END OF THE PIANO WAR.

Messrs. Steinway & Sons Victorious. The disputed question as to the result of the Plano War at the Paris Exposition-about which there were so many blasts and counter-blastshas been definitely settled in favor of Messrs. Steinway & Sons, of New York, who have been unanimously awarded the First Gold Medal for American Pianos. This medal, as we have already noted, is distinctly classified First, and over that attained by the Messrs. Chickering. This essential fact is shown by the following official certificate from General Melinet, the President, and the members of the International

Jury on Musical Instruments:-"Je certifie que la prem'ere; medallie en or pour les placos Americules," etc donnée a l'unanimite a Mr. cielnway, par le Jury de l'Exposition Internationale. Classe 10, première sur la liste. Le President:

MELINET. GEORGE KASTNER. AMBROISE THOMAS. ED. HANSLICK. F. A. GEVAERT." J. SCHIEDMAYER.

TRANSLATION. Paris, July 30th, 1867.—I certify that the First Gold Medal for American Pianos has been unanimously awarded to Mesara, steinway by the Jary of the International Exposition.

First on the list in Class X.

President of the International Jury. GRORGE KASTNER.
AMBROISE THOMAS.
ED. HANSLICK.
F. A. GRVCHT.
J. SCHIEDMAYER. Members of the International Jury,

We have received the "Official Catalogue," containing the detailed account of all the awards (recompenses) to the exhibitors at the Paris Exposition, as fixed by the international Juries and affirmed by the Imperial Commission. In this official catalogue, dated July 1, 1867, and printed since that date, we find, of the American exhibitors, Messrs. Steinway recorded firs on the list, and Messrs. Chickering second.

In glancing over the almost interminable list of the new "chevaliers" of the Legion of Honor, from forcign countries, as published in the Moniteur of July 2, 1867—chevaliers created, according to that official organ of the French Empire, by the Emperor Napoleon, upon "the recommendation of our Minister of Foreign Affairs"-we find, on comparing the names of the "knighted" exhibitors with the official Catalogue of Awards, that quite a number of them only received second, third, and even fourth prizes. This, together with the fact that not the slightest mention is made in the official catalogue of the Legion of Honor, or recommendation thereof to any exhibitor, furnishes overwhelming proof that neither the International Juries nor the Imperial Commission recommended or even knew of the decoration obtained by a number of exhibitors upon their personal applica-tion to, and through the recommendation of,

the French Minister of Foreign Affairs.
The triumph of Messrs. Steinway & Sons, and of their new system in Pianos, achieved in face of the most formidable and unscrupulous opposition by the only American and nearly all the European adherents of the old system in planos, ts most complete, and is highly gratifying to the musical public of America. No matter how Messrs. Chickering may insist and strive to make the public believe that the decoration of the Legion of Honor, obtained by Mr. F. Chickering personally have accounted by Mr. F. Chickering personal pe ering personally, has a connection with the Awards at the Exposition, the fact is, distinctly and positively, that it has nothing to do with the matter, and we have yet to see the slightest

proof of their assertion.

By the unanimous ver liet of the International Jury on musical instruments - the only and highest tribunal at the Paris Exposition—the incontrovertible fact is established before the world that, for American Pianos, Messrs. Steinway & Sons were awarded the first Gold Medal, and Messrs. Chickering the second.—New York Weekly Review.

## CITY INTELLIGENCE.

FOR ADDITIONAL LOCAL ITEMS SEE INSIDE PAGES.

DESPERATE CHARACTER.-The house of William Haddington, a butcher, at Sixth and Reed streets, was entered by means of nippers. The burglar found his way to the bed-room of Mr. Haddington, and commenced searching the premises. The noise occasioned by his rum-maging caused Mr. Haddington to awake, when the burglar approached his bed and threatened to blow his brains out if he did not keep still. He then ransacked the drawers, and found about \$51 which he took and soon left the streets, was entered by means of nippers. The about \$51, which he took, and soon left the room. Information was given of the robbery at the Detective office, when Officer Webb succeeded in capturing the burgiar. He was taken to the lock-up, and will have a hearing this afternoon at the Central Station.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT .- The Philadelphia Express train on the Fennsylvania Railroad, due here at 7:10 this morning, did not reach the city until after 10 o'clock, in consequence of an accident a short distance west of Landisville, the junction with the Reading and Columbia Railroad. One of the wheels of the front truck of the Pittsburg sleening car prope cansing the of the Pittsburg sleeping car broke, causing the greatest consternation to the occupants who were asleep at the time. The car was considerably broken; the passengers all escaped without the slightest injury.

