#### ITY INTELLIGENCE. CITY ORIMINAL CALENDAR.

Cruelty-Violating an Ordinanco-Larceny of Rope-Reckless Driving-Larceny of Wash Clothes-Arrest of Alleged Robbers-Escaped Justice.

-Morris Tracey was arrested at Sixteenth and Brown streets yesterday, for crueity to a horse. He had a hearing before Alderman Paneoust, and was held to ball to answer.

-A conductor named John L. Bender was arrested at Eleventh and Chesnut streets yesterday, for stopping his car directly on a street crossing. He was fined by Alderman Huriey.

-Wm. Warden was taken into custody yesterday for the larceny of rope from the front of a grocery store at Forty-ninth and Haverford a grocery and was held to bill to answer.

-John Pamer was arrested at Second and this morning, for recalless driving.

prisoner had a hearing before Alderman Lungren, and was held to b.ll to answer.

—John Pamer was arrested at Second and Dock streets, this morning, for recaless driving. It is alleged that he drove into and knocked down a lady who was crossing the street at that locality. John was held for a further hearing by Alderman Carpenter.

—Hilzabeth Baker was caught, yesterday afternoon, in the act of stripping a line of washternoon, in the act of stripping a line of washternoon, in the act of stripping a line of washternoon, in the act of stripping a line of washternoon, in the act of stripping a line of washternoon, in the act of stripping a line of washternoon the street. She was taken before Alderman Carpenter and committed.
—Seganous Leary, Philip Griffin, and Andrew Mullin, all lads, were arrested this morning on snapicion of breaking into two stores on Market street, on Sunday last. A painter's diamond, stolen from one of the stores, was found in the possession of one of the defendants. The prisoners will bave a hearing at the Central Stapossession of one of the central Sta-

Hon this afternoop.

—About half-past 1 o'clo k this morning some thieves broke into the ilquor store at the corner of Dean and Locust streets. They were seen by an officer, who chased them into the Schuylkill Hose House, from which building they made thair secape.

Machificent Testimonial.—In one of Briley & Co.'s windows will be found the testimonial tendered to Mr. Robert H. Sayre, Superintendent and Engineer of the Lehigh Valley Raliford Company, by the general officers and employes of that corporation, some time since. It is comprised of a salver, coffee urn, slop-bowl, tea-pot, water-pot, cream-pitcher, sugar-bowl, oyster-tureen and ladie, and two dozen teaspoons, made of sterling silver by Messra. Bailey & Co., and each piece suilably inscribed. The whole service has been prepared in exquisite taste, and in beauty, style, workmanship, and finish has probably never been exceiled. It was gotten up as a token of the regard and esteem Mr. Sayre is held in by every person connected with the Lebigh Valley Raliroad Company, and illustrates how doservedly popular he has become among his fellow men, and how important he has been to the development of the railroad and other material interests of Pennsylvania. Beginning his active life early, at the age of extens. MAGNIFICENT TESTIMONIAL. - In one of Bailey other material interests of Fennsylvania. Beginning his active life early, at the age of sixteen, Mr. Sayre entered an engineer corps in 1840, under the late E. A. Douglass, on the then enlargement of the Morris Canal. In 1841 the disastrous flood of that winter destroyed the greater portion of the canal of the Lehigh Coanal of the Coanal of the Lehigh Coanal of the Coan and Navigation Company, to the repairs of which a large force was put to work, and among the number Mr. R. H. Sayre. The good sense the number Mr. ft. H. Sayre. The good sense and judgment of this young man, and his tact, energy, and indomitable perseverance, as well as his popularity among his fellow-workmen, attracted the attention of Mr. Douglass, who immediately discovered the rare qualifications of the young engineer, and took advantage of of the young eagineer, and took advantage of them. At once Mr. Sayre was placed in a position of trust and responsibility, and so admirably did he perform all his various and varied duties, that success attended his efforts, and he rapidly ascended the ladder of fame, honor, and usefuiness. With this corporation he continued until 1852 when he united with Hen. As Packer and others in the construction of the Lehigh Valley Ballroad, as engineer in chief, and in 1855, when the road was completed between Manch Chunk and Easton, he was when Mauch Chuck and Easton, he was made the General Superintendent, in which position he has remained until the present time. Mr. Sayre has been remarkable in winning hosts of friends; in being held in the highest esteem by all the men in his employ and with whom employed; in bring-ing matured judgment into every proposition and plan to extend the Lehigh Vailey Railroad, until it has grown to be a mighty and valuable highway; in the developments of the coal, fron, slate, and other great interests in the Lenigh valley, and in preserving a popularity for in-tegrity and honor, and all his business con-nections and rivairies, second to no man. He is entirely a faelf-made man, and a living example of what many of the youth of our city and State may become if they do right, and properly act the part to be assigned to them in

