XXXIXth Congress-First Session. CLOSE OF YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Signate.—The message of the President was read.
Air. Cowan then called for the reading of a repoinade to the President by General Grant concerning his late visitte the South. Gen. Grant's report was read.
Mr. Sumner—"I wish to make one remark with reference to the business before the Senate. I wish to know whether the report of Major-General Carl Schurz is an exed to the message of the President?"

Air. Foster, in the chair—"The Chair understands that its:"
Mr. Sumner—"Then I think it had better be read."
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Mr. Sunner.—"At any rate we can begin it. It is a very important decument. The senate will remember that which the report was made of the condition of sidars in Kansas, every word was read at the desa; now the question involved is much more important. We have a message from the rresident which is like the whitewashing message of Franklin Pierce, with regard to the atrocities in Kansas. I think the Senate had better listen to the report of General Schurz on this important subject." had better listen to the report of Schaller this important subject."

Mr. Johnson (Md.) said he was surprised to hear the Stenator from Massachusetts conracterize the message as an attempt to whitewash. There was no whitewashing about it. It was a fair and clear statement of facts called for by the Senate. He thought the report of General schurz had better be printed, together withe other documents. The reading of Gen. Schurz's report was commenced, but the clerk had not pro-

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Mr. Summer—i shall not object to that, if the Senator from Ohio thinks it is proper that we should on this important occasion dispense with the reading. I think the Senate could not listen to anything of, more importance than that accurate and authentic report regarding the actual condition of things in these states. Here is an eminent citizen, lately a major general in the army of the United States, sent on a special mission by the Prealent to visit these states and report upon their condition. He has made his visit, not hastily like General Grant, for instance, or some other officers or citizens, but a visit occupying time and extending through the different States, and he has recorded the results in an elaborate document. Now, sir, if the question were a trivial one, if it were a transitory question, I would think, with the Senator from Ohio, that it had better not be read. If the Senator insist upon his motion I shall not object.

Mr. Sherman (Ohio) had no douot that the report of General Schurz was elaborate, able and interesting. He would much prefer to read it, however, rather thahear it read where there was confusion and noise as in the Semate Chamber. He would say, also, it was unusual to read such documents. No document was usually read to the Seniate except the message of the President, were accommented from the President, for the report of the Secretary of the Treasury, full of information of paramount importance to the country, and giving views affecting the great financial Interests of the country, was not read but ordered to be printed. If the prastice of reading all documents seat to the Senate were to prevail, there would be no time for busin

this strong expression.

Mr. Sumner—I have nothing to qualify, nothing to modify, nothing to retract. In former days there was but one Kansas to softer illegal power, now there are eleven such suffering only as one suffered. Therefore, sir, as eleven are more than one, so is the curmity of the present time more than the enormity of

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Mr.Dixon (Conn.)—The Senator from Massachnsetts says the enormities in the States lately in rebellion are greater than those of Kansas in former days. I beg to remind that Senator that that is not precisely the question raised by the Senator from Wisconsin. There is no question bere as to the misconductofanybody in Kansas or in the Southern States. The charge has been directly made in the Senater that the President has sent in a whitewashed report with regard to these enormities. Now, sir I cannot pass that in silence. What is a whitewashed report? It is a report intended to cover up by falsehood and mistatements certain facts. That is a whitewashed report? Now, sir, as a friend of the President—and I profess no excusive or peculiar friendship for him—I cannot sit quietly and itsen in silence to such charges. I sustain the policy of the President, as I understand it, not because it is the President's policy, but because it is right. I believed the truth of the statements he has made, and although he needs no celence, I cannot suffer such charges to go to the country without a protest.

