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The Dress

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1858. New Subscriptions. The present is a good time for new subscribers to send in their names to the WEEKLY Pars. A new volume will commence with think! if this be true, we have a chance of the new year, and as additional features will again having short, almost saucy despatches be developed in our paper during the coming themselves in the formation of clubs, as well

as such persons as desire to subscribe for an ble has been absurd, has been bad enough to interesting literary, family, news, and political prevent its working. Before any attempt to sound, should send in their names at once, use it was made, the end of the Cable, at each The Weekly Press is furnished at so cheap a rate, that no one can fail to receive more than a full equivalent for the trifling price of sub-scription; and as our list is increasing with un-shore-abrasions. Moreover, the proper elecexampled rapidity, those who are desirous of trical apparatus for working it as a message of the new volume, ought to order them early, our best to meet the wishes of subscribers who ask for back numbers, but the way to make the supply of a perfect volume certain is to subscribe at once.

Everett's "Mt. Vernon Papers." Most men of all his time—scholar, states—most men of the course states—states—should be supported to the states—should be supported to see and supported to support to Yes, EDWARD EVERETT, one of the foreprovide proper pabulum for their mental appetite. Mr. EVERETT, and other journalists all over this country, are performing the part of teachers. The New York Ledger, with over a million of carnest readers, performs two things it makes large profits for Mr. Bonnen and his contributors, and supplanting the abominable yellow-covered literature, which infused poison into the minds of

articles, but every other line in the Ledger i copyrighted. Yet Mr. Bonner must permit us, to elucidate the subject of Mr. EVERETT's contributions, to quote one passage, which shows very distinctively what the public may expect from this source. Mr. EVERETT says :

Ax they will generally be written under the pressure of other, engagements and duties, the considerate reader will not expect to find in them that elaboration and finish which he has a right to demand in compositions prepared at lesure, especially when they yield an ample personal remuneration to their authors. I can only endeavor to do the best in my power under the well-known direcumsiances of the case, and candid persons will sudge them accordingly." . He then proceeds to add :

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"But though called the 'Mount Vernon Papers," It is not intended that these articles should be exclusively or even chiefly taken up in discussing the subject of the purchase of Mount Vernon, or the topics connected or associated, with it. They will indeed furnish an appropriate channel, for whatever information of an interesting character I may be able to offer the public on that subject. It was one of the chief inducements for undertaking their preparation, that they would afford afford me an opportunity for the attempt to interest a very large circle of readers in an onterprise which I have, so much at heart. I shall accordingly submit to them, from time to time, an account of the progress and prospects of the work; as far as they fall under my observation. Besides this, the country abounds with recollections and traditions of Washington connected with his civil and military career; with localities rendered interesting by his battles, his visits, or his solourn; and with individuals still living who saw him; and of whom a few were personally known to him. There are many original portraits of him in existence; of which a few remain to be described; namerous autographic letters as yet unpublished; and personal relics of every description. Many of these traditions and objects of interest are constantly brought to my notice, in visiting different parts of the country, for the purpose of repeating my address on the character of Washington, and, if I do not mistake, will furnish interesting materials for a few of these papers. It is intended, however, that they shall, upon the whole, be of a miscellaneous character, and exhibit as much variety in the subjects treated as can be expected from the productions of one pen."

After vindicating the character of the present

proprietor of Mount Vernon from unmerited reproach, Mr. EVERETT lamonts the predatory visits often paid to the Tomb of Washington, which have destroyed many relies of great interest. He calculates that the readers of the New York Ledger are One million, (they must be nearer Two, at five persons to each copy.) and says that if each of these contributed half a dollar, the full amount necessary to purchase the Heme and Tomb of Washington would be raised at once. For the other points w wof Mr. Evenerr's article we refer to the New York Ledger itself, which, we may say en passant, promises to present to its readers, in a week or two, "a more novel and remarkable foature than ever yet was exhibited in any Journal in this country." What can it be? Mr. EVERETT concludes his article, most courteously, by acknowledging the kindness and liberality of the Presidents of several Railroads in furnishing him with free tickets when travelling for the purpose of delivering his address on Washington, spoken over one hundred times, in aid of the fund now raising by the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association to purchase the Home and Tomb of WASHING-TON. He also thanks various lines of steam boats, and adds, "Finally, my acknowledge ments are due to the proprietors of Adams' Express, for their liberality in ferwarding, free of expense, whatever parcels connected with the Mount Vernon purchase I may have occasion to transmit to any part of the coun-

We are pleased to observe that the authorities of Washington county have determined at once to obey the decision of the United States Circuit Court in the case of McCoy vs. The County of Washington, and provide for the interest on the bonds of the county issued in payment of a subscription to the Hempfield Railroad Company. This is what we expected from the law-abiding citizens of our State, and indicates the course that ought to be pursued by the Commissioners of Alleghany county. We need not say that respect for the deci-sions of our courts is obedience to the laws;

for judges are only the expounders of the law. In the case of the bonds of Alleghany county, the highest tribunal in the State has decided that they are valid and the interest should be paid, and the same principle was decided in the case above referred to by the United States Court.

What, then, is the clear duty of Alleghany county? It is to levy a tax, as commanded, and pay the interest on her bonds. This will at once restore credit and confidence, and remove every vestige of dishonor from her

On the other hand, what will be the alternative? Nothing but delay—a postponing of the evil day; for, to suppose that in this age and in the law abiding State of Pennsylvania, a body of citizens who dislike the decree of court can successfully resist its enforcement, is idle, and not only idle, but implous. There s power in the supreme tribunal of this State there is more power in the Circuit Court of the United States to enforce their separate decrees. To the latter Washington county has rendered a speedy obedience, and we indufe the hope that Alleghany county will not be far behind her slater.

Weeks upon weeks ago, the Atlantic Telegraph made what was supposed to be its last sign, made its last signal. There is a report

that its animation was suspended, not destroyed, that some very good currents were received at Newfoundland on Saturday, and that, about the time when Mr. HENLEY was expected to commence operating with his apparatus, at Valentia, the word "Henley" was received at Trinity Bay by the cable. Only from the mysterious DE SAUTY, communica-

ting nothing.
The whole management of the Atlantic Ca-

that the bar, the pulpit, and the press were to day represented more honerably and efficiently in the persons of graduates of college, than by those who never enjoyed such advantages. Yet, while this was true, he was as free to admit that those institutions of learning graduated a sufficient number of dunces every year to furnish whetstones for wits who had never been to college to sharpen their arrows upon.

The great defect in our college systems, in the speaker's opinion, was that too little importance was attached to proper physical development and moral training. The boy who had inforred, from the affixes "A. B." and "A M.," that they meant that one had mastered his alphabet as far as "B," and the other as fer as "M." might have fallen short of the truth in his estimate; but he hoped and believed that the time would come when no one would be rewarded with these honers unless of possessed of a good moral character. One of the nature, which infused poison into the minds of young people, only a few years ago, provides the multitude with reading matter healthy in tone and whelesome in nature.

The hallowed purpose, which has induced Mr. Everett to become a contributor to the New York Ledger, must invest "The Mount Vornon Papers" (as his articles are to be called) with unusual interest. The first of them appears in the opening number of the New York Ledger for 1859. This initial article is introductory, but sufficient to show that the geries which it opens will possess many feather composition. Mr. Everett's eloquent and popular style, clear and expressive as it is, will be appreciated by crowds of admiring readers, because he writes so that overy sentient mind can understand him.

