THE ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.—The general meeting of the shareholders of this company was held a short time since in England, at which time the annual report was presented. From this document it is evident that the company was never in a more flourishing condition. The profits in both the stre and life departments were enormous, while the application of improved economic methods of administration had reduced the expenses and secured results gratifying to the pockets of the stockholders. In the Fire Department the premiums for the year amounted to the sum of \$9.371.560 in gold; the losses to \$1,499.505 in gold. The results of the year's operations in the Life Department are still more gratifying. One thousand five hundred and sixty-nine new policies were issued, assuring, after the deduction of guarantees, \$3.515.890 in gold, and the corresponding new premiums were \$107.640 in gold. The renewal premiums amounted to \$350.035, gold. The closes for the period were very moderate, and, including payment of bonus additions, amounted to \$391.615, gold.

With the foregoing exhibits of course the share-

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PEACHES.—The peach market is not quite so active as yesterday. Boston is not operating largely, con-sequently New York has the track, only competing sequently New York has the trace, only conserved with the interior and home consumption. Prices are steady at the following quotations:—Interior, 30c.; good, 50c. to 70c. per basket; 80c. to \$1 per crate for varieties of Mixon, Late Crawford, and Moore's

Favorite.
The following arrivals have been reported this Propellers—W. Whilldin, 5215 baskers; Josephine Thompson, 4623 do.; Roanoke, 3200 do.; and Meinder, from Sassafras, about 2550 do. Total, 16,291

baskets.

Barges—Alice and Linda, May Flower, Alice Louisa, Daniel Corbit, George McClelian, Mary A. Wagner, and Willie and Walla, from Bohemia river and Odessa, with 20,392 baskets.

Schooners—R. L. Loper, Belle Bright, Corbit, and A. Bunting, from Black Bird and Odessa, with 3875 baskets.

Sloops-Rebecca Stevenson and Fanny, with 1430

baskets.
Steamers—Jersey Blue and Perry, from Smyrna,
Delaware, with 5900 baskets. The total arrivals by water this morning being 47,838 baskets.

THE NEW YORK BAY EXCURSION.—On Monday next Beck's Philadelphia Band will give their last grand excursion around New York hay and Staten Island. The excursionists will leave Walaut street wharf at 7:30 A. M. by special train of cars to South Amboy. Thence by the steamer William Cook, pro-Amboy. Thence by the steamer William Cook, proceeding down the bay to Sandy Hook, returning up the bay through the Karrows, affording a fine viewlof the celebrated Fort Lafayette, the City of New York, Blackwell's Island, the Battery, and up the Hudson river as far as the Palisades, Returning the boat hugs the shore of Staten Island, the excursionists thus being able to view the pretty scenery which abounds between New York city and Amboy. The train on its return lands its passengers in the city at half-past 8 o'clock in the evening. These excursions have been highly successful this senson, and the probability is that they will be commenced a little earlier next season. little earlier next season.

Fires.—About 1 o'clock yesterday morning the Frankford depot of the Frankford and Southwark Rallway Company made a narrow escape from destruction. The watchman, in making his rounds, found smoke issuing from Dummy No. 7. He then, on a closer examination, found the wood work adjoining the boiler on fire. This he succeeded in extinguishing with but triding loss.

This morning, about 236 o'clock, a policeman of the Fourth district informed the Insurance Pairel of a suspicious smell on Front street, above Market.

a suspicious smeil on Front street, above Market. The wagon of the patrol was taken to the place indi-cated, when enough was seen to warrant the bursting in of the door of the rag store of Thomas L. Hallowell. On the lower floor a bale of shoddy was found to be on fire. This was immediately rolled into the street and the flames extinguished. By this act the patrol saved thousands of dollars.

House Robbery—Vigilance of the Police.—Mr. Wiggins lives at No. 763 N. Twenty-fourth street. On Tuesday night thieves, who had learned that in On Tuesday night thieves, who had learned that in the house there was a valuable lot of jeweiry, stole into the second-story back window, and while the family were asleep robbed the bureau-drawers of two watches, two chains, and some other jeweiry, which Mr. Wiggins valued at \$40. Of course, the thieves escaped. Nothing could prevent them if the police were as well distributed in that part of the city as they were last night in the eastern end of the Sixth and Tweifth wards, where five were posted or scatted within one souare—two at Third and Race or scated within one square-two at Third and Race streets and three at Third and Vine streets.

A Long Chase.—A policeman vesterday spotted William Harris (colored) at Twelfth and Market streets. He was acting in a suspicious manner, and when he saw that he was watched by one of Mayor Fox's police, started and ran, policeman after him, and notwithstanding the warmth of the atmosphere at the time, chased Harris to Sixteenth and Shippen streets, where he was run down. Harris was here charged with stealing a pocket-book, which he de-nied, but he subsequently admitted having stolen some potatoes. Alderman Dallas sent the prisoner below for trial.

