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GROFF-WITMER.—At All Saint's Church, Paradise, ancaster county, Pa., on the 19th inst, by the Rev. Wm. Augustus White, of Roxborough, Philadelphia, Mr. Aldis, Groff to Miss Susan J., daughter o Amos L. Witmer, Couleman and Country of the Country J. Groff to bliss guean o., Gauganet v. Esquire.

THOMAS—PATRICK.—In Baltimore, 17th Instant, at Chirist Church, by the Roy. Henry A. Wise, Joseph L. Thomas, Esq., of Chicago, to Robecca H militon, youngest daughter of Capt. John Patrick.

WIEDELSHEIM—BLANCHARD.—On the 23d instant, by the Rey. Jos. A. Seiss, D. D., William A. Weidersheim to Kate L., daughter of Williams I. Blanchard.

DIED.

CRESSON.—On the afternoon of the 25d.jast., Charles Edward, son of John and Alice J. Cresson, in the 18th year of his age.

Tils friends and those of the family are respectfully rivited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents. No. 1556 North Eleventh effect, on Thursday morning, 25th linet., at 8 o'clock.

DAVIS.—Suddenly, at Hudson, N. Y., September 22d, ctonella V. R. Davis, formerly of Philadelphia, and daughter of the late Capt. Geo. Davis.

STRATTON.—On the 22d inst, Mr. Chas. S. Stratton, in the 53d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his late residence No. 11:6 North Second street, on Friday morning, at 10 o'clock, without further notice. Proceed to Laurel Hill. \*\*\*

WATTS.—In Faris, France, on Sunday, Bept. 8, Robert Watts, M. D., Protessor of Anatomy in the College of Physicians and Surgions of New York.

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AND SATURDAY EVENING, OCT. 579. The meetings to be held on BROAD STREET, in front

By order of the Committee. ROBERT R. CORSON,

PARDEE SCIENTIFIC COURSE LATAYETTE COLLEGE.

The next term commences THURSDAY, September 12th. Candidates for admission may be examined the day before (September 11th), or on TUESDAY, July toth, the day before the Annual Commencement Exercises. For circulars, apply to President CATTELL, or to

Prof. R. B. YOUNGMAN, ELATOR Ponnal July, 1867. Clerk of the Faculty, 1907.

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Al-MORY COMPANY A, FIRST REGIMENT

CREAT RESERVES."

PROCEEDING, September 24th, 1867.

In accordance with Regimental Orders, the Corps will parade in the least of which with the least and gloves on WEDNESDAY, the 28th inst, at 4 o'clock, P. M., to participate in the electric Major-General P. H. Sheridan.

10 GAPTALS JAMES D. KEYSER.

"GE LEERPANY, GRAY RESERVES.—THE COMpany will associable in full uniform, at Regimental Armory, Blood and Race streets, on WEDNESDAY, September 25th, 1867, at 426 o'clock P. M., for parade, WM. W. ALLEN, Captain.

COMPANY F. NATIONAL GUARD, ASSEMBLE for prende, WEDNESDAY, 25th inst, at 4% o'clock P. M. By Ender of JACOB M. DAVIS Company JACOB M. DAVIS, Captain

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BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 25, 1867.—A number of ministers have arrived here to be present at the opening of the American and Foreign Board of Ministers which Ministers, which meets in this city to-morrow. The Board expect to be in session during the week. The Rev. J. P. Thompson, of New York, will deliver the annual sermon.

The Board of Ministers at Buffato.

A PICKPOCKET'S CHOICE OF LIFE.—A Bristol pickpocket, having had a taste of a lunatic asylum, has declared his preference for a jail.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Walnut.—A Midsummer Night's Dream will be performed again this evening. This is the last week of its representation.

THE ARCH.-Mr. E. Eddy will appear this evening in THE ARCH.—Mr. F. Eddy will appear this evening in the drama of Jam Remy.

THE CHESTRUT.—Mr. and Mrs. Florence appear this evening in Handy Andy and the farce of The Yankee Housekeper. Mr. James E. Murdoch will appear on Monday next.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The Black Crook will be performed this evening with all the brilliant accessories of scenery, costume, transformations and ballet. The music is under the able direction of Dr. Cannington. The American.—A miscellaneous entertainment will be given by the combination troupe this evening. ELEVENTH STEET OPERA HOUSE.—An attractive bill, consisting of the "Trip 'Round the World," and Ethiopian delineations, is offered for this evening. Philadelphia Opera House.—This elegant little theatre is now on the road to well-merited popularity. Sanford, Eph Horn and Frank Moran will appear this and every evening in some of their most lauguable

more very evening in some of their most languable pieces.

