AMUSEMENTS.

THE JAPS AT THE ACADEMY.-The "Imperial THE JAPS AT THE ACADEMY.—The "Imperial Troupe" have created a decided furor, and it is with difficulty a seat out the procured, or even standing room. The performances passed off last evening without secident. The programme is varied enough to furnish an evening's entertainment without a performer's engaging in dangerous ground and lotty tumbling. The ribbons, the tops, the tumbling the female juggler, who havis a baker's dozen of lighted lanterns out of a small box, to the accompaniment of a tinkling guitar in the hands of a neat and pretty little Japess: the balancing of the paniment of a tinkling guitar in the hands of a neat and pretty little Japess; the balancing of the crock, whence a tiny little fellow emerges, looking like a potted shrimp—are all wonderful in their way, and performed with an ease and grace that prove the "Imperial Troupe" to be the very aristocrats of their profession. It is a pity Rieley has purchased passages for the next steamer. We think he might bridge the time between the 10th and the steamer of the 20th so profitably as to leave no sause for regret that the other company had preceded him to New York; in fact, there, as here, they would act simply as advortising agents for his troupe. Give us, dear Dick, a week or more, before you leave our golden shore.

THE GREMANIA.—The following is the pro-

THE GERMANIA.—The following is the proramme for the Rehearsal to-morrow afternoon, at
the Musical Fund Hall:

Overture "Bockmil".

"Ferzetto," from Ailla.

"Verdi
"Almack's Dances," Walz.

Lanner
Allegretto, from seventh "Sanionie". Beethoven
Overture, "Oberon".

Overture, "Oberon".

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BENEFITS TO-NIGHT.—At the New Chesnut Street Theatre Mrs. Barney Williams will take a benefit. Mr. and Mrs. Barney Williams will appear in three most popular and attractive pieces.

For Mr. Brougham's inrewell benefit, at the Walnut, this evening, Pocahonias is to be played, tegether with the Bachelor of Arts, and Love and Murder.

Murder.
At the Arch, for the benefit of 'Jack," "Dame Gill," "Little Johnny Horner" and "Mary and her Little Lamb" will all appear in the new panto-At the American, for the benefit of Miss Mollis Williams, a great bill is offered, comprising three

admirable plays. MATINEES To-Morrow .- At the Chesnut, Mr. and Mrs Barney Williams will give their second apres-midi entertainment.

At the Arch the Foxes will amuse the young people with the great new pantomime of Jack and Gill.
Go and take the children, by all means,
At the American a fine matinee performance will

At the Assembly Buildings, Mr. Kennedy will sing a number of Scotch songs, commencing at 2 c'clock. He will be assisted by his accomplished daughter on the piano.

### CITY INTELLIGENCE.

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MOUNTING PEGASUS-THE GRAND IN LOCAL LITHRATURE,—Why a man who calls a cat a cat in speaking should call it "a feline species of fauna" when he writes about it, has always been to us a cause of surprise. And why a very young writer scorns Saxon, and uses only Johnsonian expressions, has never been satisfactorily explained. Yet both these propositions are true. The most astonishing examples of fine writing that we have seen occur in local departments of newspapers, and some of these exhibit such overwhelming outbursts of gentus that we pity the blind fate which made their author a reporter instead of a historian or a translator of the classics. One of the most alarming instances of a flow of the genuine "hitalutin" occurs in a morning contemporary, in a story intended to harrow up the soul. It is the terrible tale of a youthful negress, who is favored with the caption of "Au Extraordinary Career of Crime," and which "crimes" appear to have consisted in the rather distinctive but by no means extraordinary sport of setting haystacks on fire. A column and a half of her adventures is spread before the reader. We are assured that the 'story possesses many astounding facts, of terrible fires, attempted murder, destruction of property generally, and how a large section of country vas kept for some time in continual excitement because of the supposed invasion by a Rebel cavalryman, commissioned especially to burn private property without distinction of owner-

We will not follow the rambles of this wonderful negress, who at the mature age of ten loes all sorts of wonderful things. We cannot imagine the phenomenon as described. We quote the graphic reporter:-"She was cheerful in the retirement of the prison; her eye was yet piercing, and its expression rather fascinating. Little did the visitor think it was an 'evil eye.' As she was then nearing thirteen, the force of the word "yet" is easily appreciated. At that age the eyes of children mostly begin to grow

