CITY INTELLIGENCE.

1868.

Statistics of the First Six Months.

Mortality of the City—Doings of the Police—Building Improvements.

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

We present to-day a statistical resume of several important matters in the history of the city during the past six months.

MORTALITY.

The Hand of Death for the First Six Months of 1868.

In the following table the number of deaths in each Ward for the past six months is shown as compared with the mortality for the corresponding period of 1867.

Wards.	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Total six months in 1868.	Total six months in 1867.
1	135	118	253	259
2	193	160	353	346
3	101	75	176	199
4	153	149	302	350
5	134	114	248	261
6	59	58	117	187
7	198	186	384	351
8	98	98	196	222
9	89	82	171	183
10	107	102	209	224
11	85	83	168	158
12	84	70	154	143
13	81	78	159	190
14	99	82	181	239
15	194	199	393	430
16	81	90	171	196
17	121	109	230	199
18	125	112	237	230
19	196	200	396	344
20	232	217	449	421
21	51	55	106	132
22	69	75	144	141
23	83	57	140	178
24	135	112	247	179
25	64	42	106	128
26	140	130	270	294
27	155	205	360	466
28	17	11	28	.....
Unknown	129	119	248	222
Total	3408	3188	6596	6842

The total for 1867 was 13,804; in 1866, it amounted to 16,803; 1865, to 17,169; and 1864, to 17,682.

In the following table are given the ages of the deceased for each quarter of the past six months:—

Ages.	1st Quar.	2d Quar.	Total 6 Months. 1868.	Total. 6 Months 1867.
Under 1 year	884	916	1800	1215
From 1 to 2 years	233	217	450	389
" 2 " 5 "	185	202	387	525
" 5 " 10 "	98	95	193	275
" 10 " 15 "	75	63	138	124
" 15 " 20 "	103	74	177	203
" 20 " 30 "	372	341	713	735
" 30 " 40 "	324	319	643	627
" 40 " 50 "	296	216	512	561
" 50 " 60 "	240	221	461	503
" 60 " 70 "	237	189	426	481
" 70 " 80 "	222	202	424	341
" 80 " 90 "	114	106	220	192
" 90 " 100 "	22	25	47	36
" 100 " 110 "	3	2	5	...
Total	3408	3188	6596	6842

In the following table is given the number of males and females, adults and minors, and boys and girls, who died during the six months:—

For the Six Months.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Total 6 Months 1868.	Total 6 Months 1867.
Males	1793	1731	3524	3515
Females	1615	1457	3072	3231
Adults	1837	1623	3460	3435
Minors	1571	1565	3136	3311
Boys	885	887	1772	1773
Girls	702	684	1386	1538
Natives U. S.	2490	2381	4871	4907
Foreign born	759	636	1395	1427
Colored	174	184	358	397

THE POLICE.

Arrests for Several Years.

The following table gives the number of arrests made during each of the past six months of the year 1868 as compared with the corresponding period of several succeeding years:—

MOS.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864	1865.	1866.	1867.	1868
Jan	2180	1710	2647	2380	2153	2644	2415	2403
Feb	2107	1746	2260	2712	1816	2808	2836	1973
Mar	2502	2101	2831	2818	2694	3473	3094	2913
Apl	2037	2093	2717	2683	2948	3598	3579	3188
May	2168	2170	3048	2979	2958	3781	3673	3221
June	2229	2490	3044	2671	3477	3635	3938	3177
Tot.	13223	12310	16547	16243	16046	19939	19545	16875

The Arrests for the First Quarter of 1868 and 1867.

In the following table is given the number of arrests in detail for the first three months of the year 1868, as compared with the corresponding period of the previous year:—

