CITY INTELLIGENCE.

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MEETING OF THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY .- The MEETING OF THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The regular monthly meeting of this Society was held this morning, Dr. Thompson in the chair. Henry Bower was elected a member.

D. B. McCure, V. S., then read an essay on horse-shoeing. He said:—The shoe should be a plain one, equally broad and thick from heel to toe, and put on without seating; for why bring a concave shoe in contact with a concave foot? The toe should be slightly turned up, and not too short at the heel: the hind shoes to be provided with neels. The nall-holes should be about four on the country and three on the inside, and made straight through the fron, and not inclining Inwards, and the shoe fitted to the foot, and not the foot to the shre

Dray horses should have tips on the toes and heels of shoes, which insure firmness of tread, and greater power when drawing heavy loads on smooth streets.

SHORING UNSOUND PEET.

Feet with corns, weak, flat feet, convexed sole, and sand or quarter-cracked feet, should have shoes well scated, and is advisable to throw some extra weight upon the frog, and for this purpose the bar shoe about be used.

Leather soles are useful in weak-soled feet, and when the horse steps light is much used upon paved streets. One-sided nailing answers well for weak heets. Bing-boned animals should be shod with easy-fluting shoes, to avoid jarring.

Horses having a lendency to navicular, or coffin-toint disease, should have shoes turned up a little at the toe, with the ground surface at the wall of the foot cut away, and the frog undisturbed.

Such, then, is but asynopsis of our idea of how horses should be shod, but nevertheless we also think that by combining the future substitution of India-rubber for most kind of horses' shoes for the present inflexible iron ring to the teet of our horses, then the heyday of horse-shoeing will have dawned, no more complaints be heard, and the art of farriery be complete. Specimens of the Wilson early blackberries were exhibited by Paschai Morris, Esq. He stated that Mr. Wilson was driving along a road in Burlington county, New Jensey, one day, when he discovered some blackberries on a bush on the other side of the fence. He was surprised at their fipeness, it being rather early for them. He secured three plants, and all the blackberries of this kind are descended from them.

them.

Drs. Charles Harrison, George Blight, and John McGowan were appointed delegates to the Agricultural College of Pennsylvania, the annual meeting of which takes place on the 4th of September.

The committee on combining with the East Pennsylvania Agricultural Society, in holding an exhibition at Norristown, rendered an unfavorable report, and the Society concurred in it.

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Dr. Thompson (Dr. Blight in the Chair) moved that
a committee be appointed to make an investigation
into the imposition practised upon the citizens by
adulterating milk. The matter was postponed until next week. Ad-

A SWINDLER .- On Friday last a man giving the name of Thomas Rankin, and stating that he was from Pittsburg, entered the store of a well-known firm on Delaware avenue, below Chesnut. He engaged in conversation with one of the firm, and informed him that he desired to buy a large bill of goods, saying that he had twenty-five wagons running from Pittaburg out into the country, trading the goods purchased for butter, eggs, etc., and that he always paid cash. Of course he was treated with politeness, as a large customer nowadays is the exception and not the rule. Rankin looked through the stock, and bought a bill of \$162. This rather disappointed the salesman. Ran-kin on leaving said he would be in on Monday and pay the bill. On that day he came in smiling, and gave a check for \$165. This being three dollars in excess, he requested that it be handed to him, as he was short of change. This was done. He then said he intended purchasing some groceries, and would be obliged to the gentleman if he would introduce him to some large wholesale house. He was intro-duced to a firm on Front street, below Chesnut, duced to a firm on Front street, below Chesnut, where he purchased a bill of \$500, stating that he would be in to-day and pay the amount of the bill. He subsequently bought \$1000 worth of sugar, etc., from a firm on Market street, above Sixth, presenting a check for a large amount, and receiving the surplus. This excited the suspicion of the Delaware avenue parties, and they telegraphed to the Cashier of the Second National Bank of Pittsburg, on which the checks were drawn, for information relative to the responsibility of the individual. The reply came that no such man ever kept an to the responsibility of the individual. The reply came that no such man ever kept an account with the bank. Fortunately the message was received in time, so that none of the goods were shipped. The bold swindler, for such he undoubtedly was, has no doubt skedaddled for parts unknown, as he had not made his experience at the Front street house. made his appearance at the Front street house up to 1 o'clock to-day. If he is still lurking in the vicinity, the business men should give him a wide berth. He is an Irishman, about five feet eight inches in height, dark complected has light moustache and whiskers, and is dressed as it he was a resident of the mountains, or had recently come from the coal-oil

