CITY INTELLIGENCE. CONFLAGRATION.

Bestructive Fire in the Fourteenth Ward-A

Flour Barrel Manufactory in Ruins—Surreunding Buildings Damaged.

The thick darkness of a rainy midnight was again
it up by the torch of conflagration. But a few minsites before the clock struck twelve last night the
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officers, and lookers-on—with hose-carriages and

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corner of Twelfth and Buttonwood streets. The building had been erected only some four or five years. It was owned by Colonel William B. Thomas, The furnace room was in the southeast corner of the cellar, and here the flames first caught; started, it is supposed, by a fire too large and hot.

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Owing to the combustible nature of the contents of the place the fire spread with fearful rapidity, and in a short time the entire structure was in names. The heat from the burning building was intense, and the firemen were, at different times, driven away some distance from the scene.

Mesers. Sibley & Pennypacker, coopers and barrel manufacturers, occupied certain portions of the building. They had several thousand finished barrels on hand, but both gentlemen being absent from the city, neither their loss nor their insurance can be ascertained with any definiteness. The barrels were an eonsumed. mel Thomas, the owner of the building, used

portions of it to store barrels of flour. At the time of the fire he had there some 1600 barrels, which were all destroyed, entailing a loss of \$7000. In-

ared. Loss on the building \$20,000, also insured. He had poictes in the following companies:-Lycoming Mutual \$6,000
Cumberland Varley Mutual 4,000
Mutual, of Philadelphia. 5,000

ally as an armory by the regiment commanded by Colonel Thomas. Here a few muskets were racked. All destroyed, The premises No. 430 and 452 N. Twelfth street The premises No. 430 and 452 N. Twelfth street were occupied by Messrs. Klie & Hall, saw and pattern manufacturers. The buildings were owned by Mr. John Klie. They were badly damaged in the rear. Loss on building, \$1000; on stock, \$5000. Insected as follows:

At the N. W. corner of Twelfth and Buttonwood At the N. W. corner of Twelfth and Buttonwood streets is a four-story orick structure, formerly used as an United States army hospital. It is owned by Mr. William D. Hagaman, and occupied, on the first floor, by the firm of William D. Hagaman & Co., felt hat manufacturers. Warrington & Co., steel pen reaganfacturers, occupied certain portions of the manufacturers, occupied certain portions of the second and third floors. The "Shive-Governor Com-pany" likewise occupied other portions of the second story. The fourth story was occupied by Connelly & eville, brass turners. The losses and insurances by these different par-

ties are as follows:— Hagaman & Co.'s insurance on stock and building: New Haven. Lycoming Mutual. North America, N. Y.

Total \$12,000
Warrington & Co.'s loss, \$3500. Insured as follows dist furnished by Prevost & Herring, Insurance Tetal......\$10,000 Insurance of the "Shive Governor Company" (list furnished by Prevost & Herring, Insurance Agents): Imperial Fire Association

Connelly & Deville, insured in the Royal for \$3000. which will more than cover their loss.

The dwelling No. 1210 Buttonwood street had the roof burned off, and was damaged by water. Mr. Burr owns it, and a widow lady named Mayer occu-

No. 1212, next dwelling to the west, occupied by Mr. Smith, was likewise unroofed by the fire, and deluged with water. 211, opposite, owned by Alexander Sime, and occupied by Louisa Smith, was slightly damaged by

on Twelfth street, below Buttonwood, the threestory buildings, occupied by Thomas M. Evans, awning-post and frame manufacturer; C. H. Mellor, machinist, and other firms, were slightly damaged by fire, but the stock contained therein suffered only

by water. On the west side of Twelfth street, directly opposite the manufactory, the cabinet establishment of W. & J. Allen was scorched, and only saved by the firemen constantly playing on the building. Other properties adjoining were also scorched by the fire.

While the fire was at its height, considerable consternation prevailed among the residents of the neighborhood, owing to the report being circulated that in the Armory of Thomas' Regiment was stored a quantity of powder. This report was untrue; but, notwithstanding, many believed it, and the stampede of the citizens from their dwellings was great. Colonel Thomas' building is a complete wreck, nothing remaining but three walls. The southwest wall fell in about 1 o'clock, but, fortunately, no one

Only a short time since Messrs. Sibley & Pennywere forced to seek new quarters; consequently, the mill of Colonel Thomas was rented; now they

are again burned out. In the rear of Thomas' building, and running out

of Hamilton street, is a row of small court houses.

These were all slightly scorched. The threatening appearance of the fire had caused the occupants to remove their household effects. The only loss sustained by them was in breakage, etc., incurred in THE EXTRA ASSESSMENTS.—The sittings of the assessors to-day, to-morrow, and Monday, from 10 A. M. to 7 P. M., afford opportunities for citizens

who have not yet been enrolled to thus qualify them-selves as voters in the approaching election. A care-ful scrutiny of the lists of assessments posted out-side of the various precinct houses should be made side of the various precinct houses should be made by each voter to see whether or not some unscrupu-lous assessor has omitted his name. This dodge is the one at present in vogue among many of the Democratic officials, and Republicans had better be on their guard. As an instance of the reckless manner in which the assessments are sometimes

be on their guard. As an instance of the reckless manner in which the assessments are sometimes made, we give the following names omitted in a single division, the Sixth, of the First ward:

