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By the Atlantic Cable. [By the U. S. and European Associated Press.] ENGLAND.

London, Dec. 24, P. M.—Business is at a total stand-still in consequence of the Christmas holidays.

The Stock Exchange, the Bank of England and most of the prominent mercantile houses are closed until Wednesday.

There is no political news of interest. LIVERPOOL, Monday, Dec. 24, P. M .-Nothing has been done in the cotton or other markets to-day. Business is also suspended at Manchester, Birmingham and other commercial centres.

London, Dec. 24.—The trades unions have agreed to place their organizations at the the disposition of the Reform party in the ensuing political contests.

No stock or commercial business will be transacted to-morrow. QUEENSTOWN, Dec. 24 -The steamship City of Paris, Captain Kennedy, from New

York Dec. 15, arrived to-day, and sailed for Liverpool. LIVERPOOL, Dec. 24.—The steamship Universe, from New York, arrived here to-day.

ITALY. Rome, Dec. 24.—The relations between the Italian and the Papal Governments continue in a critical condition. M. Touveli, the Italian Ambassador makes little progress in his negotiations with the Pope. FLORENCE, Dec. 24 .- The budget submitted to the Italian Chambers by the

receipts as compared with the expenditures. FRANCE. Paris, Dec. 24.—The Empress Eugenie. contrary to expectation, will not go to Rome.

Latest from Mexico.

(To the U.S. Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—By the arrival of the steamship Merrimac, from Havana, of the 18th, we have advices from the city of Mexico to the 9th. A feeling of uncertainty as to the result of the civil dissensions whch distract that country is universal. throughout Maximilian's dominions. The Emperor was at Orizaba on the 16th,

where it is said he will remain for the present.

The previous reports that the Church party were giving him aid are confirmed. The rumors of the evacuation of San Luis by the Imperialists are corroborated. Mazatlan was only given up after a fight. The Juarists are occupying the greater portion of the country converging upon the city of Mexico.

San Francisco, Dec. 25.—The steamer Panama, seven and a half days from Mazatlan, reports that the Liberal forces were about to leave Mazatlan for Gaudalajara in pursuit of the French, and that the Imperialists still hold San Blas.

> Arrival of the Allemania [To the New York Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—The steamship Allemania has arrived with Southampton dates to the 12th inst.

The London Times Dublin correspondent says the intentions of the Fenian leaders seem to be so checkmated on every side, the authorities are so vigilant, and the military force at the command of the Government so overwhelming, that only madmen would raise the Fenian flag.

The Waterford hotels have been searched for Stephens. The police of Youhal and the surrounding stations are armed with breech loaders. Two shop-keepers were arrested in Dub-

lin on Saturday. Seven passengers by the Liverpool steamer were arrested at Waterford. Artillery is to be stationed in Dublin Cas-

The Waterford magistracy have asked for

additional military. Sixteen cases of gunpowder were seized at Athay in its transit to Queen's county. Two boxes containing 56 lbs. of powder

Twelve men were arrested in Dublin on Monday. One of them had in his possession Greek fire and materials for making it-At Belfast, Clonmel and Glyn, persons have been arrested. At Drogheda the magistrates have called for military aid.

SWITZERLAND. M. Tornerod and M. Duhs are the President and Vice President of Switzerland for

ITALY.

were also seized at Tralee.

The Finance Minister has issued 5,000,000 of Rentes for the payment of the indemnity to Austria. No extraordinary resources will be required for the budget. PRUSSIA.

The statement that the ex-King of Hanover had absolved his late officers from their oath of allegiance is not confirmed.

AUSTRIA. The President of the Servian Senate is at Vienna waiting on the foreign Minister.

Candian Insurrection. Intelligence received at Constantinople announces the complete submission of the | gold.

Cretans, from Canea to Rettimo, The intelligence received from Athens states that three Greek army corps had left for the frontier provinces.

Garibaldini continue to arrive at Athens. The French Admiral, in charge of the expedition against Corea, has deferred active

operations till spring. The American schooner Gen. Sherman was seized by pirates. They fired her after tying to the masts two English passengers and the crew, all of whom perished.