THE LAST TRIP OF THE SEASON, -Those of our readers who wish to have another trip by way of the stately Delaware river to Cape May, will have two more opportunities this season afforded them. The steamer Lady of the Lake will leave Arch street wharf at 9 A. M. on Saturday, and return on Mon-This will be the last regular trip of the season On Thursday, September 2, an extra excursion will be made by the same vessel, returning next The run will be an agreeable one, and give sights

DROWNED BODY FOUND.—Yesterday morning three young men, while fishing in the Schuylkili, opposite Callowhill street, hooked on to the dead body of a man, which had been in the water for a long time. He was apparently forty-live yeas of age was 5 feet 2 inches high, had black har and goatee and was dressed in a grey sack coat, light cross-barred vest, white overalls, and low shoes. Coro-ner Daniels has taken charge of the body. THE LYLE MONUMENT.-The directors of the Old

Oak Cemetery, formerly the Lucker estate, have offered to the Lyle Monument Association the most eligible lot in their cemetery for the creetion of their testimonial to their late Chief. The site is an ele-vated and choice one. It has been accepted, and the thanks of the association returned for the gift so

WE have received from the Central News Com pany, No. 505 Chesnut street, a copy of the map of the river Thames, as compiled from the Ordnance Survey, by Mr. Thomas Godwin, the sporting re-porter of the New York Associated Press. It is well winted, and of interest in the international boating

GLOUCESTER.—During the warm spell which has prevailed for the past few weeks thousands of our citizens have visited that delightful, refreshing spot on the east bank of the Delaware known as Glos ter. It is a beautiful place, and is accessible by steamboats, which leave South street wharf every few minutes in the day.

ROBBERY LAST NIGHT .- At a late hour fast night the place of Charles Loughrey, at Fifteenth and Summer streets, was broken into and robbed of \$25 in money, and several bottles of whisky. A part of the cash was composed of old copper pennies.

COLLIDED .- About half-past 6 o'clock this morning a Green and Coates Street Passenger Railway car collided with a freight car at Fourth and Willow streets. The passenger car was pretty well wrecked, and one or two passengers received severe bruises

## ST. NICHOLAS MOLE.

Its Reported Sale to the United States.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.-To the Editor of the Herald:—A correspondence has appeared in the columns of the Herald and various other journals, in which it is stated that President Salnave and myself have offered to cede the St. Nicholas Mole to the United States in exchange for the Algonquin and some iron-clad vessels. Will you please to deny this assertion, which is without the least foundation? The St. Nicholas Mole does not belong to President Salnave or to me but to the nation of Hayti, and it will not, at any price, cede a particle of its territory, and President Salnave and myself think like the nation. Once for all, it is well that public opinion in the United States should be enlightened on this point—namely, that the people of Hayti would never ratify any treaty tending to the loss of its autonomy or the alienation of any part of the island of Hayti. Some intriguing persons can make, or perhaps have made, a similar proposition, but neither the American Government nor capitalists will allow themselves to be imposed upon by such individuals having no national character.

Relying upon your accustomed kindness, I have the honor to remain yours,
Very respectfully,
EVARISTE LAROCHE.

Minister of Hayti to the United States.

# THIRD EDITION

WASHINGTON. Customs Receipts-Secretary Rawlins Prostrated—Senator Matt. Carpenter

Consults with Commissioner Delano-Movements of United States Squadrons - Arrivals.

#### FROM WASHINGTON.

Receipts of Customs.

Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, Aug. 26 .- The following are the receipts from customs from August 14 to 21 Inclusive:-

Philadelphia..... Paltimore..... New Orleans from Aug. 7 to 14...... 

Arrival of Secretary Rawlins. Secretary Rawlins arrived here last night from Danbury, Conn. Shortly after his arrival he had every severe hemorrhage of the lungs, and is very much prostrated this morning. His doctor orders him to keep very quiet and remain in

Senator Carpenter and Commissioner Delano. Senator Carpenter, of Wisconsin, is in town to-day and had an interview with Commissioner Delano this morning.

For Brazil.

The U. S. steamer Lancaster, flagship of the South Atlantic Squadron, Rear Admiral Lauman commanding, which has been detained in Norfolk, Va., by the scarcity of seamen, was to-day placed in commission, and will leave in a few days for Brazil.

Our European Squadron. A despatch has been received by the Navy Department from Rear-Admiral Radford, commanding the European Squadzon, dated August at Naples. The flagship Franklin was at Naples, but was expected to sail on the 8th for Trieste. The Plymouth sailed from Naples on the 6th of August for Athens, Smyrna, Tripoli, Messina, Palermo, and Marseilles The Richmond was stationed off the coast of Spain.

When Expected. Secretary Robeson and Admiral Poster are expected to be in Washington the last of next

#### FROM NEW YORK.

A Prominent House Suspends Payment. Thoy, Ang. 26.—Messrs, Knowlson & Mor-

gan, extensive wool dealers, of this city, suspended payment yesterday. Their liabilities are not yet known, but it is generally understood the suspension is only temporary, and they can pay \$1:50 for every dollar they owe.

