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THE HOUSE OF CORRECTION-LEI THE LEGISLATURE UNDO ITS BABEL WORK.

WHEN the future historian of Philadelphia describes the action of the present generation in reference to a House of Correction, what a fearful picture of vacillation and incompetency will he present ! Sixteen years ago an act providing for the establishment of such an institution was passed by the Legislature, and the subject has been continually agitated ever since, every day increasing the manifest necessity for its construction. And yet the muddle in which this project is involved seems to grow deeper and deeper with each new demonstration of the importance of its success. The underlying reason of these difficulties is the question of location for the contemplated structure. The trouble does not arise from the paucity of proposed sites but from their superabundance, and this t rouble is intensified by the anxiety of one set of interested parties to prevent the House of Correction from being erected in one region, and the desire of another set to have it built in some other special locality. The city owns an abundance of land, but its right to use its own property has been circumscribed by the Legislature, with the apparent intent of f orcing it to become a real estate purchaser for the special benefit of some one of a dozen knots of speculators. When the House of Correction was first talked of the Almshouse farm was fixed by law as the proper location. But this project awakened the hostility of adjacent property owners, and it was (not unwisely) defeated, first, by the recommend 1tions of the committee which originally had the subject in charge, and, second, by a legialative enactment which forbids our citizens from using any property in the ward in which the Almshouse is located as a House of Correction. After some years the grounds adjacent to Moyamensing Prison rose into favor, and this is, above all others, the proper site, or, indeed, the only economical and appropriate one. Three acres of land are available, affording ample room, with proper architectural arrangements, for the confinement and employment of all our prisoners, vagrants, able-bodied paupers, drunkards, and disorderly persons for years to come. Thousands of men can be set and kept at work in the space therein furnished, and some of the largest and most thickly-populated institutions of a kindred character do not possess more room than the city has at her disposal on the grounds adjacent to the County Prison. This is he only project that ever received a hearty and thorough endorsement, and the only one yet presented which should be adopted. It is recommended in the strongest terms by the Board of Prison Inspectors, a body of men who, above all others, best understand this subject, and act from enlightened and disinterested motives. It was also favored, few years ago, by every member of a joint committee of Councils which had thoroughly examined this whole subject. Nor did the favorable and propitious action stop here. Councils authorized a loan of one huudred thousand dollars to erect the necessary buildings on the site which had thus been warmly approved; so that, as the city pow sessed the land and the money to erect the buildings was provided, the whole question of a House of Correction was on the point of reaching a satisfactory solution. The only thing needed was an act of the Legislature authorizing our citizens to do what, after mature consideration, competent officials had decided to be the best thing that could be done in the matter. But a superlatively stapid and iniquitous piece of legislative botchery was perpetrated at this moment. Instead of conferring the privilege asked for the Legislature passed a law prohibiting the people of Philadelphia from constructing a House of Correction and Employment in the ward in which the County Prison is located, and definite action on the whole subject was delayed and prevented by this outrageous proceeding. If our citizens had been represented at Harrisburg by men who possessed a decent degree of intelligence, honesty, and regard for their welfare, such an infamous law could not possibly have been adopted. Its passage ha already cost Philadelphia hundreds of thom sands of dollars, and it has stimulated an immense amount of crime and pauperism. If it is not repealed it will cost millions of dollars more, and multiply the race of bummers until the whole city swarms with them; and the burdens of tax-payers will be increased to an incalculable extent by the damaging commission and omission of drivelling legislators. Councils, deprived of the power of doing what their better judgment favored, were naturally thrown back upon a series of expedients none of which are satisfactory. It is time, however, that the farce of chasing up sites should cease. Let the Legislature heed the request made in the last report of the Prison Inspectors, give them the enabling act they ask for, and then let Councils extend the Moyamensing Prison buildings. The loan already authorized will provide the necessary means. The whole question is exceedingly simple if the Legislature, for once, treats our citizens with justice, and not as the objects of legislative speculation. The Harrisburg Solons have only to undo their own Babel work.