A little further down, the following lines, descriptive of a country garden, occur:flower-gardens, that exhaled their perfume on the passing breeze. Some of these choice offerings of the Floral Queen were exotics, while the others were rare indigenous plants. Early on a bright June morn, the flowery mon h of year, it was discovered that all the flowers in one of the gardens had been pulled up by the roots, or torn from the stems and scattered pro-

usely around. call attention to the delicate name for June, and also to the immediate connection of the "Floral Queen" (whoever she is) with the subject. But we cannot quote more at large. The same delicate style of description abounds throughout the article. The servant is not dis charred, nor does she leave a family—she only "retires from service." A mother who has lost her child suffered the affliction of having, "for a time, her reasoning powers entirely dethroned. And so on through the column and a half, would merely hold up the present case as a lesson, from which to draw the conclusion that as the task of the reporter is merely to tell facts, the simplest wording will save him from ap-pearing ridiculous. When he advances only nions, or beautifies his paragraph with high-sounding sentences of foreign derivation, he

grows sublime, but also appears absurd.

A COSTLY RUNAWAY IN EVERY RE SPECT. - About ten o'clock yesterday, a couple of men were driving a horse and cutter, the property of Andrew R. Aming, of Germantown, of whom they had hired the rig for a pleasaut ride. They went along first rate for a time, and were enjoying themselves in a most pleasant manner, when the animal gave unmistakable signs of being possessed of a high-spirited naand apparent facilitation to running. This he did on the Ridge avenue, by an unex pected coup de main to the disconcerted drivers. who were tumbled suddenly into the street With the speed of the wind, he (the horse rushed down Levering street, and up into the Ridge road, and through Shares' alley; and this alley being large enough to admit a wagon at its opening, but only three or four feet wide at its further extremity, the cutter, consequently stuck fast, in a smashed condition, while the horse went on. Down he went to the turnpike road, and when attempting to turn a corner, slipped and broke his right fore-shoulder. This, of course, damaged his future use, and he was accordingly knocked in the head. The horse was a valuable one, the owner having considered him worth \$1200. Everything taken into account, it is a costly affair.

A LADY ASSAULTED IN THE STREET. Last night, about 8 o'clock, a Mrs. Ann Fullerton was walking along Twenty-first street, near Washington avenue, with her little child in her arms, when James Watson, who is employed as watchman in the machine shop at the corner of the above-named streets, rushed out, caught hold of the lady, threw his arms around her neck, and attempted to draw her into the build-ing. The lady screamed justily for help, and officer Miller, making his round, and hearing the cries, made his way quickly to the spot. Watson ingloriously fied into the shop from before the onset of the officer, locked himself in, and thus secured himself from an unpleasant meeting, in the vam hope that Officer Miller would condescend to overlook the matter and go off. In this he was mistaken, for Miller, about 12 o'clock, by some dexterous movement. laid hands on him, and took him to the Station House at Twentieth and Fitzwater. This morning Mrs. Fullerion appeared, and lodged complaint, and Alderman Lutz held Watson in \$700 oail to answer.

CUBIOUS SCENE IN A CAPE-A FERRET AND RAT COMBAT, THE PROPESSIONAL MAT-CATCHER, Perhaps one of the most entertaining and interesting scenes occurring off the stage took place this morning at a well-known eating-house in this vicinity. Any one of our readers who remembers Old Drury in its palmiest days, will recall to their recollection William Evans Burton, familiarly known as "Billy Burton," so celebrated for his impersonation of English eccentric characters, like that of "Robert Tyke" in the School of R-form—a character made still more famous and classic by Lysander Thompson, also dead, and Charles Walter Couldock, at whose renditions of the repentant and reformed poacher we have seen the dress circles in tears, and Judges of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania arise, and, with the dignity becoming their position, leave the orchestra box to conceal their emotion. But the scene this morning had none of that tenderness and pathos, and we only recall the character of "Tyke" because of its peculiar provincialism of accent, and that the performers

were his similitudes in English life.

