CITY INTELLIGENCE.

LOCAL ODDS AND ENDS .- There is a "speofficer" in Germantown named Reeder. Will his Highness inform the public why he does not wear a uniform, and if he is interested in a "gin mill?

-The Mayor has gone a-fishing-at least he is -The police force made a wholsale haul of

female "tramps" last night. -Why don't our High Constables attend to

"that pavement" in front of the State House? - Why don't our High Constables wear a uniform? Are they ashamed of their positions? -The population at the Almshouse on Saturday last shows an increase of 176 over the same

time last year. -The "Ornamental Figure Head" intends issuing an order that all the police force shall join the P. C. S.'s.

-The expense incurred by the smashing of windows by the late hail-storm has to be defrayed by the landlard.

-General Butler passed through the city yes-terday on his way to Washington. No one had a chance to interview him. -Our grocers delight in keeping their store

doors open on dusty and rainy days: the result adds to the weight of the sugars. -The Athletic-Union match was postponed

until this afternoon, on account of the poor condition of the grounds yesterday. -The probabilities now are that but three or four of the present Representatives will be

returned to the next Legislature. -The new bridge across the Delaware will be started next spring. Soundings will be taken during the summer and fall. Ahem! -The stated meeting of the Board of Control takes place this afternoon. "There's music in Tune, "Louis, we have missed you." -Ex-Representative Davis informs us that he

does not intend to emigrate to Venango county, but will pursue the practice of the law in this -To properly represent the manufacturing

interests of Germantown, no more effective representative can be found than F. Carroll Brewster. -Why don't our High Constables attend to the numerous "brick-piles" that almost impede

the passage of our railway cars on certain thoroughfares ! -Poor Hong! The people of Germantown will persist in keeping him at home. They want him to occupy "that" fine mansion on

Chelten avenue. -And now the police lieutenants refuse to send any news over the Municipal Telegraph wires, they asserting that the operators are "too

black for them.' -Connell and Henszey both have another winter to spend at Harrisburg, and there's but little doubt that they will be on their good behavior during that period.

-The citizens residing on Eighth street, between Catharine and Christian streets, are desirous of knowing what disposition Mayor Fox proposes making of the police officer who discharged four shots from his revolver whilst pursuing a colored man on Wednesday.

MEETING OF THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY. - The Historical Society of Pennsylvania held a stated meeting last evening in the rooms of the society. Sixth and Adelphi streets, the President, John William Wallace, in the chair; Samuel S. Smed-

ley, Secretary.

From the report of the Librarian, Mr. Shrigley, it appears that the collection of the publications of the Camden Society is now very nearly completed. The society now owns ninety-nine volumes of these records. These books are very rare and valuable; each volume is now worth at least a guinea in England. Among the books, works of art, curiosities,

etc., presented since the last meeting, are the "The Art of Verifying Dates and Historical

in twenty-three volumes. This is a French work, and is the best collection on the subject ever published. Mr. Durborow's manuscript record of the P.

Church of the Evangelist, Philadelphia, from

1837 to 1870. This is a valuable record, neatly transcribed at the request of the society. "A history of the Spanish Conquest of New Mexico," by Gen. W. W. H. Davis, editor of the

Dovlestown Democrat. The author of this book has published various historical works, all of which are of value. General Davis has promised to read a paper on the subject of the above work before the Historical Society in the fall, to which subject he is in every respect capable of doing In the genealogical department the genealogy

of the Fisk family and of the John Lawrence family are the most noticeable

A card of invitation to the President's Ball on his birth-night, dated February 22, 1796, is an object of interest. The invitation is given for the early hour of 6 o'clock P. M. The place of meeting was the Amphitheatre, Philadelphia.

A curious relic of the battle of Gettysburg was presented to the society. It consists of a grape-shot from Slentz's woods, bullets from Culp's Hill, granite rock from Little Round Top, bayonet from United States soldier's grave. brass eagle made from fuses of bombshell, Rebel torpedo bullets, knot from Big Round Top, and the whole mounted on a neat stand made of apple wood from the National Ceme-

The total number of books presented since last meeting is 88, of pamphiets 60, of MSS. 1, of works of art, 1; giving a total of all kinds of 150.

The Committee of the Society on Heraldry has been enlarged, and now embraces the following named gentlemen:-Charles J. Lukens, Charles Howard Armstrong, Colonel James Ross Snowden, S. B. W. Mitchell, and Spencer Bonsall.

