MEWS SUMMARY.

City Affairs. -The Chemical Works of Rosengarten & Sons, Fitzwater street, above Eighteenth, were slightly damaged by fire last evening.

—Lewis Maxwell, aged ten years, slipped upon the jee on Saturday, and in falling broke his right arm. He resided at No. 1738 Coates street.

—John McDonald had one of his hands badly erushed on Saturday, by the machinery in Hoopes & Townsend's bolt factory. His wounds were attended to by Dr. Stees.

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—A large meeting of the friends of the Order of American Mechanics was held on Saturday evening at the hall, Tenth and Spring Garden streets, to hear addresses respecting the Order.

—The Democratic Association of Pennsylvania celebrated the battle of New Orleans on Saturday evening by speeches from Lewis C. Cassidy, General McCandless, Charles W. Brooke and others

Brooke, and others. -James Morrow, residing at No. 1012 Filbert street, fell on the ice at Twenty-fifth and Lom-bard streets, yesterday afternoon, and fractured one of his legs. He was removed to the Penn-

aylvania Hospital.

—John Shian, twenty-five years of age, fell through a bridge over the canal at Campbell's Mill, Manayunk, yesterday afternoon, and was severely injured. He was removed to his resi-

dence, No. 4253 Main street. -The fifty-first anniversary of the Society for the Advancement of Christianity in Pennsylvania occurred yesterday, and was celebrated by a public meeting being held in St. Mark's Protest-ant Episcopal Church. The elergy present were members of the Board of Trustees, several of whom took part in the service. The sermon was preached by Rev. A. Wadleigh. The annua-report was read by Rev. Mr. Murhy of Ger-

mantown.

—The following gentlemen were elected on Saturday officers of the Nonpareil Typographical Society:—President, Owen A. Duffle; Vice-President, Henry J. Hampton; Treasurer, William Harris; Secretary, John Savage; Assistant Secretary, John Mead, Jr.; Stewards, John N. Hallowell, Thomas A. Hampton, William A. Bursetleating Committee J. John N. Hallowell, Thomas A. Hallowell, Wil-liam A. Burrows: Investigating Committee, J. B. Chant, J. H. Covvey, John M. Perry, William Goode, Thomas J. Rogers.

—The annual meeting of the Jewish Hospital

Association was held yesterday at their hall, on Coates street, below Franklin. The fifth annual report of the association was read, showing that since the last annual meeting seventy-one members had identified themselves with the associa-tion. The number of reliable paying members is about 700, yielding an income from that source of \$3500. It is believed, with proper efforts, \$500 more will be added during the present year. During the year 1869 there were treated at the hospital as indoor patients 91 persons, 60 males, 31 females. With the exception of three all of these were discharged as cured. During the same time there were five deaths among the

-A fire occurred about 4 o'clock yesterday morning in the large three-story brick building in the rear of 626, 638, 630, 632, and 631 Rich-mond street, owned and occupied by A. Horner, Jr., bedstead manufacturer, and before the flames were subdued the building was greatly damaged, and its contents, consisting of machinery and partly finished work, destroyed. By the active exertions of the firemen the front building, four stories high on Richmond street, used for finishing and storing work, was saved, as well as the surrounding property. The en-gine and boiler house attached to the building destroyed was also saved from damage. The loss of Mr. Horner on building is estimated at about \$10,000, on machinery, \$15,000, and on stock, \$12,000, all of which, it is thought, is covered by insurance in home and foreign companies. Fire Marshal Blackburn, who was on the ground, states that the fire was supposed to be accidental, as the building was securely locked up when the flames were first discovered.

Domestie Affairs. -Gold closed on Saturday at 12214. -Fears in Mexico of a general revolution are daily increasing.

-Nearly two hundred lives have been lost by

flood in Chiapa, Mexico.

—Gustave Fischer, High Sheriff of Cook county, Illinois, has absconded with a large amount of money.

—Jerry Dunn, the murderer of the notorious Logan in New York, is said to be lying concealed in this city,

—Four hundred and thirty acres of land have been bought near Abelene, Kansas, by a Scottish

emigration society.

—The great billiard match between Deery and Dion was played in San Francisco on Saturday, and resulted in a victory for the for-

-Hon. W. Strong will, it is said, be nominated to the seat on the Supreme Bench resigned by Associate Judge Grier, and to which the late Mr. Stanton was appointed.

-The Winnipeg revolutionists have forced a loan from the Hudson Bay Company. Part of the money is to be applied to the purchase of material with which to start a newspaper.

-Two colored men being refused admittance to the dress circle of the Academy of Music, Charleston, have taken out warrants against the manager for violating the provisions of the Civil

Fisk, Gonld & Co., of Eric, are held to bail by the Passaic County Court, N. J., to answer a charge of conspiring to rob a locomotive com-pany, by charging illegal fares for transporting ocomotives over the road.

