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JEFFERSON.

The Angual Commencement of Jefferson Monicul College at the Academy of Music at Nuos To-day—Degrees Conferred Upon 127 Graduates The Valedictory Address bounced by Professor Wallace,

At noon to-day, in the presence of a very large audience, the major portion of which was com-Music, the annual e n aencement exercises of the Jefferson Medical Content of an e.f. This week is known as "Commencement week," for the reason that no less than four of Philadelphia's celebrated medical colleges publicly and with formal ceremony proclaim their graduates to the world. Old Jefferson opens the series, and always draws out to witness its commence ment a large, talented, and gay assemblage. half past II o'clock this morning the spacious Academy was filled. The graduates sat in a semicircular row on the stage, and in the rear was a good battalion of matriculants. This was the programme, and it was faithfully carried

Waitz - Wiener Kinder' Strauss
Sejections - Grands Duchesse Offenbach
Overture - Der Freischutz Von Weber
Sejections - Belle Helene Offenbach
Sejections - Don Giovanni Mozart
Sejections - Geneviece de Brabant Offenbach

of the Board of Trustees, being absent unavoidably, Dr. J. R. Burden, President pro tem., conferred the degrees upon the following-named graduates, whom we name with the States from which they come -

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Fennsylaania—W. Powell Adams, Alex. H. Armstrong, Hamilton K. Beatty, J. F. Boughter, B. D. Bucher, John A. Carson, Robert W. Christy, Cicero H. Drake, Joseph M. Dresher, C. D. B. Essaman, Arthur F. Ediger, W. T. English, John C. Fleming, Mitton L. Fritch, Frank H. Getenell, Clasries H. Geenring, H. B. Gress, Salem Heilman, Charles M. Holbrook, Austin C. L. Hodenstein, John A. Honts, John C. Hughes, John Bennett Kaip, Joseph W. B. Kamerer, Henry Kehm, Benjamin L. Kerchner, A. H. Kissinger, Chalmers T. Lawson, J. Philip L-crone, Charles D. Madden, Thomas K. McBride, Samuel B. McCleery, John P. McCord, Joseph B. McEirsth, Leander McMillen, Robert N. Melsenheider, David H. Mingle, Henry C. Moore, Morrow M. Moffit, Henry M. Nipple, C. A. M. Oswald, Edwin F. Phillips, Milton A. Piper, George B. Porch, F. Phillips, Milton A. Piper, George B. Porch, George F. Prowell, John A. Ritchey, Morris B. Rothson, J. Warner Rockafellow, J. Wesley Rowe, Milcs A. Schooley, William F. Sheridan, Benjamin F. Sides, Joseph Singer, Chauncey H. Smith, Alfred

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Ohio-Leon H. Armstrong, Jehu Bakins, Silas W. Fowler, Cassins F. Hunter, Robert D. Murray, Jos. H. Stoil, J. C. Wallace, Samuel N. Robinson.

New York-H. Newton Crandali, Charles W. Crary, S. A. Harris, Joseph G. Hunt, Clarence U. Stedman, George H. Whoelock.

Maine-John C. Berry, Calvin Leavy, Edwin M.

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Small, Wm. H. Winslow.

Kentucky—George M. Armstrong, Thomas S. Bradford, Franklin M. Clements, Joseph T. Miller.

Trans-Edward F. Becker, Joseph P. Parker, Josephus Cummings, B. F. Dial.

Illinois—Jasper N. Burtnutt, William L. Pollock, William B. Ebsminger. William B. Eosminger. Tennessee- Hugh L. McReynolds, William J. Crook, Tennessee—Hugh L. McReynolds, William J. Crook, Louis P. Estes.

Missouri—Samnel T. Howell, Charles W. Watts,

Robert C. Young,
Mississippi—Joseph Warren Ellis, Thomas Dade
Palmer, tichard C. Winslow.
West Virginia—George B. Simpson, Albert W.
Sterling, L. C. Hunt.
Canada—James R. Anderson, James Cherry,
Robert Laferte. Canada—James R. Anderson, James Cherry, Robert Laferte, Delaware—Jos. T. V. Blockson, Jas. W. Shart, North Carolina—Jos. J. Cox, S. Augustine Brown South Carolina—J. Patillo Suppson, Henry P.

Goodwin.

Indiana—Richard H. Gillen, John W. Roncie.

California—Henry B. Davison, Vandervoort Brace

Gates.

Nova Scolia Simon Fraser, James C. Dunn.

Margland L. H. Adler.

Moreland. Georgia—Isaac J. F. Moreland, Michigan—James M. Alden.

Iowa-Benton H. Criley. Tiah-Charles H. Bogman.

It was then announced that the degree of Doctor of Laws had been conferred upon the Hon. Edward M. Paxson, Hon. Wm. A. Porter, and Hon. Henry Chapman, of Doylestown. After these degrees were conferred the overture "Guillaume Tell" was performed by the orchestra and the valedictory was pronounced by Professor Eilerslie Wallace, M. D., as follows:-

CHARGE TO THE GRADUATES BY PROFESSOR WALLACE. Another year, a whole year, a year of much event. College were assembled under this roof to celebrate the last day—the great day—of the official year of the institution its anniversary. We say the great day, for to anniversaries the whole year pays

On that occasion there was also grouped together here a goodly band of younger men, who had reached the close of their medical pupitage, and had proved themselves to need no longer the guidance of pre-ceptors, and who, therefore, were invested, here and then, with legal power to assume the rights, and the dignities, and the responsibilities which pertain to the degree of Doctor of Medicine.