THE LEGALTENDER DEGISION. A GREAT deal of puerile criticism has appeared in the papers on the recent legaltender decision by the Supreme Court of the United States, and the most amazing consequences are predicted as sure to follow from it. Not the least ridiculous of the ideas held by some of these wiseacres is that one which implies that transactions passed and gone may be liable to be dragged out again, and that even a receipt in full is a matter of dreadful uncertainty. The legal-tender decision applies, of course, only to contracts made before February, 1862, and only to such

of these as still remain in force. Any one who chose to take greenbacks and sign a receipt in full, cannot now claim that he should have had gold. This, we apprehend, applies to interest paid on mortgages, to groundrents, and interest paid on corporation bonds, etc. Interest, according to the wellknown rule of law, follows the principal, and if the principal is payable in gold the interest will be also, and accruing interest and unpaid arrears may be so collected. We wish, however, to assure our readers that if they have paid off a gold mortgage, or other debt, or interest on it, in greenbacks, and that pay-ment has been accepted by the parties, they can sleep in peace, and have no fears of being called on for "the difference." Where sums have been received expressly under protest, such cases may form exceptions to the rule according to the phraseology of each case, though even there we very much doubt whether the only available "protest" may not be held to be a refusal to accept. In ninetynine out of every hundred cases, however, payment was made and accepted without any thought on either side of any "protest," or of any decision such as the court has made. In all such cases the question is closed.

AFTEB all, commend us to a New York Deputy Sheriff for a display of peculiar fitness for office. The papers of our neighboring city narrate at length the adventures of one such during a journey from New York to Sing Sing in charge of four convicts whose united sentences spanned seventeen years. The deputy was crazy drunk-so crazy drunk that justice was within an ace of being cheated out of seventeen years of hard labor by way of recompense for outraged law. This model deputy was not content with getting drunk himself, but marched his prisoners into a saloon and set their wits afloat in whisky, as well as his own; and then, for fear that either himself or some one of his manacled companions might by chance drawa sober breath before the end of the journey was reached, filled a pocket flask, and the tedium of travel was relieved by its frequent elevation all around. When the party arrived at Sing Sing, the deputy had sunk into such a drunken stupor that he could be aroused only by a vigorous rubbing of his ears, which goes far towards proving that what little sense he had left was located in those organs. That the four convicts did not make good their escape was in consequence of the fact that they were too drunk to appreciate their opportunity, and were moreover under the watchful eyes of a policeman and a friend of the deputy throughout the journey.

CAPTAIN WILLIAMS, the heroic man who commanded the ill-fated Oneida, gave utterance to a sentence which is destined to rank forever with the most notable in naval history. Mr. Crowninshield, the captain's clerk, who has written a thrilling narrative of his own ALC: almost miraculous escape, states that when one of the officers urged him to take to the boats, he replied "I go down with my ship!" and that, in response to an appeal from still of ou another of his subordinates, he exclaimed, the r "No; this is my place, and here I remain !" is no If the serviceable boats of the Oneida had price been of sufficient capacity to accommodate the whole ship's company, such conduct on the part of the commander would have been unpardonable bravado; but as it was, the noble sailor only showed that he was fit to tread the quarter-deck of the grandest vessel that ever was launched. The loss of a man with such a spirit is one that no service could well afford to sustain, and the country will lament it with as much feeling as if Captain Eyre, of the Bombay, were a red-handed pirate in name as well as in fact. POOR PEORIA !--- To-day the people of Peoria are to be forced to listen to harangues from Miss Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton, and Miss Anna E. Dickinson. Now Peoria is situate a thousand miles, more or less, from Philadelphia, and it may be that the full enormity of its iniquities has not yet reached us by report. But we should think that there could have been found within its limits at least one sensible, sober-minded, satisfied woman, whose simple presence ought to be sufficient to save the town from the triple infliction which has fallen upon it. THE INCREASE OF THE REVENUE of the General Government is a gratifying sign. Commissioner Delano estimated the revenue for the current fiscal year at \$175,000,000, to meet which prophecy required a gain of \$16,000,000 over last year. Nineteen millions have already been gained; but, inasmuch as nine millions of tax were obtained in the last quarter of the last fiscal year from whisky which was forced out of bond by operation of law, it is expected that the remaining months of the current fiscal year will show a slight comparative decrease, and that the net gain for the year will about equal the estimate made by Commissioner Delano. In the following is given a comparison of the aggregate collections of internal revenue during the years ending June 30, 1869, and January 31, 1870, showing how the amount received from each source is being gradually swollen :--

list is in the case of taxes which have been removed, while all the collections from these sources walls the taxes in question were in force were not yet paid in. The decrease in the receipts from penalto s is occasioned by the fact that the department now more uniformly prosecutes suits to a conciation, thus reducing the number of compromises, wherein penalties are paid in hen of taxes. gether, the exhibit is a very satisfactory one to taxpayers, and shows how easily the inquisitorial income tax can be dispensed with.