-A decision has been rendered by the Supreme Court of Alabama, that there has been no property in slaves since 1863, and that from 1861 to 1865 no legal judgments were given, the officers of the courts and Legislature being mere

-Caldwell, charged with complicity in the New York drawback frauds, was discharged by the Montreal judge before whom the proceed ings for his extradition were instituted, and by the connivance of his counsel effected his

-Lopez's son is in Washington to represent his father's interests and to induce the administration to renew diplomatic intercourse with his Government. But first he will have to say where his father is, and to prove that his Government

Foreign Affairs.

A new Ministry has been formed in Spain. -The French contingent military force is to be largely reduced. -A trade's union riot broke out at Sheffield,

England, on Saturday.

—The chief editors of the Paris Rappel have been sentenced to imprisonment and fine for violation of the Press laws. -That the Pope will allow no discussion of the dogma of infallibility unless he is sure of its

affirmation is confirmed. -The home and also the foreign policy of the new French Ministry is to be enunciated in the

Corps Legislatif to-day.

—A number of miners under sentence for participating in the riots at Aubin some time ago

have been pardoned by the Emperor.

—President Grant purposes visiting the sovereigns of Europe, and making the voyage accompanied by a fleet of iron-clads; so at least runs the talk on the continent.

MARYLAND. Message of Governor Bowie.

Governor Bowie gives the condition of the State finances as follows:—The total receipts for the fiscal year ending 30th September last were \$3,002,000.58, which, added to the balance in the Treasury 30th September, 1868, \$482,551 01, makes the total aggregate of the fiscal year \$3,484,641.59. The total disbursements for the same year were \$3,039,301.18, leaving a remainder in the Treasury September 30, 1869, of \$445,340.41. The aggregate debts of the State for which interest has to be provided were, on the 30th September, 1869, \$12,692,938.96.

EDUCATION OF NEGROES. In connection with the subject of education throughout the State, the fact occurs to my mind that a portion of our population consists of colored freedmen, for whose education no legislative provision has yet been made. If at a

not cound policy dictate such education of the colored population as would prepare them in-telligently to exercise the elective franchise, and as citizens, to judge for themselves of the proper workings of our political system, and not be misled by the crafts and clamors of designing and unscrupulous politicians? Education among the colored people of the State would have a beneficial effect in rendering them more valuable in any position they may be destined to fill. It would doubtless render them as a class more virtuous and provident, and better members of the community in which they live. It is not proposed to add to the burdens of taxation for the purpose of educating the colored population, nor to suggest that colored children be admitted into the schools with the whites; but that the taxes which are paid by the colored tax-payers for school purposes be set apart for the education of the colored children, and that educational facilities be extended to this class of our population, and such encouragement given as will show that we have due consideration for their welfare and prosperity.

The Governor argues at great length against the fifteenth amendment, and, of course, opposes its adoption very warmly.

COMPERSATION FOR EMANCIPATED SLAVES. On this subject he says:-That the State of Maryland has a just, and the strongest claim, upon the United States for the value of her emancipated slaves, there can be no equitable doubt, and I submit this claim for your action, as required no less by a sense of justice, than from the necessities of a large number of our citizens, who, in yielding up this property to the mandate of the State, 'made in accordance with the invitation of the President of the United States, subjected themselves to diate ruin. No argument is necessary to substantiate this claim. It may be that the present condition of national the present condition of national finances will not justify the payment, or the present temper of the Congress of the United States will not now sanction the acknowledgment of this just claim, but it is none the less your duty and mine to continue to assert it, to the end that ultimate justice may be done the people of the State who have so largely suffered from this cause. I cannot hope for any imme-diate relief, but I do entertain the hope that in time the amplest justice will be accorded us, and therefore I suggest, at present, merely the passage of resolutions respectfully, but firmly, demanding compensation at the earliest date that the exigencies of the National Treasury

The Chinese Question. The San Francisco Bulletin publishes official statistics showing the arrival at that port of a total of 138,586 Chinese immigrants, consigned to the six companies, as follows:-Ning Yeang, 46,867; Yeang Wo, 28,207; Hop Wo, 25,002; See Yup, 19,111; Sam Yup, 15,023; San On, 4376. These six companies are officially recognized by the Emperor of China, and they keep a careful guardianship of all the persons consigned to them. Their records show that 37,323 have returned to China alive, and that the dead bodies of 10,426 have been sent home for interment, leaving a total of 90,837 now on the Pacific coast. Of these about 41,000 are in California, 12,000 in Montana, 10,000 in Idaho, 8500 along the Pacific Railroad, 8000 in Oregon, 7000 in Nevada, and 4000 elsewhere scattered. Of the Chinese in California 31,700 are adult males, 4800 adult females, 3000 children, 1307 old and decrept; and 183 in jail. San Francisco has 17,000 Chinese inhabitants, 1576 of whom are merchants, butchers, bakers, etc., 764 laundry men, 2780 eigar makers, 4580 domestic servants, 1500 operatives, 830 shoemakers, 17 doctors, 16 artists, etc. Only 1000 are put down as "laborers," and 70 as rag and offal gatherers. It further appears that 12,761 have arrived from China during this year, and that the returning tide (including dead bodies) carried back 13,104; so that there were, on the 20th of November 343, less active names on the books of the companies than there

were on the 1st of January.

