OITY BULLETIN.

THE FIRE AT NINTH AND CHESTNET STREETS. The fire in the front of the store of Howell & The fire in the front of the store of Howell & Bros, at Ninth and Chestnut streets, has not yet been fully extingulabed, and this morning the flames were burning quite lively for some time. During yesterday three safes were taken from Caldwell's store, two of which were situated on either side of the front part of the store, and were filled with diamonds and other precious stones; gold watches, chains and valuable articles of jewelry; and the other, in the rear portion of the store, contained books and papers. These sates were found to be intact, with their contents uninjured, and neither of them bore marks of having been tampered with by burglars, thus destroying the theory that the fire was caused by the explosion of a safe at the hands of burglars. Two safes were also taken during the day from Howell's store. These safes contained books and papers, and were also uninjured. There was no outward evidence that either of the safes had been tampered with.

A large quantity of very valuable plate, among which is the service known as the "Moorchead, set" (being the sat presented to W.G. Moorchead, Req., at the time of his retiring from the Presidency of the Sunbury and Eric Railroad Company, and cost over \$15,000), and many other sets, all the private property of prominent citizens, and which were stored for safe keeping in the basement of Caldwell's store, were partially got at yesterday, and those portions recovered are in good condition, giving evidence that the remainder is either entirely or partially uninjured. Bros., at Ninth and Chestnut streets, has not yet

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The rubbish was removed from around the Harrison boilers which were used in heating the stores, and they were discovered entirely free from fracture, with the water yet in them, and the doors of the furnaces ajar, as they had been left on the previous evening. The only damage the boilers custained, which was slight, was caused by the falling timbers.

The body off one of the missing clerks was found yesterday afternoon. There was nothing but the trink of it left, and that being much charred, it could not be identified. The remains were dug up about the centre of Caldwel's store where the cashier's desk had been located, and it is upposed the unfortunate man was evercome by the heat and smoke in an attempt to reach the windows through which his comrades escaped. Two of the clerks, Mr. Davis and Mr. Hagan, slept in the front part of the building, in a room on the second floor, and Mr. Davis says that he aroused his companion upon being awakened by the explosion, and that soon after, being surrounded by smoke and fire, he missed Mr. Hagan. The latter was last seen endeavoring te get down stairs. Mr. Andrews stated that he met Poulk near the back part of the store. Workmen are engaged in searching for the others body, and until it is found, it will be impossible to tell which was found yesterday.

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wan. Mesers. Caldwell & Co. have engaged a force of workmen to clear away the rubbleh in their store, among which there must be much valuable ma-

ATTEMPT TO ROB A VESSEL -Yesterday after ternoon four men were discovered in the attempt to rob a vessel lying at Green street wharf. They were on board and were endeavoring to pry the lock off the hatchway. Officer Brown, of the Hatbor Police, drew his revolver, and told the men that he wanted them to go to Alderman Toland's office, and if any attempted to run away he would shoot. The fellows didn't like the looks or the manner of the officer, and walked quietly to the magistrate's office. There they gave the names of William Ryan, George Smith, James Riley, and Geo. White. After the hearing, they were held in \$500 bail to answer.

MAN STABBED .- This morning, about two o'clock, Andrew Kane and John McGranigan got into a quarrel in a tavern in Bedford street, above Seventh. Kane, it is alleged, drew a knife and stabbed McGranigan in the side. The wounded man was afterwards found by Lieut. Smith of the Seventeenth District Police. He was sitting on the steps of a liouse on Eighth street, above South, and was bleeding profusely. He was taken to the hospital. Kane was arrested. He had a hearing before Ald. Bonsall, and was committed to prison.

SUPPOSED LARCENY .- A lad named Theo Moore was arrested this morning, at Front and South streets, with a lot of washed clothing in his possession. He was committed by Alderman

Tittermary.

Charles Wilson, colored, was arrested at alx o'clock this morning, at Ninth and South streets. He had on his person a piece of cassimere, which is supposed to have been stolen. He was sent to prison by Alderman Tittermary. The goods await an owner at the Second District Police

FIRE.-Last night, about 10 o'clock, a new brick stable on Raspberry alley, in the Eighth Ward, was discovered to be on fire. The roof and the upper part were destroyed before the flames were extinguished. Several horses were in the building at the time of the fire. The loss is estimated at \$500. The stable belongs to Mr.

INHUMAN CONDUCT .- A young man named Wm. Megargee, residing on Gaskill street, below Third, went home last night, and commenced beating his wife, who is ill and confined to her bed. He was arrested and locked up in the Third District Police Station. This morning he was held to bail by Alderman Moore.

STEALING AT THE NEW PARK .- John Ettenger and Edward Depold were before Alderman Maull vesterday, on the charge of larceny. It is alleged that they were cutting down trees at George's Hill, the new addition to the Park, and were taking away the wood. They were held for a further hearing.

FOUND DROWNED .- The body of Philip Guderman was found in the Delaware at Coates street wharf yesterday. The deceased was about 25 years of age, and resided on Coates street.