We had scarcely entered the cafe when two characters, entirely sur generis, presented themcharacters, entirely sur generis, presented themselves at another door. They entered with a slouching gait and set of hat peculiar to the character. They were seedy in apparel, and had the general appearance of "A Ticket-of-Leave Man." We at once detected their nationality, approached them with "From the old country?" with a provincial intonation of voice, "Ye-es," looking up inquiringly. "Yorkshire?" "Na, Nottinghamsheer," very broad, "Brothers?" "Na; but born i' ye same town." He carried a wallet under his overcoat, and had a hag suspended at his side, while the and had a bag suspended at his side, while the other had just set down a box, with a door in itsliront near the top," "What are you at? "Why don't ye know?-don't ye see we are rat-cathers?" and with the word he drew a large grey rat from his bag by the tail, and swung i round and round, ending by tossing it again and again in the air, and catching it with the ease of a Chinese juggler, the beast exhibiting a shocking tameness. "And what is in that box?" "Ferrets—the gamest animal in the world, and the liveliest. How they hate a rat! Make up a purse, gentlemen, only fifty cents, just to pay for the rat, and ye shall see the gamesomest fight ye ever seen in your lives!"

It was done in an instant. Then taking from

his pocket a light piece of twine, he attached it to one of the hud legs of a large Norway rat. His companion here drew from the box a beautiful cream-colored terret of exceeding tame ness, lithe and sinewy, but scarcely a third larger than the rat he was about to encounter. The rat was set on the ground, and the ferret displayed to him. The terror of the rat was extreme, and he gave utterance to a cry. Like a snake the ferret sprang on him, and the battle began. The rat was only a dark spot in the arms of his enemy, who had seized him some-

where about the neck. The rats fought feroclously, but in vain. It was the embrace of death. Again and again did the exhibitor lift the writhing and struggling forms in air, holding the rat suspended by the tail, the ferret still holding on until the last drop of blood left the body. This scene was three times repeated, two additional rats escaping from his hand, being killed by his terrier, who accompanied him. Some idea of the value of the ferret in exterminating the rat, may be formed from the fact that he, with his five ferrets, destroyed no less than 18,070 last year alone. He estimates the cost of a rat in a house or barn, with what they cat, and what they destroy, at \$1 per week.

OF INTEREST TO FENIANS .- We notice by the New York papers that the Fenian dignitaries of that city have resolved upon disposing of a large number of arms contributed by the over confident and trusting members of to-Order, in the fond but vain belief that they were thereby contributing in some measure to the resurrection of the dead nationality of their motherland. It appears that the Fenian ex-chequer is at a fearfully low ebb, and as it is quite impossible to dispose of any bonds at the present juncture of affairs, and as the cur-rent expenses of the institution must be paid by money obtained from some source or other, this plan has been devised as the only one which will enable the leaders to retain their comfortable quarters, in which they idle away their time at the expense of their duped fol-Two thousand stand of arms bave lowers. been offered for sale, principally muskets and Springfield rifles, all ready for immediate use. We would advise the Fenians of this city to have a sharp lookout on these proceedings. to take good care that none of the arms that may now be in their possession find their way to New York to share a similar fate.

DEATH OF A WELL-KNOWN GENTLE-MAN.—B. F. Hancock, Esq., father of General Winfield S. Hancock, died at an early hour this morning, at his residence at Norristown, Mont comery county. Mr. Hancock was a well-known gentleman, and universally respected. He was born in one of the upper townships of Montgomery county, in the year 1800, where he studied the profession of law, and was admitted to the bar. He was somewhat of a politician, and at one time was actively identified with the old Whig party. After the assassination of President Lincoln he was appointed Collector of Internal Revenue for the Sixth District, which office he held at the time of his death. He leaves a numerous circle of sorrowing friends.

General Hancock, who has been in command of one of the Western Departments, arrived home some two or three days since, and is now at Norristown. The disease of which Mr. Haucock died was

congestion of the bowels. He was sick some

five weeks. UNPLEASANT JAM .- Yesterday afternoon, at the crossing of Jefferson street and German town avenue, occurred one of those really unpleasant encounters, which depress the spirits and call forth angry debate between drivers. Two teams—one a large, old-fashioned country wagon, and the other of more modern manutacture, and consequently more lightly proportioned—attempted to pass each other by each turning half-way out of the track. The horses were spirited, the tracks slippery, and the side of the road piled high with snow. The result was that the two inside wheels locked, and the horses, energetically going ahead, broke the axletrees, letting boxes and bags and baskets quickly to the ground. It was some time be-tore the track could be cleared; and about an hour afterwards, the two wagons might have been seen going along with a long pole to serve

