BUSINESS NOTICES.

Our stock is manufactured with especial care for this season's sales. We defy competition in extent and worldly of assoriment, and in style, fit, and make of poods. Prices always provodiced lower than the towest elsewhere, and july swisfaction guaranteed every purchaser, or the sales cancelled and money required.

Half wop between
Fifth and
Sixth streets. BENNETT & Co.,
TOWER HALL.
NO. 518 MARKET STREET,
PHILADELPHIA.
AND NO. 500 BHDADWAY, NEW YORK.

AT A MEETING of the Board of Trustees of the Riverside Institute, held November 14, 1867, the following statement was made by the chalrman of the Committee on Building. The Institute is now being rapidly completed under contract, by competent builders, and will be ready for the reception of the orphans of soldiers and sallors who fell during the late war, on the first of January next, Application for admission may be made prior to that time by the guardians or next friends of such children. The charter provides for the admission of orphans between the ages of six and twelve years, Applications should be addressed Hon, William B. Mann, chairman Board of Trustees, District Attorney's office, Philadelphis, Pennsylvania,

INTERESTING CORRESPONDENCE.

CAMDEN, New Jersey, Nov. 12, 1857, To William B. Mann, James M. Scovel, W. W. Wares Louis R. Broomall, Henry Gorman, J. E. Coe, Trustees of Riverside Institute:-

GENTLEMEN:-I am the widow of a soldier who was sergeant in company C, of the 12th Regiment of New Jersey Volunteers. My husband died on the battlefield from wounds received at Spottsylvania, Virginia, May 12, 1864. I have three children, and am very desirous of having my son, John R. Schell, received and cared for by the Riverside Institute. It will be a great help to me, and I think it would be only just to the memory of my husband, who tell fighting for his country. Yours truly,

SARAH E. SCHELL.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 14, 1867. Mrs. Saroh B. Schell :-

Manan:-Your letter stating your desire that John R. Schell, your son, shall be received and cared for y the Riverside Institute, New Jersey, has been duly considered by the Board at their meeting to-day. It has been referred to the committee, and will doubtless receive an immediate and favorable considera-

The building will probably be ready to receive the pupils, who must be orphans of soldiers or sailors, by January 1, A. D. 1868. You are right in thinking it is on'y just to the memory of your husband, that his son should be cared for by the country he died to save. Yours very truly,

WILLIAM B. MANN. JAMES M. SCOVEL, W. W. WARE. LOUIS R. BROOMALL, J. E. COE. HENRY GORMAN.

Trastees, etc. Section 2 of the charter of the Riverside Institute

for Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans reads as follows:-"And be it enacted, That every person who shall annually pay to the Treasurer of the Riverside Institute for Soldiers' and Satiors' Orphaus the sum of one dollar or upwards, shall be a member of the said Riverside Institute for Scidiers' and Sallors' Orphans, while such person so contributes, and every person who shall pay twenty dollars at one time shall be a

member for life."

J. M. SCOVEL, Secretary, Board of Trustees.

Is STIMULATION NECESSARY?-This question is practically answered in the affirmative by thousands of physicians every day. Sometimes they prescribe the ordinary forms of alcohol; sometimes tinctures which are simply inferior alcohol, more or less medicated: but no small proportion of the faculty give the preference to Hostetten's Stomach Bittens, as the most carefully prepared medicinal stimulant at present known. It is impossible for prejudice itself to be blird to the marked success with which this extraordinary tonic and alterative has been administered in cases of Dyspersia during the last twenty years. If It were possible to canyass the whole country for cases in which it had effected a cure of this obstinate and agonizing disease, they would number millions. No wonder, then, that it has become a STANDARD MEDI-CINE in every State, city, town, and village in the United States, and that names the most distinguished in literature, art, and science, are the vouchers for its remarkable properties. The immense manufactory at Pittaburg, with its extensive storehouses, is the largest establishment of the kind in this country, and probably in the world. The amount of manual labor

increasing sales. "WRLL, my child," said a stern father to his little daughter after church, "what do you remember of all the clergyman said?" "Nothing," was the timid reply. "Nothing ?" said he, severely; "now, remember, the next time you must tell me something he says, or you must stay away from church." The next Sunday ahe came home, her eyes all excitement, "I remembered something," said she. "Ah! very glad to hear it," replied the father; "what did he say ?" "He said," she cried, delightedly, "a collection will now be made." This was a remarkable specimen of invenile mnemonic power, but it will be of more general interest to know that W. W. Alter sells the best coal in the city, in Ninth street, below Girard avenue, and at his branch office at Bixth and Spring Garden streets. .

employed in the preparation of the Bitters, to say

nothing of the steam-driven machinery, is greater

than that of any other proprietary medicine establish

ment on this confinent, and, by the blessing of Provi-

dence, the beneficial results of this nuequalled tonic

and alterative are co-extensive with its continually

SHOOTING STARS.-Meteoric showers are promised us in profusion by the astronemers this winter, but people don't have the same confidence in astrono mers' promises as in other people's, and it will be some time before they catch us a-napping again, or rather disturbing our naps to look out for stars to fall. The promise that everybody shall be pleased who buy their clothing at Charles Stokes & Co.'s, First-class Clothiers, under the Continental, is much easier be

THE DEMAND for the engravings given with each share of stock sold in aid of the Riverside Institute as already so great that those who would avoid unnecessary delay should apply at once, at the principal office, No. 921 Chesnut street. The distribution of the \$:00,000 worth of presents will positively take place at the time announced.

