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the anthorities. 22. Washington's birthday celebrated by a parade of the First City Troop, Veteran Artillery, Washington Grays and Gray Reserves; a meeting of the soldiers of the war of 1812, and the pre-sentation of the Hancock Chair and Independ-ence Table, by Speaker Hall, on behalf of the Logicleum to the city represented by Mayor Legislature, to the city, represented by Mayor McMichael.

House of Augustus Haig, No. 707 Buttonwood street, entered and robbed of government bonds amounting to \$16,000. The bonds were after-

wards recovered. 27. Fire at Fifth and Callowhill streets. Several buildings burned and damaged. Loss about \$17,-Woolen mill of Mrs. M. Blundin, at Haverford

road and Forty-sixth street, partly destroyed by fire. Loss \$30,000; insured. 28. Signor Natale Perelli, a well-known pro-

fossor of music, died.

March.

1. Case of Sparhawk vs. Union Passenger Railway Company, involving the right of the cars-to run on Sundays. Argued in the Supreme Court on an appeal from the decision of Justice Strong, granting an injunction. John Lamon appointed Chief of the Detective

Force. 4. Under the tenure of office bill, Wm. F. Johnston, Collector of the Port, and other U. S. officials vacated their offices.

Robert Harmer, a well-known citizen, and pro-prietor of the Cornucopia, at Broad and Chest-

nut streets, died suddenly. 6. Convention in favor of recognizing the ex-istence of God in the National Constitution, held in the Second Congregational Church, Eleventh and Wood streets. 12. Trial of Gottlieb Williams, charged with

the murder of Mrs. Mary M. Miller, commenced. 15. Meeting of citizens to make provision for

the relief of the suffering people in the South, held at the Board of Trade rooms.
16. Gottlieb Williams convicted of murder.
18. Box containing \$6,000 in bonds and other securities stolen from the office of James H. New-

bold, a broker. 19. Owen Burns acquitted of killing Joseph Murphy during a fight at Girard Fark, July 16, 1866. Nine young ladies went through the ceremony of taking the well, at the Convent of Marking Laceback (Character Hilling)

Mt. Saint Josephs, at Chestnut Hill. 20. Motion made in arrest of judgment, in the case of Gottlieb Williams, convicted of the mur-

case of Wirs. Miller.
21. James W. Edmundson acquitted of the murder of Henry C. Walters, September 10,1866, at Greenwich street and Moyamensigg avenue, during a firemen's difficulty.
26. Benjamin A. Shoemaker, who was the first Chief Freigners of the First Duractions when the

26. Benjamin A. Shoemaker, who was the hist Chief Engineer of the Fire Department under the

present organization, died. 90. Motion in arrest of judgment in the case of Gottlieb Williams overruled, and the prisoner sentenced to be hanged.

## April.

1. Fire at the printing ink manufactory of Charles Encu Johnson, Tenth street, below Lom-bard; loss about \$8,000; no insurance.

2. Fire at the woolen mill of Sevill Schofield, in Manayunk; loss, \$175,000, with a small msurance

4. Rev. J. S. Kennard installed as pastor of the Tenth Baptist Church, in place of his father, deceased.

deceased. 6. Fire in the furniture manufactory of B. N. Buckley, Chestnut street, near Twenty-third; loss, \$8,000; four firemen injured by a falling

7. Fire in Krider's alley; Swanson street, near

Firein Krider's alley; Swanson street, near Almond; several buildings damaged; five horses burned to death.
 N. K. Richardson, the well-known elocu-tionist, died.
 Stable of Francis Riley, Thirty-fifth street and Pennsylvania Raliroad, burned; six horses perished in the flames; loss \$3,000. Ice-house of Wm. Lacey damaged to the extent of \$3,000.
 Wm. Bullock, inventor of Bullock's print-ing press, died from the effects of an accident

12. Wm. DBUOCK, inventor of Bullock's printing press, died from the effects of an accident while he was superintending a press.
14. Wm. S. Burrill died from the effects of a shot fired by some men at Seventh and Cherry streets, Feb. 6.

