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W. HENRY PATTEN,
1408 Chestnut street.

MARRIED.

RAND — BELROSE — At the Church of the Atonement, 14th instant, by Rev. Benj. Watson, D. D., Theodore D. Rand to Lizzie, daughter of the late John Belrose.

DIED. ASHMEAD—Harry Eugene, youngest child of Henry B. and Mary A. Ashmead, aged I year and Il months.
Funeral from the residence of his parents, 1525
Girard avenue, on Wednesday morning, at ten o'clock.

CUMMING—This morning, after a severe illness, Hannah, wife of Richard P. Cumming. Due notice of the funeral will be given.

HOWE—OF Monday, March 14th, at the residence of his son, the Rev. Dr. Howe, the Hon. John Howe, aged 80 years. His remains will be taken to Bristol, R. I., for interment.

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MARTIN—On the 12th instant, Patrick Martin, aged 64 years.

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The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 1603 Helmuth street, on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, without further notice. Funeral service at Saint Patrick's church. Interpret in Cethedral Compactor. ment in Cathedral Cemetery. *
PETERSON—On the 12th inst., Emma Bowles

Peterson.
The relatives and friends of the family are re-The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of Miss Bowles, No. 522 South Second street, on Tuesday morning at 8% o'clock, without further notice. Funeral service at Saint Joseph's church. Interment at Catheral Cemetary. **
WHITE—On the 13th inst., Mrs. Eliza White;
in the 74th year of her age.
The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, from No. 332 South Seventeenth street.

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WHITE—On the 13th inst., Mrs. Eliza White, for many years Matron of the Pennsylvania Insti-WHITE—On the 13th inst., Mrs. Eliza White, for many years Matron of the Pennsylvania Institution for the Blind. Public services in the Institution for the Blind. Public services in the Institution at 70 clock, this evening. Funeral from No. 332 South Seventeenth street, on Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

WILLESS—On the 12th instant, Mr. Arthur H. Willess, in the 79th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the tamily, also the Spring Garden Lodge, No. 39, I. O. of O. F., the National Encampment, No. 47, and the Crystal Fount Division, Sons of Temperance, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his late residence, No. 1027 Spring Garden street, on Wednesday, the 16th inst., at 20 clock.

WOODS—March 12th, 1864, W. H. Woods, Sr., late of the Island of St. Croix, W. I.

The male friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from his son's residence, 2100 Wallace street, at 2 o'clock, P. M., on Tuesday, 15th instant.

NEW SPRING MOURNING GOODS daily opened by Nonraing Store, No. 918-CHESTNUT street.

N. B. Wholesale Rooms on second floor. PEST BLACK SILK IN THE CITY. Best Brown Silks.
Spring Fancy Silks, Paris style Chenie.
London style Shawls. Broadway style Cloaks: EYRE & LANDELL.

TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH,
Chestnut street, above Eighteenth.—The
Fifth Anniversary of the Young People's Association of this church will be held on Tuesday
evening, March 15th, at 7% o'clock. The annual vening, March 15th, at 7% o'clock. The annual Report will be read, and addresses delivered by A. G. Jones, Esq., Rev. D.C. Eddy, D.D., Rev. Wm. P. Breed and Rev. P. S. Henson. A large 1t* attendance is expected.

LECTURES ON HEBREW POETRY. Prof. Hiram Corson will commence on TUESDAY, the 15th of March, a course of FIVE LECTURES ON HEBREW POETRY, to be continued on succeeding Tuesdays until completed. The Lectures will be given at the Northwest corner of FILBERT and JUNIPER streets, commencing at 4 M of clock. mencing at 4% o'clock.

Course Tickets S1.

Single Tickets 25 cents; to be had at Mr. Leypoldt's, 1323 Chestnut street, and at Mr. DeSilver's, 1229 Chestnut street.

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The MEETING.—A meeting of the Executive Committee will be held at the SCHOOL HOUSE, corner of Twenteth and Coates streets, on TUES. DAY EVENING, 15th inst., at 8 o'clock. The Collectors are particularly requested to be all present, as it is absolutely requisite that the state of our finances should be known without delay.

MIL-215 THOS. W. PRICE, Chairman.

our finances should be known with the meeting.

A STATED MEETING OF THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY of Pennsylvania, will be held at the Rooms, ATHENÆUM BUILDING, Sixth Street, below Walnut, THIS (Monday) EVENING, at 80 clock.

The subject of Hall will claim the attention of the meeting.

SAML L. SMEDLEY, Recording Secretary.

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EIGHTH WARD NATIONAL UNION

ASSOCIATION.—A special meeting of the

Association will be held at the Hall of the Schuyl
kill Hose House, on TUESDAY EVENING,

MARCH 15ht, at 8 o'clock, for the transaction of
important business. It is important that each

precinct be fully represented.

J. LOWRIE BELL, Secretary.

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NEW OREEK COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the STOOKHOLDERS, will be held on THURSDAY, April 14th, 1864, at twelve o'clock M., at their office, No. 311 WALNUT street. A general attendance is requested, as an act passed by the Legislature of West Virginia, for creating a Preferred Stock, will be submitted for their action. WM.W.HOLLINGSWORTH, PHILADELPHIA, March 11, 1861. Secretary.

