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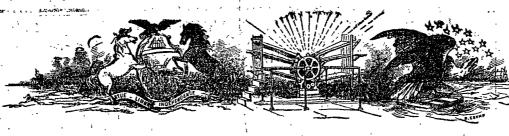
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l'Etablissement de la Commission d'Examen des Livres du Colportage, (30 Nov., 1852)' -(History of Popular Books or of Literatur hawked about for sale, from the Fifteenth Century to the Establishment of the Commission for the Examination of Books of "Colportage," on the 30th Nov., 1852.) This Commission was established by the French Government for the purpose of contrelling, by a vigilant censorship, the issue of Almanacs and small publications of that nature, which were hawked about in France in great numbers, and had often been made subservient to political and revolutionary purposes, and also to the gratification of immoral tastes; and Mons. NISARD was appointed assistant Secretary to the Commissioners. Availing himself of the mass of materials collected by them in the course of their inquiries. he digested and produced the above mentioned work, which was published in Paris in 1854 and contains a store of interesting and

Almanacs are common enough now. Newspaper editors, quack medicine doctors, advertising agents, commercial houses, issue them gratis, and distribute them by the thousand. Some of them are tastefully got up, and contain a variety of useful information as to the moon's age, the tides, eclipses, the times for planting, sowing, &c., dates of important events, and miscellaneous particulars more or less of daily application. Others are but rough affairs, coarsely printed and put together, and containing astrological predictions, conundrums, and sometimes vulgar and ndecent pathological directions and advice. The number of the latter, however, is, we are happy to say, rapidly diminishing. They have ever had a very extensive circulation on this continent, but in Europe were much in vogue until recently. It was ostensibly with the view of suppressing the immorality of these "annuals" that the French Commission was appointed; but we have serious doubts as to the practicability of suppressing immorality by neans of a Censorship, but the French Go-

amusing information.

ernment pretended to have none. M. Nisand tells us that the first known Almanac is "Le Grand Compost des Bergers," (or, The Shepherd's Grand Compost), printed in Paris in 1493. This is a mistake for Regionouranus (Königsberg) published one in 1474, which was pretty much in the form of those now in use, and in it he forotold clipses, the positions of the planets, &c. The name "Almanac" is derived from two Arabic words Al Manach, signifying "the Diary :" the Arabs have from time immemo rial been addicted to astrology, and neither sow, reap, plant, nor undertake any expedition or business, without previously consulting the stars, or their almanacs, or the makers of them. In ancient times, almanacs were made of wood, inscribed with various figures and characters, representing the order of feasts. lominical letters, days of the week, rules for omputing both civil and ecclesiastical time &c. Sometimes these almanacs were cut in one or more wooden leaves, bound together like books; sometimes they were carved on swords or daggers, tools, steelyards, startes, Messrs. Samuel S. Thompson and Samuel S. Jen &c. Our Saxon and Gothic ancestors were particularly partial to them, and continually carried them about as we do walking clicks. contrivances disappeared, and almanacs ap peared in the shape of books: they speedily btained popularity, and were consulted by the ignorant multitude (and often by the learned few) for advice on every occasion, even such

a trivial one as the best time for cutting the hair or the nails. One of the most celebrated Almanacs was that which appeared at Liège, in the beginning of the seventeenth century, under the name of "Almanach Liegeois." The authorship of it has been attributed to MATTHEW LENSBERG, a canon of the Church of Saint Bartholomew, in Liège, about the year 1600. In it we find the twelve celestial signs governing the human body; also directions when to cut one's hair and nails, to take medicine, &c., &c. This Almanac obtained a very extensive circulation, and its predictions of fuman had caused the Almanac to be suppressed in France, as far as was practicable, because it had intrigued against her, and in one of its predictions respecting the month of April, had said: "A lady occupying the highest rank among the favored ones will play her last part during this month." The prediction was remarkably verified, for Louis XV died the mouth following, and she was consigned to scurify and infamy. This Almanca has now existed two conturies and a half; its modern as well as its ancient numbers contains some amusing predictions, trivial and otherwise; there are three prophets connected with it, viz: the aforesaid MATTHEW LCENSURG, the once famous doctor of medicine; NESTRADAMUS, (Vulgo Naudé,) who, in the year 1555, published a book called "The Now Centuries, showing the future state of God's Church, its persecutions and its victories, as well as all other events which will happen throughout the universe, from the year 1655 to the end of the world;" and one Joseph Mouzr, who is styled "a native of Naples, and a great astronomer and philosopher, the author of perpetual prophetics, very oil and very certain, beginning with the year 1621." These three prophets are the authors of the predictions which are annually announced, and the circumstance of their prophecles being sometimes at variance—sometimes actually clashing—must be taken, we suppose, as a proof of their independence and honesty. The following is a specimen of their inspiration:

Lensuers says of the month of January:

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Newstranaments, to prove the constellation (Aquarius) will have a violent and cholor ric disposition. Ile will be talkative and fickle. The woman who is born under this sign is generally endowed with a robust constitution and great aptitude for science. Music will be his ruiling passion. The woman born under the sign of this month (January) will emarkably verified, for Louis XV died the following extract of the news from Mexico, brought month following, and she was consigned to ob-

we meet with something more definite, sometimes, as, for instance: "In the month of June a celebrated writer will fight a duel with

and the accounts of the Academie Française; the motor of this machine will be electricity, and will set all the pens of the critics in motion simultaneously, and new articles will be made out of old and forgotten ones "-(which is not a new nor a rare occurrence.\ Sarcasm and wit are, sometimes, adroitly mixed with puerile matter, and, in this manner, severe truths respecting the Government were circu-

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son, and William D. Maxwell.
The firm of Oliphant & McAlpin, doing business at No. 407 Arch street, has been dissolved by mutual consent of the parties, and a new firm, under the style of PEACOCK, WOODSIDE, & Co., has been formed by Messrs. John B. Peacock, John Woodside, and George McAlpin; the business to be conducted at the above named location; the new firm being authorized by Mr. P. Oliphant, the retiring partner, to use the name of the late firm in settlement.

Messrs. Mason Hirsh and Leopold Hirsh have associated themselves under the firm of Hirsh & Brother, with the view of transacting the whole-sale fancy dry-goods and notion business, at No. Mr. David Horn has associated with himself Mr. John Heisler, for the purpese of conducting the wholesale boot and shoe business, at No. 24 North Third street, under the firm of Horn & Heisler. Mr Joseph F. Tobias has received into partner carrying on the wine and liquor importing busi

ness, under the name and firm of Joseph F. Tobias & Co. at Nos. 206 and 208 South Front street. Messrs. Martin & Shith have admitted to an interest in their business Mr. Atwood Smith; the style of firm to remain unchanged. A congression has been formed between Messys purpose of transacting the hat, cap, fur, and strawstairs. Style of firm to be Hoopes & Davis.

A new firm has been formed by Mosses. R. Brinton, and J. Kendrick, trading under th

style of Brinton & Kundrick, for the purpose of transacting a general dry goods commission busi-ness, at No. 329 Chestnut street. Mr. John Cochran has associated with him Mr. Richard Satterthwait, with the view of conduct ing the wholesale notion business, at No. 12 North Fourth street, under the name and firm of John COCHRAN & Co. A copartnership has been formed between

with the view of conducting the wholesale straw-goods business, at No. 223 Market street. From a oard cleewhere, it will be seen that these gentlemen have secured the services of Mr. Thomas F Franky, in conducting the business of their new interprise. Mr. Fraley's experience during his Rogers & Fraley, and his extensive acquaintance with the trade throughout the West and South will alone influence a liberal patronage for the house with which he is now identified.

