LOCAL LOCALS.

Here and There and Everywhere.

Sheriff-elect High, Register elect Umble, and Clerk of Quarter Sessions elect Eaby, took the oath of office this morning.

George A. Lane, esq., has been appointed a notary public by Governor Hoyt. His commission awaits him at the office of the county recorder.

The INTELLIGENCER has received a contribution of 35 cents from Henry Young, for Henry Shay and family, who are in destitute circumstances. Next!

The total amount of money realized by the sale of Central market stalls was about the same, or a little larger than last year and the year before. The curb stands in Centre square will be sold on Saturday morning at 8 o'clock.

Seriously Injured.

This morning Constable Wardel, of Leacock, brought to the county hospital a tramp named John McDermott, aged about 25 years, whose leg was either broken or very badly sprained. It appears that McDermott called last evening at the residence of Amos Hershey in the lower end of Leacock, and asked permission to sleep in the barn, which was granted. He got into the hay-mow and in walking around in the dark fell through the hay hole to the floor below, injuring himself as above stated.

Argument Court.

The common pleas cases are yet being argued in court.

An issue was granted, in which Philip Frank shall be plaintiff and Wm. Hatzfeld defendant, to ascertain the ownership of some property levied on as belonging to J. A. Sprenger and claimed by Philip Frank.

Divorced.

A. A. Roberson was divorced from his wife, Emily Roberson, on the grounds of desertion.

Will Go Bond in Court.

Jesse Lutz is the owner of the Black Horse hotel in this city. He refused to pay the amount, which, it is alleged, he agreed to, towards paying the expense of laying Belgian blocks on North Queen street. The amount is $74, and a number of other property holders on the street brought suit against him before Alderman Spurrier to recover it. The alderman gave judgment for the full amount and the case has been appealed to court.

Viewing a Bridge.

This morning the county commissioners and bridge inspectors made a trip to the new bridge at Bucher's mill, in East Cocolico township, near Reamstown, for the purpose of inspecting the same, and accepting it from the contractor, Capt. E. McMellen, providing they had it to be built in accordance with the specifications. The commissioners have not yet returned.

Discharged.

Henry and Gotlieb Young, of Columbia, who were arrested and committed to jail for riding on the Pennsylvania railroad, were taken before Judge Patterson on a writ of *habeas corpus* this afternoon and were discharged.

Amusements.

Return of Miss Hinton.—The friends of Miss Lizzie Hinton and amusement patrons generally learn with pleasure of the return visit of that gifted young actress, which will take place on "second day Christmas," Monday, Dec. 26, when she will appear in one of her most successful characterizations, *Gilberte* in the strong comedy-drama, "Frou Frou." Miss Hinton gave such convincing evidence of her dramatic ability on the occasion of her previous appearance that those who saw her then can well believe the statement of the late Col. John W. Forney, published in *Progress*, that this impersonation of Miss Hinton' "brought the tears to my eyes, old stager as I am."

Buffalo Bill. The frontier celebrity, with his band of wild Indians, will be at Fulton opera house on Tuesday evening in the drama of "The Prairie Waif," of which the New York *Herald* says it is the best border drama we have ever seen. Buffalo Bill was of course the central figure. His sharpshooting was excellent and his acting was vigorous and natural. He has selected for his company artists who are mindful of the public demand for clever acting."

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Catarrh of the Bladder.

Stinging, smarting, irritation of the urinary passages, discharges, cured by Buchu-paiba. Druggists Depot, John F. Long & Sons.

Liquid or Dry.

Some people prefer to purchase medicines in the dry state so that they can see for themselves that they are purely vegetable. Others have not the time or desire to prepare the medicine, and wish it all ready to use.

To accommodate each class the proprietors of Kindey-Wort now offer that well known remedy in both Liquid and Dry form.

Sold by Druggists everywhere.—*Tenth.*

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Go to H. B. Cochran's Drug Store, 137 North Queen street, for *Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes.* For brightness and durability of colors are unequaled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds. Directions in English and German. Price, 15 cents.

"Skin Diseases" Cured by Dr. Swayne's Ointment.

