OUR MEDICAL SCHOOLS. Clinics of the Philadelphia Hospital Alms House, West Philadelphia.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH. 1866.-MEDICAL CLINIC, ALFRED STILLE, M. D.-The clinic of the Medical Department of the above Institution of Wednesday last presented some few particularly interesting cases. We only give the most important, The first subject presented to the attention of the assembled students was one of typhus, contradistinguished from typhoid fever, diseases, unhappily, too prevalent during the last year, and, unfortunately, too prominent in our weekly bills of mortality even now. The patient was introduced, warmly wrapped, on a stretcher, and placed in full view of the auditory. The object of the lecturer, Dr. Stille, was to point out the differences between the two diseases, by actual examination. The patient exhibited the characteristic eruption of typhus, differing from that of typhoid in its appearance over the whole surface of the body, while in the latter it is located chiefly, and indeed, almost altogether, on the stomach and abdomen alone. The back of the invalid exhibited these signs in a remarkable degree. The modes of treatment pursued by the physician in attendance was a nourishing diet, and the use of the new remedial agent, the sulphate of cinchonia, spoken of in our last notice, in lieu of the sulphate of · quinia (quinine), as a strengthening tonic. The doctor spoke of the importance of this new article of cure, describing it as unfailing in its results, and advising its use in all fevers of an intermittent character. We omitted to mention before, that its introduction and adoption in the institution, was mainly owing to Dr. J. L. Ludlow, who used it in every case he had under treatment during the first three months of this course of clinics.

The next case was one of erysipelas in the face, the patient being in a state of convalescence. The face and head were still considerably swollen, particularly the lips and eyes, but the disease had evidently yielded to the judicious treatment employed. Here, too, cinchonia had displayed its usual efficacy as a tonic. Its use, however, was only commenced, when the disease succumbed to the skill of the physician. A milk, and otherwise highly nourishing diet, was superadded, and the patient is in a fair way of permanent recovery.

The Doctor next exhibited several anatomical preparations, of recent cases, some of lung disease, and some of disease of the heart, which were very interesting, exhibiting the difference between the normal and abnormal condition of the parts affected. One of hepatized condition of the lung, from pneumonia, and another of valvular disease of the heart, excited much attention, exhibited, as they were, in contrast with healthy specimens of the same organs.

SURGICAL CLINIC.-R. J. LEVIS, M. D. The clinic of the Surgical Department followed in its regular turn, Doctor Levis occupying his usual position as lecturer. Here there were quite a number of cases presented, principally of indolent ulcers of long standing, curable and incurable, some of which exhibited an almost hideous aspect. The mode of treatment of this class of diseases is an object of no earthly use outside of the profession, and is so purposely

The lecturer closed the morning's proeedings by a very delicate of moval of cataract from the right eye. The patient was some sixty years of age. This was an affection, apparently, of long standing, covering the whole surface of the pupil. The old lady was subjected to the use of ether, and remained under its influence precisely twelve minutes. The operation was a perfect success. The left eye was also

slightly affected, but was not operated on. The Doctor, in the course of the operation, alluded to his use of nitrous oxide gas, before reported, on a former occasion—the amputation of the leg at the knee joint, and the gratifying result which followed the new means of producing anæsthesia. We have here to correct an error in our report of that operation, that of stating that the time. twelve minutes, the patient was under the influence of the gas was the longest on record in this city, or indeed anywhere. It was the longest on record in Philadelphia, but we are informed by Dr. A. M. Shew one of the Resident Physicians of the house that in a recent case, in one of the New York city hospitals, a patient remained under its influence fifteen minutes, which is the greatest length of time known in this country.

After the students were dismissed, the lecturers, in company with the Assistant Resident Physicians, proceeded to visit the various wards. The patient of the knee joint operation was doing finely. Another case of tying the axillary artery, in consequence of sloughing from a previous operation, excited much interest. The sufferer had lost a very large amount of blood, and was, of course, very feeble, and presented a sad object. The indications in his case are by no means favorable, as hemorrhage of other vessels may ensue at any moment, when the resul must inevitably prove fatal.