Mr. Doolittle—Whether the "resident's policy be right or not, the charge of the Senator from Massachusetts does not go to settle that question at all. If the Senator from Massachusetts differs from him and believes him to be wrong, that is one thing. He has a perfect right to do so. But, Mr. President, he goes further. He charges upon the President, he goes further. He charges upon the President of the United States falsehood, in substance by saying his message is a whitewashing report. He charges him with a want of truth, a want of patriotism. What else can we have the first man and though the profession of the country in the president of the United States falsehood, in substance by saying his message is a

States falsehood, in substance by saying his message is a whitewashing report. He charges him with a want of truth, a wait of patriotism. What else can we infer from his remarks? It is that which pained me. I was not pained because the honorable Senator differed from the President. I knew he differed from the President. I knew he differed from the President of the state of the fresident of the state of th

country and love of Union which has made him sacrifice and endanger all he had during the struggle in the South, and which has always characterized him as a man.

It was not that the honorable Senator questioned the propriety of the policy recommended by him; but because he made use of that remark that it was a whitewashing message, intended to cover up some infamy behind; that, I confess, sir, pained me exceedingly, and I was none the less pained that after having called his attention to it, he should rise and say that he had nothing to modify, nothing to qualify, nothing to retract. Have said all, perhaps more, than I ought to have sail. I shall not go into any diccussion of these matters at the present time.

Mr. Sumner—I am sorry that I have given pain to any honorable friend. I certainly did not intend to do so. Why syggest that the question has been raised as to the policy of the President. I have raised no such question, and have expressed ho opinion in regard to it. The Senator from Wilsconsin dwells on that point, and reminds the Senate that the policy of the President, and reminds the Senate that the policy of the President, and reminds the Senate that the policy of the President in Speak in this body I try to speak directly to the question. There was then no question directly to the question. There was then no question directly to the question. There was then no question directly to the proper time I shall meet it folly, frankly and unequivocally, I trust as becomes a member of this body. The coll question was on the character of the document read, and that I characterized compendiously as a whitewashing document. My nonorable friends rose, one after the other, and like two lexicographers proceeded to give a definition of the word whitewashed.

I do not accept these definitions. I intended no such meaning as either the Senator from Connecticut or the Senator from Wisconsin has attempted to give. I have no reflection to make on the patriotism or the truth of the President of the word whitewashing or h

hearing the document read at the deak, to characterize it as the pariotic party of 1836 characterized the message of Franklin Pierce.

Mr. Dixon—I am glad to hear the disclaimer now made by the Senator from Massachusetts, aithough he declared he had no explanation to make and nothing to retract. He now lays he did not use the word in the sense in which it is always understood. Very well. If he thinks the word whisewashing a proper term to apply to the message of the President and means nothing by it, I am content to allow him to give his own definition. I had understood the word to mean what I have indicated; and what the common sense of most men understood by it, but as the Senator is skilled in lexicography. I will not object to his applying his own definition to the term generally considered so offensive.

Mr. Trumbull (III) rose to ask that this debate cease. It was not his province to criticise or remark upon the questions of opinion which Senators had thought proper to Indulge in, but it did seem to him that a controversy nad arisen which was not calculated for the public interest or welfare.

The question was then stated by the Chair to be on the motion of Mr. Sherman to print the report of Gen. Schurz with the other documents.

It was carried.

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It was carried.

Mr. Wade (Ohio) presented a resolution calling for the report of Gen. Howard on the condition of the freedmen, which was adopted.

Mr. Cowan rose to withdraw his objection to Mr. Anthony's resolution to refer all papers on the subject of the representation of States lately in rebellion to the special committee of fitteen, and the Chair stated that the objection being withdrawn, the resolution might be considered.

Before the question on the adoption of the resolution was put, the following resolution was offered by Mr. Sprague, and agreed to.

Besolved, the House concurring, That the Committee on Manufactures of the respective Houses inquire if the tax from the internal revenue act upon the products of the domestic manufactures is greater than the dotty, premium on gold, expenses of exchange and transportation upon Similar products imported and if thereby the foreign product is entered for consumption upon more favorable terms than the domestic product, to report a remedy by bill or otherwise.

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HOUSE—Mr. Farnsworth's resolutions in reference to Mr. Harris were passed.