THE CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, at the northeast corner of Franklin and Thompson streets, Rev. James G. Mitchell pastor, was opened on Sunday last with appropriate services. and during the present week sermons will be preached every evening by some of the principal clergymen of the city. The sermon this evening will be by the Rev. Herrick Johnson, D. D. The balance of the week will be divided between the following distinguished preachers: -Wednesday Rev. R. H. Allen, D. D.; Thursday, Rev. E. R. Beadle, D. D., and Friday, Rev. T. X. Orr. On Sunday morning next there will be a sermon by Rev. R. H. Allen, D. D., and the administration of the Lord's Supper. On Sunday evening a sermon by the pastor, Mr. Mitchell

STABBING AFFRAY .- Last night a party was given at the hall No. 734 South Eleventh street. where a quarrel originated between one Alleway Frisch and John Kelley. It appears that Kelley is or has been paying attention to a young lady of whom Frisch spoke disrepectfully, hence the row. During the quarrel Kelley drew a knife and stabbed Frisch once in the back and once in the head. Kelley was arrested by Officer Ryan and was committed to prison by Alderman Collins, to await the result of the injuries he inflicted. Frisch was removed to his home at Thirteenth and Bainbridge streets.

CAUGHT. - An impecunions chap named Hubert Ball yesterday attempted to tap the till of a confectionery store in Sixth street, below Pine. The owner, in order to guard against such customers, had previously affixed to said drawer a "patent alarm," which notified him of Ball's operations. Entering the store he seized Ball by the neck, and marched him to the Third District Station House. The would-be thief will be given a hearing at the Central Station

SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY .- The Sunday school union anniversary of the Second Universalist Church, Eighth street, above Noble, will be held on Tuesday evening, May 17, at a quarter to 8 o'clock, in the church building. exercises will consist of hymns, prayers, and musical exercises, and addresses will be made by Mayor Fox, Rev. M. Ballou, Rev. E. G. Brooks, Rev. Glies Balley, and others.

I. O. W. B .- Abraham Schlosser is the name of a brutal specimen of humanity, who is of the opinion that women are to be classed with mules. In pursuance of this opinion Abraham yesterday administered a severe flagellation to his wife. Alderman Massey sent him "below" in default of \$500 ball to answer.

CORONER'S INQUEST .- The Coroner this morning held an inquest on the body of Charles Felon, a boatman in the employ of John Patterson, who was found drowned yesterday in the Schuylkill at Race street wharf. The deceased

and Patterson had had a quarrel a short time before at Twenty-third and Race streets. John Toole, residing at No. 144 N. Twenty-third street, was called and testified that he did not know Felon, but saw a boat hand named McClain on Race street holding another man saw Patterson break a stick over the man's head; the stick was about two or three feet long. and about as thick as a broomstick; the man who was struck acted like a drunken man; saw him afterwards on the boat asleep; was afraid that he would fall into the water; he would have fallen from drink without the blow: Patterson dld not appear angry, and McClain at Twentythird street was holding the man from going towards Patterson.

Michael Keene, also residing at No. 144 North Twenty-third street, carriage and bolt maker, testified to seeing the fight at Twenty-third and Race streets, but was not in the beat when the man fell overboard; after the fight Patterson went down the street towards the boat, followed by the man that was afterwards drowned; saw Patterson strike the man; the drowned man when I last saw him was on the stern end of the boat asleep; he could have rolled off of the boat; did not hear Patterson threaten to throw

him overboard. Thomas Birdson (colored) sworn-Live at No 2222 Race street; am stable-keeper to Mr. Patterson; saw the quarrel at the corner of the street; was on the boat with Patterson and the man; the man was very drunk; while we were talking some one said that the man was overboard; we threw a line, but he did not catch it: Mr. Patterson was not on the boat at the time, but was at the corner of Twenty-third street.

John McClain sworn-Did not know the drowned man; saw the difficulty at Twentythird and Race; I ran between the men when they were fighting and separated them; we fell down, and I got my eye hurt on the pavement; did not see him fall overboard; my back was towards him: I threw the line to him, but he did not catch it; he was staggering drunk; heard the man ask Patterson for money, but did not hear Patterson threaten him; could easily have rolled off the end of the boat.

