LETTER FROM NEW YORK. The National Prisoners' Commission Going to oston-Prisoners in Fort Lafayette - The Cumbont Port Royal-Sloop-of-War Adironack-Frigate Roanske-Supposed Loss of a China Ship-Office-Seekers at our Post Office

The Monitor Testimonials-Dr. Hawks-The New York Society Library Dry Goods. Order from the Treasury Department-Mar-

[Correspondence of The Press ] NEW YORK, April 30, 1862. The commissioners to examine the national prisoners now in the United States forts held a private meeting o-day, and adjourned to resume their labors in Bo

In Fort Lafayette there are 105 pulitical prisoner privateeramen and others. Lieutenant Colonel Burke has the general charge, and Lieutenant Wood the immidiate custody of these prisoners, whose lot, though it may be as good as or even better than they deserve, is not a very ruviable one. General Stone is quartered in Fort Hamilton, and is on parole. General Dix visited both forts a few days ago. Fort Hamilton, and is on parole. General Dix visited both forts a few days ago.

The new gunboat Port Royal. Lieutenant Morris, left the Brocklyn navy yard yesterday, on her trial trip If the trip is ratisfactory, and there is no reason to doubt that it will be, she will be ready for sea, before the close of the week. of the week.

The sloop-of-war Adirondack 13 making good progress In thing cut, and will soon be ready for her guns
The frigate Roanoke remains in the dry dock. The
ledge on which the lower plates of her armor will rest
have been fixed four feet below the water-line, and the
next movement will be the fixing of the plates themselves. The following is an extract from a letter dated Hong

Keng, Feb. 27:

"Seven Chinese boats arrived yeaterday in this harbor, from the Prata shoals, bringing a large quantity of teas. These chests bear the name Malacca, and there is sittle doubt but it is the Hamburg bark of that name, Captain Stellgap, which left Feo Unow, on the 1sts of February for New York. The China beats report no one on board, and the boats gone, consequently the crew have at empted to reach the mainland."

To-morrow being the first of the month, it is expected that Mr. Withceman will remove a large number of attaches from the several departments of the past office. During the last three days, his office has been crowded by "all sorts and conditions of men," numbering six or seven hundred persons, each a car didate for some place is his gift. To-day (We thesday) the throng was inconveniently large, and all other business, except that of hearing the applicants, was suppended. hearing the applicants, was suspended. The Monitor testimonials to be presented by the State of New York to Captain Ericsson, Lieutenant Worden.

and Engineer Stimers, have been ast up in handsome style, and are now on exhibition at Ball & Black's, in style, and are now on exhibition at Ball & Black's, in this city. The cost of the whole was \$250. It is stated that the Rev. Dr. Hawks, late rector of Calvary Church, in this city, has hired the dwelling house formerly occupied by Rev. John Parkman, at Ellipotiville. Staten Laland, and will take up his residence there for the season. He preached on Sunday morning last at St. Mary's Church near Factoryville.

The sunual meeting of the New York Society Library Shurcholders was held but awaying when it one greatest hareholders was field last evening, when it appears tem the report of the trustees that the association is ou of debt, and the expenses k-pt within the income. There are 50,000 volumes in the library.

The domestic cotton goods market is dull, but jobbing trade is still quite active. At auction, to-day, Mosses. Wild erdings & Mourt had a large special and attractive remptory sale of British dry goods, of the importa ion Messrs. Geo. H Stuart & Co. The attendance was e, exceeding the attendance at the previou ding a large number of out-of-town merchants and all desirable goods brought fult as much as couls to realized at private sale, although some sols low. Taylor's six-cord spool cotton excited much interest, and brought 21), a 30 cents per dozen, which was rather a low price Messes. Haggerty & Co. offered 796 lots of Paris allk Allet mitte of the importation of Mr. J. Leciuze, cotton

irable were partly passed.

Messre, Kobbe & Corlies seld 740 lots of ribbens, mil-tery goods, and dross trimmings. Desirable descrip-nose of ribbons brought full prices and were freely du-ASHES ARE quiet and steady, at 5 62% for Pots and

Pearls.

