The Spanish Mission.

The N. Y. Commercial Advertiser of Faturday Bints the following:-

Mr. Smalley, the correspondent of the Tribune, who visited Madrid with strong preposerations in favor of Mr. Hale, and who knew nothing before that time of Mr. Perry, the Secretary of Legation, writes a letter, in which he decidedly disapproves of the further continuance of Mr. Hale in the office he has held so many years. Mr. Hale is in decay, and such syu pathles as he has are not with the Spanish L berals. He has little influence with the present, and had none with the late, government. The editor of the Evening Post, who speaks advisedly, and from personal observation refers in the highest terms to Mr. Perry's efficiency and knowledge, pronounces the charges against him calumnious, and urges the Senate not to him calumnious, and urges the Senate not to confirm the new nomination for Secretary of Lestion without a careful consideration of the

Mr. Hale has already written a letter to a New Hampshire member of Congress, in which he begs for a reappointment and attacks Mr. Perry severely. He also assails Mr. Seward. These charges against Mr. Perry had already been communicated to the State Department, where they were considered and where Mr.

Perry's defense was held to be conclusive.

If Mr. Hale's wanton and malicious attack on Mr. Seward needed any reply or refutation, it has it in the fact that Mr. Bryant and Mr. Smalley alike condemn the Spanish Minister and raise his secretary. Mr. Hale-has survived his neefulness, and is already showing the queralousness of age. The public interest requires the substitution of a new man.

# OITY INTELLIGENCE

THE CITY FINANCES.

Important Statistics from the Annual Report of the Controller for the Year

The complete report of Joseph R. Lyndall, E.q., the late Controller of the city, has been printed in pamphiet form. Extracts from it were published at the time it was submitted to Councils, but they were incomplete and in many respects incorrect. We therefore present the following tables, all of them of interest to our citizens. The

#### Revenues of 1868 and the Estimated Revenues of 186

are set forth in the following table:-

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DILY COLICION	22,000	41,627.76
Markets	52,000	57,183 12
Wharves and Landings	52 772	64 488 22
Mity Property	10.000	14,725 43
ity Ice Beat	4.000	3,766 97
discellaneous	8.000	5 342 78
myyev	1,000	4,554 53
nterest on nonde etc.	1.500	2 558 92
Dividends on Stock, etc.	225,000	
Dividends on Suck, etc.	220,000	317,625.50
Public Schools	60,000	10 000 000
state Tax advanced in	00,000	12,637.78
	5,000	000 000
Park Commission		998 37
ALE COMMITTEDION		4,550.00
	81 270 172	\$1,372,829 34
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State and Militia Taxes Total		- Inches Control of
State and Militia Taxes Total Outstanding		\$9,220,296 17

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			\$11,521 99
		8	131,991 93
			22 137.31
City Ice B	oat		6 977 24
City Bolle	ltor		438 936 60
City Treas	urer		9.835 80
Fire			66 047 01
Highways			803.782 52
Health			21 389 39
Lighting t	he city		234 816 53
			71,649 44
			490 489 74
			193,857-66
			79 947 96
City Rails	oad		4.177 84
		08B8	625,915 98
			67.871-24
			26,034:30
Commissi	oners of Si	nking Funds	200.00
Receiver o	of Taxes		15,840-09
Water and	I Loans		430,847 99
De fense of	City		1,517:08
Revision o	of Tower	•	48.947 03
Park Com	mission	***************************************	28,040 27
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	ontstandu	ng, 1881	1,257 81
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Do.	do.	1863	2,553 84
Do.	do.	1864	42,123:25
Do.	do.	1865	20,481.78
Do.	do.	1866	24 450 57
Do.	do.	1867	19,870-63
Total			3,450,605 30
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the iollow!	ng amoun	ts were paid:-	TAMES TO
Year.	Amou	nt   Fear.	Amount

Grand total. .\$7,757,753 28 The Trust Funds, In the following table are given the receipts, payments, and balances of the several trust funds of the city for the year 1866.—

Total..... Warrants of 1868 paid.....

