CITY BULLETIN.

Calamity on Chestnut Street.

DESTRUCTION OF THE BURD BLOCK OF STORES.

THREE NOBLE ESTABLISH-MENTS BURNED.

SUPPOSED LOSS OF LIFE.

SEVERAL PERSONS BADLY INJURED.

GREAT LOSS OF PROPERTY.

The most serious confragration known in Phil. adelphia for a long time occurred this morning, and at the hour of writing this though the spread of the ruln is checked, the firemen are still at work endeavoring to extinguish the flames.

The block of three marble stores at the Southwest corner of Ninth and Chestnut streets, running through to Sansom street, was the handsomest of its kind in the city, and among the costliest. The corner store was occupied by Mesers. Howell & Brothers, manufacturers and dealers in paper-hangings. The second, or middle one, was occupied by James E. Caldwell & dle one, was occupied by James E. Caldwell & Co., jewellers. The third one was occupied by Messrs. J. F. & E. B. Orne dealers in carpets. The Chestnut street fronts were of pure white marble, and of beautiful architecture. The Ninth street and Sausom street fronts were of pressed brick, with trimmings of white marble and granite. The stores were erected about eight years ago, by the estate of Edmund Burd, on the site of the former mansion of the Burd family. Howell & Bro. and the Messrs. Orne have occupied these stores ever since. The middle store, formerly occupied by J. M. Hafleigh, was leased by Messrs. J. E. Caldwell & Co. in 1867, and altered to suit their purposes. They moved into it a little less than a year ago, having opened there on the second of March, 1868.

OBIGIN OF THE FIRE.

March, 1808.

ORIGIN OF THE FIRE.

A little before one o'clock this morning fire was discovered coming from the rear of Caldwell's store, on Sansom street, and it is said that well's store, on Sansom street, and it is said that well's store, on Sansom street, and it is said that an explosion was heard about the same time. In an amezingly short time the flames spread through the interior of the beautiful establishment, invading the art gallery in the second story and filling all the space with dense volumes of

Six men, clerks of the store, slept in it. These were Frederick A. Davis, cashler, J. Gedney King, James F. Andrews, James F. Polk, Ed-ward Bagan, and Charles Hardy. Two of these, it is feared, perished, and the rest are more or less injured. In another paragraph there will be in-

formation concurring all.

SPREAD OF THE FIRE. The firemen were early on the ground, but there was difficulty in getting water into the interior. The wind was blowing from the south-

terior. The wind was blowing from the southwest, and Howell's store was soon on fire, while
volumes of smoke and quantities of burning timber were carried over to the Continental Hotel,
Girard House and other establishmunts on Chestnut street, creating great consternation. Orne's
carpet store was also soon ignited, and in a
couple of hours all three of the large establishments appeared to be doomed.

SCRIES IN THE GREAT HOTELS.

The consternation in the Continental and Girard became general, all the boarders, servants
and others being aroused and prepared for hasty
departure. Madame Parepa Rosa, who had
rooms on Ninth street, in the Continental, and
the other members of her troupe, removed to
other quarters, and boarders and servants with
trunks and bundles were ready to leave also.

Kortunately there was no real occasion for this, Fortunately there was no real occasion for this, as the fire has been kept within the limits of the

Burd block of stores. the beautiful white marble front of Caldwell's store, and the cornice and upper stories cracked, crumbled and fell in with heavy crashes. The fronts of the others are not so much hurt, and the outer walls on Ninth and Sansom streets and to the westward, which were very thick and solid, appear to be as sound as ever.

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CALDWELL'S STORE.

The store of J. E. Caldwell & Co. is completely destroyed. The value of their stock is estimated at about \$550,000. Of this, about one half, constisting of diamonds, watches, etc., was deposited every evening in fire-proof safes, and it is hoped that these will all be found in good order, or at least not materially demand.

least not materially damaged. DESCRIPTION OF CALDWELL'S STORE.
On Monday, March 2, 1868, when the new store of J. E. Caldwell & Co. was opened to the public, a description of its interior appeared in the Bulletin, from which we take the fol-

iowing:

"The style of the fixtures and ornaments is that which prevailed in the days of Louis XIV., and everything has been brought into keeping with this antique design. The edifice is four stories in height, with a front of thirty-three feet and a total depth of two hundred and thirty-five feet. On entering, the visitor finds himself within anelegantly-embellished department, to be devoted to the sale of general jewelry. This has a depth of one hundred and ten feet, being separated from the next department by what is technically termed a 'screen,' consisting of a heavily-corniced arch, supported by pilasters and columns, in imitation of the beautiful Sienna marble, and in imitation of the beautiful Sienna marble, and resting upon pedestals of delicately blue-veined white marble. These latter are relieved by gonuine Blenna marble panels, which are in fine

gonume Sienna marole panels, which are in the contrast with the general surroundings.

