-Edward Price, James Watson, and Jacob C. Crump have been appointed clerks by the Receiver of Taxes.

Kate Morgan, aged eight years, residing at No. 728 Guilford street, jawbone broken by falling from the steps of her house. Enos Black, aged 16 years, residing at No. 10 South Tenth street, shoulder fractured by

falling from the second story window of his -Four stories of the seven storied wall of Bruner's mill, fronting on Linn street, above

Twenty-third, fell yesterday afternoon, at about 2 o'clock. No one was injured. -The work of building a new tow-bridge over the Schuylkill, near the lower locks at

Manayunk, has been commenced. The old bridge at this point was carried away by the flood last fall. -The following cases have been admitted to the Pennsylvania Hespital:—John Flemming, aged 43 years, residing at No. 233

South Front street, injured internally by falling on the sidewalk. -A meeting of citizens was held at Market and Merrick streets, on Saturday evening, when a resolution protesting against the erection of the new public buildings on Indepen-

dence Square was adopted. —At a late hour on Saturday night a little girl, aged twelve years, a niece of Mr. Morris, a grocer at the N. W. corner of Tenth and Shippen streets, was severely burned by her clothing taking fire from a gas burner in a

dining-room. -The Finance Committee of Councils held a meeting on Saturday afternoon and agreed to report to Councils next Thursday an ordinance appropriating \$150,000 to the commissioners for the erection of public buildings on Independence Square. The committee also agreed to a bill reorganizing the Board of Port Wardens, making it a department of the city.

-Messrs. Johnson, Henszey, and Adaire, of the committee of the Legislature to cooperate with the Council committee to make arrangements for a centennial anniversary and international exhibition in Philadelphia, were in the city on Saturday, and had a conference with the committee of Councils. A form of memorial, to be sent to Congress, asking action and aid upon the part of that

body, was adopted.

—At a late hour on Friday night the plumbing and gas-fitting establishment of William Kelly, No. 18 N. Tenth street, was entered by thieves, who stole a quantity of silver-plated water-cocks valued at \$150. They then took a roll of paper, and setting it on fire, threwit into a pile of paper in the corner, but the paper, being rolled up tightly, was only par-tially destroyed, which, no doubt, prevented the place from being destroyed.

—Instead of the Mayor's special officers

being required to report to the Lieutenants of Police as formerly, they are now under orders to report every morning to Chief Kelly, of the Detective force. The specials are: - First district, Charles Moore; Second, Charles Richard; Third, James Rusk; Fourth, Edward Burns; Fifth, James Roberts; Sixth, Thomas Mereto; Seventh, C. Leidy; Eighth, John A. Winnie; Ninth, Nicholas McGrane; Tenth, James McGuckin: Eleventh, John Powell; Twelfth, Jacob Plucker; Sixteenth, John Sherry. John Kelley, of the Second district, and Dennis Mullin, of the Thirteenth district, have been appointed special officers, and detailed for night duty at the detective office.

Domestic Affairs. -Gold closed on Saturday at 119.

-Texas has ratified the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments. -Two ladies have been appointed justices

of the peace in Wyoming Territory. -An influential party in Venezuela moving in favor of annexation to the United

-The system of granting lands to railroad companies was discussed in the Senate on Saturday. -An organization in San Francisco, for

the purpose of exterminating the Chinese on or before St. Patrick's Day, is reported. -A large majority in favor of annexation to the United States is expected in St. Do-

mingo at the election shortly to be held. -A difficulty has arisen between the Government and the Legislative Council of New Brunswick, owing to the removal of an officer

of the council. -Secretary Boutwell is confident of being able to fund the debt in a year's time if Congress passes a bill in accordance with his re-

commendations. -An appropriation of two millions and quarter for the Naval Construction Committee will probably be agreed upon by the con-

ference committee. -Immense damage has been done in the East, especially at Augusta, Me., by the storm which commenced on Friday and the freshets

which succeeded it. -Numerous anonymous letters and telegrams relative to the sale of cadetships are being received by the House Military Com-

mittee, but no notice will be taken of such communications. -In compliance with a request from the Mississippi Congressmen elect, the President will not sign the bill admitting the State until the measure removing the disabilities of a portion of the delegation has passed Con-

gress.

