AMUSEMENTS.

—Lotta will appear at the Arch, to-night, in *Heart's Ease.*

—At the Chestnut Street Theatre, to-night, *Fresh Fron*, the comedy translated from the French of H. Meilhac and L. Halévy. Miss Reene will have her farewell benefit to-morrow evening.

—At the Walnut, this evening, Mr. Chanfrau will appear in Walden's comedy, *Sam.*

—At the American, this evening, there will be a first-rate miscellaneous performance, when an entire new company, including the Freeman Sisters, will appear.

—Signor Blitz's new Theatre, will give exhibitions of magic and legerdemain at the Assembly Building, every evening during the week, when he will show the wonderful Sphynx.

—T. Buchanan Read's picture of "Sheridan's Ride" is still on exhibition at the Academy of Fine Arts.

—At Carncross & Dixey's Eleventh Street Opera House, this evening, a first-class minstrel entertainment will be given, including the burlesque, *The Streets of Philadelphia.*

—Messrs. Dupree & Benedict, at the Seventh Street Opera House, this evening, will give a splendid minstrel performance, including a number of novelties.

—The Pilgrim is still on exhibition at Concert Hall.

—A concert will be given to-morrow night, at the church Tenth and Fitzwatertreets, on the occasion of the opening of the new organ. The following programme will be offered:

Intrada.....Baptiste
Mr. Karl De Boers.
Solo.....
Mr. Wm. A. Bisecor.
Romanza and Scherzo,
from Symphony in D minor...Schumann
Mr. H. G. Thunder.
Solo—"He was despised.....Handel
Miss C. McCarter.
Violoncello Solo.....Air by J. S. Bach
Mr. R. Herrig.
Adagio—in Sympho. No. 5.....Beethoven
Mr. B. Wood.
March—from "Athalie".....Mendelssohn
Mr. Karl De Boers.
Song—"Farewell, Farewell".....Gumbert
Mr. A. H. Taylor.
Overture—"William Tell"
(by request).....Rossini
Mr. H. Thunder.
Solo—"God's mercy is tender".....Lortzing
Miss C. McCarter.
Violoncello Solo—"Ave Maria".....Gounod
Mr. R. Herrig.
Overture—"Magic Flute".....Mozart
Mr. H. G. Thunder.

—On Friday night, at Musical Fund Hall, Mr. Wenzel Kopta, the well-known violinist, will give a grand concert, two programmes, which we append, tells its own story, and makes any special commentary from us superfluous. We will only say that this promises to be one of the most charming concerts given in this city during the present season:

Chorus—"Now by Day's Retiring Lamp.....Henry Bishop.
Song, "Je Neglierai".....Schubert.
Mr. Wm. Wolfsohn.
Violin Solo—Ballad and Polonaise de Concert.....Vieuxtemps.
Wenzel Kopta.
Song—"Sing Brade".....W. Gantz.
Andante Cog Moto, and Variations—Second Movement from Kreutzer Sonata.....Beethoven.
Sonata—Carl Wolfsohn and Wenzel Kopta.
Duet for Three Violins—"Petite Glou.....Oberthür.
Ave Maria."—Soprano, Violin Obligato, Piano and Organ.....Gounod.
Mrs. Susan Galloway.
Piano Solo—Fantasia, "Faust" Wenzel Kopta.
Piano Solo—Fantasia, "Faust".....Wolfsohn.
Mr. Karl De Boers.
Song—Aria, from Boieldieu's "Jean de Paris".....Marschner.
Mr. Wm. Wolfsohn.
Violin Solo—"Witches' Dance".....Paganini.
Wenzel Kopta.
Chorus—Park Song, "All Amidst the Garden Fair".....Elizabeth Stirling.

CITY BULLETIN.