ME. BERCHER, having set before the world the new code regulating the marital relations, follows it up with a pronunciamento upon parental responsibility. Hear him, ye fathers and mothers, and take heed :- "The 'wayward children' are not so much to blame, it seems, as the parents. A bad boy snatches his sister's doll and plumps it into the dre; that's his mother's fault! Bill runs off with his younger brother's aled, and when the defrauded utchin cries after it, he gets 'rabbed' in the snow and kicked ; and that's his father's fault ! A thievish boy eats up all the doughnuts set apart for supper, and then denies that he teuched them, and puts it off on a poor bound servant-girl, and gets her into disgrace, and suborns his younger prother to join in the deceit; and all this is the fault of his parents!"

THE DEVASTATION OF WAR is something terrible to contemplate in the aggregate, Mr. Leray-Beaulien, a disciple of the peace at-any-price party, who argues that all the wars between 1853 and 1866 might have been avoided if those engaged in them had so chosen, thus summarizes the expenditare in men and money during the period of thirteen years ;---

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-The most primitive means of conveyance -The most primitive means of conveyance are not necessarily free from fatal dangers. A Mr. Dority, near Merton, Wisconsin, was driv-ing a team attached to a pair of bobsleichs carrying a sawiog. At his invitation a Mr. Dalton, walking by the roadside, also took a ride on the log. Shortly afterwards the log slipped from the hind bob, and, turning over the for-ward bob struck Dalton on the Lemple, causing ward bob, struck Dalton on the temple, causing instant death, and rolling upon Dority fastened him on the ground, where he was almost frozen before aid arrived. The fatal accidents of travel where horses draw the vehicles are more numerous, though less noticed, than those where steam is the motive power.

-Opium has been raised with success in Vermont. The yield would appear to have been 100 pounds of juice to the acre, merely requiring drying to become a marketable opium which brought from \$8 to \$10 per pound, as it contailed more than six per cent. of morphia. It this thing can be accomplished in so cold a climate, would not still better success attend its culture in California? It may yet be no object to Chinese smugglers to bring opium into San Francisco plugged up into the inside of granite building-blocks, or sandwiched between the inner and outer soles of their shoes. The next opium war may find us the rival of the East India Company in supplying the drug to China.



