OMAHA, NEB. MONDAY MORNING, MAY 5, 1884.

COCK O' THE WALK.

Miles by Over Four Hours.

And Scoring Seven More Miles Than the English Champion.

Rowell Likewise Beats Hazel's Record by Over Two Hours.

Fitzgerald the Hero of the Hour and the Recipient of Presents.

Out to Greet Him.

An Official Position and a Fine Mansion Await Him.

Rowell's Backer Desires Another Walk for \$5,000.

The Record of Other Sports in Base Ball, Wrestling, Racing, Etc.

> THE WALKERS. THE FINAL DAY.

NEW YORK, May 3-There was an in mense crowd at the Garden this morning, drawn there by the closeness of the contest between Fitzgerald and Rowell. Fitzgerald looked thoroughly tired out. Rowell looked fresh and continued to improve his gait.

At noon the score stood:

Fitzgerald 577 Panchot, 543 Hertz 518 Elson 493	Noremac,	57 54 50
At 2:30 p. m.; Fitzgerald586 Noremac540 Hertz525 Panchot552.	Vint	58 51 50
PYTYLE	PATE	

braced up in the early afternoon, and for a couple of hours maintained his lead. He fell off again, however, about 4 p. m. and acted very groggy. After this he and Rowell had frequent spurts and often passed each other. The ex-alderman had to take frequent rests during the each of the countries of a mile: Three-year. braced up in the early afternoon, and for to take frequent rests during these spurts, and it looked as though he was running short of breath. Rowell stuck to the track without intermission during the afternoon. Charley Mitchell, the pugilist was in his hut and showed great interest in his countryman. He frequently spatded Rowell on the back and whispered ords of encouragement. At 4:30 tired lson stopped at the scorers stand for a ouple of minutes, resting. Little Vint a long stay in the afternon. His right

leg has not held out. LITTLE VINT walked laboriously during the aftrenoon. His right leg also troubled him. At 5 o'clock p. m , there were between 5,000 to 8,000 people in the garden. Fitzgerald made his 600th mile in fivehours and twenty minutes and ten seconds and was greeted with the greatest enthusiasm. Cheer after cheer rent the air, hats were flung high and handkerchiefs waved. Fitzgerald was then four miles and three laps ahead of Rowell. He took the uproar very coolly, and finished the 601st mile before retiring. He was only out of sight six minutes when Rowell pushed out on the track. Fitzgerald heard of this and jumped up and immediately went after the Englishman, causing another outburst of cheers. When Haabl made his previous record of 600 miles in six days he completed the task

at about 9:30 p. m. Fitzgerald beat this record four hours. It was said that during the early hours of the morning FITZGERALD ACCUSED HIS BACKER. Tom Davis, of poisoning him. Davis and Smith, the trainer, however, paid little attention to him, knowing it came from a painfully excited man. During the

his defeat to a badly strained left ankle ty of the man. He was apparently about from which Rowell had been suffering seventeen years of age and his dress indifor two days, and wanted to make another cated that he was a tramp or a farm match with Fitzgerald. He will let laborer. What was the cause of his seeking Fitzgerald name the terms, the amount to be over \$5,000 a side. Two large floral emblems were presented to Fitz-

gerald during the evening. They were borne in front of him around the track, Fitzgerald following and waving the flag the garden was as packed as on Sunday night. Fitzgerald remained on the track and was cheered incessantly. At 8

p. m. the score stood:	Lap
Fitzgerald	********
Rowell	*********
Panchett	********
Noremac	********
Herte	CREEKSELLER
Vint	*******
Elson	

Rowell retired at 7:11 o'clock, but afterwards came out and was loudly ap-plauded. He then returned again and

around the track at a rapid pace. house rose as they were joined by Pan-chott, Fitzgerald handed Rowell his Irish fiag, which the latter took courteously, and Fitzgerald caught up an American he Brooklyn Ex-Alderman Wins the flag and another lap was made. The SIX Days Go-as-You-Please.