1,005,939 88

..\$1,848,708·18 ... 6,409,015·10

Fruit Fund,	Beimess Jan. 1 1868.	Receipts during 1888.	Poym'ts during 1868.	Bolonces Jan. 1, 1869.	Invest- ments.
Girard Retate T D Grover Wills'Hospit's Yellow Pover	\$97,349 385 101	1405 85% 2 974 6 119	\$846 789 2 927 7,672	\$116,19 c 342 \$16	\$58 -81 83,700
Fand,		2,629	2,601	28	11,750
Puel Food Dry Fund	176	2,677	2 083	170	6,793
Girard Fuel	17	192 5.8	178 488	21 49	3.210
o rard Bequ'at	297	1 887	1,764	297 169	9.900
Paul Beck Esther Waters	672	56	571	tind	8 831
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D. Claypoole	280 310 121	36	98	162	667 68 80
E. Boudings	1 260	4 294	4,296	7,850	6,44

Balance of securities on hand

The Sinking Funds. In the following table are given the receipts,

penditures, and balances of the sever g funds for the year 186%.—	al sink
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	Balance of Securities on hand at par	45 900-00 27,900 00
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	\$700,000 Loan No. 34	
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Cash Balance, January 1, 1868.	Name of Fund.	ary 1.

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The City Loans. The following statement gives a summary of the amounts of the five and six per cent, loans of the city, with the date of their maturity:—

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1869		849 252	\$104.352
		185.255	
1870	144.650		294,8 35
1871		283,009	427 6 9
1172	85,300	180,625	265 925
1873	93,600	363 192	456 792
1874	48,600	149 017	197.617
1875	12,500	98 191	110 691
1876	9.000	446 712	455 712
1877	2,000	204,400	206 400
1878	2,000	231,500	233 500
1679	2,000	218,400	220,400
1880	67.767	560,138	627 905
1881	23,100	1,279,105	1,305 205
1882	3,700	291 274	291 974
1883	8.000	795,458	793 458
1684	10.600	2,455 700	2 458 300
1885	3,850	1 157,100	1,160 950
1886	******	2,078 200	2,078,200
1887	******	1,152 319	1,152 819
1888	******	143 900	142 900
1889		1 681 900	1,681,900
1890	*****	1 839 500	1,339,500
1891	******	1.795 800	1 795 800
1892		2.755 226	
1898		627 711	2,755 226
1894	20000	4.278 978	627.711
1005	*****		4.278,978
1895	*****	6,685 000	6.685 000
1896	*****	2,596,500	2 596 500
1897	*****	1,700,000	1,700,000
1898	*****	18,200	18,200
1904	301700	31.313	34,313
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Totals	bove l	oans, the	following
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1851	******	\$4.200	
1858	******	2,000	
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1855	******	1 000	M M 10
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1858	13,500		444404
1859	34 786	278	WAY \$160
1860	33 777	8 18	100.0410.00
1861	82,526	66 000	6757-074-72
1862	5.800		A-8-0-1-00
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1864	8 418	3,200	1,9021,0060
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1865	4,400		21,400
1866			5 5 W 98 KM
1867	28,700	3.18	(B) B   CP(D)
1868	*****	85,02	35,029

....\$286.282 \$164,131 \$400 418 This gives the following general summary of the total funded debt of the city on January 

233 996 Total funded debt ...

STILL IN OFFICE .- Collector Cake was still in possession of the Custom House this morning the has as yet received no official communication from the department at Washington to turn over the Custom House to Dr. Marks, nor

has the last-named gentleman presented him

AN OWNER WANTED .- An owner is wanted at the station, Front and Nobie streets, for a yawl-boat, which was picked up in Delaware bay. She is 12 feet long, and is painted black outside and yellow inside. On her stern is the name "Lotus."

RESCUED FROM DROWNING .- Henry Bradley, aged fourteen months, fell into a tup of water on Saturday at a house on Adams street, Frankford. His cries attracted the attention of his mother, who rescued her darling from drowning. drowning.

## THE FALLEN HOUSE.

Coroner's Inquest spen the Three Bodies

Taken from its Ruiss.

This morning at eleven o'clock Deputy Coroner Fletcher held an investigation into the circumstances attending the death of Margaret Kydd and her two children. The mas and Martha, whose dead bodies were taken from the ruins of a fallen house n White's court, at Broad and Shippen streets. The following testimony was elicited:—

Theo. D. Terry sworn—Live back of No. 708
Loid street; heard the crash of the falling building; heard a man calling for help; went for assistance, and rescued the man, Mr. Kydd; the house that fell was three stories in height, built of rotten rock and pries; heard the crash about a quarter after three o'clock in the morning; in two seconds it had fellen down; there is a water course on three sides of it; on the north, south, and east sides; have heard the cold lady say that the house was dangerous, and that she wanted to get out of it.

John Luiz, No. 1414 Shippen street, testified—Heard the crash, and Mr. Kydd crying for help; went to the Harmony Engine House and got some firemen to belp me extricate the buried people; got Mr. Kydd out alive.

