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THE FIRST GRAND AMATEUR VOUCAL and INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT, under the auspices of the Committee on Musical Enter-tauments of the Great Central Fair for the benefit of the Sanitary Commission, will take place at the MUSICAL FUND HALL on the EVENING OF TATURDAY, April 16, 1864, at 8 o'clock. The Amphion Amateur Hand has offered its services and the following gentlemen have also volunteered to assist on this occasion:

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Of all the Classes connected with the PHILA-DELPHIA NATATORIUM AND PHYSICAL INSTITUTE will be held at the

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FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE GRAND FAIR
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A rich programme of general Gymnastics by
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hereafter.

BY THE NETT PROCEFDS WILL BE HAND-ED OVER TO THE GREAT CENTRAL FAIR OF THE SANITARY COMMISSION. Prices of admission for each day: Parquet, Parquet Circle, and Balcony, Sl. Family Circle 50 cents. Amphitheatre 25 cents. No extra charge for received seets.

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Tickets to be had at the Office of the Treasurer, P.J. WILDBERGER, 134 South THIRD street, and at the Book Stores of F. Leypoldt, corner of Chestnut and Juniper, and Schafer & Koradi, S. W. corner Fourth and Wood streets. A MERICAN ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

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The Steck Pianos used on this occasion have been kindly loaned by Mr. J. E. Goald, S. E. corner of Seventh and Chestnut streets.

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Anthem. Jehovah's Praise Address. Grand Disc. Crawford Miss HETTIE ALEXANDER.

Recitation—"The Battle of LYTY."

Miss MARY BIECH.

Grand Duo. MARNER and Master ROESE

Miss MARY BIRCH.

Grand Duo... Magic Flate
Prof. M. WARNER and Master ROESE.

Recitation—' The Christian Slave.'
Miss LIZZIE FLUE:
Suggested by a slave auction in New Orleans, at which the auctioneer recommended the woman on the stand as a "Good Christian."
Chorus—'Beaming like the Star of Morn.''
Recitation—' Mother and Post.'
Miss ANNIE MORRIS.

Solo—'Robert tol que j'aime''... Robert le Diable
Miss JOSEPHINE O'CONNELL.

PART II.

Miss JOSEPHINE O'CONNELL.

Dialogue—"Uncle Sam's Family."
Uncle Sam. Miss K. Winslow
Dr. Eagle. Miss M. Howell
Jonathan Miss F. Wood
Dennis. Miss M. McMenamin
Pierre. Miss M. Pearson
Hans. Miss A. Griffiths
Georgianns. Miss A. Griffiths
Allie Balmy Miss M. Pedrick
Flera Dee. Miss A. Soumeillan
Mrs. Scipio. Miss A. Soumeillan
Mrs. Scipio. Miss A. Johnson
Biss Loue Star Miss A. Johnson
Miss Lope Star Miss A. Johnson
Miss Colo—"Galop Fantastique."
Prof. M. WARNEE.
Recitation—"Barbara Frietchie."

Rolo—"Where are ye now, bright dreams of my
childhood."

childhood."

Recitation—"The Proud Miss McBride."

Miss JOSEPHINE O'CONNELL.

Miss JUSEPHINE O' OURNEHM
Solo—"O' Luce de quest anima."
Miss P. C. DONNELLY. [Linda di Chamounix
Recitation—"The Elsing of the People."
Miss Tellia ORUM.
Chorus—"Our Defenders." ap9-214

M. B. CABL GAERTNER, takes pleasure in M. announcing that he wil give a OLASSICAL SOUREE, at the MUSICAL FUND HALL, on FRIDAY EVENING, April 15th, at 8 o'clock, assisted by Messis. Charles H. Jarvis, M. H. Cross, A. Roggenburger, C. M. Schmitz, and a Double Vocal Quartette. Tickets, One Doltar. Reserved seats to be had at J. E. Gould's, Seventh and Chestnut siz., from and after Monday. 49-61.