INTERESTING SERVICES.-The Rev. E. L. Burnett was ordained and installed pastor of Lancaster Avenue Presbyterian Church An eloquent discourse was delivered by Rev. Dr. March on the duties of the ministry. The ordaining, installation, and extending of the right hand of fellowship by the Presbytery to which this church is attached, followed, the Rev. Mr. Mallery presiding. After the Te Deumsung by the choir, the Rev. Dr. Butler delivered the charge to the pastor and the Rev. E. B. Bruen the charge to the people. The occasion was very interesting, and will long be rememhered by those present.

as a wheel.

WRESTLING ON ICE.-On last Thursday afternoon a shooting-match came off on the Delaware, opposite Bridesburg wharf. While the shooting was going on, an extempore game of wrestling was inaugurated on the ice, in which Daniel Gilbert, living in Sixth street, above Chesnut, the keeper of the Frankford House, and John Kripps were engaged. Gilbert slipping in the "tug and tussel," his aukle was seriously fractured, causing severe pain, and which will cause his confinement for at least four months to the house.

BURGLARS FOILED.—Last night burglars entered the store of Mathieu & Son by means of false keys through the front door. Indications show that the opening of the safe in the centre of the room, was the object of their immediate exertions. A hole, about three-quarters of an inch in diameter, had been drilled in the door near the lock, and the powder found in it this morning, and some of the instruments found lying on the floor, indicated that the burglars were frightened away without accomplishing their object.

A SLIPPERY HUBBAND, -A lady arrived in this city yesterday in search of her husbano, who had run away from Buffalo with an other man's wife, his two children, and \$1500. She visited Alderman Delaney's office, and re-quested his assistance in ferreting out the ruuaway. She learned he was or had been boarding at a house in Columbia avenue. Proceeding there, she was informed that he had lett, and was at present living in Ninth street. She was so elated at having found some trace of him, that she informed the lady or the house all the circumstances of the case. A gentleman who was present, and who knew the husband, immediately eft, and informed him that his wife was on his track. The lady, in company with two constabies, proceeded to a place opposite the house on Ninth sileet, and watched for his appearance. He not arriving at the bour expected-6 o'clock—one of the officers went over to the house, and learned that the bird had packed up his baggage and lett, in company with his second wife and incumbrances. The first wife was very much taken aback at this a-tounding information, and came very near fainting. She says she has money enough to continue the pur suit for two weeks, and intends prosecuting it in a vigorous manner, and, if possib e, have her derelict husband arrested.

ASSAULT ON TWO UFFICERS, - Patrick Namer, aged 37, residing on the Township Line road, and James Savage, residence unknown, had committed some act, while on a drunken spree, for which the officers were on the lookout for them. Yesterday Officers Froise and Frease found them, and attempted to take them into custody. This they resisted, and a fight for the mastery ensued. It was one of those regular rough and tumble engagements in which superiority of muscle is put to test. The officers had heir clothes literally stripped to rage, as were those of their opponents. The triumph of this unexpected tussle, tavored by the free use of locust-billies, was with the officers, who matched their defeated opponents to the Twenty-second Ward Station House. Patrick was held to answer on his part in the nice sum of \$6000 bail, and Savage in \$2000 bail; Savage thus showing that he was less savage in his manner than Namer. Both, in default of procuring bail, were committed. Set ASS

ARRESTS DURING JANUARY,-During the month just closed, the arrests made by the police in Philadelphia showed a total of 2428,

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Assault.-Louis Delany, whose residence is No. 406 Sixth street, was arrested for an assault and battery and petty larceny, while in a drunken condition. Last night, Delany having imbited freely, he was rolling along near Thirteenth and Chesnut streets, when he assaulted a little newsboy, took his papers away from him, and kicked him because he manifested his sorrow in loud sobs. He was arrested on the spot, and Alderman Jones committed him to answer in default of \$600 bail.

