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CITY INTELLIGENCE. THE GERMAN METHODISTS.

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Their Proceedings on Saturday and Vesterday.

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Sabbath.

in the city of Baltimore, Md. Subbath. Quite a number of our churches availed themselves of the services of those who could preach in English at the evening service. The interest in the moraing was at the Girard Avenue Methodist Episeopal Church. Bishop Simpson preached to a crowded con-gregation with his usual encreases, and following the sermon was the ordination of deacons and elders. In the afternoon there was a grand Sabbath School an-niversary. Addresses were delivered by several members of the Conference. The singing by the children was appropriate and beantiful. In the even-ing Rev. F. Schuler, agent of the Berean German College, occupied the publt. At 3 P. M. Ridge Avenue Hall, above Jefferson, was crowded to its utmost capacity, to listen to re-marks from Rev. P. Moltier, A. M. This talented minister was educated for a Koman Catholic priest. While in one of their institutions he sought light; persecuted, he came to this land, and found a home in New Orleans. While in this piace, in the cabin of the colored man he sought and found the peart of great price. His experience moved all hearts. This esteemed minister is justly regarded as one of the innest scholars in the land, and one of the best writers arong the Germans. Arong the Germans.

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Inest scholars in the land, and one of the octa wheels among the Germans. A special service was held in the Morris City M. E. Church, Twenty-serventh street, above Girard avenue, in the evening. An invitation was extended to the English and German population to come out. Rev. Charles Brockmayer preached in English, followed by an exhortation in German from Rev. W. H. Ruth. The above is one of the eight places under the super-vision of the City Missionary of the M. E. Church, Rev. George W. Lybrand. At Tabernacic, Rev. C. Jest, of Newark, N. J., preached a sermon that was well received. The services of all the ministers were effective and profitable. Eastern German Conference.

Eastern German Conference.

THIS MORNING'S SESSION.

The members of this body reassembled this morning in the church, Girard avenue, above Twelfth street, for the transaction of business. Rev. Bishop Simpson in the chair. The devotional exercises were conducted by the Rev. P. Moelling, recently transferred from Texas to this Conference.

The examining committees announced for the year 1870:-1st year-J. W. Freund, J. Lutz, and F. D. Gratz. 2d year-C. F. Grimm, G. Able, F. W. Dinger; 3d year-C. Blinn, J. Kindler; 4th year-L. Walton, C. Jost, J. Kolb.

Walton, C. Jost, J. Kolb.
To examine candidates for admission on trial—J.
Y. Wolf, G. Mayer, P. Stahi.
To examine local preachers for deacon's and
elder's orders—J. Seidel, J. G. Fritz, J. Sauter.
To preach Missionary_Sermon—J. C. Deininger;
alternate, Jultus Seidel.
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alternate, Julius Seidel. Speakers next year at the Missionary Anniversary —C. Brockmeyer, P. Stabi, Peter A. Moelling. Sunday School Anniversary—George Meyer, John W. Freund, J. J. F. Brunow. To preach the Conference Sermon—George Abele.

To preach the Conference Sermon-George Abele. Alternate, Jacob Kindler. The Stewards recommended to raise for relief of worn-out preachers, widows and orphans of de-ceased preachers, \$500; to raise \$175 in New York district and \$125 in the Philadelphia district. The Committee on the Church Extension Society presented their report, followed with earnest and practical remarks by Rev. C. Blina, J. W. Freund, J. Swahlen, C. Jost, and J. C. Deininger. This re-port recommended the erection of four churches this year-Two in New York, one in Baidmore, and one



Relles of the Sulcide Found in his Cell. This morning Mrs. Moore, the lady who so con-stantly and kindly attended George S. Twitcheli in plison prior to his death, and from whose house he was buried, had the most of his effects removed from the cell he occupied. Among the articles was found the following, written on a sheet of paper by his own hand :---

SENTIMENTS OF PLOWERS. What each flower commonated signifies when sent to a

Upon the back of another scrap of paper, the face of which contained the following-

"Your friend, John Lyon, and two others-Mr. Brown and S. S. Leidy-very anxious to see you. Sincerely yours, "J. Lyon. February 4, 1869,"

were written the appended first lines of a number of familiar hymns, also in the chirography of Fwitchell:

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 A charge to keep I have.
 Am I a soldier of the Cross ?
 Awake my soul, stretch every nerve, Joy to the world.
 Obl for a thousand tongram to sing Just as I am, without one pless.
 Fur a pligrim and is stranger.
 Come ye that love the Lord.
 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds.
 Jesus, lover of my sonl.
 There is a fountain filled with blood.
 Obl for a closer walk with God.
 I love to steal awhile away.
 Lo on a narrow nock of land.
 When I can read my title clear.
 I would not live always.
 Guide me, old thou great Jehovah.
 We are out on the occan sailing, My days are gliding swiftly by;
 All hail the power of Jesus name Show pity, Lord, oh! Lord, forgive.
 Lord dismiss us with Thy blessing : Awake, my soul, in joffal lays, Joyfully, jogitully, ouward I move, on the occan all boundless I move.
 Ohl ing to me of heaven.
 Say, brothers, will you meet me?

