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OFFICE OF THE DELAWARE AMBOY KAILBOAD AND TRANSPORTATION COMPANIES

COMPANIES. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 6, 1870. The bolders of the new scrip in the above. Companies are boreby nutlied that the time for paying the last in-stallmonts will expire February 10, 130. At any time before that date it may be paid by those bolding the re-ceipte of RICHARD 9. TROWBRIDGE, Cashiet, or F. S. CONOVRE, Transfer Agent, to Mr. TROWBRIDGE, at his office, who is anthorized to receipt for the same, jai0-ticsrp. BUCHARD STOCKTON, Tronsurer.

jalo-tresp BIGHARD STOCKTUN, Treasurer. OFFICE PENNSYLVANIA RAIL-ROAD COMPANY. PHILADELPHIA, January 25. 1870. NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERG.—The annual meet-ing of the Stockholders of this Company will be held on TUEBDAY, the 15th day of Vebruary 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Hall of the Assembly Buildings, S. W. corner of Tenth and Ohesinut streets, Philadelphia. The annual election for Directors will be held on MONDAY, the 7th day of March. 1870, at the Office of the Company, No. 238 South Third street. JUSEPH LESLEY, ja25tfellrp5 Scoretary.

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The Philadelphia Dispensary have opened an "Eye and Ear Department" at No. 315 South Seventh street (between Spruce and Pine), where discases of the Eye and Ear are treated daily at 12 o'clock.

ATTENDING SURGEONS. Dr. GEORGE STRAWBRIDGE, Dr. JOHN F. WEIGHTMAN. WM. F. GRIFFITTS. President. fel 6trp* THOMAS WISTAR, M.D., Soc 7. THOMAS WISTAR, M.D., Secy.

COMPANY, NO. 427 WALNUT STREBT. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 1, 1870. At a meeting of the Board of Directers, hold this day, a dividend of Three Per Cent. on the reduced Capital was declared, clear of State taxes, and payable at the office on and after the lith inst. Transfer books will close the 12th and reopen on the 16th. fed-218 A.L. KERN, Secretary,

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A MERICAN AOADEMY OF MUSIC .-PAREBA-ROSA ENGLISH OPERA. BALLES DE AGOUN OF GRANN CALMENCE BY this celebrated Company, commencing on FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 11, With Mozart's acknowledged masterwork, the MARRIAGE OF FIGARA.

Nearly every member of the Company employed in the cast. Full purticulars in Sunday papers.

-Mr. Schmidt, of Vienna, has completed -Mr. Schmidt, of vienna, has completed his atlas of the moon after just 30 years of study. This was by no means a long time, considering the distance he had to go to make his surveys.-Louisville Courier-Journal.

was in that condition outraged her person. When she returned to conscious-ness, she found the villains had gone. Her haby was screaming, and her little boy crying Oh! mamma, where are you? Are you

dead?" Crushed, frightened and sick, she caught up her babe, and taking her boy by the hand, hurried across the fields to Gerry Streets's, the children being in their night clothes. It was five minutes before twelve when she got there. She told them what had happened, and staid there all night.

The moon was shining in her room on the night of the outrage, and she recognized her ravisher as Joshua Jones.

THE ARREST.

THE ARREST. On the following Monday, three colored men, Joshua Jones, Lewis Carpenter and Wm. Moore, wore arrested and taken to Wil-mington, charged with the offence. They had a hearing before a Justice of the Peace, who held Joshua Jones and Lewis Carponter to ball to answer the charge, and Wm. Moore to appear as a witness. On their way back to this place to jail, one of them way back to this place to jail, one of them asked the constable how soon he thought they would be hung. The constable answered that it would depend on the sentence, and said, "You admit then, that you did it?" Jones answered, "I might as well-the way things have gone." Carpenter then said, "Josh, you know we both did it.". While they were be-fore the Source Carpenter also updut tail know we both did it.". While they were be-fore the Squire, Carpenter also voluntarily made a confession, implicating both. From these confessions, and the testimony of Henry Moore, who was an accessory be-fore the fact, but who turned State's evidence, it seems that Mr. Meredith, the husband of the victim, had seen Lewis Carpenter over at the place where be (More Carpenter over at the place where he (Mere-dith) was at work, and asked him to tell Mrs. Meredith that he could not be home that Meredith that he could not behome that night. Carpenter met Henry Moore, and to-gether they went to George McCune's, where they lived. While they were there Henry McCune arrived from the Agricultural Fair at Wilmington, and with him was Joshua Jones. Leaving Henry McCune at George's, the three negroes started over to Henry's. On the way Joshua to Henry's. On the way Joshua Jones proposed that they "do some devil-ment." The others asked what they should do, and Jones said, "Let's ravish old Mrs. Meredith." After some consultation they all agreed to it; all knowing, of course, that neither Mr. Meredith nor Mr. McCune was at home. They went to the barn, took off their Joshua Jones leading and Henry Moore bringing up the rear. Jones blew out the light in the kitchen, and he and Carpenter went up there.

