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PHILADELPHIA: THE BULLETIE IS SERVED to Subscribers in the or 39 60 per annum. BATES OF ADVERTISING.

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N EW WINDOW SHADES, The largest stock, The finest Goods, At W. HENRY PATTEN'S,

BLYE-Suddenly, on the 21st inst., John H. Blye, Jr., aged 46 years.
The relatives and male friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his late residence, No. 1330 Arch street, on Friday morning at 10 o'clock. To proceed to Laurel Hill Chemetery. CHURCHMAN—On the 23d inst., Caleb Churchman, in the 61st year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are in-The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend his funeral from the residence of his son in-law, George Baker, in the borough of Chester, on Saturday afternoon, 26th inst. To leave the house at 2½ o'clock.

COXE—On the 23d inst., John Redman Coxe, M. D., in the 91st year of his age.

HAY—On Monday morning, 21st inst, Henry L. Hay, son of Wm. Hay, aged 33 years.

The male relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his father's residence, No. 306 South Eleventh street.

on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, without fur ther notice. er nouce. McKEEVER—On the 22d inst., Anna, daughter McKeever—On the 22d inst., Anna, daughter of the late Rev. Joseph B McKeever.
The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral from the residence of her aunt, Harriet B. McKeever, No. 914 Spruce strate, on Friday afternoon, 25th inst., at 2 o'clock. To proceed to Laurel Hill.

MUSTIN—On Tuesday, 22d inst., at the residence of his parents, 1115 Brown street, Jas. G. Mustin, late of Pittsburgh, Pa.
Funeral services at the First Baptist Church, corner Thirty sixth and Chestnut streets, on Friday at 3 o'clock P. M. Interment at Woodland Oemetery. **
WALTON—On Wednesday night, 23d instant,
after a lingering illness, Ann, wile of Joseph Walton, in the 64th year of her age.
The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from her
brokend, resident New Medical Francisco. residence, No. 618 Marshall street, on Saturday next, 26th inst., at 2 o'clock. To pro-ceed to Cedar Hill Cemetery. **

NEW SPRING MOURNING GOODS daily opened by BESSON & SON.

Mourning Store, No. 918 CHESTNUT street.

N. B. Wholesale Rooms on second floor. BEST BLACK SILK IN THE CITY.
Best Brown Silks.

Spring Fancy Silks, Paris style Chenie.
London style Shawls. Broadway style Cloaks. EYRE & LANDELL.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN OHURCH, Seventh street, near Arch.—Divine service orrow morning at 11 o'clock. 1t* To morrow morning at 11 o' clock.

ST. CLEMENT'S CHURCH—Twentieth

and Cherry streets.—To night being the

Evening before Good-Friday, there will be Divine

Service and a Sermon, commencing at half-past

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Service and a Sermon, commencing at half-past 7 o'clock.

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LADIES' FAIR—ON FRIDAY, SATURDAY, and MONDAY, the 25th, 26 h, and 25th instant, at the Church of the New Jerusalem, CHERRY Street, above Twentieth. Purchasers for the Sanitary Fair will find a choice selection of Useful and Fancy articles.

MENING COMPANY, 284 PEARL STREET.

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NEW YORK, March 21, 1864.

The Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the Merrimac Mining Company will be held at this office, on MONDAY, the 11th day of April next, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at which time and place an election will be held for Officers to serve the ensuing year.

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Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE ULERK OF QUARTER SESSIONS, PHILADELPHIA, March 23d, 1864.

23d, 1864.
TO THE ALDERMEN OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA:—Your attention is respectfully called to the Act of Assembly passed May 8th 1864, Sec. 1, F. L., 678, requiring you to make all returns to this office at least tendays before the commencement of the Sessions.

mh21-11* GEORGE H. MOORE, Clerk.

mh23-1t* GEORGE H. MOORE, Clerk.

THE GREAT CENTRAL FAIR—Office
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OMES AND REVENUES, No. 118 South
SEVENTH street, Philadelphia. The undersigned will be at the office, as above, TO-MOR.