Breads-Tuffs.—The market for Sate and Western Flour is more active, and 50 loc nigher. The sates are 15,000 bbls at \$4 90 m5 for superfine State. \$5.20 m5.25 for extra \$4 19 0 m5 for superfine State. \$5.20 m5.25 for extra \$6.00 bbls at \$4 90 m5 for superfine Michigan, Iudiana, Ohio, Iowa, &c., and \$5.20 m6.45 for extra do. including shipping brands of round-hoop Ohio at \$5 30 m5 545 for inferior, and \$5 40 m5 45 for good, and trade brands of do at \$5.55 m6.50.

Southern Flour is also finer and in good demand; also \$6 100 bbls at \$5 0 c. and \$6 Southern Flour is also firmer and in good demand; sales of 1,000 bbls at \$5.25.55.00 for superline Baldmore, Sec. 7 for extra do. Canadian Flour is 5.010c higher, with a fair inquiry; sales 1,100 bbls at \$5.20.5.40 for spring extra, and \$5.50 Bye Flour is steady, with small sales at \$3 95 & 1.25 for the range of fine and superfine.

Corn Meal is without important change; we quote
Jersey at \$2.75, Brandywine \$2.9023.05, and puncheous Wheat is quiet and firm, but there is not enough doing o establish prices; sales 11,000 enough Mumaure Club t \$1 1001 22 for common to prime.

Ryo is steedy at 79.082c.

Barley is dult at 80295c. Oats are quiet and steady at 38241c for Jersey, Westfra, Canadian, and State.

Corn is a shade firmer, with a moderate business; the sales are 40,000 bushels at 57 \$\infty\$50 for mixed Western, in sales are 40.000 bushels at 57 a58c for mixed Western, in store and del vered.

Freights are decidedly better. To Liverpool, 3,500 b is flour at 28 3d: 40,000 bus grain at 75. in bulk, for c in, and 7%d, in bulk, for wheat; 400 hoxes bacon and 500 rkgs lard at 22 5d. To Glesgow. 50 tens tard at 25s.

Fritt —By auction we notice sales of 3,190 boxes of filely breases at 800 at 30 2 1,000 do. Leminus at 81.65 at 2 and 300 do at \$1.10 at 5.0 all in very poor order.

Hay is steady and in moderate demand at 60.0050 for thipping, and 702809; for retail lots.

Hors are firm, with moderate sales at 12.018c for new.

OHS.—Lidseed is quiet at 82.084c Crule Whale commes in demand, and we notice sales of 1,500 bbls cm private terms. Other kinds are unchanged.

Molasses is in fair demand for home use, and prices favor the seller; sales 38 bbls New Orleans at 45.018c; 50 bhds Cuba Miscovato at 29c.

Coffee —Bio is in improved demand and prices are suctained: seles 1,000 bags at 19%c.

WHISKY is steady, with sales of 750 bbls at 23% 224c.

Kentucky Preparing for her Wounded Soldiers. LOUISVILLE, April 30 .- The steamer Telegraph, No. 3. has left for Pit'sburg, Tennessee, with surgeons, hospital stores, and nurses, under the direction of Dr. W. S. Chissley, to bring back the wounded of the Kentucky regiments or await the result of the next battle, if i

Departure of the Steamer Canada. BOSTON. April 30.—The royal mail steamer Canada sailed to day, with \$50,000 in specie, for Liverpool.

Dramatic Items — Mr. Gran's operatic company have closed their engagement at the New York Academy of Music. Mr. Forrest appeared as Metamora at Ford's Thea-re, Washington, on last evening. They are playing a

dramatized version of "East Lynne," on the off nights of Mr. Forrest's engagement. - Bermann commenced an engagement at the Fronttreet Theatre, Baltimore, on Monday night. - Mr. Rarey is engaged to give his horse-taming shows - The "Enchantress" is still the principal attraction at Nible's Garden, New York.

- Miss Maggie Mitchell is at the City Theatre, Cin-Mr. Chaufran is at McVicker's Theatre, Chicago, - Miss Susen Denin is the leading lady of Grover's

PARSON BROWNLOW AND HIS FAMILY. Intelligence of the safe arrival of Parson Brownlow's family at Fort ess Monroe was received in this city at 10 o'clock yesterday, through the Associated Press and the newspaper correspondents. Mr. Brownlow was notified through his host, Mr. Geo. W. Philds. but as the latter resides at Bordentown, and as the tamity are not expected here until this evenion. Mr. Brownlow did not come to town. He is said to be full of graduate, however, at the knowledge of the safety of his wife and children.