On motion of Mr. Banks (Mass.), a resolution was passed instructing the Committee on Milliary and Naval Affairs to report whether any change in the system of education at the Milliary Academy at West Point and the Naval Academy at Alnapolis is expedient or necessary, and also as to establishing or adding in the establishment of military and naval schools in each of the several States, in order to provide more effectually for the national defence.

Mr. Washburne (Ill.) said he was instructed by the Committee on Commerce to report the following:

Mr. Whereas, The Constitution of the United States con-

icts on congress, in express terms, the power to regu-late commerce among the several States, to establish postroads, to raise and support armies; therefore, Resolved. By the Senate and House of Representa-tives of the United States in Congress assembled, that every railroad company in the United States, whose roads are operated by steam, their successors and as-signs, be and are hereby authorized to carry upon and over its connections, boats, bridges, and ferries, all pas-sengers, troops government supplies, malis, freight and property, on their way from any state to another state, and to receive compensation therefor. Mr. O'Neil (Pa) appealed to Mr. Washburne not to press his bill to a vote, but refer it to the Committee on the Judicary, as the bill involved many questions of magnitude to the country and also or constitutional law. Let tigo over the holidays, in order to give full time for examination.

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Mr. Washburne replied that he was a little surprised that the gentleman should distrust the legal ability of the Committee on Commerce. The Judiciary Committee during the last Congress reported the bill introduced this murning and on May 12, 1864. It was passed. He knew of no reilroad interest which could control the action of this House. It was a question as to whether Congress has the right to provide free intercourse among the several States. Ac passage in the President's message was more approved that his. If the House desired d scussion on the bill they must vote down the previous question.

Mr. Garfield, (Ohio.) said he introduced a similar bill early in the last session, which was a plain declaration that Congress has the right to regulate commerce among the States. This was clearly within the scope of Congress. He supposed the House had already sufficient information to enable them to act upon it intelligently, and therefore he hoped there would be no postponement.

Hon. John L. Thomas (Md.) did not rise for the purpose of defending any railroad in Maryland or elsewhere. In the committee he voted against reporting the bill, for the reason that it was not a question proper for the Committee on Commerce, but should be examined by the Committee on the Judiciary, as constitutional questions were involved in it. He had as much right to be heard as any other member, as this was a question teaching the interest of his own State, and he proposed that the bill be made a special order for Jan. 10.

Mr. Rogers (N. J.) said the main object of the bill was to strike at Maryland and New Jersey of a privilege granted fifty or sity years since, for the benefit of another company by way of the coast. Loyal New Jersey demanded that her rights should be respected.

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The bill was ordered to be engrossed—yeas 92, nays 52—and then passed, On motion of Mr. Eliot (Mass.), a resolutin was adopted calling on the Secretary of War to communicate to the House the present condition of the harbors of the United States, where public works have been built or directed to be built, what appropriation is required for repairs on the sen coasts, lakes and navigable rivers, &c.

Mr. Washburne (III.), from the Select Committee on the Ruies, reported a new one for the appointment of a Committee on Mines and Mining, to consist of nine members. This was agreed to.

The House resolution was returned from the Senate, with an amendment proposing to adjourn ever the holidays from the 21st of December to the 3d of January.

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Mr. Dawson (Penna.) from the Committee on Rules, replied a rule allowing carn member \$55 for the long, and \$85 for the short session, for stationery. This was agreed to yeas 71, nays 25.

Mr. Wison (Iowa) reported back the Joint resolution, with an amendment, so as to read \$85 follows:

Let's Recolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, two-thirds of each House concarring therein. That the following articles be proposed to the legislatures of the several States as an amendment to the Constitution, which, when ratified by three-fourths of said legislatures, shall be veild to all intents and purposes as a part of said Constitution.

Article 1. No tax, duty, or import shall be taid, nor shall any appropriation of money be made, either by the United States, or any one thereof, for the purpose of purpig, either in whole or in part, any debt contract or liability whatsoever incurred, made or suffered by any one or more of the States, or the people thereof, for the purpose of adding a rebellion against the Constitution and laws of the United States.