The Clinics of the Pennsylvania Hospi

To the Editor of the Evening Bulletin-Your reporter, under the caption of "Our Medical Schools," asserts that the medical "clinics" at the Alms House Hospital "preceeded by very many years those given at the Pennsylvania Hospital or any other on this continent, having been instituted by Dr. Shippen in 1788." Permit me to correct him les records the Denney leaving Hospital him as regards the Pennsylvania Hospital. In this Institution students attended the practice of the physicians and surgeons, and were taught by them at the bed-side of the patient, almost from the opening of the hospital in 1752. In 1763 opening of the hospital in 1752. In 1763 their number had become considerable, and the managers demanded a fee for the privilege. In the year 1766, Pr. Thomas Bond commenced a regular course of clinical lectures to the students, of which the managers thought so highly that they had the Introductory Lecture copied into their minute book. And from that time to this, clinical lectures have continued to be given in cal lectures have continued to be given in the Hospital; at the bedside when the classes all, and when these were too large to be taken through the wards, in the amphi-theatre, to which the patients were con-

yeyed. In regard to the substitution of cinchonia for quinine, stated by your reporter to be a recent discovery made at the Almshouse, allow me to inform him that this substitution was made sixteen years ago, in the Hon was made sixteen years ago, in the Pennsylvania Hospital, by the late Dr. Penper, and the results published in the medical journals of the day. This drug has also been extensively used by the physicians of the Philadelphia Dispensary. Early in the late war it was recommended to the notice of the medical officers of the United States. of the medical officers of the United States

army, but disregarded, as economy was not their specialty.
I have no wish, I assure you, to detract from the real merits, many and great as I knew them to be, of the Institution and Faculty eulogized by your reporter; but would merely suggest that in the future essays promised by him it may be well to pay more regard to the trite but useful rule of the late David Crocket, Esq.

CITY BULLETIN.

ANOTHER OIL CASE. - Charles Moore. John Wilcock and H. K. Eaton were before Recorder Eneutyesterday afternoon charged with conspiracy to cheat and defraud Chas. T. Yerkes out of \$11,000 in the purchase of stock in the Eva Oil Company. Edward D. Foulk, the Secretary and Treasury of the Company testified that the land which was claimed to be that of the company's is located in Spring Creek township, Warren county, Pennsylvania, and to consist of thirty acres. He had never seen the deed of the land, none having ever been delivered to him. The certificate which has been sent to the Auditor General of the State, and in which the character of the company was supposed to be set forth, represented that the capital stock was \$100,000, and that 100,000 shares at one dollar per share had been subscribed, for, yet the eash book of the Secretary and Treasuer showed that he had received but \$315 from all sources, \$200 of which had been received through the city post from H. R. Weigland, the Superin-tendent. All the stock was held by H. N. Wrigley as the purchaser of the land, most of which he transferred to H. K. Eaton in various amounts. The Secretary had not any knowledge of the stock after the transfer had been made. His attention was called to the fact that by a receipt fur nished, the stock book of the company had been bought on the 25th of October, where: as the certificates of stock were dated Octo ber 21st, four days before the book came into the possession of the company. He said that he could not give an explanation of it. The hearing was continued until Monday next. PRIZE FIGHTING IN A RESTAURANT.

This morning, about 5 o'clock, a squad of the Sixth Ward Police made a descent upon a saloon on the north side of Arch street above Sixth, having received information that a prize fight was going on there. When the place was entered, two men were found engaged in battering each other. Several rounds had already been fought, and each and been pretty well pummeled. Both had bloody noses and black eyes. The comba tants were taken into custody, and the spectators of the brutal exhibition, eight or ten men, were also arrested. The prisoners had a hearing before Alderman Godbou. The fighters gave the names of Thomas Selvin and Charle phy, and were held in one thousand dollars bail to appear at court. George Fisher who was attending bar and had charge of the saloon was held in one thousand dollars bail for keeping a disorderly house, and the

others were held to keep the peace.

Similar fights are said to have taken place in this saloon before. Last week when the police of the district were all at a fire on Delaware avenue, it is alleged, there was a combat between two prize fighters named Turner and Hastings—the stakes being one hundred dellaw. being one hundred dollars.

THE CITY GOVERNMENT.—The following gentlemen were elected Heads of Department yesterday by a joint Convention of Commissioner of Highways-Wm. W

medicy.
Assistant Commissioners of Highways— Henry B. Bobb, Nathan Spering.

Commissioner of City Property—Charles Dixey. Chief Engineer of Water Works-H. P.