Suspension of Navigation. ROCHESTER, Aug. 26,-A breach in the Genesee feeder in this city has caused a suspension of navigation on the Eric Canal, which will probably continue for the day.

Foolhardy. Buffalo, Aug. 26,-Professor Jenkins, in the presence of an immense crowd of spectators, crossed the gorge below Niagara Falls yesterday on a machine of his own invention, without the velocipede motion. The machine was propelled

by a groove and cog attachment. The Money and Stock Markets.

Special Despatch to The Econing Telegraph, NEW YORK, Aug. 26 .- The general stock market is active at higher prices. The New York Central is 2% per cent. higher than at the close last evening, and is now selling at 2041/4: Hudson is 2 per cent. higher, and is now quoted at 84%; Reading is 14 per ct. higher; Northwestern common and preferred are also 34 per cent. higher than last night: Erie is excited, and is quoted at 134%. Government securities were strong and steady at the 10 o'clock call, but at the 12 o'clock board prices were an 34 per cent, lower. Gold is weaker, having opened at 13334 and declined to 138%. The money market is easy at 6@7 per cent. Foreign exchange on London is quoted by Belmont at 1093s, at which price he offers to draw.

New York, Aug. 26. - Arrived, steamship City of Mexico, from Vera Cruz.

The New York Stock Market. NEW YORK, Aug. 26.—Stocks strong. Money steady at 6a 7 per cent. Gold, 133%; 5-20s, 1862 coupen, 123%; do, 1864, do., 122; do, 1865, do, 122% coupen, 1234; do. 1864, do., 122; do. 1865, do., 1223; do. do. new, 1204; do. 1867, 121; do. 1868, 1204; 10-408, 144;; Virginia sixes, new, 50; Missouri sixes, so; Canton Company, 594; Cumberland preferred, 33; New York Central, 264; Erie, 304; Reading, 964; Hudson River, 184; Michigan Central, 1294; Michigan Southern, 1867; Hilmois Central, 1394; Cleveland and Pittsburg, 104; Chicago and Rock Island, 1144; Western Union Telegraph, 375.

New York Produce Market. New York, Aug. 26. — Cotton dull; 200 bales sold at 34).c. Flour dull and declined 56616c.; sates of 6000 barrels State at \$5.556.7.10; Western at \$5.70 &7.45. Wheat heavy and declined 16.2c.; sales of 46,000 bushels No. 2 at \$1.40&1.54; winter red, \$1.55 ol 57%. Corn firmer and scarce; sales of \$3,000 bushels mixed Western at \$1:1261.15; yellow Western at \$1:16. Oats firmer; sales of 34,000 bushels at 526-63c. Beet golet, Pork dull and nominal Lard nominal. Whisky steady.

## FROM NEW ENGLAND.

Horse Railroad Difficulties. Worcester, Aug. 26,-Another injunction has been granted in the matter of the Worcester Horse Railroad Company, forbidding the transfer of a deed to the parties who bid in the property at auction on the 24th. The petition claims that it is not the intention of the buyers to run cars, and ask for another sale, or that the road be placed in the hands of the next lowest bidder.

The matter excites great interest.

The Baltimore Produce Market. The Baltimore Produce Market.

Baltimore, Aug. 26.—Cotton quiet and steady at 34/5c. Flour dull. Howard street superfine, \$6.25/36.50; do. extra, \$6.75/38; do. family, \$8:39.25; City Mills superfine, \$6.25/37; do. extras, \$6.75/38; do. family, \$8.25/31/0.75; Western superfine, \$6.25/36.50; do. extras, \$6.75/37.50; do. family, \$7.75/38.50. Wheat firm; prime red, \$1.50/31.55. Corn steady; white \$1.14; yellow, \$1.14. Cats firm at 50/30/38; Ryadull at \$1.10/3/31. low \$1'45. Oats, firm at 56absc. Rye dull at \$1'40a1'15. Mess Pork quiet at \$34'50; Bacon quiet, but firm; rib sides, 19%c.; clear do., 19%a19%c.; shoulders, 16%c; Hams, 24a25c. Lard quiet at 20a21c. Whisky dull at \$1.25

-The Boston Commonwealth says: - "Candidates for the succession to Governor Boutwell in Congress are becoming yet more numerous We hear of two names from Lowell, Dr. J. C Ayer and Mayor Richardson, Joshua N. Marshall and Judge D. S. Richardson, from the same city, had previously been proposed. Judge Richardson, it is said, has considerable strength with the people of the district, from his recognized ability. Some one again proposes that Attorney-General Hoar resign and take a nomi-

nation. -The Little Rock Republican says that whatever may be the case with other Southern States, Arkansas is Republican to the core. There will be no election until the fall of 1870, at which time only members of Congress and legislators are to be elected. Half of the State Senate, however, hold over until 1873, and they are true Republicans; and more than half the Senators to be elected will come from districts overwhelmingly Republican. Nor is there much more hope of the Democrats doing anything

INTERESTING. A Will Set Aside in Indiana-Important Case.