Mr. Wilson said unless some members desired explanation he should move the previous question.

Mr. Regers (v. J.), said that while he subscribed to that part of the bill against the payment of the debt by the lated States he was opposed to that branen which forbade the payment of debts, by individual States. His opposition was on the broad ground that three-fourths of the States could not take away the sights of the other fourth. If three-fourths of the States could not take away the rights of the other fourth. If three-fourths of the States could not take away the prived other ignt to regulate their domestic institutions and course and local government.

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Mr Rogers said he was not here to advocate or denounce the rebil debt, but to defend the rights of the States, which were not to be invaded in this way.

Mr. Shellaburger (Ohio) inquired whether it was not competent to anend the constitution so as to prohibit the states from engaging in rebellion? If so, why then was it not competent to provide that the States shall not pay the expense for carrying on a rebellion?

Mr. Rogers admitted that it would be competent to make such an amendment, but it would be unnecessary, for the reason that the spirit if not the letter of the constitution already forbids the States from engaging in rebellion. In conclusion he said that on a constitutional question of this magnitude the majority cught to to pass the bill, under the operation of the revious question, without allowing time for debate. He appealed to the generosity and magnanimity of the gentlemen to allow the minority to be heard.

Mr. Wilson replied that he was disposed to protect minoritie, and the minority in New Jersey which the gentlemen to allow the minority in New Jersey which the gentlemen of the was disposed to protect minoritie, and the minority in New Jersey which the gentlemen of the wiston of the people of New Jersey; who might remove within the limits of the States lately in rebellion, that they should not be made liable for the pay ment of a debt incurred for the purpose of destroying the government. He was in favor of protecting the government. He was in favor of protecting the government. He was in favor of protecting the subjustion of the general doctrine of State rights during the list Congress and be without of the States indeed in the paying all doctrine of the formers and the wind the paying all they be several states.

grasping intended of the immense amount of money required. If the rebel debt was to be paid in Joint capacity by the several States.

We had a full discussion of the general doctrine of State rights during the late Congress, and he believed all the members of the House concurred that the framers of the Constitution so made it that no state right to secode from the Union. The government had a right to secode from the Union. The government in the struggle just closed by force of arms, silirmed the decree of the fathers of the government, and not only this, but that no part of the people. North or South, should be called on to pay one dollar for the purpose of destroying the government of the 'nited states; and this was the sole proposition in the Joint resolution pending for the purpose of making, it effective. It was provided that the courts of the United states shall have jurisdiction in all cases arising under or springing from it. They did not merely prohibit the resumption of the debt, but provided an effective remedy to make their citizens secure. He believed the House was in proper temper to pass the resolution.

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Ar. Johnson (Pa.) said that so far as he understood, his political friends were not opposed to the gamerai scope of the proposition, but it was due that a measure of this importance should be considered with a proper degree of gravity, and not hastily thrust through the nouse. He could not see how the debts of a dead man could bepaid without the appointment of an administrator. They had been obliged to hear remarks of an explanatory character. This kind of legislation was wrong. It was requiring a lit le too much to ask that the mere representation of members be taken however able the gentlemen may be, without allording time even to read the bill.

Several gentlemen surgested aftendments, so as to leave no way open for escape, while others wanted the consideration of the measure postponed.

(Mr. Wilson was disposed to be the question go over till to-morrow, but this did not meet with general favor, so he insisted on the previous question, which was recorded—yeas 89, nays 50— and under its operation the first resolution was passed, more than two-thirds voting therefor.

The vote was as follows: Yeas 149, nays 11.

