BUSINESS NOTICES.

Al Tower Hall.

In this ensor's sales. We defy compelition in extent and worder of assortment, and in style, fit, and make of goods. Prices olways guaranteed iower than the lowest eisewhere, and full suitsfaction guaranteed under than the sales cancelled and money reserve y purchaser, or the sales cancelled and money reserved.

d. way between Hennett & Co.,
Towns Hall.
No. 518 Market Street,
Philadelphia,
And No. 606 Broadway, New York.

PAITH WELL FOUNDED. - In old times, at the commencement of every season, it was the fashion to take a strong cathartic as a safeguard against a shange of temperature. It was a worse than senseless practice. The people of our day understand the matter better. Instead of depleting the system they relaforce it. In the method they adopt they exhibit a wise discrimination. Instead of resorting to the vitiated stimulants of commerce, or any of the compounda derived from them, th y put their faith in the only absolutely pure invigorant procurable in the market-HOSTETTRE'S STOMACH BITTERS. Their faith is well founded. Never has any tonic medicine been prepared with such serupulous precision and conscientious care. It is a vegetable compound, of which every ingredient is sound, whelesome, and medicinal in the true sense of the word. Now, we have three prominent na lonal complaints. One-half of the adult population of the United States suffer more or less either from diseases of the stomach, derangements of the liver, or affections of the kidneys. In no other land under Heaven are these maladies so general as in this country, and HOSTET-TER'S BITTERS is a specific for them all, unless organic in their origin, and, therefore, beyond cure. And let those who are fertunate enough to be exempt from them at present understand one great fact, viz., that an occasional use of this vitalizing toulc will as certainly prevent them as the sun will prevent the earth from freezing where its genial beams

THE EMPEROR NAPOLEON wishes a European Congress of nations to arrange again for the peace of Europe. The peace of Europe seems to be like a fine suit of clothes, all the time giving way somewhere, and consequently in continual need of patching. Map wants to act the character of tallor to the nations. We are thinking just now what a happy condition it would be if the "Peace of Europe" was as well but together as the clothing sold at Charles Stokes & Co.'s, under the Continental. Then it would not need continual repairing.

EVERY DOLLAR invested in aid of the Riverside Inalitute not only aids in educating some poor and friendless orphan, but guarantees to the subscriber, in return for his liberality, more than a fair soulvalent for his money. The Institute will be open for orphans in about one month, and the grand distribution of \$800,000 worth will positively take place at the time announced.

CURTAINS-Selling off in consequence of change of business January 1, 1868. KELTY, CABRINGTON & Co.,

No. 723 Chesnut street. 100,000 DULLARS worth of Curtains, Shades, Cornices. etc. etc., selling at very low prices. Must be sold be-KELTY, CARRINGTON & Co., No. 72a Chesnut street.

PIANO AND TABLE COVERS selling at reduced prices at KELTY, CARRINGTON & Co.'s Curtain Store,

No. 723 Chesaut street. Ir you must take medicine, then take Ayan's, which are by far the most effectual remedies to be had anywhere.

WE DO NOT ASSERT that every family should be their own physician in all cases: but it is undentable that with a case of HUMPHREYS' HOMEGOTATHIC SPECIFICS IN THE HOUSE, times without number, disease and sickness may be arrested, and time, money, and suffering saved. This is being done by thousands, and may be done by all.

Johnston, Holloway & Cowden, No. 22 North Sixth street. Boatt & Co. No. 22 North Sixth street. Johnston, Holloway & Cowden, No. 22 North Sixth streets. Dyott & Co., No. 232 North Second street, wholesale agents. Sold also by George C. Evans, Sixth and Poplar streets: Ambrosa Smith, Broad and Chesnut streets: Hortter Twentieth and Green streets: John Bisy, Frankford road: Roche, Fifteenth and South streets; Callender, Third and Wainut streets; Hickman, No. 335 South Second street; Marchall, Thirteenth and Market streets; Blythe, No. 3126 Market street. Sold in Germantown by W. R. Jones, General Depot, No. 637 Architect.

HEADACHE, Languor, an * Melancholy generally spring from a Disordered Stomach, Costiveness, or a Torpid Liver. Each may readily be removed by Dr. D. Jayne's Sanative Pills a few doses of which will be found to stimulate the Liver and Stomach to healthy action, removing all Hilousuess, and producing regular evacuations of the Bowels. Sold by all Druggists.

