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THE WBEKLY PEBSS, "Batnrday the Irtis is now out. The contents of thi Basides is of a varied character. Basides its usual as ations, it contains the LATEST RORBION NEWS

Results of Art and Science. Sir DAVID BREWSTER, the eminent Scotch ondence of The Press.] an, whose successful researches into natural WASHINGTON, Deb. 14. thani, whoso successful researches into natural science have covered his name with universal innor, was lately inducted into the office of Principal of the University of Edifiburgh, to which he had been unaninguisly elected. On that occasion, he addressed the professora-graduates, and matriculated students of the University, as well as large crowd of other University, as well as clarge crowd of other the intervention of the students of the University, as well as clarge crowd of other the trace and matriculated students of the University, as well as clarge crowd of other the trace and matriculated students of the University, as well as clarge crowd of other the trace and matriculated students of the University, as well as large crowd of other the student of t University, as well as a large count of one in a box whet is given by and by not dwellers in the Scottish metropolis. What is it when there is any object to be gained by not he said, upon the indebtedness of mankind to yielding it. The House and the galleries were in a broad grin the Arts and Sciences, is so true that we take

Letter from Washington.

oli, at the end of each act; and, at the close, in the United States Genate by such men as Chan-imodio, who never sang "Vi Revviso" with more cellor Bibb, Henry Clay, Charlos Morchead, and John J. Crittenden, gave great satisfaction to his fect, made up the trio of performers thus honored. effect, made up the trio of performers thus honored. Brignoll, also, was in fine voice, and sang with ight is hest song was, the solo in the last act ight is hest song was, the solo in the last act ight is perché non posso." which was anthusiasti-cally applauded. The opera conventionality which allows a singer to came to the footilghts, in defance of the, tree solon of the footilghts, in defance is solo is solon of the footilghts, in defance of the, tree solon of the footilghts, in defance is solor. The opera conventionality which of the, tree solon of the footilghts, in defance breaking her heart because Elvino, suspecting her honor, deelined, having any more to say to her, and had just forced from ber finger the betrothal-

that the Receive a chive real is a single start of the single start with the start of the Start hat here and approve this tork, and says that he has real it carefully, and of course he approves these obnoxious sontiments. THE LATEST NEWS BY TELLGRAPH.

XXXVITH CONGRESS,-FIRST SESSION U. S. CAPITOL, WABBINGTON, Dec. 14, 1859. SENATE.

Mr. MASON'S (of Virginia) resolution for the ap pointment of a special committee of investigation on the Harper's Perry invasion came up. Mr. WADS, of Ohlo, said that at first it was no

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-----Assautr avo Barrasy morning or the charge bad a hearing, yesteriny morning or the charge of committing a brutal assault and battery on an officer of the Sixth ward. The aldernas held him to answer in the sam of \$300 ball.

The military surveillance at Charlestown, Va., Is now almost as complete as it was at the time of the execution of Brown, and, will no doubt be quite as much so by Fridsy, the day of the execut as much so by Friday, the day of the exaction. There are at the present time on duty some eigh-teen companies from different sections of the State, and the number. of men may, be recorded at not less than nine hundred. Large reinforcements, it is announced, will arrive, so the force by the day of execution will amount to traity hundred. Mr. John Mashin, workers of the editor of the Berkeley (Va.) American, and formerly co-editor, of the Cumberland Civilian, died at Moorefield on the 5th Instant. He was accidentally shore of the officient of the traiter of the section o

and Miss Hughes, arrived. Mrs. Signon is a sig-ter of Cook, and Miss Hughes a cousin. They also visited the prisoner, presenting a soene of grie-and auguish esarcely to be described. They al promised to see him again, but, through the advice of Gor. Willard, each wrote film a few farowel lines, and all the ladies have left for their homes the male relatives designing to remain with him to

iltes, and all the ladies have left for their homes, the male relative designing to remain with blm to the last. Arrangements have been made to have the body of Cook taken to New York for interment. Some of Coppie's relatives are expected to arrive here to-day. His body will be sent to his mother at Spring Dale, Iowa. The bodies of Green and Copeland, it is thought, will not be claimed, and will be decently interred near the gullows. The prisoners this morning were cheerful, and making religious preparations for death. han manufactured elsewhere. The same aid of the woollen goods now manufacture

for death. Cook was much cast down after parting with his sister, but is now calm and collected, awaiting his down

From Washington

CONTRIMATIONS BY THE SENATZ. CONTRIMATIONS BY THE SENATZ. WASHINGTON DEC. 14.-In resecutive system its Benate confirmed the nonination of John, Hart, as Superintendent of Public Frinting: Ammes J. Parker, a Attorney forthe Southern district of the Siste of New York, in place of Mr. #edwick, deceased. The other nominations before the Senate were not de-failed and abatic, is Democratic Concretesman from the Mohine district, is all peterste at home from the effects of his record severe stick.

