The "Expenters," and How they Operated last October-Some of the Gang Confess to Having Voted Twenty Times

The result of the election in the Eleventh The result of the election in the Eleventh Legislative district—embracing seven divisions of the Sixteenth ward, three divisions of the Twelfth ward, and two divisions of the Twelfth ward of this city—was the return of Daniel Witham, Democrat, by a vote of 3070, his Republican competitor, William Bunn, receiving 3044. This was a remarkably close shave, and as Witham's ostensible msjority was only 35, and there were abundant proofs of fraudulent votes cast for the Democratic candidate, Mr. Bunn has contested the right of the former to the seat. The matter is now undergoing investigation before a committee of the Heuse of Representatives, sitting at Harrisburg. We append some choice extracts from the testimony already elicited before this committee, showing the operations of the Democratic "repeaters" on the day of the October elections.

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Michael S' aven testified as follows:—
"Triside in Christian street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, Philadelphia; on the 13th of October Ih ad no particular home: I know of persons votar at in the Eleventh Legislative district who were not residents therein; I know of them he wing voted in the Sixteenth ward; I, Mr. Laras, Mr. Elliott, Mr. Rowan, Mr. Redding, there New Yorkers and two Bailtimoreans, went the day up there; eight of us started from Third and Christian, and met two others at Third and Queen streets; took the Third street car and went to Poplar; got out and went down Poplar to Front; went to Bail's Head. Notel, Front above Poplar, and got from a man incre a name, residence and occupation, and voted; got the ticket from this man; from there we went to Front and Otter streets; got the us me and residence, and voted there; then we went to New Market and Laure; from there to Second and Germantown road; from there to to Second and Germantown road; from there to Second and Beaver streets; from there to Fourth and George; from there to Fifth, below George; from there to Fifth and Popler; from there to Franklen and Girard avenue; from there to Terrih and Girard avenue; we got a \$5 bill there from a man who gave us the tickets, and five of us went down to the Girard avenue market and got our dinners; the other five went down lown; the whele ten voted in the places I have vacationed, the five I was with went to Front above Power, and went over the same track that the ten Popter, and went over the same track that the ten Just come before; I was sent to Front above Pop-lar; con't know the name of the man who sent

lar; non't know the name of the man who sent me; I had a mark to know the man from whom I was to get the ticket; he had a piece of storestring tied to his buttonhole; each one of us received aslip of paper with name, residence, and occupation on; we did not go in a body from one poll to another; cannot recollect the stance we voted in; as soon as we voted we gave the slips of paper to the man who gave them to us; do not know the names of the parties who furnished the tickets; we voted the Democratic ticket; did not examine any of them; the men we took them from had the Democratic badge on."

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"I was not enallenged nor put upon my oath, nor any of the others that I saw; did not see all the votes taken in; I voted twenty times my-self that day; we started at eight o clock in the morning and stopped athaif pasifite."

Christopher Lamb, another of this patriotic and enthusiastic gang, testified as follows:

"I was one of the party spoken of by Mr. Slaven, Slaven, Elliott, itowan, and Redding, three New Yorkers, two Baltimoreans, and myself composed that party; I then lived in Shippen street, between Second and Third; I voted twenty times that d.y. at the same polls at which Slaven voted; I cannot recoilect the pames I voted in; I voted the Democratic ticket, at least I got It from a man with that badge or; did not examine them; do not remember the names of the New Yorkers or Baltimoreans; have heard their names, but forget them now; my vote was not challenged at any of the divisions where we voted."

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Still enother of the same gang, Henry Eillot by name, made the following confessions:—

"I heard the testimony of Slaven; was with him on the day of the October election; I then lived at No. 595 Cherry street; I voted twenty times, the same as Slaven, and at the same places; voted the Democratic ticket, I judge; did not examine any of them, because I didn't think it remaiste."

On cres-examination Elliott said:-"We changed hats and coats sometimes, in going from polito poll; never lived in the Stateenth word."

John Rowan, one of the same party, who left it at Tenth and Girard avenue, corroborated the above witnesses, but claimed the virtue of having voted only ten times. Daniel Redding's testimony also corroborated that given in full

above, Mr. Henry Mitchell gave the following testi-

mony:- "I reside No. 1010 North Fourth street, Sixth division, Sixteenth ward: I recognize the parties here to night as a portion of a party who voted at the October election; immediately after voting myself I went to Taird and Poplar streets after a voter; saw these ten mea get out of the car; recognized Slaven as a man I had brown from their conversation I was I had known; from their conversation I was induced to follow them; Mr. Fields accompanied me; they went to Front street, above Poplar, where they were furnished with a ticket by a man carrying a Democratic badge; they went to the window and each got his vote. in: after they left the window I went to the same man and got a ticket, and opening it I saw it wasfa Democratic ticket."