stairs. Jones proceeded directly into Mrs. Meredith's room and blew out the light, but Carpenter remained on the steps. While they occupied this position, the first attempt was made, but when Mrs. Meredith commenced screaming, Moore and Carpenter ran, and Jones soon followed them to the barn, cursing them for their cowardice.

Moore refused to have anything more to do with it, but Jones and Carpenter returned to the house. Carpenter remained at the top of the stairs, and Jones, seizing Mrs. Moredith as above stated, perpetrated the outrage.

above stated, perpetrated the outrage. THEIR TRIAL commenced on Thursday, December 2d, and witnesses being few and the testimony very direct, it was concluded the same day. The case was called at 3 o'clock P. M.—Attorney-Convert Charles R. Love and his essistant case was called at 3 o'cleck P. M.—Attorney-General Charles B. Lore and his assistant, George H. Bates, for the State: Hon. Wm. G. Whiteley and A. G. Cooper for the pris-oners. Mrs. Meredith was the first witness called. She is a woman of over 40, apparently of Irish birth, and appearing worn-out with hard work and child-bearing. She gave her evidence with great directness, and it was simply an amphification of the facts already stated. Wm. Moore testified with equal posi-tiveness. Esquire Silver, the county magistiveness. Esquire Silver, the county magis-trate, produced Carpenter's confession, taken down at the time it was made, read over to him and admitted to be correct, while Constable Fletcher testified to the admissions made by the prisoners on their way to jail. For the defence, witnesses were called to prove the previous good character of the prisoners, and one of the witnesses testified

that Lewis Carpenter was of unsound mind or half-witted. The plea of the defence was that, though it was evident that an attempt at rape had been made, the evidence that an attempt at been successful was not sufficient. Mr. Mc-Cune, for whom Mrs. Meredith was house-keeper, testified that after Mrs. Meredith had gone to Wilmington to secure the arrest of the. prisoners and returned, she and the

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Wilmington. He talked freely of the crime, and told us all the circumstances. His state-nents were substantially the same as those above given, and it is not worth while to re-peat them. He took all the blame on himself and said he was guilty and felt prepared to die. He declared with much warmth that Carpenter was not guilty and ought not to be hung. He thought Carpenter had not much sense, and said, "I believe that if I had asked Lew to go cut somebody's throat he would have lone it." In response to a question as to his readiness

he said he wished to die. His peace was made with God and he wished to die. He was tired Maybe it was God's will that he should go in this way. He occupied his time in his cell in reading, smoking and praying (he was smok-ing when we entered.) He had never had any religious training of any kind. (Had, some-times been to church and Sunday-school, but not often; generally spent his Sundays fishing or gunning, or in some similar way. His de-meanor was not what one would expect from a man couscious that he was soon to be ushered into eternity, and it is doubtful if he really does realize the awfulness of his position.

really does realize the awfulness of his position. To-day's tragedy will put his calmness to the test. He appeared yesterday not merely re-signed, but light-hearted and cheerful. On entering Lewis Carpenter's cell we found him crouched in a corner, the very pic-ture of dejection. We questioned him pretty closely. He is about twenty-one years old, of mall stature, darker-colored than Jones, and was born at Chandlerville, New Garden town-ship, Pa. He lived in West Philadelphia Some years ago, with a man named George Jones, a trucker. His story was substantially that already told. He pretends that he did not know what Joshua Jones intended, and way he thought he write the arbitist says he thought he said " let's robbish her," meaning rob her. This does not tally with his other statements. He expressed an eager desire to live, but said he was prepared to die. On this matter, however, he did not talk coherently. The interview left a decided impression on the mind of myself and companion that, though the man was undoubtedly weak-ninded, he was smart enough to appear a little more imbecile than he really is. His attempt to turn "ravish" into "robbish" and twist a new meaning out of it does not imply

idiocy. THE GALLOWS was completed yesterday. It is a rough wooden structure, built against the northern wall of the jail-yard, and is sixteen feet high. The platform and drops are six feet from the top and ten feet from the ground. It is wider than usual, to admit of the double execution. The bodies will have a fall of about five feet. A large crowd will be present, and a place has bleen fenced off for the accommodation of the official, witnesses and the officers, while a platform is built for the execution will be found in our telegraphic columns.]

