CITY COUNCILS.

A stated meeting was held yesterday. SELECT BRANCH.

Mr. Lynd filled the Chair: A remonstrance was presented against the proposed lighting of Rittenhouse street, from Green street to the Wissahickon.

Mr. Van Cleve presented a petition from John McArthur. Mr. McArthur calls at-John McArthur. Mr. McArthur cans attention to the alleged fact that the Governor of Pennsylvania, in the year 1810, conveyed Independence Square to the city of Philadelphia, conditionally that no building shall ever be erected upon it and that it shall be devoted to a public square forever. The writer of the petition begs Councils to pause before they build a new Court House upon it, and avert the consequences of a pro-

upon it, and avery the consequences of a pro-ceeding which is piainly illegal.

Mr. Spering remarked that although this was true so far as it went, yet the Legisla-ture, by special act, had, some time ago, released the city from such restriction.

Mr. Van Cleve said that he was perfectly

aware of this fact, but that he could not refuse to present a respectful petition from a table citizen. Referred to Committee on Law. A note from the Managers of Girard Col-

lege, asking for the admission of still more pils, was referred. Feom the Mayor was received a message inclosing, in response to request of Councils a list of the implements, &c., of the Depart

ment for Cleaning the Streets, owned by the A report was received from the Commit-tee on Water, resolving that the Mayor be authorized to enter into contracts for iron pipes, castings, &c. Adopted.

A report was received from the Committee on Conference relative to the appropria tion to the Fire Department, setting forth that they were unable to agree:
The Committee on City Property reported
against making any alteration in the plan

of the new Court House to be erected on the west side of Independence Square. The Chamber accepted the report, after a long

debate.

A resolution permitting the Delaware and Fairmount Park Passenger Railway to make certain extensions to their tract was introduced. This road is the consolidated Fourth and Eighth and Girard Avenue

Mr. Kamerly, while offering no objection to the bill, asked for its postponement until next Thursday.

Mr. Bumm explained that the bill was one calculated to benefit the com-

munity.

Mr. Jones assented to the postponement, which was agreed to.
The resolution of instruction to the Com-

mittee on Surveys, relative to the construc-tion of a bridge across the Schuylkill at South street, was adopted.

A communication was received from the Board of Health, in answer to the inquiry of Councils, as to the manner in which they

spent the special appropriation of \$25,000 for sanitary purposes. They set forth the books are open to the inspection of Councils. Referred to the Committee on Health. Mr. Gray reported an ordinance making appropriation of \$750 to Charles Morris, and \$250 to the widow of John Keenan. The latterwas killed while blasting rocks at the

Water Works, the former lost his sight by the same explosion. Both were in the em ploy of the city. Passed.
The Committee on Law, after considering Colonel Page's resolutions in regard to a radical change inadministering the city government, reperted in favor of asking legis-

-For a law to limit the amount of money to be paid by the city to officers no subject to ther control, so that the fees shall not exceed as thus: District Attorney, \$4,000; Clerk of Quarter Sessions, \$2,500; Sheriff,

Second—Authorizing the city to collect, by distress, from delinquent railroad compa-nies, all sums due for street repairs that should have been done by such com-

panies.

Third—A law to release the city from paying expenses of the Prothonotary, Register of Wills, and Recorder of Deeds, for the dockets and books of record, &c.,

As to that portion of Colonel Page's plan which proposes to put all departments in the direct charge of the Mayor, the Committee bring in a negative recommen-

Colonel Page made a long speech upon

the resolution.

The resolution was adopted as reported.

Mr. Smith offered a preamble and reso lutions that as the Councils of the city have the charge of the streets in said city, and as the expenses for opening and grading the streets are paid out of the treasury, and as the Legislature has for some time past di-rected the opening of streets in Philadelphia, when all the powers are vested in said Councils, and as they have always been ready to facilitate the opening, grading and paving of streets, the Philadelphia delegation at Harrisburg be requested to protest against any act in reference to the opening, paving or grading of any streets in the city of Philadelphia—agreed to.

The bill from Common Council, leasing Vine street wharf was concurred in.

