FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

OFFICE OF THE EVENING TELEGRAPH, Wednesday, October 3, 1866.

The Stock Market opened dull this morning, and prices were unsettled. In Government bonds there was little or nothing doing. 111½ was bid for old 5-20s; 111½ for 68 of 1881; 106 for 7-30s; and 99½ for 10-40s. City loans were in fair demand; the new issue sold largely at 99½, an advance of ¼, and old do. at 95½, no change.

Railroad shares, as we have noticed for several days past, continue the most active on the list. Reading sold at 58@58¼, a decline of ⅛; Little Schuylkill at 36, a decline of ½; Camden and Amboy at 129½, no change; Pennsylvania Railroad at 57¼@57½, no change; and Northern Central at 46¼, no change; 58 was bid for Norristown; 39 for North Pennsylvania; 30 for Elmira common, 42 for preferred do.; 31½ for Catawissa preferred; 54½ for Philadelphia and Baltimore; and 33½ for Philadelphia and Erie.

City Passenger Railroad shares were unchanged. Hestonville sold at 17½. 88 was bid for Second and Third; 21½ for Thirteenth and Fifteenth; 37 for Spruce and Pine; 55 for Chestnut and Walnut; 71 for West Philadelphia; 30 for Green and Coates; 28 for Girard College; and 42 for Union.

In Bank Shares, there was more doing. First National, at 145; Central at 130; Commercial at 57, and Mechanics' at 33 233 for North America; 148 for Philadelphia; 132½ for Farmers' and Mechanics'; 100 for Northern Liberties; 101 for Southwark; 95 for Kensington; 56½ for Pennsylvania Township; 68 for Corn Exchange; 60¼ for Girard; 100 for Tradesmen's; 68 for City; 44 for Consolidation; and 65 for Union.

In Canal shares there was very little movement. 28½ was bid for Schuylkill Navigation common, 37 for preferred do., 58 for Lehigh Navigation, 120 for Morris Canal preferred, 14½ for Susquehanna Canal, and 56½ for Delaware Division.

Quotations of Gold—10½ A. M., 148; 11 A. M., 147¾; 12 M., 147¼; 1 P. M., 147½.

PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES TO-DAY
Reported by De Haven & Bro, No. 40 S. Third street

BEFORE BOARDS.

300 sh Reading Railroad			lots 58¾

FIRST BOARD

$300 City 6s new	99½	200 sh Read	lts c 59
$16000 do	lots. 99½	100 sh do	b5 .58
$300 do	99½	100 sh do	s60. 58
$1000 Pa R 1st m 6s	101	200 sh do	lots s5 58¼
$1000 Un'n C 6s	24	100 sh do	s5int 58½
$500 Read 6s '83	95	200 sh do	s5swnt 58½
$1000 do	1870 93	8 sh Lit Sch	b5. 35
$500 N Pa 6s	92	50 sh 1st Nat Bank	145
$2000 Leh 6s '84	92½	10 sh Cen Nat B	130
200 sh N Centr	lots 46½	40 sh Coml Bk	b5 57
301 sh Pa R	lots. 57½	28 sn do	lots. 57
50 sh do	3d. 57½	1 sh Mech Bank	33
6 sh do	57½	1 sh Girard Bk	59½
200 sh Keystone Z 1 1-16		100 sh Big Mtn	4½
10 sh Cam & Amb	129½	100 sh Hestonville R	17½

—Messrs. De Haven & Brother, No. 40 South Third street, report the following rates of exchange to-day at 1 P. M.:—American gold, 147¼@147¾; Silver ⅛ and ¼s, 138; Compound Interest Notes, June, 1864, 16½; do., July, 1864, 16½; do., August, 1864, 15½; do., October, 1864, 14½; do., December, 1864, 13½; do., May, 1865, 11½; do., August, 1865, 10½; do., September, 1865, 9½; do., October, 1865, 9½.

—Messrs. William Painter & Co., bankers, No. 36 South Third street, report the following rates of exchange to-day at 12 o'clock:—U. S. 6s, 1881, registered, 111¼@111½; do., coupon, 111¼@111½; do., coupon, 1862, 111¼@111½; do., 1864, 109½@109¾; do., 1865, 109½@109¾; U. S. 10-40s, registered, 99@99½; do., coupon, 99@99½; U. S. 7-30s, 1st series, 105½@106¼; do., 2d series, 105½@106¼; do., 3d series, 105½@106¼; Compound Interest Notes, December, 1864, 113½@113¾.

