REMOVAL OF A POPULAR MEDICAL DEPOT.

To chronicle the important changes which occur periodically in the world of business is at all times a pleasing task for the pen of the reporter, and the more when such changes have become requisite in order to afford facilities for a large and steadily increasing business. The removal of the well-known firm of Johnston, Holloway & Cowden, wholesale agents for all the patent and proprietary medicines, both in this country and Europe, is a case in point. These gentlemen have been engaged in their present occupation for nearly a quarter of a century, during which time they have passed unscathed through several periods of commercial disaster, and witnessed the downfall of many of their compeers, who, with less discretion, were unable to stem the adverse current. Their business has, from the starting point, been conducted with consummate ability, and affords a fair illustration of what may be accomplished by untiring energy and application. As time rolled on their trade steadily increased, until it assumed such proportions that the old location, No. 22 North Sixth street, became entirely inadequate for conducting it advantageously, hence a removal to more extended quarters was deemed expedient. They, therefore, leased the large five-storied iron structure, No. 602 Arch street, and having refitted it throughout with all the necessary fixtures and appointments, opened it for business about the first of the present month.

In addition to this, the old Warehouse, No. 22 N. Sixth street, will be retained and used as a storage room, and also for the packing and shipment of country orders. These facilities will obviate much of the delay that has heretofore occurred in shipping goods during busy seasons.

In securing such a fine architectural building as No. 602 Arch street, the firm have been particularly fortunate, as it is admirably adapted to their requirements. Having a front of 20 feet on Arch street, and extending about 100 feet to a circular skylight in the rear, it is large, with ample light and ventilation.

The stock comprises everything in the category of Patent Medicines, among which may be found an infinite variety of Bitters, Cordials, Syrups, Panaceas, Lozenges, Pills, etc., etc., not omitting the celebrated Worm Confections of Dr. Holloway. These last have attained a world wide celebrity, and being very palatable, and easy to administer to children, have become immensely popular.

There are several other articles prepared only by this house, but our limited space will not permit of a description. To Southern and Western merchants, as well as to other wholesale buyers, the advantages of dealing at such a depot as the above will be seen at a glance. We therefore hazard nothing in saying that all who are in want of such merchandise will find it to their decided advantage to call at this leading establishment, as its proprietors now possess facilities for doing business unequalled by any house in this country.

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Our stock is manufactured with especial care for this season's sales. *We defy competition in extent and variety of assortment, and in style, fit, and make of goods. Prices always guaranteed lower than the lowest elsewhere, and full satisfaction guaranteed every purchaser, or the sales cancelled and money refunded.*

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GENERAL BUTLER says if a man's house is worth $10,000 to-day, with the national debt at $2,500,000,000, when the debt is reduced one-half then your house is worth $20,000; and *ergo*, if the debt is reduced to nothing, then your house is worth $2,500,000,000. These are big figures, because we are dealing with big things (the national debt and General Butler); but to come to small figures, we would say that a small sum will buy a winter suit of Clothes at Charles Stokes & Co.'s first-class Clothing House, under the Continental. One visit will convince.

NO POSTPONEMENT—DISTRIBUTION TO POSITIVELY TAKE PLACE.—We are assured that the grand distribution of the $300,000 worth of presents among those who subscribe one dollar and upwards in aid of the Riverside Institute, will positively take place at the time announced. Shares for sale at No. 921 Chesnut street. A present guaranteed with each share.

NOTICE TO PATIENTS.—Dr. J. H. Schenck will be at his office, No. 15 North Sixth street, corner of Commerce, on Friday of this week, as professional engagements take him out of the city on Saturday.

FOR COLDS, COUGHS, BRONCHITIS, and all affections of the Lungs, take Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which is sure to cure them.

IMPORTANT TO BUYERS OF HOSIERY GOODS.—Messrs. Cook & Brother, No. 53 North Eighth street, claim to be the only firm in Philadelphia keeping *all grades* of Hosiery at *Retail* who import their own goods. They feel assured—

1. That by avoiding the profits and commissions imposed in the ordinary course of trade, they save their customers at least 25 per cent.
2. That they have the quality of their goods under complete control using the best yarns, and employing the best workmen in their manufacture.
3. That, having direct access to European markets, they can keep a more complete stock than if dependent upon purchases made here of foreign goods.