VIOLENT ASSAULT BY A MAN UPON HIS WIFE. -Last night, about haif-past 11 o'clock, a man named E au Bealor went into a house on Queen street, below Sixth, where his wife was then staying, and commenced an assault upon her, as it is alleged, in the presence of some ladies. At her attempted defense it is said he graw more furious, and drew a pocket-knife, with which he attempted to take her life, but only succeeded in inflicting a half-dozen or more gashes upon her person, some of which are hought serious. She was stabbed twice in the breast, once in the side, a wound extends over one of the eyes, a long cut was inflicted diago-nally across ner face, dipping off a piece of the nose, and in defending herself one of her fingers was injured. She is now under the care of a physician. Beaior, after committing this dasardly act, started on a run from the house, but he was soon overhauled and taken in custody He was held to await the result of his wife's in uries, and to answer the charge of assault with intent to kill, by Aiderman Tittermary. Rumor has it that difficulties divided the two, and the lady went to reside with her sister at the house where this assault occurred.

FIRE.-About 4 o'clock this morning flames were discovered issuing from the third story of a carpenter shop, No. 18 Bank street, occupied by Henry Stout. The light, combustible mate-rial with which the room was filled was soon in a blaze, and the roof catching fire, was burned completely off. A number of boards were destroyed, as were the tools belonging to Mr. Stout and the workmen employed in the place. The loss will be about \$800, upon which there is no insurance. The first and second stories are occupied by Henry Norman, box-maker. The lumber stored therein was drenched with water, but the damage will be important.

POSTPONEMENT .- The Grand Excursion that was to have been given to Cape Island to-day, with a view of attending the double-team race for \$2000 at Diamond Beach Park, has been postponed until Friday on account of the bad weather. Although some four or five hundred persons assembled at the wharf to go, notwithstanding the unpropitious state of the weather, the managers wisely determined on a postpone. the managers wisely determined on a postpone-ment. If the weather should prove favorable, the excursion will leave Market street whari on Friday morning at 6 o'clock; returning, wil leave Cape Island at 7:30 P. M.

A Monster Excursion went down to Atlan tic City this morning, under the auspices of St. Patrick's Church. There were at least two thousand persons in it, and thirty-three cars were required to accommodate them. The spasmodic showers of this morning have un-doubtedly contributed much to the comfort and pleasure of the excursionists.

THE FINAL RESTING PLACE, -According to his wish, before death, the remains of Ernest C. Wallace, were brought to this city and interred in Glenwood Cemetery. An appropriate testimonial to his memory, in the shape of a tasteful monument, has been erected over

Passs Clus.—The regular meeting of the this organization will take place this afternoon, at the Club-room. All the members are requested to be present, as business of importance will come up for discussion.

FELL FROM A WINDOW .- A man named Boyd fell from a third-story window at No. 254 South Twenty-first street last evening, and in-jured himself to such an extent that he died

SLIGHT FIRE.—About quarter of 2 o'clock this morning a slight fire occurred in the rear of Nicholas & Ashford's machine shop, Ninth street, above Columbia avenue.

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RIVERSIDE INSTITUTE FOR SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ORPHANS.-The Riverside Institute for the gratuitous education of soldiers' and sailors' orphans, located at Riverside, Burlington county, N. J., may now be considered an established reality. This nome is one that is much wanted at the present time. There are at present thousands of poor and distressed orphans of those who freely gave up their lives during the late war, who are in need of the comforts and advantages which can only be bestowed by an institution of this kind. The plan adopted for the raising of the necessary funds required for this truly benevolent cause is one that has alike received the hearty encouragement and indorsement of all classes of our citizens. The sale of stock at one dollar per share, guaranteeing to the purchaser more than a fair equivalent for his money, while at the same time he is alding in the endowment of this great institution, is certainly an inducement to cause every one to be charitable. It must be remembered that each purchaser of a single share of stock not only receives a finely executed steel-plate engraving, worth at retail fifty per cent. more than what was paid for the stock, but also guarantees one present at the great distribution of \$300,000 worth of presents in September next. Those who purchase more than one share of stock receive other engravings more valuable, with a certainty of receiving one gift for each share held. The full partieulars of this very liberal plan may be learned at the principal office, No. 1225 Chesnut street.

