AMUSEMENTS.

Blue Cheanut Street Theatre, Benefit of fir. Barney Williams. The White Horse of the Peppers, Connecticut Courtship, and the Irish Lion. Peppers, Connecticut Courtship, and the trish Lion. This is a splendid bill, and will, no doubt, draw an

To morrow siternoon the Connie Soogah will be presented by Mr. and Mrs. Barney Williams at the matinee, for the benefit of Mr. John Stimmell, the Treasurer of the Chesout.

WALNUT STREET THEATRE.—Benefit of Mr. John Brougham, who will play "Sir Harcourt Courtly," in London Assurance Mr. J. B. Roberts will assume the part of "Dazzle." and all of the Company favorites will assist. The entertainment of the evening will be commenced with the capital fame of My. ARCH STREET THEATRE.—Benefit of Mrs. John Drew. The admirable new comedy of £100,000, and Tobin's grand old comedy of the Honeymoon. Mrs. Drew as the "Duchess," and Mr. Maurice Neville.

of Hungary, as the "Duke Aranza."
On Monday Mr. G. L. Fox and his troupe in his great pantomime called Jack and Gill. AMERICAN THRATHE .- Mr. Belvil Ryan will ap-

pear in two lavorite characters this evening.

To-morrow afternoon the usual matines performance will be given.

To morrow night Miss Mollie Williams and Mr.

Felix A. Vincent commence an engagement. The former ap. ears in the French Spy, and Mr. Vincent plays "Ragged Pat," in Fredant As it Was.

The annual benefit of Mr. James Prigrim, the dramatist, Irish actor, and business manager of the American Theatre, is announced to take place in a reek or two hence

THE MENDELSSORS CONCERT .- The first subscription concert of the Mendelssohn Society, which takes place to-morrow evening, at the Musical Fund Hall, promises to be an unusually attractive and in-teresting entertainment. Professor H. G. Thunder will preside at the piano on the occasion, and Mr. Jean Louis will act as conductor. The Germania Or-Jean Louis with act as conductor. The Germana Or-chestra has been engaged, and will perform the over-tures, etc., of which the first will be Mendelssohn's "Les Hebrides." This will be followed by the grand cantata "Lauda Sion" (Praise of J-hovah), the solos being sung by Miss Ellers, Miss Gormley, Mr. Jack-son, and Mr. Harkins. The second part will open with a grand choral inniasie by Beethoven, the solos being suns by Miss Cunnington, Miss Durchar, Miss Campbell, Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Cummings, and Mr. Winterbottom. The duet "Flow Gently Deva." will be sung by Mrs. Henrietta Behrens and Mr. J. O. K Roborts. Three national sones by Mendels-sohn wit be sung by a selected chorus, and also his four part song. 'On the Sea,' by the Society.

THE GRIMANIA ORGHESTRA.-The following is THE GRUMANIA ORGANIA THE THE CONTROL OF THE CHARLES OF THE CONTROL OF T

Hymen's Festive Sounds "Waltz" Launer
Allegretto Scherzando from 8th Sinfonie Beethoven
Overure—"Hebriden" Mendelssohn
Song—' Erlking" F. Schubert
Duet from "Zampa" F. Herold

STILL ON EXPUBITION -Bradford's great painting, entit ed Scalers Crushed by Icebergs, remains on exhibition at the art rooms of Wenderoth, Taylor & Brown, Chesnut street, above Ninth, for a few days longer. Those who have not seen this wonderful work of art should not miss the opportunity now afforded of enjoying its remarkable beauty and brilliant effects.

"THE FAMILY RESORT."-Carnero's & Dixey are still running their very successful new burlesque, called Italian Airs at the Academy, with the New Year's Calls, and Madame Ristors in The Stranger. presen ed, with new ballads, as rapidly as they are published.

THE CROSBY OPERA HOUSE .- To-morrow will be the last day during which tickets for the Crosby Opera House Art Association Gift Distribution can be purchased. The drawing for prizes will positively commence at Chicago on Monday atternoon. Tickets may be obtained of T. B. Pugh, at No. 807 Chesunt street, and No. 1365 Chesunt street, to-day and to-

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

[For Additional Local Items see Third Page.]