17. Dennis Bower died from a kick in the ab-domen, received in a quarrel with Charles W. Enochs, at Frankford.

25. Mrs. Dorcas Magilton, an aged lady, found murdered at her residence, No. 1305 Shippen street, and George W. Winnemore, who had been a frequent visitor at the house, and was found there with the body, arrested on the charge of having committed the murder. 26. Our Fellows' Thanksgiving Day, and spe-

cial services held in different churches. Caroline Wiltemior, residing at No. 2012 North Front street, stilled by a shot fired by a man at a

Corner-stone of the new hall of the I. O. R. M. at Third and Brown streets laid, Meeting of the Press Club of Philadelphia in reference to the death of Ernest C. Wallace. 6. Hon. Wm. D. Kelley serenaded on his re-

turn from his Southern tour. Explosion at the steam saw mill of Geasey &

Ward, on Sansom street, above Tenth. Twenty-two persons killed and seven injured. About \$15,000 were collected for the relief of the suferers. 9. Stable and carriage house of Geo. F. Tyler,

Stable and carriage house of Geo. F. Tyler, on Vaughan street, below Locugt, badly damaged by fire. Ten horses, six carriages and two sleighs were burned. Loss \$15,000.
 Wm. J. Ovens and others charged with having been concerned in the attack on Col. Wm. Riddle, held for trial by Alderman Beitler. Opening concert at the new Horticultural Hall, given by the Riching's Opera Troupe.
 A boy named Thomas Gallagher, while drinking from a hydrant in front of a new house at Nineteenth and Carpenter streets, was struck in the stomach by a brick thrown at him by a workman, and died.
 George W. Winnemore, convicted of mur-der, refused a new trial and sentenced to be hanged.

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17. Heavy rain. Freshet in the Schuylkill. Numerous culverts and bridges damaged, and many cellars flooded.

Common Council refused to concur in a reso lution of the Select Branch to provide a public reception for President Johnson on his passage through the city. 18. National Grand Division of the Sons of

Temperance of North America had a public re-ception at the Academy of Music. Edward C. Burton found in a cooper shop, No.

01 South Penn street, with his head badly cut, aud died during the day. 19. American Theatre, on Walnut street, above Eighth, destroyed by fire. Ten persons killed by

the falling of the front wall.

20. Now building for the Public Ledger, at Sixth and Chestnut streets, formally opened. Grand banquet at the Continental Hotel.

Grand banquet at the Continental Hotel. 21. Meeting in favor of the new liquor law held at Horticultural. Hall. Hon. W.A. Porter presided, and speeches were made by Thos. Potter, Esq., Rev. Dr. Hall, Gen. Cary, Hon. Wm. S. Peirce and Geo. H. Stuart, Esq. President Johnson passed through the city on the way to Boston.

the way to Boston. Inaugural ceremonies of the Teachers' Insti-tute held at the Central High School. 28. *Public Ledger* commenced business in the new building at Sixth and Chestnut streets. 27. Meeting of citizens held and a committee appointed to receive the President on his return from Boston.

## July.

1. Company H, 14th regiment New York State Militia, arrived in the city and received by the

Minica and Guards.
 Brooklyn Military visitors received in Independence Hall by Mayor McMichael.
 Closing exercises of the Second Presbyterian Church, on Seventh street below, Arch; the build-ing hering hore cold.

ing having been sold.

4. Independence Day appropriately cele-brated. Parade of the First Division of the Pennsylvania Militia. Temperance meeting in Independence Square. Meeting of the Soldiers of the War of 1812. Dedication of the Soldiers' of the war of 1812. Dedication of the Soldiers' and Sailors' monument at Frankford. Dinner to the Ledger employés and newsboys at the new Ledger Building. Exercises at Northern Home for Friendless Children. Rev. Wm. Mann, D. D., a much respected cler-gyman, died, aged 83 years. 8. Corner stone of the new Oxford Presbyte-rian Church, at Broad and Oxford streets, Iaid. 10. Henry Dubosq, an old and well-known jew-eler, died.

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 Meeting at the Academy of Music to ex-tend parting greetings to Rev. Jas. Denham, D. D., and Rev. John Hall, D. D., delegates of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Churches in Ireland to the American Presbyterian Churches.
 Belegates to the Tenth General Suggerfost unbilding medicad in Indonandoma Source in the publicly received in Independence Square, by

Mayor McMichael. 15. Supreme Court refuse to grant a writ of crror in the case of George W. Winnemore, con-victed of the murder of Mrs. Magliton.

mad dog. 29. Grand Jury found a true bill against Win-arrive in the city on a visit.

the city. 19. New Lutheran Chapel, at Twelfth and Ox- New Linteran Chapter, at Twenth and WA-ford streets, dedicated.
 Bishop Wood returned from Europe.
 Severe hail storm and great destruction of glass in all parts of the city.
 General Sheridan arrived in the city upon the invitation of City Councils, and was received by a large civil and military turnout. Susan Miller shot and killed by her husband, 22. Jane Moulden, colored, died at the age of 103 years.
 25. Christmas Day generally observed. Benjamin Lehman, an old and respected citizeu of Germantown, died, aged 79 years.

