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THE EVENING TELEGRAPH, from its original establishment, has been in the receipt of telegraphic news from the New York Associated Press, which consists of the Tribune, Times, Herald, World, Sun, Journal of Commerce, Evening Post, Commercial Advertiser, and Evening Express. The success which has attended our enterprise is, in itself, a sufficient evidence of the freshness, fullness, and reliability of the news which we have received from this source.

The earliest regular edition of THE EVENING TELEGRAPH goes to press at 1 1/2 o'clock, and the subsequent regular editions at 2 1/2, 3 1/2, and 4 1/2. Whenever there is important news of the progress of the European war, extra editions will be issued after this hour, and before the regular time for the early edition.

"PENNSYLVANIA JUSTICE."

SOME of the most influential journals in the country have commented with appropriate severity upon the recent grant of a pardon by Governor Geary to Richard Ficken before he had been tried and convicted of the infamous crime of which he was guilty, and, as may be supposed, their remarks are not at all complimentary to the Pennsylvania laws which render such an outrage possible, or to the high officials who were concerned in the affair.

Whatever else may happen, child-murder should be stopped in our midst, and experience has proved that it cannot be stopped by the existing preventive and punishing agencies; while the example of other large communities demonstrates that founding hospitals go far to supply a complete remedy. Dr. Franklin said that nothing was so useless and so helpless as a new-born infant, and yet it contains the developed germ of all human goodness, all human gentleness, all possibilities of human achievement. We have gone on trusting its guardianship and nourishment solely to motherly instinct and paternal affection; but the fact grows hourly more palpable that in many cases these motives furnish but a weak and insufficient safeguard, and that complete dependence upon them results in a long succession of infanticides.

THE NATIONAL SENATE yesterday did itself credit by passing the bill for the abolition of the income tax. The vote was a close one, 26 yeas to 25 nays, but as the bill passed, we care very little about the smallness of the majority in its favor. The action of the Senate was undoubtedly due in a great measure to the energetic advocacy of the repeal of the obnoxious tax by Senator Scott, who is entitled to the cordial thanks of all who feel it to be a burden they are not called upon to bear in the present prosperous condition of the finances of the Government.

FOUNDLING HOSPITALS.

It is a matter of great surprise that a city so richly endowed with benevolent institutions as Philadelphia should be destitute of foundling hospitals. This omission or neglect is constantly causing not only indescribable distress, but an immense number of fearful crimes. The trials of infanticide or abortion cases consume a large portion of the time of our courts, and scarcely has one charge been disposed of before others follow in its train. Meanwhile there are good reasons to believe that for every case brought prominently before the public, there are dozens which never become notorious; and it would scarcely be an extravagant calculation to assume that there is at least one baby-murder per day in Philadelphia.

THE HONORABLE ALEXANDER CALDWELL, who has just been elected to the United States Senate from the State of Kansas, to take the place of Edmund G. Ross, was born in the town of Columbia, Lancaster county, Pennsylvania. He was engaged in early life in the Bank of Columbia, and while yet a young man was appointed its cashier. In 1847, during the so-called Mormon war, he was selected on account of his business qualities, by the contractors, to take charge of the transportation of army goods and supplies to the Mormon country.

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It is to be feared, however, that if the bill is referred to the Ways and Means Committee, the influence of Secretary Boutwell will be able to prevent a report being made until too late for action. The House of Representatives understands the whole subject thoroughly, and at the last session it decided to repeal the tax, but failed to obtain the concurrence of the Senate. There is no reason, therefore, why the bill passed yesterday by the Senate should not be voted upon at once in the House, without any reference to committee; and we earnestly entreat the members to take action immediately and relieve the people of the country of a tax that is not required for the revenues of the Government, and that is now, as it ever has been, a most unmitigated nuisance, that would never have been submitted to except under circumstances that demanded unusual sacrifices from every patriotic citizen.

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