SECOND EDITION.

BY TELEGRAPH.

THE WAR IN SOUTH AMERICA.

Bombardment of Callao by the Spaniards

The Fleet Repulsed by the Forts.

The Spanish Admiral Badly Wounded.

The Peruvian Loss Small.

THE BLOCKADE OF CALLAO RAISED

Great Rejoicing Among the Peruvians.

The War in South America.

NEW YORK, May 21.—The steamer Arizona has arrived from Aspinwall with $1,291,000 in gold.

The Spanish fleet had bombarded Callao but were repulsed, all the vessels being more or less damaged.

Admiral Nunez was badly wounded. Little damage was done to the city. Ten Peruvians were killed and 20 wounded.

The Spanish loss is supposed to be heavy

The Peruvian Secretary of War was killed.

The U. S. steamer Vanderbilt and monitor Monadnock had arrived at Panama.

NEW YORK, May 21.—The following details are furnished by the Panama *Star and Herald* extra of the 13th inst.

The United States Flag Ship Vanderbilt and Monitor Monadnock arrived in the harbor of Panama on the evening of the 13th inst., having sailed from Callao on the 3d.

By these vessels we have news of the result of the bombardment of Callao. On the 2d inst at noon, the action commenced from the shore batteries, the fire being returned by the Berenguela, Villa de Madrid, and Blanca on the northern side, and the Numancia, Resolucion and Almansa on the South.

The Villa de Madrid and Berenguela were so badly damaged early in the fight that they were obliged to withdraw to San Lorenzo and were afterwards followed by the Numancia and the rest of the fleet, all more or less damaged.

The Spanish Admiral Nunez is said to have been badly wounded.

During the engagement Senor Galvez, the Peruvian Secretary of War, was killed by the explosion of a battery.

The fight lasted until 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when it terminated by the withdrawal of the Spanish fleet.

Very little damage was done to Callao, only a few hundred dollars' worth of property being said to be destroyed, exclusive of what the batteries suffered.

Ten Peruvians are reported to have been killed and twenty wounded.

Nothing reliable was heard of the loss on the side of the Spaniards, but it is supposed to have been very heavy.

Owing to the short time which elapsed between the termination of the engagement and the departure of the Vanderbilt, that vessel brings no further intelligence, nor was it known whether the Spaniards intended to renew the attack, but it is supposed they will not.

The news of the defeat of the invaders was received with great enthusiasm by the inhabitants of Panama.

Advices from Valparaiso to April 17th report the blockade to have been raised and the Government to have brought into force the import and export duties, as they were previous to the blockade.

The markets were dull; purchasers refused to pay over $16 per hundred pounds for copper. Freights alone were active to England at £3 10s.@£3 15s., and there was likely to be a scarcity of vessels. Exchange 47½.

General Mosquera, the new President of Colombia, had arrived at Bogota.

There is no news of importance from Central America or the Isthmus. The rainy season had set in.

Among the treasure brought by the Arizona is a half million dollars on Government account, and not before reported.

Fortress Monroe.

FORTRESS MONROE, May 19.—The steamer Smyrna, the second of those by which it is proposed to inaugurate the direct trade between Norfolk and Liverpool, is said to have sailed from the latter port, on the 4th inst. Manifests of her goods have already been received, and she is expected to arrive at Norfolk during the coming week. The steamer Ephesus, the first of the line of steamers, has been long expected, but has not as yet arrived.

The schooner L. P. Smith, from New York, for Philadelphia, with timber, which was detained here by the weather, has sailed.

The weather cleared off this morning. The wind, however, is still easterly.

Price of Gold in New York.

[By the American Telegraph Co.]

NEW YORK, May 21st.—Gold has been quoted to-day as follows:

10.30 A. M.,	130½	11.45	130½
10.45	130½	12.00 M.,	130½
11.00	130½	12.15 P.M.	130½
11.15	130½	12.45	130½

MISSISSIPPI.—The Memphis *Bulletin's* correspondence in Central Mississippi says that the last two weeks have been wholly lost to planters in that section of the State. Incessant and excessive rains have kept the soil so wet that to work it would have been injurious, if not impossible. The grass has consequently taken so strong a hold on many farms that there is but little probability of its being eradicated, and at the same time a stand of cotton preserved. Cotton from old seed has died out amazingly, while that from new seems to have endured the long spell of unfavorable weather remarkably well. All bottom lands have been deluged and the crops almost entirely destroyed. Planters have generally gone to great expense in repairing and replenishing their stock of plantation implements and augmenting their supply of mules, and hence a failure of crops is inevitably bankruptcy. Comparatively few could make another effort.

