CITY INTELLIGENCE. CITY CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

a Breach of Ordinance-Fighter Disposed of-An Unfortunate Mistake-A Case of Counterfelt Money-An Old offender.

Offendor.

—Yesterday afternoon two draymen were driving along Sixteenth street, and the horse of the latter was so close to the first dray that no one could pass between them. Policeman confined the drivers to obey the city ordinance requiring them to obey the city ordinance and the perfect all the consequence of the crowd handed on the street of the crowd landed, when Policemen Lawrence and Rich ards nabbed two of them, who gave the names of Frank Pierce and John Nunes. Adderman Carpenter held them in \$500 bail for trial.

—At a late hour last night two of the police of the Sixteenth district saw a man ranning down vine street yelling murder, thieves, etc. Immediately abead of the noisy individual was another man in a full gallop. They, thinking that the first fellow was the burglar, hid themselves and awaited him. He, before reaching them, crossed the street and kept on the run. They ran out, and notified him to halt or they would shoot. He didn't halt, and they shot. He then came to, and on going up to him it was discovered that he had lost a thumb. An explanation followed, and it was found that there had been a mistake on both sides. The wounded near was recognized as a resident of the vicinity, and he stated that he imagined the policemen to be thieves, when he and bis son started to arouse the neighborhood. He saw them leave the sldewalk suspleiously, and supposed them to be making an effort to escape.

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the sidewalk suspiciously, and supposed them to be making an effort to escape.

—Malcolm Hood has been held for a final hearing at the Central Station this afternoon. Malcolm, with another indivioual last evening went into a den on St. Mary street, and passed a counterfeit \$20 Government note. The proprietor of the place walked out quietly and recovered Policeman Yoder, who successful in secured Policeman Yoder, who succeeded in eapturing the prisoner; his accomplice suc-cerded in making his escape. On him was

found a lot of counterfeit currency.

—Ellen Driscoil is a female who is well known to the police of the southwestern portion of the city as a thief. Ellen's particular forte seems to be ner shiftly to scale high fences and strip clothes lines. Last night she jumped a fence at Seventh and Fitzwater streets, and femoved a quantity of clothes from the line. A polica-man overhauled her with the articles in her possession. She was sent to prison.

THE MORGUE QUESTION .- The N. Y. World of this morning says:—The question of erecting a Morgue in Philadelphia has been under discussion in the Common Council of that city for a sion in the Common Council of that city for a year past. There has been no other place for the reception of the surfortunate dead than the old Dead-House, which, in its arrangements, is far from conformable to modern notions. Accordingly, at a recent meeting of the Council, it was decided that a committee of fourteen gentlemen should visit New York and inspect the Morgue established at Bellevue Hospital, for the purpose of recording the method of construction sanitary reporting the method of construction sanitary arrangements, and other peculiarities of tha arrangements, and other peculiarities of that structure. The committee consisted of the following gentlemen;—Messrs. William Smith, Chairman; John J. Kersey, Charles H. Harkness, Alexander M. Fox, George W. Plumley, Samuel G. King, P. Duffy, William S. Stokley, John Bardsley, E. W. Leighton, John Fareira, Joseph Hookey, John Stohl, and Zenjamin H. Haines, Clerk. They left Philadelphia Thursday evening, at half past 6, and arrived here a little after 10, proceeding at once to the Metropolitan Hotel. Yesterday morning the entire delegation proceeded to the Ballevue Hospital; where they were received by Mr. Bell, and at once shown over the entire establishment. They were, however, more particularly intewere, however, more particularly inte-rested a the Morgue and examined all its details with considerable care. It happened that there was no poor walf of humanity in the Morgue awaiting recognition, for though the body of a "found drowned" had been received of the photographer, in order (according to the rules recently adopted) that its lineaments may be preserved, with such scraps of clothing as clung to it, for two years next ensuing. At the conclusion of their visit the delegations were unanimously that a preserved and the conclusion of their visit the delegations were unanimously that approximately mous in their expressions of approval to Mr. Bell of all they had seen in the establishment, and seemed inclined to recommend the construction of something very similar in their own city. The delegation visited, informally, different parts of the city in the afternoon, and in the evening were present at the representaof the Forty Thieves, by invitation of the

esses of Niblo's.-MORTALITY OF THE CITY .- The number of deaths in the city for the week ending at noon to-day was 250, being a decrease of 14 over the corresponding period of last year. Of these 133 were adults, 117 minors; 186 were born in the United States, 60 were foreign, 4 were un-known, 9 were people of color, and 12 from the country. Of the number, 8 died of conges-tion of the brain, 22 of inflammation of the lungs;

of marasmus; 8 of typhoid fever; 10 of debility, and g of old age.