William Adams, employe of Patterson, sworn. -Was on board of boat at the time, but did not see him; Patterson had discharged the man from his employ when the man demanded his wages Dr. Shapleigh sworn-Made the post-mortem examination of the body; there were no marks of violence; discovered that he came to his death from drowning; there was a slight bruise upon the head, but that was all; it was very slight; no marks of violence on any other part

The jury, after a short deliberation, returned a verdict of "accidentally drowned."

THE MILITIA FUND .- After two years continual boring for the militia tax, the money has

at last found its way into court. This fund before distribution among the militia companies has to pay certain expenses. The principal one is the claim of the assessors who make the enrollment. It is upon the rolls prepared by them that the tax is collected. For ne labor thus imposed upon the assessors the law allows them a certain compensation. For three years the assessors have not been paid, although they faithfully made the enrollment each year. The assessors have filed a bill in the Court of Common Pleas for an injunction to restrain General Provo-t and the Militia Board from spending the fund until their claims are

settled In addition to this the assessors refused to make the militia enrollment this year until they are paid for the work already performed. If they persist in this determination it will save many a poor man from being robbed of his two dollars.

A liberal policy on the part of the board would be much more creditable to the militia than the selfish one pursued with the assessors. With all our favorable disposition towards the local militia, we can but regret their present condi-Judging from present prospects, there will be considerably fewer men in the ranks of the First Division on the 50th of this month than there were last May. There are too many generals in our militia. A major-general, four brigadiers, and thirty ornamental staff officers are too many to command two thousand pri-

THE TRADESMEN'S BANK BUILDING .- The

new building of the Tradesmen's National Bank s now about to be erected on a lot now occupied by two old buildings on the east side of Third street, above Carter's alley. These two buildings are to be entirely demolished, and a fine new structure erected on the site. Various plans and specifications have been sub-mitted to the officers of the bank, but it has not yet been determined which of them will be accepted. The plans are in different styles, some being very ornamental, and the cost of the most expensive reaches quite a high figure. They are all especially planned for the comfort and convenience of the officers of the bank and their customers in the transaction of the business of the bank. The amount to be expended on the structure is yet to be fixed, and when that question is decided a plan will speedily be approved and the work commenced. The new building will not, however, be constructed so cheaply as to be entirely unornamental, but only such an one will be decided upon as will be a credit in every respect to the business portion of our city. The material is to be of some sort of stone or marble, which will be used so as to produce a massive effect. The greatest care will be exercised in the construction of the vaults, so that the greatest safety will be secured. The building will probably be completed within the present year. when it will be immediately occupied by the bank, which is nowoecupying temporarilythe old building of the Philadelphia Saving Fund Soc'ety, on Walnut street, above Third, to which place it had removed from the Commercial Exchange building after being burned out of that

Suspicious .- About 3 o'clock this morning a fire occurred at the scouring establishment of one Thomas Frazer, No. 822 North Third street. Fortunately it was extingushed without much damage. Fire Marshal Blackburn, who hap-pened to be on the ground, found that a box of ashes had been covered with rags, and those in turn covered with laths, and a match applied to Frazer was taken into custody, and has been held in \$1000 bail to answer.

Row AT A BALL.-The (not) original John Smith last night indulged in a quarrel at a ball at the American Mechanics' Hall, Fourth and George streets. One of Daniel's disciples, named Nagel, interfered, when he was surrounded and roughly handled. The officer being somewhat plucky, persisted and arrested John and took him before Alderman Eggleton, who held him in \$600 bail to answer,

Consequences .- On Saturday night a row occurred at a party given in the neighborhood of Beach and Green streets. Several policemen interfered to quell the disturbance, and in so doing one of them, named McCaulley, was severely handled. Yesterday one of his supposed assallants, who is named William Eckenbrine was taken into custody, and Alderman Cohlli

held him in \$800 ball to answer. BURGLARY .- During Sunday night burglars effected an entrance to the residence of Z. C. Howell, Forty-fifth and Chesnut streets, and robbed it of a lot of silverware, wearing apparel, etc. James Young, Michael and William McTague, and John Dougherty, alias Reddy, have been arrested on suspicion of having done the deed.

Supposed Insanity .- An individual yesterday annoyed the residents in the neighborhood of Fifteenth and Brown streets by parading a dirk knife, with which he threatened to disembowel the first person he met. An officer took him into custody, and Alderman Pancoast sent him to prison.

