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The News Condensed.

Important Intelligence From All Parts.

CONGRESSIONAL-Regular Session.

On the 6th there was no session of the senate in the house the democrats were unable to secure a quorum and no business was transact-A resolution was adopted ordering the ar

rest of absentees. In the senate on the 8th the Hawaiian question was discussed and Senator Frye (Me) made an attempt to secure a vote on his reso lution declaring against American interference at Hawaii, but it was objected to In the house a quorum was secured and after adopting a rule fixing January 25 for a vote on the Wils bill the tariff debate was opened and Mr. Wilson (Va.) spoke in support of the measure.

ON the 9th the house bill for the repeal of the federal elections law was brought up in the senate, but action was postponed till Monday next ... In the house Mr. Wilson (Va.) finished his speech in favor of the tariff bill and Mr. Burrows (Mich.) spoke against the measure. In the house a favorable report was made on the resolution offered by Mr. Boutelle (Me.) calling upon the secretary of the navy to inform the house by what authority instructions were ing the naval forces under the or ders of Minister Blownt, and to furnish copie of all orders or suggestions issued by himself or any officer of the navy since March 4, 1893, con-erning the naval forces at the Hawaiian

THE time in the senate on the 10th was occupled in discussing the resolution declaring against any moral or physical interference in Hawaii pending the conclusion of the senatorial investigation, but no action was taken ... In the house the tariff bill was further discussed and Mr. Johnson (dem , O.) attacked the demo-crats for the timid manner in which they had handled the tariff question and charged them with cowardice all along the line. Mr. Dalzell (dem. Pa.) made a speech in defense of the

THE senate further discussed the Hawaiian matter on the 11th and the minority report of the committee on privileges and elections on the bill to repeal the federal election laws was presented... In the house the time was occu-pied in discussing the tariff bill. Speeches were limited to one hour and many members took part in the debate.

DOMESTIC.

THE Albany theater at Albany, N. Y., was destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$125,000.

THE village of Pocahontas, Ark., was wined out by fire.

MAJ. W. B. MOORE, a pension claim agent at Buffalo, N. Y., was arrested for issuing illegal vouchers for a large

A RICH deposit of gold was discovered in the heart of Elwood, Ind., by work-

THREE masked men held up a passenger train near Vicksburg, Miss., but were scared off before securing anything.

injured by an explosion in a powder mill near Poughkeepsie, N. Y. MRS. ROUSE and her demented daugh-

Four men were killed and a number

ter were burned to death in their bed at New Richmond, Mich.

MRS. JANE SHATTUCK killed her daughter's lover in San Francisco because he refused to marry her at once. NEAR Harrodsburg, Ky., white caps killed Joshua Mitchell, gave Breck Bottoms fifty lashes and warned many

A Polish mother in Pittsburgh, Pa., smothered her twin babies by wrapping the blankets too tightly about them.

MAUD WINFIELD and Lottie Drophy, two Brooklyn girls, fought a duel over a young man and Lottie was fatally

THE 214-year-old child of Louis Matier, of Pittsburgh, Pa, died from the

effects of an assault by John Campbell, who was in jail. FUNERAL services for Elizabeth Palmer Peabody, founder of the kinder-

garten in America, were held at Bos-CHINAMEN at San Francisco tore down

government notices of registration and posted warnings. PETER HART (colored), a wealthy

seventy-six children. While a slave he had thirteen masters.

EDWARD KING, his wife and 7-year-Mo., for passing counterfeit money. THE courthouse and records were

burned at Aurora, Neb. Gov. Lewelling was said to be in danger of assassination at the hands of breaking in two.

Kansas cranks. THE fiftieth anniversary of the

founding of the Grand Lodge of Masons in Iowa was celebrated in Dubuque. THE government crop report for 1893

shows a yield of 396,000,000 bushels of stone at Somerset, Pa. wheat, 1,619,000,000 bushels of corn, 638,854,850 bushels of oats, 26,555,446 bushels of rye, 69,869,495 bushels of Binnicker. barley, 12,132,311 bushels of buckwheat, 183,084,203 bushels of potatoes, 483,023,963 pounds of tobacco and 65,-766,158 tons of hay.