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A SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCE-A BROKER'S Box Found Rifled.—This morning a policeman of the Eighteenth district picked up a tin box, which had the appearance of being a broker's money box, on a lot above Allegheny avenue, and east of Gunner's run. It had been forced over any there was nothing in the district of the control of the c forced open, and there was nothing in it except a tencent note and a pass book, on which was inscribed the name of Henry McLaughlin. Within its pages were a number of accounts which look as though the owner was engaged in stock operations. It is supposed that some broker has been robbed, and after the contents have been stolen the box has been thrown where it was found.

SERMON TO YOUNG MEN .- At the request of the Young Men's Christian Association, the Rev. J. Spencer Kennard will preach a sermon especially to young men at the Tenth Baptist Church, in Eighth street, above Green, tomorrow (Sabbath) evening, at 71/4 o'clock. Young men are cordially invited to be present.

WARNING TO HOUSEKEEPERS .- The police lieutenants this morning reported a number of dwellings which were found open last night in various parts of the city.

D'AROY M'GEE.

Whalen's Accomplices in the Assassina-

From the Toronto Telegraph, Feb. 15.

Whalen stated that there were two others engaged in the infernal plot, the carrying out of which has forfeited his life, and that he did on the the shot. This, however, was not stated on the gallows. We now have certain evidence before us which, in a very strong sense, confirms this statement. On the northwest corner of O'Connor and Sparks streets stood a building occupied by Mr. George Clarke as a hotel. A lady who was a boarder in this house, and who lady who was a boarder in this house, and who then occupied a front room on Sparks street, recollects hearing a buggy drive off from the front of the building about or immediately after the report of the pistol shot was heard on the morning of the murder. Now, further past this hotel there was no fence, and the field was open across to Queen street. On Queen street, if first lot east from the corner of Bank street, is a small two-story frame house. In this building lived a Mrs. Davidson. A little after 2 o'clock on the morning of the murder she heard the report of a pistol shot, and shortly after her attention was attracted by the sound of a hurrled footstep coming across the lot. Her child being unwell, she was awake, and went quickly to the front window. In doing so she made a noise by upsetting a small stand. This noise attracted the attention of the party on the street; for, on looking out of the window ahe saw a man standing, or rather pausing for an instant, and who gave a hurrled and furtive giance behind him, as if peering into the dark-hess to discover if he was followed. He then barned, ran across to the west side of Bank street, then paused for an instant, again looked pack, and then ran hurrledly off up Bank

street toward the woods. This man is described as tall, having light trowsers and a dark coat, and wore a beard on the chinagoatee. Now, this really does compare favorably with Whalen's statement, and is also corroborated by that of Lacroix, who, it will be remembered, said he saw a man run off in that direction. Public opinion points very strongly to the person who drove to Ayimer as being one of the other two to whom Whalen referand the third, we are informed, who answers Mrs. Davidson's description, could yet be arrested. Be this as it may, there is evidently a screw loose yet, or a yarn in the skein to be unravelled.

HORRIBLE ALLEGATIONS.

A Physician Charged with Choking a Child to Death. The Chicago Tribune of Thursday morning

"The office of Justice Summerfield was the "The office of Justice Summericat was the scene of such developments yesterday that if but a tithe of them be proven true tney will rank among the most horrible and appailing that have ever come to light in this city. Alleged proof of nothing less than three distinct murders was partially ventilated, murders committed under circumstances most unnatu-ral and foul. The accused in two of these cases is a long resident physician of this city, named Charles Earl, who is now under arrest, awaiting the issue of the case. The other parties are yet at large, but will probably be looked after at the

The prosecuting witness in the first cases is Jeannette Earl, formerly the wife of the ac-cused. It appears that she was married to the doctor about five years ago, being then a widow with a child three years of age, and lived with him until two years ago, when she applied for and obtained a divorce. A boy had been born to them, and in the decree of separation no pro-vision was made regarding the custody of the vision was made regarding the custody of the child. Under the law, unless otherwise provided, the father has supervision of the children, and as the doctor refused to give up the boy, the mother was reluctantly compelled to seek his presence in order to see her child. She finally consented to live in the same house with him, and at the present time she resides at No. 196 S. Jefferson street, where the Doctor also has separate spartments. Since their separation are alleges he ments. Since their separation are alleges he has often broached the subject of a remarciage, she has often broached the subject of a remarciage, she has stoutly resisted all overtures, and this refusal has often subjected her, she says, to severe abuse. When they were yet man and wife, she states she had grave doubts as to the legitimacy of the Doctor's cailing; and these suspicions were the chief cause for their parting. In June last, she alleges she made further discoveries, which have since weigned heavily on her mind, and during the past three months she has revealed them to several of our most prominent citizens, who, besides giving her some good advice, offered to protect her in case she choose to prosecute the doctor.