Important from Mexico.

THE AMERICAN TABATY HATFIED. NEW OBLERNS, Dec. 14.—Beliable information ru-wirad form Vera Cruz, dated the JOth Inst.. states the Finited Elates seman Erockin was expected to as hortly for New Offenns, with the American treaty re-field by the Judget Government.

Destructive Fire at Seneca Falls. BRNECA FALLS, N. Y., Dec. 14.-Mechanics Hall and welve buildings were burned this morning. Loss \$50,-09-mostly insured.

Non-Arrival of the America, BACKWILLE, H. B., Dec. 14-8 P. M.-The steamsh merica had not arrived at Halifax this evening. He ates from Laverpool will be to Saturday, the 3d inst. Non-Arrival of the Nova Scotian.

PORTLAND, Dec. 14. The expected stramship Nov ontian has not jet been signalled below. A snov torm prevaris, and there is httle chance of her arrive night. Arrival of the Circassian at St. Johns,

ST. Jourss. N. F., Dec. 14.-The steamer Circussian, which left New York last week for Liverpool, arrived re last night. The New York Central Railroad.

ALBANY, Dec. 11.—The old Board of Directors of the New York Contral Bailroad have been unanimously re-

Sailing of the Europa. Baston, Rec. 14.—The steamship Europa sails toon for faverpaal via Habfax. She takes out no sp

Markets by Telegraph. BALTINORR, Decomber 14. -Flour deciming, rd \$25 Wheat firm; 10,000 hushels sold at atos. Corn buoyant; while, 706720; yellow, 7 dess Pork steade, at \$16; Prime, \$10.50; baoo. Whiskey form at 27.0 White form at 200 White form at 200 White form at 200 metric and a state of three days 1,000 bales at 10% metric for unif lines. Bales of three days 1,000 bales; really for unif lines. Bales of three days 1,000 bales; pool 17.5278-1864. Exchance on New York Seek, per control of the state of the state of the state of the Dool of the state of the state of the state of the pool of the state of the state of the state of the pool of the state of the state of the state of the pool of the state of the state of the state of the Dool of the state of the state of the state of the dency; sales of 3,600 bales.

ORATION OF HON. JOUN M READ .- The appual oration before the Alumni of the Law Department of the University of Pennsylvania will be delivered at the hall of the University, Ninth street, below Market, this evening, by the Hon. John M. Read, of this city.

13 At Dan Rice's Great Show several new fcatures will be produced this evening, among which aro a new equestrian ballet called the "Flitch of E. G. WebCOSKEPONDING STREETARIES. Bacon," and a vory laughable extravaganza en-titled the "Sentinel and Bear," in which a per-titled the aveil in iter level.

a iresnet, nowever, a low years alter its erfection; whereupon William Penn wrote a letter to the good people of Germantown, to aid in rebuilding it, but the enterprise failed on account of an insufficiency of funds. "The first 'jamb stores' seen in the United States were cash in Germantown, by Christopher

States were casi in Germatiown, by Ohristopher Sower. About fifty years ago, these stoves were very extensively used. "Lineaus, of an excellent quality, were manufac-tured by the sarly sattlers. Weaving was also carried on to a great extent, until some forty years ago, and Germanform housery was in constant de-mand, being considered of much better quality than manufactured elsowhere. The same may be

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said of the woolien goods now manufactured there "As is well known, on the morning of the fourth day of Oktober, 1777, one of the hardest contosted battles of the Revolution was fought at German-twn. The building, familiarly known as the 'Chew Mansion,' which was occupied by the British during the straggle, is still standing, and has not been materially altered since that memo-rable occasion. 

