\*THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1860

THE WEEKLY PRESS. For Saturday the 11th, is now out. The contents of this number are of a varied character. Besides its usual attractions, it contains the LATEST FORMIGN NEWS; tractions, it contains the LATEST FOREIGN Editorials on the popular topics of the day; choice Lite-rary results, original and selected; Domestic and For-range Markets, &c., Bead the last of CONTENTS:

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them are distinguished for their ingenuity in a stranger or a confirmed villain? and yet we house-breaking, and thus liable to escape. and addicted to many vicious practices, and Another important change is found in the prothat they are therefore improper associated visions of the 53d section, abolishing the rule for insane persons who have never been of excluding witnesses convicted of infamous guilty of criminal actions. The trustees recommend that a suitable hospital building for tion to be given in evidence. This adoption the boundary walls of our penitentiaries, and the idea appears to be a good one. On the 12th of May last, the barn attached to the hospital was burned down by a man who had been an inmate of it several years ago, but had escaped, and who, failing to obtain a certificate of honorable discharge, some months afterwards fired the barn from motives of re-

A large majority of the inmates of the hosbeing natives of our State. The most prolific cause of insanity appears to have been domestic troubles, one hundred and fifty-two cases being ascribed to it; one hundred and thirty-six to ill-health; thirty-four to intemperance, and forty-one to epilepsy.

nine thousand, nine hundred and ninety-six dollars and sixty-nine cents, and its receipts consisted of thirty-nine thousand and seventynine dollars and twenty cents received for the board of patients, articles sold, &c., and an throughout the State a lively and intelligent appropriation from the State of twenty thou-

The Difficulties on the Texas Fron-

It appears by the correspondence of th Texas papers from Brownsville, the city re cently besieged by the bandit Cortinas, that the defeat of that desperado has not yet entirely restored tranquillity, and insured the Texas frontier from future attacks. It is alleged that the masses of the people of Mexico good men and true to succeed and surpass on the opposite shore, in the region of Mata | them in completing the penal code of Pennmoros, earnestly sympathize with Corriers and his band-that they afford succor, and shelter to his forces—and that, while the Mexican authorities profess to be animated by a de sire to break up his organization, in reality they are disposed to shield him, and to con

less, and we should be obliged to again commence, on a new basis, the whole work of adjusting our relations with Mexico. The rumor that General WALKER, of Nicaragua fame, designed to march to the assistance of the citizens of Brownsville, excited much feeling among the Mexicans on the opposite shore. They drew from it the inference that if American progress was not sternly resisted, a fate awaited them similar to that of the people of Nicaragua, while that country was under the control of the arch filibus ter. Though the rumor was without foundation, it furnished a basis for a great increase of the prejudice and hostility which has long existed among the Mexicans against the people of the United States, and will exercise no slight influence in prompting them to hostile acts against our citizens. It is said that whenever an American visits Matamoros, he is hooted at as he passes through the streets, and it instant. The Grand Master of the United State Texas papers speak of their Mexican neighbors, that the old border feeling of hostility is by no means destroyed, and that occurrences of a comparatively trivial nature may again lead the people of the frontier into a position

The following paragraph from the wellknown Washington correspondent of the New York Tribunc, in his letter of the 3d of Fe. bruary, fairly states the position of Mr. Forway, the newly elected Clerk of the National House of Representatives :

the principles he proclaimed in the Lecompton con-test, then Mr. Kordey would support him, provi-ded he believed that the pratform was established in good faith, and Mr. D. was sincere in his And he believed that the profession was established and good faith, and Mr. D. was sincercies he not adopt the appropriation system which he condemns, and which, we repeat, is the bane of American the will be found doing battle with the friends of the Constitution and the Union against the enemies of both."

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In sending money to their relatives in the old country. He has visited the different offices in New York for the transmission of money to I relative and or citysen generally, to invite the Jegisture of American Am

Heport of the Commissioners to Revise | WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE. Letter from " Ezek Richards."

We have already referred in general terms

to the nature and extent of the task entrusted [Correspondence of The Pross.] Washington, Feb. 8, 1860. to the commissioners. Three names better known to the community for talent, experience, and energy could not have been chosen. In the suiton of the men thus called upon by the State there was a peculiar strength due to the four and unsulled service of Judge King, as long and unsullied service of Judge Kind, as during the Crimoan war as a commission to obchief of our criminal court, to the varied career serve and report upon the state of the military es of Mr. Knox, as the president of a Court of Comablishments of the great Powers, and all useful mon Pleas, as one of the justices of the Suinformation connected with the science of war. preme Court, and as Attornoy General, and to the large extent of private practice and of probation as prosecuting attorney in our own rejection of the labors of his associates by 35 to city, by Mr. Wenster. In the second act—that relating to criminal proceedings and plead-ings—there are such marked and thorough that relating to criminal proceedings and pleadings-there are such marked and thorough-OUR PORT FOLIO.—BENACHES OF PROMISE—RUTH of our penal law has been felt. The nocessity bounds. A motion to reconsider was not accepted.