THE EMPREOR NAPOLEON will undoubtedly purchase at least one hundred tickets in aid of the Gettysburg Asylum for invalid soldiers, but the great question is, How many citizens of Philadelphia will secure chances in the great distribution of presents to take place on the 24th of February, 1888? The number should be over half a million.

McINTIRE & BROTHER, SHIRTS, UNDERWEAR, SCARPS, TIES, AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS Of every kind, at small advance above cost, NO. 1035 CHESNUT STREET.

MARRIED.

GRANT-NEWTON.-On Thursday, November 21, 1867, by the Rev. George A. Pelts, Mr. ALLEN A. GRANT, of Milwankse, Wis, to Mrs. MARY A. NEWTON, of this city, formerly of Liverpool, England.

England.

MCOREADY-MENDELSON.-On the 19th ultimo,
Mr. DENNIS MCOREADY to Miss EMMA MENDELSON, both of this city.

POST-LAMB,-On May 30, 1887. by the Rev. Willism J. Mann, Mr. HERMAN POST to Miss MARY
LAMB, both of this city.

DIED.

PRATT .- On the 1st Instant, EDMUND PRATT. PRATT.—On the list install, including an expectable of the family are respectable in the relatives and friends of the family are respectable invited to attend the funeral, on Wednesday next at 11 ecologic, from his late residence, No. 4830 Tracony street, Bridesburg. The males to accompany the body to Cedar Hill Cemetery. PRICE.-On the 30th ultimo, Mrs. ELIZABETH, wife of Christian Price.

The relatives and friends of the family are respect-

fully invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her husband, No. 1813 Market street, on Wednesday afternoon, the 4th Instant, at 2 o'clock. WOODWARD.—On Monday the 2d clock.

WOODWARD.—On Monday the 2d instant, ANTHONY, son of Anthony W. and Hannah Woodward,
in the 2lat year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his faneral, from the residence
of his parents, No. 111 N. Third street, Camden, N. f.,
on Wednesday, the 4th instant, at 10 o'clock.

CALLIPERS .- SPRING, CRAB JAW, AND inside and outside Callipers, or a variety of sizes, and an assortment of other Mechanics Tools, for sale by TRUMAN & SHAW, No. 835 (Eight Thirty-Sve) MARKET Street, below Ninth.

TO LOCKSMITHS .- A LARGE VARIETY OF A Keys and other Hardware suitable for your use may be found in the Hardware Store of TRUMAN & SHAW, No. 835 (Eight Thirty-Sve) MARKET Street, below Nintb.

DLATED SPOONS AND FORKS, OF SEVEral qualities of pisting, and pisted ivory-han Pable Cutlery, for sale by TRUMAN & SHAW, 86 (Eight Thirty-five) MARKET Street, below N TO A TENTED .- PANTS SCOURED AND Prench Steam Dyeing and Scouring, No. 200 S. NINTH Street and No. 736 RACE Street. 9 1745p

WARBURTON'S IMPROVED, VENTIlated, and easy-fitting Dress Hats (patented), he all the improved fashions of the season. CHES NUT Street, next door to the Post Office. 11 19 [5p]

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

THANKSGIVING WEEK-TO GROCERS AND DEALERS.—Just received from Roches-ter, New York, a superior lot of Sweet Cider, also some fine Virginia Crab. P. J. JORDAN, No. 29 PE.AR Street, below Third and Walnut sts. 11 7 [5p TO GROCERS, HOTEL-KEEPERS,

PAMILIES, AND GTHERS.—The undersigned
bas just received a tresh supply of Catawba, Caffornia, and Champagne Wines. "Tonio" Ale (for invalida) constantly on band. P. John Dan, No. 22
PEAR Street, below Third and Walnut sts. 11 78sp

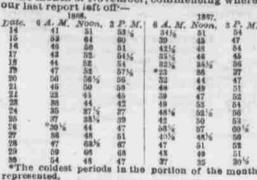
CITY INTELLIGENCE

[FOR ADDITIONAL LOCAL ITEMS SEE INSIDE PARCES.]