The Pearis and Rocky Mountains.—This evening and on every subsequent evening during the week, Mr. J. L. Ringwalt will deliver an illustrated lecture on the above subject at the Assembly Building. We do not go too far when we assert that in view of the rapid progress of the Facilic Railroad, and the consequent public interest left in matters appertaining to the Far West, that the Lecturer could not have chosen a more popular subject, and the subject itself could not have found a more competent person to enlarge upon it. Mr. Rungwalt has traveled a number of times over the stenes which he will destribe, and he will exhibit a series of elegant paintings thy George Wunchrich Irera photographs taken on the spot. He also has a mamber of stereopticon views of the most elegant character. Mr. Ringwalt produces this enterstainment in an oxidance with the request of a number of well-known latists and prominent citizens, and we can assure our readers that it will prove well-worth section. Telests can be produced in advance at ceing, T 'tumpier's,

Concern Hall. The performances of Blind Tom as they increase in number in access in success. Tom's European tour assumatifiestly improved him. No one can avoid being interested in him. His not unromantic cureer, his personal peculiarities, and his brilliant gifts combine to invest him with an interest which is accorded but to few.

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Grand Voral Concert.—The concert of Miss Caroline McCoffrey, assisted by other distinguished artists, on Friday evening at Musical Fund Hall, promises to be one of the finest successes of the musical season. Tickets should be procured early, as they are in domain. MUSICAL FUND HALL .- Mr. M. Wentzel Kopta, the

celebrated violinist, will give concerts on this and Thorsday evening at this Hell. He will be assisted by brilliant musical talent. BLITZ.-The Signor gives a performance at Assembly Building this evening.

FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL Sales at the Philadelphia Stock Exchange.

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The business at the Stock Board continues of a limited and unsatisfactory character. There is no outactions from day to day in the speculative shares are on brokers' account. Government Loans were offered more freely, but they closed about the same as yesterday. State and City Loans were but little inquired after. 160% w s bid for the new issues of the latter, and 98% for the old certificates. Reading Railroad. was lower, and closed 50% s.5. Camden and Amboy Railroad sold at 126-no change. Pennsylvania Railroad was steady at 53%; Mine Hill Railroad at 57; Lehigh Vailey Railroad at 57%; Northern Central Railroad at 43, and North Pennsylvania Railroad at 23. In Canal shares the only sale was, of Delaware Division at 55%-an advance. Schuylkill Navigation Preferred was nominal at 27; Lehigh Navigation at 46%, and Susquehanna at 15%. Bank shares were without change. There was rather more demand for Passenger Railway shares, with sales of Spruce and Pine Streets at 25 /66,25 1/2; Thirteenth and Fifteenth Streets at 19%, and liestoaville at 13.

Smith, Pandolph & Co., Bankers, 15 South Third strict, quete at 11 o'clock, as follows: Gold, 142½; United States 1881 Bonds, 11074@11114; United States 1 mied State - 134 1149; 5-20's, 1864, 1094; 1094; 5-20's, 1865, 110; 110; 110; 5-20's, July, 1865, 107%; 108; 5-20's, July, 1867, 107260 108; United States 10-40's, 20%649光; United States 7400's, 1st series, par; 7-30's; 2d series, 106/2@107; 3d series, 165/2@107; Compounds, December, 1864, 1181/2@1874. Jay Cooke & Co. quote Government securities, &c., to-day, as follows: United States 6's, 1881,110%@11076; Old 5-20 Bonds, 114@114%; New 5-20 Bonds, 1864, 109 7 @1093; 5-20 Bonds, 1865, 110@1103; 5-20 Bonds July, 1865, 107%@103; 5-20 Bonds, 1867, 107%@ 108: 10-40 Bonds, 99%@99\*: 77-10 August, par; 7 3-10, June, 10634@107; 7 3-10, July, 106%@

107; Gold (at 12 o'clock), 1423@ 1423. Messrs, De Haven & Brother, No. 40 South Third street, make the following quotations of the rates of exchange to-day, at 1 P. M.: American Gold, 142 403 142%; Silver-Quarters and halves, 136@133; Compound Interest Notes-June, 1864, 19.40; July, 1864, 19.40; August, 1864, 19-40, October, 1864, 19; Dec. 1864, 18; May, 1865, 17; August, 1865, 16; Sept.,

1865, 15%; October, 15.

The weekly averages of the Associated Local and National Banks in the Clearing-house of New York, for the week ending Saturday last, Sept. 21, compare as follows with the corresponding week last year; to which we add the specie and currency balances in the New York office of the United States Treasury at these thates, respectively:

Increase in Specie.	412 552
Decrease in other Legal Tenders	7.467.510
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Decrease in Circulation	41.214
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Gold and Gold Notes 8,617,493	8,148,946
Other Legal Tenders 57,709,325	65,176,903
Deposits155,603,939	
01 -1-1-1	193,086,775
Circulation 34,056,442	34,015,228
In Sub-Treasury	119.381.287

Philadelphia Markets.