This first number of the "Mount Vernon Papers" occupies nearly three columns—a sufficient reply to the suggested doubt whether, "as Mr. Everett's name alone was wanting, half a column would probably be the limit of his weekly contributions." Not only these articles, but every other line in the Ledger is copyrighted. Yet Mr. Bonner must permit to the mind can more enduring form than an exception.

By MIDDNIGHT MAIL.

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Letter from Washington.

[Correspondence of The Press.]
WASHINGTON, Dec. 21, 1858. Late advices from Arizona inform us that con-tinued discoveries are being made in the gold regions, and that emigration is still pouring into the Territory from California. Some four or five miners have penetrated to the Bed rock, on the Gila river, and were extracting some fifty dollars per day. Emigration was moving from the eastper day. Emigration was moving from the cast,"

orn to the western portion of the Territory, and

Mr. Wand, of Texas, addressed the Senate in favor additional numbers were being daily added to the mines. An assay of this gold, made by the United Mr Wilson, of Massachusetts, moved an amendment of the thought be leasted between the parallely of 34. timate of 9.481, while that of the California gold stands at \$.75; the former valued at \$19.60 per ounce, and the latter at \$17.55. This gold, from all analysis as yet made, seems to equal in finaa favorable impression, at any rate—I note the fact, that through the economy of the Engraving Committee, of which Hon. G. B. Adrian, of New Jersey, is chairman, a sum of \$75,000 was saved to the Government at the last session of Congress. Following the advice of the immortal Capt. Cuttle this fact should be made a note of. this fact should be made a note of.

Licutenant Mowry, delegate elect from the
unorganized Territory of Arizona, has again arrived in town, having just returned from a literary
tour in New York, where he has been engaged in

delivering several loctures. He is in good health, and it is to him that we are indebted for the information contained in the above advices.

The workmen, who have been engaged on the Post Office extension, are still "hoping against hope" in their re-employment, Captain Meige being unwilling to meet their wishes, unless an appropriation is made for that purpose.

A tour of the Departments has revealed nothing of interest, all matters of that nature at present emanating from the Capitol. Con.

Public Amusements.

Though the weather was about as bad as it could be, as regards theatricals, last night, Miss Davenport played to a good audience at Walnut-

treet Theatre.

Mr. John McDonough, an able and reliable actor, and an intelligent and well-educated gentleman, will take his benefit in Walnut-street Theatre on Monday evening, we understand

of the play, if there can be any exclusive pro-perty in it, by purchase from Mrs. Silsbee, but has no design of playing it out of his own Arch-street

APPRAL OF THE HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY .-We invite attention to a card published in another column, of the Managers of the Home Missionary ociety of the City of Philadelphia, and trust that the appeal to the benevolent contained in it will be responded to liberally. To those at all acquainted with the humane efforts of this Christian organization, we need not say that its labers in the past entitle it to the consideration and confi-dence of the entire community. The gentlemen upon whom the burden of collecting funds more especially falls, we know are averse to thus appealing to their fellow-citizens for aid; yet, rather than suffer the efficiency of the society to flag for want of means, they have felt it to be their duty to acquaint the public with the facts. On the 15th of the present month, they had but \$4.87 in the treasury. Disguise it as we may, the Christian mission which makes no provision to alleviate physical deprivation will accomplish comparatively little in diffusing the mere spiritualities of Christianity. We believe the community will respond to this appeal, so that the society only prosecute its beneficent mission to the unfortunate poor as heretofore, but with a generosit that will enable it to augment its usefulness in the future. Donations will be received by the treasurer, Mr. Thomas T. Mason, No. 434 Market

street. THUSTRATED NEWSPAPERS .- From Callende & Co., Third and Walnut streets, we have received the Illustrated London News and illus trated News of the World-capital numbers, and literally crowded with engravings, some of them first-rate in design and execution.

FIRST PAGE .- Curiosities of French Succession; Our Holiday Directory; Letter from New York; General News. FOURTH PAGE. - The

SPLENDID BOOKS FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS .-This (Wednesday) evening will be sold, by Messrs.
M. Thomas & Sons, at their auction rooms, a large collection of valuable and interesting books, beautifully illustrated, in rich and elegant bindings, saitable for gifts for the coming holidays.

PIANOS AND MELODEONS FOR CHRISTMAS.-J. E. Gould, Seventh and Chestnut streets, has an elegant stock of Mason & Hamlin Melodeons, and Raven, Bacon, & Co., Nunns & Clark, and other

THE LATEST NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THIRTY-FIFTH CONGRESS Second Session.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21. SENATE. A number of memorials, of no public interest, were resented and appropriately referred. A bill making appropriations for the improvement of he St. Clair Flats was, taken up and passed—yeas 29, 1344 22.

ting nothing.

The whole management of the Atlantic Cable has been absurd, has been bad enough to ble has been absurd, has been bad enough to prevent its working. Before any attempt to use it was made, the end of the Cable, at each terminus, should have been secured, (as was subsequently done at Valentia,) by joining it on the cable stout enough to protect it from shore-abrasions. Moreover, the proper electrical apparatus for working it as a message conveyor, should have been put up at each terminus, with able, scientific men to operate, before the Cable was laid down. As it was nearly all essential points were neglected, and the United States, urged by New York City, which emphatically went off at hulf-cock, ran into a frenzy of excitement, celebrating as completed an undertaking which was then only commenced.

Hon. Horace Mann's Lecture at Concert Hall Last Evening.

In consequence of the inclomency of the weather,

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, moved an amendment that the road be located between the parallels of 34 and 48 degrees.

The debate was then postponed until to-morrow. Among the resolutions presented to the Senate was the following:

One hander rewarded defecting the Committee on the Judiciary, to report if any further legislation was necessary to stop the alaye trade.

Mr. Davis, of Mississippi, objecting, it was lost.

Mr. Dooltythe, of Wisconsin, offered a resolution calling for the letters between the President of Nicaregua and Commodore Paulding, if any, in the Navy Department. Adopted.

Mr. Saward offered a resolution requesting the Secretary of War to inform the Senate if there was any land in New York harbor that could be had for rowenue purposes. Adopted.

Mr. Davis offered a resolution calling on the Secretary of War for information respecting the rights of British subjects in Oregon. Adopted.

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The President sunt to the Senate, through the Ecoretary of Siste, part of the correspondence between Robert MacLane and Mr. Parker, Minister to Ohios, but withholds a portion in consequence of negotiations being still pending.

A bill was passed auther zing an advance of \$2,500 to Harran Powers, for the Senate adjourned.

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Mr. KRLIGOR, of Illinois, asked, but did not obtain, leave to introduce a resolution instructing the Committee on Territories to report a bill providing for the election of all local officers in the organized Territories of the United States by the people, they to pay the expenses attending the election; also, providing that the doverament shall grant lands to actual settlers; also, that a State Constitution may be formed when there is sufficient population for one Representative in Congress—the Constitution to be submitted to the people for ratification.

Mr. OLYARDON, of Minnesota, introduced a bill to organize the Territorial Government of Dacotah.

The House them went into Committee of the Whole on the pension bill for the solders of 1812.

A number of amendments were offered, which, after debate, were rejected.

The escating clause of the bill was stricken out by six majority. This had the effect, as was intended, to terminate further proceedings on the bill in committee and bring the subject before the House.

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man, will take his benefit in Walnut-street. Theatre on Monday evening, we understand. One of the performances, we believe, will be "The Corsican Brothers," in which, on its original production in this country, Mr. McDonough made a very decided hit. Mr. McDonough cught to have a bumper benefit, and will have it, too, as he has, what another Mac., we mean Macbeth, wished for, "troops of friends."