Correspondence of the Cincinnati Commercial.

LAWRENCEBURG, Ind., Aug. 23.— There have been but few men of the same limited education as Walter Hays in the Whitewater Valley, who have grown as rich as he was at the time of his death. At an early day he settled a few miles north of this place, in the large Miami bottom, which contains a soil as fertile as any to be found in the West. This broad valley is bounded on its western border by a continuous and beautiful ridge, on which the owners of the bottom land have chiefly built their residences. They are mostly rich, made so by the annual products of their soil. The whole big bottom, from Lawrenceburg to Elizabethtown, is in the hands of one or other of the Hayses, Grards or Willers who are all related more or Guards, or Millers, who are all related more or less by cords of double and twisted affinities. Old Uncle Walter was a sort of head-man among them all, because he was thought to have the most money. His estate at his death amounted to not less than \$200,000, about onehalf of which consisted in bank stock.

Though wholly unversed in letters, Mr. Hays possessed remarkable shrewd common sense, and at no time of his life was it an easy matter to cheat or to overreach him. In 1855, when he was about sixty-six years of age, he married a widow of thirty-six.

At his death, at his residence, a year or so ago, at the age of about eighty, a will was produced from his box, kept in the First National Bank of Lawrenceburg, of which his son-in-law, D. W. C. Fitch, was president. That will, after giving his household goods to the widow, made provision for her to have one-fourth of his oank stock of \$100,000, the Southeast Indiana Conference another fourth, and the two other fourths to his son and daughter. His real estate, of every description, was to be equally divided between his son and daughter, while all of his grandchildren whose mothers were dead were

receive only \$2000 when they become of age.

The whole of the bank stock, at the expiration of the charter of said bank, to be equally

livided between the son and daughter. With this will the son, daughter and widow were fully satisfied. Though the law itself would have done better for the widow than the will, yet she was willing to accept it; but the rest of the connections were dissatisfied with the provisions of the will, and several of them doubted whether any such will had ever been made with the knowledge and consent of the de-

Hence the latter parties brought suit to set the will aside. The trial came up in the Court of Common Pleas on last Thursday week, Judge Berkshire presiding, and lasted some eight or ten days. The counsel for the prosecution, or for the setting aside of the will, consisted of Hon. William S. Holman, Daniel S. Major, John D. Haynes, and Judge Francis Atkinson, while that of the defense consisted of Hon. Joseph E, McDonald, Philip L. Spooner, John Schwartz, Noah S. Givin, Colonel Carter Gazlay, and Geo. B. Fitch. Hon Will. Cumback was retained by the South Indiana Conference.

The jury, after a brief consultation, brought in a verdict adverse to the will, which leaves the estate in the hands of the laws of the State.

This decision, of course, annuls all the provisions made for the benefit of the Methodist Church, as all of the property will now be divided among the heirs-at-law. A motion was made on Saturday by the counsel for the defense for a new trial, which was argued all day, but was finally overruled. I learn that the whole case will be carried to the Supreme Court. This the parties on both sides are able to do, as they have plenty of money.

### WOMAN'S RIGHTS.

A Letter from Whittler, the Poet.

At the Woman's Rights' Convention at New port, R. I., yesterday, the following letter was read from John G. Whittier, the Quaker poet:— Amesnury, Mass., 12th 8th mo., 1869.—My Dear Friend:-I have received thy letter inviting me to attend the convention in behalf of woman's suffrage at Newport, R. I., on the 25th inst. I do not see now it is possible for me to accept the invitation, and, were I to do so, the state of my health would relieve me from the responsibility of seeming to sanction anything in its action which might conflict with my own views of duty or policy; yet I should do myself great injustice if I did not embrace this occasion to express my general sympathy with the movement. I have seen no ood reason why mothers, wives, and daughters should not have the same rights of person, pro-perty, and citizenship which fathers, husbands, and brothers have. The sacred memory of mother and sister, the wisdom and dignity of women of my own religious connection, who have been accustomed to something like equality in rights, as well as duty, my experience as co-worshipper with noble and self-sacrific-ing women, as graceful and helpful in their household duties as they are firm and coura-geous in their public advocacy of unpopular truths; the steady friendships which have in spired and strengthened me, and the reverence and respect I feel for human nature, irrespec tive of sex-all these compel me to look with something more than acquiescence upon the efforts you are making. I frankly confess that I am not able to foresee all the consequences of the great social and political change proposed but of this I am at least sure: it is always safe to do right, and the truest expediency is simple ustice. I can understand without sharing the misgivings of those who fear that when the vote drops from woman's hand into the ballot-box the beauty and sentiment, the bloom and sweetness of womanhood, go with it. But in this matter it seems to me we can trust nature. Stronger than statutes or conven-tions, she will be conservative of all that true men love and honor in woman. Here and ther may be found an equivocal, unsexed Chevalie Deon, but the eternal order and fitness of things will remain. I have no fear that man will be less manly or woman less womanly when they meet on terms of equality before the law. On the other hand I do not see that the exercise o the ballot by woman will prove a remedy for all the evils of which she justly complains. It is her right, as truly as mine, and when she askfor it it is something less than manhood to with hold it. But unsupported by a more practical education, higher aims, and a deeper sense of the responsibility of life and duty, it is not likely to prove a blessing in her hands any more than in minors'. With great respectfund hearty sympathy, I am, very truly, thy friend. JOHN G. WHITTIER.