—South Ounces—Do Someraing—Vaccination—of reforming it has been brought home to the EWS.—THE LATTET. NEWS ST. TELESBAPH PROX bench and the bar, as well to the representatives of the Commonwealth as to the counsel printed. If the document was as valuable as the Separative of the accused. It may easily be seen, Proceedings and Proceedings, 270. 270. for the accused. It may easily be seen, therefore, how incumbent it is on the Legislature to take up the report now before them willing to print the report, he had not such an existing topic of the day:

If the lawyers and laymen in our Assembly wore likely to be satisfied with the reasoning and with the results of the country. Volunteers and militia were the reliable soldiers and fought the batter was any prospect that the draft of acts there was any prospect that the draft of acts here submitted could be adopted without disconnected with the result with the resulting topic of the day:

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are all alike to be stripped of technicalities. crimes, but permitting the fact of such convicthence westerly to Seventeenth. of the English law as it now exists, has many reasons in its favor, the most cogent are well intelligent and active member from Northumber-land. It provides that any county paying into the State Treasury more than the quota fixed for her parties engaged in getting up a grand World's Tournament of Billiard-players to meet in the Legislature, last winter, on the question of a change in the law of evidence in civil cases, will appreciate the arguments for and against the change.

The closing sections of this third title (of courts) remodel the provisions of that immediate the arguments for an end of the court of the provisions of that immediately and subject to a fine of not mery than \$500, one-last invisition of the short of the condition of the state of the court of the condition of the state of the condition of courts) remodel the provisions of that impo-tant ant all oxpected a large addito the appellate jurisdiction of the criminal courts, but the commissioners have wisely

preferred to await the pleasure of the Legislature for those changes, which should clevate,
first of all, the subordinate magistrates, so that
they may be entrusted, more safely than at
present, with a larger discretion in all petty
cases, and then the judges would have leisure
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stock's third Classical Concert comes off this even-

ARCH-STREET THEATRE.—Mr. Dolman's benefit takes place this evening, when he will appear as Hamles. Mrs. John Drow's benefit comes off to-

WALNUT-STREET THEATRE.—Mr. Murphy, busi-

ness agent of this establishment, has his benefit

DRAYTON'S PARLOR OPERAS .- We have to re-

mind the public that Mr. and Mrs. Drayton will

perform, in these delightful and unique dramas

this evening, to-morrow evening, and on Saturds:

Sons of Malta in New Jersey.

The Grand Commandery of the Knights Ten

has appointed Sir Knight J. L. Hutchinson, of Phi-

ladelphia, his proxy to dedicate the commandery and instal the officers. A large number of knight

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they are disposed to shield him, and to convert his force into a nucleus for an extensive organization hostile to the people of Texas, along the line of the Rio Grande.

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Academy Ball and Promenade Concert, on Tues day next, February 14th, will be a complete and the stockholder is complete and the second that all the substitute of the Rio Grande.

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Signor Maccaferri, and Mr. Pattison. This is the Baucardes' first appearance in this city, and we beepeak a full house and fair reception for them.

The Christian Change.

We perceive, by the last number of this paper, that Mr. W. B. Jacobs, who for the last eleven years has filled the chair of editor, retires, and introduces to his readors Mr. James S. Dickerson, well known for some years past as one of the offi-cers of the Baptist Publication Society located in cors of the Baptist Publication Society located in this city.

Mr. Dickerson is a native of Philadelphia, though he has spent a number of years of his lite in New York city, as proprietor and associate editor of the New York Recorder, now the Examiner—one of the prominent religious newspapers in that city. He, therefore, is but re-entering the field of familiar labor, and though young in years, is old in that experience so essential to such a post. We especially like his manly introduction of himself the property of the subscribers of the Chronicle, declaring.

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the spirit of Christian courtesy." He frankly takes this position, saying that, "God giving us grace and wisdom, we will make a straightforward, high-

minded, Baptist newspaper." from Pennsylvania and New York will be prese to assist in the imposing seremonies. With our personal knowledge of the gentleman's bead and heart, we believe he will keep his pro-mise, and at once wishing and predicting his prosperity, we give to him the hand of editorial fel-lowship. number has reached us, and fully keeps up the promise of the first. Mr. Bennett's own story is promise of the first. Mr. Bennett's own story is capital. We suggest the propriety of having Notices to Correspondents, and such ephemeral paragraphs as Notices of the Press, printed on the cover, or so as not to bind up with the volumes of the Magasine. Mr. Bennett, in very good temper, justifies his having taken a story from a London periodical and printed it in his first number, without acknowledgment, alleging that the same thing is done in English periodicals, and that some of his own sketches have been so conveyed from the New York Ledger, "not only without oredit to the paper from which they were taken, but occasionally with such alterations as to make it appear that they were written by an Englishman for an English publication." Of course, Mr. Bennett TRADE SALE OF JEWELRY, BEAD GOODS, &c.-B. Scott, Jr., auctioneor, No. 431 Chestnut street, will sell to-morrow (Friday) morning, an attractive assortment of jewelry, fancy bead goods, &c., to which the attention of the trade is invited. ot buyers to the large and desirable assortment of boots, shoes, brogans, &c., to be sold this morning, at 10 o'clock precisely, by Philip Ford & Co., at their auction rooms, No. 530 Market street. Goods are now open for examination with estalogues. Dr. Cahill, in a letter to the Dublin Telegroph an English publication." Of course, Mr. Bennett knows his own business best, but surely he should

Letter from New York. RESIDENTIAL MOVEMENTS OF THE MOZART HALL DEMOCRACY—COMMODORS VANDEBELT—LUBERALITY TO A CLERGYMAN; DR. HOGG—ELECTION OF CHIEF ENGINEER OF THE FIRE DEFAULMENT—LUPROVEMENTS IN THE LOWER PART OF THE CITY—THE AMERICAN BANK-NOTE COMPANY.