WINTER WEATHER .- The Frost King pounced Winter Wrather.—The Frost King pounced down so suddenly upon our unsuspecting citizens, enwrapt as he was in an atmosphere as frigin as could be, that he has given every one the chilis. Shivering has become contagious, No matter how warmly the people muffle up, in heavy coats or furs, they are not invuinerable against the insidious attacks of old Boreas. He does not come in his panopty of steel, but his very breath stems to pierce through and through with its key chill. His conquests are universal. Yet, not content with such auccess, he seeks to exasperate by adding to chilis within bine noses and purple cheeks without, transforming the very appearance of the people. Frozen ponds and gutters, and window panes covered with the frosty imagery of his handy work, alt show that the frigid king is in for a protracted visit. The skaters are in high expectation of a speedy inaugural of their sport, and the warmly clad can well withstand these pectation of a speedy inaugural of their sport, and the warmly clind can well withstand these wintry attacks. But there are others—the poor—who will be pinched by the frost, and pierced by the cold, with but a brand, and sometimes not even that, to keep soul and body together in these freezing nights. As the winter sets in renewed exertions should be made by our benevolent citizens and institutions to alleviate their sufferings.

We present below a thermometrical statement.

We present below a thermometrical statement of the month of November, commencing where our last report left off—



THE BONNIE SCOTS residing in our city cele brated St. Andrew's Day on Saturday with great colat. Under the auspices of the St. Andrew's Society a banquet was given at Augus-tin's, while the Scots' Thistle Society, with Peker H. Johnston, Esq., in the chair, were en-tertained at the Wetherill House.

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In the absence of Charles Macalester, Esq., President of the St. Andrew's Society, D. C. McCammon, Esq., the Vice-President, occupied the chair. Among the invited guests were General Robert Patterson, President of the Hibernia Society; James Allen, Esq., President of the St. George's Society; Frederick Fairthorne, President of the Albion; Lioyd P. Smith, Esq., Vice-President of the St. David's Society; and his Honor Judge Peirce. The company were much disappointed in not meeting Senator Cameron, whose presence had been anticipated. The usual toasts were drunk on the occasion, the responses being by General Patterson, the responses being by General Patterson, Lloyd P. Smith, Judge Peirce, Colonel A. L. Snowden, and Frederick Fairthorne. Songs of the fatherland varied the programme, and everything passed off with great harmony and sincere delight to all present.

GRORGE ALPRED TOWNSEND'S GREAT LECTURE. George Aifred Townsend's lecture at Concert dail to-night will afford Philadelphians an Hall to-night will afford Philadelphians an opportunity to contradict the popular idea abroad, that the second city in the Union does not give encouragement to its own young men. Mr. Townsend is emphatically a Philadelphian, educated at our Grammar and High Schools, and after serving apprenticeship upon the Philadelphia journals he made his appearance in New York after an interregnum of two years' study in Europe, and easily carried off the bonors over the correspondents of the metropolis. His connection with the Tribune, World, and other papers was a sequence of triumphs, and he began lecturing, three winters ago, with a success insured from the start. Cincinnati, st. Louis, Cleveland, Rochester, Pittsburg, Buffalo, and Troy are among the citles where he is a favorite twice every year, and the present lecture has been hailed beyond all others as the best exposition of the scenery, life, and future of the Northern Continent ever given in the United States.

BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS DURING NOVEMBER .-The following table gives the number of permits for new buildings issued during the month of November, as compared with the correspond-

ing period of last 3	enr:-	The state of the s	-
Nov.	Nov.		Nov.
Buildings. 1867.	1866.	Buildings, 1867.	1866.
Dwei inge:-		Ice-houses 1	2
Three-storted 145	65	Offices 6	9
Two-storied 63	63	Pott-ry 1	
- 11 M. M. S.	-	School-houses 1	1.7
Total Dwellings, 208	108		10
A complete man	2.00	Shops 11	4.0
		Sheds 9	9
		Slaughter-houses 1	. 2
Boller-house 2		Stables 15	28
Blillard room		Stores 9	6
Church	1	Store-houses, 2	5
Ceach-houses 1	- 3	Sugar-houses 1	450
Dyc-houses	2	-	
Distilleries	- 8	Totals 268	994
Factories 6	9	Alterations and	200
Foundry		additions 82	9.6
Green-house 1		manufacture 04	01
Hotels		Grand totale ore	910
Trong house	- 1	Grand totals. 350	312
Hose-house			

ARRESTS FOR LAST MONTH .- The following is

the number of arrests	in the different Police
Districts for the month	of November:
	District.
1	13 60
2403	14
3356	15. 60
4	16150
5862	18
6114	
7 119	Beggar Detectives 49
8	Reserve Corps136
	Delaware Harbor 41
10205	
11130	SOME STREET, STREET, W. W.
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A NUISANCE.-Last winter we had frequent occasion to complain of the wretched state in occasion to complain of the wretched state in which the pavements in front of the State House and Post Office were permitted to remain by the persons who should have kept them in order. There was scarcely a day through the freezing weather when the sidewalks were not encumbered with a coating of ice, whereby the comfort and safety of pedestrians were both sadly interfered with. This morning we noticed that the sidewalk in front of a portion of the State House was already covered with ice. We with House was already covered with ice. We wish to enter our protest against this nuisance at the very outset of the cold weather, and we hope that somebody will attempt to remedy it.