# PRUSSIA AND AUSTRIA.

Interesting Correspondence Between Two Sovereigns.

The Gazette of Saxony, appearing at Leipsic, publishes two letters which, if authentic, throw a new light on the policy of the Prussian government during the lew weeks which preceded the campaign of Sadowa. The first, from King William, addressed to the Emperor of Austria, and dated the 1st of June, 1866, is as follows:— "We are at this moment both armed and ready to enter the field. The world bedeves that we shall fight each other. Let us show that German sove reigns know no batred to each other, and that they desire only the welfare of the country. Let us units our forces, and march together across the Rhim against 'the hereditary enemy of Germany.' By that means we shall arrive at such a reorganization the nation as shall satisfy the universal desires o the people. Your majesty will then unite under your sceptre the States of the South, while I shall become the master of Northern Germany and of the French Rhenish provinces of German origin situated on the other side of the Rhine (Alsace and Lorraine). If we attain that object, the future of Europe will be in

The answer of the Emperor of Austria was thus worded:—
"Your Majesty proposes to me to unite our forces, now on a war footing, against France, and at the same time you appeal to my honor as a German prince and show me in perspective the possibility of a union of the German Southern States under Austria. As a German prince I must reply that my ideas and my feelings forbid me to deprive the confederate allies of Austria, the chiefs of German nations, of their sovereign rights."

of their sovereign rights," This second letter was conveyed to Berlin by General Baron de Gablenz. "We shall," adds the Gazette of Sazony, "no doubt receive a denial from Berlin, if facts so positively stated can be contradicted."

## CHINA AND AMERICA.

The Burlingame Mission A Reply to Some Very Disparaging Statements.

The Times Paris correspondent writes:—In an extract from the Shanghae News Letter, which I find in the New York Times of the 30th of July. I see the following statement:—

"It is understood that a gentleman competent to the task is busily engaged in the preparation of a pamphlet on the Burlingame Mission. Some inter-esting developments not calculated to place the Mission in a very favorable light may be confidently

The Pekin letter from which this is taken bears date May 26. The above is another of the insidious efforts which are making to damage the mission to which I recently called your attention. Unable to effect anything with the Chinese Government, which reposes the utmost confidence in Mr. Burlingame and his colleagues, the English and French cliques in Pekin and Shanghae, whose interests are likely to be damaged by their success, are resorting to the most unprincipled means to convey an impression abroad that the emba-sy has exceeded its powers, and that it has fallen under the displeasure of the Imperial Government. As proved to you in a recent letter, nothing can be further from the truth. The most perfect understanding continues to exist between the mem-bers of the Legation and the administration at Pekin. The object of the pamphlet alluded to is to create a belief that the English translation of the instructions given to the Embassy is an unfaithful one, and that the original document does not authorize the steps which Mr. Burlingame has taken.

The reply to these assertions is very simple. The correctness of the translation has been certified to by Dr. Martin, Dr. Williams and Mr. Brown, three of the most eminent Chinese cholars of whom Europe or America can boast But if their attestation did not exist, the fact that the Embassy is in monthly communication with the Chinese Government, and that the latter has been kept regularly posted as to the proceed-ings of Mr. Burlingame and his colleagues, and has signified its cordial approval of every step that has been taken, would be sufficient to disprove the assertion that they had in any way exceeded their instructions, object of the calumny which has been circulated through a variety of other channels, is to throw obstacles in the way of the mission at the European courts by creating an impression that the latter have to deal with negotia-tors who are acting on their own discretion. and not on their written instructions, and whose proceedings may be repudlated by the Chinese jovernment.

The author of the pamphlet announced by the Shanghae paper is an individual named von Gumpach, an Austrian, I believe, by birth, who has resided a good many years in China, and who has become noted there for his eccentricities. Among the number of wild theories which have emanated from his brain is one which seeks to prove that the globe is much smaller than geographers comoute it to be, and to this fact he attributes he many blunders that are made in navigation and the numerous shipwrecks that result from them. He possesses about as much knowledge of Chinese as he does of Sanscrit, and there fore his assertions on the matter in question ar ust as much entitled to credit as his startling selentific discoveries. His "mares' nests" can be counted by the dozen, but this last one exceed all its predecessors in boldness and impudence

#### CAPTAIN MEDWIN.

A Reminiscence of Byron's Boon Companion. Communication to the Portland (Me) Advertiser.