Mr. J. D. Hoover (late U. S. Marshal for the District of Columbia) has associated himself with Mr. Walter D. Davidge, counsellor-at-law, for the purpose of attending to business before the United States Supreme and Circuit Courts, the Court of Claims, and the Executive departments. Style of address-Davidge & Hooven, Louisians avenue, Washington city. Messrs. George C. Evans and William S. Hassall (late of the firm of William H. Horstmann &

Sons) have associated themselves as importers and No. 54 South Fourth street, under the name and ture events gave it political importance; a remarkable instance of the latter is given in by mutual consent, the entire interest of the firm the life of Madame DuBanny, the abandoned having been purchased by Mr. John F. Griel; and wholesale notion business, at the same location der the style of GRIEL, ETTLA, & Co., composed

> B. Thomas, and Jacob Griel, Jr. The Revolution in Mexico. The New York Tribuns of yesterday gives the

by the steamer Philadelphia, arriving at that

def this sign is generally endowed with a roust constitution and great aptitude for science. Music will be his ruling passion. The woman born under the sign of this month (January) will be endowed with all the qualities of a good mother: she will, be as beautiful as she is virtuous."

The predictions as to the weather are as minute, and probably as accurate as those of the famous Murphy, who, a few years ago, realized a large sum of money in England by his pretended science; while those as to political events are delightfully vague, as, for instance: "This year the world will hear of great buttles by land and sea; a great victory will be gained 'by some one.' An illustrious birth will take place, and there will be a change in the administration of the affairs of a cortain great State; a great conspiracy will be discovered." Amid these great events, we meet with something more definite, some-

WEAVER, FITLER & CO.,

Weaver the control of the substitution of t SHEARING THE FEMALES .- A Spaniard ha

From Minnesota. cé of The Press.]

Mankato, Minnesota, January 6, 1859. Probably no greater inducements have ever been presented to the emigrant, in the history of this Western country than the present; and as the season is approaching when some of those of the East will be looking westward for their future homes, it may not be inappropriate to recall to their minds some facts in connection with these

possible matter, and, in this manner, sovere truths respecting the Government were circulated. The object of the consorship was to a regulate? all this. The work contains many amusing notices of Almanacs current in France, some of which we will recur to on a future occasion.

Additional Copartnerships and Dissolutional Copartnerships and Dissolutions.

Since noticing in a former number the several changes that have recently taken place among our business firms, the following ones have been announced:

The partnership heretofore existing between Messrs. Charles J. Price and Eugene M. Provest, and the first business of the first business of the solved by limitation, the business of the late firm to be settled by Mr. Price, who will continue the business as heretofore, at the old stand, No. 33
South Sixth street.

A new firm, under the style of Mount, Hall, & Co., has been formed for the purpose of transacting the domestic dry-goods commission business, at Nos. 49 and 51 Park place, New York, the members of which are Mesers. Andrew Mount, Peleg Hall, John W. Dunnell, and William Hall. The style of the firm of the house of Rosenments & Brooks has been changed to Rosenment were circumary and many and make a religious to their minds some facts in open connection with these great Minnesotta and Blue Earth valleys. No county in the State has a wider and better reputation than Blue Earth valleys. No county in the State has a wider and better reputation than Blue Earth valleys. No county in the State has a wider and better reputation than Blue Earth; and very justly, too, for all that combines and lakes, and adapted in a pre-eminent degree to the grazing of cattle. General Matthews, of this vicinity, is well watered by running streams and lakes, and adapted in a pre-eminent degree to the grazing of cattle. General Matthews, of this vicinity, slaughtered a beef about Christmas, the gross weight of which was over three thousand pounds. The soil is rich, and requiring but little labor commission that combine the business of and barley must also be noticed as forming a valuable addition to the list of our staples. Wheat, as yet, has been raised to.no great extent, but sufficient, however, to warrant us in the belief that the winter wheat will be cultivated when facilities are afforded for manufacturing it into flour. At present there are but two or three grist mills in the county, and but very few in the southern ipart of the State; and although we have plenty of sawing and planing mills, yet our town is deficient as to the others. A large first-class steam mill of that kind would pay hand-somely, and prove a very safe investment. The flour for the supply of the Winnebago and Sioux Indians might just as well as not be manufactured here, as for the Government to purchase it in Iowa and Wisconsin, providing such an establishment were in running order. I have seen, in the spring of the year, as many as twelve hundred barrels of flour landed in one day atour levee for the Winnebago Indians

The question may arise in the minds of your readers, "What can these beautifully situated and, rich lands be bought for?" I will answer, from two to ten dollars an acre, depending on the amount and character of improvements, as also on the distances they may be situated from the different terms