Yeas—Messra, Alley, Allison, Ames, Anderson, Ash ter, Beaman, Benjamin, Banks, Barker, Baxter, Beaman, Benjamin, Bridwell, Blughae, Broomail, Buckland, Bundy, Chauler, Clarke (Ohlo). Clarke (Ky.), Cobb Conking, Cook, Cultum, Darling, Broomail, Buckland, Bundy, Chauler, Clarke (Ohlo). Clarke (Ky.), Cobb Conking, Cook, Cultum, Darling, Dawes, Defrees, Delano, Demig, Dixon, Donnelly, Drigss, Dumont, Ecvley, Eggleston, Eliot, Farnsworth, Farquhar, Ferry, Finck, Garfield, Grinnell, Griswold, Halle, Harding (Ill.), Hart, Hayes, Henderson, Higby, Hill, Hogan, Holmis, Hoope, Hotchkiss Hubbard (Now.), Hubbard (Now.), Hubbard (Now.), Hubbard (Now.), Hubbard, Chanke, Noell, Oweill, Morgan, Holmis, Hoope, Hotchkiss Hubbard (Now.), Hubbard, Chang, Chen, Rollins,

Williams, Wilson (Lowa), Wilson (Penna.), Windon, Wright—149.

Nays—Messrs. Brooks; Denison; Eldridge, Grider, Harding (Kr.), McCullogh, Nicholson, Ritter, Rogers, Shanklin, Trimble—11.

On motion of Mr. Shellaberger, it was Resolved. That the Committee on the Judiciary inquire and report, as soon as practicable, what legislation is necessary to enforce the freedom of the wives and children of those mentioned in the Act of March 3 1803; and also to enforce the liberty of all person under the operation of the constitutional amendment sholighing slavery.

The House then adjourned. ISAAC NATHANS, Auctioneer and Money Broker,
N. E. corner of Third and Spruce streets, only one
square below the Exchange. NATHANS'S Principal
Office, established for the last forty years. Money
to losh in large or small amounts, at the lowest rates,
on Diamonds, Silver Plate, Watches, Jawelly, Clothing, and goods of every description. Office hours from
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6 C. Third Market S. Market S. M.
6 A. M.; till 7 P. M.

SPECIAL NOTICES NOTICE—The Delaware and Raritan Canal Will be closed for mayigation on SATURDAY, the 23d inst., unless sooner stopped by ice, dele-7t Engineer and Superintendent.

THE PHILADELPHIA NATIONAL BANK,
PHILADELPHIA, December 5, 1865.—
The annual election for Directors of this Bank will
be held at the Banking House, on TUKSDAY, the
9th day of January next, between the hours of 11
o'clock A. M. and 2 o'clock P. M.
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THE PHENIX INSURANCE COMPANY
OF PHILADEL/PHIA. DECEMBER 18th, 1865.—
Notice is hereby given, that, agreeable to the charter, an election for fitteen Directors will be held at the Company's office, on MONDAY, the 1st day of January next, at 11 o'clock A. M.

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SAMUEL WILCOX, Secretary.

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UNION NATIONAL BANK.— PHILADEL

PHIA, Dec. 9, 1865.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this
Bank, for the election of Directors, will be held at the
Banking House, on TUESDAY, January 9th, 1866,
between the hours of 10 and 3 o'clock of that day,
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N. C. MUSSELMAN, Cashier. dell-30trps N. C. MUSSELMAN, Cashier.

\$\frac{20}{20}\$ WALNUT STREET, PHILADELPHIA, December 12th, 1865.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the Mount Farm Oil Company will be held at their office on WEDNESDAY, December 27, 1865, at 12 o'clock, for the purpose of taking into consideration the reduction of the capital.

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S. F. WATSON, Secretary.

CHESTER VALLEY BAILROAD COM
PANY.—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Chester Valley Bailroad Company,
will be held at the Merchants' Exchauge, Philadelphila. on MONDAY, the 8th day of January, A. D.
1886, at 12½ o'c.ock, P. M. At which meeting an election will be held for a President and seven Directors
to serve for the ensuing year,
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MANUFACTURERS' INSURANCE COMPANY-Office, No. 414 Walnut street-PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 11, 1885.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of "The
Manufacturers' Insurance Company of the State of
Pennsylvania" will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, January 1st, 1886, at 4 o'clock, P.
M., When an election will be held for ten Directors to
serve for the ensuing year.