The moral atmosphere in which Byron's entire ife was spent was for the most part very far from pure. A few years ago the writer of this article, then residing in a German university town, accidentally became acquainted with the same Captain Medwin who was authority the "Dear Duck" commencement of Lady Byron's letter—at that time an old man, decrepit with age, enfeebled by disease, and melancholy withal because of the recent death of an elderly lady with whom he had lived in those relations of platonic intimacy hallowed by the mutual attachment of Cowper and Mrs. Unwin. A casual acquaintance with this unhappy man was sufficient to dissipate the last vestige of that foolbardy admiration which every one in boyhood conceives for the wild life led by fellow rougs Newstead. Captain Medwin had come of a good family-being a cousin of Shelley-was a fine scholar, having made the acquaintance of the classic writers in their own language and of what is left of their own soil, and in his day ha enjoyed some reputation as a man of letters. as I knew him he could have been only the wreck of what he had been once. His face bory unmistakable evidence of a mind ill at ease. He was crabbed, fretful, misanthropic, and, I fan cled, jealous of the well-earned reputation of the men who rule in the English realm of letters at the present time. He ridiculed Tennyson, and spoke disapprovingly of Bulwer; but com-plimented Longfellow, and declared that he would rather have written Poe's "Raven" than any other poem of the present century. I know not whether he still survives, but if he does not, death has done for him a more friendly office than was in the power of friend or relative; it has soothed a spirit to which a life misspent had made rest impossible here.

## ARIZONA.

A Chapter of Horrors.

From the Arizonia We published a list recently of those who had been slain, murdered, or taken captives by the Indians during the past eighteen months in Pima county alone, but have since discovered that the bloody list was far from being complete. Accounts never published in any newspaper, and received from various sources, since our last issue, show that ten men (four of whom were Americans and six Mexicans), fell into the hands of the Apaches at Tubac, Camp Crittenden, Camp Bowle, and Camp Goodwin. We have also received accounts showing that an additional one hundred and sixty-three head of stock had been stolen within the past nine months from Tubac, Point of Mountain, and Tucson making a total of stock stolen in Pima county. since January, 1868, of one thousand six hundred and ninety head, and stock killed two hundred and twenty head.

It will be seen that fifty-two persons have been murdered, that eighteen have been wounded, and that two were carried into captivity, and in all probability suffered a thousand deaths. It is a sad spectacle to contemplate. Out of 5500 persons, the population of Pima county, supposing one-seventh to be adults, we will have an adult population of 785; of this number 72 have been killed and wounded and carried into captivity, making a loss of over nine per cent. of our adult population, and probubly a much greater percentage of loss of proparty. Like true Americans, our people are fighting this unequal contest heroically, bravely. They are supported by as brave a soldiery as ever struck a blow in any cause whatever. The officers are brave, experienced, and energetic, but the number of troops is sadly inadequate.

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#### FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Spain to Send More Troops to Annihilate the Patriots-The Boat Race To-morrow-The French Senatus Consultum - Execution of a Carlist Leader.

### FROM EUROPE.

More Troops for Cuba. By the Anglo-American Cable

Madrid, Aug. 26 .- General Prim has gone to Vichy, and Admiral Topete acts in his absence. Six thousand additional troops will be sent to reinforce the Spanish army in Cuba, within the coming two weeks. Sentenced to Death.

Polo and his Secretary, who were recently captured at the head of a Carlist band, have been sentenced to death. Unsuccessful efforts were made by the wife and friends of Polo for clemency in his behalf. Several other Carlist prisoners have also been condemned to death. The Nation Grateful.

An official circular has been issued by the Government thanking the volunteers and others for efforts made towards the restoration of peace. Brendstuffs.

LONDON, Aug. 26 .- The fine weather is having depressing tendency on the breadstuffs market throughout the country, and sellers are asking

prices above the views of buyers.

A Journey Abandoned. Paris, Aug. 26.—The Empress has abardoned her journey to Jerusalem, and will remain in Constantinople for a week.

The Senatus Consultum. The Senate will commence the discussion of the Schatus Consultum on September 1st. The report on the Senatus Consultum points to the results of legislation in 1852. The tranquility, development of education, and increase of wealth of France is supported by 1,400,000 soldiers ready to proceed to the frontier. She is respected by the great powers of the earth, and she has passed from a dictatorship to complete liberty. The report concludes, "The generation of 1869

can improve upon that of 1852, should it consol-

idate the work undertaken." The Bont Race.

