THE DAILY EVENING TELEGRAPH.-PHILADELPHIA, FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1866.

LARGE FIRE IN NEW YORK. | FOURTH EDITION

Total Destruction of the Hudson River Railroad Freight Depot-**Twenty Cars Burned and** a Large Amount of Freight-Loss \$50,000.

About midnight we were informed, through Sergeant Robinson, of the Twenty-sixth Pre-cinct, of a large fire burning in the vicinity of Thirty-second street and North river. We immediately despatched a respirer by special convey-ance to that locality, when it was discovered that the Hudson River Railroad depot and a large number of cars were in flames.

The fire was discovered shortly before 12 o'clock, in the freight depot, where between 2009 and 3000 bales of hay were stored. The fire burned rapidly and spread to a large namber of freight cars in close vicinity to the depot, all of which were loaded with corn. potators, and other produce just brought from Albany. The depot, with the hay, was completely de-stroyed, as was also about 20 cars, with all the contents.

The total loss was estimated at about \$50,000, on which there was no insurance, or none which could be ascercained. Chief Engineer Kingsland, Fue Commissioner Pinckney, Sergeaat James, of the Twentieth Precinct Police, arrived early on the ground, and rendered all the assistance with the forces under their command towards staying the flames. At two o'clock the fire was still in progress,

but had been sufficiently subdued to prevent its spreading to other valuable property in the vicinity.-New York Tribune.

CRIME IN NEW YORK.

The Irving Bank Embezzlement-Arrest of the Defaulter and Recovery of the Money-Only \$15,000 Involved.

A rumor obtained considerable currency yes terday in monetary circles, to the effect that the Irving Bank, corner of Warren and Greenwich streets, had suffered heavily by embezzlement Upon investigation we learned, from undoubted authority, that the sum amounted merely to \$45,000, one-half of which has been already re-covered, and the friends of the embezzler have given bonds for the remainder. A young man, one of the bookkeepers of the bank, and son of a prominent clergyman of this city, whose name, we withhold from motives of delicacy, has been arrested and imprisoned. He admits his guilt. says he forced his balance-sheet to make up the deficit, and has returned a part of the

money. It will thus be seen that the bank will lose nothing whatever, and its business will not be embarrassed in the least by the affair, which, by the way, only injures those engaged in it. It is simply another illustration of the debasing influences of intemperance and demoralizing associations. We would have been glad to be silent in regard to the matter, but the rumors of the street were so much worse than the reality that we feel induced, for the purpose of allaying the distrust aroused vesterday by the whispered report, to place the facts authentically before The guilty party will perhaps be our readers. brought before a proper tribunal, until which time any further history of his crime may safely be postponed.-N. Y. Tribune.

Seizure of Fenian Arms. From the Montreal Gazette, May 28.

The United States Customs officers seized at Rouse's Point 1280 stand of arms on Saturday night. They had come oy the Lake Champlain boat, in cases marked "machinery" for Ogdens-burgh. The cases looked a little suspicious, and one of them was opened. The officers tele-graped to Washington for instructions, and the answer was to seize the arms and prevent their being forwarded. They were claimed by some Fenian Centre from the vicinity of Ogdensburgh, but they were detained by the United States authorities. As we write they are lying in the station house, and might be captured by force. But the Fenians will scarcely venture to play that game against the United States Government. This movement of arms, coupled with recent proceedings, would seem to indicate that the Fenians had not altogether abandoned their mad designs on the Provinces. There is yet reason to watch aga nat raids, and especially at

FROM WASHINGTON THIS AFTERNOON.

Our Special Despatches.

WASHINGTON, May 25.

Philadelphia Appointments.

icx-Marshal William Milliward, of your city, is almost a v centy visitor at the Capitol. It is rumored in certain circ es, that he is a candidate for Collector of the 1 ort, but on the other hand, parties well informed assert that he will be a candidate for Con" gress in the Second District, against O'Neili. A few days will develop what is in the wind,

New Jersey Senatorial Matters.

The expected demise or Senator Wright, of New Jersey, causes con-iderable speculation here as to who would be appointed to succeed him. On all sides it was conceased that A. G. Cattell should be the man; but as the appointment would only continue until the next Legis ature meets, and as there would then be two cenators to elect, the quidnance cast around for another available man, and the general opinion was that the appointment by the Gover. nor would rest between Cattell and Freinghuysen; and that the one who was not appointed would be expected to go to work and assist in carrying the State for the Union party next fall, so that the Logislature might elect both United States Senators from that party. The best feeling prevails among the friends of both these gentlemen, but Cattel is much better known in Congressional circles than Frelinghuysen, and the wish was generally expressed that he might be appointed. By a previous understanding the appointment belongs to the Western part of the State, and this will be likely to cause Cattell to be successful.