The report that Mr. and Mrs. Conway and Mrs. Bowers have accepted an engagement at one of the leading theatres—is true. We shall regret these admirable performers, personally as well as professionally, but trust that our loss will be their again. They are certain of creating a sensation and gaining a reputation in England.

The on dit that Mr. Wheatley thought of introducing "Our American Cousin" to the Baltimor reans is not. "founded on fact." Mr. Wheatley has no such intention. He is the undoubted owner for the play, if there can be any oxclusive property in it, by purchase from Mrs. Silsbee, but has no design of playing it out of his own Arch-streat.

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The substitute of Mr. Savage was then agreed toyess 12%, may 61.

Pending the question on the passage of the bill, as amended, the House adjourned. From Havana.

ARRIVAL OP THE STEAMSHIP BLACK WARRIOR— THE SPANISH-MEXICAN IMBROGLIO SETTLED— THE SPANISH FLAG SALUTED AT TAMPICO— SENATOR DOUGLAS REMAINS AT HAYARA. BENATOR DOUGLAS REMAINS AT HAYANA.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—The steamer Diack Warrior, from New Orleans via Hayana on the 16th instant, arrived at this port this evening.

Senator Douglas who left New Orleans for New York in the Black Warrior, stopped at Hayana.

The Fpanish-Mexican imbroglio has been settled, the orleans of Garza having refunded all moneys obtained from Spanish subjects by forced loans, and the present Government of Mexico having acceded to all the domands of Spain.

The Spanish flag was saluted with twenty-one guns at Tampleo.

Two thousand soldiers had arrived at Hayana from Caciz

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.—Sugars were firm, but unchanged. The stock at Hayana and Matanzas was not over 30,000 boxes. Molasses—New Clayed, on the coast, was quoted at 4 reals, and Muscovadoes at 5 reals.

Exchanges were unsitered—freights dull; on the United States improving, the rates being 55-21.

Nothing was doing in freights for Europe.

Pacific Railroad Convention.

New Onlmans, Dec. 21.—The Pacific Railroad Con-ention assembled here yesterday, in pursuance of the djournment. Gen. Richardson offered a resolution re-ulting the stockholders present to register the amount vention assumpted the of proceedings of the assolution requiring the stockholders present to register the amount of stock represented, so as to show what was the majority of shares required to decide questions.

A heated discussion arose relative to the fraudulent A heated discussion stoss release to the authority of stock.

Mr. Chilton made a statement on ithe authority of Mr. Lauranson, which was replied to by Mr. Fowlkes. Ooi. Post also replied to Mr. Archer's charges, and read the balence-theet, showing the liabilities for stock, after deducting the donations, to be but \$2,600,000. Col. Post has over \$400,000 worth that the Northern friends of the road surrendered freely.

After the discussion, the explanations made had greatly strengthened the confidence of the New Orleans stockholders, disarmed their suspicions, and harmony was resized.

The Northern Railread of Canada. Tongero, Dec. 21.—The Government Inspector has ordered the stoppage of the Northern Railway, as unselec-tor passengers; but freight trains, with a passenger's passengers on time to run at a reduced speed. Considerable excitement exists about the matter.

Steamboat Accident. ST. LOUIS, Dec. 21.—The steamboat Autrey met with an accident a few miles above St. Louis, last night, causing the loss of four or five lives. The boat ran on the wreck of a sunken steamer, causing the steam pipe connecting with the wind-receiver to burst. A panic ensued among the passengers, who rushing an many into the yard upact it, by which several were drowned. Their names are unknown. Washington Affairs

ongress would provide for his restoration to the active at by a special law. A letter received here from a commercial house in ampico states that the arrangement between the sample of the state of the city, for a settlement of their difficulties, has been broken off, and that so Spanish steamers were then blockading the harbor. Spanish force was deliy expected to land at Tampico datake possession of the city. The form of the pension bill agreed upon by the clust to-day proposes to give \$36 per annum to those a satual battle, without regard to the period of their purice, and includes within its provisions: the regular runy, State, and Territorial tropps, volunters, or military, could be a supplementation of the country. John Kelly has addressed Mr. Speaker Orr his note fresignation as a member of Congress from New York, o take effect on the 25th instant.

United States Supreme Court.

'ABHINGTON, Dec. 21.—No. 28. William B. Mason es.

ry Van Phul, et al. Error to the Circuit Court for
Northern district of Illipois Gauss dismissed for

t of jurisdiction.

o. 29. Daniel H. Lounsdale, et al., vs. Josiah L. Par.

Argument continued for both sides. Excitement in Albany.

CONGRESSIONAL ELECTIONS PRONOUNCED ILLEGAL.

ALBANY, Deo. 22.—The Board of State Canyansers
discovered this afternoon that in several of the Representative districts members have been illegally returned as members of Congress, which makes it likely that
several of the districts will be declared vacant, includion that third fourth sirth severals dispituh and

Railroad Accident. IGHITORU ADDRAVATE

JOMERVILLE, N. J. Poe. 21 — Cornelius H. Vanderer, a respectable offices of this place, was instantly
led to day, by being run over by two trains of cars
the New Jersey Contral Railroad, which left here at Great Chess Exploit of Fen Blindfold Games by Mr. Paulsen.

Pittsbung, Dec. 21.—The game of chess between Lewis Paulsen and ten of the Pittsburg Ghess Glub, in which the former played ten rames blindfold, commenced yesferday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and was concluded at 1 o'clock this morning. Mr. Paulsen won six of the games, and loat four.

Telegraph Line to Kansas City. tending from this city to Leavenworth, was business to day.

THE CITY.

SALE OF SPLENDID CABINET FURNITURE -The stock of elegant Cabinet Furniture manufactured by Messrs. Klauder, Deginther & Co., to be sold at the ware-rooms No. 1014 Chestnut street, to forrow morning, is now arranged for examination with catalogues. Included in the sale are a num ber of elegant Chairs, in fancy coverings, and othor articles, suitable for Christmas presents. The sale of the entire stock peremptory and without reserve, to close business. See Thomas & Sons

SALE OF RICH FANCY GOODS .- This morning at 10 o'clock, at No. 912 Chestnut street, will be sold by Thomas Birch, the stock of rich fancy goods, imported by Messrs. Glenn, and compris ware, dressing cases, work boxes, paintings, desks, and other goods, suitable for Christmas presents. The sale will be continued in the evening at

The Stock market was very dull and inert to day, the sales small, and prices tending downward.

The weekly statement of the New York banks for last week shows a decline of \$550,645 in the amount of the specie reserve, and it is apprehended that, when the new ten-million loan is negotiated by the Government, the reserve will fall from the present mark of \$20,600,000 to below \$20,000,000. The probability that a call for the moneys loaned on demand would then be simultaneously made by the banks upon these serving stocks. CONTROLLERS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS An adjourned meeting of this body was held yesterds afternoon, at their chamber, corner of Sixth and Adel phi streets, Mr. Read in the chair. afternoon, at their chamber, corner of Bixth and Adelphi stroots, Mr. Read in the chair.

A resolution was read, resolving that the Board accept the resignation of Professor F. A. Bregy, who was engaged as teacher of foreign languages at the High School for the last fourteen years.

A resolution was passed, resolving that the public schools of this city be closed on Briday, at twelve o'clock, and re-opened on Mynday, the third of January, so as to give teachers and pupils an opportunity of enjoying the approaching holidays.

A motion was made to proceed to the election of a professor of language, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Frofessor Bregy.