LONDON, Aug. 26.-The Post to-day, in its comments on the coming boat race, expects the Oxfords to win, but considers that their failure to do so will be no disgrace. The Harvards will have the fairest of fair play, and where physique and endurance are so equally matched, the best style must win.

# The excitement in regard to the race continues to grow, and the merits of the crews form the general topic of conversation. The arrangements to preserve order and keep the course clear are regarded with great satisfaction.

The general feeling among sporting reporters is that the race will be most spirited and wellcontested. There is still little betting at the odds of two to one on the Oxfords.

This Afternoon's Quotations. LONDON, Aug. 26—3 P. M.—American securities irmer; 5-20's of 1862, 84\frac{1}{3}; of 1865, old, 83\frac{1}{6}; and of 1867, 823; Eric, 20¼.
Parts, August 26.—The specie in the Bank of France has increased 14,300,000 francs. Hourse flat.

entes, 7M. Bbc. LIVERPOOL, Aug. 26—3 P. M.—Upland Cotton, 13%, 13%, d.; Orleans, 13%d., ANTWERP, Aug. 26.—Petroleum quiet at 54% f.

### FROM WASHINGTON.

Revenue Affairs.

Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. Washington, Aug. 26.—Internal Revenue Supervisor Barbour, of Michigan and Wiscon sin, has been transferred to the Southern district of Ohio. Supervisor Conklin, of Louisiana and Arkansas, has been trans erred to Michigan and Wisconsin, and Supervisor Young, of Ohio, to

#### Morrible Depravity. From the San Francisco Morning Call, Aug. 15.

It is not often that human nature stands ap palled at the sickening details of flendish acts For the credit of humanity and the good fame of our city, it is rare that a case like the one we are called upon to chronicle is laid before the public to shock and enrage. Yesterday after-noon, about half-past 4 o'clock, officers Guion and Finnegan, of the Harbor Police, had their attention called to the fact that a little girl named Mary Francis, aged four years and a half had been found almost in a dying condition under a house on Drumm street, between Pacific and Jackson. The officers crawled under the house, got the little girl out, and took her to the Harbor Station, where the child, in her own simple way, and as rapidly as her weak condition would permit, made a statement so horrible as to shock the most callous-hearted.

The child stated that she was playing on the street when a man-more proper to say fiendwhose name she did not know, but whom she described as well as she could, took her by the hand and led her under the house where she was discovered, threw her to the ground, placed hi hand over her mouth, and then attempted to outrage her person. Failing to accomplish his devilish purpose, he drew a knife from his pecket, cut the child, inflicting a wound about two inches in length, and then made a second attempt to outrage her, when, by reason of the nhuman and unnatural acts of the monster who held her, she fainted. The little unfortunate was removed to the City and County Hospital where she received surgical treatment. She was in a very precarious condition when taken there. and it was not known whether she could survive. The inhuman fiend made his escape, and has not been arrested.

—The Mobile Nationalist says every colored man who is unemployed should call on Colonel Ruter, Superintendent of the Pensacola and Louisville Railroad, who wants all the hands he can get, and no questions will be asked the ap plicants as to whom they voted for.

The Portland (Me.) Argus, which is in the habit of furnishing the Democracy in that quarter with brains, now advises that devoted little band to vote solidly for their regular candidate for Governor this year, and next year unite with conservative Republicans for the purpose of electing a conservative Governor, and re-electing

Mr. Fessenden to the Senate.

—The Tennessee correspondent of the Cincinnati Gazette, in carefully considering the prospects of Andrew Johnson for the United States Senatorship, gives seven reasons why he cannot probably be elected, although it is admitted that he was the choice of the majority of the sup-porters of Senter at the polls, and will make every effort to secure the election.

-Though the Vermont election is but three

weeks off, and that of Maine but four weeks off, there is not the slightest political animation in either State. No public meetings are being held. the local papers scarcely allude to the subject. and with the people themselves the questions of Pendleton or Hayes in Ohio, and Packer or Geary in Pennsylvania, are of much more interest.

-The Troy Press (Democratic) plainly tells Mr. Pendleton that, even should he be elected Governor of Ohio, he must not expect to be the Democratic candidate for President in 1872. It says that the Democratic party cannot afford to throw away any more elections, and that, as matters now stand, and as they probably will stand at the next Presidential election, Mr. Hoffman is the most available candidate.

PROPOSALS.

DROPOSALS FOR FORAGE

DEFOT QUARTERMARTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 31, 1869. Proposals are invited, from responsible parties, until 12 M., August 80, 1869, for furnishing all the Corn, Oats, Hay, and Rye Straw (to be of first class merchantable quality) required at this Depot during the year commencing October 1, 1869. Forage and Straw to be delivered monthly anywhere within one mile of limits of the cities of Washington and Georgetown, at Fort Whipple, Va., about one and a half miles from Georgetown, and a small quantity at Soldiers' Home, and in such quantities and at such times as ordered by the Quartermaster in charge, Corn to be derivered in good sacks, of about two bushels each, fifty-six (56) pounds to the bushel; Oats in like sacks, of about three bushels each, of not less than thirty-two (32) pounds to the bushel; Hay and Straw baled, and to weigh two thousand (2000) pounds per ton.

