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## MASICAL AND DRAMATIC.

#### The City Amusements.

AT THE CHESNUT O'Keefe's comedy of Will Oats, with Mr. Davenport as "Rover," will be represented this evening. The performance will conclude with Katherine and Pelruchio. AT THE WALNUT the drama of The Great City will be performed this evening and to morrow afternoon

morrow afternoon. On Monday Miss Leona Cavender will mak her first appearance in this city in a ne drama by John Brougham, entitled Minnie Inele. AT THE ARCH the drama of Lost at Sea wi

be performed this evening. AT THE CIRCUS, Tenth and Callowhill streets, Mr. J. W. Wharton will have a benefit this

evening, when a great bill of attractions will be presented. a matinee to-morrow.

AT THE NEW AMERICAN THEATRE an entertainment adapted to the tastes of a family audi-

ence will be given this evening. A matinee to-morrow. AT THE AMERICAN MUSEUM, Ninth and Arch

streets, the drama of The Drunkard will be represented this evening. A matinee is announced for to-morrow, when

the extravaganza of Puss in Boots will be performed.

AT THE ARCH STREET OPERA HOUSE a fine programme of minstrelsy will be pre-

sented this evening. AT DUPREZ & BENEDICT'S OPERA HOUSE the drama of Uncle Tom's Cabin is announced

for this evening. ROTHERMEL'S PAINTING of the Battle of "Get-tysburg" is on exhibition from 9 A. M. to 10 P.

M., at No. 1003 Chesnut street. BIERSTADT'S picture of "The Emerald Pool" is on exhibition at Earles' Galleries, No. 816

Chesnut street. THE performance announced to be given this evening at the Amateur Drawing Room by Professor Rufus Adams and his pupils has been postponed on account of the sudden and serious illness of one of the members of the company.

A PRIVATE CONCERT of a very enjoyable character was given last evening at the house of Dr. F. R. Thomas, No. 911 Walnut street, at which several of the most prominent of the professional and amateur musicians of the city assisted. The performances consisted of a plano duct by Messrs. Charles E. Jarvis and M. H. duct by Meesrs. Charles E. Jarvis and M. H. Cross; Abt's quartette for male voices, "Birds of the Forest." by Messrs. F. R. Thomas, William Foley, H. C. Cochran, and Aaron R. Taylor; a piano solo by Mr. Jarvis; a baritone solo by Abt, "It ought not thus to be," by Mr. Cochran; a trio for piano, violin, and violoncello, by Messrs, larvis Group and Charles Schwidt, a trans solo tho for plano, violin, and violoncello, by Messrs, Jarvis, Cross, and Charles Schmidt; a tenor solo by Fesca, "The Wanderer," by Dr. Thomas: Abt's quintette, "Holy Peace," by Messrs. Thomas, Foley, Cochran, Cross, and Taylor; a plano duet by Messrs. Jarvis and Thunder; a basso solo by Mr. Taylor; a violoncello solo by Mr. Schmidt; a plano solo by Thalberg, "Valse Maladiana" Andre Market and Schwidt Aca Melodique," by Mr. Thunder; and Becher's double quintette march. The entertainment was one of unusual excellence, and the performers were warmly applauded by the large company of ladies and gentlemen in attendance.

## CITY INTELLIGENCE. THE CITY FINANCES.

## Annual Report of the Controller-Finnschal Operations of the City During 1870-the Public Debt of Philadelphia.

Mr. Samuel P. Hancock, City Controller, submitted to Councils yesterday his annual state during 1870. The Controller, in his introduction to the statement, says that the amount of the expenses of the several departments for purposes itemized in the original ordinances do not in the aggregate equal the appropriations, the whole balances merging being \$415,667 28. The amount appropriated during the year for

| 19,54     | of school fund Fourteenth section. |
|-----------|------------------------------------|
|           | r Loan, No. 9                      |
|           | Loan, No. 38                       |
|           | Loan, No. 34 100,000.00            |
|           | Loan, No. 37                       |
|           | Loan, No. 2 B45,000'00             |
|           | Loan, No. 1                        |
|           | ert Loan, No. 2 206,993 49         |
| \$2,048,8 | porary Loan                        |
| - onlyo   | s of 1864                          |
|           | 8 of 1865                          |
|           | 8 01 1800 10,241 97                |
|           | 8 01 1901                          |
|           | a of 1868 105,498 11               |
| \$740,8   | s of 1869 590,717 38               |

THE DAILY EVENING TELEGRAP

Total amount of receipts, including cash balance of \$1,504,012 45 on nand Jan.

1, 1871. The following is a statement showing the amounts appropriated and expended, and the amount of war-rants countersigned :--