I have heard of a prairle farm centaining one hundred and sixty acres, with twenty-five acres broken, and forty fenced, and located Mr. George S. Adler has associated with himself his son, John L. Adler, for the purpose of carrying

ent terms I have theard of a prairie farm, containing one hundred and sixty acres, with twenty-five acres broken, and forty fonced, and located about six miles from town, and within half a mile of timber, offered at seven hundred dollars cash. Farms with but few or no improvements have been sold as low as four hundred. Another important consideration is the establishment of schools, academics, and meeting-houses in the settlements and towns surrounding. For the past year we have made considerable of an accession to our population; the many inducements which are held out to the farmer, as well as the tradesman and mechanic, have influenced many in casting their lot

chanic, have influenced many in casting their lot in our midst.

In a former communication T mentioned the presence of a band of Sloux Indians in the neigh-borhood of Belmont, on the Des Meines. Since that time, the Governor of Iowa ordered a com-pany of volunteers to be stationed near Fpirit Lake; and it was the intention of Governor Sibley, I think also to sand a company. The arms of the company of the c Lake; and it was the intention of Governor Sibley, I think, also to send a company. The excitement, I am informed by those living there, has subalded, and no further fears are entertained.

Considerable speculation prevails at present in the fur trade, and numerous agents from the East are here purchasing all they can obtain. The otter and mink are remarkably fine this winter, and command a good cash price. The trappers and hunters are busily employed, and no doubt will realize handsomely for this winter's work.

Yours, &c.,

P.

Murder in New York-One Man Shot Dead, and another Fatally Wounded. [From the New York Times of yesterday.] A deliberate and unprovoked murder was committed, in the Sixth ward, at an early hour yesterday morning. The victim was Richard Owens, a master stevedore of worth and respectability, who did business in this city, and resided in Brooklyn Those charged with the murder are three young men, John Cliass, an ex-constable of the Sixth ward, James Higgins, a noted and desperate rowey, residing in the same preciset, and inc third, a person who is still at large, but who is reported to be well known to the police. Owens was passing through Rim street when he was assailed, shot through the heart and instantly killed. A noment previous two shots were fired through the door of No. 21 Elm street, both balls taking effect upon the person of Wilhelm Decker, the proprietor, and producing supposed fatal injuries.

At aboute 12; o'clock, as alleged, John Glass.

When the two pistol-shots were fired at the door, Mr. Owens was passing through Elm street on the other side, on his way home. Hearing the shricks of Mr. Decker for assistance, he crossed the street to see what was the matter. He was instantly attacked by the rowdies, and as he showed resistance one of them fired on him. The ball pleroed the heart of Owens, and he fell dead to the parement. The mitrderers immediately fied. An alarm was given to the police, and Captain Dowling at once despatched soveral officers in quest of the murderers. The body of the murdered man was in the meantime removed to the hospital, and a physician succeeded in extracting one of the balls from the person of Mr. Decker, and he was then removed to the horpital, when the other ball was extracted by Dr. Quincey, one of the house surgeons. When the two pistol-shots were fired at the cons. Glass and Higgins were subsequently arrested.

Both pretended ignorance of the whole affair, but they were fully identified as the perpetrators of Terrifo Liand Slide.—The Hannibal (Mo.)

Messenger states that a great land-slide took place a few days ago at Lover's Leap, near that city. From the top of the bluff, for some 400 yards the entire mass of earth has slidden some 40 or 50 feet, carrying in its wake trees, stumps, and everything, in fact, that offered any impediment to its wild carcer. It must indeed have been a grand sight to witness this awful avalanche of upwards of 100,000 square yards, whirling down the steep descent with the speed of a hutricane, and a rumbling almost equal to that of thunder. From ten to twelve dirt cars were smashed to pieces, and many of their axles flour inches in diameter, and of solid iron) were snapped like so many reeds; others were bent completely double, and the bodies of the cars scattered hither and yon.

RATHER A SELL.—A box marked "dried" TERRIFIC LAND SLIDE .- The Hannibal (Mo.)