COST OF A SMALL WAR.—The Danish war cost Prussia about $25,000,000.

CITY BULLETIN.

WEST PHILADELPHIA.—

"Pentecost day of rejoicing is come," Sang Bishop Zegner, of Sweden, in his "Children of the Lord's Supper," and we add, past. The day was fully observed in all the Western churches with appropriate solemnities, the most imposing to eye and and ear being those of St. James's (Catholic), Thirty-eighth and Chestnut, while "St. Agatha" did all in her limited power. She is a young church, for whose benefit a fair was recently held, by contributors from all the Catholic churches, at the Commissioners' Hall.

At the "Berean" (Baptist) the Rev. John Chambers (Presbyterian) officiated in the morning, the Rev. Mr. Cooper, together with Rev. Isaac H. Castle, being absent at the annual meeting of the Baptist Home Missionary Society, now in session at Boston, Mass. At the Baptist Church, Thirty-sixth and Market—the "Berean" stands above Fortieth—Rev. Samuel Brooks performed service in the morning, and Rev. Mr. Crowell, Kennett's Square, was, we were told, to act similarly in the evening.

The Rev. Stephen H. Tyng occupied the pulpit of the Church of the Saviour, while Rev. S. W. Crittenden did similar service at the Walnut street Presbyterian, taking the post made temporarily vacant by the absence of Rev. J. G. Butler, D. D., in like attendance on the annual meeting of the Old and New School Presbyterian Churches, at St. Louis, Mo., before reported.

The Insane Department of the Almshouse—Philadelphia Hospital for the Insane—was favored by the presence of Rev. Francis C. Pearson, assisted by several other clergymen and the "choir." We left while the organist was performing the voluntary, the services being somewhat behind time.

We noticed, in passing down the road, that Mr. Myers's fine Giant Rye was already waving in the wind.

On the West Chester and Media railroad, some dozens of men were employed, as usual, for work is always done on a Sunday on this road, who were clamorous for "a trate" to every one who passed them.

Crossing the bridge, we turned over upon the new edifice in progress at Chestnut street. We are beginning to be hopeful on this subject. "A few more notices in the BULLETIN," said a gentleman, who resides within half-pistol shot, "and the bridge will be finished!"

The workmen, we learned, are paid by the day, "rain or shine," and the stormy weather of last week led them to pay due attention to their health, consequently very little was apparently done, although the process of boring and drilling is necessarily a slow one. This morning they were preparing to hoist additional materials—castings from a scow that arrived late on Saturday.

The Police Station, this morning, presented no less than ten cases, six of which were of "Drunkenness," of whom three were fined and two committed. Two cases, from the same cause, assault and battery superadded. Sent below. One, a lady, of vagrancy, ditto—to come to the Almshouse, of course.

One case, however, is worthy of more special mention, that of a worse than "sneak thief," a scamp, calling himself "Charles Benner," held to answer for larceny. The facts were these: A poor, hard-working man, residing in Oak or Ludlow streets, in the rear of the Asbury M. E. Church, was lying very ill. Benner, who knew he had some little money saved up, shammed nurse, and affecting to fix him in bed, abstracted his pocket book from under his pillow, took it to a stable, rifled it, and in endeavoring to restore the book was discovered, taxed with the fact, and friends coming in, secured. He ought to have a good time.

At the Almshouse to-day we found affairs as follows: Business of last week, recapitulation, admissions, 96; discharges, 82; deaths, 11, to 17 of the week before; births, 2; elopements, 30; bound out, 1. Census to-day, 2,972; last year, 2,514; increase, 458.

This is the first time this year the Almshouse population has fallen below 3,000.

PHILADELPHIA CATTLE MARKET, May 21st.—The Cattle market is less active this week and prices are unchanged; about 1,500 head arrived and sold at from 17@18½ cents for extra, the latter rate for a few choice; 15@16½ cents for fair to good, and 13@14 cents ⅌ lb for common, as to quality.