Philadelphia Trade Report.

WEDNESDAY, October 3.—The receipts and stocks of Breadstuffs are unprecedentedly small, and most holders are asking an advance for most descriptions.

There is a fair inquiry for Timothy Seed, and 250 bushels sold at $3 50. Flaxseed is unchanged. Sales of 500 bushels prime at $3 35. Cloverseed ranges from $7 to $7 75.

The stocks of Flour have become reduced to a very low figure, and with present and prospective slight receipts holders have put up their prices fully 25 cents ⅌ barrel for the better grades of spring and winter wheat. Sales of superfine at $7 75@8 75; 100 barrels extras at $8 50; 1800 barrels Northwestern extra family at $12@13 25; 400 barrels winter wheat do. do., at $13@14; and fancy brands at $15@16 50, according to quality. Rye Flour may be quoted at $6@6 50. Nothing doing in Corn Meal.

The offerings of Wheat are exceedingly small, and the article is in steady request; sales of fair and choice red at $2 35@3 10; white ranges from $3 to 3 25. 400 bush Pennsylvania Rye sold at $1 18. Corn is in good demand, and prices have again advanced; sales of 5500 bush. Western mixed at $1 07@1 08. Oats are steady; sales of 1000 bush. at 55c. Nothing doing in Barley or Malt.

Whisky is unchanged; small sales of Pennsylvania at $2 37 and Ohio at $2 44.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE BERGMANN MARETZEK OPERA TROUPE.—Signor Giorgio Ronconi will positively make his appearance on the 15th instant. At last advices the veteran buffo was causing a frenzy of delight with his "Crispino," given now for the first time in London. Strong as were the ejaculations heaped upon his "Lord Rechburg" by the press, they were faint in comparison with the admiring epithets called forth by his hilarious and inconceivably droll "Crispino." Apropos of Ronconi, "Il Trovatore," the Paris correspondent of the Milan *Musical Journal*, mentions, June 30, the presence of his daughter in the *salons* of the French nobility, before whom she has been displaying a soprano of the rarest quality. According to "Il Trovatore," the Signorina Ronconi, who is scarcely seventeen years old, is gifted with an executive skill that is something "marvellous." Her trills and cadenzas are especially admired. Added to this she is beautiful. And, what is equally interesting to us, she is coming with her father to Philadelphia for the express purpose of making her opera *debut* under the direction of Mr. Maretzek, who has the reputation of having started more good artists on the road to fame than any other impressario of the century.

NEW CHESNUT STREET THEATRE.—Mr. John E. Owens performed his inimitable "Uncle Solon Shingle" to another immense audience last night. The applause was more generous than upon the previous representations, and Mr. Owens' unctuous drollery was received with very general expressions of enjoyment. In the farce of *John Dobbs*, Mr. George H. Clarke, with his cool, tantalizing fun, fairly divided the popular honors with Mr Owens. *Uncle Solon Shingle* and *John Dobbs* will be repeated to-night, and the two form an exceedingly attractive bill.

WALNUT STREET THEATRE.—Mr. John Brougham had a good house last evening. *Playing with Fire* went off most joyously, and the people, who never tire of the "Governor" insisted upon calling him before the curtain, for the purpose of twisting one of his excessively comical speeches out of him. This evening Mr Brougham's finest burlesque, *Po-ca hon-tas*, will be given. Mr. Brougham plays "King Pow-ha-tan," and Miss Susan Denin has been engaged expressly to sustain the part of the lovely "Po-ca hon-tas." We are constrained to compliment the management upon the engagement of Mr. Simon Hassler as leader of the orchestra. His selections are of the very best and most popular character, and he manages his orchestra with the care and taste of a true *maestro*. The overture to *Nabucco*, last evening, was very neatly executed, and it was applauded and appreciated by nearly all present.

ARCH STREET THEATRE.—The "Benoltons" pass themselves off for a *fast family* again to-night. Faster folks are not often seen, certainly. *The Fast Family* will be played all this week, with Mrs John Drew, Mr. Griffiths, Miss L. Marlowe, Mr. Moldaunt, Mr. Frank Rivers, Miss Lizzie Price, Miss Annie Ward, and all of the Company favorites in the cast.

