LATE FROM WASHINGTON

REPORT ON RECONSTRUCTION.

Tennessee to be Admitted

FREEDMAN'S BILL

A Message Expected.

GENERAL SHERIDAN'S REPORT.

League Island to

IMPORTANT JUDICIAL DECISION.

LATER FROM THE SOUTHWEST

SALE OF A RAILROAD.

Weather at the West.

From Washington. [Special Despatch to the Bulletin.]
WASHINGTON, February 15th, 1866.—The sub-committee of the committee on reconstruction who have been investigating the condition of affairs in Tennessee, to-day, submitted their report to the general committee, which is understood to be favorable to the admission of the Representatives of that State.

It is said that the Joint Committee of fifteen will report in favor of admitting Tennessee as a State, taking the ground that she with other Southern States is now out of the Union and is to be admitted by formal application to Congress.

The President still has the Freedmen's Bureau bill under consideration. There are several features of the bill which he maintains ought not to be in it. He will probably indicate in a message to Congress in a few days his objections to them.

Advices from Gen. Sheridan, received today, show that the spirit of lawlessness still prevails all along the Mexican frontier. That it will require a pretty strong military force, with stringent orders, to put an effectual stop to it.

It has been decided by the Honse Naval Committee, to visit League Island. The new members of the Committee desire to be fully advised in regard to the matter before they come to a final decision.

Decision of the Court of Claims. Washington, Feb. 15.—The U.S. Court of Claims has decided the case of Thomas W. Pierce, vs. the United States. The elaimant sought to recover from the Government, the sum of 30,000 on certain bills of exchange drawn by Russell, Majors & Waddell on John B. Floyd, Secretary of War during Buchanan's administration, account of a contract executed by the above named firm, to transport supplies to the army in Utah. These bills are marked "accepted" by Floyd, and are of the class familiarly known as the "Floyd acceptances."

The court is of the opinion that Floyd had no rightful power or authority to bind the United States, by the acceptances in sults, and that even if he had, there is such knowledge of the want and failure of consideration and the illegal character of the accertances brought home to the claimant before he became the holder, as to render them unavailable and irrecoverable in his hands; and being of this opinion, the court find for the defendant, and direct the petition to be dismissed. The case will be carried to the Supreme Court for a decision.

From Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 14.—The Louisiana Legislature has passed the city municipal election bill by an almost unanimous vote on the 10th inst. The Ouachita river at Monroe, La., is low. Cotton continued to come in at Trenton and Shreveport. The Shreveport and Vicksburg road was sold by the Sheriff at Monroe, under a mortgage sale, and bought in for \$50,000, by a company of speculators to whom large debts were due, and to a number of old stockholders. The road will be undoubtedly put in running order from Vicksburg to Monroe. The railroad from Shreveport to Marshall, Texas, will soon be finished. Cotton steady; sales of 3,000 bales at 45c. Exports to-day, 2,100 bales. Sugar fully fair, 15c. Tobacco active; leaf 14c.@30.; Sterling 49. Gold 1381.

The Weather. St. Louis, Feb. 14.-About four inches of snow fell last night. To-day the mercury stands at 10 degrees above zero, and is falling. There have been heavystorms in Kansas and the west. The merciay at Leavenworth, at daylight, stood at 16 deg. below

From Havana.

New Orleans, Feb. 14. - Havana advices of the 9th inst. have been received. There is no later news from Mexico. No. 12 sugar for export is quoted at 7½ to 7½c. Coffee 16@161. New York exchange 25@26 discount. On London 161@161 premium. Paris 31 premium.

The Female Emigration Scheme. NEW YORK, Feb. 15 .-- The Supreme Court of this city has denied the application in behalf of the female sufferers by the Mercer frauds, for an injunction against the owners of the Steamship Company. Messrs.

Buck & Chittenden, the counsel, will take further steps for their relief.

Consuls Recognized. Washington, Feb, 15.—The President has recognized Heinrick Moser as Consul of Hesse, Darmstadt, for the State of West Virginia, and Fred. John Cridland as Consul of H. B. M., for the States of Alabama and Florida, to reside at Mobile.