This witness also testified that he followed

the gang through their entire route, and noted every place at which they voted. Mr. Alfred M. Fields, who resides in the Sixth division of and corroborated his testimony in every par ticular.

To sum up the work of the day, this gang of ten Democratic "repeaters" cust altoyether 150 votes during the course of the day, five of them voting twenty times each, and the remaining five

This, of course, will entirely swamp the alleged majority of 35 votes, by virtue of which Mr. Witham holds his seat. What sort of a case on rebuttal he will attempt to make out remains to be seen

Dr. Boynton's Second Lecture. — Last evening Dr. Boynton delivered the second iccture of his course at Concert Hall, to a large andience. The subject of the lecture was "The Earth and Moon," and after showing that the moon has no appreciable atmosphere, and, therefore, it is impossible that it could be inhabited by beings such as live upon the earth, Dr. Boynton proceeded to illustrate his theme by a number of fine stereoscopic views. Several large photographs of the moon were exhibited, together with sectional views and diagrams which clearly exhibited the structure of the lunar volcances. The lecturer demonstrated that the volcanic formations on the earth were precisely similar to those on the moon, and he concluded his discourse by showing in what manner earthquakes and volcanic action are produced. The lecturer was listened to with marked attention, and he was heartly applicated at various points of his discourse. DR. BOYNTON'S SECOND LECTURE. - Last

SERIOUS STABBING .- Last night Cornelius and Edward Boyle (brothers) were returning from a wake in the western part of the city, and while on the way got into a quarrel. On reaching Sixth and Pine streets, Edward, it is alleged, drew a knife and plunged it into the absomen of his brother, inflicting, it is thought, a mortal wound. The wounded man was taken a mortal wound. The wounded man was taken to the Pennsylvania Hospital, and Edward was arrested and taken before Alderman Carpenter who sent him below to await the result of the injuries received by his brother.

LARCENY .- Flora Hickman was taken into custody last night at Seventh and Bedford streets for the larceny of some shoes, one pair of which was found on her. She is supposed to have been implicated in a theft of sixty pairs which took place a week ago. Alderman lion sail held her for a further hearing.

FATAL CASUALTY.—Philip Riley died this morning at the Episcopal Hospital, from the effects of injuries received last night by being run over by a train of cars on the Reading Railroad near the Falls of Schuylkill,

OWNER WASTED .- Last night the police of the Second district picked up a box of soap at Feirth and Shippen streets, It awaits an owner at that district station.

Benglary .- Yesterday morning at an early hour the shoe store of John Dyer, at No. 23 Parry street, was entered and robbed of twelve and shoes,

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OLD YALE.

Annual Reunion of the Philadelphia Alumni of the Institution.

Alumni of the Institution.

Of course, as every body knows, and everybody acknowledges, the most pleasant of memories are those connected with our youthful life, and as early years are generally passed in conning lessons at the school desk, those same pleasant memories inevitably twine themselves around our teachers and fellow pupils. As boys we cursed the "college bell;" it had an exasperating clang as it sounded through our college rooms; as men we venerate it, and deem its tones, heard but faintly through the avenue of years, mournfully sweet and beautiful. No graduate ever forgets his Alma Mater. He cherishes the most lively memories of her classic halls, and delights to encounter those who were students when he himself was a student. Every college has its "Society of the Alumni," which generally holds its annual meeting beneath the snadows of her walls; some have, in addition to the one general society, a number of branch societies, the members of which assemble annually in the places. society, a number of branch societies, the members of which assemble aunually in the places where organized. The "Society of the Alumni of Yale College" has one of these branches, which hold an annualsession in this city. It is composed of graduates not only resident within the city limits, but in our neighboring counties, and in the States of New Jerssy and Delaware. It celebrated a reunion last evening at Augustine's, No. 1165 Wainut street. The pariors were crowded. Some seventy gentlemen, members of the Association, sat down to the feast. Among them were the Hon. William Strong, Charles J. Stille, LL. D., T. Bradford Dwight, Rev. S. W.

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Stille, Li.L. D., T. Bradford Dwight, Rev. S. W.
Duffield, Rev. Daniel March, D. D., Rev. W. W.
Taylor, Rev. John W. Dallas, Hon. D. B. Green,
Dr. D. R. Bauman, U. S. N., E. B. Shapleigh, M.
D., Horace Binney, Jr., Henry M. Dechert,
George Biddle, and S. S. Hollingsworth.
The following distinguished gentlemen were
present as guests:—President Woolsey, Professor Fisher, and Professor Packard of Yale College; Rev. Dr. Rogers, Joseph C. Jackson and
L. M. Jones, Esga., of New York; Rev. H. M.
Parsons, of Springfield, Mass.; Wayne McVeigh,
Esq., and Rev. William E. Moore, of West
Chester.