RATHER A SELL .- A box marked "dried RATHER A SELL.—A box marked "dried apples," which arrived on Saturday morning last at the Hudson River Railroad depot, New York, excited suspicion, from its undue weight, and, on examination, was found to contain a human body encased in a metallic cosin. The coroner was notified, and the supposition was that a borrid revelation of some mysterious murder was about to be made. The body proved to be a grandchild of Mr. Zadock Pratt, who died at his residence at Prattsville, and whose remains he was conveying to New Haven, Conn., for interment. The box was marked in this peculiar manner that there might be no delay in forwarding it.

A TROUBLESOME CUSTOMER.—There is a tilamore coplous extracts from the interesting document.

THE GIRARD RENT-ROLL.—The 'Font-roll of
the Girard real estate in this c'ty amounts yearly to
5155 117. The farms outside the built up bounds of the
city, and belonging to the estate, yield a revenue of
\$0,062,50 per annum. There is a fine row of houses on
the north side of Brown street, and extending from
Fifth to Sixth, which are not yet completed. They
will sed materially to the income of the extate. The
coal lands belonging to the estate, in Schuylkill and
Columbia counties, are valued at \$1,354.000. The re-

delay in forwarding it.

A TROUBLESOME CUSTOMER.—There is a filania at the poor-house in Berrien county, Michigan, who causes considerable trouble to the tenant on the poor-farm. He will tear up his clothes and bedding. Sometimes he will go without eating for near a week, and then eat with the most extravagant appetite. He is about eighteen years of age. One day Mr. Murphy shut him up in the barn, after his eating a hearty breakfast. Not long after, on opening the barn, he was found sitting on a pole which was across the beams, eating a raw old how which he had cau-ht. He had stripped off the hide and feathers, and devoured the meat, bones and all, with a most ravenous appetite.

PANIC IN A CHURCH.—In a Methodist church bones and all, with a most ravenous appetite.

PANICINA CHURCH.—In a Methodist church at Marion, Smythe, county, Virginia, a negro woman brought a hot brick wrapped in a piece of carpet to warm her feet, and the carpet took fire. The smoke caused a general rush for the outside of the church. Whilst many made their exit at the regular outlet of the church, many others, particularly the ladies, forgetting their now-a days dimensions, despatched themselves, with pressing RAISING DEER .- Some of the farmers in northern Ohio and on the borders of Indiana have commenced the breeding and raising of deer the same as they do sheep, and they bring them to market in the same manner; hence the abundance of arrison.

BY TELEGRAPH.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE

[Reported by Carr & Jehnson, Telegraphic News Beporers for the Press throughout the United States]

of Tenth.

Mr. NELL of Philadelphia, presented a bill for the
modification of the first section of the act widening
blatham street, in Philadelphia.

Mr. Harding, of Philadelphia, read a bill in place,
invocing Alexander McMinght Styer from his wife.

Also, an act incorporating the Bread-street Passenger
Railwaws.

Explosion of Powder Works-Loss of

The Steamship North American.

PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—The steamship North America ft on Sunday for Portsmouth for repairs.

THE CITY.

AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING

MES. D. P. BOWES WALKULSTREET THEATRE -WOMMA'S Heart" - (The Drunkerl)" WHEATLET & CLASTE'S ARGE-STREET THEATRE-The Claudestine Marriago" - (Toodles.")

BARFORD'S OFFICE House,—Ethiopian Entertain

THE FIRE MARSHAL'S REPORT .- Fire P

Assembly Buildings.—Signor Blits.

and takes his departure, not claiming to exe

others."

Mr. Blackburn has devoted considerable space to the
discussion of the theory of spontaneous combustion,
and many useful hints are given upon the subject. He
is of opinion that fires occur from this cause, not only in
stores and manufactories, but also in the lofts of dwelllear where withink is consently stored.

NEW COMPANY.—We were one of the forth

HARRISBURG, Jan. 17, 1859.

written upon.

We shall be greatly obliged to gentlemen in Pennsylvania and other States for contributions giving the purrent news of the day in their particular localities, the resources of the surrounding country, the increase TWO CENTS. ing to the general reader.

f population, or any information that will be interest-THE ALLEGED CONSPIRACY CASE. -- Our aders will doubtless remember a case which wis up fore Récorder Eseu on Thursday last, on which occa-no John B. Pemberton was charged with having pur-aced a large quantity of goods during the mouths of ptember to October, and November last, from several ms in this

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

name of the writer. In order to insure correctness in the typography, but one side of the sheet should be

SENATE.