A CORRECTION.-Yesterday the report went forth that Mrs. Gevsell, the aged lady was found dead on the steps of a house at the corner of Grape and Ellis streets, was frozen to leath. This has been satisfactorily contradicted. The cause of her sudden decease was the heart disease, with which she has been afflicted for a number of years. Her husband, who went to the war, has never been heard from, but is supposed to have been killed by Mosby's men in one of their raids. She leaves no family.

LARCENY OF HARNESS .- Francis Armstrong, living at No. 203 Quarry street, sixty two years of age, was arrested for approprihe took from the stables of the Buil's Head tavern, on Market street, below Tenth. From time to time, many articles of greater or less value, have traced their disappearance to the agency of Armstrong. Alderman Jones committed him in default of \$500 bail to answer.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY .- Daniel Conalion, aged twenty-eight years, residing at No. 37 North Third street, was arrested last night by Officer Mathews for an assault on the latter, who attempted to take charge of him for some criminal action. For this he was in a summary criminal action. manner taken by Officer Matthews before Alder man Jones, and held in \$600 bail for a further hearing.

PROVIDED FOR .- A little boy, aged ten ears, named John Laulis, was picked up in he street this morning by one of the Fourteenth District officers, and taken to the Central Sta His father is an inebriate, and his mother idem; and in order to remove the child from the degrading influences of his parents, he was sent to the St. John's Home.

DEUNKENNESS IN THE ASCENDANT .- The colice reports for last night exhibit an increase in drunkenness. A large number of persons were arrested, some fined, and others committed. Energetic measures, in the shape of fines or committals, should be instituted to prevent this nerease.

LARCENY .- Susan Smith was arrested this morning for the larceny of some dresses, shawls, underclothing, etc., the property of Sleiva

Mendez. She will have a hearing to-day. NO BETTER INVESTMENT CAN BE FOUND THAN CLOTHING AT OUR PRICEST GREATLY REDUCED PRICES, WHICH ARE LOWER THAN THEY POSSIBLY

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TICKET 58.600 !- This remarkable ticket is now in exhibition on many of the garments sold at Charles stokes & Co.'s, under the Continental Hotel. This number, it will be remembered, drew the Crosby Opera House, and the same number here indicates that that is the num er of garments made of this kind this season at this immense clothing house. Call and see the number, and the garmenss and the

TO THE PUBLIC .- J. J. Turt'e, 926 Chesun's treet, Importer of Wines, Teas, Crosse & Blackwell's Pickles, Sauces, etc., will shortly open a large stock of goods. Previous to which is offered a choice assortment of genuine Havana Cigars, imported in the steamers "Hendrick Hudson" and "Stars and Stripes.

FOR THE LUNGS.—Delicate persons, or those pre-disposed to consumption, should try one of the "Respirators," to protect the lungs by excluding cold and damp air from inhitation. For sale at 115 S. Tento street, below Caesnut, at Madeira's Ear Instrument Depot.

"Sealers Crushed by Ioessengs" will remain on exhibition at Scott's Art Gallery. No 1020 Ches nut street, for a short time, previous fo its removal to the Paris Exposition. Gall in and examine it. A CURE FOR RHEUMATISM WORTH SERING.—S. Kilpatrick, No. 1744 Olive street, cured by Dr. Fitler's Remedy. No cure, no pay.

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CRANKSHAW.—On the 29th instant, MARTHA ALIUE, daughter of Charles and Martha Crankshaw, aged 22 months.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to trend the uneral from the parents' residence No. 14th Unity street, Frankford, on Saturday a termoon, February 2, at 2 o'clock. To proceed to Cedar Hill Cemetery.

DRYSDALE.—On Wednesday, the 39th ultime, JANETTAR, relied of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 1615 Race street, on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

SHULTZ.—On the 24th instant, GEORGE WALTER

on Salurday afternoon at 3 o clock.

SHULTZ —On the 27th Instant, GEORGE WALTER, son of Anna and the lake George W. Snultz, in the 5th year of his age.

Is relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his grandather, Mr. Richard White, No. 1353 Mar.borough street, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

WATSON —On the 29th instant, A MOSIAH WATSON, in the 55th year of his age.

The relatives and triends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, Bustleton pike above Frankford, on Seventh-day morning. February 2, at 11 o'clock.

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FROM WASHINGTON THIS AFTERNOON

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO EVENING TELEGRAPH.] Washington, February 1.