ROW, from 10 to 4, to furnish information and receive subscriptions. [mhl9-1m-rp] JNO. W. OLAGHORN, Treasurer. Subscriptions and remittances by mail daily acknowledged in Philadelphia newspapers. OIROULAR TO LOANHOLDERS.—
OFFICE OF THE LEHIGH COAL AND
NAVIGATION COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA,
WARCH 19, 1854.

March 19, 1864.
To all holders of Certificates of LOAN or FUNDED DEBT of "THE LEHIGH COAL AND NAVIGATION COMPANY," secured by their Mortgage of March 7, 1842:
The LEHIGH COAL AND NAVIGATION COMPANY having determined, under authority conferred by Legislative eaactments, to issue a new Mortgage Loan, having twenty years to run, from the first of April, 1864, and bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable quarterist.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that holders of the NOTICE IS HERBEY GIVEN, that holders of the present existing Loan of the Company will be permitted to exchange their Certificates for Certificates of the new Loan, at par: Provided, notice of their intention to do so is given on or before TUESDAY, the 19th of April, 1884, at the Office of the Company, where a subscription book is open, and where all information desired will be given.

By order of the Board of Managers.

EDWIN WALTER,

mh19-6trp\ Treasurer.

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

NOTIOE.

The ennual assessment for 1863 for the abovenamed 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,

NOTIOE IS HEBEBY GIVEN.

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
MONDAY, the 7th inst., and until and including
Saturday, the 2d day of April next ensning.

PENALTIES.

All persons who fail to pay 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 provisions of the 98th Section of the law aforesaid.

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
No further notice will be given.

JOHN H. DIEHL, Collector.

sh5-tap25 S. W. cor. Third and Walnut streets.

HOWARD HOSPITAL, NOS. ISIS AND
DEPARTMENT. Medical treatment and medi
sines farnished gratuitously to the poor. ani3r

EVENING BULLETIN J HOWARD HOSPITAL AND INFIRM MARY FOR INCURABLES. The singular MARY FOR INCORABLES.—The annual meeting of the Contributors of this Institution! will be held at the Hospital, No. 518 LOMBARD Street, on MONDAY EVENING, March 28th, 1864, at eight o cleck. W. J. McELROY, mlu4-3r*

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CFFICE OF THE BOHEMIAN MINITED TO THE LOW STREET;

ALW YOUR, MARCH 21, 1664.

The Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the Bohem at Muning Company will be held at this office; on MONDAY, the 11th day of April next, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at which time and place an Election will be held for Officers to serve for the ensuing year.

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The Annual Meeting of Stockholders of the Ensuing year.

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DELAWARE MINING COMPANY OF

MINHIGAN.—PRILADELPHIA, March 24,

1561.—Notice is hereby given, that the Annual

Meeting of the Stockholders of the DELAWARE

MINING COMPANY OF MICHIGAN. will be
held at their Office No. 326 WALNUT Street,

Philadd-phia, on MONDAY the sixth day of April,

1564, at 12 M., at which time and place an election

will be held for DIHECTORS to serve the Com
pray the ensuing year. the ensuing year.

S. M. DAY, Secretary.

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A MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE

CN PERFUMERY AND FANCY ARTICLES of the Great Central Fair of the U. S. Sanitary Commission was held at the office of Messrs,

R. & G. A. WRIGHT, on March 23d, 1864, at 4½

o clock P. M. Mr. H. P. Taylor, Chairman,
presided. Mr. A. W. Harrison was appointed
Secretary. The following resolutions were
adopted: "For the appointment of a committee to
prepare a circular soliciting contributions of Pertumery sud Fancy Articles for the Fair."

Committee—Messrs. Taylor, Glennand Worsley.

"For the subdivision of the general committee
into sub-committees of two members each, to solicit in person contributions to the Fair. The
Chairman to appoint the Committees."