Beating the Best Previous 600

following score: | Following score: | Milea. | Fitzgerald | 610 | Rowell | 602 | Panchet | 566 | Noremac | 545 | Hertz | 530 | Vint | 530 |

MORE HONORS SOR FITZGERAED, Preparations have been made in Long Island City for a receiven to Fitzgerald. He will be received by the mayor and al-dermen and tendered the freedom of the city. The entire police and fire depart ments, with the members of the Ancien Order of Hibernians will meet him at the terry and escort him to his home in Ra-Brooklyn's Municipality Turns venwood. The wealthy citizens will present him with a mansion, and it is said he will receive an important municipal appointment.

BASE BALL. GAMES YESTRDAY. At Baltimore.-Baltimore 11, Metropol

tans 17. At Philadelphia.— Philadelphia 9, Chicaoes 8. At Rock Island.—Rock Islands 11, Milwau

At Rock Island,—Rock Islands II, Milwau-kees 9. Ten innings.
At Pittsburg—Allegheny 9, Athletes 8,
At Cincinnati.—Cincinnati 14, Columbus 6,
At St. Louis,—St. Louis vs. Indianapolis,
No game on account of rain.
At Louisville.—Louisville 5, Toledo 4,
At Milwaukee.—Milwaukee 6, St. Paul 11,
At Ft. Wayne.—Bay City 19, Ft. Wayne 2,
At Terre Haute.—Grand Rapids 6, Terre
Haute 3.

At Terre Haute,—Grand Rapids 6, Terre Haute 3.
At Chicago,—Chicago Umons 4, Cincinnati Unions 5
At Washington.—Brooklyn 5, Washington 4.
At Quincy,—Quincy 4, Minneapolis 6.
At Altoona.—St. Louis Unions 14, Altoona

Unions 5.
At Muskegon.—Muskegon 10, Sarinaw 4.
At Peoria.—Stillwaters 8, Peorias 12.
At Providence.—Providence 3, Buffalo 0.
At Boston.—Boston Unions 12, Keystone
Unions 11, Boston 11, Cleveland 2.

GAMES SUNDAY. At Peoria-Peoria vs. Stillwater. Postponed; rain.
At St. Louis—St. Louis Americans, 4; To-ledo Americans, 0.
At Louisvilles—No game; rain. At Cincinnati - Americans - No

At Evansville-Evansville, 18; Peoria, 0.

SADDLE AND SULKEY. THE NASHVILLE RACES.

NASHVILLE, May 3 .- Half mile: Two year olds, Eileen and Joe Cotton. Dead heat. The money was divided. Annie

e: Inree olds. Mora won, Bob Miles second, Voltaire third. Time, 1:201.

WRESTLING.

MCLAUGHLIN VS. DUFUR. CHICAGO, May 3 .- To-night the collar and elbow wrestling match for \$500 a side, best two in three, between H. M. Dufur, of Massachusetts, and Col. J. H. came along and encouraged him to start McLaughin, resulted in favor of Dufur. again. Panchot and Hartz frequently The first bout was given to McLaughlin; went off the track for rests. The latter time, thirteen minutes. The second fall held to the track, notwithstanding the was awarded Dufur; time, thirteen and fact that he was suffering pains that one-half minutes. The third round and would have discouraged any but an ex-match was won by Dufur in half a mintremely plucky man. Manythought that ute. The men retired to their rooms, he would be withdrawn after making 525 and a moment later Dufur stepped on miles, but he was determined to stay to the platform and challenged any man in the end. Noremac went under his roof the world for a collar and elbow match.

THE PRIZE RING.

BRUTAL BOUT NEAR PITTSBURG. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 4.-A seventeenround prize fight, with the bare knuckles, was fought near this city this morning, for a sum of money not given. It was county attorney, W. J. Lamb, and J. R. Webster proposed to the commission-locality. locality. Dillon was declared victor, Daey throwing up the sponge at the seventeenth round.

SUICIDE ON THE RAIL.

A Man Run Over and Killed Near Lincoln.

Special Dispatch to THE BEE. LINCOLN, May 3 .- The train from Omaha and the east due here at 11:55 to-day ran over a man near a switch station called Newton, six miles east of here. He was lying across the track and the engineer thought it was the section man's or laborers coat. Just as the locomotive reached the spot the prostrate evening Fizzgerald was presented with a object showed signs of life by movement silver goblet lined with gold. He carried and a human head was slightly raised, this to Rowell, but the latter paid little It was to late however, for the engine attention to this gift. Rowell completed his 600th mile at 6:53, beating Hazel's record two hours, eighteen minutes and thirty-five seconds.