A GREAT CROWD was attracted to the Washington Market. No. 6 Market street, vesterday, and all day long the place was thronged with the admirers of good beef and other meats. The cause of the presence of so many people was found in the exhibition of dressed beef, mutton, hogs, dc., displayed by Corney, the well-known butcher. A fine band of music was in attendance, and enlivened the spectators with some fine strains of melody. The market was elegantly trimmed off with evergreens, flags and bunting.

HEBREW CHARITY BALL.-This grand event is announced to come off at the American Academy of Music, on Tuesday evening, February 9, 1869. of Music, on Tuesday evening, February 9, 1869. These balls have always been acknowledged the best of the many annually given in Philadelphia. The managers will leave nothing undone to cater to the taste of their patrons; and, as far as we learn, nunsual preparations have been made for rendering the coming ball the finest that has yet taken place: From present indications, the number of participants will greatly exceed that of any former year. The music will be under the able charge of Mark and Elmon Hassler.

FARCY GOODS.—The sale of fancy goods which was to have taken place at Scott's Art Gallery, No. 1020 Chestnut street, was postponed until Monday morning, at 10 o'clock, owing to the inclemency of the weather. The catalogue em-braces flue porcelain, china and bisquet vases, card receivers, work-boxes (turnished and unfurnished), allver-plated ware, &c., &c.; in fact, all the as-sortment usual to the stock of a first-class fancy

THE HOMOSOPATHIC MEDICAL COLLEGE OF Pennsylvania and the Hannemann Medical College of Philadelphia have united. The new instituof Philadeiphia have united. The new institu-tion adopts the last mentioned name. The Fa-cuity is as follows: C. Hering, M. D. Dean, and Professor of Materia Medica; G. G. Baue, M. D. Pathology and Diagnosis; J. C. Morgan, M. D., Eurgery; Henry Noah Martin, M. D., Clinical Medicine; Richard Kock, M. D., Physiology; A. R. Thomas, M. D., Anatomy; L. Stephens, M. D., Chemistry; O. B. Gause, M. D., Midwitery.

REMOVAL -E. M. Needleshas removed from the northwest corner Kleventh and Chestnut streets to No. 1126 Chestnut street, where our readers will find a fair assortment of white goods.

NEW JERSEY MATTERS.

BRIDGE AVENUE.—The project of fencing Bridge avenue appears to be abandoned, the City Council at its last meeting having stricken out the sections of the ordinance providing for that work. The contest now turns on the matter of compelled the sections of the ordinance providing for that work. The contest now turns on the matter of compelling the railread company to tear up an important side of tack, between Second and This streets, and the vacation of the north side of the Avenue, from Second street to the river. Were the Joun cil to vacate that part of the avenue, the Camden and Amboy Railroad and the West Jersey Railroad Companies would commence early in the Spring the erection of a splendid depot, with all the other conveniences necessary for the accommodation of their extensive business. The value of real estate along Bridge avenue ness. The value of real estate along Bridge avenue east of Second street, has doubled in value to the cast of second street, has doubted in what could owners since the road was built and that on the west side of the sald street all belongs to the companies, the most of which has been made by filling up the low places with dirt. If the Council will do what these companies ask, Camden will seen contain a depot which the interests of the public demand.

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Practical Surveyors.—At the annual meeting of the Practical Surveyors' Association of West Jersey, the following gentlemen were elected officers for the eneuing year: President, William Parry; Vice Presidents, Simon Cook, William House, William Arratt; Treasurer, Clayton Lippincott; Standing Committee. Henry J. Irick, John H. Doughty; Secretary, John Clement. A committee was also appointed for the purpose of inquiring into the practicability of securing some proper place for holding the meetings of the Association, and where their historical records and other valuable papers can be kept in safety. The committee consisted of Henry J. Irick, James Lippincott, Clayton Lippincott, Ezra Stokes and John Clement.

Tre Courts.—Lest evening the Grand Jury

THE COURTS.—Last evening the Grand Jury for the January term of the Camden County Courts got through with their labors and adjourned. They acted upon one hundred and twenty-one cases, eighty-one of which they re-turned as true bills, and forty were ignored, The Court thanked them for their efficiency and promptness in investigating the cases submitted for their examination. The Court also adjourned, discharging the petit jurors until Wedneeday morning next.

THE INAUGURATION .- The inauguration of Governor Randolph will take place on Tuesday next, at Trenton, with more than usual display. The military is to be called out in force, and the ceremonies on the occasion will be of the most interesting character. A very large delegation from Camden will go up to participate in the proceedings, and many private citizens will also be there to witness the scenes and incidents.

GENERAL KILPATRICK .- This distinguished soldier and orator has been engaged by Post No. 6, Grand Army of the Republic, to lecture to-night in Camden, for the benefit of the Widows' and Orphans' fund. His subject, "Sherman's March to the Sea," is one of peculiar interest, and is said to be handled by the General in an able and illustrative manner.

ARM BROKEN.—A day or two since a girl named Margaret Monahan, residing in the family of James M. Cassady, Esq., on Federal street, fell out of a chair and broke her arm.

DISASTERS.