To you who, at that time, looked forward,

"With hopes and tears that kindle hope," to this present anniversary, with all its store of pro-mise, how very long did seem the coming year! But look back now, and how short the semblance

of the time! So long, in fancy, in the prospect; so short, in fact, by retrospect.
Yet in this year, be It as you will, short or long, how many things—some great, some small, as we may view them—have transpired! I say as we may view them, for the true value of the events of any passing time is not always to be recognized at sigh it is, often, most to be determined by time to com-It may be that "the weak things" of to-day shall, at

last, "confound the mighty."

What vast amount of joy and sorrow, of hope and disappointment, of good resolve and faulty action, has this just year or cught forth!

What mighty wealth of fruitful husbandry, what rich stores of successful commerce, has this year

What advance has Science made! at once leading Art to overleap barriers that, heretofore, success

fully opposed her progress.

What woful waste, what fearful sufferings, what sore heart-breaks, what agony of desolation, have been wrought by strife of battle and of war!

What hosts of new beings have come upon the

What hosts of new beings have come upon the earth! What cohorts of disease and injury of every kind have worked out their fed intent! What a holocaust of deaths has this last year shown! A year is, after all, in sober fact, whether con-sidered merely as a part of time, or reckoned by its deeds, a great section of human life. And, of the deeds of this just closing year we conceive that it is by no means among the least important that it has brought you to that point in your lives where now you are, that it has placed you in the position for which you have been preparing through all your childhood and your bolder youth.

The Trustees of Jefferson Medical College look-proudly more you to day. Their congratulations

proudly upon you to-day. Their congratulations have been awarded you by one whom years and lore have clothed with reverence and honor, and sole no prayer has ascended, in your behalf, to the throne of the Almients.

of the Almighty.

And now, speaking for the faculty of our prefessional foster-mother. I say our foster-mother, for she is alike yours and mine—I heartily greet you, as you sten, from the pupil's seat, to the platform of you step, from the pupil's seat, to the platform of equal rank and privilege whereon we, your quondam teachers, now your professional brothers, hold our

stand.
Yet more; all in this great assembly, who now grace this vast building, and who honor you by their presence, do recognize and endorse the momenturness of his time and circumstance of your lives, and second us in our gravitations to you, and in our commendations of you to Him who "careth for

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Among the various wants—necessities, indeed—of mankind, medicine, which has been fitly defined as "The science of diseases, and the art of healing or alleviating them," holds a leading rank.

It has moved on, variously influenced, from the beginning, by ignorance, by superstition, and by truth; hindered, at one time, by dogmas of specifics, and weakened, at another, by generalities loose and wild; now hampered, and then advanced, by differing schools of so called philosophy; protected for a time by religious domination, yet, at the same time, hidden and stunted in the dark by priestly ignorance—still "gradually struggling on, a ter suffering, perhaps more than any other science, from every superstition and every misconception of nature," until now—supported by precise and accurate observation, and by reasoning, always clegant, and often averlately perfect—it stands out, in clear light, a form of diguity and power which even kings delight to honor.

As ministers of grace to your fellow-men, you go from us to-day. As apostles, in true sense; men sent out; commissioned for especial service by highest human law—even the authority of a sove-seign State; you are sent out to fill the gaps left by

do now rest from their labors," and to provide for older communities, where growth is slow, as well as for the younger, where increase is rapid—protection in time of danger.

You go out as guards of your courty. White scientists of war are sometimes reded as protectors, you are always in demand. They destroy—true, they destroy to save, or ought only so to do—but you shall save, we nout destroying.

But then you must be true to your calling; you must "wa", worthy of your vocation." A charge as valid, and as binding upon you this day in your professed the doctrines of our blessed Christianity. Stand up for the truth which you profess; you may look for opposition; it will surely come; for there are sects of irregular medicine—pathics, and isms, and pretensions multifold; autocephaious bodies, warped and distorted by false theories into every shape of error, all on the alert to oppose you.

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A head, not of your own creation, is over you; the A head, not of your own creation, is over you; the science of medicine! And as anative citizen owes allegiance to the government under which he is born, so do you owe, to that science under which your professional life has begun, a partisanable most absolute; and white you maintain the truth, maintain also the dignity, and the exclusiveness of true medicine. true medicine.

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When you neet with those who are deibded from the right way by some will-o'-the-wisp, or are "given over to believe a lie," or are perveited by solf-interest, and so profess and practice any of the false systems of medicine, or any of the perversions of the true—deal with them personally with that courtesy of which a gentieman should never fall; but professionally touch them not. Give professional place to them—no not for a moment; counsel not with them under any circumstance. There can be no profitable conference, for there can be no compromise between truth and error.

Gentlemen, you, as others gone before, have reached the close of your medical pupilage, but your truest student life is but just beginning. In the past you have studied the cadavre; you have the past you have studied the cadavre; you have listened to oral instructions, fortified more or less

listened to oral instructions, fortified more or less by physical demonstration, and you have pondered the teachings of those who have described disease and remeny in printed words. Henceforth you are to study the living man, to listen to "the cry of his suffering organs," to ponder the expressions of his disorders, and to witness, to examine, and to judge of the action of your remedies.