Peter Dwyer, Rowell's backer, gave up the contest at 7 o'clock. He attributed this defeat to a hadly strained left and to the first seconds. death in the manner he did cannot be

Indian Incendiaries.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 3 .- A Journal's Miles City special says: In the trial of Black Wolf, the Cheyenne chief, and his accessories in the burning of the Anderson ranche, Black Wolf was found not guilty. Howling Wolf, White Bear, and two others pleaded guilty, amidst a scene of excitement, as it is understood the men did this to save others as guilty as they. "Each will be sentenced to five

Labor Matters

TORONTO, May 3—Twenty seven Italian laborers arrived from New York ito sup-ply the place of the strikers on the Ontario & Quebec railroad.

nearly double its size and was black and blue. He appeared on the track but did not limp perceptibly. Noremac and Fitzgerald joined him. They tramped is beginning to assume serious proportions. Several dangerous collisions occurred to-day. The entire city has to be patrolled day and night.

London, May 3.—It is rumored nitrocoln that they must not fool with the perlice. Right here your correspondents at tention is called to several editorial outbusts on the papers of this city that appeared.

THE STATE CAPITAL.

A Breaking Out of Poiltical Municipal Measles.

Some Inside Facts Relative to Lancaster's Bonds.

\$30,000 Within the Grasp of Messrs. Webster and Lamb.

The Recent Shooting Affair by Officer Meservey.

The Troubles of a Russian Land Grabber.

arious Matters of State and Local In terest at the Capital.

> LINCOLN. POLITICAL MEASLES, LINCOLN, May 4, 1884.

special Correspondence of the BEE. A little factional fight in politics once

n awhile is productive of much good and orings to the upper surface ways that are dark and tricks that are vain. The sooner they come the better, on the same principle that it is more conducive to general physical health for a person to have the measles in childhood than in strong manhood. The local body politic of this goodly city has had several severe attacks of reform measles, but unfortunately they have all "struck in" up to a near past. A case or two of late date have been more encouraging. For instance the county bond case out of which General J. R. Webster, County Attorney Lamb and one or two others. general physical health for a person to Lamb and one or two others were on the fair way to earn about \$30,000

WITH VERY LITTLE LABOR.

namesake of the great expounder, he went for him horse, foot and dragoons. Courtnay is a tip-top lawyer and a first class fellow, but in politics his enthusiasm for party has made him many treach the occasion offers. Courtnay will be on top one of these days if he lives and his roseate hue of countenance and hair at present does not by any means indicate that early death which is the proverbial fate of the good. He certainly has made a ten strike in

THE TRUE STATEMENT county is liable to be exposed in other counties, for beyond a double bonds are tempting toys to play with, thence he deems the subject worthy of extended notice. In the first place it has never been published inside of Wall street just what bonds the commissioners of Lancaster proposed to refund. They are as Midland Pacific R. R. Co. \$150,000 which are payable in twenty-five years or before at ten per cent. per annum; Midland Pacific extension \$100,000 payable in thirty years or before; B. & M. Co. in Neb. \$17,000 payable in twenty

ISSUE NEW BONDS

bearing 6 per cent. interest, payable semi-annually. Of this new issue \$25,-000 was to run 20 years absolutely, that is, the county would be barred the right to pay the same until the expiration of surplus was in the treasury. The remainder of the \$267,000 proposed to be refunded, viz, \$72,000, was to run from 9 to 19 years, the longer the time the greater the number of \$1,000 bonds, which was a very ingenious arrangement on the part of Webster & Co. In fact the tabulated statement which he very quietly published and kept from the eyes of the people of Lancaster county, but was so liberal in circulating among the brokers of New York city is indeed a fine piece of mathematical strategy and well calculated to

MISLEAD EVEN THE MOST WARY.

Had not Courtnay filed his injunction, there is no doubt but these absolute refunded banks would be bonanza investments for Wall street, for Lancaster county is good for the amount and cap-italists could see at a glance a rare chance for money making. Gen. Webster and confreres were to have all thay made over and above the par value of the refunded bonds, so it can be readily seen they Were on a fair way to feather nests with but little labor.