A call from the reader is solicited at their store, No. 53 North Eighth street.

CHRONIC CATARRH.—A clergymen in a neighboring village had suffered for many years from an obstinate catarrh, which had resisted all attempts for a cure. The obstruction and discharge from the nose was constant, destroying both taste and smell; and at times even interfering, from the change of voice, with his public ministrations. Almost in despair, he commenced the use of Humphreys' Catarrh Specific No. 10, and after the use of only a few pills—one every night—found himself improved; and ere he had used an entire box, could consider himself entirely well.

Johnston, Holloway & Cowden, No. 22 North Sixth street, Dyott & Co., No. 232 North Second street, wholesale agents. Sold also by George C. Evans, Sixth and Poplar streets; Ambrose Smith, Broad and Chesnut streets; Hortter, Twentieth and Green streets; John Bley, Frankford road; Roche, Fifteenth and South streets; Callender, Third and Walnut streets; Hickman, No. 336 South Second street; Marsan'' Thirteenth and Market streets; Blythe, No. 1120 Market street. Sold in Germantown by W. R. Jones. General Depot, No. 637 Arch street.

SALE OF BOOTS AND SHOES.—We would call the special attention of the trade to the large sale of Boots, Shoes, Brogans, Balmorals, etc., to be sold by catalogue, for cash, To-morrow (Thursday) morning, December 12, commencing at 10 o'clock precisely, by McClelland & Co., auctioneers, at their store, No. 506 Market street.

THE best adapted light for making photographs is at Reimer's Gallery, Second street, above Green. Six cards, or one large picture, $1. Twelve Ferrotypes, 50 c. 6 22rp

THE CENTURY TOBACCO is without an equal; everybody says it, because everybody knows that it is the best production of its kind in the market. In every respect is a superior article; its quality is the finest, and its flavor unsurpassed. It is the only one of its kind that is universally purchased and used. Does a friendly neighbor ask the favor of a chew, he is at once handed a paper of Lorillard's Century, and no sooner tastes it than he declares it to be unequalled. But this is not the only feature of the "Century" tobacco:—Money—veritable Treasury notes—and *bona fide* national currency, is placed in these papers, and a buyer often finds himself possessed of not only a superior article of tobacco, but the means to buy hundreds of more papers. R. A. Van Schaick, No. 16 S. Front street has this valuable article for sale at wholesale and retail.

THERE is no business or branch of trade in which skill, knowledge, and enterprise are more essential, than in the drug business; nor is there any branch of human industry in which more charlatanism and imposture prevail. It is, therefore, to the interest of the public to carefully discriminate between the true and false druggist. This can easily be done by a simple practical application of that rule which is as true in matters of business as morals, "By their fruits (or results) you shall know them." Judged by this rule, Heimbold is a true druggist, and those well-known medicines, known as "Heimbold's Preparations," are legitimate remedies. These latter have been before the public prominently for many years, and have been universally successful; the Extract of Buchu especially has secured the public confidence. For its appropriate diseases it is without a rival.—*Daily Tribune, N. Y.*

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MARRIED.

CARTON—DOWNER.—On the evening of the 29th October, by the Rev. G. W. Durborow, Mr. JAMES CARTON to Mrs. ELIZA S. DOWNER, both of this city.

CRAM—MASSON.—On the morning of the 10th instant, by the Rev. Charles D. Cooper, AMBROSE L. CRAM to ELIZA H., daughter of Charles H. Masson, all of this city.

CROOKS—HUHN.—On May 6th, by the Rev. Dr. R. R Beadle, WILLIAM C. CROOKS, M. D., to Miss LOUISE HUHN, daughter of John R. Huhn, Esq., all of Philadelphia.

RINGWALT—BROWN.—On Tuesday, 10th instant, at St. Paul's Church, by Rev. Dr. Newton, assisted by Rev. R. Heber Newton, LANSING M. RINGWALT, of Cincinnati, and MARY JEFFRIES, daughter of George W. Brown, of this city.