New Pinance Bill. Jay Cooke, of Ponnsylvania; Governor Smyth, of New Hampshire; Thomas B. Page and John W. Ellis, of Ohio; E. G. Noyes, of Indiana, and other prominent bankers and business men of the country, held a consultation with the Comptroller of the Currency and Secretary of the Treasury yesterday, and agreed upon the following bill, which meets the approval of the Scoretary of the Treasury and of the Comptroller of the Currency:—

The gentlemen above-named have had an interview with the Senate Finance Committee, and it is understood the bill will be reported by the Committee to the Senate to-day. The bill reads as follows:

Be it enacted, etc. That for the purpose of redeeming and rearing any compound increast notes outstanding, and held by National Banks, the Secretary of the Freasury is hereby authorized to issue temporary loan cirtificates in the manner described by sections four of the Act approved July 25, 1862, bearing interest at the rate of not exceeding 4 per cent, per annum, principal and interest payable in lawful money on demand and said certificates of temporary loan may constitute and be held by any National Bank holding or owning the same, as a part of, and not exceeding the reserve provided for in sections 31 and 32 of the act, entitled "An Act to Provide a National Currency," etc. approved June 3, 1864, provided that the amount issued shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars.

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The proposition embraced in this bill meets the warm approval of the Treasury Department, as it relieves the department of all anxiety on account of the compound interest notes will provide for them in such way as not to derange the business and finances of the

An effort will be made to-day to open the navigation of the Potomac, by using the ram Stonewall as an ice-breaker,

Colored People's Nominations. The colored people of Washington propose to nominate Sayles J. Bowen, City Postmaster, and President of the Freedmen's Relief Association.

as their candidate for Mayor. Still Another Veto Expected. It is intimated that the President will veto the Tariff bill, should it pass the House in the shape it passed the Senate.

The Tariff bill will be referred to day to the

sidered in connection with the Tay bill Obsequies of Hon. P. Johnson. The funeral of Hon. Philip Johnson will take place on Sunday.

Committee on Ways and Means, and there con

Compound Interest Notes. The Senate Finance Committee have desided to report the bill for funding the compound interest notes on Tuesday next.

The Judiciary Committee. The Jadiciary Committee are still examining witnesses in the Maryland investigation.

The impeachment investigation has not com-The Indemnity bill will be reported back on Monday, and promptly passed.

Death of Henry S. Magraw. Henry S Magraw, of Maryland, formerly State Treasurer of Pennsylvania, died here about 8:40 o'clock this morning.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

WASHINGTON, February 1 —Mr. Poland (Vt.) introduced a bill for the appointment of Surrogate or the District of Columbia, which was referred to the Judiciary Committee
On motion of Mr. Trumbull (III.) the bill to regulate the ducies of the Clerk or the House of Representatives was taken up.

Mr. Davis (Ky.) spoke at some length against the bill, characterizing it as a parky measure, having none but party purposes.

Mr. Trumbull said it was a bill that came from the House, where it had received the sametion of all parties. The origin of the law, he said arose from the inconvenience of organizing the House without some special designation of this kind. It only differed from the existing law in declaring that the Olerk shall only put upon the list, members from States represented in the pevious Congress

After further debate the bill was passed. Yeas 31; have 6. The negatives were Messrs. Buckalew, Davis, dendricks. Sesmith, Fatterson and Sausbury.

Mr. Wilson (Mass.) moved to take up the bill to abolish and lorever prohibit peonage in the Territory of New Mexico.

Mr. Po and had no objection to taking up this bill in

of New Mexico.

Mr. Poland had no objection to taking up this bill if
it would lead to no debate but he wished to get the
Bankrupt bill passed as soon as possible, and he beleved it was properly before the Senale, having been
made the special order. made the special order
The Chair said the Bankrupt bill was not before the
Senate the time for which it was made the special
order was passed, and it had been superseden by order
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Mr. Fessenden (Me) hoped the Bankrupt Bill would be taken up and passed.

Ar. Chandler (Mich.) hoped that the Niagara Ship Canal bill would be taken up. He thought it would lead to no debate.