While passing through the crowded city street, or along the country highway, or the lonely by-ways of the prairie or the wilderness, you are to think, to study, and devise, that you may work out good results for suffering humanity.

And not by your own thought and reasoning only, but by the assistance of a medical literature, in our day full, full to overflowing, and so cheaply fur-

day full, full to overflowing, and so cheaply fur-nished as to be within the reach of every one, you still should be the student. While in hours of letsure you enjoy, as you certainly have the right to, the pleasures of the social circle, yet, let each day which may bring you time of ease, record some time spent among your books and journals. Bacon wrote, "He that questioneth much, shall learn much." Act on that hint. In the privacy of your offices, inter-rogate the living and the dead, whose spirits embodied in printed pages, are before you and around you, waiting to answer from their experience for your information. Study is obligatory upon you through all your life,
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Go out into your busy life with courage and with hope. Anticipate the best, and so direct your aim. For life is a thing of beauty and of joy; it is intended to be a source of happiness and of good to all, and so it will be to you, if you will be content to make and have it so—if you will use, without abusing it. For "truly life is sweet, and a pleasant thing it is to behold the sun." What though the course of human lives never does run quite smooth? What though cares and trials do meet you on the way? We would not take all such from you if we had the power. You must have dark shadows to bring out the high You must have dark shadows to bring out the high lights, and the warmer colors are shown only by their colder contrasts.

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And, moreover, as by fire and by hammer, the metal is separated from dross, and wrought into shape and temper, so, by trials and cares, men are, metally and morally, parified, developed, and strengthened for a higher life, "Do your duty in that state of life unto which it has pleased God to call" you; taking the good which may be granted you with thankfulness, ay, and that which may seem to be evil, too; times of prosperity, seasons of adversity, both alike, the orderings of Him who "hath none all things well." And, so doing, and so receiving, you, shall, indeed, fare well.

When this was concluded, "Home, Sweet

When this was concluded, "Home, Sweet Home" was rendered, and this was succeeded by "Auld Lang Syne" A benediction ended the ceremonies, and the graduates received the ratulations of their friends. Of the graduating class there were from -

Penn-ylvania, 64; Ohio, S; New York, 6; Maine, 4 Kentucky, 4; Texas. 4; Illinois, 3; Tennessee, 3; Missouri, 3; Mississippi, 3; West Virginia, 3; Canada, 3; Delaware, 2; North Carolina, 2; South Carolina, 2; Indiana, 2; California, 2; Nova Scotis, 2; Maryland, 1; Georgia, 1; Michigan, 1; Iowa, 1; Utah, 1. Total, 127.

The number of matriculates for the session of 1870-71 was 411, representing thirty-five different States and countries.

THE FRENCH BAZAAR.

A General Summing Up-The Receipts Qvet \$18,000- How it Has Been Disposed Of. The ladies who had charge of the bazaar in aid of the suffering French, which was held at Concert Hall just previous to Christmas, are now able for the first time to make a desinite statement of the result of this worthy charitable undertaking. They have prepared the following for publication: -

"We take this opportunity of returning the thanks of the ladies having had charge of the French Bazaar to all those who in various ways so generously responded to their appeal. Also to inform those whom it may interest, that the receipts of said bazaar have been, so far, \$18,335.52, including donations in cash and theatricals. The expenses were \$2498.87, leaving the net proceeds \$15,844.65. Of this, \$7267 to have been forwarded to France by Messrs. Deexel & Co., one-third for the wounded soldiers Drexel & Co., one-third for the wounded soldiers and two thirds for the widows, orphans, and noncombatants (beautiful and touching acknowledg-ments of which have been received). The remain-ing \$8577 65, now in the hands of Messrs. Drexel & Co., is immediately to be sent out in produce, specially for the French suff-rers, on board the national ship leaving from this port."

We would call the attention of the public to the remaining articles on hand, application for which may be made to Miss Picot. No. 906 Spruce street; Madame D'Hervilly, No. 1527 Spruce street; Madame Jacob, No. 935 Spruce street; Mrs. E. Salles, South Ninth street, below Walnut; Mrs Breton, South Ninth street, below Walnut; and Madame Lardet, Chesnut and

Juniper streets. The following is a letter received by Miss Picot from the gentlemen who have kindly and ited the accounts of the Finance Committee: -"Miss Picor, President of the French Bazaar Madam: - We have this day, by request, examined the accounts of the Finance Committee, and found them perfectly correct. As the account now stands, there appears to be a balance of cash on hand of \$8577.65.

"C. D'INVILLIERS. "Philadelphia, March 9, 1871."

ATTEMPT TO SHOOT AN OFFICER .- The neighborhood of Forty-ninth and Kingsessing avenue is an out-of-the way place, not lighted by street lamps and not patrolled by policemen. About ten days ago two robberles were committed there, and Officer George Matsinger, of the Sixteenth district, was specially detailed to watch the neighborhood. At 1% o'clock yesterday morning, as he was going his rounds, he saw two men in the yard of a dwelling and two others standing outside. He hailed them, when one of the parties made a rush for the officer The latter drew his club and frightened the fellow back. The four then took to their heels and ran, but not without giving the policeman a salule. They fired four shots at him, one of the balls having grazed his ear. The men ran into the fields and escaped.