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THIS (Saturday) EVENING, April 9, 1864,
Fositively last night of Miss LAURAKEENEand
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First production in this country of Mrs. H.
Wood's dramatization of her popular novel of
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In which Miss Laura Keene will sustain the double characters of

ble characters of LADY ISABEL and MADAME VINE, LADY ISABEL and MADAME VINE, Added by the New York Combination and Walnut Street Company. On Monday, the DAVEM-PORT-WALLAOK ALLIANUE will appear in Shakspear's tragedy of OTHELLO. Box Office open from 9 till 3. Performance commences & to 8.

PENNSYLVANIA ACADEMY OF THE FINE ARTS,
1025 CHESTNUT STREET,
Is closed to prepare for the Spring Exhibition.
Will open on the 25th of April.
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SIGNOR N. PERELLI'S Grand Vocat and Iastrumental Concert for the benefit of the "Great Central Fair" for the Sanitary Commission at the Musical Fund Hall, FRIDAY EVENING, April 29th, 1864. Signor Perelli respectfully informs his friends at d the public that he will be assisted on the above occasion by his best puntls. Who have kindly tendered they reliable pupils, who have kindly tendered their valuable

Bervices.

A large and effective Orchestra, and a full chorus of Ladies and Gentlemen will take part in the performance.

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CITY BULLETIN.

Installation of Professors .- Prof. Lemuel Stevens and Dr. P. H. Vanderwede, who were elected to the Professorship of Moral Science and Industrial Science, in Girard College, positions recently authorized, were installed yesterday afternoon, with appropriate exercises which were conducted in the audience room at the College. The Trustees of the College, Members of Councils, the Principal of the Central High School, and the Faculty of the College, with their wives and daughters, were in attendance. Major Richard S. Smith, President of the College, presided. The reading of the 104th Psalm, ex tempore, opened the exercises. President Smith then gave a recital of the improvements which the College had made. Through successive gradations it has advanced until it contains six hundred pupils. For the instruction of these the Councils of the city had instituted two new departments of learning, and the inauguration of the gentlemen selected to preside over these departments was the duty of the present occasion.

Gustavus Remak then introduced the professors elect, accompanying the introduction with some brief, but pertinent remarks. Addresses were then delivered by the new Professors; John Q. Ginnode, Chairman of the Committee of Councils on Girard Estates; Dr. A. L. Kennedy, of the Polytechnic College and Hon. Richard Vaux, President of the Board of Directors of Girard College.

SWINDLING A RECRUIT.—Daniel Henry was before Ald. Beitler yesterday afternoon upon the charge of conspiracy. It appears that Thos. Seely wanted to enlist in a Pennsylvania Regiment, and meeting with Henry, was told by him that he would get him enlisted. By some means, Henry, with the aid of another man, induced Seely to go over to Camden, from thence he was taken to Trenton, and there enlisted in Company K, 7th New Jersey regiment. The individual who accompanied him ment. The individual who accompanied him received \$325 bounty money, paying over to Seely \$130, and telling him he would get the rest in a few days. The soldier, however, has seen nothing of the man or the remainder of his bounty since. The affair occurred on the 21st of February. Henry was held in \$800 bail for

A RAILWAY MOVEMENT.—The Fifth and Sixth Street Passenger Railway Company has inaugurated the movement among the railway companies upon behalf of the great Sanitary Fair. The entire revenue of the road on Tuesday next will be presented to the Commission, and in order that the receipts may be awelled to the largest amount possible, it is suggested that those holding complimentary tickets shall pay their fare on that day. Should the other passenger railway companies in the city imitate the example set by the Fifth and and Sixth, a very handsome sum would be

AEQUEER DISMAL SATURDAY .- If the sun should make its appearance on Saturday in this section of the country, people might begin to have serious thoughts of the world coming to an end. With the exception of two or three times we have not had clear weather on Saturday for a long period. Upon the last two Saturdays there were heavy northeast showers, with rain, hail and snow alternately. There is a very great contrast between the beautiful spring-like weather of the past few days and the raw, chilly atmosphere of to-day. Though we have not had a storm yet to-day, the wind is E. N. E. with every indication of a momentary break in the clouds.

