

NEWS SUMMARY.

City Affairs. A barn belonging to Mr. Wagner, on Main street, below Flacker's lane, Germantown, was destroyed by fire last evening, about 9 o'clock. About half-past 2 o'clock yesterday morning the carpenter shop of T. R. Jordan, No. 318 S. Twelfth street, was slightly damaged by fire. It is supposed the fire had been caused by some one throwing a lighted match through a broken pane of glass in the door. The third story room of a house back of No. 1807 Kater street was also slightly damaged by fire yesterday morning. It was caused by children playing with matches. A slight fire also occurred yesterday morning at No. 1018 Rodman street. The stable at Nineteenth and Pemberton streets, occupied by James M. Snyder, and owned by a Mr. McDonald, was also slightly burned yesterday afternoon.

Twenty miles northeast of Goult, The Germans from Fenner's, 35,000 strong, under Von der Tann, yesterday advancing towards the Prussians, fell along the line of D'Aurelio's entrenched positions at Artheny and Bois Craillon, and a serious engagement followed for the day, which was terminated by Gortschakoff's reply to Granville maintains the position assumed in the first note and withdraws nothing. With peculiar astuteness he has thrown through the course of commanding hostilities on England.

THE POET OF THE SECOND EMPIRE. From Appleton's Journal. Shallow beyond toleration, and yet common as it is shallow, is the understanding of the poetry of the day merely as an amusement and a grace for the parlor; whereas, in truth, it is the most seriously expressive, the most immediate and intimate sign of the moral and spiritual condition of our social being. And yet, instead of interrogating so valid a sign of the interior life of the modern man, we often concern ourselves with the artifice of the versifier, and yet oftener fail to understand the significance of poets while we talk of their art, rebuke their license, and, without a glimmering of the philosophy of expression, do not see that the dominant political utterance is the sympathetic, the personal, the representative confession of the generation that honors it.

RUSSIA, he asked permission to assay or analyze the metal of which the bell is composed, to ascertain whether silver is one of the components in accordance with a popular theory; but this request was not complied with. About thirty years ago, however, the late Emperor Nicholas caused an analysis to be made, when it was found that the metal consists of about six copper to one tin, with scarcely any trace of other ingredients. The sound of the bell depends, of course, on many different circumstances or conditions. One of these is the metal of which the bell is composed. The mixed metals or alloys illustrate in an instructive way the differences of quality which result from differences in the proportion of ingredients. Copper and tin produce the metal bronze; in other proportions they yield spelter, or the brilliant white reflectors of telescopes; while in other proportions, again, they furnish bell metal. The Chinese in their bells, and the Europeans in their bells, have seen reason to employ pretty nearly the same kind of metal. There is always much more copper than tin; but every bell-founder has his favorite recipe in this matter. Some adopt simply four of copper to one of tin. Big Ben has about twenty-two of copper to seven of tin. Mr. Layard found at Nineveh bells which had as much as ten parts of copper to one of tin. It is, therefore, evident that no very great amount of exactness is necessary in this matter. It is considered, in a general way, that an extra dose of tin improves the sound, but renders the alloy more brittle; the founder, therefore, establishes a balance of advantages according to his judgment and experience. When a large bell is annealed very slowly the sonorous quality of the mass is improved. Sometimes a little lead, arsenic, or zinc is added to the copper and tin.—Engineer.

