CITY INTELLIGENCE.

JIMMY HAGGERTY.

He is Going the Way of All Flesh Of all the famous roughs that Philadelphia has been afflicted with, the most reckless, daring, and unscrupulous was Jimmy Haggerty. He had been the terror of the city up to the time when he escaped out of the clutches of the law by breaking through a posse of Mayor Fox's Democratic policemen, and fied to New York. It would be quite impossible to specify even the more notorious of the crimes he has

committed here.
In New York he carried himself with the same disdain of all law and order that he had manifested here, shooting, stabbing, punching, robbing, whenever an opportunity presented itself.

His last achievement was an attempt to kill "Reddy the Blacksmith," but as all villains are said to have as many lives as a cat, Reddy recovered. By the following special despatch which we have just received, it will be seen that these two roughs resumed their vendetta this morning, and, according to its contents, Jimmy is mortally wounded.

New York, Jan. 25 .- James Haggerty, a notorious character, was shot early this morning by William Varley, better known as "Reddy the Blacksmish," in a saloon at the corner of Broadway and Houston street, and is mortally Haggerty first fired three shots at Varley without effect, when his opponent re-turned spiritedly, and Jimmy went down. It is thought he cannot possibly recover.

POLITICAL.

The Seventeenth Representative District Con-vention.

This morning the delegates of the various wards comprising the Seventeenth Legislative district, met at the corner of Frankford road and Unity street, for the purpose of putting a candidate in the field for Representative to succeed Joseph A. Campbell, deceased. This district has always been largely Republican, and at the last election for Representative the Re-publicans only falled from want of unity and energy. The district comprises the Nineteenth. Twenty-third, and Twenty-fifth wards. Harry Copeland, Twenty-lifth ward, is President of this convention. T. Howard Griffith, of the Twenty-fifth ward, and George A. Shallcross, of the Twenty-third ward, were the candidates. The latest intelligence from the convention is as follows, showing a tie: -Shallcross

The contest is lively. G. Howard Griffith received the nomination

A Ludicrous Affair .- A Jerseyman came to this city yesterday and purchased a horse, for which he gave \$500. Rejoiced at having secured a good bargain, he commenced paying his respects to "John Barleycorn," and leading his horse by a hitching-strap, he wended his way down town. On arriving at Shippen street he tied the animal to a post and stepped into a tavern to take another "smile." temporary absence a dishouest youth of ragged appearance, named John Fallon, came along, and seeing no one about cut the strap and led the horse away. Some police officers observing Fallon leading such a valuable animal and deeming something wrong, took him into custody. Meanwhile the Jerseyman had become so elated that, staggering out of the groggery he proceeded to his home across the river utterly oblivious of the fact that he had bought a horse during the day. After making inquiries the officers learned that the animal had been stolen from a resident of New Jersey, and they after diligent search learned his name. He was notified to appear at the Central Station this afternoon, at which place Fallon will have a hearing.

THE COAL TONNAGE of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad and branches for the week ending Saturday, January 21, 1871, was as follows:—

BY RAILROAD.

	Total for Week.	week	Increase and Decrease.
Passing over Main Line and			
Lebanon Valley and East Pennsylvania branches	5,565 13	33,067:04	d27,501 11
For shipment by Canal Shipped Westward via N.		*****	1.1.141
Central Railroad	2,976 06	9,993.11	d17'0
Shipped West and South from Pine Grove		271.05	505 91
Consumed on Lateral	630.08	1,442.08	d81214
Lehigh and Wyoming Co Total Anth, paying freight		37,862:06	2,832 07 d24,942 0
Total all kinds paying	5,876 19	2,225 14	8,651 07
freight	18,796:17		d21,291°0
Coal for Company's use Total tonnage for week			d1,114'0'
Previously this year	543,500,04	419,261 15	124,938:0
Total to date SHIPPED	BY CANAL	461,294 10	101,802-1
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A COUNTRYMAN VICTIMIZED BY SHARPERS .-A farmer halling from Bucks county yesterday went into a drinking saloon at New Market and Willow streets. While there he fell in with three other men, who seemed to manifest a great friendship for him. They slapped him on the back in a friendly way, and while talking to him managed to relieve him of \$80 in cash. Discovering his loss, he notified the proprietor of the place, who sent for the police. Before the officers came two of the thieves made their escape, and the third one was ar-rested. He gave the name of John Bryan, and on his person were found a revolver, a screwdriver, and a portion of the stolen money, which was fully identified by the countryman. Bryan will have a hearing at the Central Sta-

