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DIED. ECKY-Of congestion of the brain, on the 13th	Frothingham & Wells	50 00 50 00 50 00
nstant, Edward Hagner, son of John H. and Anna Ecky, aged 3 years. The relatives and friends of the family are in-	William Harmar. George D. Parrish & Co. Samuel B. Thomas. James C. Fisher. William P. Tatham	50 00 50 00 50 00
vited to attend the funeral from the residence of his grandmother, 604 South Ninth street, on Tuesday afternoon, the 16th inst., at 20' clock.	James C. Fisher	25 00 25 00 25 00
EVANS—Suddenly, on the 12th instant, Mary D., wife of Wm. H. Evans, in the 36th year of	George F. Tyler George S. Gross Harris & Co	25 00 25 00 25 00
ner age.  The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the	C. N. Beach O. W. Poultney Saunders Lewis	95.00
rne relatives and friends of the family are treetfully in yied to attend the funeral from the residence of her husband, No. 1317 North Tenth street, on Tuesday afternoon, the 16th instant, at 2 o'clock, without further notice. To proceed to Laurel Hill.	Captain Steedman	10 00
The forever from his late regidence No. 985 North	W. Keith Charies Wells W. T. Lowber	10 60
Seventh street, on Tuesday morning, at So'clock, the 16th instant. To proceed to Gwynedd. * LAWS—At Libby Prison, Richmond, Va, January 23d, Lieut. William L. Laws, 18th Pa.	G. C. Carson Cash George Trott	10 00 50 00 25 00
	Transit Aid Association, connected with	20 00
MOSS—At Washington, D. C., on Thursday, (1th instant, of disease contracted in the service, Captain Wm. C. Moss, 119th Regt. P. V., aged 25 years.	kil Treasurer. Collection made by John Gorley, a Sunday school scholar of St. Andrew's Church, aged S years.	3 00
25 years.  His friends and those of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of the family are respectively. No. 215 South Fight street, or	school school of St. Andrew Solution, aged S years. Heury R. Gilbert. J. E. Stone.	25 00 50 00 20 00
dence of his mother, No. 315 South Fifth street, on this (Monday) afternoon, 15th inst., at 20'clock, without further notice.	Persifer Frazer. Caspar Wistar, M. D. M. H. Messchert. Robert Case Clark.	20.00
NEW SPRING MOURNING GOODS daily opened by PESSON & SON	Daniel Smith, Jr	100 00
BESSON & SON.  Mourning Store, No. 918 CHESTNUT street.  N. B. Wholesale Rooms on second floor.	Joshua T. Jeanes	100 00
	S P. Fotterall	. 50 00 50 00
S25.—FIFTH. WARD BOUNTY-FUND HEADQUARTERS, 406 WALNUT Street. Office Hours from 11 to 3. The Treasurer is now paying TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS WARD BOUNTY, Cash is hand, to	Alexander Benson Evans Rogers W. A. Blanchard. Samuel C. Morton.	- 50 00 - 50 00
DOLLARS WARD BOUNTY, Cash in hand, to ALL VOLUNTEERS, duly credited to the Fifth Ward.	Ward B. Haseltine.	. 25 00
Three hundred men will be taken at once. The Division Collecting Committees meet every MONDAY and THURSDAY EVENINGS, at 7% o'clock, at 212 South FIFTH street, to make re-	Jesse Godley. Jeseph E. Fry. Thomas J. Megear.	. 25 00
o'clock, at 212 South FIFTH street, to make re- turns to the Treasurer and transact business gen- erally.	A. C. Barclay. William S. Smith. Edward B. Grubb.	. 25 00
E. O. KNIGHT, Treasurer. Attest-John J. Franklin, Sec'y. 1e15-6t	William P. Smill.	. 25 00
PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILWAY COMPANY, Office of the Secretary, Pittsburgh, Pa., February	Joseph W. Lewis Lewis T. Watson B. B. S.	20 00
12th, 1864. The annual meeting of the Stock and Bondholders of this Company, for the Election of Directors,	J. S. S., S. R. Martin. A. R. Chambers. John Devereux.	. 20 00
and such other business as may come before it, will be held at the Office of said Company, in the city of PITTSRIEGH on the THIRB WEDNESDAY	Charles S. Peasiee	. 20 00
The Stock and Transfer Books of the Company,	Thomas H. Moore	. 10 0 <b>0</b> . 10 00