TAKE AYER'S PILLS for all the purposes of a purgative, for Constipation, Indigestion, Headache, and Liver Complaint, By universal accord, they are the best of all purgatives for family use.

WE ARE still closing out our immense stock of Lace Currains at cost, Some great bargains left in Em-broidered Lace, Application, Nottlegham, and Mus-lin Curtains, at No. 723 Chesnut airest KELTY, CARRINGTON & Co.

WHITMAN'S CHOCOLATS.—The fluest Chocolate for table use, manufactured at the Philadelphia Steam Chocolate and Cocoa Works. Stephen F, Whitman, office and store No. 1212 Market street.

THE THOUSENESS OF A ticket to the Grand Concert to gives . Affected by calling at the office of the Asless, may be ... A freched by calling at the office of the Asless, may be ... A freched by calling at the office of the Asless, may be ... A freched of an Asylum for Invalid sociation for the borg, at No. 1122 Chennut atrosct. Solds to at Getty... A fight probase of a Sa. S greenbacks. This is a horder a girt of \$10,000 fm U. The fact that is a horder a girt of \$10,000 fm U. The fact that the prise worshy or a green effort to ... The fact that the prise worshy or a green effort to ... The fact that the moral value when compared with the fact that the prise worshy or a green effort to ... The fact that the prise worshy or a deliar will seasist the good wen who expect diture of a dollar will seasist the good wen who have his matter in charge to secure to ony wounded veterans an asylum which will be an bonor to pur country? The performance of such a charitable act would be creditable to any person, and no time should be lost in investing a small or large amount of money in tickets to ad this notice cause. We should like to multiply the fact that every man, womse, and culif. In Philadelphia possesses at least one of three fickets.

A timest Public Want is supplied by Hum-

A GREAT PUBLIC WAST IN Supplied by HUM-PHREYS HONGOPATHIC SPECIFICS. They are medi-cines that lather, mother, Burse, or invalid can slways have at hand, and apply without dauger or delay, and with prompt benefit and relief. Try them. See as vertisement. Address HUMPHREYS SPECIFIC HONGOPATHIC MEDICINE Co., No. 641 Broadway,

Johnston, Holloway & Cowden, No. 23 North Sixth street. Dyott & Co., No. 232 North Second street, wholesale agents. Sold also by George C. Evans, Sixth and Popiar streets: Ambrose Smith, Broad and C. esnut streets: Horter Twentieth and Green streets; John Bley, Frankford road: Roche, Fireenth and Groen streets; John Bley, Frankford road: Roche, Fireenth and Fonth streets; Caliencer, Third and Walnut streets; Hickman, No. 330 South Second street; Marshall, Thirteenth and Market streets; Blythe, No. 3120 Market street. Sold in Germantown by W. R. Jones, Jeneral Depot, No. 83 Arch street.

CAR SIGNS—Notice.—Persons wishing to secure business signs on the cars of the Chesuut and Walmu. Tenth and Eleventh, Fifth and Sixth Stress Railroads, for the ensuing year will please make early application at the office of the International Advertising Company. No. 445 South Third street, second floor. This is one of the most effectual modes of advertising ever invented. At present every carton is occupied until the close of the present year.

N. B.—the will secure one of those beautiful glass signs on the buside of the same cars.

N. B.—incide signs on the same roads lettered on glass and framed in olled walnut and gilt, and run for one year for \$16. one year for \$10.

CURTAIN Goods and Furniture Coverings closing cot at a great sacrifice. We have again marked down our retail stock, as it must be closed out by January I. Kelty, Carrington & Co., No. 725 Chesnut street.

THE SOLDIERS ORPHANS.—We are authorized by the Trustees of the Riverside Institute to state that their buildings are rapidly approaching completion, and that by the 1st of January next they will be ready to receive the orphan children of deceased soldiers. Application should be made to the Trustees. WINDOW SHADES closing out at half price, at No. KHLTY, CARBINGTON & CO.

Es Merino and Wool Underwear,
Es Merino and Wool Underwear,
Es Merino and Wool Underwear,
McIntins & Brothes, No. 1035 Chesnut street. Inducements: I I I I I I We now offer an immense stock of New Cooking for Men's and Boys' Full and Winter wear, made in the most careful manner, and of materials bought in firs hands, at rutnous prices to the manufac

This letts the whole story.

WANAMAKER & BROWN,
THE LARGEST CLOTHING HOUSE.
OAR HALL,
ON THE CORNER OF SIXTH AND MARKET STR.

MARRIED.

DECOURSEY-STOVELL .- At St. James' Church DECOURSEY—STOVELL.—At St. James' Church, on Thursday, the 14th instant, by the Rev. Henry J. Morton, D. D., MARCELIN L. DECOURSEY to MARY, daughter of John Stovoli, all of this city.

JOHNSON—BANNISTER.—In the Baptist Church, Mansyonk, on the evening of the 11th instant, by Rev. James Waters, JOHN JOHNSON, of Easton, Md., to Miss EMMA E. BANNISTER, of Manayunk, STERNILL LEP. HOWELT. SEEMULLER-HOWELL.-On Thursday evening, November 14, 1867, by Rev. Richard Newton, D. D., at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. WILLIAM SEEMULLE, of Baitimore, to Miss MARY B. HOWELL, daughter of George Howell, Esq., of this city.