NEARLY FROZEN TO DEATH .- The Schuylkill Harbor Police on Monday night found a man named Thomas Newland frozen to insensibility at the west end of Market street bridge. They carried him into a neighboring tavern, where by the administration of stimulants and vigorous rubbing they succeeded in restoring him. He was subsequently removed to his home, No. 1922

On the same night an unknown man was found lying in the snow on Chesnut street bridge. He was carried into the office of a marble yard in the vicinity, and after great exertions he was made sufficiently conscious to tell where he lived, but could not articulate his name. He was taken to his home, at Fourth

GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC .- To-day the annual convention of the State Department of the Grand Army of the Republic will assemble at Allentown. The following are the delegates and post commanders from this city: -Post 2-Joshua T. Owen, Joseph R. Souder, Robert L. Bodine, P. C.

Post 5-George W. Lees. Samuel Blanck.

Post 6-Louis Wagner. Gavin Neilson, P. C. Post 8-William D. Connelly. William J

Mackey, P. C. Post 19—William Shelmire, A. M. K. Storrie, Joseph A. Kauffman. James Heslet, P. C. Post 71-M. D. Dunlgan. William C. Barnes.

DELINQUENT GOVERNMENT TAX-PAYERS .-United States Commissioners Biddle, Phillips, and Clarke for the past few days have been engaged in disposing of the cases of lawyors, physicians, and numerous retail dealers who have falled to pay the \$10 special tax required by the United States revenue laws. A large majority of the delinquents, apon being brought before the Commissioners, after a little grumbling, settled their indebtedness to Uncle Sam. In a few instances the accused either plead a want of means or absolutely refused to pay the license, and are accordingly bound over for

FELL ON THE ICE.—About 12 o'clock last night James Scanlan fell on the ice on Frankford road, below Marlborough street, and severely injured himself. He was removed to his home, on Howard street, below Jefferson.

George J. McGowan slipped and fell heavily
on the ice at Sixteenth and Arch streets last night. He was removed to the Sixth District

eeeded in restoring him to consciousness. SUDDEN DEATH .- The Coroner has been notified to hold an inquest on the body of Arthur Burkeitt, who died suddenly last night on Jarvie street, below Fourth.

Station, and a physician called in, who suc-

IS HE A SHIRTLESS HERO? An Eccentric Councilman Regarded Suspi-

Clousty—He Acknowledges Himself a Clown. There is a lively contest in Councils now for the right to a seat in the Common Branch from the Sixteenth ward. Mr. White is the sitting member. His contestant one Eisenbrown. The interest of this show centres not so much in the ownership of the seat in contest, as it does in the "merry Andrew" who represents the sitting member, and who is so far from being the hero of the boiled skirt, that it is said on many sides, "He wears no shirt at all."
When we mention the episode of the cracked bell of the State House, and the remark, which, from its blunt honesty, is commendable—"I will have nothing to do with 'rings' unless I am in them"—the reader will at once remember the name of James Logan. Mr. Logan admits that while he is the best-abused man in Common Council, he is the clown of the Chamber, and every time he presses the horny hand of a re-porter gushingly says, "Put this in the paper. You can't hurt me. You see, people begin to

Mr. Logan, to the honors which come from his career as a Councilman and green-grocer, adds those which usually attend a lecturer and lawyer. He grasps at every opportunity to air his logic and display his legal penetration. Naturally, when he discovered that one of the parties to the present contest, Mr. White, had no counsel, he volunteered his services, which in the innocence of his soul Mr. White accepted. But the committee, unhappily, ridicule the at-tainments of Mr. Logau, and his opponents have a full license to bombard him with shafts of wit censure, and withering contempt. It is Mr Logan's practice-and it will do our barrister much good to adopt it-to wait in silence until all the witnesses for the prosecution are examined, then to rise, quote voluminously from "Purdon," and read a protest against the entire proceedings upon the ground of illegality. Here is strategy; for if the protest be agreed to. then has he saved himself much trouble and breath, and suffered nought. But if it is not,

Yesterday Mr. Logan repeated this strategy. His point was that the witnesses had not been legally interrogated, having been questioned not by himself, not by any other counsel of the respondent, but by one of the committee. The Chairman—"We appointed a man of equally good intelligence with yourself to in-

terrogate them. Why didn't you question (Members, sotto voce) -"I guess he's got a shirt

