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FOREIGN NEWS.

European Dates of Yesterday by the Atlantic Telegraph—Signing of the Treaty of Peace Between Austria and Italy-The Position of Italy-Quotations in the English Markets Yesterday.

AUSTRIA AND ITALY.

Signing of the Treaty of Peace-Italy's Position, Etc. Etc. FLORENCE, October 4.—The treaty of peace between Austria and Italy has been finally

signed.
The Italian Government does not assume more than the debts specially contracted for Venetia, Austria had insisted that a part of the general debts of the Austrian Empire, contracted since 1859, should be transferred to Italy—altogether a difference of from 80 to 100 millions. The indemnity claimed by Austria for the recification of frontier was so great that Italy had declared that she would prefer to renounce those claims for the time, and await a more tavorable opportunity.

PRUSSIA.

A rumor was current in Berlin that Conn. Bismark, upon the recovery of his health, would be appointed Chancellor of Prussia, the Ministry for Foreign Affairs to be reor-

Financial and Commercial Intelligence. LIVERPOOL, October 4.—The cotton market is quiet, with a day's rales of 10,000 bales. Midding uplands are quoted at 15d.

London, October 4.—There is no change in the London money market. Consols are quoted

at 894 for money.

The following are the prices of American securities to-day:—Erie spares, 59; Illinois Central shares, 78; United States 5-20s, 704.

BY STEAMSHIP TO SEPTEMBER 20.

Our European files by the Nova Scotian reached this city from Quebec to-day. The papers are dated to the 20th of September—one day later than the mails of the City of Parisand contain some interesting details or our cable reports to that morning.

Letters from Heligoland say that in that obscure British dependency gambling is tolerated as openly as it is at Baden, Hamburg, or Monaco. The Journal du Houre announces the departare of General Beauregard for New York.

Experiments have been conducted on a large scale at Aaran, Switzerland, for the purpose of determining the best breech-loader for the Swiss troops. French, Austrian, and Wurtemburg officers have been sent there to watch the results. Eight systems of breech-loading were offered for trial, and the Swiss officers; a warded the first place to some American invention.

The Monde says, September 19, that the Marquis de Boissy is much better in hoalth.

The Unita Italiana, of Milan, learns from Venetia that the French flag has been dying from the balcony of the Government palace

It is stated that even after the reduction required to place the Italian army on a peace footing, there will remain a standing army of two hundred thou- and men. The accounts of the famine in Bengal, India,

continue (August 24) to be most distressing. Subscriptions in aid of the sufferers are being raised all over the country.

Great floods have taken place in Scinde, India seventy miles of railway have (August 24) been seriously damaged, and the traffic will probably be interrupted for six weeks. The Great Indian Peninsular Railway was flooded between Pauna and Callians on the 10th, but traffic was resumed on the 12th of August.

The Prince and Princess Windischgratz (Marie Taglioni) are spending their honeymoon in Paris. The Prince made vain efforts to abulcate his title on his marriage with the well-known artiste, which privilege the Court of Vicuna refused to grant, in consideration of the children who might hereafter claim their rights.

Dr. Neiaton, one of the physicians in attend ance on Napoleon, has given 750,000 francs for the Mainone estate, situated between Paris and Malnove was formerly a celebrated Meaux. abby of Benedictine triars, and was not only the most ancient in France, but in the whole of Europe, having been founded by a knight, De Furcy by name, who flourished in the seventh

THE ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

The Northumberland Strait Cable Successfully Laid.

The cable across the Strait of Northumberconnecting Prince Edward Island with New brunswick, from Cape Traverse to Cape Tormentine, was successfully laid and completed on Tuesday last, October 2. The work was greatly obstructed and delayed by rough weather, and occupied from Saturday of last week until Tuesday. The Terrible and Medway, which were engaged

in the expedition, immediately started for Eng land without walting to take in coals at Char lottetown (Prince Edward Island) or Pictou Mr. Charles Hyndman, Superintendent of the Prince Edward Island Telegraph Company, who was on board one of the steamers, was carried away, and put ashore at the Gut of Canso. Communication, therefore, is now perfect be-tween Europe, the United States, and all British

New Land Lines in Newfoundland. A meeting of the Directors of the New York, London, and Newfoundland Telegraph Com-pany took place on Wednesday evening, October 3, at Mr. Cyrus W. Field's house, in Gramercy Park Place, New York, to take into consideration the propriety of constructing a

new land line in Newtoundland. The Directors unanimously endorsed the action of Mr. Field, and ordered the immediate construction of a new line, besides the thorough repairing of the old one. Instructions were sent in accordance to Mr. A. M. McKay, Superintendent of the Newfoundland lines. Efforts are also being made to have new land lines along the whole route between New York and Heart's

The Russian-American Telegraph.—The St. Petersburg Borsen Zeitung says that all preparations on the mainland, and the soundings in Behring Straits, for the completion of the line of telegraph between Russia and America, are nearly mished. In the course of the present year the telegraph will be constructed over a distance of three thousand five hundred miles beyond Revel, and the lines will be finished from Granlay Haven to the Kwichpak, and along the valley of this river, from the mouth of the Auadyr to Fort Anadyr, from Okhotsk to Gischiga, and perhaps eve nas far as to be joined with the Anadyr line. The cable between Grapley Haven and Ssenjawin Bay, a distance of about seven hundred miles, and that between Cape Sponberg and Cape Tolstoi, in the Bay of will, as it is said, be laid before the end of this month

Women Employed in Manufactures.-In Great British they may be numbered as a total at 802,900, of which the principal sections are as follows:-Cotton manufacture, 259,074; woollen 99,304; silk and ribbon, 71,527; lace, 45,107; straw, 44,228; gloves, 22,271; hose, 21,453; earth enware, 11,934; and in nail making, 10,761,

NEW ORLEANS.