RELIEF ASSUCIATION FOR EAST Mahoning Grove Presbyterian Church,
Danville, Pa., per W. L. Mactier.
W. S. Stewart & Co.
Part proceeds of a collection made in
Ohrist Church, Philadelphia, per E. L.
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John J. Thompson
First Presbyterian Church, Holmesburg,
Pa., per Rev. J. Belville,
St. James's Episcopal Kohurch, Perkiomen, per Rev. George B. Allen.
Mrs. F. C. Ohambers, Newtown, Bucks
county, Pa. Aris. F. C. Chambers, Newtown, Bucks county, Pa.

Presbyterian Church, Canton, Bradford county, per J. Caldwell.

Abraham Hart.

Christ Church, New Brighton, Beaver co., Pa., per Rev. W. Ely.

Philip Fitzpatrick.

Charles Norris.

Insurance Company of the State of Pennsylvania.

Sylvania Cash, per J. T. T. Christ Church, Towanda, Pa., per D. S.

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MR. J. E. MURDOCH

WILL GIVE A CHOICE SELECTION OF PATRIOTIC AND SCRIPTURAL READINGS AT THE MUSICAL FUND HALL,

ON THURSDAY EVENING, March 17, 1864, For the purpose of purchasing an Organ for the FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Southwark.

Tickets FIFTY CENTS; can be obtained at the Book Stores of Ashmead & Evans, 724 Chestnut; T. B. Pugh, Sixth and Chestnut; T. B. Peterson, 376 Chestnut; Foster's, Second, opposite German, and at the Hall on the day and evening of the Readings.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.—Prof. DUNBAR,
whose Speaking and Singing created such a seneation, last Friday Evening, at the Academy of Music, has been prevailed upon to lecture for the benefit of the Widows and Orphans of Soldiers, next WEDNESDAY EVENING, March 16th, in CONCERT HALL, on CHESTNUT, above Twelith. Subject of lecture—'Our Country and the Wor.', Tickets, 50 cents, sold by T. B. Pugh, corner of Sixth and Chestnut streets. Doors open 7 P. M. Lecture quarter before S. No reserved seats.

Sec'y.
Mrs. Sarah Z. Curtis.
Mrs. W. E. Doge, New York...
W. A. Blanchard (additional).

Collection at Lewisburg, Pa., per David Gener.

Ladies' Aid Society, McConnellsburg, Pa., per Rey, N. G. White.

Ladies' Aid Society, Chatsworth, Ill., per Mrs. M. H. Hall.

Money found in an office of the Provost Marshal and appropriated to Pennsylvania Wounded Soldiers.

Union Meeting at Lock Haven, Pa.

Union Solders' Aid Society, Phelps, N. Y., per Mrs. M. J. Browning.

Collection at Terryville, Conn., per M. Blakesley, Treasurer.

Union Benevolent Society of New Hampshire, per Miss Mary A. Dearborn.

Rev. N. K. Crow, Alexandria, Va. Samuel McMullin.
J. C. Bavidson, Oxford, N. Y.

Ladies' Aid Society, Delanco, N. J., per Mrs. Whitney, Treasurer.

First Presbyterian Sabbath School, Grand Raplds, Michigan.

S. W. Brewster, Hannibal, N. Y.

A Friend of the Army, Mercersburg, Pa.

A Member of Neshamiay Church.

Corporal Edward K. Maun, Battery G, Ast R. I. Artillery. Artillery....

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Miss C. Sheldon.

C. M., 'Y Astoria, N. Y.

Louis Rhodes, Southworth, South Woodstock, Conn.
Mrs. Johnson, Williamsburg, N. T.
E. McKennon, Deposit, Delaware coun-E. Alchenton, Deposit, Delaware county, N. Y.
Sabbath School Mission Box of United
Presbyterian Church, Lower Chanceford, Pa.
Sabbath School, East Haverstraw, N. Y. Saboath School, East Haverstraw, N.Y. Spring Ridge Aid Society. Elizabeth Holt.

West Virginia Eenry Peters, Co. A, 59th Infantry Amount previously acknowledged.....\$5,247 46 JOS. PATTERSON, Treasurer.

THE UNITED STATES OHRISTIAN COMMISSION begleave to acknowledge the receipt of the followidg stores up to March 11th:

PENNSYLVANIA.

Philadelphia—l parcel "Little Ones," Geo. S.

Fox, Esq.

1 parcel (twelve books), "A member of Dr. Boardman's Church."

1 parcel, Sabbath School Fifth U.

P. Church.

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1 parcel, Mr. Green.
3 boxes, Ladies' Aid Society,
Church of the Covenant.
1 parcel, Ig. Konler, publisher.
1 parcel Jos. B. Sheppard, Esq.
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Athens—1 box, Ladies' Soldiers' Aid Society.
Upper Providence and 3 boxes and 2 sacks, SolPerkiomen Township, 6 dier's Aid Society.
Spring Ridge—1 box. Ladies.
Pine Grove—1 box, Lutheran Sabbath School.
Good Intent—2 boxes, Aid Society.
Lower Providence—5 boxes, Ladies' Aid Society.
Lower Providence—5 boxes, Ladies' Aid Society.
Gettysburg—1 box, Sunday Schools of M. E. and
Presbyterian Churches.
VERMONT.
Bennington Centre—1 box, Ladies.

Bennington Centre-1 box. Ludies.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston-11 parcels and 12 boxes, Army Committee, Y. M. C. Association.

