# CITTINTELLIGENCE. THE LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.

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Aunual Report of the Board of Directors-Ope' rations of the Board During 1870. We have received a copy of the Annual Re-port of the Board of Directors of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, read at the meeting of the stockholders at the office in this city, on January 9.

The report states that there has been a marked increase in the coal tonnage of the road, which reached 3,622,433 tons in 1870, an increase over 1869 of 1,291,926 tons. The increase in net receipts, however, does not correspond with that of the traffic, as the rates of transportation were lower than during the previous year. The receipts of the year from all sources, in-cluding interest on investments and income from coal lands, amounted to \$6,207,274 08; the expenses of operating the road were \$3,617,-407 35, leaving a net income of \$2,550,866 70, applicable to interest, dividends, State and national taxes, general office expenses, etc. Out of this amount the usual dividends. amounting to ten per cent. on the capital stock, were paid during the year. Payment was duly made by the stockholders on all of the scrip outstanding at the date of the last report, and the account has been closed.

During the year, \$127,000 of the bonds due in 1873, and \$2500 of those of the late Hazleton Rallroad Company, due in 1872, were paid off. Inder the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States the Interest on these bonds is due in gold, and it has therefore been so paid.

The board advised the stockholders at their last annual meeting that the further advances necessary to be made to the Pennsylvania and New York Canal and Rairoad Company, and the additional equipment contracted for and needed for the Lehigh Valley Road, would re-quire a large increase of capital. To meet these wants, and to provide for future contingencies, the board directed the execution of another mortgage, to become a second mortgage as soon as the outstanding old bonds can be redeemed amounting to \$6,000,000, to secure six thousand bonds of \$1000 each to be registered and bear 7 per cent. interest, free of State and United States taxes. Of these, \$1,550,000 have been negotiated on very favorable terms, and the remainder will be issued as required. There is yet unissued of the \$5,000,000 mortgage, \$462,-000 beyond the amount of old Lahigh Valley bonds and those of the Hazleton Coal Company outstanding.

At the end of the fiscal year November 30 1870, the capital account was as follows: -Preferred and Common Stock, 363,188

shares. Old Lehigh Valley Bonds outstanding ... Hazieton Coal Company's Bonds outshares. 132,000.00

standing New Lenigh Valley 6 per cents, coupon 3,443,600:00 and registered.

New Lehigh Valley 7 per cents, regis-..... 1,050,000-00 tered

Floating Debt, less Cash on hand ...

....\$24,161,817-16 Total. Since that date \$2000 of the old bonds and \$5000 of the Hazleton bonds have been cancelled.

Great inconvenience having been experienced from the accounts being kept at several da-tached points, it was determined early in the year to rearrange the system and concentrate the accounts in this city. The practi-cal result has been entirely satisfacbut the increased amount of LOTY, work requires more room than is afforded by the present building, and the com-pany has therefore purchased the premises occupied by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, No 222 2 Third streat, persection of which is to be given on the completion of their new office now building on Fourth street. This purchase will furnish all the space requisite for any prospective increase of business.

The equipment of the road is now as follows: Engines of all classes ..... 158 Passenger Cars.....

SALE OF REAL ESTATE, ETC.-M. Thomas & Sons sold the following real estate and stocks, at noon to-day, at the Philadelphia Exchange:-70 shares Swedesboro Railroad, par \$25..... \$17:00 \$17-00 \$16-50 93% c. 83% c. 85% c. \$5% c. \$5% 25 \$61 0 ship Co.... 10 shares Mechanics' Insurance Co. (Baiti-\$41.50 more.). 15 shares Charleston, S. C., Mining and 15 shares Charleston, S. C., Mining and Manufacturing Company. 1 share Philadelphia Library Company... 1 share Mcrcantile Library Company... 1 \$55.00 \$6-0 \$15,000

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joining. Joining. Passy ung Townshir-97 acres of land... \$160 P ac Twellerth (South), No. 211-Valuable property known as the "Union Club." \$31,000 PERCY, Nos. 905 and 907-Two Brick Dwell-

\$12,800

Residence FRANKLIN, No. 715, Corner of Brown-Elegant Residence, 56 feet front. CAMBRINGE, between Tucker and Mar-garet, Frankford, Twenty-third ward... Firlage STREET, No. 1747-2 Frame Dwell-\$14,200 \$2,450

\$1,00 INTERFERING WITH OFFICERS .- John Moore and John Ballou were arrested yesterday upon the charge of assault and battery on Officer Filbert and interfering with him in the discharge of his duties. It seems that the officer arrested a man at Twenty-third and Callowhill streets on last Saturday night, when the parties above named committed the assault and interfered with him in making the arrest. Defendants were held to bail in \$500 each by Alderman

ELC.s

Pancoast. William Hickman, for beating Officer Rutherford and attempting to rescue a prisoner from him, has been held in \$600 ball by Alderman Dallas to answer.