MARINE NEWS .- This morning the new steamship Yazoo, of the Philadelphia and Southern Mail Steamship Company, salied for New Orleans via Havana, with a heavy cargo and large list of passengers. Her officers are:

Ospiain, Joseph W. Catharine; Purser, E. B.
Townrow; First Officer, J. H. Hardenbrook;
Second Officer, James Kelley; Chief Engineer,
P. L. Hand; First Assistant, E. B. Hand; Second
Assistant, C. Verd; Pilot, James Rutherford.
The next steamer that will leave the port will
be the Tonawada which will sail on Section 19 The next steamer that will leave the port will be the Tonawands, which will sail on Saturday next at 8 A. M. for Savannah, Georgia Her consort, the Wyoming, Captain Barrett, arrived ont at the same port on Tuesday last, and will sail again for this city on Saturday next, The Pioneer, Captain Wilbank, was hence at Wilmington, N. C., on Monday, to leave on her return on the ensuing Friday. The Juniata, Captain P. F. Hoxie, sailed from New Orleans via Havana on the 20th inst. and will reach the via Havana on the 20th inst., and will reach the latter port to-day.

the great battle of life.

ALL THE LODGES and Chapters and Posts and other societies that meet this evening are invited to spend the first hour—say from 8 to 8 o'clock—at the grand topening of apring and summer clothing at the Great Oak Hall, Sixth and Market streets. It will give them soms-thing to talk about for the rest of the evening, and be a pleasant amusement to see what all the people of Philadelphia are to wear this

TEMPERANCE MEETING .- This evening a temperance meeting will be held in the lectureroom of the church Seventh street, above Brown, The eloquent Methodist divine Rev. H. A. Cleveland and others are expected to be

Suppocation .- This morning Coroner Daniels was notified to hold an inquest at No. 2542 Gray's Ferry road, upon the body of Benjamin Morgan, aged forty years, who was found dead in bed. He is supposed to have been suffocated by gas from the stove.

THE COLLECTORSHIP .- Henry D. Moore, Esq. Collector of the Port, did not take possession of his office this morning, as was supposed. It is understood that he will not assume the duties of the position until the first of April.

SLIGHT FIRE.—About eight o'clock last evening a slight fire occurred at No. 2228 South

# TURKEY.

Release of an American Citizen from Imprisonment.

The Turkish Minister, Blacque Bey, received from Constantinople to-day intelligence of the release by the Turkish Government of Mr. Henry M. Cantield, formerly United States Consul at Pirsus, Greece. Mr. Cantield, it will be remembered, disappeared from his post more than a year ago, and the first information restred of his whereabouts was of his captured. seived of his whereabouts was of his capturby the Turkish Government among the filibusby the Turkish Government among the filtus-ters who entered Syria under the command of O'Reilly. Canfield was taken with arms in his hands, and was liable to be shot, but he was taken to Constantinople and imprisoned. In the expedition he passed under the name of Lamar. About throce months ago Mr. Canfield's father came to this eity and tesought Mr. Seward to make an effort to obtain his release. Mr. Seward promised to do what he could, and accordingly laid the matter before the Turkish Minister, requesting him unofficially to intercede with his Government for the release of the prisoner. This the Tarkish Minister engaged to do, but stated that he could entertain very little nope of success, from the fact that Canaeld, alias Lamar, had been guilty of a helnous offense, and moreover there was a large number of prisoners taken with him of different nationalities, all of whom would probably seek for the same industries. Blacque Bey wrote to the Grand Vizier a strong letter, urging compliance with Mr. Beward's request, and gave it to the father of Beward's request, and gave it to the father of ald probably seek for the same indulgence. nfield, who went to Constantinople and pre-

sented it to the Grand Vizier in person. To day Blacque Bay received the information that the Vizier had submitted to the Sultan Mr. Seward's reasons for making the request, and the Buftan had been pleased to immediately order Mr. Candeid's release. This act is regarded here as an unquivocal manifestation of good feeling towards the United States by the Torkish Government.—(Washington special to N. Y. Herald.)

#### THE STATE LEGISLATURE.

HARRISBURG, March 25—Mr. Connell presented a petition of ten fire companies for exemption from jury duty; also, one from Judge Mison and other citizens for an extension of the House of Refuge; also, one from the Board of Trade to compel certain trains of the Camden and Amboy Rallroad Company to stop at Patients of the Camden and Amboy Rallroad Company to stop at Patients of the camden and Amboy Rallroad Company to stop at Patients of the Camden and Amboy Rallroad Company to stop at Patients of the Camden and Cam

and Amboy Railroad Company to stop at Pol-isdelphia. (The company have already made such arrangements.)