Nov. 3 for New York, put into Southampton 24th; discharged, calked, and resumed her voyage on the 30th. Steamer Leopard, Hughes, for Philadelphia, sailed from Salem at 2 P. M. 28th inst. Steamer S. W. Everman, Hinkley, for Philadelphia, sailed from Charleston 28th inst. Steamer Tonawanda, Barrett, for Philadelphia, sailed from New York 28th inst. Steamer Rattlesnake, Winnet, hence, at Boston 28th inst. Steamer Alice Talner, Losberg, for Rio Janeiro via Philadelphia, cleared at New York 28th inst. Bark Adelaide, Gondra, for Philadelphia, sid from Cienfuegos 17th inst. Bark Anselmo, for Philadelphia, entered out at Newcastle 8th inst. Bark Alamo, Gray, sailed from Havana 18th inst. for Wilmington, N. C., and has not since been heard of. She registered 266 tons, was built at Pembroke, Me., in 1856, and halled from Philadelphia. Br. bark Agostina, Thom, hence for Esanore, put into Gottenberg 28th inst. Inst. leaking, and will probably discharge for repairs. Arg. bark Lolo, Merrill, from Montevideo for Philadelphia, sailed from Charleston 28th inst. Br. brig Fara, Huttenhain, hence for Stettin, in the Sound, Esinore, 8th inst. Brig Fara, Huttenhain, at Naples 5th inst. M. Niatta. Brig Mary Cobb, Brown, from Providence for Philadelphia, at New London 28th inst. Brig William H. Parks, Lampier, from Bangor for Philadelphia, entered in the lower harbor, Portsmouth, N. H., 23d inst. Schr R. Seaman, Seaman, from Baltimore for Bristol, at Savannah 26th inst. Schr John Stockham, Price, hence, at Newburyport 24th inst. Schr Governor Freestry, from Franklin for Philadelphia, at Portland 23d inst. Schr Louisa Frazier, Steelman, for New York, cleared at Wilmington, N. C., 23d inst. Schr F. W. Taylor, Taylor, at Naples 5th inst. and Samuel McManis, Newell, hence, at Boston 23d inst. Schr Rightaway, Raynor, hence for Newport; Schr Nelson, Nelson, at New York 23d inst. Tull, Robbins, do, for Boston, passed Hell Gate 23rd inst. Schr Trade Wind, Corson, and Sidney Price, Godfrey, for Philadelphia, sid at Bangor 23d inst. Schr L. B. Ives, Miller, at Bangor 23d inst. Schr Isaac C. Keen, Kitchie, hence, at Boston 24th inst. Schr George B. Bent, Smith, hence, at Providence 24th inst. Schr Jas. M. Vance, Bargh, hence, at Providence 24th inst. Schr Abigail Baker, Smith; P. A. Heath, Warren; Jane N. Baker, Read; and J. S. Welch, Crowell, for Philadelphia, sid in Providence 24th inst.

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MARINE TELEGRAPH.

For additional Marine News see First Page.

ALMANAC FOR PHILADELPHIA—THIS DAY. SUN RISES 7:50. MOON SETS 10:40. SUN SETS 5:24. HIGH WATER 10:40. LOW WATER 4:22.

PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF TRADE. JOSEPH H. GRUBB, President. E. A. SUDLER, Vice President. SAMUEL E. SOKES, Secretary. COMMITTEE OF THE MONTH.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS FOR AMERICA.

Table listing ship names, destinations, and dates. Includes Alaska, Aspwall, New York, Nov. 2; Cuba, New York, Nov. 2; Denmark, New York, Nov. 2; Calabria, New York, Nov. 2; Virginia, New York, Nov. 2; America, New York, Nov. 2; C. of Dublin, New York, Nov. 2; Siberia, New York, Nov. 2; France, New York, Nov. 2; Hanmoola, Hamburg, Nov. 2; Westphalia, New York, Hamburg, Nov. 2; C. of Limerick, New York, Liverpool via H. Nov. 2; Wisconsin, New York, Liverpool, Nov. 2; Antares, Bremen, New York, Nov. 2; Calabria, New York, Liverpool, Dec. 1; C. of Brussels, New York, Liverpool, Dec. 1; India, New York, Liverpool, Dec. 1; C. of Washington, New York, Liverpool, Dec. 1; C. of Baltimore, New York, Liverpool, Dec. 1; C. of Paris, New York, Liverpool, Dec. 1; C. of Mexico, New York, Vera Cruz, etc., Nov. 2; Yazo, Philadelphia, New Orleans, Dec. 1; Cuba, Baltimore, N. Orleans, via K.W. Dec. 1; Steamer, Savannah, New York, Dec. 1; Pioneer, Philadelphia, Wilmington, N.C. Dec. 1. Mails are forwarded by every steamer in the regular service, on the 1st of each month, except the Queenstown, except the Canadian line, which call at Londonderry. The steamers for or from the Continent call at Southampton.

CLEARED SATURDAY.