What is more distressing than an obstinate skin disease, and why persons should suffer a single hour when they have a sure cure in "Swayne's Ointment" is past our comprehension. The worst cases of tetter, itch, salt rheum, or that annoying complaint, itching piles, yield to its wonderful all-healing qualities. Pimples on the face and blotches on the skin are removed by using this healing ointment. Perfectly safe and harmless, even on the most tender infant. Itching Piles—Symptoms are moisture, intense itching, particularly at night after getting warm in bed; other parts are sometimes affected. Swayne's Ointment pleasant, sure cure. Dr. Swayne & Son, 53 North Seventh street, Philadelphia, Pa., to whom all letters should be addressed. Sold by all prominent druggists.

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Household Words.

Jas. Pearson, 28 Sixth Street, Buffalo, says: "I have used your Spring Blossom for myself and family, and think it invaluable as a household remedy, for regulating the bowels, liver and kidneys. I shall never be without it." Price 50 cents. For sale at H. B. Cochran's drug store, 137 North Queen street, Lancaster.

RESCUED FROM DEATH

The following statement of William J. Coughlin, of Somerville, Mass., is so remarkable that we beg to ask for it the attention of our readers. He says: "In the fall of 1876 I was taken with a violent bleeding of the lungs followed by a severe cough. I soon began to lose my appetite and flesh. I was so weak at one time that I could not leave my bed. In the summer of 1877 I was admitted to the City Hospital. While there the doctors said I had a hole in my left lung as big as a half collar. I expended over a hundred dollars in doctors and medicine. I was so far gone at one time a report went around that I was dead. I gave up hope, but a friend told me of Dr. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS. I laughed at my friends, thinking that my case was incurable, but I got a bottle to satisfy them, when to my surprise and gratification, I commenced to feel better. My hope, once dead, began to revive, and today I feel in better spirits than I have the past three years.

"I write this hoping you will publish it, so that everyone afflicted with Diseased Lungs will be induced to take Dr. Wm. Hall's Balsam for the Lungs, and be convinced that consumption can be cured. I have taken two bottles and can positively say that it has done more good than all other medicines I have taken since my sickness. My cough has almost entirely disappeared and I shall soon be able to go to work." Sold in Lancaster at Cochran's Drug Store, 137 and 139 North Queen stre

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Constitutional skin diseases of a scorbutic character are success fully treated with Dr. Benson's Skin Cure, internal and external treatment, both pleasant. It certainly removes scrofula, eruptions, dandruff and tan and makes the skin smooth and healthy.

"Yield not to Misfortune." Give Ely's Cream Balm a thorough trial if you would be cured of Catarrh, Hay Fever, Catarrhal Deafness, or quickly relieved of colds in the head.

Cream Balm effectually cleanses the nasal passages of catarrhal virus, causing healthy secretions, allays inflammation and irritation, protects the membranal linings of the head from additional colds, completely heals the sores and restores the sense of taste and smell. Beneficial results are realized by a few applications. A thorough treatment as directed will cure Catarrh, Hay Fever, &c. The Balm is easy to use and agreeable. Sold by druggists at 50 cents. On receipt of 50 cents will mail a package. Send for circular with full information.

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For sale in Lancaster by all druggists.

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It is a foolish mistake to confound a remedy of merit with quack medicines. We have used Parker's Ginger Tonic with the happiest results for Dyspepsia and Debility, and know it to be a sterling health restorative.—*Times.*

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In the Whole History of Medicine

No preparation has ever performed such marvellous cures, or maintained so wide a reputation, as AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, which is recognized as the world's remedy for all diseases of the throat and lungs. Its long-continued series of wonderful cures in all climates has made it universally known as a safe and reliable agent to employ. Against ordinary colds, which are the forerunners of more serious disorders, it acts speedily and surely, always relieving suffering, and often saving life. The protection it affords, by its timely use in throat and chest disorders, makes it an invaluable remedy to be kept always on hand in every home. No person can afford to be without it, and those who have once used it never will. From their knowledge of its composition and effects, physicians use the CHERRY PECTORAL extensively in their practice, and clergymen recommend it. It is absolutely certain in its remedial effects, and will always cure when cures are possible. For sale by all dealers.

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MARRIAGES.

BEER—RAUB.—At the residence of Mr. G. J. P. Raub, Quarryville, Dec. 21, by Rev. J. A. Cooper, Mr. Elam K. Herr and Miss Lelia S. Raub, both of Quarryville. d&w

DEATHS.