It was also resolved that the members present
should send te the Chairman the names of all persons likely to contribute to the Fair, in the line of
Ferfamery and Fancy Articles. The meeting then
adjourned to meet on Wedness Day next at 4

P. M., at Messrs. R. & G. A. WRIGHT'S.
Present—Chairman, R. Wright; Messrs. Bazin,
M'Keone, McClean, W. C. Taylor, Hamerick,
Roussel. Worsley, W. D. Glenn and A. W. Harrison.

FIRST WARD, ATTENTION.

NEW UNITED STATES LOAN.-By

NEW UNITED STATES LOAN.—By direction of the Secretary of the Treasury. I hereby give notice that I am prepared to receive Subscriptions on account of United States Bonds, authorized by the act of March 3d, 1861, bearing date March 1st, 1864, redeemable at the pleasure of the Government after ten years, and payable forty years from date, bearing interest at five per centum a year, payable on Bonds not over one hundred dellars annually, and on all other Bonds semi-annually. in coin.

Subscribers will receive either Registered or Coupon Bonds as they may prefer.

Register of Bonds will be issued of the denominations of Fifty dollars (\$50), One hundred dollars (\$100), Five hundred dollars (\$50), One hundred dollars (\$100), Five thousand dollars (\$100), Five thousand dollars (\$50), or e hundred dollars (\$100), Five thousand dollars (\$50), or e hundred dollars (\$100), Five hundred dollars (\$500), or e hundred dollars (\$100), Five hundred dollars (\$500), or e hundred dollars (\$100), Five hundred dollars (\$500), or e hundred dollars (\$100), Five hundred dollars (\$500), or e hundred dollars (\$100), Five hundred dollars (\$500), or e hundred dollars (\$100), Five hundred dollars (\$500), or e hundred dollars (\$100), Five hundred dollars (\$500), or e hundred dollars (\$100), Five hundred dollars (\$500), or e hundred dollars (\$100), Five hundred dollars (\$500), or e hundre

It is expected that the first deliveries of Coupon Bonds will be made not later than the third (3d) of April.

ARCHIBALD MCINTYRE, 3mb24.6t

ASSISTANT TRESURE U.S.

GREAT CENTRAL SANITARY FAIR.
Committee on "Labor. Incomes and Revenues," Office No. 118 S. SEVENTH Street.

JOHN W. OLAGHORN, Treasurer.

This committe has a special work, to wit, to obtain a day's 'labor,' a day's 'income' and a day's 'revenue' from every citizen of the three States of Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware, for the benefit of our sigk and wounded soldiers.

ware, for the beneat of our sign and wounded at the diers.

The committee is now fully organized at the above address, and calls for the co-operation of all classes in the community.

We want to show what the industrial classes can

We want to show what the industrial classes can do for their soldiers!
What the people can do in their separate trades!
What Pennsylvania can do!
What New Jersey can do!
What Delaware can do!
What each county can do?
What each county can do o!
What each profession can do!
What each trade can do!
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What each workshop can do!
What each family can do!
What each family can do!
What each boy and girl can do!
Treemen are ready to do for their soldiers.
What labor can do for humani y!
There is a great work and the time is short. The way to do is to ORGANIZE!!! Organize in your workshops.-in your families. Let the men organize. Let the women organize. Let the work men give with their employers, the employers with their workmen.
It is easily done. If the workmen will authorize their employers to deduct one day from their week sor month's earnings, and the employers will add to it a day of their profits, the whole will be acknowledged together to the credit of the establishment. We say to all. go to work at once with us in this great work. Hurry for ward your contributions. Every acknowledgment will stimulate others to follow your example.
Circulars, with full instructions, will be sent upon application, by mail or otherwise, to the undersigned To work!
L. MONTGOMERY BOND, Chairman.
MRS. E. W. HUTTER,
Chairwoman of Ladies' Committee.
M. J. MITCHEBON, Secretary. mb24-31 rp\$

VIORSBURG was lald out in 1832 by Neivitt Vick, and incorporated in 1826: I thas always been celebrated for its fine fruits and vegetables, and for its short-lived editors. Seventeen of this unfortunate class have come to an untimely end by the duel, street fights, er suicide, since the establishment of the Vicksburg Whig, the first paper published there.