I seac Buchanan, 42! Worth street.
James Lapage, 41! Worth street.
James Harbenger, 51! Worth street.
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Joshua Taggart, 50: Dickerson street.
Charles Jern, 412 Dickerson street.
Charles Zern, 45 Tasker street.
Frank Galbreth, 153 South Fourth street.
Charles A. Laws, 1524 South Fourth street.
John W. Watson, 1518 South Fourth street.
Furman Garretson, 1510 South Fourth street.
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W. F. Prosser, 1524 South Fourth street.
Edward Lattle, 1525 South Fourth street.
W. McCullough, 1542 South Fourth street.
Charles 1, 1540 South Fourth street.
W. McCullough, 1542 South Fourth street.
Charles, 1540 South Fifth street.
W. Shappard, 1503 South Fifth street.
W. Shappard, 1503 South Fifth street.
W. Haris, 1515 South Fifth street.
Jak Entler, 1521 South Fifth street.
W. McCullough, 1542 South Fifth street.
W. McCullough, 1545 South Fifth street.
W. M. Shappard, 1553 South Fifth street.
W. Carr, 1517 South Sixth street.
W. Carr, 1517 South Sixth street.
W. Griffith, 1537 South Sixth street.
W. Griffith, 1537 South Sixth street.
W. Griffith, 1537 South Sixth street.
John Tory, 1535 Tudor street.
John Mealey, 1519 Tudor street.
Jan. Mealey, 1519 Tudor street.

The Iron Screw Colliss Centified, Captain Beckett, arrived late last night after a fine passage of forty-eight hours from Salem. On her outward passage she encountered the late gale, and weathered it without any disaster, thus proving her seagoing qualities on her first voyage. She is now loading, and will sall early to-morrow with 600 tons of coal for Salem. There is no doubt that this plan of transporting coal is now an established success.

QUICK PASSAGE.—The schooner Lizzie Batcheider, Captain English, left this port for Savannah, Georgia, on the 3d inst., which place she reached in sixty-seven hours from the time she left the pier at Arch street wharf. It is only matural that she should make such quick passages, as she is commanded by one of the best officers in our mercantile service. Messrs. D. S. Stetson & Co. the well-known shipping merchants, are the agents of the vessel in this city.

POMOLOGY.

The Grent Convention of Fruit-Growers-Their

The Great Convention of Fruit-Growers—Their Proceedings Te-day.

The convention reassembled at 10 o'clock this morning, President Wilder in the chair.

The Chair announced that all papers, reports, letters, etc. would now be received.

Mr. Barry stated that the chief duty of the Fruit Committee was the preparation of a catalogue, and the Secretary would now report in writing the sesuit of their labor.

The reading of the report was dispensed with.

The President stated that a list prepared showed that more than thirty States were represented by

over two hundred delegates.

The Committee on Collections on exhibition reported over 3200 varieties.

The Committee on Native Fruits next reported. The report of the Committee on Foreign Fruits, numerating new varieties, was next received. The Committee on Patent Preserving Houses were

ot ready to report. Mr. Manning, from the Committee on New Native Fruits, reported about twelve varieties of apples and three of pears, which, not all being ripe, were not examined. There were also five or six varieties of grapes. The new pears were the Maryland seed-ing, or Sam Brown, and the Mannington. The first was not named.

was not named.

Mr. Hyde, of Massachusetts, offered a resolution of thanks to the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society for the use of their hall, so kindly tendered.

A resolution of thanks to the Fairmount Park Association, Academy of Natural Sciences, Academy of Fine Arts, and other societies, for kind invitations, was next read.

was next read.

A resolution of thanks to the press of the country, and of Philadelphia in particular, followed.

A resolution thanking the Mayor and citizens of Philadelphia for their kind reception was read.

The Convention next took up the catalogue of grapes, and continued the revision of it.

The Committee on Patent Fruit Preserving Houses now being reads, their recommittee. now being ready, their report was read, favoring the adoption of the plan, and commending it as a complete success.

The Martha grape was reported by gentlemen from New York and Tennessee as doing well. Mr. Beckman spoke favorably of the "Scapperaoway" as a grape for Southern cultivation.

The discussion on grapes was now announced as

The next business in order was the consideration The next business in order was the consideration of the cultivation of Peaches.

Mr. Scott, of Pennsylvania, recommended the "Furness," raised in this city, and asked for information; he grew a number, and the trees were prolific nd vigorous. The peach is large and a cling stone. Information was asked for as to the "Mountain

Mr. Quinn, of New York, asked that strawberries Mr. Quinn, of New York, asked that strawberries be taken up instead of peaches. Not agreed to. Information as to the Hale's Early was next called for. The Secretary snnounced that it was on the catalogue, and was suitable for a number of places. President Wilbur, of Mass, said that it rots in the open air, but under glass was fine.

Mr. Beckman, of Georgia, stated that it ripened with them carty in June, and in New York brought \$16 a box. It did not rot with him. He considered it the best early Southern peach.

t the best early Southern peach.

Mr. Cohen, of Tennessee, spoke favorably of it; it

and done finely.

Mr. Williams, of Delaware, said it did badly with him, being somewhat liable to rot. It was considered a failure in Kentucky. Mr. Gillingham, Va., said that it rotted when cultivated, but when not cultivated it appeared to do

well.

Mr. Lindley, of Virginia, raised it on sandy soft, and did very well, turning out perfect,
Mr. Scott, of Pennsylvania, called for the "Sus-Mr. Beekman, of Georgia, considered it superior in

size and flavor, but not prolific. It invariably pro-fuces from the start.

Mr. Prieson, of Tennessee, also said it did well. This was concurred in by gentlemen from the Dis-trict of Columbia and Kentucky.

Mr. Hyde, of Massachusetts, recommended the

Foster seedling as being as good as Crawford's early, being a fine peach. It had sold at the rate of \$12 a dozen for spec men premiums. Captain Foster, of Medford, Massachusetts, was the originator of it. and would furnish buds to any one wishing them.