The six companies collect and remit to China the savings of their wards, sending from \$20,000 to \$100,000 by each steamer. This amount is made up of small sums, mainly to aid the immigration of friends hither, precisely as our Irish and German fellow-citizens have done for years. The Chinese who come to this country are not "Coolies." They are for the most part educated men, and are all of them free agents. Their religious and social prejudices are such that in coming to America they do not cease to be Chinese. They will not for many years, if ever, naturalize as American citizens. Only through allegiance to the Celestial Empire that is seen do they hope to attain the Celestial that is unseen. Even their bones must be buried in the native soil or the unfortunate dead is damned. The bone gatherers of the six companies are active workers. No Chinese is buried in America, nor yet at sea. These curious people will not separate from the companionship of friends or go beyond the reach of their companions, lest the dread evil of unknows burial befall them. With these facts, which have been often presented and are incontrovertible, the 'Chinese question" resolves itself into this: whether we will have the cheap and faithful labor that comes to us from the Orient; and whether, having it, we will protect the laborer in those inalienable rights which are guaranteed to the humblest citizen. The ougaboo that America will ever be ruled by the Chinese is already losing force. It will never become more than a "question" in our

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Steamer New York, Jones, from Georgetown and Alexandria, with mose. to W. P. Clyde & Co.

MEMORANDA. Ship Alaska, Small, cleared at San Francisco 28th ult. for Liverpool.
Steamship Tonawanda, Jennings, for Philadelphia, sailed from Savannah 8th inst.
Steamship Nerfolk, Platt, for Philadelphia, sailed from Richmond 7th inst.
Steamship Brunette, Doane, hence, at New York 8th inst., and cleared again to return.
Steams Centipede, Fenton, hence, at Boston 8th inst.
Barque India, Lepschinsky, for Philadelphia, remained at London 28th ult. at London 25th ult.

Brig Nuevitas, Trask, for Bath, sailed from Holmes' Hole
A. M. 6th inst. Thomas McBride, Naulty, hence, at Washington,

D. C., 6th inst. Schr N. H. Skinner, Thrasher, hence, at Fall River 6th Schr N. H. Skinner, Thrasber, hence, at Fall River 6th instant.

Schr J. A. Garrison, Lloyd, hence, at Boston 6th inst.
Schr Ralph Carleten, Curtis, hence, at Holma' Hole A. M. 6th inst., and salled again next morning.

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Schr Alabama, Vangilder, from Salem for Philadelphia, passed Heil Gate 7th inst.

Schr West Wind, Hawkins, hence for Providence, at New York 7th inst.

Schra J. M. Richards, Irving, and Eliza Pike, Larkin, for Philadelphia, were loading at Charleston 6th inst.

Schr J. Schr J. Schram, Corson, for Philadelphia, sailed from Richmond 7th inst.

Schr S. V. W. Simmons, Williams, for Philadelphia, was loading at Wilmington, N. C., 6th inst.

Schr S. Virginia, Bearse, hence, and John Farnum, Baker, from New Castle, Del., at Boston 7th inst.

Schr Gov. Burton, Ludlam, at Providence 7th inst., from from New Castle, Del.

Schr Reading RR. No. 34, hence, at Norwich 6th inst.

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Schrs W. Gitturn, Mehaffey, and B. F. Woolsey, Johnsen, for Philadelphia, cleared at New York 8th inst.
Schr George Nevenger, Hickman, frem Boston for Philadelphia, passed Hell Gate 8th inst.
Schr N. W. Magee, King, at Portland 6th inst. from Portsmouth, to load for Philadelphia.

NOTIOE TO MARINERS.

Notice is hereby given that on and after the night of the 20th January, 1870, a fixed red light will be exhibited from a lighthouse recently erected on the southeast point of Rose Island. Narragansett Bay, Rhode Island. The station consists of a wooden dwelling one story high, with a Mansard roof, from which rises a wooden tower bearing the lantern and illuminating apparatus. The building is painted a light drab, with brown trimmings. The lantern is black. The illuminating apparatus is a lens of the sixth order. The focal plane is at a height of 50 feet above the level of the sea; therefore the light should be visible from the deck of a vessel in clear weather at a distance of 12 nautical miles.

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