J. FRAZER was under arrest at Tamlittle girls, and lynching was threat- | 1875 unless congress enacts new legis-

Six Louisville undertakers were sued | Sherman Wagoner, a wife murderfor \$25,000 damages because they er, was lynched by a mob near Mitchrefused a burial until a bill due one of ell, Ind. them was paid.

ris Lakalske says he was led to the Woodward, Ala. altar blindfolded when he was but 15 years old.

of Riverside, O., who has been missing | ceedings. for a week, is \$15,000 short in his ac

counts. The furniture plant at Sheboygan, Wis., of the Halstead Manufacturing

company was burned, the loss being ed Fowler, Cal., robbed several men, THREE men entered the pawnshop of

at \$10,000.

HENRY SANKE and his wife were from Marrietta, O. He was a wealthy City bank at Atlanta, Ga. farmer, his family consisting of himself, wife and one son.

THE business portion of Pocahontas, Ark., the county seat of Randolph that Sunday theaters could not be opercounty, was burned.

THE unusually cold weather in southern California seriously damaged the

orange and lemon crop. FIRE destroyed the Casino, Music hall and Peristyle on the world's fair grounds and damaged the Manufactures building. One fireman was killed and another fatally injured. Many exhibits awaiting removal were burned, and the total loss was estimated at about \$1 .-000,000. The flames were thought to have been of incendiary origin.

A bozen persons were poisoned, some fatally, by eating ham and eggs in a St. Louis hotel. THE Citizens' bank at Ogden, Utah,

closed its doors. Its capital was \$150,-SAM SMITH. a negro, was lynched near Greenville, Ala. He had shot and

fatally wounded E. L. Harrison, who was attempting his arrest. THE best portion of Bellevue, Mich., was swept by a fire that did damage to

the extent of \$100,000. Ir was alleged at New Orleans that the Louisiana anti-lottery law had been found defective and would not stand a

test in court. THE Mingo Mountain Coal & Coke company at Louisville went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of

MAUD DAVIS, a 5-year-old girl in St. Louis, died of hydrophobia in horrible convulsions and spasms. She was bitten by a pet dog two years ago.

THE bank at Port Washington, Wis. O. D. Bjorquist & Son, proprietors, discontinued business. ARCADIA, Kan., a town of about 2,000

inhabitants, was almost destroyed by A BABY 2 months old was offered for sale in the east market at Indianapolis

by a woman with whom it had been left. In St. Louis Western Union Building and Loan associations Nos. 2, 3, 4 and 5 were placed in the hands of assignees. To TEST the Florida law the Duval Athletic club has arranged a prize

place shortly. In a Buffalo hotel John L. Sullivan was knocked out by his wife with an Indian club. He was unconscious for

fight between two negroes to take

an hour. WILLIAM H. CURTISS, once a well-todo real esta te dealer in Buffalo, N. Y., shot his w fe and eldest daughter fatally while insane.

C. SCHAPFLIN & Co., Plainfield (N. J. clothing manufacturers, assigned, with liabilities of \$179,548.

FIRE in the McShane bell foundry in Baltimore destroyed patterns valued at \$200,000, together with \$15,000 worth of mainder. machinery.

W. T. BEEK & Co., commission merchants in San San Francisco, failed for

CHARLES BENNETT, the famous

catcher of the Boston baseball club, was run over by a train at Wellsville, Kan., and had both legs cut off. An Elmwood (Ind.) man found \$85

ad bought at his grocer's.

bank of Philadelphia, confessed to tempted it would be put down. stealing \$47,000. THE factory of the Starr Piano com-

by fire, the loss being \$100,000. Five men held up a fast train near

and mail cars. A large sum was secured. THE midwinter fair will be formally opened in San Francisco on Saturday,

January 27. stage between Bowie and Solomon-

ville, Ari, and secured \$800. Colorado's legislature met in extra ession at Denver and listened to Gov. Waite's message, which the senate de-

clined to print. THE dock of the Alabama Coal & Coke company in Jacksonville, Fla., collapsed, killing three men and fatally

injuring another A NEW order, known as the Ancient Order of Loyal Americans, was formed farmer, died near Moberly, Mo. He at Lansing, Mich. The members are had records that showed he was 103 required to labor against any foreign years of age and was the father of influence in the affairs of the nation, either political or religious, to break down trusts and to promote liberty. None but native-born Americans can old son were arrested at Springfield, join. January 22 is set as the day on which the order is to be instituted in

all the various states of the union. Six men were injured in a train wreck near Grinnell, Ia., caused by a car

SPRINGFIELD has been selected as the permanent site of the Illinois state fair by the board of agriculture.

