# THE DAILY EVENING TELEGRAPH-PHILADELPHIA, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 1869.

### NEWS SUMMARY.

### City Affairs.

-Last night, between 10 and 11 o'clock, a car on the Union Passenger Railway was stosed by a crowd of boys at Somerset an i Spring streets. and Mrs. Mahariny, a passenger, was severely injured.

-A female infant, apparen'ly one year old, was found last night in the churchyard at Eighteenth and Spring Garden streets. It was taken in charge temporarily by one of the neigh-

-Aribur Henry and Henry Smith had a hearing before Alderman Kerr yesterday afternoon upon the charge of pick ng the pocket of David Shurlock of \$10, while in a saloon on N. Third s rec'. The accused was bound over for tria?.

-About 5 o'clock last evening, a fire broke out in a build ug at Thirteenth and Christian sticets, which destroyed a portion of the roof. The flames were extinguished before they had

effected much damage. At 8 30 P. M. yesterday, a fire occurred in the planing mill of Thomas Wallace, No. 1421 Spring Garden street. The damage was triding.

-The Mayor yesterday made the following order:-The Chief of Police and two Lieuten-ants will constitute a board to which all applicants for positions on the police force will be relerred. The board will adopt a standard of qualifications necessary to be possessed by the splitcant before his calms can be considered. New applicants will be received at the office on Friday next, between 1 and 3 o'clock.

-The following are additional police appointmenis:-

First district-James Peoples and John Kelly. In the Seventh district-Henry Vanderslice. In the Tenth district-Charles Rolling, John Car-penter, John O'Haire, John Girard, John Reilly, Joseph Brandt. In the Eleventh district Robert Manning and William Richmond. In the Thirteeuth district-Devnis Multin. In the Righteenth district - John G. Armstrong, Thomas Taylor, John Finley, Michael McCormick, Patrick Maxwell.

-At a meeting of the 6th Army Corps Legion held last evening, a resolution was passed, to the effect that the Legion visit Harrisburg on the 26th of May, to attend the dedicatory cere-moties of the monument erected to the memory of deceased Mexican volunteers. The corps and division commanders were elected honorary members, as follows: Generals Wright, Franklin. Wheaton, Upton, Newton, Brooks, Smith, Slo-cum, Ricketts, Seymour, Terry, Howe, Getty, Neill, and Pratt. Thirty other members were added to the rolls, and the organization ad-ion model. Wheaton, journed

-The following list of robberies, chiefly of first and Sansom streets, shows that more energetic police supervision is required:-Batker & Bros, on the Schnylkill; John K. Freedley, Walnut street whari; Cunningham & Sens, Twenty-first street, above Cheanut; Giver Falce, Chesnut, helow Twenty-second; Doland & Smeids, Twenty-second and Locust; Comber & Co., Twenty-second and Cheanut; William Gray, Twenty-second and Sansom; Miller & Killen, Twenty-second, above Cheanut; Miller & Killen, Twenty-second, above Chesnut; Ed. Greple, ¡Chesnut, above] Seventeenth; Seiby & Richardson, Locust street wharf; Philip Dougherty, Twenty-third and Locust; F. Hoopes, Arch street wharf; John Doyle, Twenty-first, above Chesnut; Mrs. Williams, No. 2206 Chesnut. In addition to the above several black with shore where stone cuitare? several blacksmith shops, where stone-cutters

tools are made, have been entered and robbed. —The annual report of the Apprentices' Li-brary Company was read last evening, at a orary company was read has evening, at a meeting of the subscribers to that institution. It showed that during the time for which the library was opened last year-about eight months—there were loaned 24,897 volumes; 10,783 to boys and 14,104 to girls. The average number of readers during the year were 739 boys and 877 girls; there were added to the bbrary 153 volumes to the hows' decartment hbrary 153 volumes to the boys' department and 244 to the girls' department; 194 volumes were donated to the institution. At the present time there are 19,405 volumes, 13,015 in the girls' department and 6390 in the boys' department in the library. The institution was closed for four months, during which time the interior was remodelled, and the accommodations greatly increased. The managers are desirous of so far increasing their income as to allow the opening of the library, two nights in the week, to the use of poor men.