## CITY ITEMS.

Dr. Leidy's Fourth Lecture at the What Professor O. M. Mitcheli (now suggetions and chivalric leaders of the Federal army) did this city, a few years ago, in unfolding the wonders of the telescopic universe, Dr. Joseph Leidy is now doing in the opposite, or microscopic direction, at the University of Pennsylvania, in his present course of scientific lectures on General Natural History, Comparative Anatomy, and Physiology. His last lecture, delivered on Trueday afternoon last, was a tended by the full classes of both the Theological and Medical departments of the M. D.'s of this city, and others; and was designed to trace, in the light of science, the division line where the Vegetable and Animal Kingdoms meet. The Doctor's eatnest of this intricate, partially undiscovered, and in a measure disputed territory, was highly interesting and instructive. He opened by explaining what is meant by classification—a greuping together of certain plants or animals according to their peculiarities, for the greater convenience of studying them.

In the Animal kingdom, the classification of Cuver was, he said, generally adopted—to wit; the Vertebrata, Mollusca, Articulata, and Radiala To these grand diions howeve. -each of which was briefly defined by the lecturer—there was another class, which some naturalists included in the animal kingdom, entitled the Pro-tozoa, but which Cuvier rejected. Agassiz, he said, coincided with Cuvier in this opinion, and regarded the class of Protozous as made up of a mixture of particles belonging to the vegetable kingdom, worm-like animal-cule, and eggs of small animals, formerly what were

called zoophytes by the older naturalists. f The lecturer was himself inclined to include this class be animal king'om, notwithstanding the high authoritje quoted to the contrary. The word Protozoa was desive i from two Greek words, protos, first, and zoon, an enimal. To simplify this division, it was undivided by the lecturer into these branches: the phytozoa. rhizopoda (meaning coot-footed,) porifera-i.e., spongy-and d (meaning root-noted); por years, stone, stone in the discussion of certain broad lices of distinction exthen entered upon. All plants, for example, were known In this process oxygen was siven out; whereas, on the her hand, animals take in oxygen, and give out carbonic acid by exhalation. In the small animalcula the e result was observed to take place as in plants, and it had been for this reason that naturalists had included n in the vegetable kingdom. In this specimen fact itself we taw how closely allied and interwoven these so great divisions of nature were. The mere presence f motion is no longer regarded as a proof of animal lif- in confirmation of which the lecturer instanced a number of plants exhibiting this characteristic. As an offset to the fact that, in the main, plants con same carbonic acid, and evolve oxygen, and animals vice persa, we had the very opposite exhibited in not a few

in-tances, in which the habits of plants coincide exactly with these of animals in this particular, among which flowering plants, mainly those of the parasitic tribe; and, in fact, certain parts of the flowers of all plants gave out

The Phylozoa or plant-like animals were exhibited in diagrams, the representations being given as greatly mag-nified under a microscope. The magnifying power brought to bear in securing these illustrations may be inferred from the fact that representations of animalculas. as large as a silver dollar, were shown, of which more than twelve thousand millions are contained in a single drop

of stagmant water in which decaying vegetable matter Dr. Leidy has evidently been a close observer of Nature in all its phases, and is giving the result in these lectures. The delicate wave marks which we trace upon be, not sand, as it would appear to the naked eye, but an aggregate of minute shells, the forms of which are varied and beautiful as enlarged under the microscope and depicted upon his diagrams. This, to an unscienti-ficege, at least, seemed to be as close a blending between the Animal and Mineral his glome as the lecturer was | Goo W Freeing, Cooperaby L Shell, Barks co

proving to exist between the Animal and Vegetable Under Dr. Leidy's adopted classification, a sponge is an animal, and, what is singular enough, an animal shown to be capable of eating clam shells! the perforations of tter; as frequently seen in taking them from their bed dead, being caused by the sponge penetrating them and appropriating the nutritive parts.