Mr. Logan-"I don't see fit, Mr. Chairman, to tell this committee what my objections are; but when I do give you them, I will have proofs!" (Members, confidentially)—"He says he will

have proofs. Oh! ah!" Mr. Hetzell (for Eisenbrown, who contests the seat)-"I have sat here and heard a great many words of wisdom from the mouth of Mr. Logan, and a great deal that is about the law of the case. While we are going to the trouble of bringing people here to testify, he is constantly declaring that this is an illegal court; and I understand that his action in this is simply a pre liminary to an attempt in Conneils to upset th committee, and I believe this is what Mr. Logan is getting at. (Sensation, cries of "Oh! oh! during which the gentleman referred to winked knowingly to his client.) "We all know that the gentleman wants notoriety, because he thinks it will make him popular. He has had his name in the papers two or three times, and thinks that is everything a member of Common Coun-(Voices-"He hits him hard!" "Logan quails!

Hetzell, continuing-"These are frivolous protests. It is a very nice thing to get up, after sitting still all the time during the examination, and saying 'I object,' but it wont go down. I think that this committee will have more respect for itself and its own intelligence than to follow this whimsical clown's advice!"

The Chairman, sarcastically-"The clerk will note that Mr. Logan was present at this meeting, and therefore the respondent was repre-

sented by 'able counsel! Logan-"I would say that these gentlemen who manage the case for the contestant are talking in a peculiar way. The Chairman-"Exactly! Put that down.

Mr. Clerk. 'Peculiar' is good. The gentleman is getting down to law now. Logan-"I being a professional man, claim the

right to talk in my own way. I don't protest to get my name in the paper. I-I, gentlemen, have had notoriety enough. Hetzell—"Yes. You refer now to the 'Song of the Shirt;' got enough of that yesterday,

didn't you?" (A member-"'What's he to Hecuba, Hecuba to him?' Let bim drink hot blood.") Logan-"I have the right to let the witnesses all be examined, then protest to them in a

Mr. Mitchell (a committeeman)-"The gen tleman has questioned the illegality of this court. I suppose in what he has said he does not refer to me. What would have been an insult from any one else would be a compliment from him

Then the meeting adjourned and the offended Logan, with "Purdon" under his dexter arm, and his hat set rakiskly over his left eye, glided from the Chamber. This afternoon the curtain will be lifted on another act.

AN ATTEMPT was made on Monday night last to enter the residence No. 3305 Arch street, West Philadelphia. The robbers burst off the bolt of the shed outside the kitchen, then forced the lock of the kitchen door, but the upper and lower bolts being well secured, and the door a very strong one, they were bailled. They then tried the west kitchen window with a jimmy, but countersunk bolts here stopped them. Then they likewise tried the east kitchen window, with like success. Their efforts were then directed to the pantry window, but although the thutters are badly mutilated, they did not succeed in effecting an entrance. A pocketknife used as a wedge at this window they were unable to withdraw. The footprints in the snow lead to the belief that they scaled the back fence and proceeded up Howell street to Thirtyfourth, thence to Race, and doubtless to Mr. Bateman's house, where such bloody work was

perpetrated the same night. There is one policeman on this beat, having s circuit of over a mile. He is not to blame if houses are entered. A larger force is certainly

demanded in that district. SLIGHT FIRE .- About half-past four o'clock this morning a fire broke out in a shed in the rear of No. 412 Locust street. This shed covered a boller used in the establishment of E. J. Newland, manufacturing jeweller. The fire was discovered by Officer Gillespie, who run in to the steam, and was thereby badly scalded. No alarm was sounded, but three fire companies, by their timely arrival, prevented what might have been a disastrous conflagration.

THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS .- The Grand Lodge the Knights of Pythias of Pennsylvania, which is now holding its annual session at Handel and Haydn Hall, in this city, has elected the following officers to serve during the cur-

Grand Chancellor-George H. Jones. Grand Banker-William T. Rose.

Grand Recording Secretary-George Hawkes. Grand Outer Sentinel-Henry Strockbine. AUCTION SALE. - This noon, at the Exchange James M. Freeman disposed of the following

Two and a half-story brick house, No. 280

Three-story brick house, No. 1154 Camberland street, lot 20 by 78 feet, subject to \$22.50 ground rent per appearance. to \$22.50 ground rent per annum......\$1900 A SERIES OF CHARGES .- Edward McKinley who was yesterday held to bail to answer the charge of swindling one Mrs. Amos of \$86, has been held in \$3000 additional bail to answer the charges of larceny, till-tapping money under false pretenses, etc. larceny, till-tapping, collecting

HOMELESS WANDEREES .- The cold weather of last night compelled 129 poor creatures to seek shelter at the Third District Stationhouse. No arrests were made in that district during the day or night.