A New Journal in Campen .- On Saturday A New Journal in Camben.—On Saturday a new radical Republican weekly journal made its appearance in Camden, under the title of The New Republic. It is a handsomely printed sheet of eight pages, and H. L. Bonsail, Esq., a genth man of decided ability and much journalistic experience, is the editor and proprietor. While The New Republic is intended to be especially devoted to the interests of Camden and its vicinity, it aims also to become a leading organ of the party in the First Congressional District of New Jersey. We tender it our hearty wishes for success in all its aspirations.

In TROUBLE .- Thomas Meeney was arrested on Friday night at Tenth and Locust for being drunk and disorderly. He was taken to the Fith District Station House and searched. Fifth District Stavion House and searched. Nine pawn tickets for the same number of coats were found in his pockets. He had obtained the cloth from the clothing store of David Kline, No 920 Market street, to make it up into coats. He did so; but instead of returning them to the store pawned them. Alderman Swift sent him to Moyamensing because he could not enter security to answer at court.

security to answer at court. Picking Pockets.—John Roberts, aged 51, was arrested in the Germantown and Norristown cars, on Saturday evening, for attempting to pick the pocket of a gentleman named Littlewood. Mr. Littlewood felt the fellow fumbling in his pockets, and turning around quick, caught him. He dropped the pocket-book which he had taken from the gentleman's pocket on the floor. He was taken to Manayunk and banded over to the custody of a policeman. He was committed to answer

He was committed to answer ARRESTED Upon Suspicion .- A man has been arrested upon suspicion of being implicated in the robbery of Robert Carey, who was drugged and thrown overboard at Dock street wharf, on Friday night last. The individual was seen in Carey's company shortly before he was missed. Carey was rescued in an insensible condition, and it took an hour to restore him to conscious The man was committed for a further hearing.

HELD FOR A FURTHER HEARING,-Thomas Smith was arrested on Saturday, by Reserve Officer Findley, upon the charge of larceny. Alderman Beitler held him for a further hearing. A NRORS KILLED IN THE FIFTH WARD. -On

A NEORS KILLED IN THE FIFTH WARD.—On Salurday evening, between 6 and 7 o'clock, officers of the Third District discovered a colored man named John Hill lying upon the walk at Lombard street, near Sixth, and surrounded by a pool of clotted blood, while he was still bleeding freely from a terrible wound in the left breast. They immediately obtained a settee for the purpose of taking him to the hospital, and on arriving at that institution found he was dead.

Returning to the neighborhood of Sixth and Lombard streets, they learned that Hill had received the wound in the eating-saloon, Sixth sirect, above St. Mary, kept by Littleton Hubert, to which place they repaired and ascertained the following particulars:—Hill and a mulatio named Henry Clay got into a quarrel, during which some pretty hard expressions were used. Clay called Hill a cross-eyed——, and made towards him, but was pushed away. The deceased then went into the yard, and while there Clay went into the kitchen, and, picking up a carving-knife from the table, and himself hear the rear door. As Hill county in the salurd himself near the rear door. picking up a carving knife from the table, seated himself near the rear door. As Hill opened the door Clay jumped up, caught hold of him, and drove the knife into his body just

seated himself near the rear door. As Hill opened the door Clay jumped up, caught hold of him, and drove the knife into his body just below the shoulder, clean up to the hilt, making a frightful gash of about five inches in length. Clay then went into the front room, and left the premines. The wounded man, discovering that he had been cut, started out of the place for the hospital, but on arriving at Lombard street, he fell to the pavement in an exhausted condition. Clay, the murderer, has not been arrested.