SAMUEL and William Walker (brothers) and Ezra Baer, their brother-in-law, were crushed to death under a mass of

ED DANSEY (colored) was hanged at Ocala, Fla., for killing Deputy Sheriff

A BOILER in a sawmill at Delphi, O., exploded, killing Noah Hiffman, Amos Stevens and Silas Wilson and fatally injuring John Wilson.

SECRETARY CARLISLE will be compa, Fla., charged with assaulting five pelled to issue bonds under the law of lation.

THREE men were killed and one fatal-In a bill for divorce in Chicago Mor- ly hure in a hand car accident near

FRANK D. JACKSON was inaugurated governor of Iowa at the capitol in Des ALBERT KNOP, treasurer of the village | Moines. Simplicity marked the pro-

MAYOR McNeill, of Eddyville, Ia. dropped dead in the streets. Heart dis-

ease was the cause. CHRIS EVANS, the noted bandit, raid-

shot a constable and escaped. TREASURY officials in Washington Samuel Greenburg in Chicago in broad estimate the gold production of the daylight and carried off jewelry valued | world at nearly \$150,000,000 for the

year 1893. LEWIS REDMIRE has been found guilfound murdered at their farm 3 miles ty of embezzling \$103,000 from the Gate

> WITHIN a week nine counterfeiters have been arrested in St. Louis. THE Indiana appellate court decided ated in the state.

AFTER a continuous sleep of fortyeight hours George Burgess died at Caro, Mich., on the day that he was to

have been married. JUDGE BARTLETT, of Brooklyn, N. Y., refused to quash the indictments against McKane and twenty-one others accused of election fraud.

PERSONAL AND POLITICAL. Iowa's legislature convened at Des Moines, but both houses adjourned after the appointing of committees on

credentials. In the presence of a vast crowd William McKinley took the oath at Columbus as governor of Ohio for a second time.

REV. SAMUEL CARTER died in Des Moines, Ia., aged 102 years. He was born a slave in Virginia in 1792. RIVAL senates were organized in

New Jersey. Holdover democrats secured possession and were recognized by the governor, but the house recognized the new senate. WILLIAM LINDSAY was elected United

States senator by the Kentucky legislature to succeed himself. CHARLES E. G. WINTERS, a veteran of four of the great wars of the nineteenth century, died at Port Jervis, N.

Y., in actual want. THE democrats in state convention

JOHN KAISER, ordinance sergeant of N. Y. He had served in the Mexican and civil wars.

Md., aged 70 years. JOHN CARROLL POWER, custodian of the Lincoln monument at Springfield. Ill., since its dedication in 1893, is dead. JOSEPH MANLEY, of Maine, succeeds

tired, died at his home in Hagerstown,

FOREIGN.

lican national committee.

In a battle between the Italian troops and dervishes at Kassala, Africa, the latter left 4,000 dead upon the field, among them being Hamed Ali and all his emirs.

An alleged rabbi was said to have carried on an extensive business in granting divorces in Winnipeg, Man.

THE great mill works at Charlottenburg, Germany, were burned by anarchists, the loss being 400,000 marks. Brazil, the insurgents killed 500 of the firing at the robber from the floor. government troops and captured the re-

VAILLANT, who threw the bomb in the Prench chamber of deputies in Paris, was found guilty and sentenced A STRANGER walked into the National

taining \$1,000 in silver and walked off darkness. in gold coin in a head of cabbage he and the Hawaiian government now the grocery. A wagon dashed up to by the surroundings as long as this on the pound sterling.

employe of the Consolidated national and if any royalist uprising was attacked the house of the mayor of tion of Chris Evans. In the other

A HEAVY shock of earthquake last-St. Joe, Mo., and looted the express ing ten seconds was felt at Godeboute. The robber told them, also, that his and several other places in Canada. M. DUPUY was again elected presi-

ties by a good majority. MRS. WILLIAM MAKEPEACE THACK-A LONE highwayman held up the ERAY, widow of the novelist and satir- suit from Fowler. ist, died at Leigh, England. She was 75 years old.