An Important Statement-Rebel Secret Societies-The Rebellion to be Renewed Freedmen Whipped - The Brenham Affair-Letter from General Sheridan.

Affair—Letter from General Sheridan.

New Obleans, La., October 4.— Some important disclosures will soon be officially made public in reference to secret Rebel societies, which permeate the entire South. These organizations have branch circles in New York city and the West. That in New York is said to number 50,000, principally composed of men who served in the Rebel army.

Each circle has a different name. Some are known as "The True Sons of the South," others as "The Knights of Arabia," and all are well armed with the most approved weapons, ready

armed with the most approved weapons, ready at a moment's notice, should a favorable opportunity arise, to renew the struggle for the lost cause. One of the chief members of this orga-nization, now in prison, is said to have made important disclosures. General Sheridan is concentrating troops in this city for important purposes, which will soon be made appa-

Nine cases of whipping of negroes have been recently officially reported in the parish of Bienville One old woman, seventy years of age, received four hundred lashes. The following explains itself:—

New Orleans September 20 - To his Excellency Governor throckmorton: - i have just received from Colonel Mason his report on the affair which from Coonel Mason his report on the affair which occurred at Brenham, Texas, on the 7th instant, and have directed him to notify Brevet Major Smith that he must not permit himself nor any of himen to be arrested. I respectfully request of your Excellency to do all in your power to asisy the excitement there, and I will do all in my power to satisfy the ends of justice in every case, but I count if much justice could be done in a community which compels our officers and soldiers to remain inside of the defense thrown around their camps. I will have an additional and thorough investigation of this affair, it possible, to ascertain if any soldiers were guitty of the affair, but Colonel Mason is clearly of the impression that those designated for arrest are innocent. arrest are innocent.

Respectfully, your obedient servant, P. H. Sheridan Major-General U. S. A.

DELAWARE.

The Local Elections Last Wednesday. What is popularly known as the "little election," for the choice of Inspectors, Assessors, and Road Commissioners, took place in De aware yesterday. The figures so far as they have been received are published elsewhere in the Commercial, the general result being piety cesely indicated. Compared with the last similar election, the Union party have rained about two hundred and fifty in the State. In New Castle county there has been evidently a serious lack of active exertion, and the result is serious lack of active exertion, and the result is shown in a loss of about one hundred and fitty, as compared with the vote of the last "nitte elec-tion." This, however, indicates nothing save what ton." This, however, indicates nothing save what we have already stated—a culpable apathy on the part of the Union men themselves, in several districts in Wilmington, and outside of the city. Of the ability of the Union party in New Castle county to poil a heavy majority for their State ticket there is no possible doubt. Over confidence and a lack of proper interest caused the loss of yesterday. In Kent county, on the other hand, the Union men have been actively at work, and the vote is an exceedingly gratifying indication of what they will have been actively at work, and the vote is an exceedingly gratifying indication of what they will do in November. They have gained as compared with the last "little election," between two and three hundred votes, and deserve the highest praise for their exertions. The returns from Sussex are not fully received at this writing, but enough is reported to show that in this county, also, there has been a decided Union gain.

The result is, therefore, on the whole, very gratifying. It leaves no room for doubt that the State can be carried in behalf of Mesers, Riddle and McKim. The real battle-grounds are in Kent and Sussex counties. The satus of New Castle is assured by the contests of the past, and its vote of yesterday will not be taken as a correct indication of its political complexion, by any intelligent man.

of its political complex on, by any intelligent man.

The majority for McClollan, in 1864, was only 610, while that for Mr. Nicholson, for Congress, was even less, being so low a figure as 419. The gams made at this local election, in which the Democrats, with their efficient discipline, a ways appear to most

advantage leaves but little room for a reasonable doubt t at Delaware will seat James Riddle in her Gubernatorial chair, and send John L. McKim to

the Fortieth Congress.

We congratulate the Union men here and elsewhere on the auspicious result. - Delaware Commer-