COMPANDED OF THE PERS. Correspondence of The Press.)
NEW YORK, February 3, 1860.

The Mozart Hall Democratic State Convention has finished its work at Byracuse by appointing the following gentlemen delegates at large to the Charleston Convention: Unarieston Convention:
Delegates—Fernando Wood, John A. Green,
Jr., Gideon J. Tucker, Joshua R. Babcock.
Alternates—William C. Beardsley, James T.
Southoy, John Haggerty, Benjamin Chamberlain. Mr. Green is the partner of Canal Commissioner Jayocx; Mr. Tucker has recently retired from the Secretaryship of State; Messre. Babecok, Beardstot was a mixed one, and indicated in a very direct, unpleasantly direct manner, the desire of the Senate to keep General Bowman within reasonable bounds. A motion to reconsider was not accorded. Wood as delegates at large, but the programme scems to lave been arranged differently. In the speech delivered at Syracuse, after his appointment, Mr. Wood made the following allusion to the

Mr. Preston read in place a supplement to an act entitled an act incorporating the Seventeepth and Nineteenth-street Passenger Rallway Company It permits that company to lay a single track along Garpenter to Delaware Seventh, and thence westerly to Seventeenth.

A supplement to the act to provide for the reduction of the contract of the development of the internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country, and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country and I am knd to inform you that an internal resources of the country and I am knd to inform you and the country and I am knd to inform you and the country and I am knd to inform you and the country and I am knd to inform you and the country and I am knd to internal and it is feature to the countr

and subject to a fine of not more than \$500, onehalf to go to the prosecutor, and the other half to
the county. If this is intended to prevent an incrosse of a hybrid race, it will hardly be effective,

Phelan, Ecopitor, Tieman, White, Foley, Kaya-

The Atrogroup Murder of Dr. Croxton by two Female Slaves.

HIS HURDERERS CONVESS THE CRIME—FULL PALand opportunity for the revision of the decisions of their associates and of their subordinates.

If the necessary discussion of these bills be carried on in the right spirit at Harrisburg; if it throughout the State a lively and intelligent interest be exhibited in securing an early adoption of the new penal code; if its proyistons be made living law by popular approval and by judicial sanction, the results will convince us at home, and will prove abroad, that the great law-makers of our earliest colonial portiod, and the great law reformers of our State, in its leadership of the first amelioration of the criminal law, more than half a century ago, have found in our midst even now good men and true to succeed and surpass them in completing the penal code of Pennsylvania.

Public Entertainments.

The Academy of Music Ball.—From all that we have been able to collect, we believe that the Academy Ball and Promeade Concert, on Theory and the great law reformers.

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NOMINATION FOR HOUSE PRINTER.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—The Opposition members of Mouse, in caucus this afternoon, nominated John Jetesa, editor of this indipaspoles Atlay, for fr mare when arriving to vessels belonging to the other, which restrictions coriously affect American commerce. The object is to obtain such principles of reciprocity as this Government has secured with cities nations. France being the only exception.

The Speaker of the House has completed the list of standard committees, cut changes may be inade in the list before they are announced to morrow. New York will be represented on the Committee of Committ

Steamship City of Washington Below. NRW YOUK. For 8 - Midnight. The steamenin City of Washington is below, and will arrive up about half past one o'clock. Her dates are to the 25th ult. the same as furnished by the steamer North Briton, arrived to-nigh at Joritand. Suspension of the Diamond Furnace Company.

Cincinnati, Feb. 8.—The Diamond Furance Company aspended yesterday. The liabilities are estimated at \$50,000. The Irou-Masters of Ohio and a Pro-tective Tariff. CINCINNATI, Feb. 8—At a meeting of the mon-masters of this State, held at Portsmouth, Utio, on the 6th, it was\_resolved to pet tion Congress for a prefective speaks of the generosity of Irish servant girls here in sending money to their relatives in the old coun-

THE LATEST NEWS BY TELEGRAPH. FOUR DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE THE NORTH BRITON AT PORTLAND. THE QUEEN'S SPEECH. THE SAN JUAN QUESTION.

amercial Treaty between Franchist England Signed.

Caut. Harrison, of the Great Eastern, Drowned.

COTTON QUIET.

CONSOLS 94 5-8 a 94 3-4. PORTLAND. Feb. 8 .- The steamship North Briton from Liverpool on the 23th instant, arrived at this port to-night. Her advices are four days later. The steamship Etaa arrived at Liverpool on the 22d, he Canada on the 23d, and the Bohemian, at Queen The British Parliament was opened on the 24th of The British ratifiament was oponed on the zam of January.