UNITED LYCEUMS OF PHILADELPHIA, -In the Academy of Music, on Saturday evening next, the United Lyceums of Philadelphia will hold their first annual literary and musical entertainment. A fine programme has been prepared including recitations by Protessor Rufus Adams and also the performance of popular and operatic selections of music by the Germania Orchestra. A debate on "Compulsory Education" will be held, and addresses will be made by Samuel E. Cavin, J. G. Gray, and others.

THE "STAR" COURSE OF LECTURES .- Mr. Pugh's next "star" is Daniel Dougherty, Esq., who will lecture this evening at the Academy of Music on "Oratory." As Mr. Dougherty is himself an orator with few equals and no superiors, an unusually entertaining lecture, both as to matter and manner, may be expected.

Missionary Anniversary.—The sixth anniversary of the Juvenile Missionary Society of the Sunday-school connected with the Spring Garden M. E. Church will be held this evening in the church building, Twentieth and Spring Garden streets.

TPE COMMISSION BILLS.

shey are Denounced by the Democrats fof On Saturday night last there was a large meeting of the members of the Central Association of Pennsylvania Democrats at No. 1014 Walput street, who were assembled for the purpose of earnestly protesting against the passage of the infamous commission bills now before the Legislature for adoption. J. Rinaldo Sank, E-q., presided, and the following Vice-Presidents were

Belected:—

Words.

1. William M. Reilly.
2. Dr. Andrew Nebinger.
3. Joseph Megary.
4. Capt T. Mealey.
5. Philip Fitzpatrick.
6. Col. James Page.
7. George W. Biddle.
8. Charles Ingersoll.
9. Dr. J. L. Ludiow.
10. John O. James.
11. Thomas A. Fahy.
12. John F. Belsterling.
13. James M. Robb.
14. John Baird.

Wards.
15. Daniel Witham.
19. John Moffatt.
20. George Williams.
21. Michael Wartman,
22. Edward Bedlock.
23. Henry R. Allen.
24. John O. Bullitt.
25. Stephen Taylor.
26. Edward Carre.
27. H. M. Dechert.
28. Wm. N. Stevens.
29. Luther Martin.

Secretaries—James S. Biddle, L. P. Ashmead, James H. Carr, George Bull, Jacob Dowler, George J. Hetzell, C. H. Siddail, John Welsh, George W. Splese, William F. Scheible, Thomas D. Pearce. William H. Welsh, Esq., submitted the following

resolutions:—
Waereas, The members of "The Central Association of Pennsylvania Democrats," in meeting as-sembled at their rooms, No. 1014 Wainut street, convened pursuant to public notice, do hereby respectfully and earnestly protest against any action by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, by which the inherent right of the freemen of Philadelphia to govern themselves is taken away; therefore Resolved, That the creation of irresponsible and self-constituted commissions authorized by a Legis-

money of the people without accountability to any proper tribunal or the wholesome control of the ballot-box, is a revolutionary proceeding dangerous to the liberty of the citizen and contrary to the true

principles of representative government.

Resolved, That it is not deemed within the province of the Legislature to inflict upon this or any other community rulers who cannot be reached by the corrections of the ballot box for a long period of years, and who, during the continuance of their illegitimate power, might govern in accordance with their own selfish purposes, and not with reference to the real interests of the heavily burdened tax-payers.

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Resolved. That the Senate and House of Representatives, as guardians of the rights and interests of the people, are hereby selemnly invoked to protect the citizens of Philadelphia against the wrongs and outrages contemplated by the commissions for the government of this great metropolis, proposed to be established by the bills now pending before the Legislature, and thus aid in the maintenance of the

Legislature, and thus aid in the maintenance of the great principles of self-government still residing in and with the people.

Resolved, That we hereby earnestly request the Democratic members of the Senate and House of Representatives at Harrisburg to resist with their vote and all their influence the aggressions proposed by the influitous commissions which are threatened to be inflicted upon this community.

Resolved, That our thanks are due to the Democratic press of this city and Commonwealth for the

ratic press of this city and Commonwealth for the bold and determined stand they have taken against this infamous measure, and we cordially invite a continuance of their noble efforts in behalf of the people against an organized band whose object is plunder, and whose only game is a thorough depletion of the public treasure. tion of the public treasury.

Stirring addresses were made by Hon. Richard Vaux, Charles J. Ingersoll, Colonel Charles J. Biddle, ex-Senator Quigley, John Hulme, and John H. Stokes, Esqs., when the resolutions were adopted nem, con.

CAMDEN POLITICS.

The Slection To-morrow-The First Municipal Contest Under the New City Charter. The Legislature of New Jersey now in session recently passed an amended charter for the city of Camden, extending the city limits

somewhat, and reconstructing the wards, which are now eight in number, instead of three as formerly. Additional officers were also provided for, and altogether Camden was laid out for a first-class metropolis, as far as its govern-ment is concerned. The new charter went into effect on the 1st of March, and the first municipal election under it takes place to-morrow. In view of the larger number of functionaries to be elected, the canvass has been an earnest and somewhat excited one. The general tickets of the two parties are as follows:-

FOR MAYOR. Wm. H. Jefferys. Samuel M. Gaul, FOR RECORDER. Charles Cox, John Goldthorpe. FOR RECEIVER OF TAXES. John Smith, Jr., A. C. Jackson.