|   | Appropria-<br>tions for<br>. 1870, | Warrants<br>Founter-<br>signed, | Cash<br>Payments,  |
|---|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Comporary Loans                               | 1,200,000100                       | 1.2 10,000.00                   | 600,000.00   |
| nterest on Tempo-                             | 12,499,79                          | 12,499.99                       | 12,499,189   |
| ary Loan<br>t. on City Loan<br>t. on En'd War | 2,634,100.00                       | 2,610,284-34                    | 2,610,384-24   |
| on En'd War                                   | 101 915 93                         | 101,915 93                      | 101,015 33   |
| ments, Execu-                                 | 160,894.87                         | 169,891 87                      | 140,391 87   |
| ral Sinking<br>nds.                           | 519,422-62                         | 519,419 23                      | 519,197 63   |
| m't City Con-                                 |                                    | 241 (0.041)-000                 | 10.000-00  |
| mmissioners.                                  | 21,950 00                          | 21,990 70<br>301,180 72         | 12,203.28  |
| of Counc is                                   | 57,749 %0                          | 67.727 10                       | 25.033 53  |
| Boat  | 26,45:24                           | 92,884,82                       | 14,753'97  |
| ts, etc                                       | 165 250 521                        | 139,417 51                      | 64,868,06  |
| olicitor                                      | 156 202 43                         | 135,885,64                      | 63,911/67  |
| Treasurer                                     | 107,976.52                         | 107,852.55                      | 96 719 37  |
|   | 113,250 00                         | 108,551.44                      | 45,679 15  |
| W858  | 670,359 27                         | 599,633 75                      | 194,831,68   |
| ting the City                                 | 264,710:00                         | 257,1F4'51<br>461,780'54        | 93,2-8-27<br>92,493369   |
| Ge  | 826,097.30                         | 889,78179                       | 371.102.92   |
|   | 49.1.793 25                        | 433,670 10                      | 217,142,00   |
|   | 133, 107 87                        | 124,631 95                      | 43,774 83  |
| ailroad                                       | 8,800.00                           | 8,751 11                        | 4,283 16   |
| 4   | 1,243,465 50                       | 1,207,600,921                   | 279,467,61   |
| ans, 1, 2, & 3                                | 614,167 11                         | 28),277 11                      | 245,461.51   |
| r of Taxes                                    | 40,454.00                          | 35 677 80                       | 13,848.12  |
| C OI 38308                                    | 35,051 36                          | 83,377 55                       | 14 782 (0  |
| of Oits                                       | 679,712.09                         | 467,171 67 8,243 65             | 194,197:50<br>340:73   |
| on the state                                  | 1,295,105 06                       | 676,843 83                      | 611,781 13   |
| ns, 2, 3, 44                                  | 2,540,064 98                       | 261,417.47                      | 951.8 12 80  |
| Street Bridge                                 | Manual and                         | Succession of                   | and the second s |
| missioners                                    | 1.000/00                           | 1,000'00                        | 1,003'60   |
| of Revision                                   | 100,725-00                         | 104,548 41                      | 5),971187  |
| ommission                                     | 62.509.00                          | 62,452 85                       | 28,535,59  |
| of Correction                                 | 6,837.95                           | 6,794-46                        | 4,481 97   |
|   | 100,000.00                         | 30,583 30                       | 25,330'00  |
| t Losn 2                                      | 449,722 95                         | 295,3 11 27                     | 295,331777   |
| atm Tel                                       | 51,035'00                          | 50,725 74                       | 21,854'00  |
| Engines and                                   | 10.000                             | 10 131.00                       | 1.003.10   |
| ers   | 12.500.00                          | 12,431.00                       | 5,773 15   |
| c Buildings                                   | 2,484°58<br>9 550°44               | 2,454 53<br>2,327 02            | 2,461 53<br>1,354 79   |
| ardens.<br>it Highways                        | 2,553'44                           | alout on                        | 11004 10   |
| ard   | 15,531(9)                          | 15,231 99                       | 15,931.99  |
| Street Bridge                                 | 800,030,00                         | 73,657 49                       | 72,230,83  |
| unt Bridge                                    | -                                  | 1. 400.000                      | 1.000  |
|   |                                    | 1,490*76                        | 1.400 76   |
| on Stocks, etc                                | 29,470.50                          | 29,476°50<br>19,500°00          | 29,470-50<br>19,502.00   |
| School Sec                                    | 19,500 00<br>194, 75 33            | 194,775 13                      | 194,775 33   |
|   |                                    |                                 | increase or second second  |
| Fotals  | 17,462,669.05                      | 14,853,013*72                   | 8,800,767 65   |
| Do. do.                                       | 1800.01                            | *************                   | 3,920 85   |
| Do. do.                                       | 19:22                              |                                 | 000-00   |

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Total cash payments. . .....11,492,908.61 The outstanding warrants are of the following dates:---Warrants of 1865 and prior, \$52,314:40: do. of 1866, \$22,049:81; do. of 1867, \$1455:83; do. of 1868, \$3220:29; do. of 1869, \$8049:21; do. of 1870, \$4,052,546-07. Total, \$4,144,635:61.

DEATH OF A WELL-KNOWN JOURNALIST .-This morning Mr. George W. L. Johnson, a well-known journalist, died at his residence in this city, from injuries received several weeks ago by a fall. Mr. Johnson was about fifty-two years of age, and during the greater portion of his life was connected with the journalism of this city. He was an excellent organizer of newspaper establishments, and was instrumental in starting a number of journals. In 1848 he established a daily paper called the True Sun, which was quite successful for several years. He left this journal in 1849, and subsequently established a small dally paper with the title of the Little Genius, which, by its vigorous assaults upon certain local abuses, created quite a sensation. It did not, however, survive for more than five or six months. Subsequently he acted as news editor of the old Pennsylvanian, and in 1851 was one of the originators of the Sunday Transcript. In 1862 he became one of the proprietors of the Sunday Mercury, which at this time became a Democratic organ. In 908.81 1866 he disposed of his interest in the Mercury to William M. Meeser & Co., the present proprietors, and after that date acted until the time of his death as the Harrisburg and Cape May correspondent of several of the prominent journals of this city. His last independent venture was in the publication, a few years ago. of a weekly journal devoted to the interests of the petroleum trade. Among other journals with which he was connected during the long period of his newspaper career, was the Inquirer, of which he was news editor for some time, when that journal was changed to its present eight-page form. Mr. Johnson was an excellent news editor, and was likewise an efficient news agent. At one time he established an independent telegraph bureau for the collection \$6,350,155.45