HUMPHREYVILLE.—In Canton, Ohio, Dec. 20, 1881, Charles, son of Jacob and Kate Humphreyville, in the 26th year of his age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

WILHELM.—In this city, on the 20th of Dec., 1881, Sarah, relict of the late Henry Wilhelm, in the 75th year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family, also I. O. Philozatheans, No. 1, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 401 East Orange street, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Lancaster cemetery. 2td

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE BIG DEER SLAUGHTERED BY Edward Trissler will be cut up and sold out at Harry Myers' Restaurant on SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 24, 1881. R*

FOR SALE.—A VERY DESIRABLE BUSINESS property in Centre Square at private sale. CARPENTER & BRO.,
d12-2wodR 61 North Duke street.

FOR GOOD, CHEAP AND RELIABLE Furniture of all kinds go to
HOFFMEIER'S.
Our stock is immense and we guarantee satisfaction. Give us a call at
R* No. 25 EAST KING ST.

DON'T FORGET W. S PENNINGTON'S
GRAND SOCIABLE,
AT GRANT HALL, SATURDAY EVENING.
Best of Music.
Admission only 25 cents. 22-3t

RINGWALT'S
WINE, LIQUOR, ALCOHOL AND GROCERY STORE.
[d16-1yd] NO. 205 WEST KING STREET.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.
A well-selected Stock of
PIANOS AND ORGANS.
ESTEY MELODEON for sale cheap.
JUSTUS STUCKENHOLTZ,
o29tojan1,82,R Fulton Hall, Lancaster, Pa.

WINES FOR CHRISTMAS.—GEO. WALL at the Southern Exchange, corner of South Queen and Middle streets, has now on hand and for sale all kinds of California and Home-Made Grape WINES, made in 1881. Choice Whiskies. Also, families supplied with Oysters. 22-3t*

THE RIGHT PLACE TO GO TO BUY PURE CONFECTIONS and fine FRUIT is at
JOSEPH R. ROYER'S WHOLESALE AND RETAIL CONFECTIONERY,
50 and 52 West King street.
Pure Confections of endless variety, all Fruit and Nuts in season, Mixture, from the cheapest to the finest made, that will be sold as cheap as the cheapest. Call and be convinced.
d16-1wdR JOS. R. ROYER.

PUBLIC SALE OF CANADA HORSES.—On SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1881, will be sold at public sale at the Merrimac House, 15 North Prince street, Lancaster, Pa., the following Live Stock, to wit: 20 head of Heavy Canada Draft Horses and a few Drivers. These horses were selected with great care, and they must be in every respect as represented by the undersigned, or no sale.
A credit of 60 days will be given.
Sale to commence at 1 o'clock p. m. on said day, when attendance will be given by
GEORGE GROSSMAN.
SAM'L HESS & SON, Aucts. 22 2td

FULTON OPERA HOUSE.
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1881,
THE NOTED SCOUT.
[HON. WM. F. CODY.]
BUFFALO BILL
AND HIS
MAMMOTH COMBINATION.
The Beautiful Sioux Indian Princess, HENU-KAW (The First Born).
HARRY E. BURGESS, Boy Chief of the Pawnees, the Youngest Chief of whom any record is given.
A Genuine Band of noted Winnebago INDIAN CHIEFS, supported by a POWERFUL DRAMATIC COMPANY, producing Buffalo Bill's new drama, written expressly for him by John A. Stevens, author of "Unknown," entitled:
The Prairie Waif,
A STORY OF THE FAR WEST.
Fancy Rifle Shooting by Buffalo Bill, who is acknowledged pre-eminent and alone.
A Grand Street Parade. Buffalo Bill's Silver Cornet Band and Orchestra.
Reserved Seats, 75 cents. For sale at Opera House office.
WM. F. CODY, Proprietor and Manager.
JOSH. E. OGDEN, Business Manager.
d22-1t HARRY SELLERS, General Agent.

PUBLIC SALE.—WILL BE SOLD AT PUBlic sale on TUESDAY, DEC. 27, 1881, at 7 o'clock in the evening, at the Plow tavern on West King street, the following real estate belonging to the estate of Jacob Millichsock, dec'd.:
Lot of ground containing in front 62 feet 6 inches, more or less, and extending in depth 225 feet, more or less, together with a double one-story frame and log DWELLING HOUSE and frame kitchen—small stable, variety of fruit trees, hydrant in yard—situate on the south side of and being Nos. 520 and 522 High street, Lancaster, Pa.
JOHN DEHAVEN,
JEREMIAH RIFE,
Executors.