DIED.

CLYDE.—On the morning of the 9th instant, MARGARET CLYDE, aged 44 years, relict of the late James Clyde.

The relatives and friends of the family, also the U. O. of Pythagoreans, No. 1; Star of Liberty Association, I. O. O. F., No. 18, and the Radiant Star Lodge No. 1, A. L., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 639 N. Seventeenth street, at 10 o'clock on Thursday, the 12th instant.

GAW.—Suddenly, on the 9th instant, JASON GAW, in the 64th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 945 S. Second street, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

GOELLER.—On the 10th instant, MARIA L., daughter of Philip and the late Frederica Goeller.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her father's residence, No. 204 Monroe street, on Friday afternoon next, at 2 o'clock. To proceed to Trinity Episcopal Church, for service and interment.

HARRINGTON.—On the 10th instant, ROBERT J. HARRINGTON, aged 52 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 311 Gaskill street, above Third, on Friday morning, at 8 o'clock.

McMAKIN.—On Monday, the 9th instant, Captain BENJAMIN McMAKIN, of pneumonia.

The relatives will take place on Thursday, 12th instant, at 9 o'clock A. M., from his late residence, No. 504 Franklin street. Proceed to Trenton, via Kensington 11 o'clock A. M. train. Relatives and friends invited, without further notice.

THATCHER.—At Chester, Pa., on the afternoon of the 10th instant, after a lingering illness, LEWIS THATCHER, in the 52d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, Chester, Pa., at 8 o'clock, Friday morning. To proceed to Wilmington, Del.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

[FOR ADDITIONAL LOCAL ITEMS SEE INSIDE PAGES.]

FUNERAL OBSEQUIES.—We have already announced the sudden and lamented death of Thomas W. Cattell, of Salem, N. J., father of Senator Cattell. This morning the funeral took place from his late residence, and was attended by a large concourse of mourning friends. Mr. Cattell died at the ripe age of seventy-six years, while on a visit to his son-in-law, Dr. Joseph Fithian, at Woodbury. When just entering upon manhood, Mr. Cattell commenced business in Salem, then a mere village, and for fifty years he continued it uninterruptedly and successfully, respected and honored by all who knew him. Besides the Senator and Mr. E. G. Cattell, of the mercantile firm of A. G. Cattell & Co., there are two sons in the ministry, Rev. W. C. Cattell, D.D., President of Lafayette College, Easton, and Rev. T. W. Cattell, Principal of the Edgehill School at Princeton, N. J.

CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD.—Hugh McKeever was yesterday afternoon arrested, and committed by Recorder Encu in default of $2500, on a charge of conspiracy and attempt to defraud. It is alleged that McKeever, and a woman named Agnes Sewart in his company, went about to various sewing machine establishments, and after renting machines and taking them away, never returned them or offered any equivalent acknowledgment for their use or appropriation. In this manner they fraudulently obtained, as alleged, two machines from a firm at Eighth and Walnut streets, valued at $200; one from A. F. Hamilton & Co., No. 701 Chesnut street, valued at $75; and one from the firm of McKean, Trimbell & Co., No. 724 Arch street. The woman nor machines have not been heard from, and McKeever is as silent as a mute as their whereabouts.

MRS. LANDER AS "LADY MACBETH."—On Friday evening a rare dramatic treat will be offered to our citizens. By special request of many of our most prominent men, Mrs. F. W. Lander, the accomplished delineator of high-toned classical tragedy, will that evening appear in her great role of "Lady Macbeth." A number of years have elapsed since the Philadelphia public has had an opportunity of witnessing a great actress in this, the most tragical of all Shakespeare's female characters, if we except Madame Ristori's recent personation of the part in Italian. It will be a fitting termination to the successful engagement which Mrs. Lander has filled during this week and last. We trust that there will not be a vacant seat in the house.

FALSE PRETENSES.—James Cliff was yesterday taken in custody at Dock and Spruce streets for obtaining money under false pretenses. He is a sailor, and in company with a brother tar named John Rechter, were seeing the sights, when the latter announced his intention of collecting $100 on a certificate in his possession. Cliff importuned him to let him collect it. Rechter did so. Cliff received the money and decamped. Alderman Morrow committed him in default of $1000 bail.