NEW AMERICAN THEATRE.—Mr Proctor has made quite a hit in *Nick of the Woods*. He is a fine actor, if we overlook a slight tendency to rant, and his versatility is remarkable. He has already made hosts of friends here. To-night he will appear again as the "Nibbenamoxay," supported by Miss Isadore Cameron and the entire strength of the new Company.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Miss Anna E. Dickinson lectures on Friday evening next. Tickets at Pugh's, in the new *Bulletin* Building. This is the last opportunity that her friends in this city will have of hearing Miss Dickinson this winter, as she departs for New England on a professional tour next week.

THE CROSBY OPERA HOUSE PAINTINGS.—We are requested to state that the exhibition of the paintings of the Crosby Opera House Art Association, in this city, has been removed from Scott's Auction-Rooms to the Philadelphia Art Gallery, No. 1336 Chesnut street, where, with increased light and other advantages, the works can be more satisfactorily studied. Announcement will be made of the reopening of the exhibition in its new quarters as soon as the current arrangements are completed. Meanwhile, tickets can be procured at T. B. Pugh's, No. 607 Chesnut street, first floor back.

THE BATEMAN OPERA TROUPE.—A despatch from Providence, Rhode Island, to-day, states Parepa, Brignoli, and other artists sang last evening in that city to a very large audience, and achieved a perfect success—eliciting a perfect ovation. This troupe is shortly to give several concerts in Philadelphia.

THE STRAKOSCH CONCERTS.—The first of these brilliant *soirees musicale*, takes place at Musical Fund Hall on Friday evening. Gebele, Plodowska, Limberti, Formes, and all of the great artists appear in favorite assumptions. Tickets may be obtained at Trumpler's, Seventh and Chesnut streets. Observe the announcement in another column.

THE LINCOLN TABLEAUX, at National Hall, are growing very popular. The pictures are admirably executed by one of our most noted Philadelphia painters. The admirers of our great and good Lincoln should see these tableaux. Mr. S. R. Murdoch delivers a neat descriptive lecture each evening, and Mademoiselle Elvira de Sylva sings a choice selection of operatic arias.

ASSEMBLY BUILDINGS.—Heller has a splendid programme to-night. In addition to his solos on the piano, his jokes and his second-sight performances, he will "do" the "Mysterious Orange Tree," "Broken Birds," "Mocha" (a scare article), and "The Cannon." Go and see Heller at once, as he will not play again before to-morrow night.

GOUGH AT THE ACADEMY.—John B. Gough, the distinguished orator, will deliver two of his great lectures, "Curiosity" and "Eloquence and Orators," at the Academy of Music, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week. Tickets and seats may be secured at Pugh's, new *Bulletin* Building, Chesnut street, above Sixth; at Trumpler's and Marlen's.

CARNCROSS & DIXEY'S "Colored Folks" will arrange a "high old carnival" of drollery for the "white trash" this evening. Go and see the issues of the day expounded—especially the "Nigger Sufferings" Question. Mr Dixey will preside at the "Bones."

THE FINE ARTS.—T. Birch & Son will sell this evening, at their Art Gallery, No. 1110 Chesnut street, an interesting collection of oil paintings of every variety of subjects, by well known artists of this city; also, some of foreign artists of celebrity.

AT VALER'S WINTER GARDEN, in Vine street below Eighth, the Excelsior Brass and String Band regales the visitors with excellent music every twenty minutes.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

[*For Additional City Intelligence see Third Page.*]

A MERRY "MILL" IN THE FOURTH WARD—A ROOSTER IS PITTED AGAINST TWO DOGS—HE COMETH OUT VICTORIOUS—HE CROWETH OVER HIS PROSTRATE FOES.—A few minutes after sunrise, this morning, an open lot in the Fourth Ward was the scene of an exciting contest. The parties to the affair were a rooster with a highly developed craw, and two "dogs" of the vagabond stripe. It happened in this wise:—

An old lady domiciled in the neighborhood repaired to the spot in question with a pail full of kitchen refuse, which she deposited, as was her daily wont, upon the ground. There was in the pail but one item which even a hungry dog would deign to notice, and that was a crust of bread, which, from its hardened outlines, might have been part of the original supply which Noah ordered from his baker previous to embarking himself and family in the Ark. The favorite rooster of the old lady—her favorite because it was the only one she owned—was standing hard by, and watched the operation of overturning the pail with the greatest possible interest; for he had tasted naught in the way of food since he had left his perch at early dawn.