Arrival of the Bremen

**FENIANAFFAIRS** 

Further Reward for Stephens. SEIZURE OF FENIAN ARMS.

CHILEAN PRIVATEERS AT WORK.

The Spanish-South American Trouble.

Commercial Intelligence.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.-The steamer Bremen arrived with Liverpool dates of the 31st ult. Consols closed at 861@87: United States

Five-Twenties, 66@661; Illinois Central, 751@751: Erie. 561@561. The Canada arrived out on the 29th ult. The ship Wyoming, of Philadelphia, and Monarch of the Sea, arrived at Liverpool on

the 28th. The Haversham, from New York for Adelaide, was spoken Jan. 3d. in lat. 5 N..

long, 29 W. The mate and seamen of the Roscoe, from New Orleans for Liverpool, arrived at Islay, and report the ship fast breaking up; most of the cargo saved.

The Sunday Gasette says, the first reading of the Reform bill will not be moved before Easter, and more probably not be-fore the reassembling of the House after the holidays.
The Government has issued another pro-

clamation offering £2,300 for Stephens, cap-ture. An additional seigure of 50 rifles and bayonets has been made at Dundalk. The intelligence that Mr. Chandler's motion was negatived in the U.S. Senate in recall of the American Minister had no effect

on Change.
The French Yellow Book containing despatches to the Washington Cabinet on the Mexican question has been published. Several vessels bearing Chilean colors appeared off Valencia pursuing Spanish shipping, supposed to be privateers.

The Emperor and Empress of Austria

had been visiting Pesth and were enthusi-astically received. The Spanish Minister had assented to introducing a bill in the Senate in favor of the

Pope's temporal power.
The Spanish Minister and Consul to Peru had returned to St. Nazaire.
Intelligence from Lima announces that diplomatic relations between Spain and

Peru had been interrupted.

The Norway chamber had rejected by a majority of two an amendment to the constitution proposing an annual parliament.

LIVERPOOL, January 31.—The steamsh!p Edinburgh, from New York, arrived out on the 29th ult. The steamer Moravian, from Portland, arrived out on the 30th.

Corron—Sales for two days 17,000 bales, including 6,000 bales to speculators. The market is dull, and quotations are barely maintained.
The Manchester market was quiet and steady. BREADSTUFFS-Flour very dull and de

clined 6d, per barrel; wheat quiet and steady; corn easier and declined 3d.; mixed 28s. 9d.@29s.
Provisions—Beef steady; pork steady; bacon firm; butter downward; lard has an upward tendency, and is quoted at 67s; tal-

PRODUCE-Ashes quiet and steady; sugar dull; coffee steady; rosin inactive; spirits of turpentine, no sales; petroleum steady at 2s. 5d.@2s. 6d.

Marine Disasters. Boston, Feb. 15th.—The ship Herald of the Morning, from Shields, with a cargo of coal and chemicals, while entering this harbor during a northeast rain storm last night, got ashore on the False Spot half a mile inside of Boston light, staving a hole in her bottom. She remains in the same position to-day with ten feet of water in her hold, and will probably be got off after a portion of her cargo is discharged.

The ship Hamlet ashore on Nauset Beach was badly shaken up by a violent southeast gale last night, and to-day the sea is breaking over her.

Pennsylvania Legislature. HARRISBURG, Feb. 15th.

SENATE.—Mr. Ridgway presented petitions in favor of Sunday travel, signed by sixty-five hundred persons.

Mr. Donovan presented two petitions avorable to Sunday travel.

Messrs. Donovan and Connell presented petitions against the Lombard and South Street Railroad extension.

Mr.Connell, a petition against the Sunday Law from the Baptist Church, Chestnut Joint resolution to adjourn from to-morrow until Tuesday week, was passed.

Mr. Connell introduced a bill enabling

joint tenants to sell bonds below par; also one legalizing acknowledgment of deeds in territories; also, one relative to the sale and conveyance of real estate.