NEW YORK.

New York-31 parcels, Committee U. S. C. Commission.

mission.
Le Roy—1 box, Army Aid Association.
Buffalo—5 boxes, Ladies Christian Commission.
6 packages, Committee U. S. C. Com-

Albany-3 boxes, Mrs. Pruyn, from herself, ladles of North Dutch Church and a Surgeon.

Dansville-2 boxes, Aid Society.

Mew JERSEY

Moorestown-1 box, Friends.

Farmingdale-1 parcel. M. E. Church.

Princeton-1 box, McGuinness and Smith.

1 parcel, 35 books, Lady.

Highstown-5 boxes, Ladies' Aid Society.

Cincinnati-12 parcels, Committee U. S. C. Commission.

DELAWARE.

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Wilmington—1 box, Delaware State Association.
UNKNOWN.

1 parcel papers, lady.
The Commission are desirous to be fully prepared for the great work which will require to be done in view of the important movements which must soon be made. We hope, therefore, that our friends will continue to send us, in abundance, supplies of hospital stores, &c., for which there is a constant and urgent demand.

GEO. H. STUART, Chairman,
No. 11 Bank street, Philadelphia.

UNITED STATES SANITARY COMMISSION, Philadelphia Branch.

CASH RECEIPTS,
"Settlement," per J. M. W. 10 00

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Lady, McKean county, Penna., for Great
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ARMORY OF COMPANY A, FIRST RE.
GIMENT, ARTHLLERY, P. H. G. PHILAThe Stated Meeting of the Company will be held at the Armory, on MONDAY, March 14th, at 8 o'clock, P. M. By order of Capt. H D.

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PHILADELPHIA. MONDA Y MARCH 14: 1864

o'clock.

Rev. THOMAS B. VAN HORNE, Chaplain 13th O. V. I., former principal of the Cherokee National Male Seminary, will present such facts in the history of the Cherokees as will, make their claims for present assistance imperative. The meeting will also be addressed by Hon. JOHN ROSS, principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, and Lieutenant Colonel DOWNING, a full blooded Indian, and an officer in one of the three Cherokee regiments, who are now fighting the battles of the Inion. Rev. Dr. BRAINERD, key. PHILLIPS BROOKS, and others will be present, from some of whom remarks may be expected. Admission free. It is hoped that the friends of the Aborigines will manifest their interest by a large attendance. A collection will be taken to relieve the immediate necessities of the sufferers.

U.S. INTERNAL REVENUE.—Second U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE.—Second Collection District of Penneylvania, comprising First, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth and Tenth Wards of the city of Philadelphia.

The symplectic NOTICE.

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NOTICE.

The rinual assessment for 1863 for the above-named district, of persons liable to a tax in Carriages, Pleasure Yachts, Billiard Tables, and Gold and Silver Plate, and also of persons required to take out licenses, having been completed.

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That the taxes aforesaid will be received daily by the undersigned, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M. (Sundays excepted) at his office, S. W. corner of Third and Walnut streets, on and after MONIAY, the 7th inst., and until and including Saturday, the 2d day of April next ensuing.

PENALTIES.

All persons who fail to pav their Annual taxes upon Carriages, pleasure Yachts. Billiard tables, and Gold or Silver plate, on or before the aforesaid 2d day of April 1864, will incur a penalty of ten per centum additional of the amount thereof, and be liable to costs as provided for in the 19th section of the excise law of 1st July 1862.

All persons who in like manner shall fail to take out their licenses as required by law, on or upon the 2d day of April 1864, will incur a penalty of ten per centum additional of the amount thereof, and be subject to a prosecution for three times the amount of said tax. in accordance with the proviations of the 59th Section of the law afore; aid.

All payments are required to be made in Treasury notes issued under authority of the United States, or in notes of Banks organized under the act to provide a National Currency, known as National Banks.

No further notice will be given.

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JOHN H. DIEHL, Collector.

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HOWARD HOSPITAL, NOS. 1518 AND
1528 LOMBARD Street, DISPENSARY
DEPARTMENT. Medical treatment and medical treatment and medical treatment and medical treatment.

FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF THE SOUTH. The United States steam transport Fulton, from Port Royal, S. C., March 10, strived at New York

Port Royal, S. C., March 10, strived at New York last night. Among the passengers are Brig. Gen. J. W. Turner, bearer of official despatches to the War Department, and Capt. O. W. Pickering, Lieut. F. J. Higi inson and Dr. W. Plant, of the sloop-of-war Housatonic.

The Quartermaster's steamboat Harriet Weed, previously reported lost in St. John's river, and arrived at Port Royal without injury.

Captain Retchum, of the transport Island City, captured on an island called the Two Sisters, near the mouth of the St. John's river, two large torpedoes. The magazines of both consisted of half an oil can, hermetically sealed, and contained seventy five pounds of rifle powder. The powder was to be fired by means of a gun-barrel, to which was attached a percussion cap, exploded by a hemmer, the latter being operated by a powerful seeled spring, controlled and regulated by a com-

was attached a percussion cap, exploded by a lammer, the latter being operated by a powerful scele spring, controlled and regulated by a complete Yankee brass clock, manufactured in Connecticat, evidently constructed for the benefit of our blockading vessels in the St. John's.

[Cerrespondence of the N. Y. Times.]