On Saturday Secretary Fish was approached by several members of the press, in reference to the President's proclamation announcing the adoption of the fifteenth amendment. He stated that the official potification of the adoption of the amendment by the Legislature of Nebraska had not yet been received at the State Department, but was expected to-morrow. The President would sign the bill admitting the State of Mississippi on Wednesday or Thursday next, and if Congress at once admitted the Senators and members of the House elected from that State, that then there would be twenty-eight States (without New York, Texas, and Georgia) that have adopted the amendment, and upon which no question can arise. The President would then issue the proclamation at once. Mr. Fish further stated that it was a great desire on the part of the President, that all the States should be in the Union at the time the proclamation is issued, but if this is impossible, he will not delay the promulgation of the glad tidings throughout the land. He said in conclusion that probably by next Saturday, and certainly by the 1st of March, the proclamation would be issued.

Foreign Affairs.

- Engenie will visit Sweden and Norway in the spring.

Rochefort has withdrawn from the edi-

torship of the Marseillaise. -Montpensier declares Spain his country by tradition, adoption, and affection.

—Protests against Papal infallibility have

recently been placarded in Rome. -The Carnival has opened in Rome, but

usual.

-Carlists and Mignelists, plotting in Portugal, are advancing their raifications towards the Spanish frontiers.

"Alkakange."

A correspondent of the Chicago Tribune gives the following comical account of some recent occurrences in the Committee of Ways and Means:-"Here is an instance of the wisdom of this

right noble committee. 'For several years there has appeared on the tariff list an article called alkakange, and by the name it was supposed to be some powerful drug, and to it was uniformly attached a high duty. Many times, when the puissant committee reached this word, it was suggested to reduce the duty, but straightway the high-tariff coommitteemen rose to their feet and denounced any attempt to interfere with the protection of this valuable

"'Redeuce the duty on alkakange?' said Mr. Kelley, 'and it is thus that the wages of the Ame-er-ek-e-an leaybereur are to be re-de-euced? Is an inde-e-eus-te-re-y to be thus ruthlessly exposed to foreign ce-ompetition? I oppose the ame-endment of this duty, and ceall eupon me bretheren of the kemeitee to jeoin me.

"Up rises Horace Maynard. "I move to raise the duties on alkakange

from sixty to six hundred per cent.!'
"'Och! smithereens! bedad! hullebeloo! cries Dionysius Dennis O'McCarthy, of Syracuse, speaking in the nicest Portuguese accent, 'is me heart's delight and the perride of me kentry, alkakange, to receive no pro-tection? Shades of blarney and Onondaga

" 'I am compelled,' says Schenck, 'to vote against any reduction of the time-honored duty on alkakange. At this time, in particular, it requires our most delicate nurturing ! "Mr. Hooper puts his hand to his rearward coat-tail pocket, and says he:-

" 'Alkakange was regarded by James Otis, Samuel Adams, Cotton Mather, and Oakes Ames as worthy of the fostering care of the nation. Duty and tradition compel me to vote for its retention; but at this special juncture I do not feel called upon to say that it requires more protection. "The lumber forests of Michigan, says

Austin Blair, 'murmur through their vast recesses: protect our tenderest sister, the pride of our solitude, alkakange!' "Now, a few months ago, some obstinate

free-trader, coming to the name 'alkakange,

said aloud: " 'What in the devil is Alkakange, anyhow? "Deces the geenteil-mean not kneow? said Kelley.

"'Here's freshness!" says Austin Blair. "'Bludanouns!' cries McCarthy, 'did ye iver hear sich ignerince?'