LATER.

THE greater part of the session of the United States senate on the 12th was devoted to executive business. The nomination of Mr. Preston to be director of the mint was confirmed. Adjourned to the 15th. In the house a resolutione alling upon the president for all information in his possession touching recent reported events in the Ha- The Custodian of Lincoln Monument waiian islands was reported favorably and temporarily laid on the table. The

tariff bill was further discussed. THE post office at Cory, Ind., was robbed of \$185 in stamps and a large sum of money.

THE business portion of Davis, Md., was destroyed by fire. Roscoe Parker, a 16-year-old negro, was taken from jail by a mob and lynched at West Union, O., for the mur- tucky, September 19, 1819. der of Rit Rhine and his wife, an aged

Five British sailors and a ferryman were drowned in Baltimore harbor by the swamping of their boat. ED LEWIS, a young carpenter in Cin-

couple.

cinnati, shot and killed his wife and then took his own life. Domestic trouble was the cause.

BURGLARS raided Courtland Ala. Every business place was broken into. wagons being used to carry off the plunder.

A FIRE in the car shops of the Erie Railroad company at Jersey City, N. J., caused a loss of \$100,000.

THE business outlook throughout the country was said to be improving. A SECTION of a drawbridge between Brookyn and Long Island City gave way, throwing sixty persons into the zard which raged here Wednesday water, and seven were known to have

been drowned. Five men were killed on the Brazilan insurgent ship Almirante Tamandare by the bursting of a cannon.

THREE elevators and a malthouse in Chicago belonging to Hales & Curtis were destroyed by fire, causing a loss 01 \$300,000. SAMURL WELSOR was hanged at St.

Louis for the murder of an abandoned woman. He had admitted the killing. THERE were 474 business failures in the United States in the seven days ended on the 12th, against 511 the week previous and 286 in the corresponding

time in 1893. ADVICES from Rio Janeiro state that the bombardment of the city by the in-

surgents had recommenced. Four negroes entered the home of Frederick Benny, a farmer living near St. Louis, fatally wounded Benny, who is over 70 years old, and his wife, aged 65, secured \$300 and fled.

AN OUTLAW'S WORK.

Another Bold Deed by Chris Evans, the Escaped Bandit.

He Holds Up Six Men in a California Town -His Attempted Arrest Results in the Shooting of Three Would-Be Captors.

HIS ESCAPE.

Fresno, Cal., Jan. 13.-Two men, believed to be Chris Evans, the escaped Visalia bandit, and his promising understudy, Ed Morrell, raided the town of Fowler Wednesday evening, and another tale of bloodshed and terror, with three wounded left on the field, is the result. Fowler is a village of 300 inhabitants, 10 miles southeast of Fresno. George Leon, the station agent, and three men employed as section hands were in the depot at 7 o'clock, just after the Los Angeles express passed. While the men were talking a masked man with a revolver in each hand approached at

tated to obey. At this juncture Howard Harris and A. Vincent, prominent business men of about to run away and give the alarm still keeping the other men covered, REAR ADMIRAL DONALD MCNEILL dered Harris and Vincent into the force. FAIRFAX of the United States navy, re- depot, saying he would kill them if masked man then stood the six citizens up along the wall, covering them with one revolver, and went through their pockets. He secured a little over \$70.

The daring freebooter then ordered Thomas Carter, of Montana, as execu- his six prisoners into the street and tive committee chairman of the repub- made them walk down town along the & Goldstein's grocery store. The robber followed his six prisoners into the store and it was evidently to loot the grocery. However, just as he ordered three men previously in the store to throw up their hands, the pro-

Ochs and Nelson. Then began a bloody shooting affray. Ochs, with pistol drawn, rushed into him and fired. Ochs fell to the floor His aim was wild, however, and the constable shot one citizen through The man hit in the breast was