Transfer Agency in the city of New York, will be closed on the 1st day of March, at 3 o'clock, P.M., and remain closed until the 17th day of March	A. A. Hurley. T. P. H. William Cumm ngs.	. 10 66
fel5tma17 Secretary.	Saml. E. Slaymaker	. 10 00
CALEB COPE, TREASURER OF THE UNITED STATES SANITARY COM- MISSION, (Philadelphia branch), office of the	Saml. H. Trotter	. 10 00
Philadelphia Saving Filla Society, acknowledges the receipt of the following contributions since the	C. M. C. S.	. 506 . 500
Sast report:  Howell Brothers (additional)	Jesse Tyson (Baltimore)	. 100 00
Transit Aid Association, connected with the N. L. Fire Co., No. 1. 20 00 Lindsay & Blakiston. 25 00 Qash, per Rev. J. W. Robias 11 25	Pohert Grav	
Cash, per Rev. J. W. Robins       11 25         Cash       1 00         Lehigh Crane Iron Company (additional)       300 00		. 50 00 . 25 90 . 20 00
\$102 25 Previously reported\$196,677 63	Insurance Company of N. America. Charles Taylor. I dward Lowber.	. 100 00
Total \$127,079 83	Samuel Welsh	. 190 64
MONDAY, Feb. 15th.—The Women's Penn. Branch U. S. Sanitary Commission also acknow- dedges the receipt of the following donations in	Henry Cope.	100 00 100 00 250 00
School Lane Circle, Mrs. W. F. Johnson, Sec., 2 packages.	Thomas Earp. M. W. Baldwin & Co.	209 0
Ladies' Aid, Doylestown, Bucks county, Mrs. Julia Brock, Sec., 1 box, 3 barrels. Whitpsin Ladies' Aid, Centre Square Montgomery	William Sellers & Co. Hooper & Townsend H. Belfield & Co.	. 20 14
county, Miss S A. Conard, Sec., 1 box. Ladies' Aid, Lock Haven, Clinton county, Mrs. H. D. Barton, Sec., 1 box, 1 keg of Pickled	Brown, Hill & Co	100 0
Cabbage.  A Lady of Rupert, Columbia county, 1 box.  Industrial Branch, Miss E. H. Haven, Secretary,	Joseph H. Koaten	50 0
1 package Soldiers' Aid, St Clement's Church, Mrs. Clapp, 1 package.	Teomas Robins. Mrs. Anna R. Reynolds. James Roe. B. B. Comegys.	50 0
Mrs. S. Peterson, flannel shirts. St. Peter's Church, 4 packages. Dr. Brainerd's Church, 1 package.	B. B. Comegys. Edward S. Clarke. Jacob W. Goff. Goldman, Berg & Co.	. 190 p
Aid Society, Gibson, Susquehanna county, Miss O. D. Suttle, 1 box.	W S G	25 0
Chambersburg, 4 boxes.  Vaughn Sewing Circle, Wool Shirts.  A Gentleman, 54 handkerchiefs.	J. Binswauger & Co	25 0 20 9 95 0
Germantown Field Hospital Association, 2 pkgs. Ladies' Aid, McConnelsburg, Falton county, Mrs. M. A. McConnel, 1 box. Ladies' Aid, Jacobstown, Miss Fidelia Platt. Ladies' Aid, East Freedom, Mrs. C. G. Butler, Ladies' Aid, East Freedom, Mrs. C. G. Butler,	Alexander Benson, Jr. Thomas K. Peterson John Gilly	25 0
Ladies' Aid, Fast Freedom, Mrs. C. G. Butler, Sec., 1 box, 1 keg.		56 0 50 0
Sec., 1 box, 1 keg. Ladies Aid Claymont, Del., Mrs. Graeff. Ladies Relief, First Presbyterian Church, pkgs. Mrs. G. D. K. 1 pkg.	John C. Davis	200
retary, 1 box. Green Tree Army Aid, 2 boxes.	William S. Vaux	10 6 10 6
Ladies' Aid, Mainsburg. Tioga county, Mrs. R. K. Brundage, Secretary, 1 keg. Chilisquaque Ladies' Aid, Mrs. H. J. Park, Sec	Bank of Germantown R. H. Downing.	100 100 50 0
retary, 1 box. Soldiers' Aid, Laporte, Sullivan county, 1 box. Bloomsburg, Columbia county—Mrs. H. J. John	Charles Harmar Mrs. Charles Harmar S. C. Harman	25 0 25 0 59 0
Secretary, 1 box. Mrs. James Hill, Reading, Berks county, 1 box.	George W. Steever	25 0 25 0
Mrs. and Miss Leitzinger, Port Kennedy, 1 box. South Charleston Relief Association, Wellsboro' Tioga county, 2 boxes. Attleboro, Bucks County, Ledies' Aid H. G. Ro	William Musser	. 25 0 . 25 0
Attleboro, Bucks County, Ladies' Aid, H. G. Roland, Secretary, 2 bbis.  Soldiers' Relief, Ohnich of the Holy Trinity, Mrs	Thomas H. Powers	. 256
Wm. Bucknell, Secretary, 2 pkgs. Ladies Aid, Towanda, 1 bbl. Aid Society, Falsington, Bucks county, 2 bbls. Mrs. Dr. Couper, New Castle, Del., 1 pkg.	Joseph Jones. Samuel C. Palmer.	. 25 C
mirs. Dr. Couper, New Castle, Del., 1 pkg.	James R. Campbell & Co	. 100 6