The queen's speech had been delivered. Its tone is profile, and the various interests are discussed with a favorable bearing. Regarding the San Juan difficulty it says the equitable and conomistancy arrangements made by the Amoreaa Government for the sequential of the sequential between the two countries.

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The commercial treaty between England and France had been suited.

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My relstions with foreign Powers continue on friendly and satisfactory toolity as. At the close of the last session informed you that revertures had been made to me to send the work of burcepe for the purpose of settling the strangements connected with the piesent state and interest the condition of Europe, a plentpotentiary would be sent by me to assist at such a conference. I have since received a furnal invitation front the Emperor of Austras and the Emperor of the French to send a plentpotentiary to a Congress to consist of the representatives of the city of the convex communication of the treaties conclinded at Zurich and element of the treaties conclinded at Zurich and element of the process of the convex communication of the treaties conclinded at Zurich and the courts of Rome, Sardinna, and Sioily) on the means hest canpied for the pacification of Italy, and for planning the prosperity on a solid and durable bears. Desirous at sit times to concur in proceedings having for their object the maintenance of peace. I socrepted the invitation, but at the same time made it known that in such a Congress, without any day laying been fixed for a meeting but whether in the Congress of the postponement of the Congress, without any day laying been fixed for a meeting but whether in the Congress of the postponement of the Congress, without any day laying been fixed for a meeting but whether in the Congress of the superior of the French, with a view to extend the commercial intercourse between the two countries, and thus draw closer the bonds of friendly siliance between them.

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and Lord Frure sees cled, an address to her Majesty, in response to the speech, and the sees of the policy of the Greenment, and questioning the advantage derived the Greenment and questioning the advantage derived the description of the Greenment to the the description of the complained that the Ministers had not called Frunce, and together before undertaking an expedition to the seed of the course of the address of the course non-intervention policy.

Commercial Intelligence.

By the Steamship North Briton.

LIVER POOL COTTON MARKET, Japuary 24.—The
market has been quite but steady. Scanocircular report
ensury prices, and in some cases a partial decline of
1164. The syles if the three days amounted to 24,000
baies, including 5,000 baies to speculatory and exportering the market of the control of th STATE OF TRADE,—The Manchester markets were

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

V. S. CAPITOL. WASHINGTON, Feb. 8. SENATES: sate met at l'éclèse this afternoop, substitute of Mr. Davis resolution was post-The Sonate met at a recess magnetization.

The consideration of Mr. Davis resolution was postponed till all nday next.

Mr. GHEFN, of Missouri, presented a petition from
the mail contractors, asking the immediate passace of
the bull for their relief with the interest left out to be
adolfied by future legislation.

Mr. QHAINES, of laws presented the credentials of
James Harlan, r. c. querief, Benntor from flows, from the
4th of March, 1841.

Mr. PEARCE, of Mary) and, introduced 3, from tresolution authorizing the decretary of the faction to risks
attraction of the dedication of the glattle of Washington on the 22d of Fabruary next and abover,
and over.

A number of reports and petitions were presented. and Disafell, of their observations in the Grimea.

Mr. HINTEH, of Virginia, asked how much it would gost
Mr. D'vyls replied that the cost would be \$50,800, but that if it cost double that ariginia it yould be well worth the expenditure.

Mr. HUNTEH moved to reduce the number of copies.

Rejected—jear23 ang v. 8.

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He also reported the resolution for the printing of the area of the committee on the Post Office to inquire into the expediency of establishing a line of mail seamors between Fan Francisco and China, via the Scadull alsands. Adopted.

The lost office definiency bill was then taken up, the greatyph back on the amendment of Mr. Collimor to be a manufactured to the fine and the confidency of the Francisco and China, when the committee to a plaint high papering trivilets regarding these as the very time and black to fflect the necessary regions. The privilety was almost for the property of the public papering in a great saving in the public painting oxponers

rs. Ur. SIMMON3 suggested that the amendment be s dified as to require prepayment on printed matter i madified as to require preparament on printed matter by allocation.

Ar. DOUMBR accepted the modification.

Ar. DOUGLAS, of librons thought it on unwise policy to insumber the deficiency bill with such lexibition are via proposed. It would delea the final action on the bill and teep the contrastors out of the money which is due to term. He was reply to comply with their suggestion as i separate bill for all daystid points.

Mr. POOL of Vermine, was in layor of the abolishment of the tranking privile to, but upposed its introduction in this bill as out of time and out of place was a great want of encessary and fine their contributions of the resulting privile to. In there was a great want of encessary in the proper companies. In his opinion, earlied now one as great want of encessary in spinion, earlied now one had of the correspondence between the large cities, because the did so group rapidly and safely than the Post Office Detartment. He would be willing to make the revenues of the department applicant to the draft of the Postmets of the department, up it is very him disorstinary power in established from the local condition of the department. The way must of the homest detay of the mail contractives had notland to do with the abolishment of the franking had notland to do with the abolishment of the franking than the Post of the mail contractives had notland to do with the abolishment of the franking than the Post of the mail contractives had notland to do with the abolishment of the franking the Mr. Office and the properties of the mail contractives and the department of the franking the Mr. Office and the properties of the mail contractives had not and the department of the franking the Mr. Office and the properties of the mail contractives had not and the properties of the mail contractives had not an extended the properties of the mail contractives had not an extended the properties of the mail contractives and the properties of the mail the mail the properties of the mail the properties of the mail and t

ressing the present bill with the proposition to abolish After further debate, which was participated in he Messrs. DAVIS, HUNTER, and others, Mr. Toomis Mesers. DAVIS. HUNTERs, and others. Mr. Tombuly amendment was modified so as not to require the prepayment on postate on newspapers, and in this form was acreed to-years 2 mays 25.