TUFSDAY, Sept. 24.-There is no falling off in the demand for Querci ron Bark and further sales of 38 hhds. No. 1 were made at \$55 % ton. Prices of Tanners' Bark are nominal. The Flour market continues to be characterized by

extreme quietude, the demand being exclusively for the wants of the home consumers. Sales of 100 barrels Northwest extra family at \$10 75 \$ barrel, 300 barrels do, do, on terms kept secret; 1,000 barrels Penna, and Ohio do. do. at \$11@12, fancy at \$13@ 414 old stock and fresh ground extras at \$8@39 50 and superfine at \$7 50@\$8 25. Rye Flour is selling steady at \$8 25@8 50. In Corn Meal there is nothing

There is no change in Wheat and the domand is only for prime lots for the supply of the local miller Sales of 1,200 bushels prime Southern at \$2 40 % bushel, 500 bushels Amber at \$2 50, and small lots of California at \$2.75. Rye is firmer and 2,000 bush-ls sold at \$1.60@1.55 and one lot at \$1.60. Corn is n better domand and 2@3,000 bushels yellow sold at \$1 40@1 42—now held higher—and mixed Western at \$1 40@1 42—now held higher—and mixed Western at \$1 55. Oats are in fair request with sales of 3@4,000 bushels, part at 73@75 cents and part on secret terms. \$ 000 bushels Ohio No. 1 Barley sold at \$1 56, and 1,000 bushels Mail, at \$1 36.

CRIME. SUICIDES IN NEW YORK.

Fire Discovered in a Store and the Proprietor Arrested on Suspicion of Arson—Mc Commits Suichae in His Cell.

[From to-day's New York Herald.]
At 4.45 o'clock yesterday morning, Officer Cook, of the Seventeenth Precinet, discovered a Cook, of the Seventeenth Precinct, discovered a fire in the hat, cap and gentlemen's furnishing store, No. 165 Avenue A, when the flames were speedily extinguished, resulting in a damage of about \$50. Subsequent examination resulted in the discovery that the flames had originated in a common pine packing-box, standing under the counter of the store, and partially filled with waste paper. The box was charred both within and without, while everything pointed clearly to the fact that an attempt thing pointed clearly to the fact that an attempt at aron had been made, and by direction of Ser-geant Davis Officers Cook and Gould, of the Seventeenth Precinct, arrested the proprietor, Samuel Laucheimer, a German, and 35 years of age, on a charge of having set fire to his pre-mises, upon which he was locked up at the Po-lice Station on the corner of Fifth street and First

avenue.
Fire Marshal A. E. Baker was notified, and he FIG. Marshal A. E. Baker was notined, and ne arrived at the station-house at 9.30 A. M., and examined the prisoner. Laucheimer stated that he knew nothing of the fire, until aroused by the alarm, having retired at 11 o'clock on Sunday night. In his possession was found an insurance policy for \$300 in the Lorillard Company, on the household furniture, and made out pany, on the household furniture, and made out in his own name, besides one for \$100 in the Greenwich Co. on stock and household furniture, and another for \$600 in the Rutgers Company on stock and store fixtures, both of the latter being made out in the name of his wife. Jeannette. The prisoner was not searched when first orrected but the tribe results in the rest of the prisoner was not searched when first arrested, but at the preliminary examination by Fire Marshal Baker, the search was made in a thorough and complete manner, but no weapon thorough and complete manner, but no weapon was found concealed on his person. About ten o'clock the prisoner was remanded to his cell, when he exclaimed, "I'm a ruined man!" Soon after his wife arrived at the stationary soon after. his whe arrived at the station-house with a breakfast, which was sent down to Lauchelmer by the doorman. As soon as he teached the cell door, the doorman discovered that the prisoner had committed suicide by shooting himself through the breast with a small-sized Sharpe's revolver, death evidently having been instantaneous. The deceased was lying on the bunk, with his right beg extended to the floor, and the right hand lying on the breast near the would the right hand lying on the breast near the wound, the pistol having dropping from the re-laxed fingers to the flagging of the cell. The weapon had been held so close to the breast when fired that the shirt was scorched by the exp.oded

The building alleged to have been set on fire is: a four-story brick one, and is owned by Mr. John Black, who is amply insured in the Germania. The upper stories are occupied by a number of tenants among whom great excitement prevailed when the alarm of fire was given.