PENNSYLVANIA FREEDMEN'S RE-LIEF ASSOCIATION. A public meeting of the Association will be held in the ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

On TUESDAY EVENING, February 16th,

On TUESDAY EVENING, February 16th, at half-past seven o'clock.

Bishop SIMPSON will preside.

The Rev. PHILLIPS BROOKS,
Rev. Dr. FURNESS,
Rev. Dr. J. WHEATON SMITH, and
J. M. MCKIM, Esq.,

will take part in the proceedings.

Tickets can be obtained on and after Wednesday the 10th, free of charge, at the office of the Association, No. 424 Walnut street; at the Union League House, 11th Chestnut street, and at T. B. Pugh's Book Store, southwest corner of Sixth and Chestnut streets.

Chestnut streets.

128 HOWARD MOSPITAL, NOS. 1518 AND 1520 LOMBARD Street, DISPENSARY DEPARTMENT. Medical treatment and medical farmished gratuitously to the poor. aulir

Chestnut streets.

PHILADELPHIA, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15. 1864. make known its wants to the public? We have felt for a long time that our present quarters were madequate to our necessities; also, the importance of having a place where the inmates of the Institution could breathe fresh air and have more room for exercise and recreation. of having a place where the immates of the Institution could breathe fresh air and have more room
for exercise and recreation.

We think we have found such a place, and we
have ventured to purchase the property of Charles
Magargee, Esq., on Germantown avenue. The
house is capable of accommodating a large number, and has sufficient land well supplied with
fruit trees and shrubbery. It is our intention to
take possession in April, but a heavy debt will be
upon us, unless those who have so kindly remembered us, as well as others who have not heretofore espoused our cause, assist us at once in liquidating the debt we have felt obliged to incur.
Nothing would be m regrateful to our feelings, or
help on the good work in which we are engaged
more directly than to have the debt entirely wiped
off before entering the house.

We would also look for assistance in furnishing
our house and will most gratefully receive donations of any and all kinds of house furnishing
articles, or merchandise, new or second hand.

As the season is approaching when house
changes are usually made, we would most earnestly
desire those who are refurnishing, to remember
us, assuring them that to those who/are in need of
much, nothing can come amiss.

And now need we tree the untold importance of
this enterprise, the value of a single life rescued
from immorality and shame; the interest the whole
community ought to feel in a matter so vital to its
own well-being? Need we press home upon any from immorality and shame; the interest the whole community ought to feel in a matter so yital to its own well-being? Need we press home upon any thoughtful mind these and such like consideratiors, as recisons why every one should feel a personal interest in and responsibility for the success of our cause and do something in the bestowment of liberal and seasonable aid to restore the fallen once more to the raths of rectifued and recen? once more to the paths of rectitude and peace?

Donations in money may be sent to our Treasurer, Mary B. Thain, 1015 Cherry street. Furniture or merchandise may be sent to No. 320 North Eighth street, or if notice is left there, the articles will be sent for.

11\* UNITED STATES CHRISTIAN COM-weeks ending February 12, 1864: Collection at anniversary meeting, Jan. 28, 1864: | Collection at anniversary meeting, Jan. 28, 1864 :
General collection	\$725 31
Martin Nixon	100 00
Mirs. William Bucknell	100 00
J. Lewis Crozer	100 00
Mirs. John P. Crozer	100 00
Mirs. Levis Crozer	100 00
Mirs. E Crozer Griffith	25 00
Samuel A. Crozer	100 00
James Graham	100 00
Morris Patterson	50 00
Geo. D. Wetherill	50 00
William Mann	50 00
Mirs. B. H. Shoemaker	25 00
James W. Boyd	25 00
Mirs. E. Bockius	5 00
James Russell	5 00
D. K. Grim	5 00
S. T.	5 00
Mirs. Hollis	5 00
Mirs. Hol Union Meeting in M. E. Church, Dover,	
Ilel, per Rev. C. P. Lyford.
Evening Bulletin
North American and United States Agency.
Jacob P Jones.
Contributions received at Futtergurk,
India, as follows:
Rev. J. L. Scott.
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Rev. J. Owen.
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 Rev. J. Owen.
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 Rev. R. S. Fullerton.
 10 00

 Rev. A. Broadhead
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 Rev. W. F. Johnson
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 Rev. B. D. Wikoff.
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 Rev. W. F. Johnson
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A (Walnutstreet).
Corporal of Company C, 5th N.Y. Regt.
Suldry contributions received from the
country, and acknowledged in religious papers. Amount previously asknowledged......251,311 25 JOSEPH PATTERSON, Treasurer. THE UNITED STATES CHISTIAN COM-MISSION beg leave to acknowledge the receipt of the following Stores, &c., up to Feb. 11th: PENNSYLVANIA.

Philadelphia—I parcel, Green Street M. E. Chwich: 1 package, "Mrs. F., of W. P.;" 1 box. Fox Chase Ladies' Aid Society; 1 parcel, ("Housewives"), Lizzie. Caiaszanqua—1 box, 1 barrel, Ladies' Aid Society. Upper and Lewer Oxiord—1 box, Soldiers' Aid Society. Society.

New Bloomfield—t box, Ladies' Aid Society.
Centre Square—i boxes, Whitpain Ladies' Aid Society.
Society. Centre Square—3 boxes, Whitpain Ladies' Aid Society.

Society.

Micdia—1 package, Ladies' Aid.

Wrightstown—1 box, Upper Makefield Ladies' Aid Society.

Aid Society.

Hyde Park—1 box.

Highland—1 box, Ladies' Aid Society.

Scranson—1 package, Ladies' Aid Society.

Towenda—1 barrei, Ladies' Soldiers' Aid Society.

MASSACHUSETTS,

Beston—36 boxes, 10 parcels, 2 barrels, 1 backet,

Army Committee Y. M. U. Association.

New Jersey.

Elizabeth—1 barrel, Union Aid Society

Mount Holly—1 box, Ladies' Aid Association.

Cranberry—7 barrels, Army Aid Association.

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Moorestown—1 box, Ladies' Aid Society.

Farmingdale—1 parcel, M. E. Church.

North Branch—1 box, D. R. Church.

Princeton—1 box, Ladies' Aid Society.