SHOCKING ACCIDENT .- A little boy, named George Stokely, aged two years, was run over by a Hestonville Passenger car, yesterday afternoon, in front of the residence of his parents, No. 1726 Callowhill streets. He was mangled in a shocking manner, and died in about two hours after being taken into his home. Coroner Taylor will hold an inquest in the case on Monday afternoon next. Edward Murray, the driver of the car, was

arrested. He was taken before Ald. Pancoast, and was held in \$800 bail for a further hearing. THE FREE MILITARY ACADEMY.—An interesting pamphlet relative to this school has just been issued by the Supervisory Committee for Recruiting Colored Regiments. Upwards of two hundred officers, privates and civilians are now attending the school. Since the opening of the school ninety-eight of the pupils have been sent to Washington for examination. Of

that number two passed as Colonels, four as Lieutenant-Colonels, six as Majors, thirty as Captains, and fifty-two as Lieutenants. GOD IN NATURE .- Rev. Alex. Clark, editor of the School Visitor, and junior pastor of the Church of the New Testament, corner Eleventh and Wood streets, is announced to preach tomorrow morning on a subject which will be peculiarly appropriate and impressive for the are steadily increasing, and his ministrations in

connection with Rev. Dr. Stockton, are highly appreciated. Soldiers and strangers are especially invited. Unprovoked Assault.—Peter Gann was arrested last night upon the charge of having assaulted a young colored man. The latter alleges that he was attacked while he was quietly passing Ninth and Poplar streets. The accused will have a hearing this afternoon at

the Central Station. MORE REBEL PRISONERS. - Five hundred rebel prisoners from Alton, Illinois, reached the city yesterday afternoon, under guard of seventy-one men of the Tenth Kansas Regiment, commanded by Capt. Hill. The prisoners were taken to Fort Delaware, on board the steamer

Major Reybold. CHARMING Soines.-A grand musical and literary soirce will be given by the Alumni of the Girls' High and Normal School at the Academy of Music, Monday evening, April 11. The programme will be found in another column. It is very attractive.

American Life. As will be seen, its business is in a highly prosperous condition; the divi-dend last year was fifty per cent. on amount of premiums paid in. The American is emphati-cally a Philadelphia company and is managed by some of our well-known and most-respected citizens.

ARRIVAL OF A VETERAN REGIMENT .- The 97th Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, Col. Henry R. Guss, arrived in the city last night from Florida, having re-enlisted for the war. The regiment entered the service 964 atrong, and 337 have returned. The 97th has participated in the seige of Charleston, but more re-

cently has been in active service in Florida. THE DEPARTMENT OF CITY PROPERTY .- The officers of this Department have followed the example of the clerks and messengers of Councils, and the policemen, and have resolved to devote the salary of one day to the U.S. Sanitary Commission for the great fair. It is presumed that all the other employees of the City Government will do likewise

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In Sun Umbrellas, we may add, Mr. Finn also offers a splendid assortment, embracing all the latest styles, at moderate prices. His store at Seventh and Arch is one of the most popular resorts for ladies who have shopping to do in Philadelphia, and we would again remind ladies interested in the Central Fair of this fact.

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A GREAT REPUTATION WELL SUSTAINED.—
The first desideratum to be achieved by any new article is to gain a reputation, and the second is to maintain it after it has been made. We know of no more striking instance in which both these requirements have been realized than in the celebrated Grover & Baker Sewing Machine, sold in this city at 730 Chesinus Street. It has been long since well understood that in all the essentials of a first-class Family Sewing Machine the Grover & Baker instrument is preferable to any other, and the experience of ten thousand families in this city, new having these machines in use, affords us the best evidence that they have not only maintained their good name, but that they will continue to do so in the face of any and all competition that can be arrayed against them. The Grover & Baker is the only machine ever invented that executes fine embroldery. We commend the Stitching Rooms of this company to the attention of the ladies.