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M. B. KEILY, Secretary.

OFFICE CATAWISSA R. R. COMPANY.
No. 424 Walnut street. PHILADELPHIA, December 4th. Certificates of scrip on the preferred stock of this Company will be issued on February ist, 1886. The transfer books for the preferred stock will be closed for this purpose on January 1st, 1866, and opened on February ist. M. P. HUTCHINSON, Vice Pres. and Sec. By order &c. de5-t fel?

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OFFICE OF THE PROVIDENT LIFE AND
TRUST COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA—
No. 111 South Fourth street, 12th mo. 18th, 1865.

The Annual Meeting of the Btockholders of the sbove named Company, will be held at their office on THIRD DAY, 1st mo. 2d (Tuesday, January 2), 1866, at 100 clock, A. M.

An election for three Direc ors. to serve for three years, will be belief between the bours of the A. and t 10 o'clock, A. M. An election for three Direc ors. to serve for three ears, whi be held between the hours of 10 A. M., and 2 ROWLAND PARRY Actuary. del3-tjal2

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OFFICE OF THE MCELHENY OIL COMPANY 218 WALNUT Street; Room No. 115;
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12th, 1855.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the
McelHENY OIL COMPANY will be theid at the
Office of the Company, 18 WALNUT street, Philaderphila, on TUESDAY, dd day of January, A. D 1853 at
12's o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing a Clerk
and Board of nine Directors, and for the transaction of
such further business as may properly come before
them. By order of the Board

del2tj1 G. E. FRYER, Clerk.

OFFICE OF THE RELIANCE INSURANCE
COMPANY, OF PHILADELPHIA, Dec 18th 1855.

At the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Relisuce Insurance Company, of Philadelphia, held this
day the following gentlemen were elected Directors, to
serve for the ensuing year, viz.
tenn Tingley,
Wm Musser,
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Marshall Hill,
Charles Leland,
Thos H. Moore,
Samil Castner,
Alfe et English,
James Y Young,
THOS C. HILL, Secretary.

U.S. INTERNAL REVENUE—Office of the

del9-33 THOS. C. HILL, Secretary.

U.S. INTERNAL REVENUE—Office of the Collector of Internal Revenue for the Third tollection District of Pensylvania (Comprising the Tweifth, Thirteenth, Sixteenth, seventeenth, Eightenth and Ninteenth Wards of the city of Philadelphia). S. W. corner Third and Willow streets, Philadelphia

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NOTICE.—The Taxes of the Annual List for 1835, in-cluding the Income Tax for 1834, the Licease Fax for the period from May 1, 1835, to May 1, 1836, and the Tax for the year 1855 on watches, pianos, melodeous, bil-itard tables, yachts, carriages and gold and silve-plate, will be received at this office daily (sandays ex-cepted) between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., until and including Wednesday, Dec. 20th, instanc.

On all taxes above enumerated not paid on or before-the afore said 20th December, 1835, a penalty of 10 per cent, will be imposed.

cent. will be imposed.

WILLIAM J. WAINWRIGHT.

U. S. Collecto PHILADFLPHIA, Dec. 4, 1865.

NOTICE.
UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE. SECOND DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

Comprising the First, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, and Twenty-sixth wards of the city of Philadelphia. The assessment for the above-named district, of persons inable to tax on INCOME for the year 1864, and on Licenses, Carriages, Billiard Tubles, Watches, Planciotes, Musical Instruments Silver and Gold Plate, &c., for the year ending the soft of April, 1866, having been completed. completed.

NOTICE IS MEREBY GIVEN. That said duties have become due and payable," and that the undersigned and his deputies will attend at his office, No. 229 DOCK street, daity (Sundays excepted), between the hours of 9 A. M. and 5 P. M., until and including SATURDAY, the 23d of December, 1855, for the purpose of seceiving the same. SATURDAY, the 23d of December, 1855, for the purpose of Seceiving the same.

