CITY BULLETIN.

THE TACONY HOMICIDE—CORONER'S INQUEST.—Coroner Daniels held an inquest this morning in the case of Ellen Brophy, wife of James Brophy, who was alleged to have been shot by William Brophy, in August last, at her house in Tacony, and died at the Episcopal Hospital a few days since.

Michael Brophy testified—On the 18th of August, in the morning, William Brophy and his wife got to quarreling; he carried her out and set her in the street and told her that she wa-n't fit to live in the neighborhood; she (Winnie) went to Mrs. Clark's, across the way; William then went up the railroad with the child; he came back a few minutes after that; William then went into his own house, and asked his wife for his gun; she handed him the gun and told him to shoot them down; he said that he would shoot his father, calling him an old lame s ——; William also said that he would shoot Mr. Powers, father of deceased; after he got the gun he aimed at deceased and shot her; she was trying to get away from him into the house; he then hurried to his brother (John) and said: "G—d, I'll kill you, too!" he took hold of the gun by the barrel and made a strike at John; this was after he shot the woman. He said that he would shoot every one in the house. I struck him and took the musket from him. His wife threw stones at me then; he shot her on her own steps; heard him say before that he would shoot Powers and Ellen Brophy. Ellen had a child four months' old in her arms at the time; the ball also took effect on the child.

John McAvoy testified—On the 18th of August saw Wm. Brophy going to his father's door, with a musket; Ellen Brophy was coming up to her own door; he raised the gun as she was on the last step of the porch, and shot her; She fell when he shot her; after the shooting he was making for his own house, and met his brother John; he said, "G— d— you, I'll give it to you, too;" he made a lick at John with the butt end of the gun, and struck him on the arm; Michael Brophy then took the gun from him; he wasn't drunk, but he had some liquor in him.

Dr. E. B. Shapleigh testified to having made a post mortem examination of the deceased. The body was emaciated—amputation of the right hip joint had been made shortly before death. There was a gun-shot wound through the right hip joint, fracturing the bones in the neighborhood extensively. Ellen Brophy came to her death from exhaustion caused by the wound and amputation.

Lawrence Murphy testified to having seen Wm. Brophy shoot at Ellen Brophy with a gun. He also saw her fall.

Other witnesses were examined, but no new facts were elicited.

The verdict of the jury was that Ellen Brophy came to her death from a wound from a gun fired by William Brophy.

The defendant was then committed by the Coroner.

WIFE MURDER.—Mrs. Lizzie Graham, who was shot by her husband at No. 827 Fitzwater street on Thursday, died from the effects of her wound last night, at the Pennsylvania Hospital. Dying yesterday she was conscious and conversed with some friends who visited her. She stated that her husband had threatened her before, and she was in constant fear of her life.

Graham appears to be deranged or to be laboring under some hallucination. While in the cell at the Second District Police Station he stated several times that his wife had attempted to poison him, and when asked how she had done it, replied, by putting poison on the soles of his feet. The poison, administered in that way, he insisted, would eat through his feet, and then up his legs to his vitals.

A few days before the shooting the prisoner called at the Mayor's office, and desired to procure a warrant for the arrest of his wife. He charged her with being a Spiritualist and with having attempted to take his life in several ways. The general impression of the officers on duty was that the man was not in his right mind, and they got rid of him by making some excuse for not issuing the warrant.

Coroner Daniels was notified of the death of Mrs. Graham, and will hold an inquest in the case on Monday.

MOYAMENSING SOUP SOCIETY.—The managers of the above Society report that from January 7 to March 11, 1867, they distributed to the suffering poor of the district the following: 12,000 gallons of soup; 5,100 pounds of bread; 5,000 pounds of corn meal. The number of recipients was 459 adults and 666 children. The number of applicants this season greatly exceeds that of former years, and the Managers hope that the public will sustain them in their efforts to feed the hungry. Donations in cash, beans, or flour, will be thankfully received by the President, Robert Graffen, No. 537 Pine street; John Pearce, Treasurer, No. 947 S. Sixth street, or R. K. Stewart, S. E. corner of Eighth and Chestnut streets.

THE ANNUAL STATEMENT of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company will be found in our columns to-day. The only purely mutual life company chartered by our State, it claims the attention of our citizens on that ground, as well as on the other important considerations of its ample resources, careful management and prompt payment of losses. It is under the supervision of our own business men, who take care that its progress is accompanied by security. The assets liable for losses now exceed two millions of dollars.