CITY CRIMINAL CALENDAR.

Pitching Pennies-Assaulting a Policeman-A Pistol Shot Fired into a Tavern-A Woman Beaten-A Wife Beater-A Bar-room Fight-A Juvenile Thief-Extinguishing Lights-More Bootblacks in Trouble-Prevented Getting into the Delaware-Rufflanism at Germantown.

-George Woodland, John Thompson, and James Hughes were arrested yesterday at different places in the Eleventh district for pitching pennics. Alder-derman Heins sent them all below. —Thomas Alexander was taken into enstody yes-

terday at Second and Oxford streets for disorderly conduct. While on the way to the station he as-saulted Polloeman Grey, of the Eleventh district. He was held in \$500 ball by Alderman Helns.

-John Perkins and Thomas Gallagher entered the tavern at Eighth and Sansom streets yesterday after-noon and assaulted the bartender, who defended himself, and was getting the better of the two fel-lows when he was set on by a crowd and badly beaten. The party eventually got into the street and had a munified the bartenan Kerr beam the had a running fight. Alderman Kerr bound the

Above two over for trial. —About 10 o'clock last night a pistol shot was fired into a tavern at No. 600 Lombard street. The ball whized in close proximity to the proprietor, Edward Ahern. A policeman heard the shot and repaired to the scene, but was unable to discover who fired the

-Francis Shelly went into the house of Mrs. Menk, on Elizabeth street, Frankford, while intoxicated. He attacked Mrs. Monk, and was beating her whom he was arrested. He had a hearing before Alderman Stearne, and was held for trial.

stearne, and was held for trial. —John Doran, living on Willow street, Frankford, has a wife and eight children. The wife maintains her family by washing, while John spends what he carns for whisky. On Saturday he maltreated his better half. She entered complaint before Alderman Stearne, who sent the fellow below in default of \$800 haff.

-On Saturday afternoon, a colored boy snatched a pocket book from the hand of Mrs. Wistar at Eighteenth and Walmut streets, and succeeded in escaping with the article, which contained a small sum of money.



Bassett to Hayti.

Our

FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. Announcement of the Foreign Appointments, WASHINGTON, April 12. - The following nominations have just been sont to the Senate: -J. Lothrop Motley, Minister to England. Leopold Markbright, Minister to Bolivia. James R. Partridge, Minister to Nicaragua. William A. Pile, Minister to Venezuela. James R. Jones, Minister to Belgium. J. G. Carlisle to Stockholm, J. R. Clay to Liberia. R. C. Kirk to Argentine Republic, S. A. Hullburt to Bogota, S. A. Hudson to Gautemala. E. D. Bassett to Hayti. Andrew G. Curtin to Russia. John Jay to Austria. Internal Revenue Appolatments. S. P. Evans, United States Marshal Eastern District, Tennessee.

Peter R. Carll, Connecticut. James K. Kennedy, Associate Justice Wash-

ington Territory. Assessors-W. H. Whitehead, Second district,

Georgia; Edward Baker, First district, Kentucky; P. B. Hunt, Seventh district, Kentucky; F. W. Sparling, Fifth district, Tennessee; Edward Baker, Fifth district, Illinois: Edgar P. Snow, Wyoming Territory.

CONGRESS TO-DAY.

Senate. WASHINGTON, April 12.—The Senate met at noon.

pursuant to the proclamation of the President, and was called to order by the President pro tem., Mr. Anthony. After prayer by the Chaplain, and the reading of

the proclamation, Mr. Hamilin offered a resolution, which was agreed to, directing the appointment of a committee of two to wait upon the President and inform him that the Senate was ready to receive any communication he might have to make, and the Chair named Messrs. Hamiin and Casseriy as such ommittee.

On motion of Mr. Summer, it was ordered that the daily meetings of the Senate be at 12 M., until otherwise ordered. Also, that the Standing Committee as constituted at the close of the last session be con-tinued during the present session. And then, on motion of Mr. Edmunds, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business,

Markets by Telegraph.