VIOLATING THE LIQUOR LAW. - Christian Fryer, a German, was arrested yesterday afternoon at Carroll and York streets, on the charge of violating the Sunday Liquor law.

John Bergman was also arrested for the same offense, at William street and Trenton avenue. Both of the defendants were taken before Alderman Senix, who held them to answer at const. It 8000 bail.

PICKPOCKETS .- For some time past com-Pickpockers.—For some time past com-plaints have been made of the numerous cases of pocket-picking on the ferry-boats. Yesterday James and Nellie Mulville were arrested on the Atlantic City ferry-boat, on the above charge, by Detectives Taggert and Smith, who dis-covered the accused while in the act of opera-ting on the pockets of one of the passengers. They were locked up for a hearing.

KEEPING A DISORDERLY HOUSE. - Joseph Malatesta, aged twenty-five years, an Italian residing at Sixth and Lombard streets, was arrested yesterday afternoon, by Officer Leadbeater, at Sixth and Lombard streets, on the charge of keeping a disorderly house. He had a hearing before Alderman Morrow, and was held in \$800 ball to answer for the alleged offense.

ATTEMPT TO TAP A TILL .- John Biggans, an Englishman, v as arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer Currie, in Front street, on the charge of attempting to tap a till. Just as he was about securing his prize, he was discovered and taken in charge by the officer, who took him before Alderman Heins, who held him in \$600 ball to answer at Court for his prying proposalties.

A RECKLESS DRIVER.—Samuel J. Bates, regiding at Forty-seventh and Market streets, was arrested by Officer Danah yesterday at Twentieth and Market streets, on the charge of reck-less driving. He was escorted to the office of Alderman Hubbard, who held him in \$500 ball to answer for the alleged offense.

Boor Found.—The body of an unknown white boy was found this morning, at Green street wharf. Deceased has dark hair, and wore a dark jacket, white shirt, no shoes, light pants with patches on each knee. A suspender was tied around his waist. The Coroner took charge

ARRESTED FOR LARCENY .- John Suglington, a native of England, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer Grant, on the charge of larceny at a house in Carroll street. He was taken before Alderman Heins, and after a hearing was held in \$1000 ball to answer at

SLIGHT FIRE.—The alarm of fire last evening about 7 o'clock was caused by the partial burn-ing of James Morrow's boot and shoe store, at No. 1225 South street. The prompt arrival of the firemen prevented the flames from

Child Bont one week old was left in the cars of the North Pennsylvania Railroad. It was sub-sequently taken to the hotel of Mrs. Bradley, opposite the Depot, and provided for.

LIGHTNING FREAKS IN WEST PHILADELPHIA. -At the commencement of the shower this morning the lightning struck the dwellings of Mr. Hancock and Mr. Burridge, in Thirty-third street, north of Baring street, West Philadelphia, knocking a large hole in the chimney of the last named gentleman's house, from whence it followed the tin gutter on the roof to the conductor, and down the latter to the earth. From there it glanced about ten feet to the hydrant, tearing a large hole alongside of it, and raising the merble water-basin beneath from its bed. The roof of Mr. Hancock's house was ripped up, and the raiters underneath torn to spiinters. The bolt then followed the gutter and conductor to the earth, stopping to thrust a small hole into his parior, near the ceiling, where some dampness had penetrated the wall. A gentleman living next door was shaving at the time, and was partially stunned, but no one was seriously injured. The report was very loud, and alarmed the neighborhood somewhat, and was followed by several other heavy claps at short intervals, showing that the electric cloud must have been heavily charged. At the commencement of the shower this morn

ARRIVAL OF THE STRAMSHIP WYOMING .- This staunch steamship, commanded by Captain Teal, from Savannah, arrived at this port this morning. The following are the passengers:—P. Sanderson, wife, infant, and servant; L. Lillenthal and son; John H. O'Byrne, Henry C. Heinster, Mrs E. H. Heinster, George S. Nichol, E. Lovell, Mrs. Miller, Richard Lyons, B. B. Brown, A. Mayer, Henry S. Elliott, A. B. Smith, Captain N. King.

