Bancroft on Prescott.

At a meeting of the New York Historical Society, on Tuesday, Luther Bradish in the chair President King of Columbia College, introduced a series of resolutions, relative to the death of Wm. H. Prescott, and paid an appropriate tribute to his memory.

Dr. Osgood appropriately seconded the resolutions, after which Mr. George Bancroft paid an eloquent tribute to the departed historian, comparing his death to that of a commander who falls in the hour of victory. He made the following allusion to Mr. Prescott's loss of eyesight:

"It has been said that the injury to his eyesight caused the devotedness to the career of letters. I hardly think so. From his earliest years, he was earnest in the study of all that was purest and noblest in the best in modern and ancient literature. The first time that I can recall having seen him was at Harvard College, as he pronounced a Latin ode that he had written to spring; and his polished lines, the grace and delicacy of which, at that early day, pointed out distinctly the course of life to which he was called. When the effects of an accident that affected his sight became aggravated by a severe illness, the inward light shone all the more refulgently in his well-prepared mind, and its chambers became bright with the clearer vision of the purposes which he was to fulfil. He disciplined himself for the execution of the great designs which he then conceived, with the largest comprehensiveness of industry. While he gathered books from all quarters, and ransacked the recesses of public archives, and private collections of manuscripts for materials, he drew still more closely his intercourse with the ancient classics, and with modern literature, not of France and England only, but of Spain and Italy. He made, moreover, a special study of the historic art, not merely by reading works of illustrious historians, but by the study and solitary meditation of what had been said best on the manner of writing history. His eyesight was impaired, not destroyed; so that all the works which he had printed, he was able, at some stages of their preparation, to read for two or three hours each day. He compensated the necessity of using so much the eyes of others by a wonderful development of his powers; he gained the faculty of attention in its highest perfection, and his memory took such fast hold of the knowledge that came to him through the ear, that it remained with him in exact and well-defined outlines, as if it had been written with a diamond pen on tablets of steel.

"His habits were methodically exact; retiring early and rising at the same hour, he rose early alike in winter and in summer at the appointed moment, rousing himself instantly, though in the soundest sleep, at the first note of his alarm bell; never giving indulgence to lassitude or delay. To the hours which he gave to his pursuits he adhered as scrupulously as possible, never lightly suffering them to be interfered with; now listening to his reader; now using his own eyes, sparingly, in reading; now writing by the aid of simple machinery devised for those who are in darkness; now passing time in thoughtfully revolving his great theme. For this reason, at the period of his life when he rode much on horseback—and he was an excellent and fearless rider—it was his choice and his habit to go out alone; and in his stated exercise on foot, you might be sure that, when by himself, his mind was shaping out work for the rest of the day."

Mr. Bancroft described the personal appearance of Mr. Prescott, as follows:

"His personal appearance itself, was singularly pleasing, and won for him everywhere, in advance a welcome and favor. His countenance had something that brought to mind the beautiful disdain that hovers on that of the Apollo. His voice was like music, and one could never hear enough of it. His cheerfulness reached and sustained all about him. He was full of playfulness, and could also speak earnestly and profoundly; but he knew not how to be ungracious or pedantic. In truth, the charms of his conversation were unequalled, he united the rich stores of memory with the ease of one who is familiar with the world."

The Pittsburg Calamity.

The Pittsburg papers bring us the particulars of the awful calamity near that city on Monday night, by which six persons were burned to death, (telegraphed to us a few days ago.) We condense from the *Dispatch* the following details:

"James Rogers was a carpenter by trade, and is said by those who knew him to have been an excellent mechanic. He came to this country from Ireland some twenty years ago. His wife, Bridget, was a native of the same country. The names of the children were as follows: Aged eleven; Edward Irvin, about nine; Bridget, aged seven; James, four, and an infant of about two years. They were all in the house on Monday night, and, with the exception of Edward, perished with their parents. Rogers had been incapacitated for working for some time by a sore foot, but at the time of the accident was well enough to permit his walking about. He was somewhat addicted to the habit of drinking freely, sending his children for whiskey in buckets full. His wife is also said to have been a woman of intemperate habits, drinking freely when she could obtain liquor. For some time back the family had been in the most indigent circumstances. Rogers did not even supply food to his children.

"On Monday evening, Rogers went to the house of a neighbor named Myers, and, being refused a drink of liquor, borrowed a bucket, which he managed to get filled at some store in the city, and brought back. He seems to have drank the most of it before going home, his wife getting him away with extreme difficulty.