The Delicetell Spring Weather of Yes-A GREAT REPUTATION WELL SUSPAINED .-

THE DELIGHTERL SPRING WEATHER OF YES-TERDAY was a general reminder of our citizens that the time to invest in a new sult adapted for the season is at hand. In this connection our mind involuntarily recurs to the magnificent stock of new Spring Clothing offered by that popular old house, Messrs, U. Somers & Son, No. 625 Chestant street, under Jayne's Hall. These gentlemen have taken great pains to present to their patrons and the public generally the most complete and "motley" stock of fashionable clothing everoffered in this city, and all who desire grace and elegand n clothing will find it in their stock.

TO THE INTELLIGENT AND DISCRIMINATING Public.—The Improved Elliptic Sewing Machine, No. 701 Chestnut street, N. W. corner of Seventh. Printers' ink, judiciously used, is certainly of great benefit to the business man and the public at great benefit to the business man and the public at large. Fortunes have been made and kingdoms overthrown; although every day the intelligence of our community is offended by the paid newspaper braggadocis of certain adventurers trying to impose upon them all kinds of bogus wares, machines, &c., of extremely doubtful utility. Again there appears a most wonderful challenge for comparison, to give some plausibility to said claim. Such bravado is deemed as closely bordering upon deeperation, to bolsier up and induce sales at any sacrifice o' conscience and honor. We, in calling the attention of the intelligent and discriminating public to the improved Elliptic Lock Stitch Sewing Machine, prefer to rely upon the thoroughly established character of she Elliptic to recommend it is the most perfect instrument for sewing fine fabrics, claiming for it:

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OUR CITIZENS and strangers sojourning in the city should by all means call on C. O. Dittrich & Co., Merchant Tailors, in the Ceontinutal Hotel. BEST AND PUREST COAL in the city; none better; please try it. Samuel W. Hess, Broad street, above Race, east side.

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"CONFECTIONS POUR DAMES."—We need hardly inform our lady readers that Messrs. J. W. Proctor & Oo.'s annual opening, on the 20th ult., of Paris-made Mantillas and Spring Cloaks, ("Confections pour Dames," as Parisians have it) at their warerooms, 920 Chestnut stiect, was a great success, not only in the extent, richness and varieties of the garments displayed, but in the general admiration and discriminating praise which they elecited. The ladies were delighted, and so were we. We have been accustomed to attending the annual "Openings" of this popular old bouse for several seasons past, and have always found a degree of freshness and fertillity of taste in their garments that did them infinite credit, and, we believe, always brought to them an abundance of buyers. But this season they have fairly surpassed themselves. In the department of French Mantles acone, (a magnificent stock of which they now offer, selected by Mr. Proctor, personally, during his recent visit to Europe, in the very first establishments of Paris,) this display is worth the inspection of all who have an eye for gracefulness and beauty in female attire. A favorite type of the French mantles in silk is the Sacque, made with either two or three seams, neatly though richly trimmed in what is termed the epaulette style. Most of these garments exhibited are of the richest your faye silk. We may state that one of the advantages of selecting a mantle in a stock of this character is, that by stipulating for it a garment can be had which will not be duplicated during the entire season. Of course, as the exclusiveness of these patterns is purchased at high prices by the firm in question, their charges correspond; although prices this season seem to be a small object, judging from the frequent sales of cloaks Messrs. Proctor & Co. are now making, at prices varying from fifty to two hundred and fifty dollars each. We would, of course, not be understood from this that they have not an assortment of more medium-priced goods. Their stock of the latter will "Confections pour Dames."-We need hardly inform our lady readers that Messrs. J. W.