| THE CAMDEN RIOTERS.   | PUBLIC BUILDINGS.  | FOURTH EDITION   |
|---|--|--|
| Continuation of their Trial at Trenton-The Case for the Defense.  | Meeting of the Commission-Proposals for the<br>Erection of the Propos. d New Balldings Ite-        |  |
| Yesterday the trial of Constable Francis<br>Souders, the initiatory proceedings of which we   | A meeting of the Public Buildings Commission   | THE ALDANY EVOLED DODDEDY  |
| liave siready given, was commenced in the<br>United States District Court at Trenton. Wit-  | was held at one o'clock this afternoon in the new<br>Court-house, for the purpose of receiving and | THE ALBANY EXPRESS ROBBERY.  |
| nesses for the defense were called, the first<br>being Alexander Mahon, who was present at the  | opening proposals for the materials and labor in<br>the erection of the proposed new public build  |  |
| Newton township polls. Camden county, on last<br>election day, and whose statements were, as was<br>expected, contradictory of all that had been said | ings. Mr. John Rice occupied the chair. The following bids were then opened:                       | Mr. Halpine Identifies the Villain.  |
| by the witnesses for the Commonwealth.<br>He testified that when the polls were first   | For removing iron railing and stone base from  |  |
| opened the room was nearly full of colored men;<br>they formed a line that stretched far down the   | atound Penn Squares:-<br>Joseph D. Williams  | Murder and Suicide in Baltimore  |
| street, and carried canes and clubs; Justice<br>Henry brought up a man to vote, when one of   | Alder Brothers   |  |
| the colored men kicked him; then the fracas<br>began, the colored men doing all the fighting  | S. Chesnut & Co (per square)   | The United States Secret Service.  |
| among themselves; two or three white men<br>ran in among them, when they all  | William P. Hood  |  |
| ran out of doors; some one of them struck<br>Justice Henry and pushed him behind  | Daniel McNichol. 500 00<br>Joseph Barnest. 400 00  | Still Another Hotel Burning.   |
| the door: the door swung shut, and<br>closed with a latch. Witness told the elerks to   | Smith & Holmes (per square)  | onn whomer noter barning.  |
| close the polls, but immediately afterwards told<br>them to open the polls and go one with the<br>election. The negroes were very wild and ex-        | John Binswanger  | The Fenian Flurry In New York  |
| cited, and attacked the white men: saw one<br>strike at Forman with a brick; saw them beat-   | Removing trees, etc., from the squares:-   |  |
| ing a man named Long outside. After the fight<br>was over the colored men had possession of the   | Thomas McNamee   | he Canadian Fishery Question   |
| polls. In the evening, while witness' back was<br>turned, somebody took the ballot-box and threw  | Hancock & Gordon   |  |
| it out of the window. Witness heard no firing<br>of pistols; did not see the prisoner, Souders, at  | Samuel Ogden (per tree)  | <b>Proceedings of Congress</b>   |
| the polls; S16 votes were polled before the ballot-box was taken.   | Robert Smith   | Trocecunitys of Vongress   |
| Upon cross-examination the witness said that<br>one of the white men presented a pistol at wit-<br>ness' head, and threatened to "blow his d-d        | Robert A. McCully  |  |
| brains out if he took another nigger vote."<br>Henry Clusterman, the other judge of elec-   | John Hutchison   | Latest from Europe.  |
| tion, gave testimony substantially the same.<br>Markley Davis, the clerk, testified that he heard   | James Orr  | Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.,  |
| the report of a pistol-shot, and gave other testi-<br>mony corroborating the statements of Mahan.   | ITEM 3.<br>For enclosing the squares with board fencing  |  |
| The court then adjourned till to-day.   | 12 feet high:-<br>Phillips & Perguson 56 per lineal foot.  | FROM EUROPE.   |
| OUR MERCHANT MARINE.  | Smith & Co   | Movements of the Duke of Mecklenburg.  |
| The Number, Tonunge, and Crews of Vessels<br>Entering and Clearing from the Port of Phi-<br>indelphin.  | E. H. Deemer 88 "  | LONDON, Jan. 19-3 A. M It is said the<br>Duke of Mecklenburg is marching on Rennes |
| During the quarter ending September 30,<br>1870, according to the official report of the Bu-  | Stubbs, Welsh & Co. 75 "   | via Mayenne, with the object of getting in the<br>rear or flanking Chanzy's army.  |
| reau of Statistics, the number of vessels from<br>foreign countries which entered the port of Phi-  | Hancock & Gordon   | Bourbaki Defeated'<br>A despatche from Versailles says Bourbaki                    |
| ladelphia was 260, with a tonnage of 101,674.   | Samuel Ogden   | A despateno non versantes says bondaki   |

 Bins Pohl
 60

 J. T. Tennille
 78

 Henry C. Cobb
 98

 McLaughlin & Smith
 79

to use the fence for advertising purposes, they to receive the lumber back again when the fence is ordered down.

therefore Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to take said bid into consideration and

Mr. Wetherill moved to amend by awarding the contract to Mr. Earnest, and providing for the appointment of a committee of three, of which the chair shall be one, to inquire into the reliability of Mr. Earnest's security. Mr. Huhn accepted the amendment, which was

agreed to. Mr. Wetherill moved to award the contract

under item 2 to Joseph Parnest, to be referred

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on the 17th renewed the attack upon Werder's

intrenched position south of Belfort, and was

again repulsed with great loss, and commenced

The Bombardment of Paris

continued on the 18th with increasing strength.

Prussian Indemnity to England. LONDON, Jan. 19-6 A. M .- Earl Granville has

accepted the indemnity offered by the Prussians

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Fishery Question.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.-It is understood that

while Messrs. Rose, of London, and Ryan, of

Canada, who have been here for some days, are

speedy settlement of this question, as well as

The Ainbama Claims.

for English vessels sunk in the Seine.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

a retreat to the southward.