—At the time little Mary Mohrmann was brutally outraged and murdered, John Hanlon, a barber on Fifth street, below Spring, was suspected of the crime, but there was not sufficient evidence to warrant his arrest. Since that time Messrs. Joshua Taggart and George H. Smith, Independent Detectives, and E. R. Tryon, of the Mayor's Force, assisted by Ass. Wm. R. Heins, of the Nineteenth Ward, have been actively engaged in working up the case. It seems that on a morning in the beginning of December, 1869, Hanlon, who had removed from his former residence, and assumed the name of Charles Harris, accosted a little girl, aged 10 years, residing on Eleventh street, above Oxford, and after conversing with her for some time, induced her to go into the yard of a church on Eleventh street, below Oxford, under pretence of listening to the music of the organ. Finally, he persuaded her into the water-closet, in the rear of the church, and attempted to commit an outrage upon her person. The child gave several screams, when the villain took a woolen glove, which he thrust into her mouth, thus effectually stifling her cries. A number of half-grown boys, however, who were playing near by, heard her struggling on the floor, and, satisfied the atrocious scoundrel, and, wondering what was the matter, had kicked the open door, but Harris, or Hanlon, had locked it on the inside. Some of them climbed upon the roof, and, taking a stout club, inserted it into the half-moon in the top of the door, and thus pried it open, when Hanlon ran out, but was afterward arrested, however, and tried in the Court of Quarter Sessions, convicted and sentenced to the County Prison for the term of five years, for attempting to commit a rape. This case serves to corroborate the evidence already obtained of this fiend's connection with the murder of Mary Mohrmann, and it is probable that it was thus the final clue was obtained to the complete chain of evidence which connects Hanlon with it. The officers will be able to prove on the trial that the murder took place in the little girl, Mary Mohrmann, by some inducement, off of the street into an alley alongside of his barber shop on Fifth street, below Diamond, thence back into the yard, and finally into the water-closet where, after accomplishing his dreadful purpose, he strangled her. He then took the dead body into his shop, which had been closed, through a back entrance, and hid it under the step of the stairs running down into the cellar, where there was little risk of discovery by the family occupying the house, as they would have no occasion to go into that part of the cellar, especially as it was very dark. This was on the Sunday night of the murder. He then went out and took a walk, and after dark came back and went to bed. Towards morning he arose, and after dressing himself, went up to Fifth and Dauphin streets, and stood about the corner to see if he could find some trace of the body. Some residents in a house near by saw him standing about, and deeming from his suspicious movements that he was a thief, made an alarm, which frightened him, and he fled back to his shop. Becoming alarmed, and learning that he might be suspected, he went away early in the morning and did not return until he had learned that he had become quieted by seeing that no announcement was made of the body having been found. After some time he went to bed and again, towards morning, got up and went to the 1st at Dauphin street. The occupants saw entire square from Fifth to Sixth streets, and from Susquehanna to Dauphin streets. On it are a few old houses situated at one corner, and pedestrians who cross the lot as a short cut had made a path running in a diagonal direction. In the middle of this path, at about the centre of the lot, was a small puddle of water, but a few feet in circumference, and not more than two inches in depth. This was reconnoitered by the murderer, who then went back to his shop and taking the body of the murdered child threw it over his left arm, the head resting on his shoulder, and carried it to the puddle on the lot, where he threw it, and walked away, as he imagined, unobserved. He was seen however, by a man coming out of a place of business on Susquehanna avenue, carrying the child, which the man supposed to be a bundle. A woman who was opening the shutters of her house on Susquehanna avenue saw him come off the lot and run down Fifth street towards his barber shop. She knew him and recognized him. He had either slippers on or else was in his bare feet, as he made no noise in passing. About half an hour after this persons passing over the lot found the body of the child lying in the pool of water. There is clear evidence to be presented, which is said to be of so strong a character that there will be no escape for the murderer from its damning links. Yesterday morning this evidence was given before the Grand Jury, together with that of Dr. Shapleigh, and it took but a few minutes to find a true bill of indictment against Hanlon, who will thus be put on trial for the murder, which is characterized by Dr. Shapleigh, the Coroner's physician, who made the post mortem examination, as one far exceeding in brutality even the murder of the Dering family by Probst.