DIED.

BELL.-On the 14th Instant, Mr. JOHN BELL, aged His relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 1014 Montgomery avenue, on Sunday atternoon at 3 o'clock.

CLARKE,-On the 12th Instant, ROBERT CLARKE. CLARKE,—On the 12th Instant, ROBERT CLARKES, in the 76th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his son-in-law. George Hoofstitier, Springfield, Delaware county, Pa., on Sunday, the 17th instant at 10 o'clock A. M., without urther notice. Interment at Friends' Burial Ground, Darcy.

GUNDLACH.—Suddenly, on the 14th Instant, MARIA, wise of J. M. Gundlach, aged 40 years 5 mont of any 5 days fally lavited to attend her funeral, from her husband's residence, Whitehall, near Bridesburg, on Sunday afters one next, at 2 o'clock. MARTYN. -On the 13th instant, JOHN MARTYN.

aged to years.

The relatives and friends of the family, Washing-The relatives and friends of the family, Washington L. ege, No. 98, and Columbia Mark Lodge, No. 93.

A. Y. M.: Morning Star Lodge, No. 79. A. P. A.: and Philisdelphia Typographical Colon, No. 2 are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence. S. Fifth street, above Reed, on Sunday afterwoon at a chicago. noon at 2 o'clock.

KURINKAM.—In Germantown, on the morning of the 12th Instant, HENRY W. RUBINKAM, in the 22d

year of his age.
The relatives and friends of the family are invited to n cet the funeral, at the Neshamony Chu Bucks county, Pa., on Saturday at 12% o'clock P. M. SMITH.—On the 15th instant, ANNA, wife of the late HANCOCK SMITH.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the foneral, from the residence of her mother, No. 105 S. Thirteenth street, on Monday, the 18th instant, at 2 o'clock P. M.

TRUCKSESS.—Suddenly, on the 12th instant, JACOB TRUCKSESS, in the 83d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family in the city The relatives and triends of the family in the city are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the cs of his son. David Trucksess. Fairview vi lage, Montgomery county, Pa., on Saturday next at 10 o'clock A. M., without further notice. Interment at

## CITY INTELLIGENCE

Trappe Church Cemetery.

[FOR ADDITIONAL LOCAL ITEMS SEE INSIDE PAGES. BREVITIES .- A number of our citizens broke

from their napping at an early hour this morn-ing, and waited patiently and watched for the second scene in the grand meteoric farce. All the stars seen were fixed.—An unknown Engthe stars seen were fixed.—An unknown Englishman was found dead in his berth on board the scloner George Weaver, yesterday.—Last evening the bursting of a coal-oil lamp, in a souse on Stiles street, above Carlisle, caused an alarm of fire.—Happy Unief Inspector! The Advi ory Boiler Committee favor an increase of his salary beyond \$2000.—A long tramp! Mrs. E. Fuiler, with her three children, two girls and a boy, reached this city yesterday, having walked all the way from Lynn, Massachust its. She was destitute, and was trying to reach her friends in Norfolk. When she had no a commodations, she slept in the woods. The suthor—a will formish her with means to The suther swill furnish her with means to reach the y.—Our German citizens are determined ave their theatre. A meeting night, when it was ascertained ad been subscribed.—The Broad ents! The Mayor's yeto of the bill providing for the widening of the pavements preveiled, and the bill fell.—At last, after hard hammering, Councils have authorized the erection of a House of Correction ! Instead of an appropriation of \$100,000, it ought to be three

times that amount. BEUTAL TREATMENT .- A case was heard b fore Alderman Good, this morning, of the brutel treatment of a wife by her husband. The jacts alleged are as follows:—Last evening John Walters, in company with his wife and two children, were coming out from their house on Alien's lane, Germantown, when Walters requested his wife to do something, which she refused. It is said that he commenced to heat requested his wife to do something, which she refused. It is said that he commenced to heat her with a came he was carrying, and kept up a shower of blows until the woman was covered with bruises. After this they went back to the house, when a disturbance arose, and when Officer Duniap went in he found the woman in her night-clothes, with a rope around her neck, and crying for assistance, saying that her husband was going to hang her. The officer arrested Walters, and this morning his wife appeared against him, when he was committed in default of \$1000 ball. He said he would do the same thing again. He alleged in turn that his wife drank too much and he wanted to stop her. He owns a tavern, and leaves his wife to tend it while be acts in the capacity of an enginer r at McCallum, Cress & Co.'s factory.

ginet r at McCallum, Cress & Co.'s factory. GRAND GIFT MATINEE-Professor and Mad Maca lister will give a grand gift matines at Concert Hall to morrow (Saturday) afternoon, on which occasion an entire change of pro-gramme, replete with new, brilliant, and beaugramme, replete with new, british, and beau-tiful features, will be presented, and every child will leceive a handsome present. Among the principal presents to be given away this even-ing are a splendid China tea set, a superb sliver hunting case watch, in addition to ninety-eight other valuable presents.