In addition to these functionaries, who are each to serve three years, a City Surveyor and City Solicitor are to be elected for a like term. Additional Councilmen are to be elected in each ward, as well as members of the Boards of Education and Chosen Freeholders, and ward assessors, clerks, and constables.

The anti-ferry monopolists have also placed a

full ticket in the field for Councilmen, headed Hon. James M. Scovel, ex-member of the State Senate, for Mayor.
The Republicans are quite certain of electing their full city ticket, as well as of securing majority in the Council. The vote of the city

in 1868 and 1870 was as follows:-Den 1582 1604 1575 1614 -Governor.....1945 210R

...1704 1494

In view of these figures the Republicans ought to carry the city by a hat dsome majority.

ROBBERY.

A Successful Raid on a Market Street Clothing Store.

Last night robbers "went through" the cloth ing store of Mahlon Bryan & Co., at the S. E corner of Tenth and Market streets, in the most complete sense in which that phrase is used They reached the second story of the building by passing through a hallway opening into Tenth street, and then broke into a gilder's room which is directly over the store of Messrs Bryan & Co. At the rear of this room was a closet standing directly over one leading from the clothing stere, and through the floor which separated them the robbers soon cut a large aperture. This gave them an entrance into the lower closet. But before they could enter the store two obstacles, in the shape of two doors, one of which was covered with sheet iron, were

to be overcome. But after plying vigorously with jimmies, these were forced open, and the goods in the store stood at their mercy. For these they made directly, passing heedlessly by the safe and counting-desk. They removed entire stacks of coats, pants, vests, etc., and with rare discrimination selzed upon the best. The goods were hoisted through the aperture in the floor, and taken no one as yet knows where. The loss to Messrs. Bryan & Co. will reach about

At eight o'clock yesterday morning a gust of wind burst open the door of Hamrick & Co.'s dry goods store, No. 45 North Eighth street, and started the alarm clock, which kept up a sharp clatter for an hour, and brought a crowd of people to the scene, who at once imagined that robbers had been at work in the building. An investigation allayed their fears, and the door was closed.

THE DISTRICT ATTORNEYSHIP .- It is industriously being circulated that Leonard R. Fletcher, Eq., has withdrawn as a candidate for the office of District Attorney for this county. We are authoritatively informed that such is not the fact, and that he still is, and intends to remain, in the field.

THE ALLEGED INPANTICIDE CASE .- A fur ther hearing in the alleged infanticide case of the child of Rose Kelley was to have been held at 11 o'clock this morning; but on account of the absence of a juryman, it was again postponed until 336 o'clock this afternoon. RECKLESS .- Officer Thompson, of the Fifth District, yesterday afternoon arrested Edward Planter, who drove past Ninth and Wallace streets at a reckless pace, and came near running over two ladies.

by the sub-committee are read, there will be addresses upon them by ex-Mayors McMichael and Vaux, and William Rotch Wistar, John O'Byrne, S. J. Comly, President of the Com-mercial Exchange, John C. Bullitt, Lorin Blodget, and General Bingham.

Memorials to be sent to the Legislature pro testing against the passage of the proposed acts, and to the Governor, asking bim to veto them in the event of their passage, will be read and

THE INDIGNATION MEETING AT HORTICUL-

TURAL HALL TO-MORROW NIGHT.—This morning, in the Mayor's office, another meeting of the committee to arrange for the public assemblage of the people at Hortneultural Hall tomorrow night was held. George L. Buzby, chairman, presided.

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as all complete. In addition to the Mayor as presiding officer, there will be a long list of Vice-Presidents for the various wards, irrespective of party. When the resolutions to be drafted

adopted.

It is understood, in addition to the gentlemen named as speakers, that the Hon, William M Meredith, George W. Biddle, Charles Ingersoli David Paul Brown, Horace Binney, J. Vaughan Merrick, and United States District Attorney Aubrey H. Smith will also address the meeting.

DEATH OF AN OLD MASON.—Last night, at his residence, in Morgan street, between Ninth and Tenth, William Barger died, having attained his seventy-sixth year. He was by trade a painter, and during the terms of Mayors Richards and Dallas held the position of Captain of Police. When about twenty-five years old he became a Mason, and in 1840 became Grand Master, having passed through all the stations of the Grand Lodge. At the time of his demise he was a Past Grand Master, and was on the Committee of Landmarks of the Grand Lodge. He was an earnest, industrious worker in the Masonic cause, and was esteemed by all who knew him. His funeral takes place on Wednesday.

MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING .- At No. 322 Lombard street is a bakery kept by a woman, who has a small safe in her establishment, but not quite fool enough to keep all her money in it. A couple of thieves thought otherwise, how-ever, and at 2 o'clock yesterday morning they entered the house from the rear, after having poisoned the dog. They rolled the safe under a shed in the yard, wrapped it up in carpet, blew it open with powder, and then proceeded to the work of plunder. The result of all this trouble was their securing the following effects: -\$3 in old coin, two watches valued at \$2 apiece, a counterfeit \$10 note, and 75 centt in pennies.