ANNIVERSARY OF A DORCAS SOCIETY .- The Dorcas Society connected with the Sunday-school of the First Baptist Church, (colored), Eleventh and Pearl streets, will celebrate their anniversary at that place, this (Thursday) evening, in an appropriate manner. The sion will be embellished with good music, and refreshments, and the programme announces the usual variety of recitations, addresses by the children, and devotional exercises, incldent to these occasions. The amplea arrangements have been made to render the entertain flect credit upon the pastor, Rev. J. Underdue, and the who have assisted in getting it up, Messrs. Wm Price. J. M Buch, S. Durham, Mr. Barringer, and others

Pure Olive Oils for Salad Uses .- Olive Oils, at this season especially, are exceedingly healthful, preparations. In buying it, however, caution should be used to obtain the genuine Olive article, of which Mr. C. H. Mattsor, dealer in fine family groceries, Arch and Tenth streets, has now a very superior lot in store. Anniversary Exercises. - The aunivereary of the opening of the "Northern Home for Friendcommencing at 3% o'clock P. M., at the Institution corner of Twenty-third and Brown streets. Addresses may be expected by several eminent sp. akers, and inte resting exercises by the children. The public are kindly invit d to be present

A QUEER WEDDING .- A young woman, born without lega, and who propels herself by holding a boot in one hand and a short stick in the other, was recently married in Sheffield, England, to a stunty young follow When the ceremony was performed, she took off her boot to have her hand joided in that of her husband. The latter took off his cost and rolled up his shirt sleeves It is needless to say that the discarded garment was not of the style produced at the Brown-Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut street

Spring and its Influences. The advent of fair weather is now hopefully looked for, with the belief that we shall soon be privileged with backing i shall ace the hills and valleys robed in their mantles of green, decorated, as they will be, with bright and beantiful flowers, and much resembling in appearance those who have the good fortune to wear the seasonable and enperior garments manufactured by Granville Stokes the Fashioner and Clothier, No. 609 Chestnut street

who sells at prices remarkably low. COTTON AND CORN. Cotton and Corn were mighty kings, Who differed at times on certain things, To the country's dire confusion. Corn was peaceable, mild, and just, But Cotton was fond of saying " you must;"

So, after he'd boasted, bullied, and cussed, He got up a revolution. But in the course of time the bubble is bursted, And Corn is king, and cott in was worsted. Spring Clothing, of cotton, worsted, or any other me erial, cut and made in the best style, for both men and boys, at Chas Stokes' One-price Clothing Store, under

ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS UP TO 12 O'CLOCK LAST NIGHT CONTINENTAL HOTEL-Ninth and Chestnut sta

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or Philadelphia. Schra Halo. Newman, and Charter Oak, Butler, hence Schra Dam. Seventhalit.

Schra James Bliss, Hatch, from Boston, Lucy Robinsen, Davis, from Somerset, and Tiger, Goldthwait, from Saco, all for Phila telphia, sailed from Newport 27th ut Sabr Grorus Fales, Nickerson, from Providence for Philadelphia, sailed for Dutch Island Harbor 27th ult.

SPECIAL NOTICES. GILT LANDSCAPE, GOTHIC, AND PLAIN BOBDER WINDOW SHADES, at W. H PATTEN'S, 1408 CHESTNUT Street.

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HALLOWELL—ENGLISH—On Tuesday evening, the 29th uit, by the Bev. Reuben Jeffery, D. D., Alfred Hallowell to Himas O, youngest daughter of Abraham English, Req., all of this city.

BUWLE—HAYARD—On Wednesday, April 30th, by Rev. Dr. Howe, Bichard Ashburat Bowie to Louisa, daughter of Hop. Richard H. Bayard, all of this city.

GIBBONS—DAVIS,—On the 30th ult., at the residence of fire fisher, and according to the form of the religious Society of Friends, Sarah Louisa, daughter of Charles Gibbus, to Edward Morris Davis, Jr., son of the late Isaac R. Davis.

ODIORNE—FOUQUET—On the 7th ult., by the Rev. Thomas Brainerd, Mr., John Odiorne to Miss Anno R. Fouquet.

