

NEWS SUMMARY.

At a special meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association, held last evening, it was unanimously agreed to accept the act consolidating the Young Men's Home with the Young Men's Christian Association. At an early hour yesterday morning the dwelling part of the house southeast corner of Franklin and Parrish streets, occupied by H. A. Bergman, was entered by thieves. The dwelling was ransacked, but so far as ascertained nothing was removed. The occupants of the dwelling were absent from home on a visit. The annual meeting of the Magdalen Society was held yesterday. This institution has been in existence for seventy years, and now contains sixty-six inmates. During the past year six inmates left the asylum at their own request, nine went to service, one to the Almshouse, and eight returned to their friends. A conference was had last evening between the Fire Commission and the Committee on Fire of Councils, which resulted in the committee agreeing to report an ordinance on Thursday next for the repeal of the part of the law which prevents the Commissioners leasing real estate they cannot have absolute control over and entire possession of. Very many of the engine houses are rented in part to societies and for school purposes, and under the law as it now stands none such can be leased for the use of the new department. At a meeting of the Board of Public Education held yesterday the Committee on Supervisors asked to be discharged from the consideration of the petition of Justice & Co., setting forth that their bid for slates pencils was twenty-six cents lower than that of J. B. Lippincott & Co., to whom the contract was awarded. The committee say that A. B. Justice & Co. did not comply with a rule of the board which necessitates the making of affidavits on the part of all bidders for supplies, so their bid could not be entertained. The wish of the committee was complied with. Mr. Green offered a resolution calling upon City Councils to make the yearly appropriations to the board as soon as possible, as the schools were suffering from the want of supplies. Adopted. A resolution was then adopted authorizing the framing of a bill on compulsory education, and the meeting adjourned. The Assay Commissioners proceeded yesterday with their labors at the United States Mint. The assay was completed, and the coins from the Mint and branches found to be fully up to the standard, both in purity and weight. The weights used in the department of the Chief Coiner, Chief Refiner, and others were tested and found to be accurate. After completing their labors the commissioners paraded of a handsome collation, at which were present, besides the commissioners, the Japanese Assistant Minister of Finance, Jushe (or Prince) Hirobumi Ito, and Takoi (or Professor) Foukutsi, Secretary of the Japanese Commission. Domestic Affairs. The Republicans of Chester county met yesterday in convention. The snow-storm of yesterday extended over a great range of country, despatches from California saying that it was raging on the Pacific coast. Many Bonapartist agents at Bordeaux. A committee to negotiate peace has been selected at Bordeaux. Premier Gladstone denies that the Prussians placed obstacles in the way of provisioning Paris. The Orleansists held a caucus yesterday, and they believe themselves to possess a clear majority. It is stated, on good authority, that Germany will never restore to France the territory covered by the city of Strasburg. In the departments of France where no German troops are stationed the French-troops are committing great depredations. Minister Cremieux has ordered the liberation of Beresowski, who was imprisoned for attempting the life of the Emperor of Russia. The Italian Chamber of Deputies has, by a vote of 204 against 123, approved the policy of the ministry relative to the inviolability of the Papal residence. A portion of the Paris war contribution has already been paid. M. ENNECHOR BAL MASQUE. The seventh annual bal masquee carnival of the Monnerchor Singing Society came off at the Academy last evening, and was a grand success. The Monnerchor surpassed itself, and the months of labor the committee of arrangements have spent with the object of making the carnival a success have been more than repaid, for the grand entertainment even exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine. Never did the Academy present more brilliant or animated appearance. The parquette circle and balcony were filled to overflowing with spectators, consisting of portly waterfamilies, stately dowagers, bright-eyed, blushing maidens, and gay and gallant young gentlemen attendants. The dancing floor presented a scene that the pen of a Dickens could scarce do justice to. Every imaginable character was represented. The Academy was beautifully decorated with hanging baskets, evergreens, and flags of different nationalities, and the music was very superior. It was a scene of joyous, beautiful fun and merriment, and the occasion will live long in the memories of those who had the good fortune to be participants. As a pecuniary success the affair exceeded expectations. To the lasting credit of the Monnerchor Society, it may be mentioned that the managers have resolved to appropriate one-half of the net proceeds of the ball to the sufferers by the French-German war, and no mean sum will be realized. The San Domingo Commission. A Washington despatch says that previous to the sailing of the San Domingo Commission, Allen G. Burton, their secretary, stated that the plan for the landing of the commission, which he should submit to the commission for their consideration, was to land opposite the City of San Domingo back of the island. The reason for this course, he stated, was to avoid coming in contact with such persons only as should be sent by Bazet, it being more desirable, in order to obtain a truthful condition of the facts to be ascertained, for the commission to consult with the people as they might find them. It is believed that the commission have adopted Mr. Burton's plan. If so, ten or twelve days would elapse, in addition to the time contemplated, before hearing from them. "Why, you little scoundrel," said Monsey, "ask Lord Godolphin, one of the best-bred men in the world, if I do not believe as well as the poetless of his visitors." "Well," replied Garrick, "if you'll promise to behave properly, you shall come." Monsey promised, and duly came. All went on well till Mrs. Garrick began to neglect Monsey and load her noble visitors with ceremonious attentions. The doctor bore this till he found Mrs. Garrick paid no regard to the plate he (Monsey) held out, until at last, losing all regard for common decency, the doctor thrust it at her, exclaiming, "Will you help me, you beast, or not?" Garrick fell back in his chair with laughter; the Duke, though prepared for Monsey's oddities, was somewhat surprised, but Monsey, not a whit abashed, shamed into good humor, plunged into a career of whimsical anecdotes. SPECIAL NOTICES. REDEMPTION OF CIVIL BONDS OF 1860. STATE OF CALIFORNIA, TREASURY DEPARTMENT, SACRAMENTO, February 1, 1871. Whereas, There is on this day in the State Treasury the sum of twenty-eight thousand (\$28,000) 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 April 30, 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 SEEALED PROPOSALS for the surrender of said Bonds will be received at this Department for the amount above specified until the 16th 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 be surrendered within ten days after the acceptance of the proposal for their redemption. A. F. CORONEL, State Treasurer, 214 South 14th St. REDEMPTION OF STATE BONDS. STATE OF CALIFORNIA, TREASURY DEPARTMENT, SACRAMENTO, Feb. 1, 1871. Whereas, there is on this day in the State Treasury the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand (\$250,000) dollars, which, under the provisions of an act of the Legislature of said State, entitled "An act to provide for paying certain equitable claims against the State of California, and to contract a funded debt for that purpose," approved April 28, 1867; and also under the provisions of an act amendatory of said act, approved April 27, 1869, is set apart for the redemption of Civil Bonds of said State, issued under the provisions of said first mentioned act, notice is hereby given that SEEALED PROPOSALS for the surrender of said Bonds will be received at this Department for the amount above specified, until the 16th DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1871, at 11 o'clock A. M. No bids will be entertained at more than par value, and