THE CITY OF PHILADETPHIA. ANNUAL MESSAGE OF MAYOR HENRY.

The annual message of Lon Alexander Henry, Mayor of Philadelphia, was sent to City Councils this afternoon. We give below all of it for which we have room, and will give the conclusion to morrow.

SIXTH ANNUAL MESSAGE.

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To the Select and Common Counties of the City of Philade phas: In conformity with the requirement of the Act which consolidated this city. I present to your a takement of the finances, approvements, and government of Philadelphia during the past year. The unprecedened events of that period, which must be long remembered for the general excitement they caused, were through a kind Providence unattended among us by tumnit or violence—while the ready acquiescence in the unwonted demands of military service, by which this community was specially distinguished, gave assured confidence in the enjoyment of private rights and in the maintenance of public order.

Looking back to the grave energencies which, for a time seemed to be fraught with dauger and disaster; and remembering that the auticipated calamith's were wholly wereed from us, we are lamith's were wholly wareed from us. we are called upon to recognize our common dependence upon the mercies of the A mighty, and humbly to acknowledge that "except the Lord keep the city the watchman waketh but in vain."

The funded d-bt of Philadelphia, at the end of the watermen waketh but in vain."

The funded d-bt of Philadelphia. at the end of 1803, amounted to 8:4, 0:3, 805 84, which was rersented by \$1,856, 447 86 of ave per cent loans, and \$22,797, 308 00 of those bearing six per cent interest. This sum included \$391,3 9 22 of matured celt which had not been presented for its redemption; and the original imperient registry of certificates, which no diligence has been able to remedy, makes it impracticable to ascert ain the respective owners of the over due loans. Every annual scaement of the municipal debt must, from this cause, be for a long time hence, only an approximation of its true amount, attaining, however, each successive, each greater accuracy as errors shall be cessive jear, greater accuracy as errors shall be gradually elimina ed. In addition to such outstanding indebtedness, \$1,379,100 the balances of various loans remained innegotiated, which will increase the funded lia-

pilities to \$26,662,905 \$4 as the total unfiquidated lebt that had been authorized before the beginning of the present were of the present year.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have twenty-three distinct investment accounts under their charge in which there is a constant accumu-lation of the assets that will be needed to pay off at maturity all loans created since 1554, and also to

at maturity all loans created since 1854, and also to make provision toward the settlement of consolidated loans of earlier dates.

These sinking funds hold securities that cost \$10,727,025 50, with \$180,824 62 in money, applicable to the payment of matured loans, or for other investment. The present market price of the larger part of these securities is sufficiently enhanced beyond their cost to make up for the depreciation or worthlessness of the remainder, and the property of the trust may how be reasonably valued at \$11,000,000, which, with the proceeds from time to time of the sales of real estate owned by the city should effer satisfactory assurance that ample provisions has been made to maintain in the future the financial credit that Philadelphia now possesses. the future the financial credit that randomphion mow possesses.

The amount of funded debt paid off was \$21,-948 00, and \$198,500 00 of loans yet undue, were canceled by the Commissioners, having been purchased with the proceeds of stock fit the Pennsylvania Bailroad Company. During the past year, the issue of loans for various objects, amounted to \$510,900 00, which are included in the aggregate debt before stated.

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The entire amount of loans authorized from the commencement of the present municipal government to the close of the last year, is \$2,074,900 00, of which \$4,500,000 have been created to provide for the defence of the city, the chilstment of volunteers, and the support of their families, while, in addition thereto, \$4,250,000 have been required for similar purposes since the beginning of the current year.