JENNY LIND.

The Great Singer as She is To-day. From a letter describing Jenny, Lind's re-cent appearance in Exctor Hall, London, we

cent appearance in Exercit Hall, London, we quote the following: We waited very impatiently through Herr Goldschmidt's ambitious "Instrumental Pre-lade," and through the first of his jerky chor-uses. It was not entirely the fog which made our eyes see dimly the sweet-faced woman sit-ting on his left hand; thinner, older, sadder, but still with the same "winning" southers at but still with the same winning, pathetic at-nosphere about every pose and every expres-sion which conquered all hearts twenty years ago, disarms all criticism to day, and will con-tinue to do so so long as Jonny Lind's soul dwells in Jenny Lind's body. If there he such things as perfect grace of clumsiness, perfect beauty of homeliness, she has them; and they are more lasting than the grace of graceful-ness, or the beauty of good looks. As it is with her face, her movements, her attitudes, so it is with her voice. Sacred above all it has lost, it has kept a certain something of such individuality that one would know it for Jenny Lind's voice. In spite of the husky chest tones, in spite of the strained and hardly reached upper C, there is a peculiar soul-full quality in it which has been rarely heard on any stage, except when Jenny Lind has sung. Critics would say—and, perhaps by rules of art, their assertion can not be contradicted— that Jenny Lind's voice is gone. But men and women are still moved to their hearts' depths by her singing. I believe if she sings when lost, it has kept a certain something of such by her singing. I believe if she sings when she is three-score years and ton it will be the

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summer, had the advantage of including a very skilful amateur photographer, Mr. F. G. Adams, of this city. A dozen and a half sunpictures, of finished excellence, and in the stereoscopic form, have been kindly sent to hs (by Mr. A. M. Spangler, of the Club) as the result of his talent. Some represent the members of the Camp, in hunting costume; some. bits of rustic character; and the rest, a series of the loveliest views on the Juniata, taken with as much tone, brilliancy and clearness as could be found in the best professional work

HB. ABMSTRONG'S GUBRENCY BILL. The following is the text of a bill introduced into the House at Washington by Hon. Wil-fam H. Armstrong, of Pennsylvania, 'It was read twice and referred to the Committee on Banking and Cuirrency: A BILL providing for the redemption of not ex-ceeding one, hundred, million dollars of the in-teresthering hom of the United States and the

terest-bearing loan of the United States and the issue in exchange therefor of an equivalent amount of notes of circulation without interest. Be it enacted, dc., That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to issue on the credit of the United States such amount as may be necessary to diffected to issue on the credit of the United States such amount as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act, not ex-ceeding one hundred millions dollars of United States notes not bearing interest, pay-able to the bearer at the treasury of the United States, and of such denominations as ho may deem expedient pathers than five dollars deem expedient, not less than five dollar

each; and such notes herein authorized shall be receivable in payment of all taxes, internal duties, excises, debts, and demands of every kind due to the debts, and demands of every kind due to the United States, except duties on imports, and which notes shall have endorsed thereon that they are receivable in payment as above stated, and that they are convertible, at their "face value, at the option of the holder, into the bonded interest bearing" loan of the United States, at the market value thereof, when pre-sented in sums not less than one thousand dollars or any miltible of one thousand at the dollars or any multiple of one thousand, at the office of the Treasurer of the United States. Since of the Treasurer of the United States. Sic. 2. And be it jurther enacted, That any-holder of the bonded Idan of the United States shall be entitled, on presentation of any such bond or bonds, at the office of the trea-shrer of the United States in Washington, or at the office of the assistant treasurer in New York, in any sum not less than one thousand dallars or any multiple of one thousand to as York, in any sum not less than one thousand dollars or any multiple of one thousand, to ex-chauge the same at their market value, which shall be determined if necessary by the Secre-tary of the Treasury, and to receive therefor from such treasurer or. assistant treasurer, who is hereby required to deliver to such holder a like amount, at their face value, of the notes authorized by the first section of this act, and which bonds shall not be re-issued, but shall be held subject to such dispo-sition as other bonds of the United States redeemed or paid. redeemed or paid. SEC. -B. And be it further enacted, That