Also at the same time and place the following property belonging to the estate of Mary Millichsock, deceased. Lot of ground, containing in front 20 feet, more or less, and extending in depth 133 feet, more or less, together with a two story Frame DWELLING HOUSE and Kitchen; well of water, fruit, &c., situate on the west side of and being No. 312 Concord alley, north of Walnut street.
Terms at sale JOHN DEHAVEN,
JEREMIAH RIFE,
Agents for the Heirs.

Also at the same time and place a lot of ground containing in front 20 feet, more or less, and extending in depth 133 feet, more or less, together with a two-story Frame DWELLING HOUSE and Kitchen; well of water, fruit, &c., situate on the west side of and being No. 314 Concord alley, north of Walnut street, and adjoining the last above described premises.
JOHN DEHAVEN,
d21,22,24,28&TuR] JEREMIAH RIFE.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LANCASTER, DEC. 22, 1881.
DEAR HARRY: When you pass ECKERT'S FRUIT STORE on East King street, look at those Elegant Baskets of Fruit in his window, Fine Boxes of Raisins, Candy, Candied Fruit, Prunes and Figs. His 25c. mixtures are the finest in the city. A box of Florida Oranges, a barrel of nice Apples or Oysters, are a few of the nice things he keeps that I could suggest for a Christmas Present.
Your loving
It JOHANNA.

HIGH & MARTIN.
Holiday Goods
—AT—
CHINA HALL.
—IN—
Haviland's China, &c.
SOLITAIRE CUPS AND SAUCERS,
TEA AND DINNER SETS,
DESERT SETS,
ICE CREAM SETS,
FISH SETS,
SOLITAIRE SETS,
TETE-A-TETE SETS.
A large assortment of
GLASSWARE.
Examine our stock before selecting your CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.
HIGH & MARTIN,
No. 15 East King Street.

TO-DAY WE ARE OVERHAULING OUR
WINTER CAPS,
And such goods as will stand a reduction we are putting down to figures to make a clearance of them.
The weather of the past has been decidedly against
HEAVY CAPS,
and if you can make use of them at all, the present price will be no objection.
OUR CLOTHING BUYER
is off again to market to see if something cheap can be found at this season of the year. When sizes are broken the manufacturers make what they term
JOB LOTS,
and these are what he is after, and our next advertisement will tell you what he finds.
Since we reduced the prices of our
BOYS' AND CHILDREN'S
OVERCOATS,
many of them have been sold, but there is still a good assortment.
WILLIAMSON & FOSTER,
36-38 EAST KING STREET,
LANCASTER, PA.

HOLIDAY GOODS
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HOLIDAY GOODS.
Hager & Brother.
Exhibit with their Large Stock of
DRY GOODS
a Choice Selection of Articles suitable for
HOLIDAY GIFTS
—FOR—
Ladies, Gentlemen and Children.
LACE GOODS.
Duchess, Guipure, Point Venice and Mericourt Laces in Fichus Vests, Ties and Collars.
HANDKERCHIEFS,
Hemstitched, Embroidered, Colored Border and Silk
KID GLOVES.
10 and 15 hooks and 3 and 6 buttons. Black, Colors, White and Opera Shades.
FUR TOP GLOVES AND MITTS.
SHAWLS.
Ladies' Cloaks and Dolmans.
Children's Cloaks.
SILK UMBRELLAS—For Ladies and Gents.
GENTS' SILK TIES, SCARFS, MUFFLERS HANDKERCHIEFS and GLOVES,
HAGER & BROTHER,
No. 25 West King Street.
LANCASTER, PA.

CARRIAGES, &C.

SLEIGHS! SLEIGHS!
EDGERLEY & Co.,
Market Street, rear Market Houses
LANCASTER, PA.
We have a Large and Splendid assortment of PORTLAND, ALBANY and DOUBLE
SLEIGHS.
They are made of the best selected woodworks the best ironed, best trimmed, and the finest painted and ornamented SLEIGHS ever offered for sale in the city.
Remember we pay cash for our material and allow no one to undersell us. Our Motto:
"QUICK SALES AND SMALL PROFITS."
It costs nothing to call and examine our work. We also have on hand a full line of FINE CARRIAGE WORK, in which we defy competition.
All work warranted. Repairing of all kind promptly attended to. [n28-1td&w