The following are the particulars of the sales:

Head.	Name.	Amount.
18	Christie & Wildey, Chester co.,	14½@16
10	Jones McClese, Lancaster co.,	15½@17
58	J. McFillen, Lancaster co.	17 @17½
40	E. S. McFillen, Lan. co.,	16 @17
67	Ullman & Bachman, Lan. co.,	16½@18½
131	Mooney & Frank, Western,	14 @16½
91	Schamberg & Frank, Lan. co.	15 @17½
27	Dryfoos & Dryfoos, Lan. co.,	15 @16
48	Hope & Co., Lan. co.,	15 @16½
35	H. Chain, Lan. co.,	15 @16
170	Mooney & Smith, Western, grs.,	8½@ 9½
93	Martin Muller & Co., Lan. co.,	16 @17½
87	J. S. Kirk, Lan. co.,	15 @17½
80	P. Hathaway, Lan. co.,	16 @17½
50	P. McFillen, Lanaster, Chester and Western counties,	17 @18
56	A. & J. Christie, Lancaster,	16½@17½
36	Owen Smith, Lan. co.,	16 @17

Cows—Are rather lower; 150 head sold at from $40@70 for Springers, and $50@$85 per head for milch cows.

Sheep—Are plenty and dull; 1,000 arrived and sold at prices ranging from 6@7 cents ⅌ lb., gross, as to quality.

Hogs—Are less active; 2,500 head sold at the different yards at prices ranging from $13@14 50 the 100 lbs net. The latter rate for prime corn fed.

AID TO THE SOUTH.—The Women's Central Branch of the Pennsylania Freedmen's Relief Association have sent to the destitute people of the South during the past six months supplies of clothing valued at $27,530 52; also, three bales of blankets unvalued. They have packed and stored twenty-one boxes of articles, to meet demands during the summer and autumn, which are estimated at between $2,000 or $3,000 more. They have received in money during the same period $7,123 01, making the whole amount in goods and money collected over thirty-seven thousand dollars.

ATTACK ON A LIEUTENANT OF POLICE.—Lieutenant Wm. Lugar, of the Park Police, while on his way home about half-past eleven o'clock on Saturday night, was attacked by a gang of ruffians at Thirteenth and Vine streets. He was struck a violent blow and received an ugly cut over the right eye, from which the blood flowed profusely. He gave chase to the man who struck him, and fired his revolver at the fugitive, but did not succeed in bringing him to.

MEAN ROBBERY.—Charles Benner was arrested in the Twenty-seventh Ward and taken before Alderman Allen on the charge of the larceny of $26, belonging to a sick man who boarded in the same house with him on Oak street, near Thirty-fourth. The money was taken from under the pillow on which the sick man was lying, and was concealed in a hay mow, where it was found afterwards by the police. Benner was held to answer.

NATIONAL BANK OF THE REPUBLIC.—To-morrow morning the National Bank of the Republic, located at Nos. 809 and 811 Chestnut street, will be open for business. The alterations made in the building have been of the most thorough character, and the edifice to-day has been visited by many persons who have been attracted by the improvements. We will give a further account of the improvements in to-morrow's issue.

GONE TO TRENTON.—A delegation of the Hibernia Fire Company went to Trenton, N. J., this morning, on the steamer Edwin Forrest. The carriage of the Company, which was taken along, was gaily decorated. The Philadelphians are to be the recipients of a handsome testimonial from the Good Will No. 3, of Trenton, and will be entertained by that Company, to-night. They will return to the city to-morrow.

ACCIDENT AT THE FALLS OF SCHUYLKILL.—Last evening a dearborn wagon, which was being driven down School lane towards the Falls of Schuylkill, was accidentally overturned down the embankment into Ridge avenue. The vehicle contained the family of Mr. Bisky, residing in the neighborhood of Eighth and Race streets, comprising ten persons, four of whom were children. All the inmates were thrown out and the most of them fell upon Amanda Bisky, aged eight years. The little girl was so badly hurt that her life is despaired of. After having her injuries dressed at a drug store at the Falls, she was removed to her home.

ESCAPE OF TWO MEN FROM MOYAMENSING PRISON.—Two men named Murray and Samuel Ramsey, who were in Moyamensing prison on the charge of passing counterfeit money, made their escape this morning about 2 o'clock. They were confined in a cell on the third floor of the south wing. A hole was bored through a brick arch over the top of the cell, and then through the roof. An ice pick is supposed to have been used. The men, after getting on to the roof, passed over to the wall and let themselves down with a rope on to Passyunk road.

WHOLESALE ARREST OF VAGRANTS.—On Saturday afternoon, the Second District Police made a raid upon the vagrants about Seventh, Bedford, Baker, Spafford and Fitzwater streets. Seventy-eight, principally females, were taken into custody, and it required four prison vans to transport the crowd to Moyamensing. A House of Correction is badly needed for such characters.

FATAL FALL.—Richard Hacket, aged 53 years, residing in the rear of No. 615 North Front street, fell from the third story window of his house yesterday morning between twelve and one o'clock. He was so badly injured that he died in about thirty minutes. The deceased had been under treatment for consumption for about two years.

