OBITUARY.

Assistant Postmaster W. B. Taylor, of New York-Fifty Years of Official Life. Assistant Postmaster William B. Taylor died suddenly in New York on Sunday night, it is

supposed of heart disease.

Mr. Taylor was born in 1800 in New Brunswick, N. J., and when a mere boy entered the village post office, where he learned the rudiments of the postal service. Coming to New York in 1823 he obtained a place in the Post Office, then in Garden street (now Exchange place), under the administration of General Theodorus Balley, who in his seventy-first year was both a hero of the Revolutionary war and Postmaster of that city. In those days a half-Postmaster of that city. In those days a half-dozen persons performed the work of the office, and in 1825 Mr. Taylor, as chief clerk, assorted all the mails himself, and the good postmaster with his family lived in rooms adjacent to and

forming a part of the office.

General Bailey was succeeded as Postmaster by Gouverneur and Coddington, under both of whom Mr. Taylor remained as chief clerk. He remained under the successive administrations of John L. Graham, Robert H. Morris, William V. Brady, and Isaac V. Fowler, as well as under the short term of General John A. Dix, who was appointed Postmaster after the flight of

Upon the beginning of the trouble succeeding the election of Mr. Lincoln, in 1860, General Dix was called to the Cabinet of Mr. Buchanan to serve as Secretary of the Treasury during the few months that remained of his unexpired term; and Mr. Taylor then received the only re-cognition he had ever had at the hands of the politicians, and was appointed Postmaster to fill the vacancy in January, 1861, holding the position about one year, at the end of which time he was displaced by the appointment of Mr. Wakeman. Since that time, and until his death, he has acted as Assistant Postmaster. He leaves a wife and large family in only moderate circumstances. At the time of his death he was seventy-one years and one month of

THE NEW YORK ICE BRIDGE.

Crowds of People on the les in the North and East hivers-Remarkable Scene. The New York Commercial Advertiser of last evening says:-

The East river was again this afternoon bridged over by the ice, and many persons crossed and recrossed between the Brooklyn and New York shores.

At 2 o'clock a party of boys, several of whom bad a sbare in the danger of Saturday, set the example of leaving the New York shore. In a very few moments the ice swarmed with boys, who amused themselves by playing at leapfrog and sliding. At first, rendered cautious by pre-vious experience, the lade kept close to the shore, but gradually growing more confident they boldly started for Brooklyn.

In the meantime great crowds had assembled on the Brooklyn side of the river, and a party, reassured by the success of the New York gamins, set out to meet them. When one party of pedestrians had succeeded in crossing with ease and safety there were plenty of imitators, and great excitement arose in the neighborhood of Catharine Ferry and the foot of Market

For a long time boys and young men alone were bold enough to venture upon the journey, but at last men made up their minds to risk a ducking, and finally several women were induced to avail themselves of the natural bridge. At half-past 3 o'clock the ice was still firm, and there was a continuous line of pedestrians spanning the river. The spectacle was a curious one, as the height of the travellers was dwarfed by the breadth of the river, and every movement was clearly defined against the white surface.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

Frightful tffair in a Mill-An Engineer Crushed by a Fly-Wicel.

The Pittsburg Commercial of yesterday says: One of the most frightful accidents we have had to record for some time occurred on Saturday afternoon at Graff, Bennett & Co.'s iron mills in West Pittsburg, resulting in the death of Ralph Culbertson, the engineer of the establish-

About 3 o'clock a laborer went into the engine room and discovered the mangled leg of a man lying on the floor near the fly-wheel, which was revolving with great velocity. He at once gave the alarm and the engine was stopped and investigation made, when the mangled and mutilated body of the engineer was found in the pit

under the fly-wheel.

The last seen of Mr. Calbertson prior to his death was about 1 o'clock, some two hours before the accident was discovered. At that time a laborer having business in the engine room went in and saw Mr. C. preparing to oil the engine, having a lighted lamp and the oil can in his hand. How the accident occurred is of course a mystery which in all probability will never be explained.