of August is now upon us. The season when sickness is more fatal than at any other time. When the body is relaxed, and nature can do least to recuperate its exhausted strength. At this time we require to guard, with more than usual care, against the attacks of the great enemy-disease-by fortifying the system with HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS - the most wonderful tonic in the world. A tonic endorsed as a pure, harmless, and effective Family Medi-CINE by millions of human beings who have thoroughly tested it and found immediate relief, By its aid the appetite is at once increased; digestion recovers its healthy tone; the vital forces are invigorated, and new life infused into the system. The weak, debilitated, and nervous victims awake to a feeling of true enjoyment, and life, once a burthen, becomes a source of pleasure.

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STEVENBON—KENNEDY.—July 18, 1867, at No. 1409 Hanover street. Rensington. by Jone G. Wilson, V. D. M. Mr. JOSEPH STEVENSON and Miss MARGARET KENNEDY, both of this city.

DIED.

AYRES.—On the evening of the 4th instant, Mrs. MANDA MELVINA AYRES, in the 54th year of AMANDA in the Amanda in the Sylvania Council.
The relatives and friends, and the Sylvania Council.
No. 18, U. D. of A., and the Star Beam Tent, No. 3.
Daughters of the Forest, are respectfully invited to attend her funeral from the residence of her husband.
No. 348 Market street on Thursday, the 8th instant, at 2 o'clock. To proceed to Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

On the 8th instant, MADELEANE BALL.

at 2 o'clock. To proceed to Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

BALL.—On the 5th instant, MADELEANE HALL, daughter of the late Charles Henry and Eliza M. Ball, aged 19 years and 1 month.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her uncle, Mr. Robert 6. Simpson, No 239 Christian atreet, on Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, To proceed to Woodlands Cemetery.

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BIRCKENHAUER.—On the 5th Instant, ANNIE, wife of Adolph M. Birckenhauer, and daughter of Hugh and Mary Coulter. In the 50th year of her age.

The relatives and Iriends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funerat, from the residence of her husband. Front and Pearl streets, Camden, N. J., on Thursday atternoon at 5 o'clock.

den, N. J., on Thursday atternoon at 3 o'clock.

CAMPBELL.—Ou the 5th lostant, Mrs. BRIDGET
CAMPBELL, in the 7sth year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited
to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 208
Christian street, on Thursday morning at 8); o'clock,
CRAGER.—On the 5th instant, Mrs. BRIDGETTA,
relict of the late Samuel Crager, of Roxborough, in the
76th year of her age.

The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to
attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 400
Green lane, Roxborough, on Friday next, the 3th instant, at 2 o'clock. Interment at Leverington Cemetery.

DOUGHERTY.—On the morning of the 5th instant, Mrs. ELIZA J. DOUGHERTY, aged 35 years.

The relatives and triends of the family are invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her husband. No. 1131 Anits street, on Thursday afternoon, the 5th instant, at 2 o'clock.

FINCH.—Suddenly, on the 5th instant. MARY EMMA, daughter of Nathan and Sarah Finch, aged 18 years 2 months and 21 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, without further notice, from the residence of her parents, No. 1725 S. Sixth street, on Thursday morning at 6)2 o'clock. Interment at Pemberton, N. J.

GORDON.—On the 6th instant, WILLIAM C., son of George and Lottle Gordon, aged 33 years.

His relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the inneral, from his late residence, No. 2132 Lombard street, on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, without further notice.

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LEVERING,—On the 5th instant, Mrs. MARIA LEVERING, widow of the late Titus Y. Levering, in the 63d year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her son-in-law, John A. Markley, Ridge avenue, between the ninth and tenth milestones, or Thursday morning, the 5th instant, at 10 o'clock, without further notice. Interment at Roxborough Baptist Competery.

KILPATRICK .- On the 6th Instant, DANIEL KIL-PATRICK, in the 63d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 6 Knight's court (Cherry street, below Ninth), on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. To proceed to Mount Moriah Cemetery.

LANTY.—On the evening of the 4th instant, Mrs. ANNA MARGARET LANTY, aged 73 years and 5 nonths, after a long and lingering liness, which she ore with Christian faith and hope, and full assurance bore with Christian faith and hope, and full assurance of a happy home beyond the skies.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from her late residence, No. 1511. Cabot street, on Thursday morning, the 5th instant, at 9 o'clock precisely, without further notice. To proceed to Glenwood Cemetery.