Mr. Henssey, one from twelve fire companies for exemption from juty duty.

Mr. Nagle, one protesting against a passenger railway on Broad street. Also, one from eer tain fire companies for exemption from jury duty.

duty.
Mr. McCaudiess, one from merchants of
Philadelphia to make the Schuyikili River Railway a freight road.

Mr. Randall, one from one thousand citizens mylkill for an act for the better ventila-

of Schuylkill for an act for the better ventila-tion of mines.

A memorial was presented from the Society of Friends in opposition to their being com-pelled to pay militalax.

Mr. Billingfet, from the Retrenchment and Reform Committee, made a lengthy report to the following purpor:—That \$34.07745 were paid last session for officers in the Senate, and \$83.76580 for officers in the House, amounts largely in excess of what was actually neces-sary, having been incurred on their part with-out proper authority of law.

sary, having been incurred on their part without proper authority of law.

A practice had been indulged and increased
within the last few years of paying employes
on the warrant of proper officers at the end of
the session, who had not been formally elected
at the opening of the session, and so loose a
practice in the payment of legislative employes could not be too much deprecated.

The committee say the act of 1863 will remedy
the evil and reduce the expenses of the present
session to \$7283 25, and it excuestly discountenances any attempt to disregard its provisions.
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The necessity of fixing permanentity by law the salaries of the different needs of departments, making them more uniform, and not to be regulated merely by the General Appropriation bill, is urged, and a bill is reported classifying the departmental clerks as follows:

Chief clerks at salaries of \$1500 each. First-class clerks at \$1500, and third-class clerks at \$1000; a change that will reduce the expenses of the administration \$20,000 annually, and secure equal efficiency. The compensation of members of the Legislature should be permanently regulated by law. \$1000 is recommended as the the permanent salary, and no allowance for stationery or mileage to be made.

In view of this permanent regulation of salary it has been decreed wise to cut off the allowance of \$25 to each member for stationery, and also the allowance for mileage, because of the recognized fact that members of the Legislature are given the converse of free transportations of the testing the converse of the Legislature are given the converse of free transportations.

lature are given the conress of free transpor-tation over the different railroads of the Com-monwealth. These items aggregate as fol-

Biationery, \$2325, mileage, \$7541-20. So as to provide more carefully for the supply of sta-tionery for the officent departments of the Legislature, etc., the act submitted provides that an estimate shall be made annually by the heads of departments of the amount and quality of stationery required, and by the Superinterdent of Public Printing, Auditor-General, and Secretary of State, of the amount required for the use of the legislature and public printing; all of which estimates are to be submitted to the Auditor-General's depart-

ment.
Senied proposals for the stationery shall be ndvertised for and opened at a specified time, before the State Treasurer, Auditor General, and Superintendent of Public Printing, who shall give the contract to the lowest vidder. Provision is also made for the delivery of this stationery to the departments, an account for the distribution of which shall be annually sented by the Auditor-General.

the distribution of which shall be annually settled by the Auditor-General.

This plan, it is believed, will largely decrease the present expenditures, and secure a better article. The Governor, Auditor General, and State Treasurer are created a board of commissioners of public grounds and buildings, and are to be responsible for and have control of all expenditures for the care, improvement, and repair of the buildings and grounds. They are to havie proposals for the supply of fuel for the to invite proposals for the supply of fuel for the departments and Legislature, and to award the contract to the lowest bidder.

## House of Representatives.

The Speaker presented a communication from William Dorsey, representing a committee of the Society of Friends. The communieation sets forth that it is against the ples of the Society to do militia duty or pay militie tax. The following bills were introduced and re-

ferred to appropriate committees:—
By Mr. Cloud, authorizing Councils to cause

a special election to be held to enable the citizens to select a proper site for the erection of new public buildings.

By Mr. Hong, confirming Olney road, in the Twenty second ward, at a width of forty feet; also, incorporating the Unionville Turnpike Company; also, making it a misdemeanor to use a steam boiler in Philadelphia without a certificate from the inspector that it is in a safe condition, and authorizing additional inspectors; also, protecting private sidewalks esta-blished in the Twenty-second ward.

By Mr. Mulien, exempting St. Mary's Hospital from taxation.
By Mr. Subers, supplement to the Home for Little Wanderers.

Intile Wanderers.