Districts.	January.		Febru'y.		March.		Totals.	
	1868	1867	1868	1867	1868	1867	1868	1867
1	156	209	117	267	138	301	421	717
2	296	261	225	325	224	371	745	957
3	226	320	214	330	330	335	870	975
4	206	264	173	302	229	311	608	877
5	240	175	184	193	261	256	685	624
6	129	103	89	113	119	131	337	347
7	74	82	73	94	106	71	253	247
8	134	153	104	174	141	178	379	505
9	125	105	105	144	133	160	363	409
10	128	167	117	225	161	202	406	594
11	101	113	59	174	125	166	285	453
12	108	88	101	133	180	133	389	354
13	28	26	20	36	26	17	74	79
14	20	25	36	24	132	20	188	69
15	36	28	14	34	18	42	68	104
16	90	100	102	147	19	143	211	390
17	...	...	...	...	330	...	330	...
18	71	...	34	...	62	...	169	...
Chesnut Hill	9	3	8	7	4	...	21	10
Park	6	15	11	11	...	14	17	40
Reserves	122	105	118	96	136	141	376	342
Harbor	43	14	19	26	9	39	71	79
Beggar	35	41	30	36	30	35	95	115
Day Sergeants	20	15	20	15	...	28	40	58
Totals	2403	2415	1973	2836	2913	3094	7289	8345

The Arrests for the Second Quarter of 1868 and 1867

are set forth in detail in the following table:—

Districts.	April.		May.		June.		Total.	
	1868	1867	1868	1867	1868	1867	1868	1867
1	144	222	119	202	145	182	408	606
2	204	508	244	435	253	550	701	1493
3	356	416	306	383	350	480	1012	1279
4	237	289	215	269	176	259	628	817
5	279	364	321	253	305	307	905	924
6	129	141	124	151	80	133	831	425
7	120	106	158	125	150	125	428	356
8	140	230	149	221	119	211	408	562
9	154	216	159	210	173	288	486	714
10	158	236	165	213	167	273	490	722
11	117	119	108	170	113	143	338	432
12	183	176	157	205	135	191	475	572
13	35	52	41	162	38	65	114	279
14	46	20	52	48	47	46	145	114
15	33	57	44	49	38	45	115	151
16	130	157	158	158	119	175	407	584
17	302	.....	321	.....	347	.....	970	.....
18	137	.....	118	.....	107	171	362	171
Chesnut Hill	6	6	7	10	7	10	20	26
Park	17	36	38	46	63	25	118	107
Reserves	142	141	155	142	132	137	409	420
Harbor	36	24	20	20	29	22	85	66
Beggar	35	58	40	66	50	53	125	172
Day Sergeants	48	36	24	25	34	43	106	104
Totals	3188	3579	3221	3673	3177	3998	9586	10990

EXTENSION OF THE CITY.

Dwellings Erected in the City since 1855.

In the following table is shown the number of dwellings erected in the city since the year 1855:—

Years.	Four Story.	Three Story.	Two Story.	One Story.	Total No. of Dwellings.
1855	11	712	195	7	914
1856	36	1323	274	7	1633
1857	58	937	306	4	1305
1858	52	945	345	5	1347
1859	4	1134	472	9	1657
1860	28	1406	711	3	2148
1861	35	926	554	20	1535
1862	49	1223	826	56	2154
1863	28	1286	1088	63	2465
1864	27	653	445	41	1166
1865	38	723	618	34	1413
1866	17	1159	730	7	1913
6 mo. of 1867	14	887	517	...	1418
6 mo. of 1868	32	1257	835	...	2124

Buildings of All Kinds Erected since 1855.

Years	Dwellings.	Stores	Factories.	Foundries.	All others	Tot'l	Additions.
1855	914	32	17	.....	166	1129	254
1856	1633	118	23	4	242	2026	610
1857	1305	91	22	5	234	1667	550
1858	1347	80	30	1	213	1671	498
1859	1657	55	47	5	291	2055	570
1860	2148	43	31	1	249	2472	588
1861	1535	18	9	.....	111	1673	204
1862	2154	43	37	4	173	2410	191
1863	2462	34	57	6	233	2792	255
1864	1163	33	62	11	318	1590	536
1865	1413	48	94	2	466	2023	743
1866	1913	91	88	9	470	2671	739
6 mos of '67	1418	55	26	3	285	1787	676
6 mos of '68	2124	62	12	3	236	2437	645

The Buildings of the Past Six Months.

The number of permits issued during each of the past six months, as compared with the corresponding months of 1867, are as follows:—

	Dwellings.		All others.		Total.		Additions, etc.	
	1868	1867	1868	1867	1868	1867	1868	1867
January	22	16	9	3	31	19	19	28
February	35	35	9	45	44	80	46	66
March	302	203	85	64	387	267	127	119
April	554	398	91	105	645	503	161	167
May	537	183	61	80	598	263	144	159
June	674	583	58	72	732	655	148	137
Total	2124	1418	313	369	2437	1787	645	676

The Buildings by Months.