Markers by telegraphic New Yonx, April 12. Stocks steady. Gold, 133's; Ex-change, 107's, 520's 1952, 120's; do. 1894, 114's; do. 1895, 117's; new, 118's; 1967, 118's; 1940's, 105's, Virginia 6s, 59; Missouri 6s, 87; Canton Company, 59's; Camberland preferred, 31's; New York Central, 122; Michigan South-ern, 97's; Illinois Central, 183; Cleveland and Pitteburg, 90's; Cheveland and Toledo, 97; Chicago and Rock Island, 120's; Pittsburg and Fort Wayne, 131's; Nyw Yong, April 12. Cotton frm: 720 hales sold at

NEW YORK, April 12.—Cotton firm; 750 bales sold at 2836, for middlings. Flour heavy and without decided change; 5500 barrols sold. Wheat dull and unchanged; quotations nominal. Corn doclining; sales of 27,000 bushols, Mixed Western at 87(685), c. for new, and 88c, for old. Oats dull. Boef quiet. Fork heavy at 8507565087%. Lard quiet; steam rendered, 181%(\$1516. Whisky dull and quo-tations nominal.

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BALTIMORE, April 12 Cotton steady at 28c. Flour-Howard street superfine, 886/825; do. extra, 866/826; do extra, 866/826; do extra, 87256/8125; do. extra, 856/825; do family, 895/866/125; Western superfine, 866/825; do family, 895/866/125; do extra, 866/866/25; do family, 895/866/125; do family, 895/86/125; do fami

THE LATEST NEWS. **Doings at the Capital-The Depart**ments Thronged-Important Army and Navy Orders.

Sketches of Our New Foreign Diplomats.

The Philadelphia Postmastership.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. Treaties Ratified.

WASHINGTON, April 12 .- The Senate is still in executive session, and has already ratified all the treaties made with foreign nations for the protection of the rights of naturalized American citizens abroad. They are now engaged on Cushing's treaty relative to the canal across the Isthmus of Darien.

Additional Appointments.

E. T. Chase, Assessor of the Fifth Pennsylvania district; E. D. Rube, Sixth Pennsylvania district; William C. Morrill Second Georgia district; D. W. Peabody, Fifth Tennessee district; Enoch Emery, Fifth Illinois district; Thomas Harland, Wyoming Territory; Eldridge G. Gale, Sixth Michigan district; A. H. Young, First New York district; Samuel L. Watson, Montana Territory; Doster Hooper, First Massachusetts district; John R. Breitenbach, Sixth Pennsylvania district.

Surveyors of Customs-W. T. Miller, Alton, Ills.; W. M. Evans, Parkersburg, W. Va.

As Postmasters, Stuart Pierce, Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania; R. S. Jacobin, Carbondale, Pennsylvania; L. L. Blair, Hyde Park; W. W. Mintzer; Pottstown; Austin W. Menick, Strondsburg; Joseph S. Slocum, Scranton; D. K. Difendorfer; Allentown; A. K. Rheem, Carlisle; S. W. Alvord, Towanda; George L. Stone, Montrose; George W. Richards, Pittstown; H. P. Moody, Susquehanna; David Tibdall, New Castle; H. H. Bingham, Philadelphia.

Despatch to the Associated Press.

The Departments Crowded. WASHINGTON, April 12.—All the Executive de-

partments are to-day crowded by Senators and members of Congress, all or whom appear to have dull axes for the official grindstone.

Navy Orders. Rear-Admiral Joseph Lauman has received preparatory orders to command the South Atantic squadron. Lieutenant-Commander James O. Kane has been ordered to temporary duty as O. Kane has been ordered to temporary duty as a member of the Board of Examiners at Wash-ington, D. C. Lieutenant D. C. Woodrow is ordered to the Vandalia, and F. Hegermon to League Island, Surgeon John J. Gibson is ordered to the Seminole. Commander Oscar F. Stanton is detached from the command of the Purveyor and placed on waiting orders. Com-mander W. D. Whitney is detached from the New York Navy Yard and ordered to the command of the Saratoga, relieving J. H. Upshur, who waits orders. Commander Joseph H, Gill is detached from equipment duty at Washington Navy Yard and placed on waiting orders. Mas-ters J. M. Forsythe and G. T. Wilkins, Ensigns H. G. Macy and James H. Chesley, Assistant Surgeon M. C. Brennard, and Paymaster Batione are detached from the Purveyor.

Army Orders. Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Duncan, 5th Cav-

alry, is ordered to join his regiment in the De-

inquiry.