All such taxes remaining unpaid after said 23d day of December, 1865, will be subject to the penalty and charges imposed by law, which will be strictly enforced. The PENALTY for non-payment of said taxes is TEN PER CENT, additional of the amount assessed, and the CHARGES are twenty cents for special notice and four c nts per mile for the delivery thereof with the additional penalty, in regard to persons liable to the License Tax, of \$500, or imprisonment for not exceeding two years. et ding two years.
dell tde23 JOHN H. DIEHL, Collector. OFFICE OF THE LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD CUMPANY, PHILADELPHIA. NOVember
14th, 1855.

ROAD COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA. November 14th, 1853.
In order to procure funds for the extension of the Railroad to the Wyoming Valley,
The Board of Directors of this Company, at their meeting, this day, passed the following resolution:
Resolved, That the Stockholders of this Company shall be entitled to subscribe, at par, for TWENTY PER CENT. additional to the stock standing in their respective names on the Books of the Company, on the 1st day of December next: and each Stockholder entitled to a fractional part of a Share, shall be allowed to subscribe for a full share, as no fractions will be is sued.

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Subscription Books will be opened at the Company's office in Philadelphia on the 15th of December, and close on the 15th of January, 1858.

Payments to be made as follows: Five dollars per share to be paid at the time of subscribing, and five dollars per share to be paid at the time of subscribing, and five dollars per share on the 15th day of each and every month thereafter, until the whole amount shall have been paid—after which certificates of the new stock will be issued, but neither interest nor dividend will be allowed until the whole shall be paid as atoresaid.

Those stockholders who fail to subscribe within the time mentioned or to pay the several instalments at or before the period they fail due, will lose their right to the new stock.

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By order of the Board.

L CHAMBERLAIN,

Treasure DOIS-2m* Treasurer.

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, DE PARTMENT OF ARTS.—The examination of the College Chases, at the close of the First Term, will be held in the following order:

Alonday 11th. From 10 to 12, Seniors, by Frod. Frazer (Astronomy,) orat. From 12 to 2, Juniors, (Analytica Geometry,) and Sophomores, (Geometry,) by Mr. Vezin written.

(Assyronomy,) oral. From 12 to 2. Juniors, (Analyticai Geometry,) and Sophomores, (Geometry.) by Mr. Vezin uritten.

Tuesday 12th. From 10 to 12. Seniors, by the Provost (Moral Fhilosophy.) oral. From 12 to 2. Sephomores y Prof. Frazer, (Hylology.) and Freshmen, by Mr. Vezin, (Algebra.) uritten.

Wednesday 18th. From 10 to 12. Juniors, by the Provost, (Intellectual Philosophy.) oral. From 12 to 2. Seniors, by Prof. Jackson, (Cicero's Trisculance,) oral. Thursday 14th. From 10 to 12. Juniors, by Prof. Allen, (The ocritus.) oral. From 12 to 2. Seniors, by Prof. Allen, (The ocritus.) oral. From 12 to 2. Seniors, by Prof. Allen, (The Hippias maior.) oral. From 12 to 2. Juniors, by Prof. Jackson, (Cicero de Amicilia.) oral. From 12 to 2. Sophomores, by Prof. Coppée, (Logic.) oral.

Tuesday 19th. From 10 to 12. Freshmen, by Prof. Allen, (Xeuophon's Grecian History.) oral, From 12 to 2. Sophomores, by Prof. Jackson, (Pacins—Histories.) oral.

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Freshmen, by Prof. Coppée, (History.) oral.

Thursday 21st. From 10 to 12, Freshmen, by Prof.

Jackson, (Livy.) oral.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

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COMMON WEALTH NATIONAL BANK.—

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 8th, 1885.

The annual election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the Banking House, on TUESDAY the 9th day of January next, between the hours of 10 o'clock! A.M., and 2 o'clock, P. M.

H. C. YOUNG, Cashier.

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FARMERS AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL

BANK, PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 8, 1885.

