives us a puff.

We have daily communication now, each way, with both Philadelphia and Baltimore, and the shrill whistle of the locomotive, twice daily, reminds us that the "great civilizer" is in our midst; and that the rumbling stage coach, which has been passing through our town, making daily trips from Cambridge to Bridgeville for many years, is now among the things of the past.

Quite a neat and commodious station-house, for both passengers and freight, is about being completed by the Railroad Company—the work having been done under the supervision of Mr. Samuel H. Fluharty, of this town.

Mr. Martin L. Smith has been appointed mail messenger between the post office and the depot at a salary of $48 per annum.

Your paper, judging from the number of subscribers here, is well received; and to encourage you in your arduous labors as a journalist let me whisper in your ear a little conversation that I had with a citizen of New York a few days since. Though confidential, he will excuse me, I hope, when he reads this article.—This gentleman told me that he was in the habit of reading newspapers weekly from nearly every county on this shore, and he was forced to this conclusion—that the most ably edited paper among them was a paper published in Denton called THE AMERICAN UNION. The only objection he had to it was that, he thought, when you commenced the publication of an interesting story, you should conclude it, and not refer your readers to the New York *Ledger* for its conclusion. I believe I heard some complaints of that kind in this locality—'tis hard to suit everybody. More anon.

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[The story spoken of was not one of our own selection, but was an advertisement of the N. Y. *Ledger*, and as such will be paid for. It is the fashion now-a-days to advertise in the most attractive manner, and this is Mr. Bonner's peculiar method.—ED.]

HORRIBLE AFFAIR—A FATHER SHOOTS HIS SON.—As already stated, Major McCurdy, of Cardington, Ohio, shot his son Thomas McCurdy, last Thursday, and killed him almost instantly. The Columbus Statesman says:

It seems that the son who was killed was born of the Major's first wife, and that he now is married to a third wife of most reputable character. Suspicions were aroused as to his fidelity to his wife. The son, sympathizing with his wronged stepmother, incurred the Major's displeasure. The matter culminated in a quarrel on Thursday, which resulted in a fight at the breakfast table after the old gentleman had asked a blessing.—During the day he threatened to kill his son. Deeming it unsafe to live any longer with the family, Thomas left home with the intention of removing to Fort Wayne. Desiring to get some clothes which were left in his father's clothing store, he, fearing to enter, requested some of the neighbors to get them for him, alleging that his father had declared murderous intentions. No one seeming desirous of getting into trouble, he went to the store in person. The old man ordered him out. He remained firmly on the door step or sill, whereupon his father took a Smith and Wesson's revolver from a drawer, advanced to the door, and immediately fired. The ball entered about six inches below the chin, cut the wind-pipe, and severed one of the arteries leading to the heart, causing death in ten minutes. Great excitement prevailed, and there was considerable danger of lynching the hoary-headed murderer on the spot.

ANOTHER HORRIBLE DEATH FROM COAL OIL.—A shocking case of burning took place in the lower section of our city on Thursday evening from the effects of which a poor girl lost her life. Mrs. Parady who lives in Buttonwood street, went out after supper, leaving the house in charge of her daughter Ida, who was about fifteen years old, but a lame cripple. In a short time after Ida lit the lamp and attempted to reach over some clothes that were hanging around the stove, to put it on the mantel, when the lamp fell on the stove, exploded, and set fire to the clothes. In attempting to put out the fire it was communicated to her own garments, and she was soon in flames. In her fright she ran screaming to the door, which was locked; when she got it open she fell on the pavement a mass of flames. Her younger sister rendered what assistance she could, and was also burned on the hands, other assistance came in time to extinguish the flames, which were just reaching the covering of a babe in the cradle. But the fire fiend had done its work upon Ida. All the hair was burned from her head; her face, hands and stomach were horribly burned.—Death put an end to her terrible suffering on Friday morning. Thus another victim has fallen.—*Wilm. (Del.) Gazette.*

PENINSULAR JOTTINGS.

KENT COUNTY, MD.

—W. T. Hepbron has been elected President of the Board of County Commissioners, and Jno. Russell re-elected clerk.

—Salem M. E. Sabbath School at Belair will give an exhibition on or about Christmas eve.

—Pork is selling at from $10 to $13 per cwt.

QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY.

—The *Crumptonian* will be discontinued on the 17th.

—A new town has been laid off at Deep Landing wharf. This is not the only town laid out on paper.

—It is now positively announced that Gov. Bowie has pardoned the cattle-thief Snitcher.