Mr. Booth opposed the motion, and urged the propriety of coming down to a plain, practical, English education. He thought the slight knowledge of French which was obtained by the majority of the pupils of the High School was of no practical ure to them. Even the Alumni, with A. B for their tities, could not be admitted into the Freshmen's class of the University, without first having to undorgo a year's private inition in the classies. He thought the scholars should have a good. sound English education to fit them for mechanical business. Mr. Booth moved that the election of a Professor of French be indefinitely postponed, and the department of French be abolished.

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to do with the question now before the board. He was in favor of passing the resolution.

Mr. Booth gave a short history of the students of the High School in their attempts to establish prayer meetings. They have always behaved orderly, and he had never heard of their disturbing the place of the neighborhood; let them have the room for the purposes of prayer, either silent or vocal. It cannot do any harm, and may be the means of doing much good. A motion to make the subject the special order of the day for the next meeting prevailed by a vote of 11 ayes to 10 nave.

lay for the next meeting protessed.

The order of the day was next called, of considering the list of books furnished to the public schools.

The committee to which were referred sandry bills, among which was one of J. Ballinger, for platering, reported correct, and it was ordered to be paid.

The board then considered the class books for the use of the schools, a publication of which would be of no interest to the general reader. The meeting then advantages

WE COPY from Tuckett's Insurance Journal the following well-merited tribute:

THE BEARMEN'S SAYING FUND—We observe that this popular institution has removed to the northwest corner of Walnut and Second streefs—a location much better saited to its purpose than it has heretofore occupied. The excellent design of this society, to encourage seafaring men to save their earnings, instead of squanderies them, as they usually do, as soon as they step ashore, has been partially successful, many stilors having availed themselves of its advantages—but the well-known improvidence of Jack's character too often leaves him no rest while a dollar of his hard-karaed wages is in his pocket, or in reach—and thus the Baving Fund becomes quite familiar with his face by seeing it continually, until the spending process is over.

We learn from the officers, that the largest portion of their extensive list of depositers consists of persons not connected with sea-going life, and that they receive with equal attention the doposits of all who come, whether employed on land or sea. The scommodating mode of doing business pursued by the Seamen's Baving Fund removes all the difficulties heretofore experienced by depositors, in some saving fundation of the particular of the same and positive whises it, at the rate of five per cent, per annum—all which seems to be properly appreciated, if we may judge by the large numbers who deposit with them—from themodest possessor of a single dollar, to men of active business pursuits, and capitalists from city and country. The managers are well known as men of prudence and reliable character, and the institution deserves the favor already laviahed upon it. We commend it to all who want a safe, and, at the same time, a prefitable depository for their money.

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RHAL ESTATE, STOOKS, &c.—Thomas & Sons' sale of Real Estate, Etooks, &c., took place at the Philadelphia Exchange last evening. The following are the sales:

1 Share in the Mercantile Library Company, \$5.50, 12 shares Bank of North America, \$144; 9 shares Bank of Pennsylvania, \$1; four mortragen-No. 1 for \$700, No. 2 for \$770, No. 3 for \$720, and No. 4 for \$750; 40 shares Meadville Gess and Water Company, \$2; two well-secred ground rents, \$470 and \$850; three-story brick dwelling, No. 330 Callowhill street, \$29,950; Jones' Hotel bid to \$95,900; mansion, hotel, tenant's house, and out-buildings, and \$4 scres of land, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, \$13,900; valuable Delaware farm of about 300 acres, Leipies Station, \$37.60 per are, making \$11,250; handsome residence, extensive grapery, large stable, and 5 acres of land, Garden street, Mount Holly, N. J., \$7,400; coal lands of the North Oarbondale Oost Company, \$5,300 Private sale since last report—Property southeast corner of Seventh and Carpenter streets, showe Chestunt street, \$16,600.

Acoldents.—An olderly man, named Chris-

streets, above Chestnut street, \$16,000.

ACCIDENTS.—An olderly man, named Christian Kolbe, sad his hand and arm badly crushed by a plate of pig from falling upon him while at work he a factory in the Nineteenth ward, on Monday last. He was taken to the Episcopal Hospital.

Two men were admitted the same Cay, one having fractured his skull, and the other severely-bruised and wounded, by the breaking of a shatt in a carpet factory. Michael Breaman, about forty years of age, was also acmitted at the same institution with a fractured arm, which was caused by a fall on the pavement while in an latoxicated condition. Swindling Operation .- A young man

Chess Tournament. Uplands, Florida. Mobile. N.O.&Tex. ...10% 10% 10% 10% 10% ...12 12 12% 12% 12% ir...12% 12% 13 13 second game of the Chess match between the lphia Athenaum and the New York Chess Club publish below the moves made last evening as well as at the previous meeting.

Much interest has been excited in Obess circles, regarding the pressor game, as it has been determined to make it final and declare; and notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, there was a large attendance at the office of the American Telegraph Company, over whose reliable wires the moves are transmitted.

Whitz—Philadelphia. | BLAGK—New York.

Mosers. Montromers! B. &c —The demand for western causi flour is mire—Philadelphia.

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ROBBERIES .- The store of Wm. H. Toland,

The Money Market.

nsurance companies, and kindred topics.

Total....... 18,448 02 20,594 06 orresponding week

Increase...... 4,543 03 1,002 08 5,545 PHILADELPHIA STOOK EXCHANGE SALES,

December 21, 1858. REPORTED BY MANLEY, BROWN, & CO., BANK-NOTE, STOCK

FIRST BOARD.

AFTER BOARD.

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS, Dec. 21-EVENING

small lots of white at \$1.85@1.40, the latter for prime. Rye is wanted; Pennsylvania is worth 80c, and De-laware 78c. Corn is dull to-day; there is not much

offering, but buyers are not disposed to operate to any extent and about 2,000 bus new yellow only sold at 70

previous rates, and the market is quiet. Seeds-Ther

lity, the latter for prime lots, which are scarce, and generally held above the views of buyers. Grocerie

Markets by Telegraph.

DALTIMORE, Dec 21 — Flour dull, without sales wheat firm; white \$1.3501.50. Corn firm. Provision unchanged Lard in good demand. CINCHENT, Dec. 21 — Flour firm. Whiskey has delined &c. and is quoted at 22 ½c. Hogs advanced 25c sales of 2,000 to-day at \$5 2507.12 ½c, the latter price being paid for hogs averaging 200 ibs in weight. Mes Pork is quoted at \$18.

NEW YORK STOOK EXCHANGE-December 21.

SECOND BOARD.

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AND MECHANGE BROKERS, MORTHWEST AND CHESPAUT STREETS.

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PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 21, 1858.

red Southern; \$1.30 for white Michigan, and \$1.21 to good white Qanadian, delivered.

Bye is lower, the supply feir; sales of 2.500 tushels Northern at 77 %c. Oats are firm and in demand for the trade at 48 colo for State, 54 co56%c for Canadian and Wastern Western.

Oorn is better, the demand is fair for the trade and for distilling; the arrivals are light—sales of 18,000 bus at 70% 2071% for Western mixed, 75% 2076 for new Southern white, and 75276 ford opellow.

Hibrs are steady and fairly active; sales of 1,000 Buenos Ayres at 20%, 1,600 Rio Grande at 25%, and 2000 Chagres, 18 bis average, at 23c 6 mos, usual selection.

Leather.—A good inquiry prevails, both for hemlock and oak, at a teady rates. Further play was then adjourned over until this evening, both sides possessing about equal advantages. The full time allowed for each move (diteo minutes) was gonerally occupied last evening, excepting in one or two instances, and, as will be seen, only six moves on such did were made. The following is the position of the game as it now

tands: Whits.—King on Queen's Bishop's Square; Queen on Graen's Bishop's 2d : Rooks on Oceen's Equare and lear. Included in the sales are 1,100 bbls old mess on the or up mbrs; 1 to 11 50 for extra do.