THE FREE SONS OF ISBARL.-Some members of the influential Order of Independent Free Sons of Israel of this city have for some time endeavored to improve the principles of the organization by the adoption of an endowment plan for the benefit of the widows of deceased brethren. This has been opposed by the New York lodges of the order, and the dispute has culminated in ten lodges of Philadelpaia break-ing off from the New York order and forming a new organization, in which they are joined by lodges in St. Louis and Pittsburg. They style it the "Improved Order of the Sons of Israel," and number 900 members. The secession was celebrated by a banquet on Sunday evening.

SCHUYLKILL NAVY.-At the annual meeting of the Schuylkill Navy, held on Monday even-ing, Mr. James M. Ferguson declined to be re-elected to the office of Commodore, when H. B. Coxe, of the University Club, was elected to that office. E. G. Lukens, Esq., of the Malta Club, was elected Vice-Commodore, and W. A. Steel, Esq., of the Crescent, Secretary and Treasurer. The coming season bids fair to be lively in boating circles, and we wish the abovementioned gentlemen much success in the administration of the affairs of the Schuylkill Navy.

RECOVERY OF STOLEN GOODS.-Special Offi-cer Nichols, of the Twelfth district, yesterday recovered nearly all of the goods stolen from the store No. 1907 Ridge avenue on Thursday night. They were found, packed in the same trunk in which they were removed from the store, in the pawn office of Jacob Sellinger, No. 2138 Callowhill street. Mr. Sellinger was ar-rested and held to ball to answer the charge of receiving stolen goods.

PETTY THIEVING .--- Joseph Fay is said to belong to a gang of young men who have committed numerous petty robberies in the Six-teenth ward. He was arrested at Second and Canal streets yesterday, and in his possession the officers recovered half a dozen handker-36 chiefs. Defendant had a hearing before Alderman Shoemaker, and was committed for trial. Run Oven.-The acting Coroner was notified this morning to hold an inquest at No. 738 Swanson street, upon the body of Mary Lang, aged ten years, who was run over and killed by a truck at Delaware avenue fand Almond street. The driver of the team, Patrick Doyle, was arrested.

THE DAILY EVENING TELEGRAPH-PHILADELPHIA, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1871 THIRD EDITION FOURTH EDITION THEHUDSON RAILROAD HOLOCAUST NEWS. TO-DAY'S WASHINGTON The Centennial at Philadelphia. The Latest Shocking Details. **Recovering the Bodies.** The Welcome to the Fenians. Alabama and Fishery Questions. Described for Identification. Scenes at New Hamburg The West Point Outrages. Washington Advices. The Deficiency Bill Finished. Evening The Chorpenning Swindle. Later from Europe. Bordeaux Decrees Annulled. The Fire Fiend Abroad. Etc., Etc., Etc., Esc. Destructive Conflagrations, FROM EUROPE. More Hotels Burned. IWO The Bordeaux Decrees Annulled. BORDBAUX, Feb. 7 .- Members of the Government who arrived here from Paris telegraphed Btc., Etc., Etc., Stc., Etc. to the prefects of all the departments lastinight

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### FROM NEW YORK.

The Disaster on the Hudson River Railroad-

NEW HAMBURG, Feb. 7 .- The sleeping car conductor (Vosburg's) body has been found, and The List of His Passengers

found on him, but it only gives the surnames, which are as follows:-Lowell, Fowler, Pearce,

Cary, Sorhish, Germanuel, Naucrede, Rosenthal, Forbush, and two others-eleven in all. This Last Tallies

ductor Charles Cossum. He had

of the former.

The Destroyed Cars

were Wagner cars. The statement that they

Impossible to Give the Full Names

Safety of the Rev. Dr. Deems.

Dr. Nauerede, of N. Y.,

were Pullman cars is incorrect. It is

Dr. Deems and with

Butler's resolution welcoming the Feniau exlies. No action was taken, but from the sentiment of the committee it is believed it will be reported adversely. Mr. Sumner is of opinion that its passage would look like a premeditated affront

to Great Britain. The Foreign Affairs Committee have dis

a decree annulling the Bordeaux decrees of

the 31st of January relative to electoral disqua-

lifications as incompatible with the principles

af universal suffrage. The Paris decree of 29th

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Centennial Exhibition.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7 .- The Senate Foreign

Relations Committee agreed to-day to the House bill for holding an international exhibi-

tion at Philadelphia in 1876, in connection with

the celebration of the centennial of American

independence. The committee put on an amendment providing that in no case should

the Government be at any expense on account

The Welcome to the Feulans.

The committee discussed at great length Mr.

Special Despatch to the Evening Telegraph.

January is maintained.

of the exhibition.

The Alabama and Fishery Questions, and it is understood that bills carrying out the views of the President's message concerning these subjects will be reported.

The Commerce Committee

of the House to-day decided to ask for a special whose head was partially burned. day to be set apart by the House to receive re-ports from that committee. They will ask to report general business, excluding bridge cases. steamship bills, and the New York Emigrant bill. The latter measures are regarded as dead train. for this session.

that the following were among those who took berths in the Buffalo sleeping car which was destroyed by fire:-A. W. Pease and wife; Mr. destroyed by fire:-A. W. Pease and wife; Mr. Fowler and family, and Mr. Rosenthal. The sleeping car conductor's record has not yet been found.