DFMOTT.—On Wadniedar narraing. April 20th, Mrs. Mars De nott, wife of Elihu Demott, aged 33 years.
The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the tuneral, from the residence of her husband, 2115 Green street, on Saturday morning, May 33, at 10 relock. o'clock
COLLADAY.—On Wednesday, April 30th, Theodore
COlladay, in the 69th year of his age
The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully
invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his
son-in-law. (has Jawell. No. 2014 Vine attest, on
Saturday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, without further notice
KIBBIN.—On the 29th ult., Daniel Kibbin, aged 44
vers. years.
The male relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 929 Fithert street, on Friday morning, at 9 o'clock, without further notice To proceed to Cathadra \*\* Cemetery.

BEINBAINE —On the 29th ult., Rev. Wm. H. Brisbane, pastor of the Green-street M. E. Church, aged 38 years. age on Monday atternoon, and will be interred in become M. E. Buriel Ground, Cecil county, Md., on Tuesday, oth instract at II o'clock.

The ministers of the M. E. Church in Philadelphia and vicinity will please meet in the Lecture Boom of the Union M. E. Church on Friday, the 2d of May, at 3 KNOX —In Louisville, Ky., on the 28th ult. Vm. Morrow Knox, M. D., Surgeon Franklin Ho-pital, Tenn., youngest son of the late Rev. Dr. Knox, of New York KELLEY,-Ou Tuesday, April 29th at her late residence Burlington, N. J., Mrs. Ann Eliza Kelley, in the dence Burnington N. J., hirs. Ann Eliza Reliey, in the 66th year, of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, to-day, (Thursday,) at 3 whick P. M.

CALLAHAN.—On the morning of the 30th ult, Mrs. Johanna Callahan, widow of the late Thomas Callahan,

aged 64 years.
Funeral from the residence of Thomas E. Sealy, South
Seventh street, below Carpenter, on Friday morning, at RINEDOLLAR .- On the 29th ult., Robt McK. Bineollar, aged 25 years Funcrat from the residence of his brother, Durbin Bindonar, No 230 Federal street, on Friday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

BENNER — Suddenly, on board of the Ocean Queen, off Fortiess Monroe, Major Henry L. Benner, U. S. Paymaster, aged 57 years.

The relatives and Irrends are invited to attend his funaral, from his late residence, No. 811 South Third street, this (Thursday) morning, at 10 o'clock.

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GREENWOOD — Ou the 28th ult., Paul, son of Sarah and the late John Greenwood, in the 16th year of his son

and the late John Greenwood, in the 16th year of his sgo.

Funeral from his mother's residence, on the Wissahickon turnpike, on Friday morning, at 10 o'clock. \*

HARPER—On the 27th ult., Biss Mary Andrews, daughter of Captain Henry and Sarah Harper, in the 24th year of her sgo.

Funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 131 Mariboroush street, above Thompson, this (Thursday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock

SNYDER.—On the 28th ult, Mrs Amanda, wite of Albert Phyder, and daughter of the late Joseph Thornton, in the 2-2 year of her ago.

Funeral from the residence of her husband, in Biohmord street, above Ann, this (Thursday) morning, at 10 o'clock.

DESSON & SON CONTINUE TO sell MOURNING GOODS at very low prices for Cash, and have just received Lupin's Black Grenadine Bareges, 50 cts; Crape Maretz and Tammatines, 25 cts; Crape Maretz and Tammatines, 25 cts; Crape Maretz and Tammatines, 25 cts; Crape Maretz and Crape Widths. 64 yery Lupin's Darcges in Shawl and Prons Within, at very low prices; Black Silk Challes, 37% ots; Silk Grenadines, 75 cts; Black and White Foulands, 50 cts; Black and White neat striped and Checked Silks, 62% ots; Black Grenadine Bareges, 12% cts; Shopherd's Plaid Mohair Gioths, 15 and 25 cts; Gray Chene Toile du Nord and Monsecilius, 12% cts, &c. Ous-clines, 12% cts, &c.
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ington avenue. E. S. HALL, Socretary, A LADIES' FAIR, FOR THE BENE-tion." N.J., is now open, and will continue until the third of May

NOTICE—THE GIRARD LIFE INFUBANCE ANNUITY AND TRUST COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA—The Annual Election
for fourteen managers of the Company will be held
exceedly to the charter, at their office, No. 498 GHESTNUT Street, an MONDAY, the 5th day of Many, instant,
between the hours of 10 A. M. and 12 M. moon.

