

Train George Francis, passes through Albany, N.Y.—May 19.
 Train George Francis, completes his trip round the world at Tacoma, Wash.; time 67 days, 17 hours and 3 minutes.—May 25.
TRUSTS.—Breweries, Springfield, O., two breweries bought by an English syndicate for \$608,000.—May 1.
 City of Mexico, Graf Brewery of Toluca passes into the hands of trust, with a capital of \$5,000,000.—May 5.
 Lancashire, Eng., cotton corner being formed.—May 15.
 Phosphate lands, Florida, English syndicate purchases one thousand acres of, in Marion county.—May 1.
 Tupper Hou. C. H., arrives at Ottawa from Washington, D.C.—May 17.
TURKEY.—Syria, Druses and Maronites fighting in the Lebanon district.—May 9.
 Albanians attack and plunder a provision train on its way from Irek to Cettinge; one woman killed and several people wounded.—May 13.
 Russia pressing the Porte for payment of the arrears of the war indemnity.—May 19.
 Buyukdere, near Constantinople, daughter of the Chief Dragonman of the Russian embassy, assaulted by four Turkish soldiers who were afterwards captured.—May 22.
 Turkish officer and students who assaulted wife and daughter of the chief dragonman of the Russian embassy are sentenced to six months imprisonment, followed by life banishment to Tripoli, by the Turkish government.—May 24.
UNITED STATES.—Appointments, Steele George W., to be governor of Oklahoma.—May 8.
 Army and Military Academy, Appropriation Bills reported in the U.S. Senate.—May 7.
 Census act, bill passed amending the, in the U.S. Representatives.—May 22.
 Copyright bill defeated by 126 to 98 in the U.S. Representatives.—May 2.
 Castorus Administrative bill passed with amendments in the U.S. Senate.—May 2.
 Diplomatic and Consular Appropriation Bill reported to the U.S. Representatives and passed.—May 3.
 General Grant statue, Senate Bill, appropriating \$300,000 for, in Washington, passed.—May 17.
 Inter-continental Rv., President Harrison sends a letter to Congress from Secretary Blaine transmitting a plan for a preliminary survey of.—May 20.
 Inter-State Commerce Law; bill introduced to the U.S. Representatives by Mr. Boutelle, amending, so that nothing contained in it shall be constructed to authorize sale or traffic in intoxicating liquors in any prohibition state.—May 6.
 Kemmler execution; Supreme Court at Washington denies the application for a writ of error; execution by electricity to be carried out.—May 23.
 Kentucky senatorship, J. G. Carlisle nominated by the Democratic caucus for.—May 16.
 Kentucky senatorship, Hon. J. G. Carlisle elected by the Kentucky Assembly.—May 17.

UNITED STATES—Continued.

Liberty Island, Senator Chandler in the U. S. Senate reports joint resolution authorizing and directing Secretary of War to use Liberty Island as a public park.—May 17.
 Local taxation, Mr. Ingalls introduces a bill to abolish, in the U. S. Senate.—May 1.
 McKinley Tariff Bill passed in House by 164 to 142.—May 21.
 Morrill Pension Bill passed in the U. S. Representatives.—May 1.
 Oklahoma, President Harrison approves of the act establishing a temporary government in.—May 2.
 Oklahoma, U. S. Senate confirms the appointment of G. W. Steele, of Indiana, as governor of.—May 14.
 Public debt decreased since April 1st by \$7,500,000.—May 1.
 Pension Appropriation Bill passed in U. S. Senate.—May 9.
 Restriction of immigration, Mr. Flower, of New York, presents a petition from citizens of New York in the House of Representatives. Washington, D.C., in favor of.—May 14.
 Reciprocity with Canada, House Committee on Foreign Affairs at Washington report a resolution, providing that when the President is informed that Canada desires a reciprocity treaty with the U.S., he shall appoint three commissioners to consult with Canadian commissioners; commissioners then to report to the President, who will lay their report before Congress.—May 2.
 Sergeant-at-arms Col. W. P. Canaday, of the Senate, resigns.—May 19.
 Squadron of Evolution leaves Malta for Algiers.—May 1.
 Squadron of evolution, officers of, given a dinner by the garrison officers at Algiers.—May 7.
 Tariff Bill, date fixed for the beginning of the operations of the, is July 1, but it is thought at Washington, that a provision will be inserted postponing its operations till July 1, 1891.—May 3.
 Tariff Bill, McKinley opens the debate on, in the House of Representatives, Washington, D.C.—May 7.
 Tariff Bill discussed in the U.S. Representatives; Mr. Bland denounces the bill as a measure of petty thievery and highway robbery.—May 16.
 Tariff Bill, U.S. Representatives, by 121 to 93, resolve to wind up the tariff debate in a few days.—May 16.
 Tariff Bill discussed in U.S. Senate, on motion of Mr. Sherman it was voted to consider bill in full committee instead of referring it to sub-committee.—May 27.
 University of United States, bill to establish, introduced into U. S. Senate by Mr. Edmunds.—May 14.
 West Point Appropriation Bill passed by U. S. Senate.—May 9.
 Worst Classification Bill passed in the U. S. Representatives.—May 1.
 Universal Suffrage, the Spanish Senate approves of.—May 1.
 Washington, Sir Julian Pauncefote, British minister, entertains Vice-President and Mrs. Morton at dinner.—May 2.
 World's Fair, Gage Lyman J., elected president of the Directors.—May 1.
 World's Fair, Pennsylvania Ry. Co. contributes a large sum, said to be \$275,000, towards the World's Fair at Chicago.—May 9.