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 9, 1861—The army is still encamped outside the entrenchments, although the lines have been contracted within the past few days. Last week. Col. Henry, with a force of cavalry and artillery, procesced toward the enemy's position on a reconnoissance. When he had reached 7 lives Mile Run, a little stream three miles out of Jacksonville, he discovered a regiment of mounted rebels drawn up in line on the opposite side, in readiness to go out with apparently a view to examine our lines and position. The rebels also had artillery. A brief; kirmish ensued, which was followed by an artillery duel—two or three pieces being engaged on each side. The rebels were finally compelled to retreat toward their camping ground. They were pursued by Henry as far us Camp Finnegan. Beyond that point it was not prudent for Henry to go in consequence of approaching darkness. Our men returned to camp with one man killed and five wounded. The enemy lost more than double that number.

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Rebel deserters come into our lines at the rate of three and four a day. From them we learn that the enemy is driving the cattle from Florida as rapidly as possible. All the rebels care about is to hold the State sufficiently fong to get the cattle away, then they will vacate, and we may occupy it with welcome.

The main portion of the rebels are at Baldwin. Their pickets are between Camp Finnegan and Ten Mile Run. A trustworthy scout informs me their force consists of seventeen regiments infantry, two regiments cavalry and one battery artillery, exclusive of the five pieces taken from us. They are fortifying Baldwin; and although Finnegan wishes it to be understood that he intends an advance, it is not believed he will venture beyond his present limits. They have trains running from Lake City to Baldwin. Finnegan's headquarters are said to be at Baldwin.

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Gen. Vogdes has returned to Hilton Head, after remaining here but five days. The report sent North that he came for the purpose of superseding Gen. Seymour was wholly without foundation. General Seymour continues to hold command of this district. General Gillmore spent a few days here last week in examining the fortifications and ordering the construction of additional works. He is now at Hilton Head. The medical department is in good condition. Nearly all the wounded have been transferred to the hospitals at Beaufort and Hilton Head. The number of the wounded in the late battle reaches the high figure of 1,500. Two-thirds of these, however, are but slightly wounded, and will, in all probability, rejoin their regiments in the course of three or four weeks. Dr. Gloss, formerly Medical Director at Morris Island, now occupies the same position at this post. Chief Medical Director Swift continues to make his headquarters at Jacksonville.

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At 7 o'clock, on the morning of the 4th inst., Corp. Smith, of Company F., Third Rhode Island Artillery, who was doing picket duty on Tybee Island, discovered a schooner on the beach, which, on examination, proved to be a blockade-runner. The schooner ran aground during the might, and her papers showed she was bound from Nassau. Capt. D. B. Churchill, of the same company, went aboard the schooner, taking with him a file of men, and seized the Captain and four men, who constituted the crew. The cargo consisted of coffee, whisky, alcohol and spices. The captain said the schooner was called the Alice Turner, but the mate persisted her right name was Mattle. The point at which she was captured is five miles from Fort Pulaski.

[Correspondence N. Y. Herald.]

JACKSONVILLE, FLA. March 7—The Hospital Ship, Cosmopolitan sailed yesterday for Hilton Head and Beaufort, with the last of the wounded remaining in the hospitals of this town. Surgeon went to the Head in her. Our outposts are now about four miles from town. Colonel Henry's datager, and maintains a sleepless vigilence at the The naval force in the river and off the town

dar ger, and maintains a sleepless vigilence at the front.

The naval force in the river and off the town consists of the sloop-of-war Pawnee, Commander George B. Balch, senior officer of the station; the Mohaska, Commander Oreighton, and the gunboat Ottawa, Lieutenant-Commander Breese. They are all anchored off the town, with broadsides works, and ready at any moment to open fire. The gunboat Dai-Ching, Lieutenant-Commander Chaplin. is on blockading duty at the mouth of the river, while the Norwich is anchored off Yellow Bluff, between this and the bar, covering our Creighton has been relieved of the commander Mohaska, and ordered North to assume command of a new double-ender of the first-class, this post and at Mortris and Folly Islands are exceedingly dull and monotonous. The enemy is quiet and disinclined to assume the offensive. Our Sumter have been firing regularly until Tuesday

GREAT MEETING ON BEHALF OF THE CHEROKEE INDIANS.—A public meeting on behalf of the loyal Cherokee Indians, who are in a STARVING condition, in consequence of their unswerving loyalty to our government and participation in the war, will be held, under the anspices of the U.S. CHRISTIAN COMMISSION, at CONCERT HALL, on TUESDAY EVENING, the 15th inst., at 8 o' clock.

Rev. THOMAS B. VAN HORNE, Chaplain 13th O. V. I., former principal of the Cherokee National Male Seminarry, will present such facts in the history of the Cherokees as will, make their claims for present assistance imperative. The meeting will also be addressed by Hon. JOHN ROSS, principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, and Lieutenant Colonel DOWNING.

LATE FROM THE SOUTH.

A leader in a recent number of the Atlanta Intelligencer declares that the chiefevil to which the Confederate Government is exposed, is that of overreaching and transcending its limits and assuming authority not delegated in the constitution. It argues strongly against the centralizing tendencies of the Richmond Government.

The Wilmington Jurnal has details of extensive fires occurring in the woods in the vicinity of that town and along the line of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad. A large amount of property was destroyed.

The Charleston Courier of a recent date, tells of a firein that city, consuming a number of buildings, on account of which several negroes had been arrested.