I. O. of O. F. Installation Services .- An interesting session of Friendship Lodge, No. 11, 1, 0, of O. F., was held in their rooms last evening, upon the occasion of publicly installing his Excellency Marcus L. Ward as Noble Grand, with the other subordinate officers of the Lodge. At an early hour the hall was filled with the members and their wives, sisters, and friends. About 8 o'clock M. W. G. Master H. E. Warford, of renchtown, accompanied by Theodore A. Ross, R. W. S. R. to G. L. U. S., B. B. Douglass, W. Grand Marshal of G. L. of N. Y., J. O. Wate, D. D. G. M., and other prominent and distinguished a embers of the Order, made their appearance and performed the imposing ceremony of public establation of the officers into their respective chairs. After which Grand Master Warford made an interesting address, tracing the Order from its first inception in this country in the formation of a single lodge of five members in an ante-room in Baltimore in 1819, to the present, time with its thousands of lodges, and hundreds of thousands of members in every State of the Union. Rev. Brother F. Swentzell followed in an eloquent prayer, commending the Order and its objects to the care of our Divine Master. Some beautiful music was then given by a quartette club in attendance, after which Rev. Brother Swentzell gave us a glowing eulogism of the Order, dwelling particularly upon its moral influence, and its effects, if its ritual is only lived up to, upon the welfare, moral and social, of its members. After some more music by the quartette, and a few pertment remarks from Rev. Dr. Levy, the services concluded by sing-ing the closing ode of the Order as a benediction. - Newark Courier, tast evening.

The Issue of Patents to Disloyalists .- In November, 1865, Mr. Harlan, Secretary of the Interior, by order of the President, directed that no patent be granted to any resident in a district leclared by the President to be in a state of rebellion, without satisfactory proof of loyalty was furnished, embracing the original or an authenticated copy of the amnesty oath as taken by said resident; and that if parties making application for patents belonged to the "excluded classes," evidence of their special pardon by the President should be furnished. Mr. Browning, the present Secretary of the Interior, has ad-dressed a note to the Commissioner of Patents in reply to an inquiry from the latter with regard to the propriety of modifying the instruc-tions of Mr. Harian in this regard, "in view of the great changes which have taken place in these (the Southern) States." Mr. Browning says:—"I am not aware that any portion of the country or of the people are now in insurrec tion against the General Government. You will, therefore, in all cases for applications for patent rights be governed by the law. Every applicant who brings himself within the provisions of the law, and complies with its require ments, is entitled to have his application

Count Bismark's New Dignity.-One of the French papers mentions that Count Bismark has just received at the hand of the King of Bavaria the grand cordon of the Order of St. Hubert. At first this statement created some surerise, which was, however, dissipated by a little serious reflection. St. Bubert, as is well known, is the patten saint of those who hunt, shoot, and kill. Who, therefore, should better merit this distinct tion than M. Bismark, who has indeed gone out to hunt, shoot, and kill, has driven his prey here and there, without demanding permission, over the lands of his Maiesty of Bavaria, for instance, and who has certainly not returned from his sport empty-handed? If the king is implacable enough to do good to such as have despitefully used him, it is not for others to reproach him for it.—Pall Mall Gazette.

THE FENIAN-MEXICAN MUDDLE.

Santa Anna to Attend a Fenian Picnie-He Desires to be Presented to the Irish Patriots.

From the New York Herald of to-day.

The movements of parties connected with the liberation of Mexico, under the lead of Santa Anna, continue to attract attention; but little additional can be gathered, except from flying and unreliable rumors. However, it appears that the Fenian circles of Staten Island intend to give a picnic at Pavition Hill, near the Quarantine landing, on Monday next, the 8th Quarantine landing, on Monday next, the 8th inst., at which large delegations of the circles in and sround New York are to be present. Colonel Roberts has taken occasion to invite Santa Anna to be present, so that he may introduce him to his fellow countrymen. The General has accepted the invitation to be introduced to the "estimable countrymen and patriots" of the Fenian chief. The following is the

INVITATION OF PRESIDENT BOBERTS. HEADQUARTERS FENIAN BROTHERHOOD, No. 706
BROADWAY, NEW YORK, October 3, 1836.—His
Excellency General Antonio Lopez de Santa
Anna, Commander-in-Chief Liberating Army of Mexico.—General:—On Monday, the 8th instant, a grand picnic of the Fenian Brotherhood of Staten Island will take place at Pavilion Hill,

nesr Quarantine landing.

A very general desire has been expressed that your Excellency would honor the Brotherhood with your presence on the occasion, and a request made of me that I should extend to you an invitation to that effect. In performing so agreeable an office I desire to express the hope that you will be present, knowing that it will afford the very highest gratification to my countrymen to welcome to their fele so distinguished a soldier as General Antonio Lopez de Santa

Should you accept the invitation, it will afford me sincere pleasure to meet your Excellency and present you to my countrymen. With highest regards and esteem, I have the honor rio remain, etc., WILLIAM R. Roberts,
Plesident Fenian Brotherhood of the United
States and other portions of America.

SANTA ANNA'S REPLY. STATEN ISLAND, HAMILTON PARK, October 4 .-Honorable William R. Roberts, President of the Feman Brotherhood, etc. -Sir:-It is extremely gratifying to me to acknowledge the receipt of your kind invitation extended to me, through your medium, in the name of the Fenian Brotherhood, in which I am requested to attend their fele on Monday next. I beg to express my most heartfelt thanks for this attention, and should I be able to separate myself from the arduous duties attendant upon my numerous occupation, I shall most assuredly avail myself of this opportunity to be presented to your estimable countrymen and patriots. I have the

honor to be, your most obedient, A. L. DE SANTA ANNA.

OBITUARY.