MONTGOMERY,—On Monday, the 5th instant, at his residence in the city of New York, in the 75th year of his age, JOHN CRATHORNE MONTGOMERY, Eag., formerly of this city.

The resistives and triends of the family are particu-

of his age, JOHN CRATHORNE MONITORIEST, Eag., formerly of this city.

The relatives and friends of the family are particu-larly invited, without further notice, to attend his funeral, at St. Peter's Church, Third and Pine streets, on Thursday afternoon, the 8th instant, at 2 o'clock

SEXTON.—On Monday, the 5th instant, JANE DICKSON, wife of W. H. Sexton, in her 19th year.
The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from her husband's residence, No. 543 N. Twenty-second street, on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

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Yours truly,

[From Rev. D. Merrige, Pastor of the Passyunk Baptist Church, Philadelphia.]

From the many respectable recommendations gives to Dr. Hoofland's German Bitters, I was induced to give them a trial. After using several bottles I found them to be a good zemedy for debility, and a most excellent tonic for the stomach.

D. MERRIGE.

[From Rev. William Smith, formerly Paster of the Vincentown and Milville (N. J.) Baptist Churches.]

Havirg used in my family a number of wottles of your Hoofland's German Bitters, I have to say that I regard them as an excellent medicine, especially adapted to remove the diseases they ave recommended for. They strengthen and invigorate the system when debilitated, and are useful in disorders of the liver, loss of appetite, etc. I have also recommended them to several of my friends, who have tried them and found them greatly beneficial in the restoration of health.

Yours truly, WILLIAM SMITH.

From A. M. Spangler, Editor of he Culturist, No. 2 North Sixth Street.] PHILADELPHIA, July 15, 1885.

Bome eighteen months since, I was a severe sufferer from dyspepsia. I was not only unable to take plain food without suffering great distress, but had become so debilitated as to be almost unfitted for active business of any kind.

After trying a variety of so-called remedies, all of which proved worthless, I was induced, at the suggestion of a medical iglend, to give Hoofland's German Bitters a trial. I accordingly purchased six bottles, which were taken in accordance with your directions.

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The result was a complete removal of all distressing symptoms after eating or drinking, and a full restoration of strength, so that I now eat all ordinary kinds of food with impunity, and am able to attend to all the active duties of a large and arduous business as well as at any period of my life; the good effects of the Bitters were manifested before I had taken the first bottle.

I have also used it in my family with the happies results, and take great pleasure in adding my tests mony to that of the many others who have been benefited by it. I find great benefit from the use of a bottle in the spring and fall. They not only create a vigorous appetite, but give a healthy tone to the stomach by strengthening its digestive powers.

If the above testimony will be the means of inducing any who suffer from Dyspepsia to give your Bitters a trial (when it. I feel confident, will give them relief) it is at your service.

Yours truly,

Rev. J. S. Herman, of the German Reformed Church, Kutztown, Berks county, Pa., was cured of Dyspepsia of twenty years' standing.

Rev. J. Newton Brown, D. D., Editor of the Encyclopacia of Religious Knowledge and Christian Chronicle, Philadelphia.

Rev. Thomas Winter, D. D., Pastor of Roxborough Baptist Church; Baptist Church:

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Judge Fisher's Charge to the Jury. Continued from the Second Edition.

Washington, August 7.—After some other corrections, Judge Fasher delivered the inflowing charge to the jury.—
Gouldman of the Jury.—Whose sheddeth man's distinguish as hall his blood be shed." So spake the A imiguly to His servant Noan when the great deluge had receded, and the ark had safely rested upon the holy summit of Mount Acrast. This is God's own law, and its wisdom is acknowledged by all civilized instincts. Now and then we meet with sentimental pullosophers who think themselves what and above had a summer of the state of the property of the provides in condemnation of this flat of Jehovah; and although they have made but few thortoigh converts to their perileones doctrines, they not uniferguently succeed in creating in the minds of honest and tender-hearted people a villated sontimentalism. Which leads them too often to shall be the sent the state of the ibelieve will you.

FROM BALTIMORE TO-DAY.

The Constitutional Convention-Gale off Nantucket-Movements of Mrs. Davis-Salutes for Tennessee and Kentucky. ORDICAL TOROPATCH TO THE EURNING TREEDINGS

BALTIMORE, August 7.—The State Constitu-tional Convention has agreed to adjourn sine die on the 15th inst. Vessels arrived here from Boston report a heavy gale off Nantucket, which insted twenty-four hours. Some evidences of marine disasters were seen by captains.