Mr. Strong, of Massachusetts, inquired as to the Van Buren dwarf.
President Wilbur, of Massachusetts, spoke favor-

ably of it. Mr. Holton, of New York, had cultivated it, and it Mr. Holton, of New York, had cultivated it, and it bore good fruit.

Mr. Lindley had a tree this season in a house which bore thirty fine large peaches, it being a young tree. He considered this as doing very well, but yet it was not very productive.

Mr. Beckman, of Georgia, would not approve of its cultivation, being of no value in the market.

Mr. Parsons, of Long Island, said it had done well with him, and grew finely, but the flavor was none too fine.

Mr. Gillingham, of Virginia, asked as to the Druid's

Mr. Beckman, of Georgia, said it had been discarded by him.

Mr. Scott, of Pennsylvania, moved that the discussion on peaches be closed. Agreed to, Plums followed next in order.

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Mr. Prierson, of Tennessee, spoke of the "Wild
Goose" plum as being a hardy tree, good grower,
large in size, and beautiful in appearance, but was
bothered by suckers, fine in flavor, but would not
produce from seed; considered it one of the best
plums in the market; its name arose from the story that the seed was found in the stomach of a wile goose killed in Tennessee.
Mr. Downer, of Kentucky, said he never failed to

get a good crop.
Mr. Beckman, of Georgia, said it was a bright vermillion, and liked it very much, but ripened too soon, early in June. It sold very well in the market, and was free from curcuits. Dr. Hunter, of New York, had raised a large vari-

ety of plums. He had adopted the plan of planting his trees over an artificial pond, and for many years was never troubled with the curculis. Trees, where the water was drained from the pond, suffered terribly from the ravages of the insect.

Mr. Arnold, of Canada, had adopted the plan of

whitewashing the ground, and it had proven very Mr. Manning, of Massachusetts, asked after the Mr. Beckman, of Georgia, supposed it to be a seedling of the Wild Goose.

The report from the Committee on Native Wines was next read, as follows:—

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WINES.

The committee to whom was entrusted the pleasing but difficult task of examining and comparing the native wines and brandies on exhibition, respectfully report: That they found on the table three varieties, viz, Catawba, Concord, and Norton's Virginia, from George Leick, Cleveland, Ohio.

Five varieties, viz., Catawba, Concord, Norton's Virginia, and North Carolina seedling, from George Hussman, St. Louis, Mo., by his agent, James R. Webb, Philadelphia, who also sent the "Imperial" (sparkling), from the Urbana Wine Company.

Five varieties, viz., Sonoma, Hock, California claret, Angelica, Muscatel, and Brandy, from Perkins, Stern & Co., of Boston.

And the following sparkling wines, viz.:—Werks, Golden Eagle, Longworth's Golden Wedding, from Longworth Wine Co., Cincinnati; and "Paris Exposition," from the Pleasant Valley Wine Company.

California brandies, classed as 1 and 2, from General Henry N. Naglee, and "Cheomongo," from San Sevanic, California.

The committee proceeded, by the aid of the testing instrument, to test the acids contained in each of the dry wines, which is recorded in tenths in addition to the judgment of taste expressed by the committee, who used the terms good, very good, and best to designate their opinions. The committee to whom was entrusted the pleas-

mittee, who used the terms good, very good, and best to designate their opinions. The California wines were first tested, as fol-

Sonoma Hock, acid, 0:4-3, good. California claret, 0.4.2, good. California Port, 0.3, void of character as a port

wine.
Oucomongo, Sausevein, 0·3, of a pale sherry color. A rich fruity wine, said by Mr. Blodgett to be equal to a new South Side Madelra.
Catawba, from George Leick, acid 0·7, best.
Catawba, from George Husman, acid 0·5, good.
Concord, from George Husman, acid 0·5, good.
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Norton's Virginia, George Husman, acid 0·5, good.
North Carolina, Geo. Husman, acid 0·5, very good.
A fine wine, resembling Hock, and showing the value of the grape from which it was made, is a wine grape.

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From Urbana Wine Company, "Imperial," a sparkling wine; good.
From Weeks, of Cincinnati, "Golden Eagle," a

From Weeks, of Cincinnati, "Golden Eagle," a genuine Catawba character, well manufactured, showing the manipulator a master of his art; but, to our taste, too sweet, a fault often remarked. It is as rich as "Mumm's."
Golden Nidding. This is only second to Golden Eagle, but from some unknown cause, there is left in the mouth at the last a slight unpleasant flavor.
From Pieasant Valley, Paris Exposition—A wine said to be made by mingling Diana, Delaware, and Catawba. It is a fine sparkling wine.
Brandies 1 and 2.—Both of the highest character. No. 1 best.

Respectfully submitted by

J. E. MITCHELL, L. BLODGET, The next business in order was the discussion on strawberries It was suggested that the raspberry be taken up. Not agreed to.

Cherries were then taken up.
Mr. Nicholson, of Indiana, spoke very favorably of
the early Richmond.

Mr. Moore, of Rhode Island, recommended the Jovernor Wood.

Mr. Lines, of Kansas named the early Richmond.

Mr. Donner, of Kentucky, named the Marilla.

Mr. Nicholson, of Indiana, named the Early Richmond.

Dr. Sylvester, of New York, named Coe's Trans-

Dr. Sylvester, of New York, named the Donner's Parent.

Mr. Earle, of Massachusetts, named the Donner's Red and Coe's Transparent as the best.

Mr. Edgerton, of Iowa, named the Early Richmond.