By Mr. Foy, incorporating the Brickmakers'
Association of Philadelphia.

By Mr. Goundie, authorizing elections of directors, etc., of savings companies to be held subject to the act regulating bank elections.

By Mr. Duncan, suthorizing receivers of insolvent banks to discharge debts.

By Mr. Myers, authorizing the Lombard and South Streets Relivant to lay tracks

South Streets Railway to lay tracks from the intersection of Passyunk road at Fifth street, north, along said street; to make one on Sixth street between Market street and Passyunk road, or to use the tracks

of any railway on said route. This bill is sustained by petitions.

Mr. Rogers, vacating Albion street, formerly Aspen's alley, in the Eighth ward.

Mr. Rogers stated that he had introduced this at the request of a constituent, and desired the opinion of the results of the ward.

opinion of the people of the ward.

Mr. Subers introduced a supplement to the registry laws of the Board of Health, authoaffidavits of birth. Passed. By Mr. Hopkins, of Lancaster, a bill refunding the collateral inheritance tax paid on the be-quest of James Buchanan to the poor of the

Mr. Nice, of Schuylkill, reported, with a negative recommendation, the burlesque Broad Street Rallway bill; with newspaper proprietors as corporators, and this, of course, kills the bill.

the bill.

Mr. Rogers reported from the Judiciary Com mittee an act to prevent adulteration of drngs. The bill applies only to Philadelphia, and as amended declares adulteration to be a misde-

amended deciares adolteration to be a misdemeanor; prohibits the employing of any but
graduates of pharmacy in retail drug stores;
permits any clipen to make complaint before
any alderman for a violation; provides for a
search-warrant to issue on affidavit of a physician to discover adulterated drugs, etc., and
for the destruction of such drugs.
This bill was only saved by limiting its provisions to Philadelphia,
Mr. Rogers also reported the Senate bill
authorizing the Supreme Court to appoint five
commissioners for Philadelphia.
The House considered a supplement to the
Exemption laws. It increases the properly
exempted by law from \$300 to \$500, positively
prohibits any waiver, and makes the privileges
apply only to married men.

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WEDDING INVITATIONS, ENGRAVED IN

# THIRD EDITION

# WASHINGTON

The Modified Civil Tenure Bill in the House-Butler will Fight It-Reconstruction in Georgia.

The Government of Alaska "Woman Suffrage Up Again-The National Currency.

#### FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

Alaska and Woman Suffrage. Washington, March 25 .- The House Committee on Territories, at their meeting to-day, had up the bill organizing a territorial government for Alaska, and the question of woman suffrage in the Territories. They determined not to take any action at this session on either of them.

The Sale of Useless War Vessels. The House Committee on Navat Affairs have determined not to take any action on the letter of the Secretary of the Navy relative to selling such war vessels as are not actually needed for service; also the letter relative to repealing the Eight Hour law, so far as it relates to navy yards. The reason is the want of time, and the fact that both questions, if brought into the House, will give rise to much discussion.

The Modified Civil Tenure Bill. The Senate bill, modifying the Tenure-of-Office act, will be referred to the Judiclary Committee as soon as it reaches the House. To-Jay the committee met to consider it. Tomorrow Judge Bingham, chairman of the committee, while he does not favor the measure, will support it as the best that can probably be agreed upon by the Senate and House. Butler, who is a member of the Judiciary Committee, says he will fight it in the committee and in the House as well as he can, and will have other Republicans as well, and all Democrats to support him. Butler will be the leader of the oppostion to the bill in the House. It is thought, however, that a majority will favor it on the ground that it is satisfactory to the President, and everybody is anxious to have the vexed question settled.

The Tenure Bill in the House. The Secretary of the Senate brought the Senate bill relative to the Tenure of Office act

#### over to the House at 1 o'clock. No disposition has yet been made of it. Lonisiana.

The Committee on Elections had up the Louisiana contested election case to day, and had Messrs. Hunt and Sheldon before it half an hour each. The National Currency.

The Banking and Currency Committee at their meeting to-day appointed a sub committee to prepare a bill relative to the redistribution of currency among the States and Territories. The sub-committee will report at the next meeting of the committee, and will endeavor to prepare a bill that will meet with concurrent legislation at this session. Seal Fisheries.

The Committee on Commerce of the House

agreed to-day to report the Senate bill for the protection of the seal fisheries in Alaska, with an amendment increasing the tax to a dollar and a half. Georgia. The Reconstruction Committee will endeavor

## to secure legislation to enforce the fourteenth

constitutional amendment in Georgia. Butler tried to get in a bill for this purpose to day, but objection was made by the Democrats.