LINCLN POLICE

The acquittal of officer Maservey for alightly wounding a hard citizen of Lin-coln who was escaping from him has met with universal approval here although be drawn in the most extreme cases. Maservery is avery gentlemanly and careful officer, however, and is not likely to act hastily where the circumstances are different. In the case at issue he was dealing with a notoriously rough customer who had often been arrested before. He hus been in custody for

ATTEMPTING TO KILL A WOMAN,

and the evidence showed that the prisoner struck the officer and then ran, that the shots were fired more to scare BUFFALO, May 3.—The labor trouble only a flesh one at best so the vertice is a good warning to the few roughs in Lindous between the Italians and longshoremen coln that they must not fool with the percoln they will be percoln the percoln the percoln that they must not fool with the percoln the percol the fugtive and the wound war

peared a week or so ago against the po-lice. They had heard of the unhappy state of affairs in Omaha and thought of course it would sound metropolitan to

AND THREATS OF WONDERFUL EXPOSURES were made in true dynamite style, but these threats were never fulfilled for the simple reason there was nothing to "expose." It is a well known fact that no
capital city in the union is as peaceable,
quiet and law abiding as Lincoln. How heroic it was for those editorial guns to be heroic it was for those editorial guns to be directed against the police force here, which only consists of C. B. Beach, marshal, and the three following regulars, James Post, John Green and E. A. Marsh, and two specials, Samuel Meservey and A. J. Hyatt. It can be seen at a glance that there was

NOT MUCH CHANCE FOR CORRUPTION to take part in this collection of officials. The circle is not large enough for leag-uing with gamblers or hobnobbing with thieves. The fact is Lincoln has never been thieves. The fact is Lincoln has never been better equipped in the police line as far as gentlemanly, efficient officers are concerned in many a day as it is now. They are well known and first-class citizens and they all come boldly out and desire these editorial threats to be turned into practical accusations of the guilty one if there be any. The force individually and collectively desire the journals who have hinted at dark doings among them to mark the man just as he puts his finger in the bowl with his editorial lord so that the public will know who is the structive. Along the Philadelphia and ships, this morning received a dispatch "betrayer.

A RUSSIAN LEGAL MULBERRY. I met United States District Attorney
Lambertson, whose speech against the
passage of the Blaine resolutions in the
convention the other day was one of

AFTER AN INJUNCTION. He wanted to put a stop to some proceedings which he considered illegal that million feet of lumber was also burned. This undoubtedly would have remained among the "things that no fellow could ever find out" if there was not a bitter feeling between certain wings of the republicans here. In the present case D. G. Courtnay represents one side and General Webster the other. They love each other about as well as the Gnome of Gehenna cherishes holy water, and when the former found there was not as formed and when the former found there was no is a florist near Boston, in charge, He in the Loup country. The fire is fierce about Morris and Antrim. Considerable pine timber is among the property burned in different parts of Tioga county. The saw mill of Andrew Kaul at Spring Run, Elk county, was destroyed, with six million feet of lumber; uninsured. Reports from Center and Clearfield counties to-day say that the loss is not heavy as at first reported.

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of this bond business has never yet been of Dr. Tillifus' property. The latter given although it has been watched for heard of it in time to prevent a confirmsome time and the press has given the ation of sale and through his attorney Mr. matter considerable attention. Your Lambertson a motion was made to that correspondent is a bond holder in desire effect in the early part of the week. It pened and a lively contest take place. Haker's attorneys are Hall & Bell of St. Paul and Wall & Heath of Loup City. QUID NUNC.

PENNSYLVANIA PORTIAS.

Judge Thaver's Admission of a F male Lawyer to the Bar.

PHILADELPHIA, May 3 .- Judge Thay er to-day delivered an opinion in the Court of common pleas No. 4, admitting
Mrs. Carrie B. Kilgore to practice.
Every other common pleas refused her admission, although an exceptional action was taken by the Orphans' court, Ludge

Ludge

DETROIT, May 3.—At an early now this morning a fire broke out in the building occupied by the steam supply company, corner of Water and Green-Arnold dissented from the opinion of his colleagues, Theyer and Elcock. The court took the grounds that its action the said 20 years, no matter how great a which the legislature had not interfered

CATTLE

A Reduction in Freights Eastward

having been made for a reduction in the rates on cattle and sheep, on the ground that the present tariff is not maintained, notice is hereby given that, taking effect on Monday, a reduction of ten cents per hundred pounds from Chicago to New York, with a corresponding reduction in dressed beef rates, will be made. Other classes of live stock remain unchanged.

nual sale of the Tennessee Jersey Breed-ers' association, at Bellimead, to-day, ers association, at Bellimead, to-day, was the largest ever held in the south. The total amount of the sales was \$18,575. Average females, \$382; average bulls, \$429. This is considered very satsfactory.