—Messrs. Thomas & Sons sold at the Exchange, yesterday, the following stocks and real estate:

42 shares McKean and Elk Land and Improvement Company, 40c.; 500 shares Volcanic Oil and Coal Company, $1 50; 400 shares Lyons Oil Company, 5c.; 200 shares Kalamazoo Oil and Mining Company, 4c.; 183 shares Caldwell Oil Company, 10c. 30 shares Oil Run Petroleum Company, 11c.; 300 shares Woodford Oil Company, 5c.; 2 shares Kensington National Bank, $141; 4 shares Camden and Carpenter's Landing Turnpike, 80c.; 10 shares Kensington National Bank, $140; 5 shares Kensington National Bank, $139; 2 shares Kensington National Bank, $138; 4 shares Kensington National Bank, $132; 6 shares Kensington National Bank, $131; 10 shares Kensington National Bank, $130; 2 shares West Jersey Railroad, $57 50; 10 shares West Jersey Railroad, $56 50; 25 shares Rock Mountain Oil Company, $93; 5 shares Philadelphia Exchange Company, $63; 5 shares Horticultural Hall Company, 80; 10 shares Belmont Hall and Concert Hall Company, 55c.; 1 share Butchers' and Drovers' Association, $1; 100 shares Clinton Oil Company, 5c.; 100 shares Cow Mountain Oil Company, 5c.; $500 Loan Medical Department Pennsylvania College, $3; 40 shares Live Oak Copper Mining Company, 1c.; 30 shares Seventh National Bank, $60; 20 shares Union Banking Company, $101; 424 shares New Creek Company of Virginia, 47c.; 26 shares Enterprise Insurance Co., $47; 15 shares American Buttonhole Machine Co., $6 75; 300 shares American Buttonhole Machine Co., $7 12½; 2 shares West Jersey Press Company, $250; 500 shares Conifer Copper Mining Co., 3c.; 4 shares Mercantile Library Co., $5 50; Five No. 50, Calvary Presbyterian Church, $100; Residence, No. 2224 Coates street, lot 18 feet front, $5,850; Residence, No. 2333 Frankford street, 15 feet 4 inches by 65 feet, $1,500; Dwelling, No. 234 Crown street, 17 feet 10 inches front, $3,000.

—The Board of Controllers of the Public Schools held a stated meeting yesterday afternoon, Mr. Hall Stanton, Esq., President, in the chair. The Committee on Supplies presented a report recommending the following, viz.: Monument for books and stationery for the present year:

	Each Pupil.	Total cost.	Total cost. 1869.
Boys' Grammar Schools	52 65	$,021	$15,253 65
Girls' Grammar Schools	2 36	6,135	14,110 50
Boys' Consolidated	1 45	3,622	4,389 70
Girls' Consolidated	1 35	3,622	4,389 70
Boys' Secondary	1 05	9,834	16,425 40
Girls' Secondary	95	9,834	9,395 05
Boys' Primary	1 05	29,502	16,425 40
Girls' Primary	60	29,186	12,111 60
Total pupils		90,344	$87,099 35

City Councils appropriated $100,000 for the purchase of books and stationery. Balance left under the appointment, $12,907 16. After deducting $2,400 for the Central High and Normal Schools, there will remain $10,507 16, which will be held in reserve. The principals are notified to order supplies not oftener than once a month, and not to order before the summer vacation more than two-thirds of the number of books to which the schools are entitled. The report was adopted. The Board reconsidered the resolution offered at the previous meeting, providing for a test case involving the rights of Controllers to fix the salaries of teachers independently of the action of Councils. In the discussion which arose on the subject, it was stated the counsel consulted by the committee had decided against the power of the Board in the premises. The test resolution was then voted down. A resolution was adopted giving permission to a female branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to distribute their publications among the children of the public schools, and to endeavor to interest the teachers and the children in the merciful object which the Society was organized to carry out.