Foreign Affairs.

MADBID, March 9 .- There was a strong debate during the session of the Constituent Cortes yesterday. The Republican members made bitter attacks upon the Ministry for their alleged monarchical proclivities, and demanded that the Duke of Montpensier be divested of his rank of a marshal of Spain. They also accused the provisional government of endeavoring to smuggle him into the country for the purpose of placing him ou the throne. General Prim replied that the Duke could not with justice be deprived of his title of marshal.

Admiral Topete, Minister of Marine, amid great excitement, declared that a kingdom, with Montpensier on the throne, was preferable to a republic. Marshal Serrano made a calm and dignified speech, defending the provisional government from the attacks of the Republicans, and assorting the sovereign authority of the Cortes, and insisting that the determination of the form of government for Spain and the choice of her future rule should be left to the Cortes alone. He deprecated the violent pressure brought to bear upon the Cortes by the Republican party, as impolitic and unfair. In the course of the session the Foreign Minister

of Finance expressed himself in favor of free trade, and advocated a gradual reform in the customs by the adoption of a compromise tariff.

LONDON, March 9 .- In the House of Commons Mr. Fortescue, Chief Secretary for Ireland, stated that the Fenian convict, Mackey, had not been released from jail, as publicly reported.

The ship Tritonia, from Port Said for New York, has been lost on the coast of Sicily. Crew saved. HAVANA, March 9 .- The gunboat Narragansett has arrived here.

Several skirmishes are reported between the troops and insurgents within the jurisdiction of Sagua.

Many reports are in circulation regarding President Grant's views and intentions in relation to the Cuban question.

HAVANA, March 9 .- [Special to the New York Herald.]—Telegrams from the City of Mexico, dated March 3, have been received here by the Vera Cruz steamer and contain the following news: Executions had become frequent in the country and created general dismay. On March 1, Presi-dent Juarez forbade them, and ordered the officers to bring their prisoners to the capital for trial. It was rumored that a man named Mayer, late of the United States army, had been shot, but it has since been ascertained that he was sent to Mexico to be tried.

General Negrete had not been found. It is hinted General Negrete had not been found. It is hinted that his defeat was not so complete as reported. Senor Romero writes to a friend, that the opposi-tion, after fomenting rebelion now clamor for a charge in the Ministry. Their motives are ignoble, and as they represent only a minority of the nation the President heeds them not. Escobedo had de-feated the bandit, Canales, in Tamaulipas. Rebel bands in other quarters had also been routed.

### Congress.

After the close of our Congressional report yesterday, the following was transacted in the House of Representatives:-

Among the resolutions adopted was one for a select committee of nine to provide for taking the next census. Also, one for a select joint committee on retrenchment. Also, one that the Pacific Railroad Committee shall consist of fourteen members, the Patent Committee of nine members, and the Reconstruction Committee of thirteen members. The bill repeating the Tenure of Office act was passed. Adjourned until Friday next.

#### The Legislature.

In the afternoon session of the House of Representatives, yesterday, the following business was transacted:-

The Senate bill extending the boundary and providing for the regulation of the park, was considered.

Mr. Rogers moved to strike out the ninth section, which permitted the Commissioners to choose their own solicitor.

The section was stricken out, and the bill was passed to the second reading and laid over. The Senate bill exempting the property of the Young Men's Christian Association from taxa-tion, was amended by Messre. Adaire and Mul-lin' so as to include the Penn Widows' Asylum and St. Mary's Hospital.