New York—37 parcels, Committee U. S. C. C.; Princeton—1 box, Ladies' Aid Society.

NEW YORK.

New York—37 parcels, Committee U. S. C. C.;
1 box (medicines), donor unknewn.

Buffalo—7 parcels, Committee U. S. C. C.;
2 boxes, 2 barrels, Ladies' Christian Commission.

Dryden—3 trunks, Ladies' Aid Society.

Cohees—1 box, Ladies' Aid Society.

Corlandville—1 box, Soldiers' Aid Society.

Corlandville—1 box, Per Rev. J. M. Smealile.

West Hebron—1 box, Ladies' Aid Society.

North Kortright—1 box, per Rev. J. M. Smealile.

West Hebron—1 box, Ladies' Aid Society.

Cincinnati—10 parcels, Committee U. S. C. C.

Our friends deserve our warmest thanks for their continued liberality and carnestness in the good work of cending their contributions to be forwarded to the field, the heepital and the camp.

Our soldiers need remembrance always. They are suffering, working, fighting, dying—somewhere—every moment. The frequent contributions of Christian friends all over the land are necessary to supply their urgent wants. The experience of the past shows that the heart of Christian benevolence is in the work. We can trust in it without a thought of heing disappointed.

GEORGE H. STUART, Chairman,
11 Banz street, Philadelphia.

P. Jenks Smith
Thomas Williamson
Charles H. Baker
Thomas H. Powers
Leon Berg
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E. TWENTY-FIRST WARD BOUNTY
FUND ASSOCIATION.—A meeting of the
Executive and Collecting Committee of the Bounty
Fund, will be held at Morris's Hotel, Manayunk,
on MONDAY Evening, 15th inst., at 7% o'clock.
The Sub-committees of the several Precincis will
report their subscriptions paid up. The Executive Committee gnarantee exemption from Draft to
any person in the Ward by naving to the English any person in the Ward by paying to the Fund the sum of Thirty dollars, or if drafted the money to 5 00 1 00 be returned. Previously reported...... 2,580 50 \$13, 155 50 CALEB COPE, Treasurer.

1t Office Philadelphia Saving Fund Society. MR. EDITOR—Will you allow the MANMR. EDITOR—Will you allow the MANlittle space for the following statement and appeal:

1. The Rosine Association of this city has done
and is doing a great and good work in arresting the
steps of many an unfortunate girl just entering on
the downward path of sin and shame, and bringing her back, by woman's own voice and hands,
to the path of virtue, teaching her how she may
earn an housest living.

earn an honest living.
Mr. Editor, shall such an Institution hesitate to

A. CAMPBELL, President.
GEORGE A. SMITH, SCOTCLETY.
FREDE FAIRTHORNE, Treasurer.

11\* IMPORTANT FROM NORTH CAROLINA. IMPORTANT FROM NORTH CAROLINA.

[Correspondence of the New York Tribune.] [A. Newnern, N. C., Feb. 10, 1864.—In my last notes I informed you that the rebels had apparently left for other parts. Scarcely had the mail gone when indications were seen of their return. Monday they came again upon Newport Barracks and drove the force a short distance. They remained, however, only a short time, and then retired. On the same night a force came down on the front, toward Kingston, and shelled our pickets, but did no great harm. Some deserters have said that they had retired toward Kingston,

FROM WASHINGTON.

The correspondent of the Tribune writes as follows: The Provost Marshal General has decided that the towns in the various States shall each constitute a sub-district. A draft, therefore, will only be ordered in such towns in the various State as shall show a deficiency under the various calls, while those towns which have an excess of quota will be credited the same, to apply to any future emergency. emergency.

Through the intervention of Gen. Butler, the officers and men of Col. Streight's command have been released from close confinement and their irons removed, which acts were done by the rebels

as a retaliatory measure.

Major General Sickles, who arrived in town on Friday, has not received any orders as yet from the War Department, assigning him to duty in the West or elsewhere. West or elsewhere Scott's Nine Hundred have been relieved from

duty in the Department of Washington and ordered to report to Major-General Banks. Department of Gen. Meade and staff will leave for the front to-morrow to reassume command of the Army of the Potomac.

CITY BULLETIN.

THE LAST NIGHT OF THE "DAVENPORT BOYS"

Weather cloudy—Wind Southeast.

THE LAST NIGHT OF THE "DAVENPORT BOYS," with their accomplice Fay, gave, on Saturday night, what they announced as their last exhibition of the season in Philadelphia, and we sircerely trust that it will not only be the last of the season, but the last for all time. The room was well filled, free tickets having been plentifully distributed among the Spiritualists in town for the purpose of counteracting by their presence the influence of the unbelievers whom it was expected would be present.

The exhibition was the same old routine of flummery and toomfoolery which has been repeated night after night ever since the "Boys" have been performing here, and the scenes exacted elicited the applause of the faithful, and excited laughter and disgust among the skeptics who were present. There was much disorder in the public room, but the confusion culminated in the dark anteroom where the "Medium" Fay was performing his share of the hocus-pocus. A party of persons attended this sitting with the deirmination to detect and expose the fraud, it possible, and a dark lantern was flashed and matches were struck at critical times, by the doubting ones. The latter claimed that they had detected the mediums in the act of unitying themselves, when the spirits were supposed to be doing it and it was alleged that the confederates who were manipulating the guitars, &c., had been seen by the suddenly produced light. There was a constant scene of confusion from the time this part of the show commenced until it was ended, and the cause of religion, order, morals and common decency will be best served by the "Boys," and Messrs. Fay and Lacey, retiring at once into private life.