The "Biarritz Yachting Jacket," a large assortment of which are arranged in the "Opening," are a very pretty, jaunty, style of short garment, much in vogue in Paris, for promenading, and that will be largely sold here this season for young ladies for the street and the sea side. Upon inquiry we found that, among the Parisian houses from which the imported part of this stock was selected, are those of Worth & Bobergh; Va Platel & Berger; Mme. Provost Nash; the Maison Gagelin; Armandville; Wisneck & Co, and others. We know that the patrons of this popular establishment will second our judgment in stating that its present stock, without detracting from their displays of former seasons, is better selected, more urique in all its departments, and in more perfect harmony with the correct and cultivated taste of our Philadelphia ladies.

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SPLENDID FINE CONFECTIONS.—In noticing SPLENDID FINE CONFECTIONS.—In noticing the variety of manufactures for which our city is so justly conspictous, we observe among the articles of taste the fabrication of confectionery. To the perfection which of late years has marked the fine confections produced in Philadelphia, may be attributed much of the increased consumption and sale of the delicious compounds which are now so popular with all. No one has contributed so much to the perfection of this branch of manufactures as Mr. Stephen F. Whitman, No. 1210 Market street, and no one certainly enjoys a greater reputation or meets with a more liberal share of patronage than he. His extensive sales enable him to have all his goods in the best condition and always pure and fresh. Those who wish superior fine confections should purchase of Mr. Whitman, whose stock embraces all desirable varieties.

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MORE ABOUT THE FAIR .- The completion of the buildings on Union Square, New York, complete the Metropolitan Fair, and when the visitor from the rural districts has exhausted all his adfrom the rural districts has exhausted all his adjectives while wandering through the mases of beauty offered in Fourteepile street he will hear with astonishment that on Faion square there is another building almost as extensive, quite as elegant, and containing some features of novelty, splendor and variety, which render it the rival of its sister edifice. In Philadelphia we will soon have a Fair which will throw Gotham entirely in the shade; while the visit rist the great show will be afforded an opportunity of procuring elegant suits at the Brown Stone Clothing hall of Bockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 unit 505 Chestnut street above Sixth.

THE VERY BEST .- The fact is generally recognized and conceded that the Confectionery made below Fourth, is quite equal (and we think a little better) to the best made upon either side of the Ai-lantic. It is a common sense conclusion that the best possible materials, the most skillful workmanship, a rare inventiveness, and a conscientions regard for the interests of the customer, must result in first-class wares. All these requisites and conditions are possessed by Messrs. E. G. Whitman & Co., and how well their exertions to please succeed, is netested by their legions of patrons.

MESSRS. WOOD & CARY, 725 Chestnut street, now offer the largest, most stylish, and in all respects most desirable stock of Ladies' Spring Bonnets in Philadelphia. This is the opinion of our most fashionable ladies of taste.

Oil Wells of Pennsylvania .- A reporter of the Pittsburgh Chronicle has been gathering some interesting statistics in relation to the great oil wells of Pennsylvania. He says the oil trade has grown from a half dozen barrels a year to hundreds of thousands. The arrangements for the opening season have been made on a large scale. Wells will be sunk to a depth never contemplated before. In fact, it looks as if our people were going to well-digging without limit. For some time oil arrived at Pittsburgh and was disposed of without paying wharfage; so that it would be impossible to give anything like a correct estimate of the real products of those extraordinary wells at the outset. The first official account we have of the receipts by river, dates from February 1st, 1862, that being the date fixed by city ordi-

nances for the collection of wharfage.

The real products of the wells will never be ascertained, as thousands of barrels have been lost by fire and by pond freshets; besides, large quantities have been shipped by railroad and landed at refineries above the city limits. What we propose to give, is merely what has arrived at the Allegheny what. The statement can be relied on, it being official. It exhibits a total of 534,307 barrels, from February 1st, 1862, to April 1st, 1864, as follows:

Barrels.