EFFECTS OF THE STORM-DETENTION THE NEW YORK LINES-LOW TIDE IN THE DELAWARE. - The wind storm which commenced yesterday morning continued throughout the whole day and night. Its effect on our river front was remarkable. The provalence of northwest winds always produces, in our river, a diminution in the tide, but the unusual power caused its reduction several feet, literally emptying all the docks, and leaving oyster-shallops sloops, and tug-boats high and dry. The United States' Rights, conveying the New York passengers, was aground, and only succeeded in reaching this side after a two hours' passage, meeting the 8 o'clock train of New York passengers mid-stream, conveyed across, as they were, by the Market street ferry lines, in the absence of the regular boat. The passengers were compelled to waik up to Market street, while their baggage was carried up in trucks. It was then half-past 9, making a detention, therefore, of an hour and a half, and which would probably extend to two hours. It was flood tide about halfpast 7, but at half-past 8 there was no apparent rise. The wind was literally blowing the water out of the river. There is, of course, vast quantitles of floating ice in the river, but this does not seriously impede navigation.

DEATH OF AN ESTIMABLE CITIZEN. Thomas Allen, Esq., long and favorably known in the Northern Liberties, died on the 15th, of paralysis. Few persons have been called away by death who will be so sincerely mourned as Mr. Allen. For some months past Mr. Allen has filled the post of Assessor of the Third Collection District in this city, and by his uniform kind and gentlemanly deportment, had made hosts of friends as an officer. The assistants in his department held a meeting yesterday after noon. James J. Francis, was called to the chair. The usual resolutions were passed, eulogies upon the memory of the deceased were pronounced by Captain John M. Carson and James J. Francis, Esq., and the meeting re-solved to attend the obsequies as a mark of their esteem. It is seldom that we have to re-cord a meeting of this kind at which so much feeling and sympathy were exhibited.

A THIEVISH SON,-Robert M. Dore, who is reported to be a young man whose covetous desires are infinitely stronger than his conscientious regard for honesty, was arrested at Sixth and South streets yesterday afternoon, on a charge of larceny. It appears that Robert has got quite a penchant for appearing a larger man than he really is in a financial point of view. He likewise has a passion for histrionic studies, and loves to gaze upon the fair ones who appear upon the boards of our theatres. In order to make a better appearance, he borrowed his mother's gold watch and pair of opera-glasses, in her absence from her home, No. 1325 Vine street, without asking her In order to bring him to a due permission. In order to bring him to a due sense of what he had done, she had him arrested and taken before Alderman Bettler, who held him in \$1000 bail to answer.

DEATH FROM EXPOSURE.-Yesterday a ternoon an old woman, who goes by the name of Mrs. Countryman, and resides in Passyun's read, below Christian street, started out to do some little work in Second street. walked some distance, and got tired and cold. She managed to get as far as Fourth and Christian streets at 5:30 in the evening, when felt herself getting drowsy. Not knowing the fatal effects of getting asleep in that condition, she sat down upon a door-step, and, lying over, went to sleep. Officer Flemming passing by at that time, saw her reclining on the step, and walking up to her, found the state she was in. He had her taken into the house, but she died soen after getting inside. The Coroner was notified to hold an inquest.

THE STORM .- The storm that raged during part of vesterday and last night had the effect of retarding travel to no inconsiderable degre-The New York train that was due yesterday at 10.30 A. M., did not arrive until three hours later. The train that was due at the Pennsylvania Railroad depot, at Thirty-first and Market streets, last evening, did not arrive until 8 o'clock this morning. At Kelleyville the locomorive "Kelleyville" was found to have been upset, and was lying at the side of the track the wheels uppermost. As a general thing, travel was retarded everywhere where the storm spent its force. Last night in the city the wind was very heavy, and awnings, signs, and shutters suffered.

STEALING SWEETS .- James Sloam, whilst sunning himself in the classic shades of Penn and Pine streets yesterday afternoon, was strongly aftracted to the corner of those two streets, where a [gentleman had located/himself as a grocer. In front of that establishment James beheld a sweet spectacle. It was no more nor less than a barrel of sugar. He drew near unto it and abstracted about fifty pounds, more or less, and walked off. Officer Kearney saw the little transaction, and walked after him, and catching him by the collar, told him he was wanted. As they were going along to the Station House, Frank Chanley, a chum of Sloan's, interfered with Officer Kearney, and tried to get his prisoner released. The result was that both were marched to Alderman Beit-ler's office, and Sloan was held in \$400 buil to answer for larceny, whilst Chanley, was held in \$500 to answer the charge of interfering with an officer in the discharge of his duty.