STEALING $400.—We recorded the other day the robbery of four hundred dollars from an old man, in a negro brothel in Cross alley, committed by an amazon colored woman, who almost suffocated the elderly gentleman with a pillow, and then took his pocket-book. Her name is Jane Reynolds, and with her spoils she left for Wilmington, Delaware. Officer Ewing arrested her there yesterday, and brought her to this city. Alderman Patchel committed her.

JERSEY FARMERS IN CUSTODY.—John Flanagan and Robert Spoons, two Jersey farmers, were arrested at Second and Market streets, charged by citizens with cruelty to the horses they were driving. It is alleged that the animals were attached to a heavily loaded wagon, and were doing their best to pull it up the hill at the place mentioned, when the men belabored them mercilessly with their whips. Alderman Hurley held each in $500 bail to answer.

A BREACH OF CONFIDENCE.—A number of boys have been arrested at the wood-yard of the Germantown Railroad for stealing. It seems that the overseers, believing them destitute, allowed the boys to take their wheelbarrows into the yard, and fill them up with bark. Some of these precocious fellows filled the barrows up with hard wood and covered it with bark, thus breaking confidence and stealing. They were committed.

THE WEST PHILADELPHIA CHILDREN'S HOME.—The lady managers of this useful charity are now holding a Fair at the Home, on Forty-first, above Market street. It will continue during this evening, and on Thursday, from 10 A. M. until 10 o'clock P. M. The Market street cars pass the "Home" door.

AN OWNER is wanted for a push-cart at the Seventh District Police Station.

THE NATIONAL BASE-BALL CONVENTION.—The delegates to the Convention met at 11 o'clock this morning in the Chesnut Street Theatre. A very large delegation was present.

The Chairman addressed the Convention on the progress and improvement of the game and the financial condition of the Association. He stated that Mr. Cozzens, the former Treasurer, held $240 in his possession which belonged to the Association.

He offered some very valuable suggestions for the good of the Association. He proposed to create a sinking fund, and when the amount was sufficient, to send eighteen players to Europe to spread the national game, which was received with great applause.

The names of the Clubs were called, and a very large number of clubs responded. On the response of a delegate from Oregon, there was loud and continued applause, and general applause when the Athletic, National, Atlantic, and the principal clubs were called.

A delegate moved to strike out the name of Enterprise Club, as they have consolidated with the Excelsior.

A delegate moved to dispense with the reading of the minutes.

Dr. Jones, of the Excelsior, offered as an amendment that the President shou'd strike out an error in section ten of the rules.

The Secretary opposed the motion, for by the adoption of it the Printing Committee would thereby have the error laid to their charge, and he was satisfied that they had made no mistake.

Dr. Jones stated that he was a member of the Committee on Rules, and on looking at the copy of rules he observed the letter R. opposite the section in debate almost erased, and a check placed over it. The original question being put it was carried.

The Chairman of the Nominating Committee read their report, recommending a number of Clubs as members of the Association, and also recommending that no Club containing one or more colored members should be admitted in the Convention. On motion the report was adopted.

A delegate made a motion to elect the Clubs and State associations in a body, and there being no dissenting voice the Secretary was directed to enter their names on the rolls as members. The applause being very loud and long, the President stated he desired that the members would refrain from any such demonstration, and should it occur in the gallery he would have it cleared. A member of one of the State conventions wished to know how many votes they were entitled to.

Mr. McDermott, of Illinois, moved a reconsideration of the rules under which several clubs were admitted which had not paid their dues.

After some discussion, the gentleman withdrew his motion.

A delegate from Wisconsin asked if it was necessary for members of State conventions to pay $2 before they should have a voice, which was decided in the affirmative.

A delegate moved to elect the Clubs that had been proposed informally. The reading of the names of the Clubs was called for and read, and after some debate all the Clubs reported on favorably by the Committee were elected unanimously.

A delegate moved that the members of the State Conventions be required to pay $2 as dues for each Club that they represent, and be entitled to a vote for each.