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The Selma Reporter says: "The retreat of Sherman is a victory for Polk, not such a one as we would have preferred, but still a substantial though bloodless victory; in which he saved the State of Alabama from desolation by the wise disposition of his little army.

The Centreville Enquirer says a branch railroad has been built, commencing at Ashbr, running to

The Centreville Enquirer says a branch railroad has been built, commencing at Ashby, running to Bibb Iron Works, in Bibb county, Georgia, thence to the rich coal region of Catawba county, and ultimately to Elyton, Jefferson county.

The Tailahassee Floridian states that last week a portion of the country was visited with a full storm of sleet and snow, which fell hair an inch thick. No snow had been seen there for several years. The Mississippian tells of four hundred deserters in Jones county, Iliss., who have organized, and resist successfully all attempts to sudde them.

The Miobile Tribune of the 2d, says that Fort Powell was flercely bombarded by the Yankee The Mobile Tribune of the 2d, says that Fort Powell was fiercely bombarded by the Yankee fieet, and that on Monday, 567 shots were thrown without doing damage. The mortar vessel in the barbor 1 ad her mainmast shot away. The Macon Confederale says since Sherman's retreat to Vicksburg the Yankees hold but one county in Mississippi.

CITY BULLETIN.

ANOTHER VETERAN REGIMENT AT HOME.—
The 56th Pennsylvania Regiment, Colonei W. J.
Hoffman, arrived in this city yesterday afternoon, and partook of a dinner at the Cooper Shop Refreshment Saloon. They have been in the following battles, and always acquitted themselves admirably: Rappahannock, Sulphur Springs, Gainesville, Bufl Run, South Mountain, Antietam, Union, Fredericksburg, Cnancellorsville, Kelly's Ford, Gettysburg, Mine Run. Colonel Hoffman commanded a brigade at the battles of South Mountain, Antietam and Union. He has been honorably mentioned in official reports of battles frequently, and at Gettysburg he and his regiment were particularly distinguished. In this engagement three color-bearers were shot in his regiment. They went away with 1,000 men and came back with only 200.

The usual reception was given to the regiment this morning. The line was formed at the Refreshment Saloon, in Otsego street, in the following order:

Committee of Councils in Carriages.

Liberty Cornet Band.

Henry Guards, Capt. John Spear.

Phoneers with Axes.

Philadelphia Band.

56th Regiment P. V., Col. Hoffman.

Ambulance carrying wounded men.

The regiment carried with it the colors presented. ANOTHER VETERAN REGIMENT AT HOME.

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The regiment carried with it the colors presented
by the State authorities. After proceeding over a
short route the men were dismissed. OFFICERS OF COLORED REGDIENTS .- Col. Officers of Colored Regidents.—Col. John H. Taggart, the Preceptor of the Free Mil tary School for the instruction of applicants for commands of colored troops, has been very successful with the students sent to Washington. Thus far none have been rejected. During the past week the followin passed a successful examination: Smith D. Barnum, private, 141st P. V. to be Captain; Thompson Barrick, corp. 44th N. Y.; Chas. F. Ulrick, Conn., civilian; Benj. F. Goecs, private 3d Michigan, and Jas. Rountree, private 157th N. Y., to be First Licutenants; and Jas. W. Hutchinson, Chitchon county, Pa., civilian; Walter Thom, Brooklyn, N. Y., civilian; Thos. C. Siokes, Philadelphia, civilian, Henry Test, private 1st Michigan; Robert C. Phillips, private 44th N. Y., and Hugh Kerr, sergeant 14th Invalid Cerps, to be Second Lieutenants.

City Mortality.—The number of interments

CITY MORTALITY .- The number of interments In the city during the past week was 370, an increase of 36 over the previous week, and an increase of 69 over the same period last year. Of the whole number 174 were adults and 196 children whole number 174 were adults and 186 children—
to being under one year of age; males 200, females
170; boys 102, girls 91. The greatest number of
deaths occurred in the Fifteenth Ward, being 23,
and the smallest number in the Twenty-fifth
Ward, where 5 are reported. The principal
causes of death were, croup 16, congestion of the
brain 8, consumption 44, convulsions 15, diphtheria 12, debility 15, malignant typhus fever 10,
typhoid fever 13, spotted fever 13, inflammation of
the brain 15, inflammation of the lungs 30, palsy
6, and old age 5.

GOTTSCHALK ON THURSDAY NEXT .- The GOTTSCHALK ON THURSDAY NEXT.—The sale of reserved seats for Mr. Gottschalk's Concert will commence to-morrow morning at J. E. Gould's Music Store, corner of Seventh and Chestnut streets.—Mr. Gottschalk will be assisted on this occasion by the favorite tenor, Theodore Habelmann, from the Auschutz Opera Company, Mrs. Behrens, 'the distinguished vocalist; Carlo Patti, the violinist; and Charles Smith, violoncellist. S. Behrens will have the musical direction of this bighly attractive combination of musical celebrities.—The programme will be very attractive. Beethoven, Meyerbeer, Prunel, Vieuxtemp, Renhart, will be well represented. We would advise all admirers of Gottschalk to secure their seats early, as a great rush is anticipated.

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on Saturany evening, and officers:
President—Charles A. Jones.
Vice President—Casper M. Berry.
Secretary—William O. Haines.
Corresponding Secretary—Jediah Rumble.
Trustees—John Spear, A. H. Reynolds and J.