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS GIFTS.
WATCHES, DIAMONDS, JEWELRY,
SILVERWARE, SPECTACLES, BRONZES,
And the many elegant and artistic articles embraced in our stock are especially fitted for
HOLIDAY GIFTS,
BECAUSE THEY ARE
Durable, Useful and Intrinsically Valuable.
The very liberal share of trade we have received in the past has encouraged us to place in our cases a finer and larger stock than ever before, to which we cordially invite the attention of all who desire to examine beautiful goods.
EDW. J. ZAHM, Jeweler,
ZAHM'S CORNER, - - - - LANCASTER, PENN'A.
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TOYS! TOYS!
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS!
TREE ORNAMENTS!
MECHANICAL TOYS, &c.
BARGAINS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.
FLINN & WILLSON,
152 & 154 North Queen Street, Lancaster, Pa.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.
CLOSING OUT SALE
—OF—
HOLIDAY GOODS.
—AT—
Givler, Bowers & Hurst's,
25 EAST KING STREET,
Regardless of Cost
—IN—
Japanese Goods,
China Vases and Toys,
Leather Gloves,
Handkerchief Boxes,
Leather Satchels and Valises,
We have only a few left, and have marked them at prices that must sell them.
CALL EARLY AND SECURE A BARGAIN.
We show an endless variety of
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS,
LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS,
TIES AND SCARFS,
GLOVES AND MITTENS,
TOWELS AND NAPKINS,
SILK UMBRELLAS,
GOSSAMER WATERPROOFS,
And many other choice articles that will make an acceptable Christmas Gift.
Givler, Bowers & Hurst,
25 East King Street,
LANCASTER, PA.

GO TO
J. B. MARTIN & CO.;
—FOR—
Elegant and Useful
HOLIDAY GIFTS
—IN—
FINE CHINA
BISQUE AND GLASS,
DECORATED
DINNER & TEA WARE.
DECORATED
CHAMBER WARE.
HAVILAND'S
GOLD BAND WHITE CHINA,
IN TEA AND DINNER WARE.
HEADQUARTERS FOR
STUDENT LAMPS.
J. B. MARTIN & CO.,
Cor. W. King and Prince Streets,
LANCASTER, PA.

CLOTHING.

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!!
IT IS IN THE INTEREST OF EVERY BUYER OF
CLOTHING!
TO EXAMINE OUR IMMENSE STOCK OF
SUITS
—AND—
OVERCOATS.
FOR WINTER. WE CAN SELL YOU AN
ALL-WOOL SUIT FOR MEN
OUR OWN MANUFACTURE FOR $10.00.
Heavy Winter Overcoat, $7.00.
WE HAVE ALWAYS ON HAND A FULL STOCK AND ALL SIZES.
D. B. Hostetter & Son
24 CENTRE SQUARE,
25-1yd LANCASTER, PA

FALL OPENING
—AT—
H. GERHART'S
Tailoring Establishment,
OF the LARGEST ASSORTMENT of fine
SUITING,
OVERCOATING,
—AND—
PANTALOONING
ever brought to the City of Lancaster.
Prices as Low as the Lowest
—AND—
All Goods Warranted as Represented!
—AT—
H. GERHART'S,
NEW STORE,
No. 6 East King Street,

DRY GOODS.

NEXT DOOR TO THE COURT HOUSE.
FAHNESTOCK.
HOLIDAY GOODS!
HOLIDAY GOODS!
BLACK SILKS,
BLACK CASHMERES
COLORED CASHMERE,
COLORED SILKS,
LADIES' SKIRTS,
SHAWLS,
LADIES' COATS,
LADIES' DOLMANS.
Blankets, - Blankets,
SILK HANDKERCHIEFS,
SILK UMBRELLAS,
LADIES', GENT'S, BOYS' AND GIRLS'
Gossamer Waterproofs.
NAPKINS, — HOSIERY, — GLOVES,
UNDERWEAR,
Any of the above will make a useful present Our stock is full and complete. All at our usual low prices.
FAHNESTOCK,
Next Door to Court House.

THIRD EDITION.

THURSDAY EVENING, DEC. 22, 1881.

GUITEAU'S CORRESPONDENCE.

TWENTY LETTERS A DAY.

LADIES ASKING FOR HIS AUTOGRAPH.

The Assassin's Love of Notoriety.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Guiteau came into court this morning, looking, if possible, a little paler than usual, and apparently under some strong excitement. In a whispered consultation between Scoville, Reed and Guiteau, the latter seemed to be ordering Scoville off the case.