The delegate from Connecticut read a clause in the Constitution requiring the members of the State Convention to pay $2 for each Club belonging to the State Convention.

A motion to construe the clause to read, "requiring members to pay $2 for such Clubs as they represent," was carried.

The Secretary stated that he had found the duties of Secretaryship very arduous.

A delegate from New York moved that the reports of the officers be handed to the Printing Committee without reading. Carried.

A motion was made to reconsider. Lost.

Mr. Rogers, the Treasurer, stated that he desired to read his report. On motion to permit him to do so, the chairman stated it was necessary to call the yeas and nays. The Secretary asked for time before calling the roll to enable him to look over his paper, to learn how many votes each State Convention was entitled to. On motion, the request was granted. A motion was then made to take a recess of ten minutes, which was lost.

On motion, the Treasurer was unanimously permitted to read his report. He stated that Mr. Cozzens had not handed over his books and papers, and $240 was still due from him. The amount on hand after the amount of $240 held by Mr. Cozzens had been deducted, being asked, Mr. Rogers stated that it was not included in his report. (A voice, It is a sinking-fund of the Association.)

A delegate then moved to present to Mr. Cozzens the amount due by him to the Association.

A motion was made to lay the same on the table. Carried.

The Treasurer requested that a committee of three be appointed to examine his accounts, which was granted.

Dr. Jones, Chairman of the Committee on Rules, reported that it had been almost impossible for the Committee to meet together, as they lived so far apart; and last night was the first time that six members were able to meet, and they had been laboring since 10 o'clock last night till 6 this morning; and he asked for time, till 7 o'clock to-night. On motion, granted.

The Chairman of the Judiciary Committee stated that he found, on coming to the city, a paper had been handed to each member of the Convention, prejudging the action of that Committee.

A JOYFUL DEMONSTRATION.—It so happened that an individual named Henry Toland, residing in the vicinity of Cadwalader and Thompson streets, was again blessed as a father. This was a sufficient cause for a full day's rejoicing. So he knocked off from work, and got gloriously so-so, and equally demonstrative. Nearing his residence in an unsteadiness of manner highly censurable, he assaulted two ladies. Before much harm could be done, Toland found himself in custody. At a hearing of the case, Alderman Shoemaker committed him in $1000 bail to answer.

A SAD AND SUDDEN DEATH.—Yesterday the Coroner was summoned to hold an inquest upon the body of a little girl named Ellen Sweeney, aged sixteen months, who suddenly fell dead while at play. She had a small stick in her hand containing a silverplated tack, with a broad head; after she had died the latter was missing. A post mortem examination made by Dr. Shapleigh, revealed the tack, which was found in the child's windpipe, completely closing the same.

A PROFESSIONAL TILL-TAPPER.—Yesterday James Watson was arrested for stealing $30 from the money-drawer of a grocery at Sixth and Pine streets. He had made a previous attempt to rob the drawer, but was frightened off. Alderman Morrow committed him, in default of $1000 bail, to answer at Court.

A PASTORAL CALL.—Last Monday evening, a meeting was held at the First Presbyterian Church, lately under charge of Rev. Albert Barnes, and a unanimous call was extended to the Rev. Dr. Herrick Johnson, of Pittsburg.

A REPUBLICAN NOMINATION.—Last evening the Republican members of Councils met in caucus, and nominated Mr. J. A. Pugh, present Commissioner of Markets, to fill the position of Commissioner of City Property.

A PRESS CLUB MEETING will take place this afternoon, at their rooms. An Essay will be read by John F. McDevitt, Esq., with other papers and memorials. An interesting meeting will be had.

SYNOPTICAL NEEDLE CASES, CONTAINing four sizes of extra quality Needles, each in its proper partition, are a neat, useful, and not expensive gift for a lady. For sale by TRUMAN & SHAW, No. 835 (Eight Thirty-five) MARKET Street, below Ninth.