Colonel Charles Kingsbury, Jr. News has just arrived from Ironton, Ohio, that this gallant officer is no more. This is an announcement which will be received with deep regret by all to whom the gallant Colonel was known. Many in Pennsylvania especially will mourn over the event. The officers of the "Reserve Corps" will not soon forget Colonel Kingsbury. The following is a slight sketch of his distinguished military career. His first connection with the army was as Major in an Ohio nection with the army was as Major in an Ohio regiment; then he became Assistant Adjutant-General; served with Rosecrans in West Verginia; got an appointment on the staff of General onn F. Reynolds, and so highly distinguished himself in the capacity of Assistant Adjutant General under that brave commander, that

military honors grew thick upon him. Nevertheless, all was not with him a triumphal career, for he was made prisoner at Gaines' Mult. Atter gaining his release he was appointed to the staff of General Sucridan, and shared in all the exploits of that renowned officer. At the termination of the war he, like many other famous warriors, resigned the sword and betook himself to the peaceful pursuits of In his civic avocations he was distinguished for his integrity and business capacity and hundreds will lament that he was so cut away, a young man in his prime, where there was every probability in the ordinary course of things of his seeing a venerable old age.

Respect to the Memory of Rear-Admiral Gregory.

The following special order in relation to the death of Rear-Admiral Gregory has been issued from the Navy Department:-NAVY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, October 4.

The Department announces to the Navy and Marine Corps the death of Rear-Admiral Francis H. Gregory. He died in the city of New York at one o'clock this morning, after an illness of a few hours, at the age of seventy-seven. Though more than seventy years of age at the commence ment of the Rebellion, Rear-Admiral Gregory immediately applied for active service, and in July, 1861, was ordered upon arduous and responsible duty, which, throughout the war, he tischarged with signal zeal and ability, and in the closing up of which he was engaged at the time of his death, after more than ofty-seven years of honorable service in the cause of his country.

As a mark of respect to his memory, it is ordered that at the New York Navy Yard, on the day of his funeral, the flags be hoisted at halt-mast and thirteen minute guns be fired at meridian. GIDEON WELLES, Secretary of the Navy.

Frederic Beckman, German Comedian. Vienna (Sep.12) Correspondence of London Telegraph. Vienna has sustained a great loss in the peron of Frederick Beckman, unquestionably the first comic actor in Germany. His last illness was a very painful one, and he died in great agony. He was the pet of the public here, and used frequently to improvise sarcasms would have been severely punished in any other actor. The Emperor some time ago created him Knight of his own order of Franz-Josef, and he was also a Kvight of Saxon and Prussian orders. His death has left a blank in the ourg Theatre which will not easily be filled uo: indeed, many of the most favorite pieces will be omitted from the winter recueil of the court stage, there being no one who will venture to attempt the characters heretofore acted by

Maria S. Cummins.

Miss Maria S. Commins, the author of "The Lamplighter" and other less known works, died on Monday morning at her residence in Dor-chester, Massachusetts, She had been ill for a long time. Her reputation will rest mainly on the novel we have named, which was published in 1853, and had a very extended popularity both in this country and in England. Besides this she published "Mabel Vaughan," "El Furcidis," "Haunted Hearts," She has contributed, of late years, to the Atlantic Monthly and Our Young Folks. Miss Cummins was a daughter of the late Judge David Cummins.

A Tragedian in a New Character.-Mr. Murdoch has stepped from the stage of actitious woes to that of realities. On Monday night, at Mozart Hall, in Ciucinnati, to an audience numbering thousands, he made an address on the issues of the day. All the tre and magnetism of the actor was given to the patriot and scholar. The address, two hours in length, was very bril the address, two dours in length, was very brilliant, and received with frequent applause. Speaking of his dead boy, he said:—"I have a son sleeping out yonder, beneath the sods of Spring Grove, and rather than have his bones and those of a traitor rest together in a common grave, I would burn them, and scatter them to the four winds of heaven."

THE HARTFORD BOND MYSTERY.

Special Deposit of \$20,000 in Government Securities in the Hartford National Bank-The Bonds Not to be Found When Called For-Arrest of the Teller on Suspicion of Disposing of Them, Etc.

HARTPORD, Conn., October 4 .- It has been published in the papers, within a tew days, that \$20,000 worth of United States bonds had mysteriously disappeared from the vault of the Hartford National Bank.

Mr. Royall Wilcox, a wealthy citizen of this city, made a special deposit of that amount, he claimed, in the bank prior to his going to Europe a few months ago, and said he gave the bonds to the President of the bank. The President did not remember having received them as they not remember having received them, as they could not be found when Mr. Wilcox, who returned recently, applied for them. This gave to the whole transaction the mystery alluded to.

The case was given into the hands of the police, and Chief W. P. Chamberlin has been actively engaged in searching for some clue to the missing property. To-day the following facts transpired:—On the 31st of August Mr. Incts transpired:—On the 31st of August Mr. Charles D. Tuller, teller of the bank, sold \$2000 of seven-thirty bonds to Alfred S. Robinson, gold and stock broker, and the next day disposed of \$3000 to B. F. Abbe, broker, which Mr. Abbe subsequently sold to Mr. Robinson, who forwarded them to New York. Mr. Tuller, also, on the 31st of August, sent \$5000 of these bonds to the Fourth National Bank, New York, as a transaction for the bank, and sent atterwards \$10,000 to New York for disposal, making \$20,010 in all. Mr. Wilcox, the loser, advertised his loss, and gave the numbers of the bonds.