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About 9 o'clock, preceded by the Professors of Yale, the members of the Alumni, arm-in-arm formed in line, and went from the pariors to the dining hall. The tables were spread most elegantly, substantials and delicacies vicing with such other in number and fanctial appearance. His Honor, Judge Strong, was conducted to the nead of the table, and then the invited guests, together with the members of the association, took their places. Dr. March asked the blessing. Following this, a thing needless to say, everybody "fell to," and managed to get themselves outside of a deal of victuals in a marvellously brief time. The bill of fare, which bore this motto, "Frame your nind to mirth and merriment, which bars a thousand harms and lengthens life," was long thousand barms and lengthens life," was long and well selected.

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Exactly at 10 o'clock the Chairman put an end to the feasting by rapping the Association to order. He arose, and making some well-received remarks relative to the occasion which brought so many of the old college graduates together, concluded by saying that the animal propensities having been indulged, a just equi-librium of the body should be secured by giv-ing equal indulgence to the spirits, and thus maintain what is wished for in the old saying, He then called for the singing of the ancient

college ode:- "Gaudeamus igitur

Juvenes dum sumus." It was heartly rendered. He then announced as the first toast—"Qur

President Woolvey responded to this in the happiest manner. He referred to his youthful experiences in our city of fraternal love, and made many humorous applications of his experience when entering upon his student's career. In speaking of Yaie, he felt assured that many of his younger friends who surrounded him could tell more to the point the transactions which had recently taken place in old college. His remarks were received

with applause, The second sentiment, "The Faculty of Yale,"

was responded to by Professors Fisher and Packard, of that Institution.

The third sentiment, 'Our Brethren of Other Associations,' met a reply from the guests from New York—Rev. Dr. E. P. Rogers, Joseph C. Jackson and Luther W. Jones, Esqs., making

preity speeches.
The fourth sentiment, "Auld Lang Syne,"
was responded to by Samuel H. Perkins, Esq.
The fifth sentiment, "University of Pennsyl vanis," called forth Provost Charles G. Stille, who made a pleasant address.

The sixth sentiment, "Linonia," was appro-priate; replied to by Rev. Dr. March of our

The seventh sentiment, "Brothers in Unity,"
was responded to by Henry M. Dechert, Esq.
After these regular tossis, a host of others
were indiscriminately made, which detained

the company until a late hour. FIRE THIS APTERNOON-A FIREMEN'S ROW .-The alarm at 130 this afternoon was caused by a slight fire in the basement of the building on the corner of Cresson and Nicholson streets. It was occupied by Edwin Jacoby, a cooper. The second floor was occupied by John Stuber, iron rail manufacturer, and the third story by iron rail manufacturer, and the third story by B. F. Spare, carpenter, neither of whom suffered any loss. After the flames were extinguished a fireman struck a citizen over the head with a horn. Two police officers arrested the assaulter, but he managed to escaye by slipping out of his coat. While he was doing this a number of other firemen were holding on to the policemen, so that they could do nothing. They subsequently arrested one of the individuals who was interfering, and locked him up in the Cherry Street Station.

UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER'S CASE .- To-United States Commissioner's Case.—To-day at 12 o'clock noon, Charles P. Chariton had a hearing before United States Commissioner Henry Pullips, Jr., upon the charge of having unlawfully in his possession mail keys and abstracting mail matter from the street boxes. George E. Tanner testified to seeing the de-fendant at a letter-box at the northeast corner of Eighth and Market streets on the evening of December 21 las: he stood for awhile near by, and while standing there heard the ild of the and while standing there heard the lid of the

Special Detective Gordon testified that the defendant had confessed to frequently robbing the mail boxes—that he had taken checks out of letters and had them cashed,

Held in \$3000 ball.

STOLE A HORSE AND WAGON,-Policeman Boone yesterday came across two drunken fallows and an injured horse and a damaged wagon lying at the foot of a nill on the Ridge road, near the Falls. It seems that the two had jumped into the wagon at Seventeenth street and drove off, and being intoxicated went over the embankment, George W. Paullin, one of the parties, was held by Alderman Ramsdell to answer, and his accomplice was discharged, being of feeble mind.

ANOTHER WIFE-BEATER .- On Sunday night last Thomas Robinson, while in an inebriated condition, attacked his wife, at their residence on Paul street, Frankford, and when he had finished, her head and body bore many brulses. He was arrested, and on being given a hearing before Alderman Stein, was held in \$800 bail for trial.