We find in a late number of the Beons County (Wir.) Advertiser, the following notice of the Boys" which will be read with interest at this time. The editor says:—"The following correspondence speaks for itself, it being a reply to a question asked of Dr. Whitmore by Dr. J. Philips, of this place, in regard to the performances of t

Davenport Bors. 18, 1861.—Dr. Whitmere—Sir:—

KENOSHA, Jan. 14, 1861.—Dr. Whitmere—Sir:—

1 should have compiled with your request a long time ago, but I have been very busy and could or did not find time. I make the following statement:

ishould have complied with your request a long time ago, but I have been very busy and could or did not find time. I make the following statement:

'The 'Davenport Boys' were in this city the last of June, 1863, and gave some two or three representations at 'Simmons Hail' of what they called Spiristal menificate ion. I attended one of the meetings and was appointed with Harvey Durkee and Prof. Stone as committee to investigate their performance: their mode of operating, I presume, is well known. Before the meeting Mr. Darkee had applied to his hair a salxture of oil and lampblack, so that a person applying his hand to his head would usually show the evidence of contact.

'After the 'Boys had been securely tied in their cage, Mr. Durkee took his seat between them, and the door was closed. Soon the sounds commenced, the instraments began to play, and, as Mr. Durkee stakes, a hand was felt moving over various portions of his body, taking his watch out of his pocket. Ac., and finally rested on the top of his head. He then asked the spirit's to part his hair a he used to when a boy, and they made the attempt the door was at last opened, and apon taking a light and examining the hands of the 'Boys' they were found tied as at first, but the hand of one o them was besmeared with oil and lampblack. derrived undoubtedly from its contact with the head of Mr. Durkee. The besmeared hand I see, and can positively testify to the same. After the imposition wasexposed the audience left the hall, and the 'Boys' got out of town as soon as possible.

'Respectfully yours,

A. H. THOMPSON.

'Mr. Phillips, I am in Woodstock, and have been confined to the house two months, which is the reason that I did not send this before. If they want any more proof they can have it.

We have also heard a story of a Mr. Yay, a traveling 'Spiritual Medium,' which will bear repeating. It seems that a few years since the Fay reserved to was traveling professionally in the southwestern States, and that in his 'Manifestalities.' He would also communicat

THE ANNIVERSARY OF WASHINGTON'S BIRTH.

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The following organizations will parade on the approaching anniversary of the birth-day of Washington, the 22d inst. In the absence of Maj. General Cadwalader, the troops will be under the command of Brig. Gea. O. S. Ferry, Military Commandant of Philadelphia. Organizations not named in the list, who are desirous to unite. will report to Capt. Haleman, Assistant Adjutant General, before the 17th instant, at which time detailed orders and the ronte of the parade will be given: Gray Reserves, Col. Charles S. Smith; Bline Reserves, Col. William W. Taylor; 4th Union League Regiment, Col. George P. McLean; Provost Guard Battalion, Liest. Col. H. A. Frink; Bridesburg Armory Guards, Col. Barton H. Jenks; Battalion of Navy Yard Marines, Captain Stribling; 6th Pennsylvania Cavalry, Col. Chorman; 12th Regiment Pennsylvania Reserves; 5th Pennsylvania Battalion, Capt. J. T. Piggott; 99th Regiment Pa. Vols., Col. John F. Ballier; 91st Regiment Pa. Vols., Col. John K. Mupphy; 23d Regiment Pa. Vols., Col. Genn; Detachments of 24th, 28th and 8stin Regiment Pa. Vols.; Guards; Guards, Capt. William Williard; Henry Guards; Capt. Spear; Philadelphia Guards, Capt. William B. Mann; Mint Guards; Arsenal Guards; Hospital Guards Battalion; West Chester Cadets, Col. Theodore Hyatt; Courtland Saunders Cadets; Hasko's Battalion of Cadets; Keystone Battery, No. 2, Captain Edward Fitzkie; Capt. E. Spencer Millers' Battery; Capt. Landis' Battery; Capt Marks John Biddle's Battalion. That Rey, Mr. De Witt, late of Hoosac Falls, New-

THE GERMAN STREET CHURCH .- We learn that Rev. Mr. De Witt, late of Hoosac Falls, New-York, has received and accepted a call to the Ger-man Street Presbyterian Church, in this city, and

whose instancy, the parchase and completation of the church is due, have recently made the subjoined report:

""" HILADELPHIA January 25th, 1864.—The undersigned, having assumed the purchase and finishing of the German Street Presbyterian Church, deem it proper to turnish to the Contributors, a statement of the moneys received, amounting to fifteen thousand five hundred and thirty-eight dollars twenty-eight cents, and the expenditures made in the furtherance of this object.

"They think it also a matter for congratulation that by your aid and the blessing of a kind Providence, they have been enabled to restore to the Congregation, their House of Worship complete in all its apjointments, and free from debt or incumbrance of any kind.

"The audience chamber is neatly finished, and the Sabbath School rooms are large and commodious.

"The title to the property has been conveyed to

dious.

"The title to the property has been conveyed to the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, and we indulge the hope that peace and prosperity may long continue to be the heritage of the people."