SAVED FROM DROWNING.—A woman named Mary Robertson, who was evidently deranged, was stopped at Second and Christian streets, while going rapidly towards the river. She said that the Lord told her to be baptised, and she was on her way to the water. She was taken charge of by the Second District Police, until her friends call for her.

ROBBING A PHYSICIAN.—John Curtin, aged 15 years, was arrested on Saturday night for having stolen a horse and carriage belonging to Dr. C. E. Kamerly, from Eleventh and Shippen streets. The team was found in the possession of Curtin. The youth was committed by Alderman Tittermary.

A JUVENILE THIEF.—William Fiss, a youth of 14 years, belonging to Carlisle, was committed by Ald. Massey for perpetrating promiscuous depredations in the markets in the Fourteenth Ward. The police have been looking for him for some time and finally came across him in a concert saloon.

TIRED OF LIFE.—Jenny Tyson, a young woman residing in Trout street, jumped into the Delaware, at Shippen street wharf, yesterday afternoon. She was taken out by a policeman. She said that she was tired of life and did not thank the vigilant officer for having rescued her from a watery grave.

THE RESULT.—At a Fair, at the Town Hall, Germantown, last week, held by Mt. Airy Lodge, I. O. O. F., a set of policemen's equipments were voted for. Wm. Du Iap, of Mt. Airy, received 1,490 votes and John Silverthorne, of Chestnut Hill, 1,183 votes.

ROBBERY.—The office of Thomas Meehan, florist, on Germantown avenue, near Carpenter street, Germantown, was entered on Saturday, during the temporary absence of the proprietor, and $50 were stolen from the fireproof safe.

SERVED RIGHT.—A young man named Charles Parker was arrested on Saturday afternoon, at Fairmount Park, for insulting females. He was taken before Alderman Massey, and was held for trial.

FAST DRIVING AT FAIRMOUNT PARK.—Five different individuals were arrested yesterday afternoon, at Fairmount Park, for fast driving. Alderman Hutchinson imposed the usual penalty.

PLUCKING FLOWERS.—At Fairmount Park, yesterday afternoon, a young man was taken into custody for plucking flowers. He was fined by Alderman Hutchinson.

BOWER'S INFANT CORDIAL is a certain, safe and speedy cure for colic, pains and spasms, yielding great relief to children teething. Store Sixth and Green.

"FELT CORN AND BUNION PLASTERS."—Mailed for fifty cents. Bower, Sixth and Vine.

BRONZE Ink Stands, Fans, Card Receivers, Jewel Caskets, Cigar Cases, Cutlery, etc. SNOWDEN & BROTHER, Importers, 23 South Eighth street.

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"EXCELSIOR ROCK SPRING," SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y.—The water of this Spring is highly recommended by the most eminent physicians, and is believed to be superior to any of the other waters of Saratoga.

For sale by the leading druggists.

PURE FRUIT SYRUPS—For soda water; also bottled for domestic uses. HANCE, GRIFFITH & CO., No. 509 North street.

FEMALE Trusses, Braces, Supporters, Elastic Belts, Stockings, &c., of light and elegant make, adjusted by a Lady, at Needles', Twelfth street, first door below Race.

WASHINGTON POLITICS.

It is to be hoped that American Statesmen will take a warmer interest in the welfare of Mexico when they smell T. Smith & Co's. new

EXTRACT OF SWEET OPOPONAX.

Had Lord Byron lived to taste its beauties he would have left an idea of

MEXICO'S FLORAL GEM.

Nature could not produce a choicer perfume. E. T. Smith & Co., manufacturers of the Floral Perfumery, New York. Entered according to law.

CEDAR CAMPHOR BEST AGAINST MOTHS.—Use it early, thrashing out your clothes. It is cheap, it is efficient, it is fragrant, it is all one can wish for the purpose intended. You can get it at your apothecary's.

COURTS.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—Judge Cadwalader.—This morning the Grand Jury for the May session of the Court appeared. Joseph W. Bullock was appointed foreman. The petit jurors were discharged until to-morrow.

DISTRICT COURT—Judge Stroud.—James McElhare vs. Moore and Paul. Ascl. fa. on a mortgage. Verdict for plaintiff for $210 41.

Olive M. Devee, administratrix of J. H. Devee, deceased, vs. Francis G. Dallas, a lunatic, who has for his committee Alfred Kilwen. An action on a promissory note. The defence alleged that Mr. Dallas was insane at the time he gave the note. On trial.