Prime mess is in moderate demand; sales of 100 tos extra Chicago ist \$18. Beef hams are quiet; sales of 70 bbls good Western at \$14.50 m14.75. Out meats are THE SUSQUEHANNA CANAL COMPANY .- A

70 bbls good Western as \$2.000.

Lard is prime and in fair demand; sales of 1,450 bbls and tes at 11 %c; included in the sales are 1,009 bbls for April delivery at 11 %c, and 100 bbls for all the year 1860 at 10 %c. SUGARS are very dull; the sales since our last include 3,500 bags Pernambuco at 6%, and 500 hhds Cuba and New Orleans at 607c.
WHISKEY.—The market is lower; sales of 300 bbls at 250.

CITY ITEMS.

THE WAREHOUSING COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA THE WAREHOUSING CONPANY OF PHILADELPHIA.

—From a pamphlet recently issued by the Board of Directors of the Warehousing Company of Philadelphia—whose efforts to secure to this community the commercial facilities existing in New York, and in Great Britain and elsewhere, are praiseworthy in the highest degree—we learn that the Warehousing Company of Philadelphia exists under a charter by the State of Pennduties paid, or free of duty. Also, that merchants stor-ing their goods in the warehouses of this company will have receipts or warrants granted therefor in a negotiable form, ready for the purposes of their business, or fo

ROBBERY—CANDIDATES FOR THE GALLOWS. Yesterday morning, about 1 o'clock, the office connected with the lime kins of Messrs. Hugh Maxwell & Oo, at Twenty-fourth and Wood streets, was entered by means of false keys, and robbed of a let of tools. The thieves left lying upon the desk in the office an insolest note, signed "Jack Sheppard," and "Joe Blueskin." The tools will probably be used in other exploits, and the burglars are fairly on the road to the gallows. The names they left behind them indicate the school in which they have received their moral training, and they will probably reach the same end as the exemplars they have chosen. ble form, ready for the purposes of their business, or for any emergency.

A special committee of the New York Chamber of Commerce, under date of the 18th August, 1857, ratified at a subsequent meeting on the 4th February, 1858, when reporting upon similar receipts or warrants, thus characterizes them: "The Dock Warrants er Warehouse Receipts to be issued by the company, will confer upon property in store a character of convertibility, by furnishing titles thereto, both secure and available." Also, some of the most respectable merchants and binkers of New York, on the 16th June, 1867, thus record their opinions of the Warehousing System: GOOD ARRANGEMENT.—An arrangement has been effected between the Second and Third, and Race and Vine-atreets Passenger Bailway lines, for the commutation of tlokets, by which passengers can ride from the Navy Yard to Fairmount, for eight cents. The new arrangement goes into operation to-day. Of the New York, on the Warehousing System:

New York, June 16th, 1857.—To the Corporators
of the New York Warehousing Company:

Gentlemen—Having teen requested by you to state
our views of the advantages which the trade and commerce of London derives from the system of Dock Warrants in use there, we beg to submit to you the following brief remarks: FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

The Boston Post is engaged in the work of comparing the "facts" exhibited, as the future of the copper mining companies becomes the present, with the "anticipa-tions" upon which speculation has been long busy in-fating prices. The results of the comparison are far from flattering to the hopes of those who have been preciation, beyond changes in the market value, can occur, and to the extent that this is done will charges or commissions to buyers or borrowers be diminished.

We have thus briefly hinted at some of the beneficial results of this warehousing system. You have not asked us, and therefore we need not atte the means by which this changened in the warrants has been begotten and is sustained. "Confidence is a plant of slow growth," but the guarantees you present to the public in your new enterprise, and the safeguards which your own experience will no doubt be able to throw around the custody and transfer of the goods entrusted to your care, will, we hope and believe, in due time, firmly establish this desirable system in our midst.

(Signed,) MATILAND, PHEAPS, & CO., GILLESPIE, DEAN, & CO., BARCLAY & LIVINGSTON,

H. S. ROUTH & SONS,

WOTHERSPOON, KINGSPORD, & CO., THOMAS RICHARDSON & CO., PROWN. BROHARDSON & CO., BROWN. BROHARDSON & CO December, in which the leading article is a detailed statement of an interesting law suit upon the merity in this article is alone worth, to shipping merchants many times the cost of the annual subscription to th Insurance Journal. Besides this article, there is a variety of well-written papers on the marine disasters,

losurance, brokerage, paid fire department, assets of The Post says that the Boston banks are heavily in-debted to New York, and that the New York banks are ordering back a portion of their overgrown balances in The following is a statement of the amount of con transported over the Lehigh Valley Railroad, for th week ending December 18, 1858:

by many of our leading capitalists.

In conclusion, we have pleasure in pointing the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Warehousing Company of Philadelphia, to be found in our columns The company, we notice, occupy the extensive premises in Laurel street, lately used by the United States custom house, together with the city warehouse, better known as the "Tobacco Warehouses," in Dock street. CHRISTMAS DINNER FOR THE CHILDREN OF BED

FORD STEERT.—Among the n any announcements which the approaching holidays are eliciting, that which we publish this morning, in another column, of the dinner to be given to the poor children of Bedford street, must be peculiarly gratifying to every one that has ever exbe peculiarly gratifying to every one that has ever ex-perienced how much more satisfying to a generous heart it is to give than to feccive. The young men of the Central Home Mission, of that locality, are now preparing to make glad the hearts of those illy-cared-for urchins by giving them a good dinner, at the Mission Houre, Bedford street, on Christmas day, and we are sure that very many of our readers will make their own bounteous repast all the sweeter by embracing the opbounteous repast all the sweeter by embracing the opprunity thus afforded of sending contributions of
poultry, meats, groceries, &c., to either of the gentlemen named in the advertisement, to be approprilated to
that benevolent and worthy object. We may suggest
that those who purpose sending donations should signify
it to the managers early, that they may be the botter
advised how to proceed with their preparations.

An Attractive Establishment.—In passing PHILADELPHIA MARKETS, Dec. 21—EVENING.—
The rainy weather has operated unfavorably on business again to day. There is no alteration in the Flour market, but the demand, both for export and home use, continues limited; 200 bbls Broad-street mills superfine, a selected lot, sold at \$5.87 %, but standard brands are offered at \$5.12% \$\psi\$ bbl, without finding buyers. The sales to the trade are to a moderate extent, at from these figures up to \$500 \$\psi\$ \$\psi\$ bbl for superfine extra and fancy lofs, as to brand and quality. Corn Meal is quiet, but rather scarce, and Pennsylvania Meal is held at \$2.25 \$\psi\$ bbl. Rye Flour is not irquired for, and offered at \$3.67 \$\psi\$ \$\psi\$ without sales to any extent. Wheat—There is not much demand, and prices favor the buyers; 2,000 bushels red sold at \$1.2501.20% for prime Southern, 1,500 bushels mixed at \$1.32, and some small lots of white at \$1.350.10, the latter for prime the well-known confectionery establishment of Mr. A. L. Vansant, on the southeast cerner of Chestnut and Tenth streets, a few days ago, we were induced to enter and examine the trays of elegant French and plain confectionery, of his own manufacture, which he is now exhibiting. It is no exaggeration to say that Mr. Vansant has this season succeeded in getting up one of the most attractive Christmas stocks ever offered to the public. His stock of candies, which are all made of