The deceased was a most estimable citizen, a careful and attentive workman, and highly esteemed by his employers. He had been in the employ of the firm as engineer for the past twelve years, and was about fifty-four years of

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC. The City Amusements.

AT THE CHESNUT the spectacular drama of The Old Man of the Mountain will be represented this evening.

To-morrow there will be a matinee in aid of the Holland testimonial fund, when the comedy of The Honeymoon and the farce of The Loan of a Lover will be represented. This performance is in aid of a very worthy object, and we hope the citizens of Philadelphia will contribute their share towards making it a brilliant

AT THE WALNUT Mr. W. H. Bailey will have his annual benefit this evening, when he will personate "Uncle Tom" in the drama of *Uncle Tom's Cabin*. Mr. Joseph Ralston will sing a Dutch song. Mr. Balley is a favorite actor, and we hope his friends will crowd the house this

To-morrow evening Mr. Lewis Morrison will have a benefit. AT THE ARCH the piece entitled Sinbad the Sailor will be represented this evening. On Saturday there will be a matince, the en-

tire preceeds of which will be devoted to the rellef of the French sufferers. On Monday Mr. Stuart Robson will commence

an engagement of six nights. AT THE MUSEUM, Ninth and Arch streets, the new comedy of Cle-Cle will be represented this

vening. A matines to morrow.
AT THE ASSEMBLY BUILDING the two-headed girl will be on exhibition to day from 2 till 5 and from 7 till 10 P. M.

ATTHE AMERICAN a number of talented performers will appear this evening in a variety entertainment.

CHARLES W. BROOKE, Esq., will lecture at Concert Hall this evening, on 'Irish Bards and Ballads." Mr. Brooke is an eloquent speaker, and this lecture is one of great interest. It should attract a crowded house, especially as it is for the benefit of a benevolent object.

THEODORE THOMAS will give two grand orchestral concerts at the Academy of Music on to-morrow and Thursday evenings. Miss Anna Mehilg will appear at both of these entertainments. The reputation of Mr. Thomas' or heart at the second or the se orchestra is so well established that it is not necessary to speak of its merits. The pro-grammes for the two concerts are admirably arranged, and lovers of fine music may expect very superior entertainments. To-morrow evening Beethoven's "Pastorale" symphony will be given entire.

THE MENNERCHOR masked ball will come off this evening at the Academy of Music, and an unusually brilliant entertainment may be expected. One-half of the proceeds of this ball will be devoted to the relief of the sufferers by the Franco-German war.

-Subscriptions for the proposed Museum of Fine Arts in Boston are to be taken for any amount from \$1 upward. A committee has been appointed to make arrangements for soliciting subscriptions in Europe.

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MIARRELEID. GHERN—BAILEY, —December 27th, 1876. by Rev. R. Balley, Pastor of Fortieth Street M. E. Church, Mr. Taylor GHEEN to Miss Mary Jane Baller, all of Chester county, Pa. WALTON-OWENS.-On the 9th instant, by Rev. L. D. McClintock, Mr. Charles T. Walton to Mrs. Susan Owens, all of Bridesburg.

BOOZAR .- On Sunday, 12th Instant, Mrs. MARY ANN BOOZAR, aged 63 years.

Her relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 22 Penn street, Eurlington, New Jersey, on Wednesday, the 15th instant, at 2 o'clock, without further

CUMMINGS .- On the 18th instant, FRANK R. CUM-MINGS, son of Charles H. and Annie Cummings, aged 26 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the fureral, from the residence of his father, Johnson and Morton streets, Germantown, Friday, 17th Instant, at 12 o'clock M To proceed to Woodlands Cemetery.
Carriages will leave E. S. Earley's, Tenth and Green streets, at 11 o'clock, and the depot at Garmantown on arrival of 12 o'clock train.

