

A Berlin telegram to the London Times says the Prussians are advancing on Paris two hundred and twenty thousand strong. They have cut the railway at Cons-la-Graville. The Bois de Boulogne is filled with cattle,

to be used as food in case of a siege. Wills, the Scotch aronaut, has been summoned to the Prussian headquarters. The Reported French Victory on the Meuse. LONDON, Aug. 29 .- The reported French victory on the Meuse, in which 50,000 Prussians were slain, is false.

street, above Sixth. PETTY THEFT .- John Surrney on Saturday broke open the money-drawer of the news stand northeast corner of Fifth and Market streets, and pocketing the contents ran off. He was pursued, and at Fifth and Commerce streets captured. Alderman Godbou held him in \$500 bail to answer.

A LOVER OF FINE ART.—An ebony-hued descendant of Ham, whose cognomen is Wil-liam Rudolph, was this morning held in \$600 bail by Alderman Delaney, on the charge of having stolen a picture from the wall of the residence of Mrs. Brown (colored), St. Mary

flat and nominal CITY INTELLIGENCE. LATEST SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

For additional Marine News see Inside Pages. FORT OF PHILADELPHIA AUGUST 29 out a complete victory over the French army,

and even then their stay would be short. The Irish War Fever is still most intense. Funds in aid of French wounded are rapidly accumulating.

The North German Bark Texas, Captain Meintzen, which sailed from Philadel-

"While the volume of business the past week was

relapse to 116³/₄. Here was a movement of between 3 or 4 per cent., the gainers in which were so by pure chance. The check to speculation produced by it is reflected in the closing dullness of the gold mar-ket and in the dwindling down of the dearances from a hundred to only forty millions daily. The rise and fail followed in some measure the changing aspect of the warlike situation in Europe; out their general inconsistency was betrayed by the timidity which followed the alternate reports that pools had been formed on the one hand to advance and on the other to depress the price of gold. The short inte-rest at the beginning of the week, based upon an expected speedy settlement of the war by the Prus-sian conquest of Paris, and reflected in high borrow-ing by the report of the organization of a powerful 'bull' clique. A 'long' interest, tempted by the same bull' clique. A 'long' interest, tempted by the same report, found its hands full of gold just at the mo-

opportunity for verifying the truth of the saying that 'Wall street is a hard place to make money in.'

"The question, however, which absorbs most in-terest, and now constantly exercises the mind of Wall street, is the future of the money market in the

interval to the cessation of the fall demand from the South and West. Attention has been particularly

resources of the banks, whose surplus beyond the legal reserve is confined to the sum of only ten mil-

lions of dollars, an amount which experience has shown is easily within the reach of speculative con-traction. But the situation this fall is different from that for many years. The remembrance of the

events of last autumn, with its terrible stock panic, was so decply impressed upon the street that, in contrast to other years, the interval since last September has been exceedingly dull. The oblitera-tion of the facilities for speculation on the one hand

and caution on the other produced a marked decrease in speculative animation. The sufferers by the panic seem to have remembered only the terrific decline in

seem to have remembered only the terrific decline in prices, and have been patiently waiting for a return of September that they may correct the mistake of last year. Hence, while the bullish feeling of the summer has been of little moment, the 'bear' plans for the coming fall have been gradually organizing and have taken so deep a hold of the public mind that active money is impatiently awaited as the signal for a general movement for lower prices. It is the extensive character of this feeling which is likely to defeat itself. It is here that we shall find the solu-

defeat itself. It is here that we shall find the solu

tion of stock movements in the approaching season. The speculative stocks are in the hands of the

cliques and heavier operators, who bought in the winter and spring, but have found no market as yet in which to sell them. A very active—a strin-gent—money market would, of course, embarrass them in their possession of the load; but should

they, as they have done before, exert their eredit and procure time loans at high rates of in-terest, they would doubtless dismiss the idea of marketing their stocks at present, and retain them

marketing their stocks at present, and retain them over the crisis. It may be that they cannot follow out so felicitous a programme as thus indicated. The money market was never so barren of prophetic signs as to its course this fall. But that the public may make a great mistake in operating for a heavy decline in stock in the interval to the relaxation of money is very obvious. The cliques may turn their extremity into a great pitfall for the mass of ontside speculators."