Nineteen Bodles Recovered so far. NEW HAMBURG, Feb. 7.-Nineteen bodies bave been recovered, fourteen of whom are those of passengers, including three children and five employes of the road. The search will be continued. Members of the Assembly Safe.

ALBANY, Feb. 7 .- Conselica, Roche, Brien, and Prince, members of the Assembly, have telegraphed from New Hamburg that they are delayed by the railroad accident there.

It is presumable that no members of the Legislature were on the destroyed car, which was a

Buffalo sleeping car.

Meeting of Freemasons. ALBANY, Feb. 7. - The Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Masons of the State of New York assembled in this city this morning, all the grand officers present.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. - The Senate agreed to postrone all other business and take up the bill for an

## Air-Line Railroad

between New York and Washington. The vote on taking up the bill indicates that it will pass the Senate. Should it get through there, its friends in the House believe that they can pass it this ses-

The Chorpenning Fraud resolution was reported to-day, and passed the Senate, notwithstanding the presence of Secretary Creswell on the floor at the time.

Several Senators took occasion to express their views in plain terms concerning his connection with the frauc

The Pacific Railroad Committee will not take up

Southern Pacific Railroad Bill until the return of the chairman of the committee. Hop, John Cessna,

Hon. John Cessna made a personal explanation in the House to-day about his connection with the Chorpenning swindle. Ile sought to whitewash the Postmaster-General, and attempted to show that there was some founda-tion for Chorpenning's claim. Mr. Dawes wanted to ask him some questions, but he refused to yield and one of his confederates Mr. Dawes wanted to ask him some questions, but he refused to yield, and one of his confederates in the business kept calling for the regular order, whereupon Mr. Dawes said he hoped there was no arrangement between the gentlemen to stifle da-bate. The general impression is that Mr. Cessna did not improve his position by his altempt at de-fense. He took occasion to pitch into the newspa-pers for their exposure of his part in the fraud, and said they were always ready to defame people.

## FROM THE WEST.

Cotton Glunery of Governor Alcorn Barned-Loss \$75,000.

MEMPHIS, Tennessee, Feo. 7.-The gin house of Governor Alcorn, near Fiar's Point, Mississiop', together with fear hundred bales of cotton, was burned on Sunday. Loss \$75,000. Insurance \$50,000.

Another Hotel Burned. The luka Springs (Miss.) Hotel was burned on Sunday. Loss \$60,000. It belonged to Price & Terry, Memphis. Insured for \$15,000.

The Hot Springs Contested Election.

The Het Springs Contested Election. The Avalanche's Little Rock special of last night says in the House the Clayton party met a crushing defeat yesterday in the Hot Springs contested case. Three sitting members, all friends of Clayton, were ousted by a vote of 45 to 63, which settles the matter as to who has power in the House. The Clayton party made a dozen ineffectual motions during the day to adjourn. There is great rejoicing over the result. result

result. Eurning of the Gas Works and of Still Another Betel. WHENLING, W. V., Feb. 7.—The gas works con-nected with the McLure House is now in fames, and an explosion of the gasometer is momentarily expected, when a conflagration must ensue. The Fire Department has arrived on the scene in full force force.

FROM NEW ENGLAND

into the Circuit Court yesterday upon a writ of

habeas corpus as petitioner for release from confinement in jall at Pittsfield, he having been

removed from the discontinued jail in Lenox to

which he was sentenced for five years, and till his fine of ten thousand dollars were paid

Lowell to-day, and was to the effect that when the United States placed its prisoners in the custody of State sheriffs at their jails, they were

held as other prisoners, subject to State laws

regulating the transfer from one jall to another in cases of necessity. Hartwell was remanded to the custody of Sheriff Root, of Berkshire

county. An appeal to the United States Supreme

Court may be taken in the event of a failure to obtain Presidential pardon.

FROM THE STATE.

Destructive Fire in Pittsburg.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 7.—This morning a fire broke out in Smith & Porter's Locomotive Works, in South Pittsburg, and owing to the deficient supply of water the entire block between Third, Bingham, and Car-son streets was burned. Twelve locomotives were

burned, nearly all light weight, and used for coal mining purposes. Twenty-three private houses were burned. Eight owned by Woods & Co.-loss, \$10,000; insured, \$8000; eight owned by William E. Richards -loss, \$10,000; fully insured. The loss to the Loco-

motive Works was \$10,000; insured for \$30,000. The total loss will be \$150,000.

CONGRESS.