Hon, John Lothrop Motley, whom President Grant has just nomini tod to the Senate as our Minister to Great Britain, to succeed "a party by the name of Johnson," was born at Dorchester, Mass., on the 15th of April, 1814, and gra/luated at Harvard University in 1831. His labors from early manhood have been devoted to belles-lettres After contributing to various standard periodicals, he determined to apply himself to the history of Hol-land, and after six years of hard study he produced his great work on "The Rise of the Dutch Repub lic," and published it in 1856 in London. It passed through many editions, and was translated into the

Dutch and French, with a preface by the great Von Brink, the Dutch philosopher, and by Gnizot, the French philosopher. Its sale was enormous in this and other countries, and it soon superseded all other authorities on that subject. This great work was followed, in 1860, by another on "The United Netherlands," which became equally popular as a standard book. These great literary triumphs gave him such a position that he was elected a member of nearly all the learned societies in Europe. One of the first acts of President Lincoin was to appoint Mr. Motley American Minister to the court of Austria, a position in which he attained at enviable reputation as a thorough and accomplished diplomatist. It was while residing at the Austrian Court that he completed his second great work on the United Netherlands; and just as he had collected the materials to begin his "History of the Seven Years' War in the Netherlands," McCracken turaed up as an eavesdropper, and poured such scandulous gossip into the ears of Mr. Seward, that that functionary directed to Mr. Motley certain impertinent interrogatories about his alleged misconduct, and forced him to resign at once or sacrifice his self-respect. Mr. Motley returned to the United States in the fall of 1867, and

since then has not taken a very active part in public life. By many it was hoped that President Grant would call him into his Cabinet as Secretary of State, but as this was not thought advisable by the President, the country felt confident that he would be sent to England as successor to Reverdy Johnson. His nomination to this important position will be received with satisfaction by the entire people.

The Hon. John Jay, of New York, who was regarded as a formidable competitor for the English mission, and who was a prominent candidate for the mission to Austria when it was given to Mr. Motley in 1861, now receives this latter position. He is a descendant of the celebrated Chief Justice of the United States in the early days of the republic, and is regarded as fully competent for the position to which he has been appointed. He succeeds the Hon, Henry M. Watts, of this city, whose recall is made necessary in order that, while Pennsylvania receives but one first-class foreign appointment.

Ex-Governor Andrew G. Curtin,

of this State, may be sent to St. Petersburg, as th successor of Cassius M. Clay. Mr. Curtin, as is well known, was first elected Governor of Pennsylvania in 1860, his competitor having been the Hon. Henry D. Foster, who now contests with John Covode the right to represent in Congress the Twenty-first district of this State. Governor Curtin's majority in 1860 was over 32,000, and so satisfactory was his administration of the affairs of the State during the dark days of the war that he was renominated in 1863, and again elected, over the Hon. George W. Woodward, then Chief Justice of the State, by a majority of over 15,000, in a greatly increased vote. On the expiration of his second term he retired to private life, until the Chiago Convention of 1868, when he became a formidable candidate for the position of Vice-President on the ticket with General Grant. Defeated in this aspiration, his friends began at once to press his name for a Cabinet position, and by their indiscreet zeal immediately preceding the inauguration of President Grant, not only ensured his defeat for a Cabinet position, but came near wrecking all his hopes of any other important position under the new administration. Governor Curtin is still in the prime of life, and his friends in all parts of the country will rejoice to find that Colonel McClure did not succeed in crushing out all his hopes for the future. Ebenezer D. Bassett, Esq.,

whom President Grant has nominated as Minister to Hayti, is a colored man, and for a number of years has been the Principal of the Colored High School of



Evening European Advices.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Despatch to the Associated Press.

Confirmations by the Senate, WASHINGTON, April 12.—The Senate has made

he following confirmations:-United States Marshal Eastern district of Tenacssee, S. P. Evans; United States Marshal Eastern district of Connecticut, P. R. Carll.

Associate Justices Supreme Court Washington Territory—Orange Jacobs and P. R. Kennedy.