Great floods, with heavy rains, prevailed at Melbourne. The Waikotes intend to attack Napier on

the departure of the military. The Adelaide Assembly rejected the bill for the amendment of the constitution. The wool clip is satisfactory.

Ballroad Accident. [By the U.S. Associated Press.] CINCINNATI, Dec. 25.—A temporary trestle work over Elk Creek, near Middletown, on the Hamilton and Dayton Railroad, broke

down this morning, carrying with it the engine of the passenger train bound South. Four persons were injured, two severely. H. Apple & Co.'s boot and shoe store, on Third street, was damaged by fire last night.

Loss \$5,000. The Assassination at Louisville.

[To U. S. Associated Press.] LOUISVILLE, Dec. 24.—The son of Mendel. who was assassinated yesterday, has been arrested as the murderer of his father. Reley Crowders, one of the gang who escaped hanging at Lebanon recently, was

arrested yesterday.

The Congressional Excursion Party. [To the New York Associated Press.] NASHVILLE, December 24th.-The Congressional Excursion party reached this city from Chattanooga at half past 1 o'clock, this afternoon, when they were escorted to the St. Cloud Hotel. They afterwards visited the capitol, viewed the city from the top of the building, and, after examining the edifice throughout, declared it to be the finest State Capitol in the United States. At 6 o'clock they sat down to a banquet of wel-come tendered by the municipal authori-ties. A few remarks were made by Messrs. Foster, Wade, Ramsey, who declined to make speeches; more extended remarks were made by Senator Lane and the Hon. Mr. Laflin, of New York, Gen. Manny and Ex-Governor Brown also made speeches. The latter entered into a discussion of the political question of reconstruc-Wade, Ramsey, who declined a speeches: more extended spectaes. The latter entered into a discussion of the political question of reconstruction, to which Gen. Howard briefly replied—demolishing the arguments of his adversary. Gen. Frank Cheatham, late of the rebel army, when called upon, as President of the meeting, for a speech, refused, but offered, as a toast: "Here's to the Union."

The excursionists leave to-night, at 11 o'clock, on the Nashville and Decatur railroad for Memphis, where they will partake of a Christmas banquet.

[To the United States Associated Press.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 25th.—A committee of gentlemen will leave this city to-morrow morning for Canton, Miss., to meet the Congressional excursionists, and to conduct them to this city. General Beauregard has been appointed, on behalf of the Jackson been appointed, on behalf of the Jackson railroad, and Messrs. Blaine, Smith, Green and Hermugway, on behalf of the citizens. The "Press" will be represented by Mr. W. H. C. King, of the Times, and various others will be in the party. A special train is at their service, leaving at 9 o'clock, A. M. to-morrow. Florence Ministry, shows a large deficit in M., to-morrow

From Fortress Monroe.

[To the New York As FORTRESS MONROE, Dec. 24.—The statement in the *Herald* that a large cotton warehouse, near Norfolk, Va., was destroyed by fire one day last week, and 2,500 bales of cotton consumed, with a loss amounting to \$141,500, is incorrect, no such fire having occurred either in Norfolk or its vicinity.

The United States District Court, Hon. A C. Underwood presiding, adjourned on Saturday last until the May term. The Admiralty case, in which the owners of the steamship Saragossa claim salvage for saving the schooner McKee, found in distress at sea, and towed into Hampton Roads, has been ably argued during this term by the counsel on both sides. The amount involved is about \$130,000; but the respondents aver that the vessel and cargo were only worth \$30,000. Judge Underwood took the case under advisement, reserving his decision for fifteen

The schooner Rebecca Shepperd, of Philadelphia, Captain Beaston, Kingston, Jamaica, bound to Philadelphia, with a cargo of guano, arrived at Noriolk to-day in distress. She obtained her cargo at Navapa, but had the misfortune to encounter the terrible hurricane which wrecked so many vessels. Among others the nutries Wessels. vessels. Among others she put into Kings ton, dismantled and otherwise damaged narrowly escaping being wrecked. She left Kingston fully repaired, November 17th, and up to the Capes of the Delaware encountered severe northerly weather. On the 11th ult. off the Delaware Capes, she was met by a severenorthwester and was driven off as far as Hatteras, where she lost her jib-boom and sails. She reached Norfolk early this morning and will remain there a week repairing damages. The schooner Independence sailed from Kingston for Halifax,

Nova Scotia, November 16th.