. Osbandel. Monument Committee—J. McCredy, E. N. Creighton and Isaac Williams. THE MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL.—The erection of Municipal Hospital, for contagious diseases, under the commission composed of representatives from the Board of Health, Guardians of the Poor from the Board of Health, Guardians of the Poor and of the Prison, is now progressing. This hospital is placed upon a property belonging to the city, upon Hart Lane, near the Lamb Tavern, in the Twenty-first Ward. It will be a very handsome, convenient and suitable building, and will be completed during the present year, at a cost of less than fifty thousand dollars.

SIGNOR N. PERELLI.-We are glad to learn SIGNOR N. PERELLI.—We are glad to learn that this accomplished artist is to give one of his delightful concerts at the Musical Fund Hall. All of Mr. Perelli's best pupils have consented to sing, and it will no doubt be the greatest musical treat of the season. The night fixed for the concert is the 13th of April; when we will doubtless find the Musical Fund Hall filled with the beauty and fashion of the city. The proceeds of the concert are to be given to the "Parish Building" fund of St. Clement's Church, in this city. evening next, the 17th inst., Mr. J. E. Murdoch will give a selection of patriotic and Scriptural

BULLETIN BUILDING 112 SOUTH TEIRD ST being readings, at Musical Fund Hall. The profits of induce dem. but an organ for the First Presbyteric linited in Southwark. See the advertisement day's. Anniversary.—The fifth anniversary or

ANNIVERSARY.—The fifth anniversary of the Young People's Association will take place to morrow evening, in the Tabernacle Baptist Church, Chestnut street, above Eighteenth on which occasion addresses will be made by Rev. Dr. Eddy, Rev. Wm. P. Breed, Rev. P. S. Henson, and Horatio G. Jones, Esq. DEATHS IN THE ARMY HOSPITALS .- The DEATHS IN THE ARMY HOSPITALS.—THE following: deaths were reported on Saturday: Filbert Streat Hospital—John C. Edwards, 18th Pennsylvania Cavalry, Company C, George W. Lenox, 18th Pennsylvania Cavalry, Islington Lane—Jesse U. Gibson, 72d Pennsylvania, Company C.

Passion Sunday.—Yesterday the festival of Passion Sunday.—Yesterday the festival of Passion Sunday was celebrated in the Catholic Churches. Next Sunday will be Palm Sunday and will usber in Holy Week, when the ceremonies preparatory to Good Friday and Easter will be interesting. DISORDERLY HOUSE CASE. - Mary Stevenson

has been held in \$1,600 bail by Alderman Massey, to answer the charge of keeping a di orderly house at No. 1334 Potts street, Fourteenth Ward. FINE FOREIGN FRUITS .- New Almonds, Sweet Havana Oranges, English Walauts, Lemons and Choice Faisins, just received by Davis & Richards, Arch and Tenth Streets.

Before purchasing Spring Mattrasses or having old ones repaired, persons would do well to call at No. 1260 Chestnut street, southwest corner, and examine our new improvements. DEAR READERS .- The establishment in the DEAR KEADERS.—The establishment in the Continental Hotel, mentioned in our columns, has become the special re-ort of the guests, and the repu ation it has attained among our citizens has made it an indispensable necessity to their wants. By all means go and see the stock of Gents' Dress Goods displayed by C. O. Dittrich & Co., Merchant Tailors. BRONCHIAL AFFECTIONS .- "A knowledge of

BRONCHIAL AFFECTIONS.—"A Knowledge of the manner in which various articles are combined to form 'Brown's Bronchial Troches,' and the beneficial effects resulting from the use of them, has induced me to the them in my practice, believing them of great benefit in affections of the Bronchial organs." J. F. W. LANE, M. D. GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS OF every description. At Oakford's, under the Continental Hotel. Furs! Furs!-The time is nearly come when

we will discontinue selling Furs at cost prices. Ladies call now. C. Oakford & Sons, under the Continental Hotel. THE last month that Furs can be had at cost. Purchase now. Chas. Oakford & Sons' Continental

Misses' and Children's Hats-All styles. At Charles Oakford & Sons, under the Continental LENT HAS COME, and with it Hot Cross Buns, at Morse's, 238 South Eleventh street.

FINE CLOTHING, Ready-made and made to order, in the best manner and most fashionable styles. The subscriber is able to offer to the public the strongest inducements to purchase clothing of him, and will guarantee to all his customers entire satisfaction. WILLIAM S. JONES,

Successor to Robert Adams,
S. E. corner Seventh and Market Sts.

Victory.-Ice Cream and Water Ices, at 40 cents per quart, Morse's 238 S. Eleventh street. BEST AND PUREST COAL in the city; none better; please try it. Samuel W. Hess, Broad street, above Race, east side. DEAFNESS AND BLINDNESS .- J. ISCACS, M.D., DEAFNESS AND BLINDNESS.—J. ISDACS, M.D., Professor of the Eye and Ear, treats all diseases appertaining to the above members with the numost success. Testimonials from the most reliable sources in the city and country can be seen at his Office. No. 511 Pine street. Artificial eyes inserted without pain. No. charges made for an examination. Office hours from 5 to 11 A.M., 2 to 6 P. M., No. 511 Pine street.