the pursue materials and most deliciously flavored, pre-sents a tempting variety, at once picturesque and in-viting. His establishment has long enjoyed the very foremost reputation for keeping the fluest stock of fruits, but this season his confections deserve a similar compliment. Indeed, so complete is his stock of holiday goods for the palate that shoppers cannot go amile 672c for dry and 67c for damplots, mostly at the latter rate afloat. Oats are firmly held, with sales of about 1,500 bus p.ims Pennsylvania at 46c46c. Ootton—We have only to notice sales of about 150 bales in lots at for anything in that line; and those who have not ye completed their purchases in that department should not think of doing so before visiting Mr. Vansant's, a Tenth and Chestnut. SEASONABLE, SENSIBLE, AND SUPERB .-- Wo bave

a word of advice to our present buying friends, and that is, that in view of the "perfect looseness" with which the weather has been "going it," for several days past, the most sensible Ohristmas-present that a gentleman can make to a lady—or vice versa—is an UNBRELIA. As the good sense of such an act will not be questioned, much less the seasonableness of it, it only remains to generally note above the views of buyers. Grocories—There is some little morement, with private sales of Sugar to note at ateady rates. Provisions—The markot continues at a stand-still and piece the same as last quoted. Whiskey is offered more freely; drudge at 23%, hads 24%, and bbls 25% c25c Ohio, and 24% c25c or Penn. much less the state that the third term of our caption to make out a case. The fine umbrellss manufactured by Messrs. Wm. A. Drowa & Co., No. 246 Market street, expressly for the holiday season, and now selling at their store, are as well entitled to be called sunce as the most exquisi ornament we have seen this season. For the informa-tion of the reader, we may state that no finer umbrellas are made in this country than those manufactured at this establishment. They have now a magnificent line of these desirable articles, made of the best materials and finished in the fixest style, both for appearance and durability. Present-purchasers should bear this Manual Advice For To-Day.—As we write the heavens

A SHOUND BOARD.

A SHO or not, however, we believe it will prove of lasting by nefit for every one, who has not yet done so, to go a once to the celebrated gents' furnishing store of Mr J Burr Moore, Nes. 1 and 3 North Sixth street, and selec gloves, cravats, smoking caps, and handkerchiefs, the are found in splendid variety at this natablishment TO THE LADIES.—In shopping for presents, be-tween now and Obristmas, don't fail to visit the model gents' furnishing store of Mr. W. W. Knight, No. 606 Arch street His stock of gents' dressing gowns, fine

shirts, mufflers, collars, hosiery, and cravats, and all kinds of underclothing, can't be beat.

A Busy Scenz.—To be waited upon at Messis. Ashes —The inquiry is fair for both kinds; sales of Pots at \$5.60, and Pearls at \$5.60, and P

We observe by an advertisement in our paper to-day that Rev. Dr. Murray is to deliver a lecture on the control of the poor of his church. Persons who have heard this lecture pronounce it a capital affair. The object, certainly, is a worthy one, and those who are about to configurate this worthy one, and those who are about to configurate the second of the second o pronounce it a capital affair. The object, certainly, is a worthy one, and those who are about to consummate this most important event should avail themselves of the useful instruction which the lecture doubtless affords. Dr. Murray is abundantly able to do justice to his

A VALUABLE INVENTION .- We yesterday witbusiness man in the community. It is called after the as the most skilful workman. This capital contrive eirculars, wrappers, envelopes, cards, or in fact any-thing that his interest or fancy may dictate. It is ob-vious that with such an auxiliary every business man time save the price of the press. We commend all persons having an eye to business to call at the American Hotel, Chestnut street, and examine this improved press. IMPORTANT AGENCY .- By his card in to-day's

panies. Having had a number of years' experie different capacities of the insurance business, a erstanding fully the flaws which are frequently conimportant one to the business community. Geology .- It will be remembered that Dr. Boynton gives another of his attractive lectures, this evening, at Concert Hall.

C. H. NEEDLES, Twelfth and Race streets, informs his friends that he has received a selected lot of Havana Cigars, and is prepared to fill orders per M or single box. He commeds his present stock as of un Office of the State P. H. JACKSON, Secretary. Havana Cigars, and is prepared to fill orders per M or ingle box. He commeds his present stock as of unisual quality, and solicits the attention of all who would provide themselves with choice Oigars at fair prices.

LADIES—at loast all who are indulgent to cigar smokers—can obtain acceptable gifts for such by calling smokers—can obtain acceptable gifts for such have him at Needles's. Twelfth and Race streets, and have him

lect from his elegant assortment a Box of Choice Havana Cigara.

THE MOST terrible foe we have to encounter in this country is Cossumption. First manifesting itself in the form of a slight cold, it gains strength while its victim is unsuspicious of danger, and sooner or later, in nine cases out of ten, terminates fatally. Among the various remedies before the public for the cure of this terrible disease, none is equal to HOOPLAND'S BALSAMIO CORDAL. Even THE MAY NOT CURE YOU; but, if the disease is not too far advanced, you may confidently rely upon it. Try it.
Prepared only by Dr. C. M. JACKSON, No 418 Arch delphis, and for sale by Druggists generally throughout the United States and Causda. Price 78

> WINTER COMPORTS. Chilblains sore on all your toes, Icicles hung from your nose, Rheumatis' in all your limbs, Noddle full of aches and whims Chaps upon your hands and lips, And lumbago in your hips, To your bed you shiv'ring creep, There to freeze, but not to sleep, For the sheets that look so nice, Are to you two sheets of ice. And buy your clothes of GRANVILLE STOKE You'll sure escape the many woes Accruing from ill-fitting clothes. No. 607 Chestnut street

THE HOLIDAY RECESS OF CONGRESS.—In a few lays Congress will take the usual holiday recess of seek or so. It has been suggested that before the ad-WILSON, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut street. By THE SILVER PLATED WARE manufactured by E. W. CARRIL, 714 Chestnut atreet, is unrivalled in beauty of design, fineness of faish, and quality of plating He has a large lot of articles suitable for Holiday presents. An exchange says: "The general opinion is reason to dispute his opinion. Ad interim, we would remark that the greatest geese are those whose vanity nduces them to neglect our advice, and buy their cloth ng elsewhere than at the " Old Franklin Mall Clothing To the Ladies.—At this season of the year the

question is often asked, "Where shall we purchase our Furs?" As we are not judges of the article, and there is so much deception practised in the Fur trade, where shall we find a reliable furrier? Our answer is, go to atreet, who have the largest and best stock in the city, and are able to sell cheaper than any other establish-mant, helig importors and manufactures or the Furs they sell. You, therefore, will be sure to get the worth

Special Notices.

The Man who can make two blades of grass to grow where but one graw before, is a benefactor of the human race. So, too, the man who furnishes two Obristmas Gifts for the price of one, is a philanthropist. That man is EVANS, of the Gift Book Store, No 439 Chestnut street. He has every newly published and standard book. He sel's at the booksellers' lowest prices, and with each purchase is given something valuable. Gold and Silver Watches Gold Chains, Medallions, Pencils, Pens, sets of Coral, Garnet, Cameo, Mosaic, and Florentine Jewelry, together with a large lot of silver-plated Ware are now being distrib

A Grand Opening of Confectionery and Fancy Boxes Pound, Fruit, and Fancy Cakes, the finest as sortment in the city. Our motto, small profits and quick sales.