## FROM BALTIMORE.

The Oyster Law-A Jury that Couldn't Agree. Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph

BALTIMORE, March 25. - Our Stateoyster police force are now actively engaged in enforcing the Oyster law, and have recently captured several parties violating it, who have been fined from two to three hundred dollars each. Some of them are Pennsylvanians.

In the United States Court yesterday, in the case of Lewis Davis, of Kentucky, charged with violating the Lottery law, the jury could not agree, standing eleven for conviction and one for acquittal.

# FROM MASSACHUSETTS.

Hen. H. L. Dawes Declines a High Ap.

Boston, March 25 .- H. L. Dawes has declined the appointment of Justice of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, tendered him by Governor Claffin.

Shocking Aceldent on a Railroad. Woncesrun, March 25 .- Mrs. Coffee and her two daughters, of Still River, Mass., were run over by the cars nears Groton Junction this morning, while crossing the Fitchburg Railroad in a sleigh. The daughters, between twenty and twenty-three years of age, were killed, and the mother was very severely injured.

# FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS -First Session.

Senate.

Washington, March 25.—Immediately after the reading of the journal the Hon. William T. Hamilton, Senator from Maryland, appeared and took the prescribed oath.

Mr. Summer presented the petition of Clara Barton, seiting forth the needy condition of the freedmen in Washington and asking Congress te give her in trust for such freedmen the refuse property of the War Department now about to be sold, consisting of old buildings, atores, etc. Referred to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Mr. Rice introduced a bill to enforce the fourteenth amendment to the Constitution and the laws of the United States, and to restore to the Etate of Georgia the republican government elected under its new Constitution, Laid on the table and ordered to be printed.

covernment elected under its new constitution. Laid on the table and ordered to be printed.

The bill, he said, if made a law, would maintain the power of the Republican party for many years, give strength and stability to the national securities, restore our flag to the ocsan, double the value of our public lands, restore political quiet, put out of existence great bankers, great traders, great shipmasters, great land monopolies; great manufacturers, and great railroad monopolies, would distribute all these interests more equally among the people, and would thereby restore prosperity to every branch of industry.

Mr. Patterson introduced a bill to provide for retrenehment and greater efficiency in the diplomatic and consular system of the United States. Referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Mr. Edmunds moved to take up the bill to ment and the laws of the United States in

Mr. Sherman objected, because he wanted the Benate to take up the bill supplementary to the act of 1864, to provide a national currency secured by a piedge of United States bonds.

Mr. Cole introduced a bill granting lands to the San Diego branch of the Southern Paninc Railroad. Referred to Committee on Pacinc FROM THE CAPITAL.

FROM THE CAPITAL. THE LATEST NEWS.

Railroad. Referred to Committee on Pacific Railroad. On motion of Mr. Patterson, the Senate concurred in the amentment by the House to the bill to incorporate the National Junction Rail-way Company.

Mr. Edmunds said he had moved take up the bill relating to Georgia because he wished the Senate to decide definitely whether anything was to be done at this session to settle the status of that State. He thought Oberens was either treating Georgia very badly by excluding her from representation, or else was tolerating there a revolutionary condition of affairs, which ought to be brought to an end.

Mr. Summer thought it more important that prompt action should be taken on the Georgia bill than the financial bill moved by Mr. Sherman, because its passage was necessary for the

msn, because its passage was necessary for the preservation of peace in that State, and also as an example of reconstruction.

Mr. Sherman's motion was carried—yeas, 40;

an example of reconstruction.

Mr. Sherman's motion was carried—yeas, 40; nays, 15.

The pending amendment was that offered by Mr. Wilson, authorizing an increase of \$50,000,000 in the issue of circulating notes, and providing that in making the issue, preference shall be given to banking associations in States and sections of the country not already supplied with banking facilities. The amendment also provides that whenever the amount of United States notes and circulating notes of national banks combined shall be in excess of \$700 000,000, the Secretary of the Treasury may retire and cancel United States notes to the smount of such excess, until the whole amount of United States notes outstanding shall be reduced to \$350,000.000.

Mr. Sherman explained in detail the previsions of the bill. The Committee on Finance had come to the conclusion that no more radical measure than this could safely be proposed at this time. The distribution of circulation was of course very unequal, but it seemed to the committee better to equalize it gradually, than by a sudden measure of general rediction.

House of Representatives.

Mr. Cox presented a preamble and resolutions of the New York Produce Exchange in relation to changes in the Bankrupt law. The Speaker announced the appointment of Mesers, Jenckes and Benton as additional members of the Committee on Retrenchment. Mr. Wilson (Minn.) introduced a bill granting the right of way for a railroad from Portland, Oregon, to west of the Cascade Mountains, Referred to the Committee on Pacific Railroad. Referred to the Committee on Pacific Railroad.