Mr. Arnold, of Canada, named Knight's Early Black and Early Elton as second best.

Mr. Hicks, of New York, as second best, named the Elton and Governor Wood.

A long discussion followed on strawberries, and

several new varieties were placed upon the logue. After which the convention adjourned.

THE CHESNUT STREET THEATRE,-This establishment will open on Monday evening next, recon-structed and improved so that its old acquaintances onid scarcely recognize it again. The management will be in the hands of Miss Laura Keeee, who has

will be in the hands of Miss Laura Keeee, who has organized the following company:—
Mr. Vining Bowers, Mr. W. E. Sheridan, Mr. Charles Medmanus, Mr. George Holland, Jr., Mr. J. H. Jack, Mr. W. H. Wallis, Mr. F. O. Savage, Mr. L. N. Drew, Mr. H. Archer, Mr. E. F. Nagle, Mr. L. N. Drew, Mr. H. Archer, Mr. E. F. Nagle, Mr. J. D. Thompson, Mr. F. Mordaunt, Mr. B. McNulty, Mr. W. H. Otis, Mr. W. B. Laurens, Mr. W. J. Stanton, Mr. John Costello, Mr. T. A. Creese, Mr. W. C. Raymond, Mr. William A. Booth, Mr. George Gilbert, Miss May Howard, Miss Mary Carr, Mrs. T. A. Creese, Miss Viola Alexander, Miss Susan Price, Miss Lillie Graham, Miss C. Cross, Miss Rose Sidney, Miss Fannie Erwig, Miss Minnie Jackson, Miss Jennie Anderson, Miss Josephine Laurens, Miss Julia Porter, Miss Isabella Nixon, Miss Bertha Cross, Miss Ada Vernon, Miss Clara Thompson, Miss Annie De Vere.

Annie De Vere.

The officers of the theatre will be—Stage Manager,

Anne De Vere.

The ordicers of the theatre will be—Stage Manager, Mr. Vining Bowers; Prompter, Mr. F. O. Savage; Costumer, Mr. W. Stanton; Master of the Ballet, Mr. Stanton; Properties and Appointments, Mr. George Gilbert: Gas Engineer, Mr. J. B. Price; Business Agent and Treasurer, Mr. John T. Donnelly.

The building has been reconstructed from the plans, and under the personal supervision, of the architect, Mr. J. C. Sidney.

The scenic department, under the control and direction of Mr. S. S. Schell, assisted by Mr. T. S. Plaisted and Mr. J. B. Price.

The act drop, painted by the distinguished Philadelphia artist, Russell Smith, Esq.

The stage, with the entire mechanical departments and improvements, under the direction of Mr. Thomas P. Blackwood, assisted by Messrs. W. N. Clark, M. Robinson, and W. Wisdom.

Mr. Mark Hassier, the well-known popular com-

Mr. Mark Hassier, the well-known popular com-poser and musical conductor, will preside over the

The theatre will open on Monday evening next, with the following programme:—
The performance will be inaugurated by an Overture, composed expressly for the occasion by Mr. Mark Hassler, entitled "The Inauguration."
After which will be presented the first of a series of revivals, the Marble Heart; or the Sculptor's Decam, From the French of "Les Filles de Marbre." The

east will be as follows:-

PROLOGUE.

Phidias (from N. Y. and N. O. Theatres). W. E. Sheridan Gorgias (From Chicago Opera House). Charles McManus Alcibiades (From Arch St Theatre). Mr. W. H. Wallis Diogenes. Mr. F. Mordanut Strabon (From N. Y. and Boston theatres). John Costello Thes (From Chicago Opera House). Miss May Howard Aspasia. Miss Laura Keene Lais, Statues. Miss Josephine Laurens Phyine. THE PLAY. PROLOGUE.

Lais, Statues. Miss Josephine Laurens Phyme, Miss Gardner THE PLAY. Miss Gardner Raphael Buchatlet (A Sculptor). Mr. W. E. Sheridan Ferdinand Volage (An Editor). Mr. F. Mordaunt Mons. Veaudore (A rich Parisian). Mr. C. McManns Viscount Chateau Margeaux. Mr. W. H. Otis I ord Merton (An English Nobieman). Mr. W. H. Wallis Frederickfde Coursey (A Gentleman). Mr. T. A. Creese John (a Footman). Mr. J. N. Dreer Baptiste (A Groom). Mr. S. F. Nagle Mad'lle Marco (The Marbie Heart). Miss Laura Keene Clementine. Miss Josephine Laurons Mariette. Miss Gardner Julie. Miss Gardner Marie (A poor orphan). Miss May Howar! Madam Duchatlet. Miss May Care The management announce sterling plays in active The management announce sterling plays in active preparation, by Charles Reade, Dion Bouck an American comedy by Ann S. Stephens. ucicault, and

THE AVONDALE RELIEF FUND.-The treasurer of the fund for the relief of the widows, orphans, and other sufferers by the Avondale mine calamity, acknowledges the following receipts:-