The receipts of the Treasury during 1863 were \$5,353,594 78, of which, however, only \$3,858,781 73 were derived from the usual sources of municipal revenue, the balance having accraed mainly from the sale of city loans and from funds borrowed for temporary use. The cash on hand January 1st,

the case of city foans and from funds borrowed for temporary use. The cash on hand January 1st, 1863. was \$1,063,704 19, making, with the receipts, \$6,417,298 97, of which \$5,880,420 41 have been disbursed, leaving \$530,878 55 to the credit of the Treasury. Treasury.

A mere summary of the finances of the city can A mere summary of the induces of the city can supply little practical information, and is only useful as exhibiting the magnitude of the interests concerned, and the extent of the duties involved in their management.

The taxes assessed for the past year yielded the

The taxes assessed for the past year yieucet ne net sum of \$238,071 st, after allowing discounts amounting to \$193,185 52, for promptness in making payments. The resistered taxes of previous years produced \$135,125 53, making the total revenue from the control of the control

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The collection of municipal claims has been prosecuted by the Law Pepartment with unusual secrets, here contributed to the City. Trassury.

The extension of the City Survey has been continued by the proper department, with the fleid work chiefly in the Twenty-third Ward—but the revision of lines and grades in other sections has not been neglected. The systemy of severage has received additional development by the construction of new culverts of various dimensions, some of which were ordered by Councils, but most of them undertaken through private enterptise under the supervision of the Board of Surveys.

The insecure condition of several of the public bridges should engage the early attention of clouncils. The number and importance of these strustures demand that their supervision should be devolved upon a Joint Standing Committee, to the year sustained severe damage from a heavy gale, warsulfered to remain for months without the requisite repair, although the attention of the Highway Department was repeatedly called to its concition. While the immediate injury from the storm has been remedied, the entire structure needs a thorough examination and such renewal of material in its swiperded, the full survey gale, warsulfered to remain for months without the requisite repair, although the attention of the Highway Department was repeatedly called to its concition. While the immediate injury from the storm has been remedied, the entire structure needs a thorough examination and such renewal of material in its swiperded. The bridges over Gunner's Run and Cobocksink Creek, whose size is not commensarially the immense weight and pressure to which it is subjected. The bridges over Gunner's Run and Cobocksink Creek, whose size is not commensarial examination of these was commenced, it was believed th

By better management than had previously been pursued, the revenue of the Highway Department, from sewer rents, was largely increased and a greater income assured hereatter/from that source. The paying and repair of streets and highways have been carried on to an extent and cest unwarranted by the appropriations for such purposes, and the Chief Commissioner reports a deficiency of \$23,611.03, mainly attributable to such work. The economy of the obble stone pavement, now in general use, more especially since the occupation of the streets with the rails for passenger cars, is very questionable—but I would recommend that the several Railway Companies be required to replace the roadway along their respective routes with cubical blocks, or with such other/approved pavement as may be selected, as a slight/return for the lucrative privileges they now enjoy. Permission might very properly be given by ordinance to all desiring in front of their premises, a better or more durable roadway than that provided by the city, to have such laid at their owl expense, with approval of the Surveyor of the District. Such permission would be probably availed of to the great import and diminished expense of the community. Under authority of a resolution approved January 3d, 1803, a contract was emerced into for Under authority of a resolution approved January 3d, 18cd, a contract was entered into for the cleaning of fine city, at a cost of \$72.00, 1eserving to the Adayor the right to annul the same versing to the Adayor the right to annul the same versing to the Adayor the right to annul the same versing to the Adayor the right to annul the same version in the contractor to comply with the care of this agreement, as a measure demanded allike by consideration for the public health and to protect the treasury from unexrned demands. After that date with the exception of the removal of small quanties of coal askes in a few localities, no efficient means were adopted to cleans the streets, and the fine of the contract of the streets and the streets and

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The length of pipes connected with the several mission of the located works exceed 357 miles of which 102 with the several mission of the city, and the means by which it may be stored and distributed.