CHARGED WITH BURGLARY.—John Carr was arrested yesterday, upon the charge of having been concerned in the robbery of Fennimore's restaurant, on South street, near Second, a few mornings ago. He is alleged to have been in company with David O'Leary, whose arrest has already been noticed. The three watches stolen at the time were recovered at a pawnbroker establishment at Ninth and Locust streets. Carr was taken before Alderman Tittermary and was committed for trial.

RESPECT TO THE MEMORY OF MR. ALBURGER.—At a meeting of the Commercial Exchange Association, held this morning, Mr. Howard Hinchman presiding, a preamble and resolution were adopted expressive of their regret at the decease of Jacob T. Alburger, whose death occurred on Thursday last. The Committee appointed to condole with his family were James Steel, Thomas O'Neill, W. Duke Murphy, J. H. Michener, Jos. W. Miller and Edward D. Potts.

WELL ARMED.—A man named Robert Boyle was arrested yesterday at Hestonville, Twenty-fourth Ward, upon the charge of assault and battery. He was taken before Alderman Maull, and upon searching him in the office, a huge bowie knife and a revolver were found upon his person. Boyle was committed, in default of $1,000 bail, to answer at court.

LARCENY OF A COMPASS.—A man named Frank McIntyre, alias Harper, was arrested yesterday in a pawnbroker's shop on South street, while attempting to pledge for $2 a very fine compass. It was ascertained that the compass had been stolen from a ship lying at Green street wharf. The prisoner will have a hearing at the Central Station this afternoon.

FINED.—Henry Rask and John Mayer, storekeepers on North Third street, were before Alderman Toland yesterday, and were fined for putting up signs contrary to the ordinances of the city, and refusing to remove them upon being notified to do so by High Constable Danfield.

DISTURBING A CONGREGATION.—A young man named John Rotcham was arrested last evening upon the charge of disturbing a congregation at the Siloam Church, at Otis and Belgrave streets. He was taken before Alderman Heins, and was held in $600 bail to answer at Court.

SLIGHT FIRES.—The church on Seventh street, near Shippen, was slightly damaged by fire about ten o'clock last night.

This morning, about eight o'clock, a slight fire occurred at a house at the N. W. corner of Fifth and Queen streets.

ROBBING MARKET WAGONS.—James Sullivan and Patrick McConnell were arrested yesterday, at Bodine and Oxford streets, upon the charge of stealing various articles from market wagons. They were committed by Alderman Shoemaker.

LARCENY.—A German named Wm. Labbett was committed by Alderman Morrow to answer the charge of the larceny of some wearing apparel from a lager beer saloon at Walnut and Water streets.

HOWARD MISSION.—We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement, in another column, of this institution. It is in every way worthy of the support of our citizens.

Adventure of a Lady of Rank.

The last *Court Journal* contains the following remarkable story. We wonder of what sort of people the "English mob" which attends fires is composed. In America, no lady, whatever her rank or however costly her dress, is afraid to trust herself to the "crowd" upon all occasions. It amuses an American to read the following story. What a remarkably courageous lady she was! And how much confidence it did possess for her to walk in a crowd! But truth is stranger than fiction, and wonders will never cease, especially in England. Here is the story:

It is said that on the night her Majesty's Theatre was burnt, a certain lady of high rank was at the Olympic Theatre. At the conclusion of the performance she returned home, accompanied only by a lady friend, the gentlemen of the party preferring to walk. The brougham had scarcely proceeded so far as the outlet of the Strand when all further progress in that direction was impeded, and on inquiry as to the cause, it was announced that some houses on Carlton Terrace were burning. In that terrace was the lady's residence, and her thoughts in a moment flew off to the possible danger of her four little children, the eldest not six years old. The determination of the agonized mother was taken in an instant. Neither the aspect of the crowd nor the peril of approaching a burning house daunted her for a second. She left her carriage—her friend pluckily refusing to desert her—and plunged into the crowd, entreating every one before her to let her pass. The crowd behaved admirably, and the titled lady declares that she can remember no instance of obstruction to her progress, or, indeed, of any hesitation to assist in furthering it. The confidence evinced in thus trusting themselves to those assembled there seems to have produced its own fulfillment; and these two ladies, whose bare heads, elegant dresses, and costly ornaments must have been in strange and tempting contrast to all around, not only were allowed to penetrate though that compact mass of people, but were very soon spared all labor in doing so. A group of young men—and apparently roughs—took upon themselves to become their escort. They headed them, shouting out, "Make way for ladies whose children are in danger!" and as the crowd at once gave place, the ladies had only to follow their chivalrous conductors in comparative ease. They were escorted safely and as quickly as circumstances would permit, to the noble lady's own door, and with true manly feeling the escort would hardly let her wait to express her thanks, but called to her to "run up and kiss the kids," and they hurried off to enjoy the sight in which they had been interrupted. The lady is said to be enthusiastic about her "roughs" of Friday night, but will not hear of their being designated by that term.