Territory-Orange Jacobs and P. R. Kennedy. United States Attorneys-Southern district of Mississippi, Jamea G. Adams; Eastern district of Arkansas, William T. Whipple. Assessors of internal Revenue-Second district of Georgia, William H. Whitehead; First district of Kentucky; Edward Baker; Seventh district of Kentucky, P. B. Hunt; Fifth district of Tennes-see, F. W. Sparling; Eighth district of Tennes-see, F. W. Sparling; Eighth district of Hilnois, Edward Baker; Wyoming Territory, Edgar P. Snow; First District of New Hampshire, Samuel A. Harley; Nebraska, Theodore J. Majors; First district of Mississippi, Theodore K. Ker-kendall; First district of Mississippi, Theodore K. Ker-kendall; First district of Massachusetts, Charles B. H. Fessenden; Thirtieth district of New York, Michael Wyderich; Twenty-fifth district of New York, Orrin D. Lake; Fifth district of Pennsylvania, E. T. Chase; Sixth district of Pennsylvania, Edward Rute. Collectors of Internal Revenue-Second dis-

Collectors of Internal Revenue—Second dis-trict of Georgia, William C. Morrill: Fifth dis-trict of Tennessee, D. W. Peabody: Fifth district of Illinois, Enoch Emory; Wyoming Territory, Thomas Harlan; Sixth district of Michigan, E. B. Gale; First district of New Hampshire, A. H. Young: Montana, Torritory, Way, S. H. Young: Montana Territory, Samuel L. Watson; First district of Massachusetts, Foster Hooper; Sixth district of Pennsylvania, John R. Bruttenback.

Surveyors of Customs-At Alton, Ill., W. T. Miller; Parkersburg, Va., A. M. M. Eyans, Collector of Customs at New Haven, Conn., Cyrus Northrop.

The Cuban Revolution.

NEW YORK, April 12 .-- It is reported that a fast-sailing propeller left here a few days since, with guns and war materials, and about 120 men. all Americans, in aid of the Cubans.

From New York.

NEW YORK, April 12 .- Deputy Sheriff Moran to-day pleaded guilty to the charge of having allowed the robber King to escape. He was remanded for sentence.

Latest European Advices.

HAVRE, April 12 .- Cotten closed at 147f. for res ordinaire on the spot. QUEENSTOWN, April 12.—Arrived, steamship Helvetia, from New York. GLASGOW, April 12.— Arrived, steamship Columbia, from New York.

CHINA, GLASSWARE, ETC.

THE LARGEST STOCK OF **Decorated Toilet Ware** IN THE CITY At Great Reductions.

ALSO,

ear-Two in New York, one in Baldimore, and one in Philadelphia. The following were elected officers of the Church

The following were elected officers of the Church **Extension** Society:--President, C. Blinn; Vice Presi-dent, J. Sauter; Corresponding Scoretary, F. W. Deringer; Recording Scoretary, L. Wallon; Treasurer, J. J. Swahlen; Managers-C. Jost, C. F. Grimm, J. Seidel, and pastor of the church in Philadelphia. The following committee to aid in building churchess in New York:--J. H. Ockerhausen, Esq., Revs, C. Binn, H. Kastendick, C. Jost, and F. K. Keller. Committee on the Monument to Rev. J. C. Lyon--Rev. Brother Fritz: lawmen from Baltimore-Mr.

Rev. Brother Fritz; laymen from Baltimore-Mr.

Bersch, P. New, Esq. The Committee on Educational Interests presented their report, which was accompanied with remarks from Rev. F. Schuler, agent of German Wallace Colege, at Berea, Ohio; also with remarks from Rev. C.

rimm. The report was adopted. Rev. F. W. Bosec was elected Deacon under the missionary rule on Saturday, and was ordained on

Property of German Wallace College, in Berea, Property of German Wallace College, in Berea, Ohio:--Real estate, \$20,570; cabinet and library, \$1970; piano and safe, \$700--Total, \$22,640. Endow-ments--Scholarships, \$19,654-06; in notes, mortgages, etc., \$28,765-87--Total, \$48,419-95; an increase of \$0512-39; making the entire property, \$71,059-93. To this was appended a resolution. That we recommend to our young men, and especially those purposing to enter the ministry, to attend, if possible, Berea Col-

The Report on Tract, Temperance, and Sunday

School Union cause was received and adopted. Tract Cause—Raised during the year, \$157:39; paid during the year for donations, \$95; balance on hand, \$12678. The following are the officers for the coming year of the Tract Society: __President, Rev. H. Kas-terdick; Secretary, Rev. L. Wallon; Treasurer, Rev. C. Grimm; Vice-President of the Sunday School Union, Rev. F. W. Dringer.

Report of the Committee on Missions received and dopted. The following resolution in the Temperance report

The following resolution in the Temperance report met with special favor:--Waerez, The present Excise law of the Metropolitan Police district in the State of New York is in danger of being repealed or modified, and the proposed new law declares that lager-beer is not intoxicating, and therefore ine sale of beer abould not be restricted, as it is in the pre-sent law; therefore Resolution of the Fasters German Methodist min-isters and members of the Fasters German Methodist Bpiscopal Conference, having some of our fields of labor with the congregations of the State of New York, most re-spectfully and ernestly protest against the statement that lager beer is not intoxicating, and the repeal or eason-tial modification of the present fixelise law. Resolutions of the state of trustees, friends, offi-cers, etc. offered and adopted.