"Rauged on either side of this department are finely polished, black walnut jewelry cases, which enhance the beauty of the room by their contrast with the elegantly freegoed walls and ceiling. with the elegantly frescoed walls and ceiling. The counters are of blue-veined marble, and bear upon their tops large show-cases. Besides these receptacles tor jewelry, there extends through the centre a series of finely polished tables, to be used for the same purpose. This apartment is brilliantly lighted by candelabra and brackets, having an aggregate number of 114 jets. The gas fixtures throughout are from the establishment of Cornelius & Baker, and, as a matter of course, they are elegant and effective.

"The second apartment is the 'silver-room,' which has a depth of sixty feet, and is furnished in a style a milar to that of the apartment above mentioned, having, however, a double cornlee; and it is lighted by a large and elegantly-formed chandelier, and brackets, consisting in all of 44 jets. In the rear of this is the 'bronze' department, wherein will be constantly kept a valuable

jets. In the rear of this is the 'bronze' department, wherein will be constantly kept a valuable array of bronze ornaments of every conceivable kind. This room is thirty feet square, and it has beyond it a space divided off into offices, counting and show-rooms, &c. The walls and ceilings of all these apartments are frescoed in the most tasteful and beautiful manner of any we have ever seen; and the neutral tints and golden bands present the main door a charming prospect. a-nt from the main door a charming prospect. The floor, too, is entirely new, being of tesselated marble. The gallery of the building, or, properly speaking, the second story, will be used for the display of paintings."

The stock of goods in Caldwell's store, con-sisting of jewelry, silver and plated ware, clocks, brouzes, pictures and fancy articles of every variety, was one of the most beautiful ever collected in America. Their holiday sales had reduced the winter's stock very much, but the store still seemed to the visitor to be filled with beautiful

THE LOSFES AND INSURANCES. The building No. 902 (occupied by Caldwell & Co.) was owned by Wm. C. Houston. It cost, when built, \$58.000. The insurance upon it, as furnished by M. D. Evane, insurance agent, No.

431 Walnut street, amounts to \$50,000, d	ivided as
followse	-
American	. \$10,000
Hand in Hand'	10,000
Pennsylvania Fire	
Green Tree	
Franklin	5,000
State of Pennsylvania	0.00,0
Dolaware Mutual	5,000

Mesers. Callwell & Co. had four large safes in their establishment. Two of these safes were in the front part of the store, and contained all the gold watches and diamonds. The safes were all tound in good condition this morning. The value of the stock of the firm which was outside of the sates is estimated at \$250,000.

The insurance on the stock effected by Tillingbast & Hilt, Insurance Agents, No. 409 Walnut

Springfield
Yonkers of New York
Lumberman's of Chicago Lumberman's of Chicago
People's of Worcester
Atlantic of Providence
Enterprise of Cincinnati
Norwich, Conn
Firemen's of New York
Astor of New York
Phænix of New York
Imperial of London
Home of New Haven
Clinton of New York
Royal of London
North British and Mercantile
Delaware Mutual 10,000 Delawore Mutual..... North America....

Penneylvania. 8,000
Franklin. 8,000
Messrs. Howell & Brothers, the occupants, had Messrs. Howell & Brothers, the occupants, had on hand a very large stock of paper of all kinds. The spring stock had only been placed in the building within a short time. Everything in the building was destroyed. The stock was valued at upwards of \$200,000.