CITY NOTICES.

THE PROSTRATED ENERGIES of the nervous system become invigorated by *toning* and *stimulating* the *nerve fluid* with DR. TURNER'S TIC-DOULOUREUX, or UNIVERSAL NEURALGIA PILL. And NEURALGIA, Nerve-ache, and all distressing maladies of this character are by its means prevented or counteracted and health renewed. Apothecaries have this medicine. Johnston, Holloway & Cowden, Agents, Philadelphia.

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"WE have lived and loved together, through many changing years," moaned my old tobacco box, and in that time many different compounds have gone into both of us, but at a meeting held by us last evening, it was unanimously resolved that the "Century" was "E Pluribus Unum."

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DEAFNESS, BLINDNESS AND CATARRH.—J. Isaacs, M. D., Professor of the Eye and Ear, treats all diseases appertaining to the above members with the utmost success. Testimonials from the most reliable sources in the city can be seen at his office, No. 805 Arch street. The medical faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has no secrets in his practice. Artificial eyes inserted. No charge made for examination.

MR. STANTON AND THE PRESIDENT.—It appears that since Mr. Stanton has been reinstated Mr. Johnson deals with him through a third party, sending Mr. Stanton, so to speak, "to Coventry." It is expected a suit will soon be commenced in Mr. Stanton's behalf, at Washington, at the branch Clothing Store of Charles Stokes & Co., the eminent clothiers, under the Continental Hotel, in this city. All *suits* commenced at this house, either here or in Washington, are put through to the entire satisfaction of their customers.

E. G. WHITMAN & CO.—With that clear and marked distinction that always characterizes benefactors of the human family, E. G. Whitman & Co. keep on the even tenor of their way in the manufacture of the most elegant and the choicest confections. Their cream fruits, chocolate preparations, bon-bons, roasted Jordan almonds, fresh-every-day-caramels, and a vast variety of other dainties, make up an assortment of good things in the confectionery line, that has no equal upon this side of the Atlantic, and which is not successfully rivaled even in Paris. Another great thing with E. G. Whitman & Co.'s confections is the fact that they are as scrupulously pure and wholesome as they are artistically elegant and ravishingly delicious.

MARINE BULLETIN.

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA—JANUARY 18.

See Marine Bulletin on Third Page.

MEMORANDA.

Ship Ansel, Haney, entered out at Liverpool 3d instant for this port.

Ship Alexander, Dekker, from Singapore, at Boston yesterday.

Ship Surprise, Raulet, from New York for Hong Kong, passed Anjier 10th Nov.

Ship Southern Eagle, Pierce, from New York 22d May for Yokohama, put into Hong Kong 25th Nov, making much water, having experienced very heavy weather.

Ship Soolon, Hutchinson, from Manila for Boston, passed Anjier 18th Nov.

Ship N B Palmer, Steele, from Amoy for New York, passed Anjier 23d Nov.

Bark Benefactor, Berry, at Yokohama 3d Nov. from Hong Kong, to load for New York.

Bark Thomas (Br), Rogers, hence was waiting at Cardenas 9th inst.

Bark Seevogel, Laughlinrichs, entered out at London 2d inst. for this port.

Bark Ellen (Br), Murphy, cleared at New York yesterday for Montevideo via Savannah.

Bark Mina, Holder, hence at Barcelona 29th ult.

Brig Alex Milliken, Durkee, hence at Cienfuegos 28th ult.

Brig Loch Lomond, Black, was loading at Cardenas 9th inst. for a port north of Hatteras.