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GENERAL GRANT sits in the Secretary of War's office and puffs his cigar, while we sit in our editorial office and puff Charles Stokes & Co.'s first-class Clothing House, under the Con-tinental. The difference in the two puffs is, hat the first ends in coming down with the , and the latter with coming "down with the dust.

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DAVIS-WOLF,—On the 18th of May, by Rev. A. Manship, Mr. DANIEL DAVIS to Miss LIZZIE WOLF, both of this city.

TUCKER-LIMING.—June 15, 1887, by the Rev. D. Washburn, assisted by the Rev. W. B. Ervin, Mr. ED-WARD J. TUCKER to Miss ANNIE M., daughter of Captain W. Liming, both of this city.

ALEXANDER.—On the 18th instant, after a short filness, LEWIS ALEXANDER, in the 56 year of his The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence. No. 336 Dugan street, on Thursday morning, the 22d instant, at 10½ o'clock. To proceed to Olive Cemetery.

ASHTON,—On the 19th instant, THOMAS ASHTON, aged 60 years,

"Gone, but not forgotten."

His relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 5
Lee's place (above Shippen and above Tenth street), to-morrow (Wednesday) at 4 o'clock. Interment at Machpeliah Cemetery. BECK.—On the 18th instant, ANNIE E. wife of T. Beck, and daughter of Catherine and the late John

C. Beck, and daughter of Catherine and the late sold.
McCormick.
The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the tuneral, from the residence of her mother, Mrs. Catherine McCormick, on Thursday afternoon,

August 22, at 4 o'clock.

BITTING—On the 19th instant, at 2 o'clock A. M.,
JORDAN DODGE, infant son of Jared D. and Fanny
Bitting, aged 8 years 1 month and 6 days.

Funeral from his father's residence, No. 907 N. Thirteenth street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
The relatives and friends of the family are affectionately invited.

MOORE.—On the 1sth instant, Mrs. MARGARET wife of David Moore, aged 53 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her husband, No. 1934 Amber atreet, on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, without further notice. To proceed to Cedar Hill.

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NORBURY,—On the 18th Instant, AMY C. NORBURY, aged 57 years.
The relatives and friends of the family are invited
to attend her fineral, from the residence of her son.
Isaac W. Sill, No. 218 Union street, on Wednesday
morning at 10 o'clock. Interment at Barren Hill.
PAXSON,—At Brookfield, on the 19th instant,
SARAH, widow of the late John Paxson, in the 86th

SARAH, widow of the late John Paxson, in the sith year of her age.

Her relatives and friends are invited, without further notice, to attend her funeral, on Fourth-day, the flat instant, at 2 o'clock. Carriages will be at Schenck's Station, to meet the cars that leave Kensington at 10½ o'clock.

ROBERTSON.—On the 18th instant, ALBERT ROBERTSON, in the 52d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family, the Constitutional Union Association, the Shiftler Hose Company, the United States Fire Company, and the Fire Department in general, are respectfully invited to attend the fineral, from his late residence, No. 432 William strees. Camden. N. J., on Wednesday, the 21st instant, at 5 o'clock.

SAYLOR.—On the 18th instant, of consumption

BAYLOR.—On the 18th instant, of consumption, AMANDA, wife of B. Frank Saylor, aged 28 years and 23 days.

The relatives and triends are invited to attend the fineral, from the residence of her father, Albert Fitzgerald. No. 850 N. Fifth street, on Wednesday at 2 o'clock P. M.

o'clock P. M.

SCHOFIELD.—Suddenly, on the 18th inst., JAMES
SCHOFIELD, in the 42d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family, also Industry Lodge, No. 180, I. O. of O. F.; also the members of Manayunk Lodge, No. 31, L. O. of O. F., and the Order in general, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 4225 Main street, Manayunk, on Thursday atternoon at 1 o'clock.

SIMPSON—On the 17th Instant, M. SIMPSON.—On the 17th instant, Mr. THOMAS L. The relatives and friends of the family, Integrity Lodge, No. 187, A. Y. M., and officers and members of

the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, A. Y. M.; Hope Lodge, No. 33, I. O. of O. F.; Mount Zion Encampment: Shiffler Hose, and Weccacoe and Southwark Steam Fire Engine Companies, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 1355 S. Second street, on Thursday alternoon at 2 o'clock.

SINGERLY.—This morning, PAMELIA A., wife of William M. Singerly, and daughter of Thomas C. Jones, in the 32d year of her age.

Due notice of the funeral will be given.

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THE CONFLICT OF AUTHORITY IN NORTH CAROLINA.