Mr. TRUMHBULL, of lithnois, moved to strike out the whole provise, as smended. Carried.

The question recurring on the amendment to abelish the frankine privilege.

Mr. SIMMONS moved an amendment that prepayment on all printed matter except newspapers and periodicals be required. Rejected—year 27, najs 31.

The question recurring on the amendment as originally reported, it was rejected—year 27 mays 77.

The next amendment was to appropriate hereafter the revenues of the Post Office Department to the uses that of the province of the strength of the province of th The House of Report of Adjourned.

The past nature of the past nature of the past nature of the department. Rejected.

AI. BROWN offered an amendment that the superintendent of the public printing be required to procure the printing to the procure the printing to the procure the printing to the past-office blanks by contract, after thirty days notice, and award the said contracts to the lowest bidder. Agreed to, Adjourned.

The House of Representatives is not in sersion to-day, having adjourned over until Thursday.

Three Days Later from California. (By Overland Mail and Telegraph.)

EF PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE RECEIVED BY TELEGRAPH AT SAN FRANCISCO—\$14,000 of GO-VERNMENT PUNDS LOST ON THE NORTHERNER-INAUGURATION OF GOVERNOR DOUNEY. INAUGURATION OF GOVERNOR DOUBEY.

MALLOY'S STATION, Feb. 8—The overland mail of
the 16th ult. arrived here at midnight. The mail has
seen much delayed by hich water in the Texas rivers.

The overland mail from St. Louis, which tarted on
the 20th and 20th of December, arrived at Nan Fransaccous the evening of the 15th of January. By the
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Washington of the evening of the 30th December was
Louise and the state of the 15th December was
January, being only fifteen days and three hours from
the extreme points.

January, being only fifteen days and three hours from the extreme points from the President's message, on the arrival of the mail. The President's message, on the arrival of the telegraph inc. Firebauch's ferry, was sent to the being represented by the wires, and published entire in the San Francisco Bulletin and Secamento Union on the 18th ult., before the arrival of the mail. arliament was opened by the Queen in person on the Governor Bonney, in his imagural address, promised to administer the Government with 1 sgid and just economy, and pursue the policy so plainly and admirately indicated by the notice of the secondary, and pursue the list predecessor.

In the property of the state of the list half, by a vote of the together of the secondary at the secondary of a railread from the of Y and Sarawal Harrott, of the firm of Barrett, & Sherwood, jewellers, died at San Francisco on the lot the secondary of the secondar

Blatos Senator.

A slight movement is in progress for the election of a successor to Senator Gwin. Governor Bouney totally disapproves of the project.

The committee of the House on the new Indian war in Mendeoine and Humbold held a meeting last evening, and spent much time is examining Capt. Jarboc and others. d others.

The committee will probably report against the conluance of the war. inuance of the war.

A resolution was unanimously adopted by the Senate.

Fring Congress to establish a daily overland mail on a

oute to be selected by the contractors.

There was nothing new in the San Francisco

markets. arkets.
Arrived at San Francisco, bark Francis Palmer, from fonolulu. Sailed January 18th, ship East Indian, for Honoldu. Sailed January 18th, ship East Indian, for Mazatlan.

FROM THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.

The dates from the Sandwich Islands are to the Sist of December.

The others ship Daring arrived at Honoldu on the 2th lutt, and sailed for Baker's Island on the 30 hat The bark Villier sailed on the 22d, with oil for Bre men. The American ship Leonidas, with spars and timbers from Fort Townsend, put into Honolulu to repair damages, had completed the repairs, and would sait on the last of January.

CHARLESTOWN, Feb. 8.—The examination of wi-asses in the case of Hazlett was resumed this mor-ing, and a large amount of testimony was taken, be-few new facts were elicited. All the witnesses e-pressed themselves with confidence as to the identipressed themselves with confidence as to the identity of the prisoner.

Col. Clowe, one of the witnesses, detailed a conversation he had with the prisoner in the jai, the first time he saw him. During the conversation, the prisoner stated that he had never heyd from his mother since his connection with the unfortunate Harper's Ferry salfair. After the prisoner made this statement he seemed to regret it.

