FRIDAY, EVE G. JAN. 3, 1879. Terrorism in the Southern

In the days before the abolition of slavery we were 'accustomed to hear all sorts of reports about the undue infinence exercised by the Democrats in the South in favor of their special platform and special candidates. Before the Civil war these Democratic organizations carried everything their own way. If a stray white man in the South was found to be a Republican he was hunted like a wild beast. His life was threatened, and he was either ordered to leave the place, or mix no more in politics, and become a mere cipher in the section in which he

With the emancipation of the slave, and the subjugation of the South after its gallant struggle with the North, it ment.

was supposed that this antagonism of races would cease, but it seems to have been revived and intensified in the South last fall. A system of terrorism and "bulldozing" was then practised on the negroes, who dared not vote the Republican ticket, and who were obliged either to vote for the Democratic candidates or refrain from voting altogether. These simple and innocent colored voters were menaced by the worst class of black guards that ever ranged themselves find a seat, and without depending on under Democratic banners. Numbers of them in the different Southern States were whipped, shot at, or openly mal-

Not a tew of the Republican treated. negroes have been shot, others have gevin, Postmaster-General, to branch been threatened with loss of life if they voted, and not a few have been warned to leave their homes and flee for safety. Our readers will scarcely believe that the state of the

such a system of terrorism is being exercised in the Southern States to-day. Yet so it is, and as an evidence of it we copy following from a private letter recently written by a lady now living in Louisiana to her friends in New England, and which was published in the

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against Lieut.-Governor Letellier, and it is asserted by man, 'he will be dismissed before the openin. Darlia-

A NUMBER of Conservative clerks in the Public Works Department who were dismissed along with several Reformers for effect, have been reappointed. Of course, the Reformers who were dis-charged at the same time have been overlooked.

ST. THOMAS Journal :- Our Tory con temporaries are much exercised over finding a seat for Mr. Blake. We hope they will be patient. Mr. Blake will the good graces or half-breeds or pig-tails for it either, a la the Chieftain.

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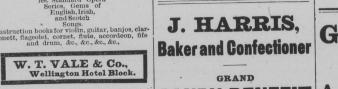
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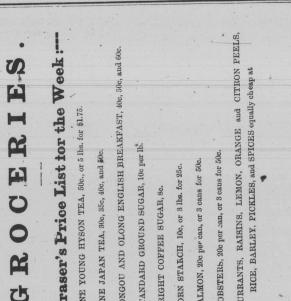


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QUEBEC marked in a Ter able manner on New Year's day its ap preciation of the position assumed by a certain section of the French Conservatives towards Lieut.-Gov. Letellier, and at the same time its sympathy with His Honour. The reception held in the Legislative Council Chamber was at tended by nearly 1,000 persons, and His Honor had barely time to shake "hands with the crowds which passed through the house. The number calling was more than double that of any previous reception of the kind, and the expresssof sympathy and respect from both English and French-speaking callers e numerous and hear viels.

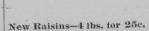
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