MANAGEMENT

ALLEGED FALSE RETURNS.—This moon the case of the well-known; manufacturers, Driefcas & Co., alleged to have made false returns of their gross sales, was continued before United States Commissioner Smithued before United States Commissioner Smith;-

States Commissioner Smith;—

Mr. Charles Wolfe was sworn—Am Assistant A secsor: I produce the returns of the gross sales of Dreith & C. Arom the first of May, 1998, to the sist of December, and also the return from January to May, 1867; or these returns there are said to have been paid \$75 in May on their estimated sales for the coming year; \$23 were paid on the sales for the coming year; \$23 were paid on the sales for January and February, 1867, and \$55 were paid in June; upon making their annual return in June, 1857, they gave the sum of \$131,232 as the whole amount of their sales for the year; if this had been correct the amount of tax to be paid upon it should have been \$131, as follows—\$75 in May, \$21 to March, and \$33 at the end of the year; this excess of tax arose from an error made in the sir March returns.

Hen, vi. Taxart sworn.—I visited the Collector's office y. Ateiday, and their records there show the payment of \$55 in November, 1885, and a payment of \$37 in June, 18.7; I saw nothing of the \$22.

Mr. Smart sworn—I am in the employ of Drisfuss & Co., doing a geneval merchandise business in spic s. 1ye, stove polish, conce. etc.; their gross sales from the last of May, 1885, to the \$0th of Apyll, 1857, were \$23,153, commosed both of credit and dash sales; \$216,249 were credit sales; I made all the calculations for all the returns: the gross amount of the sites of merchandise for the eight months ending the last of December, 1866, was \$147,000; the explanation why I made out the return as \$100,001, and possible of the year I made out the return as anounting to \$131,222 (when the ariss sales were \$225,000; and possible of \$131,222 (when the ariss sales were \$225,000; and possible of the year I made out the return as anounting to \$131,222 (when the ariss sales were \$225,000; and possible of the year I made out the return as anounting to \$131,222 (when the side of the year I made out the return as anounting to \$131,222 (when the side of the year I made out the return as anounting to \$131,222 (when the

to \$131,223 (when the gross sales were \$223,000), supposing naturally that I should deduct what had been already returned

The case was continued. AMOUNT OF COAL transported on the Phila-delphia and Reading Railroad, during the week ending Thursday, November 14, 1897:— From St. Clair ... Port Carbon..... 
 Port Carbon
 7,249

 Pottsville
 747

 Schuyikii Haven
 19,065

 Auburn
 3748
 Auburn.....

Harrisburg and Dauphin ..... Total Anthracite Coal for week ..... 69,139 13 Bituminous Coal from Harrisburg and Dauphin for week..... 5,898 00 .....3,198,062 16 Total of all kinds for week ..... Previously this year ... Total....

To same time last year .... ANOTHER WHISKY RAID. - Revenue Inspector Foulkrod, who has charge of that alcoholic precinct—Richmond—is on the alert Lest night, accompanied by a posse of men from the Eignteenth District, he captured a coffee still, owned by one William McCrystat, in a shanty in Ann street, below Melville. This was conveyed away victoriously, but sur-rounded with the fumes of putrescent molasses mash, the men required an application of sol-volatile to reinvigorate them. Another still was captured on Salmon street, elow Maple, and another lot of mash de-

stroyed. STEALING LUMBER .- Two parties of boys, numbering eleven in all, were arrested on Church and Orchard streets, Frankford, yesterday, for stealing lumber from lumber yards and new buildings. It appears that these boys were forming a band to serenade the denizons of Frankford, accompanied by a fiddle and banjo, and in order that they might have a nightly represented they build two separates with the rendezvous, they built two shauties with the boards they had stelen. They were nicely caught, and summarily committed by Alderman Holme.

SAD News.—We regret to announce that the life of General Peter Lyle is at present despaired of. Our readers will remember that he was thrown from his carriage a few days ago, sustaining a fracture of his leg. We understand that his physicians declare that mortifi-cation has set in, endangering his recovery. He still remains at the house of a friend, to which he was taken after the accident.

OUT OF THE LINE .- Catharine Showell, an oyster woman, went into a house in Rising Sun yesterday for the purpose of selling oysters. With keen eyes for business, and ready hands for little useless articles, she saw no one present. A watch lay on the mantel. This she hurrledly pocketed, and left. She soon was taken in custody. Alderman Senix committed her in default of \$800 ball.

SUNDAY CARS .- The Second and Third Streets Passenger Railroad Company will run their cars on Sunday next. Arrangements have been made which will include all the branch roads, Kensington, Richmond, and Frankford. This accommodation will be ap-preciated by many of our citizens residing in distant parts of the city. COLONEL JOHN W. FORNEY'S BOOK, contain-

taining a reprint of all the letters written by him during his recent European tour, is pub-lished to-day; and those who have been anx-lously awaiting its appearance can now obtain it of the publishers, Messrs. T. B. Peterson & Brothers, of this city. A MISPRINT .- By a trick of the types the

name of the person elected President of the New Jersey Sunday School Association yester-day was misspelled. The Hon. Charles C. Latbrope, of Burlington, N. J., was the person elected to that responsible position. DISORDERLY HOUSE .- Mary Craig was ar-

rested at No. 781 Sansom street for keeping a disorderly house. Officer Little made the arrest, and Recorder Eneu held her in \$1000 bail BADLY BURNED .- Thomas McCary was se-

riously burned by the explosion of a coal oil lamp at No. 1452 Stiles street last evening.

THE EUREKA AND RUSS KNIFE AND Fork Polisher and Grinder (greatly reduced in price): other kinds of Kuife Gleaners and small Grindstones for family use, for sale by TRUMAN & SHAW, NO. 835 (Eight Thirty-five) MARKET Street, below Ninth.