The Methodists

PHILADELPHIA, May 3 .- At the Methodist Episcopal general conference to-day, Rev. Alfred Wheeler, of the Eric conference, moved the appointment of a com-mittee on marriage and divorce, compos-ed of one minister and one layman for oming conference, said this was one o the most important questions of the age and the conference cannot afford to deal

London, May 3.—It is rumored nitro-glocerine has been conveyed to England

THE BLAZING WOODS.

The Forest Fires Continue Their Devastations in the East.

Somewhat Checked at Various Places by Heavy Rains.

Obliterated.

Further of the Destruction of the Town of Brisbin.

Various Disasters of Various Character and Cruelty,

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., May 3 .- Latest

THE FLAMING FOREST .. IN PENNSYLNANIA.

eports show that the forest fires in the Erie railroad from Driftwood west to from Glasgow as follows : Kane, heavy fires were in progress last 000. Seventeen houses were burned in Bonot, entailing a loss of \$15,000. Two

gave him \$3,600 with which to improve and run the farm, with the understanding that he must pay the taxes, etc., and return one half of the receipts to the benfactor and owner. He wished to the benfactor and owner. factor and owner. Hahn ran the farm burning and smoking terribly. Farm three years and it is alleged he

IN NEW JERSEY. MATTAWAN, N. Y., May 3.—Forest fires about here have caused a loss of \$20,-

MATAWAN, N. J., May 4 .- South of only but he is fully aware that the same was taken under advisement, but there is here in the fires in the pines are still speculation that has come to light in this little doubt that the case will be recthan ever. The damage cannot be estimated. The woods at Browntown have again started. The farmers are fighting the flames. The loss there is \$5,000. Between four and five thousand acres have been devastated. The fires originated in the careless burning of brush by one of the wealthy farmers. The losers will try and hold him responsible. The huckleberry crop, which brought hun-dreds of dollars to the poor people of the

vicinity is entirely destroyed. OTHER FIRES.

before it was subdued completely gutted that part of the building containing a battery of twenty boilers and a large amount of coal. The flames then extended to G. F. Hinchman's ship chandlery store, which was somewhat damaged, also the Riverside brick company's office, and Richard Nobles' sail loft, both of which were cleaned out. The build-Sale of Tennessee Animais.

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Sa 000; well insured.

A VILLAGE DESTROYED. PORT JERVIS, N. Y., May 3 .- The entire village of Gilman's depot, on the Port Jervis and Monticello railroad, burned yesterday afternoon and last night. The residents were obliged to flee for their lives, being unable to save anything. Not over half a dozen houses are standing within five miles. The fire NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 3.—The annual sale of the Tennessee Jersey Breedural sale of the Tennessee 000. Two railroad bridges were destroy-

THE BRISBINE BLAZE.

HOUTZDALE, Pa., May 3,—The fire which destroyed the town of Brisbin is supposed to have originited by Hungar-ians setting fire to brush to clear a piece of ground for cultivation. The progress of the flames was very rapid through the town and the inhabitants were compelled mittee on marriage and divorce, composed of one minister and one layman for each general conference district. He maintains that the church should not fail to speak out in a way that will not be misunderstood. Dr. Oten, of the Wyoming conference, said this was one of 000. Of this, Hoover, Hughes & Co., the saw mill owners, lose \$150,000. About one thousand families are homewith it in a cavalier way. It is a shame that there should be such a cancer on the body politic as found in Utah.