At a meeting of Philadelphia Senators, it was agreed to allow the city to sell loans

below par to the extent of five millions, but no more. Mr. Ridgeway opposed selling any of them below par, and has taken strong grounds on the position.

House,—Public Bill Day.

The act regulating marriages was con sidered and passed, main feature of which imposes a fine of five hundred dollars on persons performing the ceremony, except Aldermen, Justices, Clergymen, Mayors

and Recorders.

The act allowing claims to be presented for personal property destroyed by our own militia during the war, passed.

Mr. Steiner, this morning received a petition ninety feet long, signed by six thousand five hundred citizens of Philadelphia, favoring Sunday cars running. The petition was brought up by a Committee, mostly Germans, appointed at a meeting lately held in the city.

Price of Gold in New York. [By the People's Telegraph Line.]
NEW YORK, Feb. 15th.—Gold has

quoted to-day as follows: 10.30 A. M., 137 11.30, 11.00 137 12.00 M., 11.15 137 @ 4 137

THE barns of Messrs, Butler and Richardson, at Royalton, Ohio, were burned on Saturday, together with eighteen head of cattle and large quantities of grain and im-plements. Mr. Richardson was smothered o death while attempting to save some of the cattle.

A Mr. Ore, a German gentleman, from Ohio, has gone to Milledgeville, to consult with the State authorites of Georgia in regard to a large colony of German emigrants which he intends to bring out from Europe, if proper encouragement is given.

CITY BULLETIN.

THE MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL. This institution is located on Islington lane, in the Twenty-first Ward, and the necessity of having it connected with the centre of the city by the police telegraph was demon-strated by an incident which happened yes-terday afternoon. We observed at Fifth and Chestnut streets a colored man, suffering from small pox in charge of a police-man, who had kindly volunteered to get him a place to lodge. Unsuccessful appli-cation was made at several places, and the last we saw of the two men they were going out Chestnut street. The office of the Board of Health was closed, and no information could be had from that quarter, but if there had been a telegraph line to the Municipal Health was closed, and no information could be had from that quarter, but if there had been a telegraph line to the Municipal Health and the had been a dealth the country of the street of the Hospital the sufferer would, no doubt, have soon become a patient of that institution.

THE NINETEENTH WARD SUICIDE.-The suicide of the man who was found yesterday morning at the foot of Cumber-land street, in the Nineteenth Ward, is still involved in mystery. Coroner Taylor commenced an inquest in the case yesterday afternoon, but there was no evidence to show who the deceased was or the motive which prompted the act of self-destruction The body is yet at the Nineteenth Ward Police Station, and although it has been viewed by hundreds of persons during yesterday and to-day, it has not been recognized. The inquest will be resumed this

LARGERY.-Before Alderman Toland this morning, David Myer was charged with the larceny of goods valued at \$60. It is alleged that he obtained the goods in December last at an establishment, to sell on commission, and then disappeared. He was discovered yesterday, at St. John and Wood streets, and was arrested. He was committed in default of \$1,000 bail to answer.

POLICEMAN INJURED,-Officer George Finley, of the Reserve Corps, while in the Butler House on Sixth street last night, during the fire in that vicinity, stumbled over a box on the stairs and fell down the staircase. He was severely injured and was

not on duty this morning. SLIGHT FIRE.—The alarm of fire at eleven o'clock last night was caused by the burning of some combustibles in the third story af Theo. Brown's stereotype foundry, rear of Sixth street, below Chestnut. Damage trifling.

A COLD BATH.-About ten o'clock last night, Joseph Kenney fell into the Dela-ware at Arch street wharf. He was rescued from his perilous condition by Officer Myers, of the Harbor Police.

SLIGHT FIRE.-Last evening about seven o'clock, a dwelling house, No. 311 North Front street, was slightly damaged by fire.