SUICEDE .- An unknown woman on Saturday night waded into the Schuylkill near the Alms house, and deliberately drowned herself. She is supposed to have been an inmate of the In-

FOX'S THEATRE.

A Legal Imbroglio-The Touant Disposessed and Ordered to Make Restitution. The Supreme Court has delivered a decision at Harrisburg which is of considerable importaxce to Philadelphians, in the case of Parker and Watts vs. Robert Fox, the latter being the proprietor of the American Theatre. The decision not only disposesses him of the pro-perty but also compels him to make restitution to a considerable amount to the estate to which the property belongs. The case has been courts for over a year, and the conclusion was not reached until several days since. It appears that on February 27, 1864, Isaac Brown Parker, the owner of the Continental Theatre, leased it to Mr. Fox for a term of five years, until March 31, 1869 at a yearly rental of \$3000, to be paid in quarterly instalments, and in addition Mr. Fox was to pay all the taxes, charges for licenses, fees, asessments, water rents, for gas consumed on the premises, and all to be paid within the time required by law. Mr. Parker died on September 19, 1865, and in his will designated John Brown arker and Frederick Watts as his executors. The court confirmed them. On March 31 1869, at the expiration of the lease, Mr. was notified to quit the premises, continued in possession until Fox He continued in possession until July 1, 1869, when Mr. Parker, acting for his

colleague Mr. Watts, entered suit before Aldermen Plankinton and Boswell for the possession of the premises. After a full hearing the aldermen ordered Mr. Fox to deliver up the premises, and directed the Sheriff to draw a jury to decide the question of restitution. Accordingly the inquisition assembled and awarded damages against Mr. Fox-For the unjust detention of the property, \$916.66; for taxes, \$1600; for gas consumed, \$101.09; and for water rent, \$26.35; besides the costs of the suit.

In reply Mr. Fox, by counsel, appeared in the Court of Common Pleas and filed the following exceptions to the decree of the aldermen:-First. Because the suit was improperly brought, by the executors, for the possession of the real estate.

Second. Because the notice to quit was signed by only one of the executors, and therefore defective. Third. Because the defendant was not sum-

moned as required by law. Fourth. Because the Sheriff did not summon recholders, as required by the act of Assembly. Fifth. Because the damages were excessive, and given for other objects than the unjust detention of the premises.

Sixth. Because the record does not show all the facts necessary to give jurisdiction. The reasons were argued on December 31, 1860, the Court sustained the exceptions, and reversed and set aside the judgment.

On the following day the case was taken to the Supreme Court, and after argument at Har-risburg Judge Read reversed the decision of the Court below, and ordered restitution to be paid immediately.

THE RICHMOND SUFFERERS .- Joseph Patterson,

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OWNER WANTED .- An owner is wanted at the Second District Station House for a lot of canvas found at South street wharf.

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CATHERWOOD .- On the evening of the 5th instant, of consumption, SAMUEL B. CATHERWOOD, in the 41st year of his age. His relatives and male friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his mother, No. 1409 Wainut street, on Thursday after-

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FROM ASPINWALL.

Paris and the Barricades.

Southern and Central American Advices. NEW YORK, May 10 .- The steamship Arizona, from Aspinwall on May 1, has arrived here. The United States steamer Saranac left Panama on April 18 for Callao, to investigate the dispute between Mr. Weir, U. S. Consul at Tumbez, and the postmaster there, who had had a personal encounter relative to delivering the mails to the consulate. Admiral Turner would also

Peruvians, relating to the titles of lands. The steamer Empress Eugenie had arrived at Colon with a statue of Columbus on board, and was received with enthusiasm and rejoicings.

News from the Darien Canal Expedition is still unfavorable. The Caledonia bay route is pronounced impracticable. The Indians continued friendly. A telegraph line was being successfully built.

Bolivian Affairs. In various parts of Bolivia heavy rains had fallen and the roads were impassable. A terrible storm of stones occurred at Las Playas, Peru. Gardens, orehards, and crops of all kinds were cut to pieces. The storm was accompanied by an earthquake. Central America is

The Salvador coffee harvest will be large. Eleven persons were poisoned accidentally at a hotel in Leon, but all recovered.