Important from Mexico

The Sta'e Department has received some late and very important news from Mexico, the latest dates from the Mexican capital being of the 12th instant. Everything indicated the stability and permanence of the present Government of Mexico. All the Government work! were being prosecuted with vigor Money was abundant. Mule trains laden with specie now travel on all the roads with safety. Six millions of dollars in gold and sliver had arrived at Mexico from distant points between the 3d and 10th of May.

The gold and silver coinage of the Mexican Mint for the month of April was nearly halt a million of dollars. The gradual departure of the French troops will cause no change in the condition of affairs. Ample arrangements are made for an efficient military torce. The Juarists have recently suffered several severe deleats. Instead of going to Chihuahua, as Senor Romero announced a month or two ago, Juarez has remained at El Paso. Chihuahua is occupied by a strong force of French troops. Fne statements that appear in some of the papers that Maximilian is preparing to leave Mexico are utterly without foundation It is the opinion of those persons here who are best informed on the subject, that even a general European war would not affect the stability or the Mexican empire, and a European war is regarded as by no means certain.

Frank Blair Rejected.

The statemont that the Senate had reconside ed the vote rejecting the nomination of Frank Blair as Collector of the First District of Missouri is incorrect. No confirmation or rejection can be reconsidered unless the motion is made within two Fxecutive sessions after confirmation.

Negro Testimony Befused in Virginia. In the Virginia Circuit Court, at Alexandria, yesterday, when the case of the Commonwealth vs. Roe, a white man charged with felony, was being iried, the Commonwealth's attorney asked that he might be permitted to introduce negro witnesses to testify claiming the right to do so under the provisions of the Civil Rights bill.

Judge Thomas declined permission, on the ground that this was a State Court, and he was acting under the laws of the State which forbade a negro to tea tify in a case against a white man, except "when the case arises out of an injury done, attempted, or threatened to the person, property, or rights of a colored person or Indian, and when the off-nse was committed by a white person, in conjunction with a colored person or Indian "

Latest Markets by Telegraph.

Latest Markets by Telegraph. NEW YORE, May 25.-S. cks are better and active-Chic. coand Roca. isand, 921; Comberiand preferred, 45; Illinois Central, 117]; Michigan Southern, 791; New York Central, 94; Headnay, 1104; Hadson River, 1131; Canton Company, 573; Virginia 64, 67; Mis-souri 64, 741; Erce Kautroad, 673; Western Union Televirath Company, 63; United States Coupons 1862 101; do 1864, 1014; do 1865, 1014; Ten Fortues, 941; Treasury 7, 3-10, 1014@1014. Gold, 1391@1393, c. csing at the latitor price. The Cotton Market closed buoyant; Middling Up-lands, 40@410.; Orleans 42@48c.

lands, 40@41c.; Orleans 42@48c.

MATTERS OVER THE RIVER.

PICKED UP.—The body of an unknown white man was yesterday picked up in the river at Kaighn's Point, and Coroner Roberts took it in charge. Deceased was dressed in a black or dark suit, had on a pair of gaiter elastic shoes, cavalry gioves, and wore pretty heavy whiskers on his chin. He was about forty years of age, and had been in the water some time, as partial decomposition had commenced.

AGRICULTURAL .- The cultivation of the tomato i- to be carried forward the present seamany parts of West Jersey to a greater son m extent iban ever. It has been discovered that they make an excellent vinegar, and one bushel will make a barrel of forty gallons. Some gen-tlemen in Camden have invested over ten thousand dollars in raising tomatoes for this special purpose, and hundreds of acres additional will devoted to their cultivation.

ANOTHER CHURCH ENTERPRISE .- The Centenary Methodist Episcopal congregation have just purchased a lot of ground on Cooper street, sixty by one hundred and fifty feet, and will in a short time commence building a fine church edifice on it. Camden is rapidly increasing in its churches and schools.

COMMITTED .- A temale, giving her name as Mary Kelley, was before Mayor Budd yesterday, on a charge of having perpetrated a bur-glary at the house of Mr. Titus, at Cooper's Point. Some of the articles were found upon her person. She was committed.

BOLD .- A party of scamps, residing near Vineland, recently contracted and delivered a hundred cords of wood at Millville, which they had stolen from the West Jersey Railroad Com-Dany.

BROUGET BACK .- About two weeks ago wo prisoners confined in the Camden County Jail made their escape, but yesterday one of them, named Drake, was recaptured and brought back to his old quarters.