At 4 o'clock this alternoon the Commonwealth closed their testimony, and the witnesses for the defence were examined. The first witness was Major A. M. Ball, its testimony was regarded as rather invorable to the control of the seement of the prosecution pointed out the gradient of the seement of the prosecution pointed out the gradient before the seatons. Two of these sentingles before the self-control of the setting the first the property of the prisoner in the could not determine the law of the self-control of the setting the could not the setting agrees as to the number of the sectine, but he could not identify Hazlett as one of the party, although he was twice second to he home by a manguaoner. Several other witnesses testified to having passed discandosh street, but did not see the prisoner. The defence is being ably conduc ed by Mesars. Botts

and Green.
The Grand Jury to-day came into court with bills of adotment against Owen Brown, Francis J. Merriam, and Jeremiah Anderson, charging thom with conspiring rith slaves to create an insurrection. PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE. SENATE. After some preliminary business, the standing committees were called for their reports when the following
ills were reported favorably: A bill to attich krie and
rawford comittees to the Fastoru district of the Supreme
ourt: a bill to authorize the German Evangencheal
rotestant Church of Pittsburg to improve and lorse
ertain roal estate; a bill relative to taxes, rates
nd levies in the city of Allegheny: a supplement
o the act for encourace the manufacture of ren
with coke and mineral coal; a bill to authorize the
avious of a special tax in the borough of Birming-

any Cometer, company; a bill relative to the Alle bills of lowing bills were reported with a negative remainmentation; A bill relative to counties and town by and county and township officers; a supplement is not relative to the lices of mechanics and mate ment; a bill to incorporate the German Eidership of Charch of Co.—Mr. SMITH read in pince a bill to the wide for the impercion and scalars of gas-meters is the protection of consumers of luminous gas in ladelphas. And the second results of the sessent of Penns Ivania to the acts New Locacy to incorporate the Titusville and Delaware Bridged Company.

Mr. Ila-it. a bit recognition the Allecheny Cemetery. Mr. Pish-it. a bit recognition that the Genate with hereafter meat at 30 clock.

The sup-lement to the act consolidation the outy of Philadelphia, reading the next except Mondays. The sup-lement to the navine of sidewales, was taken up and delawed at some loneth. Moses Hell: Marsfalle, and Turow, opposed the bill, and Measra, keeping and delawed at some loneth. Moses Hell: Marsfalle, and Turow, opposed the bill, and Measra. Connell's Smith, and Hall advented it. The bill distilly passed second resultine—teas it mays 11—and was then land sault for the oreasy.

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Adjourned. HOUSE,
The Spraker laid before the House a communication from the State Transpier, in relation to moneration from the State Transpier, in relation to moneration in Commonwealth, which was read, and ordered Ar. PINKERION moved to recognide the voto taken seaterday by which the Broad street Passenger Railwal bill was defeated. The Spraker decided that the motion could not be objected to the state of the present time, under Rule No. With the Courteries of the not to incorporate the Eastern Iron Courteries, was taken up and passed finally. Repeated to Countries, was taken up and passed finally. Repeated to Countries, was taken up and passed finally reported to bull sure justices of the passe power to try cases by a fury of Mar. With a passe power to try cases by a fury of Mar. With a passe power to try cases by a fury of Mar. With a passe power to try cases by a fury of Mar. With a passe power to try cases by a fury of Mar. With a passence. power to tre-cases by a jury of six, with a negative recommendation.

Mr. Teller moved to recommit the bull to the committee with instructions to so amend the same a to
make it local in its operation, and applies the only to
the counties of Left and Staylord. The motion was
arread to.

The Committee on Arriculture and Manufactures reported, as committed, the bil to incorporate the Media
Manufacturing Company; also, the bil to present the
degracetion of troat and other fish in Chester county.

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port. To increase their capital stock for a great without
port, to increase their capital stock for a great also, as
committed the bill to incorporate the Malace. As
The Committee on Ross's, Bridges, and Capila reported, as committed a bill to extend Fifteen to street,
in the city of Philadelphia. Manufacturing Company of Lancaster county, as committed.

An act to incorporate the Schirjikill County Transportation Company, as committed.

An act to incorporate the West Philadelphia Market Company, as ameaded.

An act to incorporate the Home Insurance Company of Philadelphia, as awended.

As supplement to the act to incorporate the Turners'
An act to incorporate the Oneids Hotel Company, in the horizonth of Huntington as amended.

The act to incorporate the Howart Pire Insurance Company, with a lexistic recommendation.

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and the marriese contract between Joseph Rendell of bludelphas and Mary Rendell, of bludelphas and Mr. Ribaway a further supplement to the act considering the city of Philadelphas. It provides for the lectuch by the people of a loszed of assessors and treaters. nryefors.
Mr. Hingway also read in place a bill to incorporate
in Gipard Passenger Railway Company.
Mr. Pura 703. a supplement to the solincorporating
8 Beventsech and Nupelcouth Street Passenger
Hway Company.
A bell. a applement to the act to incorpoted the Act of the Act of the Company of Phidelphia. Councils of Philadelphia, relative to the incorporation of allway companies. Adjourned.

Vote in the Senate on Abolishing the

Wikinil-27.

Mya-Messrs. Anthony, Bingham, Cameron, Chand-lar, Clark, Dixon, Dochitic, Durkee, Fessenden, Foot, Foster, Grimes, Hale, Hamba, Haun, Hatlan, Hemp-hill, Kins, Nicholson, Rice, Simmons, Nennor, Ten Ergk, Trumbull, Wado, Wilson, and Wilkinson-27.