Steamship Norman, Nickerson, Boston, H. Winsor & Co. Steamship Fanta, Doane, New York, John P. Ohl. Steamship Achilles, Colburn, Boston, J. S. Hilles. Steamship, Georgetown and Alexandria, W. P. Clyde & Co. Steamer James S. Green, Vance, Richmond and Norfolk, J. S. Hilles & Co. Ste. W. Whittier, Higgins, Baltimore, A. Groves, Jr. Br. brig Harper, Doane, Kingston, Jam. B. Crawley & Co. Sch. Samuel Hartley, Drinkwater, Boston, Lennox & Burgess. Schr Sarah Cobb, Bridgeton, Conn., Chas. Mershon. Schr C. E. Raymond, Hayes, Boston, L. Audouard & Co. Schr Ralph Soudry, Crosby, do, do. Schr Gen. Torner, Shepherd, do, do. Schr E. F. Jones, Lansingburg, New York, do, do. Barge Colonel Ellsworth, Baker, do, do. Barge Inkerman, Boyer, do, do. Barge Eric, Doane, do, do. Barge John S. Berger, do, do. Barge Kate Moyer, Moyer, do, do.

ARRIVED SATURDAY.

Steamer Fannie, Penton, 24 hours from New York, with mds. to W. M. Baird & Co. Schr E. F. Jones, Lansingburg, from New York, 10 with mds. to W. M. Baird & Co. Schr M. C. Barrie, Durborough, 1 day from Camden, Del., with grain to John A. Hallock, arrived on Friday from Boston, is consigned to captain—not as before. ARRIVED YESTERDAY. Ship Alice M. Minott, Lowell, 5 days from Liverpool, with mds. to Peter Wright & Sons. Schr E. F. Jones, Lansingburg, 5 days from St. John's, with laths and pickets to J. W. Gaskill & Sons.

Correspondence of The Evening Telegraph.

EASTON & McMAHON'S BULLETIN. NEW YORK OFFICE, Nov. 26.—Nine barges leave in tow for Philadelphia, Baltimore, and New York. Edna Watts, with old rails, for Philadelphia. BALTIMORE BRANCH OFFICE, Nov. 26.—The following barges leave in tow to night, eastward: Edna Watts, with old rails, for Philadelphia. McMahon, Lady Loretta, Mary E. Horn, L. Simmons, Colonel J. D. Ames, J. M. Sisson, American Union, Goodwill, Moonlight Rover, and L. D. Cummings, all with coal, for New York. PHILADELPHIA BRANCH OFFICE, Nov. 28.—The following boats left Saturday evening: H. G. North, for St. John, for Troy, N. Y. North America, with coal, for New York. A. A. Buzonarra, with pig iron, and Bella McWilliams, with coal, for New York. A regular barge, light, for Baltimore, left this port on Saturday.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Telegraph.

HAYRE-DE-GRACE, Nov. 28.—The following boats left this morning in tow: Yacht E. F. Jones, with laths and pickets, for Taylor & Betts. Edwin, with lumber to Craig & Blanchard. Minie, with lumber to R. W. Robertson. Harry and Alice, with lumber to Coombs & Stack. Duvalgrain, with lumber to McIlvain & Son. Charles L. Ehler, with lumber to New York. U. S. Grant, with wood to order.

(By Telegraph.)

LEWES, Del., Nov. 28.—A full-rigged brig and a large clipper ship and three-masted schooner passed in last night. A P. M.—The pilot boat Howard reports the ship Yacht E. F. Jones, with laths and pickets, for Taylor & Betts. In harbor, bark Edna Watts, 25 days from Jamaica, with laths and pickets, for Taylor & Betts. The British bark Edna, from London, is ashore on the point of Hopton; she lies easy and remains light. Yacht E. F. Jones, with laths and pickets, for Taylor & Betts. Ship N. W., clear. Thermometer, 61.

MEMORANDA.

Ship Rowell Straggs, Lewis, hence, at Cuxhaven 28th inst. Br. steamer Nebraska, Guard, from Liverpool 12th, via Georgetown, at New York 28th inst. Br. steamer Erin, Braag, for Liverpool, cleared at New York 26th inst. Br. steamer N. V. Adams, Green, from New York for Georgetown and Liverpool, passed Crookhaven 26th inst. Br. steamer Sideron, McKay, from Leghona, 26th inst. Br. steamer E. F. Jones, for New York, cleared at New York 26th inst. N. G. steamer Ohio, hence, from Baltimore for New York 26th inst. N. G. steamer Hudson, Newbury, from New York for New York, sailed from New York 26th inst. Steamer Arizona, Manry, from New York, at 10 A. M. Steamer Baltimore, Voelcker, from Bremen, at Baltimore 26th inst. Schr. G. W. Taylor, Taylor, at New York 26th inst. Schr. G. W. Taylor, Taylor, at New York 26th inst.