Mr. Robinson, through this channel, found

that some of the numbers mentioned cor-responded with those he bought from Mr. Tuiler. This fact was ascertained by Mr. Chamberlin, and from this start he found that Mr. Tuller had disposed of the \$20,000 worth of Tuller had disposed of the \$20,000 worth of bonds which were missing. Tuller was arrested this morning, and told an unreasonable story, to the effect that a stranger gave him the bonds to dispose of, which he did, and as fast as he realized he paid the money over to the unknown, who disappeared as suddenly as he made his appearance before the accommodating

teller.
Tulier had an interview with the directors of the Bank this afternoon, and it is reported that the matter is to be settled. The affair has created much surprise here, as Tulier is a young man who has borne a high character, and was specially admired for his Christian virtues. He is superintendent of a flourishing Sabbath school, and always appeared very enthusiastic in his missionary work. It has been noticed that he lived rather extravagantly, but nothing serious was thought of it, as his father is a man of considerable property.—N. Y. Herald.

A NOBLE ACT REWARDED.

Gift from the President to an Indian Chief.

President Johnson has caused a silver medal to be prepared, together with one hundred silver dollars and a certificate of merit, for pre-sentation to Hoo-ke-op, a chief of the Blackfeet tribe of Indians, as a reward for rescuing a white woman from captivity. The medal weighs about half a pound. On one side it bears the profile of the President, around which are the words:—"Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, 1865." On the other side is a pedestal, bearing the word "Peace," and upon it a bust of Wasnington. In front of the pedestal Columbia is grasping an Indian by the hand. Columbia carries an American flag, and is surfounded by the implements of progress and industry. The Indian carries his weapon, and in the distance is a herd of buffaloes bounding through the prairie grass. The certificate was engrossed on parchment in the office of Indian Abairs, and bears a vignette of the United States cost-of-arms, executed with the pen, beneath which is the following inscription:-

"Executive Mansion, Washington, September 29, 1806.—To Hoo-ke op, the Chief:—I am intormed by the two commissioners sent by me lass spring to treat with the Indians on the Upper Missouri river country, of the friendly act of Hoo-ke-op, the chief, a member of the Blackieet tribe of Indians, in rescuing from captivity a white woman named Fanny Kelly, in 1864. I thank Hoo-ke-op, the chief, for his noble conduct in this matter, and as a memento of my friendship for him so long as ne remains itendly with the white man, I direct toat a silver medal be given to him, that all my red children, and all my white children, when they look upon it, may know that the Great Father at Washington is very much pleased with him. I also direct that one hungred silver dollars be given to Hoo-ke-op, the chier and I write my name on this paper to be given to the sliver collars are sent to him from Washington

"ANDREW JOHNSO! "President of the United States. BROWNING, Secretary of the Interior. D. N. COOLEY, Comm ssioner of Indian Affairs.

Mr. Davis' Trial-Correspondence of hi Counsel with Judge Underwood. RICHMOND, October 2.-The counsel of Mr.

Davis, now in attendance at Richmond, deem it their duty to lay before the public the following statements of facts. WILLIAM B. REED. . RANDOLPH TUCKER, ROBERT OULD.

On Tuesday, June 5th, there was a formal ses sion of the Circuit Court of the United States at Richmond, Judge Underwood presiding. Grand Jurymen were sworn and other judicial formalities observed. Mr. Davis' counsel were present, ready and anxious to proceed to trial. On motion of the District Attorney, the Court was regularly adjourned to the 2d of October, the presiding Judge using this language:-

"The Chief Justice, who is expected to preside at this trial, has named the first I uesday of October as the time when it will be most convenient to him. When this Court adjourns it will adjourn not until the next term, which is in November, but until the first Tuesday in October next. The most on of the District Attorney is therefore granted. This Court will adjourn, not until November, but until the first Tuesday in Oc. ober, which is pre-ierred by the Chief Justice and Attorney-General. The case will then, if not before disposed of,

In accordance with this order of the Court, the meersigned are in attendance here. They find no Court, and, except from the information elicited in the following telegraphic correspondence, have no intimation of the intention of

RICHMOND, September 29 -To the Hon John C. Underwood, Alexandria: —As counsel for Mr Davis, we are very anxious to know it you will be a kichmond on fuesday next, to which day, as you recoiled, the Circuit Court of the United States was acjourned. We are in attendance here, and are desirous to be apprised of the views of the Court, All cally allower well such obligations. An early answer will much oblige us.
WILLIAM B. REED,
J. R. FUCKER

ALIXANDRIA, September 29.—To Messis. Reed and Tucker:—There will be no United States Court in R chmond next week. J. C. Underwood. Hichmond next week.

Kitchmond, September 29 — Your telegram is received. Permit us to renew the inquiry whether, on Tue-day, you will be at Richmond, Norloik, or Alexanda a! Your answer will much oblige us.

WILLIAM B. REED,

J. R. FUCKER.

ALEXANDRIA, September 29.—I will be in Alexadria on Inesday. J. C. Underwood. andria on I uesday.