The Texas Legislature. Later from Puerto Cabello. New York, Pob. 8—Advices from Puerto Cabell, Jan. 24th, state that on that day all the at res wer defect to be closed under the expectation that the ups of war famors and Falcon would attack the town Nova Scotian Politics. HALIFAX, N. S., Feb. 8 — The Nova Scottan Govern-ent has reasoned, and Hon. William Young has been out for to form a new Cabinet.

PUNERAL OSSOCIES in St. Paraica's Cauren

—Celebration of High Mass for the late Bishop Neumann-Imposi a Crementer.—The unden death of
the Bisht Reversed Bishop Neumann was an avent
that filled the heart of the Catholic community with
unfeared aref. The measure of the srecound rever-

upon the channoned catalaique instead of the silent Chortily fierten o'clock, the fureral exercises began by the recits of the solemn office for the dead—the Offician Defination. The lessons were read by the Collowing Tweetendor, The results were read by the Thirty Lesson—Rev. Father Sheridan, of St. Paul's Church.

huren. Second Lesson-Rev. Dr. O'Hara, St. Patrick's

harch. Third Lesson-Rev. Father Stanton, of St. Augus-ne's Church. First Lesson-Rev. C. J. Carter, of the Church of the

sumption. Second Lesson-Rev. Father Martin, of St. Mary's

Third Lesson-Rev. Father Barbelin, of St Joseph's

certains and pety adorned the religion which he profeeed.

Veaterday morning it. Petrick's Church, in Twentest test, below Locust, was densely crowded by
persons who were anxious to winesees the state of first history in that vici ity were rathered hundreds of prople anxious to tan admittaces, and so
great was the through that our reporter experienced considerable difficulty in forcian his way through it. Fimaily, however, he managed to effect an entrance into
the personace; and then, through the controlus attentions of Air. J. V. Reilly and D. the Lemban, was shown
to the right of the altar. We found that the pursonace is not less than the control of the contr Death of Mr. Drayton. EW York, Feb 8-W. S. Drayton, the agent of the vie and Southampton steamship line, is dead. Senator Seward.
Washivoton, Feb. 8 Senator Seward has been alled home by a death in the family. The California Mail Service. Washington, Feb. 8.—Senator Gwin announced to-ty, in debite, that he would advocate transferring the attre mail service to California by the overland route The Albany and Susquehanna Rail-ALBANY, Feb. 8.-The Senate has passed a bill do-ating one million dollars to the Albany and Sasque-Non-Arrival of the Canada. HALIFAX. Feb. 8.—There are no signs of the steam-p Canada, about due, with Liverpool dates to the

The Massachusetts Legislature. Bostov, Fab. 8.—The Legislative Committee of owns, &c., has reported in favor of the annexation of oxbury to Easton. Sailing of the Steamship America. New York Legislature. Death of Judge Chas. A. Ingersolt. New Havey, Feb. 8.—Hon. Chas. A. Ingersoll, United tates District Judge, died this moraing, of rheumatism Markets by Telegraph.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 8.—Plourquiet at \$3.50 for Howard street. Whee's buoyant at \$1.50 100 for white, an \$1.50 100 for red Coron stendy at 172 rets, for white any close, by letter Provisions from that unchanged with the provisions on New York & \$6.50 for \$2.50 for \$2.50

THE CITY.

AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING. AMERICAN ACADEMY OF Music, Broad and Locust.— arl Wolfsolm and Carl Hohnstock's Third Classica MUSICAL PUND HALL, Locust atreet, below Ninth.— Grand Concert of Signor Baucarde and Signora Alber-tint Baucarde.

unt Baucarde.
Coverr Hall. Chestnut street, above Twelfth.—
Drayton's Parlor Opersa.
Walnut.-Syrker Trakares. corner Wainut and
Ninth.—'Inzonae''.—'Lost Ship.''
Narional Treares. Wainut street, between Fight
and Ninth.—Dan Rice's Great Show.—'The Magic
Rice,'' WHEATLEY & CLARES'S ARCH-STREET THRATER Arch street, shove Sixth,—" Hamlet "—" The Spitalsfield Weaver." SANDERSON'S EXRIBITION ROOM, Jayne's Commonwealth Building, Chestnut street, above Sixth.—Thiodon's Museum of Art. McDonough a Gairries, Race street, below Third-entertainments nightly. TEMPLE OF WONDERS, northeast corner Tenth and ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS. 1025 Chestnut street.-hurch's Painting, "The Heart of the Andes." BUSINESS IN THE COURTS YESTERDAY .- SE-

THIRD NOCTURY.