INCITING TO PIOT.-Last Monday morning man named Isaac Dawson went into Duffy's liquor store in Frankford, with several com-panions, and undertook to raise a rumpus and riot. He talked largely to Mr. Duffy, and gently insinuated that he intended to tear his establishment out, with the help of his aforesaid companions. Duffy did not exactly like the dea of such a radical house-cleaning scheme, and proceeded forthwith to tell the Mayor of his grievous experience. The Mayor issued a warrant for the arrest of Dawson, and he was forth collared at Whitehall by Officer Johnson. and escorted to Alderman Holme's office. After a hearing, he was held in \$500 bail to answer.

NYMPHS SENT BELOW .- Last night, shortly after midnight, a couple of street-walkers, who had been practising their siren arts all to no purpose, were pacing their weary rounds in the eighborhood of Sixth and Lombard streets. Up and down they travelled their weary way, their spirits sustained by the old remedy of pouring spirits down, until they got noisy. They were both arrested, and had a hearing before Alderman Butler. They gave the names of Josephine Gilbert and Ellen Clark. The result of the hearing was, that they were furnished board and lodging for a month at the expense of the city.

BURGLARS SCARED OFF .- About halfpast two o'clock this morning, Mr. Beatty, re-siding at No. 1631 South street, heard a noise as if some one was trying to force an entrance into his house. He got up and, getting a gun loaded with large shot, he went to his back window and looked out. Three men were below, who had got into the yard by climbing the fence, and were then in the act of forcing open a shut-He fired the gun at them, when they pulled up stakes and fled. On making an examination, it was found that they had forced the boit back, but had not been able to effect an entrance.

STEALING CHICKENS. - Joseph Butterworth and William Lind were before Alderman Hurley this morning upon the charge of stealing four chickens. They visited the place of Mr. Austin, at Belmont Cottage, under the pre-tense of showing a letter to an old man. They slipped under the barn, and deposited the chickens in a hack, and made off. They were perceived, followed, and arrested. Each was eld in \$500 bail.

SELLING LIQUOR TO MINORS.-Thomas Walters, who keeps a place in Frankford, on Church street, was arrested last Monday after noon, on a charge of selling liquor to minors. His place is near the D-catur Engine-house, and it is alleged that he is in the habit of selfing liquor to minors, and also of selling with-out taking out a license. He had a hearing before Alderman Holme, and was held in \$600 bail to answer.

CARELESSNESS .- Last night there were a great number of stores found open in the Fifth Police District. About twelve were reported to the Mayor. It is worse than carelessness to leave such an inducement to thieves and incendiaries to practice their avocations. Not-withstanding all that has been said upon the subject by the press generally, the same thing is reported day after day.

A MISTAKE. — The paper of yesterday stated that a thief had attempted to rob the house of Mr. William Miller, at Seventh and Christian streets, and that when he was chased from that place he ran into the Moyamensing Hose Company's House, and made his escape in that way. It is not stated, nor was it believed that he was a member of that Company. Suspicious. - Joseph Wilson was dis-

covered in the fourth story of the building No 909 Chesnut street last evening, by a young lady, who called in Officer Souder and had him taken before Alderman Beitler. He was held in \$1500 bail. It is supposed it was his intention to rob the place.

FFIRE-PLUG BURST .- Owing to neglect on the part of somebody who ought to have the fire-plugs properly protected against the frost, there have been several bursting the late severe cold weather. Last night the plug at Eighteenth and Spruce streets burst, and flooded the street with water.

RECOVERY OF STOLEN GOODS.-Another batch of the goods stolen by Harrod, from stores in Chesnut street, has been recovered by Lieutenant Connelly. The recovered property consisted of penknives, combs, and fancy articles. It was restored to the owners.