CORNS, BUNIONS, Inverted Nails, Enlarged CORNS, BUNIONS, AINVERIED IN AIRS, Enlarged Joints, and all Diseases of the Fret cured without pain or inconvenience to the patient, by Dr. Zacharie, Surgeon Chiropodist, 921 Chestnut street. Refers to Physicians and Surgeons of the

SELLING THE GOVERNMENT GOLD .- Concress seems disposed to authorize Mr. Chase to sell the surplus gold on hand in the Treasury Department. There is some difference of opinion as to the wisdom of this move; for ourselves we are the surplus gold on hand in the Treasury Department. There is some difference of opinion as to the wisdom of this move: for ourselves we are content, any how, and we have no particular desire to see the auriferons in general circulation (except as a patricic measure) when we can purchase for greenbacks such elegant wearing apparel at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut street, above Sixth.

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Governor Hicks is lying in a critical condition. Erysipelas attacked his sprained limb and necessitated amputation below the knee. The operation was performed on Friday morning by Prof. Smith. of Baltimore, assisted by Dr. Bliss, of Washington. His condition is such as to make his friends anxious.

Wood 'M. Schwartz, a son of Hon. John Schwartz, formerly Union member of Congress from Berks county, is a candidate on the Democratic ticket in Reading for constable.

A young and highly-esteemed citizen of Baltimore, Wm. B. Dobbin, Esq., son of George Dobbin, a prominent lawyer of that city, was run over by the cars, rear Piedmont, on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, early on Saturday morning, and instantly killed. The deceased was 32 years of age and leaves a young wife and family.

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R. A. Daridge died recently of typhoid pneumonia, in the military prison hospital at Nashville. He was a son of Judge Daridge, the oldest member of the bar in Southern Kentucky. When a boy, under sixteen years of age, he served with honorable distinction in the Mexican war. Shortly after he was appointed Postmaster of Nevada City, in California, and there edited, with decided ability, the Young America, the second paper ever published in that State. The Princeton Republican and Paducah American he also edited, and, at the breaking out of the war, was engaged in editing a paper in Western Texas.

Mrs. Marguerite Caroline Deslonde, wife of the rebel General Beauregard, died at New Orleans on the 2d inst. The New Orleans papers say a larger throng was never assembled at any funeral at a private house in that city. At an early hour the street in the vicinity of the house was crowded with people—a very large number of whom were ladies—who came from every part of the city. The Archbishop of the diocese and several priests were in attendance to perform the taneral rites, and the coffin was protusely decorated with beautiful wreaths of flowers. After the prayers the body was taken to the boat, and the coffin was followed by a procession that filled the street from the levee to Rampart street, thousands of the participants being ladies. General Banks extended to the family the use of the steamer Nebraska to convey the remains a few miles up the river to her father's plantation.

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The Walnut.—This evening that favorite young tragedian, Edwin Adams, begins an engagement at the Walnut, appearing in his striking impersonation of Hamlet. Mr. Adams is so earnest and zealous in his profession that he improves avery time he appears in this airs, and chows that and zealous in his profession that he improves every time he appears in this city, and shows that he will not pause in his career until he stands equal to the most famous in his profession. He has a host of warm friends here, who watch his progress with joy and admiration. THE CHESTNUT.—This evening at the Chestnut the 'Ticket-of-Leave Man'' will be revived. It is placed upon the stage at this theatre in excausitely beautiful style, and with a cast that can scarcely be surpassed either in this city or elsewhere in the country. To-morrow night 'The Colleen Bawn'' will be repeated.

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THE ARCH.—Once more we greet Barney Williams, the great Irish delineator, together with Mrs. W., who is excellent both in Hibernian and Yankee parts. They appear at the Arch this evening in "The Fairy Circle." Mr. W. enacting Con O'Carolan, and Mrs. W. playing Moleshee. The second piece is "The Custem of the Country," with Mrs. Williams as Melissa. "John Wopps" closes the entertainment. It is long since Mr. and Mrs. Williams have played in this city, and their old admirers will welcome them back with genuine delight.

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READING BY MR. MURDOOH.—On Thursday tyening next, the 17th inst., Mr. J. E. Murdock will give a selection of patriotic and Scriptural will be given this evening.

COURTS.

IMPORTANT DECISION.—CITY COUNCILS
CONTROL THE EXPENDITURE OF MONEY—
THE SCHOOL CONTROLLERS MUST REGULATE, SALABIES SO AS HOT TO EXCERD
THE APPROPRIATION BY COUNCILS. SUPPLEE COURT—Chief Justice Woodward and Justice Thompson and Read.
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Surraine Court—Chief Justice Woodward and The following judgments were entered this morn—The Oilty of Philadelphia vs. Joseph R. Flanegan. Error to District Court of Philadelphia. Opinion by Agnew, J. The Councis of Philadelphia deploying appropriate the sum of \$2,600 for advertising delinquent tax Payers for the year 1950 with this proviso: "That saint devertising shall not be done in more than two newshappers nor more than one time in each; and provided further that the entre cost of said advertising shall not exceed eight cents per name."