Coroner Daniels held as inquest to-day at noon, when the following particulars were obtained:

William Robinson—residence corner of Sixth and St. Mary stret, sworn—John Hill came into the kitchen of Mr. Huberts' shop: Clay was sitting in the room there: there were many persons in the room, and all were talking asout the State from which they came, when Clay heard his name men loged; Hill, in passing through the Richen, when Clay asked him what he (Hill) had been saying about him; Hil replied, "I said that you were no more than any other man; "Clay then cursed Hill, and the latter resented it by catching note of Clay, pushing him down over the stove and choking nim; Mr. Hubert attempted to part them, and told them that if they did not cease their fighting he would knock them over the head; Hill then cried out—"Take Clay away; I want to go into the yard;" he did no, and while he was gone Clay stepped up to the take and looked a round, hunting after something; he then went back and sat right by the door where Hill, in he came in, which his hands in his pockets, and when at the middle door, which is the way loto the eating saloon from the kitchen, Clay swore at him; Hill told him if he did that again he would knock a fire Clay; they met in the middle of the floor, with the cook of the house between them; Clay stop of the floor, so the hand to save hersell; they both clinched, and Hill backed Clay up into the corner; and there they tuse seled for a time, when Hill said, "take that knif, away from him." James Du

and that, before long, he would send them both to

Lyttleton Hubert, the keeper of the shop No. 518 S, Sixth street, where the fight occurred, and Susan Shankiand, the cook of the same, corroborated the testimony of Mr. Robinson.

Dr. Shapleigh, the Coroner's physician, sworn—I make a post mortem examination of a b dy recognized by Jane West as that of her brother, John Hill, aged 22 years; there was a penetrating wound 2½ inches long in the right shoulder; the upper end of the wound was just in front of the head of the bone of the arm; the instrument passed in wards, downwards, and backwards, through the unusless dividing the axilary artery, entering the chest testween the third and fourth ribs, and wounding the right lung; depth of wound 6% to 7 inches.

The jury rendered the following verdich—That the said John Hill came to his death from a stab inflicted at the hands of Henry Clay, November 80, 1867, at No. 518 South Sixth street.

ATTEMPTED TO STRAL A WATCH .- John Given was arrested on Saturday evening for attempt-ing to steal a gentieman's watch, at the Fair of the West Philadelphia Hose Company, in West the West Philadelphia Hose Company, in West Philadelphia. He succeeded in getting hold of the chain, but the other discovering it, struck him. A row took place. Given cleared out, but was subsequently arrested by Officer Randall, who conveyed him to the office of Alderman Maule. He was sent below, in default of \$500 ball.

THEIR FLAGE AND THEIR CANDIDATE .- At cooms are on Chesnut street, above Eleventh, unfurled a large and magnificent flag, reaching across the street, together with several others of smaller dimensions. The large banner bears the name of General Ulysses S. Grant as the favored candidate of the Club for the position of President of the United States.

MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SURVEYS .- Th stated meeting of the Board of Surveys was held this morning, President Kneas in the Chair. The following sewers were authorized:— One on Germantown avenue, between Chelton avenue and Price street; an extension of the sewer on Front street, between Tasker and Morris streets; one on Medical street; one on Locust street, between Broad and Fifteenth streets. Adjourned.

THE SHERIFFALTY .- This morning General Peter Lyle was to have been personally installed in his office as Fheriff of the City and County of Philadelphia. Having not yet recovered from his sickness, he was unable to take charge of the office, but authorized his deputy, Thomas D. Smith, to do se. The business will so on as usual until the ness of the office will go on as usual, until the Sheriff takes charge of it in person.

DISORDERLY HOUSE .- A man named Edward Carson was before Alderman Tittermary this morning, charged with keeping g disorderly house at No. 338 Monros street. A man alleged that he had his watch stolen while in the bouse. Five inmates of the house were also arrested. They were all sent below in default of

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY, -- An ineffectual attempt was made to enter the house of Mr. Brad-ford, at Germantown road and Berks street, at an early hour yesterday morning. Holes were bored in two of the back windows, but the thieves were frightened off before they suc-ceeded in getting any further.

STOLE A WASH-TUB. - A woman was arrested at Front and Spruce streets, on Saturday, upon the charge of stealing a wash-tub, containing some clothes. She was committed. The articles are at the Third District Station House, awaiting an owner.