OYSTER-KNIVES, BROILERS, AND STEW-Store of TRUMAN & SHAW, No. 885 (Eight Thirty-five) MARKET Street, below Ninth.

SAW-BUCKS OR WOOD-HORSES, SEVERAL Qualities of Wood haws and Chopping Axes, and an assortment of Winter Hardware, at TRUMAN & SHAW'S, No. 335 (Eight Thirty-five) MARKET Street, below Ninth.

OST-IN GOING FROM NINETEENTH and Arch streets to Seventeenth and Pine streets, a Child's Gold Oval BREASTPIN, with a bar across it. A liberal reward will be paid by leaving it at No. 1714 PINE Street.

OST OR MISLAID, -CITY WARRANT, No. 1 658, dated October 7. 1867, for one hundred and fifty dollars, issued by the Controllers of Public Schools for rent, in favor of William Divine, and endorsed by him. All persons are cautioned as sinst negotiating the same, as payment has been stopped. Beturn to No. 1862 LOCUST Street.

JONES, TEMPLE & CO.,
PASHIONABLE HATTERS,
NO. 25 S. NINTH Street,
First Store above Chestnut street. [49]

PATENTED.—PANTS SCOURED AND FRENCHED from 1 to 5 inches, at Mottet French Steam Dyeing and Scouring, No. 209 S, NINTH Street and No. 736 RACE Street. 9 1725p DEAFNESS.-EVERY INSTRUMENT THAT

science and skill have invented to assist the hearing in every degree of deafness; also, Respirators; also, Crandall's Palent Crutches, apperior to any others in zee, at P. MADEIRA'S, No. 115 TENTH Street, below Chesnut RODGERS'AND WOSTENHOLM'S POCKET ENIVES, Pearl and Stag Handles, of beautiful finish. RODGERS' and WADE & BUTCHER'S RAZORS, and the celebrated LECOULTEE RAZORS CISSORS of the finest quality.

RAZORS, Knives, Scissors, and Table Outlery Ground and Polished at P. MADEIRA'S, No. 115 TENTH Street below Chesnut.

TO THE LADIES,-HAVING PURCHASED The habites—Having toke of commenced SOFA CUSH (ONS, CHAIR SEATS, PIANO
STOOLS, AND SLIPPERS, we are offering them at
less than cost of importation. A full assortment
herith Zephyr, sold full weight. American Worsted
for superior quality, is cents percounce. Woollen Knitting Yarn, Bugle Fringe, Bugle Gimps and Buttons,
RAPSON'S Trimmings and Zephyr Store
111 fm:w2m5p] N.W. cor. EIGHTH and CHERRY Sts.

TO HOUSEKEEPERS AND INVALIDS. The undersigned respectfully ca'lls the attention of the public to the stock of Prim', Cider and Pure Cider Vinegar for pickling and general family uscalso, to his popular "Tonic Ale," rece from all knowleds, and endorsed by the medical faculty as a safe and wholesome bowerage for weak and delicate canaticulous. Delivered free of charge to all parts of the Chy.
P. J. JOHDAN,
No. 430 PEAR Serest,
11 ip Below Third, and Wannel and Dooks

THE PEDESTR. AN FEAT.

Weston Leaves Buffalothis herning

Health of Secretary Welles, Mtc., Mtc., Mtc., Mtc., Rtc., Mtc.

LATEST FROM EUROPE BY CAPLE.

Two o'clock Market Report. Lendon, Nov. 15-2 P. M .- Consols tor money advanced I-16, and are now quoted at 94 9-16; U. S. 5-20s have also advanced, and are quoted at 70 5-16; Illinois Central, 845; Eric Railroad,

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 15-2 P. M .- Cotton and breadstuffs are unchanged.

Provisions-Beef has advanced to 110s, for winter cured: bacon 51s.

Produce-Spirits turpentine, 27s. 6d. Other articles are unchanged. ANTWERP, Nov. 15 .- Petroleum is flat at 467.

50c. for standard white.

London, Nov. 15 .- The Cabinet of England, which for a long time has had the subject under discussion, has resolved to place all the telegraph lines of Great Britaiu under the direction of the Post Office Department.

FROM WASHINGTON THIS P. M. [SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO EVENING TELEGRAPH.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 15. Health of Secretary Welles. Secretary Welles is slowly improving, and it is hoped he will be out in a few days. The President called on him yesterday, and passed some time in conversation. Mr. Welles has

been suffering from a low fever, resembling the typhoid, and for some days was seriously sick. He is now, nowever, improving daily. Receipts from Duties. The receipts for duties on imports from Nov.

l to 9, inclusive, have been as follows:-

Philadelphia..... Baltimore. San Francisco (from Oct. 6 to 12th)....... Total.....

The Pedestrian Weston.

BUFFALO, Nov. 15 .- Weston, the pedestrian, left the Mansion House, in this city, at half-past 6 o'clock this morning for Silver Creek, which is thirty-two miles distant, over a sandy road. He will commence his one hundred mile feat from Silver Creek at 12 o'clock to-night. Quite a large crowd of citizens assembled to see him off, by whom he was escorted, with eighteen policemen at their head, to the city timits. There they took leave of him, and he, in most excellent spirits, went on his way rejoicing, making excellent time.