"But little is known of what followed after his entering the house. From the statement of his little boy, it would seem that he lay down to sleep in one of the lower rooms without undressing, and in all probability, was himself the cause of the fire, while rolling in the stupor of intoxication. One of the neighbors, Mrs. Alexander, who resides within a few yards of the house, testified that she was awakened by screams proceeding from the house about eleven o'clock. She heard the girl Ellen scream, and Mrs. Rogers calling out, but paid no attention, as they were often quarreling. Soon after she heard the little boy calling out 'that they were all burning up.'

"She ran over immediately; the flames were then bursting through the kitchen windows; she saw the little boy near the fence, and at first supposed the family had escaped; fearing they had not, she soon after ran up to the door, and inquired if any one was there; there was no reply, not even a m-m. Mrs. Alexander supposes that had any one been there to force the door open, even then some one might have been saved; some persons came up, and she called for a ladder to put up to the window, but it was then too late, as the flames were bursting through.

"Charles McChesney assisted in taking out some of the bodies; that of Mr. Rogers was found in the north end of the house, as near possible from the fire place; from the position of the body, was satisfied that he was not lying in the lower story when the fire broke out, and did not think he had got out of bed.

"Andrew Elliott also assisted in taking out the bodies. He found the baby near the body of Mrs. Rogers, and thought it had been lying in her arms; knew Rogers for about eighteen years; since he had got to drinking he had become worthless; the family were in poor circumstances, the neighbors frequently furnishing them with food; although delicate looking, Rogers was a man of strong constitution.

"The remains, when exhumed from the ruins in the morning, presented a shocking spectacle. Three of Rogers were the most perfect, and of his body nothing but the trunk and back of the skull remained. The body of Mrs. Rogers was still more consumed. Of the children but a few charred bones were left. The fragments were gathered up as well as possible, collined up, and placed in charge of the proper persons to inter them.

"The jury, after hearing the testimony, proceeded to the ruins, and examined the remains. They then withdrew and agreed upon the following verdict:

"That the deceased came to their death, by being consumed in their dwelling in Reserve township, on the night of the 31st of January, the cause of the fire being to the jury unknown."

The Louisiana Senatorial Election.

(From the Washington States, February 1.)

The Senatorial election just effected by the Louisiana Legislature was one of the most exciting that have ever taken place. The election was for a successor to Mr. Benjamin, whose term expires on the 4th of March, 1859. That gentleman was a candidate for re-election, but he had a strong and determined opposition, headed by Pierre Soulé which nearly divided the votes of the Democratic party. There was a third party in the field to contest the honors. The old democrats finally called in to settle the differences and select a candidate binding the party, but after two days of earnest effort, found its labors ineffectual. Each faction steadily and doggedly adhered to its candidate, and as no one quite commanded a majority, of course no choice could be effected. But the Constitution of the State required the Legislature to proceed to the election on the 24th inst., and the important duty could not be deferred to enable the caucus to agree. Over fifty ballots had been taken, and still no election. At length the struggle came to an end, and Mr. Benjamin was finally elected by a majority of only *two votes*. His chief opponent, Mr. Slidell, at one time, came within *one vote* of getting the nomination, so that Mr. Benjamin succeeded only after a desperate and doubtful battle.

The correspondent of the *Picayune*, writing from Baton Rouge on the 24th, thus describes the finale of the struggle:

"The last ballot taken this afternoon created very great excitement, which is even now raging. There were seventy members in caucus, and Mr. Sandidge received thirty-five votes. One vote more would have elected his nomination. Upon the announcement of the result, cries were made by the friends of Mr. Gray, 'let us go,' 'adjourn,' &c. The caucus then took a recess until six o'clock this evening. In the meantime the utmost excitement existed, and the friends of Mr. Gray everywhere complained that the conferences which had been held between the Benjamin and Sandidge supporters evinced a disposition to ignore Mr. Gray's claims, and by excluding his (Gray's) friends from those conferences, to defeat him at any hazard, and they therefore proclaimed their determination not to go back into caucus. The long and weary night, which had grown monotonous and odious, thus assumed a new aspect, and suddenly wore a lively and dashing appearance. At six o'clock the caucus reassembled, and it was found that but two of Mr. Gray's friends were present. A very exciting scene then occurred in the House.

"The hour of adjournment having passed, Mr. Pierce, of East Baton Rouge, took the chair, and called the House to order. The clerk refused to call the roll, unless by the order of the Speaker, and, in the midst of a debate as to the proper course to be pursued, it was announced that the caucus had nominated Mr. Benjamin, and Speaker Pugh entering, he had took his seat, and the business was entered upon regularly. During the little episode above alluded to, the hall and lobby were densely crowded, and everybody present seemed excited beyond fever heat. Anxious outsiders ran to and fro as though they thought some great outbreak of the people was at hand, and visions of the overthrow of the Republic seemed to flit before the eyes of timid gentlemen.