The expenditures have been equal in amount to the receipts, viz: \$15,538 28. They were for Sheriff's sale, repurchase, ground rent, contractors, insurance, tower bell, carpenter work and painting, conveyancing, recording deeds, &c. The church is now entirely free from incumbrance and cannot fail to be a blessing to the vicinity in which it is located.

The CALENA The iron-clad gupboat Galena.

THE GALENA—The iron-clad gunboat Galena, built on the Mystic, has been rebuilt at our nayy yard and will be again put in commission this week. Her armor has been stripped, the shot holes she received from the guns of Fort Darling plugged up, and she is now to all appearances a new boot. She measures 150 tons. Her huil's length over all is 215 feet, beam 35 feet, draft 11 feet. She is driven by two engines of the Ericsson pattern, the same as those of the monitors, with the single exception that the monitors, with the single exception that the monitors have a half trunk, while the Galena has a piston-rod. Her cylinders are 48 inches in diameter, 3 feet stroke of piston, and 4 feet crunk. She has Sewell's surface condensers; her boilers, two in number, are horizontal tubular, having six furnaces, with two blowing engines. She has a true screw eleven feet in diameter, 22 feet pitch. With her armor in, she made 11 knots per hour on her trial trip; since her renewal, she has performed so admirably it is confidently expected she will make 15 knots per hour. Her list of officers is as follows:

Lientenant Commander, C. H. Wellis; Acting Master and Executive Officer, R. F. Coffin; First Assistant Engineer, Acting Chief, W. G. Buehler, Acting Assistant Surgeon, G. P. Wright; Acting Ensigns, D. W. C. Kells, J. Cullaton, H. Pease, Jr, S. S. Miner; Second Assistant Engineers, C. H. Greenleaf, J. A. Scot; Acting Third Assistant Engineers, P. Burns, W. Welcker, Acting Master's Mates, J. H. Delano, O. H. Robbins, F. Tatle; Captain's Clerk, E. G. Morror; Paymaster's Clerk, E. H. Hults.

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ENLISTMENTS.—The number of men mustered

Enlistments.—The number of men mustered into the United States service and credited to the city last week, was \$48, divided among the Wards as follows—First Ward, 13; Second, 10; Third, 6; Fourth, 10; Fifth, 52; Sixth, 9; Seventh, 6; Eighth, 47; Ninth, 69; Trenth, 10; Eleventh, 22; Twelfth, 49; Thirteenth, 10; Fourteenth, 24; Fifteenth, 15; Sixteenth, 10; Seventeenth, 24; Fifteenth, 15; Nineteenth, 101; Twentieth, 59; Twenty-fifts, 1; Twenty-second, 71; Twenty-third, 13; Twenty-fourth, 125; Twenty-fifth, 4. From other places but credited to Philadelpnia, 86. From the lat of December to February 13th, the number mustered in was as follows:

Wards.

First, 123 Fifteenth, 286
Second, 51 Sixteenth, 112
Fourth, 39 Eighteenth, 243
Fifth, 110 Niceteenth, 151
Sixth, 9; Twenty-first, 46
Eighth, 294 Twenty-first, 46
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BADBoys .- Eight boys were arraigned before Badboys.—Eight boys were arraigned before was charged with arron, and the others with being incorrigible vagabouts, committing various depredations, &c. On the 1st instant, it will be remembered, a fire occurred at the S. E. Grammar Schoolhouse, on Front street, below Pine. The firmes originated mysteriously in a closet filed withold books. On the night of the 6th inst. a stable on Lombard street, near Front, was set on fire, and upon investigation Fire Marshal Blackburn became satisfied that the mischief had been done by some of a gang of boys who infested that neighborhood.

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On Friday the police commenced arresting these boys, and the first one taken into custody told who had fired the school-house. When the latter was captured he made a full confersion. He said that he had got tired of going to school, and during the temporary absence of the janitor he went to the closet to get a book which he had left. While there he was tempted to fire the place, thinking that the school would be locked up. He immediately tried to extinguish the fire, but then thought that he would let it burn. He was held in \$1,400 ball to answer at Curt, and the other boys were sent to the House of Refage.

CITY MORTALITY. - The number of interments in the city during the past week was 358, an increase of 5 over the previous week, and an increase of 119 over the same period last year. Of the whole number 177 were adults and 181 children; the whole number 177 were adults and leichildren; to being under one year of age; 101 were males, 157 females; 162 boys and 79 girls. The greatest number of deaths occurred in the Nineteepth Ward, being 31, and the smallest number in the Twenty-third Ward, where only 5 were reported. The principal causes of death were, croup, 6; congestion of the brain, 11; consumption, 45; convulsions, 17; disease of the heart, 14; malignant typhus fever. 16; specied fever, 15; inflammation of the brain, 14; and inflammation of the lungs, 27.

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THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY OF ST. CHARLES
BORROMEO.—The annual meeting of this institution was held last evening at St. John's Church,
Thirteenth street above Chestiaut. Rev. John P.
Dunn, pastor of St. John's presided in the ab
sence of Bithop Wood The entirereceipts of the
year have reached the large sum of \$17,552 35, of
which, \$14 97; 23 was obtained by voluntary contributions from the Catholics of this Disease,
given mostly in suras of one dollar or less. The
contributions from the churches within the limits
of the city of Philadelphia amount to \$9,292 20,
and from those in the country places, \$5,769 \$3.