## THE METEORS.

The Display at Richmond, Va. Washington, Nov. 14.—Professor Harkness, of the United States Navy, reached Richmond yesterday for the purpose of taking an observation of the altitude of the meteors which were expected to appear as shooting stars last night. Having obtained a suitable position, he saw

this morning, about 3 o'clock, quite a shower of meteors at about the allitude of one hundred miles above the surface of the earth. In regard to these showers be says:—

The most singular part of the whole mater is they will in the last few months it has been proved, almost beyond the possibility of a doubt, that several small comets which have been recently observed actually move in and form a part of this stream. In other words, these comets are neither more nor less than rather large meteors. All day Wednesday both the meteors and the earth were rushing in a headlong chase to a point of space, and about 3 o'clock on Thursday morning the earth plunged into the stream. Instantly stars began to fall as thick as autumn leaves, scarcely an instant passed that their flery trails were not seen lightirg up the sky, and for much of the time there were half a score in the air at once. Some were mere specks of light-faint sparks from the laboratory of nature—white others shone with a brillancy surpassing that of the largest rackets, with all the colors of the rainbow. At a quarter past 4 o'clock the earth had reached

a quarter past 40 clock the earth had reached the thickest of the steam, and the colossal bom-bardment was at its height. Two observers, whose ravge of vision only embraced about half of the visible heavens, counted one hun-dred and ninety-three meteors in ten minutes. They were flying past the earth at the rate of more than two thousand every hour, and as each one passed the friction caused by its flight through the atmosphere was so great that it burst into flame, lighting up the heavens, and, for a brief instant contributing its mite to the brilliant spectacle, then plunging again into the depth of space no more to be seen by more leve till the expiration of another recion of tel eye till the expiration of another period of

thirty years. In regard to the main body of the stream Professor Harkness says:—
It was thicker and the meteorites more numerous in some places than in others. In one particular region they were more thickly crowded together than in any other, and regularly once in about thirty-three years it returns to the point in space traversed by the path of the earth in November, and gives rise to the famous star showers, about which so much has been said and written of lake. No one can expect to witness a spectacle of such a characmore than once in a lifetime, and the brilliancy and sublimity of that of last night was such as to stamp itself indelibly upon the memories of those who were so fortunate as to chold it Professor Harkness has made no official report to the Commodore, and will not do so until his return to Washington.

The Display at New Orieans. NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 14.-The meteors appeared here this morning, unexpected by every-body, as no interest was taken in them. They first made their appearance at 3 o'clock A. M., passing from a northeasterly direction across the eavens, and disappearing near the horizon. For the first few minutes very few were seen. but they increased in number until nearly o'clock, when they were numerous, and the shower was very brilliant. The meteors of the larger size and brilliancy were from the northeast, but lesser ones appeared elsewhere, and took different directions. The meteors resem-

and clear. At Greenwich, England, No Meteors Visible-The Shower Not Seen in London-No Reports from the Continent. GREENWICH OBSERVATORY, England, Thursday, Nov. 14—A. M.—The meteoric display, or star shower, which it was expected would be partially visible in Great Britain and on the continent of Europe at about the approach of daylight this morning, has not been seen.

Considerable anxiety was displayed by the observers at 6 o'clock this morning, Greenwich time, but they were disappointed.

bled balls of fire rolling over the heavens, leaving a flery trail behind them. About 4 A. M. the slower terminated. The weather was cold

time; but they were disappointed.

There were no meteors seen in the city of No accounts have yet been received here from other parts of Europe.

The Display at Albany.

DUDLEY OBSERVATORY, ALBANY, Nov. 14.—
The watchers for the celestial phenomena predicted to appear last night were very numerous in Albany. Many because of the brilliancy of the night, and to admire the unclouded firmament, that glowed and sparkled with nuusual ment, that glower and pole, sauntered to the hill where the Observatory is situated. The atmosphere was in its purest and finest state of vision; every planet and every star shove the borison, of brilliancy, lent its lambent light or

twinkling ray to give verious and beauty to the hemisphere; while the round, bright moon, so distinctly defined were the lines of her figure and so clearly visible, seemed to hang off from the axure valit, suspended in mid air, or, stooping forward from the firmament, her fair

from the azure vault, suspended in mid air, or, stooping forward from the firmament, her fair and radiant face scemed to court and return the gaze of her watchers.

I o'clock A. M. A few minutes after this hour ten meteors of a light reddish bue, eight of them the brightness of a star of the second magnitude, were seen having their flight through the constellations Gemini and Canis Major, emanating from the direction of the constellation Leo. This gave courage to combat the chilling atmosphere and hope of the wer's initiation. To interpose seriously and the fifth of the display, clouds came thickly to castern sky. At 125 o'clock two of great brilliancy, double the size of the sar Siries, shot from the louds from the position of Leo, one towards the south, the other towards the northwest, broducing phosphorescent lines along their con. se and before their disappearance emitting innila, hour the sky was overcast, obscuring the point of the manations, and it had a depressing the towards that was langible to keep their spirits ito. Time

the observers, who had not seen snough that was langible to keep their spirits ito. Time passed quickly in the arguments and descriptions of the order, beauty, sublimity, and glory that distinguish the celestial harmony, until it was noted with pleasure that the clouds had broken and the blue firmament again in view, with Lee treasure. broken and the blue firmament again to view, with Lee trooping in majesty far up the zenith.