"At eight o'clock the Senate entered the hall of the House of Representatives. Mr. Phillips nominated Mr. Benjamin; Mr. Deffeese nominated Mr. Gray; and the vote stood as follows: Benjamin 57, Gray 50, Randall Hunt 5.

"Thus ended the most exciting contest for Senator ever held in Louisiana.

FOUND AT LAST.—We are informed that the workmen engaged in digging for the body of young Phelps, who was buried in a well at Derby some ten days ago, reached the body yesterday morning. It was found in an erect position, with both hands raised and grasping the rope from the windlass, while one foot was raised as if in the act of climbing. He was densely covered with the sand, in which he must have suffocated at once.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

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KRIS KRINGLE HEADQUARTERS.—We have just received our French Confectionery, and are manufacturing a superior article of Marsh Mellow Gum Drops, Bon Bons, Cream Dates, &c. Call and supply yourselves with the best Confectionery in this city, at JEFFRIES & EVANS', no16-3m No. 718 MARKET St., bet. 7th and 8th.

Piano Fortes.

CHICKERING & SONS, MANUFACTURERS OF GRAND, SQUARE, AND UPRIGHT PIANO-FORTES.

WAREROOMS 1307 CHESTNUT STREET.

Constantly in store a large stock of our BEAUTIFUL and UNEQUALLED INSTRUMENTS. We have been awarded, at the different Exhibition in this country and Europe, 38 GOLD AND SILVER FIRST-CLASS MEDALS. ja26-1y

PIANO-FORTES CORRECTLY TUNED by C. E. SARGENT. Satisfaction warranted. Orders left at No. 804 CHESTNUT Street. Terms, $1. Twelve years' factory experience. ja4-2m*

PIANO FORTES.

Just received, an elegant stock of RAVEN, BACON & CO., NUNNS & CLARK, HALLET, DAVIS & CO., and GALE & CO.'S PIANOS. MELODEONS of best quality, at J. R. GOULDING,
S. E. corner SEVENTH and CHESTNUT sts. mh19-y

LOOKING GLASSES.

JAMES S. EARLE & SON,
816 CHESTNUT STREET,
Opposite the Girard House,
IMPORTERS
AND
MANUFACTURERS
OF
LOOKING GLASSES,
PORTRAIT AND PICTURE FRAMES,
OIL PAINTINGS,
AND
ENGRAVINGS.
EARLE'S GALLERIES
constantly open
FREE. ja18

SEGARS.—500,000 Havana Segars, choice brands, by late arrivals, in bond and store, for sale by A. MERINO, 140 South FRONT Street. d20

Sales by Auction.

FURNESS, BRINLEY, & CO., No. 429 MARKET STREET.

FIRST SPRING SALE OF FANCY AND STAPLE IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS.

On Tuesday Morning,

Feb. 8th, at 10 o'clock, by catalogue, on 6 months' credit—

600 packages and lots of fancy and staple imported and domestic dry goods.

☞ Samples and catalogues early on the morning of sale.

NEW STYLE EMBROIDERIES—JUST LANDED FROM STEAMER JURA.

On Tuesday Morning,

100 lots new style embroidered collars, sleeves, and chemisets.

BRILLIANTS AND BROWN LINEN DUCKS, ON ACCOUNT OF UNDERWRITERS, FOR CASH.

On Tuesday Morning,

At 10 o'clock—
2 cases 4-4 London white brilliants.
1 case 5-4 do do do.
3 cases brown linen ducks.
1 case white Marcelles for basques.

VELVETS, PRINTED CHALLISES, SPANISH LINENS, BRILLIANTS, &c., TO BE SOLD FOR CASH, ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, BEING SLIGHTLY DAMAGED ON THE VOYAGE OF IMPORTATION.

On Tuesday Morning,

Feb. 8th, at 10 o'clock, for cash—
London black tabby velvets.
London rich printed challies.
Spanish linens.
London white brilliants.

WILLIS HUBBARD & CO., AUCTIONEERS, No. 232 MARKET STREET, BETWEEN SECOND AND THIRD STREETS.

SALE OF FANCY AND STAPLE GOODS.

This Morning,

At 10 o'clock precisely, will be sold a general assortment of fancy and staple goods, comprising gents' lambswool and merino shirts and drawers, 4-4 Irish linens, velvet vestings, hosiery, mitts, &c

EMBROIDERIES.

Also, embroidered jaconet and cambric collars and sleeves, bands, &c.

TAILORING GOODS.

Also, — ends 6-4 fine French black cloths, fancy cassimeres, satinets, black Italian sewing silks, buttons, &c.

NOTIONS.

Also, a general variety of notions, suitable for city and country trade.