a responsible guarantee must accompany each proposal, which must be marked "Sealed Proposals for the Red-mp-tion of Civil Bonds of 1867." Said bonds must be surrendered within ten days after the acceptance of the proposals for their redemption. A. F. CORONEL, State Treasurer, 214 South 14th St. HOMOEPATHIC HOSPITAL, No. 1116 CUBBERT STREET. The attending Physicians for February are:— W. H. BENTLEY, M. D., 3028 Chestnut street. JOHN CARROLL, M. D., 1502 Spruce street. C. G. HANE, M. D., No. 121 N. 7th street. JOHN C. MOYER, M. D., No. 1208 Chestnut street. The attending Physicians are Drs. Raine, Morgan, and Mettlin. The attending Surgeon is Malcolm Macfarlan, M. D. The resident Physician is Dr. Baethig. The attending Physicians and Surgeon attend daily at the Hospital from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Applications for admission are received by the attending Managers on Wednesdays at 5 P. M. at the Hospital. Patients seriously injured by accident are always admitted, if brought to the Hospital immediately thereafter. Contributions in money received by the Treasurer, J. W. Sexton, Esq., of Jay Cooke & Co. Contributions of Food, Clothing, Bedding, etc., received at the Hospital, 3028 Chestnut street. H. M. DALY'S WHISKY WAREHOUSES, No. 22 S. FRONT STREET AND 139 DOCK ST. IMMENSE STOCK OF THE BEST BRANDS OF PURE MALT AND POT STILL WHISKY. Among which may be found the celebrated "GOLDEN WEDDING," "BOURBON OF ANCIENT DATE," "WHEAT AND RYE WHISKY," all pure from the distilleries in original packages, including those well-known distillers, THOMAS MOORE & SON, JOSEPH S. FINCH & CO., and THOMAS MOORE. The attention of the trade is requested to test these Whiskies, and make them their own. CLEVELAND, COLUMBUS, CINCINNATI, AND INDIANAPOLIS RAILWAY COMPANY. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 8, 1871. The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company, for the election of directors and for the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the company in Cleveland, Ohio, on WEDNESDAY, March 1, 1871, between the hours of 11 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. The transfer books will be closed from the evening of February 15 until March 2. GEORGE H. RUSSELL, Secretary, 29 3/4 W. TREASURERS OFFICE, ST. JOSEPH AND DENVER CITY RAILWAY COMPANY. St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 28, 1871. The interest and coupons due on the first dividend of THREE PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, payable clear of tax, at the Office of this Company, No. 12 Philadelphia Exchange, on and after the 15th of March next. The transfer books will be closed on the 30th inst., and remain closed until the 14th of March. A. E. DOUGHERTY, Treasurer, 413 1/2 St. BACHELOR'S HAIR DYE.—THIS SPECTACULAR HAIR DYE is the best in the world, the only true and perfect Dye. Harmless—Reliable—Instantaneous—No disappointment—No ridiculous results. Does not contain any of the poisonous ingredients of "Hair or System." Invigorates the Hair and leaves it soft and beautiful; Black or Brown. Sold by all Druggists and Dealers. Applied at the Factory, No. 14 BOND STREET, New York. (47 MW) THURSTON'S IVORY PEARL TOOTH POWDER is the best article for cleansing and preserving the teeth. For sale by all Druggists. Price 25 cents per bottle. 11 3/4 STATISTICAL STEAM ENGINES AND PORTABLE AND Stationary Boilers of Rogers' and Black's, and of other make, and other machinery, applied at the Factory, No. 14 BOND STREET, New York. (47 MW) PROPOSALS. UNITED STATES MAILS. PENNSYLVANIA. POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, Sept. 30, 1870. PROPOSALS for conveying the Mails of the United States from July 1, 1871, to June 30, 1872, on the following routes in the State of Pennsylvania, will be received at the contract Office of the Department until 3 P. M. of March 1, 1871, to be decided by March 10 following. 