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TO-DAY'S WASHINGTON NEWS. LATEST

The Income Tax Question.

Sec'y Boutwell Opposed to Repeal.

The Line and Staff Quarrel.

Proceedings of Congress,

Afternoon Cable Advices.

Will of Ex - President Lopez.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Secretary Boutwell on the Income Tax.

Special Despatch to the Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 .- Secretary Boutwell was before the Ways and Means Committee this morning, and gave his views on the income tax and the policy of abolishing it at this time. He does not agree with the Commissioner of Internal Revenue on the question, and is opposed to any action being taken at this session. The Secretary estimates that the revenue from tax on incomes this year would reach fourteen millions, and that the cost of collection will not exceed half a million. The conflicting statements of Boutwell and Pleasanton were discussed by the committee, but no action was taken.

The Appropriation Committee postponed action on Lawrence is and Butler's propositions concerning the Pacific Railroad to-day, for the purpose of considering the deficiency appropriation bills, and to examine witnesses in the matter of the stamped envelope contract.

It is proposed in the committee that the decision of the Attorney-General compelling

The Pacific Railroad Companies to pay their interest due the Government be allowed to remain in abeyance until the question shall have been tried and decided by the

Line and Staff.

Parties in the interest of the staff officers of the navy are endeavoring to secure a favorable consideration by the Senate of the bill to regalate rank in the navy just as it passed the House. It is believed, however, that if the Senate takes any action on the bill at this session it will be to amend it so as to make it more acceptable to line officers. Transportation of Specie.

Despatch to the Associated Press.

Washington, Jan. 25 .- A deputation of Treasurv clerks have just returned from Santa Fe, having superintended the transportation in safety thither of half a million dollars on public account.

It was enclosed in four light iron safes, and conveyed from the terminus of railway communications in wagons, under military escort, occupying two weeks.

Official despatches from the Asiatic and West India Squadron cers and seamen in good condition.

Indian Affairs. The Secretary of the Interior, with the approval of the President, has asked the Senate for the withdrawal, now pending in that body, of the treaty with the Chippewa and Munze or Christian Indians, who hope to make other arrangements for the settlement of their tribal affairs through the medium of Congressional legislation.

FROM EUROPE.

Will of Ex-President Lopez.

LONDON, Jan. 24-3 30 P. M .- Lord Penzance, in his capacity of head of the Probate Court of England, has granted Mrs. Lynch letters of administration upon the will of ex-President Lopez, of Paraguay. The execution of the original will by Lopez was proved by an affidavit of General McMahon, former Minister of the United States to Paraguay.

FROM NEW YORK.

Proposals for Bonds.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25 .- There were twelve proposals for bonds to-day, amounting to \$2,197,500, from 107.33 to 107.65. The awards will be \$1,000,000 from 107-88 to 107-50.

FROM THE STATE.

Contract Awareed for Publishing the Legisla-tive Record. Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph HARRISBURG, Jan. 25 .- The contract for pub-

lishing the Legislative Record has been unanimously awarded by each house to John M. Corson and A. J. McCleary jointly. WILL OF NATHAN BARRETT .- This morning

the will of Nathan Barrett was admitted to probate in the Register of Wills' office. It contains the following public bequest: -The Goshenhoppen German Reformed

Church," near Pennsburg, Montgomery county, Pa. \$500 Prinity German Reformed Church. 100 Philadelphia Bible Society..... Northern Home for Friendless Children.... 100 Philadelphia Society for the Employment and Instruction of the Poor....

Pennsylvania Institution for the Instruction 100 Northern Dispensary.
Salem German Reformed Church.....

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MARKERIEN. (For additional Morriages see Afth page.)
ROSS-SCANLIN.—On Tuesday evening, January
24th, at the residence of the bride's futher, John Scanlin, Esq., by the Rev. W. H. Munroe, Rector of the Emanuel P. E. Church, assisted by the Rev. M. L. Ross, of Brooklyn, N. Y., John Ross to Miss Tilly Scanlin, both of this city.

LATEST NOVELTY.

"THE BARONIAL ENVELOPE.

WM. H. HOSKINS, Stationer, Card Engraver, Steam Power Printer,

No. 913 AHCH Street,

WEDDING AND ENGAGEMENT RINGS of solid 18-karat fine gold. QUALITY WAR BANTED. A full assortment of six*s always on hand. FARE & BRO. "HER, Makers, 86, 884 CHESBUT Street, below Fourth.