SEC. 3. And set it jurner enacted, line the Treasurer of the United States, in Washington, or the assistant treas-urer in New York, shall, and he is hereby re-quired, on demand at the office of the Treas-urer of the United States in Washington, or the office of the Assistant. Treasurer in at the office of the Assistant Treasurer in New York, by any holder of the notes author-ized by the first section of this act, when pre-sented in sums not less than one thousand dollars, or any multiple of one thousand, to re-deem and exchange the same, and to deliver to such holder an equivalent amount in one or more bonds of the interest-bearing loan of the more bonds of the interest-bearing loan of the United States now authorized, or which may be bereafter authorized by law, at the market value thereof, to be determined, when neces-sary, as aforesaid ; and the Secretary of the Treasury, shall determine what bonds of the authorized loan of the United States shall be thus exchanged to

thus exchanged. SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That the Treasurer of the United States, in Washing-ton, and the Assistant Trensurer in New York, shall, from time to time, exchange the notes herein authorized for bonds, or bends for notes, as the same shall be from time to time respectively demanded under the provisions of this act, until otherwise provided by law; and any fractional difference between the value of honds and notes shall be paid in lawful money. And the Secretary of the Treasury shall cause to be kept a separate account of the notes and bonds from time to time issued and exchanged under the provisions of this act, and shall make monthly reports thereof, which shall be pub-lished with the monthly statement of the trea-

AND REAL Secretary Boutwell was before the House Committee on Appropriations, to-day, in re-lation to the estimates for appropriations. He was questioned at considerable length.

[Correspondence of the Associated Press.]

Correspondence of the Associated Frees. I NOMINATION CONFIRMED. WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.—The Senate has con-firmed the nomination of L. B. Church, As-sessor of Internal Revenue for Montana.

Secretary Fish this morning received from Minister Burlingame the Chinese treaty, with the official seals of the Emperor, the ratification having been duly exchanged. The treaty was wrapped in yellow silk. The Secra-tary laid the package before the President today:

From New York. [By the American Press Association.]

SUICIDE OF A MERCHANT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.-O. N. Bostwick, of the New YORK, Feb. 4.—O. N. Bostwick, of the firm of Bostwick & Co., dealers in hats and caps and straw goods, at No. 353 Broadway, committed suicide this morning at his resi-dence, No. 14 Fort Greene Place, Brooklyn, by taking strychmae.

The Coroner held an inquest on the body of the wife of the deceased some few months since, who died suddenly after returning from a ride with a lady friend, and this the was in the habit of sleeping with his son, a young man aged eighteen years, and this morning he missed him from his bed, and on going up to the attic of the house discovered his father lying dead upon a quilt, with a glass clasped in his hand. On examining the glass it was found to contain strychnine. On returning to his bed room he found a note in which his father acknowledged the fact of thing the point. taking the poison. The only cause he assigned for the act is that he was distracted and bewildered.

THE CASE OF MCFARLAND.

In the Court of General Sessions, to-day, the District Attorney moved that the case of Mc. Farland, for the murder of Richardson, be re-moved to Oyer and Terminer for trial. Me-Farland's counsel strenuously opposed the motion. Decision reserved.

DASTARDLY ACT. An attempt was made on Wednesday night to throw a train from the track of the Long Island railroad, between Queen's and Hyde Park, by some malicious persons, who had placed a tree across the track. The tree was truck by the locomotive and carried a short distance on the pilot, when the train was stopped, fortunately, before doing any damage.

[Correspondence of the Associated Press.]

BROOKLYN FIRE DEPARTMENT. The report of the Brooklyn Fire Commisioners, just issued, shows that the expenses of stoners, just issuen, snows that are expenses or the fire department of that city amounted last year to \$174,796; for the present year an ap-propriation of \$290,000 is asked, and it is recommended that for 1871 and the following years an appropriation of \$300,000 be made.

Biot in Mississippi. MEMPHIS, Feb. 4.—A riot occurred at Brookville, Miss., on the 2d, between negroes and whites, growing out of a youth named Farmer shooting and wounding a negro who had assaulted him, which at one time threatened to involve the whole section in blockled and etrife. The secrece who bloodshed and strife. The negroes, who were armed, forcibly took Farmer from the Constable and threatened to kill him and burn the town. A messenger was despatched to Columbus for the assistance of 50 armed men, who returned on the train, and who arrested 75 negroes. The others fied. At last accounts quiet had been restored.

Forty-first Congress---Second Session. [Houss-Continued from Fourth Edition.]

Mr. Bingham introduced and advocated a resolution to relieve Francis E. Shoher member of Congress elect from the Sixth North Carolina District, from taking the iron

clad oath. Mr. Paine energetically opposed the reso-lution. After considerable debate Mr. Arnell moved to lay the resolution on the table. Agreed to.