Brig Eliza McNeil, Small, at Havana 4th instant from Antwerp.

Schr J J Spencer, Fleming, at Cardenas 9th inst. from Galveston.

Schrs Emma B Shaw, Shaw; White Sea, Smith, and Edward Fallen, Brown, from Boston for this port, at New York yesterday.

Schr Willie Lill, Staples, sailed from Cardenas 3d inst. for a port north of Hatteras.

Schr S C Noyes, Bradley, at Newburyport 16th instant from New Castle, Del.

Schr J M Flanagan, Shaw, was loading at Cardenas 8th inst. for a port north of Hatteras.

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ICE IN SPLENDID CONDITION.
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TWO FINE BANDS.
ADMISSION, 50 CENTS; SUBSCRIBERS 25 CENTS.
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REAL ESTATE SALES.

REAL ESTATE.—THOMAS & SONS' SALE.—Very Valuable Four-story Brick Store, Nos. 11 and 13 Strawberry street, 25 feet front. On Tuesday, Jan. 28, 1868, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that valuable four-story brick (first story iron front) messuage and lot of ground, situate on the east side of Strawberry street, 143 feet 8¼ inches south of Market street, Nos. 11 and 13; the lot containing in front on Strawberry street 24 feet 9½ inches, and extending in depth 47 feet 5½ inches to the west line of a certain 5 feet wide alley which extends southward into a 10 feet wide alley which leads into Strawberry street; thence S. along said alley 24 feet 9¼ inches to the line dividing this from the adjoining premises; thence W. along the said line (including only 4½ inches of the width of the party wall) 47 feet 5½ inches to Strawberry street, the place of beginning. It is well built, and is in good order throughout; has counting-room on second floor; gas; hoisting apparatus; stationary washstand; vault under front pavement; water closet (of which the adjoining premises to the north have the free use and privilege), &c. ☞ Clear of all incumbrance.
Immediate possession. Keys at the Auction Rooms.
M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers,
ja18 25 139 and 141 South Fourth street.

PEREMPTORY SALE.—THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers.—Valuable Business Stand—Four-story Brick Store, No. 403 Chestnut street, west of Fourth street.—On Tuesday, January 21, 1868, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, without reserve, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that four-story brick messuage and lot of ground, situate on the north side of Chestnut street, 16 feet 2 inches, or thereabouts, west of Fourth street, No 403; containing in front on Chestnut street 12 feet 10 inches, and extending in depth 34 feet 8 inches. (The shares of Jane D. Fleeson, widow of Reese C. Fleeson, deceased, being her dower, or one-third part of 15-240 parts of the whole; also, of Eliza Fleeson, widow of Eugene Fleeson, deceased, being her dower, or one-third part of 15-240 parts of the whole; and also, the share of Jane D. Fleeson, being her life estate in 3½-240 parts of the whole, late of the estate of Reese E. Fleeson, deceased, together equal to $29 68¾ per annum, to remain in the hands of purchaser or purchasers, &c.
☞ Sale Peremptory. Immediate possession.
M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers,
1t 139 and 141 South Fourth street.

PUBLIC SALE.—THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers.—Very Desirable Country Seat, 2½ Acres, Fisher's Lane, east of Old York Road within one square of the Station on the North Pennsylvania Railroad.—On Tuesday, January 28th, 1868, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that very desirable country seat, containing about 2½ acres of ground, situate on the south side of Fisher's lane, about one square east of the Old York road, and one square of the Railroad Station on the North Pennsylvania Railroad. The improvements are a modern two-story stone residence; recently been put in excellent repair; has parlor, dining-room and kitchen on the first floor; 3 chambers on the second floor; bath, hot and cold water, water-closet range, &c.; frame barn, chicken house and other outbuildings, fruit and shade trees, vegetable garden, &c.
May be examined any day previous to sale.
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☞ Terms—Two thirds cash. Immediate possession.
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REAL ESTATE.—THOMAS & SONS' SALE.—Modern Three-story Brick Dwelling, with side yard, No. 1523 Carpenter street, west of Fifteenth street.—On Tuesday, January 28, 1868, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that modern three-story brick messuage, with two-story back building and lot of ground, situate on the north side of Carpenter street, 253 feet 11 inches west of Fifteenth street, No 1523; the lot containing in front on Carpenter street 18 feet 2½ inches (having a side yard of 4 feet), and extending in depth 70 feet to a 4 feet wide alley. The house is handsomely papered; has double parlor and kitchen on the first floor; two chambers, sitting room, bath-room and store-room on second floor, and three chambers on third floor; gas introduced, bath, hot and cold water, water closet, cooking range, &c. Subject to a yearly ground rent of $123 60-100.
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ja18 25 139 and 141 South Fourth street.