Bidders will state price of Oats and Corn per bushel, including sacks, and also price without sacks. and of Hay and Straw per ton.

The quantity required for the year is estimated at five thousand nine hundred and forty bushels of Corn; thirty-one thousand one hundred and seventyfive bushels of Oats; seven hundred and seventyfive tons of Hay; and two hundred tons of Straw; but the right is reserved to increase or diminish that quantity by one-third on proper notice. The contrretor will be required to keep at least one month's supply of forage and straw on hand, and to have a place of business in this city. Guarantees will be furnished with each bid in the

sum of five thousand dollars, signed by two responsible sureties, that the bidder will, if successful, within six days after his acceptance, execute a contract in accordance with above requirements. The contractor will be required to exhibit on or before the 15th day of September next satisfactory evidence that he is prepared to commence fulfilling contract, Payments will be made monthly for quantity of forage and straw delivered, if in funds, or as soon

None to be paid for except on receipts of the parties to whom delivery has been ordered. A bond in the sum of twelve thousand dollars, signed by himself and two accepted sureties, will be required of the successful bidder for the faithful ful-

thereafter as funds are furnished for the purpose.

filment of his contract, Should the contractor fail to furnish the kind and mantity of forage and straw required, it will be purthased in open market, and the excess of cost charged to him.

All bids will be submitted to the Quartermaster-General before awarding contract. Proposals, in duplicate, will be addressed to the undersigned, with copy of advertisement attached, marked "Proposals for Forage," and bidders are invited to be present at the opening of bids. By order of the Quartermaster-General.

J. C. MCFERRAN, Deputy Quartermaster-General, Bvt. Brig. Gen., U. S. A., and Depot Quartermaster.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

OFFICE OF ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL, corner of HOUSTON and GREENE Streets, New York city.

Will be sold at Public Auction, to the highest ordifer, at 1 P. M., on the 30th August next, the propeller steam-tug STEPHEN DECATUR, of 114 49-100 tons burthen. Said vessel is only six years old, is staunch and seaworthy and ready for immediate service; is provided with one high-pressure engine, 26 inches diameter of cylinder and 26 inch stroke; one high-pressure boiler, 12% feet long, 7 feet 4 inches in diameter, made by Neatie & Levy, of Philadelphia (which in February, 1868, when the vessel was last inspected, was subjected to a hydrostatic pressure of 75 pounds per square inch), and all the necessary equipment pertaining to vessels of her

The sale will take place at Pier No. 43 North river, and the purchaser will be responsible from the time of purchase.

Terms-Ten per cent, cash at time of sale, balance to be paid on the following day, when the vessel will be transferred to the purchaser. The vessel can be seen at any time at Pier No. 43 North river.

RUFUS INGALLS. Brevet Major-General and Assistant Quartermaseneral United States Army. GOVERNMENT WAGONS AT PUBLIC SALE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 2, 1869. Will be sold at public auction in this city, at Judiciary Source Depot, E street, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of August, at 10 o'clock, EIGHTEEN WAGONS, new and in superior order, and complete in every particular Terms cash in Government funds. Wagons to be re-

Terms cash in Government of the Chas Sutherland, Assistant Medical Purveyor, Brevet Colonel U. Army.

MPORTANT TO ALL INTERESTED .- THE arrears of Pensions must be applied for within five years after the death or discharge of a soldier, sailor, or marine. Those who fail to apply lose \$96 per year. There are thousands in our midst, widows, dependent fathers and mothers, and orphan children, who are entitled, but who have not yet applied for a pension. All who think they are entitled should at once call on Messrs, ROBERT S, LEAGUE & CO. No. 135 South SEVENTH Street, who will promptly obtain their pensions, or cheerfully give any information, free of charge. Remember that the five years' limit allowed by law is fast drawing to a

DRIZE MONEY FOR NEW ORLEANS,-All interested in the capture of New Orleans by Farragut's fleet, as officers, seamen, or marines, will hear of something greatly to their advantage by calling upon in person or addressing the General Collection Agency, ROBERT S. LEAGUE & CO., No. 135 South SEVENTH Street, Philadelpaia. Al information given free of charge and correspondence promptly answered.

SOLDIERS INJURED.—SOLDIERS DISCHARGED OB account of Rupture or any other injury received in the line of duty, can obtain \$200 bounty and a pension, by applying to

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TO CREDITORS OF THE REPUBLIC OF MEXI-L CO.—The undersigned are now prepared to prosecute claims before the joint commission created under a recent treaty between the repu. 'e of Mexico and the United States, and would invite the attention of claimants to the necessity of an early application to secure a consideration. ROBERT S. LEAGUE & CO.,

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