Mrs. Jeff. Davis and daughter arrived here yesterday from Mississippi. They stopped at Barnum's, and will leave to-day for Canada to the territory.

Secretary Stanton's independent course, remaining in the Cabinet for the good of the country, gives much satisfaction to all Republi-A salute of one hundred guns was fired here ast night by the Republicans, in honor of the Tennessee victory. The Democrats are pre-

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Tennessee victory. The Democrats are preparing to give Kentucky a salute.

Brigadier-General Richard N. Bowerman, who served in the Union army during the war, commanding a Maryland regiment, was last night elected Major-General of the First Division of the Maryland Ilmitia.

The National Agricultural Exhibition. WASHINGTON, August 7.—A Grand National Agricultural Exhibition and Horse Fair is to be held at the National Race Course, near Washington, commencing on October 28. Preminm lists in money and medals, to the amount of \$20,000, will be awarded. The mana-gers, who represent the Northern and Southern states, are now making arrangements to secure the attendance of most of the celebrated trot ting and running horses now on the turf, and preparing sheds for the display of agricultural implements and mechanism.

A Swindle in Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, August 7.—Messrs, Plankinton & Armorer, while shipping a quantity of pork and lard yesterday, were surprised at their being no leakage, the thermometer standing at 90 degrees. The mystery was solved with an auger, when the barrels were found to contain sand and salt. The swindle was perpetrated by E. White, a pork packer, last spring, and by it he realized some \$2000. White was arrested last night, while returning from a pionic.

Ship News.

FORTRESS MONROE, August 7.—The cargo of the schooner General Knox has been safely landed. The vessel is high and dry, and is not much damaged.

Markets by Telegraph. NEW YORK, August 7.—Stocks strong. Chicago and Rock Island, 1935; Reading, 1995; Canton Company, 50%; Erie, 71%; Cleveland and Toledo, 124%; Cleveland and Pitzburg, 85%; Pitzburg and Fort Wayne, 1995; Michigan Central, 110; Michigan Bouthern, 81%; New York Central, 195%; Hillions Central, 118; Cumberland preferred, 36%; Virginia 63, 49; Missouri 68, 193; Hudson River, 1995; Five-twenties, 1862, 1135; do. of 1865, 110%; do. new laste, 105%; Tenforties, 192%; Seven-thirties, 198. Money, 5 per cent. Gold, 140%.

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The Committee adjourned to meet on the 14th instant, at 3 P. M.

THE PETO BANKRUPTCY. Lessons from the Failures of Sir Morton Pete and Overend, Gurney & Co.

From the London Times, July 26,

The proceedings in bankruptoy against the firm of Mesars. Peto, Betts & Crampton have passed their first stage, and four trade assignees have been appointed to represent the whole body of creditors. The enormous claim of the London, Chatham, and Dover Railway Company against the bankrupts' estate for £6,800,000 was, of course, not admitted to proof; but a memorandum of it, handed in by Mr. Linklater, was received by the Registrar by way of notice. It is, indeed, manifest that everything depends upon the validity or invalidity of this claim, the liquidation of which in full would exhaust the resources of many a considerable State. If it be established, the other creditors, except those who may hold collateral securities, must resign all prospect of substantial dividend.

If it be defeated, we infer from the statements of Mesars. Peto's solicitors that the assets, when realized, will go far to cover the liabilities. It was, therefore, absolutely necessary that all consideration of it should be postponed for the present, and it will probably en-gross the attention of the court during the autumn. Mr. Linklater gave all parties fair warning, on behalf of the directors, that it was their intention to insist upon their rights, and that all the circumstances of Sir Morton Peto's that all the circumstances of Sir Morton Peto's connection with the company would be fully disclosed. Messrs. Peto, on the other hand, repeated, through Mr. Lawrence, their former allegation that, instead of their being indebted to the company are, in fact, indebted to them in some £300,000. At first sight such a discrepancy seems wholly inexplicable, if not inconsistent with good faith, on one side, at least. It is not, however impossible to suggest a somewhat less unever jimpossible to suggest a somewhat less un-favorable construction of it. The difference be-tween the nominal and real worth of shares and stock in the London, Chatham, and Dover Com-pany was great enough to bridge over even this chasm. Let us suppose, without presuming to enter upon detailed conjectures, that whereas the one calculation represents the result of esti-mating them at their market price at a given