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SLIGHT FIRES.—The Iron works of Fitzge-rald & Co., N. W. corner Nineteenth street and Pernsylvania Avenue, were alightly damaged by fire about six o'clock last evening. The flames were caused by sparks from the chimney falling upon the roof.

Between twelve and one o'clock this morning, the roof of a suble on Pearl street, between Six-teenth and Seventeenth, was discovered to be on fire. A couple of fire companies were soon apon the ground and the flames were extinguished before any serious damage had been done.

SLIGHT FIRES .- The iron works of Fitzge-

NEW COUNTERPEITS .- The American Bank NEW GOUNTERPEITS.—The American Banks Nete Reporter informs us of two new counterfeits, put in circulation to-day. Being upon Pennsylvania Banks, the public should be careful, viz: 20's, Bank of Gettysburg, Pa. Well executed, the vignetie being pasted on. The signatures on counterfeit are R. Smith, President, W. G. McPherson, Cashier, while the genuine are signed G. Swope, President, T. D. Careon, Cashier. 2's, Stroudsburg Bank. Description not received. Better refuse all 2's for the present.

FATAL ACCIDENT .- On Saturday afternoon, James Spiers, aged twenty years, was ran over by a wagon loaded with grain, on Market street, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second, and was instantly killed. He was driving the wagon at the time of the accident, and was in the employ of Jos. Allen: The deceased belonged to Darby. TWENTY-FIRST WARD .- The Executive and

Collecting Committees of the Bounty Fund of this ward will meet this evening at Morris's Hotel, in Manayunk. A full attendance is desired. SERIOUS BURNING.—Last evening between seven and eight o'clock, Margaret Conway aged thirteen years, residing on Cultbert street, west of Nineteenth, was burned in a shocking manner

and-were waiting for re-inforcements. These men also say that large numbers wish to come in, and are so guarded as to be unable to escape.

By the last boat from Washington, N. C., we get a rumor as follows. After the boat started for Newbern, a message was telegraphed down the river and put aboard below that the enemy were outside, the pickets having been driven in; and that large numbers of them were seen in all directions rear the town. The enemy is also reported at Plymouth. What his plans are does not yet appear.

Thubspar, Feb. 11, 10'clock P. M.—A rumor comes in from the front, by a Lieutenant in the cavalry, that the enemy was coming in upon us again. Whether it will amount to another attack we cannot yet tell. All is ready.

Here with an excellent prospect of scoal oil lamp having been upon to fischarge with an excellent prospect of success. The committee of laymen to whose liberality, the purchase and completion of the chirch is due, have recently made the sub-proparation for the Hair which has just been proparation for the Hair which has just been through to the will amount at the enemy were seen the finite of the moneys received, amounting to fifteen thousand five hundred and thirty-eight continued to the expenditures again. Whether it will amount to another attack we cannot yet tell. All is ready.

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Here Form Labert to the committe THE FAIR ON. 'S and "God's best gill. to man' are said to be voing almost mad over a new preparation for the Hair which has just been brought out in New York. It is called Coleman's Floriline, and has for a 'umber of years been the almost universal hair dre. 'sing used by the ladies of Paris. The exclusive r. 'ight to sell in America has been transferred to an e. 'uterprising and well-known house in New York, 'who, it is said, paid one hundred thousand dollars for the right. The gratuitous distribution of a few bottles has already caused a large demand. It is fn'e from alcohol or cils of any kind and can be used "tidelicate kind."

PURE WINES AND LIQUORS FO'E MEDICINAL PURPOSES.—Messrs. Davis & Richan is, Arch and Tenth streets, have constantly on hat id a supply of fine old Wines, Port, Sherry, and Ma deria, &c.; also fine Brandy, imported by themselves, of the highest excellence, especially adapted for 1 nedicinal purposes. purposes.

BROWN'S, BRONCHIAL TROCHES, for C Qughe, Colds, Pulmonary and Asthmatic Disorders, have proved their efficacy by a test of many years, and have received testimonials from eminent men who have used them.

Furs! Furs!!—The most splendid stock exhibited this season by any Feurrier, is now being closed out at cost prices, by that well known house C. Oakford & Sons, under the Continental

THE GRAND PARADE On Feb. 22d, will need light Swords, Sabres, Belts, etc., which can be had of C. Oakford & Sons, under the Continental Hotel.

FURS AT COST .- Oakfords, Continental. LADIES IN WHISERES.—The French ladies

LADIES IN WHISKERS.—The French ladies after starting the fashion of carrying canes, are about to start yet another new fashion. The little turit which starts from the root of the hair at the side, and which formerly formed the little curit known as an acroche cour, is now to fail straight down the cheek in a thick mass, and to be frizzled so as to look like whiskers. The fair Parisians also say that they would soon set the fashions of wearing full masculine suits, if they could manage to procure their supplies from the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 633 and 65 Chestnut street above Sixth. The French ladies have undoubted taste.