—The school-house at Roesville was burned to the ground on Friday.

SUSSEX COUNTY.

—Nathaniel Hearn, of Laurel, died on Wednesday. Mr. H. was one of the wealthy men of the county, and for many years a prominent business man of Laurel.

—The Red Mill, near Lewes, owned by John H. Paynter, Esq., has been thoroughly repaired and is now in good running order.

—A head of cabbage measuring sixteen feet around it was grown by George Smithers of Frederica the present season.

CECIL COUNTY.

—A negro boy escaped from the Elkton jail on Friday week, but was recaptured before he had proceeded far.

—Capt. Lawrence, foreman in Armstrong's stone quarry, died suddenly last week.

—The will of the late Dr. Jno. Gilpin is to be contested.

—The Wilmington District Preacher's Association meets in Elkton on the 13th.

—Another meeting, in behalf of the Elkton & Massey's Railroad, will be held in Elkton on the 14th.

Protracted meetings are in progress at the M. E. churches of Elkton, Cherry Hill, Union and North East.

WORCESTER COUNTY.

—Rev. Charles Beach has been appointed principal in the high school at Snow Hill.

—Eben Allen, an old colored man, died in Snow Hill last week aged 103 years. He had blacked General Washington's boots often and remembered many incidents connected with the Revolution.

—The store and dwelling of Jas. A. Phillips, and the stores of Whope & Co., Polk & Co., and Geo. Humphreys, at Forktown, were consumed by fire on Friday night week.

—A negro man attempted to commit a rape upon a white girl near Snow Hill last week, but was prevented from committing the deed by her heroic struggles.

—Z. P. Wharton has been appointed postmaster at Lindseyville.

KENT COUNTY, DEL.

—The post office in Felton was entered one evening last week, and several watches were stolen. The deputy postmaster is a watch maker.

—Messrs. Charles Denny and John F. Saulsbury, while riding near Canterbury on Thursday were seriously injured by the running away of a span of horses belonging to Mr. Denney.

—Reuben P. Butler, alias Hicks, was lodged in Dover jail on Sunday night for breaking into the store of James Moore, at Moorton, the same night.

—John C. Pennewill, Esq. of Dover, had slaughtered, on Tuesday, two hogs weighing 580 and 514 pounds.

—A hook and ladder company was organized in Dover last week.

NEW CASTLE COUNTY.

—The Citizens National Bank of Middletown was robbed of nearly $20,000 on Thursday night last.

—The two colored men, Joshua Jones and Lewis Carpenter, convicted of rape, at New Castle, Del., have been sentenced to the penalty of death, by hanging on the 4th of February.

The locomotive first passed over the Railroad bridge at Birdsboro on Thursday last.

—James Towns, Jr., of Port Penn, whilst looking at some muskrat traps in a ditch was seized with a fit and falling into the ditch was drowned.

—A history of Delaware that has been in course of preparation for 16 years will shortly be published. The author is Francis Vincent, of Wilmington.

—The bigamist Dougherty was sentenced to pay a fine of $2,000 and the costs in the case, and be imprisoned one year.

TALBOT COUNTY.

—During the last quarter, which is said to have been the dullest in the year, 89,128 letters were received at the Easton post office against 69,884 sent off.

—The post office at Skipton has been discontinued. Mail matter for that neighborhood should now be sent to Wye Mills.

—Robt. M. Harrison, a native of Talbot co., died in Washington on Wednesday last, aged 77 years.

—The Circuit Court adjourned on Thursday last, after a sixteen day's session.

—The flesh of four hogs, recently killed near St. Michaels, was found to be full of worms.—This is something singular.

—Two pungies—the War Eagle and the Humming Bird—were captured by the oyster police force last week for violating the oyster law, and fined $150 each. Three other boats made good their escape.

—A stalk of cabbage having upon it 22 heads was raised by Mrs. Adaline Fairbank, near St. Michaels.

—A colored boy was convicted in the Talbot court for forgery—the first case of the kind ever known in the county.

LOVE AND DEATH IN ALBANY.—The Albany *Knickerbocker* says: "A well known young widow was found at the cemetery in the wests bounds of Albany. Her husband recently died, and so deeply had she mourned his loss that her friends began to feel that her mind was disordered. About 1 o'clock on Tuesday night she was missed from her home. Her friends, thinking she had gone to the cemetery, pursued their way thither, and strange to say, there they found the unfortunate woman prostrate upon the grave of her husband, praying and crying, and almost perished from cold. She resisted all efforts to remove her by persuasion, and it was only by force that she was compelled to relinquish her position at the grave of her departed husband and protector. Her attachment was apparently stronger in death than in life, for her poor mind had become disordered, almost hopelessly."