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JNO. F. JAMES, Actuary.

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OFFICE OF THE RELIANCE MUTUAL INSUIANCE COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA, April 30, 1862—A general meeting of the
Stockholders of this Company will be held on THURSDAY, the 21st day of May noxt, at 12 o'clock M., at the
Office, No. 508 WALNUT Street, for the purpose of acting on the acceptance of an act of the General Assembly
of the Commonwealth, cuttisted "An act to repeal corvain
acts supplementary to an act entitled An act to incorporate the Reliance Insurance and Trust Company," to
reduce the authorized capital of the Company, and to
change the conporate name thereof to that of the Reliance Insurance Open of Philadelphia, approved the
24th day of April, A. D. 1862. ance Leaurence Company of Philadelphia, approved the 24th day of April, A. D. 1862.

B. M. HINCHMAN, myl-thackutmy21 Secretary.

OFFICE LEHIGH COAL AND NAVIGATION COMPANY.
PHILABELPHIA, April 25, 1862.
The stated Annual M-eting of the Stockholders of the
LEHIGH COAL AND NAVIGATION COMPANY
will be held at the BUARD OF TRADE ROUM, north
side of Chestnut street, above Fifth street, on TUESDAY
MONNING, the 6th day of May next, at half-past ten
o'clock; after which an Election will be held at the
same place for Officers of the Company for the ensuing
year. Said election to close at two o'clock P M of the same place for Officers of the Company for the ensuing year. Said election to close at two o'clock P. M. of the same day.

JAMES UOX, ap30-3t

President.

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OFFICE OF THE AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 510 WALNUI STREET.—A general meeting of the Stocknoiders in the American Fire Insurance Company will be held, agreeably to charter, on MONDAY, the 5th day of May next, at 12 o'check, M. The annual election for Directors will take place imme iately thereafter, A. O. L. CRAWFOKB, ap26-stathun5 Secretary.

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GONTRIBUTORS TO THE PENNSYLVANIA
HOSPITAL are notified that their Annual Election for
Twelve Managers and a Treasurer will be held at the
HOSPITAL, KIGHTH below Spruce street, on Fifth
Month. FIFTH, (Monday, May 5th) 1862, at 4 o'clock
P. M. WISTAR MORRIS, Secretary. ap 28-tmy 5

OFFICE CATAWISSA RAILROAD GOMPANY, No. 308 WALNUT Street, Phila-delphia. April 25, 1862 delphia. April 25, 1862

NOTI: B TO STOCK HOLDEBS.—The sanual ELEG-NOTI: B TO STOCK HOLDEBS.—The sanual ELEG-TON, for President and Directors, will be held on MONDAY, the 5th day of May, 1862, at the Office of the Company, No 308 WALNUT Street. The polls will be open from 10 o'clock A. M. to 3 o'clock P. M.

The Transfer Books will be closed on Wednesday, the 30th day of May, 1e62

WILLIAM B. FISHER, ap26-101 JOHN B. GOUGH'S GREATEST LEC-TURK, "HERE AND THERE IN BRITALE," will be delivered in the ACADEMY OF MUSIC, on TUESDAY EVENING, May 6th, at 8 o'clock. Leeerved S ats in the Parquet, Parquet Circle, Balcony, 800 Orchestra, 50 cents. may be had at the door of the ACALEMY and MARTIEN'S, 666 Chestnut Tickets for the Family Circle 25 cents, for sale at Mar-tion's and the Tract House, 929 Chestnut street. Those who wish to hear this thrilling lecture should apply early for tickets

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Treasurer. SCHUYLKILL AND SUSQUEHANNA
RAILROAD COMPANY—Office 227 South
FOURTH Street.—PHILABLEHIA APRIJA, 1862.—The
Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this company,
and an election for President and Fix Managers will take
place at the office of the Company, on MONDAY. May
5th, at 12 o'clock M. W. H. MOILHENNEY,
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The materials for these arms nessi be of the very best quality, and no mall-able iron parts will be allowed to be used. All the articles must be subject to the inspection prescribed by the Ordnance Regulations, and must be bearing the contractors, in such manner as may be directed. Iuspections will be made at the factories in lots of not less than 1,000 each.

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