THE "provisional" has been dropped scene, however, during the battle in partial account or opinion uninfluenced from year to year, being below 2 pence stands as an independent sovereignty. the door and the driver began shooting state of affairs continued. Consequent-T. F. BARKER, for twenty years an The danger was believed to be past, at Constable Ochs, thus aiding in the ly he decided on the Sist of March, two escape of the robber within. The man days after his arrival, that in accor-Theore fired on a mob that had at- This man answers the descriptions it was best to take the flag down. pany at Richmond, Ind., was destroyed Corato, Sicily, and seven persons were robber, who wore a bandana handkerchief over his face, the men attacked believe they recognized Ed Morrell. name was Morrell. It is believed here that the bandits, becoming pressed for mountains determined to make a raid. A posse left this city to organize a pur-

ed in the right thigh and groin, was condemned man's innocence. one of the jurors who convicted Chris Evans of the murder of Deputy United States Marshal Vic Wilson. Ochs declares he wounded the younger of the two robbers. It is generally agreed

was the work of Evans and Morrell. DEATH OF J. C. POWER.

Passes Away. SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Jan. 13. - John Carroll Power, custodian of the Lincoln monument, died Thursday. He was stricken with apoplexy while on a street car. He was carried home and died a few minutes later. Mr. Power had been custodian of the monument ever since its erection in 1874 and was well known. He was born in Ken-

[John C. Power was born September 19, 1819, in Fleming county, Ky. He was raised on a farm, but engaged in other pursuits a number of years, always cultivating habits of study and occasionally writing, but without any thought becoming an author until well advanced in life. His first book was the "History of the Rise and Progress of Sunday Schools, which is accepted as authority. Among his other works are a "Life of Lincoln" and "Early Settlers of San-gamon county. At the close of the rebellion he met with reverses and removed to Kansas where he engaged in agricultural pursuits for three years. He then disposed of his farm and returned to Springfield in 1869. Mr. Power was wholly wrapped up in his position as custodian of the Lincoln monument, so much so that he was not always happy in his treatment of vis itors, but no one questioned the zeal and fidelily with which he guarded the sacred ashes in-

trusted to his care. 1

Died in a Blizzard. WINNIPEG, Man., Jan. 13 .- The bliznighs has subsided. Reports of deaths during the gale are coming in. James McChorrister, a Winnipegger, was found dead Thursday with a whisky bottle by his side. He was frozen stiff. Robert Mills, a farmer of Headingly, was caught in the storm while returndead Thursday.

INDIANS OPPOSE STATEHOOD. Choctaw Nation Declares Itself in Favor of Tribal Relations.

Sr. Louis, Jan. 13 .- The twenty-six counties in the Choctaw nation have voted almost unanimously against statehood or any severance of tribal relations. The same feeling exists, it is stated, in the other four civilized tribes, coupled with a bitter feeling toward the Dawes commission, which will discuss statehood with the Indians next month. The result will undoubtedly be a repulse of the government's advances.

ALL QUIET IN HAWAY ...

Reassuring News from Honolulu -- Mr. Awful Result of Battles in Brazil and

Blount Under Fire. WASHINGTON, Jan. 13. - Important news has been received at the Hawaiian Brazil by the steamer Clyde say that legation. It was a dispatch, brought about Christmas an important battle from Honolulu by the Warimoo to Vancouver. It advised the Hawaiian charge d'affaires, Mr. Hastings, that everything was quiet at Honolulu, and that Minister Thurston would arrive on the steamer City of Peking, which is now overdue at San Francisco.

The dispatch also gave the details of the manner in which Mr. Willis' manifesto had been received by the provisional government. For several days prior to the day on which Willis definitely made known President Cleveland's intentions, the excitement in Honolulu had been intense. It reached its height on the day President Dole made his formal demand upon Willis to make known his intentions in regard to the queen.

Willis read his formal answer and demand for the abdication of the provisional government in the presthe open door and ordered them to ence of President Dole and other throw up their hands. Not one hesi- members of the government, and Mr. Dole temporarily withheld his response. When it was finally sent to Mr. Willis it was such as to at Harrisburg, Pa., nominated James Fowler, stepped on the depot platform leave no doubt that the provisional D. Hancock, of Franklin, for congress- and took in the situation. They were government would hold on to its power, and that it would resist any interferwhen the robber espied them ence by force of arms. After that the the United States army, died in Buffalo, through the window. The outlaw, excitement quieted down, as all felt that the crisis was passed and that backed slowly out of the door and or- Willis would not resort to the use of