CONGRESS. FORTY-FIRST TERM - THIRD SESSION.

Senate. WASHINGTON, Jan. 20,-The Vice-President laid before the Senate unanimous resolutions of the In-diana Legislatare in favor of the House bill grant-ing pensions to surviving soldiers of the war of 1812.

ing pensions to surviving soldiers of the war of 1812. Mr. Morton presented the certificate of election of Foster Blodgett as a United States Scoator from the State of Georgia for six years from the 4th of March next, which, at Mr. Morton's request, was read and laid on the table. Mr. Summer presented a communication from the Autonal Labor Union Convention (colored), lately in session in Washington, for the passage of what is known as Scoator Summer's bill, supplementary to the Civil Rights act, now pending before the Ju-diciary Committee, the object of which is to apply a remedy for alleged indignities and proscription to which colored people are subjected in railroad cars. Mr. Summer, expressing his hearty sympathy with the prayer of the petitioner, said the indignities com-plained of were terrible outrages, for which Con-gress was bound to apply a remedy before adjourn-ing. Referring to a description by the Lleutenant-Governor of Louisiana (colored) of annoyances to which he was exposed in traveiling from New Or-leans to Washington, he asserted that there must be cound rights in realized the the traveles encode which he was exposed in travelling from New Or-leans to Washington, he asserted that there must be equal rights in railroad cars, hotels, schools, and in every lastitution which had the sanction of existing law, and appealed to Mr. Trumbull, as chairman of the Judiciary Com-mittee, not longer to delay remedial legislation. An explanation by Mr. Trumbull developed that the bill referred to by Mr. Summer had been re-ported from the Judiciary Committee on July 7 of last year, and then indefinitely postponed. Mr. Summer asked leave to enter a motion to re-consider the postponement, but Mr. Hamilton, of

Mr. Summer asked leave to enter a motion to re-consider the postponement, but Mr. Hamilton, of Maryland, objected. Mr. Summer subsequently introduced a bill sup-plementary to the Civil Afghts act, substantially similar to his bill of nast session. Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Mr. Morton mayed the reference of certain papers of the medial committee on the set of certain papers.

to the special committee on investigation of alleged Southern outrages, and stated that physical indis-

position would preclude his acceptance of the chair-manship of that committee. The Vice President subsequently announced as the committee referred to Messrs. Soot, Wilson, Pool, Chatdler, and Davis. The latter named (Davis) declined on account of indisposition.

## House of Representatives.

House of Representatives. Mr. Sargest, rising to a personal explanation, sent to the Clerk's desk and had rend a paragraph from the Washington Republican of this day, stating that General Blunt, in his testimony before the Com-mittee of Investigation on Indian Affairs, had stated that one of the great troubles in obtaining appropriations for the Indians was that nearly every member of Congress who voted for appropriations appropriations for the Indians was that hearly every member of Congress who voted for appropriations expected and demanded liberal compensation, which was usually paid, and that in order to accom-plich that some sharp practice had to be resorted to. Mr. Sargent remarked that it was only necessary for him to say, in reply to that infamous paragraph, that General Blunt has not testified before the committee up to this time. The committee had up theorem which up to this time. The committee had not been able to discover his whereabouts so as to serve a sub-

to discover his whereabouts so as to serve a sub-portation him. The committee had made efforts continuously by telegraph and otherwise, and would thank newspa-per edkors and reporters to publish the fact that that committee desired the presence of General Blunt. There was no testimony from any person of the character stated in that paragraph. It was an aspersion on a body of gentiemen who certainly had nothing in their associations or character to justify it in any degree. It was merely a reckless libel on the House of Representatives. The House then proceeded to consider private bills.

bills. The House at 140 went into Committee of the

bills. The House at 140 went into Committee of the Whole, Mr. Allison in the chair, and resumed the consideration of the Consular and Diplomatic Ap-propriation bill, the question being on Mr. Wood's motion to limit the expenditure of the scoret service fund of the State Department, so that none of it shall be used in connection with the annexation of st. Lomingo. Mr. Butler, of Massachusetts, opposed the amend-ments and referred to the fact that the publication of the mode in which General Scott disbursed a secret service fund in Mexico, showing an item of \$10,000 paid to a high Mexican official, caused a revolution or at hast a pronunciamento in that re-public. It would be seen, therefore, that an attempt to govern the secret service fund would not only lead to complications among officials of the United States, but would take from the resident any power to deal with foreign officials. He had no difficulty at all about St. Demingo, but he utterly declined to argue that question now. All charges about it would be met and answered at the proper time. Mr. Eldridge said that the discussion had satis-ned him that the screet service fund on on the setter. not charged with the settlement of the fishery question, they are feeling the sentiment of the administration and the Foreign Committees the two houses on the subject. It appears that the British Government is exceedingly anxious for a The Senate Foreign Committee hal addressed a letter to the Secretary of State asking that he propose a bill on the Alabama claims in accord-Mr. Eldridge said that the discussion had satisfied him that the secret service fund ought to be abolished as contrary to the genius and spirit of our institutions. The instance cited by the gentleman from Massachusetts, ought to satisfy every one of the impropriety of placing large sums of money in the hands of officials to be disposed of in their dis-cretion, without rendering an account to the people. The amendment offered by Mr. Wood was rejected. Without completing the bill, the House proceeded at 2 o'clock to take up the Senate-bill to provide a Government for the District of Columbia. It pro-poses a sort of Territorial Government in the Disin the plas-trict, with a Governor to be appointed by the Presi-dent with the advice and consent of the Senate, and who shall hold his office for four years, with a Coun-cil of cleven members and House of Representa-tives of twenty-two members, with a Secretary to appointed by the President for four years, with a delegate in Congress. The laws of the Legislative Assembly are to ba subject to repeal or modification by Congress. There is to be a board of public works, to consist of the Governor and two persons to be appointed by the President. The members of the Council are also to be appointed by the President.