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LOST.—LOST ON THE NIGHT OF THE 5th, a single DIAMOND PIN, old-fashioned setting, with a small brilliant near the catch. Full value paid, if returned to No. 48 South FOURTH St. 12 10

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FOR CHESTER, HOOK, AND Wilmington.—The steamer S. M. FELTON leaves Chesnut Street Wharf at 2 P. M., and returning, leaves Wilmington at 7:20 A. M. Fare to Wilmington, 15 cents. Chester, or Hook, 10 cts. [12 3 6t

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FORTIETH CONGRESS—SECOND SESSION

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—A joint resolution by Mr. Fessenden (Maine), to appoint a committee to consider the question of reducing the number of Congressional employes, was adopted.

The resolution directing all sums received from captured and abandoned property to be paid into the Treasury, with amendment by the committee proposing to punish as embezzlers all persons neglecting to pay the same was debated and postponed until to-morrow.

Mr. Sumner (Mass.) presented a petition from General Brisbane and thirty thousand colored citizens of Kentucky for impartial suffrage.

The Senate then took up Mr. Morrill's (Vt.) financial bill, upon which he spoke at length.

House of Representatives.

The Speaker presented a communication from the Secretary of the Interior, asking for further appropriations to supply the pension deficiency for the current year. Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The Speaker stated that he had been requested to present the proceedings of a meeting held at Faneuil Hall, Boston, on the subject of the rights of naturalized citizens abroad. Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Mr. Julian (Ind.), rising to a question of privilege, had read by the Clerk an extract from the Washington correspondence of the New York *Tribune* of December 9, analyzing the vote of the Indiana delegation on the impeachment question, and stating that the Indiana delegation had voted almost solidly for impeachment, in the belief that some future deed of the President would justify their course, etc.

The Speaker stated that he was unable to ascertain what question of privilege was involved in that.

Mr. Julian supposed that the question of privilege arose out of the statement of a correspondent, as to the motives of the action of the Indiana delegation.

The Speaker ruled that it was not a question of privilege; and Mr. Julian then asked unanimous consent to make a personal explanation on the subject, and unanimous consent was given.

Mr. Price (Iowa) asked Mr. Julian whether the correspondence was not written by one of the men, professing to be loyal, who were now security for Jeff. Davis, now running at large.

Mr. Julian said that it was probably as Mr. Price supposed, and added that he was not, however, certain about that fact. (Laughter and a general expression of enjoyment of the scene.)

Mr. Julian then proceeded to defend the vote of the Indiana delegation, and spoke of the President's capacity for evil, stating that he was a genius of depravity, and that his hoarded malignity could neither be fathomed nor exhausted.

While Mr. Julian was speaking he was interrupted by Mr Wood (N. Y.), who asked the Speaker, as a question of order, whether, under the promise to make a personal explanation, it was in order for a gentleman to go on and make a speech on the question of impeachment.

The Speaker reminded Mr. Wood that when the House, by unanimous consent, gave a member leave to make a personal explanation, it was very difficult for the chair to limit him.

Mr Wood submitted that the gentleman should confine himself to the personal explanation, and added that gentlemen on his (Mr. Wood's) side of the House would avail themselves of the same kind of privilege.

To that remark the Speaker replied that that was a matter for the House, not the Speaker.

Mr. Moorhead (Pa.) offered a resolution directing the Secretary of the Treasury to furnish a copy of the report of John Miller, Special Revenue Agent, in reference to the inspection of oil in the Twenty-second Congressional District of Pennsylvania. Adopted.

Mr. Pruyn (N. Y.), rising to a personal explanation, referred to some interchange of compliments between himself and General Butler, last Monday, on the subject of the treaty with Russia for the cession of Alaska, and went over the prominent points of the question, contending that the President and the Senate had done, by the Constitution, made the treaty-making power of the Government, and that the House of Representatives had no authority to interfere to thwart the execution of a treaty.

Mr. Butler (Mass.) asked a similar privilege to that granted to Mr. Pruyn; but, as several others desired the like privilege, objection was made.

Mr. Bromwell (Ill.) asked five minutes to make a personal explanation, promising that his remarks would be entirely personal. On that condition unanimous consent was given.