Eight Persons Swept Overboard at Sea.—The steamer City of Albany yesterday afternoon spoke the barque Laura, fitty days from Gremen, bound to Baltimore, with two hundred and ten passengers, off Cape Henry. ported that, in a harricane on the 22d of September, she shipped a heavy sea, which washed overboard seven passengers and one of

the crew, and slightly injured fifty others. An Asylum for Horses.-It is proposed in England to establish an asylum for disabled horses, where they may be judiciously coddled.

HEALTH OF SECRETARY SEWARD.

Serious Attack of Illness Last Evening.

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE EVENING TELEGRAPH.]

WASHINGTON, October 5. Secretary Seward was taken seriously ill last night, with a return of his attack of disentery. The relapse was caused by over-exertion, and from a chill taken in riding out yesterday. Mr. Frederick Seward has been appointed acting Secretary. Considerable apprehension is felt for Mr. Seward, from the obstinate nature of his disease, in his debilitated condition, but he has heretofore shown wonderful rallying power.

From Fortress Monroe.

FORTBESS MONROE, October 3 .- The schooner Amanda Powers, which was quarantined several days since, still lays at anchor, and will be detained some time yet. Dr. Wilcox, the Quarantine Officer, reported to-day that no other case of cholera had occurred since the fatal one on board when she was quarantined.

Dr. T. E. Wilcox, the Assistant Quarantine Officer, on board the steamer City of Athany, visited the ship Laura, from Bremen, and rendered the passengers, wounded at the time her decks were swept at sea, as before reported, all the medical assistance in the way of relieving their injuries that was deemed necessary.

Union Meeting at Bethlehem Last Night. [SPECIAL DESPATCH TO EVENING TELEGRAPH.] BEIHLEHEM, October 5 .- A very targe Union Republican meeting was held here last night. The atmost enthusiasm prevailed. Hon. James M. Scovel, of New Jersey, spoke for nearly two hours. General Selfridge, just removed from the Assessor's office because he would not subscribe to "My Policy," was President of the meeting. The meeting adjourned with cheers for General Geary, Thaddeus Stevens, Senator

Billiard Match in St. Louis.

Scovel, and General Selfridge.

Sr. Louis, October 5 .- The billiard match for the championship, the Missouri champion cue, and \$250, came off last night between A. H. Harrison, of St. Joseph, champion of Missouri, and Philip J. Pierce, of St. Louis. Pierce won the game by 48 points.

Fire at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, October 5 .- The coal oil refinery of Hussey & McBride, in this city, was burned to-day, with 760 barrels of oil. Three men were badly burned, and will probably die.

Arrival of the "Saxonia."

New York, October 5 .- The steamer Saxonia has arrived. She left Southampton on the 19th ult. She brought £90,600 in gold.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE

United States Circuit Court—Judge Cadwala.der.—J. Atiee White vs. The Commonwealth National Bade. Before reported. In this case, which has been before the Court for several successive days arguments are to-day being made by counsel on both sides, at the conclusion of which the case will be left with the jury.

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District Court—Judge Stroud —James B Ferree et al. vs. John Thompson. This is a teigned issue between the creditors of Patrick Kelly to vry issue between the creditors of Patrick Kelly to Try
to Try the validity of a bond for \$600
given by said Kelly. Under this judgment
the property of Kelly was sold by the Sherif, and
the proceeds arising from the sale paid into Court.
On the distribution of the fund, it was alleged by
the subsequent judgment creditors that the bond
and judgment in layor of Thompson was invalid,
that it was obtained b. fraud, that only \$600 was
due by Kelly to Thompson and that at the time of
the giving of the bond it was falsely represented to
Kelly, who could not read, that it was only for the
sum of \$600. An issue was therefore directed by
the Court to be framed to try the question, whether
the said bond was executed by the said Kelly under the said bond was executed by the said Kelly under a saise representation as to the amount of the said bond and warrant.

the detense alleged that the bond was drawn under the instructions of Kelly, that it was read to him before signing, and also before the stamp was affixed thereto, that Kelly was actually indebted to the defendant in the sam of \$6500 for money loaned on two different occasions to said Kelly; that Kelly repeatedly acknowledged his indebtedness, and that no mand or false representation whatever was used. This case was brought up vesterday afternoon, and will be resumed on next Monday, the Court having adjourned till that day. J. G. Brinkle, and J. Cook Longstreth, Esqs., for plaintiff; Thomas R. Elcock and Daniel Dougherty, E-qs., for defendant.

General Universalist Convention in Illinois. At the General Convention of Universalises which was recently held at Galesburg, Illinois, there were present divines and eminent lay delegates from all parts of the country. Horac Greeley was a delegate, but could not come, owing to the great pressure on him in York during the political canvass. The Convention was presided over by Sidney Perham, of hlaine, with Rev. Messrs, Connor, of Concord, N. H., and Livermore, or Chicago, Secretaries lowa was represented by Rev. Messrs. Han-on, Morris, Bishop, and Judge M. L. Ed-wards. Rev. Dr. Ryder of Caicago was the preacher of the Coasional Sermon. Rev. Dr. Fisher, of the Canton Theological School, Dr. Forrester, of Aurora, the venerable Dr. Skinner, Dr. Eddy, of Philadelphia, and Demarest, of New York, with Messrs. Emerson, of the Uni versalist, Livermore, of the Covenant, and Cant-well, of the Star in the West, were also present, This was the largest General Convention ever held by this body in the United States, several thousand persons having been in attendance. What Semmes Says .- The Mobile (Ala.) Gazette