Mr. Dawes rose to a personal explanation in reference to a complaint made against him by it. H. Heath, Secretary of the Territory of New Mexico, arising out of a statement made by Mr. Dawes in the New Mexico contested election case last session. He had read a letter from Heath, written while he was holding an official position in Washington during the war, declaring his sympathy for the Resellion, and repeated the declaration which he made on the occasion complained of, that he could have no confidence in a man who would thus, from a Northern State, tender his services to the Rebellion.

Mr. Poland, from the Committee on the Re vision of the Laws, reported a joint resolution relative to steamboats and other vessels owned In loyal States, providing an act prohibiting the Court of Claims from taking jurisdiction of claims arising in the Rebel States, which shall not apply to steamboats or other vessels impressed into the military service of the United States during the late war in States or parts of States declared in inturrection; provided that the claimants were loyal at the time the claim originated and remain loyal thereafter and residents of Joyal States, and provided such vessels were in the insurrectionary districts by proper authority.

proper authority.

The joint resolution was explained and advocated by Mr. Foland. It gave rise to considerable discussion, participated in by Messrs. Washburn (Wis.), Lawrence, Finkelnburg, Maynard, Hoar, Hawkins, Ames, Benjamin, and Logan

and Logan.

Mr. Msrshall (III), moved to lay the joint resolution on the table. Lost. Yeas, 81; nays, 83; and the joint resolution was then passed. Yeas, 87; nays, 80
Mr. Poland was, at his own request, excused from further service on the Reconstruction

Committee.

Mr. Urson was also, at his own request,
excused from service on the Committee on Revision of the Laws, and was subsequently
assigned by the Speaker to the Committee on

Latest Markets by Telegraph.

New York, March 25—Cotton steady: 800 bales sold at 25%. Flour firmer; saise of 7500 barrets; State, 3, 40, 50 to 10; Western, \$5, 55, 50, 70.0; Southern & 5, 50, 50, 10; Wheat quiet: sales of 15, 600 bushels; white California, 15, 500 bushels; white California \$159. Corn steady: raies of 40,000 bushels; mixed Western, 85@573c: yellow Western 83c. Oats active and firmer; sales of 55 too bushels at 73% @ 75c. Besf quiet. Pors firmer: New Mess, \$2175@31 \$7%. Lard neavy: steam, 1834@185%c. Whisky quiet at 150. neavy: steam, 182,6015/2c. Whisky quiet at 195.

Baltimore, March 25.—Cotton quiet but firm at 28
28%c. Floor active and much firmer at former quotations. Whest firmer and advanced about 50. Corn firmer: white. 80/2010; yellow, 84/20-50. Outs firmer at 65/270c. Rie steady fand unchanged. Pork quiet at 85/20/685 Bacon active; ribb d sides, 17c; clear do 18c; shoulders, 56; thams, 200/21c. Lard quiet at 29c. Whisky quiet but firm at 94c.

## MOSES H. GRINNELL.

The New Collector of the Port of New York. The name of Mr. Grinnell was yesterday trans-

mitted by the President to the Senate for confirmation as Collector of the Port of New York, one of the most responsible offices in the country. The nominee is one of the most prominent citizens of this city. A native of New Bedford, Mass., where he was born on the 3d of March, 1803, he received an excellent education. partly at private schools and partly at Friends Academy. While quite a young man he removed to New York for the purpose of entering the shipping house of the late Preserved Fish, with whom his elder brother, Mr. Hepry Grinnell, was associated at the time. He rapidly developed into a merchant of rare foresight and ability. In turtherance of his business interests, as well as to gratify a desire of visit ing foreign countries, he frequently went abroad ing foreign countries, he frequently went abroad as supercargo of the ships despatched by his firm, thereby extending his commerce and gaining much experience in commercial affairs. After the retirement of Mr. Fish and Mr. Henry Grinnell the subject of this sketch became the senior member of the house of Grinneil, Minturn & Co., which for over thirty years maintained a commercial reputation, at home and abroad, unsurpassed for integrity and enterprise. Taking a for integrity and enterprise. Taking a deep interest in the public affairs of the coun try Mr. Grinnell naturally drifted into politica life as a supporter of the Whig party, and by that organization was nominated for the pos Representative in Congress in 1838, an elected after a sharp contest by some 1300 majority. Upon the expiration of his term of office he was renominated; but in 1840 the Democrats had gained the ascendancy, and he was defeated, although running considerably shead of his ticket. After this Mr. Grinnell remained out of office] for a number of years, quietly attending to his private busi-ness, which had now become quite large. Upon the organization of the Republican party he esponsed its doctrines, and in 1856 was a Presidential elector on the Fremont ticket. This was the last political position held by him. As a merchant he has been President of the Chamber of Commerce, which position he held for several years. He has also been President of the Merchants' Clerks' Savings Bank, Commis-sioner of the Park, member of the Union Defense Committee during the Rebellion, to the sup pression of which he gave a hearty support. At the present time Mr. Grinnell is the President of the Sun Mutual Insurance Company. a man of wealth, and personally bears the reputation of being a most estimable gentleman.