DISTRICT COURT—Judge Hare.—Samuel L. Alexander vs. Jacob E. Abrams. This was an action to recover damages for an alleged malicious prosecution. In August last Mr. Alexander was arrested and taken before Ald. Beitler on a charge of conspiring with others to rob the store of Mr. Abrams. After several hearings Mr. Alexander was discharged from custody. On trial.

BURNING OF AN ORPHAN ASYLUM.—On Tuesday evening the Orphan Asylum and School of St. Vincent de Paul, at Syracuse, N. Y., were destroyed by fire. Several buildings in the vicinity were also totally consumed. Part of the main edifice of the Asylum was saved, but a large part of the furniture, bedding and clothing of the children was destroyed; also a quantity of wood, coal and tobacco.

COMMERCIAL.

SALES OF STOCKS.

FIRST BOARD.

$7000 U S 5-20s '62 c	101¾	100 sh 13th & 15th St	b30 29¾
1000 do '64 c	101¾	50 sh do	29¾
150 U S Treas 7 3-10 Notes Feb	102½	100 sh Catawis pf	b5 28¾
100 U S 10-40s reg	95¾	100 sh do	b30 28¾
100 City 6s new	97	100 sh do	28¾
1500 do cash	97	100 sh do	21¾
8000 do old	95	200 sh Hestonv'e R	21¾
7800 do mun'l	97¾	400 sh do	b30 21¾
1000 do	97	100 sh do	b5 21¾
250 Sch Nav 7 per ct. boat loan	85	50 sh do	21¾
5000 Camd & Amboy mgt 6s '89	90	100 sh Susq Cnl	b30 16
4000 Pa R 2d mgt 6s	97¾	50 sh Penna R	54¾
3000 U S 6s '81	108¾	47 sh do	54¾
1000 West Chest R 7s	97	10 sh Norristown R	55
100 sh Sugar Creek	1½	100 sh Read R	53¾
		100 sh do	53¾
		100 sh Ocean Oil	b5 7¾
		100 sh do	7¾
		300 sh do	b5 7¾

PRICES OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

(By Telegraph.)

	FIRST CALL.	SECOND CALL.
American Gold	130½ sales	..... sales
Reading Railroad	53 @ 53 100 sales	..... sales
New York Central	92¾ sales	..... sales
U. S. 6s '81	108¾ sales	..... sales
U. S. 6s, 5-20s	101¾ sales	..... sales
Erie	73¾ sales	..... sales
Hudson River	118¾ bid	..... sales
	Heavy.	.....

Finance and Business—May 21, 1866.

The Stock Market was again heavy this morning, but there was comparatively little change in prices. The enormous shipment of coin from New York naturally excite some distrust for the future, and unless there is an advance on the premium, we must look for a heavy drain during the next month. Government Loans were heavy—the Coupon Sixes, '81, selling at 108¾; the Seven-Thirties at 102¾; the Five-Twenties at 101¾, and the Ten-Forties, registered, at 95¾. State Fives were steady at 90¾, and the War Loan at 102¾. City Loans, of new issues, sold largely at 97@97¼, and the old at 95. Railroad shares were inactive. Pennsylvania Railroad sold at 54¾—an advance of ¾; Reading Railroad at 53¾—no change; Catawissa Railroad Preferred at 28¼@28¾—the former a decline of ¼, and Norristown Railroad at 55—no change. 122¾ was bid for Camden and Amboy Railroad; 56 for Mine Hill Railroad; 44 for Northern Central Railroad; 26 for North Pennsylvania Railroad; 27 for Little Schuylkill Railroad, and 22¾ for Philadelphia and Erie Railroad. Schuylkill Navagation Preferred sold at 34¼—a decline of ¼; Lehigh Navigation closed at 54¼; Morris Canal Preferred at 117¾; and Susquehanna at 15. Ocean Oil declined ¼. Bank shares were not offered to any extent. In Passenger Railway Shares the only sales were of Hestonville at 21¼@21¾, and Thirteenth and Fifteenth Street at 22¾—an advance of ½.