Mr. Lane said he was opposed to both, but he preferred taking up the Bankrupa bill first

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Mr. Patterson (N. H.), one of the Regents of the Smithsonian institution, introduced a joint resolution directing the Secretary of the Tressury to receive into the Treasury, or the same terms as the original bequest, the residuary legacy of Junes Smithson, now in United States bonds in the hands of the Secretary of the Institution amounting to \$25 2102, together with such other sums as the Regents may, from time to line, see introdeposit not exceeding the original bequest, one million dollars.

The second section authorizes the income from the residuary legacy to be applied by the Board of Regents in the same manner as the interest on the original bequest in secondance with the act of August 10, 1964. Read three times and passed.

Mr. Flot (Mass.), from the Committee on Commerce, reported a joint resolution permitting Captain John A. Webster, sr., of the steamer Mahoning, to receive from the Government of Great Britain a gold chromometer, in appreciation of his valuable services in saving British ve-sels in distress on our coast. Read three times and passed

On motion of Mr. Terry (Mich.), the Secretary of War was directed to transmit the seports and estimates for the improvement of the harbors of Pent Water and Pers Marquette, on Lake Mi-higan.

On notion of Mr. Terry (Mich.), the Secretary of the expediency of amouding the Internal Revenue law so as to require the destruction of a 1 copper shills that may be confiscated to the United States, and the sale of the same as old copper only.

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years from the 30 h May 1807 and 18th August 1867.

Mr. Bromwe 1(11), who reported the bill from the Committee on Fatents, addressed the House in support of the bill.

The bit was opposed by Messis. Hale, Washburne, of Massachusetts. Allison, Stevens, and Morrell.

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l atest Markets by Telegraph.

Ballimone. February 1.—Midding upland Cetton, 31%@94c Coffee firm, but inactive Flour duit and prices favor buyers; good Heward sweet superfine, \$11; worthwestern extras \$11,2569-259. Red winter wheat, \$2,869,329. White Corn. good to prime \$1,9331-85; do, mixed., \$1; yellow, 946986c, for prime Ponnseivants delivared up town, and 162c, more delivered at fell's Point Oats. 566958c, an advance of 2c Whisky unchanged bygar-stock reduced, and held firm at 16% (910%c). for redning grades. Cloverseed \$3569-12%, with sales of prime new, old is held at \$8.75.

### PENNSYDVANIA LEGISLATURE.

Harrisdung, February I.—Mr. Fisher presented petitions from citizens of York, in layor of a change in the election laws, so as to secure justice to Republicans as well as to Democrats in that county.

Mr. Lowry, from the Railroad Committee, reported favorably an act making it a penal offense to exclude colored people from the cars.

Mr. Blingham from the same committee, reported a full railroad law.

Mr. Wallace read a bill giving the Courts of Common Piess greeter powers in creating corporations; assessone authorizing the commutation of the death penalty in certain cases; also a resolution for revising the civit laws of the Commonwealth.

The act allowing colored persons to ride on all cars was called up by Schater Lowry considered, and postponed until Tuesday morang next.

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An act repealing the law of March 39, 1868, giving bounties to the soldiers or the War of 1312, was considered and postponed in order to a low time for the preparation of a new bill.

Mr. Diese presented a petition from 416 naturalized citizens or clinton county, praying that Congress might be urged to extend the same privileges to Caucasian emigrants in the District of Columbia, in regard to suffrage as it has extended to negrees in that District.

Different petitions from the interior counties or the State for changes in the License law were presented, these petitions generally urging a prohibitory layer law, and indicating a movement having that east is view.

Marine Disaster.

PORTLAND, Me., February L.—The schooner Seguin, from Bath for Boston, went ashore yes-terday, at full tide, on Spring Point Ledge, where she now lies in a bad position, bilged and full of water. She has a cargo of salt under deck, and hay on deck. She is being stripped, and part of her cargo will be saved.

Falling of a Root.

BOSTON, February 1 .- The root of the building on the corner of Kingston and Summer streets fell in this morning, about eleven o'clock. Five of the men employed in tearing down the build-ing were seriously injured, and sent to the City Hospital.

The New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, February I.—The Express' financial article says the case in the Money Market is steadily increasing, and the supply is in excess of the demand, at 7 per cent on collaterals and 5% for cent on Governments. Gold steady. Foreign exchange dull. Estiways strong and higher, with a good demand; after the call the market was weaker, and Erie fail to 56%. Governments steady, with a moderate demand.