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The water rents collected for 1863 amounted to \$500,90 to 5, which with strearages, penalties, and sale of old material made the Receipts of the Department, \$550,60 exhibiting an increase both of rental and of the agrregate revenue. The disburstments were \$187,486 49 for current expenses, and \$25,705 49 for incidental purposes under special appropriations. The ordinance for probibiting the whing/of pavements during the four summer mouths, which was at length adopted for permanent observance, has been during the past season beneficial in its general results. It was, however, when first in force, made the instrument of oppyession in numerous instances by informers, who, for the sake of obtaining the penalty incurred by its violation, made a systematic business/of extorting from any who had ignorantly or underignedly intringed its prohibitions. The suggestion has been made, and is entitled to favor, that the right to wash pavements should be restricted to certain days, according to the side of the street in which they are located, so that each side of every street should, during three days in the week, be alternately kep, free from water. The city is now provided with 7,366 public lamps, lighted by gas, and but eighteen remain that use the burning fluid—of these gas lamps 905 were added during the year, together with twenty-five miles of street mains, and six miles of service-pipe, the mains now extending \$12 miles, with 140 miles of smaller pipes attached thereto. The prepipe, the mains now extending 452 mile miles of smaller pipes attached thereto. mines of smatter pipes attached thereto. The pre-sent capacity of the gas works can yield but little additional accommodation to the community, while the number of new applicants is still large, reach-ing 9.551 for the last year.

The Trustees of the Gas Works received \$259, 212 99 from the City for lighting and attending to the numerous public lamps, and \$1,055.586 19 from private consumers, and the sum of \$133,760 59 was had from the sale of coke and tar. The ordinary expenses of the Trust amounted to \$1,350,620 10, to which should be added \$162,516 60 taxes paid to the Federal Government. The quality of gas manufactured was 735 million cubic feet, increasing the aggregate production of the works to 6,905 million of cubic feet since their commencement.

commencement.
I The utility of the public lamps might be greatly increased by requiring the Trustees of the Gas Works to have the name of the street and the number of the adjacent house plainly marked upon or within the glass case, serving as a guide to passers, both by day and night.

[Conclusion lo-morrow.]

CITY BULLETIN.

TABDY JUSTICE.—Jacob Lenairs, who was convicted in 1856, of killing Wm. J. Hatch, and sentenced to an imprisonment of twenty years in New Jersey State prison, has been pardoned, and he was yesterday set at liber.y. The circumstances of the case were peculiar. Lenairs, who was a harmless Frenchman and ignorant of the customs of the country, was supported and rebility of the continuous and approximation approximation and approximation and approximation and approximation and approximation approximation and approximation and approximation approximation and approximation approximatio of the case were peculiar. Lenairs, who was a harmless Frenchman and ignorant of the customs of the country, was gunning, and while in the pursuit of game he went upon the farm of air. Hatch, on Croper's creek, above Camden. Hatch, who was a violent and excitable man, came out with a gun and drove Lenairs off his place. The Frenchman went as he was ordered; but inch, not content with this followed him up for the purpose of taking his gun from him, a thing he was accustomed to doing when gunners trespassed upon his grounds. There was ice upon the creek, and Lenairs backed upon this until he could go no further in consequence of the ice breaking under his feet, and finding that Hatch was still coming towards him in a threatening manner, he raised his weapon and fired, killing Hatch. The act was so obviously one of self-defence that the verdict of the jury and the severity of the sentence imposed, caused universal surprise and no little indignation. Strong efforts were made at various times to procure his pardon; but "Jersey justice" could not be satisfied until yesterday, when the poor fellow was discharged from the cell he had occupied for eight long years.