It was then deteated by Mr. McGinnis, who denounced the practice of exempting so much property from taxation. Mr Davis moved to reconsider the vote by

which it was de eated, which was agreed to, and

public have full confidence every interest in the gains and profits that could possibly accrue to my-self in the business of my house during my official term, to be applied to such public charities as their judgment should dictate, and have proposed and sought, by the execution of appropriate instru-ments, to accomplish that end; but serious differ-ences of opinion have been expressed as to whether that course would satisfy the requirements of the law. Although 1 will not hesitate to make this appropriation provided it would enable me to ac-cept the office, and thus unite my efforts with your own and those of the other members of your Cabi-net in restoring economy, honesty and strict fru-gality in the administration of the government, and lift as rapidly as possible from the people the great burdens of taxation, debt and extravagance resting upon them, yet the business relations of my firm in its connections with others largely interested in their continuance are such that they cannot be econored anonymetry. their continuance are such that they cannot be severed summarily, nor can my interest be wholly and absolutely disposed of without producing great embarrassment and loss to others with whom I have cmoarrassment and loss to others with whom I have been connected. I cannot consent to enter upon the administration of laws by any act or course that can be construed into a disregard or violation of law; and while, therefore, I regret that the plan proposed is deemed inadequate to relieve me from the legal, and, as its seems to me, technical disa-bilities. I while the the second to be the sec proposed is deemed inadequate to relieve me from the legal, and, as its seems to me, technical disa-bilities. I yield to the better judgment of others, rather than seem to be willing to accept a position in disrespect of law. In finally renewing the de-clination which was tendered at the outset of these objections. I repeat to you, Mr. President, my thanks for the honor done me in offering this high position, and assure you that you will have my ear-nest efforts to sustain your administration in car-rying out the wise and salutary measures indicated by you in entering upon your office. by you in entering upon your office. Sincerely your friend, ALEXANDER T. STEWART.

Sincerely your friend, ALEXANDER T. STEWART. The President accepted the declination, and thus the office of Secretary of the Treasury became vacant. It may be stated that from the beginning the President and Mr. Stewart were in daily inter-course, consulting as to the means by which the latter could free himself from the disability of the latter could free himself from the disability of the latter could free himself around the disability of the latter could free himself around the disability of the latter could free himself around the disability of the latter could free himself from the disability of the latter could free himself around the subject expressed any opinion that there would be a violation of the terms of the act in Mr. Stewart's accepting the office after having made the transfer, but that many others thought it might be considered disad-vantageous to have the spirit of the law in the slightest degree invaded. This view eventually controlled Mr. Stewart, and in order to remove all objections he declined the appointment. Ever since there have been doubts about Mr. Stewart taking possession of the Treasury Depart-ment, telegrams from leading merchants have been received, urging him in the strongest terms to make any sacrifice, even to the extent of abandon-ing at once all interest in his busines to retain the office, and advising him under no circumstances to decline it. Some of the lawing members of the

ing at once all interest in his busines to retain the office, and advising him under no circumstances to decline it. Some of the leading members of the two Houses expressed to him similar views. The lowest estimate is that by the means proposed by Mr. Stewart, at least \$6,000,000 would have been given to charities in New York within his four cars official term.

Mr. Stewart will return to New York to-morrow, before which he will have an interview with the President.

Concord, March 9.-The returns from the State election show a smaller vote than in November, but indicate an increased Republican majority over March last, when Harriman was elected Governor by about 2500 majority. The election to-day of Onslow Stearns, Republican, for Governor, over John Bedell, Democrat, is probably secured by 3000 majority. The Republicans also elect a full dele-ration to Concrass and a large majority in the Steagation to Congress and a large majority in the State Legislature.

CONCORD, N. H., March 9.—Dover gives Stearns 924; Bedell 444. Rep. gain 105. Manchester-Stearns 1703; Bedell 1322. Rep.

Portsmouth-Stearns 1114; Bedell 862. Rep. gain

192. Portsmouth elects eight Republicans to the Le-gislature and two Democrats. Returns from all parts of the State show Repub-lican gains over last year. Concord gives Stearns 1509; Bedell 895. Republi-can gain 192. Nashua-Stearns 998; Bedell 757. Republican gain 101.