Therefore, as soon as the old lady's back was turned, the rooster made a furious dive at the aforesaid antediluvian crust. But so furious was the onset, and so hardened was the crust, that the latter bounded into the air and fell at the distance of some five feet or more. In this neighborhood there sat upon his haunches a hungry cur, whom nobody owned, and who had not fallen upon a savory morsel since he had emerged from the ash barrel in which he passed the night. The dog naturally thought that the crust was a windfall from heaven, intended to appease his hungry pangs. He therefore seized upon it, and made haste to get away.

But chanticleer was on the alert, and seeing the crust thus making off with the dog, he ruffled his wings, reversed the position of the feathers on his neck, and made another lunge. He missed the crust this time, as was probably his intention, but succeeded in planting his bugle fair and square in the canine's frontispiece, inflicting a fearful gash therein, and causing the claret to flow in a copious stream.

It is needless to say that the "dorg" was intensely disgusted at this unprovoked assault. He dropped the antediluvian relic, turned about without more ado, and opening the gates of his grave-yard, displayed a threatening array of tombstones.

This exhibition of malice aroused the ire of the rooster to such an extent that his toe nails became entangled in his wings. With these relative preparations, each awaited the onset from his antagonist.

There was a pause of several seconds at this point, during which time quite a crowd of unwashed urchins, arrayed in their ghostly garments of white, collected and formed a ring, determined to see fair play and a free fight. The uproar created by the multitude disturbed the equanimity of the dog somewhat. He suffered himself to be thrown off his guard, and while casting a sly glance at the spectators, chanticleer planted a sockdolager immediately over his left peeper. The flow of claret from this second wound was so copious that it completely blinded the poor brute, and sent him at once to his devotions.

At this signal punishment the early morning was made hideous with infantile cries of delight.

Chanticleer, thinking the mill was entirely over, was about restoring his feathers to their normal position, when he was astonished to see another combatant enter the arena. Like his predecessor, he was a "dorg," whose bread-basket looked extremely lank. The most formidable preparation which he made for the fight was to curl his tail up in such a perfect circle that it would have puzzled a dog fancier to have told by which end it was fastened to his body.

Dog the second did not deign to survey the situation, but opened his graveyard and elevated his mauleys at once. Then he made a rush, and alighted upon his antagonist, causing the latter to kiss his mother after a very humiliating fashion. But just at this point, he met with a signal reverse. While he held chanticleer in chancery, and was preparing to insert his tombstones in the windpipe of the latter, by a sudden and dextrous turn, his left trumpet was pierced through and through by a spur, and the discomfited canine retreated, howling with pain.

The chanticleer assumed an upright posture, and carefully selecting the loftiest cobble-stone within the scope of his vision, he flapped his wings triumphantly and crowed with all his might. The pean of victory was taken up by the surrounding crowd of urchins, one of whom seized the "game" bird and bore him off, followed by a delighted and enthusiastic throng.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY IN THE PARK—ESCAPE OF THE OUTLAWS.—Another terrible tragedy has occurred in our midst, and but a passing notice is taken of its occurrence. Last evening there occurred in our beautiful Park one of those frightful occurrences that every now and then startle the community with their atrocity. A short time before sundown, about 5 45 P. M., a party of reckless and disorderly outlaws, numbering in all five men, drove down the slope on the east side of the Park, opposite to the "Mineral Spring," at a furious pace. As they neared the bottom of the hill they ran with frightful force into a gentleman who was walking quietly along, and hurled him to the ground a bleeding corpse. His death was almost instantaneous. Instead of stopping the cold-blooded wretches drove off at a furious speed, so that the officers who saw the occurrence could not overtake them, and succeeded for a time in making good their escape. The name of the murdered man is Mr. William Edwards. He was about forty years old, and resided at No. 17 South Fifteenth street.

A SUSPICIOUS CUSTOMER.—A man answering to the name of Joseph Mitchell was arrested yesterday morning under rather suspicious circumstances. For several days past he has been seen lounging around the establishment of Mr. Nathan S. Brown, No. 228 Chesnut street, and acting in a very suspicious manner. He would enter the store, and when asked his business, he would make inquiries for some one who had never been in the place. The other morning Mr. Barnes, one of the employes of the establishment, met Mitchell coming down stairs, and though nothing was thought of it at the time, yet when one of the clerks went up to look for some articles, he found that a case of fine shawls had been tampered with. Mitchell was arrested, and sufficient evidence was brought forward before Alderman Beitler to warrant his being put under $1500 to answer.