ROBBERY .- The office of Paxton & Co , situated on Worrell street, Frankford, was entered and robbed last night of some small change which was in a drawer.

The New York Money Market.

From the Herald,

The Stock Market was animated, with a great deal one in the general list. There was no very heavy set to between the rival parties, but a couple of akirmishes made transactions nively during a portion of the day. The bears' went to work at the beganding and hammered away, notif mid day. The bears' inter deal of the stack at the list regular board and forced the market to the lowest point or the day for some of the list. An absurd siory was started that the bears' interded locking up green backs. With the present plethors of money in the hanks it would be about as remainerable edd they, purpose week plus back the ocean with a corn broom. There is no doubt, though, that they have produces a very unsatied lections and have made the other side more cartions. The bulls' were less bold to cay than they have been since the passage of the quarierly bank statement, New York Central fluctuated between 1824 (2014). There was less doing in it than unst. Pecific Mail was particularly obnaxious to the bears, who hammered it down two to three per cent. Harliem was strong on account of reported flattering prospects arising from its through connection to Mentreal. Reading was active an account of a movement. St. Paul common was weak through with ended was manable, despite the certainty of such a valuable dividend. Fort with the preferred was manable, despite the certainty of such a valuable dividend. Fort with the preferred was manable, despite the certainty of such a valuable dividend, fort the preferred was manable, despite the certainty of such a valuable dividend, fort the preferred was manable, despite the certainty of such a valuable dividend, fort who were coquetting with flock Island to day which were neglected by flock cliques, who were coquetting with flock Island to day which were help to tall. Plushurg and old Southern were strong. The specualty of the flow of the fall murder of James Dempsey on the and entered a plea of not guilt frepresent the prisoner.

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It took strong hold of the intecellaneous list, for it must have something wherewith to gratify itself. Mariposa went up to 23/2. Adams to 63/2, United States to 49/2, Merousular Union to 19, Canton to 59/2. Western Union to 38/2. From the Tribune.

"Money was in good demand at 7 per cent, at the opening of business, but at the close of bank hours large amounts were offered, and the market closed easier than for the last two days.

"Sterling Exchange is steady on a basis of 169% for bankers' prime sterling 60 day bills, and 760% for sight bills.

"The Assessor of Isternal Revenue for the Thirty-second District, which includes Wall arrest and the immediate vicinity, has recently made the claim that the tax of 1-24 of one per cent, levied on the capital of slock and gold brokers should be extended to money borrowed by them on call. The claim is a new one, and the brokers believe it to be unjust. The Stock Exchange. Open Board, and Gold Exchange have appointed a joint committee to consider the subject, and to take the necessary steps for testing the right of the Assessor to levy such tax."

JEFF. DAVIS.

His Mode of Life in Paris-Hs Still Loves Slavery.

From the Gautois. Mr. Jeff. Davis, ex-President of the Confederate States of America, is among us, with his wife, whose heroism is equal to the harshness of her destiny. He comes to see Paris and seek here a retreat to which he can bring in a week his children, left temporarily in America. Nothing can be more simple than this man, who is experienced, like our fathers of '93, and who. s experienced, like our tathers of '93, and who like them, sent suddenly to all points of the States as many armies as the French Republic opposed to the coalition in Europe. Jeff. Davis is very thin, but erect. His chest is not hollow, and his body supports an admirable head, joined to broad shoulders by a rather thin neck. His forehead is ample, his hair grey, his contour rather bulging, in which are set clear blue eyes, which are very soft, yet observing. His face is thin, his cheekbones prominent, and consequently his cheeks appear hellow. nose is aquiline and like an eagle's beak. mouth is rather large and indicative of goodness and resolution; his chin prominent. The ensemble of that ascent face is now a mixture of megitation and indulgence.

Jeff. Davis speaks mildly, and his face expands as he smiles. He is naturally slow in expressing his ideas in our language, which he constantly mixes up with idioms from his own tongue. quiet in gesture and in recrimination; but his phrases in the mother tongue are well rounded, concise and neat. Has experience in the failure of better or stronger combinations rendered him less positive, or does he always proceed in the expression of his ideas less in an absolute than a dubious way? It is true, he feels his way in our language.

He has remained true to the principles of slavery, but modified, as he admits. He con-cedes rights to the negro race which can prove that it is born to enjoy them and made to un-derstand them; but, at the bottom, he is con-vinced that the African and the Cau asian races cannot assimilate. As to the rest, the extreme violence which the exigencies of the auti-slavery party caused, the effect of which was the sudden min of the southern people, was, in his opinion, the consequence of the resistance which the

Here, Jeff. Davis is fully enjoying all the corrosities that Paris affords, which he finds very beautiful, and which he untiringly visits all the day. As to his material life, he does not care as to his food, breakfasting on a slice of bread and butter and a cup of coffee, and dining

Morally, his courage, his views, his strictness, his exquisite probity, the example of all his devotedness, his self-denials, his good faith to his principles—to which he has sacrificed every thing, for which he has suffered everythingthe placinity of an apostle, and the commiseration of a martyr for his enemies, his resignation and screnity—all these have made Jeff. Davis a raie and great man-so great that, in the midst of our modern civilization, one cannot come near him without the utmost respect.