Italy and the Pope.

Antonelli on Compromise.

Death Before Surrender.

Matters at the Capital. The Reported Detention of Mr. Schenck

The Story a Fabrication.

FROM EUROPE.

ROME, Jan. 24. The Prince and Princess of Piedmont left Florence yesterday, took refreshments at Terni, and arrived at Rome at four o'clock in the afternoon. There was an immense crowd at the station and the Oulrinal Palace. The weather was horrible. The troops of the garrison and four legions of National Guard paraded, and the Prince and Princess, with General La Marmora and Prince Dorea, drove to the palace in an open carriage, where they were received with enthusiastic demonstrations. Both were called out to the balcony again and again with tremendous applause. The Princess Margarette wore a blue velvet maatle and white satin embroidered scarf, with the colors of the house of Savoy. There was perfect order and the illaminations were general.

The Ambassadors of Austria and North Germany, in compliance with instructions from their various governments, inquired of Antonelli what

Guarantees the Pope would regard as sufficient on the part of the Italian Government to remove his dissent to the civil and religious authorities? Antonelli Replied

that by order of the Pope he had intimated to the authorities of Rome that his Holiness Wished No Guarantees

but a pure and simple restitution of the territorles of the Church and the Neapolitan frontier of the Po. He would accept no arrangement not based on these conditions.

The Pope's Health is Good and he occupies his time receiving visitors. The Belgian deputation presented him an offering from

The Catholics of Belglum. and in an address

The Pope Replied. "I thank you for having come to comfort me in these painful circumstances. Doubtless God, our principal support, flath sent you; but it is natural that the affection of the children should keep up the courage of the father. Continue in the way in which you are walking; do not allow yourselves to be cast down. What is happening to-day is only a trial of the Church. The Church was born amidst trials, has always lived amidst trials, and will close its career on earth amidst trials.

French Forward Movement. LONDON, Jan. 24-3 P. M .- A despatch from Berney of Jan. 24 says:-"A French detachment is marching upon Abbeville, well supplied with artillery."

Attempted Escape of French Prisoners. A despatch from Brussels, Jan. 24, says the French prisoners held at Llege made another attempt to escape, but the timely discovery of the plot by the Belgians prevented a successful issue. The Belgian authorities effected an Important Seizure

Yesterday Afternoon's Quotations LONDON, Jan. 24-5 P.M. - Consols closed at 9236 for money and account. United States 5-20s quiet and steady; of 1862, 90%; of 1865, 89%; of 1867, 88%; 10-408, 88%; Railways quiet; Erie, 18%; Illinois Central, 110; Atlantic and Great Western, 27%.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 24—5 P. M.—Upland Cotton, 73%

8d.; Orleans, 51/281/d. Sales to-day, 12,000 bales, including 2000 for export and speculation. Common rosin, 6s. 9d.@7s. Spirits of petroleum, 1s. 4d. Turpentine, 56s.@86s. 6d. Linseed oil, £32. Linseed cakes, £10 5s.@£10 10s.

LONDON, Jan. 24—5 P. M.—Refined petroleum easier at 1s. 6d.@1s. 6½d. Sperm oil firmer at £80

ANTWERP, Jan. 24,-Petroleum, 52f. asking price.

FROM WASHINGTON.

General Schenck's Detention a Fabrication. Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

Washington, Jan. 25.—The statement sent to the afternoon papers of Boston and Philadel-phia yesterday, to the effect that General Schenck's departure for England is delayed on account of instructions alleged to have been received by the English Minister concerning the Alabama claims, is pronounced in official circles to be a fabrication. Senator Sumner authorizes the statement that he has not written or spoken to Secretary Fish about the opposition to any proposed concessions which the President might

make with regard to the mode of Settling the Alabama Claims. The only communication affecting our Government recently received by the British Minis-

ter relates to the settlement of The Fishery Question, which Great Britain desires to be considered and adjusted at an early day. This question will be covered by Schenck's instructions.

The New Congress. The action of the House Judiciary Committee in authorizing its chairman to-day to report adversely upon the bill to repeal the act requiring Copgress to organize on the 4th of March is regarded assettling the point that there will be at least a two months' session of the new Congress. The general feeling among the members elect is to take up and consider the business which will go over from this session for want of time.