edited by Raphael Semmes, praises the energy of the Northern people as follows:-"We have been beaten in all our contests with the Northern people by a want of energy. Whilst we are day dreaming or sleeping they are at work-at work ke so many beavers, or bee; in a hive. If the a railroad to build, they set energy at work and it is built; witness the great Pacific Railroad, now stretching itself like an immense serpent across the Rocky Mountains-a work scarcely retarded by the war. They are as energetic in politics as in political economy." Silver Wedding .- Rev. William B. Brown, pastor of the First Congregational Church at Newark, N. J., last evening celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his wedding. Several hundred guests were present, including Rev. Mr. Fairchild, of Oberim College, Rev. Mr. Holmes, of Jersey City, and Rev. Drs. Stearns, Wilson, Poor, Parker, Fish, and other clergy-men of Newark. Many valuable gifts were re-

nembers of the congregation. Sharks Wanted .- The Cape Ann Advertises calls upon the Gloucester fishermen to catch some specimen sharks for Professor Agassiz's Museum, the Professor having signified his desire for a collection.

ceived by Mr. and Mrs. Brown, including an elegant service of solid silver, presented by

THIRD EDITION FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

OFFICE OF THE EVENING TELEGRAPH, Friday, October 5, 1866.

The Stock Market was inactive this morning, The Stock Market was inactive this morning, and prices were unsettiled, owing the advance in gold. Government bonds were firmly held. Old 5-20s sold at 112@112\$\frac{1}{2}\$, an advance of \$\frac{1}{2}\$; new do. at 109\$\frac{1}{2}\$, an advance of \$\frac{1}{2}\$; and 6s of 1881 at 111\$\frac{1}{2}\$, an advance of \$\frac{1}{2}\$; and 6s of 1881 at 111\$\frac{1}{2}\$, an advance of \$\frac{1}{2}\$; and 6s of 1881 at 111\$\frac{1}{2}\$, an advance of \$\frac{1}{2}\$; and for 7-30s. City loans were in fair demand; the new issue sold at 100, an advance of \$\frac{1}{2}\$. In Railroad shares there was less doing. Pennsylvania Railroad sold at 57 @ 57\$\frac{1}{2}\$, a slight decline; Lehigh Valley at 64\$\frac{1}{2}\$, no change; Reading at 58\$\frac{1}{2}\$, a decline of \$\frac{1}{2}\$; and Philadelphia and Erie at 33\$\frac{1}{2}\$, a slight decline. 129\$\frac{1}{2}\$ was bid for Camden and Amboy; 35 for Little Schuylkill; 58\$\frac{1}{2}\$ for Norristown; 39\$\frac{1}{2}\$ for North Pennsylva-584 for Norristown; 394 for North Pennsylva-nia; 30 for Elmira common; 42 for preferred do.; 314 for Catawissa preferred; and 46 for Northern Central.

Northern Central.

In City Passenger Railroad shares there was nothing doing. 88½ was bid for Second and Third; 64 for Tenth and Eleventh; 21½ for Thirteenth and Fifteenth; 71 for West Philadedphia; 17½ for Hestonville; 30 for Green and Coates; and 28 for Girard College.

Bank shares continue in good demand for investment at full prices. Commercial sold at 58; 144 was bid for First National; 236 for North America; 147 for Philadelphia; 32½ for Mechanics; 162 for Southwark; 56 for Penn Township; 80

102 for Southwark; 56 for Penn Township; 60 for Girard; 100 for Tradesmep's; 68 for City; 57 or Commercial; and 68 for Corn Exchange. Canal shares were firmly held. Schuylkill. Navigation preferred sold at 37 @ 374, no change; and Morris Canal preferred at 123, an advance; 29 was bid for Schuylkill Navigation common; 14 for Susquehanna Canal; 58 for Lehigh Navigation; and 56 for Delaware Division.

Quotations of Gold—10 A. M., 148; 11 A. M.,

149; 12 M., 1494; 1 P. M., 1494.

—The New York Tribune this morning says:—
"Money continues abundant on call at 1365 per cent., and more is offered than brokers can use. Commercial bills have sold as cheaply as ever, and 5@6 per cent. covers prime to good names. Exchange is irregular, and can be had at second-hand at less than the rates of bankers at their counters. London, prime bankers, 60 days, 108/@109½; London, prime bankers, sight, 109/@109½; Paris, bankers, long, 5*21½; Antwerp, 5*23½; Swiss, 5*23½; Hamburg, bankers, 35½; Ameterdam, bankers, 41; Frankfort, bankers', 41; Berlin, bankers', 71." PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES TO-DAY Reported by De Haven & Bro , No. 40 S. Third street