Commissioner of Markets—Jonathan H. Superintendent of City Railroads—John

Chief Inspector of Streets-George F. Gordon Superintendent of Girard Estate-Charles Agent of Girard Estates—Samuel C. Calvin.

ANOTHER MURDER,-Captain Joseph H. Cox, of the English brig Theodorus, who was severely stabbed on Tuesday last, by Morris Aherns, a seaman employed on the vessel, died at the Pennsylvania Hospital last avening. It will be the pennsylvania Hospital last evening. It will be remembered that Aherns has been in prisen on the charge of desertion and at the time of the commission f the act had just been taken on the brig for duty. He became very abusive to the captain when he received orders, and finally

stabbed him. Coroner Taylor will hold an inquest in the case this afternoon, at half-past three

o'clock.

Aherns, the alleged murderer, is in Moyamensing prison, having been arrested by Constable Crawford, of Fifth Ward, immediately property or the complession of the set. liately upon the commission of the act.

ALLEGED BURGLARS COMMITTED.—Before Alderman Beitler, yesterday afternoon, there was a further hearing in the case of George Weis and David Hardin, charged with burglary. Mr. Charles G. Rowland, residing at Fourth and Diamond streets, testified that his store was broken into and robbed of two overcoats on last Saturday The coats were recovered by Detec tives Henderson and Lamson, and identified at the hearing as Mr. Rowland's property. Mr. Bald identified two overcoats perty. Mr. Baid identified two overcoats recovered by the officers, as his property. Mr. Joseph Barton's store, No. 248 South streets, was entered on last Friday night, and robbed of two overcoats and four dozen hats. Weis, when arrested, was wearing one of the stolen hats. The prisoners were fully committed for trial.

A BRILLIANT ENTERTAINMENT.—One of the most fashionable of the superb balls which have signalized this winter, took place last night at National Guards Hall. It was very fully attended, in spite of the horrible state of the weather. It was given by "The Old Guard," and the members of the propagation should feel proud of the splenrganization should feel proud of the splen-id success of their efforts. Quite a pleasant feature of the festival was the presentation, at twelve o'clock, of a beautiful silk Irish flag and an equally handsome American flag, to the "Old Guard." The presentation was made in graceful and fitting terms by Wm. J. Turner, and the standards were received on the part of the "Old Guard," in a very eloquent address, by Mr. Henry A. Cook, President of the organization.

INTERESTING LECTURE BY MR. FRED. ERICK DOUGLASS,—A very large audience, composed of both white and colored persons, assembled last evening at Concert Hall to hear Frederick Douglass, the able colored orator, on "The Assassination and Its Lessons." The subject of the life and death of President Lincoln was disapped death of President Lincoln was discussed with great force, and the lessons which tha career and its ending should teach the nation were brought out with great cogency, and to the great satisfaction of the large

SUNDAY CAB TRAVEL .- The German League held a meeting last evening, at the Mechanics' Hall, Third street, below Green. The attendance was large. Augustus Born presided. A number of petitions, containing almost two thousand signatures, in favor of Sunday car travel, were presented, and it was ordered that they be sent to Harrisburg. A committee was appointed to draft resolutions on the subject, to be re-ported at a meeting to be held to-morrow evening.

FINE ART.—The sale of oil paintings will be continued this evening, at 7½ o'clock, at Scott's Art Gallery, 1020 Chestnut street, when many fine and valuable paintings from the old and modern artists, will be disposed of without reserve.