FRANK FORD,

An Unprecedented Demand has sprung up for JULES HAUEL'S EAU ATHENIENNE, or HAIR RE-STORER. The bald are made to rejoice in the possession of a luxuriant growth of hair, while that impaired by disease or age, is, by its use, restored to its original life, color, and pristine beauty. Sold by all Druggisa, and by JULES HAUEL & CO, No. 704 Chestuut atreet, Philadelphia. Holiday Gifts !- Suitable and appropriate pre-

sents are the " EARS FOR THE DEAF " Over sixty varieties of Instruments to assist the Hearing, at E Madkira's Ear Instrument Depot, No. 103 Sout " Modern Aristocracy and True Nobility."-A lecture on the above subject will be delivered in San-som-street Baptist Ohurch, on MONDAY EVENING, December 20th, at 7½ o'clock, by the Rev. J. DOW-LING, D. D., for a benevolent object. Tickets 25 cents.

of Second and Walnut streets. Deposits received in small and large amounts, from all classes of the community, and allows interest at the rate of five Money may be drawn by checks without loss of inte-

rest.
Office open daily, from 9 until 6 o'clock, and on Mon-

day and Saturday until 9 in the evening. President, Franklin Fell; Treasurer and Sourctory, Charles M. \$50, \$50, \$50, \$50, \$50, \$50, \$50, \$50. BINGER'S SEWING MACHINES.—PRICES RE-DUCED.—A new and elegant Family Sewing Ma-chine for \$50, and the general scale of prices greatly reduced. All who want a substantial, simple, and re-

liable Sewing Machine, which has an established repu-tation for doing the very best work on every kind of material, are invited to call at our office and examine the new machines, at the reduced prices. They can-not fail to be satisfied. I. M. SINGER & CO., no2-tJ22 No. 602 OHESTNUT Street Fine Clothing at Greatly Reduced Prices.
Closing out the entire Stock of fine Fall and Winter
Clothing, at a reduction of from fifteen to twenty per cent on the former moderate prices, to propare for Spring business. Every garment manufactured of the best materials, and out, made, and trimmed in the most

Elegant Styles, at
RODT, H. ADAMS! NEW STORE,
Market St. dll-d tjal S. E. cor. of Seventh and Market Sts. Dyspepsia. - There is probably no disease which experience has so amply proved to be remedia-ble by the PERGVIAN SYRUP as Dyspeptia. The most investrate forms of this disease have been com-pletely cured by this medicine, as ample testimony of For sale in this city by F. Brown, corner Fifth and

Chesinut, and Hassard & Co., corner Twelfth and Chestunt. dlo-d&Wtf

made in the best manner, expressly for RETAIL SALEF.
We mark our lowest selling prices in FLAIR FIGURES on each article. All goods made to order are warranted satisfactory, and our one-prior system is strictly adhered to. We believe this to be the only fair way of dealing, as thereby all are treated slike.

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Silver's Gas Consuming Stoves !-- Unless these Storon are made in a proper manner they are no better than the common old-farhioned heating Stores. I employ none but the best workmen, and use the

choicest imported Russia iron.

I warrant every Gas Consumer I sell to be FULLY EQUAL to those I had on exhibition in the Franklin Invitiute, and which attracted the attention and admiration of visiters generally The Committee conceded that GALLAGUER'S make of SILVER'S GAS CONSUMING STOVES were the best in the Exhibitio I call attention to the following letter: or I have examined the 'Silver Gas Consumers' me

on I have examined the forecast consumers' ma nufractured by Mr. A J. CALLACHER, and pronounce them fully equal to say I have ever seen. The Russia Iron is the very BEST, the workmanship unsurpassed. The whole stove fully embraces my invention. I remend with pleasure to my friends and the publi No. 805 N. SECOND, above Vine.

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Together with all the trimmings appertatning to the

Curtain trade. Owing to the lateness of the season, we will close out our heavy Curtains at greatly reduced rates. Curtains cut, made, and put up, lower than prices claewhere. Also, White Lace and Muslin Curtains of every description, bought at auction, and selling at half the usual price. Window Shades, Gold Borderel, Laudscape, Gothio, Fresco, Plain Linen, and Oil Gloth, at whole-standard ratail.

PATTEN'S CURTAIN STORE. d8-tap12

Thirteenth Ward Boughs, Association will be held on WEDNESDAY, at the Honse of A. LAWRENOE OCCUPY of the Month of the Honse of A. LAWRENOE M. The members and all friends of Judge DOUGLAS are requested to attend, to make preparations for his reception.

118: F. C. SMITH, Secretary. The Merchant and the Lawyer.—Sami.

O. PERKINS, Esq., will deliver the introductory to a course of Lectures on MEROANTILE LAW, at BRYANT & STRATTON'S Mercantile College. S. E. Corner EVENTH and OHESTNUT, fon THURSDAY EVENING, December 22d, at 1½, o'cleck. Business men are condulty invited to be present

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Hev. Dr. J. Murray will deliver a dist Protestant Church, corner of Elevanth and Wood streets, THIS (Wednesday) EVENING. Proceeds to be deroted to the relief of the POOR of the Church, Doors open at 7 o'clock Lecture to commence at 7% o'clock. Tickets can be had at the door. Price 25 cts. 11*

21ct, 1868.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at their office, No. 220 South THIRD Street, on WEDNKEDAY, the 5th of January, 1869, at 12 o'clock, at which time an election will be held for Eleven Directors and a Secretary and Tressurer, to

d22-tja10 EDWARD ARMSTRONG, Secretary. Get a Life-size Photograph in Oil, then
you are sure of a likeness or an Ambrotype, at
REIMER'S extensive GALLERY, SECOND Street, ab.
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Musonic Notice. - The Officers and Members of Lodge No 3. A. Y. M., and the members of the Order in general, are respectfully invited to meet at the Masonic Hall, CHESTRUT Street, on WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 9½ o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late Brother, P. M. NICHOLAB HIELVERSON. By order of on WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 0% o'clock, to attend
the funeral of our late Brother; P. M. NICHOLAS
HELVERSON. By order of
d21-24* EDMUND BREWER, W. M.
Grotery.—Dr. Boynten wil Lecture at
HANDEL and HAYDN HALL, on TUEBDAY
and FRIDAY EYENINGS. Dec 21st and 24th and at
CONCERT HALL, on WEDNESDAY, THURBDAY,
and TUESDAY EVENINGS, Dec 221, 22d, and 23th.
Tickels 25 cents. To commence at 7% o'clock.
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Prof. Coppee's Fourth Lecture will be Care diversed on Webnesday Evening at eight o'clock, in the Hall of the University. Subj. ci.—
'Anglish Journalism '' d21-24

Care Christmas Dinner for the Children of Ebdron. The Mensgers of the Young Men's Central Mome Mission, of Bedford exect. at a now preparing for their usual OHRISTMAS FEBTUAL to the poor children of the Mission Schools, and would earnestly ask for the co-operation of the benevient to assist them in furni-hing the tables for the occa-ion.

The number of children atterding the schools is larger than ever before; which, together with the many destitute families in the dustrict; who have learned to look to this Mission for aid in their distress, compels the Managers to ask of those who are blees d with abmadance to contribute a little of it to feed the hungry and clothe the naked. Contributions of poultry, meats pointed, seed, groceries, coal, clothing, or materials for clothing, for the relief of destitute families, will be thankfully received by the Missioners, T. B. SEWELL.

gers:
Edmund S. Yard, 200 Spruce street.
George Millikon, 611 S. Ninth street.
John M. Maris, 111 Market street.
Wm. O. Stevenson, 712 S. Second street
larael Petorson, 805 N. Frent street, above Brown.
Josiah B. Steelma 52 S. Second street.
Jacob Burdsall, Mitchell's Salcon, No. 523 Chestant
street

flour, meal, groceries, coal, clothing, or material for clothing, for the relief of destinute families, will re thankfully received by the Missionery, T. B. SEWELL at the MISSION HOUSE, BEDFORD Street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, or any of the following mana-

Dr. E Scoffin, N. W. corner of Pine and Ninth streets d21-5t* Department for Supplying the City with WATER.—PHILADBLIGIA. December 20th, 1858.
Persons who have not paid their Water Rents for 1838, are hereby notified that they will be derived of the water forthwith until such rents are paid, and the amount sued for, with two dollars added for the expense of cutting off. Water Rents must be paid at this office. ANY ATTEMPT TO COLLECT KIES—WHERE IS WITHOUT AUTHORITY The public are requested to report to this office any incivity on the part of its agents.