TAMPERING WITH THE MAILS .- The Postmaster at Millville has been convicted of opening letters put into the office at that place.

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CITY INTELLIGENCE

[For Additional Local Items see Third Page.] EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS. At 9 o'clock this morning the Convention assembled at St Andrew's Courch for divine services. Bey, E. M. Peck, or Mauch Chunk, and Rev. J. A. Stone of Marcus Hook, read the Morning Pravers. At 10 o'clock the Convention proceeded to busi-ness, Rev. Dr. Howe, President. The minutes of yesterday's sessions were read and approved.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT DARBY.

Al Woollen Mill Partially Destroyed This Morming-Less about \$10,000. About half past 9 c'olock this morning a des.ruc-tive firs occurred at the woollen and cotton mills of simeon Lioyd, situated in the village of Darby, about seven miles trom Market Street Bridge. Our re-porter immediately repaired to the spot, and oc-tained the following particulars :--These mills are situated on Darby creek, near the bridge which crosses said creek about a stone's thiow from the old Battonwood Tree Tavern, and about the centre of the borough of Darby. The mills are built of stone, these stories in height, and employ about 2000 hands. Kennucky peans linebs, muslies, and other dry goods are manufactured at the mills. The mills ex-tend on Darby creek a distance of about 300 feet, with a deprin of 58 feet.

The first was first discovered in the second story with a depth of 58 leet. The first was first discovered in the second story in the picker-room. This building, which is also built of stone, and adjoins the main shidding, was completely destroyed, with all its contents, consist-ing of a large amount of cotton and woolen mate-rias. The picker-room is separated from the mann building by an iron fire proof structure, built in order to protect the main building from any fire that might occur in the picker-room, and in this in-stance the presention was well advised, for other-wise the main building model of purposes con-nected with the mill, and which was entirely de-stroyed

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Strange to say, although the picker-room is sepa rated from the inst building measioned by the engine and coller shop, still the latter entirely escaped in-jury, while the two former were completely de-arroyed. The entire loss is estimated at about \$10,000, which it is thought is fully covered by in-surance.

surance. Several buildings adjoining the mills were on fire at different times, but through the exertions of the firemen and ci izens they were saved from total destruction. One bui ding was on fire eight different destruction. One bui ding was on fire eight different times. This is the third time these mills have caught

About 11 o'clock the flames were well got under, rough the exertions of the firemen. At the through the exertions of the firemen. At the time the fire was at its height, a te egraphic message was sent to the Critef Engineer of the Philadelphia Fire Department for ass stauce, when the following com-sames repaired to the scene and rendere i material aid in queeing the flames, namely :--West Philadel-phia Eugine, Mantua Fire Company, Good Will House, Union Hose, and fivoil Hose.

Hose, Union Hose, and fivoil Hose. FATAL ACCIDENT TO A CLERGYMAN'S WIFE.-About ton days ago, Mrs. Catherine R. Ruoder, wile of Kev. William Rudder, Reelor of St Stephens' Churco, in this city, being in very poor heath, went to New York for medical advice and treatment. She teok acartments with Mr. Jacob R. Nevius, a relative, hving at No. 7 West Nine-teenth street. Mrs. Rudder was under the care of Dr. William W. Jone-, who was treating her for dyspepsia, rush oi b cod to the head, bleeding from the nose, etc. The sufferings of Mrs. Rudder can-ed her to be vory much depressed in spirits, besides which she was restiess, and unable to sleep. On Wednesday creating Dr Jones called to see her, and observed indications of nallucination of mind, and she stemed deep, v impre-sed with the idea that she had tecome disfigured. she had i ecome disfigured.

and she seemed deep.v impressed with the idea that she had i come disfigured. At about 7 o'clock vesterday mornin.v. Mr Nevius, who occupied the front bedroom on the second floor, heard Mrs. Rudder movine about the rear room in which she slept the asked her how she had slept during the night. She replied, "Very poorly." She then closed the doors communicating between the rooms, and boiled them In a few moments Mr Nevius heard the window open, and immedi-stely thereafter, the screaus of the doors to Mrs. Rudder's room locked he ran down stars. Mrs. Rudder's room locked he ran down stars. Mrs. Rudder's room locked he ran down stars. She was carried up surs, and Dr J C Healts was called. Mrs. Rudder died in a tew minutes. It was then discovered that she had suff red a dislocation of the vertebue of the neck. It was evident that the unfortunare had stepped out on the roof of the extension room, and either fell or throw herself thene to the onven the ow a distance of about inquest in the case. In the absence of any evidance of suicide the jury rendered a ver it: "that the de-ceased came to her death by a fracture of the recue bre of the neck, caused i y an accidental tail." Mrs. Rudder was thrts-right years or age, and a native of New York. She was a very beautiful and accomplished lady, and her sudden and tage death will cause sincere mourning in a large circle of rela-tives and irreuds.