From Feb. 1, 1862 to May 1. 78, 620
From May 1, 1862 to Aug. 1. 36, 556
From Aug. 1, 1862 to Nov. 1. 18, 530
From Nov. 62-63 to Feb. 1. 80, 975
From Feb. 1, 1863 to May 1. 90, 561
From May 1, 1863 to Aug. 1. 74, 414
From Aug. 1, 1863 to Nov. 1. 56, 343
From Nov. 1, '63-'64 to Feb. 1. 78, 516
From Feb. 1, 1864 to April 1. 39, 809

Total number of barrels..... 554,334 SIZE OF ST. PETER'S CHURCH .- President Fairfield, in endeavoring to give an idea of the size of St. Peter's Church at Rome, refers par-

ticularly to the dome, which is of massive stone work, and supported by four large columns and arches connecting them. Each of these four pillars, he says, occupies as much space on the floor of the church as an edifice eighty feet long and fifty feet wide; which is larger, pro-bably, than any church building in New England outside of the principal cities. The dome, if provided with seats as economically as Surgeon's chapel in London, would hold six thousand persons; and if lifted from the top of St. Peter's church and let down over Henry Ward Beecher's church, in Brooklyn, would cover it completely, without touching it on any part. And yet it does not appear too large for the edifice on which it stands; and the immense columns which support it are but little in the way in the interior of St. Peter's.

"THE HOME OF WASHINGTON"

There is now en exhibition at Earle & Sons, 816 Chestnut street, an exquisite engraving by Barlow, of Mignot & Rossiter's great picture, "The Home of Washington," commemorating Lafayette's visit to Mount Vernon in 1784. In accordance with an invitation from the Pather of his Country, Lafayette spent two weeks, in the August of that year, under the hospitable roof of his distinguished friend, which is the period chosen for illustration. The busy portion of the day is over, and the family portion of the household are congregated under the ample portico. The General and his noble guest have arisen from their chairs and are standing in colloquy—Washington in the act of speaking, and Lafayette, leaning against a pitlar in a deferential manner, holds a newspaper in his hand, suggestive that the discourse is a topic of the times. Mrs. Washington is sewing, while her daughter in law, Mrs. Stuart, (formerly Mrs. John Parke Custis.) and mother of the two children, is reading a note. Leaning upon the grandmother's lap is Eleanor Parke Custis, who has sought her protective presence, while her brother, George Washington Parke Custis, fires a small cannon, with the assistance of a negress, who is blowing a lighted match. There are other accessory figures on the lawn and in the distance, and on the river is a neigh-bor's barge, rowed by six servants in red livery suggestive of the state which prevailed among the planters of the Potomac at that period; and as this river enjoyed an extensive commerce, over the trees are seen the masts of ships moored at Mount Vernon, landing and receiving cargoes for England. The topographical features, ascertained from inquiry, are delineated, as far as possible, to accord with the date of the picture. The head of Washington is painted from an original transcript of the Houdon Bust, the modeller of which came to this country at the solicitation of Jefferson and Franklin, for the purpose of making a statue for the Legislature of Virginia, and is considered by those who are familiar with Washington's features, as far the best representation of him extant. Washington expired in an upper room, which was lighted by the two farthest windows seen under the roof

of the portico. The engraving of this picture has just been completed at a time when Americans cling with particular fidelity to the glorious traditions of he past, and the image of the gallant chief in his beautiful home awakens sentiments of affection and gratitude, while the peaceful security indicated by the representation, and obtained by so many trials and such noble resistance, arouses the hope in patriotic minds of the Future that shall spring out of our war-stirred Present.