#### FROM MEXICO.

The Archbishop of Mexico and Lady Bazaine Said to Have Quitted the Capital-Fight at Tezcuco, near the Capital-Patzcuaro Sacked by Liberals, Etc.

New Orleans, January 31 .- A Havana correspondent says that a report was circulating to the ellect that Lady Bazaine and the Archbishop ad left Mexico on the 20th instant. Ortega is there suspected of having an under-

standing with the Imperalists.

Tezcuco was attacked on the 10th instant by Carvaisl, but he was repulsed. Patzcuaro was captured by Regules, who immediately marched upon Morelia. Patzcuaro was sacked, and the inhabitants and commonalty robbed.

MATAMORAS, Jan. 20 .- From General Berriozabal's headquarters I tearn that Cortinas is disaffected with the present rule in Tamaulipas, but pledges himself to do nothing in opposition to it until he receives orders direct from Juarez. In the meantime, he is recruiting his command. It is thought that the Nuevo Leon troops with Cortinas keep him in check.

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A convoy with one million of dollars in specie reached Matamoras yesterday.

News from the interior, through Juarist sources, announce the arrival of Ortega and Patoni at Juarez's seat of government. It is thought little or nothing will be done with them, as their influence has ceased to be desceroes.

#### NEWS FROM NEW ORLEANS.

dangerous.

Political Excitement-The Conflict Between the Legislature and Governor Wells, Etc.

New Orleans, January 31.—It is understood mong the friends of Governor Wells that if the Legislature passes the bill for a new constitution over his veto, the Governor will issue a proclamation declaring the Convention of 1864 legal, and reassembling it. The radicals are organizing the Grand Army

of the Republic all over the State, and another conflict between the radicals and ex-Confede rates is not at all improbable. Political excitement runs high, so much so that business circles are affected. The act passed by the Legislature of 1864 levying

a tax of one-quarter per cent, on the gross sale and receipts has been declared by Judge Da-plantier, of the Sixth District Court, as unconstitutional, as it levies on imports and exports, and thus comes in conflict with the provisions in the Constitution. This decision gives great satisfaction in New Orleans General Sheridan and Colonel Crosby, of his staff, left to-night for Washington.

### CANADA.

An Ice-Shove on the St. Lawrence River -An Indian Village Submerged-Suf-ferings of the Inhabitants. MONTREAL, January 31. - Intelligence has just

been received of an ice-shove, causing very serious results, at St. Regis, an Indian village, sixty miles up the St. Lawrence, on the American frontier. The ice shoved over a large part of the village, submerging it.

It occurred during the night, and the consternation is described as dreadful. Some of the villagers climbed up and lodged in trees. had nothing to eat for a whole day. The Indiaus, it is said, have lost their all, and are lying on straw without any covering. The degree of misery caused by such a flood in mid-winter can scarcely be r alized, and an appeal is made to Montreal for belp.

### OBITUARY.

Hon. Philip Johnson. This gentleman died at his residence in Washington last night. He was born in Warren county, New Jersey, October 17, 1818 in 1839 he removed with bis tather to Fennsylvania, settling in Northwith his father to Fennsylvania, setting in North-smpton county. He was educated at Lafavette Col-lege where he spent two years, after which he spent two years teaching school in the South. On his return home he studied law; was admitted to the har in 1848, and soon afterwards elected Clerk of the court of Sessions, and of the Oyer and Ter-miner. In 1863 and 1854 he was elected to the State Assembly; in 1867 was 'thairmun of the Democratic State Convention; in 1866 he was the Revenue Com-missioner for the Third Judicial District of the State and was elected a R-presentative from Pennbisioner for the Third Judicial District of the State and was elected a R-presentative from Pennsylvania to the Thirty-seventh Congress, serving on the committees on Roads and Canals, and on Patents. He was re-elected to the Thirty-eighth Congress, and was a member of the Committee on Territories. He was also a delegate to the Chicago Convention of 1864 Mr Johnson was re-elected to the Torty-nista Congress, and has served during the past year on the Committees on Post Offices and Public Bulldings. He was the representative from the k-eventh District, and was not renominated for election to the Fortieth Congress. Mr. Van Auken is his successor in the coming Congress.

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