Berjamin F. Wright sworn—A z a building inspector; have not been able to examine into the origin of the accident, owing to the fact that the rubbish has not yet been cleared aw y; I will make an investigation.

John Grahsm sworn—Live No. 708 Loidstreet; heard the crash; rushed to the scene; saw Mr. Kydd with a rafter across his nead; the back of his head was wedged in with a brick; got Mr. Kydd ont, and then discovered the arm of his son; had heard Mrs Kydd say that she though the house was dangerous; had noticed that the front wall of the houge had buiged in; the north wall of the houge had buiged in; the north wall was four inches and the front wall nine inches thick.

James Ocr sworn:—Live No. 1167 South Tairteenth street; I painted the house before Mr. Kydd moyed in and then didn's swo

James Orr sworp: Live No. 1187 South Tair-teenth street; I painted the house before Mr. Kydd moved in and then aldn't see anything Inquest continued until Thursday next at

## CITY CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

A Constable Interfered With-Stealing Carpenters' Tools - Prevented from Going Overboard-Theft of Lumber-Fight in a Tavern-Disturbing Citizens-A Coal Thief-Fast Driving-A Till-Tapper.

—On Friday afternoon Constable William Myers, of the Tweifth ward, proceeded to Germantown for the purpose of selling out the stock of a tavera on Chelton avenue, belonging to John Keenan, Anticipating trouble, he called at the station and had two men detailed to accompany him. The sale was commenced, when the Irishmen inside attacked Joseph Axford, the auctioneer, and beat him badiy. The police interfered and

inside attacked Joseph Axford, the auctioneer, and beat him badiy. The police interfered and arrested Patrick Haviland for committing the assault on Mr. Axford, and John Keenan, the proprietor, for a breach of the peace. Alderman Thomas committed them both for triat.

—John Vance was arrested yesterday afternoon for the larceny of a lot of carpenters' tools from a row of new buildings on Main street, Germaniown. He will have a hearing this afternoon at the Central Station.

—John McVelgh and Captain Richardson were intercepted during last night, while walking down the docks into the Delaware river.

river.

—John Delaney, residing in Pottstown, was taken into custody on Saturday for stealing a lot of lumber from a nouse at Fifteenth and Barcley streets. Alderman Pancoast held him in \$300 ball for trial.

in \$300 ball for trial.

—At 11:30 o'clock on Saturday evening a fight occurred in the Union House, on Fifth street, below Callowhill. Daring the affray one Charles Waterman was severely cut in the arm. The perpetrator escaped. Waterman was removed to his residence in the vicinity.

William Walker and asymptem years. was removed to his residence in the vicinity.

—William Walker, aged seventeen years, with several other boys, engaged a carriage at Vansciver's stables, on New Market street, below Laurel. They returned last night with the carriage broken and the horse in a very bad condition. As Walker had handled the reins he was escorted before Alberman Toland, and bound over for malicious mischief.

—James Neff was intoxicated yesterday afternoon in the neighborhood of St. John and Wood streets. He was raising a dis urbance, and being remonstrated with, pitched into a citizen. A policeman came up and arrested Neff, who was held by Alderman Toland for trial

—William Sayles is the name of an individual

-William Sayles is the name of an individual

who was arrested yesterday for stealing cost from cars on the Germantown Railroad, on Ninth street, near Columbia avenue. Alderman Hood sent him to prison.

—Pstrick Farrell was overhauled on Saturday, at Eleventh atreet and Girard avenue, while attempting to steal a bundle of clothes from a man named Hubbard. He was committed by Alde man Hood. —John G. Smith was driving rapidly yester-

day afternoon, on B oad atreet, near Master. He was stopped and taken before Alderman Hood, who imposed the usual fine, -John Gehoit went into a tavern yesterday -John Genoit went into a tavern yesterday, at Cresson and Mechanic Streets, Manayunk, and during the temporary absence of the proprietor relieved the till of about \$4. He ran out of the place, but was captured and held to ball by Alderman Ramsdale to answer the charge at