The Doctor being rearrested, Mrs. Earl testified against him as follows:

My name is Jeannette Earl. I was married the footer word for your say.

by hame is Jeannette East. Two had one child, a boy, whose custody was left unsettled by the court. Therefore, for the sake of my child, I have lived in the same house with the doctor since curseparation. Somewhere about the middle of last June I was in the doctor's course that the middle of last June I was in the doctor's course the middle of last June I was the middle of last June I was the middle of last the middle of last June I was the middle of last the middle of last June I was the middle of last the mid office, which was then at Rooms No. 8 and 4 Berlin Block. I was in the reception room, and he called me into the private office, after and he called me into the private office, after which he locked the door. He then said, "Come here, and look," and with that he look something from a drawer, wrapped in a white cloth, and, unwinding it, revealed the body of a full-grown boy infant. He remarked:

—"This is Mrs. Lobdell's child. You did not have confidence in me, and told me to be careful; you were afraid I would kill some of y, now you see. I don't know whether Lobdell or his wife heard it; it did ery once, but I did not his wife heard it; it did cry once, but I did not allow it to cry again." He then showed me how he had strangled it around the neck, and I saw the finger marks. I said, "Great God! it makes my blood runcold!" and turned away. I looked once more afterwards. Knowing what profession he was in I saked him what he did with sion he was in, I asked him what he did with them. "You came in one day," he said, "when I had a bot fire; I had a purpose in that." The child I saw looked ss if it had been alive. I have retained the doctor's name for my boy's

cross-examined—I have known the doctor five years; have been his wife; obtained a divorce two years age; have a child by him; I have lived in the same house with him again since the 1st of October; he has severely abused me on several occasions; I told him he was abusing and losing his best friend; that I had hitherto been held to him out of fear; he threatened my life if I ever revealed any of his business; he has done so a number of times; I told him I was not justified in keeping it secret.

TREASURY RINGS.

What Has Been Paid for the Secret Conversion of Gold Into Greenbacks.

The New York Journal of Commerce prints the tollowing Washington correspondence:—
The nice little arrangements of these worthies are likely to be broken up, leaving only the pleasant recollections of a remunerative past to console them in the future. Senator Conk-ling's bill was reported from the Finance Com-mittee on the 10th instant, and will be considered in the Senate when Sherman's bill is disposed of. It now seems to be the intention of both houses to pass a bill this session preventing, as do Conkling's and Judd's bills, fur-

ther secret sales of gold and bonds.
The bonded debt of the United States, as it The bonded debt of the Chited States, as it now stands, has been put in and withdrawn from the market no less than three times. Whenever it is hinted that the Government intend secretly to place upon or secretly withdraw from the market a certain amount of bonds or gold, the greatest excitement is created in the money market, rendering it exceedingly teachers and unstable. The banns term refer. tremulous and unstable. The happy few who have known and taken advantage of the real facts of the case at the time are to-day revelling in the wealth thus obtained, while the great mass interested in financial matters have suffered great inconvenience and loss by being forced to await the final action of the Treasury Department in every instance where such secret sale has been made. In addition to this the premiums or commissions paid to brokers in the Treasury ring have amounted to a very large sum. No more commissions will be paid after the pending bills take effect. That these commissions may be properly stated for the information of the public, and especially of commercial people in New York, I have, in addition to the facts contained in a former letter, prepared the following detailed statement, the facts of which have been obtained from the best official sources. Commissions paid by the Secretary of the Treasury, to brokers putside of his department, on secret sales, purchases and conversions of bonds and gold previous to April 23, 1868, the greater part since 1863: mass interested in financial matters

since 1864:— Commissions paid by the Secretary of the Treasury to outside brokers for the secret conversion of gold \$231,650.00

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Do. 5-20 loan, authorized June, 1864... The entire commission paid to outside brokers on the conversion of various securities into the bonds authorized March, 1865, is not The amount paid pre-181,256 97 kers on the conversion of various

securities into 7:30 bonds of June, 1864, and March, 1865...... Total conversions previous to April Nearly all the last-named 7:30 bonds have again been converted into the 5:20 bonds, auhorized March, 1865, of which \$958,342,900 have been issued, but the entire amount of commis-sions paid to secret sale brokers for the service

I have thus far been unable to ascertain.

BUTLER.

A Reminiscence of Early Days. A Reminiscence of Early Days.'