The schooner Golden Lead, Langthorne, from Severn Island, previously reported, has arrived at Norfolk. The schooner Lady Antrim, from Green-port, Long Island, with a cargo of stores, and Ida Richardson, from New York, in ballast, have arrived at Norfolk. The brigs Waredale and Mississippi have arrived in the Cheseapeake Bay, bound to

Baltimore. [By the U.S. and European News Association ] Lease of a New Orleans Telegraph Line. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 25 .- A lease of the NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 25.—A lease of the New Orleans and Balize Telegraph Line for a term of years has been executed to the United States and European Telegraph News Association, and the line will pass into the hands of the lessees on the 1st of January.

January.

This line is of great importance to the press and shipping interests of this city, as it will enable the association to intercept, at a distance of five to tenshours sail below steamers and other vessels, and also vessels arriving at the Balize for orders, &c., thus placing its managers in possession of the earliest news from Mexico, Hayana and

Marine Disasters [By the U.S. Associated Press.]

BOSTON, Dec. 26.—The steamer Norman, of Philadelphia, for Boston, broke her piston head off Wilmington, Delaware, on Saturday, put into Chester, Pa., for repairs, will leave on Saturday next for Boston.

NANTUCKET, Dec. 25.—Brig C. C. Van Horn, from Cienfuegas for Boston, with cargo of sugar, sunk off Point Rip on the 24th. Crew saved. The vessel is a total loss. PORTLAND, Dec. 25.—The steamer Damascus, from Liverpool on the 6th, arrived this cus, from Liverpool on the 6th, arrived this

Salling of the Cuba. [To the N. Y. Associated Press.]

New York, Dec. 26.—The steamship Cuba sails at noon and will take out \$420,000 in

THIRD EDITION

1:30 O'Olock.

Affairs at San Francisco

BY TELEGRAPH.

[By the U.S. Associated Press.] SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 25.—The trial of the alleged mutineers of the ship Reynard, re-sulted in the disagreement and discharge of the jury. The prisoners were remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal. Colonel R. A. Wainwright, of the United States Ordnance Corps, committed suicide at Benecia Barracks, last Sunday.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 24th.—A hotel called the Central Home was burned this morning, and four men perished in the flames.

No transactions in wheat, and quotations were from \$1 70 to \$1 90 per hundred

Mining stocks are quoted firm; Crown Point at \$1360; Belcher, \$130; Savage,\$1,975; Ophir, \$165; Chollar, \$221; Alpha, \$150; Yel-low Jacket, \$130. Legal Tenders, 73.

Marine News.

[To the U.S. Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 26.—The steamer Columbia, from Glasgow, arrived yesterday at this pert.

The steamship Damascus, from Liverpool December 6th, arrived this evening.

NEW YORK, Dec. 25.—The steamship Alemania, from Southampton on the 12th, is

[To the New York Associated Press.]
BALTIMORE, Dec. 28,—Christmas day was observed by a universal suspension of business, and the churches were generally well attended. The weather to-day is cold with indications of snow.

From Baltimore.

The Cotton Crop. [To the N. Y. Associated Press.]

NEW OBLEANS, Dec. 26.—The total receipts of cotton at all ports, from September 1st to date, is 690,000 bales. One-half of the crop is already harvested.

Financial and Commercial. [To the New York Associated Press.] MORILE, Dec 24.—Siles of cotton to-day, 700 bales; middlings il cts.; closing quiet, with a light demand. The market is rather bare of cottor, but the factors are generally sellers at the above quotations.

ure generally sellers at the above quotations.

[By the U. S. Associated Press.]

LOUISVILLE, Dec. 24.—Nine hundred bales of cotton from the South were shipped to day for the Eart to be sold at auction. Sales ranged to-day from 28@30 cents. Tobacco—sales of 33 hhds. at \$2 \$5@16 75.

CITY BULLETIN. DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.—Yesterday morning shortly after two o'clock, a fire broke out in an old-fashioned three-storied brick build-ing, No. 134 Dock street. The structure was ing, No. 184 Dock street. Inestructure was occupied partly by Abraham Anderson, manufacturer of refrigerators, and partly by Charles Pharazyn, cabinet-maker. The building was filled with combustible material. The flames originated in the upper and spread rapidly through the spline. part, and spread rapidly through the entire structure.