A Young Rebel. - Alderman Hurley this morning committed a lad, sixteen years old, named William Hazel, to the House of Refuge, for the larceny of a sum of money from mother, and being so unruly that she could not control him.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY .- The store at the corner of Twelith and South streets was broken into about 3 o'clock this morning. The thieves had pried open a window, but were alarmed before they had succeeded in doing anything,

SLIGHT FIRE.—The chimney of James Cooper's residence, Second and Huntingdon streets, took fire early this morning, but was extinguished before any material damage was done.

ACCIDENT .- About 10 o'clock this morning woman named Hattle Curtis fell upon the pavement at Eighth and Chesnut streets, and inured herself seriously. She was taken to the Hospital.

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MARRIED. DENG-FARRAN.—On the 15th Instant, at the Parsonsge of the Summerfield M. E. Church. No. 718 E. Danphin street, by Rev. Vaughan Smith. Mr. DANIEL
DENG to Miss MARTHA MATILDA FARRAN,
youngset daughter of the late Robert Farrau, formerly of
Southwark, Philadelphia. HUDSON-HASSALL,—On the evening of the 15th instant, by the Rev. J. Walker Jackson, Mr. GEORGE W. HUDSON, of this city, to Miss ELIZA, youngest daughter of William Hassall. Esq., of New York.

DIED.

ALLEN.—On the morning of the 18th Instant, THOMAS ALLEN. in the 52d year of his age.

Bis relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 810 N. Seventh street, on Monday next, the 21st instant, at 10 o'clock A. M.

BOYD.—On the morning of the 18th instant, FLO-RENCE CORDELIA, only child of Captain W. Stokes and Mary B. Boyd, aged 2 years and 18 days. CAMPBELL,—On the 17th instant, Mr. WILLIAM CAMPBELL, aged 55 years.
The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the tuneral, from his late residence, No. 2335 Owen street (between Biddle and Spring Garden), above Twenty third, on Sunday afternoon at 1 oxigors.

CLAXTON.—On the 15th instant, of pneumonia. ELIZABETH, wife of R Bethel Claxton D. D., and daughter of the late Hon. David Scott, of Wikesbarre, aged 41 years

The friends and relatives of the family are invited to attend her funeral, without further notice at the Church of the Saviour Thirty eighth street, near Chesnut, on Saturday morning next at il o'clock.

MCCRFA.—On Tuesday, the 15th instant. Mrs. CATHARINE McCREA, in the 88th year of ner age, reliet of the late Thomas McCrea Sr.
The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence. No. 1964 N. Front street, on Monday morning, the 21st instant, at 9 o'clock. To proceed to Roxborough.

McLAUGHLIN.—On the 16th instant, WILLIAM McLAUGHLIN, aged 86 years.
The relatives and triends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence Bustleton, Twenty-third Ward on Saturday morning next at 8 o'clock. High Mass and interment at Frank ford.

SHOEMAKER .- On the 17th Instant, RACHEL SHOE MAKER In the Tist year of her age.

The relatives and triends of the samily are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, nom the residence of her son, Julien Shoemaker. No. 1319 Girard avenue, on Seventh-day morning, the 1 th instant, at 11 o'clock. To proceed to Laurel Hill

TRUMBULL.—On the 7th instant, in Havana, Cuba whither he had gone for his hearth, SAMUEL F. TRUM BULL, of Philade phila Due notice will be given of time of interment.

OBITUARY.

We are seldom called upon to record the death or a man so universally beloved and respected as THOMAS ALLEN, the late Assessor of the Third Congressional District. He descended from a stock that has been known in the District of the old Northern Liberties for many years. His life, until the last year or two, has been one of retirement-loved, respected, and honored by all who knew him It can be truly said, that he was a man who had no enemies. acceptance of the Assessorship threw great responsibilities upon his mind, his sole aim and course being to do his full duty to the Government and the tax-payers. That he was strictly honest and upright, none doubt; and by his death his family will lose a kind and effectionate parent, his associates a true and unswerving filend, and the Government a faithful disce and one it could trust.

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Vinegar, 20,000 gallons, per gallon.

Bids will be received for one-tourth, one-half, three-lourths, or the whole of the quantities named, and those only will be accepted which are considered for the advantage of the Government.

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equal to the Navy standard, and pass the usual For a description of the articles and the packages For a description of the articles and the packages at contain them, indders are referred to the samples at the said Navy Yards; and for information as to the laws and regulations (in pamphlet form) rewarding contracts, to the offices of the Commandants and Taymasters of the several Navy Yards.