The explanations and qualifications made by Butler to take off the edge of his Wednesday's insolence, remind one of that early legislative experience of his—his quarrel with Speaker Bliss, of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, many years ago. The occasion of his rage then was a decision of the Chair, and in the first transport of his fury he expressed a wish to "knife the old cuss," as he elegantly expressed it. Being called to account for such language, he declared he only wanted to "knife the Speaker's decision," which is a very harmless, if not very intelligible amusement Mr. Schenck's support of General Butler, and his reflections on

Mr. Clifax, go to show that there is some truth in the story (which we hoped was a fabrication) of a growing hos!lity towards the incoming administration, on the part of some of the leading Republican members of Congress. They evidently distrust Grant, and mean to make a combination against him; but not venturing as yet to attack him openly, they show their ill-will towards Mr. Colfax, his associate on the ticket and his intimate friend. show their ill-will towards Mr. Colfax, his assi-ciate on the ticket and his intimate friend. This is after the fashion of the small boy, who said, when angry with his school fellow, "I don't care; if I can't lick you I can make up faces at your sister." But Colfax, as well as Grant, can afford to smite at their suspleious and their ill-nature.—Springfield Republican,

Poisoned.

The Harrisburg Te.egraph of yesterday after-Dr. W. M. Jennings, of Titusville, on Tuesday last, feeling unwell, went to McDonald's drug store, and, as was his habit on similar occa-sions, took a gobiet and proceeded to the front of the store to obtain some tincture of orange-peel. As he passed behind the counter his attention was attracted by a man standing near the stove, who had engaged him in conversa-tion. While answering some casual inquiry, be turned partly towards his questioner, and ss he did so took down the bottle containing tincture of aconite, poured into his gobiet nearly an conce of the poison, and without examing the label replaced the bottle. He then obtained a small quantity of sherry, and immediately awallowed the preparation at a single drawitt causing his death in a counter of gle draught, causing his death in a couple of bours. Dr. Jennings had resided all his life in the oil regions, where he was universally known and esteemed. He was born in the

thirty seventh year,

vicinity of Coopertown, Venantacounty, where his father still resides, and had completed his

We learn from the officers of the Louisland Petroleum and Coal Oll Company that in their explorations for petroleum in the parish of calcasieu in this State, they find increases indications of that valuable commodity, the deeper the work progresses, and at a depth of six number feet from the surface, which they attained on the Stn instant, that the foreman ettained on the sta instant, that the foredain telegraphs increased indication of oil, and that everything is all right. But the most singular part of the borings is in revealing z bad of pure sulphur at the depth of four hundred and forty-two feet. The stratum is about two feet thick, and for a continuous depth of ninety feet the auger went through a strata of sulphur in gray lime, the latter containing about fifty to seventy five percent. of sulphur, and at times the auger passed through strata of six to eight feet of pure sulphur in this gray lime.—New Orteans Republican.

Stock Quotations by Telegraph-1P. M. Received by telegraph from Glondinning, Davis & Co., Stock Brokers, 48 S. Third street:— Y. and Erie R.R. 36 Mil. & St. Paul B.c 653, Mil. & St. P. pref,... 78 Ph. and Rea. R. 92 Mich. S. and N. I. B. 91 Cle, and Pitt, B...... Chi, &N. W. Is, com. Chi,& N. W. R. prf. Chi and R. I. R...... Adams Express.... 64 Wells, Fargo Exp... 32 Tenn. 8s, new... U. S. Express Co 65 Pitts.F.W and Chi.120 Pacific Mail S. Co...106 West, Union Tel., 3714

Philadelphia Trade Report.

SATURDAY, Feb. 20 .- The Flour market is develd of animation, and in the absence of any demand for shipment only 900 barrels were taken for home consumption, including superfine at \$5@5.25; 300 barrels extras at \$6 50@7, the latter rate for choice; Pennsylvania and Ohio extra family at \$8@10; Iowa, Wisconsin, and Minnesota do. at \$7@775; and taney brands of winter wheat family at \$10 25@1250, according to quality. Rye Flour is worth \$7@725 per bbi. Nothing doing in Corn Meal.

The Wheat market is extremely quiet, the demand being almost exclusively for prime lots, which are in small supply; sales of red at \$1.75@1.90 for fair and choice; amber at \$1.855.

\$1.75@1.90 for fair and choice; amber at \$1.95; and white at \$2.10@2.20. Rye is steady at \$1.55 1.58 per bushel for Western. Corn is quiet at former rates; sales of 2000 busbels yellow at 88 @89c. and new white at 85@87c. Oats more steady, with sales of 3000 busbels Western at 74@76c. Nothing doing in Barley or Malt. 4@75c. Nothing doing in Barley or Matt.

Sceds—Cloverseed is in good demand, with
sales at \$9.75@10. Timothy ranges from \$3.75@

i. Flaxseed sells to the crushers at \$2.62@2.65,
Bark is fivm at \$50 per ton for No. 1 Quer-

LATEST SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

For additional Marine News see Inside Pages. NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—Arrived, steamship Aleppo, from Liverpool via B. ston.

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA FEBRUARY 20.