THE SEASON AND THE POOR-UNION BE-NEVOLENT ASSOCIATION .- For thirty-four years this society has been going in and out amongst the citizens of Philadelphia, giving and receiving their alms; and it has never appealed for aid in vain. At the present crisis it needs all it can obtain to er to carry on its work. With a hundred lady visitors distributed over the entire city, it eaches nearly every family, and the experience of the visitors enable them to di minate between the worthy and the unworthy. The principle of the society is to distribute favors with a cautious hand, being convinced by long experience that this is the only true plan of perience that this is the only true plan of right charity. Numberless organizations have risen and fallen upon a different principle since its foundation, and numberless others will rise and fall whenever they fail to recognize this principle. Indiscriminate alms-giving is the fosterfather of pauperism, and it will eventuate in filling any community with beggars. There are myriads o poor who now labor willingly for a living that would not do so if encouraged in idleness by a mistaken philanthropy, and there are myriads who do LIVE without labor upon the gains of their children, sent through the streets to beg. At the same time there is and always will be a very great deal of real suffering, which it is the bounden duty of the good to seek out and relieve. These are principally women and children, not ofter men, whom women can best minister to. At this crisis many of these are families of discharged soldiers, who would suffer and die in their garrets and cellars unknown to die in their garrets and centars unknown to the great public, but for the efforts of our benevolent women, who thread the byways and alleys of the city, to seek out and re-lieve them. The number of visits made by by our visitors last year was 17,166, number of families relieved, 7,750, number of sick cared for 1,090, number of persons found employment, 817; amount of cash distributed, \$5,684; number of tons of coal given out, 1,740; number of garments, 3,000; number of stoves loaned, 350, and 30 women were found constant employment. In all this visiting there have been, of course, numerous instances of intense hardship brought to light, which, if related, would appeal to every charitable heart; but it has never been the practice of the society to obtrude harrowing cases of suffering before the public to excite sympathy. It has relied rather upon the intelligent judgment of the public to sustain its steady work. Its respectable Board of Managers is a guarantee of responsibility, and they all now urge upon the public notice the wants of the poor at the close of the season.

Messrs. Cooper and Evans, the authorized collectors, will immediately make their final call for the year. Money may also be left with Edmund Wilcox, Treasurer, 404 Chestnut street; or with John Hicks, agent, at the office of the Society, corner of Sansom and Seventh streets.

Samuel H. Perkins. President. John H. Atwood, Secretary.

DESPERATE CONFLICT BETWEEN BUBG-ARS AND A POLICEMAN-THE OFFICER BADLY INJURED.—This morning, between three and four o'clock, the counting house attached to the brick yard of Amos Ellis, on Jefferson street, below Tenth, was entered by forcing open a window shutter. Officer Henry Aldridge, of the Twelfth Distric Police, was passing the place, when he observed a colored man come out with a shovel and pick on his shoulder. When he saw the officer, the negrodropped his shovel and pick. Aldridge then seized him, and the two clinched. A desperate struggle ensued and the officer was finally thrown to the sidewalk. He got rather the best of his man, and was about feeling for a weapon when he was struck a violent blow on the forehead by another man and fell to the sidewalk in an insensible con-dition. The burglars then fled. How long he remained insensible officer Aldridge is unable tostate, but when he returned to conciousness he sprang his rattle and then obtained assistance. It was then found that his back had been injured, and that he was unable to move. He was conveyed to his residence, No. 1513 Camac treet, where he is now confined to his bed. Officer Aldridge is somewhat unfortunate. A short time since he was kicked in the jaw by a prisoner and had just recovered sufficiently from that injury to go on duty again, when he met with a second mishap. ATTEMPTED BURGLARIES.-About nine o'clock last evening an attempt was made to enter a dwelling, No. 1002 Walnut street. The burglar scaled a back fence on an alley

and forced open the kitchen door. He was then frightened off and obtained no plunder This morning about three o'clock a similar attempt was made upon No. 1006 Walnut street, but the thief met with the same

STORE ROBBERY.--Last night the carpet store of J. McCutcheon, at the N. E. corner Second and Coates streets, was entered by forcing a door which was on an entry lead forcing a door which was on an entry reau-ing to a library room in the upper part of the building. The fire-proof safe was forced open and a city bond for \$100, and \$30 in cash, was stolen.

MESSRS. J. C. STRAWBRIDGE & Co., Eighth and Market streets, announce elsewhere that they have just received three cases 44 wide American Chintzes, entirely new and handsome styles, at 25 cents per yard, the cheapest goods aftered thisseason. They also offer five hundred Blankets, fine and medium qualities, at low prices in order to make room for other stock. This will afford botel-keepers and others a good opportunity to replenish.

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Northwest Corner Eighth & Market. THE HAUNTED HOUSE—FURTHER DISCLOSURES.—Mr. Editor: I visited this abode of the Spirits, in our neighborhood, last evening, and found goings on there that were clearly attributed to the spirits, and threw your reporter's account completely into the shade, and would have thrown your reporter there, too, if the Spirits had got as much a hold of him as they had of the people I saw sitting around. On the table I noticed four bruken pipes, one decanter without a stopper, three glass tumblers with the handles broken off, and one wine-glass that had nothing but the stand left. The gentlemen who had been communicating with the solirits were much overcome, some lying under the table, some on the table; and one gentleman sitting in the corner of the room, on the floor, and seeing me taking notes, elaculated, in broken and evidently frightnend sentences, something like this: "Sir-strastranger, t (hic) ake someth (hic) ing; help sel." On the walls the pictures were all more or less in a state of dilapidation. One with a gilt frame, that had formerly been a colored show card of Charles stokes & Co.'s Ready made Clothing Hense, under the Continental, was in part pasted over with a picture of the "Benicia Boy" and Tom Sayers, and in fact everything around the room and about the house showed signa; of the presence of Spirits of the most dangerous character. We wish you would send your reporter down there and make the acquaintance of the family. THE HAUNTED HOUSE-FUETHER DIS-