The Late Indian Battles.

YELLOW FEVER IN BOSTON HARBOR.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.

The Late Indian Battle. Sr. Louis, August 20 .- The battle reported from Omaha, between 200 Pawnee scouts and a large number of Sioux, turns out to have been a fight between fifty Pawnees and one hundred Cheyennes, at Plum creek, at which the Pawnees took fifteen scalps and captured forty head of cattle and two prisoners. Many other Cheyennes are supposed to have been killed and wounded, but carried off by their

comrades. The Pawnees are now south of the Platte river hunting the Cheyennes. Seven Indians were killed by lightning at

the Yankton agency on the 10th. The Sioux and Crows had a battle near Fort Stevenson, in which the latter were victorious. Several were killed on both sides.

From North Carolina.

WILMINGTON, N. C., August 20.—The Journal of Saturday says:—"We learn that United States Marshal Goodloe, acting under orders from Washington city, ordered Deputy Marshal Neff, of this place, to execute the process of the Circuit Court of the United States, heretofore stopped by order of the military, with instructions to forward the name of any officer interfering, in order that he may be prose cuted under the criminal laws of the United States. Colonel Frank, the Post-Commander, acting under orders from the District Head quarters, has again interfered to prevent the execution of the process, as being in violation of General Orders No. 10."

Yellow Fever on Shipboard. Boston, August 20 .- The brig Ocean Belle, which arrived here to-day from Havana, brings the remains of Captain Thornton, who died on board of yellow fever. Two others of the crew died of yellow fever on the passage, and two cases are now on board. The vessel has been sent to quarantine.

Stocks in New York.

By Telegraph This Afternoon. Smith, Randolph & Co., Bankers, No. 16 South Third street, and No. 3 Nassau street, New York, report at 1 o'clock this afternoon as fol-

York, report at 1 o'clock this afternoon as follows:—
1881s, 11114@11114.
United States 5-20s, 1862, 11334@11314.
United States 5-20s, 1864, 10934@10934.
United States 5-20s, 1865, 11014.
United States 5-20s, new, 1885, 10834@10834.
United States 10-40s, 1083/2010834.
August 7-30s, 10734@10744.
June and July 7 30s, 10734@10744.
The market is weak.
United States 5-20s of 1862 are quoted in London, by private advices to day, at 7334.

Markets by Telegraph. New York, August 20.—Cottograph.
7500 harreis sold: Western, \$750@18-23; Southern, \$1050@14; California. \$1250@14-23; other brands unchauged. Wheat firm; 19,000 bushels sold; white Michigan. \$2\*65; amber Southern, \$2\*21@2\*35. Corn firmer and active; 120,000 bushels sold: mixed Western, \$1\*12@1\*15. Rye advanced 2@3c. Oats heavy and lower; 12,000 bushels sold; State, 39@30c.; Western, 78@81c. Provisions quiet and steady. Whisky quiet. New York, August 20.—Stocks dull and heavy, Chicago and Rock Island, 1023; Reading, 105; Canton Company, 483;; Erle, 70%; Cleveland and Foledo, 1239; Cleveland and Pittsburg, 23; Pittsburg and For Cleveland and Pittsourg, 93; Pittsourg and Fort Wayne, 105; Michigan Central, 111; Michigan Southern, 82; New York Central, 105%; Hilmois Central, 110½; Cumberland preferred, 33; Virginia Sixes, 50; Missouri Sixes, 102½; Hudson River, 1244; U. S. Five-twenties, 1862, 118½; do, 1864, 100½; do, 1865, 110½; new Issue, 105½; Ten-forties, 102½; Seveq-thirties, first issue, 107½; all others, 107½, Money, 4@6 per cent. Sterling, 9½; at sight, 9½, Gold 141½.

THE CODE OF HONOR.

The Old Manta Revived-Coffee and Pistels again in Fashion-Another Duel at Weehawken-A Millionaire's Daughter the Cause-Blood Spilled and "Satisfaction" Afforded.