THE INQUEST.
At 5 o'clock last evening, Coroner Schirmer held an inquest over the body of the deceased, at the Seventeenth Precinct Station-house, when the following facts were elicited:

Jeannette Laucheimer, the widow of the deceased, testified: That she went to bed at ten o'clock on the previous night, and that her hus-

yesterday.
Officer William Gould, of the Seventeenth Precinct, testified that he arrested the deceased in the store and locked him up in the Seventeenth Precinct Station-house. The prisoner was not searched when he was put into the cell, as he was considered to be under temporary arrest only. Subsequently, however, when brought before Fire Marshal Baker, he was thoroughly searched be

testified that he locked the prisoner in after his examination and saw nothing in the cell but what was all right; the doorman then went up stairs, was an right; the doorman then went up stairs, and in a few minutes the prisoner's wife came in with some breakfast for him, which the doorman took down to him; on arriving at the cell door he saw the prisoner I ing on the bunk and called to him. but as he did not respond he entered the cell, and supposing him askep, shook him several times before he discovered the wound, and that he was dead, and, then observed the pistol-lying on the floor by the side of the bunk.

Fire Marshal Buker testified that he examined at the station-house, and in the presence of the prisoner, the box in which the fire had originated

An inquest was yesterday held by Coroner Schirmer, at No. 2 Carroll place, on the body of Thomas Staples Swift, who is believed to have committed suicide by taking landanum. He was a music-teacher of considerable ability, and at one time cujoyed a flourishing business, but dismissed from his position as organist of an up-town church. A few evenings ago he gave a concert, but the proceeds barely covered expenses, and this disappointment weighed him down. On Friday night last he left his boarding-house, and did not return until late on Sunday night. Yesterday morning Mr. William F. McIntyre, with whom Swift boarded, found him lying unconscious in bed, and at once summoned a physician necessary restoratives were employed, and he par-tially revived, but soon sank again, and died at about noon. Mr. Swift was a native of Ireland, aged 25 years.—N. Y. Tribuw.

Scotia. To them the news is evidently very Now what does this indicate? It indicates:

1. That the people were resolved to show that the scheme should have been submitted to them before being made law.

2. That the people believe it is not for the interests of their province to be united with the

or real patriotism of the set of men forming the late government of Canada and the bulk of the present Privy Council of the Dominion; and the people are right.

Is the Deminion going to break up already? Let the provinces seek admission into our Union, which is one and undivided.

A Chapter of Accidents. MONTHEAL, Sept. 23, 1867.—A man was killed in this city this morning by being run over by a train on the railroad. A little child who was sitting on the track at the time was literally cut to

Four men were blown up on St. Helen's Island this morning. One of them was mortally and another scriously wounded.

said:
I have recensly been in Maryland and the District of Columbia, having left Washington only night before last. While there I took special pairs to inform myself in regard to the precent

to arms and tromp the soil of Maryland to reach the beleaguered capital and rescue it from the hands of rebels and traitors. In conclusion, let me say to you, who have borne the flag before the enemy, do your duty in the coming elections—vote for those men who by their record have shown themselves to be your friends, and the friends of the Government. Rally as one man to

Sad Letter from Herschel V. Johnson. Ex-Governor Johnson writes to a political friend in Michigan:

band came home near eleven o'clock, and retired to rest on a sofa, but in the same room: she was awakened, as she thinks, about four o'clock and rushed outside with the baby, and is of opinion that her scream awoke her husband, who came out after her with the other children. Her testi-mony further showed that there had been an estrangement between her and her husband, and that he was of an excitable temperament and would sometimes lose control of his temper and threaten to shoot himself. She had on one occasion, about two months since, taken a pistol from him, but it was not the weapon he used on

fore being remanded to the Station-house and no weapon of any kind found upon him. Job kelsey, the doorman at the Station-house

in the store, and found it was a common pine wood box filled with hoop-skirt paper ribbons, &c. After a just mortem examination by Dr. S. H. Lee, which proved that the pistol shot had penetrated the heart, the jury returned a verdict that the deceased had come to his death by a pistolshot wound at his own hands. Suicide of a Music Teacher.

THE DOMINION OF CANADA.

Nova Scotia Hostile to Confederation. MONTREAL, Sept. 21, 1867.—The sanguine dreams of confederates in the Dominion of Canada are damped by the election news from Nova gusting. There are nineteen constituencies in that province, and eighteen of them have returned "antis"—that is, anti-confederates, one constituency only going union. The Nova Scotia vote (seventeen), therefore goes solid into opposition.