REAL ESTATE.—THOMAS & SONS' SALE.—Valuable Two-story Brick Storehouse, No. 115 Union street, between Front and Second streets.—On Tuesday, February 4, 1868, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that valuable two-story brick messuage and lot of ground, situate on the north side of Union st reet, between Front and Second streets, No. 115; the lot containing in front on Union street 25 feet 5½ inches; thence extending north 71 feet 6 inches; thence east 17 feet 5 inches; thence north 17 feet 9½ inches; thence west 53 feet 5 inches; thence south 17 feet 9½ inches; thence east 1 foot 9 inches; thence south 71 feet 6 inches to Union street, the place of beginning.
☞ Clear of all incumbrance.
Will be sold according to a recent survey, made by D. H. Shedaker, Esq., which may be seen at the Auction Rooms.
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ja18,25tf 139 and 141 South Fourth street.

REAL ESTATE.—THOMAS & SONS' SALE.—Valuable Business Stand. Three-story Brick Store and Dwelling, No. 820 Race street.—On Tuesday, January 21, 1868, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that well built three-story brick store and dwelling, with double two-story back buildings and lot of ground, situate on the south side of Race street, No 820; containing in front on Race street 21 feet, and extending in depth south 144 feet, more or less, with four frame dwellings in the rear thereof. Subject as regards the southernmost of 12 feet of said lot to the right of passage (if any) of the owners of the adjoining premises. It has the gas throughout, bath, hot and cold water, cooking range, &c.
Possession within 30 days.
M. THOMAS & SONS, Auctioneers,
1t 139 and 141 South Fourth street.

AMUSEMENTS.

See Sixth Page for Additional Amusements.

CHARLES H. JARVIS'S SECOND CLASSICAL SOIRÉE at the NATATORIUM HALL, Broad street, below Walnut, on Saturday evening, January 25, 1868, commencing at 8 o'clock.
TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION:
Tickets admitting one to the five remaining Soirees... $4
Tickets admitting two to the five remaining Soirees.. 7
Tickets admitting three to the five remaining Soirees, 10
Single tickets for one Soiree..... 1
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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR STATE PRINTING.

Agreeably to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of this Commonwealth, entitled "An Act in Relation to Public Printing," approved the ninth day of April, A. D. 1856, and the supplement thereto, approved 25th February, 1862, notice is hereby given, that the Speakers of the Senate and House of Representatives of said Commonwealth will receive sealed proposals until twelve o'clock, at noon, of the fourth TUESDAY of January, 1868, for doing the Public Printing and Binding for the term of three years from the first day of July next, at a certain rate per centum below the rates specified in said act relating to Public Printing and Binding, approved the ninth day of April, A. D. 1856, and according to the mode and manner and conditions specified in said act an the several supplements thereto.

Said proposals to specify the rate per centum on the whole of the rates of the said act taken together, and not a specification of the rate per centum below the rates on each item. The following is the form of proposals for the State Printing and Binding:

I —— —— propose to do all the State Printing and Binding in the manner and in all respects subject to the provisions of the act of the ninth of April, A. D. 1856, and the several supplements thereto, for the period of three years from the first day of July next, at the rate of —— per centum below the rates specified in said act; and should the State Printing and Binding as aforesaid be allotted to me, "I will be ready forthwith with bond and approved sureties, as required by the act approved 25th February, 1862, for the faithful performance of the work so allotted," which said proposals shall be signed, and together with the bond required, shall be sealed up and endorsed "Proposals for Public Printing and Binding," and shall be directed to the said Speakers, and be directed to one or both of them as aforesaid, to be opened, announced and allotment made on the 28th day of January, 1868, agreeably to the provisions of the said act of ninth of April 1856, and the several supplements thereto.