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Northwest Corner Eighth and Market. A GROWING PLACE.—The city of Mel-A GROWING PLACE.—The city of Melbourne, in Australia, has a population of 120,000 in habitants, and is increasing quite as rapidity as San Francisco. It has many of the aspects of an American city, american labor and American capital having added largely to its growth. American coaches, wagons, teamsters, pioneers, merchants and American ships are so common that although in a minority as regards population, as an influence in enterprise the Americans are the ruling people. There is one American institution the Melbourne people cannot bosst. We alliade to the coal yard of W. W. Alter, No. 957 North Ninth street. Mr. Alter also has a branch office at the corner of Sixth and Spring Garden streets.

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New Jersey Matters.

Political.-The active politicians of Camden are very busily engaged at the present time in arranging the preliminaries for the March municipal election, and the delegate meetings will be held in a few days. The election is one of considerable impor-tance, in a political point of view, there being a mayor, city marshal, three members of council from each ward, three constables, solicitor, treasurer, and three members of the board of educatian, to elect. The two positions which excite the most attention are those of mayor and marshal. A number of aspirants are already in the field, having announced themselves as candidates.
Those for mayor are Paul C. Budd, present incumbent, Eleazer J. Toram, John R. Thompson, T. M. K. Lee, Esq., L. Repshur, and a number of others. For the marshal-ship are named, John W. Campbell, present incumbent, James C. Sloan and others. There are an equal number of aspirants for the other positions, and as the Union party are largely in the ascendant in Camden there is little doubt but that whoever the conventions fix on as their candidates, will

be triumphantly elected. CONFIRMED.—Yesterday the nomination of George S. Woodhull, Esq., of Camden, was confirmed by the Senate as Associate Judge for the Camden Circuit. Mr. Woodhull is an eminent lawyer, and in every way qualified to discharge the duties of that position, and as three-fourths of the criminal business criminates in Camdan it is advantaged. business originates in Camden, it is advan-tageous that the city should have a resident

THE TAXES.—The delinquent taxpayers who have not paid attention to the notices of the special collectors, and still continue to delay the payment of taxes, will soon be visited by said officers armed with authority to make the amounts assessed against them out of their goods and chattels. They had

better attend to the matter at once. DIED FROM EXPOSURE. - A few days since ustice Pierson, of Marlton, held an inquest on the body of a man named John Newman who was found dead in the woods near his esidence. The jury returned a verdict that he came to his death from intemperance He resided in the vicinity of Braddock'

AMUSEMENTS.

THE CHESTNUT,-"Black Mail; or, the Hour of Ten," will only be given thrice, including the matinee to-morrow. Next week we are to have a superb dramatization of Miss Braddon's novel of "The Outcasts," the name being changed to that of the hero. "Henry Dunbar." It will be remembered that a few days since we published a most amusing burlesque on this thrilling story. We have no doubt that it will be a great success at the Chestuut, as Manager Sinn

THE WALNUT.-For Clarke's benefit this evening he appears as Dr. Pangloss, in "The Heir at Law," and as Dicky Sharp, in the new comedietta of "Dicky's Wooing." "Robinson Crusoe" will also be played. "Robinson Crusoe" will also be played. Those who wish seats should secure them early, as they will be at a decided premium at a very early hour. On Saturday afternoon Clarke appears with the entire company at a matinee for a patriotic object. THE ARCH.—We have rarely seen "Mac-THE ARCH.—We have rarely seen "Macbeth" so well performed as it was last night by Mrs. Waller, supported by Mr. Waller. The personation of Lady Macbeth by Mrs. W. was powerful, graceful and discriminating, and no intelligent auditor could fail to be delighted with it. The mingling of famining feeling with intellectual strangth feminine feeling with intellectual strength was truly great. Mr. Waller's Macbeth was also a very able performance and gave very general satisfaction to the entire very general satisfaction to the entire house. This evening Mrs. Waller appears for her benefit as Meg Merriles, in "Gry Mannering." This is said to be one of her most powerful impersonations.