Harrison, Havemeyer	McCallum, Crease &
& Co	Sloan
Farr & Brother 50'00	Son"
Ficken & Williams 50'00	David Giltinan 250
J. & A. Kemper 25 00	Charles S. Dans
Philip Kemper 500	W. K. & Co 25 0
Lippincott, Son &	E. B. Mingle* 2) 0
Co 25'00	T.C. Mingle
Mrs. F 5:00	J. G.*
K. R	saugua, Pa 50
National Encampment,	M. J. G
Mrs. N. B. T 5'00	Willie 1'0
Apollo Lodge, No. 386, A. Y. M. 25'00	Charles Ellis, Son & Co 500
Wm. & Harvey Row-	T. C. 10 0
land	Hope Lodge, No. 98, L
H. Vale Smith, M. D. 5'00	O. O. F 200
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L. R., a little girl, from	Episcopal Hospital 377
her own savings '50	Wolf Mayer & Co 50'0
G. R., a little boy, from	A Friend
his own savings50	E. A. C 10
L. K. P 200	
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*Collected by Mr. Wm. B	rice, of the Commercial Ri
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change Committee The voluntary contributions of a generous public to the sufferers by the late terrible calamity at the Avondale Mine already reaches the sum of \$25,000. If all whom God has blest with means were to re-spond to this appeal as those have done who have sent in their contributions, and if all the churches of the various denominations were to take up collecthe various denominations were to take up conse-tions, as some have done, and others are proposing to do, the contributions of Philadelphia would equal, if not surpass, those of any other place.

Let those who desire to contribute to this fund send in their contributions immediately to George H. Stuart, Treasurer, No. 13 Bank street.

A TREAT FOR THE CULTURED.—Among the business establishments of this city having a proud name for the standard quality and artistic finish of their stock, the jewelry house of Messrs, Clark & Biddle stands in the first rank. Since their removal to their palatial store, No. 1124 Chesnut street, they have even eclipsed their previous reputation, and have offered to the public a stock of fancy and staple goods frest, class in all respects. J. D. Clark, E.G., offered to the public a stock of fancy and staple goods first-class in all respects. J. D. Clark, Esq., of this firm, has just returned from Europe by the steamship City of Washington, having thoroughly canvassed the fancy stores of Europe to cater for the cultured tastes of their legion of patrons. In a few days Clark & Biddle will display for inspection one of the finest assortments of watches, jewelry, and fancy goods ever exhibited in this city.

RECEPTION OF FIREMEN.-AL6 o'clock this evening RECEPTION OF FIREMEN.—At6 o'clock this evening the Washington Engine Company, of Patyrson, N.J., will reach this city at the West Philadelphia depot. During their stay they will be the guests of the Hope Hose Company. A committee of arrangements of that company have provided an escort for their reception, and the following route will be passed over:

—From Pennsylvania Kalircad depot, West Philadelphia, to Chesnut street; over the bridge and down Chesnut street to Thicd; down Third to Walnut; up Walnut to Sixth; down Sixth to Christian; down Christian to Third; up Third to Pine, and thence to Hope Hose House. Hope Hose House,

HAPPILY RECOVERING.—Revenue Detective James J. Brooks, who it will be remembered was shot on the 7th inst., for his faithfulness in ferreting out the frauds committed by the whisky dealers of this city against the Government. against the Government, has now so improved in strength as to make it certain his life will be saved. This recovery from a pistoi wound in the lungs with the ball yet unextracted is surprising, and is owing to the sturdy vitality of a constitution unimpaired by drinking or other unlawfut excesses. The commu-nity cannot spare Mr. Brooks yet, and it is to be hoped he will soon have the opportunity of convict-ing his would-be murdents.

ing his would-be murderers. FUNERAL OF COLONEL SEIBERT,-The funeral of the late Lieutenant-Colonel J. J. Seibert took place at noon to-day, from the residence of his uncle, No. 1630 Mount Vernon street. Washington Camp, No. 7, Patriotic Order Sons of America, had the funeral 7, Patriotic Order Sons of America, had the Tuneral ceremonies in charge. A large escort, comprising many of the soldiers of the late war, formed in procession at No. 725 Race street, at 10% o'clock, and marched as a guard to the funeral cortege. Colonel Selbert served with distinction in the strongles of the Rebellion. He met his death from injuries inflicted by several ruffians in front of a tavern at Thirteenth and Wood streets, on the 13th inst.

Mr. Win, of Illinois, said he had succeeded excellently with them.

Mr. Arnold, of Canada, spoke favorably of the Baughman's Mary, but the birds troubled it. Knight's early black also did well.

Colonel Wilbur, of Massachusetts, recommended the Red Jacket as being a fine hardy tree.

Powhattan had also done well.

Mr. Williams, of New York, said that the Harts and Dukes were doing poorly. Coe's transparent was most certainly the best and hardlest.

Mr. Pierson, of Tennessee, was in favor of the Memorial Shaft—The Ceremoniel Wilbur, of Massachusetts, was urgent in recommending Downie's late.

Mr. Well, of New York, recommended the early Richmond.

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FROM NORRISTOWN:

Dedication of a Soldiers' Monument - Programme of Ceremonies-The Town in a Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

NORRISTOWN, Sept. 17 .- This place is filled with people to-day, congregating here to witness the dedication of a monument in memory of the soldiers who died in defense of their country during the late Rebellion. This day is also the anniversary of the battle of Antietam. The event had long been anticipated, and invitations had been scattered broadcast. A majority of them have been accepted, and though we have lowering clouds overhead, the ceremonies give promise of great interest and success. Invitations were ent to Governor Geary and staff, to the clergy, and members of the press and bar of the adjoining counties, relatives and friends of deceased soldiers, to the municipal officers of your city naval officers, the military of Philadelphia, Posts of the G. A. R., Philadelphia Fire Department. and all the various orders and associations that could be reached. As a matter of course, our streets are filled with strangers.

From your city have come a number of milltary organizations and firemen; and if we judge by the organizations now scattered about, the rocession will be a very large and brilliant one. Of the monument to be dedicated, the following is a faithful description:-

ing is a faithful description:—

The base consists of four parts. The three blue marble bases are from Messrs. Adams & Derr's quarries, near the King-of-Prussia, the first of which in size and perfection has few rivals, its dimensions being eight fect square by two feet deep. The second base six feet seven inches square by twenty inches deep, and the third, five feet six inches square by sixteen inches deep.