About one thousand families are noine less and destitute. The majority are suffering for the necessaries of life. Supplies are coming in slowly. The demand is great and anything in the shape of suffering for the necessaries of life. Supplies are coming in slowly. The demand is great and anything in the shape of provisions, clothing or money will be gladly accepted by the relief committe. Goods for sufferers will be transported free by the N. Y. & Pa. railroad. Mrs. Denavan was burned to death. The insurance is much below the lesses. Subsured for the necessaries of life. Supplies the entire village of Gilman's Depot, on the Port Jerves & Monticello railroad, New York, and the provisions, clothing or money will be gladly accepted by the relief committee. Residents were obliged to fise for their lives, unable to save anything. Not over half a dozen houses are standing within a radius of five miles. The fire is still burning. Gilman's tannery and saw mills were destroyed. The whole sottlement was owned by him. Loss, \$100,000. Two railroad bridges are burned.

scriptions are liberally given in the neighboring towns, and two thousand persons were furnished provisions to-day. The sufferers are mainly poor miners who were at work in the mines, when their denoral Arthur's Strength Sufficient to homes were laid in ruins.

AT GAINESVILE FLORIDA. GAINESVILLE, Fla., May 3.—The entire square west of the court house burned. Three hotels were destroyed. It is rumored that a child was cremated in one building. Loss, \$40,000. Incendiary.

READING, Pa. May 4.—The fires on the Blue mountains burned fiercely this morning, but were partially checked by a heavy rain. The greatest damage done is to wood land, cord wood, and fences. Thousands of acres were burned over. The people at the base of the mountains were driven from their houses by the intense heat. No lives were lost.

SCRANTON PA. May 4—The forest fires at Moscow and Spring Creek region

IN NEW HAMPSHIRE, Amoskeag manufacturing company and others. Nearly 500 cords of wood were

also destroyed. DIVERS DISASTERS.

SHIPWRECKED CREW.

"The steamer 'Divon,' New York for of Rome' arrived at Liverpool, April 27th, from New York.

EURNED TO DEATH.
CEDAR RAPIDS, Ia., May 3.—A special to the Republican says: The five-year-old daughter of John Duffy, a farmer residing near Independence, was burned to death last night and his wife and a younger child are not expected to live.

Duffy was seriously injured. SWUNG INTO ETERNITY.
CENTRALIA, Pa., May 3.—Three daughters of James E. Sherman, a farm-

the Wreck Special Dispatch to THE BEE. CHICAGO, May 4.-Nine passengers of

to which she belonged, shows that none lived here. Thomas and Abraham Williamson bought tickets 4th for Stavanger, Norway, fate of the good. He certainly has was taken for \$6,216. Some 1800 have been raging here all day, and a drew Tarus, booked April 10th for Glasmade a ten strike in opening the bond acres were sold to various parties to large quantity of timber land has been gow, for second-class passage; evidently business and the tax payers of Lancaster county are certainly beginning to appreciate D. G. C.

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GLASGOW, May 4.—The underwriters tions endorsing Arthur's administration were adopted. which signalled the City Rome was a full rigged vessel and English built. She displayed the national flag. After signals she proceeded westward slowly. Five other sailing vessels were sighted

the same time. LONDON, May 4 —It is no longer doubted that the ship which was signaled by the City of Rome saved some if not all on board the State of Florida. It is calculated the disaster occurred on the 18th ultimo., at which period the wind was blowing from the east. Boats would pool will be continued or abandoned. drift until rescued. They must have been launched because they were so fixed they would not otherwise floated.

The fact that the boats were without gear or oars is regarded favorably, indicating that the rescuing ship secured oars away. One is a life boat. No. 1, their small row boat, is not numbered. The of Florida struck an iceberg, as the Cap the Iowa association without the Wabash. tain of the State of Pennsylvania reports with great fury for over two hours, and ice in the region in which the State of Florida is supposed to have been at the time of the disaster. The dynamite the ory is not received with any favor whatever. The inventory shows the cargo was shipped by two well known firms and all the packages on board are account-ed for. The detectives reported awaiting the arrival of the State of Florida were

seeking to arrest embezzlers. The next news concerning the fate o missing vessel is awaited from America, where it is supposed those rescued to be landed. The captain of the "City of Rome" explains that when his ship displayed signals, there was little or no wind. The flags showed badly and were difficult to read. The "City of Rome" passed the ship rapidly without replying.