350 A. M.—Now the spiendor commenced. First, a pale reddish meteor shot from Leo, and proceeded southerly. This heraided the brilliant show. In fifteen mir utes thirty-seven, six with trains of lurid brilliancy, had been seen. Professor Hough and his assistant, Thomas E, McClure, were on active cuty. Four professionals were stationed at different points, and they gazed with rapturous delicht, as me, and they gazed with rapturous delicht, as me. and they gazed with rapturous designt, as me-teer after meteer shot into the boundless abyas of space. As each had their flight they were chronicled.

chronicled.
4:16 A. M.—They came in larger numbers and extremely more luminous than the others. Four, bright as a star of the second magnitude shot in quick succession to the northwest horizon. They are radiating from Leo in all directions, 4:18 A. M.—The brightest yet, with a beautiful

418 A. M.—The brightest yet, purple and amber color, shot towards the sonth-west under the moon, its trail of flame being visible for fifty seconds, and then falling away in brilliant pepple. 425 A. M.—One hundred and eighty had been chronicled; at 430, three hundred and twelve; at 433, four hundred and forty, being nearly forty-three per minute. At this time the eastern sky was almost entirely clouded over, obscuring sky was almost entirely clouded over, obscuring observation, and rendering only the highest to be noted. At 435, five hundred and twelve had been seen; at 438, six hundred and ten; at 441, seven hundred and eight. In answer to astronomical prayers, hands hidden from mortal eyes drew back the cloud cariate, and all again was clear. At 448, nice hundred were chronicled, and one larger and brighter than any that preceded it exceed from the same of t preceded it, exoded from Leo, speeding to the eastern horizon; it was of oriental sapphire color, and its flight was like the flash of sheet lightning. At 4.53, one thousand had been seen; at 4.59, eleven hundred.
5.61 A. M.—This time two of dazzling brit-

liancy shot simultaneously from the same point of emanation, traversing the heavens in a parallel manner through Ursa Majoris, disappearing in the northern horizon. They were of deep purple, and had long, beautiful trains, that rested upon the sky in their full contour nearly a minute.

5.07 A. M.—Still another of magnificence from

Leo, in the directions of northeast to horizon; it was of twice the brightness of Siring, and shot in its luminous path by the star Arcturus, leaving a trail, startling in its amber hue sixty-five seconds duration across the firma-5.08 A. M.-Twelve hundred! It is cloudy

in the zenith, clear in the east. Jupiter and her salellites have longed veiled their giories from the eye, the moon still shines with splender, affecting the spectral justre of the stars; Arcturus sheds her sweet influence in the east, while Leo is trooping up nigher and higher in the zenith. Many meters are now passing through Ursa Majoris in their erratic flights. A broad belt of blue sky, strangely beautiful, extends from Leo to the horizon. extends from Leo to the horizon.

5'17 A. M.—Another large meteor, brighter than Sirius, disappearing in the eastern horizon, with a trail very brilliant, and of green and orange, was observed.

5'20 A. M.—The scone has again shifted. The clouds, like solemn columns, have trooped back

again and covered the sky.
5:22 A. M.—Twelve hundred and forty-seven,

and clearing.
5:38 A. M.—Daylight appearing, and clear from zenith to horizon.
And as night changed in to day, and the work ransfiguration went on the glories of the night dissolved into the giories of the but the meteors still shot rocket-like. At 541 one magnificently luminous, from Leo, shot north fifteen degrees, leaving its broad amber and purple train sixty-seven seconds after apperance. The bine sky now turned more softly gray, the great watch stars shut up their holy eyes, the east began to kindle. Faint streaks of purple soon blushed along the sky; the whols celestial concave was filled with the reflowing tides of the morning light, and as the gates of morning were about opening, still other bright. meteors shot across the sky, bright, brilliant in colors, and before the lord of day, arrayed in glories too severe for the gaze of man, began his course, thirteen hundred and one had been chronicled, fifty of greater brightness than stars of the second magnitude. The mind was "bewildered and lost in the effort to follow

Green, the Wife Poisoner.

The self-styled "Rev. William H. Green," who

has just been convicted at Litchdeld, Conn., of the murder of his wife, by potson, has run a race of crime during the last few years which few men, in a long life, equal. He first became conspicuous in the western part of New York in the fall of 1864 as the Rev. George W. Long. He presented forged credentials, purporting to be from Methodist Conferences in the South and West, and obtained the ministry of the church at Centreville, Alleghany county. He proved so acceptable to the brethren that, after a twoweeks' acquaintance, he married in one of the neighboring towns, and took his wife home with him. He then commenced borrowing money "to meet his increased expenses, before long had run up a debt of \$700. Think-ing that he had reached the end of his rope, he borrowed means to pay his travelling expenses to Dunkirk, Ohio, where he pretended that he had real estate to sell. His return was anxiously expected by his bereaved flock, but time passed, and instead of the long expected Long, arrived a letter saying that he had gone to New York to conclude the sale of his Texan property. He told his wife to be contented and good, and pray for him. Exit Rev. Mr. Long-enter at Utica the Rev. William H. Green, a preacher, political speaker, and temperance orator. Temperance lectures around the country were the most expedient for raising the wind, but this wasn't as profitable as the c'erical fraud, for the man he employed to personate the habitaal sot had a moment of sobriety, and refused to continue the partnership uniess he were paid. On the 20th of last December "Green" married a Mrs. Scarles in Guilford, Chenango county, N. Y. and in March moved to West Cornwall, Conn., where he made his debut as a refugee from Texas, and delivered loyal speeches, being engaged as a stump orator by the Republican Convention for Litchfield county. On May 6 Mrs. Green died, having been taken with convulsions. perance lectures around the country were Green died, having been taken with convulsions. The physician thought her death unusual, but did not then attribute it to its true cause. On the fourth day after her death she was buried, and in a mouth the "Reverend" left for Utica, where only five weeks after the death of his wife he married an Irish chambermaid employed at a hotel. he was hurrying matters too fast. His conduct excited suspicion. The body of his wife was disinterred, the stomach and liver examined, and the "Reverend's" race was run. Strycunta was found, and "Green" was arrested and imprisoned amid popular execrations. In the Litch-field jail he made two attempts to destroy him-sel'. He dashed his bead against a wall, and cheked himself with a handkerchiel. Mean while be averred his imposence. Last week he was tried at Litchfield before Judges Loomis and Granger, distinguished counsel appearing upon each side. The evidence was overwholming. He was convicted, and, we may presume, will shortly be sentenced to suffer the extreme penalty of the law.