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APPOINTMENTS FOR THE YEAR.

New York District—Henry Kasterdick, P. E., Post Office address, Williamsburg, Long Island.—New York Second Street and Second Street Mission, C. F. Grimm, A. Hamman; Fortieth Street, L. Wallon; Port Mission, F. W. Bosce; City Mission and Tappan-to vn, H. Kunst, Brooklyn, F. Rey; Williamsburg, C. Jost; Long

by a, H. Kunst.
Brooklyn, F. Rey; Williamsburg, C. Jost; Long Biand, to be supplied; Califcon, P. Stahl; Schenectady, J. C. Defninger; Troy, Julius Scidel; Poughkeepsie, J. C. Lutz; M. Vernou and New Rochelle, to be supplied; Meirose, Fred. Glenk; New Haven, George Meyer; Hartford, P. A. Moelling; Boston Highlands, F. W. Dringer; Hudson City, C. Brockmeyer; F. W. Flocken, Missionary to Balgaria.
Thiadelphia District—John Swahlen, P. E. Post Office, Rochester, New York, Philadelphia and Philadelphia Mission, J. J. F. Brunow, F. Hartman.
Battmore-Broadway, J. Y. Wolf; Pennsylvania avenue, J. G. Fritz; South Battimore, C. Hiffreger.
Trederick City, to be supplied; Elizabeth, George Angelica, Wm. H. Kurth; Dunkirk, F. W. Hoffman; Bathlo and North Buffalo, Jacob Kindler, William Schluetter; Buffalo Circuit, Philip Herdiges; Rochester, Paul Quattand; Rochester Kirk is John Flad.
As a portion of the ministers have been boarded at the hotel of G. S. Keeler, No. 1619 Ridge avenue, at the botel of G. S. Keeler, No. 1619 Ridge avenue, at the botel of G. S. Keeler, No. 1619 Ridge avenue, at the botel of G. S. Keeler, No. 1619 Ridge avenue, at the botel of G. S. Keeler, No. 1619 Ridge avenue, at the botel sonrding or lodging.—P. A. Meeling, C. Bias, J. Y. Wolf, N. J. Hiragge, J. Kindler, J. Kundler, J. Kundler, M. Kurth.

At 1 o'clock P. M. Conference adjourned sine die. Prayer by Rev J. C. Deininger.

SLIGHT FIRE—A HOSE COMPANY ATTACKED.—About 9 o'clock last night a slight fire occurred at a stable at Coates street and Landing avenue, Fairmount. As the Good Will Hose Company was on the way to the fire they were attacked by a party of roughs, who threw stones. The carriage was then run into the park, and afterwards taken home under the escort of a posse of policemen.

-Jacob Mullberger extinguished lights at the Arcl Street Theatre on Saturday night, before the people had got out of the place. Alderman Godbou held him to answer. —John McNamee, Andrew Mullen, Frank Bradley,

John besmond, and Lazarus Leary were found yea-terday in the yard attached to Pollock's store, on Market street above Firth. They had a ladder with them, and being suspected of a design to steal, thay were locked up in the Central Station, where they will have a hearing this afternoon.

-Charles Borie and Thomas Keene were prevented falling into the Delaware on Saturday night-the former at Chestnut street and the latter at Race

street wharf. —Patrick McKinney and Curran McKirk belong to -Patrick McKinney and Cuirran McKirk belong to Manayunk. Last night they were in Germanitown, and assaulted Mr. William Chipman, his son, and two daughters, as they were leaving their residence on Rittenhouse street. They succeeded in stealing the hat of one of the young indics. They were subse-quently arrested, and, on being given a hearing be-fore Alderman Good, were committed to prison for trial trial

terday a boat was upset in the Schuylkill river, near Girard avenue bridge. There were three young men in the vessel one of whom, named James Moody, was drowned. His body was recovered at an early hour in the evening by Policemen Francis and Engard, of the Harbor Police. He resided in McDonald's court, on Fifteenth street, above Race.

ROEBBEY .- The residence of Thomas H. Bring-hurst, No. 510 Cumberland street, Nineteenth ward, was entered yesterday through a side door, and ransacked from top to bottom. Nothing was taken, however, except a revolver.

A POLICEMAN CAUGHT ASLEEP, —A policeman of the Sixth district was captured last night steeping in a coal office at Broad and Cherry streets by Sergeant The sleeper lost his star, and was dis missed the force.