Mr. Bromwell said that several of the country newspapers had been attacking him, but as the three hundred persons in this House exceeded the number of people who read such papers, he would not advertise them by referring to them by name. He had nothing to complain of in regard to the New York *Tribune*. No man in his District could be elected to Congress if he could not stand the New York *Tribune* and say nothing about it. (Laughter.) What he wanted to say was that after filibustering for two days in aid of the 57 men who sought to carry the vote of impeachment, himself and two other members had been published through the West as having dodged the vote on that occasion.

The Whisky Convention.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The convention of those interested in the manufacture and sale of liquors reassembled at noon to-day, but without transacting any business of importance, adjourned till this evening, when the reports of the committees appointed yesterday will be heard. Many of the large grain distillers of the Northwest are represented by letter as well as in person, and the members present express themselves anxious that some amendment shall be adopted which will insure a thorough enforcement of the law. There was a full attendance this morning.

Stocks in New York To-Day.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Smith, Randolph & Co., Bankers, No. 16 South Third street, and No. 8 Nassau street, New York, report at 1 o'clock this afternoon as follows:—

United States 1881s, 112@112¼.
United States 5-20s, 1862, 107⅜@107¾.
United States 5-20s, 1864, 104⅝@104¾.
United States 5-20s, 1865, 105¼@105⅜.
United States 5-20s, new, 1865, 107⅜@107¾.
United States 5-20s, 1867, 107⅜@107¾.
United States 10-40s, 101⅝@101¾.
June and July 7-30s, 104⅝@105. Market dull and unsettled.

Latest Markets by Telegraph.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Stocks strong. Chicago and Rock Island, 97⅝; Reading, 95⅝; Canton Company, 46¾; Erie Railroad, 92¾; Cleveland and Toledo, 103¾; Cleveland and Pittsburg, 83⅝; Pittsburg and Fort Wayne, 99¾; Michigan Central, 110⅛; Michigan Southern, 82⅝; New York Central, 118⅛; Illinois Central, 133⅞; Cumberland preferred, 42⅞; Missouri 6s, 96⅝; Hudson River, 133¾; U. S. Five-twenties, 1862, 107⅞; do. 1864, 104⅞; do. 1865, 105⅞; Ten-forties, 105; Seven-thirties, 105. Gold, 135¼. Money, 7 per cent. Exchange unchanged.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 11.—Cotton flat and unsettled nominally at 15⅝c. Flour quiet; high extra grades for shipping sold at $12@$13; City Mills superfine, $9@$9 50. Wheat dull, price weak; superfine is unchanged; medium grades have declined 3@5c. Corn steady for prime new yellow; sales at $1 20@$1 23. Oats quiet; sales at 72@73c. Rye firm at $1 60@$1 65. Provisions quiet, with an active demand for bulk Shoulders at 9¼@9¾c.

MISSISSIPPI AND ARKANSAS.

The Time and Place of Meeting of the Mississippi and Arkansas Conventions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The following order, designating a day for the meeting of the Constitutional Conventions in Mississippi and Arkansas, was published by General Ord on the 6th instant:—

At the election held in the States of Mississippi and Arkansas, commencing on the 5th day of November, 1867, and continuing until completed, to determine whether State Conventions should be held for the purpose of establishing Constitutions and civil Governments for those States loyal to the Union and for delegates thereto, a majority of the registered voters in each of the States having voted on the question of Convention, and the number of votes cast "For a Convention" in each State being a majority of all the votes cast therein on the question, the Conventions will be held as provided by the act of Congress approved March 23, 1867.

The hall of the House of Representatives in the State House at Jackson, Mississippi, and 11 o'clock, A. M., Tuesday, the 7th day of January, 1868, are designated as the place and time for assembling of the Convention for the State of Mississippi. The hall of the House of Representatives in the State House at Little Rock, Arkansas, and 11 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, the 7th day of January, 1868, are designated as the place and time for the assembling of the Convention for the State of Arkansas.

Irregularities in the conduct of the election in certain precincts of the States composing the District having been reported to these headquarters, and the vote in those precincts having been suspended to await official investigation, render it impracticable to promulgate at the present time the lists of delegates elected to the respective State Conventions, as also the total vote in each State for and against a convention. The lists of delegates and the total vote will be published in general orders as soon as practicable after they are correctly ascertained.