RESCRED FROM DROWNING .- About 10 o'clock last evening a man named McCabe walked overboard above Market street. He was hauled out by Officers Wescott and Saults, and taken to his home, in the neighborhood of Twelfth and Coates streets. DESCRIT ON STREET-WALKERS .- Lieutenant

Connelly and a posse of officers made a descent on the street-walkers at Tenth and Walnut streets, on Saturday night, and succeeded in capturing fourteen. They were held to keep LARCENY OF SOME MONEY AND A WATCH .-

Henry Proctor was arrested on Saturday for stealing a watch, eight dollars, and a lot of clothing, the property of his stepfather, resid-ing at Tenth and Sansom streets, with whom he lived. Alderman Patchell committed him,

A TESTIMONIAL .- Dr. W. P. Cunnington, the well-known orchestra leader, was presented by the orchestra of the Academy of Music, on Saturday, with a massive gold chain of very elegant workmanship, as a testimonial of re-spect for his long and tried services.

FIGHTING IN THE STREET .- Thomas Hart and George White were arrested on Saturday for being drunk and fighting at Ninth and Chesunt streets. Alderman Beitler held them each in \$300 ba'l to keep the peace

LARCENY OF A JACKET .- John Smith was ar rested for purioining a knit-jacket from a Jew, who was peddling them. Alderman Toland committed him in default of ball.

SUSPICION OF LARCENY .- John Russ and Cornelius McCormic, were arrested on suspicion of larceny on Saturday. They were taken to the Central Station and will have a hearing to-day.

CARRYING CONCRALED DEADLY WEAPONS, Hughey Dougherty was arrested on Saturday for carrying a blackjack. He was held to

TO THE LADIES. HAVING PURCHASED the whole of a large Imporest's stock of commenced SOFA CUSH RONS, CHAIR SEATS, PIANO STOOLS, AND SLIPPERS, we are offering them at less than cost of importation. A full assortment Berlin Zephyr, sold full weight. American Worsted of superior quality, is cents per ounce. Woollee Kulturg yur. Bugie Fringe, Bugie Gimey and Buttons.

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THE LATEST NEWS.

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Canal Navigation in New York State.

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

FORTIETH CONGRESS-ADJOURNED SESSION.

Washington, Dec. 2.—The Senate met at 115% o'clock, and was opened with prayer by the Chaplain, who prayet that the Fortieth Congress should be gifted with clear minds, and strong hearts to do the work that might come before them. He also invoked a blessing on the freedmen, that they might properly exercise their new privileges.

A letter was received from the Secretary of the Treasury in reply to a resolution calling on him for information in regard to the amount received by Colonel Harbert from the sale of captured and abandaned property.

Mr. Sterman (Ohlo) presented a memorial from citizens of Alabama praying for relief from the cotton tax. Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Pomeroy (Kansa) presented a patition from citizens of Achison, Kansas, saking that Congress eat-bids impartial suffrage wherever its jurkshotion extends. Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Mr. Corbett (Oregon) introduced a bill to substitute.

citizens of Achison, Ransas, saking that Congress establish impartial suffrage wherever its jurisdiction extends. Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Mr. Corbett (Oregon) introduced a bill to substitute gold notes for legal tender notes, and to facilitate the resumption of specie payments. Laid over and ordered to be printed.

The hour of 12 o'cleck having arrived, the President protem, announced that the first session of the Fortleth Congress stood adjourned without day, and immediately called the second session of the Senste to order.

The Secretary was directed to inform the House of Representatives thereof, and a committee was appeinted as usual to notify the President.

It was ordered that the Senste meet hereafter at 12 M.

After the recess Mr. Siewart (Nevada) introduced a bill to establish a national school of mines, which was laid on the table and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Prake (Mo.) offered a resolution, which was adopted, asking the Secretary of the Treasury to inform the Senste whether any part of the salary of any Enited States Judge nas been withheld on account of the mon-payment of taxes.

Mr. Fowler (Teom.) introduced a bill for the repeal of the inx or cotton. Laid on the table,

Mr. Thayer (Nebraska) asked for the present consideration of the resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury to stare whether Edward Cooper assumed the duties of Assistant Fecretary of the Treasury November 20, and it so under which law, and by what authority.

Mr. Succasies objecting, it was laid over.

On motion of Mr. Conness (Gal.) the order to print the communication of frem the Secretary of the Treasury to reply to the resolution of inquiry respecting caltured and abandoned property, was resolution for the table, and ordered to be brinted, instructing the Committee on Indian Affairs to inquire into the expediency of providing certain reservations of land in the table, and ordered to be brinted, instructing the Committee on Indian Affairs to inquire into the would committee the shall

House of Representatives.

returned, and stated that he had informed them he would communicate with the Senate in writing tomorrow, and the Senate thereupon adjourned.

House of Representatives.