—The closing exercises of the Moyamensing Soup Society took place last evening, at the Church of the Evangelists, Catherine street, above Seventh. Mr. Harry Graffen, the Secretary of the Society, read a report of its operations for the past year, from which it appears that during the past season of ten weeks the Society distributed 10,500 gallons of soup, 5,500 pounds of beef, and 4,000 pounds of corn meal. It was also shown that the Society, beside its daily distribution of food to 300 adults and 200 children at its own district, had supplied about 125 poor in other districts. Addresses were made by the Rev. Mr. Erbin, Rev. Mr. Furey and others, after which one thousand loaves of bread were distributed among those present.

—James A., alias Albert Canu, alias Harry Hobinson, charged with bigamy, had a further hearing before Alderman R. H. Smith yesterday. Testimony was adduced as to the marriage of the defendant in 1864 to Miss Louisa E. Saul, subsequently to Miss Emma Darnah, and in January last to Miss Ida F. Somerville. Misses Darnah and Ehrenzeller were present, and in order that the attendance of the lady last married, who is sick, and another witness, he is also alleged to have married, might be secured, the case was continued until Friday next.

—The commencement of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy came off yesterday at the Academy of Music. A large audience was present. A list of graduates was published in the BULLETIN of yesterday. After the delivery of the diplomas, the class presented to the College a handsomely framed portrait of Prof. Edward Parrish, one of the Faculty. Mr. Chas. C. Finch made the presentation speech, and the response was by Prof. John M. Maisch.

—Mr. William S. Young, the oldest printer of this city, was, last evening, the recipient of a handsome testimonial from those who served an apprenticeship with him. The testimonial consisted of a magnificent gold watch and chain, and a handsomely engraved parchment containing the names of the donors. The presentation took place at Mr. Young's residence, Twenty-second and Locust streets, some twenty gentlemen whose apprenticeship was passed with Mr. Young being present.

—Susan Haines, who is charged with defrauding the widow Barton and Miss Shivers, through false representations, has been identified, it is alleged, as having been accused of similar practices in this city about seven years ago, board having been then obtained at the Merchants' Hotel, and subsequently the lease of a furnished house.

—The Alumni Association of the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, yesterday, elected the following officers: President, Thomas Wiegand; Vice Presidents, Charles Eberle, Charles W. Hancock; Recording Secretary, Clements Parrish; Corresponding Secretary, A. J. Dilmann; Treasurer, E. C. Jones.

—The Temperance Blessing was well attended last evening, and a number of able addresses were made. Father Heritage at the close of the meeting reported that 20 persons had signed the pledge during the evening, making a total of 1,407 since the inauguration of the movement.

—Charles Kelley and Patrick Ward, arrested in connection with the stabbing of Louis S. Foster, at 130 South Ninth street, had a further hearing before Alderman Kerr yesterday afternoon. Ward was discharged and Kelly was committed for another hearing.

—Edward Thompson had a further hearing before United States Commissioner Phillips upon the charge of personating a Revenue officer. There was no additional testimony elicited, and the Commissioner dismissed the complaint.

CAMDEN GOSSIP.

—Mad dogs begin again to exhibit themselves in Camden. One was shot on Monday.

—Attached to the German Lutheran Church in Camden is a very successful and fine Sabbath-school.

—Efforts are making to furnish the North Camden Baptist Church with a new set of books for its Sabbath-school. This school is in a very flourishing condition.

—Marshal Bradshaw is keeping things in fine order around the Camden Police Station house. His gentlemanly deportment is winning for him hosts of friends.

—Yesterday a boy named Wagner was held to answer the charge of the larceny of a quantity of old iron belonging to the Camden Gas Company.

—Only three cases were docketed for the second session of the Camden Quarter Sessions, which convened yesterday. They were disposed of, and the Court adjourned.

—The Neptune House, in Atlantic City, has been purchased by James B. Dayton, Esq., of Camden. It is a fine property, at the corner of Pacific avenue and Connecticut avenue. It was sold on the 19th instant.