In the following table is given in detail the number of permits issued during the first six months of the year 1868:—

CHARACTER OF BUILDINGS.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	Total.
Dwellings:—							
Four-story	...	...	5	3	6	18	32
Three-story	17	23	191	350	320	350	1257
Two-story	5	12	106	201	211	300	835
Total Dwellings	22	35	302	554	537	674	2124
Bake-house	...	1	...	...	1	...	1
Boiler-houses	...	1	2	...	1	...	4
College	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Club-house	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Coach-houses	...	...	2	1	1	1	5
Churches & Chapels	...	...	...	1	4	3	8
Dry-house	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Dye-houses	...	...	1	1	2	...	4
Depots	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Engine-houses	...	...	...	1	1	1	3
Factories	...	...	4	6	...	2	12
Foundries	...	...	...	1	...	2	3
Green-houses	1	...	1	...	...	...	2
Ice-houses	1	...	1	...	...	...	2
Mill-houses	...	...	1	...	2	...	3
Offices	2	1	9	4	10	5	31
Market-house	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Masonic Hall	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Picture-gallery	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Rope-walk	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Savings Bank	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
Sheds	...	...	4	...	1	2	7
Shops	...	...	20	19	17	10	66
School-houses	...	...	3	2	...	1	6
Store-houses	...	1	3	3	5	...	12
Slaughter-houses	...	...	1	3	2	6	12
Stables	3	4	20	21	5	10	63
Stores	1	2	11	21	13	14	62
Station-house	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Tower	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Taverns	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Tool-houses	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Water-house	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Totals	31	44	387	645	598	732	2437
Additions & alterations	19	46	127	161	144	148	645
Grand totals	50	90	514	806	742	880	3082

OPENING OF A HOTEL AT ATLANTIC CITY.—Yesterday a number of prominent gentlemen visited Atlantic City, by invitation of Messrs. Glenn & Daly, to participate in the ceremonies of the opening of their new hotel—the New Inlet House, which is situated at the terminus of the Camden and Atlantic Railroad, and in the immediate vicinity of the fishing grounds. The party arrived at the hotel at 11 o'clock, and soon separated into squads, who, securing vessels, took a sail on the ocean. Returning at 2 o'clock, dinner was served, and at 4:20 the guests left for the city, well pleased with their visit and delighted at the entertainment given them by Messrs. Glenn & Daly. The house is a handsome building, capable of accommodating about eighty boarders, with all the latest improvements, and is replete with all the necessary articles tending to the welfare of its occupants.

POLYTECHNIC COLLEGE OF PENNSYLVANIA.—The annual commencement of this deservedly popular institution will take place this evening, at Horticultural Hall. The following programme will be observed:—

March—"Greeting to My Fatherland,"..... J. Gunge
Prayer.
Romance..... C. Voss
Introductory Address by Gustavus Remak, Esq.
Second Finale from "Attila"..... G. Verdi
Address of the Hon. Titian J. Coffey.
Duet—"Zampa"..... F. Herold
Conferring of Degrees.
Charge to the Graduates.
Gallop—"Villa Colonna,"..... H. Speer

A HEAVY ROBBERY.—To-day being the day for the payment of interest at the Treasury office, in the rear of the Custom House, on Government bonds, quite a crowd collected in and around the building, and as is usual in such cases, a number of pickpockets were present. A Mrs. James, residing on North Fifteenth street, had torn her coupon from a $500 bond, and deposited the latter in her pocket. While moving among the people, the bond was abstracted from her dress, and the thief succeeded in getting off without being detected.

FOURTH-OF-JULY EXCURSIONS.—The beautiful and Commodious steamers S. M. Felton and Ariel will ply between Chester, Hook, Wilmington, and this city, at stated intervals on Independence Day, the particulars of which are given in another column. Fare to and from these places, 15 cents.

A grand excursion to Cape May will take place on the "Fourth," in the beautiful steamer Lady of the Lake. It is to be the finest of the season. See special notice in another column.