Mr. Jeff. Davis dined on New Year's Day at the residence of his old representative at Paris, Mr. Slidell. The dinner was qui'e private, and Mrs. Davis, in mourning for her mother, was not there.

SPEAKER COLFAX.

His Letter to the Printers of Milwaukee. The Typographical Union of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, commemorated Franklin's birthday by a banquet, at which the following letter from

Speaker Colfax was read:-Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—Dear Sir:—Your complimentary invitation is just received, but my public duties prevent its acceptance. Were it otherwise, I should be delighted to celebrate Franklin's birthday with you. Nearly twenty years' experience in a printing office made me feel "almost to the manor born," and rendered the social reunions of the craft which I have attended more than ordinarily enjoyable, while the generous courtesy of my brethren of the press, with but rare exceptions, has always made me rejoice that in my earliest manhood I adopted it as the profession of my life.

With the attractive programme that you sent

me, I know that you cannot fail to have a jolly time. And confident that those who set at the case will not appear case-hardened, that those who ply the frisket will not become frisky, and that those who work at the press will guard against getting on too much steam, I wish you, one and all, a gay and festive evening, and to be up on the morrow as bright as a new font of type, refreshed and strengthened for the duties before you by the enjoyment of this fraternal Yours truly, commingling. SCHUYLER COLVAY.

METEORIC.

What Was Seen at Rochester. From the Kochester (N. Y.) Democrat, Jan. 21.

People who were fortunate enough to be in the open air last night between 11 and 12 o'clock were electrified by a vision of magnificence such as may never again be paralleled in a life-

At 10:35 o'clock the whole heavens burst into an instantaneous glare of translucent light, simultaneously there shot from the mid-heavens a clear, luminous ball of liquid fire, moving with swift and dazzling rapidity obliquely acress the visible firmament. In appearance it was a single globe of light, scattering in its train two long. brilliant steamers—scintillations caused by its rapid momentum. For nearly a minute the ambient body shone clearly, then, at about fifty degrees from the zenith, barst into two fraz-ments, and swiftly passed towards the horizon beyond the lake.

Before the bursting of the meteor the whole firmament shone with an interstiled mid-day glate, clear and brilliant. The time occupied o its ascension was little over a minute, and all who were so fortunate as to see it had ample opportunity to form a moderately accurate idea of its shape and direction. After oursting the light in no way diminished, and, until its absolute disappearance, or declination to another sphere, the light was clear and sustained.

The Franco-American Cable. In the Delaware House of Representatives

the following was offered and passed:-"Resolved, By the Senate and House of Repre-sentatives of the State of Delaware, in General Assembly met, Tuat Joseph P. Comegys be and is hereby appointed on behalf of this State to confer with the projectors of the aforesaid cable enterprise, and negotiate for this State such an arrangement with reference to the premises as may be deemed consistent with the dignity and interests of Delaware, and that he submit to the

General Assembly at an early day a report of In other words, this means that the people of Delaware want the new cable to be landed at some place along the shores of their State.

In the Court of Over and Terminer, after the e-nclusion of the Hill murder case, the follow-

genciusion of the Hill murder case, the lonowing arrangemedts took place:

Joseph M. Donohue was arraigned for the murder of James Dempsey on the lith instant, and entered a plea of not guilty. A. Haller Gross, S. D. Page, and W. L. Hirst, Jr., Eigs., represent the prisoner.

Michael Techan was arraigned for the murder of Joseph Smith, on the 20th of December last, and entered a plea of not guilty. J. T. Pratt, Erg., appeared for the prisoner.

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FROM THE CAPITAL.

Proceedings in Congress To-day-New Measures Introduced.

End of a Legislative Contest at Harrisburg.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, Jan. 22, 1869.

The Judges of the Supreme Court, having adjourned over yesterday for Iwo days, are in consultation to-day on the constitutionality of the Legal-tender act.

The Committee on Banking and Currency to-day unanimously agreed to report a bill prohibiting banks in the principal cities from Loaning on Greenbacks.

The object is to break up the system of lock ng up greenbacks and producing a stringency in the money market for speculative purposes,

1 he House Military Committee to-day heard arguments from Governor Dennison, of Ohio, and Rice and Weston, of Maine, in favor of allowing the railroad running from Bangor to New Brunswick the claims assigned to it by the States of Maine and Massachusetts. The committee are net favorably disposed towards the proposition.