—The new tax of $1 50 on dogs as ordained by the last Legislature, will have the tendency to decrease the number of that animal in Camden, when the Assessor makes his appearance.

—Charles Wimner and Sarah J. Moore have been arrested for violating the laws of marriage, by living together, while he has a wife in Camden, and she a husband near Salem. They were committed to answer.

—A burglar named Charles Ward, was yesterday sentenced in the Camden Special Court, to two years' imprisonment in the Penitentiary, for attempting to rob the house of Mrs. Hilborn, on Fifth street.

—Three of the pastors of the M. E. churches in Camden, who are now attending the New Jersey Conference, will not be assigned to duty in Camden again. They have labored there for three years.

—Sneak-thieves are again prowling about Camden, stealing whatever they can lay their hands upon. They have visited the works of Browning & Brothers, on Cooper's creek, and carried away a considerable amount of lead in bars and cakes.

—As an indication of the efficient working of the Camden Paid Fire Department, there have been but two or three alarms of fire since it went into operation, and only one occasion to have been the work of an incendiary. The prompt and decided manner in which the Chiefs have published outside information, has had the effect to direct the department of its turbulent elements, and the citizens feel a much greater security than they did before.

Growth of the American Piano Trade.

Notwithstanding the unusual and general depression of trade, the total amount of pianos in 1869 is fully equal to the business of the preceding year, and it is a matter of pride, that in the instance of several of the largest manufacturers, a large increase of business is exhibited. It will be seen that by the annual statistics of twenty-six firms given below, they are residents of New York, Boston and Chicago, and that the aggregate total of their sales amounts to $5,288,977. Besides those given in tabular form there are a number of small firms in the three cities named, and also several in Philadelphia, Albany, Buffalo, Indianapolis, St. Louis, and even San Francisco, which will increase the total amount of annual production and sales of pianos in the United States to fully 75,000 instruments, netting over a million of dollars.

New York, the Empire City of the Union, possesses in the world-famed mammoth manufactory of Messrs. Steinway & Sons, one of the most extensive establishments in the United States, but beyond a doubt the largest in the world, as shown in the fact of this firm returning, as made and sold during the year 1869, no less than 2,200 pianos, for the aggregate sum of *twelve hundred and five thousand four hundred and sixty-three dollars* ($1,205,463). The firm, the renowned "Hub," in the establishment of Messrs. Chickering, possesses the second largest piano manufactory in the United States, while Baltimore has the third, in that of Messrs. Knabe & Co.

Steinway & Sons, New York, 2,200 pianos, $1,205,463
Chickering & Sons, Boston, 383,511
Wm. Knabe & Co., Baltimore, 287,051
Hallet, Davis & Co., Boston, 232,720
Albert Weber, New York, 221,444
Joseph P. Hale, New York, 207,355
Wm. P. Emerson, Boston, 178,049
C. F. Lighte & Co., New York, 151,000
Ernest Gabler, New York, 140,484
H. F. Miller, Boston, 148,359
Geo. Steeke & Co., New York, 145,500
Bent & Cummings, Boston, 121,905
J. W. Vose, Boston, 118,413
Decker Bros., New York, 114,000
Hazleton Bros., New York, 104,661
Grovesteen, Fuller & Co., N. Y., 96,825
Steff Bros., Baltimore, 87,470
Marshall & Wittauer, N. Y., 80,172
J. & C. Fisher, New York, 69,208
Lindemann & Sons, New York, 62,080
Raven, Bacon & Co., New York, 57,531
Gulsenberg & Vaupel, New York, 57,187
Chas. Pease, New York, 44,003
Ludden & Bradbury, N. Y., 44,000
Kranich, Baon & Co., N. Y., 42,622
Total, $5,248,977

—N. Y. Star.

What are Coolicoats?