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SPECIAL NOTICES. SPRING GOODS. 1570. TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THES MEROANTILE LIBRARY COMPANY. The floard of Directors baving tailed to carry out the resolution instructing them to open the Library on Sco-days, which was passed by a large majority at the mosting of the Company b. Id February 16, all stockholders, who here in favor of senday one ning or not, who hold that the Directure are bound to obey the instructional given theom at the meetings of the Company, are invited to meet an at the meetings of the Company, are invited to meet was EYRE & LANDELL. FOURTH and ARCH Streets. Ger Burth Stineal Holl, S. W. cover BEOAD and Walk Still freese, on Twenday evening, life base, of Solotesk, to excreme heir disarprobation of the course purposed by the Based, and to take such action in the premises as they may down are disarb. ARE OPENING TO-DAY FOR SPEING SALES. SPLENDID FRENCH CHINIZES. Dom V. McGrath, PERCALE ROBES, THREE FLOUNCES. William V. McGrath, Thomas F. Bakemore, Harry C. Hunter, A. J. Galmer, er, Chathe J. Rainey, M. Faxeon. Charles P. Bicknell, A. K. Womrach, John Noile, John A. Sigan, Thomas Gr-ham, William D. Wetbertll, Charles A. Lagen, Jonn A. Shyder, Jonn Shyder, F K. Womrath, Joseph Cooper, G. Morzan Eldridge. S. M. Anderson, S. M. Anderson, Albert G. Freeland, John L. Bedeler, John C. Granger, B. F. Hart, RICH SPRING FERCALES. ORGANDY LAWN ROBES. JAPANESE FIGURED SILKS. B. F. Hart, S. Castner, Jr., Samuel W. Pennypaoker, Edward J. Tiel, Josepb & Puite, Thomas Hockley, John B. Stauffer, H. K. Fairgrieve, D E. Pallam, B. Luncan Coombs, J. Warner Knox, U. W. MoMillan, Edward B. Tyson, J. K. F. Zeh, B. T. Miligan, A. Wessell, Stephen Kagen, JAPANESE PLAIN SILES. NEAT STRIPE AND FIGURED SILES. DRY GOODS. acph Cooper, chard W Pulte, hn H skins, A CARD. harles Henry Roney, Harry Pugdale, Darles Hoskins, SHEPPARD. Stephen Fagen, An.l others. B 10thstu3t cuis Shaw, bomas McIlwee, VAN HARLINGEN PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD, OFFICE OF GENERAL FREIGHT AGENT, No. 1300 MARKET Street. PailaDELPHIA, March 14, 1870. NOTICE, & ARRISON. The rates for the Transportation of Gas Coal, to take effort March 15, 1870, can be obtained on application at this office. 14" B. KINGSTON, General Freight Agent. lő ceuts. No. 1008 CHESNUT Street, Will continue the sale of their LARGE STOCK OF FINE GOODS, at OROCERIES, ETC. EXTRAORDINARILY LOW PRICES 1826. Making a difference of about 33% PER CENT, from BUY THE BEST. former prices, being more than equal to the BUCK'S FRESH TOMATORS. GREAT DECLINE IN GOLD. WINSLOW'S GREEN SUGAR CORN. MERCIER GREEN FRENCH PEAS. Our old stock we are selling rapidly, and NEW ASPARAGUS, LIMA BEANS, GREEN GAGES, GOODS are BEING RECEIVED DAILY, so that our FRENCH AND ITALIAN PRUNES. Store shall continue to present to buyers the GREATEST POSSIBLE ATTRACTIONS AND New Crop Green and Black Teas. BARGAINS, in all descriptions of At greatly reduced prices. Families supplied in Shirting and Fronting Linens. quarter and half chests at wholesale price. Table Cloths, Table Linens, Napkins, rom Soc. EXTRA WHITE WHEAT FAMILY FLOUR, Doylies, Always on hand. Of entirely new and elegant patterns, HAMS! HAMSII HAMSIII Towels and Towellings of every de-NEWBOLD'S JERSEY HAMS. STOKES' JERSEY HAMS. scription, MARYLAND HAMS. S. DAVIS' CINCINNATI HAMS. Marseilles Quilts, IOWA HAMS. AND ALL VARIETIES OF Families desiring Newbold's and Stokes' Jersey House-furnishing Dry Goods. Hams can leave their orders, as they will be in in i few days. FURNITURE COVERINGS, CRETONNES, AND CRIPPEN & MADDOCK. CHINTZES. No. 115 SOUTH THIRD STREET, TABLE AND PIANO COVEES. REAL LACE AND NOTTINGHAM CURTAINS. BELOW CHESNUT, Dealers and Importers in Fine Groceries of every CURTAIN MATERIALS AND UPHOLSTERY description. 3 15 tuth2:4p GOUDS. ALSO, 1809. An unusually large and attractive stock of FIRsT-CLASS WHITE GOODS, PIQUES, TIOLES, HDEFS, WARRANTED GENUINE OLD and STAPLE EMBROIDERIES. **Ecvernment** Java Coffee. No. 1008 CHESNUT Street, Roasted every day. at 40 cents 39 wthstul0trp PHILADELPHIA. per pound, at RESUMPTION OF SPECIE PAYMENT. **COUSTY'S East End Grocery** RESUMPTION OF SPECIE PAYMENT. No. 118 South SECOND St., The Entire Stock Marked Down to Gold 217 thsta5 BELOW OHESNUT STREET. at Par. still greater reduction. OLOTHING. Specie Given in Change. THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST. GREAT BARGAINS IN

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