SHOT IN THE MOUTH.—Yesterday afternoon, about 5 o'clock, while several colored boys were playing in Middle alley, above Sixth, a larger boy named Thomas Green (also colored) came up, and placing a pistol at the face of a lad named Webb, fired. The pistol contained small shot. The wounded boy was removed to the hospital, with his throat and mouth swollen and inflamed. Green should be arrested.

A FALSE ALARM OF FIRE AND ITS RESULTS.—A false alarm of fire was created at noon yesterday, by some person springing the box in the house of the Diligent Hose Company, at Tenth and Sergeant streets. The Superintendent of the Police and Fire Alarm Telegraph, after investigating the matter, ordered the box to be disconnected from the regular line until the guilty party was made known.

FIRE.—A fire occurred this morning about 8 o'clock at Gray's Ferry road and Malden lane. The printers' ink factory of Charles Robinson was nearly destroyed. Damage, $6000, on which there is no insurance.

FROM MR. A. WINCH, of No. 505 Chesnut street, we have received the London *Punch*, *Fun*, and *Reynolds' Miscellany*, all of which, and the other foreign and domestic periodicals may be obtained of him.

THE CORNER-STONE of the Bethesda Presbyterian Church, located at the southeast corner of Frankford Road and Vienna streets, is to be laid at 3½ o'clock this afternoon.

CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL.

Names of Pupils Admitted into the Central High School, and the Schools from which they were Sent.

The new class admitted is composed of 152 pupils, which number exceeds the average number admitted heretofore. Their names and Grammar Schools are as follows:—