Dr. Theodore Diamond, of Auburn, N. Y., who had been summoned by the defence and returned by the prosecution, then testified that he believed the prisoner to be sane. The hypothetical questions which were put to Dr. Worcester, yesterday, were then read, and witness replied, "I should say he was sane."

During a lull in the proceedings Guiteau shouted: "That reminds me that I opened my mail myself this morning. (Holding up about twenty letters.) Pretty good mail, too; and only one crank letter in the whole lot. They are beginning to think better of me outside. High-toned ladies asking for my autograph. They think I'm a big man, but I don't care a snap whether I'm a big man or a little one."

By and by Guiteau broke out again with "Well, I did not notice this before. Here is a letter from Dr. Spitzka. He says he received two hundred letters congratulating him upon his testimony, and only two threatening ones and two from lunatics. That's a pretty good showing when he came on here for nothing, while others are handsomely paid by the government. Then here is another from Mr. Beatly—"

Judge Cox.—"That will do, prisoner; we have no time to listen to your correspondence."

Guiteau—"All right, sir."

A recess was then taken.

NEWARK'S BROKEN BANK.

And Other Interesting Speculations.

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 22.—The receiver of the Mechanics' bank has been authorized by the comptroller of currency to pay a dividend of 25 per cent to the creditors, out of the assets in his possession. The payment will be made as soon as the clerical and other necessary arrangements can be completed, probably a soon after the first of January.

The revelations concerning the embezzlement of the city's funds create intense excitement in the city hall and throughout the city. Measures were being taken for a thorough overhauling of accounts in the departments of the municipal government. Auditor Palmer remains in jail utterly demoralized and sustained by stimulants. He is unable to see anybody but his counsel. His office is temporarily in charge of his chief clerk. The treasurer, Winans, has been suspended and two policemen had charge of his office last night to prevent any tampering with the accounts.

This morning Alderman Theberoth, chairman of the finance committee, took possession. It appears that money was advanced to Palmer improperly, and some irregularities are discovered in a check book. One check for seven thousand dollars is pronounced a forgery by the person to whom it is payable.

The comptroller's chief clerk, Wm. A. Hall, has disappeared, and detectives are pursuing him. He obtained leave of absence yesterday morning to go to New York, ostensibly for Christmas presents, but not having yet returned, he is suspected of collusion in the auditor's robberies.

The mayor has called a special meeting of the common council to be held to-night to take action on the frauds discovered in the auditor's office.

MURDERED ON THE ROAD.

A Doctor Killed in his Carriage.

BENNINGTON, Vt., Dec. 22—Doctor J. C. Stilman, of North Pownal, left this village about midnight for his home. This morning at five he was found dead in front of the North Pownal manufacturing company's store in that village. His head was bruised as if struck with a club, his face cut, and his body not yet cold. His horse was some distance further on. In the wagon was a pool of blood, showing that the injuries were committed while he was there. He had a large sum of money about him when in Bennington and was alone when he left here.

A Thief Riddled with Bullets.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 22.—Early this morning, while watching his stable which had been fired the night before by thieves and a large quantity of corn stolen, A. Harman discovered a negro emerging from the building and discharged a double-barreled shot-gun at the thief, who was instantly killed, the contents of both barrels completely riddling him. A coroner's jury returned a verdict of justifiable homicide.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 22.—For the Middle Atlantic states, cloudy and rainy weather, southeast veering to westerly winds, stationary or higher temperature, and lower pressure.

Keeping Christmas.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22.—The Philadelphia commercial exchange has decided to adjourn over from Friday, Dec. 23d, until Tuesday, December, 27th.

The Jeanette's Crew.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 22—The governor of Eastern Siberia opines that the remainder of the Jeannette's crew have fallen in with natives and been cared for.

The President's Holidays.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—President Arthur left here for New York this morning. He will return on the 30th inst.

A Railroad Declares a Dividend.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 22.—The Northern Central railroad has declared a dividend of three per cent, free of taxes, payable Jan. 16.

MARKETS.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, December 22.—Flour dull superfine, $4 00@4 50; extra at $4 75@5 00; Ohio and Indiana family, $6 75@7 25; Pennsylvania family $6 25@6 62; St. Louis do $7 00@7 50; Minnesota Extra at $6 75@7 00; do straight at $7 10@7 37½; winter patent $7 62@8 25; spring do $7 25@8 25.

Rye flour at $5 25@5 37.