2602 From Butler, by North Oakland, Barnhart's Mills, Baldwin, and Irwin, to Lawrenceburg, Leave Butler Monday, at 10 A. M., and Friday, at 7:30 A. M.; Arrive Lawrenceburg by 4 P. M.; Leave Lawrenceburg Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, at 7:30 A. M.; Arrive at Butler by 4 P. M. 2610 From the corner of Firth's Mills, to New Era, 11 miles and back, once a week. Leave Liberty Corners Saturday at 8 A. M.; Arrive at New Era by 12 M.; Leave New Era Saturday at 1 P. M.; Arrive at Liberty Corners by 5 P. M. 2624 From Bedford to Downingtown (Intermont P. O.), 4 miles and back, twice a week. Leave Bedford Tuesday and Friday at 3 P. M.; Arrive at Intermont by 6 P. M.; Leave Intermont Tuesday and Friday at 8 A. M.; Arrive at Bedford by 10 A. M. 2625 From 8th and Bingham Centre and Bingham, to Spring Mills (N. Y.), 7 miles and back, twice a week. Leave Bingham Tuesday and Saturday at 8 P. M.; Arrive at Spring Mills by 8 P. M.; Leave Spring Mills Tuesday and Saturday at 12 o'clock A. M.; Arrive at Bingham by 3 P. M. 2626 From Pottstown to Cedarville (no office), 2 miles and back, once a week. Leave Pottstown Tuesday and Saturday at 8 P. M.; Arrive at Cedarville by 10 A. M. 2627 From Oxford, by Mount Vernon, Colerain, Kirkwood, Forestdale, and Bartville, to Christiansburg, 15 miles and back, three times a week. Leave Oxford Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 1 P. M.; Arrive at Christiansburg by 6 P. M.; Leave Christiansburg Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 12 A. M.; Arrive at Oxford by 12 M. 2628 From Pottstown to Cedarville (no office), 2 miles and back, twice a week. Leave Pottstown Tuesday and Saturday at 8 P. M.; Arrive at Cedarville by 10 A. M. 2631 From Troy Centre (no office) to Tryonville, 6 miles and back, once a week. Leave Troy Centre Saturday at 10 A. M.; Arrive at Tryonville by 12 M. 2632 From Pottstown to Cedarville (no office), 2 miles and back, twice a week. Leave Pottstown Tuesday and Saturday at 8 P. M.; Arrive at Cedarville by 10 A. M. 2642 From Ficksville (no office) to Penargill (no office). Bidders will state distance and proposed schedule of arrivals and departure. 2643 From Cooperburg, by Lanark, Jimeport, Stinesburg, and Zion Hill (no office), to Cooperburg, 12 miles and back, three times a week. Leave Cooperburg Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 12 M.; Arrive at Cooperburg by 6 P. M. 2644 From Dixon Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 12 M.; Arrive at Dixon by 9 A. M. Leave Dixon Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 12 M.; Arrive at Dixon by 9 A. M. 2645 From Dixon to Siglerville (no office), 3 miles and back, once a week. Leave Dixon Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 12 M.; Arrive at Siglerville by 3 P. M. 2646 From Dixon to Siglerville (no office), 3 miles and back, once a week. Leave Dixon Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 12 M.; Arrive at Siglerville by 3 P. M. 2647 From Dixon to Siglerville (no office), 3 miles and back, once a week. Leave Dixon Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 12 M.; Arrive at Siglerville by 3 P. 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Nippes, on the 31st day of April, 1857, for an improvement in Grinding Saws: It is ordered, that the testimony in the case be closed on the 31st day of March next, that the petition be filed on the 1st day of March next, and that the petition be heard on the 5th day of April next. Any person may oppose this extension. D. H. BUNGAN, Acting Commissioner of Patents. PRESSES FOR STAMPING FELT, BUCKRAM, Straw and Sheet Metal, with Dies for any shape. No. 17 South EIGHTH STREET. TOOLS FOR MACHINISTS, LATHES, Drilling, Boring and Copying, Planing, Shaping and other machinery, of the best make and at the lowest prices. No. 17 South EIGHTH STREET. AMUSEMENTS. AMERICAN ACADEMY OF MUSIC. TWO MORE GRAND CONCERTS. BY THEOPHILUS THOMAS' UNEQUALLED CONCERT ORGANIZATION. WEDNESDAY EVENING, Feb. 15. THURSDAY EVENING, Feb. 16. The public is respectfully informed that arrangements have been completed to give two additional GRAND CONCERTS, On WEDNESDAY EVENING, Feb. 15, and THURSDAY EVENING, Feb. 16. Mr. Thomas will be assisted by the celebrated Pianist, MISS ANNA MEHLIG, and his UNRIVALLED ORCHESTRA, many of whom are EMINENT SOLOISTS. The program will be entirely new. On Wednesday evening, in compliance with numerous requests, will be performed the entire SYMPHONY No. 4, PASTORALE, Beethoven. Admission Tickets..... One Dollar Reserved Seats..... Fifty Cents Extra Family Circle..... Fifty Cents Gallery..... Twenty Cents Tickets and programmes can now be obtained at North & Co.'s Music Store, No. 1246 Chestnut street, and at the Box Office