F. JORDAN,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.
JANUARY 6th, 1868. ja6-tja28rp

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UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD,
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GRAND LINE TO THE PACIFIC
Will be Completed in 1870,

was never better. The means so far provided for construction have proved ample, and there is no lack of funds for the most vigorous prosecution of the enterprise. These means are divided into four classes:

1.—UNITED STATES BONDS,

Having thirty years to run, and bearing six per cent. currency interest, at the rate of $16,000 per mile for 517 miles on the Plains; then at the rate of $48,000 per mile for 150 miles through the Rocky Mountains; then at the rate of $32,000 per mile for the remaining distance, for which the United States takes a *second lien* as security. The interest on these Bond is paid by the United States government, which also pays the Company one-half the amount of its bills in money for transporting its freight, troops, mails, &c. The remaining half of these bills is placed to the Company's credit, and forms a sinking fund which may finally discharge the whole amount of this lien.

2.—FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS.

By its charter the Company is permitted to issue its own First Mortgage Bonds to the same amount as the bonds issued by the Government, and *no more, and only as the road progresses.* The Trustees for the Bondholders are the Hon. E. D. Morgan, U. S. Senator from New York, and the Hon. Oakes Ames, Member of the U. S. House of Representatives, who are responsible for the delivery of these Bonds to the Company in accordance with the terms of the law.

3.—THE LAND GRANT.

The Union Pacific Railroad Company has a land grant or absolute *donation* from the Government of 12,800 acres to the mile on the line of the road, which will not be worth less than $1 50 per acre, at the lowest valuation.

4.—THE CAPITAL STOCK.

The authorized capital of the Union Pacific Railroad Company is $100,000,000, of which $8,500,000 have been paid on the work already done.

The Means Sufficient to Build the Road.

Contracts for the entire work of building 914 miles of first-class railroad west from Omaha, comprising much of the most difficult mountain work, and embracing every expense except surveying, have been made with responsible parties (who have already finished over 540 miles), at the average rate of sixty-eight thousand and fifty eight dollars ($68 058) per mile. This price includes all necessary shops for construction and repairs of cars, depots, stations, and all other incidental buildings, and also locomotives, passenger, baggage and freight cars, and other requisite rolling stock, to an amount that shall not be less than $5,000 per mile. Allowing the cost of the remaining one hundred and eighty-six of the eleven hundred miles assumed to be built by the Union Pacific Company to be $90,000 per mile,

The Total Cost of Eleven Hundred Miles will be as follows:

914 miles, at $68,058	$62,205,012
186 miles, at $90,000	16,740,000
Add discounts on bonds, surveys, &c	4,500,000
Amount	$83,445,012

As the United States Bonds are equal to money, and the Company's own First Mortgage Bonds have a ready market, we have as the

Available Cash Resources for Building Eleven Hundred Miles.

U. S. Bonds	$29,228,000
First Mortgage Bonds	29,528,000
Capital Stock paid in on the work now done	8,500,000
Land Grant, 14,080,000 acres, at $1 50 per acre	21,120,000
Total	$88,376,000

The Company have ample facilities for supplying any deficiency that may arise in means for construction. This may be done wholly or in part by additional subscription to capital stock.

EARNINGS OF THE COMPANY.

At present, the profits of the Company are derived only from its local traffic, but this is already much more than sufficient to pay the interest on all the Bonds the Company can issue, if not another mile were built. It is not doubted that when the road is completed the through traffic of the only line connecting the Atlantic and Pacific States will be large beyond precedent, and as there will be no competition, it can always be done at profitable rates.

It will be noticed that the Union Pacific Railroad is, in fact, a *Government Work*, built under the supervision of Government officers, and to a large extent with Government money, and that its bonds are issued under Government direction. It is believed that no similar security is so carefully guarded, and certainly no other is based upon a larger or more valuable property. As the Company's

FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS

are offered for the present at 90 CENTS ON THE DOLLAR, they are the cheapest security in the market, being more than 15 per cent. lower than United States Stocks. They pay

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And by the Company's advertised Agents throughout the United States. Remittances should be made in drafts or other funds par in New York, and the bonds will be sent free of charge by return express. Parties subscribing through local agents, will look to them for their safe delivery.
A NEW PAMPHLET AND MAP, showing the Progress of the Work, Resources for Construction and Value of Bonds, may be obtained at the Company's Offices or of its advertised Agents, or will be sent free on application.
JOHN J. CISCO, Treasurer,
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