FORTY-FIRST TERM - THIRD SESSION.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 7. - Mr. Flanagan presented a resolution of the Texas Legislature for increased mail facilities. Referred to the Committee on Post

Mr. Ramsey, from the Committee on Post Offices, reported back the House joint resolution repealing the joint resolution approved July 15, 1370, antho-rizing the Postmaster-General to adjust the claim of George Chorpenning, accompanied with a written report

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from all blame, and suggests a thorough examina-tion of the whole claim by the Court of Claims. Mr. Trumbull did not wish to be understood as

with a general addendum for damages of \$100,000 in

The opinion of the Court was given by Judge

parties ought to be estopped from reconsideration of that part of the claim which has not been allowed by that part of the claim which has not been allowed by any technical role, but that the case should be open to reconsideration. I express no opinion on the merits of the case." He also quoted a letter from President Johnson, dated in August, 1935, recom-mending that the claim should be taken up and ad-justed. He asserted most positively his b dief that a part of the money due to Chorpenning was still unnaid

a part of the money due to control the slightest unpaid. Ile made the explanation without the slightest expectation or intention of changing or attempting to change the action of the Honse in the premises, but with an earnest desire to place on record the reasons for his action. If he had been over-zealons or too confiding, or had failed to make more satis-factory explanations of the case at the time, a though he was not permitted to do so, he was willing to he was not permitted to do so, he was willing to accept and endure his full share of any just criti-cism. He did not remember to have seen or heard of Mr. Earle in the case for two or three months after the presentation of the petition in February,

after the presentation of the petition in February, 1876. Newspaper correspondents had charged that Mr. Croswell had been lobbying in favor of the passage of the bill. He had never seen Mr. Creswell on the floor of the House or elsewhere on any such errand. He had never said anything to him on the subject. He had never written to Mr. Creswell a single line on the subject, nor had he ever called upon him in regard to the matter. He declared most soleennly that he had never received or agreed to receive, nor had he ever been offered in this case or any other, a single farthing for any official act of his except the salary attached to the position which he occupied. He had never here here interested, directly or indi-rectly, in any Government contract whatever, and had never sold anything to nor bought anything from the Government. He had mether this world's goods. He had here in public position, occasionally, for more than twenty years, and had endeavored so to demean himself as to retain the confidence of those who knew him, and he boyed to leave for his children and friends a reputation for honesty and integrity of which they should not be ashared.

shamed. Mr. Hill asked unanimous consent to make a statement. Messrs, Dawes and Farn-worth also desired to obtain the floor to reply to Mr. Gessna. Mr. McGrew objected, and insisted on the regular or-tee of humans.

der of busicess. Mr. Dawes hoped that there was no arrangements be-tween Mr. McGrew and Mr. Cossna by which all reply was to be excluded. Mr. McGrew subsequently withdrew his objection, in order to let Mr. Hill make a statement, but Mr. Arnell

renewed it. Mr. Myers presented a petition from the commission merchants and wholesale liquor dealors of Philadelphis, for the repeal of the one per cent. tax on the sale of

merchants and wholesale inquor dealers of Philadelphia, for the repeal of the one per cent, tax on the sale of spirits. Mr. Ocburn, from the Committies on Public Expendi-tures, reported a hill providing that to accounts or claims which have been adjusted by the accounting officers of the Government shall be reopened without authority espe-cielly given by law, and forbidding the accounting officer to act upon any account or claim which shall not have been presented within six years from the date at which it originsted, unless the person having the claim was an in-fact, a *feasure circle*, or a lunatic. The second section forbids any person who is or has been an officer, clerk, or employee in the public service to act as agent or attorney in the prosecution of claims before the department, or any branch thereof, in which he had served, or to give an-formation er ampart knewledge acquired by him officially in a'd of claims against the United States. After considerable discussion the bill was amended to any naving in States formerly in insurrection which by operation of law could not be finally settled and adjusted, and that all other claims shall be presented within six years from the passage of the act. The second section was amended so as to apply only to-persons who had been employees of the Government within three years. The bill as thus amonded was areaed. Mr. Asper, from the Committee on Military Affairs,

Mr. Asper, from the Committee on Military Affairs, made a report on the investigation into the expulsion of three callets from West Point Academy.

with the number propounced missing by Con-Sixty-five Sleeping Car Tickets, and all the holders have responded but eleven

The Missing Engineer. The Hudson River Railroad engineer, named

Edward Bartlett, is among the missing. He was riding in the baggage car. Ghastly Work. As fast as the bodies are raised to the surface

they are placed in a baggage car, where a fire is kept going so as to thaw their clothing in order that search may be made for anything which

as yet, except that of

may lead to identification. A Lady was Found with a babe in her arms. All three of

The Military Committee adopted a report in

The West Point Cadet Matter It provides for the appointment of a court to try all the parties engaged in the outrages, and those who are found guilty will be dismissed.