"'Alkakenge!' says Maynard, 'need never ask the friends of our industry to describe it. "But this implacable free-trader sent for an unabridged dictionary, and looking it all through, he found no such work as alkakange. He got no more instruction from a cyclopædia. He asked in vain of Dr. Ure's Dictionary of Science and Arts. The faces of the committee grew very long. Some one suggested that any druggist's apprentice

"So they sent to New York for a first-class chemist and paid him mileage and per diem, and said he; "'It's my belief that there's no such thing

in all the length and breadth of the pharmacopeia!'
''Here the high-tariff folks exhibited indications of collapse.

"At last they raked out of the gulf of the Government printing office an ancient proofreader, and asked him to account for alkakange.

"He put on three pairs of spectacles and a green shade over his eyes, and took up the printed list. " 'Well!' he said, 'this beats natur and

Gineral Jackson, in whose administration I was appointed. Gentlemen, nineteen years ago a lot of quads, quoins, leads, and old types, that we used to ballast the tariff forms with, riz up onexpected through the fat matter of the tariff list, and they accidentally spelled out the word alkakangie. I spose that you've bin a laying big duties on alkakangie ever since!

"The old proof-reader put his hands on his hips, took off his spectacles, and laid down on the floor of the Ways and Means Committee, and laughed and rolled for the space of three-quarters of an hour. By the time he got up, Kelley had been round to the Government printing office and got him discharged.

"A special meeting of the committee was at once called, and Mr. McCarthy rose:— "I move ye, sur, that the article known as alkakange be put upon the fraa list!"
"I object, says Horace Maynard; 'move

to substitute 500 per cent.' "'I am weilleing, says Kelley, in deep basso, to be gueided in theis einstence by a preoper regeard for the eopeineons of me keolleagues,

and I seecond the meoteon. "The next day Mr. Schenck arose in the House and said that the committee had made a material reduction in the tariff. Alkakengie had been added to the free list.

MARINE TELEGRAPH.

For additional Marine News see First Page. ALMANAC FOR PHILADELPHIA-THIS DAY.

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Pioneer... Philadelphia. Wilmington... Feb. 21
Cityof Mex'co. New York. Vera Cruz, etc. Feb. 22
South America. New York. Rio Janeiro... Feb. 23
Columbia... New York. Hayana via Nasfeb. 24
Eagle... New York. Hayana via Nasfeb. 24
Morro Castle... New York. Hayana... Mar. 10
Mails are forwarded by every steamer in the regular lines. The steamers for or from Liverpool call at Queenstown, except the Canadian line, which call at Londonderry. The steamers for or from the Continent call at Southampton.

CLEARED SATURDAY. Steamship Pioneer, Barrett, Wilmington, N. C., Philadelphia and Southern Mail Steamship Co.
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Schr J. Satterthwaite, Kimmey, Boston,
Schr Ruth Shaw, Shaw, Millville, R. J., Captain. ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

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Brig Ida M. Comery, Norden, 10 days from Matanzas, with molasses to E. C. Knight & Co.—vessel to Warren & Gregg. At midnight 16th inst., during a heavy gale from NW., with heavy sea, lost two hids. of molasses off deck and sustained other damage.

Brig Richmond, Powers, 71 days from Messina via Gibraltar, with fruit to S. S. Scattergood & Co.—vessel to B. Crawley & Co. sel to B. Crawley & Co.

Brig Faustina, Patterson, 11 days from Cardenas, with molasses to E. C. Knight & Co.