Sixty-six towns shew Republican gains of over 00 since last year. The Governor elect, Mr. Stearns, was called on

The Governor elect, Mr. Stearns, was called on to-night by a large crowd, and after returning thanks, said New Hampshire would stand by Grant in his declared purpose of introducing economy, retrenchment and reform into every department of the government. As New Hampshire was the first to formally present the name of Grant to the na-tion, it is fitting that she should send as a greeting the first indorsement of his administration. The Hon, E. H. Rollins furnishes the following disnatch:

dispatch: The Republicans have elected eight out of twelve Senators, and a majority in the House of Repre-sentatives of about sixty-one. One hundred and

Gorieston South Mill, in line with the North Fier bend, W, 14 S. St. Nicholas Lightvessel, E.S.E., distant 4 lothe of a rolla By order. ROBIN ALLEN, Secretary, Trinity House, London, Feb. 17, 1862.

Trinity House, London, Feb. B., Bat. The Harbor Master at Port Elizabeth has given notice that from the lat day of December, 1885, the following alteration would take place to the tight on Cape Recite, Aigos bay, south coast of Avioa. A ray of red light would be shown from the light-bones between the bearings of 19 degrees E. and 12 geness. Directions. Vessels bound for Algos bay, after pass-for Cape Recite, should be to mariners on approaching Directions. Vessels bound for Algos bay, after pass-for Cape Recite light would be barbor light on the bill (which when first seen is red). Is seen bearing W.: but as the southern limit of the harbor light passes only two cables northward of Roman Roos, it is re-commended that a course for the anchor sign bould the barbor light by W. (All bearings are magnetic. Variation 29% degrees Westerly in 1869) By command of their lordabins. GEO, HENRY RICHARDS, Hydrographer. Hydrographie Office, Admiraty, London, Feb. 12, 1869.

FIRE AND BURGLAR PROOF SAFE CHAMPION SAFES

PHILADELPHIA, January 18, 1869. Mesers. FARREL, HERRING & CO.,

No. 629 Cheenut street. Gentlemen:-On the night of the 18th inst., as is well known to the citizens of Philadelphia, our large and extensive store and valuable stock of merchandise, No. 902 Chesnut street was burned.

The fire was one of the most extensive and destructive that has visited our city for many years, the heat being so intense that even the marble cornice was almost obliterated.

We had, as you areaware, two of your valuable and well-known CHAMPION FIRE-PROOF SAFES; and nobly have they vindicated your well-known reputation as manufac turers of FIRE-PROOF SAFES, if anyfurther proof had been required.

They were subjected to the most intense heat, and it affords us much pleasure to inform you that after recovering them from the ruins, we found upon examination that our books, papers. and other valuables, were all in perfect condition.

Yours, very respectfully, JAS. E. CALDWELL & CO.

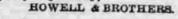
THE ONLY SAFES EXPOSED TO THE FIRE IN CALDWELL'S STORE WERE FARREL, HERRING & CO.

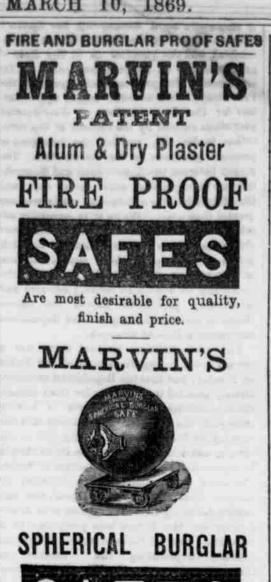
PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18, 1889. Messrs. FARREL, HERRING & CO.,

No. 629 Chesnut street. Gentlemen:-On the night of the 13th instant our large store, S. W. corner of Ninth and Chesnut streets, was, together with our heavy stock of wall papers, entirely destroyed by fire.

We had one of your PATENT CHAMPION FIRE-PROOF SAFES, which contained our principal books and papers, and although it was exposed to the most intense heat for over 60 hours, we are happy to say it proved itself worthy of our recommendation. Our books and papers were all preserved. We cheerfully tender our testimonial to the many already published, in giving the HERRING SAFE the

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The New Hampshire Election.

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At a meeting of the ingrain carpet weaver held in Friendship Hall, last evening, the fol-lowing was adopted :--

Whereas, Wc, the ingrain carpet weavers, have witnessed, with regret, the deplorable condition of our trade, through the disorganized state of the men; and as there seems to be a general clamor for union, therefore,

Resolved. That this meeting do forth with organize the Trade Association, and that we use all our means to make it a source of good, and will do our utmost to induce every man in the trade to become a member.