Baggage and Express Cars	16
House Cars.	-9
Eight-wheel Platform Cars	485
Six-wheel Platform Cars	51
Four-wheel Platform Cars	12
Wreck and Tool Cars	.7
Gravel Cars	- 44
Lime Cars	
Coal Cars (rated as 4 wheel)	1,729

## THE CHURCH HOME.

# The Fifteenth Annual Meeting Held Tals, Morning-An Interesting Report.

This morning at 11 o'clock being the time for the annual meeting of the subscribers to the Church Home for Children, a number of ladies and gentlemen assembled at the home building. Twenty-second and Pine etreets. The Right Rev. Bishop Stevens took the chair and opened the meeting with prayer. The Rev. Mr. Davies

was appointed secretary. The annual report was presented and read by Rev. E. W. Appleton. It sets forth that "there has been the usual average of admissions and dismissions during the year past, the inmates now num-bering 66, of whom 45 are girls and 18 boys. There can be no stronger argument for the necessity of enlarging the Home than the constant appeals for shelter which are almost daily made to the committee of admission, but which they are forced to re-fuse simply on account of the insufficiency of the present aco ommodations.

If these appeals from helpless and homeless child-hood could only reach the ears of the Churca at large, we feel that any further word from us would be unnecessary to induce its members to hasten, by their material aid, the project of removal and en-largement. The corner-stone of the new building (of which mention was made in the last report) was aid with appropriate ceremonics at Angora (the first station on the West Chester and Media Railroad) on the afternoon of October 29, 1870. The pian which has been adopted was designed by T. W. Richards, Esq., and combines, as we think, architectural beauty with great simpli-city and comfort. Due attention has been paid to the lighting and ventilation, so as

to make it a bright and healthy home for children. There will be a centre building with symmetrical wings on either side, thus providing for the separa tion of boys and girls; the stairways are to be of iron, and the portion of the building in which they are placed is to be made fireproof ; while, as an addiwalls will be of brick, and the entire work is to be done in the roost substantial manner. We should be ungrateful d.d we not recognize the liberality with which our efforts have already been met. \$36,000 are subscribed, but this is only a little more than half the amount required before the new home can occupies. We cannot urge this matter strongly upon you than by quoting a part of the address of Bishop Stevens to the last convention. In speaking of the Church Home he says :-

In speaking of the Church Home he stys:-\* "It is a work in which our Church shows itself peculiarly as a nursing mother, and one which is so imperatively needed in this large city and diocese, that I would entrestly press upon you the importance of aiding the efforts of the managers so that they can at once go on which I issued is twister upon this subject looked to the establishment of two kindred institutions, an Orphan Asylam for Boys and the Church Home for Girls. — The desworing to work out these of the public new. It was also believed that the calargement of the case that the work descent the new would support, for referent, therefore, any seeming division of feding and the fatherless children will now be centred in getting up the fatherless children will now be centred in getting and the fatherless children will now be centred in setting and the fatherless children will now be centred in getting and th

The report was adopted. The Treasurer's report Treasurer's report was read also. It shows receipts during the year of \$9420 GL and expendi-tures amounting to \$5494 30, leaving a balance of \$1026 23 in the hands of the Treasurer.

The following managers were elected to serve for the term of three years .-...Miss Lewis, Miss C. W. Paul, Mrs. C. J. Stille, Mrs. E. Perot, Mrs. W. B. Stowens, Miss E. C. Egner, Mrs. Henry G. Morris. The officers of the Board of Council are Bishop Stevens: Lewis H. Redner, Esq., Secretary, and George T. Lewis, Esq., Treasurer.

ACCIDENTS .- Mrs. Beaver, living in Aramingo, fell down a flight of stairs at her residence yesterday and fractured a limb.

A German, name unknown, while passing up the Frankford road near Harrowgate yesterday, was knocked down by a dummy engine on the Frankford and Southwark Passenger Rallway line and sustained severe injuries. He was re-moved to the Episcopal Hospital.

Longens .- There were 129 lodgers in the Third District Station House last night.

A Row .- Yesterday a row occurred at Delaware avenue and Race street, and the police interfered to preserve order. Two parties, named Thomas Cokeland and Charles Bovaster, said to have been prominent in the melee, were arrested, and after a hearing before Alderman McMakin were held to answer.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY .- A certain individual named Tom Clark was arrested at Twenty-fifth and South streets last night, upon the charge of having committed an unprovoked assault and battery upon a citizen, name unknown. He was held to answer by Alderman Dallas.

## WILLIAMSBURG'S TERROR.

# Reported Capture of the Womaz-Stabber-Two Policemen Disguised as Women Arrest Him after Breaking His Arm. From gesterday's New York Globe.

The Williamsburg vampire, who has been stab-bing women and little girls for the last two months in that city, has at last been arrested. Twenty-one In that city, has that been attended. I went of officers, donned women's clothes, and then walked along the streets where the vampire, as he has been called, commits the most of his terrible crimes. Their well-managed plan and vigilance have been