ARRIVED THIS MORNING.
Schr Ann Twibill. Edwards, 6 days from Norfolk, with cedar rails to Collins & Co.
Schr Southerner, Darling, 7 days from Portland, with midse to captain.
Schr Eille L Smith, Smith, from Providence, with midse, to Latbbury, Wickersham & Co.
Schr Eillen Holgate. Golding, from Pantego Mills, N. C., with lumber to Norcross & Sneets.

SPOKEN.
18th inst. off Montauk, brig H. B. Merriman, from Matanzas, by steamship Saxon, at this port.

Correspondence of the Paladelphia Exchange,
LEWES, Del., Feb. 18-6 P. M.—Brig John Shay
from Palermo for Philadelphia, arrived at the Breakwater this P. H.
Barques Proteus, for Trinidad; Der Turner, for
Cork; brig Janes Baker, for Cardenas; schra C. E.
Elmer, for Kingston, Ja.; and Hattle Palge, for Port
Spain, all from Philadelphia, went to sea to day,
Wind NW.

JOSEPH LAFETRA.

MEMORANDA.

Schr Orfole, Stahl, for Philadelphia, cleared a Jacksonville lith inst, Schr D. S. Mershon, Adams, hence for Boston, at New York yesterday, Schr M. E. Coyne, Facemire, hence, at New York Vesterday.

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FROM THE CAPITAL.

Proceedings in the Senate and House of Representatives.

FORTIETH CONGRESS-THIRD SESSION

Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20, -The President presented the credentials of Eugene Camerly, Senator elect from California, mr. Cole presented the petition of citizens of Cali-fornia, praying for women's suffrage in the District

of Coumble,

ar. Sucher called up the joint resolution authorizing 1/2 attorner-General to invasigate the claim of Mod & Co., for damages for these nare of the steamer Neva by the Chinese Government, and providing for 10 d innity. Passed.

Mr. Mer. an presented the resolutions of the New York Chamber of Commerce relative to the bridge between New York and Brooklyn.

Also, the polition of a claim of Virginia, praying for the ratification of the Constitution adopted by the Convention in Richmond in 1857, and sciemaly protesting against the removal of political disabilities in the State.

that Sine.

On motion of Mr. Sherman, the bill for the relief of Abboit O Ross, of Chie, was passed. It gives him stick for the n e of his invention utilizing stoam as a means of naval warfare.

On motion of Mr. Williams, the bill in relation to ce take private land claims in New Mexico was taken up and passed.

Mr. Corbett called up the bill to authorize the Secretary of the Tressory to issue an American regis er to the salp Agra, of Hoston, which was pur mater the projection of the Billich flag during the Receition.

Mr. Nye said he was strongly enposed to allowing Mr. Nyesaid he was krongly orposed to allowing American ship-owners, who from selfish motives had not their thirs under foreign flags, to bring thom again under the protection of the American flag.

Mr. Corbetts shi that the Pransfer of the Ara was made w thout the consent of the owners and called attention to the statem at in the memorial of th

where. Mye said if that were so the transfer was mr. Nee said it that were so the transfor was liegal, and no legislation was necessary to refusitate the vessel in her firmer position.

Mr. Cameron was it favor of a general bill applying to all vessels that were entitled to be given again the protection of the America, fleg, and until such a still could be passed he would have the interested payties walt. parties walt.

Mr. Sommer said that the Senator from Paunsylvania lorget that these gentlemen had already wanted a good white. He was in favor of a seneral bill but be wished in the meantime to inke up individual cases and deal with them on their merits. To be this bill wait now would be to kill it.

House of Representatives.

Mr. Moore presented a pellition of the Ship Owners' Association of New York, for the projection of avigation from illegal exaction by State and muni

cipal corporations.

The House then resumed the consideration of the New Maxico consessed election case.

Mr. Pet is continued and concluded his argument in favor of the report of the committee adverse to the right of the sitting delegate.

The consideration of the abject was interrupted at one o'clock by the Eargeant at Arms appearing at the bar of the House with twenty honorable chilorite in his charge, the absentees of fart night, who had sive fallen fully his re. They were lauged in the area in front or the Steaker's chair, and were about to be formally arrai, in d and inputted of as to their exbe formally arrai, n d and inquired of as to their ex

Mr. Bromall rose and offered a resolution directing that forther proceedings under the call be dispensed with, and that the Committee on Accounts be authorized to allow to the Sergeant-at-Arms the amount of excesses incurred by him.

Mr. Raudall moved to lay the whole subject on the table. R-lee ed.

Mr. Raudall moved to lay the whole subject on the table. R-jec ed.
Mr. Jand inquired what the legal fees of the Sergenat-at-Arms were? He understood that one call of the House and cost \$507.

bir. Bromail replied that the fees were \$1.20 for each man arrested and mileage. He moved the previous question.