P. O. DEPARTMENT.—In accordance with a purpose some time ago announced, on account of ill health, and private duties, Hon. George Earl, 1st Assistant Postmaster General, has resigned his position.

The President has appointed, as his successor, Hon. James W. Marshall, of Boundbrook, New Jersey, who has entered upon his duties Mr. Earle has been a faithful and efficient officer, and retires with the kindly feelings of all with whom his duties brought him in contact.

—A "young and pretty lady, arrayed in black," is visiting the concert saloons in New Orleans for the purpose of reforming the visitors thereto. She exhorts and sings hymns.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

—Victor Emmanuel's illness is of the lungs.

—North Carolina has a nine years old orator.

—The snow is twenty inches deep in Michigan.

—A large emigration is going through New Orleans to Texas.

—A man in Kentucky, named Goodman, has thirty-three sons.

—A Chicago lady recently killed herself to escape the toothache.

—A woman in New York has cleared $35,000 by picking pockets.

—Seven inches of snow fell in Wyoming Territory on Sunday night.

—Paris, it is estimated, constantly contains an average of 150,000 strangers.

—A man advertises for a situation:—"Work not so much an object as good wages."

—Young Gordon Bennett, and Senator Chandler, arrived at New York, on Thursday from Europe.

—President Grant and Mr. Seward are to receive rings made of the "last spike" of the Pacific Railroad.

The New York Herald calls the Women's Right Convention at Cleveland the "pantalunatic parliament."

—Grace Darling's brother William, who succeeded his father as keeper of the Longstone Island light, has just died.

—Red Wing, Minnessota, is named after a defunct Dakota chief named Fihoo-pa-hoodoo-ta, signifying Wing of Scarlet.

—There are seven "Misses Collins" in one family in Claibourne county, Tenn. The smallest of them weighs 240 pounds.

—A Wayne county, (Indiana,) farmer recently had a corn husking, and charged his guests 25 cents each for their suppers.

—The New Orleans Times says that Gen. Twiggs was for many years the wealthiest general officer in the United States Army.

—The City of Brussels, the new Inman steamer, made her last trip across the ocean from Queenstown to New York in nine days.

—A young lady, 18 years of age, died recently at Baltimore of hydrophobia produced by the bite of a dog nearly two years previous.

—Cows have been stolen near Racine lately, and the Journal says that "these chaps will keep on fooling till somebody gets hung."

—The National Intelligencer has been purchased by Elexander Delmar, who will today announce himself editor and publisher of that paper.

—A French advertisement: "A Young Man about to mary, wishes to meet a man of experience, who will dissuade him from the rash step."

—A Paris correspondent who met John P. Hale at Minister Washburn's reception, says the ex-Minister to Spain appears very much broken by years and work. He is but the shadow of his former self in physical appearance, but still retains his humor and spirit.

Marrige on a Railway Train.

Yesterday a victim of misplaced confidence who knew not whether she was married or single, told the story to the police—an interesting young lady, eighteen or twenty years of age, who has been carrying on a millinery establishment at Rolla. Some six months ago the pleasant milliner and Charles Johnson became acquainted, and gradually the acquaintance merged into friendship, and then ripend into love. He proposed a trip to St, Louis to have the ceremony performed, and she acquiesced, and they left Rolla on Thursday last. On the trip it appears he prevailed upon her to have the ceremony performed, and a stranger to her, while on the cars, went through the marriage ceremony in rather a bungling manner. Who the extempore parson or magistrate was, or where he came from, the confiding milliner did not know. She thought it, however, all right, and as it was not only a little pecuniary saving but a convenience to her husband, so-called, she was satisfied. Arriving here, they took rooms at the Clarendon, and registering of course as man and wife, were assigned a comfortable room. Yesterday morning the groom, so-called, arose early, telling the bride, so-called, to rest awhile longer, as he would take a short walk and return in a few minutes. Minutes merged into hours, and Charley did not return. It finally occurred to her that her pocket book, containe one hundred dollars in greenbacks, the accumulation of much labor with the needle, and her fine gold watch were in the possession of her vanished lover. The poor girl then began to realize that she had been imposed upon, and that her money and her honor were at the mercy of a stranger. The police could not help her.—*St. Louis Republican.*