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THE DAILY EVENING TELEGRAPH-PHILADELPHIA, MONDAY, AUGUST 29, 1870.

No Word from Bazaine.

French accounts say MacMahon is not ready for battle. Not a word can be got from Bazaine, though his lines are still reported open.

"The Man of Iron and Blood."

It was Bismarck who gave the order that there should be no halt on the march to Paris. The King acquiesced, though his Generals favored looking after MacMahon first and taking Paris afterwards.

The Parisians defy the Enemy

to come on, and assert that they will never see the inside of the city except as prisoners. French Trophies in Berlin.

BRUSSELS, Aug. 29.-Bazaine is certainly under the walls of Metz. There is great exultation at Berlin at the reception there of the following trophies .- Four mitrailleuses, twenty four cannon, and one eagle.

Typhus Fever in Metz. The Prussians report that typhus fever is raging dreadfully among the troops at Metz. rendering long resistance impossible.

The Freach Prisoners. BERLIN, Aug. 29 .- Prisoners taken in the late battles are now arriving here. They are already so numerous that the fortresses are full to overflowing. Camps are formed at Wittenburg and elsewhere to receive them.

Ollivier at Florence.

FLORENCE, Aug. 29 .- Emile Ollivier and family have arrived in this city. France and England.

LONDON, Aug. 29 .- A French war steamer is anchored here. Her officers have refused to act on an official notice to leave.

Whereaboats of the Emperor and MacMahon. The Emperor is now at Bestheueville, about twenty-five miles north of Chalons. Marshal MacMahon is near Stenay. Uhlans occupy Montmedy.

Steinmetz-A Report and a Contradiction. It has been reported that General von Steinmetz has been displaced, and because of the great losses incurred that his force has been incorporated with that of the Crown Prince. It now seems that the report was false.

The Prussian Advance Guard.

Prussians have appeared at Suippes, fourteen miles north of Chalons. The Prussians now in the valley of the Aube are concentrating at Commercy.

Special to the Courrier des Etats-Unis.

PARIS, Aug. 28, Mac Mahon's Communications

with Metz and Bazaine are assured. French Successes.

The reports of a French victory at Stenay and a Prussian repulse at Verdun are confirmed.

The Invading Wave.

The appearance of a division of the enemy between Rheims and Soissons would seem to indicate that the invading wave will therefore come upon us by the valleys of Aisne and Oise.

Paris Well Fortified.

It matters little by how many routes the cnemy marches hither. The entire circumference of our fortifications is in a formidable state of defense. All the roads have bee

SALMAGUNDI .- The weather at the present is fluctuating. Sun is in good demand, but the supply is limited. Wind is tolerably active. No storm quotations at present.

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-A brass band passed down Third street this morning, accompanied by several militia men and a barrel-head mounted on a pole. They intend to spend the day in target practice. Safety imperatively demands that these men shall have learned how to shoot before they are allowed to handle a musket.

-The new steps to the Mayor's and other offices need a finish. Can it be that the appro-priation is exhausted, or can no slab be found stony-hearted enough for service in that locality? -Those conscienceless disturbers of our somnolent repose, by which is meant the genus insect, species mosquito, are upon us in force. Coal oil, the worst smelling the better, applied externally, is a good preventive. The mosquito don't like bad smells. The mosquito is a sensi-ble insect. If the patient objects to bad smells also, there is no hope for him.

-Yesterday, according to the almanac, was the anniversary of the robbery last year of \$28,000 from the office of the Receiver of Taxes. The day was kept as a whole holiday by the employes of the office, and the guard during both day and night was doubled.