Mesers. Howell & Bros. have \$105,000 insurance on their stock and fixtures, which was effected by Samuel Hilt, insurance agent, in the following named comparise:

Liverpool and London.....
 Royal
 10,000

 Æ(na, Hd
 10,000

 Phœnix, Hd
 5,000

 North American, Hd
 5,000
 North American, Hu
Hartford, Hd
Washington, N. Y
Niagara, N. Y
North American, N. Y
Yonkers and New York, N. Y Yonkers and New York, N. 1 5,000

Lorillard, N. Y. 5,000

Manhattan, N. Y. 5,000

Springfield, Mass. 5,000

Queen, of Liverpool. 5,000

\$105,000 Building No. 904 is owned by Mr. Benjamin Orne. It cost \$60,000, and is insured for \$54,000, divided among the following companies: Phoenix, N. Y.
National, Boston.
Shoe and Leather, Boston. North American, Boston.....

The bullding was not much injured by fire, but was greatly damaged by water.

The stock of Messrs. J. F. & E. B. Orne, carpet dealers, was valued at \$125,000 on the 1st inst.

The entire stock was damaged by water.

The insurance upon the stock, as furnished by M. D. Evans, Insurance Agent, 431 Walnut street, is as follows: North America..... \$ 20,000 Franklin.... American, Phila.... Pennsylvania..... Reliance.....
Delaware Mutual.... Union Mutual 10,000
County Fire I. Co 10,000 Etna of Hartford

ORIGIN OF THE FIRE.

The origin of the fire is involved in mystery, but is being investigated. At about half-past twelve o'clock the neighborhood was perfectly quiet, and very few people were in the street. Suddenly a loud hissing sound was heard, and in a few moments was followed by four or five slight reports. Then there was a grand crash and the explosion shook the sidewalks. The force of the explosion was so great that the rear door of thowell & Bros' store was blown off and the ceiling at the rear of the store. and the ceiling at the rear of the of the Messrs. Orne was greatly injured. of the Messrs. Orne was greatly injured. The last report was followed by the crashing of glass, and then sames burst from the rear of the basement of Caldwell's building, where a Harrison boiler of ten-horse power and the heating appuratus were located. As the Harrison boiler is considered the safest of all steam generators, and was, in this case, run at very low pressure, it is difficult to explain how the explosion could have proceeded from that source. proceeded from that source. THE ESCAPE OF THE CLERKS.

Last night six men whose names are given above, employed in the establishment, were asleep in the store of Messrs. Caldwell & Oo. All were on the first floor-some being front and others back. It has always been usual for some of the clerks to remain in the building all night

to act as watchmen. Soon after the explosions were heard and the flames broke out, four of the young men Messrs. flames broke out, four of the young men Messrs. Davis, Hardy, King and Andrews made their appearance at the front second-story window, got out upon the ledge and worked their way along to the front of Orne's store. They then called for help, and the Washington Hose Company, which had got upon the ground, quickly put up a ladder, and the men were taken down. All were more or less injured. Messrs. Davis and Hardy were taken to the Continental Hotel. Mr. King was taken to the Markot House. Mr. Andrews was taken to the Girard House. and after having his injuries attended to House, and after having his injuries attended to by Dr. Morehouse, was removed to the Penusylvania Hospital by Fire Marshal Blackburn and others. Both feet are burned and he has inhaled smoke. His injuries are serious, but are not considered fatal. Messrs. scrious, but are not considered fatal. Measra. Hagan and Poulk have not been heard of. They got separated from the others as they were making their way to the staircase leading to the upper part of the building. Mr. Andrews says that when he last saw Hagan he had fallen down near the front door. Both men are supposed to have perished. Hagan was from Providence, R. I., and had been in the employ of the firm between two and three years employ of the firm between two and three years. Mr. Poulk was from Winchester, Va., and had been connected with the establishment about a

year. Neither was married. Were upon the ground in large numbers, soon after the alarm was given, and they went to work in the most energetic manner to combat the flames. All attention was directed to Caldwell's fiames. All attention was directed to Caldwell's store, and it was thought that the fire would be confined to that structure. The firmes, however, worked along the joists into the third story of the store of Howell & Bros., and spread rapidly among the paper. Ladders were at once put up and efforts were made to extinguish the flames. The fire burned fiercely and burst out of the windows with great fury. It was soon apparent that this building could not be saved, and as it was found that the heavy stock in the upper stories might fall through and njure the firemen, they were withdrawn by Chief-

Engineer Downey.