-At a meeting of the Controllers of Public Schools held yesterday, Dr. John F. Newton was confirmed in the position of assistant professor of chemistry in the High School, vice Dr.

Hough, resigned. A resolution was adopted that authorized the opening of grammar schools, of four divisions each, for boys and girls, at the school at Fortyfirst street and Oregon avenue, Twenty fourth

The committee also recommended that the salaries of janitors of schools be a minimum of \$400. The question of making it \$500 and \$600 was introduced, but not carried. The figare was ultimately fixed at \$400.

Resolutions of condolence to the family of the late Charles B. Harmar were offered and adopted.

The board then went into committee of the whole to consider certain amendments to the r ules, peuding which it adjourned.

#### Domestic Affairs

-Mr. A. T. Stewart will leave Washington for New York to day. —Commissioner Bollins had an interview with

the President yesterday. —Secretary of the Navy A. E. Borle entered upon the discharge of the duties of his office yesterday.

-The Republicans carried every ward but one in the municipal election at Auburn, Maine,

-Walter H. Smith, of Mount Vernon, Ohio, has been appointed successor to the irrepressible

Binckley. —The Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Pythias assembled in annual session at Rich-mond, Va., yesterday. — An international exhibition is proposed, to

be held at Utrecht, Netherlands, in August and September nest. - Brevet Major-General Adelbert Ames has

been assigned to the command of the Fourth

Milliary District. -- The Baltimoreans have completed their preparations for the reception of ex-President

Johnson to morrow. — D. N. Skelings & Co.'s lumber yard in East Cambridge, Mass., was burned on Monday alter-noon. Loss, \$60 000. — The United States Marshal for the District of Columbia has resigned, the first resignation media the new administration.

under the new administration.

-President Grani's maugural has been translated into the Russian language, and transmitted to St. Petersburg for publication.

- The new Commissioner of Internal Revenue. Columbus Delano, of Ohio, will be qualided and enter upon the duties of his office to day.

-The officers of the Army and Navy, of the Department of the Gulf, meet in New York this evening, for the purpose of effecting a permanent organization.

-The President has directed the withholding of commissions for the pre ent from United States District Attorney O'Neill and Collector Marks of Philadelphia, both confirmed in the expiring hours of the last Secate, and it is now asserted that it is necessary for the President to usue a commission, although it may have been signed by Andrew Johnson, and that he been signed by Andrew Johnson, and that he has the right to requee to so issue, and he will accordingly nominate others to supersede the incombents. Mr. O'Neill must surrender his office, as his commission only runs until the Senate adjourns, and Mr. Marss cannot relieve Colonel Cake until he obtatos his commission, which is withheld from him either b, order or consent of the President.—Inquirer.

the bill passed to a second reading and w over.

The House bill giving all street cleaning pow-ers to the Board of Health was passed and sent to the Senate

Mr. McKinstry (Bucks), who introduced the burlesque Broad Street Railway bill on Monday evening, was granted leave of absence in consequence of his barn and contents having been estroyed by fire.

The following House bills were passed and

Authorizing the improvement of Lehigh avenue, between Broad street and Frankford road; supplement to the Knickerbocker Ice Company; punishing the buying or receiving of scrap iron from minors in this State; providing for the better ventilation of mines in Schuylkili county; incorporating Mount Zion Baptist Church.

Two divorce cases were passed and sent o the Senate. A third case was in-roduced, being an application from a troduced, husband for a divorce, because his wife was a confirmed opium eater. The wife contessed her fauli, but promised amendment. The House discussed the propriety of allowing the trial to be made, but adjourned before reaching a de-

## STEWART.

## His Letter Resigning the Office Secretary of the Tressusy.

WASHINGTON, March 9 .- Mr. A.T. Stewart to-day declined the office of Secretary of the Treasury, and President Grant accepted his declination.