THE GOULDING WOOLLEN PATENT .- The recent decision of the United States Supreme Court in affirming the validity of the Goulding Wooller patent is a variable of the Goulding oollen patent is a very important one in its Woollen patent is a very important one in its influence upon woollen manufacturers, who will be compelled to meet their in leptedness under it, and also on account of the amount involved to the interests of the owners of the patent. The original Letters-patent were issued to John Goulding in the year 1826, "for an improvement in the mode of manufacturing wool and other fibrous materials," and expired in 1840, at which time he was entitled to a renewal for the further term of even years; but this he failed to obtain in consequence of excenceus failed to obtain in consequence of erroneous information communicated to him by the then Commissioner of Patents in reference to the proper time at which his application for the preposed renewal should be made. In the year 1862, twenty two years after, he finally succeed in having a special act passed by Congress for his relief, which extended and renewed his patent for seven years from the 30th day of August that year, providing that the authority to celeat royalis or demages, under the aviantee. lect royally or damages, under the extension and renewal, should be limited and confined within the term embraced in such extension within the term embraced in such extension, and should not apply to any machinery which was in opera ion previous to said 30th day of August, 1862. On 28th of June, 1864, the patent was reissued. Eben D. Jordan, of the well known firm of Messrs. Jordan, Marsh & Co., as trustee sued the Ayawam W.o ien Company for infringment, and after an obstinate resistance by a large combina ion of weollen manufacturers, the case was decided in 1866 by granting an injunction with an account, thus settling the rights of tion with an account, tone settling the rights of the patentee, and enjoining all machinery not protected by a license in the First district. From this decision an appeal was taken, and carried before the Supreme Court at Washing-ton, and the decision just rendered by that tri-bunal puts an end to all further controversy as regards the validity of the patent and the tion of manufacturers' liability under it. patentembraces the mode and operation o patent embraces the mode and operation of carding and spinning wool or other florous materials; and for a period of forty-three years the principle has not been improved, which is a remarkable fact in the history of patents We are informed that the agent and treasurer of the patent, Mr. Frederick W. Thayer and George D Clark, are now in our city prepared to meet manufacturers who are liable under this patent.

THE BOARD OF SURVEYS .- The regular stated

meeting of the Board of Surveys of the city was held to is merning.

A 2 feet 6 inch sewer was ordered to be constructed on Callowhill street, between Twenty-four b and Twenty-fifth street; a 10 inch pipe on Fifth street, between Columbia avenue and Oxford street; and a three feet sewer on Tairty told street, between Powellon avenue and Oxford street. oird street, between Powelton avenue and The Chief Engineer presented the plan of the

The Chief Engineer presented the plan of the Mill Creek sewer for examination.

The Board then went into an examination of the diffe ent formulæ used in the country and in Ecrore to asolitate the capacity requisite to early off the rais fail under the various conditions of the district to be drained.

Many letters of interest in reply to inquiries made by the Calle Engineer Mr. Kneass, upon the subject of drainage, were read, showing that much care and attention had been bestowed upon the question of sewage for the city. Adjourned.

Robbery,—On Friday night last an unoccupied house on Fifteenth street, below Federal, was entered by this ves and robbed of all the lead pipe that was visible.

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## WASHINGTON

The Tenure-of-Office Act-Its Pro bable Suspension-The Senate Officers-A Caucus of the Pennsylvania Delegation.

#### FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

Callers at the White House. WASHINGTON, March 15 .- As u-ual, there was a large number of callers at the White House this morning, and also at the Departments.

The Tenure-of-Office Act. A member of the Judiciary Committee in formed the President this morning that they had agreed to report in favor of suspending the Tenure of Office act, and be thought the Senate would pass it. At this the President seemed much pleased.

### The Senate Officers.

The Republicans of the Senate held a cancus this morning, for the purpose of nominating officers. Combinations were formed by which J. R. Finch, formerly member of the House from North Carolina, was nominated for Sergeant-at-Arms, in the place of G.T. Brown; J. M. Morris of South Carolins, formerly of Connecticut, was nominated for Executive Clerk, in the place of De Witt C. Ciark; A. M. Clapp, editor of the Buffalo Express, was nominated as public

#### printer, in the place of J. D. Defrees. The Committee on Elections organized this morning and proceeded to take up 'prima facie" cases, among them that of John Covode, from Pennsylvania. They will meet daily, so as to get through with the leading

cases before the close of the session. The Pennsylvania Delegation Cancus, The Penn-ylvania delegation did not meet in eaucus this morning, as expected, owing to

the fact that Senators Scott and Cameron could not be present, being in attendance at the Senate caucus. The caucus will meet this evering. Caucus Nominations.

Despatch to the Associated Press. The Senate Republican caucus has nominated the following officers: -John B. Finch, to be Sergeant at Arms; John M. Morris, of Con-Sergeant at Arms; John M. Morris, of Con-becticat, to be Executive Cierk; and A. T. Ciepp, of Buffalo, N. Y., to be Public Printer. These nominations are intended to super-scede respectively George T. Brown, De witt Clinton Clark, and John Detrees, Clapp, in place of the latter, is editor of the Buffalo Express.

## FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS -First Session.

Washington, March 15 - Mr. Warner called up the bill to renew certain grants of land to Alabama, which was passed. Alabama, which was passed.

Mr. Nye offered a joint resolution declaring that the act of July, 1866, requiring our Consuls abroad to make return of their fees did not go into effect until the lat of January, 1867. Passed.

Mr. Cragin introduced a bill to give deputy collectors and assessors the pay of collectors and assessors the pay of collectors and assessors when they perform the duties of the latter. Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

and assessers when they perform the duties of the latter. Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Corbett introduced a bill to facilitate telegraphic communication between the Eastern and Western continents. Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Willey introduced a bill to provide for the formation and regulation of corporations in the District of Columbia. Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Mr. Ramsey introduced a bill granting lands to sid in the construction of a railroad from Lake Superior to Vermilion Lake. Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

Also a resolution to set apart a portion of Fort Snelling military reservation for a permanent military post, and for the settlement of all tary Affairs.

tary Affairs.

Mr. Kellog, introduced a bill to guarantee Mr. Kellog, introduced a bill to guarantee the payment of certain bonds issued under the authority of the governments of Louislans. Arkspass, and Mississippi for the purpose of repairing the levees in said States. Referred to Committee on Commerce.

Also, a bill to incorporate the Southern Express Cempany. Referred to Committee on Commerce.

commerce.

Also the following, which were referred to the Committee on Public Lands:—

Bill granting the right of way to the Pacific Central and Transit Railroad from New Orlears to some point on the Rio Grande, in the direction of Mazatlan.

Joint resolution for the disposal of public lands in Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, and Fiorida.

Fiorida.

Mr. Fenton introduced a bill relating to telegraphic communication between the United States and foreign countries. Referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Also a bili for the relief of Mrs. Jane Northrop. Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Cole introduced a bill granting lands to sid in the construction of a canal for irrigating purposes. Referred to the Committee on Pub-

Mr. Trumbull, from the Judiciary Committee, Mr. Tromoul, from the Judiciary Committee, reported, without amendment, a joint resolution providing that the removals from civil office in the provisional government of Virginia, provided for in the joint resolution relating to the governments of Virginia and Texas, passed at the third session of the Fortieth Congress, shall not be made until thirty days from the passage of the present resolution. Also, favorably, with amendments, the bill to reorganize the judiciary system.

The amendments provide that more than one

The amendments provide that more than one Circuit Court may be held at the same time in the same district by direction of the presiding Judge, who shall designate the business to be

done in each.

Also, that the Circuit Courts may be held by the Justice of the Supreme Court and Circuit Judge sitting together.

Also, with amendments, the House bill to repeal an act regulating the tenure of civil office. The amendment makes the bill read:—

"Be it enseted. That an act passed March 2, 1867, entitled an act regulating the tenure of certain civil offices be, and the same is nereby suspended until the next session of Congress."

Also, with amendments, the bill to enforce the fourteenth article of amendment to the Constitution. As amended, it provides for the the fourieenth article of amendment to the Constitution. As amended, it provides for the prosecution of persons holding office in violation of said article, by the United States attorney, by writs of quo warranto to take precedence of all other cases on the dockets of the United States courts; and on conviction such persons shall be imprisoned not more than one year, and fined not exceeding \$1000 and be forever dequalified from holding any State or Federal office.

Mr. Wison offered a joint resolution providing that a majority of any State Legislature shall be sufficient to ratify any amendment to the Corsitution of the United States proposed by Congress, and that the resignation, or with

by Congress, and that the resignation, or with drawal from, or temporary refusal to act, of the monerity shall not affect the validity of such

ratification by the majority.
Mr. Davis objected, and the resolution went The joint resolution to provide for a joint committee to reorganize the departments was The bill to reorganize the navy was taken up

and considered until the expiration of the morning hour, when the bill to strengthen the public credit was taken up, and Mr. Sprague addressed the Senate in opposition to it. House of Representatives. Mesers. Stevens. Eis, and Benton, of New Jump-hire, and Morgan, of Onio, appeared and

took the cath.
Under the call of States bills were introduced and referred, as follows.—
By Mr. Poland, for a free system of national

banking.

Also, extending the time for revising and consolidating the statutes of the United States.

Also, to amend the judicia system.

Also, sile wing the defendant in criminal cases to testify. By Mr. Keisey (N, Y.), to authorize the build-

THIRD EDITION ing of a military and postal railway from Washington to New York.