The fuel carried by the steam-engine companies The further affect of the temperature of the temperature was exhausted in the long service, and Messrs. Turner & Bro., Esrle & Son, J. W. Scott & Co., Homer, Colladay & Co., furnished wood until their stock of that material gave out, and every assistance possible was rendered by the merchants and others in the neighborhood. The fire was got pretty well-under control soon after day-light, and many of the companies were dismissed. a Howeli's store, however, the paper continued to burn, and several of the companies are still in

service at the present writing. THE POLICE. A large police force, under command of acting Chief H. G. Clark and Lieut. John G. Connelly, of the Fifth District, were upon the ground, and rendered every assistance to the firemen.

For some time the Continental Hotel was considered in imminent danger, and at first there was considered by panic among the guests. The house is well provided with its own fire apparatus, which was immediately brought luto requisition, and contributed largely in saving the building. When the conflagration was nt its height the fiames shot high into the air across Chestuat street, over the top of the building on the opposite side, but these houses being low, escaped. From Howell's building myriads of sparks were emitted, and were carried for several squares in a northeasterly direction. Large pieces of burning paper fell in the streets and on the roofs of houses, and in some instances continued to burn for several minutes. At this continued to burn for several minutes. At this time the heavens were lighted up, and the scene was magnificent in the extreme.

SUMMARY OF LOSSES AND INSURANCES.

The following is a summary of the insurances on, and the estimated value of, the property destroyed:

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Sufferers	Property. Insurance.
W. C. Houston	.\$ 58.000 50,000
J. E. Caldwell	250.000 186.000
Geo. Howell	. 83,000 40,000
Howell & Bro	. 225,000 105,000
Beni, Orne	. 60,000 51,000
J. F. & E. B. Orne	. 125,000 225,000
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THE FAIRMOUNT FIRE COMPANY, -The annual ball of this Company took place lest evening, at the Academy of Music. The members having charge of the affair may well feel proud of the success that crowned their efforts, the attendance being large and fashionable. On the centre of the dancing floor was an immense circular painted place, containing in large letters, "Fairmount S. F. E. Co., No. 32, 1869." The dancing commenced at nine o'clock, and continued until these thick meaning the floor, being "goll filled. three this morning, the floor being well-filled with "trippers" on the light fantastic toe and the parquit circle and balcony with lookers-on. The refreshment department was in the hands of Adolph Proskauer, and was managed to the entire satisfaction of all present. Everything passed off in the most pleasant manner, and to the com-plete satisfaction of everybody participating.

Show Beer -Mr. Joseph Corney, the wellknown butcher of the Washington Market, at No. 6 Market street, has his establishment handsomely decorated in honor of the presence of some of the most superb show beef ever exhibited in this city. There are half-a-dozen beeves, each weighing over 2,000 pounds, dressed; and in addition to these, there is a fine display of lamb, nuiton, hogs, &c. The hogs far exceed any that have ever been exhibited in Philadelphia. The market is gaily adorned with flags, bunting, and evergreen, and presents such an attractive appearance that it is constantly throngod with epectators.

THE MAENNERCHOR .- At the Academy of Music this evening the annual masked ball of the Maennerchor will be given-A brilliant scene may be expected. The arrangements have been made without regard to trouble, labor or expense. The reception of the Prince Carnival and the procession incident thereto will be magnificent. Characters of every variety will be represented. The Academy will be decorated, and the music will be furnished by two large orchestras. Everybody who attends will have ample opportunity for the greatest enjoyment. iovment.

THE EDITORS of this paper take pleasure in calling the attention of all their patrons to the advertisement of the American Life Insurance Company of Philadelphia, in another column. There is no advertisement of all our long list that we insert with more pleasure, because we know that in calling the attention of our readers to that Company, we are doing them a real benefit. It is on every account just the Company in which it poss to be interested—low in its rates, cautious in its risks, paying dividends of hifty per cent., old and reliable, and always prompt in payment of

NEW JERSEY MATTERS.

