

EVENING BULLETIN. MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1866.

TO ADVERTISERS. In order to secure the insertion of advertisements in our regular edition, it is absolutely necessary that they be sent to the office before 12 o'clock, noon.

THE NEW IRONSIDES. The destruction by fire of the iron-plated war steamer, New Ironsides, is a national loss very much to be deplored.

THE SURRATT CASE. The leading Copperhead organ in this city is out, this morning, with an article which bears the ear-marks of its writer so distinctly that it would not require a very profound student of the "Tales of a Grandfather" to discover them.

THE ACADEMY OF NATURAL SCIENCES. Philadelphians should take more than ordinary pride and pleasure in maintaining their Academy of Natural Sciences, because it is one peculiar to their city; there being nothing equal to it, of its kind, elsewhere in America.

PENNSYLVANIA'S ADOPTED CHILDREN. There are now in various schools of Pennsylvania, receiving care and education at the expense of the Commonwealth, between three and four thousand little boys and girls, orphans of Pennsylvania soldiers and sailors who perished in the war for the Union.

come to his old home, and he will go back among congenial spirits with the additional claim upon them that he had not betrayed the momentous secrets of his old friends and employers.

But what does the honest and patriotic reader think of having Blackstone shoved in between outraged justice and one of the principal assassins of their late beloved Lincoln? There can be no punishment of accessories until the principals are convicted and punished—we hold that there were but two principals; Booth and Harold—Booth was shot in a barn by Sergeant Corbett and therefore he was not convicted—Harold was tried by an illegal court and by it was murdered, and so he was not convicted.

THE ARTIST'S FUND SOCIETY. The collection of pictures at the new rooms of the Artists' Fund Society, 1334 Chestnut street, is one of the best, by Philadelphia artists, ever offered to the public.

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A. D'HUYVETTER'S Third Special Sale OF HIGH CLASS IMPORTED OIL PAINTINGS, TO BE SOLD AT SCOTT'S ART GALLERY, 1020 Chestnut Street, ON Wednesday, Thursday and Friday Evenings, Dec. 19, 20 and 21st, at 7 1-2 o'clock.

B. SCOTT, Jr., AUCTIONEER. JAMES S. CLAXTON, Successor to W. S. & A. Martien, 1214 Chestnut Street. Has now arranged on immense counters and ready for inspection One of the finest Collections of Illustrated Books, Juveniles and Toy Books, Standard Poets, Bibles, Prayers and Hymn Books AND MISCELLANEOUS LITERATURE Ever offered for sale in this City. AT VERY LOW PRICES. A Holiday Catalogue now ready gratis. del-31p

GEORGE H. BECHTEL, No. 716 ARCH STREET, PHILADELPHIA. Manufacturer of Solid Silver and Plated Wares. A full assortment of these superior goods always on hand. SOLID SILVER TEA SETS. Rich in design and finish, are now offered at very moderate prices. In addition, a new line of goods has just been opened, consisting of GORHAM'S SILVER PLATED WARES. These goods are the most choice, selected, and durable of any in the world. THIRTY-DAY FRENCH CLOCKS. gilt and Bronze, with finest movements, mounted with the most artistic Groupings. IS KARAT GOLD HUNTING-CASE WATCHES. For Ladies and Gentlemen. GOLD CHAINS, WEDDING RINGS, &c. Gold and Silver Electro Plating, in all its branches promptly executed. del-71p

THIRD ANNUAL SALE OF THE ARTISTS' FUND SOCIETY Will be held at the NEW GALLERIES, 1334 Chestnut Street, On Tuesday Evening, the 18th inst., At 7 1/2 o'clock. The Pictures are now on Free Exhibition from 9 A. M. till 10 P. M. del-41p

CRAB APPLE CIDER THE GENUINE ARTICLE. Quality unusually fine. For sale by Barrel or Retail, by James R. Webb, WALNUT AND EIGHTH. del-31p

ROCKHILL & WILSON FINE CLOTHING HOUSE, 603 and 605 Chestnut Street. FALL & WINTER OVERCOATS IN GREAT VARIETY.

FARELL, HERRING & COMPANY, No. 629 Chestnut Street, PHILADELPHIA. DESPERATE ATTEMPT To Rob THE KENT NATIONAL BANK, KENT, OHIO. FAILURE OF THE BURGLARS. They could not Drill the Spiegel Eisen.

On Saturday evening, the 24th of November, our bank was entered by burglars. The office of the bank being without an occupant, they had undisturbed possession, and it was not until they had emptied the vaults of the bank, that they were detected. The burglars were seen to enter the vaults by the door of the safe, which was open at the time. The burglars were seen to enter the vaults by the door of the safe, which was open at the time. The burglars were seen to enter the vaults by the door of the safe, which was open at the time.

HERRING, FARRELL & SHERMAN, No. 251 Broadway, New York. FARRELL, HERRING & CO., PHILADELPHIA. HERRING & CO., CHICAGO. ONLY MANUFACTURERS OF BANKERS' SAFES AND CHESTS, WITH THE NEW METAL, SPIEGEL EISEN. Our Patent Crystallized Iron produced from the ore of Franconia, which is five times harder than the finest steel.

DUFFIELD ASHMEAD, No. 724 Chestnut Street. HAS NOW THE FINEST COLLECTION OF ILLUSTRATED WORKS CHOICE EDITIONS OF THE POETS AND STANDARD LITERATURE, IN FINE BINDINGS. EVER OFFERED FOR SALE IN THIS CITY. AND AT REDUCED PRICES. Call and examine our stock. Catalogues free by mail. Our store will be open on the evenings until 10 o'clock. del-11p

HARDING'S EDITIONS OF THE HOLY BIBLE. Family, Pulpit and Photograph Bibles FOR CHRISTMAS, WEDDING, and BIRTHDAY PRESENTS. Also Presentation Bibles, for CHURCHES, CLERGYMEN, SOCIETIES, TEACHERS, &c. New and Superb assortment bound in Rich Levant Turkey, Parquet and ornamental Designs, equal to the London and Oxford editions, at less than half price. WM. W. HARDING, No. 326 Chestnut Street. PERFECTION ATTAINED.

HARDING'S PATENT CHAIN-BACK PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS. The Trade and dealers supplied at the lowest rates. For further particulars apply to Wm. W. Harding, No. 326 Chestnut Street. del-34p

ROCKHILL & WILSON FINE CLOTHING HOUSE, 603 and 605 Chestnut Street. LATEST STYLE SACK & WALKING COAT. BOYS' CLOTHING.