By Mr. Heaton, to repeal the act of 4th of July, 1864. restricting the jurisdiction of the Court of Chaims, and to extend the statute of limita-

Hons in certain cases.

By Mr. Lawrence, to regulate the method of convening gold into currency, being the act introduced by Mr. Boutwell at last session and passed by the House.

By Mr. Garfield, to provide for the safety of the lives of passencers at sea.

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By Mr. Julian, to prevent the further sales of public lands except under the pre-emption laws.

Also, to discourage polygamy in Utah, by granting suffrage to the women.

Also a large number of other bills.

By Mr. Coburn, to amend the national cur-

By Mr. Coburn, to amend the national currency act.

By Mr. Terry, making appropriations for harbors in Michigan.

By Mr Butler (Mass), concerning vacancies in the Adju ant-Ganeral's Department.

By Mr. Banka a bill authorizing the New York, Newfoundland and London Telegraph Company to land its suomarine cable on the snores of the United States.

Also, to create the office of Chief Veterinary Surgeon of the United States.

Be Mr. Ward, to repeal the section of the act of 1867 which provides that all ord-re, etc., relating to military orders made by the President shall be issued through the General of the army. By Mr. Morrell (Ps.) to modify the existing laws relative to the warehousing system. laws relative to the warehousing system.

By Mr. O'Nelli, to encourage and facilitate telegraphic communication between the Eastern and Western continents.

By Mr. Stone, making appropriations to re-move the obstructions to the navigation of Britton bay, Marvland.

By Mr. Kelley, to establish an assay office at Helens, Montana Territory.

By Mr. Schenck, relative to gold contracts.

Also, a bill to probibit the further increase of the public debt.

By Mr. Murgen, instructing the Secretary of State to incourse into the alleyed arrest and im.

By Mr. Murgen, instructing the secretary of St-te to inquire into the alleged arrest and im-prisonment of General James B. Steadman, By Mr. Paine, a bill to provide for the ergani-ration of a provisional government in Missis-

Mr. Hopkins, for the better protection of immigrant passer gers at sea.

Al-o, by various members, a large number of bills, most of which have been before the committees at the last session. They numbered in

### A Defaulting Treasurer.

LOWELL, Mass., March 15 .- McAlvin, the new City Tiessurer, has been sworn in o office, and made a demand on the late Treasurer, Garrish, for the moneys, books, accounte, etc. Garrish passed over the accounts, keys, notes, etc., but as to money, he reolied: -"I am unable to give you money; I haven't it; it is gone," He was arrested and lodged in jail. The deficit thus far is \$32.929.

#### Suicide-Fire.

TROY, March 15 .- Marcus Eldridge, a prominent citizen, committed suicide last evening, by cutting his throat with a razor, during a nt of mental derangement. He was fifty-eight years of age.
The residence of Daniel E. Paris was partially

destroyed by fire this m rning. Loss on building and furniture about \$8000.

Falling of a Church. LEWISTON, Me., March 15.—Heavy snow on the root of the Congregational Church at Wilton caused is to give way this morning, entirely levelling the building, and destroying the organ and furniture. The library alone was

#### ungistur bed. Obitaary.

NEW YORK, March 15.- Stephen D. Clark, formerly connec ed with the New York Express, died at Genoa, Italy, yesterday.

# Latest Markets by Telegraph.

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Baltimore, March 16.—Coulon quiet at 28%. Flour dull and inactive, we quote Howard Street superfine at \$77606 5.; do. extra at \$67809 75; do. family at \$9.500 0 0. Cits Mills superfine at \$7.506 50; do. extra at \$65.08 22; do. family at \$9.750 12. Western superfine at \$7.50 60; do. extra at \$65.08 22; do. family at \$9.500 0. What dull; sakes of prime red at \$9.500. Corn cull: prime white 836956; ye low, 860880. Oats dull at \$620850. Rye dull at \$14000145. Pork firm at \$25.00 633. Bacoh active, with an advancing tendency; rb sides 1656017.: clear d., 17460180; shoulders, 14560 itc; hame 2006210; Lard firm t 290 Whisky firm; sales at 950; seme are hilding off for an advance New York. March 15.—Dotton quie; 300 bales sold at 2856238. Flour dull, and prices favor buyers, but are without decided change. Wheat firmer, but quie; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$11.30. Corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$11.43. Corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$11.43. Corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000 bushels No. 2 at \$17.400 corn heavy; sales of 27.000

## FORREST.

He Has Some Extraordinary Views Re-specting the Negroes. Cor, of the Louisville Courier-Journal.