Bower's Infant Cordial is a certain, safe and speedy cure for cholic, pains and spasms, yielding great relief to children teething, hower's Laboratory, Sixth and Green. "FELT CORN AND BUNION PLASTERS,"-

NEEDLES' INDELIBLE INK .- A standard and reliable article for marking handkerchiefs, garments, &c. Made by C. H. Needles, Druggist, corner Twelfth and Race streets,

PLASTERS.—Needles' Medicated Compound Hem'ock, for cure and relief of pains and weakness. For sale at his Drug State, Twelfth and Race, and by our best Druggists. 5-20's WANTED, DeHaven & Brother,

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ers, Jewel Caskets, Cigar Cases, Cutlery, etc. SNOWDEN & BROTHER, Importers, 23 South Eighet th stre 7 3-10's WANTED, DeHaven & Brother,

COURTS. Frederick Schravshuen vs. the Security Fire Insurance Company. An action on a policy of insurance. On trial.

DISTRICT COURT—Judge Hare.—Pharo vs. Schick. Before reported. On trial. NISI PRIUS—Justice Strong.—Ashmead vs. the Protestant Episcopal Book Society. Before reported. Still on trial.

SUPREME COURT—Chief Justice Wood-

ward, and Justices Thompson, Reed and Agnew—John B. Houser and Dan'l Buser, plaintiffs in error, to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvenia, defendant in error. Error to Oyer and Terminer of Cambria county. In this case the plaintiffs in error were convicted of murder in the first degree in having caused the death of two fer residing in Cambria county, and among the errors assigned was one that the Court per-mitted the Commonwealth to call two of the jurors as witnesses to some collateral fact.
The case was argued and submitted.

Billiards in New York.

[From to-day's Tribune.]
The new billiard-room of Messrs. Leland & Co., was opened last evening. The saloon is a very commodious and elegant one, being the same size as the dining room of the Hotel, immediately under which it is with fourteen of Phelan & Collendar's standard tables, and will probably be one of the most popular resorts of the kind in New

The "guests" of the hotel were generally invited last evening to visit the saloon for the purpose of witnessing a number of onr billiard celebrities in performing upon the new tables. The attendance was quite large, including a number of lady. "guests," who appeared to be much interested; the great hall was brilliantly illuminated, and the whole affair was of an unusually agreeable character. Messrs Phelan, Deery, McDevitt, Eaton, and other skillful billiard players

were present, though Mr. Pierre Carme-probably the finest player in America—was absent on account of sickness. The first match was between Messrs. Phelan and Deery, in three ball French carom game. Phelan was the victor by 11 points, in 16 innings—making one run of 9 points. Much beautiful playing was displayed by both contestants—Phelan, especially, playing with even more than his perolectill

usual akill The next match was a four-ball American carom game of 500 points between Mr. McDevitt and Mr. Eaton, the Superintendent of the rooms; won by the former in less than an hour—remarkably fast playing—the tally at the conclusion showing McDevitt 501; Eaton, 350. McDevitt made one "run" of 101, and several others, showing great ingenuity and delicacy of touch in the art of "nursing" the balls; while his opponent. also, displayed considerable "brilliancy."

Mr. Deery concluded the exercises of the evening by exhibiting his varied knowledge of the great on a time grown table making of the game on a fine carom table, making several remarkable "shots," which elicited applause. It is said that a champion bilapplause. It is said that a champion off-liard match between Deery and McDevitt, for the possession of the "golden que" will shortly transpire in this billiard hall, and the affair is looked forward to with much

interest. A SHOOTING AFFRAY.—A difficulty oc-curred in Georgetown, Ky., on Wednesday curred in Georgetown, Ky., on Wednesday last, between two young men—one a student of the Baptist College, by the name of Haydon, and the other Theodore Hughes, son of Timothy Hughes, Esq., of Woodford, in which both parties were severely if not dangerously wounded. They fought in a room with revolvers, and the firing did not stop till every shot in both pistols was expended. The origin of the difficulty was a misunderstanding about some business misunderstanding about some business matter. One ball struck young Hughes in the shoulder, passed round his back, and lodged in his arm, and another wounded him in the arm below the elbow.—LouisFacts and Fancies.