date, and the mystery ceases to be inscrutable. Now, we know quite enough of Sir Morton Peto's relation to the company, in his double capacity of contractor and "financial adviser,"

to render this hypothesis both intelligible and probable. The stock of the London, Chatham,

and lover Company is now quoted at 16 or 17, and it would require £6,000,000 of it at that price to replace every £1,000,000 sterling. How such a question as this could have been left open in transactions conducted on so colossal a scale we do not profess to explain; but, assuming it to have been left open, the previous difficulty almost vanishes. almost vanishes.
Several minor complications, which may lead Several minor complications, which may lead to serious embarrassment, were brought to light at the meeting on Wednesday. In the first place there appears to be some confusion of accounts between the old firm of Messrs. Peto & Botts, the name of which has been familiar to the public for eighteen years, and the new firm of Messrs. Peto, Botts & Crampton, formed in 1862 for the special purpose of this great contract. Sir Morton Peto himself was called, and deposed that while the liabilities of the former might among to semathin. ties of the former might amount to something more than half a million, those of the latter, apart from the disputed claim of the London, Chatham and Dover Company, were estimated at about two millions. Many creditors are at a loss to know against which estate they should never and the Register consented to receive prove, and the Registrar consented to receive the claims of such persons without prejudice, upon the understanding that, after further inquiry, they should be put in against the right firm. Again, the case of creditors armed with collateral securities gaverise, as usual, to much discussion. The law on this subject is by no means clear, and it often becomes doubtful whether the holder of a security ought first to realize upon it, and to prove against the bank-rupt's estate for the residue, or may prove for his full debt against the estate, setting forth the existence of his security, but without giving it up, so long as he does not obtain, upon the whole, more than his due. Here it seems that in certain of the proofs no mention was made of mortgages held by the claimants upon the surplus lands of the London, Chatham, and Dover Company, these mortgages having been originally deposited with the Imperial Mercan-tile Credit Company by Messrs. Peto, and obtained by the claimants as security for advances

to this last company.

* * It is not without a sense of national humiliation that we contemplate the failure of a house which is identified with some of the grandest mechanical achievements of the pre-sent century. Perhaps no one, except Mr. Birassey, has filled so high a position among English contractors as Sir Morton Peto. Not only throughout Europe, but in Canada and other parts of the world, he will always be remembered as a leading pioneer of the railway system and a great master in the art of organizing labor. His fall has probably been as severe a shock to public confidence, in its own way, as that of Messrs. Overend & Gurney. It remains to be seen whether the lesson way, as that of Messrs. Overend & Gurney. It remains to be seen whether the lesson to be derived from it will be equally laid to heart. That lesson is the essential unsoundness of "contractors" lines." Such lines may dobbtless weather the dangers of their infancy, and prosper in spite of their principle; but the principle itself is demonstrably bad. Common sense tells us that a contractor's business is to execute works and receive payment for them, not to advance money or place shares for them, not to advance money or place shares on commission. Common sense also tells us that when persons engaged in hazardous concerns deviate from their own business, and even reverse their normal position, there is likely to be something wrong. Experience more than confirms the dictates of common sense in this respect, and shows that con-tractors' financiering is an expedient to disguise a want of credit, for which there are generally very good reasons. The invention of what are known as "Lloyd's bonds," though useful and legitimate under proper conditions, has noto riously facilitated operations of a very different nature. Their object is to enable a company to go on constructing its line without available funds—whether enough capital has not been paid up to justify the exercise of its borrowing powers or those borrowing powers have been exhausted. The contractor having carried out orders for work which never ought to have out orders for work which never ought to have been given, then receives on acknowledgment of debt on which he can raise money, since it constitutes a legal obligation. Knowing, however, the position of the company, he usually takes them and negotiates them at a discount, to the injury of debenture holders and shareholders. We shall never recover or deserve our lost character for high commercial integrity until we return to old-fashioned and straightforward rules of dealing in our most gigntic as forward rules of dealing in our most gigantic as well as in our smallest enterprises. It is hardly too much to say that all sound undertakings rest on simple principles, capable of being grasped by ordinary minds. It is desperate for fraudulent speculation that requires an elaborate machinery which cannot even be explained to the public, and the man who invests with his eyes open in an unfinished "contractor's line," must blame himselfalone if he should be

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