First Lesson-Rev. Father McAnany, of St. Paul's
Church,
Second Lesson-Rev. Father Kieran, of St. Ann's
Church. Third Lesson-Right Rev. Bushop Wood, of the Ca-Then followed the celebration of Chnewald's Requiem lass, solemn throughout and participated in by all Mass, solemn throughout and participated in by all oresent. The following officiared: Celebrant I the Mass-Rt. Rev. Bishop Wood. Arch Priest-Per. Dr. O'Hara. of St. 'atrick's. Dearons of Monor-Rev. Father Sheridan, of St. all s. and Pev. Hr. Cantwell, of St. Philip's. Dearons of Mass-Rev. Father O'Connor, of Fs. lames Church. West Philadelphia, and Rev. Father Victan, of St. Ann's Church. First Master of Ceremonice-Rev. John F. Branagan, if St. Patick's Church. Me of Maria Chew, deceased, in the hands of her administrator for distribution this case is small, but the mestion to be decided affects the residue of the catalather and Maria. Chew, deceased, valued at several under thousand deliver. Maria Chew ded on the 3th of March, 1800, and by a last wit, after mixing numerous lequests and defeated in the 3th of March, 1800, and by a last wit, latter mixing numerous lequests and defeated in the 3th of March, 1800, and by a last wit, latter mixing numerous lequests and defeated in the 3th of March, 1800, and by a last wit, latter mixing numerous lequests and defeated in the 3th of March, 1800, and by a last wit, latter mixing numerous lequests and defeated in the second seco rat Master of Ceremonics—nee, Jones A. Patrick's Church wond Master—Mr. Monahan, of the Seminary, nee choir was composed of a lar-co number of the best item vocalists in the city. The conductor was M. F. do: organist. Mrs. C. C. Aledo: semini Mrs Fin-Colourn. Miss E. Colourn. Mrs R. T. Fred. Mrs. Sin, and Mrs. Devit; alli, Mrs. Mr. Colfrey. Mrs. M. Connell; tenor. Mr. J. E. McCoulley, and Ar. Galcher; Lawo, M. Geers. Thomas E. Harkins, Boulard, wash, and other; we i, alter maker numerous lequests and de-id giving power to her executors to make and all estate, also bequesthed the residue to her currects. Chew, if it lie; and then divided her y estate into four equal parts or shares, to take enjoyment, after the decease of the and then-The Control of the State of the said Henrita Chair in the State of the said Henrita Chair in the State of the said Henrita Chair in the State of the

when the heirs of Mrs. Lewis entitled to it, on the law was not in force at the time of her destine. The heaves the law was not in force at the time of her destine. The heaves the law was not in force at the time of her destine. Wilson vs. Fling. On motion of D. B. Bown, Faq. the curt translad a rule upon the defendant to plead on forty eith hours rotic. On motion of Mr. Fish, for defendant, hobert Tier. Faq., was appointed surplus and the distribution of the wavens, and the drying departments. The drying department occupies a certral position, and, sithouse parts of the same establishment, in communication exists between them. The head-next, at law of Education and the law of Education MMON PLEAS-Judge Thompson.—Stille vs. Rees. tore reported, to trial. Verk Avo Terminer—Judges Thompson and isra.—This court met again jecterlay morning, at 10 coke for the purceas of ascentations if the jury in case of Robert Thompson had agreed upon a vert. The jury not sagging any verticular, the court ad The jury not sending any verdict in, the court ad duntil 90 clock this morning.

ARTER SEASIONS—Judgo Ludlow.—David ell. charred with stealing a watch, the property of sa Walker, was found vuilt. Sentenced to eighnouths in the Eastern Pentlentiarr.

A Wisson, charred with burzlary, in breaking into ore of fasiah Rigeois, and carrying away some car and various other articles. The defendant guilty. Sentenced to fifteen months in the East-ententry.

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noth charred with steeling a lot of buckets the

or John Hawes, plead guilty. Sentenced to tests the property of Mr. Mian sht, was found guilty, tested to four months. Villam Brander, colored, plead sunity to the clavice committing an essault and bittery upon Edward achiman, Sent below for thirty days.

"mos Sherbin chared with steading a case bottle and quart of Bourbon whisky, the property of Harman an, was found guilty. Sentenced to six months in the mist region." unity prison. Micha i sicker, charged with stealing a large stone itcher, the property of Harman Kean, was found guilty. in held a special median of the Pour year view memnetion in reference to the death of their late president,
Mr. Mans called the median to order, and morel that
Mr. Williams take the chair. Mr. W. declined, and Mr.
Mans was then placed in the chair. He announced the
death of Mr. K. in a few appropriate words.
Mr. Lunard then, as the oldest member of the board
pronounced a warm callory on the death of Mr. K. in a few appropriate words. when the property of Harman Kean, was found guilty, entenced to sax months in the country prison. The property of Harman Kean, was found guilty, entenced to sax months in the country prison. The property of J. W. Florinas. Reprened to a shawl, the property of J. W. Florinas. Reprened to a shawl, the property of J. W. William H. Thompson, chard with stealing twenty-our grain bacs, the property of Girch Relating twenty-our grain bacs, the property of Girch Bries, was found guilty. Benjenced to six months.

Patrick Daley, a boy about eight veys old, charged with stealing a value, the property of Jacob Bries, was ound guilty. The judge sent him to the House of Jefuze.

ding offices.

Resolved. That a committee of three be appointed to conver to the family the condolence of the Board in

produced with the second states of the department. The way a part of the department of the department of the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making to make the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and making contractors had not seed the second states and seed the second sta Boston. Peb. 8.—It is contemplated by the State Levisiman and viriginal properties and viriginal

Mr. Linnard closed by affering the subjoined resolu-