A Boston paper says:
"The Ice Witch' is shortly to be produced at Philadelphia." The sentence is into inplete. It should read "The Ice, witch is shortly to be produced at Philadelphia—will not be removed from the streets by the authorities.

A hunter in Colorado killed six fawns in one day, and sold them for a handsome sum. There was "the thrift that follows fawning,"

A house was burned at Holmes Hole tast week, being the second dwelling house destroyed by fire in a period of a hundred years. No wonder the people call their settlement "Homes Whole."

Ten thousand persons gathered at the Central Skating Park in Pittsburgh, one day last week, to witness the evolutions of Miss Carrie Moore. The crowd would have increased, but the ice objected to Carry More Boston Post says: "Wigfall is wanted." Wouldn't a water-fall do?

The Brooklyn plasterers stick to their "strike" with regular ceiling whacks. They declare that they will not be driven to the wall, but will go to the scaffold first. The Winan cigar ship expects to cross the Atlantic in four days. A wine an' cigar ship ought to be a pretty fast one. We presume she will take a convoy to-back-her.

The difference between occupation and business—Maximilian occupies the throne of Mexico but has no business there. - Bos-

A New York lady, with a fortune of \$100,000, recently married a poor barber. That comes of the modern extravagence in hair dressing. The burber ached the lady's coffers by tampering with her locks. What is the difference between a spend-thrift and a feather bed? One is hard up and the other soft down. and the other soft down.

Whitelaw Reid, known as "Agate," long a correspondent of the Cincinnati Gazette, is going South to "run" a cotton plantation.
A species of run Agate.

A shoemaker in New York kicked his wife nearly to death last Sunday. If his wife should die, the head of the house will soon be found kicking the heir. Brooklyn is about to sell all her old clothes

to buy a big organ. It will probably only be a sub-Erban affair, if it is built in New

Artemus Ward said in Charleston, S. C., that Brigham Young has probably more silver plate than any man living—except General Butler. Artemus, who has been living on Union people's money for the last four years, has been to New Orleans lecturing for Mrs. Jeff. Davis, has reached Charleston, and is evidently—coming on! To rid dogs of fleas rub them well with a piece of flannel saturated in naphtha. To

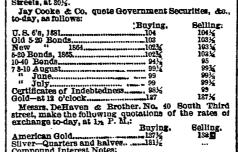
complete the cure, touch off the naphtha with a lucifer match. PAINFUL SUICIDE.—Mr. William Snyder, of White township, Indiana Co. Pa., committed suicide on Sabbath last. It as pears hat he arose in the morning in his usual health, but appeared to be somewhat dis-pirited. Toward noon he went to the barn remarking that he was going to feed the attle. Shortly after his son went to the stable to put in a horse, and was met by the terrible spectacle of his father suspended between heaven and earth, and quite dead. He had fastened the rope to the joists above, then securing it about his neck, jumped off the trough, breaking his neck, and killing himself instantly. It is supposed that an absurd fear of coming to want prompted him to commit the rash deed.

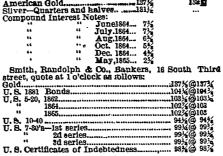
## COMMERCIAL. . BALES OF STOCKS.

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10500 do	104	100 sh do 37%
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250 do '62 reg	102%	400 sh Green Mount 41-16
56 0 City 68 new	91%	100 sh Nor Central 810 431
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400 sh Big Mountain		100 sh Read B 50%
Coal	53.	1 0 ah 13th & 15th St R 3012
Public Board-Philadelphia Exchange.		
REPORTED BY & C. JOHNSON, STOCK RECKER, NO. 323		
WALNUT STREET,		
FIRST CALL.		
500 ah Alcorn	.15	1100 ab American Gum
100 sh sugar Creek	3	Paint Co 2 ds 1
200 sh Big Tank	.44	100 sh St Nicholas O .35
100 sh McElrath	134	

PRICES OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK.
(By Telegraph.)
First Class. SECOND C SECOND CLASS Reading Railroad..... New York Central.... U. S. & '81 int off..... U. S. & 5-208.... Hudson River... Ilinois Central.