Ex-Commissioner Blount was before they refused. They went in. The the senate investigating committee on Thursday. The efforts of the committee were directed more to securing an explanation from Mr. Blount of his various acts while in Honolulu than to obtaining from him an accurate account of his mission, on which the committee was already sufficiently inprincipal thoroughfare to Kutner formed through his official report. The explanation necessary, however, involved direct allusion to, and in some instances a full account of his proceedhis intention, alone and single-handed, ings. He told briefly of his appointment, on March 10, 1893, by the president, as special commissioner to investigate the condition of affairs on the ceeding was interrupted by Constables Hawaiian islands, which had been developed by the revolution of last Jan-

The decision to have the American the store. The bandit turned upon ensign taken down and the American soldiers returned to the man-of-war In a battle in the state of Sao Paulo, and rolled out through the door, was reviewed. Mr. Blount said that he had found the islands and the government entirely under the control or protection of the United States troops. the arm and another in the breast. The American flag floated over the government building, in which the struck by a spent bullet and was not officers of the provisional governseriously hurt, though knocked down. ment conducted their business. Every-During this general fusillade the rob- where was noticed the influence of this bank of Mexico, picked up a sack con- ber escaped and disappeared in the country upon the people of the islands. It was evident, Mr. Blount said, that Another robber appeared upon the it would be difficult to secure an imin the wagon then drove rapidly away. dance with the spirit of his instruc-

ANOTHER REPRIEVE.

It Is Granted Murderer Painter, Sentenced

to Die at Chicago. CHICAGO, Jan. 13. - George H. Painter. who was to have been hanged at 8 dent of the French chamber of depu- food and money, came down from the o'clock this morning for the murder of Alice Martin, was granted a respite by Gov. Altgeld at 9:50 Thursday night until January 26 to give time to con-Constable Ochs, who is badly wound- sider newly discovered evidence of the

> The gallows was erected Thursday evening for the third time for the hanging of Painter. Tickets had been issued and every preparation completed for the execution of the sentence. here and at Fowler that the daring raid For the third time the condemned man has escaped the hangman's noose by a margin of barely ten hours. First, the supreme court granted a supersedeas and the day for the hanging was fixed for December 15. At 9:80 p. m. December 14 a message came from Gov. Altgeld postponing the hanging to January 12. Four weeks later, almost to a minute, came the second message from the gov-

ernor granting a respite. Some hard work was done to induce Gov. Altgeld to grant the respite. Attorneys Blackburn and Case collected the statements of several people to the effect that Dick Edwards had said it was he who had the trouble with Alice Martin. More valuable, probably, than these affidavits were the letters from prominent citizens sent to the governor

by messenger Thursday night. Among the affidavits was one from Annie Brennan, now residing at No. 159 Van Buren street. She swears that she was well acquainted with George H. Painter and Alice Martin; that she occupied a room adjoining that in which Alice Martin lived and was murdered; that on the night of the tragedy she passed Alice's room, and looking through the half open door saw Alice and a strange man talking together; that shortly afterwards she heard loud talking in the room; that she knew from the man's voice and

form that it was not Painter.

Manley Made Chairman. WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.-Thomas H. Carter resigned as chairman of the executive committee of the republican national committee, and Joseph H. Manley, of Maine, was elected to the vacancy. This does not, of course, dising home from Winnipeg and found place Mr. Carter as chairman of the national committee.

> Deficiency of \$400,000 Found. WASHINGTON, Jan. 13 .- According to Recent Advices Concerning Italian Slaughe a communication laid before the house there is a deficiency of \$400,000 in sight in the appropriation for fees of witnesses in the United States courts for this fiscal year. The house is asked to take immediate action on the estimate for the reason that the regular appropriation for the payment of witness fees is practically exhausted.

Production of Gold. for the year 1893.

HUNDREDS SLAIN.

Honduras.

London, Jan. 11.-Mail advices from was fought in the state of Sao Paulo, in which the government troops, under Gen. Argallo, were defeated by the insurgents. There were 10,000 troops engaged in the battle. Five hundred of the government forces were killed and the rest were taken prisoners. Among the captured are Gen. Silva and Gen. Ellas. December 22 an unsuccessful attack was made on Grande island. The only means of communication with Rio Janeiro is by a naval escort. Firing between the government and the insurgent forces is going on all the time. The government intercepts all inland communications. Santos has been blockaded since the beginning of December by the republican and other insurgent warships.