3. That the people have no faith in the probity

THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

The Idea of Resistance-

At a Republican meeting in Cincinnati, on Saturday, after speeches by Senators Sherinan and Wade, of Ohio, Senator Trayer, of Nebraska,

purposes of Mr. Johnson, and obtained what I am about to state from reliable authority. I declare upon my responsibility as a Senator of the United States, that to-day Andrew Johnson meditates and design forelible resistance to the authority of Congress. I make this statement deliberately, having received it from unquestioned and unquestionable authority. Leannot point out; the occasion on which he may attempt to use military force. It may be to prevent the assembling of Congress, or when assembled, if the House of Representatives when assembled, it the House of Representatives passes articles of impeachment, or it may be for the purpose of forcing the Southern Senators and Representatives to seats in Congress. The question may be asked, "How can he do such a thing?" You recollect that six months ago Gov. Swann of Maryland was elected a United States Senator, and that a few weeks afterward he de-clined, giving grave reasons of State as the cause. It was that Lieut.-Gov. Cox of that State could not be trusted for Johnson's purposes. There is to-day a standing army in Maryland, an organized militia force, such as no other State in the Union has, officered mainly by returned rebels. When the time comes which he looks for, under some pretence Johnson may declare Mary land and the District of Columbia unde martial law, and call upon Governor Swann to bring forth his militia. There is nothing that will deter Johnson from his purpose, except when the issue comes that his cour age may fail. I make this statement that the American people may know the danger that threatens their peace and safety. If Pennsylva-nia and New York give Democratic majorities in the coming elections it will embolden him to in the coming elections it will embolden him to carry out his purpose; and I hope that you, the people of Ohio, will be warned in time, and so cast your votes as to rebuke and prevent the mad designs of this bad man who is now acting President of the United States. But, gentlementer me say to you that whenever Johnson attempts force, and orders any soldiers he may have under his command to resist the authority of Congress his desay is resist the authority of Congress, his doom is scaled. The tate from which he has preserved the traitor Jefferson Davis will then be meted out to him; aye, when that time comes, 560,000 men from Pennsylvania; New York and Ohio will fly

the standard of justice and liberty, and that flag will yet float over a united and happy land.

"The future darkness is scarcely relieved by a single ray of hope. And it seems that we have not reached the 'lowest deep' of our woe. The ruling powers seem bent upon our still greater hunilia-tion. The theme is one on which it is too painful to dwell. Reason seems to have surrendered the sceptre of statesmanship to blind and vindictive possion. What is to be the result, God only knows, and He only can rescue the country from the worst fate that ever fell upon a once free, prosperous and happy people. Perhaps you may be, perous and happy people. Perhanders and happy people. Perhanders and happy people. myself. As you perhaps know. I resisted secession as long as it was an open question. But when my state resolved upon it, I cast my lot with the fortunes of my people, feeling confident that we should 'reap the whirlwind.' I have not been disappointed; and, though I never cherished an emotion of hostility to the Constitution, or the Union of our fore-fathers under it—though I have spent a quarter of a century in trying to uphold both—yet now I ind myself, at the end of such a career, disfrenchised and assigned to a position, in respect to political and civil rights, inferior to that of my former slaves. My home is in the track of Sherman's march. His army destroyed nearly everything I possessed, including my private papers and title deeds, and reduced me from confort to poverty. If I were young, and could be let alone. I might rally from my prostration; but at my time of life, in view of prestrations are supported by the letter of the prostration of the supported by the support of the su ent surroundings, and the darkness that curtains the future, I searcely hope to be able to feed and clothe my family. I say these things in no spirit of unmanly repining. Poverty is a misfortune: but I would welcome it, if, by the sacrfice, I could bring back to life the liberties of my country and the glories of the old Union. But I num fuit. I am, very respectfully,

> "Herischel V. Johnson. AFFAIRS IN KANSAS.

"Your obedient servant.

German Convention at Topeka—Gen. Smith Refuses to Furnish Troops to Protect Laborers on the Pacific Rail-

Leavenworth, Kan., Sept. 24, 1867.—A con-Tepeka to consider the political situation Forty-five delegates were present. Female and negro-suffrage were freely discussed, a majority orefering to ignore these questions in the cam onign and devote themselves to the question of eligious and social rights. The Convention is still insession to-night, no definite action having

been tiken as yet.

The contractors on the Union Pacific Railroad applied to-day to General Smith for additional troops or work would stop, owing to Indian depreciations. General Smith replied that he had o troops to spare. Governor Crawford has tendered General Sher-

man one or more regiments of volunteers to pro-uce the laborers. West of Fort Hayes the In-dians are holding a high carnival.

THE BILLIARD CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Match for the Championship Be-tween Dion and Nelms Declared Off. MONTHEAL, Sept. 23,1867.—Private information eceived here states that the projected match for the billiard championship of Canada and the United Sutes, between Dion and Nelms, has been declared off, Nelms paying forfeit. The cele-

brated urknown who has challenged the cham-pion for his right to the champion cue is John McDevitt. The Reported Defalcation in Wind-ham, Vermont.