RESCUED FROM DROWNING. - Charles Larkins slipped into the canal at the locks yesterday, and was rescued by T. J. and G. W. Gibson, of the Harbor Police.

What kind of a Town is This?

Some years ago, says the Advertiser, we had occasion to send a reporter to Philadelphia to attend some sort of a convention. Arriving at Kensington, with a New York friend and collaborator, he' took the street cars for the Conti-nental Hotel. A little way on the route, a stout looking young fellow was seized with an epileptic fit, and falling between the seats kicked the shins of his fellow passengers with a vengeance. The car stopped at the next drug store—there is one on every corner in Philadelphia—and left the epileptic to kick out by himself.

A block or two further along a lad managed to stick his arm out of the window, came in contact with a cart-rung, and got it terribly broken. The next drug store took him.

The car had hardly started again before a woman, scared and pained by these accidents, added to them by tumbling forward, full length, in a dead faint. Another drug store got her. And our reporter's New York ally said:-"In Hea-And ven's name what kind of a town is this?" The events of Thursday last answer the question.

Russian Commerce.

The trade of Russia with foreign countries has increased to an immense extent during the last ten years. In that space of time the value of the exports by the Baltie have increased by 10,000,000 roubles, and the value of those by the southern ports and the western land frontier has nearly doubled; while the imports have increased nearly threefold by the land frontier, and have doubled Baltic ports and in the ports of the White Great Britain heads the list of States imin the Baltic Sea. Oreat Britain heads the last of States im-porting Russian goods, taking nearly four times as much as Prussia, which is the next largest customer of the Empire. The imports from foreign States in 1867 exceeded those in 1866 by no less than 54,360,367 roubles, the largest share of which falls to Prussia. The entire value of the exports and imports of the entire to and the exports and imports of the empire to and from European countries (including Finland) amounted in 1867 to 457,000,385 roubles. During the same year 11,047 vessels were entered in Russian ports and 11,090 cleared, showing totals respectively of 1,385,788 and 1,460,552 tons.

Stock Quotations by Telegraph-1 P. M.

West, Union Tel...., 41 Cleve, and Toledo R., 96 Toledo & Wabash., 68 Mil. & St. Paul R. c., 78 Mil. & St. Paul R. p., 84 Adams Formas Ph. and Rea. R. Mich. S. and N. I. R. le, and Pitt, R. 843 Adams Express 59 Wells, Fargo & Co.... 313 Market steady.

A Remarkable Criminal Case Closed.

From the Toledo (Ohio) Blade, April 8.

One night in January, 1858, Samuel Ketchum, then Treasurer of Coshocton county, Ohio, was found in his office, tied hand and foot, gagged, and considerably bruised, the safe unlocked, and about \$20,000 of the county funds gone. Ketchum stated that after he had locked the safe and was about to leave the office, he was set upon by robbers, knocked down, the keys taken from him, the safe unlocked, after which he was bound and gagged so as to prevent his giving the alarm until the robbers had made good their escape. The county officials at once set to work to ferret out the robbers. A large reward was offered for their detection; detectives were employed, and in the vain effort to bring them to justice about \$20,000 was spent. But no clue could be found; they had covered up their tracks too well, and for nearly ten years the matter remained a mystery. But about one year ago a suit for borrowed money was brought against Ketchum, the ex-Treasurer, by James Brown, one of the leading citizens of that county, a man reputed to be worth over a hundred thousand dollars, and this led to the exposure of the whole matter connected with the robbery. Ketchum at once made a clean breast of it. The plot to rob the safe was concocted between himself and Brown. After they had secured the money Brown, in order to disarm suspielon, bound and gagged Ketchum, and left him in the condition in which he was found in the office on the night of the robbery. Brown was immediately arrested. He applied for a change of venue, and the trial was transferred to Licking county. At Newark last week the trial was concluded; he was convicted and sentenced to ten years in the peni-tentiary and to pay a fine of \$40,000.

The Mexican Mission.

There seems to be no longer any doubt that General Sickles will be nominated for the Mexican Mission. The appointment has already been tendered to and accepted by him. Under a misapprehension as to the amount of salary attached to the position, he hesitated for some time whe ther to accept or decline the appointment, sup The mistake was occasioned by an error in the Blue Book, which sets down the pay of that post at \$6000, upon which stipend the General feared be unable to get along decently. he would appears that the correct figure is \$12,500 per annum, and that since General Sickles has made this discovery he no longer hesitates to accept. His name may be sent in to-day.-N. Y. Herald,

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partment of the Platte. Assistant Quartermaster-General Rufus Ingalls is, relieved from duty as Chief Quartermaster of the Military Division of the Atlantic, and will remain in charge of the general depot at New York, performing the duties of Chief Quartermaster of the East. Doputy Quartermaster-General Stewart Van Vliet, on completion of the closing up of the depot at Baltimore, will take charge of the depots at Philadelphia and Schuylkill.