of the Academy, 2112 Chestnut street. The Grand Piano used are from the celebrated manufactory of Steinway & Sons, warerooms in Philadelphia at Charles Blasius, No. 1686 Chestnut street. CHESTNUT STREET THEATRE. E. L. DAVENPORT, Lessee and Manager. THIS EVENING, Joseph C. Foster's grand drama of the OLD MAN OF THE MOUNTAIN, replete with gorgeous effects in every department, and at the Box Office of the Academy, 2112 Chestnut street. DAVENPORT'S DOUBLE STAR COMPANY. MATINEE ON SATURDAY. Tickets secured in advance at Abel's Dramatic Repository, No. 121 Chestnut street, from 9 until 10 o'clock. MRS. JOHN DREW'S ARCH STREET THEATRE. Begins at 8 o'clock. LYDIA THOMPSON AND TROUPE. TO-NIGHT (Wednesday) FEBRUARY 15, LAST NIGHT OF PARIS. LYDIA THOMPSON AND TROUPE. THURSDAY, MARCH 2, FIVE HULLS. TWO SCREW-PILE LIGHTHOUSES, one at BENOXIS POINT, Choptank river, Md., in about six feet water, and the other at LOVE POINT, head of Kent Island, mouth of Chester river, Md., in ten-foot water, according to the plans and specifications for the same, which can be had, together with such other useful information, on application to this office. The Lighthouses will be built on wooden piles, surmounted by cast-iron sleeves, in a manner similar to certain other lighthouses in this district. Proposals may be made for either or both Lighthouses, but the bids must state the price for each single structure. Each bid must be accompanied by a written guarantee in the sum of one thousand dollars from two responsible parties, that in case the bid is accepted the bidder will within ten days thereafter enter into a contract on the terms of his bid. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Proposals will be endorsed "Proposals for Building Screw-pile Lighthouses at Benoxis Point, Choptank river, Md., and Love Point, Kent Island, Chesapeake Bay, Md.," and addressed to the undersigned. PATER C. HAINS, Captain of Engineers, Fifth District. 29 2/2 Lighthouse Engineer, Fifth District. TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.—Sealed Proposals, endorsed "Proposals for Building an extension to a Public School-house in the Tenth Ward," will be received by the undersigned, at the Office, S. E. corner of SIXTH and ADELPHI Streets, until THURSDAY, February 22, 1871, at 12 o'clock, noon. The extension to a Public School-house, situate on Race street, below Fifteenth, in the Tenth ward, said extension to be built in accordance with the plans of L. H. Esler, Superintendent of Public Buildings, may be seen at the office of the Board of Public Education. No bids will be received unless accompanied by a certificate from the City Solicitor that the provisions of an ordinance approved May 25, 1869, have been complied with. The contract will be awarded only to known master builders. By order of the Committee on Property. H. W. HALLIWELL, Secretary. 213, 16, 20, 23 QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 8, 1871. Sealed Proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on TUESDAY, February 15, 1871, for building a Superintendent's Lodge, of stone, at each of the following-named National Armories, to wit: City Point, Cold Harbor, Fredericksburg, Va., according to plans and specifications which will be furnished from this office on application. Separate bids for building this Lodge of brick are also invited, plans and specifications for which will also be furnished from this office on application. Bank forms for bids, details and requirements furnished by the undersigned—a copy of the latter, with this advertisement, to be attached to each proposal. HENRY H. WOOD, Quartermaster U. S. Army. 28 1/2 Major and Quartermaster U. S. Army. REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION. REAL ESTATE.—THOMAS & SONS' SALE.—General Two-and-a-half-story brick dwelling, No. 1202 Chestnut street, between Race and Cherry streets. On Tuesday, February 22, 1871, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that two-story brick dwelling, with two-story brick building and lot of ground, situate on the west side of Jacoby street, between Race and Cherry streets, containing in front on Jacoby street 30 feet, and extending in depth 70 feet. It has the gas introduced, bath, etc. Terms—Cash. Possession 1st of October next. M. 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