A correspondent of the Boston Journal, writing from Cheder, Vt., Sept. 19, says:
"The tovn of Windham is in an unusual state of excitemen, growing out of the investigations re-cently made in the financial affairs of a prominent citizen of that town. The particulars, as we learn them, are as follows: Henry Pierce, a well-to-do farmer, and who, previous to this transaction, has farmer, and who, previous to this transaction, has borne an irreproachable character, absconded on the 12th ing., taking with him several thousand dollars which had been procured from moneyed institutions and private individuals upon the representation that he was endeavoring to obtain representation that he was endeavoring to obtain a large anount of money for the purpose of purchasing blooded sheep, with which he was going to took his farm. Parties who had loaned him money, placing implicit confidence in his integrity, remained perfectly easy until the 16th Inst., when the truth was made public that he was a defaulter. Monday a letter was previously by his forther which was a letter was recived by his father, which was post-marked at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, containing a deed propely executed, conveying all his real estate to hin for security, he having signed notes as security at the Jamaica Bank, which loses heavily by tigtrausaction. One firm loses to the

amount of \$1,100. This affair is the first of the kind that has ever occurred in Win iham, and the excitement is intense."

WASHINGTON GOSSIP.

The Health of Mr. Stevens. Washington Correspondence of the N. Y. Tribane. This forenoon a despatch was received by Miss Davis, the ward of Mr. Stevens, residing at No. 297 South B street, Capitol Hill, dated Lancaster. 9 A. M. of to-day, containing the words: "Mr. Stevens is now dying." Footning further has been leard since concerning his condition, but there seems to be no ground for the hope that he will be able to vally, though his vigorous constiwill be able to rally, though his vigorous consti-tution has repeatedly carried him through when apparently at death's door. His disease is dropsy on the chest. On Monday last he took a trip to Adams county. Pa., to visit his iron works there, much against the advice of his physicians, and it is probable that he was barely able to reach home before being procurated with his ay parently final illness.

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About 1 o clock to day, as Senator Patterson. About 1 o'clock to-day, as Senator Patterson, tile President's son-iu-law, of Tennessee, and General Kyle, of the same State, were conversing together in the office of the Ebbitt House, the former rose from his seat and slapped the latter upon the face with his open hand. Gen. Kyle immediately grabbed the Senator by the throat, and ordered him to sit down, and in this position they remained until friends interposed and separated them. Senator Patterson said something ated them. Senator Patterson said something about shooting, but in a very little time after the affair a reconciliation was effected, and the two left the botel amicably.

Blair Upon the Cabinet.

"Montromery Blair, in his speech yesterday at "Mongomery Blair, in his speech yesterday at the Bladensburg mass meeting, denounced the Cabinetia's a set of political vertain, and said that Secretary Seward, on the eve of the coming elections, was endeavoring to betray the Administration into the hands of its enemies. He believed that the President would be impeached, and declared that the president would be impeached. and declared that the present condition of things was without precedent in the history of the

(Washington Correspondence N. Y. Herald.)
Valuable Present of Bushs, from the
Emperor of Bushies.

The following correspondence between late Assistant Secretary of the Navy G. V. Fox and
Secretary Seward, in relation to the disposition
of a valuable assortment of hooks presented by Secretary Seward, in relation to the disposition of a valuable assortment of books presented by the Emperor of Russia to Secretary Fox, on the occasion of his visit to St. Petersburg as hearer of the congratulatory resolution of Congress, in of interest. The books referred to are of very great value, and some of them it would be almost impessible to duplicate at any price: Ровтзмости, N. H., July 23, 1867—Илл. II., II. Seward, Secretary of State:—Sir.—In a letter

which I had the honor to write on the 25th of February last, I reported to you that a large number of books had been presented to me in Russia. upon the occasion of my visit to that country as bearer of the resolution of Congress. Through the kindness of Professor Henry a correct catalogue of these books has been prepared, which isherewith transmitted.

Those which were presented to me by the Emperor of Russia I have retained under authority given me by joint resolution of Congress. The remainder I present through the State Department to the library of the Smithsonian Institute,

ment to the library of the Smithsonian Institute, which now forms a part of the national library of our country. With great respect,
Your obedient servant, 4 G. V. Fox.
Department of State, Washington, Sept. 20, 1867.—G. V. Fox, Esq., Washington, Sept. 20, 1867.—G. V. Fox, Esq., Washington, the library of the 22d of July last transmitting a catalogue of books presented to you by the Emperor of Russia mean the occasion of room part. peror of Russia upon the occasion of your visit to that country as the bearer of the resolution of I have also to acknowledge the receipt of a

large number of those valuable books which have been donated by you to the Library of the Smithsonian Institute which now foreign part of the soman institute which now lorth a part of the library of Congress, namely: one hundred and seventy-nine volumes finely bound, many of them in quarto, others in octave major; sixteen atlasses and albums, illustrating accompanying books, texts or description's-some eagle, others books, texts or descriptions—some eagle, others elephant size—all bound in cloth, morocco, &c.; seventy-two maps, some bound in covers or cases; four cffw plans in cases and one in cloth, and twelve pamphiets, making in all two hundred and eighty-two pieces, all of which have been placed in the library of the Smithsonian Institute, in accordance with your intentions.