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\$2000 US5-20s 62coup112 400 sh Sch N pf. .1ts 37s 1000 do. .112; 100 sh do. .030 37; 1100 do. .1865.109; 15 sh Pa & R. .57s 1000 do. .1865.109; 15 sh Pa & R. .57s 1000 do. .112 6 sh do. .2d 57s 1000 Ph & E 6s. .91 100 sh do. .57s 1000 Ph & E 6s. .91 100 sh do. .57s 1000 Ph & E 6s. .91 100 sh do. .57s 100 sh Morns Cl pf. .123 12 sh Frank Ins Co 310 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 12 sh Frank Ins Co 310 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 12 sh Frank Ins Co 310 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Leh Val. .10ts 64j 100 sh Maple Sh. .2i 100 sh Maple Sh. .2 FIRST BOARD

-Mesers. De Haven & Brother, No. 40 South Third street, report the following rates of ex-change to-day at 1 P. M.:—American gold, 149½ @149½; Silver ½s and ½s. 140; Compound Interest Notes, June, 1864, 16½; do., July, 1864, 15½; 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 36 South Turd street, report the U. S. 6s, 1881, registered, 1114@1114; do., coupon, 1114@1114; do., coupon, 1114@1114; do., coupon, 1862, 1124@1124; do., 1864, 1094@1001. U. S. 10-40s. registered. 1094; do., 1865,1094@1094; U. S. 10-408, registered 994@994; do., coupon, 994@994; U. S. 7:30s, lst serie-,1054@1064; do., 2d series, 1054@1064; do., 3d series, 1054@1064; Compound Interest Notes, December, 1864, 1131@1131. Gold, 1491@1491.

Philadelphia Trade Report. FRIDAY, October 5 -There is a decided improve ment to notice in the Flour Market, and holders are very firm in their views. There is more inquiry for home consumption, but no demand for exportation. The sales reach 2500 bbls., principally Northwestern extra family, at \$12 592013 25, including Pennsylvania and Ohio do, do at \$13 5,@14.50; superfine at

Rye Flour has advanced. Sales of 200 bbls at \$6-50 @6 75. In Corn Meal no improvement to notice. The receipts and stocks of Wheat continue very The receipts and stocks of Wheat continue very small, and there is a steady demand for prime quality at yeste day's quotations. Sales of Pennsylvania and Southern red at \$2.90@3.05. White ranges from \$3.10 o 3.25. Rye is scarce, and has advanced; 500 bushels Pennsylvania sold at \$1.25, and 600 bushels on private terms. Corn is scarce, and quiet; sales or 1000 bus. Western mixed at \$1.08 and yellow at \$1.10. Oat-remain without change; sales of new Southern at 52.000c. 1000 bushels Barley sold on private terms. Cotton is dul and decliving; small sales of Middling Up and at 41c, and New Orleans at 42.043c.

87.75@8 75; o'd and new stock extras at \$9@11;

and tancy brands at \$15@16.50, according to quality.

42@43c. Winsky is scarce; small sales of Ohio were made at 82 44 and Pennsylvania at 82 42

-In Genoa there are regular marriage-brokers, who have pocket-books filled with the names of the marriagcable girls of the different classes, with notes of their figures, personal attractions, fortunes, and other circumstances. These brokers go about endeavoring to arrange connections in the same off-hand, mercantile manner which they would bring to bear upon a merchandise transaction; and waen they succeed, they get a commission of two or three per cent, upon the portion, with such extras or bonuses as may be voluntarily bestowed by the party. Marriage at Genoa is thus oftentimes simply a matter of business calculation, generally settled by the parents or relations, who often draw up the contract before the parties have seen one another; and it is only when everything else is arranged, and a few days previous to the marriage ceremony, that the future husband is introduced to his intended partner for life. Should be find fault with her manners or appearance, he may annul the contract, on condition of defraying the brokerage and any other expenses incurred.

-Drury Lane was opened for the season on September 22, with Shakespeare's plays of King Johr; and the Comedy of Errors, supported by Mr. Phelps, Mr. Barry Sullivan, Mrs. Hermann Vezin, and the Brothers Webb. Mrs. Theodore Martin (Heien Faucit) is announced to appear on the 19th of November, and Mr. H. Talbot, a tragedian of provincial celebrity, will represent the first appearance in London as "Mac-Talbot, a tragedian of provincial celebrity, will make his first appearance in London as "Mac" beth on Saturday, October 13. There is sometalk of "ballad operas" being given during the scason with the assistance of Mr. Sims Reeves. The long promised new version of Faust is again promised, and it turns out that the translation is by Mr. Bayle Bernard. It will be rather adapted than translated, and will be profusely "illustrated" by music selected from Weber, Spohr, Mendelesohn, and Bishop. It is promised in October.

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—It is stated that, independently of Miss Burdett Courte' regular donations to the poor of her regular round in England, her special donations in August were between 1840 and 1850 meat tickets, at a rate of 25 cents each, about 500 lbs. fine rice, 250 lbs. to 260 lbs, arrowroot, 50 lbs. sago, and 50 lbs. tapioca, and also of the finest oatmeal, 20 gallons best beef tea, 26 gallons brandy, and 50 gallons port wine, 2 gallons raspberry vinegar, 50 lbs. black currant ielly, 70 to 80 quarts pure milk daily from Miss Courts' farm, 400 yards of fiannel, above 200 made undergarments, 100 and odd blankets, etc.

garments, 100 and odd blankets, etc. The Worcester correspondent of the London Herald is enthusiastic over a grand concert given in that provincial town on the 12th of September. Mad'ile Tietjens was the prima donns of the concert.