-It is thought by some that the Prussians will receive a check. If this should happen, will the check be honored?

-Salmagundi, noun, from Latin salgama pickles, i. e., sal salt and condita preserved. A mixture of chopped meat, with oil, vinegar, pepper, and onions. A hodgepodge. A medley. An olio, a miscellany. A collection of light, miscellaneous reading.— Worcester.

A HARD CASE,-This morning there appeared at the office of his Honor the Mayor a pale haggard-looking woman, carrying in her arms an infant, in appearance, but a mere skeleton. The poor creature, whose name is Mary King, told the following pitiful tale:-Some four years ago she married the man whose name she bears. and from the very outset he abused her. Frequently would be desert her, then return, profess penitence, and obtaining whatever money she had, would again leave. Some six weeks ago he returned after a lengthened absence, and stated that he had obtained employment in Brooklyn, N. Y. Of course he desired some money to pay his car fare there, and after much persuasion induced his poor wife to dispose of every article of any value which she had, even to the furniture. Securing the proceeds, he left her, and has not since been seen. Since then she has scarce tasted food, and the pavement was ofttimes her bed. The child has been sinking gradually, and will ere this meets the eye of our readers be dead, the cause being starva tion.

MARINE .- Yesterday afternoon William Patton and Francis Currle hired a boat for a row on the Schuylkill. When near Girard Avenue Bridge they were met by another boat, containing a party of youths whose ages range from sixteen to eighteen years. These boys, by menaces and the flourishing of knives, compelled the two men named to pull ashore and deliver to them the boat. The Harbor Police hearing of the matter made search for the rascals, and arrested one of the leaders, named Daniel Fitzpatrick. Alderman Alexander sent him to prison.

A SUMMER NIGHT'S FESTIVAL .-- A suumer night's festival will be given by the Mænner-chor, the Sængerbund, the Junger Mænnerchor, 7, at Wissahickon Park. Tickets admitting one gentleman and two ladies cost only one dollar apiece. A most pleasant the only one and the Harmonie on Wednesday, September

dollar apiece. A most pleasant time is antici-pated, and all who wish to attend are requested to secure tickets early.

UNPROPITABLE BOARDERS .- Before Alderman Cahill this morning were arraigned Thomas Randolph and Christian Weaver, boarders at Schmidt's Hotel, Second and Willow streets, on the charge of having broken open the office desk thereof and robbed it of \$300 and a gold watch. They were held in \$1000 bail each for a further hearing.

FOUND .- Lleutenant Flaherty, of the Fifth District Police, yesterday found in an alley running off Spruce street, above Eighth, a large box filed with glass preserving jars, supposed to have been stolen. The box is marked "C. obstructed, save only railroads and canals, | Dore, Mason's Point, Jars, B. T. & Co., Phila."

\$300 .- About 8 30 last evening, the residence of William Robinson, No. 1336 Rodman street, was entered by a sneak thief, who ascended to the second story, and took from a bureau drawer \$300 in cash. Although the family were in the house at the time, he escaped undetected.

\$25.-Before Alderman Toland this morning was arraigned one David Craig on the charge of entering a tavern at New Market and Peg streets on Saturday night, and stealing therefrom \$25. He was held in \$800 bail for a further hearing.

COLORED.-An Ethiopian named Sanders Jones was caught, on Saturday night last, whilst in the act of stealing a pair of pants from the shop of Dennis Donegan, Eighth and Baker streets. Alderman Collins sent Jones to prison,

SNEAK THIEF .- John McCall fon Saturday night sneaked into the house No. 805 South Eleventh street, with the intention of robbing it, but being detected he was taken before Alder man Collins, who sent him to prison.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY .-- Alderman Lutz this morning sent to prison a youth named George Holland, 19 years of age, who was caught on Saturday night; whilst attempting to rob a house at Front and Bainbridge streets.