B. SCOTT, Jr., AUCTIONEER, No. 431 CHESTNUT STREET, opposite the Custom House, between FOURTH and FIFTH Streets.

PHILIP FORD, AUCTIONEER, No. 230 MARKET STREET, between FIFTH and SIXTH, south side.

☞ We have now arranged for examination, with catalogues, about 800 cases men's, boys' and youths' boots, shoes, and brogans; also, a large assortment of ladies' and misses' city-made shoes and gaiters, comprising a large assortment of fresh goods, suitable for spring sales

J. M. GUMMEY & SONS, REAL ESTATE AUCTIONEERS, No. 520 WALNUT STREET.

Orphans' Court Sale—Estate of George Hergesheimer, deceased.

On Thursday Afternoon,

February 24th, 1859, at 3 o'clock, will be sold, at public auction on the premises—

THE VALUABLE PROPERTY AND BUSINESS LOCATION, situate on the eastern side of Main street, opposite Chelten avenue, (Germantown; lot 47 feet front by 155 feet deep, on which is erected a double three story stone house, with brick front. Within one minute's walk of the depot.

☞ Sale peremptory.

CARD.—J. M. Gummey & Sons, auctioneers, will hold regular sales of Real Estate, Stocks, &c. Also, household furniture at dwellings.

REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

☞ On our Private Sale Register will always be found a supply of large amount of real estate, including every description of city and country property.

J. M. GUMMEY & SONS,
Real Estate Brokers,
520 WALNUT Street, below Sixth.

MOSES NATHANS, AUCTIONEER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, S. E. corner SIXTH and RACE Streets.

GREAT PUBLIC ACCOMMODATION.

MONEY, MONEY, MONEY!

Money liberally advanced in large or small amounts, from one dollar to thousands, on gold and silver plate, diamonds, watches, jewelry, fowling-pieces, musical instruments, furniture, dry goods, clothing, groceries, cigars, hardware, cutlery, books, stationery, fancy goods, and all articles of value, for any length of time agreed on, at *Nathans' Principal Establishment*, southeast corner of Sixth and Race streets.

PROGRESS, with collateral, discounted at the lowest market rates.

GREAT BARGAINS IN WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c., AT PRIVATE SALE, at NATHANS' PRINCIPAL ESTABLISHMENT, southeast corner of SIXTH and RACE Streets.—*The following articles will be sold for less than half the usual store prices:* Fine gold English patent full jeweled and plain, of the most approved and best finish, hunting cases and open faces, 4-4 Irish linens, velvet vestings, hosiery, mitts, &c

EMBROIDERIES.

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Legal Notices.

JOUEN vs. JOUEN, C. C. P., S. T. 1858, 17, Divorce.—The Respondent will please notice Rule to show cause why Divorce a vincolo matrimonii should not be decreed returnable on SATURDAY, February 12, 1859, at 10 A. M.

M. J. MITCHESON, Attorney pro libellant.
To CLARA B. JOUEN, Respondent. fe2-w4t4t

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT.

FREDERICK HORSTMAN, Treasurer of the LAFAYETTE BUILDING FUND ASSOCIATION vs. FELIX DONNELLY

January Term, 1858. Third Plu. Lev. Fa. No. 116.

The Auditor appointed to distribute the fund in Court raised by the Sheriff's Sale under the above writ, of all that certain lot or piece of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate on the north side of CEDAR Street, beginning at the distance of two hundred and thirty feet eastward from the east side of Schuylkill Fourth street, thence extending north parallel with the said Schuylkill Fourth Street eighty feet, thence eastward by the easternmost moiety of the bed of a certain four feet wide alley, two feet, thence north six feet, thence eastward by another four feet wide alley fourteen feet, thence southward parallel with said Schuylkill Fourth Street eighty-six feet, to said Cedar Street, thence by said Cedar street westward sixteen feet to the place of beginning," will attend to the duties of his appointment on MONDAY, the 7th day of February, 1859, at four o'clock P. M., at his Office, No. 625 WALNUT Street, in the city of Philadelphia, at which time and place all parties interested are required to make their claims before said Auditor, or be debarred from coming in upon said fund. JOEL JONES,
ja28-d10t Auditor.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Sur Account of the Pennsylvania Company for Insurances on Lives, and granting Annuities, Trustees in account with the Estate of ALLEN ARMSTRONG, deceased.

The auditor appointed to audit, settle, and adjust the said account, and to report distribution of the balance, will meet the parties interested at his office, No. 703 SANSOM Street, in the city of Philadelphia, on MONDAY, February 14th, 1859, at 4 o'clock P. M.

fe2-wfm-5t* J. COOKE LONGSTRETH, Auditor.

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

REBECCA J. BROWN, by her next friend, WM. J. BAKER, vs. WILLIAM T. BROWN.

In Divorce. June Term,