Spaides, of Chicago, a bidder for the contract to carry the

Overland Mail,

was before the committee investigating that subject to-day. He made a strong case, according to his story, against the Postmaster-General. The Alaska Investigating Committee had Martin before them to-day. He testified that all information on the subject came from a former confidential clerk in the State Department. The committee has ordered them both to appear to-morrow. Despatch to the Associated Press.

The Case of Virginia.

The Reconstruction Committee held a session this morning, and were addressed by Colonel John P. Baldwin, of Virginia, on the subject of the restoration of that State to the Union, and in advocacy of the views presented by the Virginia committee of seven.

CANAL NAVIGATION.

Propositions for the Enlargement of the Welland Canal. Special Desputen to The Evening Telegraph.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 22 .- At a meeting of the Detroit Board of Trade yesterday, a pream. ble and resolution in reference to a ship canal around Niagara Falls were passed. The preamble states that, in consequence of the improbability of securing a sufficient enlargement of the Eric Canal, the failure of the Niagara Ship Canal bill in the House of Representatives, and the hostility of the State of New York to the building of a canal on the American side, it behooves the people of the West to look to our neighbors of the Dominion of Canada for an enlargement of the Welland Canal to proportions sufficient for the largest class of vessels. A resolution was adopted requesting Congress to incorporate in any treaty of reciprocity which may be made with the Dominion of Canada for the enlargement of the Welland Canal, a provision that the canal be made not less than 105 feet wide on the surface, 90 feet in the bottom, with not less than 14 feet in depth of water, with locks not less than 275 feet long and 46 feet in width. Copies were ordered to be sent to the different Boards of Trade throughout

Latest Markets by Telegraph.

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New York, Jan. 22.—stocks unsettled. Chiago and Rock Island, 1315; Reading, 85%; Carton Company, 59; Ett, 383; Cleveland and Totedo, 1935; Cleveland and Pittsburg and Fort Wayne, 1285; Michigan Lentral, 117; Michigan Southern, 93%; New York Central, 117; Michigan Southern, 93%; New York Central, 1634; Illinois Central, 1:8; Cumberland prefarred, 3654; Virginia 66, 624; Missouri 68, 55%; S-208, 1862, 117; do. 1864, 1993; do. 1868, 19t; new do., 1885/2013; 10-408, 1075. Gold, 1215. Money, easy at 7 per cent. Exchange-teady. New York, Jan. 22.—Outton armer; saice of 500 bales at 23%. Flour scitive, and without decided cuauge; saice of 800 barrels. Wheat active and advanced 128 oc.; saices of 46,000 bushels No. 2 at \$155(0) 162. John steady; saice of \$3,000 bushels No. 2 at \$155(0) 162. John steady; saice of \$3,000 bushels No. 2 at \$155(0) 162. John steady; saice of \$3,000 bushels No. 2 at \$155(0) 162. John firmer; saice of 20,000 bushels Western at 165. Bed quiet. Pork quiet; new Mess, \$30 Lard quiet, steam rendered 195/2015/4. Whisky quiet.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 22.—Totton firm at 29(2)25/20. Flour in fair shipping demand, and the market favors by yers, but is without decided change. Wheat dull, and unchanged. Corn dull, prime white \$46,856.; slightly damp, \$86,856.; yellow, \$56,870. Oats dull at 686720. Rys firm at \$155,66160. Pork active at \$31. Bacon active; rib sides, 175/20175;c: clear do., 8c.; Shoulders, 180. Hams, 1960200. Lard quiet at 200.

PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES, JAN. 22

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DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS.-OFFICE OF CHIEF COMMISSIONER, FIFTH STREET, WEST SIDE, BELOW CHESNUT, PRILADELPHIA, January 21 1869. NOTICE.-In accordance with the provision of an Ordinance of Conneils approved April 24, 1868, notice is hereby given that the final esti-mate for the construction of the sewer on Eight-eenth and Vine streets will be paid February 20, 1859. All persons having claims for labor done or material furnished for said sewer are requested to present the same for payment on or before 12 o'clock M. February 21, 1869.

1 22 fe5 19 3t) MAHLON H. DICKINSON, Chief Commissioner of Highways.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY

AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Estate of JACOB STITES.

The Auditor appointed by the Court to audit, settle, and adjust the account of ELIZABETH A. STITES and CHARLES M. LUKEAS, administrators of JACOB STITES deceased, and to report distribution of the balance in the bauds of the accountant, will meet the parties interested, for the purpose of his appointment, on WEONESDAY, February 3, 1899, at 4 o'clock, P.M., at his office, No. 432 WALNUT Street, in the city of Philadelphia.