The annual election for Directors of this Bank will
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day of January next, between the hours of 10 o'clock

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W. BUSHTON, Jr., Cashier. OCTY NATIONAL BANK.—PHILADELPHIA,
Dec. 8, 1865.
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the Banking House, on WEDNASDAY, the 10th day
of January, 1866, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M.
and 2 o'clock P. M.
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NOTICE.—The Annual b cetting of the Stock—

holders of the HOMAN OIL COMPANY will be held at their office, No. 326 Walnut street, on THURSDAY the 21st day of December, 1885, at 12 oclock, M. for the purpose of electing Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for sucn other business as may come before the meeting.

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JOHN F. TAGUE, Clerk. PENN NATIONAL BANK, PHILADELPHIA, December 9, 1865. December 9, 1885.

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Bank, for the election of Directors, will be held at its Banking House on TUESDAY, the 9th day of January next, between the hours of 0 o'c ock, A. M. and 3 o'clock, P. M. JAMES RUSSELL, des.f.m.w.tja9.]

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Cashler PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14, 1865. Secretary. del5f m wlm*

OFFICE OF THE PENN MUTUAL LIFE
INSUBANCE COMPANY, NO 221 CHES] NUT
Street, Philadelphia.
Electron.—An election for Nine Trustees, to serve
for three years, and One, to serve for two years, will be
head, at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, the
first day of January, 1866. Polls open from 10 A. M. to
12 M.
dei3-w,s.m.tjal Secretary. AMERICAN LIFE INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY, WALNUT - treet, Southeast Corner of FOURTH, PHILADELPHIA, December 18 1863.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Com

L. CHAMBERLAIN, Secretary and Treasure de19-171# dels-171*

Secretary and Treasurer.

FRANKLIN INSTITUTE—The stated meeting of the Institute will be held on WEDNES-M**

M**Mb**rs and others having new inventions or specimens of manufacture to exhibit, will please send them to the Hall, No. 15 South SEVENTH street, before 7 octock, P. M.

A paper on the magnetism of iron vessels and the cirriction of ships compasses will be read by Prof. Fairman Rogers.

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PENNSYLVANIA MINING COMPANY OF MICHIGAN.—Notice is bereby given, that an installment of Four Dollars per Share on each and every share of the Capital Stock in the Penusylvania Mining Company of Michigan, has this day been called by the Board of Directors of said Company, due and payable at the Office of the Company, No. 325 Walnut-treet, Philadelphia, on or before the 6th day of Octo-1, 1853. Interest will be charged on all Installments after the same shall have become due.

By order of the Board of Directors.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 25, 1863. Sept. 22, w., finesty pernany of the PENNSYLVANIA MUNING COMPANY OF

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MICHIGAN.—Notice is hereby given that all
tock in this Company, on which the installment of
four Dollars per Share, called septemder 25tn, 1855,
and due October 6th, 1855, is not paid is forfeited for
said default; and that, according to the Charter and
By-Laws of the Company; it will be sold at Public
auction, on TUESDAY, January 2th, 1866, at 12 M., at
the Office of the Secretary of the Company, No. 325
WALNUT street, Philadelphia, unless paid on or betore that time.

re that time.
By order of the Board of Directors.
dee 8 2.2cm, w, f(1)=21, h S. M. DAY, Secretary,
DATED PHILADELFINA, Dec. 6, 1883. DIVIDEND NOTICES.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY TREASURER'S DEPARTMENT, PHILADEL-FILA NOVEMBER 1, 1833.

NOTICE 70 STOCKHOLDERS.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual flividend of FIVE PER CENT. on the capital stock of the Company, clear of National and State Taxes, payable on and after November 2014; 1835.

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ROAD COMPANY, Office 27 South FOURTH
Street, PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 11, 1885.
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Company will be closed on SATURDAY, Bec. 16, and
1e opened on Thesday, June 2 1885. DIVIDEND NOTICE—The Transfer Books of this Company will be closed on SATURDAY, Bec. 16, and 1e-opened on Tuesday, Jan. 9, 1868.

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