COUNTY COURT .- The Camden County Courts, COUNTY COURT.—The Camden County Courts, which are now in session, are rapidly disposing of the civil cases on hand. The following cases have been appealed to the Superior Court: Samt. W. Torrey et al. vs. The Camden and Atlantic Railroad Company.—In case. George W. Reed & Co. vs. Mary H. Porter.—In case. William Chamters et al. vs. Shinn and Johnson.—In case. In the Circuit Court the following cases are docketed: A. E. Fitzpatrick vs. Lafferty & Bros.—In case. William P. Mintz vs. Anthony Vanders and Courts of the Court derslice.—Ejectment. Peter Winiman vs. David Ree.—In case. William Polis vs. Henry O'Brien. —In case. Henry F. Hunt vs. Thomas Cochran.— In case. Joseph B. Stewart vs. Joseph Withers, Sr.—In case. Edmund Brewer vs. Sarah Jane Clark —Ejectment. Peter Gluckstein vs. John Schnitzler.—In case. Edmund Brewer vs. Uriah Norcross.—In case. It is thought that the Grand Jury will get through with their labors by Sat-urday, and the criminal business will commence some time next week

CAMDEN PRICES CURRENT.—The prices of marketing in Camden during the past week ranged as follows: Butter per pound, 60 cents; eggs per dozen, 45c; potatoes, \$1; lard, 22c. per pound; salt pork, 17c.; chickens, 22@2bc; turkys 20@22c; cider vinegar, 50c. per gallon; Lugusyra coffee, per pound, 40c; Rio, 35c.; flour, extra, \$6 50 per cwt.; prime cheese, 22c per pound; smoktd beef, 25; mackerel, 10@1dc; Jersey hams, 21c.; onlone per half peck, 40c.; dried applies, 10c.; peaches, 15@18c; beans per bus, \$3 75@\$5; molasses pergal.,80c @\$1; ateam symp, \$1@\$1 25; teas—black, \$1@\$1 35, green, symp, \$1@\$1 25; teas—black, \$1@\$1 35, green, \$1 56@\$2; raw sugars, 14@15c., refined extra C, 16c., B or A 17c., standard A. 17c., crashed, &c., 18c; brown soap, 8@10c. olive, 9@10c, er.sive, 10c., electric, 17c., Castile, 25c.; tallow candles. 20c.; adamantine, 30 cents; apples, half peck, 35@40 cents; coal oil, per gallen, 45 cents, wheat per bushel, \$2 15; oats, 65@75c.; clover seed, \$7 25; timothy, \$3; flaxseed, \$3; timothy hay per ton, \$20@22; corn per bushel—old, \$1. rvc, \$1 40, straw, \$18@\$20 per ton.

Binias Society.—To-night the annual meeting

BIBLE SOCIETY.—To-night the annual meeting of the Comden County Bible Society will be held in the Third Street Methodist Episcopal Church. DIRECTORS ELECTED. - The stockholders of the First National Bank of Camden have elected the first National Bank of Camden have elected the following gentlemen as Directors for the ensuing year Jonas Livermore, John F. Starr, N. N. Stokes. Maurice Browning, John F. Boding, Clayton Lippincott, George S. Gillingham, D. T. Goge, Charles A. Sparks. THE STATION HOUSE.—Twelve persons were

accommodated with lodgings in the station-house in Camden last night. "A STRUCOLE FOR LIFE."—This is the theme of a lecture to be delivered this evening by Miss Anna Dickinson, in Camden, for the benealt of the Young Men's Debating Club and Lyceum.

FROM NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 14 .- The Amnesty Proclamation does not affect any prisoners in this district. In the case of John C. Braine, the Chesapeake pirate, who is in the Kings County juil under indictment for piracy, District Attorney Paris is of the opinion the proclamation can

have no effect.

Two well dressed young men seized a tin box containing bonds to the amount of several thousand dollars yesterday from a desk in William B. Strong's banking house, No. 5½ Pine street, where, it had just been placed by a little mussenger boy of sixteen, named William Hogeman. The little fellow seeing the theft ran after the thieves and, after a vigorous chase, collared them both and turned them over to the police and secured his bonds. One of the thieves turned out to be a celebrated bond operator named Theodore Davis, and the other calls himself William

Spaulding.

Jacob Dupay and Moses Dupuy, father and son, who have been on trial in the United States Circuit Court on an indictment charging them with illegally removing whisky from a distillery on Forty-fith street, then under seizure and in custody of a revenue collector, were yesterd y found guilty by the jury before whom they were tried. They were remanded for sentence.