The bill relative to an increase of the po-

lice force was taken up as it came from Common Council was disagreed to, yeas 4, Mr. Smith now moved to reconsider the

matter, because the appointment of the tele-graph operators at station houses was in-dispensable—one for the Twenty-second and mandfor the Twenty-third ward.

Mr. Freeman moved that the motion to reconsider be indefinitely postponed. Lost.

Then a motion was made to postpone for

the present. Agreed to.
A resolution was presented that a joint special committee of five from each Chamber

be appointed to examine into the condition of the Philadelphia Gas Works, with full power to send for persons and papers, and to report in detail to the Chamber. It was unanimously agreed to.

The ordinance making an appropriation

to the Fire Department for the year 1866 was taken up, and considered in Committee on the Whole, and amended in various particulars. Adjourned.

COMMON BRANCH.

A communication was received from Mr.

Cochran, President of the Board for the Revision of The resident of the American of The Cochran, the communication was received for the Revision of Th to the Fire Department for the year 1866

vision of Taxes, giving the expenses of the Board for the year 1866, as follows:
Salaries, - - \$4,000
Printing and advertising, - 500
Clerks, - - 1,500

Clerks, - - - 1,500 Referred to the Committee on Finance.

A petition to have the Taylor Hose Com pany located as a steamer was referred to the Fire committee.

An ordinance was passed instructing the

An ordinance was passed instructing the commissioner of Markets to lease Arch street wharf to William J. Taylor for ten years, at a rent of \$2,000 per annum, conditional on his extending the pier to the Port Wardens' line.
Mr. Marcer, Chairman of the committee

of conference on the difference between the two Chambers on the Fire Department appropriation, reported that they could not

agree. The report was accepted.

The Chamber resumed the consideration of the appropriation te the Fire Department.

Mr. Griffiths moved an amendment to make the gratuities to hose companies \$500,

Mr. Palmer moved to make the amount 300. Lost. Mr. Griffiths' amendment was also lost—

yeas 12, nays 20, The bill then passed as originally presented.

The Fairmount Park bill then came up for the third time. The Select Chamber last week returned the ordinance originally

moved to repeal the ordinance. He said that Common Council was entitled to respect, and Select Council should make that acknowledgment. The routine of legislation is the mutual action of the two chambers, and when a committee investigation is necessary it should be by the joint com-mittee of both houses. Select Council had summoned the gentleman before the law committee, and he declined because the committee was not joint. He acted on principle, to set Select council a good example

When the Park bill was first spoken of the price of land was exorbitantly rated, and after the first price additional sums were added. The price now proposed is were added. The price now proposed is \$480,000. The \$300,000 is for the owners of the ground, and \$180,000 for outside men. The third parties that were to receive the \$180,000 could be named. Between ten men \$9,500, were to be divided, and it is time that a radical change occurs in the municipal legislation, to stop this peculation and fraud on the freasury. Mr. Hancock said he had stated his power to give names, and he would stick to the point; and he declared his purpose to be never to pay a dollar more out of the treasury that could be saved. As to the real value of the land, he had carefully reinvestigated the matter, and from the rentails and the deeds, and the other means of information the could obtain, the land can be estimated at \$230,000, and no more; and fraud on the treasury will be

Mr. Evans said that three weeks ago Mr. Hancock, in his place on the floor of the Chamber, stated that he had the names of persons who were to receive, for the pur chase of the Park, \$180,000 if Select Council would not repeal the bill. Select Council has refused, and now the gentleman from the Fourteenth cannot tell the Chamber the name of a single gentleman who has received, or is to receive, money through the purchase of the Park.

Mr. Hancock—The gentleman lies—under

Mr. Evans—The gentleman may be witty, but the dignity of his position should have risen above the wholesale charges thrown out against the members of Select Council and the land owners of the Fairmount Park property. They are men of honor and in-tegrity, and Common Council is culpable for the license of accusation allowed to the gentleman. He should be kept to the literal fulfilment of his threat, and as he had pub-licly declared that he had the names of men who were to receive \$180,000 for the passage of the bill, he should be required to name the parties, and not insult the Chamber by the action manifested during the entire con

ideration of the bill. Mr. Marcer—The remarks of the gentleman from the Fourteenth have changed my views on the matter, and I move to lay the bill on the table. This was lost-navs 29 yeas 7. The bill was repealed by the same

Mr. Evans offered a resolution to instruct the City Solicitor to move that the Supreme Court dissolve the injunction prohibiting the removal of the rails on Broad street.