has not been materially altered since that memo-rable occasion. "General Washington also resided there for everal months, while President of the United States, and during the prevalence of the yellow terer in Philsielphia. People were living only a fow years ago who distinctly remembered him. He resided in the house directly facing Mill street, and opposite Market Square, which has in no ma-terist respect been altered in appearance from what it was at that time. "William Penn spent much of his time in Ger-manican while in the colonies. He preached to ihe assembled people in Market Square from a bal-oony in front of the large house staading on the northwest corner of the equare. The balcony was removel only some twelve years ago." TROUBLE IN THE WIGWAM-The Krysfore 92 713 617 1.311.692 7.371 068 1.636 977 Last week...... 2.068,373 1,80 136 6.975 411 1.566.917 
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bony in Route tub large nouse scatting on the northwest corner of the equare. The blackony mas removed only same twelve years ago." TROUBLE IN THE WIGWAM—The Krystone in Danger—An adjourned stated meeting of the Krystone Democratic Club was held on Monday evening, at the Wetherill House. The published object of the meeting was the election of officers for the ensuing term. An adjourned meeting of the Club had been held a week previous, at which a committee was appointed for the purpose of re-porting to the meeting the names of the officers for election. The committee made a report recom-mending a list of officers headed by the name of Wm B. Ranken, now register of land in Washing-ton Territory, as president. Mr. Ranken has served the party in the capacity of president of the Club for several years, and, though officially supposed to be in Washington Territory, was pre-sent at the meeting on Monday evening. The report of the committee came up for action, and as it was supposed that the adoption of its re-commendations was a mere matter of form, the president proceeded to put the question. Mr. E. R. Helmbold moved nu amendment, substituting the name of William McCandless as president, in place of that of Mr. Ranken. A farther amend-ment was made that the Club proseed to the selec-tion of officers. regardless of the report of the committee. The second motion was put, and though the voice of the meeting was decidedly in favor of it, the president declared it lost. This the club it was upposed of the report of the committee. The second motion for officers is the following result. In order to give the public an ldes of how completely the Club has been roots out of a hundred and twenty-three Preudent, Mr. Ranken received but twenty-one yotes out of a hundred and twenty-three Preudent. William McCandles.

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H.ST 16 Shipments of Coal by the Barclay Railroad and Coa) Company :

PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES. December 14, 1358. REPORTED BT S. K. SLATMARRA, 314% Walnut Street FIRST BOARD.

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Philadelphia Markets.

Philadelphia Markets. DECEMBER 11-ETSMIG. The Storm has interrupted out-door beausers to day. And the markets created bare bean children without any materni alteration to note in Braddanfa. The de-mand for 500c: in accessify lumited to the wave of the fine, 63.63% easy for extrast, 64.63.1 for extra family, and 56.54% for facer band, according it easy without finding boreast to any extended to easy the strand and the phase bards are cenerally held at 25.75% without finding boreast bary easy the bit is a strain of the strain of the strain of the strain con pervised on the strain of the strain of the strain scatter to day, and hidden are default at 84.75% without finding boreast and bard the for whith, the strain con pervise quotions; a few am 11043 oily have been sold at 131e 12% for red, and 10.21% for whith, the str-ing of the strain of the strain of the strain of the strain and the strain of the strain of the strain of the strain scatter to day, and hidden are default at 84.75% and the strain of the strain of the strain of the strain scatter to day and hidden are of the strain of the strain and at the for Delaware, and the for fennal at the for Delaware, and the strain of the strain workers to be and at a strain the strain of the strain workers to the strain of a strain of the strain of the strain workers to down and a strain of the strain of the strain workers and the strain of the strain of the strain of the strain to reduce the strain of the strain of the strain of the strain the strain of the strain of the strain of the strain of the strain work and the strain of the strain of the strain of the strain of the strain the strain of t

New York Markets of Yesterday.

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h Bacon," and a very laughable extravaganza en-titled the "Sentinel and Bear," in which a per-forming bear will be introduced. The "Dream of Chivairy" will also be presented. A ucriov SALE or Ptus and Earct Ross. B. Scott, Jr., Auctioneer, 431 Chestnut st., has now arranged for examination, a valuable stock of n fashionable furs, to be sold this morning at 10 o'clock. The sale consists of fine, real Hudson for lay and mink sable, Siborian squirrel, stone and d' silver marten, &c., in sets for ladies' and misses n wear; gents' otter and beaver collars and gloves the fine for examination. See advertisements. The ELEGANT FURSTURE of M. LIBRARY.-The ELEGANT FURSTURE of M. HINKELS, to be sold on Friday, is now arranged for examina-tion at his warerooms. The books are ar-tranged for examination. See advertisements. THE ELEGANT FURSTURE OF M. HINKELS, to the add on Friday, is now arranged for examina-to the add on Friday, is now arranged for examina-to the add on Friday, is now arranged for examina-to the add on Friday, is now arranged for examina-to the add on Friday, is now arranged for examina-to the add on Friday, is now arranged for examina-to the add on Friday, is now arranged for examina-to the add on Friday, is now arranged for examina-to the add, for the abores ales. H to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. The rooms will be open this to at his warerooms. A cons. ' the ware are ready. The success