TAKING HEAVY TOLL.—Two men, under the guise of friendship, undertook to lend a helping hand to a gentleman who had invested in real estate, and deposited the purchase in his hat, this morning at a very early hour. They led him home and by way of repaying themselves for their trouble, they relieved him of his pocket-book, containing a city warrant for $75, and a due bill for $225, when in the neighborhood of Seventh and Girard avenue, and then left him alone in his glory to find his way home as best he might. The victim resides near Charlotte and George streets. John D. Hestoo, the light-fingered gentleman was arrested at his residence, Tenth and Girard avenue, but the missing papers were *non est inventus*. Hestoo had an interesting interview with Alderman Fitch, who held him in $1000 bail to answer for his misdeeds.

ABSTRACTION OF RAIMENT.—Catharine Diamond, for some time past engaged in the humble capacity of domestic in the family residing at No. 723 Brown street, undertook, it is alleged, to replenish her wardrobe by depleting that of her mistress. Catharine, fortunately for her mistress and unfortunately (?) for herself, was detected in the dubious proceeding, and was arrested therefor by the myrmidons of the law. She was brought to grief and before Alderman Massey, who, after hearing her story and that of others who knew the circumstances of the case, held Catharine in $800 bail to appear at Court and convince twelve intelligent peers of the Commonwealth that her case was as clear as her name.

THE FIREMEN VISITORS.—The Eagle Fire Company, of Pittsburg, now on a visit to this city of "Brotherly Love," are being shown the lions and the tigers pretty extensively. We noticed them filing past in double line, with a fine brass band at their head, to pay a visit to the old Independence Hall. In their brown overcoats and caps, they presented quite a unique and stylish appearance. As they marched along Chesnut street, the band discoursed some most excellent music.

THE PHILADELPHIA BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.—The one hundred and fifty-ninth annual meeting of the Philadelphia Baptist Association was resumed this morning, at the church of the late Dr. Kennard, Eighth street, above Green, a large audience, composed in great part of ladies, being present, and manifesting great interest in the proceedings.

The deliberations were commenced at half past 8 o'clock, with devotional exercises, after which the reports from the various Churches embraced within the organization were continued. The statistics presented are embraced in the following tables:—

CHURCHES.	Additions by Baptism, Letter, Restoration, and Restoration.	Diminution by Letter, Exclusion, Exclusion, and Death.	Present Membership.
Oak Street, West Phila (colored)	13	16	134
Ridley	..	6	88
Union (colored)	41	27	300
Glen Run	62	11	204
Newtown Square	7	3	111
Chesnut Hill	34	22	196
Valley Forge	11	1	25
Upper Merion Bethel	..	2	144
Second Wilmington, Del	29	86	425
Easton	7	8	110
Falls of Schuylkill	66	15	258
Eleventh, Philadelphia	94	31	238
First Colored, Washington, D. C.	76	11	475
Ballgomingo	18	13	140
Twelfth Philadelphia	10	16	262
Passyunk	..	16	39

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.	No. of Schools.	No. of Scholars	Baptisms.	Vols. in Library
Oak Street (Colored) West Philada	1	40	4	350
Ridley	1	75	3	427
Union (Colored)	1	62	22	150
Glen Run	1	78	2	500
Newton Square	1	70	7	200
Chesnut Hill	1	100	5	325
Valley Forge	1	81	..	364
Easton	1	100	40	250
Falls of Schuylkill	1	100	34	100
Eleventh, Philadelphia	1	423	..	924
First Colored, Washington, D. C.	2	550	..	400
Ballgomingo	2	200	4	1200
Twelfth Philadelphia	1	285	..	950
Passyunk	1	93	..	300

The Second Baptist Church of Germantown, which was recognized last week, was received into the Association. This new society has already a membership of 82, and they have almost completed a fine church edifice, located on the site of the old battle-ground. From the wealth and standing of the leading men who have the enterprise in hand we predict for them great success and corresponding usefulness.

At eleven o'clock the Rev. R. Jeffrey, D. D., of this city, preached the doctrinal sermon on "Justification." His text was taken from the third chapter of Romans, 28th verse, reading as follows:—

"Therefore we conclude that a man is justified by faith, without the deeds of the law."