The House reconvened at half-past 10 o'clock, and resumed its seesion of Saturday.
On motion of Mr. Blait e (we.), the Committee on Banking and Currency was instructed to inquire into the expect journed of the control of the state of the control of the state of the control of the state of the control of the control

ed. motion of Mr. Washburne (III.), the Secretary of the Treusury was directed to communicate certain information as to the vestels in the Revenue service: how or where employed; their cost, and the number sold within the last two years.

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By Mr. Churchili (N. Y.), to amend the act of July, 1866. Increasing the pensions of widows and orphans. To the Committee on Pensions.

By Mr. Miller (Pa.), to prevent any further contraction of the currency. To the Committee on Ways and Means.

Also, for the purchase and annexation of British Columbia, including Vancouver's Island. To the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. Eggleston (Ohio), declaring Cincinnati a port of entry. To the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. Munn (Tenn.) for the repeal of the cotton tax. To the Committee of Ways and Means.

By Mr. Hunter (Ind.), to allow the taxation of greenbacks, compound interest notes, and national entrency by the various States and Territories. To the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Also, to provide for egristin officers and soldiers who served in the War of 1812, the Mexican and Indian wars, up to and including the Black Hawk War. To the Committee on Revolutionary Pensions.

By Mr. Nibbock (Ind.), concerning the promotion of officers who have been restored to the active list of the Bavy. To the Committee on Naval Affairs.

By Mr. Mallory (Oregon)—To amend the act of July 26, 1866, granting lands, etc., in aid of the Central Pacific Railroad to Portiand, Oregon. To the Committee on the Dublacy Committee.

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By Mr. Melker (Ohio)—To provide for jurors in certain cases in the District of Columbia.

Also, to establish certain post roads in Ohio. To the Committee on Post Roads.

The Speaker then proceeded to call the States for resolutions. Under the call resolutions were offered as follows:—

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Mr. Brooks (N. Y.)—Declaring that, in the epinion of the House, the contraction of the currency \$4.000.00 per month, authorized by i.w., but subject to the discretion of the Secretary of the Tressury, ought, during the present depressed condition of commerce, manufactures, and trade in the country, to cause. He moved in the country, to cause.

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The House refused, by a vote of 4: to 54, to second the previous question, and Mr. Ingersoll (III.) rising to debate the resolution, it went over under the roles. Br. Ingersoll asked and obtained manifeque consent to put a question to the Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means. He had at the first of the

sension introduced a bill to repeal that section of the law which authorised the contraction of the currency, and had it referred to the Committee of Ways and Manns. He desired the chairman of that Committee to State when the House would have a report on the authorit.

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Mr. Bobenck (Ohlo), Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means, replied that the Committee bad an yet been shable to consider more than one import at satiect relating to the finances, and on that it was proposed to report. (Referring to the report on the repeal of the cotton tax.—Reporter).

The Committee proposed to meet from day to day, and to grappie as best it could with any one of those financial subjects and he apprehended in at a report would be made at an early day on the subject to which the gestleman (Mr. Ingersoll) referred, and on the other important masters.

Mr. ingersoll declared that the reply was perfectly satisfactory, but he wished to sail satention to the fact that the secretary of the Treasury was depisting the currency at the rate of \$22,000 a day, thus sampradolize taking the very blood out of the people.

Mr. schenck (Ohlo) remarked that the Unmittee. although yet very young in life, was not at all salesp, and that he was inclined to think that not only the genileman from Hilmols (Ingersoll) and the Secretary of the Treasury, but somebody in the country was thinking on the subject, and the Committee proposed to act on it as soon as possible, but not without some little deliberation. One reason why the Committee indeed not handed in a report on any of the Secretary of the Treasury and his various andordinates.

Mr. Ela (N. H.) offered a resolution directing the Committee of Ways and Means, to inquire into the expediency of authorizing a new loan, payable after the years and redeems lea after thirty years in coin, by the issue of 5 per cent, bonds. Inserest payable semi-annually in coin. Taxable at the rate of one per cent, to be deducted from interest when paid, Alao providing for notice to holders of Government obligations, now due or hereafter to become due, that they may receive auch bonds in exchange or payment, according to the t

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On motion of Mr. Niblack (Ind.), the Post Office
Committee was instructed to inquire into the expediency of allowing railroad companies to carry their
letters relating to the business of their roads outside the malis free of postage.

On wotion of Mr. Kerr (Ind.), the Judiciary Cammittee was instructed to inquire into the expediency of providing for the holding of two sessions annually of the United States District Court for Indiana at the city of New Alpany.