THE LINCOLN MONUMENT.—The committee on design for the Lincoln monument to be erected at Broad street and Girard avenue, Philadelphia, have received a letter from the artist, Mr. Randolph Rogers, in which it is stated that the statue left his studio in Rome for Munich in May last but the work of casting goes on slowly in consequence of the care required with the model. The pediment, which is of Quincy granite, has been completed by Struthers & Sons. It is 18 feet high, and 16 by 18 feet at the base. The die is paneled, and each panel will bear an inscription. There will also be an extra base of hammered granite, making the total height of the monument about thirty feet. The statue represents the President in a sitting position, in the act of signing the emancipation proclamation. The height of the statue is nine and one-half feet.—*Ledger.*

AN OUTRAGE.—One day last week, as Captain Wm. Armstrong, a conductor on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, was going through his train he came across a man who had no ticket, and who refused to pay his fare. Of course he put the fellow off. On Friday last he saw the same man on the train, and just as they reached Ponnboro' the man followed Capt. Armstrong to the door of an emigrant car, and, striking him with a pair of brass knuckles, knocked him senseless. Capt. Armstrong was very severely cut on the jaw and side of the face with the cruel and cowardly weapon. The ruffian who committed the outrage jumped from the cars and escaped.—*Wheeling Register.*

BUFFALOES.—A correspndent of the Leavenworth (Kansas) *Times and Conservative*, writing from Hayes City, on the 16th, says:

The buffalo migration south has hardly commenced yet. Sometimes a herd eighty miles wide crosses the railroad, thus showing that the race of buffaloes is not dying out very rapidly, and that the sixty thousand roving Indians on the Plains will not want for steaks or roasts [illegible] come.

A SINGULAR CASE.—On Monday night, at a late hour, a young woman was arrested in consequence of having been in possession of a diamond ring, said to be worth $150, and and a plain gold ring, valued at $10. It is alleged that for sometime the lady has been receiving the attentions of a young man to whom she engaged herself in marriage, and, as a pledge of his affection he presented her with the rings in question. The father of the young man heard of the contemplated marriage, which excited his wrath, and he laid his plans to prevent it, if possible. He became aware of the fact that the rings had been presented to the young lady by his son, and he caused her arrest. There was no charge of offense against the laws preferred against her, and she was of course, discharged after the rings were obtained. The articles were detained at the detective office for safe keeping.—*Balto. Sun.*

THE census of 1870 will show but little increase in the population of New England, while the West has grown so rapidly in the citizen-planting business as to secure the political power from the East. The Southern States have had their population increased nearly two millions of colored men. The number of representatives to which the States are entitled in Congress is 241, and this upon the basis of one representative to every 127,000 inhabitants. It is now estimated that census of 1870 will show a population not much short of forty millions of inhabitants. With the numbers of representatives therefore at 241, it will increase the ratio of representation for each representative from 127,000 to 161,000 inhabitants, and the power will go with the population.

FIVE YEARS LONGER.—The law of Virginia adds five years to the term of every convict to the penitentiary sent a second time. Lewis Nickens, from Alexandria, Va., lately came under this provision and had the five years added.

LARGE quantities of the German grapes were not gathered this year until the vines were covered with snow.

The Markets.

CORRECTED WEEKLY

By F. E. MARINE, Commission Merchant, *No. 53 W. Pratt St., Baltimore.*

BALTIMORE, December, 6, 1869.

GRAIN—		
Wheat—white, choice	per bu.	145@150
prime	" "	135@140
fair to good	" "	125@135
red, choice new	" "	130@135
prime	" "	120@130
Corn—white, good to prime	" "	83@ 92
yellow " "	" "	85@ 94
Rye—good to prime	" "	95@108
Oats—common to prime	" "	56@ 58
EGGS AND POULTRY—		
Eastern Eggs	per doz.	38@ 40
Chickens, old	" "	40@500
" young	" "	225@300
Geese	per piece	75@90
Turkeys	"	90@125
DRIED FRUIT—		
Peaches, peeled, bright	per lb	14@16
" unpeeled, ½s	"	6@ 7
" " ⅛s	"	8@ 9
Apples, bright, sliced	"	7@ 9
BEESWAX—		
prime	per lb.	35@ 38
FEATHERS—		
Eastern Geese	per lb.	75@ 80
HIDES AND SKINS—		
Country Dry	per lb.	16@ 18
" Green	" "	8@ 9
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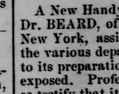
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