The firemen were soon on the ground, and turned out in large numbers, but the con-flagration raged fiercely, causing a bright light, and shooting myriads of sparks high into the air.

The flames soon communicated to the

buildings adjoining on both sides. These were likewise filled with combustible material, and shared the same fate.
All three buildings were gutted, and the contents were almost entirely destroyed. The occupants had pretty full stocks of finished articles and a considerable quan-

tity of raw material on hand.

No. 132, a two and a half storied oldfashioned building was occupied by Charles W. Kalck, coachmaker, and Elijah Bell, wheelwright,

occupied by Mr. Anderson. Some of the adjoining properties were slightly damaged. Theold Philadelphia Bazaar made a nar-

row escape.

The whole loss is estimated at \$20,000, and is partly covered by insurance. MAN DANGEROUSLY SHOT. - A young man named John Murray, was shot about man named John Murray, was shot about eleven o'clock last night, in front of the tavern of John O'Toebill, at No. 2005 Market street. Murray was in company with others, and all wore false faces. The party went into the tavern to get drinks, but O'Toebill refused to give them liquor. They then went out, but attempted to return and O'Toebill shut the door. Stones were then O'Toohill shut the door. Stones were then thrown through the window and the door was pushed open. O'Toohill was standing just inside with a pistol in his hand. As a rush was made through the door he fired. The ball took effect in the shoulder of Murray causing a very dangerous wound. The injured man was conveyed to his home No. 2122 Cuthbert street. He is eighteen years of age. O'Toohill was arrested by Officer Orr. This morning he was taken before Alderman Jones and was committed to arreit

derman Jones and was committed to await the result of the injuries of Murray, ARREST OF A BOARDING-HOUSE THIEF. A man named Lewis N. Derdine was arrested yesterday, by Officer W. M. Green of the Seventh District, upon the charge of breaking open and robbing trunks at a boarding-house, No. 124 Vine street. Derdine has been in the habit of robbing boarding-houses for some time. He would engage board in the afternoon, and decamp the next morning with some articles of clothing and board in the afternoon, and decamp the next morning with some articles of clothing and jewelry, belonging to other boarders. Detectives Levy and Tryon already have some ten charges against him. The prisoner will have a hearing to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock, at the Central Station, and all boarding-house keepers who have been robbed are requested to be present.

GAVE HIMSELF UP.-Henry Ellenger, who is alleged to have shot Chas, Serad, yesterday, on Second street, below Wharton, surrendered himself to Officer Sheer, at Second and Greenwich streets, at 7 o'clock, this morning. He is twenty eight years of age, and resides on Second street, below Marion. His buisiness, at present, is distilling whisky. He is represented to be a quiet, orderly and inoffensive man. He belongs to no fire company, and does not associate with the rough characters who reside

ciate with the rough characters who reside in the same neighborhood. RIOT AND ROBBERY.—Three young men, named Robert McKinley, George Fleming and James Brown went to the house of Mr. and James Brown went to the house of Mr. Campbell, in Alter street, near Twentieth and Washington streets, yesterday, tore down the sign, broke it into pieces, and threw stones into the house. They then entered, demolished things generally, and decamped, taking with them three watches, valued at \$15 each. They were afterwards arrested by Officer Carroll, of the First District, and taken before Alderman Lutz, who held them in \$1,000 bail for trial.

ASSAULTING FEMALES.-Alex. Smith, ASSAULTING FEMALES.—Alex. Smith, Theo? Curl, Cornelius Hume, Morris R. Kellinger and Wm. W. H. Cantlin were arrested by Officers Taggert and G. H Smith, on Christmas Eve, for indecently assaulting females. John Griffiths, for interfering with Officer Taggert, was also captured. All the prisoners were held for trial by Ald. Beitler. George W. Emery was held for assaulting Officer Robt. Smith and attempting to steal her watch. ing to steal her watch.