tives and friends. Dr Rudder has been for some time Assistant Rec-tor of St. Stetchen's Church, in Tenth street, below Market, and has become one of the most popular preachers of his denomination in this city. After the ceath of Dr. Ducacaet he was chosen to fill the vacancy and his many friends will sympatoize with how in his becomentation. him in his bereavement

AN INTERESTING LEGAL CASE .- The following case, tried before Judge McCunn, is not only of local interest, but as it settles some important questions of the law of agency, is worthy the atten-

TILL-TAPPING-CAUTION .- Yesterday the

cigar store of Horatio Gavey, in Filteenth street, above Stiles, was entered by a thiet, who adroitly relieved the monoy-drawer of its contents, and made his escape, Several suck events have trans-pired recently in the immediate neighborhood, and it behoves the residents and shepkeepers to be on the alert, so that the scamp or scam ps may be apprehanded

BASE BALL .- The Athletics will have a grand club march to morrow atternoon, at their grounds, Fifteenth and Columbia avenue. The nine that are to play the Euroka on the 7th of Jane next will play a picked ulne from the rest of the club. Seats will be reserved for lades, who are particularly invited. There will be no charge for admission.

THE CITY PASTOR CASE .- This case came up this morning, when, upon the request of the coun-sel for Mr. McE, when, it may not be a substantial until this afternoon at So'clock, for the purpose of producing the act of Assembly upon the subject of fustees. It is expected that it will be decided at that time.

SLIGHT FIRE. - This morning about 3 o'clock a shed in the rear of 1 and and is iron foundry, Nos. 1089 and 1001 Germantown road, was destroyed by fire Loss about \$100

- THE CAUSELESS FRIGHT.-
- All lonely sitting, Mrs F. Waits till her George comes home to tea; But, hark, that stealthy fall Of footstep nigh! What man is there, With such smart dress and dashing air?

- The fady gives a squall! Bridget, who hears that shriek, shrieks too, But Mrs. E., on nearer view, Beholds her George in garments new,
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grades, up to the very finest fabrics, at prices reduced in proportion-Men's, Fouths', and Boys'. Thou-SANDS HAVE FOUND WITHIN THE PAST FEW WEEKS THAT WE ARE ACTUALLY SELLING GOOD, BERVICE-ABLE GOODS AT THE FRICES NAMED.

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ENTERPRISE.—The preat requisites for success in America are pluck and enterprise; and Hoimbild, the well-known druggist, has in his business career evinced both of these qualities. The consequence is that he has achieved a success. He has one of the finest establishments in New York city, while the reputation of the well-known Helmbolu's Prepara-tions is co-extensive with availation.

reputation of the well-known Helmbold's Prepara-tions is co-extensive with civilization. These preparations, it is almost needless to say, are not "quack medicines." nor "patent m-dicines;" they are simply tegitimate, scientifically compounded preparations, which, for the r appropriate com-plantics, are without a rival. They have been before the public for many years and are at the present moment more in demand than ever. This shows conclusively their genuine merit. At Helmbold's New Store, next the ketropolitan Hotel, in addition to these preparations-the Extracts of Bucha and Sar at arthla-are sold all varieties of Draws and Chemica's The establishment is perhaps the finest in the city of New York, and the public are respect-fully invited to call and judge for themselves. Depote, No. 104 S Teuth street and No. 594 Broad-way, New York. his age. His friends and those of the family are invited to attend the futeral services, on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'c ock precisely, at Oid Pine Street Church, Rev. PRISE LODGE, NO 201, and the Order in gene al. are respectfully requested to meet at the Bash, SIX FH and CRESSON Streets, on Sunday afternoon at 124 o'clock to attend the funeral of our late b other, P G. PHILIP L SUMMERS By order of the N G. WM. C. DAUBMAN, M L. KOHLIURD, Secretary. §5 way, New York.

VALUABLE AND RELIABLE - "Brown's Bronchial Troches" will be found invaluable to those exposed to sudden chanves, affording prompt relief in cases of Coughs, Colds, etc. For public speakers and singers, and those who overtax the voice, they are useful in relieving an irrita'ed throat, and will render articulation easy. As there are imitations, be sure to OBTAIN the genuina,

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MARRIED.