James Miller, at No. 721 Locust street, where she was employed as a domestic. The murderer

escaped. 26. Dr. Martin B. Garman, Nathan Kinsey and Caroline Herron arrested for manufacturing counterfeit ten-dollar notes on the First National Bank of Philadelphia, at No. 404 Dickerson street.

street. Gen. Sheridan received by the Mayor and City Councils in Independence Hall. Bishop Wood had a public reception at St. John's Orphans' Asylum. Gen. Sickles arrived in the city, having recently

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been removed from the command of the Second Military District. 27. Gen. Sheridan received the members of the Union League and their families at the League

House.

House. Gen. Sickles serenaded by the Army of the Re-public, at the Union League House. Uriah Hunt, a prominent publisher and bookseller, died. 30. Phonix Hose Company, of Poughkeepsie,

N. J., visited the city.

## October.

1. George Cookman, a well-known merchant. died.

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 a. Revenue officers assaulted at Salmon and William streets, Richmond, and still taken from them after being selzed.
 New Democratic Club House at Ninth and

Arch streets dedicated. 4. Col. Ellmaker, U. S. Marshal, and deputies, accompanied by United States Marines, made a raid upon the illicit whisky distilleries in Richmond

mond.
8. Election Day. The Democrats carry the city by majorities varying from 1,100 to 5,500.
9. Meeting of physicians, and National Eclectic Medical Society formed.
11. Judge Ludlow serenaded in honor of his

14. Another raid among the whisky distillers of Richmond by the U. S. Marshal and the U. S. VENETIAN BLINDS

Marines. Movement in favor of General Grant for the Presidency inaugurated by the formation of a Grant Club in the Twelfth Ward. Corner-stone of the new Chamber of Com-Finest assortment in the city, the oldest 'establish. ment largest manufacturers, and sell at the Lowest Prices, REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. STORE SHADES MADE TO ORDER. so25-tfrpj

merce, on Second street, above Walnut, laid. 15. Rev. K. A. Fleischman, of the German Bap-

tist Church, died. 16. Richard Taylor died from the effects of a beating received at Fifth and Reed streets on

election night. A number of fire companies left for Lancaster to participate in a parade of the department of

17. Prof. F. A. Roese, a well-known German

17. Froi. F. A. Roese, a wein a formula scholar, died. 18. Petition filed to contest the election of Messrs. Leech, Ballier and Megary. 19. Cholera broke ont in the receiving ship Po-tomae, at the Navy-yard, and prevailed for seve-ral days, during which a great many deaths oc-

curred 21. Removal of the bodies from the burlal

and it is impossible for any accident to occur from the misplacement of switches. The saving in rails, and the great saving in wear of the rolling stock, which is by this means provided with a lavel, smooth, and firm track at switches in place of the usual movable rails and the consequent source blows caused by the open joints and battered ends, is a matter deserving the especial attention of all Railroad Companies, and a Mature Power ConNet ALONE this inven round on Eighth street, above Race, commenced. 22. Wm. Furman died at the Pennsylvania Hos-

AB A MATTER OF ECONOMY ALONE this inven-tion needs only to be tried to insure its adoption; but beyond the economy THE PERFECT IMMUNITY FROM ACCIDENT caused by misplaced switches is a subject not only of importance in respect to property saved from destruction, but it concerns THE LIFE AND LIMB OF ALL TRAVELERS UPON PANEOADS

22. Wm. Furman died at the Pennsylvania Hospital from the effects of a stab inflicted by Jas. Hagan a few days previous, at a lavern on Locust street, above Eighth.
 22. Fire at Leitila and Chestnut streets; store of Randolph & Jenks, cotton brokers. Thaw & Walker, adjoining, damaged by water. Total loss about \$25,000.

23. Constitution Fire Company of Brooklyn visited the city. 25. Major R. S. Smith having been removed as

Infer and him of and hardeness of or an Radius and Reading Railroad Com-I refer to the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Com-pany, and to the New York and Haarlem Railroad Co. I am now filling orders for various other Railroad Com-panies, and I will glady give any information in detail that may be desired. President of Grard College, an application was made to the Court of Common Pleas for an in-WM. WHARTON, Jr., Patentee, junction to restrain the Directors from carrying Box No. 2745 Philada., Pa,

ont their action. 26. Corner-stone of the Chapel of the Memorial 28. Conter-school the Chapter of the Memorial
 Baptist Church at Broad and Master street laid.
 28. Members of the bar gave a dinner to Judge.
 Allison, in honor of his return from Europe.
 Meeting in favor of Lay Representation in the
 M. E. Church, held at Spring Garden Street

Church. 31. Celebration of the 350th Anniversary of the

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reserved. Fire at No. 307 Race street, occupied by Horn & Ellis, manufacturers of shocmakers and cur-riers' findings. Adjoining buildings also da-maged. Total loss about \$15,000.

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