The previous question was seconded, and the resolution was adopted.

The rembers in custody then took their seats and the curtain fell on the performance entitled 'A call of the House,'

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The House resumed the consideration of the New Mexico contested election care.

Mr. Gleaver, the sixting delegate, addressed the House for an I our in opposition to the report of the committee and in advocacy of his uwn right to represent the Territory.

The House proceeded to consider the Sanate amendment to the joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Consideration.

FROM CUBA.

Holguin Surrounded by Insurgents-Communication Between Cities Cutoff -The Situation.

HAVANA, Feb. 18, via Lake City, Feb. 19 .- One thousand Chasseurs arrived to-day from Spain and landed amid enthwsiastic demonstrations. greater part of the rebels are within the jurisdiction of Holgnin; they draw their supplies from the bacleudas The Spanish forces in arms on the island

Advices frym Holguin to the 7th justant have been received. The communication with the troops there has been cut off by the insurgents. who surround the town and intercept supplies of cattle.

number 70,000 men

of cattle.
Families are flying from Remedios, alarmed at the approach of the rebels. The telegraph lines connecting with Havana have been destroyed and mails have been captured by the nsurgents.
At Jaghay a party of one hundred insurgents were surprised. Sixty were captured and the

rest dispersed.

The insurgents were near Trinidad on the 17th. They were under the command of Riojos and Bravo.
At Clenfuegos It is reported that the troops have retaken Manicaragua, with 200 insurgents prisoners.

Troops have been sent again to Santiago.

Manzanimo and Bayamo; but operations have been suspended by superior orders, and Val-maseda's forces have been divided between Santiago, Jignani, and Bayamo. Nulanes and others have surrendered themelves to Valmaneda and asked for permission to leave the country. Railroad Accident.

PORT CHESTER, N. Y., Feb. 20 .- The 11-15 train from New Haven, when near Fordham,

ran over and almost entirely killed a woman said to be the wife of G. W. Lewis, of Fordham. Markets by Telegraph.

Markets by Telegraph.

New York, Feb. 10.—Cotton steady and 200 bales sold at 12%c. Flour heavy and declining. 1000 barrels sold: State at 25 756-716; western, \$550625; Southern, \$650621250; Canfordis, \$608 10 for old, and \$8 2500 10 for new. Wheat heavy and declined 10020; \$500 bushels sold: white California at \$1856157. Corn dull and market favors buvers; sales of 26,000 bushels mixed Western at \$600502. Oad dull and declining; sales of 21 000 bushels wastern at 7500760. Boef quiet. Pork dull and lower new mess, \$41 60. Lard lower; steam, 19%619%c. Whisky heavy, NEW YORE, Feb. 20.—Stocks steady. Gold, 123% Exchange, 109%; 5-208, 1852, 113%; do, 1804, 110%; a., 1805, 112%; new, 110%; 1807, 110%; 10-68, 100%; Vurginia 68, 61%; Missouri 68, 87%; Cauton Company, 50; Oumberland preferred, 30%; New York Cestral, 133%; Esading, 92%; Hudson River, 140%; Michigan Central, 118; Michigan Southern, 94%; Illinois Central, 112; Coveland and Pittsourg, 98%; Cleveland and Toledo, 100; Chicago and Rock Island, 127%; Pittsburg and Fort Wayne, 120%.

Paltymore, Feb. 20.—Cotton very dull and nominally 28%c. Fibor quiet and steady. Wheat very Wayne 120%. Feb 22.—Cotton very dull and nominally 28%c. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat very dull and prices unchanged. Corn steady. White, si @88c; yellow 85@87c Oats and Rye unchanged. Pork quiet at 425.0. Bacen quiet; rib aides. 17%26017%c.; clear sides. 18% @16%c.; shoulders, 15%@16%c. Hams, 20c. Lard quiet at 21c.

Stock Quotations by Telegraph-2 P. M. Glendinning, Davis & Co. report through their Pls. F. W. and Chi... 12014 Tenne Pa. M. Steam. Co... 10614 Gold. Market steady. PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGESALES, PEB, 20

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WASHINGTON. THE LATEST NEWS.

Suffrage Amendments Now Pending-Preparing for the Next Census - The Cabinet Offices.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

Suffrage Amendments. WASSINGTON, Feb. 20, - The members of th' House Judiciary Committee are in conference with the Senators who have had charge of the proposed suffrage amendment to the Constitution in that body, with a view to fixing up something that will be acceptable to both branches. It is the opinion of Governor Boutwell that satisfactory conclusions will be reached so that some measure can be got through before the close of the session. It is thought, however, that either of the joint resolutions which have been before Congress will be successful.

