CITY BULLETIN.

THE CHURCH HOME .- The Thirteenth Annual Meeting of the contributors of the Church Home was held February 2d. Rev. J. Audrews Harris presided and Rev. Phillips Brooks acted as secrepresided and Rev. Phillips Brooks acted as secretary. The annual ropert was read, showing that there are 52 children in the Home, of which number 21 are soldiers' orphans. No death has ever occurred in the Home since its commencement. The following gentlemen and ladies were elected as Conneillors and Managers for this year:

Councillors—George T. Lawis, Lowis H. Redner, John Welsh, Charles W. Chahman, Charles J. Stille, William P. Cresson, Edward M. Hopkins, Richard C. McMortrie, William G. Thomas, William G. Boulton, J. Heatly Dulles, Edward W. Buckley.

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SMASHING THINGS .- Joseph Spade has been residing at a place known as the "Sky Parlor," at No. 118 South Third street. Yesterday he got drunk and went to his habitation. There he amused himself by smashing looking glasses and breaking various articles of furniture. The damage done will amount to about \$100. Some of the inmatts of the house then went for a policeman. Spade then planted himself at the head of the stairs and set up six porter bottles as an entrenchment, threatening to smash the head of any Knight of the Star who might appear. Soon afterwards he sallied out and got upon the sidewalk. Officer Hill then captured him and took him before Alderman Kerr, who held him-is-si,000 bail to answer the charge of malicious

Suspicion of LARCENY .- Young Parr, an Individual who has been in the hands of the police on several occasions, was arrested last night by Policeman O'Brien, at Twentieth and Washington streets, on suspicion of larceny. On Sunday morning O'Brien saw Parr with a large bundle under his arm. When he observed the policeman he dropped the bundle and ran. The officer get the bundle and found that it contained two rolls of carpet. Last night he met Parr and ar-rested him. The prisoner was taken before Ald-erman Dallas and was committed for a further

SUPPOSED ROBBERS CAPTURED .- Last evening Policeman McKnight observed four men at Seventh and Bedford, and overheard a conversation in which the men were arguing about what they might have obtained if they had knocked down man who had passed along a short time before.

As these fellows had been suspected of having been in the habit of knocking down and robbing people, they were arrested. They gave their names as George Moore, Patrick McCabe, Michael Flynn, and Thomas Montall. Alderman Bonsali

STEALING POCKETBOOKS .- A youth named Henry Stark has been in the habit of visiting the store of C. F. Rumpp, on Fourth street above Arch, for the purpose of selling newspapers. Yesterday it was discovered that he had been stealing pocketbooks and selling them at prices much below their value. Recently he had been doing quite a brisk trade. He was arrested yesterday. He had a hearing before Ald. Hurley and was committed for trial.

SUCCESSFULLY HAULED OFF.-The bark E. B. Haines, from Liverpool for Philadelphia, previously reported ashore on Ben Davis's Point, was hauled off on the afternoon of the 2d inst. by the steam-tug America, after having discharged about three hundred tons of cargo, which was brought to this port in the schooner Hazleton, which arrived here yesterday afternoon in com-pany with the bark, both having been towed by the steam-tug America.

Inciting to Riot.—Robert Barker, Chas. Da vie, John Johnson and John Stale, all negroes, were arrested last night at Sixth and Lombard streets, upon the charge of inciting to riot. They got into a fight, and for a short time things looked as if there would be some serious result of the squabble. Alderman Carpenter sent the men

A Shawl Thire. - Andrew Moore was arrested last evening and taken before Alderman Bonsall, upon the charge of the larceny of a shawl from the house of Mrs. Henry, on Seventh street above Bedford. He was committed for a further hearing.

LARCENY OF CARPET.-Mary Miller was captured last night at Broad and Locust streets. She had a roll of carpet under her arm. She admitted having stelen the carpet, but refused to tell where she got it. She was sent below by Alder-

STABLE ROBBERY.—Lawrence Donohue was arrested last night, on suspicion of having been concerned in the robbery of the stable of Campbell & Pollock, last week. He was committed

THE WOODLAND MISSION SCHOOL, WEST PHILADELPHIA.—We would remind our readers that a lecture will be delivered in aid of the Sunday School by the Hon. Israel S. Diehl, late U. S. Consul at Batavia, Java, on Saturday evening February 6th, at 7% o'clock, at the Woodland Presbyterian Church, Pine street, above Forty first. Subject: Oriental and Bible Lands, illus trated with pictures, relics, &c., brought from countries visited by the lecturer. The personal experience of Mr. Diehl will enable him to make his lecture one of deep interest. This school, in aid of which the lecture is given, was opened some two years since, and is accomplishing much good in its locality. Apart from the benevolent purpose to which the proceeds are to be applied, the lecture will be one most worthy of attention.

NEW JERSEY MATTERS.