N. Y. Herald.

Received too late for Classification. JAMES E. MURDOCHS "EVENING WITH THE POETS." HORTICULTURAL HALL.

TUESDAY EVENING, March 80, 1869. Secured Seats, Fifty Cents, at Trumpler's Music tore, No. 936 Chesnutstreet. Tickets issued for Monday, March 8, will secure

UNITED STATES REVENUE STAMPS OF ull kinds can be had at No. 105 S. FIFTH Street (next door to Old Office), and at No. 43% WALNOT Street, Penn Buildings.

Reported Death of Ex-President Johnson at His Home in Tennessee.

The Cuban Question-Edward L Plumb Nominated for Consul General.

President Grant's Latest Nominations-Naval Affairs.

## FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. The Poor Indian.

WASHINGTON, March 25 .- A delegation o Philadelphians relative to the treatment of the Indians was before the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs to day, when William Welsh and Judge Strong explained to the committee the object of their mission, and appealed to the committee to take steps to carry out the policy which they proposed towards the Indians. They also had interviews with the members of the Senate and House Committees on Appropriations and the House Committee on Indian

Reported Death of ex-President Johnson. A report has just been received here announcing that ex-President Johnson died this morning of paralysis, at his home in Tennessee.

Recognition of Cuba.

General Banks obtained permission from the Committee on Foreign Affairs to-day to report resolution authorizing President Grant to recognize Cuba whenever she has established a de facto Government. Pennsylvania Revenue Appointments.

The following are the internal revenue appointments sent in to day for Pennsylvania:-Samuel J. Royer, to be Collector Seventeenth District; W. J. Stokley, to be Assessor Second District; and James F. Valeatine to be Assessor Eighth District.

Despatch to the Associated Press.

Naval Affairs. WASHINGTON, Murch 25.-The resignation of Midshipmen Horace W. Mann, B. M. Shaffner, and Eugene C. Littman, of the Naval Academy, have been accepted. The acceptances of the resignations of the following named midshipmen are revoked: - David Whipple, Z. T. Babcock, Francis Winslow, and E. A. Sanderson.

Secretary Borie left here for Annapolis this morning, accompapied by Vice Admiral Porter. He will inspect offairs at the Naval Academy. Army Orders

Brevet Brigadier General Eli S. Parker, First Lieutenant 2d Cavalry, has been ordered to report for duty to the Secretary of War. The order dates from the 4th instant. The resignation of Chaplain William Grimes, 10th Cavalry, has been accepted.

Nominations by the President. Washington, March 25. - The following nomi nations were sent to the Senate to-day:-Edward L. Plumb to be Consul General at

Bayana. R. W. Clark to be Third Auditor of the Treasury. Alonzo B. Connell to be Surveyor of Customs

for the port of New York. E. A. Merritt to be Naval Officer of the district of New York. F. A. Ashton to be Collector of Castoms at

Puget Sound, W. T. P. J. Hobson to be Collector of Customs, district of Gloucester, Mass.

E. A. Palirey to be Collector of Customs at

Salem. Mass. Edward W. Barber was to-day appointed Supervisor of Internal Revenue for the Territorial district of Michigan and Wisconsin.

## FROM MASSACHUSETTS.

Shocking Tragedy in North Andover-A Young Man Shoots a Girl and Kills Himself.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph Boston, March 25 .- A terrible tragedy occurred at North Andover last night. It seems that a young man named Pine has been a suitor of a girl named Hubbard, who has rejected his addresses. So much was he affected by this that he has attempted ouce or twice to take his own life. On Saturday last he took a dose of landanum, but remedies were administered that saved him. The fact that the parties lived to the same house brought them frequently in contact, and late last evening he went to a room in that part of the house occupied by her family, and asked her to take a walk with him. This she positively declined to do, when he drew a revolver and threatened to kill her if she didn't. She fled from the room, leaving him there. He then threatened to kill himself. and, fearing that he would do it, she opened the door which she had closed behind her to look in and see what he was doing. As she did so he shot at her, and the bail took effect in her neck, inflicting a wound which it is feared will prove fatal. He then discharged another barrel of the revolver, aiming at his own head, killing himself almost immediately. Drs. Davis, of North Andover, and Lamb, of Lawrence, were called to attend the girl, but there is little hope of her recovery.