The National Bank of the Republic will take possession of its new and elegant quarters, No. 809 and 811 Chestnut street, to-morrow (Tuesday). The building is spacious and airy, and the banking room is one of the most elegant in the country

Smith, Randolph & Co., Bankers, 16 South Third street, quote at 11 o'clock as follows:

Gold	130 @130¼
U. S. 1881 Bonds	108¾@109
U. S. 5-20, 1862	101½@102
" 1864	101¾@102¼
" 1865	101¾@102¼
U. S. 10-40	96 @ 96¼
U. S. 7-30's—1st series	102¼@102½
" 2d series	102¼@102½
" 3d series	102¼@102½
U. S. Certificates of Indebtedness	100¼@100½
Compounds, Dec., 1864	109 @

Jay Cooke & Co. quote Government Securities, &c. to-day, as follows:

	Buying.	Selling.
U. S. 6's, 1881	108¾	109¼
Old 5-20 Bonds	101½	102
New " 1864	101¾	102¼
5-20 Bonds, 1865	101¾	102¼
10-40 Bonds	95¾	96¼
7 3-10 August	102¼	102½
" June	102¼	102½
" July	102¼	102½
Certificates of Indebtedness	100	100¼
Gold—at 12 o'clock	130	130¾

Messrs. DeHaven & Brother, No. 40 South Third street, make the following quotations of the rates of exchange to-day, at 1 P. M.:

	Buying.	Selling.
American Gold	129¾	130¼
Silver—Quarters and halves	123	125
Compound Interest Notes:		
" " June, 1864	11¾	11¾
" " July, 1864	11¼	11¾
" " Aug. 1864	10¾	10¾
" " Oct. 1864	9¾	9¾
" " Dec. 1864	8¾	8¾
" " May, 1865	6¾	6¾
" " Aug. 1865	4¾	4¾
" " Sept. 1865	4¾	4¾
" " Oct. 1865	3¾	3¾

M. Schultz & Co., No. 16 South Third street, make the following quotations of the rates of Exchange:

London, 60 days sight	142 @143
" 3 days	143¾@144¼
Paris, 60 days sight	5f. 22½@5f. 20
" 2 days	5f. 22½@5f. 20
Antwerp, 60 days	5f. 25@5f. 23
Bremen, 60 days	104 @105
Hamburg, 60 days	48 @ 49
Leipsic, 60 days	95 @ 96
Berlin, 60 days	95 @ 96
Cologne, 60 days	95 @ 96
Amsterdam, 60 days	54 @ 55
Frankfort, 60 days	54 @ 55

Market firm.

Philadelphia Markets.

MONDAY, May 21.—The Flour market continues excessively dull and nothing but a continuation of light receipts and small stocks, enable holders to realise present quotations. There is no inquiry for shipment. Small sales to the home consumers at $7 50@8 ⅌ barrel for superfine, $8 25@9 50 for extras, $10@11 for Northwestern extra family, $10 50@12 25 for Penna. and Ohio do. do., and at higher figures for fancy lots—according to quality. In the absence of sales of Rye Flour we quote at $6@6 25 per barrel. Prices of Corn Meal are nominal.

The Wheat market is very dull and prices are drooping. Small sales of fair and choice Red at $2 40@$2 60 ⅌ bushel. White ranges from $2 70@2 85. Rye is steady at $1 12. The receipts of Corn are large but the demand is active, and about 17,000 bushels yellow sold at 81 cents afloat—including 2,500 bushels White at 82 cents. Oats are steady at 70 to 73 cents.

In Barley and Malt nothing doing.

There is very little Quercitron Bark here and No. 1 is firm at $52 ⅌ ton.

In Groceries and Provisions there is less doing but no change in prices.

Whisky—The demand is limited. Small sales of Penna. at $2 24@2 25, and Ohio at $2 27.

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Combining in their performances the most captivating FRESHNESS, VIVACITY, ORIGINALITY, VERSATILITY AND FINISH.

The following embraces a partial list of the Repertoire which they will produce during their engagement here.

MONDAY, May 21st.

The performance will commence with Balfe's beautiful Opera of THE BOHEMIAN GIRL, and conclude with a Protean Eccentricity, entitled DOBSON BAMBOOZLE, in which MISS SALLIE HOLMAN sustains SIX CHARACTERS.

Tuesday, 22d, LA SONNAMBULA.
Wednesday, 23d, CHILD OF THE REGIMENT.
Thursday, 24th, L'ELISIRE D'AMORE.
Friday, 25th, KATE KEARNEY.
Saturday, 26th, FRA DIAVOLO.

Seats may be secured at the music store of CHARLES W. A. TRUMPLER, Southeast corner of Seventh and Chestnut streets, on Saturday morning, May 19.

Admission.....50 cents
Reserved Seats.....75 cents

No extra charge for securing in advance.