Above the blue bases is one of white marble moulded. Next is the die, four feet square and four feet high, on which is engraved the names of five hundred and forty-seven soldiers, all that have been hitherto reported. On this rests an arched cap, two

hitherto reported. On this rests an arched cap, two feet high. Its lettered sides will tell by whom the monument was erected. Above this cap is a moulded die, two feet live inches high, having on its four sides, in high relief, the coat of arms of Penn-sylvania, the coat of arms of the United States, and two wreaths of immortelles whose leaves of oak, laural, and ivy typity liberty—the prisoner's pleasing dream—Victory and Friendship—Fidelity in adver-sity. One wreath encircles the words "Our Patriot Dead, the other the prophetic declaration—"The dead shall live." The shart is fifteen feet high, and two feet four inches square at its base. On its four panels are beautifully carved representations of the four arms of the service, viz:—Cavalry, Artillery, Infantry and Navy. The north side represents cavalry, consisting of crossed swords and sash, pistol and bugle. Above is a wreath of leaves. East side, representing artillery branch, by crossed cannon swab and rammer, surmounted by the Sixth Army Corps mark, which is a Mailers cross surrounded by a wreath of leaves. South the Sixin Army Corps mark, which is a mainess cross surrounded by a wreath of leaves. South side, representing the Infantry branch, flag, musket, knapsack, cartridge box and drum, surmounted by the mark of the Ninth army corps, a shield, on which is an anchor and cannon, crossed. West side, representing havy, consists of anchor and hawser, a 22 pound cannon, and implements used in the naval service. Above measurement of U.S.N. engine naval service. Above monagram of U.S. N. encircled with wreath. Surmounting this is an arched cap, twelve inches high, above which is a die, with shields carved on its four sides.

The crowning feature is a base to receive the ball on which the Ragle perches, whose extended wings

measure five feet from tip to tip. When the procession has completed its route. and the organizations assemble about the memorial shaft, the ceremonies of dedication will commence. General Joshua T. Owen, of your city, is to be the orator. Appropriate odes, written by B. B. French, of Washington, D. C., and Hon. D. M. Smyser, of Norristown, will be sung. General John F. Hartranit is Chief Mar-shal of the procession.

FROM NEW ENGLAND.

Acquittal of a Murderer. CONCORD, Sept. 17 .- The trial of William N. Kinney, for the murder of his uncle, George Woodsell, in Claremont, last winter, resulted in a verdict of not guilty by reason of insanity.

FROM BALTIMORE.

Colored Man Murdered. Baltimore, Sept. 17.—Elisha Banks, black, was stabbed and killed by Lewis Collins, also

black, in an altercation last night. Baltimore Produce Market.

Baltimore Produce Market.

Baltimore, Sept. 17.—Cotton flat; low middling nominally 28c. Flour dull, but low grades are very firm; Howard Street superfine, \$6@6.50; do. extra, \$6.50@7.75; do. family, \$8@9.25; City Mills superfine, \$6.25@6.75; do. extra, \$6.50@8; do. family, \$8.25@10.75; Western superfine, \$6@6.50; do. extra, \$6.50@10.725; do. family, \$7.50@8. Wheat steady; prime to choice red, \$1.50@1.64. Corn active; prime white, \$1.28. Oats firm at 60@62c. Rye, \$1.15. Mess Pork dull at 33@24c. Bacon firm and demand heavy; rib sides, 19%@19%c.; clear do., 20c.; shoulders, 16%@ Baltimore Produce Market. sides, 193, @193,c.; clear do., 20c.; shoulders, 163, @ 163,c.; hams, 24, 25c. Lard quiet at 193, @20c, Whisky dull at \$1.18, @1.19.

New York Produce Market. New York Produce Market.

New York, Sept. 17.—Cotton firmer; sales of 600 bales at 30% c. Flour heavy, and declined 5@10c.; sales of 6500 barrels State at \$5.90@6.90; Western at \$5.70@7. Wheat dull, and 2@3c. lower; quotations are nominal. Corn firm; sales of 38,600 bushlels mixed Western at \$1.14@1.17. Oats heavy and lower; sales of 24,600 bushlels at 60@63. Beef quiet. Pork dull; new mess, \$30-25; prime, \$27.@27.50. Lard quiet; steam, 18%@19% c. Whisky nominal at \$1.20.

PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES,

reported by the march w n	TO., LAO. 40 S. THILD STEED
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50 do3d. 56%	400 do b60, 481
9 sh Leh Val R 56%	100 doc. 473
100 sh Mmehill, b60, 53	400 do ls.47.8
32 sh Norrist'n 71	100 sh Cata Pf 371
SECOND	

\$3000 City 6s, New, Is. 101
\$4000 Mor Cl 1st m ... 80
\$1000 W Jer R 6s ... 90 \(\)
\$3000 Le gold 1. Tues 97
\$1000 Cam & Bur Co
R 6s ... 86
\$20 sh Cam & A R ... 120 \(\)
\$300 sh New Creek ... 56 -Amount of Coal transported on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad during week ending Thursday,

Sept. 16, 1869:— 8,154 16 7,166 19 12,476 1

From Auburn.
From Port Clinton.
From Harrisburg and Dauphin.
From Allentown and Alburtis. Anthracite Coal for week........... Bituminous Coal from Harrisburg and 9,784 05 Dauphin for week..... Total for week paying freight..... Coal for Company's use..... Total all kinds for week Previously this year..... Total. 2,994,794 01 To Thursday, Sept. 17, 1868. 2,447,256 07

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EUROPEAN NEWS.