The committee on the next census had s meeting to-day and discussed the proposed bases of representation, and they will probably report in favor of increasing the members of the House of Representatives to three hundred. They will make the Census Bureau a securate department, instead of having it, as heretofore, connected with the United States Marshal's Financial.

The Next Census.

The Senate Pinance Committee to-day couidered the supplementary currency act, and decided to strike out Mr. Coburn's amendment and either substitute the original Senate bill or the amendment reported by the House Committee on Banking and Corrency.

The question as to what action should be taken on the Tax bill was not decided. The sentiment of the committee is against any action on it at this session.

Contempt.

The Sergeant-at-Arms was very busy this merning hunting up members who were absent last night when there was a call of the Bouse. There are about forty recreants, who will be graighed at the bar of the House at I o'clock, in accordance with the order passed last night. to show cause why they should not be held in contempt for absenting themselves without leave.

Representation of Ponnsylvania in the Cabinet.

It is said that the Penusylvania delegation, despairing of obtaining any representation in the Cabinet from their own State, owing to the victent opposition of various political factions, have agreed to throw what influence they may have with General Grant in favor of ex Senator Creswell of Maryland. Creswell is now here, and hard at work among his friends.

Absent Members.

At I o'clock the order of the House made last evening, relating to members absent without leave, was executed. A large number were produced by the Eergeant-at-Arms and arraigned at the bar. Among them were the following from Penusylvania:-H. L. Cake and 8. N. Pettis. On motion of Mr. Broomall, of Pennsylvania, all further proceedings under the call were dispensed with, all fines remitted. and the fees to the Sergeant at-Arms were ordered to be paid out of the contingent fund of the House. These fees will amount to about one hundred and fifty dollars.

FROM BALTIMORE.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

Death of an Old Merchant, BALTIMORE, Feb. 20 .- Charles A. Gambrill, one of our most prominent, opulent, and respected merchants, the owner of the Patapsco flouring mills, and the most extensive miller in the State, formerly President of the Corn and Flour Exchange, died this morning of diabetes after several weeks' illness. He leaves a large estate, and will be deeply missed. The Board of Trade and Corn and Flour Exchange approprintely notice his demise.

AT A SPECIAL METTING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTOR OF THE FRANKLIN FIRE INSUPANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA, held at their office on FRIDAY MORNING, February 19, 18-9, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

it, is 3, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

Resolved. That this Board, with unfeigned feelings of seriow, dep ore the decease of the late venerable and truly respected President of this institution.

Resolved. That in the decease of CHARLES N. EANCKER, Esq., this company has met with an irreparable loss, universally distinguished as he was for his unblemished character, his high sense of themer, his elevated moral and religious life, and his unequalisd knowledge of the business of this company, giving, as he did his faithful and devoted services to it alone 1829—that being the year in which the corporation was founded by him.

Resolved. That this Board sympathics most truly with the family of the deceased, with whom they sincerery condole in this melancholy bereavement, the greatest they could sustain. sincerely conducted in this meancholy bereavement, the greatest they could statish.

Resolved, That this Eourd will pay their last tribute of respect to the venerable deceased by attending his funeral in a body.

Besolved, That the Vice-President be requested to communicate a copy of these resolutions to the family of the deceased.

CITY ORDINANCES.

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Front of Independence Hail,
Section 1. The Select and Common Councils Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the Washington Monument Association of the First School District of the State of Pennsylvania be and is hereby authorized and directed to locate the Statue of Washington on the pavement in front of Indopendence Hall.

14.0UIS WAGNER.

President pro tem, of Common Council. Auest—
John Eckstein,
Clerk of Common Council.
WILLIAM S. STOKLEY,
President of Select Council.

Approved this eixteenth day of February. Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine (A. D.1660), DANIEL M. FOX, 2 19 14

A NORDINANCE
To Establish the Salary of the Assistant
Miscellaneous Clerk in the Department of

Mayor of Philadelphia.

Highways.

Section I. The Select and Common Councils of the city of Philadelphia de ordain. That the salary of the Assistant Miscellaneous Clerk in the Department of Highways shall be one thousand dollars per annum from the first day

of January, A. D. 1860.

LOUIS WAGNER,
President pro. tem, of Common Council.

Attest-Joun Eckstein, Clerk of Com Clerk of Common Council,
WILLIAM S. STOKLEY,
President of Select Council,
Approved this sixteenth day of February,
Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and
sixty-nine (A. D. 1869).
DANIEL M. FOY

Mayor of Philadelphia. United STATES REVENUE STAMPS OF

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Gerald Eaton Respited by the Governor-The Coming Inauguration-The Alabama Treaty.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, Feb. 20. The House

has passed the joint resolution postponing for three hours the time fixed for the meeting of the House of Representatives of the Forty-first Congress. The object is to allow the members of the House to participate in the inauguration which takes place on the 4th of March. These ceremonles take place at noon; and should the House meet as now provided by law, it would, at the time, be engaged in electing its officers, It will not, therefore, meet till 3 P. M.