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FOURTH EDITION

FROM WASHINGTON THIS AFTERWOON.

[SPECIAL PESPATCHES TO EVENING TELEGRAPH.] WASHINGTON, January 18.

More Opposition to League Island. Segator Foster, of Connecticut, maie a long speech this morning before the Senate Naval Committee, in opposition to locating the Ironclad Station at League Island, and in favor of New London. The Committee will make two reports, one in favor of League Island, and one in favor of referring the question of a site to a Board of Officera.

A New Minister to England. It is reported that Dudley Field, brother of Cyrus W. Field, has been appointed Minister to England. Mr. Sumner's Speech. It is understood that Senator Sumner will pro-

ceed with his speech this afternoon denunciatory of the President, and it is given out that it wil, by exceedingly severe. The White House Fire. The loss by the fire at the White House to-day

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

is estimated at from two to three thousand

Semute.

WASHINGTON, January 18.—The Chair isid before the Schate the resolutions of the Legislature of Kentucky, rejecting the Constitutional amondment. Laid on the table, and ordered to be printed. Mr. Wace (Ohio) presented petitions for an in-reased faciff, which were ordered to he on the

Mr. Wilson (Mass.) presented thirteen petitions for an increased of pay of army officers. Referred to the Military Committee. Also, a petition that Congress pass laws against the present system of extermination of the Indian race Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs. Mr Summer (Mass.) presented the petition of the

National Equal Rights Association, recently assem-bed in Washington city, asking for impartial suf-irage, etc. Referred to the Committee on Recon-Mr. Henderson (Mo.) presented the petition of citizens of Missouri for an increased duty on flax-seed. Ordered to be on the table.

Several remonstrances against the reduction of the volume of currency were introduced and referred to the Finance Committee. Mr. Sumner offered a resolution calling upon the President of the United States to communicate to the Senate, if in his judgment not inconsistent with the public interests, any correspondence between the Department of Sinte and Mr. Motley, Minister to the Court of Vienna, relative to his expected

The Chair said it required unanimous consent to orsider this resolution to-day.

Mr. Buckalew (Pa.) objected, and it goes over.

Mr. W. Ison. from the Multiple of the control Mr. W. Ison, from the Multary Committee, re-ported the bill of the House of the last session, to establish and protect National Cemeteries, requiring ach gray to be marked with the name of the ocen pant, and each cemetery to be enclosed with a stone or iron fence, and appropriating \$50,000 for carry-

ing out the purposes named At the suggestion of Mr. Wade and others, the bill was aid over for the present.

The bill to incorporate the Congregational Society of Washington, and the bill to incorporate the Horse Railroad Company of Washington County, as amended by the House, was taken from the sable and referred to the Committee on the District of

House of Representatives. On motion of Mr. Upson (Mich) ithe Post Office Committee was instructed to inquire into the expediency of establishing certain post roads in Michigan.

Mchigan.

On motion of Mr. Ritter (Ky.), the Committee on Agriculture was instruct d so inquire into the expediency of reporting a bill restraining and prohititing the Commissioner of Agriculture from the purchase and distribution of seeds, plants, or flowers common to the United States.

Mr. Hubbard (Conn.) asked leave to introduce a lover resolution extending the investigation of the joint resolution extending the jurisdiction of the Court of Claims for to caim the supply of Quarter-masier's stores to the counties of Frederick, Clark, Shenan-doah, Page, and Rockingham, in the State

Mr. Cul om (Ill.) objected, and the joint resolution was not introduced. The Speaker presented Executive documents, etc., as follow: From the Governor of Kentucky, announcing the rejection by that State of the Constitutional Amend-

ment. Laid on the table. From the Attorney General, in reply to the House resolution of January 14, transmitting all papers relative to the case of A. D. Mosey, indicted in the Local Court of Vicksburg, Mississippi. Referred to the Committee on Mistary Affairs.

the House resolution of January 15, transmitting copies of drawback regulations, prescribed under the Internal Revenue law. Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means. Also ransmitting the statement of the disburse-ment of the contingent fund of the various offices in his Department.

The House then proceeded to the consideration of he bills of a private character.