Indian Rising in Yucatan. The Semana of Yucatan, of the 11th instant, says about Mexico that at Yucatan the Indians had risen, set fire to various buildings, and killed several people.

In Valladolid whole families had died from the effects of eating the cassava root, Indian corn being very scarce at the time. Yellow Fever

has appeared at Costa Rico.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, May 10. Alexander P. Colesberry,

of Philadelphia, was before the Select Committee on the Decline of American Commerce to-day, on behalf of the pilots of the harbor of Philadelphia, and made an argument against the Compulsory Pilotage bill.

CONGRESS.

FORTY-FIRST TERM-SECOND SESSION.

The Vice-President laid before the Senate a me-morial from the Grand Army of the Republic asking that authority may be given to send soldiers' penthat authority may be given to send soldiers pen-sions through the mails by the money order system. Mr. Wilhams, from the Committee on Finance, reported a bill to provide for the refunding of cer-tain duties imposed upon the importation of Russia hemp. He said the committee were unanimously of opinion that the act approved August 5, 1861, impos-ing a duty of \$40 per ton on unmanufactured Russia hemp, and at the same time a duty of only \$25 per ton on Manilla and other hemp, was in violation of the treaty between Russia and the United States of May 11, 1833. which prohibited such discrimination upon foreign importations into the United States. A majority of the committee believed that the duties collected in violation of treaty stipulations ought to be refunded, and the bill so pro-

Mr. Sherman, chairman of the committee, said he did not agree that the Government ought to refund these duties, but he believed the duty on Russian hemp to be in violation of the spirit of the treats In obedience to the direction of the committee he

reported a bill to make the duty the same as upon Manilla and other hemp. Mr. Merrill (Me.) offered a resolution calling upon the Secretary of the Interior for any information in his possession of any unauthorized invasion of the Indian Territory, so-called, by citizen sof the United Adopted.

Mr. Wilson called up the army bill, and in com pliance with a general request the sections of the bill were read and severally explained by Mr. Wil-son, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, for the information of the Senate. The bill reported from the Military Committee is an entire substitute for

House. On motion of Mr. Kelsey, the Senate amendments to the Pension Appropriation bill were non-con-curred in, and a committee of conference was

Mr. Lawrence asked leave to introduce and have acted on a bill relating to the qualifications of assistant marshals of the United States, providing pointment without regard to sex. Objected to, and t went over.

Mr. Paine offered a new rule, in order to facili-

tate action on bills referred to committees. Referred to the Committee on Rules. Mr. Hooper (Utah) introduced a bill to incorporate the Bear River and Cache Valley Canal Company, etc. Referred.

Mr. Calkin (N. Y.) offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for correspondence between the Treasury Department and the Com-missioners of the Sinking Fund of New York city in regard to the sale of a part of the Battery to the Government for the erection of customs storehouses

thereon. Adopted.
Mr. Joseph H. Lewis, Representative elect from the Third District of Kentucky, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Golladay, appeared and took the oath of office. The House then took up the Senate joint resolu-tion authorizing the Northern Pacific Railroad to ssue its bonds for the construction of its road, and

to secure the same by mortgage.

Mr. Farnsworth intimated that the opponents of the bill would not interfere in delaying motions if they were allowed one hour more for debate, and if amendments could be offered and voted on. Other-wise, he for one was disposed to fight the bill, as it

was a big job.

Mr. Wheeler, Chairman of the Pacific Railroad
Committee, having charge of the bill, declined the
proposed compromise, remarking that the grant was
an old one, and that the Senate thought it not fair to impose new conditions, and that the Committee on Public Lands concurred in that view. If the

on Public Lands concurred in that view. If the minority choose to block the wheels of government up it must take the responsibility of its own action.

Mr. Hanly, a member of the Committee on Public Lands, denied that a majority of that committee had ever given its assent to that view.

The conditions submitted by Mr. Farnsworth having been thus rejected, the prohibitory programme was inaugurated by Mr. Farnsworth on a motion for a call of the House, followed by motions to adjourn until Thursday, and to excuse members from voting, on all of which the yeas and nays were ordered.

Mr. Fitch asked the Speaker whether, the main question having been ordered, it was in the power of the House, except by unanimous consent, to permit the House, except by unanimous consent, to permit amendments to be offered.

The Speaker replied that it was not.

A member—But it will be next Monday.