A WAGON LOAD OF BONES .- Five Port Richmond men on Saturday last stole a horse and wagon in Edgemont street, below Clearfield, loaded it up with bones (also stolen), and en-deavored to sell the whole lot to an old junk man on Cumberland street. Sergeant Hague was instrumental in the arrest of the men, who were taken before Alderman Neall and placed under \$1000 bail each. The names of the par-ties are James McFarland, Frederick Heins, Patrick Donohue, James McGuigan, and John

Ovens. SUSPICION OF BURGLARY .- Officer Gillen, of the Southwark district, at a late hour on Saturday night found the window shutters of a house on Chesnut street, above Forty-first, standing open. An examination by the aroused inmates showed that the house had been entered, but the burglar could not be found. The officer subsequently saw a man come out of an alley in the neighborhood, and arrested him on suspicion of having been concerned in the offense. Alderman Randall held him to bail for a further hearing.

A BARTENDER'S PERQUISITES .- John Frank, a German, has been a bartender in a lager beer saloon No. 306 New street. The proprietor detected John in stealing small amounts, and a few days ago forty more dollars were missing. John was accordingly placed under arrest, and the larceny was made sufficiently clear to warrant Alderman Godbou in holding the aforesaid bartender in \$1000 bail to answer.

OFFICE ROBBED .- Some time during last evening the office of Winslow & Son, publishers of the Commercial List and Price Current, No. 241 Dock street, was entered by means of false keys, and robbed of a number of small articles of unimportant value. The drawers of the establishment were broken open, and the contents, consisting of papers of little or no value, thrown upon the floor.

THE GALE YESTERDAY .- The effects of the gale yesterday were very destructive to window glass, signs, awnings, shutters, etc. The valu able panes of glass in Hann's beer saloon, at the southwest corner of Huntingdon and Lloyd streets, were blown to atoms, and the gable end of an unfinished house at Jasper and Howard streets was blown down.

AN UNPROFITABLE BOARDER. -Sergeant Gilchrist on Saturday night last arrested at Fourth and Green streets one Adam Blum, who stole a watch, \$24, and a quantity of clothing from Mr. A. Close, residing in that vicinity. Blum was placed under \$806 bail by Alderman Cahill. The defendant was a boarder in the house of Mr. Close.

FOR PUBLIC INSPECTION .- To-morrow afternoon the tunnel through Promontory Rock, at the eastern approach of Girard Avenue Bridge, will be opened for public inspection. This tun-nel is on the line of the proposed river drive from Fairmount basin to the Wissahickon, and s 140 feet long through solid rock, and 22 feet high by about 30 in width.

THE WRONG MAN .- Thomas Henepher attempted to whip Officer Gillespie, of the Eleventh district, at Girard avenue and Richmond street, the other night, but found to his chagrin that he was barking up the wrong tree. Thomas was landed in the station-house and has been placed under bail by Alderman Heins.

ATTACKED A POLICEMAN. -Thomas Duffy has a mania for assaulting police officers. He has been in Moyamensing for that offense, and on Saturday night last he became intoxicated and committed an assault on Officer Koehler, at Lehigh and Trenton avenues. Alderman Neall committed him in default of \$1000 ball.

A PARTY OF GENTLEMEN .- Michael and John Hennesy, Francis Foxgrove, and George Whipp, all corner loungers, were arrested at Nineteenth and South streets, on Saturday night, for passing uncomplimentary remarks on passing ladies. Alderman Dallas placed each of the above-named gentlemen under \$500 ball.

THE PUGNACIOUS QUIGGS .- Alderman Good on Friday last had before him Thomas and Augustus Quigg, who were arrested on the charge of beating a man named G. K. Helms, on Mair street, Manayunk. The Quiggs were put under \$1000 bail each to answer for the assault.

LARCENY OF FORTY DOLLARS .- Alice Carmichael on Saturday night last, was the means by which Mr. William Lewis lost \$40 at the resi-dence of the female, No. 608 Baker street. Alderman Collins has placed Alice under \$600 bail to answer.

LECTURE ON FRANCE.-To-morrow night Robert Palethorp, Esq., will deliver the fourth of a series of lectures, under the auspices of the Young People's Association, in the South Street Presbyterian Church, to which admission is free. His subject is entitled "What I saw in France."

Young THIEF.-Frank Fitzpatrick is a lad whose thieving propensities led him to hook from a store on South street, last Saturday night, a colored bed cover, and for this piece of ousiness he has been sent to prison by Alderman FRIGHTENED OFF .- An attempt was made at

2 o'clock this morning to enter the tailoring establishment of Messrs. Haggerty & Bro., No. 208 S. Ninth street. The thieves were frightened off before they had pried open a rear window at which they were working very hard. OFFICE VOLCANIC OIL AND COAL OMPANY, No. 10 MERCHANTS' EX-

CHANGE. PHILADELPHIA, March 12, 1871. The Board of Directors have this day declared a sividend of TWENTY-FIVE CENTS a share, payable on and after the loth enstant.
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Marshal McMahon in France.

FROM EUROPE.

LONDON, March 13 Marshal MacMahon has left Wiesbaden, on his return to France. The Crown Prince of Maxony will establish his headquarters at Complegue on

FROM WASHINGTON.