Brig Shannon, Sawyer, 9 days from Matanzas, with molasses to E. C. Knight & Co.—vessel to Warren &

Gregg.
Schr Stampede, Stratton, 18 days from Mayaguez P. R., with sugar and moiasses to John Mason & Co. Left in port, bark Maratow, brigs Thomas Tunnell, and Herod, disch.; brigs. S. Croweil, George, and

schr Fred. Smith, waiting cargo. Schr Sophie Wilson, Nowell, 11 days from Matan-zas, with sugar to John Mason & Co. Steamtug America, Chambers, having in tow dismasted schr Ramon de Ajuria, which she fell in with

ARRIVED SATURDAY. Steamship Aries, Wiley, 48 hours from Boston with mose, to H. Winsor & Co. Steamship Fanita, Freeman, 24 hours from New York, with mase, to John F. Ohl.

RETURNED. Schr Ramon de Ajuria, McBride, hence for Sagua. Captain McBride reports that on the 4th inst., at 16 P. M., in lat. 26 20, long. 75 11, while shortening sah, encountered a heavy gale from NE., which carried away the foremast, jibboom, and part of main and mizzenmasts, with all attached, save main jib and mizzen topsail, in consequence of which we were cobliged to return. 17th inst., 3 P. M., while at anchor eight miles N. by W. of Chincoteague, was fallen in with by steaming America, which came to our assistance and towed us to this port.

WENT TO SEA. A large ship, supposed to be the Abyssinia, for Savannah, passed out 19th inst.

The following vessels sailed from Messina, on the dates, and for ports named:— Br. bark Prima Donna, Perkins, Jan 28, for New

Bark Sicilian, Percival, Jan. 30, for Boston. Bark Orchilla, Havener, Jan. 30, for Boston. Br. brig Chillan-Wallah, Tucker, Jan. 26, for Bos-Brig Juliet C. Clark, Moore, Jan. 28, for New York. Brig Era N. Johnson, Johnson, Jau. 29, for N. York. Brig Fannie, Turner, Jan. 30, for Philadelphia. Brig Samuel Welsh, Darrah, Feb. 4, for Philadel-

Schr C. M. Nevins, Ruland, Jan. 30, for Baltimore. Schr C. M. Nevins, Ruland, Jan. 20, for Baltimore. The following remained 4th inst:—
Bark Bounding Billow, Flinn, waiting.
Bark Wild Gazelle, Nickerson, waiting, for Boston.
Bark Trovatora, Blanchard, waiting, for Boston.
Bark Fury, Wilson, waiting.
Bark Hornet, Hopkins, waiting.
Brig Dirigo, Cozin, waiting orders.
Br. brig Sarah Ann, Outterbridge, waiting, for Boston.

Br. brig Speed, Stanley, waiting. Brig F. H. Todd, McGuire, loading, for New York.

MEMORANDA. Ship Portlaw, Rice, for Philadelphia, sailed from iverpool 5th inst. Ship W. H. Moody, Durkee, for Philadelphia, sailed from Letth 4th inst. Steamship Tonawanda, Jennings, for Philadelphia, sailed from Savannah 19th inst. Steamship Norfolk, Platt, for Philadelphia, sailed

Steamer Jas. S. Green, Pace, hence, at Richmond isth inst. Steamer Rattlesnake, Colburn, hence, at Provi-Steamer Rattlesnake, Colburn, hence, at Providence 18th inst.
Schr Light of Hope, Dickens, hence for Providence, at New York 19th inst.
Schr American Eagle, Clare, from New Castle, Del., for Newburyport, passed Hell Gate 18th inst. Schr C. S. Grove, Weaver, at New York 18th inst. from Wilmington, N. C.
Schr Annie May, May, from Boston for Philadelphia, sailed from New London 16th inst.
Schr H. N. McColley, Hubbard, sailed from Fall River 16th inst. for Philadelphia, and was at anchor 18th off the meadows upper end of Randall's Island.
Schr John Cadwalader, Steelman, sailed from Pro-

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schr John Cadwalader, Steelman, sailed from Pro-vidence 18th inst., for New York.

Schr Com, Kearney, Philbrook, for Philadelphia,
sailed from Newport P. M. 17th inst.

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