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THE AMERICAN CENTENNIAL.

The reports of the proceedings connected with the reception of the Congressional delegation which visited this city to inquire into the propriety of officially designating Philadelphia as the proper place for a great national centennial celebration in 1876, contain two things worthy of special notice. We refer to the declaration of Mr. Bingham, with the celebration should be held here because, among other reasons, Philadelphia was "foremost in its industries of all the cities in the civilized world," and to the significant announcement by the President of the Union League that the energies of that institution were to be exercised hereafter in behalf of this great State of Pennsylvania, and of the great metropolis, Philadelphia.

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service of the Confederacy, he was unable to take the test oath. He therefore requested that his disabilities might be removed in order that he might accept the office of United States District Attorney for Georgia.

WHITEMORE. The case of Whitmore came up in the House on Saturday, when the Speaker, as a matter of duty, we suppose, presented the credentials of the disreputable dealer in cadships. General Logan, who conducted the investigation into the transactions of the Congressional cadship brokers, promptly objected to his being sworn in again as a member of the body which had so recently declared him unworthy of a seat in it, and after an effort to have his credentials referred to the Committee on Elections, which was very properly headed off, the case was postponed for the time without any reference and will come up again to-morrow, immediately after the morning hour.

But the reputation of the House for courage and consistency is not the only thing at stake, albeit this should be sufficient to settle the question without hesitation. The dignity of the popular branch of our national legislature is likewise involved, as are also its claim to a decent regard for the universal sentiments of the people and a disposition to preserve what little purity is left in official life.

WHERE ARE OUR SENATORS? The visit of the Congressional committees to our city during the past week has been an occasion of no little importance to our fellow-citizens. According as the impressions made upon our distinguished visitors were favorable or unfavorable, depends the question of whether we or the people of New York are to derive the benefits incident to the coming among us of two or three millions of strangers from all parts of our own country and the rest of the civilized world.

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hope so too, but we suggest that upon future similar occasions the merchants of Philadelphia will include in the programme a clamor or something of that kind, together with the resignation of some prominent officeholder. They will come then.

SENATOR FOWLER, of Tennessee, entertains such exalted notions of economy that the most confirmed enemies of the late Andy Johnson will be ready to pardon the vote which he cast in favor of that persecuted individual. A day or two ago he rose in his place to inform the Senate that not more than one million of the people demanded the abolition of the franking privilege, while some thirty-nine millions, more or less, were energetic in their demand for its continuance.

PITTSBURG is afflicted with a peculiar phase of the woman fever. She has a champion oress, Miss Charlotte McAlicie by name, who hurls defiance at the McKee Club and any woman whom the McKee Club may see fit to set up against her. Such a woman Miss McAlicie offers to row, provided only that somebody will back her, and if nobody will back her, then Miss McAlicie will row the McKee Club woman on the Fourth of July without backers.

SPECIAL NOTICES. WHITE DECK COATS VESTS AND PANTS JOHN WANAMAKER, FINEST CLOTHING. Nos. 412 AND 420 CHESNUT STREET.

BATHING ROBES A SPECIALTY. THE IMPROVEMENT OF BROAD STREET. A GRAND MASS MEETING OF THE CITIZENS OF PHILADELPHIA.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC ON THURSDAY EVENING. June 24, at 8 o'clock. All who appreciate the advantages that the thoroughfare of Broad street enjoys to make it, with proper improvement.

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ANDALUSIA COLLEGE—FIFTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT. WEDNESDAY, June 22, 1870. Gave leave Kensington Depot at 7 3/4 A. M. for Part I, and at 10 1/2 A. M. for Part II.

MEAD & ROBBINS, MANUFACTURERS

ICE PITCHERS, N. E. Corner of NINTH and CHESNUT Streets.

SPECIAL NOTICES. STEINWAY & SONS' GRAND SQUARE AND UPRIGHT PIANOS. CHARLES BLASIUS, SOLE AGENT FOR THE SALE OF THE WORLD-RENOUNDED PIANOS.

POLITICAL. TO THE REPUBLICAN VOTERS OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH WARD—THE WARD NOMINATIONS.

WESTON & BROTHER, TAILORS, 8 W. Corner NINTH and ARCH Sts. PHILADELPHIA.

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JOHN W. THOMAS, Nos. 405 and 407 North SECOND St. OFFERS HIS STOCK OF SUMMER SILKS AND DRESS GOODS

GEORGE FRYER, No. 916 CHESNUT Street. Invites attention to his ELEGANT STOCK OF Black and Fancy Silks, UNSURPASSED BY ANY IN THE CITY AND SELLING AT LOW PRICES.

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