



THE Senate has passed a bill which looks to the legalization of speed trials at county or other fairs...

EX-PRESIDENT Grant is to write a book "A history of his services in the Union Army, as well as in the position which he afterward held as Chief Magistrate of the nation."

THE Republican members of the South Carolina Legislature recognized Hampton's title as Governor on Tuesday by putting in their appearance at the called session.

THE Chicago Inter-Ocean has evidently discovered that cloud in the sky no bigger than a man's hand...

PACKARD fired his parting salute on Wednesday, the fifteenth anniversary of the surrender of New Orleans to the forces of the United States...

ALEXANDER, Czar of Russia, formally declared war against Turkey on the 23rd inst. We don't take any stock in a long or general war...

A Tax Commission. In the Senate on Monday the following joint resolution, introduced by Senator Williams, was nearly unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It is deemed important that the laws for the assessment and collection of taxes in this State should be carefully investigated with the view of effecting such radical changes and modifications as may seem desirable...

ON MONDAY the Senate passed House bill No. 238, "A bill to provide for the consolidation of the Young Men's Society of Lansing and the Lansing Library and Literary Association of Lansing into one corporation..."

DANIEL G. LANE, lately a resident of the West Indies but about to settle in Crawford County, Iowa, has written to the Council Bluffs Globe advising farmers to plant two grains of flax seed in each hill of potatoes...

THE Boston Traveller advises Packard to "stick." It says: "He has rights which were insured by the same authority as the President's rights..."

THE Ypsilanti Commercial is thoroughly disgusted with Hayes and his "policy." He was "a policy candidate" was "the very hardest man in reality to elect..."

THE UNIVERSITY IN THE LEGISLATURE.—Lansing advises say that the House Committee on the University was to report yesterday, recommending the following appropriations for 1877 and 1878:

THE ROBERTS.—Pursuant to the following request, handed to Dr. Angell on the evening of the 19th inst. he has, as we understand, called a special meeting of the Board of Regents for Tuesday evening next, May 1:

THE UNDERSIGNED Regents, in view of the best interests of the University and with an earnest desire to secure harmony with the Legislature in the matter of just and necessary appropriations, ask that a meeting of the Regents be called at the earliest day practicable...

THE "Tone" of the request certainly indicates that the signing Regents recognize the Legislature as master of the situation and are ready to "secure harmony" on any terms.

LOVEJOY'S BOND.—The City Attorney exhibited to us a few days ago the bond of Recorder Lovejoy, for his first term, given in the sum of \$500, with Henry S. Dean as surety.

BEN WADE ON THE WAR-PATH.—The following letter from Ben Wade will be balm to the wounded soul of Wendell Phillips and "sich":

MR. U. H. PAINTER, Washington, D. C.: My DEAR SIR.—Your letter of the 5th was duly received. You ask whether I remember what I said in favor of President Hayes in my endeavor to procure his nomination at the Cincinnati Convention.

A resolution favoring a uniformity of textbooks, and promising our influence in that direction, was unanimously adopted.

Real Estate Sales. James Morgan to Franklin B. Green, the northeast quarter of section 14, and a part of the southeast quarter of section 11, Pittsfield. \$15,000.

DEPT.—In this city on the 24th inst. of lung fever, MARIE WILSON, youngest child of Prof. P. H. and Hannah W. De Pont, aged 2 years 4 months, 20 days.

REPORT of the condition of the First National Bank of Ann Arbor at Ann Arbor, in the State of Michigan, at the close of business, April 14, 1877.

ASSETS.—Loans and Discounts, \$851,232.36; U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, 105,000.00; Other stocks, bonds and mortgages, 12,500.00; Due from approved Reserve Agents, 17,622.51; Due from State Banks, 9,641.01; Real Estate, furniture and fixtures, 19,000.00; Current expenses and taxes paid, 1,282.51; Checks and other cash items, 717.72; Bills of other National Banks, 1,941.00; Fractional currency (including nickels), 497.77; Specie (including gold Treasury notes), 1,620.00; Legal tender notes, 28,282.00; Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation), 4,725.00; LIABILITIES.—Capital stock paid in, \$150,000.00; Surplus fund, 30,000.00; Undivided profits, 20,214.00; National bank notes outstanding, 93,800.00; Individual deposits, \$105,147.70; Demand certificates of deposit, 143,003.47; Due to other National Banks, 831.56; Notes and bills re-discounted, \$124.90; STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, I, J. W. KNIGHT, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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THE NEWS CONDENSED.

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THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK.

Financial Failures for the First Quarter. [From the New York Tribune.] The circular of Dun, Barlow & Co., stating the number of failures and amount of liabilities for the first quarter of 1877, is not unusual...

EUROPE A VAST CAMP.

The Military Expenses of Six Great Nations—What it Costs to Keep Six Soldiers. A short essay, entitled "The Question of Money," has been prepared by M. de Girardin...

THE GREAT GUNS OF TURKEY.

An English paper says: "The Castle of Asia, on the Dardanelles, it seems, still boasts the biggest guns in the universe. Of greater caliber than our own, they are of the type of the old ordnance of the Italians, the old bronze ordnance of the Turks...

TURKEY'S OFFENSE.

A glance at the map shows that the Ottoman must depend chiefly on the Balkan mountains. They can hold the Danube temporarily, but there is no fortified town on its banks which the Russian cannot hold...

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THE EFFECTS OF A EUROPEAN WAR.

The effects of a European war on the habits of study in the public schools are not to be despised. The results for the other two classes, the 75 per cent. near-sighted, and the 25 per cent. emmetropic, are as follows...

A BRITISH GIRL.

Emily Bronie, author of "Wandering Heids," died in the famous Chagelotte, possessed extraordinary talents. She was a fair, intelligent, and accomplished woman...

NATIONAL BANKS WHOSE NOTES HAVE BEEN COUNTERFEITED.

It is ascertained that the National Bank Redemption Agency that the following list of banks whose notes have been counterfeited...

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There is a list of all the prominent candidates thus far spoken of for Judge Davis' place on the Supreme Court: Senator Timothy O. Howe, of Wisconsin; Circuit Judge Woods, of the Fifth Circuit; Chief Justice Dr. H. H. Hall, of Illinois; Gen. B. H. Bristol, of Kentucky; Senator Isaac C. Christiancy, of Michigan; Samuel F. Rice, of Alabama; Judge Hawkins, of the Hon. H. H. Smith, of Tennessee; the Hon. H. C. Caldwell, of Arkansas; Judge B. H. Hughes, of West Virginia; and Judge D. A. Walker, of Georgia.

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