Rev. Dr Lincoln, of Rhode Island, and Rev. T. J. Stoddard, a missionary recently returned from Asam, participated in the services. The sermon was marked by rare ability and deep study, and elicited the profoundest attention.

THE GREAT MEETING AT THE ACADEMY TO-NIGHT.—Hon. Hannibal Hamlin, late Vice-President of the United States, and fast friend of the lamented Lincoln, arrived in town this morning, and will positively address his fellow-citizens of Philadelphia this evening. His speech will be a very powerful argument in favor of the Republican Union party. Hon Galusha A. Grow, formerly Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, will follow Mr. Hamlin in a speech of forty minutes' duration.

PRESS CLUB.—A meeting of the Press Club of Philadelphia will be held this afternoon, at 4 o'clock, when Mr Charles H Clark will read an essay. A large attendance is anticipated.

THE BASE-BALL QUESTION.—

Some persons declare
It is quite unfair,
For ball clubs to *hire* smart fellows
In playing that game,
To keep up the fame
Of *their* clubs, and make the rest jealous.
But this as it may with base-ball,
No bribe 'twill require
To make one a tire
Himself finely at Tower Hall.

We are prepared with an unusually full and comprehensive stock of Men's, Youths', and Boys' Fall and Winter Clothing, which we are selling at MUCH LOWER PRICES THAN HAVE BEEN KNOWN FOR SEVERAL YEARS. *Congratulating our patrons and the public generally upon the decline in the prices of materials which renders this possible, we invite an examination.*
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TOO CANDID BY HALF.—

As Tom and his wife were disputing one day
Of their personal traits, in a bantering way,
Quoth she, "Though my *self* you disparage,
I'm certain, dear husband, our friends will attest
That, compared with your own,
My judgment is best!"
Quoth Tom—"*So they said at my marriage*"

Note—Tom has since shown good judgment in getting *suited* at Charles Stokes & Co's one-price, under the Continental.

IT IS A MATTER OF GREAT WONDER that so much attention has been given to improvements in every branch of manufacture excepting that of Soaps, and it is all the more astonishing when we consider the enormous amounts of different classes of Soaps daily consumed even in our own city.

An economical soap has long been desired by housekeepers, when the necessity of trusting to servants makes Soaps which are not duly dried the means of an extravagant waste.

We take pleasure in calling the attention of our readers to an article now offered to housekeepers, which is, indeed, the Woman's Friend and are satisfied it is bound to become a perfectly indispensable article in every household. In referring in this manner to "Dobbins' Electric Soap" we are, from the numerous testimonials which have been shown us, and the uniform satisfaction that it has given, convinced of its great merits, and have not the slightest hesitation in recommending it to all who study economy of time, labor, and money.

Five-Twenty Coupons,
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TO SOLDIERS OF MEXICAN WAR and War of 1812.
Land Warrants wanted.
HEWES EMIG & Co,
No. 50 South Third street,
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ALL PERSONS who are fond of Fine Confections, G W. Jenkins, No. 1037 Spring Garden street, would invite to call and try his stock of Fine Candies, Iceland Moss Paste, Gum and Chocolate Drops, Chocolate Creams of all flavors, Caramels, etc, of which he has constantly on hand a fresh assortment.

FROM THE MINES OF IDAHO to the brown-stone fronts of Madison Avenue, Phalon's "Night-Blooming Cereus" is in request. Though the standard perfume of fashion, its popularity is limited to no class or section—it is a national staple.—*Paterson Guardian.*

TRADE SALE OF BOOTS AND SHOES.—Philip Ford & Co., Auctioneers, No 506 Market street, will hold to-morrow (Thursday) morning their third large trade sale of Boots and Shoes, commencing at ten o'clock.

IF YOU desire perfect Pictures of any kind, go to Leonard May's Gallery, at the S. E. corner of Sixth and Callowhill streets. He will be sure to suit you. Give him a call.

TWELFTH AND CHESNUT is the place to purchase Cork Mattresses and Bedding, and to have your Furniture reupholstered, varnished, and repaired by practical workmen.