LATEST SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

For additional Marine News see Seventh Page.

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA.....DECEMBER 11

STATE OF THERMOMETER AT THE EVENING TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

7 A. M.....40 | 11 A. M.....42 | 2 P. M.....44

CLEARED THIS MORNING.

Brig A. Milliken, Durfee, Cienfuegos, Madeira & Cadiz, Wm. Baird & Co.
Brig S. & W. Welsh, Watson, Trieste, L. Westergaard & Co.
Schr Hattie, Carter, Gloucester, Blakiston, Graeff & Co.
Schr W. W. Marcy, Champion, Washington, Quintard, Ward & Co.
Schr M. J. Fisher, Fisher, Richmond, Caldwell, Gordon & Co.
Schr J. R. Gallagher, Gallagher, Richmond, Audenried, Norton & Co.
Schr J. H. Bartlett, Wiggins, Providence, Stickney & Co.
Schr John Cadwalader, Steelman, New London, R. H. Powell.
Schr E. & L. Marts, Marts, Boston, W. H. Johns & Bro.
Sl'r Decatur, Young, Baltimore, J. D. Rudd.

ARRIVED THIS MORNING.

Brig Anna, Morrow, 19 days from Black River, Ja., with logwood and fustic to D. N. Wetzlar & Co.
Schr J. L. Mallory, Russell, 3 days from New York, with salt to W. Bumm & Son.
Schr Surprise, Reem, 4 days from Boston, with mdse to Mershon & Cloud.
Schr E. & L. Marts, Marts, from New York.
Schr W. W. Marcy, Champion, from New York.
Schr J. P. McDevitt, McFadden, from Trenton.
Schr A. M. Aldridge, Robinson, from Boston.
Schr J. H. Gallagher, Gallagher, from Wilmington.
Schr J. H. Bartlett, Wiggins, from New London.
Steamer F. Franklin, Pierson, 13 hours from Baltimore, with mdse. to A. Groves, Jr.
Steamer Diamond State, Robinson, 13 hours from Baltimore, with mdse. to J. D. Rudd.

Correspondence of the Philadelphia Exchange.

LEWES, Del., Dec. 9—6 P. M.—Barques Mystic Tie, from Philadelphia for Havre, and Garron, do. for Gibraltar, went to sea 8th inst. Barque E. A. Sonder, from do. for Cork for orders, went out to-day. Wind NW. JOSEPH LAPETRA.

MEMORANDA.

Barque Ukraine, Melcher, hence for Antwerp, at Flushing 25th ult.
Brig Eurus, Yates, hence for Boston at Holmes' Hole 7th inst.
Schrs J. Stroup, Crawford, and James Cunningham, Shaw, hence, at New York yesterday.
Schr Mary Ann, Westcott, hence for Alexandria, was wrecked on Point Lookout and will prove a total loss.
Schr M. E. Libby, Libby, hence, at Portland 8th instant.
Schr S. R. Thomas, Arnold, hence for New London, at New York yesterday.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Arrived, steamship Etna, Bridgeman, from Liverpool.
Barque Rhenese, Bettle, from Antwerp.
Barque Stampede, Jewett, from Matanzas.

THANKSGIVING WEEK—TO GROCERS AND DEALERS.—Just received from Rochester, New York, a superior lot of Sweet Cider; also some fine Virginia Crab. P. J. JORDAN, No. 220 PEAR Street, below Third and Walnut sts. 11 7 5p

TO GROCERS, HOTEL-KEEPERS, FAMILIES, AND OTHERS.—The undersigned has just received a fresh supply of Catawba, California, and Champagne Wines. "Tonic" Ale (for invalids) constantly on hand. P. J. JORDAN, No. 22 PEAR Street, below Third and Walnut sts. 11 7 5p

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TO THE LADIES.—HAVING PURCHASED the whole of a large Importer's stock of commenced SOFA CUSHIONS, 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, 16 cents per ounce. Woollen Knitting Yarn, Bugle Fringe, Bugle Gimps and Buttons. RAPSON'S Trimmings and Zephyr Store. 11 1 tmw2m5p | N.W. cor. EIGHTH and CHERRY Sts.

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