Spanish Revolutionists. MADRID, May 2. - Government claims o have frustrated various revolutionary movements, yet attempts have been made to set fire to the house which con-tained the shore end of the Marseilles cable. At Gibraitar customs officers employed within the Spanish lines have been arrested and imprisoned at San Rogue. Revolutionary documents and blank forms of appointment, signed by Zorilla, were found on their person.

A Burned Steamer. BALTIMORE, May 4 .- The steamer B. S. Ford, of Chester, a river steamboat, ourned at the wharf at Chestertown, Kent county, at 1 o'clock this morning. The crew and hands had barely time to escape. She was built in 127, and cost \$75,000.

TELEGRAPH NOTES,

The report of a mine explosion near Pitts-burg is believed to be without foundation, It is reported at Port Jervis, New York, that the negro who eloped with Amanda Ayres, from Beemerville, was lynched Friday night.

Nominate Him on the First Ballot.

The Secret of His Popularity and Blaine's Weakness.

The New York Sun's Revised Es: \ timates and Compliments.

Special dispatch to THE BEE. WASHINGTON, D. C., May 3 .- All egates to the Republican National vention are now elected with the exception of two from New Mexico and two from Montana, and according to Governor Sheldon, of the former territory, now CONCORD N. H., May 4.—A heavy bursh fire near Pembroke destroyed several hundred acres of land owned by the real hundred acres of land owned by the convention saying the delegation from that state will be solid for him. This

> gives Arthur strength enough to nominate him on the first ballot. Blaine's weakness is in the fact that his friends are always for him and he is the second choice of nobody. He has anteg-onized all other candidates and has been making enemies while Arthur has been making friends. The president's policy of keeping entirely out of the fight, of making appointments more often in the interest of other candidates than in his own, has won him the respect of the country and the confidence of those who oppose his nomination. He has been endorsed by

every republican convention: confidence in his wisdom and justice, and approval of his administration has been unanimously shown, and there is no opposition except that of a few men who are actuated by spite or have been disap-pointed in not receiving office.

The "Sun" Shines on Arthur,

Special Dispatch to THE BEE. NEW YORK, May 3.-The following is the Sun's estimate of delegates to the Chicago convention: Arthur 323, Blaine 313, Edmunds 63, Logan 55, Sherman 23, Hawley 12, Gresham 6, Fairchild 4,

Grant 1, doubtful 10. The Sun discussing the republican candidates for the presidency, has this to say of President Arthur: "Gen. Arthur now has a fellowing which any man might be proud of, and it is by no means certain that he will not carry off the prize after all. The mederation dignity and wisthe wrecked steamer, "State of Florida," all. The moderation, dignity and wiswere accredited to Chicago, but inquiry at the office of the State Line steamers, to which she belowed show that your not his friends before."

CONVENTIONS.

NEW MEXICO. gow, for second-class passage; evidently a stranger. The six members of the Taylor family came from some of the Taylor family came from so cago. They are uninstructed. It is be-ileved that they favor Arthur, with Logan for second choice. Strong resolu-

> HELENA Mont., May 3 -In the Boze-man convention the Blaine and Edmunds men united this morning and divided the delegation to Chicago. delegates are Col. Wilbur and F. Saunders, of Helena, and Lee Manile, of Butler.

Sr. Louis April 3 -The trans-Continen-

tal association hold a meeting here Monday next to determine whether the California On Tuesday, the Iowa traffic asaociation meet here. April 24th the Wabash gave the required 30 days notice of withdrawal from the association. According-ly Commissioner Cauman to-day notified he general managers of the roads in inand gear and allowed her boats to drift terest that the association cease to exist the 24th of May. It is thought, howev-The er, by well informed railway officials here owners are of the opinion that the State that an effort will be made to continue

Southern Immigration. Sr. Louis, Mo , May 3 -J. K. Mulkey, assistant secretary of the Southern Immigration association, arrived here to-day to arrange for a meeting of the officers and board of directors in this city on May 29th, when it is expected that a thorough organzation will be effected, and active work to induce immigration from northern states and Europe to the south, will begin immediately. The plan embraces the establishment of two institutions like the Castle Garden, one on the Gulf of Mexico, and the other on the Southern Atlantic coast,

Confirmations

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The senate-confirmed Henry W. Cannon, of Minnesota, comptroller of the currency; Chauncy W. Hyatt, postmaster at North Bend, Nebraska.