Philadelphia Trade Sale.—The sixty-second trade sale of books was continued this morning at the Auction Rooms of Mr. Thomas &

PHILADELPHIA TRADE SALE.—The sixty-second trade sale of books was continued this morning at the Auction Rooms of Mr. Thomas & Sons, No. 139 and 141 South Fourth street. The attendance was larger than yesterday, and the prices obtained were much better. The sale opened this morning with the invoice of Frederick Brown & Co., of Boston, and was followed by the contributions of Crissy & Markley, Philadelphia; E. H. Butler & Co., and Dick & Fitzgerald, New York. The last named was quite large, occupying seven pages of the catalogue. Among the sales this afternoon will be the extensive invoice of Messrs. J. B. Lippincott & Co., of this city. The contribution of this firm consist of works of various descriptions, and fill twenty-one pages of the printed catalogue.

SOMETHING NEW.—About half-past ten of clock last evening there was "a surprise party".

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James Hagerty had a hearing this moraling before Alderman Devlin, upon the charger's and battery upon officer Conningham. The a happened about two months ago at Twenty the land Market streets. Officer Conningham and officer Kilpatrick attempted to arrest some parties, when they were set upon and pretty roughly handled. Mr. Cunningham had his club taken from him and was besten over the head severely with it. Hagerty, who is alleged to have been one of the assaulants, absented himself from the city until yesterday, when he gave himself into custody. He was committed in default of \$1,500 ball to answer.

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New Fur Firm.—The rumerous friends of the late George F. Womrath will be glad to learn that his two sons, Messrs. A. K. & F. K. Womrath, have formed a copartnership with a view to continuing the fur business so, long and successfully carried on by their father, at 4.5 and 434 Archest. As the business of the house has for some years past been substantially under the control and direction of the members of the new firm, there will, of course, be no material change in the facilities, resources, management, &c., of the bouse, which has always borne the highest reputation in the business community. siness community.

THE LATE SHOOTING CASE.—Francis Kraus,

a Government delective, charged with having shot Emil Weigart, at a saloon, Eighth and Market streets, had a farther hearing before Alderman Beitler yesterday atternoon. Dr. Mayberry, the surgeon who is attending Weigert, stated that the latter was by no means out of danger, the wound being a most peculiar one, and a very narrow escape from instant death. Kraus was again committed.

FATAL RAHEOAD ACCIDENT.—A man named John Jordan was run over by the New York train, near Holmesburg Station, about half-past eight

o'clock last evening, and was killed. Coroner Taylor was sent for to hold an inquest. DEATHS IN THE ARMY HOSPITALS .- At the DEATHS IN THE ARMY HOSPITALS.—At the Medical Director's office, yesterday, the following status were reported.—

Islington Lane Hospital—Jacob Schull, Company F, 47th Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, Summit House Hospital—Win Burd, Campairy E, 25th, Regiment U. S. Colored troops; Jacob Doynning, Company H, 23d Regiment U. S. Colored troops; Jerry Mitchell, Company E, 25th Regiment U. S. Colored troops; Thomas Powell, Company H, 23d Regiment U. S. Colored troops; Phænix Taylor, Company F, 23d Regiment U., S. Colored troops.

CHAMPAGNE! CHAMPAGNE!-Champagne of at) the favorite brands, by the case or bottle, in quart and puris; also, sparkling Moselles and Hock & ines. For sale by Wm. Parvin Jr. JUST A. WE ARTICIPATED.—The establishment of our young friends, C. C. Dittrick Co., Merchant Tab. 71s, in the Southmental Hotel, is becoming more po, ular every day. Their stock in the finest in the ca. v.

THE MAYOR'S MR. SAGE. The Mayor sent his THE MAYOR'S MR. SAGE.—The Mayor sent his annual message to City Council's today. It is an able document, and diseases the various important branches of the City Gover, ment with fairness and intelligence. His honor has, however, omitted one very important matter; but we are reresuaded that it was an unsitentional oversight. The omission we refer to was a neglect to make any reference to the fait that the best and messelegant garments for gentlemen and youths we're those made at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 665 Chestaut street, above Sixth.