OITY NOTICES.

To PRESERVE THE HAIR, stimulate its growth, To PRESERVE THE HAIR, stimulate its growth, and rencer it soft and glorey, use Jayne's Hair Tonic. This unequalted dressing for the hair being free from all deleterious substances, exercises a beneficial influence on the scalp, freeling it from scarry and danking, and in most cases causing now hair to grow on heads that have been bald. Prepared only by Dr. D. Jayne & Son, 243 Chestout street.

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MARINE BULLETIN.

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA-JANUARY 14.

Res Marins Bulletin en Inside Page.

CLEARED THIS DAY. Bark Eliza Oulton, O'Brien, Antwerp, Workman & Co. Correspondence of the Philadelphia Exchange.

LEWES, Dr., Jan. 12-6 PM.

The vessels before reported as being in harbor, detained by adverse winds, proceeded to sea this forenoon. The wark Foreninger, from Rio Janeiro, has been ordered to hiladelphia. The bark Busy, from Buenos Ayros, which eft the Foadetead 9th Inc. for Baltimore, is ashore south of Cape Henry. Assistance from Baltimore has been prwarded.

JOSEPH LAFETRA. Yours, &c.

MEMORANDA.

Ship Dashing Wave, Mayhow, 114 days from San Francisco, at New York yesterday. Dec 6. lat 2751 8. lon 2748, exchanged signals with the ship Middight, from San Francisco for New York, 71 days out.

Ship St Lucia, Chapman, cleared at New York yesterday for San Francisco.

Steamer Forfolk, Flatt bence at Richmond 12th inst. Steamer Brunette, Howe, hence at New York yesterday. Picamer England (Br.), hompson, cleared at New York yesterday for Liverpoel, Breamer Alahama, Limeburner, cleared at New York yesterday for Fernandina.

Steamer Jarifa (Br.), Murphy from Liverpool via Boston at New York yesterday. Chapmark (Br.), Murphy from Liverpool 22th

New York yesterday Steamer Dehmark (Br), Cutting, from Liverpool 25th t at New York yesterday, with 50 passengers. Bark La Plata, Crowell, cleared at New York yesterday Bark La Plata, Crowell, cleared at New York vestcately for Buenos Ayres.

Steamer Perit, Gardner, sailed from Galveston 7th inst. for New York.

Balk Southern Belle (Br). Borman, cleared at N York yesterday for Montevideo via St Mery's. Ga.

Schr Mary G Co.lins, Endicott, cleared at New York yesterday for this port.

Schr Geo A Carter, Mott, from Boston for this port, at New York yesterday,

Schr Edie Waters, folsom, cleared at New York yesterday for Bahla and a market.

Son Bule waters, rossin, cleared at New 1 the 1 years day for Bahia and a market.

MARINE MIRCELLANY.

Brig T J McGuire (of New York), Lilitefield, was wrecked 25th uit. on West Cancur Point Reef, and became a total loss. Crew saved. The first and second mastes and one seaman arrived at New York ye-terday in brig Anna Lindrey, from Grand Turk. The T JM was built at Stockton. Me. in 1865, was 318 tons register, and owned by J E Ward and others of New York.

Baik Cremona (of Myetic), Capt Burrows, which sailed figm Galveston Nov 29 and arrived at Liverpool 31d uit. Ind very heavy weather the entire pussage. On the 10th will be running under lower topsalls and foresails, shipped a sea which washed overhoard a seaman named J Wenty. (colored) and were unable to render him any assistance on account of the heavy gale at the time. Dec 16, lat 45. N. lon 31 W, pa-sed at a short distance a bark of about 380 tons, waterlogged and abandoned. The foremast was standing, with yards and remains of sails, and main and mizzen masts gone; had squire stern with black and yellow carving; straight stem, with half figure of person as figure head; there was a house on deck for cablia, which extended about 10 feet orward the mizzen wat with door in the forward part. Apparently the hall had not been in the above condition very long.

AMUSESTENTS.

See Stath Page for Additional Amusements. DITILADELPHIA PHILBARMONIC SOTIETY, Grand Concert on SATURDAY EVENING, January 16th, Academy of Music.

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