Envir, -On the 12th lastant, at Kaighn's Point, N. THOMAS ADAMS ERVIN, only son of Robert and Agnes Ervin, aged 19 years

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his faveral, from the parents' residence, No. 224 Kaighn's Point avenue, on Wed-nesday morning, at 10 o'clock, to cross at South street and preced to the Mariners' Bethel, Penn and

Bainbridge streets, for services by 11% o'clock. In-terment at Odd Feilows' Cemetery. MEGER.—On Sunday evening, the 12th instant, after a lingering lilness, John H. Meger, aged 36 The relatives and male friends of the family, also

The relatives and male friends of the family, also Lodge No. 3, A. Y. M.; Covenant Lodge, No. 114, I. O. of O. F.; and Company G and officers of 2d Regiment, N. G., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from hiss late residence, No. 864 North Eighth street, on Thursday, at 2 o'clock. To proceed to Monument Cemetery.

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SLOOK.—Suddenly, on the evening of February 10,
1871, Mrs. ELIZA SLOOK, wife of John Slook, Sr.,
in the 68th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her husband, Passyunk avenue, below
Broad street, on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 18th, at

o'clock. To proceed to Lutheran Church SNYDER .- On the 13th instant, NELLIE E., daughter of Jackson and Susan Synder, aged 4 years and

Van Tine.—On the 13th instant, of scarlet fever, George Hiram, infant son of J. Lewis and Abbie A. Van Tine, aged 17, months.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents, No. 516 North Seventh street, on Thursday afternoon next, at 1 o'clock. To proceed to South Largel Hill. ceed to South Laurel Hill.

WOLF .- On the 12th instant, Mr. George Wolf. Wolf.—On the 12th instant, Mr. Gronge Wolf, in the 44th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family, also the Philadelphia Butchers' Beneficial Society, and the Wabash Lodge, No. 20, U. O. P. M., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 1318 Mascher street, on Wednesday afternoon, the 12th instant, at 1½ o'clock. To proceed to Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

WRIGHT .- On Sunday, 12th instant, ROBERT WRIGHT, aged 71 years.

The relatives and friends are invited to attend his feneral, from his late residence, near Bristol, Bucks county, on Wednesday, Feb. 15th, at 1 o'clock.

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SACRAMENTO, February 1, 1871. Whereas, There is on this day in the State Treasury the sum of twenty-eight thousand (\$22,000) dollars which, under the provisions of an act of the Legislature of said State entitled "An act to provide for the paying certain equitable claims against the State of California, and to contract a funded debt for that purpose," approved Avril 3), 1860, is

set apart for the redemption of Civil Bonds of said State, issued under the provisions of said act, notice is hereby given that SEALED PROPOSALS for the surrender of said Bonds will be received at

this Department for the amount above specified 10TH DAY OF APRIL, 1871,

at 11 o'clock A. M. No bid will be entertained at more than par value, and a responsible guarantee must accompany each proposal, which must be indorsed "Sealed Proposals for the surrender of Civil Bonds of 1860." Said bonds will be redeemed and interest paid in gold and silver coin of the United States, and must

of the proposal for their redem A. F. CORONEL. 9 14tuths t4 10 State Treasurer. DEPARTMENT OF THE RECEIVER OF

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be surrendered within ten days after the acceptance

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 18, 1871. Tax-payers who desire their bills prepared in advance will please send memorandum of properties at their earliest convenience to the under-

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

REV. DR. SAUNDERS WILL DELIVER A lecture before the Courtland Saunders Debating Society, THIS EVENING, at his college. Subject—"Constantinople and Europe's Future," a subject which few are acquainted with.

MERCANTILE LIBRARY.—THE ANNUAL election for six Directors, to serve for three years, will be held at the Library on TUESDAY, the fist inst., between the hours of 4 and 8 P. M. 2 14 71 JOHN LARDNER, Rec. Sec.

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Debt," and the Act in smendment thereof, approved January 20, 1871.

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