The Speaker, in reply to a point of order made by
Mr. Maynard, stated that it was quite within the power of the minority by allowing dilatory motions and calling the yeas and nays upon them to prevent action on the pending measure before Monday, when a motion to suspend the rules would be in order.

FROM EUROPE.

Ship News. LIVERPOOL, May 10 .- The steamers Moravian, City of Brooklyn, and St. Lawrence have arrived.

The Paris Barricades. Paris, May 10-2 A. M .- The barricades in the Rue du Temple were quickly carried by the troops and there has been no further attempt to erect them. At this hour the city is tranquil as

The McFarland Murder Trial.

The Southern Methodist Conference

NEWS LATEST Troubles in

Etc., Etc.,

FROM NEW YORK.

American Securities Abroad. Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. NEW YORK, May 10 .- Mr. Roesing, the North German Consul General here, authorizes the investigate the troubles between the Tumbez positive denial of the statement in the London Petroleum Company (American) and some Times that the warning to German capitalists against American bonds came from the North German Consul at New York. He has written nothing upon the subject.

The McFarland Trial. New York, May 10,-The court convened at 11 o'clock, and the District Attorney commenced his losing speech. Commenting first on the extraordinary length of time taken by the trial, he declared it the duty of the jary and himself to devote even three times as much time, if necessary, to give the prisoner a fair trial. Passing on to the case, he said no man had the right to take the law into his hands. Perhaps Richardson and Mrs. McFarland were innocent. Richardson was a brave man, who had devoted himself to the service of his country during voted himself to the service of his country during the late war. Was he likely a man to dishonorably seduce a man's wife? Moreover, it was unlikely that Richardson would marry his mistress; men never do except under compulsion, McFarland had given up his wife for two years; a divorce was had; and on his death-bed Richardson married Mrs. McFarland as a pure woman.

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The defense acknowledge the commission of the deed, but say it was the deed of an insane man. In the same breath they say he was justified in staying an adulterer. This is not logical. The jury must decide whether the prisoner was insane. Any man could tell for himself whether the man was mad. What is the case of the defense? That the prisoner became insane after receiving the intercepted letter which he afterwards offered to sell for \$100, yet during this time he held a responsible position and showed perception and judgment. He contended that the Cole and Sickles cases were not at all parallel, and showed where they differed. Still he believed both of these men guilty and should have been punished. The jurors must obey their oaths, Mercy was not theirs, that the Governor would look to.

McFariand and Richardson dined together at No. 72 Amity street, where they were intimate. McFarland at that time is proved by Sinclair to have been guilty of bratal intoxication, and the wife's heart was broken by this conduct. For a long time she kept this state of things secret, but at last she could not longer bear it. She left him, and a council of mutual friends was agreed upon. A pure woman loves and keeps her children. A worthless woman leaves them to her husband when she clopes with her paramour, McFarland left his wife and said to Sinclair and

Jordan that he never expected to live with her After reviewing the testimony to establish After reviewing the testimony to establish in-sanity, counsel alluded to the movements of the prisoner on the day of the shooting, which, he said, showed perfect deliberation arising from an inti-mate knowledge of Richardson's habits. He lay in

wait for ten minutes for Richardson. New York Produce Market. New York Produce Market.

New York, May 10.—Cotton quiet and steady; sales 800 bales middling upland at 23½c. State and Western Flour advanced 5@10c.; State, \$1.95@5.85; Onio, \$5.20@6.30; Western, \$4.95@6.50; Soutqern firmer. Wheat advanced 1@2c. Corn 1c. higher; new mixed Western, \$1.15@1.16. Oats firm. Beef steady; new plain mess, \$11@15. Pork quiet; mess. \$29.25@29.50. Lard dull; steam, 16½@16½c.; kettle, 16½@17e. Whisky quiet at \$1.07@1.07½.

Ship News.

Ship News. New York, May 10.—Arrived, steamship City of Cork, from Liverpool.

The Lime Rock Bank Robbers Belfast, May 10.—Litchfield, Haight, Daniels, and Moore, the men charged with the Lime Rock Bank robbery, were brought to this city to-day under a strong guard, and were lodged in jail. A large crowd escorted them from the steamboat wharf. They are imprisoned here because there is not a jail in Knox county where the offense was committed.

FROM EUROPE.