Names.	Schools.
Anderson, Lewis R	Locust street
Barbour, Stephen D	Monroe
Barnes, Charles K	Locust street
Bell, William Freeborn	Northwest
Berg, Louis	Zane
Binder, Frank H	Jefferson
Bleyler, Frank E	Mount Vernon
Blynn, Thomas B	Roxborough
Boyd, Peter H	Locust street
Braden, Wm. F	Mount Airy
Brewer, John C	Price
Brittain, William D	Jefferson
Brown, Mercer	Monroe
Buck, Frank	Adams
Buckley, Franklin P	Price
Burk, Charles W	Madison
Burkeitt, Thomas F	Weccacoe
Carr, Samuel P	Harrison
Chambers, Charles L	Mount Vernon
Cohen, Solomon S	Adams
Cohill, George	Mount Vernon
Coleman, Robert	Morris
Collins, Dennis	Southeast
Connell, George	Newton
Conquest, Pleasanton L	Hancock
Corson, Wilber T	Northwest
Cox, Calvin B	Hancock
Cox, William E	Hancock
Cressman, Newton F	Harrison
Culbertson, Samuel J	Lincoln
Darrach, Alfred	Newton
Day, George C	Newton
Denning, Hickman	Hancock
Diteche, Henry	Jefferson
Doerr, Frederick W	Harrison
Duffield, William H	Northwest
Earle, Albert B	Locust street
Eastlack, Harry Y	Lincoln
Evenson, Edwin R	Newton
Ellis, Franklin	Penn
Foulke, William W	Jefferson
Freeborn, William	Zane street
Fries, John R	George W. Nebinger
Gibson, Montgomery	Northwest
Gilbert, Robert B	Morris
Gillard, Louis E	Northwest
Ginder, Charles E	Penn
Goodall, Samuel J	Weccacoe
Gordon, James G	Hancock
Gossler, Silas W	Penn
Haas, Isaac G	Adams
Hamilton, John	Northwest
Harkness, Albert	George W. Nebinger
Harris, Aaron F	Jefferson
Harper, Thomas R	Olney
Herkness, Alfred M	Northwest
Hoeflich, William E	Northwest
Holbert, Ephraim W	Rutledge
Hood, William P	Penn
Hopwood, John H	Marshall
Housekeeper, Arndt K	Morris
Hunsburger, Alfred W	Penn
Hyneman, Samuel N	Zane Street
Johnston, Pierce	Heston
Keely, Thomas	Northeast
Kerbaugh, Charles F	Randolph
Kiernan, John J	Ringgold
Kleisz, Joseph H	Monroe
Krewson, Franklin	Marshall
Landenberger, Charles H	Morris
Lang, Isaac M	Adams
Leary, John J	Lincoln
Leckey, William J	Price
Levering, Robert M	Manayunk
Loughlin, Harry F	Ringgold
Loughlin, John T	Ringgold
Lynd, James	Newton
Macfarlane, C. W	Holme
MacMullin, Charles H	Southwest
Maddock, Frank	Lincoln
Maddock, William	Lincoln
Maguire, Alexander Bache	Lincoln
Marks, William L	Madison
McClelland, James	Northwest
McCook, David	Manayunk
McDowell, Harry	Monroe
McFarland, James H	Hancock
McMullin, John P	Southwest
McNamara, Daniel J	Southeast
McQuaid, John	Ringgold
Meredith, John M	Hancock
Millar, Edward A	Mount Vernon
Moffit, Clarence	Glenwood
Moore, Stephen C	Hancock
Morris, Frank D	Jefferson
Mullin, Michael F	Harrison
Neblinger, Otto	Price
Nesbitt, Thomas C	G. W. Neblinger
Nichols, George E	Mantua
Norris, George H	Northwest
Ottinger, Walter S	Jefferson
Otto, Albert C	Southeast
Pennington, Thomas V	Hancock
Peterman, William H	Manayunk
Pfund, William	Southeast
Pilling, William S	Zane Street
Pomeroy, John C	Penn
Pomeroy, Thomas S	Penn
Power, Edward S	Lincoln
Preston, Charles T	Manayunk
Purden, James H	Lincoln
Quinn, Charles T	Mount Vernon
Quinn, Bernard J	Southeast
Rau, Conrad F	Northwest
Reinhold, George G	Adams
Richardson, Charles B	Zane Street
Ring, Isaac N	Manayunk
Rosenthal, David A	Southeast
Rowland, Jonathan	Columbia
Russell, George M	Weccacoe
Salinda, Henry R	Hancock
Schell, Henry W	Hancock
Schofield, George	Manayunk
Schull, Charles K	Columbia
Schwarzwaelder, Victor	Zane Street
Seltzor, Daniel W	Manayunk
Shelden, Harvey	Hancock
Sherborne, Thomas F	Hancock
Shryock, Stacy B	Monroe
Sides, Howard B	Newton
Smith, Andrew	Zane Street
Smith, Charles W	Manayunk
Snyder, Howard A	Hancock
Stanley, Charles E	Mount Vernon
Stern, Harry F	Jefferson
Stine, Jacob	Jefferson
Stirling, William	Locust Street
Stump, Charles E	Southwest
Sulzberger, Solomon L	Adams
Thomas, Frank B	Jefferson
Turner, Robert E	Ringgold
Walker, Willie C	Hancock
Warren, William J	Adams
Whitaker, Ferdinand H	Hancock
Whitaker, Oliver H	Hancock
Whiteman, Lazelle	Levering
Whitmarsh, Albert L	Heston
Williams, John	Southeast
Wilson, James A	Lincoln
Wilson, William J	Southwest
Whitham, Robert W	G. W. Nebinger
Wolf, Martin L	Jefferson

MEETING OF THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The attendance of this morning was very slim. The meeting was called to order by Craig Biddle, Esq., chairman. The production of the raspberry was discussed at some length. The printed monthly reports were distributed among the members.

Dr. Thompson stated that many gentlemen were giving their attention to the production of the potato, and would make reports to the Society as the culture of the same developed itself.

Dr. King said he had cut the Harrison potato in ninety pieces, single eyes, and planted them; all had come up but three, and the plants were fine and healthy.

There being no business before the Society, on motion, the body adjourned.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE July 1, at the Philadelphia Exchange, by James A. Freeman:—

A ground rent of $60 per annum, out of house and lot Carver street, 16 by 25 feet	$200
A ground rent of $54 per annum, out of a lot, Addison street, 16 by 42 feet	$830
A ground rent of $54 per annum, out of a lot Addison street, 16 by 42 feet	$810
A valuable tract of 26½ acres, Thorp's lane, Twenty-second Ward, the estate of James S. Boyer, dec'd	$25,000
Also, at private sale since last report, modern 4 story brick dwelling, No. 2115 Arch street, 18 by 102 feet	$9700

UNITED STATES COMMISSIONERS' HEARING.—United States Commissioner Hibbler at noon to-day, decided to hold John C. Martin to answer the charge of removing liquor to other than a bonded warehouse. At the former hearing, on the 17th instant, the defendant was taken sick, and the case was continued until to-day.