The bill reported yesterday by Mr. Welker (Ohio), from the Committee for the District of Columbia, to incorporate the Washington Transportation and Coal Company, came no first under that category.

PENNSYLVA ... CISLATURE.

Windles Transcon HARRISBURG, January 18 .- The Senate is not in ion to-day.

House of Representatives. Mr. Chase moved for a reconsideration of the resolution in regard to printing one thousand copies of the Minority Report on the subject of the examination of the affairs of the Venange Bank.

The motion elicited considerable discussion, which was participated in by Messrs. Waddeli, Davis, and

others. A reconsideration was agreed to. Yeas 43, nays 39. On motion of Mr. Davis, the reconsideration was postponed.
One thousand copies of the Special Message of the late Governor A. G. Cur'in, in relation to Boom and Log bills, were ordered to be printed.

From Boston.

Boston, January 18 .- The schooner Julia Ann. supposed to be from Baltimore to Boston, it is feared has been lost, with all hands on board, as papers have been picked up on Nantasket Beach belonging to her,

The British brig Zulieka, hence for Africa, dragged her anchor in Nantasket Roads during the storm, and went ashore on Rainsford Island rocks, where she remains, with five feet of water in her hold. Her crew were saved, and she will come off after discharging her cargo.

From Canada.

Toronto, January 18 .- A gunboat is to stationed at Kingston in the spring, on account of the number of Fenlan convicts in the Penitentiary there. A gunboat is also to be stationed permanently in the Niagara river.

Exports from Canada to the United States during the past year are as follows:-Wheat, 610,000 bushels; Barley, 2,000,000 busnels; Flour, 150,000 barrels; Butter, 640,000 pounds; Lumber, 7,000,000 feet.

From Fortress Monvoe.

FORTRESS MONROE, January 18 .- A schooner, supposed to be the Martha, for Baltimore from Savannah, with a cargo of iron, is ashore thirty miles below Cape Henry. She is regarded as a total loss. The westher was intensely cold and bitter last evening, with a strong N. W. wind.

A Princess Lead .- The death of the Princess Sophia Liechtenstein is announced as having taken place at Pesth. The daughter of au actor named Lowe, she was born in 1815, and in 1840 had great success in Loy,don and Paris as a singer. In 1848 she married Prince Frederick Liechtenstein.

EUROPE.

THE REFORM QUESTION. "Grent John Bright on the Coming Change" in England.

An address to Mr. Bright, M. P., was for-

varded to that gentleman lately from the work

ingmen of Chelmstord, England, having been signed by nearly two hundred and fifty of their Having reviewed his past great ser ices, the address went on to express the conflsuce of those who had signed it in Mr. Bright's leadership in the agitation for political reform. Mr. Bright, in acknowledging the receipt of the address, suys:- I have received the address, and I write to express my thanks to the workingmen who have signed it. I value their good opinion very nightly, and were it not that they are so far off, and that I have so much to occupy me here, I should be glad to have an opportu nity of meeting them to discuss the question of reform with them. The question of a wide extension of the suffrage is making way. The address mys that "Nearly 100,000,000 in the United States and in Germany are in possession of the franchise," and they argue from this that the cause cannot be withstood here. I believe they are rigut in this, and that we shall come up with the nations most advanced in the thoory and practice of representative government. The workingmen through out the United Kingdom are becoming interested in this great question, and their organization is becoming more complete. Their power, aided to the power of the liberal middle class, will be too great for those who now monopolize the influence of government, and a great change cannot be far off. In every town and village the question of working-class emancipation should be discussed.

Societies should be formed, information should be spread, and thus opinion will be created and combined so as to bear down all opposition. Do not imagine because you cannot bring to-gether a vast multitude, such as has been done Birmingham, in Manchester, in Leeds, and in Glasgow, that you have no part in the great Every town and village may do its part. and the efforts of all will be needed. But the cause is great and good, and the result is

Thanking you and your friends for both let-ter and kind address, I am very truly yours. John Brigger

FRANCE. Scens at the Tuileries on New Year's Day. Paris (January 2) Correspondence London Times.