We undoubtedly live in a day of sensations and mania. First it was prize fighting. Every newsboy or bootblack who considered himself aggrieved by a juvenile rival forthwith cuallenged him to a meeting in the "magic circle." Clerks, laborers, and artisans sought the same methods of satisfaction. the same methods of satisfaction in their quarrels or jealousy in love, and the result was a perpetual round of unscientific encounters and a sad discount of personal beauty among

those classes. Finally, however, this sensation grew stale Finally, however, this sensation grew stale as well as unprofitable, and was abandoned by the unprofessional. Then we were treated to a dreary interregnum of suicides. Laudanum, arsenic, razors, and the rushing waters of the rivers came into full play. There was presented a horrid record of self-murders in great number.

dreary interregnum of suicides. Laudanum, arsenic, razors, and the rushing waters of the rivers came into full play. There was presented a horrid record of self-murders in great number. There were romantic suicides, and maniacal suicides, the drowning of lovers, the poisoning of the pecuniary unfortunates, and a general cutting of throats seemed imminent. But again this became an old story to the public, and the sacrificial numbers became "small by degrees and beautifully less." Then awoke again the old fighting fever, but this time in higher circles than before, and with more "genhigher circles than before, and with silms bury to settle the matter over "coffee and pistois." Three shols were exchanged, and the challenging party having been wounded, the affair was declared at an honorable end.

This seems to have given the start to the revival of the old mania for dueiling, for last week did not pass without a repetition of the affair with still more distinguished principais. During the week, it appears, two young men, residents of this city, James Wilson, aged twenty-eight, a salesman, residing in West Twenty-eight, a salesman, resident of the supposed to be, of a green eye, a large plantation, and fabulous wealth, quarrelled and defied eason other to mortal combat. A woman was, of course, at the bottom of the difficulty, a millionaire's daughter, whose name need not transpire. Both parties claimed the "fair one of the golden locks" and plethoric money-bags, and the lady encouraging both with the couplet with the supposed to b

LATEST FROM WASHINGTON

The Bench and the Bar.

MEETING OF LAWYERS THIS MORNING

The Recent Bradley Meeting Disowned. General Sheridan Removed.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.,

Washington, August 20.—A meeting of about thirty members of the bar of the District of Columbia was held at the Court House

Hon. F. P. Stanton, on taking the chair, to which he was called, said: - "This assembling was not for the purpose of expressing an opinion as to the recent trial of Surratt, or anything of a political character. It was undoubtedly the duty of the lawyer to protect his client, but he should not go to extreme lengths. When he saw the law was administered, his duty ceased. It seemed strange to him that in a trial where every word was taken down and printed for the use of counsel, and when exceptions to the rulings could so readily be taken, there should have been any interruptions of the harmonious feelings which should always exist between the Bench and

the Bar.' A committee was appointed, who reported a series of resolutions quoting the order of Judge Fisher striking the name of Joseph H. Bradley, Sr., from the roll of the Court, and declaring that the meeting of certain gentlemen held on the 12th instant, to take action on the subject, was not a meeting of the Bar, disapproving of the irregular or extraordinary methods of reviewing the orders or judgments of the Court: for, in the words of a dis-tinguished author, "If a judge make an error, it can be corrected in a superior court." To seek to accomplish the object in any other manner is unprofessional. It was a grave error to suppose that the rights of attorneys could be maintained by personal vituperation or physical violence. On the contrary, these rights should be secured according to the rules of decorum, re-

finement, and professional courtesy.

The resolutions also assert the propriety of the courts punishing for contempt, and endorsing the language of the late Chief Justice

Branch on the subject.

After debate, in which Messrs. Riddle, Thompson, Mussey, and others participated, the resolutions were adopted, and the meeting adjourned.

From the Second Military District. Washington, August 20 .- The following order was received in Washington to-day:-Headquarters Second Military District, Charleston, S. C., August 17th, 1867.—First. Before a post court, convened at the citadel, Charleston, S. C., July 30th, 1867, pursuant to authority from these headquarters, and of which Brev. Brigadier-General H. S. Clentz

is President, was arraigned and tried William T. McKelvy, captain of the steamer Pilot Boy. Charge—Violation of paragraph 8, General orders No. 32. Specification—In this, that Orders W. T. McKelvy, Captain of the steamer Pilot Boy, did refuse to grant first-class ticket and passage to Miss Frances Rollen, from Charleston to Beaufort, S. C., on his steamer, because of caste or color. All this at Charleston, S.C., Monday, July 22, 1867.

Plea-Not guilty. Finding-Guilty. Sentence—To pay a fine of \$250.

Second. The evidence in this case shows that, on July 22, 1867, the complainant, a re-

spectable female, was, because of her color, refused cabin passage by the accused, who is the captain of the steamer Pilot Boy, a boat plying as a common carrier between ports in this Military District. It was conceded on the trial that a general rule, enforcing this dis-crimination, had been maintained on board the boat commanded by the accused.