Victory—Ice Cream and Water Ices. 25 Victory.—Ice Cream and Water Ices, at 0 cents per quart, Morse's 238 S. Eleventh street. DEAFMESS, BLINDMESS, and all diseases which

DEAFMES, BLINDMESS, and all diseases which the Ear or Eye is heir to, successfully treated by Prof. J. Isaacs, M. D., Occulist and Aurist, No. 511 Pine street. Testimonials from the most reliable sources can be seen at his office. The medicinal faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has no secret in his mode of treatment. Artificial Eyes inserted without pain. No charges for examination. BEST AND PUREST COAL in the city; none

better; please try it. Samuel W. Hess, Broad street, above Race, east side. POUND CARE, Lady and Almond Sponge, 85 cents, at Morse's, 238 Seuth Eleventh street. CORNE, BUNIONS, Inverted Nails, Enlarged Joints, and all Diseases of the Feet cured without pain or inconvenience to the patient, by Dr. Zacharie, Surgeon Chiropodist, 921 Chestnut street. Refers to Physicians and Surgeons of the

BARLOW'S INDICO BLUE.—Dealers and Consamers of the above will please take notice that the labels have been changed to read

"Indigo Blue,"
Put up at Alfred Wiltherger's Drug Store,
No. 232 North Second street,
Philadelphia.

Barlow's name will be left off the boxes from

this date.

The new label does not require a stamp. EXCELLENT SHORING TOBACCO.—If is a very difficult matter to obtain, at anything like a fair difficult matter to obtain, at anything like that price, a good quality of Smoking Tobacco, but we have recently tried an article sold by E. H. Hunt & Co., No 511 Chestnut street, which is equal to the very best we have ever placed in a pipe. It is the Kin-ne-ne-ne-aw, originally prepared by the Indians, from fine tobacco, mingled with roots and odorous herbs. Its flavor is pungent yet delicious, and floats through the air like incense. It lights easily and retains the fire a long time without incensent drawing, and in every way it is without incessant drawing, and in every way it is worthy of the reputation it has attained. We commend it to all who remember the departing glories of "Lynchburg" and "Scarfalatti," and who wish to obtain an article of the first quality at

ACCIDENT AT A GUNBOAT LAUNCH.

A large number of persons collected at J. B.
Eads's ship yard at Carondelet, yesterday morning, to witness the launching of the iron gunboat. Chickaraw upon the bosom of the Mississippi, and when the stays were let loose, between ten and eleven o'clock, nearly two hundred ladies and gentlemen were on beard. The anchor was at the bow, ready to be cast off, the large rope to which it was attached being soiled at the bow. Around this coil some ten or "lifteen persons were permitted to cellest, and when the anchor was cast, the rope, of course, played out with great rapidity. As the boat iouched the water, Commodore Hull, who was ca board, cried out for all who were forward to "ran aft and avoid the ropes," but although a portion of the crowd obeyed the warning, several were too slow. In its swift descent the rope dragged into the water the following persons: Mr. and Mrs. William P. Bradley, Miss Bounie Eads, daughter of the owner of he yard, Miss Mary Maguire, daughter of John Maguire, and Mr. O. B. Filley, son of exmayor O. D. Filley. All, however, were saved except Mrs. Bradley, who disappeared beneath the water and was seen ne more. Mr. Bradley is a elerk for Eads.—St. Lowi Democrat, lith.

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SMAIL POX.—This loathsome disease is prevailing in Richmond, and U. J. Bowden, a rebek Senator from Virginia, has died. We have it here, and find it rather on the increase. It was brought here during the siege by Longs'reet's army, and its a fixed institution in the robellarmy. The personal filth and corruptions of the whole gang, their lice, bed-bugs, old clothes, poor diet and guilty consciences—mixed as they are with mean whissey, and all that is mean, dirty and unpatriotic, are enough to flood the country where they go with every hateful disease known to the human family!

THE PARSON OR THE NEGRO QUESTION.—The rebels of the South have used slaves in this war, and armed them in battle, and where they have been brought into action they have displayed great brayery. They brought on the war because of the negro, and without any provocation. Het them now be fought by the sigger, and made-sick of the nigger. Had we the power, we would turn loose all the beasts of the forest the snakes and lizards of the swamp, and all the devils in hell, but we would put down the rebellion.

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Morris Mineterres.—We again advise our readers to visit Concert Hell and enjoy the entertainments given by the Morris Ministres. The sore, the dance, the burleague alternate with jokes provocative of hearty and innocent laughter. Full and fashionable houses attend nightly.

The Cheetxet.—To-night we have the "Ticket of Leave Man." It will soon be withdrawn to make way fer other novelies.

The Arch.—The Richings' opera tronge this evening in that brilliant English opera, "The Postillion of Lonjumeau." Miss Richings, Mr. P. Richings, Mr. Seguin and Mr. Hill appear. We have no doubt the present engagement of this advised to the company will equal in popular enthusiana, mirable company will equal in popular enthusiana, their previous one at this theatre. The former one, has we need scarcely remind anybody was brilliant almost beyond precendent.

The Walnut.—It was quite a delightful sary prise to see Mis Lucille Western at the Walnut of Saintday evening, in some other character the in the heroine of "East Lyune." On that occasion she played "Lucretia Borgia" with a vigor, intensity and grace which we have rarely seen surtensity and grace which we have rarely seen surtensity and she dressed the part most supperbly. In the afterpiece, "Don Crasar de Bazan," she played the character of the reckless Don with infinite spirit. The house was the large at of the season, and was particularly enthusiastic. It was announced that Miss. Waller had waive i her claim to the next engagement, and that for a few lights more Miss Western would appear in "East Lynne" and other parts. Seats can be secured in advance, and we may add that this is an important point, owing to the great crowds which throng the house each night Miss Western is announced.

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