Pesyatch to the Associated Press. Washington, Jan. 25 .- The bill reported today by Mr. Hooper, from the Committee of Ways and Means, and passed by the House, with the Senate amendment concurred in, provides that merchandise having arrived on or before the 31st day of December, 1870, and not entered or transferred to a bonded warehouse, shall be entitled to entry as if such merchandise had been in a bonded warehouse on that day, provided the importer apply therefor in writing to the collector within thirty days. It also pro-

vides for the entry of gin, rum, and whisky at

the rate of \$2, being the same rate as on

The Old and New Tariffs.

Baitimore Produce Market.

Baltimore, Jan. 25.—Cotton held firm; midding upland, 15%15%c.; low middling, 14%@15c.
Flour firm and in good demand; Howard Street supernae,\$547@570; do. extra,\$650@725; do. family, \$750@9; City Mills supernae, \$5475@750; do. extra, \$650@8; do. family, \$5450@10.75; Western superfine, \$5475@750; do. extra, \$6475@8; do. extra, \$6575@750; do. extra, \$6475@8; do. extra, \$6575@750; do. extra, \$6475@750; do. extra, \$6.75@8; do. family, \$5.25@10.75; Western superfine, \$5.25@15; do. extra, \$6.25@7; do. family, \$7.25. Wheat firm and scarce; choice white, \$2; fair to prime \$1.00@180; prime to choice red, \$1.90@2; fair to good, \$1.55@180; common, \$1.45@150; Ohio and Indiana, \$1.55@175; Pennsyvania, \$1.50@160; Ohio and Indiana, \$1.55@175; Pennsyvania, \$1.50@160; Ohio and Indiana, \$1.55@160; Common, \$1.45@150; Ohio and Indiana, \$1.55@160; Common, \$1.45@150; Ohio and Indiana, \$1.55@160; Common, \$1.45@150; yellow,78@790. Oats quiet at 53@560. Mess Pork more quiet at \$22.50@22.75. Bacon less active; rib sides, 120.; clear do., 1256.; shoulders, 1056.; hams, 18@180. Lard quiet at 13@13540. Whisky strong at 94@950,

FROM THE WEST.

Charged with Arnon. MEMPHIS, Jan. 25,-James Schooles, proprietor of a variety theatre, and J. Hays, a negro minstrel employed there, were arrested last evening on the charge of burning Broome's Opera House, a rival establishment, some weeks since. The Grand Jury indicted them, and bound over the former in \$8000, and the latter in \$6000. Hays, in default of ball, was sent to

reassembled yesterday, and bills were introduced repealing the usury laws, and directing the Judiciary Committee to report a bill abolishing the board of school visitors. Judge Noah D. English, a prominent lawyer

The Mississippi Legislature

prison.

and Mason, died in Little Rock on Sunday of congestive chills. W. B. Graves, a citizen of Clark county, was

found frozen to death last evening.

CONGRESS. FORTY-FIRST TERM - THIRD SESSION.

Sennte. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 .- Senator-elect F. P. Blair, of Missouri, whose presence was announced by his colleague Mr. Schurz, appeared and took the oath of office. He was then appointed to fill the vacancies on the Committee on the Pacific Railroad and Education and Labor.

Mr. Cole reported, with amendments, the West Point Appropriation bill. Mr. Trumbull, from the Judiciary Committee, reported back adversely the bill lately introduced by himself in reference to life insurance com-

Mr. Williams' resolution for a special Senate committee upon telegraph legislation was taken up as the business of the morning hour.
Objection was made because of the supposed effect of the resolutions in compelling the recommittal of bills already matured by standing

The morning hour expiring, the resolution went over without action. Mr. Sumner forwarded to the Secretary, and had read, the credentials of his colleague, Mr. Wilson, re-elected for six years from March 4

committees, and now pending on the calendar,

next. At 1 o'clock Mr. Schurz was awarded the floor on Mr. Trumbull's pending Civil Service Reform bill, but gave way temporarily to Mr. Howell, on whose motion the House bill granting pensions to soldiers and sailors, and widows of deceased soldlers of the war of 1812, was taken up and read.

Mr. Howell said the Pension Committee had reported the bill without amendments, so that it would not have to be sent back to the House to be again discussed and perhaps lost.

Mr. Morton did not believe that these pen-

sioners should be required to prove themselves virtually paupers. Mr. Howell, in reply to Mr. Ramsey, stated the estimated expenditure under the bill at half a million to start with, and as few of the survivors were under seventy-five years, thi amount, in the course of nature, must rapidly diminish, he earnestly advocated the immediate

Mr. Schurz thought it evident that the bill would lead to an extended debate, and resumed Mr. Scott appealed to Mr. Schurz to allow the regular order of business to be passed over in-

passage of the bill.

came up.

proval.

formally, subject to the call of any Senator, in order to proceed with the Income Tax Repeal Mr. Schurz assented, and the latter bill

House.