The Senate met at eleven o clock this morning.

Everal petitions for passenger railroads in the city of billodelphia were presented.

Mr. Parken, of Philadelphia, read a bill supplementable the autentablishing an asylum for the insance. hir Sandani of al. 11 30, at a Groot of eight months. Hr. Farnham had been led to trust him to this large sum on account of the punctuality he had always manifested in paying his debts, having had dealings with him on several previous occasions. Fifty-seven dollars of the above amount is all that has matured on the note: Mr. William H Dobson sold him goods in October last to the amount of \$1175; Messrs. Canvin, Neville, & Hughes, \$270; Francis Lascher, & Co. 117 34; Mr Pearce to the amount of \$412.07; Abraham B. Gollies, \$277 43; Abraham Dryfoos, to the amount of \$117.34; and S. H. MeFadden, \$181 95.

These purchases, with those we mentioned last week, will probably make a sum equal to \$3,000 or \$4 000. As most of the goods were purchased on a credit of thirty days, several, of the gantlemen vinted his store in November last; and were surprised to find it comparatively empty, and defendant was nowhere to be were sold by the sheriff for about \$300 Mr. William Topping, anotioneer, stated that his place of business is No. 119 Broadway, New York; he had never seen defendant until yesterday, but was acquainted with a man named John H. Pemberton, who

Several other witnesses were examined, and testified SACRIEGE.—The Episcopal church at Rising San village, of which the Rev. T. J. Davis is pastor, was entered on Friday night and robbed of all the earpeting which covered the chancel. This is the third time that this church has been broken into and robbed.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

whether the State Superintent in that the power to re-move a county superintendent of common schools for the cause specified in the act of Assembly without first giving the county superintendent notice of the fact THE FIRE MARSHAL'S KEPORT.—Fire Petective Blackburn has kindly furnished us with a copy of his annual report, which he has just made to Mayor Herry. The report is a well-written document and enters into the subject of fires very fully, and offers many useful suggestions. Mr. Blackburn strongly recommends the abolition of all frame buildings, as they are otten the means of preading fires. In regard to a very fruitful source of fires, the Marshal says:

"When the walls of an edifice are finished, and the structure endored, the building inspector. If satisfied that the work has been done conformably to law, gives his certificate accordingly to the owner or contractor, and takes his denarture, not claiming to exercise any the cause specified in the act of Assembly without first giving the county superintendent notice of the fact and a hearing of the charge preferred against him. In the course of the argument, Judge Woodward expressed the opinion that the State Superintendent, should have set forth in what the incompetency consisted. Yudge Knox, who represented the plaintiff in error, argued that the power of removal is in the State Superintendent, and it is for him to judge of the competency or incompetency of the county apperintendent. Mr Krewson asks for a mindamus to recture him to the office from which he was removed. Argued by John C. Knox, Attorsey Gwerst for the plaint if hirtor, and

sell, vs. Charles Hallowell and John Hallowell, coners, trading, do. An action to recover money du
to account for feed which was sold and delivered,
rial. Perkins for plaintiff, Thorn for defendant.
QUARTER SESHOMS—Judge Allison.—
lerday morning, Oharles Mansfield was charged wil
sasult and battery upon Mrs Sarah Dalley. From
pridence, it appears that Mrs. Dalley went to chur
the "Marinar's Belbell," at the nritheast corn
Penn and Shippen streets, on the 14th of Nore
sast, and, after seating herself, was insulted by
Thomas Mansfield. An altercation ensued, and Oh
Hansfield came up and threw her down stairs,

one of the passengers had the misfortune to lose his wife and two children. He remarked the next day, in the presence of his fellow-passengers, who, with himself, were saved from the wreck as if by miracle, for none of them could tell how, that in addition to the loss of his family, he had lost all his money, it having been tied up in a belt for security, and buckled around his wile's waist. During the day the waters subsided, and the passengers who remained in the neighborhood of the wreck, commenced a search for the dead bodies. The body of the lady alluded to was found about a mile below the wreck, and, upon examination, it was ascertained that her dress had been torn open and the money-belt robbed of its contents, some saven hundred dollars. Fresh tracks were discovered in the mud, leading off from the body, which the searching party traced up until they came upon one of their own number who had just met with so miraculous an escape from death, and who was presont when his fellow-passenger told the story of his loss. He was immediately taken in hand, searched, and the entire amount feund upon his porson. Our informant added that the wretch is now in Columbus jail, awaiting his trial for the dlabolical act."