The *Pall Mall Gazette* says:

"Professor Fonsagrives, in his new treatise on dietetics, gives us some curious information upon the use of condiments in France and in England, and includes under that term a somewhat surprising list of things—as, for instance, Vichy waters, bicarbonate of soda and cubeb, and a handsomely bound octavo in this last mixture is habitually used in England as a condiment, and universally enjoys a high reputation. A writer in the *Medical Times*, commenting upon the difficulty of accurately defining a condiment, observes: 'We recollect hearing a hospital nurse remark, when a patient complained that he did not like his broth, that it was of the same unwashed kind of things—and, just held his medicine, that it was impossible to find a condiment to make it palatable. The aforementioned patient was, in fact, a strong advocate for the use of condiments.' Professor Fonsagrives's list does not comprise what, according to the mediæval adage, is the finest condiment, hunger; but for the comfort of readers who have no appetite, he conclusively proves the benefit which would arise in their case from the habitual use of pepsine."

AMUSEMENTS.

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Assisted by MADAME ANNA BISHOP,
MRS. SUSAN GALTON KELLEBER, Prima Donna.
MR. CARL WOLFSOHN, Pianist.
MR. WENZEL KOPTA.
HIGH ART CHOICE Programme, Splendid, GRAND CHORUS under the direction of Mr. J. Pierson
CONDUCTORS: MR. CARL WOLFSOHN and MR. WENZEL KOPTA.
Forsale at all the Music Stores and at the Philadelphia Musical Academy, No. 1308 Spring Garden street.
Doors open at 7. Commencing at 8 P. M.
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Seventeenth Street, above Chestnut, westside.
MONDAY, March 28.
TEST PIECE BY MEMBERS OF the Amateurs' Drawing Class of the NEW YORK FRESCO COMPANY.
For the First Prize—
THE ORIGINAL
PALM SUNDAY.
The Theatrical Scene, Act 1.
FROU-FROU.
The Admirable Comedy in 5 Acts,
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By Meilhac and Halévy, to be performed at the Grammar Theatre.
ALTERATION OF ADAPTATION.
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Admission, $1. Sold at Reno's, 12th Chestnut street.
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Three Operas, Three Prima Donnas, Three Tenors!
MADAME ANNA BISHOP! MADEMOISELLE ANNA DE LA ROSE DE ST. FLEUR.
First appearance in Philadelphia of the Tenor, MR. ALFRED MARIO.
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THIS (WEDNESDAY) EVENING, Mar. 23, The Celebrated Scottish Drama of
MARY STUART.
Mary Stuart.....MR. F. S. CHANFRAU
In Walden's Comedy of
SAM.
SAM.....MR. F. S. CHANFRAU
MATINEE—MARY STUART.
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TO-MORROW (THURSDAY) EVENING, March 24, FROU-FROU!
Positively for the last time of the Comedy of FROU-FROU.
Positively the last time of Lewell Benefit of LEWELL.
Positively the last time of the great German Soprano, Mme. Rosa Cantoni.
Positively the last time of the Great Prima Donna, Mme. Ada Richmond.
Saturday Night—Benefit of J. H. JACK. Co. A. Fire Company, Hose No. 1.
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PEG WOFFINGTON!
Mrs. Drew as Peg Woffington!
LOTTY, with New Scenery, Dresses and Dances.
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MONDAY, April 4—Benefit of Mr. Jefferson.
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THIS EVENING, DUPREZ & BENEDICT'S
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Mrs. Drew as Peg Woffington!
Mr. Jefferson as Triplet!
Mr. Drew as Sir Charles Pomander!
Mr. Lewis as Colley Cibber!
Mr. Gilbert as Sir Thomas Clarendon!
Mr. Leslie as Sir Richard Steele!
Mr. Fisher as Snarl!
Mr. Lewis as Colley Cibber!
Mr. Gilbert as Sir Thomas Clarendon!
Mr. Leslie as Sir Richard Steele!
Mr. Fisher as Snarl!
Mr. Jack as Sir Charles Pomander!
Mr. Chapman as Footman!
Mr. Jack as Sir Charles Pomander!
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Mr. Fox as Footman!
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