Mr. Brooks, of New York, presented the petition of Frank Leslie for equalization of duties upon sized and unsized paper in lieu of the discrimination of 20 per cent, and 35 per cent. Mr. Niblack, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the Fortification Appropria-

h was made the special

next Tuesday. The bill appropriates \$1,637,500. Mr. Hooper, from the Committee of Ways and Means, reported back the Senate amendments to the House bill declaratory of the meaning of the act of 14th July, 1870, to reduce internal taxation. The amendments were concurred in. and the bill now goes to the President for ap-

Mr. Negley, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported a bill extending the benefits of the act establishing the National Asylum for disabled volunteer soldiers to the disabled soldiers and sailors of the war of 1812 and of the Mexican war. Passed.

Mr. Negley also reported a bill to repeal the proviso to the 6th section of the act of 27th of July, 1868, relating to pensions, the proviso being a limitation to five years of the applications for pensions after the right thereto

Mr. Benjamin, chairman of the Committee or Invalid Pensions, objected to the reporting of such a bill from the Committee on Military Affairs, as the subject belonged to and was in consideration by the Pension Committee The objection was overruled, and the bill was

Mr. Morgan, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported back the bill to turn over to the Secretary of the Interior for disposal by sale after appraisement the U. S. Military Reservation at Forts Lane and Walla-Walla, in Oregon Fort Zarah, in Kansas: Camp McGarry, in Nevada; Fort Sumner, in New Mexico; Forts Jessup and Sabine, in Louisiana; Fort Wayne, in Arkansas; Fort Collins, in Colorado; Fort Dakotah, in Dakotah; and such portions of Fort Bridger, in Wyoming, as may no longer be required for military purposes. Mr. Garfield moved to amend by adding Fort

The bill was then passed. Mr. Morgan also reported back Senate bill for the sale of the Bergen Heights Arsenal, New Jersey. Passed. Also, Senate bill granting the right of way to

Smith, in Arkansas. Agreed to.

the Pensacola and Barraneas Kailroad Company through the naval and military reservations near Pensacola, Fla. Passed The House then took up the oll reported yesterday by Mr. Stoughton, from the Committee on Military Affairs, to enable honorably discharged soldiers and sailors, their widows and

orphan children, to acquire homesteads on public lands. Mr. Holman moved a substitute for the bill by reviving and extending to the soldiers and sailors of the late war, their widows and orphans, the Bounty Land law of September 28, 1850. Mr. Julian moved a substitute relieving soldiers and sailors who make homestead entries from the legal requirement of five years' occapation, but letting time served in the army

count as part of the time of occupation.

The morning hour expired and the bill went over till to-morrow. Mr. Brooks, of New York, made an inquiry of Mr. Dawes, chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, in regard to the meeting of the

next Congress on the 4th of March. Mr Dawes said in reply that he could only give his private opinion on the subject. As the law now stood it was obvious that there must be a session on the 4th of March. He saw no indication that that law would be repealed, much to his own personal regret; and if Congress reassembled on the 4th of March he had no reasonable expectation that it would adjourn before the middle of April or 1st of May. He should himself do all he could to have the session close in a single day or in a single week, but in the light of experience he would hazard the prophecy that if Congress met on the 4th of March

next it would not adjourn before the middle of April or the 1st of May. Mr. Scofield offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for a bill or state-ment showing the pay or allowance of different grades of army officers under the act of 15th July, 1870, as compared with their pay and allowances before the passage of that act,

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THE LATEST NEWS.

FROM EUROPE.

The Pruesians at Dijon.

BORDEAUX, Jan. 24.—After the battle Dijon the Prussians retreated towards Messign'y Norges, and Savigny Le Sue. In the West also the Prussians appear to be falling back. Alen con is evacuated. The enemy have cut the railway between Lyons and Besancon, at Byans

FROM NEW ENGLAND. Welcome to the Irish Extics. Boston, Jan. 25 .- The Irish citizens have adopted a plan of address of welcome to the Irish exiles lately arrived, and appointed a com

mittee to raise funds in their aid, and a com mittee to present the address. Death of the Lime Rock Bank Robber. BELFAST, ME., Jan. 25 .- Daniels, implicate in the robbery of the Lime Rock Bank, died to

day of consumption. Fire in Boston.