the report of a pistol-shot, and gav mony corroborating the statemer The court then adjourned till to-da OUR MERCHANT MAR The Number, Tonunge, and Crea Entering and Clearing from the During the quarter ending S 1870, according to the official repo reau of Statistics, the number of foreign countries which entered the ladelphia was 260, with a tonnage of 101,674, and crews numbering 2707. Of these 134 were American vessels, with 55,031 toxs and 1337 men; and 126 were foreign vessels, with 46,643 tons and 1370 men. The number of vessels in the foreign trade

which cleared from the port of Philadelphia during the same period was 199, with 79,463 tons and 2065 men. Of these SI were American vessels, with 35,511 tons and 835 men; and 118 foreign vessels, with 43,951 tons and 1230 men.

During the same period the number of ocean steam vessels which entered the port of Philadelphia was 5, with a tonnage of 4897 and crews numbering 143 men. Of these 4 were American vessels, with 4864 tons and 130 men; and 1

foreign vessel, with 36 tons and 13 men. During the same period the number of vessels in the coastwise trade which entered the port of Philadelphia was 577, with a tonnage of 186,421 tons and crews numbering 5770 men. Of these 452 were steam vessels, with 155,310 tons and 4955 men; and 125 sailing vessels, with 31,111 tons and 615 men.

The vessels in the coastwise trade which cleared from the port of Philadelphia during the same period were 439 is number, with a tonnage of 168,385 and crews numbering 5098 Of these 316 were steam vessels, with men. 140,504 tons and 4295 men; and 123 sailing vessels, with 27,881 tons and 803 men.

THE FREEDMEN'S COMMISSION .- The follow-

| Tor chemoting the squares wi | au | 0.034                  | ra ieac  | 31 |
|------------------------------|----|------------------------|----------|----|
| 2 feet high:-                |    |                        |          |    |
| hillips & Perguson           | 56 | per                    | lineal f | è  |
| mith & Co                    |    | 11                     | 6.6      | [  |
| 1. M. Lesyer1                |    | 1.8                    | 41       |    |
|                              | 83 | - 46                   | 66       |    |
| č. H. Deemer                 | 88 | 66                     | **       |    |
| A. J. Nichuals               | 95 | 64                     | 14       |    |
| Stubbs, Welsh & Co           |    | - 44                   | 45       |    |
| Thomas & Stevens             |    |                        | - 41     |    |
| Iancock & Gordon1            |    | 66                     |          |    |
| Samuel Ogden1                | 00 | 1.5                    | - 40     |    |
| Edwin Bluder                 |    | <ul> <li>34</li> </ul> |          |    |
| John H. Hutchinson1          |    | - 66                   |          |    |
| loseph C. Ott                |    | - 6                    | 44       |    |
|                              | -  |                        |          |    |

for nothing, providing the commission allow them

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Mr. Huhn offered the following: -

Whereas, The bid of Joseph Earnest appear-ing to be the lowest under item No. 1, for the removal of the iron railing around Penn Squares:

assertain the reliability of the security offered by Mr. Earnest.

special objects not contemplated was \$478,000. The Controller calls attention to the assessment of personal property, and says that the State of Pennsylvania compels the city to pay tax on an amount equal to more than ten times the sum returned by the assessors, and the difference, instead of being paid by tax on personal effects, is charged and collected against real estate.

| Total expenditures for 1870<br>Deduct the following : | \$11,492,9        |
|---|-------------------|
| Temporary loan and inte-                              |                   |
| rest paid   | \$612,499.99      |
| Interest on gas loan                                  | 237,000.00        |
| Loan for school purposes<br>For extension of Water    | 280,977-09        |
| Works   | 676,883.83        |
| For Park improvements                                 | 961.417 47        |
|   |                   |
| For South Street Bridge                               | 78,657.49         |
| For House of Correction                               | 30,583*20         |
| For cuiverts  | 225,391.77        |
| For Fairmount Bridge                                  | 1,490.76          |
| For Park Fund   | 6,794-46          |
|   | 271,310.80        |
| Amount paid for claims                                | #113010.00        |
| For warrants of previous                              | A 494 A 14 A 14   |
| Years   | 2,692,141*26      |
| For State taxes<br>For highways, Twenty-              | 105,775-32        |
| second ward   | 15,231-99         |
| CONTRACTOR AND    | and second second |

#### Interest on City Loan. .....

For departments during 1870. 2,769,569 19 Warrants outstanding Jan. 1, 1871. 3.380.4824 Total cost of departments for 1570 .... \$6,150,081.)7 The funded debt of the city January 1, 1870, was as follows:-

| For improvement of Park.<br>For cuiverts<br>For school purposes.<br>For extension of Water<br>Works<br>For South Street Bridge<br>For House of Correction. | \$919,900-00<br>207,003-00<br>155,500-00<br>400,100-00<br>266,600 00 |              |
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| etc<br>For Gas Works   | 100,000-09   |              |
| Less amount redeemed   | \$3,498,400.00<br>236,104.91   | 2,953,935 09 |

| Total funded debt Jan, 1, 18<br>Comprising the following:<br>6 per cent, loan | the second second          |                 |
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| Temporary loan<br>Outstanding warrants<br>Six months' interest on             | 600,600 00<br>4,140,836 61 |                 |
| Six months' interest on<br>funded debt  | 1,836,699-20               | 6,077,535-81    |
| from in hands of film   |                            | \$50,781,764-84 |

| Treasurer for payments                                |                   |   |
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| of interest and warrants.<br>Cash in hands of Commis- | 2,044,325.32      |   |
| sioners of Sinking Fund<br>for payment of loans       |                   |   |
| maturing  | 424,204-91        | 2,468,530-23                                    |
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Total debt of city Jan. 1, 1871 ...... \$45,268,334-61 The annexed statement shows the revenue of the sity for 1870, derived from the departments, sale of 