BLOOMSBURG-SMIIH.-On the 31 tus'ant, st the Central M. R. Parsenage, No. 1832 Vine street, by the Rev. G. W. Brindle, P. BLOOMSBURG, Jr., U.S. N., to Miss ELIZA B. SMITH, of Yardville,

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CALVER-ADAMS.-By the Bey. William Cath-cart, Msy 24, G. W. H. CALVER M. D., to LIDE, daughter of Robert Adams. Jr., all of this city. HUTCHINSON-HENEY.-OB the 28d of Febru-ary last, by Rev. T. A. Fernley, Mr. JOESPH HUTCHINSON to Miss SYLVANIA JESSIRY, daughter of the late William Henry, Esq., all of this city. oity.

MARTIN-HENWOOD - On the evening of the 17th of May, 1966, by the Hon Morton McMichael, Mayor of Phiadelphia, Mr. THOMAS J. MARTIN to Miss KAIE, daughter of the late William Hen-wood, Esq., all of this city.

DIED.

DIED. BROWN.-On the 24th instant, ELIZABETH W. BROWN, in the 46th year of her age. Her relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her functal, from the residence of her sister, Mrs. Mary Pritchett, No. 807 Buttonwood street, on Monday, the 23th instant, at 9 o'clock. To proceed to Cedar Hill Cemetery. CANTY.-Os the 24th instant, ELIZA JANE CANTY, daughter of Charles Quinn, in the 20th year of her age.

of her age. The relatives and friends of the family are respect-fully invited to attend the funeral, from the resi-dence of her father No 1008 S. Eighth street, below Carpenter, on Sunday affernoon at 1 o'clock.

FEITERS.—On the evening of the 23d instant, FEITERS.—On the evening of the 23d instant, BENJAMIN W FEITERS, infant son of Wilbur F. and Amands Fetters, in the 3d year of his age. The relatives and mends of the inmity are respect-fully invited to attend the funeral from the resi-dence of his parents, No. 808 Gaul street, Kirkteen the Ward, on Sunday afternoon next at 2 o clock. MCODEVILLE - On the dath har: HENRS I AVER.

McDEVIIT.—On the 24th inst., HENRY JAMES McDEVIIT.—On the 20th year of h s age. The triends of the family are invited to attend the functal, from the residence of his parents, John and Cecilia McDevitt, S. W. corner of 1 wenty-third and Pinestreets, on Sunday, the 27th instant, at 3 o'clock, without further notice. without further notice

LARY .- On the 28d instant. JULIA, reliet of the

late Daniel Lary, acod 66 years. The relatives and friends of the family are re-pect-fully invited to attend the fameral, from her late residence, No 1416 Warnock street, on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock, without further notice. Fine-ral service at St Malichi's Church.

SUMMERS.-Op the 28d instant, PHILIP L. SUMMERS.-Op the 28d instant, PHILIP L. SUMMERS, aged 29 years. The relatives, triends, and those of the family, also Epterprise Lodge, No. 201, I. O of O. F., are respect-fully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his parents, No. 119 Jacoby street, on Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Service at St John's Lat-theran Church, Race street. Interment at the Odd Fellows' Cemetery. WHILLDIN.-On the 23d instant for apoplexy. WHILLDIN.-On the 23d instant, lof apoplexy, Captain WILMON WHILLDIN, in the 63d) car of

SEWING MACHINE TWEEZERS, OILERS, and Screw Drivers, for sale at TRUMAN & SHAW'S, No. 885 (Eight Thirty-five) MARKET St. below Night.

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Gen. Logan Declines Running for Congress. From the Duquoin (111.) Recorder.

As the following letter speaks for itself, we present it to the public without comments:-

D. C BARBER AND OTHERS .- Gentlemen :- I see from the resolutions at your county meeting, he Pinckneyville, April 25, you recommended that i be requested by the committees of the different coun-ties in our Congressional District to become a candithe in our Congressional District to become a candi-date for Congress at the ensuing election. I am cer-tamiy under renewed obligations for the kindly feeling you express toward me, but I must say to you that I cannot, under any circumstances, become a candidate for the position You will find me, now-ever, fighting by your side in the Union cause when the time comes. Your resolutions have the ring of the true metal. As you all know I am fully com-mitted on all the pro ositions you present, in my speeches made in Illinois and elsewhere, and have more firmly convinced by events that I was right. Very respectfully, your obedient servant, JOHN A. LOGAN.

Who is Stephens ?