an association for the following objects: 1. To assist to charged, provided the offence committed by him may not have been such as to have brought discredit on himself or associates. 2. To establish a sick and function on himself or associates. 2. To establish a sick and function on himself or associates. 2. To establish a sick and function of the discress of the coased members. 4 To aid members who, through action of sickness, may have become destitute. The object is a praiseworthy one, and worthy of all commendation.

A FAMILY QUARREL.—About midnight on Sunday evening a young colored individual named John Williams, residing in Rossville, Twenty-fourth ward, of will into an altercation with his mother and step-father, and badly cut both hands of the former. John was taken into custody, and the officer was obliged to use his 'billy' before he could be got to the station-house. Alderman Warren committed him to prison restricts of morning to answer the charge.

HONORS TO THE BRAVE.—The last funcral rites to the memory of the noble-hearted Philadolphinas who fell victims to the force at Norfolk and Portamorth in 1855, will take place at S. Stephen's Church, Tenth street, above Chestant, this more long, at sleven o'clock. At the close of the services the remains will be one of melancholy interest.

FIRE.—At a very early hour yosterday destroyed by fire, involving a loss of about fifty dollars, destroyed by fire, involving a loss of about fifty dollars, destroyed by fire, involving a loss of about fifty dollars, destroyed by fire, involving a loss of about fifty dollars, UNPARALLELED MEANNESS .- An individual

Auto, an act incorporating the arran-viewer assemble. Railway.

Mr. Hamerenew, of Philadelphia, presented a further supplement to the act to establish an asylum for the insane poor of the Commonwealth.

Mr. Harding a farther supplement to the act entitled "an act to incorporate the city of Philadelphia."

Mr. Abbort, of Philadelphia, an act for the registration of births and marriages and dealins in the city of Philadelphia that of Philadelphia and the philadelphia a Later from New Mexico.

FALL.—Yesterday morning a man fell from the new market-house, now erecting at Sixteenth and Market streets, and was seriously injured. THE COURTS.

[Reported for The Press]

NISI PRIUS—JUSTICO Thompson.—Michagi
J. Dohan vs. James Monroe and Irvin N. Megargee,
An action of ejectment. Verdict for the defendants.

SUPREME COURT—JUSTICES LOWIG, WOOdward, Strong, and Read —In the matter of the estate of
Robert Karp, deceased, upon Rarp's appeal, the court,
on motion of Ell K. Price, decreed that the five
hundred and six shares, heret force decreed to be distributed as incoming among the devisees in the stock of
the Lebigh Orane Iron Works, the net shares fully to
the division of George Earp, Jr., shall be applied by the
accountry to the payment of several mortgages and
pledges of his shares of the decedent's estate.

William A. Fiel'd vs. The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania ex relation Jonathan K. Krewoon. This case
oomes before the court on a writ of error, to the Common Pless of Pchuylkill county, and the question is,
was Jonathan K. Krewoon removed from the office of
county superintendent, by the State Superintendent,
legally Mr. Krewson was removed for alleged incompoincy and neglect of duty, and the State Superintendent,
legally mr. Krewson was removed without a
trial.

at another time.

A NEW ASSOCIATION.—The employees of the passenger railreads have formed themselves into an association for the following objects: 1. To satist each other in obtaining employment elsewhere, if diseaded the provided the offence committed by him may not have been such as to have breught discredit on himself or associates. 2. To establish a sick and funeral fund. 3. To assist the wildows and orphass of deceased members. 4. To aid members who, through actident or sickness, may have become destitute. The object is a praiseworthy one, and worthy of all commendation.