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| City Railroad  | 11,469.46      |
| Water  | 913,861-85     |
| Fines and Penalties  | 3,912.90       |
| Pawnbroker's License   | 5,602-16       |
| Gunpowder License  | 90.00          |
| Theatrical License   | 900.000        |
| Petroleum License  | 830.00         |
| Foreign Fruit  | 35.00          |
| Inspectors of Prison   | 23,005.00      |
| Guardians of Poor  | 29,074-88      |
| Board of Health  | 22,578.04      |
| Lighting the City  | 1,511-14       |
| Police   | 1,241.40       |
| State Appropriation to   |                |
| Schools  | 194,675 32     |
| Sheriff  | 3,119-25       |
| Bailding Inspectors  | 8,628.67       |
| Law  | 51,399.18      |
| Markets  | 57,126.00      |
| Wharves and Landings   | 52,870.17      |
| City Property  | 16,901.57      |
| Ice Boat   | 1,050.29       |
| Miscellaneous  | 24,573-97      |
| Park Commission  | 11,057.10      |
| Survey   | 3,883 02       |
| Dividends on Stock, etc  | 553,659.00     |
| Inspectors of Steam En-  |                |
| gines, etc   | 3,290.93       |
| Port Wardens   | 858-75         |
| Superintend tof Highways,  |                |
| Twenty-third ward  | 3,975-67       |
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and dissemination of news, but the enterprise. \$5,143,753 36 although it had substantial backing, did not 2,373,251-24 prove a success. Mr. Johnson was a gental companion and a warm-hearted friend, and his death will be deeply lamented.

CRIME IN PHILADELPHIA.-At an early hour on Wednesday morning thieves effected an entrance into Martin's dye house at Richmond and Tioga streets. They "jimmied" a window shutter, and were in the act of packing up a quantity of goods to carry off when surprised by Policeman Cox. The latter found one of the doors open, and as he entered by this means, the thieves jumped out of the window, which they had forced open, and made their escape. They left behind them a large and bloody knife. There was blood also upon the floor. This part of the affair is wrapped in mystery.

On Tuesday night the stable of Mr. Brodhead, on Orchard street, Frankford, was broken into by thieves, who carried off a set of harness. On Wednesday night the stable of Henry Swope, in Frankford, and only a short distance from that of Mr. Brodhead, was also entered and robbed of a fine set of harness. No arrests were made in any of the above cases.

FIRE AT THE FALLS .- About 4 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the double twostory stone house at Bridge street and Ridge avenue, Falls of Schuylkill. The property was owned by Michael Mooney. One portion of h was occupied by Mr. Lewis Frier and family The other was not tenanted. In the unoccupies part of the house the flames originated, and notwithstanding the exertions of the firemen to check the same, the entire building was de-stroyed. Mr. Frier lost nearly all his furniture and clothing, besides \$60 in cash. The building was worth \$2000. The owner had an insurance on the same of \$1000 in the Royal.

THE IRISH STATE PRISONERS .- At large meeting of the friends of the Irish state prisoners, held in Gartland's Hall yesterday evening, having appointed a delegation of 100 men to participate in the New York celebration, unanimously resolved to tender the exiles a reception in Philadelphia. The meeting, which was presided over by Charles McDonough, Eugene Donney, Scretary, adjourned until Sunday afternoon, for the purpose of perfecting plans for the reception in this city.

IRVING LITERARY ASSOCIATION .- The grand annual ball of the Irving Literary Association will take place on next Tuesday evening at Musical Fund Hall. The music on the occasion will be under the personal direction of Mr Simon Hassler, and will include the best orchestral talent the city affords. The balls given by this organization are always attended by the elite of our city.

STOLE & BAG OF COFFEE. -- George Adams the name of an individual who was arrested last night upon the charge of the theft of a bag of coffee from a store at Second street and Washington avenue. He had a hearing before Alderman Lutz, and was committed for trial.

PARDONED .- We understand that George Mountjoy, who was convicted of whisky frauds upon the internal revenue, has been pardoned - \$2,042,763.26 by President Grant.

ing circular has been issued by the Freedmen's Commission, which is engaged in the work of educating the negroes of the Southern States. We commend it to the consideration of our readers:-

Since 1862 the Freedmen's Commission has been carrying on the work of school and Christian educa-tion among the negroes of the Southern States, partly by means of private beneficence, and partly by aid received from the United States Joyernment.

During the last school year, ending July, 1870, the Pennsylvania branch was able to maintain 115 teachers, as follows:--in Virginia, 49; Maryland, 45; South Carolina, 12; North Carolina, 3; Mississippi, About 6000 freed people have been under instruc-tion. Very little clothing or other aid has been sent them during the past year. The colored people have been able to assume a still g. ater share of the support of their schools.