NASHVILLE, March 9 .- A few days ago General Forrest and Major Min-1 Merriwether, engineer of the leves on the Mississipot, were my com-panions part of the way from New Orleans. As we passed through beautiful tracts of country lying waste, I asked General Forrest how it could ever be repopulated.

"With regroes," was his reply; "they are the best laborers we have ever had in the South. Those among us behaved during the war in such a manner that I shall always respect them for it. and I would not have one of mine back, nor have them enslaved, if I could. My house servants," continued he, "are with me yet in Mem-phis, and never would leave me."
"But," said I, "you have had the name of

being hard on that 'peculial'—"

"It is not true, 'said he with energy; 'I have always telt kindly towards them, and always treated them kindly. Even the 'Fort Pillow massacre' was investigated, and the Federal officers, to a man, stated that I was not to blame. The fort never hauled down the flag; I cut it down with my own hands, and did all I could to stop the firing." "But how, General," continued I, "are you to repopulate with negroes?" "Get them from Africa." was his startling reply; "they'll improve a'ter getting bere-are the most imitative creatures in the world; and if you put them in squads of ten, with one experienced leader in each squad they will soon revive our country. I want Nor hmen to come in here, and would protect any man who comes to build up the country with my life; but they won't come; Europeans won't come; then, I say, let's get Africans. By pursuing a liberal policy to them we can benefit them and they us. The prisoners taken in war over there can all be turned over to us, and emigrate and be freedomen here. "I had an interest," continued he "in the Wanderer, and we bought over 400; only six per cent, died.
They were very tond of grasshoppers and bugs, but I taught them to eat cooked meat, and they were as good niggers as any I ever han. When prejudice gets over, our Government will toster this scheme; there is no need of a war of races. I want to see the whole country prosper. It's my country, and I don't intend to give it up as long as I can do any thing to build it up. I am an A per cap, and from the day I surrendered have been for the United

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# FROM THE CAPITAL

The House Committees-Their Announcement To-day-Nominations by the President.

## FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. The Standing Committees,

Washington, March 16. - Speaker Blaine has just announced the standing committees of the House. There are a large number of changes. Schenck remains at the head of the Ways and Means. Dawes is chairman of the Appropriation Committee. Gardeld chairman of the Banking and Currency Committee. General Butler is chairman of the Reconstruction Committee, Washburn (Mass.) is chairman of the Claims Committee. Dixon is charran of the Commerce Committee, General Farnsworth is chairman of the Postal Committee. Banks is chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee; Bingham of the Judiciary Committee; and Scofield of the Naval Affairs Committee.

Dispatch to the Associated Press. Presidential Nominations,

The President sent to the Senate to-day a number of nominations, which by a recent rale of that body cannot be pened by any one before going into Executive session. This rule was anopted to prevent confusion during the legislative proceedings.

FORTY -FIRST CONGRESS-First Session

House of Representatives. Cont nucd from Third Edicion.

The Speaker announced the committees as follows:—

Weys and Means—Messrs, Schenck, Hooper, Alliaon, Maynard, Kelley, Brooks, Orth, McCarthy, and Marshall.

Appropriations—Messrs, Dawes, Beaman, Kelley, Washourn (Wis.) Lawrence, Sargent, Dickey, Niblack, and Beck.

Banking and Carrency—Messrs. Garfield, Lynch, Judd, Ooburn, Smith (Vt.), Packer, Lash, Cox, and Jones (Ky)

Kesolutions—Messrs. Butler (Mass.). Parnsworth, Beaman, Paine, Ward, Julian, Poland, Whittemore, Beck, Wood, Woodward, and Morgan.

On the Reorganization of the Civil Service—Messrs, Hotchkiss, Jenckes, Armstrong, Maynard, and Kerr.

On the Ninth Cansus—Messrs. Stokes, Garfield, Banks, Allison, Laflio, Culiom, Wilkinson, Baldeman, and Schnumacker.

On the Pacific Kalirond—Messrs. Wheeler, Legan, Morrill (Pa.), Van Horn (Mo.), Hopkins, Buffinton, Lynch, Paimer, Roots, Van Trump, Voorhees, Axtell, and Witson (Minn).

On Claims—Messrs. Washburn (Mass.), Hotch-kiss, Holman, Cobb, Stokes, E.a., Dockery, Moore, and Stiles.

On Commerce—Messrs. Dixon, O'Nelli, Ingersoil, Sawyer, Finkelnburg, Bennett, Conger, Holman, and Potter.