The Italian Insurrection. FLORENCE, May 10 .- The insurrection which lately broke out at "Feladelfia," in the southern part of Italy, is confined to that immediate locality, and is by no means formidable. The latest news announces the suppression of the

insurgents without difficulty. Discontent in India. LONDON, May 10 .- There is growing discontent at the income tax in Bombay, and several indignation meetings have been held.

Condition of Paris.
PARIS, May 10, 1 P. M.—Several riots occurred late last night, but they were not serious. Three or four barricades were erected at Belleville, but they were feebly detended and the troops carried them easily without firing a shot. There was great excitement through the night and up to the present time, but owing to the large display of troops the crowds are more noisy than dangerous.

Abel Francois Vellerman, perpetual secretary of the French Academy, died to-day.

The returns from the army vote are all in and show the following result:-Yes, 227,336; No, 29,364. The result throughout the nation cannot yet be given exactly.

FROM THE SOUTH.

The Methodist Conference. MEMPHIS, May 10 .- The Methodist General Conference met this morning, and was called to order by Bishop Daggett. Under the call of standing committees, Dr. Hamilton, from the Committee on Revivals, recommended adhesion

The committee in the interests of the colored people recommended the adoption of the action of the last conference of a separate church organization, as provided in the Discipline, which under the rule goes over, but will undoubtedly pass.

to the present system of discipline.

Under the call of conferences a large number of resolutions and petitions were received and referred, including one from Mobile, urging the re-enactment of the original prohibition in code 58, prohibiting such amusements as theatres, circuses, dancing, etc., and from St. Louis, asking the formation of a new conference in Kansas.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Seante Nominations. WASHINGTON, May 10. - The following nominations were sent in to-day: -George A. Batchelder, to be Secretary of Dakotah Territory; Lewis C. Rockwell, to be United States Attorney for Colorado; and William H. West, of Ohio, to be Consul at Rio Janeiro.

REAL ESTATE AT AUDITON.

PUBLIC SALE, ON THE PREMISES.—
THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers.—Very elegant country seat, mansion, stable, and coach-house, 25 acres, known as "Beechwood," at the Jenkintown Station on the North Pennsylvania Railroad, residence of W. C. Kent, Esq. On Saturday, May 21, 1870, at 4 o'clock P. M., will be sold at public sale, on the premises, all that elegant country seat, 25 acres, known as "Beechwood," situate at the Jenkintown Station, on the North Pennsylvania Railroad, 49 minutes by rail from the depot.

The improvements are an elegant three-story stone mansion, handsomely papered and painted throughout; has large hall, parlor, dining-room, library, 2 kitchens, with large store-room attached, and 2 china-closets on the first floor, with hot and cold water; 5 chambers and store-room, bath and water-closets on the second floor; 4 chambers and 2 large closets on the third floor; gas-pipes, furnace, 2 cooking ranges, bell calls, large water-tank, large porch; two-story frame laundry, with tubs, hot and cold water, range. 2 chambers over laundry, root cellar, etc.; stone stable and conch-house, coachman's room, harness-room, cow-house, green-house, ice-house (filled), with provision vault, smoke-house, chicken-house and ont-buildings; large vegetable garden (planted), young orchard of choice fruit trees, in full bearing, small fruits, abundance of old shade trees, evergreeps, etc.; large and handsome lawn, underground drainage; inclosed in front on Green-wood avenue by a substantial stone wall and a spruce hedge, and on the southwest by a high board fence and a locust hedge. The Jenkintowa Station, on the North Pennsylvania Railroad, is at the foot spruce bedge, and on the southwest by a high board fence and a locust hedge. The Jenkintowa Station, on the North Pennsylvania Railroad, is at the foot of the lawn, about 300 yards from the front door, and shut out by a beautiful woods. Half a mile from Jenkintown, where there are churches, schools, stores, etc. Situation high, commanding a beautiful view of the country for miles around. See photograph at the auction rooms. Terms \$20,000 may remain on mortgage. Immediate possession. ELEGANT FURNITURE, HORSES, COWS, FARMING UPENSILS, ETC.

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8-01, 8-54, 10 02 A. M., 2-36, 3-56, 6-14, 6-34 and 8-49 M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers. 4 28 m7,14,21 Nos. 139 and 141 S. FOURTH St.