The Recciver of Taxes, conceiving himself not bound by the proviso, had publication made three times each in three newspapers, thereby causing the appropriation to fail short \$1.661 if. The Daily News was one of the papers making publication, and the proprietor, the plaintiff below being thrown upon the deficiency, brought suit against the city to receive compensation. The single question is the power of the Receiver to make publication as he did. It is one wholly legal, belonging to no particular time, policy or party, and is to be solved by the enactment alone. The Judge reviews the decisions of the Courts, and says that it is manifest that the city government is founded in its leading thought upon the American idea of a popular representative government; its immediate prototype being the form of a State government. The right of supervision and control is therefore vested in the Councils as the immediate representatives of the popular will, which exerts and enforces its determining power by means of constantly recurring elections. Subject to this primary power, the affairs of this promary power to contract; sessentially a power to disburse.

A valid contract is uncontrollable; demanding its performance at the hands of the judiciary and calling to their aid the whole power of the Government. It is manifest, therefore, that an independent, uncontrolled power to contract, resting on the several departments or chief officers of the city would, in effect, take the control of

This strikes the very case of the plaintiff below and puts an erd to any question of recovery. The law is plainly written, and the citizens are bound to know the powers of those with whom they deal, for these belong to the charter under which they live; and they must see to it before they contract that Councils have authorized the contract by appropriating money for its payment, otherwise they must look to the individual liability of the officer who exceeds his just powers.

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The Court also decide that the law does not require the advertisement to be inserted three times, and the judgment of the District Court (in favor of Mr. Flanegan) is reversed. Justice Strong disserted

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The City of Philadelphia vs. Jane Johnson.
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'From an examination of the acts of Assembly, it is apparent that everything pertaining to the public schools within the city and county of Philadelphia has been committed to the Board of Controllers, excepting only the public purse, which has been kept carefully in the hands of the City Conncils. The Controllers have power to establish schools, to provide school books, to make rules and regulations for the conduct of the schools, to appoint teachers and to fix their salaries, but they have no power to raise or appropriate revenues. By the act of Consolidation the authority of the City Councils over the fonds of the city was made as absolute as the separation of the Board of Controllers from those funds was complete. No money was to be drawn from the treasury without having been previously appropriated to specific objects by the Councils, and no appropriation was to be overdrawn.' After referring to the mode of itemizing appropriations by Councils, the Judge says:

'They (councils) could classify the general objects of expenditure, of which teachers' salaries should be one, leaving to the controllers the subdivision of the sum appropriation, it is manifest they might involve the city in debt and compel a new appropriation to meet deficiencies—a principle of administration destructive not only of true economy, but of the theory of government which confied the public purse exclusively to the discretion of Councils.

'The Controllers of the Public Schools must submit to that ordinance. It imposes a limitation on their power which is reasonable and just. If they do not adjust salaries of as to be within the aggregate of appropriation, they take out of the hands of Councils what the Legislature have very expressly lodged there,—the exclusive power to incur debt, to raise revenue, and to appropriation on the parmit of the C

Judgment reversed and a temporal awarded.

The list for Tioga, Bradford, Wyoming, Potter,
Luzerne, Susquehanna and Wayne counties was
taken up this morning.

NIST PRIUS—Justice Agnew.—Scott vs. Thompson. Before reported. son. Before reported. Verdict for plaintiff for \$614 90. John B. Stevenson vs. Burgen & Sons. An ac-

John B. Stevenson vs. Burgen & Sons. An action to recover for goods. The defendants had contracted to take a certain quality of oil-cake, but before the delivery the price declined, and the defendants, it is alleged, refused to take it unless there was a reduction on their contract. The present action is to recover the full amount. On trial.

FROM WASHINGTON.

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The Times correspondent writes as follows:
Lieut. Col. James M. Sanderson arrived last night, among the last batch of exchanged prisoners from Richmond. On his arrival he was notified that charges had been preferred against him by Colonel Streight, that while in Libby Prison he had disclosed to the rebel authorities information of a plot to escape. He was placed under arrest, and confined at Willard's Hotel, and is threatened with confinement until the liberation of all the prisoners at Richmoud to procure their evidence against him. The Colonel was Commissary of Subsistence to Gen. Wadsworth, then promoted to a Majority under McDowell, and Lieutenant-Colonel under Reynolds, and has served for two years in the front against the enemy, and been in several battles. He has been in the Libby Prison seven months. It is necessary to say that none of his friends here have any doubts of his innocence.

Gen. Lew. Wallace has been assigned to the command of the Middle Department.

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DECEASED SOLDIERS.—Among the deaths of soldiers during the past week; reported at Washington, were the following: Samuel Tuttle, 5th New Jersey Battalion; Timothy M. Vandyke, Invalid Corps; Charles Dickerson; 2d Delaware; Daniel J. Wiregaryen, 13th Pennsylvania Cavalty; Wm. Pailine, 2d Pennsylvania Artillery; Jacob Hartley, 90th Pennsylvania; F. Fickardt, 2d Pennsylvania Artillery; John Wolf, 6th Invalid Corps; John F. Fullerton, 69th Pennsylvania; John F. Fullerton, 69th Pennsylvania; John Frieher, 19th Invalid Corps; Franklin McBeth, 67th Pennsylvania; John F. Hill, 2d Pennsylvania; Artillery; Julius Hanson, 4th Delaware; Thomas J. B. Lew, 1st Invalid Corps; Augustus Frickardt, 2d Pennsylvania Artillery; Robert Martin, 22d Invalid Corps; John Strunck, 29th Pennsylvania, and Stephen Mandevill, 5th New Jersey Battery.