Their weit-managed pain and vignance nave been rewarded with success, and on Saturday night at 11 o'clock Officer Tom Taggart, belonging to the sta-tion on Fourth street, between North First and North Second streets, in company with another offi-cer, was quietly walking along, both of whom were draped in women's clothes with long waterproof loaks covering their bodies, and with green vells covering their faces, Taggart being some distance ahead of the other, as had been previously arranged, when suddenly the dreaded vampire darted out from behind a projecting wall, and, unobserved by the officer, was stealing cautiously up behind him, when the officer behind observing his movements, rapped on the pavement with his club. Taggart of course turned around just in time to save his life pernaps, as the vampire, with a long stiletto gleaming in the starlight, was about to plunge it into the disguised officer's back. Taggart sprang to one side with the velocity of a catamount, and quick as lightning struck with his club the arm of the sanguinary monster. The force of the blow was so great that the arm was broken near the elbow. The other officer then ran up, and the two together, with a great deal of difficulty, took the scoundrel to the station house. The vampire fought them all the way, kicking and fighting the officers like a tiger, notwithstanding his broken arm. Upon questioning the human flend at the station house, he refused to give his name or his residence. All he would state was that he had determined to

have his revenge upon the sex for the shameful manner in which he had been jilted by a girl who had promised to marry him. The officers think that he is derange i on account of kis disappointment in love, and that his insanity took the form of terrible revenge upon the whole sex, which has terrified the whole of Williamsburg for so long a time.

Gradually numerous other persons, mostly girls of from 16 to 20 years, are found who have been Stabled by this man, or some other man similarly disposed. The latest is a young girl of 16, named Katle Jordan, living on North Sixth street, between Second and Third streets. Katle was stabled in the

cheek, cutting a deep gash. The public schools are nearly deserted, but very few parents are willing to trust their dear ones in public streets long enough to go to school unless they accompany them.

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11 30 wem5p No. 921 SPRING GARDEN Street.

# The Appropriation Committee finished the

Deficiency Bill to-day. It appropriates ten million dollars towards deficiencies, among which is two and a half millions for the army. The remainder is scattered through all the departments of the Government.

#### Provisious of the Deficiency Biil. Despatch to the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 7.-The Committee on Appro-priations have perfected the Deficiency bill. It ap-propriates \$10,756,730, exclusive of \$2,750,000 for excenses of collecting the revenue from customs. 0 he aggregate sum there are \$716,425 for the Treasury applicable to custom-houses, \$70,000 for light-\$225,000 for public printing, and \$102,000 for the Freedmen's Bureau.

# FROM NEW YORK.

## Destructive Fire on Broadway.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7 .- A fire this morning at No. 360 Broadway commenced in the office of Lawson Bros., importers of lace. Damage to stock, \$75,000. Insured in Royal, Liverpool and London, International, Queen's, Eckford of Hartford, and others. Cohen & Schlaussen, clothing, occupied the third and fourth floors. Damage, \$60,000; fully insured. William Kins-ley, silk goods, occupied the first floor. Damage, \$20,000; insured. The building was damaged to the amount of \$15,000.

#### PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE.

HARRIEBURG, Feb. 7 .-- Mr. Allen made a report rom the Price-Lynd Committee, declaring Judge Lynd elected.

Lynd elected. The following bills were read in place:-Mr. Warfel, incorporating the Lancaster and Fruitville Turnpike Company. Mr. Dill, one repealing the supplement passed April 7, 1870, to the act of June, 1836 relative to executions so far as relates to the Muncy Creek Redirand

Mr. Evans, one authorizing the authorities of Chester to borrow \$300,000.

Also, one authorizing the Chester city authorities to pave the streets.

to pave the streets. Mir. Connell, one incorporating the Philadelphia and Oll Creek Refining and Storage Company. Mr. Brooke, one incorporating the Philadelphia and Chester Steamship Company, to transport pas-sergers and freight on the Delaware and its tributaries. The incorporators are Charles B. Pennell, Edward Pennell, Jr., Edward Pennell, Sr., James Stephens, and Joseph W. Gamble. Also, one mak-ing the charter of the Delaware County Mutual Prolective Company perpetual.

Mr. Buckalew, one to secure a reform in the voting in the election of directors or managers of in-

corporated companies. Mr. Connell, one exempting the real estate of the Catholic Home for Destitute Children from taxa-

Mr. White, one providing for the entry of certain proceedings on the judgment indexes of the several courts of this State.

Mr. Olmstead, one fixing the Bald Eagle Boom company's rates of toll. Mr. Evans offered a resolution, which was adopted,

requiring the Committee on Printing to inquire into the propriety of abelishing the office of Superinten-dent of Public Printing.

Mr. White made a report from the special com-mittee to devise a method for circulating the Legis-lative Journal that they had sent an assistant Sergeant-at-Arms to Washington to ask Sena-tor Cameron to Intercede with the Post office Department to see if the Journal could not be sent at pre-paid newspaper rates, and the result of the mission was a latter to the postmaster here allowing them to be so sent. The saving by this arrangement to the State will be about \$12,000.

A resolution recommended by the committee was adopted requesting the Postmasters of the two adopted requesting the rostinasters of the two houses to procure the necessary wrappers from the publishers of the Journal, the wrappers and print-ing of addresses thereon not to cost more than \$10 for each member, and to supply them to the folding department. The Speakers of the two houses shall draw their warrants for \$1500 to pay the postage of the Journal for the quarter ending April 1, 1871.