In accepting, on behalf of the Government and people of the Library someoner and the library of the second control of the library of the second control of the library of the government and the library of the second control of the library of the second control of the library of the second control of the library of the library of the second control of the library of the

people of the United States, so important and in-structive an acquisition to the National Library. I may safely assure you that they will be gratefully appreciated and carefully preserved. I have the honor to be, sir, your very obedient ryant, Whiliam H. Seward.

servant, Suit Against Gen. Butler.

[Washington Correspondence of the Boston Post.]
It is reported here that Mrs. Mumford, the widow of the Custom-House officer who was executed by Gen. Butler, at New Orleans, during the early part of the war, intends to bring a suit egainst that lawyer, laying her damages at \$100. Mrs. Mumford is now hving in Wyctteville, Virginia, in great destitution. Charles O'Conor and Caleb Cushing are named as her counsel.

FROM NEW YORK.

New York, Sept. 21.—The fourth anniversary of negro emancipation in the Southern States was celebrated yesterday by a gathering of the colored societies of New York and Brooklyn, by civic parade, and the meeting together in large numbers at Leffert's Park, Brooklyn, where, speech-making, music, daucing and pic-nicing, our colored fellow-citizens had a happy time

The tenth anniversary of the Fulton street ! Noonday Prayer Meeting was celebrated yester-day in the Lecture Room of the North Reformed Protestant Dutch Church, corner of William and Fulton streets. The attendance was very large, and the exercises exceedingly interesting. Yesterday, owing to the absence of Judge Beebe, counsel for the defendant, the further in-

vestigation of the charges made against Arnold, the alleged defaulter to the Tradesmen's National Bank, was again adjourned until Friday, 4th day of October. The case of Callicott, Allen and others, charged with frauds in the Collector's office in Brooklyn. was before Commissioner Newton yesterday; but discussion ensued among the lawyers as whether all the parties should be tried together or separately, and the examination was finally post-poned until Wednesday.

The Board of Audit met yesterday, and heard

the case of the Tribune Association. It was a claim of \$12,208 for county advertising, and another of \$1,700 for city advertising, which has been running on since 1862.

CONFLICT OF AUTHORITY AT NASH-

Difficulty as to Who Shall Conduct the Nashville Hection-Proclamations of the Governor and Mayor-Pros-pect of a Collision.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 23, 1867 .- A conflict of authority has arisen between Governor Brownof authority has arisen between Governor Brown-low and the city authorities as to who is the proper party to appoint officers to conduct the election which takes place here on Satur-day. The Registration Commissioners have appointed one set of officers, by direction of the Governor, while the City Council appointed another set. The Governor has issued a proclamation threatening militin interformed if proclamation threatening militia interference if the civil authorities persist, while Mayor Brown has issued a proclamation insisting that the city appointees will superintend the election. Gen. Cooper is now concentrating militia here. On the other hand the Mayor will swear in a large number of extra police to resist the militia if

necessary. A bloody collision is imminent if some party does not back down. President Johnson has been appealed to by the city authorities.

PRICE THREE CENTS.

FACTS AND FANCIES

Tragedian Bandmann is in London. -John Owens is playing in Leavenworth.

-Abdul has sent Louis three more horses. -The universal watchword-Tick!-[Punch. J. T. Clark. of Bisalia, Cal., has raised a clingstone peach a foot in circumference. The only copy of the first newspaper in America is among the curiossies of London.

—Six hundred persons have been executed in Mexico since the fall of Maximilian. Brazil anticirates this year the largest harvest of coffee ever gathered.

Ketchum is saving out his time as book-tekper in the prison office.

The great opera house in Paris is building for

-The Princess of Wales is recovering at The latest intelligence—the one that is always.

last to see the joke.—I meh. -A "natural healer" has turned up in St.Paul. It is not Monongahela.—Boston Advertiser.

Father Kelley, the first priest to celebrate mass in Utab, is to be Bishop of Mortana. -- It is said that Sheridan has had but twenty days' leave of absence in fourteen years.

—An Irishman in Cleveland tested a keg of damp powder with a match. Both powder and Irishman went off with a flash. —The Dean of Hereford Cathedral is leading the tower of that ed. Rec. Originally, some hundreds of years ago, it was "set solid,"—N. Y. World. Rev. Mr. Harfield, of Chicago, is trying to preach dram-drinking out of that town, which at least argues the courage of Harfield.