Finance and Business-Feb. 15, 1866. There was no spirit at the Stock Board this morning andnot much change in prices. Catawissa R. R. share the exclusion of the other speculative securities. It closed at \$7% for the Preferred, and 25% for the Com mon stock, but with comparatively limited transact lons. Government Loans were firm at yesterday quotations, with rather more demand for the Loan o al at los. State Loans were held firmly. There was more inquiry for the new City Loans, and they were R cent. higher. Camden and Amboy Railroad was irm at 118; Pennsylvania Railroad at 55%; Mine Hill Railroad at &; Lehigh Valley Railroad at &%, and Little Schuylkii Railroad at 31½. North Pennsylvania Railroad and Philadelphia and Eric Railroad were weak. There were no transactions in Oil stocks Bank shares were held stiffly, and the Seventh Na ional is the only one below par. In Passenger Railway shares the only sale was of Thirteenth and Fifteentl Streets, at 80%.





Philadelphia Markets. THURSDAY, Feb. 15.-There is no change in Clover.

seed and the sales are only in small lots at \$7@7 50— the latter figure for choice lots. Timothy is worth 24 25 and Flauseed & 65 3 bushel No. 1 Quercitron Bark is steady at \$32 50 % ton, but there is very little doing.

There is more demand for Flour but prices of Spring Wheat continue to rule irregularly. Sales of 100 bar-rels superfine at \$6 25 % barrel, 300 barrels Northwest extra family at \$8@9, 100 barrels Winter Wheat do. at \$10, and 200 barrels fancy Ohio at \$13; also 3,500 barrels choice Western on secret terms. Rye Flour is steady st 4 75@5, and Corn Meal at 4 25, but there is nothing doing in either.

There is very little inquiry for Wheat and prices are

drooping. Sales of 2,000 bushels common and prime Red at \$1 20@2 20 % bushel. In White nothing doing. Rye is steady at 85 cents. Corn is very qui ing. Rye is steady at 85 cents. Corn is very quiet. Sales of 1,700 bushels yellow at 70 cents, in store, at which it is freely offered. Oats are steady at 45 cents. In Barley there is nothing doing. 1,000 bushels. Barley Malt sold at \$1.38.

The Provision market is quiet. Sales of 200 tierces pickled Hams at \$193019½ cents, Shoulders in salt at 124,013 cents, and dressed Hogs at 123012½ cents. Whisky is very dull. We quote Penna, and Ohio barrels at \$2.24@2.26. CARD.

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1881's. Certificates of Indebtedness, Compound Interest Notes of 1864. and GOLD AND SILVER.

Bought and Sold. Drafts drawn on England, Ireland, France and Ger bany.
5-20's of 185 xchanged for the old issue of 1862 and
the market dependence allowed. nozi-tf5p

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price.
Government Securities of all kinds bought and sold.
Stocks and Gold bought and sold on commission in
this and other markets.
Interest allowed on deposits, E, W. CLARK & CO., Bankers,

fer-Sm 5p No. 85 S. THIRD Street, Philadar PROF. SCHAEFFER will sell "ONE HUND TO DRED" tickets for a German course of only five weeks, to be conducted with the view to enable the student to commence SPEAKING the language AT THE END OF THAT TIME, at \$10 each ticket, at Horticultural Hall, BROAD and WALNUT at 1/2 before 8 o'clock, P. M. TO-DAY. Admission, 25 cts. 1t\* fore 8 o'clock, P. M. TO-DAY. Admission, 25 cts. Ite fore 8 o'clock, P. M. TO-DAY. Admission, 25 cts. Ite fore 8 o'clock, P. M. TO-DAY. Admission, 25 cts. Ite Ingranted to the subscriber upon the Estate of WILLIAM HARRIS, deceased, all persons indebted to the same will make payment, and those having claims present them to MARY HARRIS, Administratrix, No. 149 THOMPSON Street.