ATTACK ON A SCHOOL TEACHER. -Sami. ATTACK ON A SCHOOL TEACHER.—Sami. George and James Roland, colored, were before Alderman-Hutchinson, upon the charge of assault and battery. A few nights ago they went to the colored school, at Nineteenth and Spring Garden streets, armed with pistols and clubs, and beat the teacher and one of the scholars. They were held to answer at Court. answer at Court.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT.-Last evening,

MURDEROUS ASSAULT.—Last evening, about 6 o'clock, Joseph Burns, the watchman of a factory at Second and Oxford streets, was attacked by several men. He was badly beaten and had his head much cut. He was taken to his home, and his recovery is considered doubtful. Michael McStay, who is alleged to have been the principal assailant, was arrested. He was taken before Ald. Shoemaker, and was committed to await the result of the injuries of Burns.

RIOT.—A fight between whites and blacks took place at Nineteenth and Coatesstreets. took place at Nineteenth and Coatesstreets, on Monday afternoon, about five o'clock. Bricks and stones were thrown around pretty lively, and several persons were bruised. The police interfered and arrested Alex. Ivory, colored, and Patrick Modulgan, Thomass Gillingham and David Roland, all white. The prisoners were taken before Alderman Hutchinson, and were held in \$800 bail to answer.

RECOVERY OF STOLEN PROPERTY. silver pitcher and a preserve stand, which were stolen last week from the store of Jno. were stolen last week from the store of Jno. O. Mead & Son, Ninth and Chestnut streets, were recovered this morning by Officers Githens and Young, of the Fifth District. The articles are supposed to have been taken from a barrel, which had been packed for shipment to St. Louis and was on the sidewalk. walk.

A WOMAN ASSAULTED .- George O'Donnell was before Alderman Clouds this mornnell was before Alderman Clouds this morning, upon the charge of having assaulted the proprietress of a sailor boarding house, on Melville street, above William. In company with two others he went to the house yesterday, beat the woman and badly damaged the furniture. His companions were not arrested. O'Donnell was committed, in default of \$1.200 bail to answer. default of \$1,200 bail to answer.

DISHONEST COLLECTOR. - Samuel A Nichols was arrested yesterday by Day Sergeant Reese and taken before Alderman Dougherty, upon the charge of larceny. He was employed as collector, by a Mr. Detrow who keeps a store on Third street, and it is alleged, collected about \$100 and appropriated the money to his own use. He was held for a further hearing.

Acoident.-John Cannon, aged 50 years, residing on Passayunk road, fell down stairs at the American Theatre yesterday and fractured his collarbone. He was taken to the Hospital by Officer Morgan of the Fifth

FATAL RAILROAD ACCIDENT.-Ernest Becker, residing at No. 2101 Girard avenue, while walking on the Reading railroad, near Fairmount, on Monday evening, was struck by a locomotive, and was so badly injured that he died in a short time.

House Robbery.-The dwelling of Mr. Andrew Kirkpatrick, No. 169 Allen street, below Shackamaxon, was entered on Monday evening, while the occupants were at supper, and about \$300 in gold were taken from a bureau drawer.

An Impostor.—James Crane has been held in \$700 bail by Alderman Massey, for fraud. He is alleged to have been engaged in collecting, in sums of \$5, \$10 and \$15, for a new directory, and had no authority to

ASSAULT IN A POLICE STATION .- On Monday night Edward Haffey committed a violent assault upon E. W. Daily, in a cell at the Twentieth Ward Police Station. He was committed in default of \$1,000 bail by Alderman Fitch.

RESCUED FROM DROWNING.-A man named Con. Fitzgerald fell into the Delaware, at Race street wharf, last evening, about half-past eight o'clock. He was rescued from drowning by Officer Brown, of the Harbor Pelice. PRESS CLUB.—The regular stated meeting

of the Press Club of Philadelphia will be held . at the rooms No. 515 Chestnut street. An essay will be read. INFANTICIDE.-Two male infants, but a ew hours old, were found dead on the

Fairmount basin yesterday morning. Coroner Daniels held an inquest on the bodies. FATAL FALL.-A man named Sylvester, aged about 50 years, fell down stairs at a house at York and Carroll streets, and broke his neck.