## FOREIGN.

By Atlantic Cable.

The Transationtic Mails. London, March 25,-The steamship companies which at present have contracts for carrying the malls between Great Britain and the United States have declined to modify their late contracts, as suggested by the Post Office Department.

The Spanish Senators. MadRid, March 25 .- By the draft of the new Constitution presented to the Constituent Cortes yesterday, Senators are to be elected for twelve years, and not for thirteen, as before

Stock Quotations by Telegraph-3 P. H 

The Tenure-of-Office Act - More

Presidential Nominations.

#### FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegrows The Tenure-of Office Act in the Mouse. WASHINGTON, March 25 .- In the House, at 3 o'clock this afternoon, General Butler moved to proceed to the business on the Speaker's table. for the purpose of reaching the Civil Tenure bill. It was taken up, and the Senate amendments were read at length. General Butler moved its reference to the Committee on the Judiciary. General Logao, of Illinols, offered an amendment that all the offices filled by the President of the United States prior to the 4th of March, 1869, shall become vacant on the 30th of June, 1869, except judges of United States courts.

Despatch to the Associated Press.

More Presidential Nominations. WASHINGTON, March 25 .- The following are additional nominations sent to the Senate by

President Grant to-day : -Collectors of Internal Revenue-L. N. Coy, First District of Arkausss; Joseph A. Cooper, Second District of Tennessee; James T. Smith, Second District of Mississippi; John McHarg, Fifth District of New York; Samuel J. Royer, Seventeenth District of Pennsylvania; Robert M. Smith, Third District of Maryland; Thomas E. McCleracken, Sixth District of Iowa; Isaac J. Young, Fourth District of North Carolina.

Assessors of Internal Revenue-John T. Valentine, 8th district, Pa.: D. N. C. Thomas. 2d district, Ind.; Julius Ennemoser, 3d district La .: Joshua Thorne, 6th district. Mo.; D. H. Stanton, 7th district, N. Y.; William S. Stokley, 2d district, Pa.

Receivers of Public Moneys-G. M. Ballard, Indianapolis; S. H. Wright, Carson City, Nev.; Edward Vollmer, Belmont, Nev. Registers-H. F. Rice, Carson City, Nev.;

Samuel Tallman, Belmont, Nev.; Abner Tibbetts, St. Peter's, Minn. Indiau Agent-Charles La Follett, Grande Bonde, Oregon.

Fire in New York City. New York, March 25 .- A fire in Fuiton street to-day destroyed property to the amount of \$15,000; insured for \$7500. John Hinerschaft saloon keeper, is the chief loser.

## AMERICAN POLITICS.

A Canadian Expresses his Opinion.

Correspondence Quebec Frontier. I have often heard it said that in the United States every man was a politician. I cannot agree with this statement. True, it is an im agree with this statement. True, it is an immense republic, with unrestricted manhood suffrage; yet many of the first men you meet refuse altogether to mix themselves up in political squabbles. The world over, politicals are too much alike—too often selfish, grasping, unscrupulous—and hence we find that many men whose intelligence and social position should give them a commanding place in the councils of the nation, out themselves entirely adrift from all political associations. On the streef, in the bar room, the counting house, the railway cars, the doings or misdoings of Grant, Johnson, Seward, etc., are just now always being canvassed, but this is only one phase of

New York society.

The result of all this political wire-pulling is often most lamentable. One instance of this came under my observation. There is living in East Twenty-ninth street a certain Dr. John Griscom, who has written more on prisons and hygiene than perhaps any other person in the world. In the States he is recognized as one of the first authorities upon scientific subjects. For years he has been President or Vice-President of different scientific societies. In face, he is a man devoted heart and soul to the cause of science. I have at this moment before me one of his works—"An Essay on Prison Hygiene"—prepared by request of the Executive Committee, which does no nor to the head and heart of the author. It displays not not his scholarly attainments and thoughtfulonly his scholarly attainments and thoughtful-Yet this eminent man was deprived of his position on some of the boards (I forget which) simply by reason of political intrigues against him. Analogous cases in Canada are rare, and let us hope that they may ever remain so. Dr. Griscom's loss was comparatively very little, but that of the public very great.

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