The Tenure-of-Office Act. The Senate spent a long time to-day wrangling over what order of business should be taken up. Finally a majority were found in favor of taking up the bill repealing the Tenure-of-Office act. The vote will be very close, but the im-

pression is that the Senate will ultimately pass. the bill as it came from the Senate. The President has notified his friends that he will veto any

modification of it.

Despatch to the Associated Press.

More of Johnson's Half-way Vetoes, Washington, Feb. 20.-The following bills and joint resolutions having been presented to the President on the 6th instant, and not having been returned by him within the constitutional limit of ten days (Sundays excepted), have

become laws:-Bill appropriating \$30,000 for the temporary relief of the poor and destitute people of the

District of Columbia, Resolution relative to the recent contract for stationery for the Department of the Interior. It suspends payment to Dempsey & C'Toole.

Resolution respecting the provisional governments of Virginia, Texas, and Mississippi. This provides that persons holding offices in these States, who cannot take or subscribe to an oath of office according to the previous act of Congress shall, on the passage of this resolution, be removed therefrom: and it shall be the duty of the different commanders to fill the vacancies so created by the appointment of persons who can take the oath; provided that the provisions of this resolution shall not apply to persons who by reason of the removal of their disabilities as provided in the fourteenth article of amendment to the Constitution, shall have qualified for office.

FROM EUROPE.

The Alabama Claims Treaty-Comments on the Recent Action of the Senate-

Regrets and Hopes. By Atlantic Cable. LONDON, Feb. 20.-The failure of the United States Senate to ratify the treaty recently concluded between Clarendon and Reverdy Johnson, for the settlement of the Alabama claims, has elicited the following comments from the

London journals of this morning: -

The Standard (conservative) regrets the rejection of the convention, after the protracted and laborious aggotiations. Advances for a new treaty must come from the United States. Fugland is now unfettered from concessions, and will only treat hereafter on terms of absolute equality.

The Times says the present treaty has testified . the amity of Eugland, and its fallure does not endanger the friendly relations between the twocountries, but will rather serve as a warning in arranging the points of a new convention. The Post (conservative) regrets the rejection

of the treaty only on account of the delay it will occasion in the restoration of friendly relations between Great Britain and the United GLASGOW, Feb. 20. -The Anchor Line steamer

Columbia, from New York, was off Movilie this

morning.

From St. Louis. Sr. Louis, Feb. 20 .- An examination of the books of White & Errickson and Thurmond & Co., tobacconists, discloses the fact that the former failed to report to the United States revenue officer sales to the amount of 23,000 pounds of tobacco, on which there is due the Government a tax and penalty of \$21,000; and that Thurmond & Co. sold 28,500 pounds more than they returned, and that they owe tha

Government a tax and penalty of \$26,500. From Minnesota.

St. PAUL, Minn. Feb. 20 .- Detective Sergeant of Boston, and City Marshal Fitt, of Newburgport, Msss., have arrested Leconard Choate, the alleged incendiary, and terror of Newburyport for many years. It is estimated that over fifty buildings, including four churches, have been

burned by him. . Respite of Eaton.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 20,-The Governor has respited Gerald Faton, but has not yet determined for what length of time. Specie Shipment

New York, Feb. 20.-The steamship St. Laurent takes out \$87,000 in specie for Europe. RESOLUTION
Of Request to the Legislature of Pennsylvania not to pass a Bill Quartering a Railroad Company on Twelfth and Sixteenth Streets.
Whereas, A bill is now before the Legislature to charter a company for the purpose of constructing a Passenger Railway on Twelfth and

Sixteenth streets, without requiring the assent of Councils or of the citizens residing or owning And whereas, Such a railway is not needed for any public uses, and would appropriate for railway uses the only two streets between the Delaware river and Eighteenth street not already occupied for railway purposes; be it therefore

therefore
Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the Chy of Philadelphia, That a charter
of a company to construct a passenger rallway
on Twelfth and Sixteenth streets is not required on Twelfth and Sixteenth streets is not required by any public necessity or convenience, and that the bill before the Senate appropriating these streets to a railway company is opposed to the interests and opinions of the citizens. Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing pream-ble and resolution be forwarded to each branch of the Legislature and to the Governor.

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LOUIS WAGNER.

President pro tem, of Common Council Attest-John Eckstein.

Clerk of Common Council.

WILLIAM S. STOKLEY.

President of Select Council.

Approved this sixteenth day of February.

Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine (A. D. 1889). sixty-nine (A. D. 1869).

DANIEL M. FOX.
Mayor of Philadelphia