This morning, according to the previously ex-pressed purpose of Mr. Stewart, he prepared and executed a transfer of his entire interest in the profits of the business of A. T. Stewart & Co., du-ring his official term, to be applied to charitable purposes. This course met the general approval of some leading Senators and members of the House, but did not seem to satisfy others, who insisted that come leading Senators and members of the House, but did not seem to satisfy others, who insisted that Mr. Stewart could not qualify himself short of an absolute sale and disposition of the property he owns connected with his business. This document was drawn by Judge Hilton and Judge Davis, the latter a member of the House from New York, in connection with other legal gentlemen, and upon its being executed, was delivered in the presence of Judge Davis, who witnessed it.

Judge Davis, who witnessed it. After this was done Mr. Stewart and Judge Hil-After this was done Mr. Stewart and Judge Hil-ton, by appointment, visited President Grant at the White House this afternoon. When the trans-fer was proposed yesterday by Mr. Stewart, Presi-dent Grant approved of it, provided it could be cone to meet the legal objections, and expressed his high appreciation of Mr. Stewart's purposes, but, at the same time, said he scarcely felt warranted in doing so, because Mr. Stewart would have to make so great a sacrifice; and, not only at that time, but in the evening expressed himself to the same effect to many members of Congress, who called upon him with reference to the Secretary-ship. ship

ship. In this way publicity was given to Mr. Stewart's purpose. The consequence of this has led to many expressions of opinion concurring in the view that, although this would meet the letter of the statute, it might possibly be construed into an evasion of its spirit, and under these circumstances Mr. Stew-ert was prepared for either emergency, and having it might possibly be construed into an evasion of spirit, and under these circumstances Mr. Stew-art was prepared for either emergency, and having reflected upon the matter, he detarmined to leave the question to the result of a conference with the President. In this spirit they met this afternoon, and the conclusion at which they arrived was that it would be less emburrassing to the administration of President Grant for Mr. Stewart to place in his bands a formal declination of the Secretaryship, and in this manner avoid any comment by those onesidered that the law must be strictly com-plied with. The interview was long, and marked by the atmost cordiality. The following is Mr. Stewart's letter: Washington March 9, 1866.—To the President. Sir Appreciating the high honor conferred by by the Senate of myself to the office of Secretary of the Treasury. I regret that circumstances beyond our control compel me to decline. Could the diffi-cultics presented by the provisions of the act of 119.—which in organizing the Department of the freeduy or indirectly concerned or interested in car-rying on the business of trade or commerce-bo mystome by any reassnable sacrifice present for mystome by any reasonable sacrifice present for mystome by any reasonable sacrifice present for mystome by any reastnabel sacrifice present for mystome by any reasonable sacrifice

of last spring of nine hundred. The Republicans have carried seven out of ten counties. Another dispatch says Stearns will have about

four thousand majority. All the Republican Con-gressmen are elected.

STATESMAN OFFICE, CONCORD, N. H., March 9, 11 P. M.—One hundred and twenty towns gives Stearns 23,432, and Bedell 20,100. Probable majo-tity for Stearne 3200 rity for Stearns 3500.

### MARINE TELEGRAPH.

For additional Marine News see First Page. 

PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF TRADE.

JOS. C. GEUBR, E. A. SOUDER, GE BOR L. BUZBY, GEORGE N. ALLEN, COMMITTEE OF THE MONTH.

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CLEARED YESTERDAY. Barque Amelia Ghering, Hayule, Matanzas. S. L. Meichant & Co. Barque Thomas. Ayres. Sagua. Warren & Gregg. Schr Rescue. Copp St. Lucie. E. A. Souder & Co. Schr Z. A. Paine, a oyes. kastport, do. Str Diamond State, Webb, Baltimore, A. Groves, Jr.

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Schr Ions, Kendall, salled from Charleston en inst-for a northern port. Schr Thos, T. Tasker, Allen, from Savasnah, at Schr Mohawk, Bradley, hence, at Richmond 7th instant. Schr Wake Gandy, at Noriolk 6th inst, from Wil-mingtor, Del. Schr Wm. carroll, salled from Richmond 6th inst. down the river, to load for Philadelphia.

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