MATINEES

On WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY afternoons, At TWENTY-FIVE cents admission. my21-tf

A RARE CHANCE FOR INVESTMENT.—Rice's Surf House, at Cape Island, New Jersey, for sale. This house is located in the very best situation on the Island, fronting Congress Hall on the west, and Centre House on the south, and within one square of the new railroad depot. The building is new and well appointed for a restaurant, and as a fashionable drinking house has no equal on the Island, and has facilities for accommodating thirty to forty guests. It will be sold a bargain, and immediate possession given. Call or address A. E. HUGHES, Real Estate Agent, my21-6t Cape Island, N. J.

THIRD EDITION.

2:30 O'Clock.

FROM WASHINGTON.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT GOLD.

Terrible Storm at Rochester.

Great Destruction of Property.

From Washington.

[Special Despatch to the Bulletin.]

WASHINGTON, May 21.—The Secretary of the Treasury ordered to be sold in New York, on Friday and Saturday last, ten millions of gold. He will sell ten millions more this week.

The Senate Military Committee have agreed to report the House Bill, reviving the grade of General in the regular army. A new Army Bill will be reported in a few days. The maximum is not intended to be over forty thousand.

Mr. Campbell, Minister to Mexico, is here to get his instructions. Strict neutrality, Mr. Seward says, must be observed between the contending parties in that country.

Terrific Storm at Rochester, New York

ROCHESTER (N.Y.), May 21.—The damage by the storm yesterday afternoon, was very great. The loss is estimated at tens of thousands of dollars. Buildings were unroofed, windows destroyed, young trees and plants cut down by the hail, and gardens wholly ruined. The nurseries and greenhouses suffered much damage.

The storm covered an area of four miles, but the hail was limited to about two miles. Hailstones of more than an inch in diameter covered the ground, cut limbs from the trees and killed thousands of birds, who had taken refuge in their foliage. Several children were injured by the hail, and a number of animals were killed. The lightning struck a stone chapel in Mount Hope Cemetery, where many people had taken refuge, but none were severely injured. The building was somewhat damaged. St. Mary's Hospital was partly unroofed.

The glass manufacturing establishment of the Rochester Chemical Works was partly demolished, involving a large loss of glass. The store-keepers opened their stores on Sunday evening in order to enable citizens to get materials to make their houses tenable for the night.

From Eastport.

EASTPORT, Me., May 21.—The store of Warren Hathaway, Agent of the Eastern Express, was broken open on Saturday night, it is supposed for the purpose of getting the property owned by Fenians, which had been attached for debts due parties here. Major Senott and ten or twelve Fenians, all that were left here of the grand army, disappeared on Saturday night; also nine of their boats which had been attached for debt.

Seizure of Fenian Arms.

NEW YORK, May 21.—A despatch from Erie, Pa., says that eighty-seven cases of arms belonging to the New York Fenian Senate have been seized in that city. They were consigned to J. F. Cronin, Head Centre of that county.

XXXIXTH CONGRESS—FIRST SESSION.

WASHINGTON, May 21.

SENATE.—Mr. Wilson (Mass), from the Military Committee, reported the bill to create the grade of General in the army.

Mr. Ramsey (Minn.) called up a bill for the survey of the Upper Mississippi and Minnesota rivers, which was read and postponed.

Mr. Williams (Oregon) offered a resolution directing the Judiciary Committee to inquire into and report upon the expediency of providing for a uniform and effective mode of election of United States Senators by the Legislatures of the respective States, which was adopted.

HOUSE.—Mr. Lawrence (Ohio) introduced, under the call of the States, bills to protect the rights of action of loyal citizens to define and punish certain crimes; and to amend the act to establish Judicial Courts of the United States, which were read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Dermont (Ind.) introduced a bill to amend the National Currency act of June 3d, 1864. Read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Trowbridge (Mich.) introduced a bill to amend the act granting the right of way over the military reservation at Fort Gallot, Michigan. Read twice and referred to the Committe on Commerce.

Mr. McRuer (Cal.) introduced a joint resolution authorizing the Post Master General to pay an additional salary to the letter carriers of San Francisco. Read twice and referred to the Post Office Committee.

Mr. Donnelly (Minn.) introduced a bill relating to Acting Assistant Surgeons in the United States Army providing for additional compensation to all Post Surgeons engaged under contract by the Government. Read twice and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Hitchcock (Neb.) introduced a bill to constitute Omaha and Nebraska cities, in the Territory of Nebraska, ports of delivery. Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Mr. Bradford (Col.) introduced a bill in relation to trade and intercourse with the Indian tribes. Read twice and referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs

The call of the States for bills being concluded, the States were called for resolutions.