THE EXCHANGE HOTEL, at Huntingdon, Pennsylvania, has been leased by J. Morrison, the former proprietor of the "Morrison House." The "Exchange" has been remodelled and elegantly finished, and is now a very inviting retreat for such of our citizens as are making traveling tours through the State.

The "CONTINENTAL" NEWS ROOM.—William P. H. Covert, of the firm of Risley & Covert, proprietors of the news depot in the Continental, has purchased the interest of his partner and will hereafter conduct the entire business himself.

THIRD EDITION

FROM THE CAPITAL.

Sherman's Funding Bill—A Small Tariff Bill to be Reported.

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

FROM WASHINGTON THIS P. M.

Sherman's Funding Bill.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The Republican Senators met in caucus this morning, for the purpose of considering the proposition submitted yesterday by Senator Sherman, to put his Funding bill on as rider to the Civil Appropriation bill.

After a full discussion, it was decided not to take such action. A clear majority of the Senators expressed themselves as not only opposed to this measure, but to any attempt to frame a financial policy at this season.

It is understood that Sherman will try to bring his measure up in open Senate notwithstanding the action of the caucus, but there is no hope for it.

The Ways and Means Committee agreed this morning to report a Tariff bill to the House. The vote in the Committee was quite close, the proposition being carried by a majority of one. The resolution was passed laying a restriction upon the secresy, so that the names of those who voted for or against it could not be made public.

The Committee have also agreed to report a bill in accordance with the instructions of the House, taxing the interest on Government bonds ten per cent.

A Small Tariff Bill to be Reported.

Despatch to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The Committee of Ways and Means have agreed to report a small tariff bill probably to-day. It covers small manufacturers of iron, the value of which principally depends on the labor employed upon them.

FORTIETH CONGRESS—SECOND SESSION.

House of Representatives.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—Mr. Washburne (Ind.) presented a memorial of 1856 clerks of the Departments in Washington for extra compensation for the year 1868. Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Blaine (Me.) asked leave to offer a resolution instructing the Committee of Ways and Means to inquire into the expediency of reporting without unnecessary delay a funding bill providing for the consolidation of all the bonded indebtedness of the United States into 5 per cent. ten-year bonds, 4½ per cent. thirty-year bonds, and 4 per cent. interminable annuities. The holders of outstanding bonds to have their choice of these three forms of securities.

Mr. Pomeroy (N. Y.) objected.

Mr. Schofield (Penn.), from the Committee on Elections, reported that Charles M. Hamilton is entitled to a seat as Representative from the State of Florida.

The report was agreed to, and Mr. Hamilton was sworn in by the Speaker, and took his seat as a Representative.

The House proceeded to the business of the morning hour, being the call of committees for reports.

The bill reported in the morning hour yesterday by Mr. Boutwell (Mass.) from the Judiciary Committee, regulating judicial proceedings in certain cases for the protection of officers and agents of the Government, and for the better defense of the Treasury against unlawful claims, was taken up and passed.

Mr. Orth (Ind.) from the Committee on Private Land Claims, reported the Senate bill confirming the title to a tract of land in Burlington, Iowa. Passed.

Also the House bill to confirm the title to certain land to the Pueblo, of Santa Anna, New Mexico. Passed.

Also, the House bill to confirm certain private land claims in New Mexico.

Mr. Bailey (N. Y.), from the same Committee, reported a resolution directing the Commissioner of the Land Office to examine and ascertain the facts asserted in a bill for the relief of Charles May, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Adopted.

Also, the senate bill for the relief of owners of land within the United States survey, No. 3217, in the State of Missouri. Passed.

The Hide and Leather Bank of Boston.