In many instances they have built good achoolnonses, and the establishment of a church is frequently the out-growth of the school. A few of the quently the out-growth of the school. A few of the schools of the association have been adopted by the State authorities, who frequently make application for teachers of our selection, also for pupils out of our normal schools to become teachers in their State schools. It is pleasant to record the fact that the prejudice against Northern teachers has greatly diminished, and that their valuable work and influence have come to be recognized, The sid which this association received last year

from the United States Government, viz.: \$10 per month for each 30 pupils, is necessarily withdrawn since the abolition of the Freedmen's Bureau. The work will henceforward depend wholy upon private subscriptions. The association has been able thus far this year to open all its best schools, and send most of its experienced teachers, numbering forty.

It greatly desires to increase the number. Almost every day brings entienting letters, pray-ing with touching earnestness that former schools may be resumed, or new ones planted, promising, in many cases, that the freed people will pay two-thirds of all expenses. The thirst for aducation scems unabated. It is with grief that this associa-tion refuse aid to any of these people; and feeling that it may lay just claim to public condidence for its past record, it appeals for aid to maintain and enlarge its work. To former friends and coworkers again addresses itself. Be not weary in well-

OUR PASSENGER TRAFFIC .- From the official report of the Bureau of Statistics we learn that during the quarter ending September 80, 1870, the number of passengers from foreign countries arriving in the port of Philadelphia was 181, of whom 142 were immigrants and 39 not immigrants. Of the immigrants, 67 were males and 75 females; 37 were under the age of 15, 90 under forty, and 15 above forty years. There was but one death on the voyage. Of the immigrants, 4 were natives of Great Britain, 93 of Ireland, 2 of Germany, 5 of Italy, 33 of the West Indies, and 5 of other countries. The occupations of the immigrants were classed as follows:-4 engineers, 23 laborers, 24 seamstresses, and 16 servants, the remainder, excepting 63, being classed under other occupations.

ASSAULT ON A COLORED MAN .- James Barret was taken into custody at Arch street wharf, on the Delaware, last night, for committing a murderous assault on a colored man. It is alleged that he beat the African on the head with a cast-iron bar, inflicting serious injuries. James was introduced to Alderman Toland, who sent him to prison.

SIGNED THE SUPPLEMENT .- The Mayor this morning signed the supplementary ordinance providing that all the appointments made by the Fire Commissioners, under the new paid fire bill, shall be first approved by Select Council; also providing for the advertising for proposals for material required by the said Commissioners.

A DISORDERLY CHARACTER .- Edward Flanagan was arrested at Nineteenth and Market streets last night for drunkenness. He was taken to the Sixth District Station-house and locked up with another prisoner. During the night Flanagan beat his cell companion in an unmerciful manner. This morning he had a hearing before Alderman Jones, and was committed in default of \$600 bail.

A LECTURE will be delivered this evening at Concert Hall by Rev. William Adams, D. D., of New York. Subject:-"The Advantages of a Written Revelation." A fine discourse may be expected.

TRIFLING FIRE .- The explosion of a coal-oil lamp in a house on Huntingdon street, below Salmon, last night, was the cause of an alarm of fire

the committee aiready provided for a similar purpose.

Mr. Stokley moved to strike out that part awarding the contract, and insert "to refer the bids of Mr. Earnest, Mr. Carrol, and Mr. Nichol to the committee for action." Agreed to Mr. Wetkerill moved that the bids of Messrs. Binswanger and Bridges & Bonafon be referred

to the same committee. Agreed to. Mr. Philips moved to increase the committee of five. Agreed to.

The Chair named the committee as follows-Huhp, chairman; Wetherill, Stokley, Philips, and Rice. Adjourned.

AN ACKNOWLEDGMENT.-We have received \$10 from W. J. Young for the benefit of the widow of Captain Christian.

PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES. Reported by De Haven & Bro., No. 49 S. Third street, BETWEEN BOARDS. BETWEEN \$2000 Leh 6s, 54..... 55 \$2000 Leh R L...c. 91 56 sh Penna RR... 625( 10 de 100 sh Reading R. 40 do is.s5w 11 do .....h 492 do 13.85wn. 40 do ....ls. 49 do.s5wn&1.49 100 do. ... &in. 49 81 
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#### Philadelphia Trade Report.

FRIDAY, Jan. 20.-Seeds-Cloverseed is in small upply and meets with a fair demand. 50 bags choice uncleaned sold at 11% c. Timothy may be quoted at \$606.625, and Flaxseed at \$26.210. Bark-In the absence of sales we quote No. 1

Quercitron at \$50 \$ ton. There is a good demand for Flour from the home

consumers and some inquiry on speculation. The receipts and stocks are light and holders very firm in their views. About 1900 barrels sold, including superfine at \$5; extras at \$6; Northwestern extra family at \$6:50@7:25; Pennsylvania \$0, do, at \$6:25@6:50, and Iudiana and Ohio do. do. at \$6 TD@7'75, as in quality. Rye Flour sells at \$512] @5 25. In Corn Meal nothing doing. There is a very firm feeling in the Wheat market. and for prime lots, the offerings of which are light, a steady demand prevails from the local millers. Sales of 2000 bushels Indiana red at \$155.21 60: 1500 bushels Pennsylvania do., choice, at \$150, and 500 bushels Indiana white at \$170. Hye may be quoted at 95.2016, for Western and Pennsylvania. Corn is firm at the recent advance: sales of \$000 bushels at 77c. for yellow, and 75c. for Westera mixed. Oats are unchanged; 1500 bushels Fennsylvania sold at 59c. Whisky is active, 150 barrels Western iron-

bound sold at 93c., and 50 barrels do. on private terma.

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Gents' Cloth Gloves, 44, 50, 65 to 75c, Ladies' Castor Gauutlets, \$1.25. Gents' Underwear, closing out. Ladies' Underwear, 75, \$1, \$1 25 up. A lot slightly solled Kid Gloves of all brands and all sizes, at 75c, per pair, to close out quick, at

No. 23 North EIGHTH Street. 15 thetau

ance with the recommendation of the President's message. As soon as an answer is received the committee will proceed with a consideration of the subject.