The guilt of the offender, in thus wilfully

disregarding the provisions of paragraph 8, General Orders 32, prohibiting such unlawful distinctions, is confessed and proved. So long as the laws imposed civil and political disabilities because of servitude or color, common carriers were permitted to enforce the same discrimination among passengers. Such disabilities and usages have ceased, with slavery, to have any legal sanction. Whatever belongs of common right to citizens necessarily follows the recognition of the blacks as citizens and belongs to them.

The obligation of the common carrier is defined by a jurist of authority as follows: -- "If he carry passengers, he must receive all who offer, and treat all alike, unless there be actual and sufficient reason for the distinction, as in the filthy appearance, dangerous condition, or misconduct of a passenger." (Parsons on Mercantile Law, p. 207.) The observance of these rules has been enjoined by orders from these headquarters daily published for the information and guidance of all concerned, and violations of the regulation thus established must be apprepriately punished. The proceedings, finding, and rendering

are approved. By command of Major-General D. E. SICKLES. J. W. CLOUS, Official: Captain 38th U. S. Infantry, A. D. C., and A. A. A. G.

Merchants' Union Express Company. ALBANY, August 20 .- A test suit has been instituted in the United States District Court for the Northern District of New York, by Henry E. Phelps, of Michigan, through the Hon. John H. Reynolds, of this city, his counsel, against the Executive Committee of the Merchants' Union Express Company, and the Company itself, to restrain the forfeiture of his stock, and the collection of the last call for 10 per cent., and also to recover the back money paid, and have his name stricken from the subscription list. The motion for injunction, assenting to the prayer of the bill of complaint, has been noticed to be heard before Justice Nessos, at Cooperstown, on the 29th inst.

Fatal Accident.

Doves, N. H. August 20. - Yesterday morning. Dover, N. H. August 20. — Yesterday morning, a party of eleven persons started in a boat for an island in Bow lake, in Strafford, N. H., to pick berries. The boat capsized, and the following-named persons were drowned:—Mrs. Jeremiah Davis and daughter, two daughters of Mr. John Davy, a daughter of Mr. Altred Pender, and a daughter of Mr. Thomas Gray. The bodies have been recovered.

New York. August 20.—About ten colook this

NEW YORK, August 20 .- About ten o'clock this morning, a man named A. Goodrich, of Brooklyn, jumped from a window of his room in the sixth story of the Frankfort House, and was instantly killed.

He is Transferred to the Department of the Missourl.

Thomas to Succeed Sheridan, and Hancock to Supplant Thomas.

Sheridan to Report First at Washington.

Washington, August 20 .- The following was saued to-day :-

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY, A. G. O.—

WASHINGTON, August 19, 1867.—First. The following orders have been received from the President:—

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON, D. C., August 17.—Major-General George H. Thomas hereby assigned to the command of the Fifth military District, created by the act of Congress passed on the 2d day of March, 1867.

Major-General P. H. Sheridan is hereby assigned to the command of the Department of

Major-General W. S. Hancock is hereby as-

signed to the command of the Department of the Cumberland. The Secretary of War ad interim will give the necessary instructions to carry this order into effect. Andrew Johnson.

Second. In pursuance of the foregoing order of the President of the United States, Major-General G. H. Thomas will, on receipt of the order, turn over his present command to the officer next in rank to himself, and proceed to New Orleans, La., to relieve Major-General P. H. Sheridan of the command of the Fifth Mili-

tary District.
Third. Major-General P. H. Sheridan, on being relieved from the command of the Fifth Mill-tary District, by Major General G. H. Thomas, will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and will relieve Major-General W. S. Hancock in the command of the Department of the Mis-

Fourth. Major-General W. S. Hancock, on being relieved from the command of the Depart-ment of the Missouri by Major-General Sheri-dan, will proceed to Louisville, Ky., and will assume command of the Department of the Cumberland. Fifth. Major-General G. H. Thomas will con-

tinue to execute all orders he may find in force in the Fifth Military District, at the time of his assuming command of it, unless authorized by the General of the Army to annul or modify Sixth. Major-General Sheridan, before reliev-

ing Major-General Hancock, will report in peron at these headquarters.