VISIT TO ATLANTIC CITY. -The visit to Atlantic Ci y yesterday by a party of gentlemen from Philadelphia, and members connected with the Lighthouse Board, came off as announced, with Lighthouse Board, came off as announced, with the important exception that not a single member of Congress was present. The object of the vieit was for the purpose of allowing the high fonctionaries of the government to examine for themselves the rapidly increasing danger which threatens the lighthouse by the washing away of the beach near it. Prof. Bache became strongly impressed with the importance of having some protection, and agreed to make a survey of that part of the beach, for the purpose of ascertaining how much of the shore had washed away. Mr. Smith, surveyor of the district took his old exploded theory that the shore was making instead Smith, surveyor of the district, took his old exploded theory that the shore was making instead of disappearing, and that there was no danger to the lighthouse. The surveys, however, show that within the past few years over five hundred feet of the beach have been carried into the sea, and every high tide sweeps away more. Every one connected with the excursion was fully satisfied that something should be done. The matter will be urged upon Gongress with renewed earnestness. The former Mayor of Atlantic City took the initiative in this movement, and during the winter of 1867-8 secured over six thousand signers to a petition asking Congress for a liboral signers to a petition asking Congress for a liberal appropriation for building such defence. He also secured the action of Governor Ward in the matter, who personally recommended such a measure, while the Legislature of New Jersey was successfully importuned to sign the petition. Every business interest of the State, of the general government and of the commerce of Philadelphia was business interest of the State, of the general government and of the commerce of Philadelphia was set forth in that petition and used as arguments in favor of the appropriation. That document minutely explained all the reasons why a protection should be made but these efforts were met, as they will be met now, with the assertion that "there is no danger." The petitions were sent to Hon. Wm. Moore, member of Congress from the First Congressional District, and were referred to the Committee on Commerce, where they have "slept the sleep that knows no waking." It was decided that no recommendation of the Lighthouse Board, and as that body depended upon the report of Mr. Smith, no aid was allowed, that gentleman not being able to see "any danger" in the constantly eneroaching tides. It is to be hoped, however, that this examination will effect the appropriation desired. If Mr. Bache will listen to the voice of the people

of that city, and act in accordance with the self-evident facts which must have met his own personal observation, there will be a protec-tion guaranteed at no greatly distant day. The business interest of Philadelphia, as well se the safety of property belonging to the United States and the citizens of Atlantic City, demand it. That city is destined to become an important point in the future, and the sooner the washing away of the inlet front is arrested, the greater will be the impetus given to improvement there.

BOOTH'S NEW THEATRE IN NEW YORK.

The Opening Last Night. The N. Y. Times speaks as follows of the opening of Edwin Booth's new theatre:
Mr. Edwin Booth's Theatre, on the south-east corner of West Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, was opened to the public last evening, and was very extensively occupied by the manyheaded monster. The establishment was one of the most important ever dedicated to the art. Its exterior grandeur is only equaled by the beauty and brightness of its interior decrations. It lacks, however, the spacious freedom of the Grand lacks, however, the spacious freedom of the Grand Opera House, and is particularly deficient in lobby room. Ladies's dresses were rent and disordered last evening in a way that will bring a powerful interest to bear against the theatre. It is only under certain conditions that the sex permits itself to be crowded. As a rule it is best not to step on a woman's dress, unless, like poor Mercutio, you wish to be "scratched to death." What would have become of the attendance last night had an with to be "scratched to death." What would have become of the attendance last night had an alarm of fire taken place, it is dreadful to think of. The alarm of water—and the skies were plenteous in their gifts—congested the little lobby, and made egress almost impossible. Mr. Booth can remedy this by having additional wickets, and will, no doubt, do so. Where so much has been done, it is hardly vain to look for more. At all events it is natural to do so.

more. At all events it is natural to do so:

The play selected for the opening, as our readers are well aware, was "Romeo and Juliet."

Ere the tragedy had commenced Mr. Booth made his appearance before the audience, and in a few well-selected remarks referred to the calamity which nearly two years ago deprived the com-munity of his services, and of his subsequent remunity of his services, and of his subsequent re-solve to build a theatre worthy of the Metropolis and the drama. He then retired, changed his dress and the piece proceeded. Of this everything remains to be said. The waits which are inevitable on first nights, although never prolonged to the point of exciting inquietude or displeasure, led the performance into the most advanced still-posses of the pight. They who could remain ware