FISHED OUT OF THE RIVER.—C. B. Kemp was found clinging to a cake of ice in the Delaware, near South street wharf, last night, and was fished out with a boat hook, FOUNDLING.—A female child, two months old, in a basket, was left on the steps of a house, No. 404 Marriott street this morning.

CHILDREN CUTTING THEIR TEETH HARD may be considerably relieved by applying a small portion of Bower's Infant Cordial to the finger, and rubbing the gums gently for a short time. BOWER'S GLYCERINE CREAM for chapped and rough skin. Depot, Sixth and Vine. 35 cts. jar. DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES AND FANCY GOODS. SNOWDEN & BROTHER, Importers, 22 South Eighth street.

RHEUMATISM CURED OR NO PAY ASKED. -Dr. Fitler's Remedy cured Joseph Stevens, 533 Owen tree; he never expected to get well. FEMALE TRUSSES AND BRACES, ELASTIC

Supports, Stockings, Knes Cape, &c., light and appropriate for female wear. For sale and adjustment at 'Needles'," Twetith street first door below Race. Lady attendants.) cessor dined with the Secretary of State last EXTRAORDINARY CUBE OF RHEUMATISM. Samuel R. Adams. Nineteenth and Montrose, tried verything, Cured by Dr. Fitler's Remedy.

BENBOW'S SOAPS.—Elder Flower, Turtle Ill, Glycerine, Lettuce, Sunflower, Musk, Rose, &c. SNOWDEN & BROTHER, Importers, 23 South Eighth street, A CURE OF RHEUMATISM WORTH SHEING.
S. Kilpatrick. 1744 Olive street, cured by Dr. Fitler's
Remedy. Warranted no cure, 100; 23. AFFECTIONS OF THE LIVER, BILIOUS ISORDERS, &C., are thoroughly cured by Jayne's San-ive Pills. Acting as a gentle laxative they remove it irritating and fecal matterfrom the bewels, gradu-ly change the vittated secretions of the abmach and ver, and restore these organs to a healthy condition, repared only at 242 Chestnut street.

A Few Drops of "Sweet Oppoponax!" Oh.
how rich and aromatic in odor. It purifies the air of
the spartment, and soothes the wearied frame of the
invalid. It is a captive fragrance, found on all t liets,
and never stains the handkerchief. Sold everywhere.
E. T. SMITH & CO., New York.
Sole Proprietors.

IMPORTATIONS.

Reported for the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.
PROVIDENCE, RI.—Steamship Hunter, Bogera—
56 bales dry goods Jas Lea & Co: 52 caves do Coffin &
Altenus; 4 cases. hardware. Biddle Hardware Co; 1
hox, 1 machine, Thos Magill; 11 pkgs b. G. Caldwell; 2
do J. H. Wisler; 5 do Kilburn & Co: 6 cases W. H. & G
W. Allen; 10 bales. Harris, Shortridga & Co; 6 cases
French, Richards & Co; 25 pkgs R. T. White & Co; 1 ½
barrel? pkgs C. M. Ghnisky; 45 boxes Middleton &
Harnel? pkgs C. M. Ghnisky; 45 boxes Middleton &
Harnel? 1 box Robt Levick; 1 case Hardy, Brenner &
Co; 3 bbis N. L. Hart & Co; 1 barrel Hassinger & Brittan; 2 do Varree & Landis; 2 do Newlin & Fernley; 2
do Latham, Lewis & Co; 35 boxes, Lawa & Maginnis,
2 do A. D. Carrollik Co; 3 do T. Miles & Son; skegs. J. H.
Waitwright; 1 case Rev Howe; 2 bbis N. & G Taylor; 2
boxes H. H. Hansel]; 114 do J. G. Yeager; 1 box J. &
Vewdall; 3 boxes Daniel Shaeffer; 2 do Bush & Gage;
7 do Hess & Bro; 1 box Cooper Fire Arms Co; 1 box, 1
machine Abel Read; 2 boxes Brittain & Henderson; 1
bundle Capt Garr, ts; 13 bbis Beader & Adamson; 10
bales waste Leech & Co; 4 base Sonthwick, Sheible &
Co; casee Beuhler, Howard & Co; 3 kegs Thos S Kelly;
4 do R G Blottesbury; 88 pkgs Lathbury, Wickersham
& Co.
OHARLESTON, SC.—Steamer Whirlwind, Farge—

& Co.