A reception on the occasion of the New Year took place yesterday at the Tuileries, with the accustomed ceremonial. At midday the Emperor and Empress, attended by the functionsattached to their respective households and the great officers of state, proceeded to the chapel of the palace, where Mass was celebrated by the Grand Almoner. At 1 o'clock the En-peror entered the Salle du Trone, where the members of the Diplomatic Corps were assem-bled, and received by his Majesty. The Emperor took his seat on the throne, having on his right Prince Napoleon, Prince Lucien Murat, and Prince Joachim Murat; and on his left Prince Louis Lucien Bonaparte, Prince Lucien Bona-parte, and Prince Napoleon Charles Bonaparte, The great officers of style were ranged to the right and left according to their rank; and the Master of the Ceremonies presented to his Majesty the Senate Legislative Corps, Council of State, the deputations of the grand offices of the Legion of Honor, of the Superior Courts of Justice, of the Council of Public Instruction, and of the Institute; the Archbishop of Paris and his clergy, the Council of the Reformed Church of Paris; the President of the Consistory, and of the Directors of the Church of the Confession of Augsburg, the Central Consistory of Israelites, the Prefects of the Scine and Police, and the members of the various tribunals, etc. At 2 o'clock the superior officers of the National Guard and army of Paris, employes of the War and Naval Departments, and the heads of various branches of both services in Paris, active and reserve (far too numerous to mention), were presented. Strict regard to dress had been previously recommended by the Grand Master of the Ceremonies, the Duke of Cambaceres. All the civil functionaries were in grand costume, and the military in full uniform.

Suicide of Pere Chicard.

From the Pall Mall Gazette The Paris papers chronicle the death of one who was for some years notorious in a particular section of Pari ian society. At break of day following the last opera bal masque a strangecoking figure was seen to lean for a moment two over the parapet of the Pont des Arts, and then to jump into the river. A fisherman who witnessed the incident, after long searching brought the body to the surface of the water Enveloped as it was from head to foot in a long hairy covering, it seemed at first sight to be an ane, but was soon recognized as a human being, Attempts were made to restore asimation, but in vain. In one of the pockets of the unknown the following letter was found, which helped to

clear up the mystery:—
"It is useless to attempt to identify me. I am the descendant of a noble family whom my follies have dishonored. All my patrimony is dissipated and I prefer suicide to misery. To those who affirm that it is necessary to be brave to kill oneself. I reply that absinthe gives courage. I am drunk: it is thus that I ought to die. I have been surnamed 'Caoutchouc;' let me be buried under this name. May my death serve as an example to youth. Caoutchouc, Says the Paris papers, was CAOUTCHOUC.

old Count Chicard of modern public balls. His reputation extended from the Chateau Rouge to Mabille, and from the casino to the opera-There was always a crowd to see him dance, and it was certainly an extraordinary performance In appearance he was far from prepossessing he had a coarse, brutal-looking face, puffed and pimpled by debauchery; his duil, lustreless eyes had an odious leer; and his swollen, rickety figure also told the tale of excesses; but dull and listless as he seemed in the intervals of the dance, the music no sooner struck up than a seri of tury seemed to scize him. He writhed and bounded like a madman. In a quadrille his styps were so many convulsions. None of the clowns of the "Cirque" could dislocate their timbs after the fashion of Caoutchouc in the seure of "cavalier seul." He had a method of shortening himself, or flattening himself, of balancing himself on his hips, of bounding about a la Quasimodo, which trilled the wild be about the second of the second with authority. Bohemians among whom he danced with enthusiasm and cavy. The cancan is prohibited by the austere morality of the Empire, but Chicard. managed to introduce snatches of it in defiance of the police. Altogether this old buffoon—old, at least, in looks—with his baid head and pimpled face, his frenzied contortions, his horrid drunken leer, and fewd gestures, was one of the saddest and most disgusting spectacles that Paris had to offer.

This year Cacutchoue was at the head of the orgies of the masked balls of the opera, where he excelled himself, so his admirers said, in the wild eccentricities of the quadrille. On Saturday, the 22d, disguised as an ourang-outing, he exhibited before the crowds in the theatre of the Rue Lepelletier the marvellous elasticity of his nody. He leaped on the shoulders of his companions, springing from one to the other ith all the case and more than the mischievousness offa Brazilian age. At 5 o'clock in the

morning he was dead, On leaving the opera Caputchouc declined to sue with a band of maskers. After drugking ave glasses of absinthe in a cafe on the Boule-yards, he betook himself to the Pont des Arts, which he scaled to perform his last pirquette.