By command of General Grant. E. D. TOWNSEND, A. A. G.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS—Judge Brew-ster.—Frison cases were before the Court to-day. William Hall was charged with the larceny of brass spigots, valued at £35, belonging to Ebenezer Beach. The spigots were missed from Mr. Beach's house, at dwere found upon the defendant's person. They were identified as the property of Mr. Beach. Verdict guilty.

guilty.

Charles Keen was convicted of a charge of the larceny of a push-cart valued at \$20. He was arrested at
Ridge road and Girard avenue with a push-cart in his
possession that be had stolen from a grocer, named
Richard Hallowell. possession that he had stolen from a grocer, named Richard Hallowell.

— Burke was acquitted of a charge of malicious mischief in running into and breaking a wagon belonging to K. F. Stone. Mr. Stone stated to the District Attorney that the defendant was a poor man, upon whose labor an aged mother, a wife, and three children were dependent for support; and under these circumstances he would decline to prosecute the charge. The bill was submitted without evidence.

James Kelly was charged with assault and battery upon John Mult olland. The prosecutor testified that he and the desendant, while going to work one morning, agreed to run a foot race, and started by the word; he, under full speed, was just passing the defendant, when the latter maliciously tripped him; he borke his arm by the fall and was otherwise badly injured.

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The defense proved that the fall Mulhollaud had was purely accidental; the defendant unknowingly got in front of him, and the force of the collision knocked him down. Evidence of character was to the effect that the defendant was too good-natured to be guilty of doing so cruel a thing with malice.

Verdict not guilty.

James Carron was charged with the larceny of harness valued at \$200, belonging to William W. Libert.

Mr. Libert testified that the defendant was in his employ at Germantown. During his absence from home ness valued at \$200, belonging to William W. Libert.
Mr. Libert testified that the defendant was in his employ at Germantown. During his absence from home recently the defendant west away, and he missed his harness. He afterwards recovered his property at the Central Station.

Detective Webb testified that when he received information of the larceny he advertised for the return of the goods, and soon afterwards a man brought them to him.

This man, who restored the harness, testified that the defendant sold them to him. Verdict guilty.

Patrick Finnigan was charged with keeping his licensed liquor saloon onen on Sunday. Policeman Crayton testified that on Sunday. August 4, he saw the defendant's saloon. "Our House." No. 408 Library street, open, and saw the defendant sitting at a table in the bar-room. He entered a passage way in which was a door leading into the bar-room, and through this door he went into the bar-room.

Alderman John White, of the Fifth Ward, testified that he knew the defendant, and knew his tavern to be at No. 408 Library street. The witness identified his signature upon the bond given by the defendant, when he took out his license for the present year.

Mr. McBride, of the Quarter Sessions Office, identified the City Commissioner's certificate, the City Treasurer's receipt, and the license bond, all evidences of the defendant's having taken out a license to keep a tavern. Jury out.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT — Judge

United States District Attorneys.—The jury this morning acted upon two informations—one of The United States District Attorneys.—The jury this morning acted upon two informations—one of The United States vs. Spirits, etc., Boyle & McManus claimants, in which the claim was not resisted by the United States, and the other that of The United States vs. Port Wine, etc., R. C. Stevenson claimant, in which also the claim was not resisted. In these cases the jury rendered verdicts for the claimants.

The United States vs. Two Barrels of Whisky, James Conway claimant, The claim was not resisted by the United States, for want of aufficient cause of forfeiture, and the jury rendered a verdict for the claimant.

The United States vs. Two Copper Stills, etc., James Carr claimant. In this case the claimant admitted that there was good cause of forfeiture; and agreed that a verdict for the United States should be rendered. Verdict for the United States and other machinery, John Monroe claimant, There not being a probable cause of forfeiture, the United States offered no evidence, and therefore the verdict was for the defendant.

United States vs. one barrel of whisky, John Thompson, claimant. In this case there was no evidence upon the part of the United States, and therefore the verdict was for the defendant.

United States vs. anee Carson, claimant. In this case five barrels of whisky were found in the claimant's possession, all properly marked, with the exception of the absence of the word "rectified," But ovidently the tax had been paid upon them, and therefore the United States did not contest the claim. Verdict for claimant. tavern, Jury out.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT - Judge

Philada, Stock Exchange Sales, Aug. 20 

TWENTY-SIXTH WARD.-IN COM TWENTY-SIXTH WARD,—IN COMparty, the Union citizens of the ward will meet at the
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s o'clock, to elect officers of the Ward Association,
and attend to any other business,
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