CHARLESTON. SC.—Steamer Whirlwind, Fargo—
Zb bales cotton 10 do yarn Claghorh, Herring & Co; 22
do cotton A Sloan & Son; 36 do E A Souder & Co; 1 box
Cornellus & Baker; 5 bbls McOutcheon & Coillins; 15
rolls leather J. O'Spooner; 2 hbds Massey, Coillins & Co;
15 half bbls Engel & Wolfe; 57 oks rice order; 102 bales
cotton order; 23 do Lathbury, Wickersham & Co. Latest Marine Intelligence.

ARRIVED THIS DAY.

Steamer Star of the Union. Cookey, 7 days from New Orleans, with cotton, &c. to Philadelphia and Southern Mail Steamship Co.

Steamer Whirlwind, Farg., 60 hours from Charleston, with cotton, &c. to Lathbury. Wickersham & Co. Steamer H. L Gaw, Iller. 13 hours from Baltimore, with motes and passengers to A Groves, Jr.

Brig Neile Clifford, Littlefield, 1d days from Bangor, with lumber to J.E. Bazley, & Co.

Brig D.B. Doane, Weeks, 10 days from St. Marys, Ga. with lumber to Warren, Gregg & Morris.

Schr R.L. Porter, Sparks, from Providence, in ballast to EA Souder & Co. Echr M I. Van Kirk, Haley, 4 days from Newport.

3:30 O'Olock.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Important from Washington.

[By the U. S. Associated Press.] WASHINGTON, Dec. 26.—On account of the bsence of Justice Grier, who is-to deliver the opinion on the decision of the Supreme Court in the test oath case, it was not delivered this morning. As the Court will adourn on Friday until Thursday of next week, this opinion may not be expected until Monday of the following week.

No decision has yet been given in the application for a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Dr. Mudd, one of the Dry Tortugas

prisoners. It was stated that Chief Justice Chase doubts the jurisdiction of the Court in the matter. If it is not speedily decided by the Courts, the action of the Executive will be invoked to order the release of the prisoners condemned by the military commission who come within the terms of the recent declaion of the Supreme Court in the Mulligan case, better known as the Indiana Conspiracy case:

Further News From Mexico.

I[By the U. S. Associated Press.]
GALVESTON, Dec. 28th.—Cel. Plate, late of the Quartermaster's Department, has just arrived here from Indianapolis. He saw the Daily Ranchero, which stated on the authority of its Matamoras correspondent that it was reported and generally believed that Escobedo had been captured and hung outside of the city. It was believed that the military had instigated Ortegato the act. Escobedo had been heard from on the day

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previous to the reported execution.

Financial and Commercial.

[To the U. S. Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 25, 1. P. M.—The Flour market is quiet and firm; sales of \$400 bils. superfine. \$8 20@10; common to choice extra State, \$10 40@11 75;ditto Western, 19 40@13 55; round hoop Uhio. \$10 90@12; trade brands, \$2.05@13 25;the market closing quies but firm. Southern Flour dull; sales of 150 bbils. at \$11@13 25 for common, extra at \$13 20@16 50. Bye Flour quiet; tales of 180 harrels at \$5.06@750. Corn Meat easier. sales of \$25 barrels Brandywine 5:@550. Wheat quiet and without a decided change; sales of \$60 bushels of Amber State at \$10, 7,00 bushels mixed Milwaukee at \$2.15. Rye is dull; sales of 5:00 bushels mixed Milwaukee at \$2.15. Rye is dull; sales of 5:00 bushels at \$1.35. Barley dull; sales of 1000 bushels. Corn is shout ic. better, with only a material domand; sales of \$2.000 bushels at \$1.145;@1 15 for mixed Members. Corn is shout ic. better, with only a material domand; sales of \$2.000 bushels at \$1.145;@1 15 for mixed Members. Of the Corn is shout ic. better, with only a material domand; sales of \$2.000 bushels at \$1.145;@1 15 for mixed Members. Of \$2.000 bushels at \$1.145;@1 15 for mixed Members. Of \$2.000 bushels at \$1.000 bushels. Of \$2.000 bushels at \$1.000 bushels. Of \$2.000 bushels. At \$1.000 bushels. Of \$1.000 bushels.