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POUND CAKE, Lady and Almond Sponge, 85 cents, at Morse's, 239 South Eleventh street. DEAFNESS AND BLINDNESS.—J. Isaacs; M.D., Professor of the Eye and Ear, treats all diseases appertaining to the above members with the utmost success. Testimonials from the most reliable sources in the city and country can be zeen at his Office, No. 511 Pine street. Artificial eyes inserted without pain. No. charges made for an examination. Office hours from 6 to 11 A.M., 2 to 6 P. M., No. 511 Pine street. BEST AND PUREST COAL in the city: none better; please try it. Samuel W. Hess, Broad street, above Race, east side.

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, of film, and will guarantee entire satisfaction. WILLIAM S. JONES, Successor to Robert Adams
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VICTORY.—Ice Cream and Water Ices, at 40 cents per quart, Morse's 238 S. Eleventh street. CORNS, BUNIONS, Inverted Nails, Enlarged Joints, and all Diseases or the Feet cured without pain or inconvenience to the patient, by Dr. Zacharie, Surgeon Chiropodist, 221 Chestnut street. Refers to Physiciana and Surgeons of the street. Refers to Physicians and Surgeons of the city.

Hoop Skirts.—The new spring styles of

these indispensable articles of ladies attire are now displayed in great variety at the manufactory. No 628 Arch street, which for symmetry of style, fluich displayed in great variety at the manufactory. No

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[Correspondence of the N. Y. Herald.]

HILTON HEAD, S. C., March 19.—Recent arrivals from Charleston put us in possession of the fact that the rebels have mounted six rifle guns is the casemates of Fort Sumter, bearing on the channel. The garrison of the fort at present consists of about two hundred and fifty men.

Deserters from the city continue to arrive. A batch came in night before last, reporting the placein a very bad condition, our shells having done great execution. On the other hand, contrabands who have lately reached us declare that we are doing very little injury to the town. The inhabitants above Broad street, they say, evince no concern as to their safety. The lower part of the city has, we know, been rendered uninhabitable by the accuracy and frequency of our fire.

At a cession ville, on James island, the enemy has for some time been engaged in the erection of alofty signal tower, from the summit of which our operations can be overlooked. A recent gale prostrated the structure, but the work has been persevered in, and the tower is now completed. From our own lookout on Folly Island our watchmen. confront those of the enemy at a still greater height. height.

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Everything remains quiet in Florida, with no-prospect of a fight as far as I can learn.
'The following officers have resigned: 2d Lieut.
J-W Crawford, 85th Pa. Vols.; 2d Lieut. W.
P. Baradollar, 76th Pa. Vols.; 2d Lieut. C. A.
Hinkley, 7th U. S. colored troops.
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[From the Palmetto Herald, March 19]
On Thursday morning, at a little before three-o'clock, an attempt was made on Seabrook by acide and ever watchful commander of this district, had passed the point scarcely an hour before an avisitation the pickets, and found them on the aisert, using all the proper precautions for a night guard at an important position.

The rebels approached Seabrook in two. large boats, filled with men, evidently sent forwards to reconnoitre, with a numerous reserve force for the boats, filled with men, evidently sent forwards to reconnoitre, with a numerous reserve force for the boats came down to the mouth of Skull-Orse k, where they attacked a picket bost contain ing a corporal and four men. of the felin pennsylvania. They first fred three shots and then a whole volley, and succeeded in capturing the boat and, those in it. March assever hand to hand fight. Whether, these were any casualties could not be ascerisained. Further on, meeting an unexpected resistance, very retreated. The other boat came down to a small creek, which runs around to tha rear of Samulaties, which they evidently expected to find, as guarded, sait is only navigable at high tide. Ther, however, encountered the picket of the 7th on shore, who challenged them, and then gave them a fall volley, which seems to haye kiken them by surprise, done good execution, and created much consternation. The steerman yelled out, "Backs, starbeayd pull port! For God's sake let urget out of this?" The order was obeyed with alacuity. Just then a signal rocket was seen up from a point a short distance up the river, wherenpon both boats retired with all possible speed. The sound of many oars and voices from where the reserve force was stationed could be distinctly hard by our pickets, as all the boats pulled of, a guarently in accord