the performance into the most advanced still-nesses of the night. They who could remain were doubtless rewarded for their pains. Most cer-tainly the early acts were the most marvelous specimens of stage production ever witnessed here. The scenery is absolutely perfect, and the proportions of the stage enable it to be worked also to perfection. There were "sets" last night which could not even be attempted at any other establishment, such for instance, as the burnet. establishment, such, for instance, as the banqueting hall in "Capulet's" house and the celebrated Balcory scene. But to these and cognate topics we must hereafter refer, our habt being not to write a column before breakfast on the day of performance, and to insert a comma by way of comment after supper. The opening was a success worthy of the gravest attention, and trivial generalities and shimmering verbiage are hardly appropriate for the occasion. We may say hurriedly that Mr. Edwin Adams seemed to say hurriedly that Mr. Edwin Adams seemed to divide the favor of the audience with Mr. Booth. He was called out (would that it were always possible) after his death and appeared to be breathing quite freely. The fighting be it observed was furious on all sides. Miss McVicker's "Juliet" was perhaps marred by timidity. Under any circumstances it is a proper subject for further comment, if not study. Much credit is due to Mr. Mark Smith not could for his credit is due to Mr. Mark Smith, not only for his excellent performance of "Friar Lawrence," but for the general completeness of the stage arrange-ments. The new ropes and pulleys, and ina-chinery and mechanics led to occasional delay, but never to disaster. The play was perfectly well studied, and followed the text of Shake-

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FAREGUTORS SALE.—ESTATE OF JAMES P.

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Ellis, deceased.—James A. Freeman, Auctioneur.

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PAYABLE IN GOLD. Such securities are generally valuable in proportion to the length of time they have to run. The longest six per cent, gold interest bonds of the U.S. (the 'si's) will be due in 12 years, and they are worth 112. If they had 30 years to run, they would stand at not less than 125. A perfectly safe First Mortgage Bond like the Union Pacific should approach this rate. The demand for European investment is already considerable, and on the completion of the work will doubtless carry the price to a large pre-

SECURITY OF THE BONDS.

It needs no argument to show that a First Mortgage of \$26,600 per mile upon what for a long time must be the only radicad connecting the Atlantic and Pacific States is PERFECTLY SECURE. The entire amount of the mortgage will be about \$20,000,000, and the interest \$1,800,000 per annum in gold. The present currency cost of this in ner annum in gold. The present currency cost of this in terest is less than \$2,500,000 per annum, while the gross earnings for the year 1868, FROM WAY BUSINESS only, on AN AVERAGE OF LESS THAN 700 MILES OF ROAD IN OPERATION, WERE MORE THAN

FIVE MILLION DOLLARS.

The details of which are as follows From Passengers.
Freight.
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material. 201, 179 (s. 965, 430, 23

This large amount is only an indication of the immense traffic that must go over the through line is a few months, when the great tide of Pacific coast travel and trade will begin. It is estimated that this business must make th earnings of the road from FIFTEEN TO TWENTY MILLIONS A YEAR.

As the supply of these Bonds will soon cease, partice

who desire to invest in them will find it for their interest to do so at once. The price for the present is par and ac-crued interest from Jan. 1, in currency. Subscriptions will be received in Ph DE HAVEN & BROTHER.

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To Our Agents and the Public : It is so well understood that the Girard Fire Insurance Company belongs to no combination of underwriters that a repetition of the fact is hardly necessary. But our experience in come localities, during the year 1863, justifies us in briefly alluding to the subject. Again, our success seems to demand an explanation. It will be remembered that in 1867 we lost a smaller per cent, of our premium than any other company doing a Fire Insurance Burineza, through agencies, in the United States. This happy result, we believe, has again been achieved, in our experience, for the year 1868, notwithstanding the multi-

tude of fires. If so, the statistics of the worthy Insurance Commissioners of New York, Massachusetts and Connecticut will doubtless certify, when published. By reference to the reports of the Commissioners of Massachusetts and New York for the year ending December 31st, 1867, it will be found that our losses were twenty-seven per cent, and a fraction upon the amount of premiums received. In 1838 they will not exceed thirty-three per cent. This is the test by which the general character of our business should be measured. Compared with the experience of other companies in this country, it either proves that our agents and patrons are honest and fair toward the "Girard Fire Insurance Company," else that we are remarkably fortunate.

A million of premiums might have been received instead of some two hundred thousand. But our profits might have been less, and the indomnity offered the insured no better than now. It is the latter we desire to afford our friende.

We are sorry to notice, however, that in some instances

"Special Hazards" have been offered our agents at less than the 'National Board' rates, This is no favor nor compliment to us, and a poor reward for our independence. Neither is it the kind of patronage we seek. It costs us as much to pay lesses as other institutions, and we must have fair rates, fair risks, honest agents and honest insurers. Then our welfare will be identical. A few agents have been removed and others appointed, but not without a sufficient cause, for we believe that of all things done through the agency of others, the Insurance business of this country should be confided to the most honorable, responsible and intelligent men to be found in it. Otherwise the profession of the underwriter will be likely to suffer. We invite no conflict with other companies. We seek no business by unfair or covert means, Honest losses will be promptly met, as heretofore Agents should be cautious as to whom they insure as web as to what they insure, and abide by our rules, now so well and successfully established.

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