The Discovery of Franklin Relics-Comments by the English Press -Napoleon Out of Doors-The Market Quotations.

FROM WASHINGTON

Naval Orders. Desputch to the Associated Press.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Commander John Rodgers is detached from the command of the Boston Navy Yard on the 15th of December next, and ordered to hold himset in readiness to command the Adriatic squadron. Commodore Charles Steedman is de squadron. Commodore Charles Steedman is de-tached from special duty connected with the ship-ment of coal on the 1st of December next, and or-dered to command the Boston Navy Yard. Commo-dore William C. Nicholson is ordered to special duty connected with the shipment of coal on the 1st December next. Commander Henry Erben is d tached from the command of the Kansas and place on waiting orders. The following are detached fro the Kansas and placed on waiting orders:—Leut nant Commander Francis M. Green, Masters T. Miller, Robert M. Berry, and R. B. Peck; Ensign P. McClellan, Assistant Surgeon Edward H. Ware, First Assistant Engineer John Keep, Jr., and Second Assistant Engineers J. M. Emanuel and W. H.

Mitzen.

The National Banks of New York. The following is an abstract of the statement of the national banks of the city of New York, in response to the recent circular of the Comptroller of the Currency, asking for a detail of the items compared to the commencement of the commencement posing their specie account at the commencement of business on the morning of the 8th inst.:—Gold coin, \$2,395,234.50; gold bars, \$30,845.78—total, \$2,425,100.28. Silver coin, \$217,372.54; silver bars, \$16,822.84—total, \$234,195.38. Gold certificates, twenties, \$33,850; hundreds, \$251,200; five hundreds, \$250,000; thousands, \$998,000-total, \$10,296,680. Checks payable in gold, \$205,187.24; coupons payable in gold, \$40,638.50; other items counted as specie description, \$7,413.34—total, \$3,293,505.24.

Army Orders.

Major Dewitt Clinton, Judge Advocate, is relieved from duty in the Department of the South, and ordered to report in person to the Commanding-General of the Fifth Military District for assignment, relieving Major Henry Goodfellow, Judge Advocate, who will be assigned to duty in the Department of the South. Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel A. C. Weldrick, 3d Artillery, is ordered to report to Major-General Meade, commanding the Military Division of the Atlantic, for duty as Aid-de-camp. First Lieutenant W. J. Henderson, 1st Cavalry, has been retired from the service with one year's pay and allowances. Army Orders.

allowances.

By direction of the Secretary of War, Brevet Briga lier-General Thomas M. Vincent, Assistant Adju-ant-General, will proceed to Springfield, Ill., and Chicago, Ill., under instructions from the Adjutant-General of the Army, and return to his station here on the completion of this daty. Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel B. Reeves is relieved from daty in the Freedmen's Bureau, and ordered to proceed to his

FROM NORRISTOWN.

The Monument Dedicated The Procession and Oration. Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. Norststown, Sept. 17.—The monument erected by the ladies of Montgomery county to the memory of the soldiers who fell in defense of their country in the late Rebellion was dedicated to-day. The line for parade was formed under the direction of Genefor parade was formed under the direction of Gene-ral Hartranft, and was composed of the military and posts of the Grand Army of the Republic of this county, the fire companies, Odd Fellows, and differ-ent benevolent societies of the town. They were joined by about five hundred from the military organizations of Philadelphia and two hundred of the Grand Army of the Republic. The line marched through the principal streets of the town to the pub-lic square, where they were addressed by General J.

T. Owen, of Philadelphia.

FROM EUROPE. An Editor Incarcerated.

By the Annio-American Cable. DUBLIN, Sept. 17 .- Mr. Booth, editor of the Irish American, was yesterday brought before the Court and remanded for trial on a charge of participation in the fatal afray at Tobbermore recently.

Napolcon Out.

Paris, Sept. 17.—The Emperor yesterday appeared in the streets of Paris.

The Franklin Relies.

London, Sept. 17.—The Marning Standard to-day has an editorial on the news from San Buenaventura concerning the recent discovery of the remains of the Franklin expedition. The article closes as follows:—'The data on which to accept the document as genuine are too slender, and unless the fact is corroborated in a manner difficult to anticipate, we

scarcely fancy skepticism is misplaced." This Afternoon's Quotations. LIVERPOOL, Sept. 17-1:30 P. M.-Cotton-the sales of the day will not exceed 7000 bales. Yarns and fabrics at Manchester quiet.

FROM CANADA.

Visit of Prince Arthur to the Military School. QUEBEC, Sept. 17.—Prince Arthur, with the mem-bers of the Government, visited the Military Navai School, High School, Morin College, Lowal Univer-sity, and the French Cathedral, and lunched at the sity, and the French Cathedral and inhened at the Citadel with the officers. The party everywhere were received with enthusiasm. They drove around Cape Rouge to Speneerwood, and in the evening attended a grand ball given by Lieut.-Gov. Belleau and lady, complimentary to the Prince, Five hundred couples were present. The Prince leaves Quebec on Monday. The weather is cloudy and very windy.

FROM NEW YORK.

Arrest of a Murderer. Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

New York, Sept. 17.—Joseph Brausset, who killed his two sons last night at Union, N. J., has been found with his throat badly cut, but not fatally. He is in custody

is in custody. The Gold and Stock Markets. Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. NEW YORK, Sept. 17 .- Money is decidedly easier

NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—Money is decidedly easier, the call rate being 7 per cent., although there were a few transactions at 6. Gold was strong at 1863/ all day. The business is only moderate. Governments are heavy. The stock panic continues. Central, 19% to ½; Erie, 38½ to ½; Lake Shore, 98½ to ½; Pittsburg, 165 to ½; new, 17 to ½; Pacific Mail, 72%, a fail of from 2 to 3.