House of Representatives. The Speaker announced the following as a com-mittee to apportion the State into Senatorial and Legislative districts, viz.:-Elliott, Humphreys, Strang, Shurlock, Smith (Dauphin), Fulton. Rei-nochi, Hewitt, Buck, Chaifant, Meek, Harvey, and Boileau.

The Price-Lynd contested election case was cided by the committee, who reported that Judge Lynd was legally entitled to his seat. The commit-tee offered a resolution to pay their cierk \$300, which was agreed to.

York, and were not passengers on the ill-fated The Hartwell Embezzling Case.

thereafter.

Boston, Feb. 7 .- Julius F. Hartwell, con-victed in June last of embezzling and loaning

#### The following is a Description of the Bodies United States funds in his possession, came

found up to noon to-day. The First Man.

dressed in a black suit, white shirt, laced shoes, gold studs, and black necktie; features of a Jew, about thirty-five years of age, and of medium size. Found lying on his face, hands extended on each side; back of the head burned to a crust. In his pocket was a silver watch, and by his side was a black morocco travelling bag. This man had a Roman nose, dark hair and eyes, moustache and goatee.

#### The Second Man

found near him was also evidently a Jew, dressed in black, vest buttoning close up to and around the throat. About forty-five years of age, dark hair and side whiskers; about 5 feet 4 inches high; gold watch in pocket. Also lying on his face and had his head burned fearfully. Strangulation had been added to the tortures of burning, drowning, and being crushed to death, as his appearance with his tongue thrust out indicated.

A Mother with Two Children in Her Arms] was found lying upon her back. Her face presented only a surface of a black grinning skull. She wore a black alpaca dress, with buttons from the top to the bottom; black and white skirt, laced morocco boots, gold sleeve buttons, with black design; three gold rings on the third finger of the left hand, one of them very narrow. Over her shoulders rested a blue and white worsted breakfast shawl. The oldest child, a girl of six years, wore a red merino dress, black alpaca sack, embroidered white stockings, button boots, plain ring on the third finger of the right hand. The other child was sixteen months old, and dressed in flannel, with a cotton over-dress.

### The Next Body Found

was a man aged about thirty-eight, wearing a linen undershirt and pants, blue stockings, Albert collar, and plain black necktie. His face was blistered frightfully by fire, and his beard and moustache, which were nearly black, are crisped to the roots. Nose large and prominent, forehead recedes. This man is about five feet ten inches in height, and built compactly.

session; that all responsibility in the case had been assumed by Congress in enjoining upon the Post-master-General the adjustment of the claim in a special way; exonorates the Postmaster-General He was in the sleeping-car when the accident occurred, and the only clue to his identification Mr. Trumbull did not wish to be understood as saying the Postmaster-General might not have made the decision or to animadvert upon that gentleman's integrity, but, he thought the original resolution was susceptible of a very different construction from that which had obtained. He concurred in the re-peal of the resolution, but he would not say as a rule, that the Postmaster-General was obliged to do what he did. In his (Trumbull's) opinion he was not so obliged, particularly when it was known that the whole amount of Chorpenning's claim, as shown by his petition, filed in the Court of Chaims, was \$75,000, with a general addendum for damages of \$100,000 in is a card upon which is printed, "Austria, German-American, and European Commission House, No. 37 Park Row; subscribed, Nathan Bustin Rollin, German." This card was found between the waist of the victim's under pants and his shirt. His hands and teeth were tightly clenched, and his whole appearance betokened agony and horror.

#### The Next Body Found

Mr. Hamin did not feel called upon to oppose or was a woman wearing a black silk dress, new kid boots, gold chain, lace sleeve-cuffs, and Mr. Hamiin did not feel called upon to oppose or disapprove of the report of the committee, as the only question before the Senate was repeal. The Senator from Illinois (Mr. Trumbuli) thought the committee had erred. For himself, he thought their conclusion was the right one. Had he (Mr. Hamlin) occupied the place of the Postmaster General, he would have given the law exactly the same con-struction, that the adjustmentiof the cialm was man-datory upon him. linen collar; face charred by violent flames, and bruised by a fall or blows, Identified as That of Mrs. Pearce, who belongs to a respectable

family in Buffalo.

Men are busily employed Brawing Away the Hulf Burned Rafters

and stringers of the ill-fated bridge. The Ice Surrounding the Vale of Death

is thronged with the inhabitants of the village,

whose dismay and expressions of awe and pity cannot be adequately described. The baggage

# car, which has been employed as a

Temporary Morgae, contains a spectacle most appalling.