PUBLIC SALE-THOMAS & SONS, AUCtioneers.—Very desirable Residence, Stable, and Carriage-house, 3 acres, Main street, Woodbury, New Jersey, opposite the Methodist Church. On Tuesday, May 17, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon, will) e sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that desirable country place, containing about 3 acres of ground, situate on Main street, opposite the Methodist Church, Woodbury, New Jersey. The improvements are a well-built and handsomely-finished new frame house, gas, house, word house. finished new frame house, gas-house, wood-house, barn, carriage, cow, and chicken-houses, and other out-buildings, in complete order. The house was built eight years ago, with the best materials and in the best manner, for the present owner, under the superintendence of a Philadelphia architect; has bandsome gas-flytures and cornices throughout handsome gas-fixtures and cornices throughout; verandah, with iron pilasters, on the front and south sides of the house; the first floor has a large hall, parlor, with French-plate windows opening to the floor, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, and cistern; the second floor has 5 good chambers, well ventilated, china closet and bath-room, and in the attic 2 large chambers; good closets in every room; also a dry cellar, laid with hydraulic cement. There is a range in the kitchen; upper rooms are heated from the dining-room and parior; the side yard and lawn has iron fence; ground laid out with evergreens, shrubbery; grape arbor; well shaded and stocked with choice bearing fruits of all kinds. On the highest elevated ground at Woodbury; all the waiss are paved with brick, and there is plenty of good water at the house and barn. Torms, \$3000 may remain on at the house and oarn. Torms, \$3000 may remain on mortgage. To examine, take the boat at upper side of Market street for Woodbury or West Jersey cars. Immediate possession. Will be shown by the owner and occupant, Mr. J. V. Cheesman.

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BEAL ESTATE-THOMAS & SONS' SALE -BEAL ESTATE—THOMAS & SONS SALE.—
On Tuesday, May 24, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon,
will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, the following described properties, vil.:—
No. 1. Modern three-story brick Residence, No.
822 North Eleventh street, above Brown street. All
that modern three-story brick messuage, with
double three-story back building and lot of ground,
street on the west side of Flaventh street. situate on the west side of Eleventh street, north of Brown street, No. 822; containing in front on Eleventh street 18 feet, and extending in depth 91 feet 5½ inches, then widening to 27 feet, and extending still further in depth about 40 feet. Terms

No. 2. 2 three-story brick Dwellings, Nos. 839 and s21 Inquirer street, in the rear of the above. All those 2 three-story brick dwellings and lot of ground thereunto belonging, situate Nos. 819 and 821 In-quirer street; each 1334 feet front, and in depth 47 feet 2 inches

feet 9 inches.

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Nos. 139 and 141 South FOURTH St.

ASSIGNEES' SALE—THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers—Very desirable Three-story Brick Residence, No. 239 S. Thirteenth street, below Lo-cust street. On Tuesday, May 17, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that very desirable three-story brick messuage, with three-story back building and lot of ground, situate on the east side of Thirteenth street, south of Locust street, No. 239; containing in front on Thirteenth street I7 feet 10 inches, and extend-ing in depth 123 feet to a 5 feet wide alley. It has the modern conveniences—gas, bath, furnace, range, etc.
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PEREMPTORY SALE TO CLOSE AN ACCOUNT.—Thomas & Sons, Auctioneers.—Valuable Building Lot, Cherry street, near Twenty-first street, Tenth ward. On Tuesday, May 17, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, without reserve, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate on the north side of Cherry street, at the distance of 89 feet 6 inches east of Twenty-first street, in the Tenth ward; containing in front on Cherry street 16 feet, and extending in depth 81 feet to a 3-feet wide alley leading into Clayton street, with the privilege of said alley. Subject to a mortgage of \$1100.

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Nos. 189 and 141 S. FOURTH St. PEREMPTORY SALE TO CLOSE AN AC-

EXECUTOR'S PEREMPORY SALE.—
Estate of Charles F. Lex, deceased.—Thomas a Sons, Auctioneers.—Two-story Brick Dwelling, northeast corner of Twenty-second and Wright streets, Twentieth ward. On Tuesday, May 17, 1879, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that two-story brick messuage and lot of ground, situate at the northeast corner of Twenty-second and Wright streets, Twentieth ward; the lot containing in front on Wright street 15 feet, and extending in depth along Twenty-second street 40 feet to a 3 feet wide alley, with the privilege thereof. Terms—\$750 may remain. Lease expires July 1, 1870. Sale absolute.

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