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tory of the United States.

FROM THE WEST.

Destructive Fire. St. Louis, Sept. 17 .- The shingle and box factory of Page & Kilburn was burned to-day. Loss, \$30,000; insurance, \$10,500. The lumber yard of Mr. Schulenburge, adjoining, was damaged to the amount of \$4000.

The Grand Lodge of Good Templars, which has been in session at Jacksonville, Ill., for two days, after several hours' discussion of the matter, yesterday, by a decided majority, indorsed the action of the National Temperance Convention recently held in Chicago, in favor of a third political organization, the distinctive and most conspicuous principle of which shall be prohibition.

The cigar manufactory of Shutz & Gessler, at Carlinsville, Ill., has been seized for violation of the internal revenue laws. About 60,000 cigars were seized with the factory.

Election Returns from Denver. A Denver City despatch says that further election returns confirm yesterday's report of the Republican majority. Where the Democrats made a party nomination they have generally been defeated, and the Legislature will have a clear Republican majority.

"Wild Bill" Assassinated. A telegram from Puebla says that "Wild Bill," the noted character who has figured as the hero of several sketches of life on the border, got into a difficulty on election day, and, while being taken to the Colorado City jail, was fired on from the bushes, and killed.

The National Capital Convention. At a meeting of the National Capital Executive Committee, a call for a convention to be held here on October 20 was decided upon, and will be published in the prominent papers of the country. The call, after stating that the Governors of all the States are invited to attend the convention, says in case the Governor of any State refuses to appoint delegates to the convention, that delegates selected by the Congressmen from any Congressional district will be received and duly admitted to seats in the convention.

FROM CANADA.

The Dominion Cubinet. TORONTO, Sept 17 .- It is said that Sir Francis Head has been offered a seat in the Dominion

Cabinet. This Afternoon's Quotations, HAVRE, Sept. 17-5 P. M .- Cotton closed quiet both

on the spot and affect.

ANTWERP, Sept. 17.—Petroleum firm at 574f.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 17.—Mrs. Scott Siddons sailed for New York yesterday. QUARTERLY MEETING OF THE TEACHERS' INSTI-TUTE.—At 2 o'clock P. M. to-morrow (Friday) the quarterly meeting of the Teachers' Institute will be held at Musical Fund Hall. These reunions have be-come so popular among the members of this profes-sion, and have resulted in such happy esprit de corps, or spirit of union, that their cessation would now be a calamity to our public schools.

The evening session will be held in the lecture-

The evening session will be held in the lecture-room of the Central High School at 7%. The music will be under the competent direction of Professor Jean Louis, Superintendent of Vocal Music in the

Public Schools, and the programme will be as fol-Prof. J. B. Roberts

Miss Fannie Keim.

"Good Night Fareweil". Kukes

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Address, "Teaching". Prof. John S. Hart
Principal of the New Jersey State Normal School.

Duet, "The Fisherman". Gabussi
Miss K. Chandler and Miss M. B. Smith.

"Departing and Sorrow". Trubn
Prof. Jean Louis.

Recitation. Prof. J. B. Roberts CRICKET—ENGLAND AND AMERICA.—A grand cricket match will be played on the grounds of the Young America Club, at Wayne Station, on Tuesday and Wednesday next, Sept. 21 and 22, b tween an Eng-lish eleven selected from the United States and the

PLAYERS. Newhall Newhall Newhall New YorkGermantown ... Large. Baird. Tiffany. J. Hargreaves. M. McIntyre... Pearson. Philadelphia A. Bussier.
Wilbraham. W. Johns. B.
Bewson. W. Gummy.
Jarvis. R. Pease.
Play to commence at 2 o'clock the first day and 11 ... Philadelphia.

o'clock the second day. TURN-OUT OF THE INVINCIBLES .- On Saturday evening the Republican Invincibles will make their first parade of this political campaign. The route has not been made public as yet, but the procession will pass by the Union League. This organization is a live one, ever ready to throw itself into the breach in the assault, and ignorant of the meaning of surrender. The members will use this year the same equipments made memorable in their political ser-vice last year, consisting of grey caps and capes.

SHARP .- An advertisement for a female domestic appeared in the columns of one of our morning con-temporaries. Applicants for the position were directed to call at the house of Mrs. Brown, No. 1527 Christian street. One appeared yesterday morning and was engaged. During the afternoon she de-camped, and \$150 were missing about the same time. Any information, etc., thankfully received, etc. A TUB AFFAIR.—Charles Cobb was arrested yes-terday on a warrant issued on the oath of Mrs. Ter-yls, living in Bryan's court. Charles resides in her

house, and in coming down stairs yesterday with a tab of dirty water in his hands, spilled some over the lady. She remonstrated, when he threatened her, She then had him arrested. Alderman Beitler held him to answer in 5500 bail. THE CASE OF GENERAL ZULICK .- U. S. Commis-

in the matter of General Samuel M. Zulick, ex-U. S. Collector, charged with perjury; but in the absence of the prosecu or the case was adjourned till Monday noon, when the decision will be made. THE HORTICULTURAL BANQUET.-Let it be remembered by all who intend participating in this enter-tainment to-night at Horticultural Hall, that the precise hour of its commencement is 8 o'clock. All holders of tickets are requested to be prompt to at-



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