Philada, Stock Exchange Sales, Jan. 18 BETWEEN BOARDS. SECOND BOARD

The Commercial Patinges of the Past

The yearly Circular of Mesara, Dan, Wiman & Co. contains, as usal, interesting and valuable statistics bearing on the commercial opera-tions of the year. Mr. Wiman says, in his report from 1862 to 1865:—

"In consequence of the war it was impossible to obtain the indures in the Southern States; our statistics are therefore, incomplete with regard to the country as a whole; but in the Northern States the figures are given for each year. It will be seen that during 1855 there is a very considerable increase in the number, as compared with the prebas been largely augmented; but taking into account the failures from 1867 to 1861, the failures of the past year are less in number and amount that these of any one of those ave years, and in view of the enormally increased trade and the unsetted conceiton of commercial matters generally, the figures for 1856 cannot be called excessive."

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"Notwithmansing the increase of failures, as above noted, there is much in the history of the year just closed which caits for sincere constrate and the creation of an inflated corrector, the community has been led constantly to anticipate a crisis, which for magnitude and extent should exceed all other events of that character in our previous lists of y. other events of that character in our previous lisetory. But another year has passed and no great calamity has betallen us. Yet while the year has not pro-duced a crisis, it can hardly be said to have yended an average retarn of profit. While in 1865 more money was made in proporties to the number en-gaged than ever before in the same period, it may acely be said of 1896 never before was there is a money realized from a volume of trade of the same extent. Many manufacturers have barely held their own, while importers and justices have made

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but small returns in proportion to the extent of business done."

The St. Louis Democrat of the 14th instant tells the following story:-Edward True was a gay and festive engineer on the Kirkwood ac-commodation train. He possessed that free and open manner which, united with youth, good locks, and a surplus of spending mones, never fails to win the hearts of a certain class of young ladies. The good-looking young engineer put up at the Kirk wood flotel, where he soon become acquainted with Emma Sun, the pretty counbermaid of the establishment. Emma was about eighteen years of age, spruce in her dress, and fond of admiration. It was not long being True was Sunstruck, and in an equally sucre time the Sunflower turned to him as the god of her idolatry. The result of this billing and cooing was a wedding. The ceremony was pur-formed by the Rev. Mr. Mitchell of the Presty-terian Church, and for two weeks the heavymoon was undersued by a cloud. True by ought his bride to St. Louis, and sent lier to a boarding-house on Seventh street, war the Pacific depot, and visited her regularly when he came to the cuy. About two weeks ago the inconstant engineer married a Miss McL aughtin, living within a mile of Kirkwood-sa i nnocent, unsophisticated girl of fifteen, fixing with her parents, who are people of respectativity and

On the wedding day Dennis Mc Law ghlin, the brother of the bride, a steward on the river, returned home from a visit so Odir i, Ill. He had received intimation that True held married at Kirkwood; but the bri tegroom tol i him that it was only a sham marriage. The knot had been tied by Mr. Mills, of Webster Grove, and could not be untied in a day; and t he brother told True he should have nothing to do with his sister until the matter was charge and McLaughlin occupied the same toom on the night of the wedding, leaving the joung bride "weeping, sad, and lonely" in the bridal

Knowing his own guilt . True made an arrange-

ment with the bride to meet him at the station the following day, and by with him on the wings of love to some sunny spot, where hardhearted brothers come; not and parents are unknown. McLaughlin and True both came to St. Louis the next day, and, as the former was getting on the train at Fourteenth street, he saw True, who, on getting sight of bim, jumped off, and in this way the contemplated clope-ment was trustrated. McLaughlin had sworn to kill True if it turned out that he had twronged his sister by marrying; her while he had another wife, and for this reason the fast cugirieer was anxious to avoid the brother of his vietzim. It was ascertained, beyond double that True was a bigamist, and several days ago E mma appeared before Justice Conningham, pewere whom a complaint was filed, and the officers were sent to arrest True, who failed to find bim. It is said that he has left the city," thinking, doubt

"How happ y could I be with eith er, Were t'other dear charmer sway !" It is said that True and married a 'young la ly in St. Louis some sighteen mouth's ago, and that, previous to that time, he had married a

girl in Illinois.

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