BOSTON, July 1.—Mr. Harwood, President of the Hide and Leather National Bank of this city, publishes a statement regarding the defalcation in which the loss is placed at $575,000, as previously reported. He says the bank lost nothing by loans, and has carried all the dividends declared. That the late Cashier, who was formerly the book-keeper, contrived to elude the vigilance of the officers of the bank by false returns and forced balances, by forcing settlements of balances purporting to exist between them and the banks with which accounts were kept, and by falsifying the accounts of individual depositors. Under the advice of his counsel, pending the trial of accused, he adds, that the directors owned 1186 shares of stock, when suspicion first fell upon the Cashier, and they have not sold a single share since.

The Pendleton Escort at Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, July 1.—The Pendleton escort, three hundred strong, arrived here this morning. They were met at the depot by a number of Democratic clubs, headed by a brass band and an escort of fifty of the Mayor's police, passing through a number of the principal streets, and serenaded the office of the *Daily Post*. At Union Depot they partook of a lunch gotten up by a number of prominent Democrats. The trip so far has been pleasant, the railroad arrangements being perfect. The escort left for Harrisburg at 10 A. M.

From Concord, N. H.

CONCORD, N. H., July 1.—The question of the State taking and transferring the Concord Railroad to the new corporation has been indefinitely postponed by the action of the House of Representatives this morning, the vote being in the negative.

From Fortress Monroe.

FORTRESS MONROE, July 1.—The steam-tug Essayons, for New Orleans, has again put in here with her machinery out of order.

New York Stock Quotations, 2 P. M.

Received by telegraph from Glendinning & Davis, Stock Brokers, No. 48 S. Third street:—

N. Y. Cent. R.	134½	Chic. and N. W. prf	78⅞
N. Y. and E. R.	70	Chi. and R. I. R.	105¼
Phil. and Rea. R.	101¼	Pitts. F. W. and Chi.	
Mich. S. and N. I. R.	92	R. R.	109⅞
Cle. and Pitt. R.	89¾	Pacific M. S. Co.	100⅛
Chi. and N. W. com.	73½	Gold	140¼
Market firm.			

MAN DROWNED.—Robert Sibley, aged sixty years, fell into the Schuylkill at Sansom street wharf this morning, and was drowned. The body has not been recovered.

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Denial of a False Report—Progress on the Tariff and Tax Bills.

A New Bill to Divide Texas into three States.

Gen. McDowell Supeseded.

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

LATER FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

The Tax on Whisky in Bond.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The *Intelligencer* publishes the following this morning, as a despatch from New York:—"It will be recollected that General Schenck stated in the House last week that there were twenty-five million gallons of distilled spirits in bond in the country, which the new tax bill taxed at 50 cents per gallon, and that the spirits to be manufactured hereafter would pay in different ways 90 cents per gallon. Whereupon the House added $4 per barrel or 10 cents per gallon on the bonded goods, thus leaving a difference of 30 cents per gallon between that in bond and that hereafter to be made.

Rumor says the cause of this disadvantage being given to present holders is thus explained—John Dunlevy, of Ohio, an intimate friend of Schenck, and John Tracey, a whisky dealer in this city, were employed by the Ways and Means Committee to assist in drafting a new bill. These two, with S. M. Pike, a relative of Schenck, and Gordon Fellows and McMillan, were said to have purchased immense quantities of the bonded spirits before the favoring clause in the new bill was made public. In fact to have bought all for sale in this city, Philadelphia, and with other confederates in Cincinnati.

If the Senate does not make the tax on what these parties have purchased equal to that hereafter to be made, they will realize an immense profit.

Snow, one of the proprietors of the *Intelligencer*, showed the above to Mr. Dunlevy yesterday, and said that he had arrived at the office the night before in time to suppress it. The members of the committee say there is not any truth in it whatever.

The Division of Texas.

The Reconstruction Committee, at its meeting to-day, authorized its chairman, Thad. Stevens, to report his bill for the division of Texas. The bill has been amended so as to divide Texas into three States, instead of two as was at first proposed.

Removal of Political Disabilities.

The Committee instructed Governor Boutwell to prepare another bill for the removal of political disabilities. It is to include the names of a large number of ex-Rebels who have lately asked to be relieved from their participation in the Rebellion.

The Tax Bill.

The Senate Finance Committee had another session on the Tax bill to-day, and have nearly finished it. Senator Sherman, Chairman of the Committee, expects to be able to report a bill