Wheat dull; Del. and Penn'a Red, $1 38@1 38; do Amber, $1 38@1 39.

Corn steadier.

Oats easier.

Rye dull at 97@98c.

Provisions steady.

Lard steady.

Butter—Choice in fair demand; other kinds dull.

Rolls steady.

Eggs quiet; Penna., 31@35c; Western, 31@32c.

Cheese quiet.

Petroleum dull; refined, 7c.

Whisky at $1 18.

Seeds—Good to prime Clover dull at 7@9; Flaxseed lower at $1 35@1 38.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Flour—State and Western dull and in buyers' favor; round hoop Ohio, $5 10@5 75. Southern dull and weak.

Wheat ½@1c high, moderately active speculative trading; No. 2 Red, Jan. $1 39½@1 39¾; do Feb., $1 42⅝@1 42¾; do Mar., $1 44⅝@1 44⅞.

Corn ½@½c better and quiet; mixed Western spot, 66@69c; do futures, 67⅝@77c.

Oats a shade stronger; state, 48@53; Western, 47@52.

Grain and Provision Quotations.

One o'clock quotations of grain and provisions, furnished by S. K. Yundt, Broker, 15½ East King street.

Dec. 21.—1 P. M.

Chicago.	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Pork	Lard
Jan.....	1.25⅝	.60⅝	.43⅞	16.50	10.90
Feb.....	1.26½	.60⅝	.43¾	....	....
May.....	....	.65⅝	.45⅞	....	....
Philadelphia.					
Dec.....	1.36	.66	.44	....	....
Jan.....	1.37⅝	.67⅝	.50½	....	....
Feb.....	1.40¼	.69½	.51½	....	....
March..	1.42	.71⅝	.52¾	....	....

Stock Marks.

New York, Philadelphia and Local Stocks also United States Bonds reported daily by Jacob B. Long, N. E. Cor. Centre Square.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Stocks irregular and unsettled.

	Dec. 22. 10:00	1:00	3:00
Money	....	6	....
Chicago & North Western	123⅞	124⅛	123⅞
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	104⅝	103⅝	102⅞
Canada Southern	56⅝	56⅞	52
C. C. & I. C. R. R.	20⅝	20⅝	20
Del., Lack. & Western	129⅞	126⅞	125⅞
Delaware & Hudson Canal	106⅛	107	106⅛
Denver & Rio Grande	70⅛	69	68
East Tenn., Va. & Ga	....	....	14
Hannibal & St. Joe	96	96	95¼
Lake Shore & Mich. Southern	118⅞	118	116⅞
Manhattan Elevated	56	....	54
Michigan Central	88	87⅞	86⅛
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	37⅛	37⅞	36⅛
N. Y., Lake Erie & Western	42⅞	42⅝	40⅞
New Jersey Central	89⅞	90	88⅞
N. Y., Ontario & Western	27⅛	27⅛	27⅛
New York Central	134⅛	133⅞	132⅞
Ohio & Mississippi	36	....	35⅛
Ohio Central	23	21	22⅛
Pacific Mail Steamship Co	41⅛	41⅛	41
St. Paul & Omaha	37⅛	36	35⅛
do Preferred	101⅝	....	100⅛
Central Pacific	89⅛	90	89⅛
Texas Pacific	50⅛	49⅞	49
Union Pacific	117⅞	116⅞	115
Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific	37⅛	36	35⅛
" " Preferred	73⅝	71⅛	70⅛
Western Union Tel. Co	81⅛	79	7 5⅛

	A. M.	P. M.	N.
PHILADELPHIA. Stocks steady.			
Pennsylvania R. R.	62	62	61⅛
Reading	33⅛	33⅛	32⅞
Lehigh Valley	....	....	61
Lehigh Navigation Ex Div	43⅛	43⅛	42⅞
Buffalo, Pitts. & Western	21	21⅛	20
Northern Central	....	....	52
Northern Pacific	37	37	35⅛
" Preferred	77	76⅞	74
Hestonville	....	....	17
Electric Underground Tel. Co	110	115	105
Philadelphia & Erie R. R.	....	....	19
Gunnison Mining	....	172½	170
Iowa Gulch Mining	....	....	50

UNITED STATES BONDS.	P. M. 1:00
United States 4 per cents	118⅞
" 4½ "	114⅛
" 5 "	102⅞
" 4 "	100⅛

ENTERTAINMENTS.

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