The two Chambers, in joint convention, unanimously elected Wm. J. Phillips Su-perintendent of Police and Fire Alarm Telegraph, and Chas. Oats, Superintendent of A resolution of request to the Legislature.

relative to the opening of streets, from Select Council, was concurred in. Also, a resolution of instruction to Committee on Survey.

An ordinance relative to water pipe was

concurred in.

A resolution instructing the Police Committee to compel the owners of vacant lots to enclose the same, was referred to Committee on Pelice.

The ordinance relative to the lease of the Law Buildings was concurred in. Ad-

Death of Jared Sparks, the Historiau. Jared Sparks, who died on 14th inst., at his residence in Cambridge, was born at Willington, Conn., on May 10, 1789, and graduated at Harvard in 1815. The earlier vears of his life had been devoted to agri culture and mechanical pursuits, but the bent of his mind was toward the acquisition and imparting of knowledge. A careful and painstaking student, his progress was certain and rapid. After his graduation he studied theology at Cambridge, and in 1817, at the age of 28 years, became tutor in mathematics and natural philosophy, a position he held two years. During this period he became one of the conductors of the North American Review, of which periodical he afterward was for several years the sole proprietor. In 1819 Mr. Sparks entered upon the charge of a Unitarian congregation in Baltimore, which he continued until 1823, when from ill health he was compelled to resign. During his pastorate he had been ac-tively engaged in theological literature, publishing, in addition to an able contro versial work on the Protestant Established Church, the "Unitarian Miscellany," which he founded, and the pages of which were almost entirely contributed by his pen, and editing a collection of theological essays by various authors, the publication of which was completed in 1826. Mr. Sparks, on his resignation, removed to Boston and pur-chased the North American Review, which, for seven years he edited. In 1828 he published a life of John Ledyard, containing many new particulars of that distinguished traveler. The first work which gave him his high rank as an histo-rian was the "Life and Writings of George Washington," published in 1834-7, in twelve volumes. This book occupied about nine years in its production, and its value was much enhanced by the laborious researches of the author, both in the United States and Europe. During the preparation of the "Life of Washington," Mr. Sparks made two other contributions to American history—the" Dicontributions to American history—the Di-plomatic Correspondence of the American Revolution," in 12 volumes, and a "Life of Gov. Morris," in 3 volumes. In 1830 he also established the "American Almanac," and edited the first volume. The "Library of American Biography," of 25 volumes—in two series, one of 10 volumes, 1834-8, and one of 15 volumes, 1844-8 was of his editing. The "Works of Benjamin Franklin." with The "Works of Benjamin Franklin," with memoir of the author, and notes, 10 volumes, appeared in 1840, after which Mr. Sparks again visited Europe. While on this visit he discovered in the French archives the celebrated Red-line Map, which became a preminent topic in connection with the Ashburton Treaty. The last of his historical works was "Correspondence of the American Revolution," in 4 volumes, which

was published in 1854. In addition to his labors in authorship, Mr. Sparks was, from 1839 to Professor of History in Harvard College, and President of the College from 1849 to 1852. As a writer his style was simple and accurate, and all his works are characterized by thorough research, candor and impartiality. They are regarded in fact as among the weet value. are regarded in fact as among the most val-uable of any that have appeared upon American history.

rom our Third Edition of Yesterday. XXXIXTH CONGRESS—FIRST SESSION.

WASHINGTON, March 15,
HOUSE.—On motion of Mr. Higby (Ual) the Senate acts granting aid in the construction of a railroad and telegraph line from the town of Folsom to the town of Placerville, in the State of California, and also for a railroad and telegraph line from Placerville, to the most feasible point of intersection with the Pacific Railroad, in the State of Nevada, were taken from the Speaker's table, read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Pacific Railroad.
Mr. Smith (By.) obtained leave to make a personal explanation, and be sent up to be read an article from the Pittburrh # Gazette, in reference to a resolution offered by him in December last, admitting to the privileges of the floor Col. Johnson of Argansas, member elect from that State.
Mr. Stevens (Pa.) said that he did not see that this was a personal explanation, and he was not willing that the morning hour should be expended in defending somebody else.
Mr. Smith replied with much excitement in eek returned the ordinance originally greed to.