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On motion of Mr. Coburn (Ind.), the Committee on Pensions was instructed to inquire into the expediency of providing bounties of land for soldiers in the late war. late war.

On motion of Mr. Maynard (Tenn.), the Committee on Banking and Currency was directed to inquire into the expectency of requiring National Banks, from the lat of May, 1898, to redeem their circulation

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I this bill makes it unlawful for the Executive to reators to the army any officers so dismissed or cashlered, except by appointment, and confirmed by the Sonate.

Mr. Arnell (Tenn.), rising to a personal explanation, referred to the statement of Mr. Brooks (N. Y.) on the first of November, to the effect that he (Arnell) had given aid and comfort to the Rebellion by supplying the Rebel army with shoes from his tannery in the county of Lawfence. He denied that he had ever had a tannery in that county, or that he had ever had a tannery in that county, or that he had ever expressed his sympathy for the Rebellion.

He had owned a leather estoblishment in Lewis county. Tennessee, and the Rebels had got leather from it, although before General Buell had withdrawn from that section he had applied to General Negley to have his leather taken or destroyed by the Federal troops, which he declined to do. A guard of Rebel solders had afterwards come to his premises and taken possession of his leather in the name of the Confederacy. This was the head and front of his effending. Nothing was casier, he said, than to make reckless charges to blacken other men's characters, but he envied neither the head or heart of any man se engaged.

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From Schenectady, N. Y.

SCHENECTARY, Dec. 2.—The Caual navigation has been interrupted here since Friday morning last. It was caused by the sinking of a boat near the Aqueduct, which ran on a stone which had fallen into the Canal. From two to three hundred boats have been detained here since. Navigation was resumed here yesterday (Sunday), and boats are now passing eastward as fast as they can be locked through. But as they are arriving as fast as they depart, the crowd of boats does not lessen.

Latest Markets by Telegraph.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 2.—Cotton depressed, sales of midding at 75; Flour very doil and no demand: Wheat scarce and dull at \$2503(215 for pelme to choice red; Corn a tive, with arge receipts, sales of new white at \$1.25621.18; Western mixed \$1.17@1.18; Oats dull at 62672 cents; Rye dull: Provisions firmer, bulk sh uiders \$1.2562.; bacon shoulders 1263125c.; the latter for new.

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Reconstruction in South Carolina,

[SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE EVENING THERRAPH.] WASHINGTON, Dec. 2. Commissioner Rollins denies emphatically that he has any intention of resigning, as stated

in despatches from here. His opponents are making the most tremendons efforts against him, and threaten that unless he resigns they will bring charges against him, and demand of the President to suspend him. This Rollins treats with indifference, and finding they can't move him, his opponents have circulated the story that he contemplated

resigning. Secretary Welles resumed his duties at the Navy Department this morning, for the first

time since his illness. The latest accounts received at the War Department from General Canby, relative to the election in South Carolina, show that it is doubtful whether the proposition for a Convention has been carried or not. Canby, in his last despatch, says the reports were contradictory, and he was unable to state positively what the result had been. Therefore the story telegraphed North that the Convention had

been defeated by many thousands is incorrect. Assistant Secretary Chandler retired on Satur day, and to-day Edmund Cooper, his successor. formally entered on his duties at the Treasury Department, and occupies Chandler's room. He has been crowded with calters to congratulate him, and by parties who have axes to grind.

The clerks at the White House are busily ongaged in preparing a list of persons appointed to office during the recess, to be sent to the Senate within twenty days, in conformity with the Tenure of Office bill.

United States Supreme Court. Washington, Dec. 2.—The United States Supreme Court convened at 11 o'clock. Present—Mr. Chief Justice Chase, and Associate Justices Nelson, Clifford, Davis, Swayne, Mullen, and Field.

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The Chief Justice announced that the Court would not transact any business, but would proceed in a body and make their usual call upon the President of the United States.

The Court was then adjourned, and the call made, the Justices being attended by the Clerk and Marshal of the Court.

Mr. Carlisle announced that there would be a meeting of the Bar at 10 o'clock on Tuesday, im respect to the memory of the late Mr. Justice Wayne. It is understood that Secretary Browning will preside at the meeting of the Bar, and the Hon. Reverdy Johnson, an old and valued friend of Justice Wayne when living, will be Chairman of the Court.

The late Assistant Attorney-General (Mr. Ashton) has been retained by the Attorney-General to argue the prize cases now before the Court, for the Government.

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