I ETTIERS OF ADMINISTRATION having been L granted to the subscriber, upon the Estate of SARAH SITER, deceased, all persons indebted to the same will make payment, and those having claims present them to ADAM SITER, Administrator, 1819 Pine street.

## THIRD EDITION.

3:00 O'Clock.

BY TELEGRAPH.

From Mexico. NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 14th.-Advices from the city of [ Mexico to January 27th, state

that the Imperialists had gained a great success in the surrender to them of Papantla by the liberal Generals Muriar and Alaloe. The city acknowledged the Empire, the principal officers to go abroad if they wish. From Mazatlan and Sinaloa the news is

unfavorable to the Imperialists. Crona holds all the mountain passes, and the Imperial forces are too small to break them. In Nilhocan the Liberals were defeated and driven out.
The latest dates received at the city of

Mexico from Santiago and Monterey are to January 15th. All the roads to Monterey were infested by guerillas. A number of leading merchan's have returned there and resumed business among them.

The well known Melna, son-in-law to Vidaurra, is in Chihuahua, The Imperial authorities have issued an order disarming the people, except with

special license. Maximilian has granted to certain parties the Mexican and European privilege for seventy years of building a railroad from Puebla to the Pacific.

From New Orleans. NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 14.-Mardi Gras was elebrated here, last evening, in a style not surpassed for many years in the number and splendor of balls and other kind of public amusements. Hosts of people attended them or filled the streets to watch

curred, and the scene was one of unrestrained mirth and reckless joy. The grand lodge of masons for the State are now holding annual communication here. The country lodges are fully repre-

the maskers. Only one act of violence oc-

sented for the first time in five years. The Governor to-day vetoed the parochial election bill on the grounds that sufficient notice was not given for the election. He had it in hand nearly two weeks.

From Havana. New Orleans, Feb. 14.—Further advices

from Havana to the 9th inst., have been re- : ceived.

The steamer Louisiana had just arrived from France, on the way to Vera Cruz. She had a special Commissioner from Napoleon to Maximilian on important business; also a Belgian General, who will inform Maximilian of the accession of Leopold II. to the Belgian throne.

The Weather. CINCINNATI, Feb. 15.—This is the coldest day of the season. The mercury stood, at

W. H. INSKEEP 8 o'clock at zero. BUFFALO, Feb. 15 .- The worst storm of this year commenced last night and continues to-day. The weather is very cold. There is a drifting snow. The mercury is six egrees shove zero. The lake sh

Exchange. Government Securition Bought and Fold. ja23 5p-lm are arriving on time. XXXIXth CONGRESS.—FIRST SESSION. WASHINGTON, Feb. 15.

House.-Mr. Kasson (Iowa) reported, from the Committee on Appropriations, a bill making appropriations for the service of the Post Office Department for the year ending June, 1867.
The House debated and postponed the bill

relative to the sale of postage stamps and stamped envelopes in the South. The House proceeded to the consideration of the Miscellaneous Appropriation bill, the same which failed to become a law during the last session.

Markets. NEW YORK, Feb. 18th.—Cotton is quiet at 45c. for middlings. Flour has declined 10c. for State; sales of 6,500 bbls. at 45 80@3 20 for State; \$3 45@10 75 for Oblog; \$5 75@5 35 for Western and \$7 90@11 50 for Canada, Wheat and corn duil; sales unimportant. Beef quiet, Pork heavy at \$28 57.6 @28 50 for mess. Lard dull, Whitsky dull. Whisky dull.

Stocks better, Chicago and Rock Island 168; Cumberland preferred, 443; Illinois Central 115; Micnigan Southern 693, New York Central 894; Reading 1684; Budson River 1634; Erie 79; Western Union 574; Tennessee 6'8 894; Treasury 7'3-10's 99½; Ten Forties 94%; Coupon Sixes 1644; Gold firm.

CITY BULLETIN. SUDDEN DEATH. - A man named J. Weildes, died suddenly this morning, in the National Bank, on Penn Square. The body was removed to the Ninth Ward Station House, and the Coroner was notified.

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