#### Commissioner of the Land Office. Despatch to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.-The Senate Committee on Public Lands this morning agreed to report favorably on the nomination of Willis Drummond to succeed Joseph S. Wilson as Commissioner of the General Land Office. Presidential Nominations.

## Despatch to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, January 20 .- The President sent the following nominations to the Senate to-day :- M. Buckley to be Pension Agent at Louisville, Kentucky.

Naval Promotions-Commodore William R. Taylor to be Rear-Admiral; Captain Napoleon Collins to be Commodore; Commander Taomas S. Phelps to be Captain; Lieutenant-Commander Charles J. McDongal to be Commander: Ensign B. S. Richards to be Master.

## FROM NEW YORK.

The Returned Fenlans. New Yonk, Jan. 20.—Shortly after noon to-day the Irish exiles, in two carriages, escorted by a company of the 69th Regiment, passed up Broadway en route to their quarters. There was much excitement, and throngs approached the carriage windows with cheers. The crowd followed the exiles to Sweeney's Hotel, where they engaged rooms, persistently declining offers of hospitality tendered them. They retired, refusing to see anybody.

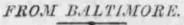
The Albany Express Robber Identified.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 20.-The Chief of Police and several detectives this morning took Filkins into the presence of Halpin, when the latter unhesitatingly declared that he is the man who entered his car.

## FROM THE WEST.

#### Flouring Mill Barned.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 20 .- The flouring mill of Fink & Nasse, at Moro, Illinois, was burned on Wudnesday night. Loss, \$20,000: insured for \$11,000. About \$30,000 was raised at a meeting on Change this noon for the benefit of the sufferers by the burning of the 'steamer McGill. and for the recovery and burial of the bodles of those lost. A committee was appointed to raise additional funds.



#### Murder and Saleide.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 20 .- This morning Mes. Mary Ann Anderson, a widow, aged forty-five, residing at No. S5 South Caroline street, was shot and killed by Peter Nesburg, who then shot himself through the head, causing instant death. Nesburg was a seaman, aged about forty, and boarded with Mrs. Anderson when in the city. He had proposed marriage to her, which she declined, and which is the supposed cause of the tragedy.

#### FROM NEW ENGLAND.

The Secret Service. BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 20 .- Colonel Whitley, Chief of United States Secret Service Division of the Treasury Department, has organized a New England branch of the service, headquarters at Boston.

# FROM THE DOMINION.

#### Hotel Burned in Ottawa.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20 .- The St. James Hotal was burned early this morning. Many of the inmates barely escaped with their lives, in their night clothing.

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| PORT OF PHIL | ADELPHIA JANUARY 20   |
|              | METER AT THE EVENING TELEGRAPH<br>OFFICE.<br>  11 A. M40   2 P. M42 |
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mps wyoming and Manhattan, from Liverpool.

#### ARRIVED THIS MORNING.

N. G. ship Elena, Bohlmand, 54 days from Bremen via Sandy Hook, in ballast to L. Westergaard & Co. Steamship Rattlesnake, Winnett, 24 hours from New York, in ballast to T. M. Richards.

New York, in cannot to T. al. Recurds. Steamer Utility, Nickerson, 36 hours from Provi-dence, with mdse, to D. S. Stetson & Co. Steamer W. Whilidin, Riggans, 13 hours from Bal-timore, with mdse, and passengers to A. Groves, Jr. Br. bark Countess of Fife, Davidson, 45 days from iverpool, with mdse, to Peter Wright & Sons, Bark Caroline, Sjolund, from Newcastle, Nov. 23,

with mdse, to Peter Wright & Sons. Nor. bark Enstateingen, Jenssen, from Gotten-burg, Oct s, with iron to Naylor & Co.-vessel to L. Westergaard & Co. Schr Nellie H. Benedict, Ellis, from New York,

with I'nseed to Stevenson & Son Schr B. P. Kirg, Wilkle, 13 days from Port Med-way, N. S., with lumber to order.

Schr Com. Stewart, Herron, from Dick Island.

MEMORANDA.

Steamer Hercules, Doughty, hence, arrived at New Orleans at 3 P. M. yesterday.

# TO IRON MANUFACTURERS

U. S. LIGHTHOUSE DEPOT. Office Lighthouse Engineer Third District, TOMPRINSVILLE, Staten Island, N. Y., January 13, 1871. ) PROPOSALS FOR SCREW-PILE LIGHT-

HOUSES.

SEALED PROPOSALS from Iron Foundries will be received at this office until MONDAY, the 13th day of February, 1871, at 12 o'elock M., for the entire IRON and WOODWORK of TWO SCREW-PILE LIGHTHOUSES, the plans and specifications of which are for inspection at this office. A suitable place will be rovided by the contractor for the setting up of the entire structure for inspection and accept-

ance. The contractor, who must be a manufacturer of iron, will include in his proposals the cost of taking down and delivering on board the vessels provided by the undersigned for shipment of the same.

Proposals will state the time of completing the structures.

The right to reject any proposals that may be deemed disadvantageous to the Government is reserved.

Proposals will be in duplicate, accompanied by a guarantee in duplicate, with a printed copy of this advertisement affixed to each proposal, and will be addressed to the undersigned. and endorsed "Proposal for Screw-pile Light-J. C. WOODRUFF, Lieut.-Colonel of Engineers, U. S. houses.

1 2013 13 Lighthouse Engineer Third District.

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BARTHOLOMEWS

#### Great Kid Glove Emporium,