Boston, Jan. 25.—Serious damage was cause by a fire this morning in the building No. 10 Pearl street, occupied by Hersey & Co., Hetch Brothers, and other shoe dealers, fully covere by insurance.

FROM NEW YORK.

The Sencea Indians. ALBANY, Jan. 25.—In the Senate a concurrent resolution instructing members of Congress to procure the passage of a bill to effect a treat with the Seneca tribe of Indians on the Alle ghany reservation and to protect the rights of white settlers was adopted.

The Proposed Federate Connell. New York, Jan. 25.—An adjourned meeting of members of the proposed Federate Counc was held this morning at Trinity Chapel, Wes Twenty-fifth street, for the purpose of perfect ing their plans for the consolidation of the interests of five New York dioceses for mutus benefit and convenience.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

The Trial of Dr. Neville. Court of Oper and Terminer-Judges Allison an Paxson.

This morning the Court resumed the trial This morning the Court resumed the trial of Dr. W. H. H. Neville upon the charge of the murder of a female infant by throwing it in Cohocksink creek on the 17th of last October.

Mary Haines sworn—I am a daughter of Wn Haines, who was examined last evening; I live with my father at York road and Islington lan on the morning of October 17th I was washing on the power when I saw a fall to have a significant the power. on the porch, when I saw a fall-top buggy driv by our house coming from Ridge avenue; was a single seat buggy, drawn by one horse the horse was a dark sorrel, with two whit feet, (I can't say which two,) and had a whi stroke on its face; there was but one person i the buggy, a man, and as he drove by at a mor rate pace I noticed him; the prisoner was the man; after he had passed and gone over the bridge, I don't know how long, Mrs. Taylor, neighbor of ours, called me and we went dow to the bridge; she stood on the bridge, while went down to the creek and found the box wit a live child in it; the box was in the middle of the creek, but the water did not cover the top I called my father from the garden and the

child was taken to the house. Cross-examined—I was washing on the porch which is only ten yards from the lane; I ha two tubs on a settee, and the tubs were between me and the lane; my sister belped me to wash but no one else helped me; I did not see an other vehicle pass along the lane that mornin before the child was found; I heard my fathe say that he saw two brick carts pass that morn ing, but I did not see them: I saw a slop-car after the child was found; I know the boy wh drove the cart; I don't know whether he had coat on or not, and can't tell whether he had a hat or a cap, but he was not bareheaded don't know whether he had a whip in his han he has two horses that he drives in the car changes about, first one and then the other;

don't know which one he drove that day. I never saw that horse or carriage before; slop-cart passed soon after it; I know I Fisher (Mr. Brewster said the gentleman's nat was Dr. Posey): I did not say to him that couldn't recognize the man who passed there a carriage: he came with another man after finding of the box; he told me his name was I

Emma Haines sworn-I am a sister of the la witness and reside with my father on Islingte lane; I remember the day the baby was four I was standing on the porch washing, with a sister Mary; the tubs were standing on a set facing the road; my attention was first attrac by a man standing on the bridge by the side his horse; the horse was standing on the bridg I saw the whole of the carriage; they we standing on the bridge when I first notice them; at that time there was nobody in the carriage; I next saw the man, horse, and carria coming up; the man was then in the carriag driving; he came up facing me, and I saw hi as he came up; I noticed him from the time!
was standing on the bridge until he got by;
saw him get into the carriage; after he got
our house he turned into York street on the right hand side going up; then he went over t lot to Broad street and from thence I don't kn where he went; this carriage was a low fall-to single seat, and no curtains down at the side; t horse was a dark sorrel, with two white his feet, and a white stroke down the face; wh on the bridge the horse had a way of shakir its head as if it wanted to go all the tim While they were coming up from the bridge stopped washing, rested on the washboard, a looked; the next day when the man was a rested I saw him and the horse and wago again in Bolton street, west of the Ridge; identified him and the horse and wagon the the defendant is the man; after the horse an wegon had driven into York street, the nex thing that attracted my attention was the chil

Mrs. Taylor called my sister just as the car riage had got by the little shed along side of the porch; my sister went down with Mr. Taylor and I followed afterwards; when I got down there the box was by the side of the bridge wall lying on the ground; my sister brought m father, who came and opened the box and four a live child in it; he put it in the sun beside th shed, after which we returned to our work, at I saw no more of it; it was between 9 and 1

Here the court took a recess. PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES, Reported by De Haven & Bro., No. 40 S. Taird street

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