W. J. P. WHITE,

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Register.

Jayne's Hall Prayor Meeting.—Notice
B Owing to a previous engagement of the Hell, the
BUSINESS MINN'S UNION PRAYER MESTING will
be held. until farther notice, in the SANSOM STREET
GURGUI, (rest of the new hole). All are cordially invited to attend, and the meeting is open for all to take part who are mambers of an Evangelical Church.

12 o'clook. [420-tjs3] J. D. GEORGE, President.

Commonwealth Insurance Company, of THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA —Office N. W. corner of FOURTH and WALNUT Streets.—Philadelphia, December 8, 1858.

Notice is here'y given to the Stockholders of this Company, that the annual meeting, and an election for ten Directors, te serve the ensuing year, will take place at the office of the Company, on the first NONDAY (3d) of Jamany next at 12o'clock M.

GD-tja3 SAMUEL S. MOON, Secretary.

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3 25th, 1858:

Proposals will be received at this office until noon of the 30th December next, for the sale of Steck of the Germantown Ges Company, and, also, of the Sichmond Gas Company, to the Trustees of the Philadelphis Gas Works, as an lovestment to the Sinking Fund of said works, . n26-t930.

W. FENNELL, Cachier. Works. . n.20-0230. W. FENNELL, Clashior.

Office of the Franklin Saving Fund
B SOCIETY.—PSILADELPHIA, Doc. 17th, 1653.—
A meeting of the Stockholders will be held at the Office
of the Company, on MONDAY, Dec. 27th. 1858, between the hours of 11 and 3 o'clock, to elect Thirteen
Directors to serve the enning year.

dl8 810t* OYRUS GADWALLADER, Treasurer.

Safeguard Insurance Company of New YORK AND PENNSYLVANIA, 409 WALNUT Street, Philadelphia, and 12 WALL Street, Now York. The annual meeting of the Stockho ders of this Company, held at their office. in Philadelphia, on MONDAY, December 13th, 1858, the following geatlemen were elected Directors thereof for the ensuing year:
Jacob N. Keeler,
Francis Blackburne,
Robert P. KIng,
N. B. English,
M. W. Stout,
Hubert R. Clark,
Joseph B. Btidfeld,
John Prentice,
Edward Wiler.
P. E. Birchead,
William R. Forbes.
Daniel Messmore,
At a subsequent meeting of the Board,
MEELER, Edq., was appointed attorney and Celab
Squires, Edq., was appointed attorney and consolior of
this Company at the city of New York.

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HENRY R. FOOTE, Secretary.

The Clinic of the Female Medical Col-

THE CHILD BY LEGEL 18 open regularly on WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, from 11 to 1
y clock Female Professors will strays be found in attendance to examine and prescribe for patients. dl-1m Observant, No. 401 Indicates Street—Finis-delphia, D.cember 9th, 1858.
Seale i proposals will be received at this office until one o'clock r. M., on WEANSBDAY, the 5th day of January, 1859, for excavating a Tunnel through the Broad Mountain, and the approaches to the same.

A Map and Profile will be exhibited, and ail necessary information given on application at the Company's office. indice.

The Board of Directors reserve the right to reject any and all proposals which may not be considered satisfacand all proposals which may not be considered satisfa tory in all respects, d10-fm&wtjs5* JOHN ANDERSON, Engineer.

The Philadelphia, Wilmington, and Bail Timorr Railroad Company, December 10th, 1858.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will take place in WILMINGTON, at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, the 10th of January next, at 12½ P 1, for the election of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of sach other butiness as may legally come before the meeting.

310.6 km tialo ALFRED HORNER, Secretary.

Office of the East Mahanoy Railread COMPANY.—PRILADELPRIA, December 18th, 1864 COMPANY.—PRILABLIFILA, December 18th, 1854

The annual meeting of the S ochholders of this Company, and an election for efficers to serve the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 407 LIPHARY Street, on MONDAY, the 10th day of January next, at 10 o'clock A. Al. McINTYRE, Secretary.

To Office of the Laute Schuylkill Navigation of the Stockholders of this Company, No. 407 LIBRARY Street, on MONDAY, the 10th day of January next, at 11 o'clock A. M.

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When Of ARTS.

The examination of the College Classes, at the close of the First Term, will be held in the following order:

Tusspar, December 14th—From 9 to 11 Seniors, by the Provost, (Political Economy,) and Sophomores, by Prof. Frazer. (Somat logy.) written. From 11 to 1, Juniors, by Prof. Allen, (Theocritus).

Wasspar, 15.—From 9 to 11, Seniors, by Prof. (Rendall, (Anslytical Geometry.) and Juniors, by Prof. Allen, (Theorythes).

Tronspar, 16th—From 9 to 11, Juniors, by the Provost, (Adental Philosophy.) written. From 11 to 1, Sophomores, by Prof. Allen, (Thnoydides).

Tronspar, 16th—From 9 to 11, Juniors, by Prof. Frazer. (Astronomy)

Failbar, 17th.—From 9 to 11. Seniors, by Prof. Coppes, (Shaw's English Literature,) and Freshmen, by Prof. Frazer, (Astronomy)

Svundar, 18th—From 9 to 11. Seniors, by Prof. Jackson, (the Aulularis of Plautus.)

Nosnar, 20th.—From 9 to 11, Juniors, by Prof. Log, ee, (Logic) written. From 1 to 1, Jackson, (Juvenai,) and Sophomores, by Prof. Coppes, (Logic) written. From 1 to 1, Saniors, by Prof. Coppes, (Logic) written. From 9 to 11, Juniors, by Prof. Coppes, (Logic) written. From 9 to 11, Saniors, by Prof. Coppes, (Logic) written. From 9 to 11, Freshmen, by Prof. Tussant, 21st.—From 9 to 11, Freshmen, by Prof.

Jackson. (Juvenai,) and Sophomores, by Prof. Cop. ee, (Logic) written. From 11 to 1, Seniors, by Prof. Allen, (Lucian)
Tusenay, 21st.—From 9 to 11, Freshmen, by Prof. Allen, (Xenophen's Grecian History) From 11 to half-past 1, Sophomeres, by Prof. Jackson, (Tacitus's Life of Agricola.)
WHINESDAY, 22d.—From 9 to half-past 11, Sophomores, by Prof. Kendall, (Geometry.)
THURSDAY, 22d.—From 9 to 11, Freshmen, by Prof. Coppec, (Weber's Universal History.)
On THURSDAY EVENING, the 23d, at 8 o'clock, an Exhibition of Declaration of original compositions will be held in the College Hall
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GEORGE ALLEN, Secretary.

An election of January next, between the hours of January (12 o'clock A.M. JOHN W. MORNOR, Serv. 12 o'clock A.M. JOHN W. MORNOR, the taird of January next, between the hours of June 12 o'clock A.M. JOHN W. MORNOR, Serv. December 13, 1859.

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