-Ericsson has built for the Swedish Government a "man-monitor; to be worked by man

-Baron Beust is taking warm baths at Gastein. So they loke him about being constantly in hot water. .- Cossip says Napoleon went to Salzburg to find a wife for Napoleon IV. There was a charm-ing eleven-year-old princes there. -Earl Russell is 75 years old, and a correspon-

dent thinks it time that he retired to water his iaurels. A fair but fickle young Englishwoman advertises a copy of Longfellows poems which she desires to exchange for a yellow parasol. A Viscountess Montmoreney has recently been fined in a London court for busing horser-

-That man in Schodack Hollow felt very small when he got into a hay press and was suddenly squeezed into a space of four inches square. The Cuban cable company received two thousand dollars the first day the cable was open

-The largest and most powerful tow-boate on the Mississippi below New Orleans are owned in

-An exchange says that the chances of Dr. Livingstone's Enerty are growing better. If he is dead his chances are as good now as they ever will be. -Carrier pigeons were used at the Goodwood races to announce the winning horses. The fast men got to betting on the birds as well as on the

Philadelphia.

horses. -Joseph Anica, of Nashville, Tennessee; has had the whole top of his shall taken off, leaving his brains without any covering, except a hat which he nearly always wears.

-Rev. O. T. Walker, of the Bowdoin-square Baptist Church, of Boston, married one hundred and eighteen couple last year. A good church to belong to.

-A number of fossil sponges have been discovered near Frankford, Xy. A number more might be found in the departments at Washington. -The Queen has another book nearly ready

this time about her travels through her domin-ions. The Prince figures therein, in conjunction with Brown. -We wonder whether the citizens of New Orleans would prefer the presence of Ben. Butler or yellow fever? The latter certainly seems afraid of the former, and takes advantage of his absence. -Goodrich, one of the numerous "champion

skaters," is giving exhibitions in Buffalo-on a carpet, the ice not being firm enough yet to hold him, even in Buffalo. -A Cincinnati police judge asks those convicted of drunkenness, if they have any money to pay a fine. In hope of getting clear they to pay a fine. In hope of getting clear answer no, when he sentences them to jail. -Julesburg, in Nebraska, which has been in existence three months, has grown so

that it already has two mayors and two common councils. -As a compliment to its efficiency against the Fenians, the name of the Irish Police has been changed to the Royal Constabulary of Ire-

-"Does your knitting-machine make a seam."

asked an old lady of the proprietor of the Bridge-port knitting-machine. "It seams not," was the port knitting-machine. "It is pertinent reply.—Bost. Post. The workingmen of Birmingham are considering the question of sending a workingman to Parliament as the third member of that borough, and propose to raise £500 a year to pay

his expenses. -A country exchange has an editor who evidenty has a proper appreciation of the talent of his wife. He publishes two columns of a poem by his superior fraction, and promises that it will be continued through six or eight numbers. -A disabled soldier has made enough money to buy a wooden leg, by sutting up his old crutches into half-inch bits and selling them and portions of the staff from which Ellsworth hauled.

down the rebel dag. -The Topeka (Kansas) Leader says it would publish the list of candidates for cheriff in that county but for the fact that it would be impossible to print them all, before election, at the rate

of three columns per day. The Independent newspaper asks, "What shall be done with obituaries?" We cannot advise, generally, but think the Independence could be published without producing inconsolable grief. -Bost. Post.

-"Divine Adelina Patti" has brought Paris to her feet again at the reopening of the Italian opera. She made her recentre as "Amina" in Somandula, and was received with the groatest authorisem. The challent continue of the Paris. enthusiasm. The choicest contents of the Paris flower shops and green-houses, forming no less than fifty monster bouquets, were thrown at her

-Mr. Charles H. Sweet son, the original proprietor and editor of the New York Evening Gazette—under his management one of the liveliest, brightest and purest family newspapers of its kind in New York—has sold his interest in that paper, owing to some difficulty with his partner, and started the New York Esening Mail, the first number of which gives promise of even greater excellence than the Guzette.

—Boys ought not to be permitted to travel in the season. They are too sharp. The American boy is a dangerous weapon, with an edge to him and no handle to get hold of him by. At the Fort and no handle to get hold of him by. At the Fort William Henry House, Lake George, the other day, a correspondent saw a lover and lady tormented with the company of the lady's younger brother. "The a sweet lake!" sighed the lady. "I wish I might have an island in it, and solitude." "Without me?" sighed the lover, plaintively. "You are solitude to me!" she said; "you put the rest of the world far off from us!" "Yes!" said the how. "We's a weet old solitude, he is!"

said the boy, "ho's a sweet old solltude, he is!
He's a solitude with a bar-boom in it, and boys to
set up ton-pins. He's more solltude by hisself
than fortifude!"