Neminations Sent to the Senate. atch to the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, March 13.—The following nominations were sent to the Senate to-day:—Dw.ght H. Fruce to be Postmaster at Svracuse, N. Y; John H. Mills, Assessor of Internal Revenue for Nevada.

The Question of Adjourament. Special Despatch to The Scening Telegraph.
Washington, March 13 -The House has agreed to the reso ution introduced by Mr. Dawes, providing for an adjournment of Congress sine die on Wednesday, the 15th. The Senate will pay no attention to this, as they have resolved to remain long enough to discuss the Ku-klux outrages.

The New Government Lonn. Despatch to the Associated Press. Subscriptions to the new loans seem to be coming into the Treasury Department fully in accord with expectations of its success which prevail, add it is probable that the amount received up to the present

probable that the amount received up to the present time will foot up at least ten millions. The Merchants' Bank of Boston to-day subscribed for five hundred thousand of the new loan.

In response to the inquiry, Whether banks may substitute their six per cents, for the new five percent, bonds without the risk of hereafter being required to put in for a portion thereof of four and four and a half per cents? It is stated by the Secretary that such action on the part of the banks, so far as he is concerned, will not render them liable so far as he is concerned, will not render them liable to have any change made in the manner of the sub-scriptions, but that they should remain undisturbed until the end of the ten years required for the ma-turing of the new bonds.

FROM NEW YORK.

The Methodist Preachers' Association. New York, March 13 —The Methodist Preachers' Association to day adopted unanimoesly the following preamble and resolution;— Whereas, In the present and prospective condi-tion of ecclesiastical bodies in this State, great abuses are inseparable from the continuance of State and municipal gifts to churches and church

institutions; therefore,

Resolved, That we respectfully and earnestly advise all our Methodist churches and institutions neither to ask nor accept any such appropriations.
Forger Committed for Trial.

Thomas Murphy, regarded as an accomplished forger, and an associate of Van Ectan, lately sent to prison, was committed by Justice Dowling to-day for trial on the charge of buying small articles from merchants, giving large bills in payment, and receiving checks for the difference, which he altered to large amounts and negotiated.

FROM THE WEST.

New Pallroad Bridge. Brainard, Minn., March 11.—The Northern Pacinc Railroad bridge across the Mississippi river was finished to-day, and General Sargent and party crossed on the first train this evening.

Opening of Navigation. MILWAUKEE, March 13.—The Mississippi river is clear of ice at Winona, and the Lake City boat arrived at Winona from Reed's Landing yesterday. It looks like an early opening of navigation. The weather is clear and sunny.

FROM NEW YORK.

New York, March 13 — Edward Thompson (colored), a professional thief, who has served sixteen years in prison, was sentenced this morning by Judge Bedford to fifteen years in the State Prison for burglary.

CONGRESS.

FORTY-SECOND TERM-FIRST SESSION.

Washington, March 13.—All bills and petitions heretofore introduced were taken from the table and referred to the newly organized committee.

Upon the reference of the French Spoliation Claim bill to the Committee on Foreign Relations, Mr. Summer called the attention of the new chairman of that committee, Mr. Cameren, to the fact that the measure had at different sessions passed both houses, but had repeatedly failed to become a law, in one case by a President's veto. He hoped the Senaior from Pounsylvania would kindly take charge of the business and press it forward.

Mr. Cameron thought it hardly fair for the late chairman to expect the new committee to secure, in one sension a law which that Serator had failed to have passed in ton sessions.

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Mr. Harlan presented a memorial from William McGaraban, which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands. rahan, which was referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

A number of bills were introduced and referred. Mr. Fenton introduced his bill of last session, regulating the service in the collection of customs at various ports of entry in the United States, and the disposition of lines, penalties, and for feitures incurred under the law relating to customs, and for other purposes.

By unanimous consent Mr. Fenton was awarded the flaor to address the Fenste uson the bill. He said:—I will state that the information elicited under the authority of the resolution I had the honor to introduce on the 14th of December last and to which a response has recently been made by the Secretary of Treasury, citablishes the following important facts:—

First. That large amounts of money are received by Collectors and other officers from those who have defrauded the revenue upon settlement of cases of fraud or ramagning under judgments obtained in court, usually by contessions, and that the amount of money thus received at the port of New York since the list day of January, 1870 will not fall short of the sum of five hundred thousand dollare.

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Second. That out of the money so received by the Treasures one half has been paid to the collector, naval officers, surveyor, and to informers, making the pay of the above-named officials at the port of New York at least above named officials at the port of New York at least fifty the used dollars each per annum.

Third. That of all the criminals engaged in defrauding it e revenue but few have been presented to the Grand Jury and fewer convicted for several years past.
Fourth. That while the present system of moiety on tinues it is made the direct pecuniary interest of the officers named that this species of crime should go unpunished and the fraudulent practices continue to be perpetrated.

Fifth That when judge ent is obtained the settlement made with parties who have defrauded the revenue with false weights or false quantities or qualities of goods, the Government does not receive the full duries to which it is entitled before dividing the am unit thus received with the officer of customs and informers.

Awong the bills introduced were the following, which were referred :-By Mr. Butler, of Mass., to enable the volume of cur-cency to be self-adjusting according to the wants of the

rency to be self-adjusting according to the wants of the people.

By Mr. Myers, to repeal the income tax.