The House, in Committee of the Whole, resumed the consideration of the bill appropri-ating thirty thousand dollars to the poor and destitute of the District of Columbia. Mr. Benjamin offered an amendment to re

commit, with instructions to report the bill requiring the proper authorities of the Dis-trict of Columbia to levy a tax sufficient to and a strain and a s Strain and a strain a strain and a strain and a strain and a strain and a strain a strain a strain a strain a st Strain a strain

men who brought the remains to Mr. How-land's stated that the casualty occurred on a curve about a mile and a half this side of So-, lon. The latter statement is probably correct. The regular train left the depot at 8.40 P. M. and an extra train followed shortly after. is supposed the men were walking on the track and got out of the way, when the first train passed and then returned. The poise of the first train prevented them from hearing the one coming behind them, which ran over and killed them. Their bodies were found yesterday morning

Their bodies were found yesterday morning and brought to this city. One of the bodies? was badly bruised about the head, the wrists and the legs. The hands were closely clenched. and full of snow. The tongue protruded any inch from the mouth. The face is oval, fore-head a little above medium height, and slightly sloping; nostrils largé, and a few short hairs above the upper lip. The hair is light brown. He is of medium height, sparely built, hands. He is of medium neight, sparely ount, names delicate, and bearing no impressions of hard. I labor. He wore a dark gray coat, dark bluevest, butfoned, up to the chin, and dark, speckled pants. About his neck was a clean paper collar and a neat black cravat. His ago may have been from twenty to twenty-three

The other body was cut into innumerable pieces. It was found scattered about the track, a piece of the arm here, another there; a foot on one side of the track and a leg on the other. The head was cleft in two pieces, leav-ing the back part entirely separated from the front. The hair was very thick, cut short, and of a light color. There is scarcely any part of the body remaining which would lead to a re-cognition unless it is the hair. The lumbs and fragments of lumbs are all in a box about three

fragments of limbs are all in a box about three feet long, covered over with the clothing. The garments worn by this one consist of c checkered woolen shirt, and coat and pants made of dark "pepper-and-salt" goods. A pair of new suspenders of white and indigo blue stripes were attached to the pants. One had stripes were attached to the pants. One had on a black slouch hat and the other a velvet

cap. No one can form any idea as to who the parties were. It was stated at the Atlantic and Great Western depot that two men had been put off from one of the trains, as they had no money to pay their fare with.

THE CATHOLIC CHUBCH.

New Dioceses. The Buffalo Express announces the creation of new Dioceses and the appointment of new Bishops in the Roman Catholic Church, as follows :

"The seventeenth of next March will be a great day among the Roman Catholics of Western New York. Imposing services of consecration will be held at St. Joseph's consecration will be held at St. Joseph's Oathedral in this city, when the follow-ing-named clergymen will be elevated to the dignity of Bishop: Rev. William Gleason. the present administrator of the Diocese of Buffalo, will be created Bishop of the Syra-cuse Diocese; Rev. J. Lima, C. M., D. D., of Niagara Falls, will be consecrated Bishop of the Diocese of Rome, New York; Rev. Robert E. V. Rice, the present president of the semi-nary of Our Holy 'Angels at Suspension Bridge, will be made Bishop of the Diocese of Detroit; and the Rev. Father Cavanaugh will be vested with the Bishoprio of the will be vested with the Bishopric of the Poughkeepsie diocese. The rices of consecra-tion will be administered by Right Rev. Bishop Welsh, of Sandwich, Canada West, and the occession will be donbt be marked with and the occasion will no doubt be marked with great interest "

THE SUICIDE AT MARCUS HOOK.

The Body Identified-Curious Particulars The body of the young lady found last week in Naaman's creek, near Mareus Hook, hav been identified as that of Miss Ellen Haggerty, an edentified as that of Miss Ellen Haggerty, been identified as that of Miss Eilen Haggerty, an adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, residing in Dickerson street, Philadelphia, The Coroner's inquest, held by Esq. Long-head, rendered a verdict of suicide.

head, rendéred a verdict of suicide. It is stated to us, in connection with this sad affair, that the assigned, cause for the young lady's rush act was a difficulty with her parents, upon religious, questions, they en-deavoring to compel her to adopt views which she refused to accept. We mention this simply as a report, for the correctness of which we do not youch. It is further stated that she had tied her balmoral skirt tightly over her head, and thus made her death certain, the water where she drowned being only a few inches deep .- Wilmington Commercia

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