To the Editor of THE EVENING TELEGRAPH .-Your Brockville contemporary is "on the wrong track" in its genealogical tracings of Head Centre Stephens. C. O. I. R. Stephens is not the son of the John street (Kilkenny) dyer, nor is her graduate of the ancient grammar school (called the anglish College) so poetically described by your contemporary. He is the son of John Stephens, a Catholic, and first clerk of a Mr. Meighan, proprietor of a salt house, and next of an auctioneer named Douglas He is the grandson of James Stephens, familiarly known to the citizens of Kilkenny as "a noggin weaver," on the Butts-an impoverished suburb of the city.

The Catholic Stephenses-ancestors of the C. O. I. R.-were humble, honest, and influential people. The Episconalian Stevenses were at one time highly respectable, but "fell down the hill" many years ago. Even of this latter family, most of its recent representatives have been members of the Roman Catholic Church. In his native city, the C. O. I. R. is practically an unknown individual. ANTI-HUMBUG.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

United States District Court-Judge Cadwalader.—In the case of Manassah, alias Minnie, Frice and George H. Manson, charged with making and passing United States ten dollar notes, the jury ren-dered a verdict of guilty. Sentence deterred The United States vs. William Hardman. The de-

Bered a verdict of guilty. Sentence deterred
The United States vs. William Hardman. The defendant is charged with passing a counterfeit dity-dollar United States freasury note upon Stephen Orth a merchaut of Gearswille, and with having more counterfeits in his porsession.
The procecution allere, and attempt to show, that detendant went to the store of Orth on the night of the 38x of December last, and requested and obtained change for this bill in good money. Also, that he attempted but failed to pass the same bill upon another man previously. The procecution al ege that the decendant fied after the commission of the offense. The case is still ou trial
Bustriet Court No. 1-Judge Hare.-Martin A. Kelloyg vs. Exra K. Coukling. An action to recover an amount claimed by plaintiff as commission for the sale of a quantity of whisky in the eity of New York for detendant. The defense set up was a set-off to a partion of plaintiff's claim for money, and, whereas the whisky was sold on credit, and defendant was afterwards obliged to is a cash sale, whereas the whisky was sold on credit, and defendant Me. 2-Judge Stroud.-

The strict Court No. 2.—Judge Stroud.— Thomas Rull, trading as Thomas Hull & Co. vs. Peter Earle and Edward Earle, trading as P. & E. Earle. An action to recover for two boat-loads of coal sold and delivered to defendants. The defense set up was that the coal was not delivered at the time agreed upon, whereby the defendants sustained loar. On trial.

The Judge stated his determination to execute the laws of his State until ordered otherwise.

Postal Contract:

The Postmaster-General has ordered'a contract with the Oregon Steam Navigation Company to convey the mails from Portland, Oregon, to the Dalles. at \$10,000 per annum, the service to be six times a week, and permits the contractor to give the offices at Fisher's Landing. Washington, and Hood River a weekiy supply.

Proposals Opened.

The Joint Committee on Printing have opened a large number of bids for engraving, and illustrations for the Patent Office Report, from Boston, Buffalo New York, and Philadelphia. No awards have yet been made.

Mission Tendered to Governor Cartin. It is said by friends of Governor Curtin that he has been tendered the mission to Italy.

CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, May 25.

Senate.

Mr. Mortill (Me.) introduced a resolution calling upon the President for information as to what Exe-cutive action had taken place under the various bills for the colonization of persons of African

Mis for the colonization of persons of African descent Acouted. Mr. Wilson (Mass.) called up the joint resolution concerning cadet app intments. The question was upon the atmendment of Mr. Nesmith (Oregon), that hereafter the Superintendent of the Military Academy may be selected from any corps of the army. The joint resolution was then passed. The debate on the Reconstruction resolutions was

then resumed.

House of Representatives.

Mr. Donneliv (Minu.) introduced a bill to en-courage the growth of forest trees on the Western plains. Read twice and referred to the Committee on Fublic Lands Mr. Hubbard (Iowa) introduced a bill to repeal the

restriction in the postal laws which prohibits the carrying of franked books and documents by the overland mail to the Western Ferritories, and which requires their prepayment. It was read twice and referred to the Post Office Committee.

On motion of Mr. Perham (Me) the Senate amend-ments to the House bill amendatory of the Pension laws were non-concurred in, and a committee of con terence was asked.