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Stockton and W. H. Gillette. MRS. JOHN DREW'S ARCH STREET THEATRE, BEGINS AT 8 O'CLOCK, TO-NIGHT (Monday), Nov. 23, last time of Lovell's play of LOVE'S SACRIFICE. MRS. JOHN DREW AS HERMINIE, aided by the full company. Concluding with the excellent farce, THE GOOD-NOTHING, CRAIG AND MAY SAVILE. TUESDAY, DEBUT OF MISS LIZZIE PERSON WEDNESDAY, SHEPHERD'S BUILDING. SECOND WEEK OF MRS. C. WARNER'S CHAMBERLAIN GIRLS—UNPRECEDENTED ATTRACTION AND WONDERS. HARRY WELBY COOK, CHARLES HENRY COOKE, EMILIE HENRIETTA, And a full troupe, in their wonderful Equestrian Performance every evening at 8 o'clock, and at 2 o'clock on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. Prices as heretofore. 11 25 61 MUSICAL FUND HALL. GERMANIA ORCHESTRA. EVERY SATURDAY, AFTERNOON at 3 o'clock. CARL BENTZ, Conductor. A. G. EMMERICH, Manager. Tickets, 50 cents. Package of four, \$1. At the office of the Germania Orchestra, North's Music store, No. 1225 Chestnut street, and at the door. 11 25 FOX'S AMERICAN THEATRE. MAMMOTH ATTRACTION. EVERY EVENING AND SATURDAY MATINEE. MR. G. W. JENKINS, M. G. W. JENKINS, the man with the talking hand and Ventriquist. MISS CLARA YENSON, the Brilliant Vocalist. SHERIDAN BALLETT TROUPE. First Ethiopian Minstrel Songs, Danes, Barlesques, and Pantomime of ALADDIN; OR, THE WONDERFUL LAMP. ARCH STREET OPERA HOUSE. ARCH STREET, ABOVE TENN. THE PALACE OF THE MIMICRY. SIMMONS & BLOCUM'S MINSTRELS. THE CHAMPION TROUPE OF AMERICA. THE BEST FOR THE SEASON. With the most refined Organization in the world. Box office open from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. for the sale of reserved seats. DUPREZ & BENEDICT'S OPERA HOUSE, SEVENTH STREET, below Arch. DUPREZ & BENEDICT'S MINSTRELS. Good old times come. Admission reduced to 25c. Engagement of the Grand Comedians W. G. Arlington, 25 cent Matinee every Saturday, 2 1/2 o'clock. 25 61 TEMPLE OF WONDERS, ASSEMBLY BUILDINGS—SIGNOR BLIZZ AND SON. EVERY EVENING, COMMENCING AT 7 P. M. MAGIC, VENTRIQUIZM, AND CANARIES. BENEFIT'S SBOURED SOCIETIES AND LODGES. 11 24 GRAND GERMAN SANITARY FAIR, AT HORTICULTURAL HALL. From December 20 to January 2, 1871. This for the Fair, communications received, and information given at the Grand Court 29 & 31, No. 24 South SEVENTH Street. 11 28 50 FURNITURE. LUTZ & KLEIN, (SUCCESSORS TO F. LUTZ), No. 121 S. ELEV NTH Street. Have now on hand a full assortment of first-class FURNITURE, which their assortment, and customers are cordially invited to examine before purchasing elsewhere. A. O. lately received a large invoice of FRENCH FURNITURE Manufactured by the best houses in Paris, which we sell at 1/3 less in prices. 10 9 LOOKING GLASSES, ETC. LOOKING GLASSES, ETC. Strictly our own manufacture, and of warranted workmanship, at the lowest prices. ALL THE NEW CHROMOS OF EUROPE AND AMERICA. SWISS RUSTIC GOODS, Involved opened to-day. Sole Agency for the ROGERS GROUPS. GALLERY OF PAINTINGS, open, free at all times. JAMES S. EARLE & SONS, No. 316 CHESTNUT STREET. 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