LUCKY MAN .- The Chesterfield of the police force, Lieutenant James Flaherty, of the Fifth district, was this morning presented with a handsome suit of blue and brass by some of his friends of the Eighth ward. Lucky James!

LECTURE .- Dr. Saunders should be heard at his college to-morrow afternoon by all who desire more knowledge of Palestine and the Jews. No charge for admission.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

RVENING TELEGRAPH OFFICE Monday, Aug. 29, 1870.

The week opens with an active demand for money, both for business and speculative purposes, and the market remains very steady. The banks are being gradually drained of their resources, the money current having firmly set in towards the West. Nearly all the markets in those sections exhibit increased case in money, we can rely on our exchanges, whilst the Eastern money centres are becoming correspendingly stringent. Rates to-day here were very firm at 6@7 per cent. on call and at 7@9 per cent. on prime discounts.

The gold market continues quiet and steady, but rather weaker, opening at 116%, declining to 115%, and closing about noon at 116%. Government bonds are quiet and unsettled,

but prices vary but little from those of Saturday. The stock market continues quiet, but a shade tronger. Sales of State sixes, first series, at

big, and City sixes, new issue, at 101%. Reading Railroad sold at 47'81@47'94; Pennsylvania at 5816@58%; Lehigh Valley at 573; and Catawissa preferred at 57. A small sale of Oil Creek and Allegheny brought 443.

Among the miscellaneous list there were trifling sales of Morris Canal preferred at 6714 and Second and Third Streets at 461/@47. PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

Reported by De Haven & Bro., No. 40 S. Third street, FIRST BOARD.

BETWEEN BOARDS. BETWEEN BOARDS. \$10900 Pa 6a 1 sc. . 104 % \$200 chty 6s, Old. . 101 % 200 ab Reading R. . . 47% 200 do b10, 47.94 16 sh Mor Cl Pf. . . 67% 4 sh 2d & 3d SL . 47 25 sh O C & A R. . . 44% SECOND BOARD SECOND BOARD.

MESERS, WILLIAM PAINTER & Co., No. 36 S. Third street, report the following quotations:-U. S. 6s of 1881, 1143, 081143, ; 5-208 of 1862, 1133, 081123; ; do. 1864, 11161114; ; do. 1805, 1113; 081113; ; do., July, 1865, 1093; 08103; ; do., July, 1867, 11061103; ; do. July,

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French cruisers. CLEARED THIS MORNING.

Steamer S. F. Phelps, Brown, New York, W. M. Baird & Co. Baird & Co. Steamer Novelty, Shaw, New York, do. Br. bark Polly, Rodd, Cork or Falmouth for orders, B. Crawley & Co. Schr Wm. Wallace, Scull, Boston, Sinnickson & Co. Schr R. Law, Eldred, Fall River, do. Schr R. Law, Eldred, Fall River, do.

Schr P. A. Saunders, Steelman, Amesbury, do. Schr David Siner, Huntley, Boston, do. Schr F. H. Jackson, Hunter, Astoria, do.

ARRIVED THIS MORNING.

Steamship Volunteer, Jones, 24 hours from New York, with mdse, to John F. Ohl. Steamer E. N. Fairchild, Trout, 24 hours from New York, with mdse, to Wm. M. Baird & Co. Steamer F. Franklin, Pierson, 11 hours from Sassa-

fras River, with peaches to A. Groves, Jr. Steamer Vineland, Bower, 11 hours from Sassafras

River, with peaches to A. Groves, Jr. Steamer W. Whilldin, Riggans, 13 hours from Bal-timore, with mdse, and passengers to A. Groves, Jr. Schr Eagle, Sears, 7 days fm Portland, with mdse.

to David Cooper. Schr Thomas Borden, Wrightington, 3 days from

Schr Thomas Borden, Wrightington, 3 days from Fall River, in ballast to Sinnickson & Co. Schr Charles Cooper, Nickerson, 3 days from Har-wich, with fish to Crowell & Nicholson. Saw a light brig coming in the Capes, name unknown. Schr George Staples, Lord, 3 days from New York, with salt to Lennox & Burgess. Schr E. M. Sawyer, Kelley, 3 days fm New York, with salt to Lennox & Burgess. Schr Maryland, Greene, from Kennebec River, with salt to Lennox & Burgess.