Mr. Hancock called up the matter and manner, that he had no doubt the gentleman from Penusylvania thought

this was rather a curious question; but he was determined to let him understand that he stood here willing and able and determined to defend a soldier of the \(\) nion, let the attack come from what quarter it may, Mr. Stevens—Then I object to any defence of a soldier of the Union by the gentleman, unless it be a defence of himself. His remarks are not personal to himself.

himself.

The Speaker stated that the gentleman from Kentucky had asked unanimous consent to make a personal explanation; that the Chair twice asked whether there was any objection, and that no objection had been made. The gentleman should, however, confine himself to a personal explanation, and not open a wide range of debate in regard to other subjects and persons.

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The article in question was read by the clerk.
Mr. Morrill (VI) made the question of order thathere was nothing in that article relating to the gent tleman from Kentucky.

The Speaker-The gentleman from Kentucky alleges that it is intended to reflect upon him for having offered a resolution to admit a recel representative.

He desires to vindicate himself. The Chair thinks that comes clearly within the purview of a personal explanation; and opens a wide range of debate.

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Mr. Banks (Mass.). In support of the decision of the Chair, said it had been always understood that when the House gave unanimous consent to a member to make a personal explanation; it waived all its rules, and the member himself was the only judge of what was necessary to explain his personal position. That was the uniform ground taken, and that was in order to warn the House sgainst giving unanimous consent.

Mr. Washburne (III.) said that had always been the understanding, and he fully concurred with what the gentleman from Massachusetts had said.

The Speaker stated that he had a ways insisted, since he had occupied the Chair, that a gentleman in making a pers. nal explanation must state grounds on which he a significated, and must render his remarks in some degree relevant to that subject. The Chair thinks there is reason in that, and that the gentleman from Kenfucky is clearly in order while vindicating himself from what he deems an unjust attack upon him for suffering a resolution giving the privileges of he floor to a member elect, who, as it asserted in the article, read "sharpened his tooth-pick on the skulls of Union soldiers."

Mr. Smith went on to discuss the status of the late rebel States, denouncing the theory that they were out of the Union as a "damnable heresy."

Mr. Romial (Pa.) raised the point of order that the language used by the gentlerem from Kentucky was out of order in pronouncing the opinion of a majority of the House "as a damnable heresy."

Mr. Romith—I did not say anything about the majority. I said that the opinion entertained by the gentlerem from Kentucky was out of order in the connection was "damnable." and I repeat that, and I say further—The gentleman has no right to reflect in such language on the decision or action of the House.

Mr. Bmith—I did not reflect on the decision or action of the House.

Mr. Bmith—I did not reflect

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Er. Banks—Then the question arises whether the gentleman shall beallowed to proceed in order.
Mr. Stevens—I object; we have had enough of it.
Mr. Smith (excitedly)—I suppose you have, but not so much as you will have.
The Speaker—The gentleman from Kentucky, unser the demand made that the rules shall be enforced, must take his seat. The Chair will have the rule read.
The rule was read by the Clerk.
Mr Broomall—I demand now the enforcement of the rule. The Speaker—The question is, shall the 'gen'leman from Kentucky be allowed to proceed in order. The question was taken by yeas and nays, and was rehised by a vote of 55 ages to 70 noes.

Mr. Smith, again rising—I rise to a personal expla-

mit, smin, again rained in the vegular order of business but finally the House agreed to give the gentleman irr m Keniucky five minutes time.

Mr. Smith said that he understood it had been observed by some member that a remark, which he had made a moment ago, was the reason why he had been refused leave to proceed.

That remark was intended for the gentleman from Pernsylvania (Mr. Stevens). That gentleman's language was that he had enough of what I was saying, and I remarked, "very well, it may be that you have, but I will give you more of it."

My object was to be personal to nim and _ 1 to githe H, use.

Mr. Smith closed his remarks by a declaration of love to the Union and sworn hostility to secession. New York Stock Market. New York Stock Market.

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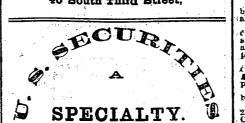
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