On Public Lands—Messrs. Julian, Ketcham, Townsend, Fitoh, Hawley, Winsns, Smyth (Iowa), Wilson (Minn), and McCormack.

Post Office—Messrs. Farnsworth, Ferry, Hill, Twitchell, Boyd, Tiver, Fitch, Smith and Adams.

Manufactures—Messrs. Morrell (Pa.), Ames, The Speaker announced the committees as follows:-

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Manufactures—Messrs. Morrell (Pa.), Ames, Sawyer, Smith (Vt.), Seaford, Upson, Morrill (Me.), Cleveland and Rice.

Agriculture—Messrs. Wilson (Mass.), Loughridge, Fisher, Smith, Dyer, Benton, Cress, Axtell, and Reeves.

Foreign Affairs—Messrs. Clark, Vanhorn, Shanks, Taffe, Bailey, Dewesse, Armstrong, Mudgen, and Trimble.

Military Affairs—Messrs. Logan, Cobb, Negley, Packard, Stougaton, Archer, Asper, Morgan, and Slocum.

On Militia—Mes. S. Shanks, (Ind.), Clark, Smyth (Iows), Boles, Doniey, Moore (Ohio).

District of Columbis—Messrs. Cook. Walker, Williams (Ind.), Gildlian, Boles, Hamilton, Cowles, Stone, and Knott.

Judiciary—Messrs. Bingham, Dawes, Butler (Mass.), Cook, Peters, Mercur, Loughridge, Eidrioge, and Kerr.

Revolotionary Claims—Messrs. Boyd, Ambler (Prosser, Rionghion, Wilber, Logar, N.)

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Public Expenditures—Messrs. Coburn, Sawyer, Wilson (Onio) Hawkins, Knapp, Donelley, Jones (N. C.), Geiz and Hamill.

Private Land Claims—Messrs, Blair, O'Nell, Dixen, Welker, Maypard, Washburn (Wis.)

Swann, Knott, and Potter.

Naval Affairs—Messrs. Scofield, Ferry, Stevens, Ketcham, McCrary, Haie, Archer, and Haight.

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Foreign Affairs—Messra. Banks, Judd. Blair.

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Terri ories—Messrs. Cullam, Ward, Taffe, Dyer, Pomeroy, Moore (Oaio), Duval, Hambieton, and Cleveland.

Revolutionary Pensions—Messrs. Deweees, Williams, Knapp, Gliff ian, Winans, Butler (Tenn.), Rice, R gers, and Smith (Oregon).

Invalid Pensions—Messrs. Benjamin, Benton, Wilson (Onio), Hay, Pnelps, Bowen, Strickland, Bird, and Sweeney.

Roads and Canals—Messrs. Ingersoil, Ames, Cobb (N. C.), Smith (Onio), Prosser, McGrew, Wells, and Winchester.

Mines and Mining—Messrs. Ferris, Sargent, Hawkins, Strickland, Pomeroy, Duval, Roots, Dickerson, and Briggs.

# FROM MAINE.

The City Government of Augusta. Augusta, March 15 .- The new city government was inaugurated to day. Mayor Titcomb's address shows the city debt to be \$365,000, of which amount \$250,000 is a contribution of the city to the development of the water-power improvement, on which satisfactory progress has been made. The Mayor indorses the prohibitory liquor law, an i urges the enforcement of all laws and strict economy.

Fatal Accident. ROCUESTER, March 15.—Allison Smith, of Spencerport, was almost instantly killed yesterday afternoon, while entering the Congregational church in that village, at the head of a funeral procession. The tran door of the belfry of the church was taken from its fastenings by the wind and hurled upon his head.

### THE EUROPEAN MARKETS. This Eventug's Markets.

By Atlantic Cable. London, March 15 — Evening.—Consols for money, 924, and for account, 93, 5-20s quiet and steady at 834. Rallways steady; Erie, 254; Hilipols Central, 974; Atlantic and Great West-FRANKPORT, March 15. - 5-20s. 871.

LIVERPOOL, March 15.—Evening.—Cotton closed quiet and steady. Uplands, 12:2124d.; Orleans, 12:222d. Sales to-day, 10,000 bales. Spirits of Petroleam, 74d; refined do. dail.

London, March 15.—Evening.—Refined Petroleum, 1s. 84d. Linseed oil, £31. Calcutta Linseed 60s.

serd, 60s. ANTWERP, March 15 .- Petroleum easier at 56@ GLASGOW, March 15. - Arrived, steamship India from New York.

Stock Quotations by Telegraph-3.15 P. M 

-The police of an Onio town offer to wake up citizens, if they wish, at any time in the