Mr. Branton introduced a bill quieting the title to the Arington estate and making an appropriation therefor. It provides that there shall be paid to the devices three hunds of thousand dollars.

Mr. Buller Moss moved that the bill lie on the table. Agreed to. Year, 115, pays, 14.

Mr. Dawes effered he following resolution:

Resolved, the Senate concurring. That the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate adjourn their respective houses of the first session of the Forty-accord Congress on Wednesday, the 15th inst, at 12 o'clock, without day.

An ineffectual motion was made to lay the resolution on the table.

The resolution was then agreed to year 125, may 37.

Mr. Hale offered the fellowing:

By the Senate and House of Representa-

Proceedings of Congress.

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The metion recurred on Mr. Hall's motion to suspend the rules and pass the resolution. It was decided in the affirmative—year 145, mays 46. So the resolution was passed.

FROM THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.

Terrible Enribquake Shocks and lajary to Property-Effects of the Convulsions at, Dif-

ferest Points.

HOROLULU, S. I, March 2, via San Francisco, March 12, 1-71.— at seven minutes past ten o'clock on the evening of February 18 a very severe shock of earthquake was experienced at these islands. With few exceptions the walls of all the stone of the buildings were nined. adobe buildings were injured. The cottage buildings at Pubsiboa are damaged extensively. Many persons rushed into the streets from their beds.
Three distinct motions were feit—first, shaking horizontally, then perpendicularly, and the fluish was a distinct wave motion from the southwest. The violence of the shock lasted twenty seconds,

the whole fully a minute.

At Molokal nearly all the stone walls were levelled, and the frame of a building thrown down. The road to the Leper Asylum was destroyed. On Lanaia the shock was very severe. Clefts have

been opened on different parts of the island, the valicy being full of masses of earth and rocks shaken from the mountain tops.

The volcano is very active, but was evidently innocent of participation in the earthquake. Parties on two different islands state that a bright light was visible in the eastern sky. Channies on snear plan. visible in the castern sky. Chunnies on sugar plan-tations suffered fittle. Several shocks have been experienced since, but they were not severe.

COUNTERFEIT MONEY.

Shoving the Queer-A Harrisburg Transaction-A Nice Boarding-House and a Picasant Landiord.

Harry Rogers, who was arrested on Saturday last on the charge of dealing in counterfeit national bank notes, was arraigned for a hear-ing before United States Commissioner Henry Phillips to-day at 1 o'cloch. The following

testimony was submitted: —
Mrs. Bridget Kerns sworn—I reside in Harrisburg at the corner of Wainut and Canal streets; my hus-band's name is Michael; I know the defendant; band's name is Michael; I know the defendant; saw him at the bar at my husband's tavern; I was stancing inside the bar, and they were on the other side; this was some time last summer; I heard them talking there about money which Mr. Rogers had in his pocket; Rogers was talking to the "Flying Dutchman;" heard Rogers tell the Dutchman that the \$10 bills were on the Bank of Rome; this man had given Rogers \$35 for \$100; don't know any more, except Rogers paid me fifty cents for some cigars; Rogers said he had one hundred dollars in the package which he gave the "Flying Dutchman;" I saw the \$35 paid down on the counter; there were tens and twenties in the package; heard Rogers ask the twenties in the package; heard Rogers ask the Flying Dutchman what he would give for the \$100; and the Dutchman replied that he would pay \$35; Rogers was that day at dinner; the conversation occurred during dinner time; my husband was pre-

sent during the transaction.

Cross- xamined by Mr. Dechert—We lived in Maricits, Lancaster county, then went to Hagerstown, Maryland, and returned to Harrisburg; carnot tell the exact month in which the transaction took place we kept boarders; my husband heard this transaction; he is now in jail in Harrisburg for deal-

fransaction; he is now in jair in harrisourg for dealing in counterfeit money.

Francis A. Carr sworn—I reside in Sunbury, Northampton county; I was in the livery business in Harrisourg lately; have seen the defendant, I think in Mr. Kerns' tavern in either May or June. ast; I boarded with Mr. Kerns; was introduced b Mr. Kerns to Rogers; Mr. Kerns had purchase Mr. Kerns to Rogers; Mr. Kerns had purchased \$100 in counterfeit money in my presence; \$50 of the money was in tens and the other half in fives; he paid \$30 for the \$100; Kerns and Rogers had a conversation together, and had made arrangements for Mr. Kerns to come to Philadelphia at such times as was necessary; Mr. Rogers was to inform Mr. Kerns when to came; the sale of money took place in a side room; I was present at the time: Mr. Kerns was \$5 short and I present at the time; Mr. Kerns was \$5 short, and I loaned that amount to I im; I did not get any of the counterfeit money I knew Kerns to pass one of the

counterfeit bills on a boatman.

Cross-examined—I saw Kerns pass the bill, because I was taking a drink at the time; I did not take part in the transaction; I did not say anything to the boatman when I saw him receive the bill; I did not get any of the money; I am here under arrest to-day on the charge of passing counterfelt n oney; I am under \$2000 ball.
The defendant was held in \$10,000 ball.

THE FRANCO-GERMAN RELIEF FUND -ADDI-TIONAL DONATIONS.—Authory J. Drexe', Esq., acknowledges to-day the following . 'liconal donations to the Relief Fund for the French and German sufferers:-

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Pa. 10 00
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