122 Imw53 THOMAS J. WORBELL, Auditor.

WASHINGTON.

Overland Mail Contracts - The Alaska Investigating Committee - Constitutionality of the Legal Tender Act.

FORTIETH CONGRESS-THIRD SESSION

Senate.

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Washington, Jac. 12 — The President presented the credentials of James A. Bayard and Thomas F. Bayard. Senators elect from Delaware.

Mr. Pomency presented the petitions of certain ladies of Niagara county, New York, and crisens of New Hempsaire and Florides, for equal suffrage.

Mr. Trumball, from the Committee on the Judiciary, reported the House Jehn resolution praviding for the disposition of certain papers relating to claims against the Department of the West, with an amendment, which was adopted; after which, the resolution was passed.

Mr. Conkling presented a petition for the abolition of the duty upon certain standard drugs and medicines, which have to be imported, and which do not interfere with native products.

Mr. Conkling also presented the petition of 450 women of Onondegua county, New York, for woman suffrage, and congratulated nimself en having been selected to present such a petition in preference to the Senator from Kansas (Pomeroy), who had been so much favored in that way by the ladies, that of late he had come to present their petitions in rather a cold and business-like manner, not belitting so gallant a gentleman. (Laughter.)

In presenting this petition he (Mr. Conkling), though in adv. cacy of the cause, thought that those who regarded intelligence as a sufficient qualification for the exercise of the right of suffrage should look with respect upon the movement to secure that right to woman, because it had been chiefly and any organization.

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Mr. Drake, by the uparimous isstruction of the Committee on the Pacific Rairroad, reported, and asked for the immediate consideration of a resolution declaring it inexpedient for Congress to authorize at y sub-idea in Government bonds to any railroad enterprise not entitled to them under the existing Mr. Eddmuns objected and the resolution went over.
Mr. Frelinghuysen then addressed the Senate in
reply to the argument of Mr. Morton yesterday on
the bill to punish the collection of Hiegal taxes upon

House of Representatives.

Mr Stewart presented the petition of Joseph Bircher & Co., briner & Co., and other New York merchants for a reduction of the tax on sales of liquors; also, a petition of Wellington & Co., P. Ewing & Co., Park & Telford, and other New York merchants for an amendment of section 55 of the act of July 20, 1658.

Mr Poisand, from the Committee on Revision of the Mr Poland, from the Committee on Revision of the Laws, made a report in reference to the extension of the 50 per cent. clause in the Banking law, and to the pinting of no cess in bankruptcy. Ordered to be printed and recommitted

Mr. Keltey (Pa.) introduced a bill to establish an assay office in Montans, and convert the branch mint at Lenver. Colorado, into an assay office, and relative to the refining of gold and sliver builton at the United States Mint and branches. Referred to the Committee on Colorade.

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Mr. Griswold (N. Y.) introduced a bill to diminish the fluctuations in gold and to provide for a return to specie payments. Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means, and ordered to be printed.

The bill proposes the lasus of gold notes by the Gevernment, redeemable in coin, and receivable for all Government dues not to exceed \$35.006.009, and not to exceed the amount of gold in the Treasury and the nominal amount of gold in the Treasury and the nominal amount of gold in the Treasury and the nominal amount of gold in the Treasury and the public debt is to be used in redeeming greenbacks at the average gold value. The bill contains several other propositions.

It was not prepared by Mr. Griswold, but was introduced by him at the request of its author for the consideration of the committee.

Mr. Koonz, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, reported a bill to amend the charter of the Corporation of Georgecown, D. C. giving the corporation the right to impose a tonnage tax. After debate the bill was laid on the lable.

Mr. Ingersoli, from the same committee, reported a bill of angles the name of 4½ street in Washington to Linc in evenue. Passed.

Mr. Walker, from the same committee, reported a bill to establish a Police Court in the District of Columbia.

After d'scursion, the morning hour having expired, After d'scursion, the morning bour having expired, the bill went over till the next private bill day.

Mr. Dawes (Muss), from the committee on conference on the bill relative to taking testimony in contented election cases, made a report, which was

refered to, The House then resumed the consideration of the bill granting land to the Denver Pacific Railroad and Telegraph Company. Mr. Van Trump continued his argument against the bill, which he had commenced on Wednesday. FROM HARRISBURG. The Eleventh Legislative District Con-

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. HARRISBURG, Jan. 22.-William Bunn, who contested the seat of Daniel Witham, as Representative from the Eleventh Legislative district, embracing portions of the Twelfth, Sixtcenth, and Twentieth wards of Philadelphia, has succeeded in that contest, the committee having awarded him the seat this morning. The grossest frauds were shown to have been perpetrated in this district by the Democracy.