FAVORITISM .- Sir Robert Mapler has taken all the troops for the Abyssinian expedition from Bombay. A despetch speaks of "dis-satisfaction" in Bangal and Madras at their exclusion from the rather doubtful privilege of furnishing quotas.

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Particulars of the Loss of the Steamer Oneota.

Latest from the National Capital.

European Markets this Evening

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LATEST WASHINGTON NEWS.

SPECIAL DESPATCIES TO BYRNING TRLEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON, NOV. 15. Personal. Assessor Phillips, of the Second District, and

Collector S. Morton Zulick, of the Third District of Pennsylvania, are here to-day on internal revenue business.

The Brownsville Collectors hip, Albert B. Sloanaker, of Philadelphia, is an applicant for the Collectorship of the cust oms at Brownsville, Texas, now vacant, owing to the death of the former incumbent from ye llow fever. The office is worth only seventeen h undred and fifty dollars per annum, salary m th emoluments; and greenbacks don't pass then 5 as currency, as it is on the boundary line between the United States and Mexico, and all business transactions are in gold; but, strangeto say, there are a score of applicants for the

News by the Cuba Cable.

HAVANA, Nov. 15 .- Sugar firm. Exchange on London in moderate request, at 15 premium; bills on Paris, 2 premium; on New York, long sight, for currency, 25@25; for gold, long sight, 34; short sight, 5.

Arrived, steamer Raleigh, from New York; brig Pitt, from New Orleans; brig Gem, from New York.

Arrived at Cardenas, barque Cochran, from Banger; barque Holbrook, from New York. Arrived at Matanzas, brig Sevett, from Portland: schooner Stephen, from New York.

The Loss of the Steamer Oncota. NEW YORK, Nov. 15,-The steamship Oneois. Captain Dennis, in ballast, left Charleston for New York, November 8. On the 10th mst., off Wilmington, her engine became disabled, and she put into that port for repairs, and sailed again on the 11th. On the next day, off Cape Lookout, she took a heavy gale from the northeast, and shipped a sea, which filled her and

stove her upper works. The steamship Nightingale, from New Orleans. for New York, took off the captain and crew, thirteen in number, and brought them to this port. When abandoned, the Oneota had five feet of water in her hold, and was sinking rapidly. She was of 300 tons burthen, seventeen years old, and was owned in Charleston. Arrived, steamship James Adger, from

Charleston.

Stocks in New York To-Day. SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE EVENING TRLEGRAPH. New York, Nov. 15.—Smith, Randolph & Co.—Bankers, No. 16 South Third street, and No. 3 Nassau street, New York, report at 1 o'clock this afternoon as follows:—

United States 1881s, 111%@113.
United States 5-20s, 1862, 108@108%.
United States 5-20s, 1864, 105%@106%.
United States 5-20s, 1865, 106@106%.
United States 5-20s, new, 1885, 107%@107%.
United States 5-20s, 1867, 107%@107%.
United States 10-40s, 102%@102%. United States 10-40s, 1022/201024.
June and July 7-30s, 105/20105/2. Market dull but steady at the time of these quotations.

Philada, Stock Exchange Sales, Nov. 15 Reported by De Haven & Bro., No. 40 S. Third street 

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DE HAVEN & BROTHER, NO. 40 SOUTH THIRD STREET. PHILADELPHIA, November 7, 1867.

We desire to ca lattention to the difference in the relative price of the First Mortgage Bonds of Union Pacific Railroad, and the price of Governments. We would to-day give these bonds and pay a dif-1197-25 taking in exchange U. S. & of 1881.

5-20 of 1861, 5-20 of 1864, 5-20 of 1864, 5-20 of 1864, 5-20 of 767, 5-40 cent, 10-40s, 7-8-10 Cy, June laws, 7-8-10 Cy, Juny laune, (For every thousand dillara.) We offer these Bonds to the public, with every confidence in their security. DE HAVEN & BRO.

THE NEW ART PHOTO-SCULPTURE. STATUETTES AND BUSTS OF EMINERY

MEN FROM LIFE. DUFFIELD ASHMEAD,

NO. 724 CHESNUT STREET, PHILA., Has now on exhibition, and for sale at his store, the , following beautiful specimens of aculpture, produces g by the wonderfully ingenious and accurate process of Photo-sculpture:-