The Senate bill to incorporate the District of Co-lumbia canal and seworage Company was taken up as the first business in order during the morning hour. It provides for a commercial canal and a sever between the Anacosta river, from a point near its junction with the Potomac to a point on the old canal, and thence deep-ening ten feet below high tide. The canal or pitch to the Georgetown terminus of the Chesaveake and Ohio canal. The capital stock of the Chesaveake rived from tolls and rents for the use of wharves and ooks, and the Company is bound within thirty days after the passage of the act to cause a constant stream of firesh water to be turned into the old canal, and continue to flow till the 20th of October next. The Senate bill to incorporate the District of Conext.

next. Mr: Ingersell (III), who reported the bill from the Committee on the District explained its great importanced as a sanitary and as a commercial mea-sure, stating in the latter connection that that it was intended to construct a canal from the Auscosta river at Washington to Annapolis, a distance of twenty miles, which would give water communica-tion between Washington and New York, and through the Chesapeake Canal, thus diminishing by several hundred miles the present water route by way of Fortress Monroe. way of Fortress Monroe.

approved. On motion, it was resolved, that hereafter the sta On motion, it was resolved, that hereafter the sta-tistical matter of Parochial Reports be published in tabular form, instead of the present detailed manner. The Chairman announced the following as the Committee on the Division of the Diocese:-Rev. Messrs. Miles, of Wikesbarre, Lightner, Leacock, Marple, Messrs, B. S. Russell, E. Owen Parry, Win. Weigh.

Welsh. On motion, two additional clerical and two lay

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At the request of Mr. William Welsh, he was ex-cused from serving on the committee, and Dr. Howe was substituted and appointed chairman. Rev. Mr. Cummins, Mr. Gunn. and Dr. Atiee, of Lancaster, were subsequently added. On motion, the thanks of the Convention wereldi-rected to be given to the liberal-minded gentleman who had anonymously given to each of the clerical members a copy of a valuable work on "The Sab-bath." bath."

A motion was offered, that a committee of five be appointed to ascertain what has been accomplished in the work of the Diocesan Missions, independent of the Board of Missions, and to report the evidence to the Convention.

to the Convention. A lengthy debate ensued upon this resolution, in which participated Rev. Dr. Newton, Rav. Dr. Lounsbury, Rev. Mr. Matlack. Rev. Dr. Claxton. Messrs. Wright and Morris, Rev. Mr. Hare, Rev. Mr. Jerome, and others. On motion, the resolution was laid on the table. The following memorial was adouted by

On motion, the resolution was laid on the table. The following memorial was adopted :---Whereas, It has pleased the great Head of the Church to take from our midst our late venerable triend and brother, Rev. Henry W. Ducachet, D. D., who, for the space of more than thirty years, was identified with the interests of the Church in the Discess of Pennsylvania, therefore

Diocese of Pennsylvania, therefore *Resolved*, That this Convention, while humbly bowins to the will of God in this dispensation of His providence, desire to express their high appreciation of his character as a warm hearted and devoted Christian, a profound scholar, and a cultivated gen-

tleman. Resolved. That in the death of Dr. Ducachet we Resolved. That in the death of Dr. Ducachet we recognize the loss of one of the most useful members of this Convention, one who was clear and concise in debate, liberal and generous in advocating prin-ciples and projects for the extension of the kingdom of our Lord and Master, and who possessed in a large extent the happy faculty of reconciling differ-ences of opinion and creating a spirit of brotherly kindness and charity. *Resolved*, That this Convention desire to express their succer and hearty symmetry with the afflicted

hesowed, that this Convention derive to express their sincere and hearly sympathy with the afflicted family of our deceased brother, and hearly com-mend them to the care and protection of our Father in heaven, and implore the blessing of that Divine Comforter who can alone bind up the broken heart and heal the wounded spirit. On motion, a committee of three, to include the Secondary and Assistant Secondary of the free the

Scoretary and Assistant Secretary of the Conven-tion, was appointed to revise and condense the pub-heation of the Journal of the Convention.

On motion, a memorial expressive of the Christian virtues of the late Rev. John A. Vaugan, D D, and of the sorrow of the Convention at his loss, was adopted

Whis adopted The Report of the Standing Committee was then presented as printed in the *Inquirer* in the proceed ings of the first day, and the various considerations

Mete referred to appropriate committees. On motion, the valary of the Bishop of the Diocese of Pennsylvania was fixed at \$5000 per annum. On motion, 1000 cop es of the Journal, and 1000 copies of Dr. Howe's Sermon on Missions, were di-rected to be printed.

On motion, the next Convention was fixed to as The thanks of the Convention was fixed to ar-day in May, 1867, at 5 o'clock in the atternoon. The thanks of the Convention were tendered for the use of St. Andrew's Church, and to the Rev. Dr. Howe for the able discharge of the duties of President

After prayer and the prenouncing of the benediction the Convention adjourned sine die.