Schr Maryland, Greene, Holf Reinebee River, with ice to Knickerbocker Ice Co. Schr Hester Ann, Cleary, from Magicty River, with wood to Hagy & Knowles. Schr Fannie A. Bailey, Locke. 5 days from Ports-menth W. H. in ballast to Lanuary & Burgass

month, N. H., in ballast to Lennox & Burgess. Schr Mabel F. Staples, Leighton, 5 days from Bos-ton, with ice to Penn Ice Co.-vessel to Lennox &

Schr Chattanooga, Black, from Portsmouth, in

allast to Warren & Gregg. Schr Anna Myrick, Richards, from Provincetown,

with mdse, to captain. Schr Trio, Newcomb, from New York, with mdse,

to captain. Schr E. A. Blew, Laws, from Dividing Creek, with

in agricultural districts. lumber to Dalton & Co. Schr Eliza and Rebecca, Ireland, fm Providence, Schr E. Sinnickson, Winnemore, from Plymoath. Schr E. Sinnickson, Winsmore, from Dighton. turn of President Grant will endeavor to to effect a Schr E. Sinnickson, Winsmore, from Dighton. Schr Pennsylvania, Ewing, from Norfolk, Schr H. W. Godfrey, Sears, from Providence. Schr W. P. Cox, Knowles, from Pawtucket. Schr M. Merriman, Babbitt, from Stanton, Schr L. Blew, Blew, from Bristol, R. I. Schr Reading RR. No. 42, Rodan, from Norwich. Schr Reading RR. No. 43, Little, fm New Haven. Schr Reading RR. No. 43, Baldwin, fm N. London Schr Marietta Steelman, Steelman, from Boston change in the system of appointments in the Census change in the system of appointments in the census Bureau, which are made on competative examina-tions open to all, and under which many clerks dismissed from other offices as avowed Democrats and opponents of the administration are now obtaining appointments. Seven hundred workmen are now employed at the Washington Navy Yard, and the force will soon be Schr Marietta Steelman, Steelman, from Boston. Schr W. H. Tiers. Gifford, Schr Thomas J. Smith, Lake, Schr Thomas J. Smith, Lake, Schr Princess, Forham, Schr Hattie Baker, Crowell, Schr Charles E. Jackson, Cullen, increased, as a number of light-draft vessels are ex-pected to be sen! here for repairs. do. Efforts will be made at the next session of Con-gress to have the stamped envelope contract an-Schr S. H. Sharp, Webb, do. Schr Roamer, from St. John, N. B., is con-signed (vessel) to Chas. Haslam & Co. nulled and the system discontinued, on the ground that it is very damaging to the interests of envelope

BELOW.

Ship Tonawanda, Turley, from Liverpool; bark Black Brothers, from Cardiff; and brig Reaper, from Ivigtut.

Correspondence of The Evening Telegraph. EASTON & McMAHON'S BULLETIN. NEW YORK OFFICE, Aug. 27. - Six barges leave in tow to-night, for Baltimore, light. BALTIMORE BRANCH OFFICE, Aug. 27. - The follow-ing barges leave in tow to-night, eastward:-H. C. Leroy, W. T. Blessing, T. McWilliams, A. V. Joslin, W. S. Burton, with coal, for New York. Sary Gamp, with coal, for Bridgeton. PHILADELPHIA BRANCH OFFICE, Aug. 29. - The Board of Trade, for Baltimore; P. McDevitt, for New Haven; T. H. Jackson, for Astoria, L. I.; A. S. Kinne and Hankie Barnard, for New York, all with coal, left Saturday. L. S. C.

coal, left Saturday.