The President has ordered Captain Joseph Thompson, 2d Artillery, before the Retiring Board at St. Louis, and Colonel John C. Robinson, 43d Infantry, before the Retiring Board at New York; both for examination.

Colonel John Dimmick, restored, and Captain D. A. Flogler, of the Ordnance Department, have been ordered to testify before the Dyer court of

FROM BALTIMORE.

The Jarrettsville Shooting Case. BALTIMORE, April 12.-On Saturday evening, at Jarrettsville, Harford county, Md., Miss Cairnes shot and killed Nichelas McComas. About twenty persons were seated on the porch of the hotel, when Miss Cairnes suddenly appeared, drew a pistol, and fired three shots at McComas. The alleged cause of the killing is seduction. Miss Cairnes had previously brought suit against McComas for breach of promise of marriage. Both parties are highly respectable. Amon Green, for many years connected with the cotton manufacturing interests of this city, died on Saturday, aged fifty-seven. He was largely interested in the Warren Cotton Mills. Incendiarism - Railroad Colli-

sion. SPRINGFIELD, April 12 .- About 400 cords of

wood at Palmer, belonging to the Boston and Albany Railroad, were destroyed by an incendiary fire last night. The mail train for Boston was delayed for

several hours at Brimfield on account of the collision of the locomotive with the water-tank spout. Both acts are supposed to have been the work of malicious individuals.

From Clifton, Ontario.

CLIFTON, April 12 .- Roesle's hotel and two

terday morning. Loss, \$10,000. FOREIGN.

By Atlantic Cable. The Italian Minister to the United States. FLORENCE, April 12 .- Bertinattti, the Italian Minister to Constantinople, goes to Washington in the same capacity, and Barbaloni succeeds Bertinatti at Constantinople. Cadorna has been appointed Minister to London.

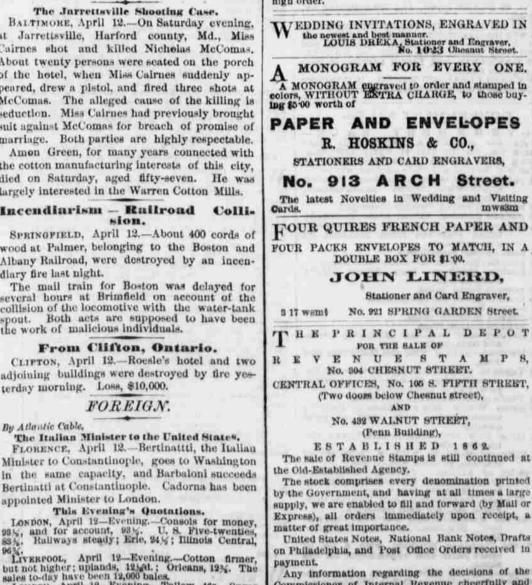
This Evening's Quotations.

LONDON, April 12-Evening.-Consols for money, 285, and for account, 93%. U. S. Five-twenties, 33%. Railways steady; Erie, 24%; Illinois Central, 963. LIVERPOOL, April 12-Evening .- Cotton firmer

LIVERPOOL, April 12-Detening.-Cotton himmer, but not higher; uplands, 12341; Orleans, 1234. The sales to-day have been 12,000 bales. LONDON, April 12-Evening.-Tallow, 468. Sugar quiet at 538. 3d. on the spot, and active at 298. alloat. ANTWERP, April 12.-Petroleum, 524(@5334f.

Stock Quotations by Telegraph-3 P. L. Glendining, Davis & Co., report through their New Fork house the following :--

this city. The person whom the President has thus selected to represent the claims of the African element of our population to diplomatic honors is a gentleman and a scholar in every sense of the word. Mr. Bassett's father was a hard-working farmer in Connecticut, in which State he was born. While a youth he devoted himself to study with great perseverance. and graduated at the Birmingham Academy and State Normal School, subsequently attending the classes and lectures at Yale College, although he was not permitted to become a regular student at that institution. In the year 1851, when Mr. Bassett had just attained his majority, the Institute for Colored Youths, or High School, was established in this city, and was entrusted to his charge. Since then he has been at the head of its faculty, and by his management of its affairs has given unmistakable evidence of the possession of abilities and culture of a very high order.



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