The Sleeping Car List.

struction, that the adjustimention the chain was man-datory upon him. Mr. Morrill, of Vermont, thought it hardly fair to throw biane upon Courses. It seemed strange that a claim of this kind, which had so many times been hitgsred in the committee, and they know nothing at all about it. That committee, and they know nothing at all about it. That committee had made a segression against which he pro-tested. It was that the Court of Claims should have a start of the provide the provide the provide the second the start of the provide the second start of the second the start of the second the second start of the second the second the second his claim before that committee. He had proved him-had shows their utter worthlessness, and he (Morrill) would not give any of them a chance to came before either Congress of the Court of Claims for a single dime. Mr. Hayard said is was af grave importance that the freedulent practices connected with much a claim, con-centing which the method of adjudication was so simple and open, ought not to be passed over, as a means not only of reboking fraud, but of vindicating the character of these to whom fraud had been imputed. It was accessers HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD DEPOT, N. Y., Feb. 7 .- It has been ascertained from one of the record books of the Sleeping-car Company

#### New York Produce Market.

New York, Feb. 7.—Cotton dull and nominal: sales 1500 bales at 1556. Flour less active; sales of 9006 barrels State at \$6'10@7'10; Ohio at \$6'80@7'45; and Western at \$6'10@7'65. Wheat dull and market slightly favors buyers; sales of 4000 bushels winter red Western at \$1'55 for inferior. Corn dull; sales \$4,000 bushels new mixed Western at 55c. Oats steady; sales \$4,000 bushels Ohio and Western at 63@ 65c. Heef steady. Pork a shade firmer: new mess 65c. Heef steady. Pork a shade firmer; new mess, \$22-75@23; old mess, \$31-50. Lard quiet; steam, 12% @13%c.; kettle, 18%c. Whisky dull at \$3c.

#### Baltimore Produce Market.

Baltimore Produce Market. BALTIMORE, Feb. 7.—Cotton dull and nominal; middling uplands, 15c.; low middling, 14½c. Flour dull, buyers and sellers apart, and holders unwilling to make concessions. Howard Street superfine, \$55066; do. extra, \$65067-25; do. family, \$77569; City Mills superflue, \$6667-75; do. extra, \$76863-50; family, \$550611; Western superfine, \$550666; do. extra, \$65067-25; do. family, \$75063-50. Wheat dull and tending down; choice white, \$195622; fair to prime, \$1756140; prime to choice red, \$190622; fair to good, \$16061-55; common, \$14561-55; Ohio and Indiana, \$155661-70; Pennsylvania, \$15661-65. Corn-White Southern better at \$36596; yellow Corn-White Southern better at 83@89c.; yellow Southern quiet at 82c. Oats scarco and in good de-mand at 57@60c. Provisions easy but unchanged. Whisky-Better feeling, but not higher, at 94c.

#### AN AFFECTIONATE THIEF.

A Sentimental Diamond Robber-The Gen-teelest Scoundrel on Record. London has lately been agitated over a notable

robbery of jewels. The thief, it appears by letters found in the possession of a female accom-plice, tried to dispose of his plunder in Bel-gium. One of his letters shows an odd mingling of rascality and tenderness:-

My own Pet-The boat did not leave Dover until about four this morning: I was not sick at all. I have just had breakfast here. I start for Ghent at 12.5; thence Antwerp, and will write you as soon as ever I touch the first procceds. The Times report you saw, the Stand-ard also. The Telegraph I could not see, but the Daily News had nothing except an adver-tisement on front page. To cabmen and others,' offering £5 reward. In this, however, fortu-pately there cannot be anything. The more I nately, there cannot be anything. The more I think about the notes the less I fear them. Even if they think of them, I believe now they can never trace them from the first source. Keep your spirits, my own darling, and I shall return, certainly as soon as it is possible. It is a beautiful morning here; the ice is only just breaking up in the harbor. They describe your dress in the *Daily News* as light brown with green trimmings; so clearly they have little re-collection of us. With all my love, and a kiss to baby, ever your friend, Michael. I am going to the wort with this of there there for to the post with this, so I have no time for more.

Another letter, dated Ar ! Verp, contaised th following passages:-

"My progress from C :Di VAS ins:-To Gheat two hours. Could so taspose of any-thing, therefore came on Lere. " " I have thing, therefore came on Lete. I have been walking about since morning, but could not do anything. I asked for one £200 lot £100 at one place, but he simply laughed at me. My money being nearly gone, I was obliged to dispose of a single one of the £200 lot. They said it was a good one, but light, only one grain. Generally speaking this is not the place to get anything done. \* They tell me, on ac-count of the war, there is little demand for diamonds, and that they have depreciated much. and see what I can make out with regard to their value. One fact at least is clear-we shall have more difficulty in getting rid of them than we thought.

This letter closed, also, with expressions of endearment, and was signed "Michael.

### PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES.

Reported by De Haven & Bro., No. 408. Third street.

SECOND	BOARD.
\$2600 City 6s, New 101%	\$1000 Read deb bds. SI
\$2200 do 101 5	\$300 do
\$4000 Pa & N Y C 78 9234	20 sh N Penna R., 45
\$5000 Leh VR 68, reg	300 sh Leh Na. 830, 8414
BOOM TOT A TRADING	100 sh O C & A R 46%
Annah Rob M An MD TEST	1 sh Cam & Am 11732
\$3000 Sch N 65 '82 75%	
\$1000 C & A m 68,'89	100 sh Penna R 61%
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