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phia on the 19th of July for Hamburg, has put into Stornoway, Scotland, to avoid capture by ment that another report was circulated of the formation of a powerful 'bear' pool. The conseloss to the speculators, who were afforded anoth-

This Afternoon's Quotations.

LONDON, Aug. 29-1:30 P. M.-American securities teady. United States five-twenties of 1862, SS; of steady. United States five-twenties of 1862, SS; of 1865, old, 87%; of 1867, 86. Stocks quiet; Erie, 174; Illinois Central, 110%. LIVERPOOL, Aug. 29-1 50 P. M.-Brendstuffs quiet.

Ship News. NEW YORE, Aug. 29,-Arrived, ship Wisconsin, from Liverpool.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Pork Packers' Taxes.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, Aug. 29. — Acting Commissioner Douglass refuses to suspend the collection of the special tax assessed against the pork packers at the request of parties interested.

Campaign Contributions.

The Secretary of the Interior refuses to allow the Pennsylvania Republican Association to distribute in his department circulars asking voluntary contributions for political purposes.

Registering in the South.

cost of the same in Europe and the greatly enhanced

cost in this country under the present high tarin. These cards are intended mainly for campaign uses

Taking the Census.

The Republican State Associations upon the re-

The Washington Navy Yard.

The Envelope Contract.

FROM NEW ENGLAND.

Stabbing Affray is Boston

BOSTON, Aug. 29.—At Haverhill, on Saturday night, Bernard Carleton and Andrew Cooney were dan-gerously stabbed in an affray with two brothers named Roberts. The latter were arrested.

Death of a Convict. Conners, who some months ago was committed to the State Prison for drowning the boy Eastman, at the prison wharf, died last night after two weeks

FROM LONG BRANCH.

Ninth (N. Y.) Regiment on the Home Track.

Ninth (N. Y.) Regiment on the Home Track. LONG BRANCH, Aug. 29.—The 9th New York Regi-ment struck tents at 10 o'clock, and proceeded in line to the Continental Hotel. After dianer speeches were made by Colonel Fisk, Lleutenant Coloraine, and Major Hitchcock, returning thanks to the regi-ment for their good conduct. The regiment gave cheers for W. B. Barrows and William Wilkinson and then left in the train for New York, where they will arrive at 3 o'clock.

New York Produce Market.

New York Produce Market. New York, Aug. 29.—Cotton dull and unchanged; sales 300 baies. Flour quiet and without decided change; sales of 6000 barrels. Wheat quiet and without decided change; sales of 36 000 bushels. Corn quiet; sales of 28,000 bushels; new mixed West-ern at 8563635,c. Oats quiet; sales of 21,000 bushels State at 51665c.; Western at 506510. Beef quiet. Pork steady; new mess, \$28:1562325. Lard heavy; steam, 1656616.c.; Wester, at 506510. Whisky and

steam, 16% @16% c.; kettle, 17@17% c. Whisky gule

manufacturers generally

vill arrive at 3 o'clock.

liness.

Under the enforcement act passed at the last seasiyn prosecutions have been commenced against many registers of election in the Southern and Borsiyn prosecutions der States for refusing to register ex-Rabels. A telegram has been sent from the Attorney-General's office to the District Attorney for West Virginia, in him to dismiss all prosecutio ns made structing under the third section of the act where the offense of the register of election is not the offense pre-scribed in the second section of the act, that of failing to give an applicant for registration opportu-nity for properly qualifying himself to use the ballot by being relieved of political disabilities or other-wise. This question will affect the elections in a

majorito ef the late rebellious States. Novel Political Documents. The National Democratic Committee is distribut-ing as campaign documents pasteboard cards con-taining samples of cloth, with figures showing the