ELASTIC STITCH SEWING MACHINES, FOR FAMILY USE. THE ONLY MACHINE THAT BOTH SEWS PERFECTLY AND EMBROIDERS PERFECTLY	GROVER & BAKER'S HIGHEST PREMIUM SEWING MACHINES, No. 730 CHESNUT STREET.	SHUTTLE, OR LOCK-STITCH SEWING MACHINE. FOR TAILORS, SHOEMAKERS, SADDLERS, HARNESS MAKERS, CARRIAGE MAKERS, LATEST AND BE

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MARRIED.

ELY—FREEMAN.—On the 18th of September, by the Rev. Mr. Manship, Mr. JACOB T. ELY, formerly of Lebanon, Pa., to Mrs. ELLA FREEMAN, youngest daughter of the late Joseph Harvey, of this city. *

DIED.

BROWNE.—On the 2d instant, ALEXANDER BROWNE, Sr., in the 86th year of his age.

His male friends and the relatives of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 217 New street, on Saturday, the 6th instant, at 1 o'clock. To proceed to Laurel Hill. §§§

CAMERON.—Suddenly, on the 3d instant, DAVID W. CAMERON, aged 71 years.

The relatives and friends, also Montgomery Lodge, No. 19; Columbia Mark Lodge No. 91; Jerusalem H. R. A. Chapter, No. 3; and St John's Commandery, No. 4, A. Y. M.; Harmony Lodge and Harmony Encampment, I. O. of O. F.; and the Trustees of the Odd Fellows' Cemetery Company, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his son, No 2127 Jefferson street, on Thursday, the 4th instant, at 3 o'clock P. M. *

FINE.—On Tuesday morning, the 2d instant, HENRY M. FINE, in the 75th year of his age.

His male friends and those of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 1731 Fine street, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Services at St. Peter's Church. *

GARRISON.—On the 2d instant, Mrs. ANNA THOMPSON, wife of George W. Garrison, aged 56 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her husband, Salem, N. J., on Thursday, the 4th instant, at 11 o'clock A. M. *

RICHARDSON.—On the evening of the 1st instant, JOHN RICHARDSON, in the 77th year of his age.

His friends and those of the family are invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 124 S. Tenth street, at 2½ o'clock P. M., on Fifth day, the 4th instant. Interment at Friends' Western Ground. *

WARNE.—Suddenly, on the evening of the 1st instant, ELIZA M., wife of E. S. Warne, in the 31st year of her age.

Due notice will be given of the funeral. *

IN MEMORIAM.—

PHILADELPHIA, October 2, 1866.

At a meeting of the Ship Builders of the city of Philadelphia, held at the office of the Kensington Screw Dock, Delaware avenue, above Laurel street, to take action relative to the demise of their late Brother Ship Builder, Mr HARMAN S. VAUGHAN, Mr John H. Hammitt was chosen Chairman, and Mr. Preston Brearley, Secretary.

The following preamble and resolutions were read, and unanimously adopted:—

Whereas, Death has visited our circle and removed from his sphere of honor and usefulness one of our beloved fraternity, Mr HARMAN S. VAUGHAN, we hereby desire to express our deep sorrow and heartfelt sympathy with his family and friends in this their trying bereavement; therefore, be it

Resolved, That while we bow with submission to the decrees of Divine Providence we feel that we have lost a true and faithful Brother, and one that awakens our warmest sympathies for those bereft of his association, companionship, and friendship.

Resolved, That we attend his funeral in a body on Thursday, October 4, at 2 o'clock.

WILLIAM FISHER,
WILLIAM CRAMP,
CHARLES E. WILLIAMS, } Committee.
10 3 2t

A. Y. M., LAFAYETTE LODGE, No. 71.—The members will meet at the HALL, TO-MORROW (Thursday) at 3 o'clock P. M., precisely, to attend the funeral of our late Brother, JOHN D. MATZINGER.
By order of the W. M. CHARLES C. BURNS,
* Secretary.

A NICE CAKE FOR TEA OR BREAKFAST is either the Bran or Corn Wisconsin Cake. The former agrees with most dyspeptics. Printed receipts for making them are given to purchasers of our Pans.
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"PUSH," "PULL," "BOARDING," "OFFICE," and numbers in gilt letters on porcelain plates, on hand at the Hardware Store of
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"HE THAT HATH EARS TO HEAR, LET HIM HEAR."—Instruments to assist the hearing at MADEIRA'S, No. 115 S. TENTH Street, below Chesnut. 9 4 1m

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TRADE SALE
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ON THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 4,
PHILIP FORD & CO., AUCTIONEERS,
WILL HOLD THEIR THIRD LARGE TRADE SALE OF
BOOTS AND SHOES,
FOR THE FALL OF 1866,
Commencing at 10 o'clock precisely.
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CARD.—We are now prepared to make arrangements for special sales of Oil Paintings, Statuary, or any other Works of Art. Our location being in the centre of the most fashionable thoroughfare of our city, makes it a desirable resort for connoisseurs and lovers of art in general.