Mr. Laflin (N. Y.) offered a resolution directing the Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau to communicate to the House the reports recently made concerning the action of the Bureau, by Gens. Steadman and Fullerton, and by Gens. Whittlesey and Sewell, and such other reports as may be in possession of the Bureau.

Mr. Le Blond (Ohio) desired to amend by directing such reports to be printed and bound with the testimony taken by the Reconstruction Committee.

Mr Laflin (N. Y.) explained that that was impossible now, as the testimony was already printed. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Davis (N. Y.) offered a resolution which was adopted, directing the Committee on Banking and Currency to report as to the expediency of excepting the currency of the State Banks outstanding on the 1st of July next, from the tax of ten per cent. now provided by law until the 1st of July, 1867, or some day previous thereto.

The call of States for resolutions, which commenced on the 5th of February last, progressing a little on each Monday, having been concluded, the next business in order was the consideration of a resolution offered by Mr. McClurg (Mo.) on the 5th of February, and which was then laid over for one day, under the rule, declaring, that the continued contumacy in the seceding States renders it necessary to exercise Congressional legislation in order to give the loyal citizens of those States protection in their national and personal rights enumerated in the Constitution, and in addition thereof makes it necessary to keep on foot a large standing army to maintain the authority of the government; that the Government is already overburdened by a war debt incurred to defend the nationality against an infamous rebellion and that it is neither just nor politic to inflict this vast additional expense on the peaceful industry of the nation; therefore resolving that it be referred to a joint Committee on Reconstruction to inquire into the expediency of levying contributions on the seceding States to defray the extraordinary expenses that would otherwise be imposed on the general Government, and that the said Committee be instructed to report by bill or otherwise.

The previous question being moved and seconded,

Mr. Niblack (Ind.) moved to lay the resolution on the table. Negatived.

The resolution was agreed to—yeas 73, nays 35.

The next business in order was the consideration of the resolutions offered by Mr. Henderson, on the 13th of February, and which were then laid over under the rule declaring that this House will stand by and sustain the President in executing the laws of the United States upon a sufficient number of leading rebels in each of the States lately in insurrection against the National Government to vindicate the majesty of the law, to sustain the confidence of loyal people and warn the refractory for all time to come.

Mr. Niblack suggested that the resolutions were too indefinite, and that the House should inform the President about how many rebels he should have executed.

The previous question being called, the resolutions were agreed to without a division.

The next business in order was the consideration of a resolution offered by Mr. Defrees (Ind.) on the 26th of February, and which was then laid over under the rule, declaring that it is the opinion of this House that Congress has no Constitutional right to fix the qualifications of electors in the several States.

After a debate the resolution was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Markets.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Cotton firm at 36@38½c. for middlings. Flour is dull; sales of 5,000 bbls. at $7 10@9 40 for State; $9 00@13 75 for Ohio; $7 10@9 30 for Western; Southern is drooping; 300 bbls. sold at $10 50@16 75. Canadian—300 bbls. sold at $8 55@12. Wheat closed with an advancing tendency, and prices are 2@3 cts. higher; sales unimportant. Corn has an advancing tendency; sales of 41,000 bushels at 80@83 cents. Oats have advanced 1 cent. Beef steady. Pork buoyant at $39 62½@39 75 for Mess. Lard firm at 19@21½ cents. Whisky dull.

Stocks are dull and heavy: Chicago and Rock Id. 98¾; Cumberland Preferred, 46¾; Ill. Central, bonds 102½; Michigan Southern, 71½; New York Central, 94; Penna. Coal, 41; Reading, 107½; Hudson River, 119½; Missouri 6's, 75¾; Erie, 73½; Cleveland & Toledo, 105¾; Cleveland & Pittsburg, 54½; Pittsburg & Fort Wayne, 98¾; Chicago & Northwestern, 28¾; U. S. Coupons '62, 101¾; do. '65, 102½; Ten Forties, 96; 96; Treasury 7 3-10s, 102¾; Western Union Telegraph Co., 30½; Gold, 130¾.

BALTIMORE, May 21.—Flour is quiet. Wheat firm, and 2@3c. higher. Oats firm at 63@64c. Provisions dull. Lard 21½@22c. Sugar steady. Coffee quiet. Whisky firm—the stock is light.

Sales at Philadelphia Stock Board.

SALES AFTER FIRST BOARD.

$1500 City 6s mun	97	100 sh Read R	2 ds 53¾
100 sh Susq Canal	b30 16	100 sh do	2 ds 53 56-100
100 sh do	b5 15¾	100 sh do	53¾
12 sh Lehigh Val	61¾	100 sh