EXPLOSION AT ELIZABETHPORT, NEW JERSEY.

Two Mcn Killed and Five Severely Wounded.

The Newark Advertiser of yesterday says:

This morning, a few minutes after 9 o'clock, the boiler in George Wood's brush-handle factory, at Elizabethport, exploded with a loud noise, causing the destruction of two frame buildings, the instant death of two men, and the

severe wounding of several others.

By the explosion the boiler was lifted from its bed and burled a distance of over two hundred feet broadside into Winans & Brother's hardware, stove and tin store, upon the corner of Clinton and First streets, on the block above. Two small trees in its course were torn up and carried along with the boiler into the building. Christian Wolf, a lad in Mr. Winans's employ, was engaged in harnessing the horse to the delivery wagon. He was thrown by the force of the wind through the basement window of Mr. Theedore W. the basement window of Mr. Theodore W. Winans's dwelling-house, but marvelously escaped any injury beyond a few cuts on the hands

the wagon is a complete wreck.

Mr. Benjamin H. Winans was engaged at work Mr. Benjamin H. Winans was engaged at work at a bench in the tin shop, mending a pump for John Regan, the captain of the barge Wilderness, who was standing near him. Both of the men were instantly killed. Stanley. Miller, in Mr. Winans's employ, was also at work in the shop, and was very severely wounded, so that his life is despaired of. His head is injured, the blood exuding from the ears, and one of his arms is broken in two places. Mr. T. W. Braen, the book-keeper, narrowly escaped. He was writing near where the boiler entered, and was thrown from his seat and stunned by the coacussion. Besides a few bruises he is, however, unburt. Besides a few bruises he is, however, unburt.

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Two workmen were standing near the engine in Wood's factory at the time of the explosion. One, Herman Miller, was sitting, it is said, upon the boiler. He was thrown nearly a hundred feet and deposited upon the ground, without injury save a slight scalding, and was able to walk away without assistance. The other, John Ritter, was partially covered by the debris, and is scalded severely about the limbs. Although suffering extremely, it is thought that he will recover.

As soon as the noise occurred, which is described as like that of an exploding rocket—a dull thud, the hiesing of steam, and then a heavy crash, as the boiler entered the building; the streets were filled with men, women and children, and the wildest confusion prevalled. The rear and the wildest confusion prevailed. The rear of Winans & Bro.'s establishment was a mass of debris. The boiler, entire, save a small aperture of Winabac Crots estatisment was a mass of debris. The boiler, entire, save a small aperture at one end, lay upon a heap of battered stoves, demolished tin-ware, splintered boards and broken plastering. Underneath the ruins were also the dying and the wounded. The bodies were quickly extracted and taken into an adjoining drug store, where Winans and Regan soon expired. Neither were much disfigured. Winans's body was removed to the residence of his brother, Mr. Theo. H. Winans, who is also his partner. The deceased was 13 years of age, and resided in Meadow street, Elizabeth, where he leaves an invalid widow and one child. Regan's body was taken to police headquarters. He lived at Bergen Point, and the barge of which he is captain was lying at the Port taking in coal. Stanley Miller, who is so severely injured, resides with his mother in Crane street, Elizabeth. He is about 22 years of age; his condition is considered very precarious.

his condition is considered very precarious. Accident on the New Jersey Railroad. A horrible accident occurred on the track of the New Jersey Railroad, just above the Newark avenue crossing, shortly after 1 o'clock yester-day afternoon. From all the facts that can be gathered it is difficult to decide whether the dis-nater was one of intention or accident on the part aster was one of intention or accident on the part of the victim. From the evidence of those who witnessed the accident, it seems that the man who is unknown, was walking up the track as the 1 P. M. train was coming up behind him. The man was con the track, opposite to that on which the train was, and nobody supposed him to be in danger, but he evidently became confused by the noise of the locomotive, and suddenly springing to the other track, immediately in front springing to the other track, immediately in front of the approaching cars, was knocked down by the locomotive. The entire train passed over bis body, cutting him in two at the waist, and breaking both his legs, besides otherwise mutilating and mangling his body. The remains were gathered together and placed in Hope's stables by Coroner Warren, there to await identification. In the pockets of the deceased \$18 and some small articles were found, but nothing that could lead to the discofound, but nothing that could lead to the discoonce impanueled from among those who were congregated in the vicinity of the accident, and an inquest was commenced at Coroner Warren's office, but no further particulars were ascertained.—N. Y. Tribune.

Bank Defalcation in Maryland. The Centreville Observer, of the 12th instant says: Report reached here on Friday that Samuel W. Spencer, Esq., who was for several years cashier of the Kent National Bank, and who died casher of the Kerk national bank, and who due in Chestertown on Thursday last, was a defaul-ter to the bank to a very large sum, one report putting it at \$30,000 and another at \$42,000. It is said also that the officers of the bank knew of the defalcation some time before Mr. Spencer was taken ill, but instead of handing the case

over to the law, have studiously concealed it until Mr. Spencer's death put him ont of the law's clutches. The Chestertown papers of Saturday made no mention of the matter, whether from fear, favor or want of truth, we are not informed.

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