N. B.—Sales of merchandise in general solicited. Personal attention given to out-door sales. B. SCOTT, JR.

MAGNIFICENT SALE OF RICH SILVER PLATED WARE.
On Thursday Morning next,
October 4, at 11 o'clock, at Scott's Art Gallery, No. 1020 Chesnut street, a magnificent assortment of rich silver-plated ware embracing urns, tea sets, salvers, fruit sets and stands, wine stands, large and small castors, baskets and trays, ice and water pitchers, goblets, cups, syrup pitchers, spoon holders, oyster and soup tureens, candelabras, fire trumpets, etc.

Also, spoons, forks, and ladles a full assortment, all triple plate on fine nickle. These goods are warranted the best ever offered at public sale. 9 29 4t

Open for examination on Wednesday afternoon.

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REGULAR SALE OF
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On Tuesday Morning
Commencing at 9½ o'clock, share in lots suitable for city and country retail store-keepers. 10 3 5t

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SILVER-PLATED WARE.
SAMUEL K. SMYTH,
Practical Partner of the late firm of MEAD & SMYTH, would inform the trade that he has removed to
No. 35 South THIRD Street,
Where he will continue the manufacture of SUPERIOR SILVER PLATED WARE of double and triple plate under the name of the firm of SMYTH & ADAIR.
9 22 1m

FOURTH EDITION

FROM WASHINGTON THIS P. M.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO EVENING TELEGRAPH.]
WASHINGTON, October 3.

Johnson's Troubles with his New Appointees.

The practice of making changes of Collectors and Assessors of Internal Revenue on political grounds is found to be working so badly that it is likely to be abandoned. The returns of many of the new appointees are so confused and imperfect that it is found necessary to send them back for revision, and the diminished returns in many cases show that the ignorance of new officers is taken advantage of to a great extent by unprincipled parties.

The Marine Corps.

The Marine Corps is so nearly full that general enlistments will be suspended, but first-class men will be enlisted at the stations at Philadelphia, New York, and in this city to fill vacancies caused by expiration of terms of enlistment.

Cholera.

Another case of Asiatic cholera has occurred here, the party being a lady named Acker, residing in the northern part of the city. She is recovering.

Association of Rebel Prison Survivors.

An association has been formed here of former soldiers and sailors of the Union army and navy who were prisoners of war in the South. A resolution was adopted last night, requesting the ex-prisoners of war resident in the different States to notify the Association of their place of residence, in order that a full record of the prisoners of war may be kept.

It was also determined to have an annual celebration.

From Canada.

OTTOWA, C. W., October 3.—The Executive Council held a council for several hours last night. It is reported that important despatches relating to the Fenians have been received.

The Board of Trade has passed a resolution that American and British silver will be taken hereafter at 4 per cent. discount.

TORONTO, C. W., October 3.—An interesting experiment regarding the use of peat for fuel has been tried by the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and has proved entirely successful.

Negotiations are being made for a curling match between the Montreal and Manchester (England) Clubs.

The receipts of Barley in the Toronto market yesterday from the farmers' wagons reached sixty thousand bushels.

A Stray Balloon.

OSWEGO, N. Y., October 3.—A balloon, partially inflated, without occupants, was picked up in Lake Ontario yesterday.

From Havana.

NEW YORK, October 3.—The steamer *Moro Castle*, from Havana, has been signalled below.

Very Latest Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, October 3.—Stocks are stronger. Chicago and Rock Island, 107½; Cumberland preferred, 54; Illinois Central, 124½; Michigan Southern, 88½; New York Central, 118; Reading, 116½; Hudson River 123½; Canton Company, 55; Erie Railroad, 87½; Western Union Telegraph, 54; Missouri 6s, 79; Virginia 6s, 69; United States 6s, 1867, 138; Coupons, 1881, 111½; do 1862, 111½; do 1865, 109½; Ten-forties, 99½; Treasury 7-30 Notes, 106. Gold, 148