SUICIDE .- William Flake committed suicide this morning by shooting himself, at his real-dence, No. 1411 Ridge avenue, above Contes street. dence, No. 1411 Ridge avenu Cause, temporary insanity.

THE SUPREME COURT have reappointed Inspectors of Moyamenaing Prison, Colonel W. H. Keichline, John Brodhead, Joseph R. Chandler, Edmund Smith, and Herman Cope.

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ducations of the new of agency, is worthy the atten-tion of the legal profession Joseph T. Martin vs. William A Farnsworth.— The plaintiff in this case was the owner of the steam-tug May Queen, and the defendant the owner of the Antietam The barque went ashore near the Dela-ware breakwater, and Mr. Farnsworth sont on to Metcalf & Duncan the following telearam:—"Send me small towboat, engineer, my diving apparatus and diver, or telegraph Eston Merrill, Bolden street, South Boston. to come. Make the best trade you South Boston, to come. Make the best trade you

can." Metcalf & Duncan made an arrangement for the bire of the scenar May Queen, and she was despatched to the Delaware. When near the Capes of the Delaware she collided with the gun-boat Wamsutta, and sunk, and for her value the Delaware she

boat Wamsutta, and sunk, and for her value the plaintiff brings suit. There was some dispute as to what the arrange-ment made by Fletcher & Duncan with the plaintiff, for the charter party, was. The plaintiff claims that the arrangement was that the defendant should pay \$4:50 per hour for the tug and the cost of her coal, and should and did furnish the cost plot, thus plac-ture the vascal under the charge of the defendant's ing the vessel under the charge of the defendant's

ing the vessel under the charge of the defendant's servant. The defendant claimed, first that the telegram did not authorize Fletcher & Duncan to make any arrangement beyond the employment of the tug, but defined with sufficient distinctness what they were to do. The Court ruled that the telegram was broad enough to authorize such an arrangement The defendant also claimed that the arrangement the defendant also claimed that the arrangement the defendant also claimed that the arrangement the defendant was to pay the plaintiff his hire. He further claimed that there were, that the pilot was the plaintiff sacent, and the defendant was entitled to recover from the plaintiff the value of his steam-pumps on board, and other damaga. The givence on the pilot, was very conflicting, and those points were leit to the piloy. The caim of the plain-tiff was for \$15,000; the counter-claim of the plain-dant for \$10,000. The jury rendered a verdict for plaintiff is complaintiff for \$5602 50.

A CHICKEN THIEF .- On Wednesday night one John Lewis schmidt was caught at Chesnut Hill, having in his possession a lot of chickens, turkeys, shove:s, etc , about which he could no make a very clear statement Upon investigation it was found that the articles had been stolen from the premises of Benjamin Jones, who resides in Mont-comery county. Alderman Thomas heard the case, and ordered him to be sent to Montgomery county to answer the charge of largency. He was placed in the charge of Officer Schaffer,

He was placed in the charge of Officer Schaffer, with orders to take him to the scene of his depreda-tions. While on the cars of the Norristown Rail-road, Schuidt managed to escape somewhere be-tween spring Mills and Conshoucken. Officer Schaffer finding that his bird had flown, returned to this city, and with the assistance of Officer Suit, dis-coverad the individual last neg t at a bousein Shup. covered the individual last nig't at a house in Ship-pen street. He was taken to Montgomery county this morning.

BIRTHDAY OF THE QUEEN OF ENGLAND. -I hursony being the anniversary of the birthday of the Queen of England-an event which has always the Queen of England—an event which has always been celebrated is this sity with much enthusiasm by English residents—the British shipping in the ports were dressed in holiday bunting. During the evening quite a number of pleasant reunions were had at the houses of our most prominent English families, and "good Queen Victoria's" health was frequently drunk by enthusiastic admirers.

HOUSE BROKEN INTO .- The residence of O. H. P. Conover, at the soutwest corner of fwenty O. n. P. Conover, at the soutwest corner of I wenty-first and Sansom, was entered by thieves last night. They effected their entrance through the kitchen window, but before they secured any booty they were trightened off by the police. Housekeepers should see to it that all their windows are secure, as the city is at present full of suspicious characters.

AN ENTRUSIASTIC THIEF. - Yesterday James Ayres, also Flynn, entered the West Phila-dephia Rose house, and abstracted therefrom a sulver fire horn, and was making away with it when the police captured him, and took him before Alder-man Allen in depute the pail man Allen in default of bail.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT .- A lad named William Hamilton, 14 years of age, residing at No. 935 South Fourth street, was run over by a wavon at Almond street wharf yesterday moraing, and instantly

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