THE AMERICAN THEATRE is still graced with the presence and performances of Wal-lett, the Shaksperean clown. SIGNOR BLITZ, at Assembly Building

continues to present "The Sphynx" with his other marvels each evening and or Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. THE PEAK FAMILY give new programmes nightly at Assembly Building. To-morrow hey have a matinee.

THE GERMANIA OROHESTRA WILL give their usual publicrehearsal to-morrow after-noon, with the following programme:

THE LITTLE WANDERER'S HOME.-A formal inauguration of the The Little Wanderer's Home will take place at Concert Hall on next Monday evening. The following song has been composed to be sung by the boys of the Home on the occasion:

THE BOYS CHEER UP. Tune-The Prisoner's Hope.

BY MRS. C. M. PEAT.

In the School room we boys sit,
And there learn our lessons all,
"Till we hear the 'cheer up' signal 'off to play,"
Then with joyfal hasle we bound!
To our games of bat and ball,
With our same companions all so blish as

To our games of bat and ball,
With our young companions all so blithe and gay,
Tramp! tramp! tramp! we boys are marching,
Now our lessons are all done,
Oh! how bappy we will be, when we breathe the air
again,
For all boys you know must have their aports and
fan!

In our classes we have stood, And our recitations made,
to we're learning every day more and more,
But sometimes we weary grow,
And indeed, almost dismay'd!
Till we hear the cry of victory, lessons o'er!
Trampi tramp! tramp! we boys, &c.

Then in order we all walt,
Till the signal for our play;
And the Teacher opens wide the School room door,
Then the weary eye grows bright,
And the heart of childhood gas!
When we shout the cry of victory 'lessons o'er."

A Herrible Tragedy In Florida. The most heartrending occurrence we have ever been called upon to chronicle says a Georgia paper, took place at Monti-ceilo, on the 9th ult. A young lady of ed-ucation and refinement has been gradually losing her mind. On Tuesday night, at about ten o'clock, she retired to her room. An hour later, a youth who was boarding in the same house, having occasion to pass by the lady's door, heard her offering up to the Throne of Grace an unusually fervent prayer; and pausing to listen, imagined he smelt burning rags. Immediately notifying the gentlemen of the house, the family rushed to the door of the young lady's room and being unable to effect an entrance burst the door open; when, oh! horror of horrors! there sat the maniac in the centre of a feather bed enveloped in the flames, while, with hands clasped together, she petitioned the God of heaven and earth. Upon entering the room the rescuers heard a voice, in tones of rapture, issue from the flames: "Oh! ain't this glorious? Ain't I a martyr?" feather bed enveloped in the flames, while, The fire was promptly extinguished, when it was found the poor lady must have been burning for some time; for from her waist down every vestige of clothing was destroyed, notwithstanding she was dressed

in heavy woolen fabrics, and had on a broad on heavy woolen habrics, and had on a broad-cloth cloak. The character of clothing she wore was all that protected the upper por-tion of her body. The flesh upon the lower portion of her body and limbs was actually oaked brown, and notwithstanding, we are assured she did not appear to suffer pain. She was conveyed to her home, and by this time doubtless has passed to that land where the weary find rest. From all the circum-stances attending this truly lamentable tragedy, it is evident the unfortunate maniac premeditated her own destruction. She moved all her clothing from her own home destroyed her ambrotypes and letters, and after all was ready, set fire to her clothing (hanging in a wardrobe in her room), and

Wreck of the British Bark Jenny. SAVANNAH, Ga., Feb. S .- The first mate and one seamen, the only survivors of the wreck of the British bark Jenny, from Liverpool for Savannah, which was wrecked off Cape Hatteras on the 4th inst., have arrived here. One passenger, with his wife and child,

then deliberately igniting herself, jumped

into bed.

the Captain, and sixteen of the crew, were lost. The two men saved were picked up by a pilot boat, and taken to Hilton Head. The Jenny had an assorted cargo, and was The bark G. S. Hunt has arrived, bringing the crew of the schooner Charles Wil-

iams, abandoned at sea on the 20th of

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