Reception of the New French Minister by the President.

The Marquis de Montholon, the retiring French Minister, and the newly accredited minister, M. Berthemy, were presented to the President by the Secretary of State at a calcal vester day afternoon. The leave

4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The leave-taking of the Marquis de Montholon, with the answer of the President to him, were of the kindest character.

Mr. Berthemy made the following address

to the President.

Mr. President—I have the honor to place in your hands the letters which accredit me in the quality of Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of his Majesty the Emperor of the French. In confiding to me the mission to represent him near you, my sovereign has specially charged me to make known to you, the value he attaches to the relations of friendship which exist between France and the United States. States of America. to maintain these relations, to draw them more closely, if possible, in view of the developments of interests, common to the aim of my efforts, and I have firm hope to attain it, if, as I am in advance assured, the government and people of the United States share in the sentiments of which I bring to this place sincere expressions.

this place sincere expressions. The following is the President's reply to

Mr. Berthemy: Sir-Grateful affection toward the French nation is among the earliest, the most pro-found and the most enduring sentiments of the people and the government of the United States. We constantly try to believe that no interest of either country requires alienations or antagonisms between them. While intimate commercial interests tend to bind them together, as you have justly observed, they have at the same time a common interest in the advancement of civilization and humanity throughout the world. In expressing these feelings I am only repeating what has been uniformly said by the United States since they became sovereign. We have had much reason to be pleased with the conduct of your predecessor, the Marquis de Montholon. Be assured, M. Berthemy, that no consideration, or courtesy, will be withheld, which shall tend to make the performance of your duties agreeable. the performance of your duties agreeable and pleasant.

The retiring French Minister and his suc-

SINKING OF A STEAMER. - Saturday morning, at four o'clock, the stern wheel steamer Argonaut No. 2, just after leaving the New Argonaut No. 2, just after leaving the New Albany (Indiana) wharf, where she had discharged a lot of clay for the glass works, struck the ledge of slate rock, and almost immediately sunk. She was attempting to run through a fog, and had made but a few revolutions ahead when she struck heavily, the stern sinking in about fifteen feet water. She lies alougside the bank, close to shore, with the water up to her boiler deck forward, and the water on her cabin floor aft. She had some fifteen cabin and twenty deck passengers, all of whom were saved unhurt, together with their baggage. The engineer was working her slowly at the time; but being laden withiron, her bow was crushed on the instant of contact with the slate shelf or reef. The Argonaut No. 2 was on her way to Cincinnati and Pittsburgh, from St. way to Cincinnati and Pittsburgh, from St. Louis. She entered protest at Louisville. The boat was valued at \$20,000, and was insured for \$10,000. The Underwriter, which has just finished with the Emperor, will probably raise her in a day or two. The bow of the Argonaut is spread open, but she is otherwise unhurt, and a bulkhead can very soon be built, so that she can be way to Cincinnati and Pittsburgh, from St. can very soon be built, so that she can be pumped out. All of her cargo, except some whisky and iron, will prove a total loss.

AT A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD of Directors of the "Columbia Mothal Sike Manufacturing Company." held at their office in this city, on Wednesday, December 28, 1828, at 11 o'clock At. M., the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, it has pleased the Almighty to remove from earth Nicholas E. Thouron, Esq., who was long and fevorably known to this community, as one of its oldest and most enterprising merchauts, and most worthy and receptary citzens, therefore.

Ectoburd, That th's Board, while they bow in submission to the will of Providence deem it proper, nevertheless, to express their admiration for the many virtues of Mr. Thouron, who was associated with them as a member from the foundation of the company, during he whole of which period he also filled the office of Treasurer with great fidelity and unswerying integrity.

Ectobed. The Secretary communicate this preamble

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Estoved. The Secretary communicate this preamble and resolutions to the family of the deceased, and cause them to be published in the newspapers of the city, and that the members of this Board attend the foneral of Mr. Thouron.

On motion, the Board adjourned without transacting any further husiness.

JACOB KEMPER.

President.

H. A. OESTERLE, Secretary.

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