[In our local columns to-day will be found an account of the operations of the Democratic repeaters in this district, showing how Mr. Witham secured a nominal majority of 35 votes. -ED. EVENING TELEGRAPH.]

THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

HARRISHURG, Jan. 22—The Sena's met at 11 o'clock, and after prayer by the Chaplain and reading of the Journal, Mr. Connell said that it had been remarked that no quorum was present, and asked that the roll be called, which was done, and it being ascertained that only fifteen Senato's were present, they adjourned until to-morrow morning.

DEMOCRATS PURPOSELY LEAVE THE CHAMBER, It may be stated in regard to the lack of a quorum that a l the Democrats purposely left the chamber before the time of meeting, intending in this way to prevent the passage this morning of the bill extending the term of the office of Receiver of Taxes Peltz. House of Representatives. Mr. McMiller, of Montgomery, called up the Sensta bill anthorizing the Swedes' Ford Bridge Company to forrow twelve thousand dollars. Passed. Two thousand copies of the report of the Superin-tendent of Soldier's Orphan's Schools were ordered to be printed.

Hunter, (Rep.), offered a resolution, "that" Mr. Hunter, (Rep.), offered a resolution, "that" for purposes of economy and reform the further publication of all public documents be stopped, and that the recycles of the pasters and folders be dispensed with. This gave rise to an assuaire debate as to the ability of the members to do their own pasting and folding, and the gueeral propriety of publishing the various documents.

Mr. fones, of Berks, Democrat, suggested that the money had better be appropriated to pay the different newspapers in the State to print the public Reports. Reports.
Mr. Davis, Republican of Phi'ada, moved to post-pone the matter indefinitely. (Equivalent to its On this the ayes were is and the noss were 43, so it was postponed indefinitely. The Philadelphia members voting in favor of the postponement were:—Adaire, though Davis, Foy, Hoigate, Hong, Josephs, Murlin, Myers, Stokes, Subers, and Clark.

These voting against the postponement were Dally, Rieckner, Rogers, and Witham, Ausent, McGingle and Hervy. and Hervy.

In reference to the guerrilla sheets alluded to yesterday, Mr. Davis of Philadelphia, says that he only referred to those papers that were quoted by Democratic members, and The Evening Trickership was not mentioned by him.

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THE LATEST NEWS.

FROM EUROPE.

By Atlantic Cable. Death of the Duke of Brabant-The Eastern Conference.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 22 .- Leopold Ferdinaud, Duke of Brabant and Prince Royal of Belgium, died last night, after a lingering illness. He was ten years of age.

Paris, Jan. 22.-The Conference has selected M. Walewski to convey the protocol to Athens. He has been instructed to wait five days for the answer of the Grecian Government.

This Evening's Quotations. London, Jau. 22.—Evening.—Consols. 934 for money and account; 5-20s, 754. Railways firm. Eric, 264; Illinois Contral, 93; Atlantic and

Great Western, 452.
FRANKFORT, Jan. 22.—Evening.—5-20s firm at Liverpool, Jan. 22.—Evening.—Cotton active. Uplands, 114@114: Orleans, 114@114. Sales of 15,000 bales. Lard, 72s. 3d. Rosin dull. Linseed oil firmer, but not higher. Cloversend firmer, but not higher. London, Jan. 22.—Evening.—Sperm oil £93. Spirits of petroleum, Sad.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.

The Alabama Claims Treaty. The Secretary of the Senate proposes to ask the Senate for a select committee to investigate the manner in which the Alabama treaty was obtained for publication. He is responsible for the custody of all executive documents until the Senate has disposed of them. It is surmised that the World obtained it from the Prasident. One of the President's secretaries is connected with the World.

Desputch to the Associated Press. The Turkish Mission.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22 .- The President to-day nominated to the Senate Joseph J. Stewart, of Maryland, to be Minister Resident at Constantinople; Selah Waters, of Tennessee, to be Minister Resident at Ecuador; Delos Lake to be United States Attorney for the District of California; and J. M. Grissom to be Pension Agent at St. Louis.

From Havana.

By Cuba Cable. HAVANA, Jan. 22 .- The Government is in receipt of despatches to the effect that the insurgents recently attempted to burn the city of Manzanillo, but were handsomely reputsed

by the garrison, mided by the men-of-war at anchor in the harbor. Senator Elected in Indiana. INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 22 .- A caucus of Repub-

ican members of the Legislature was held today, and Mr. Cumback's name was withdrawn and D. S. Pratt, of Logansport, was nominated. The latter in joint convention was elected, the vote being-Pratt, 83; Hendricks, 60. Absent or

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