PARIS, Jan. 11.-La Liberte publishes a dispatch under a Rio Janeiro date stating that President Peixoto has resigned. The statement contained in

the dispatch is not credited here. WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 .- Minister Mendonca is inclined to regard the dispatch from Paris reporting the resignation of President Peixoto, of Brazil, as a mere echo of a similar dispatch sent some time since from Pernambuco. He says there is not a word of truth in it.

SAN SALVADOR, Jan. 11., via Galveston, Tex.-Gen. Ortez attacked a force marching to the aid of the defense of Amapala and routed it. Fighting has been going on on the road leading to Tegucigalpa, the capital of Honduras. The forces of President Vasquez suceeded in flanking the rebels, who began a retreat, but Vasquez got between the Nicaragnans and the rebels, who, taking advantage of his bad position, compelled him to seek safety, with a loss of more than 100 killed and many others wounded. Vasquez also lost 100 men, who were captured by the rebels.

INCOME TAX IN OTHER LANDS. Some Interesting Figures Submitted by

Congressman Bryan. Washington, Jan. 11.-Representative Bryan, of Nebraska, on behalf of the committee on ways and means, has submitted an elaborate statement concerning the various systems of income tax in operation in Europe. The statement is a result of correpondence between the state department and United States consuls located. abroad. In order to systematize the information, nine questions were sent to the consuls concerning the rate of the tax, the exemptions, the amount realized, the manner of assessment,

punishment imposed, etc. Great Britain is shown to have imposed an income tax continuously since 1843. The rate of tax has varied

The various states of the German empire impose income taxes, but the empire has no such taxes. Prussia has had an income tax since 1851. The tendency of late years in Prussia has been to reduce the tax on small incomes and increase it on great ones.

The grand duchy of Baden has imposed an income tax within recent years. The rate is 2 per cent on all incomes over 500 marks. The entire vield for 1891 was 5,700,000 marks. Bremen has an income tax varying from year to year. Last year the rate was 4 per cent, with an addition for incomes over 600 marks.

Austria collected about \$10,000,000 last year from an income tax. The tax is divided into three classes, according to the amount of the income. The rate varies from 834 per cent. up to 20 per cent, according to the amount of the income. The Italian government realized \$45,000,000 from its income tax last year. The rate is 12 per cent. and covers incomes derived from all sources,

except from lands and buildings. MET HIS MATCH.

Tired of His Abuse, Sullivan's Wife Uses a

Club with Good Effect.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 11.-Last week John L. Sullivan played "The Man from Boston" at the Court Street theater. After the show Saturday night he went out to "do" the town in company with a party of local sporting men. He drank heavily, keeping up a stiff gait until 3 o'clock in the morning, when he was driven to the Tift house. A porter assisted him to his room, and soon after a great crash was heard. John's wife had chided him, and he in return had assaulted her. She defended herself with an Indian club, knocking her husband insensible. She tried to restore him to consciousness, but met with little success. Then she became frightened. and, rushing downstairs in her night dress, shouted: "Send for a doctor; Mr. Sullivan is dying." At the same time she cried hysterically, and fell to the floor in a faint.

A messenger was dispatched for a doctor. Dr. Lewis hastened to the hotel and found Sullivan on the floor of his room, still unconscious. It was daylight before he opened his eyes. or showed any signs of life. He was insensible for an hour aud ten minutes after the arrival of the physician. Mrs. Sullivan said she struck her hasband harder than the intended. The doctor said that Sullivan had a narrow escape from death. All the parties concerned in the affair were pledged to secrecy and the story

was kept quiet until now. REPORT 4,000 MEN KILLED.

ter of Dervishes. Massowan, Jan. 11. - Later dispatches received here from Kassala confirm the previous accounts of the battle recently fought between the Italian troops and the dervishes. It is stated that the latter left 4,000 dead upon the field and that, in addition, the leader of the dervisnes, Hamed Ali, and all his emirs were killed. The WASHINGTON, Jan. 13 .- Treasury of- dervishes are said to be much discourficials have estimated the gold produc- aged at their defeat and serious dissention of the world at nearly \$150,000,000 | sions are reported to exist among their chilefa