A lady, well known in musical circles of Philadelphia for her devoted exertions for the entertainment of wounded soldiers in our hospitals, has been entrusted by Goupils with the receiving of subscriptions.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY ITEMS. has stood idle for a number of years, and which recently came into the possession of Messrs. Atkins & Bro., from Pottsville, is now in opera-

The Reading Railroad Company has built a branch railroad through Port Kennedy, for the purpose of carrying lime and limestone by rail, instead of canal as formerly. Their Charter called for five miles, but it now terminates at the quarries of the Phœnix Iron Company.

The old Colwell Furnace at Conshol has been bought by Stephen Colwell, W. Dwight Bell, Theodore Trewendt and Edward S. Colwell, who were incorporated by an act of the Legislature recently, under the name and style of the "Plymouth Iron Company," with a capital stock of \$300,000, to be divided into shares of \$500 each, with the right to hold 1,000 acres of land within the counties of Mont-

gomery and Chester.

The Norristown Republican says a young man of Copperhead parentage, who enlisted some time ago, recently wrote home to his parents, living near Hatboro', strongly in favor of the re-election of President Lincoln. were preparing a box of clothing and other comforts at the time, but were so disgusted with their son's avowal of loyalty that they stopped in the work, and declared that they

had no wish to see him come home. AMUSEMENTS

THE ARCH.—It will be the old story at the Arch this evening, a vast crowd to see ''Rosedale.''
The sufferers will be those who failed to secure seats in advance. Generally, nearly every eligible seat is secured two or three days ahead.

LAST NIGHT OF LAURA KEENE.—At the Walnut this evening Miss Keene and her charming company take their farewell for the season. During their stay their wearis have been greater than their when their season. pany take their farewell for the season. During their stay their merits have been greater than their patronage, though last night's excellent house partly made up for former deficiencies. We will part with regret from Miss Keene, Mr. Levick, Mr. Dyott, Mr. Peters and Mrs. Tyrrell, and will remember, with great pleasure, "Rachei the Reaper" and several other plays they have performed with unusual ability. This evening the new version of East Lynne," will be given, Miss Keene essaying, for the first time, the character of Lady Isabel. On Monday "Othello" will be played by the Davenort-Wallack combination.

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The Chestrut.—The audiences at the Chesnut grow larger with each night of the performance of 'The Octoroon.'' Some changes have been made in the cast, which add to the smoothness of the working of the play. It is not surprising that a drama presenting so faithful a picture of all that's best and worst of dark and bright in Southern life should hold thousands of auditors enchaned. Sympathy is aroused, hatred of brutality is excited, the mirthful faculties are occasionally brought into play, and above all slavery is shown in its true colors, without exaggeration. The usual matinee will be given this afternoon at the Chestnut, in addition to the evening performance.

CONCERT HALL.—Simmins, the Illusionist.

CONCERT HALL .- Simmins, the Illusionist, will give a matinee and an evening performance to day. His soirces or scances are well attended, and he seems to please all who attend his unique enter-

MINSTRELSY.—The programme at Caracross & Dixey's this evening is one which will draw & large and fashionable audience. It is various and

A SAD CASE.—Last evening a crazy woman, about thirty years of age, was found at the Market street depot by officer B. J. Gott, and taken to the Police Station. She was anxious to go to Washington, for which place she had a through ticket, but had taken the 6.10 train from New York by mistake, and at the depot the conductor put her off. She had a carpet bag containing jellies and other luxuries, but in throwing it from the train the contents were completely destroyed. At the Police Station \$78 were found upon her, and a letter written in the German language, directed to Mrs. Emily Marsh (which is supposed to be her name) signed by Arthur Marsh, and dated at the Stone U.S. A. General Hospital, Ward 3, Washington, April 4th. She was placed in a cell, where she tore her clothes completely off, and they had to be taken away to prevent their destruction. She raves continually, occasionally speaking of her husband, who she says is a captain in Washington. She is a fine looking German woman, but speaks broken English

quite plainly.-Newark Advertiser, April 8.