THE PRESS.-PHILADELPHIA, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1862.

they inquired where a broker might be found; I told them, and they left the store; at night when I count-ed my cash I found I was short six dollars. Mirs. Wilson, the wife of the above witness, fully identified the accused as being the two men who A TRAIN OF SICK AND WOUNDED SOL-THE CITY. DIERS.--- Yesterday morning, about 9 o'clock, a train containing about five hundred sick and wounded sol-The Thermometer. DECEMBER 16, 1661. DECEMBER 16, 1662. 6 A. M....12 M.....3 P. M. 6 A. M....12 M.....3 P. M. 33......44......44. 55.......45.......44./2 WIND. WIND. \$\$SW...SW by S...SSW. SW....WSW...WSW. diers, from the hospitals at Alexandria, Washington, identified the accused as being the two men who were at the store. Edmond A. Morgan, a clerk in a store at York avenue and Callowhill street, testified that at about four o'clock yesterday afternoon the prisoners came into the store and presented a \$20 reasury note, and asked to have it changed. I examined the note, and, being suspicious, said I thought it was a coun-terfeit. They became very indignant indeed, and offered to bet me one hundred dollars the note was good; they were very insolent indeed, and finally de-parted very indignant. and other places, reached the Baltimore depot, Broad and Prime streets. The men were removed to the Oi-tizens' Volunteer, Hospital, opposite the depoty where they were provided with temporary accommo-dations, until the arrival of the ambulances belong-ing to the firemen. The soldiers were then conveyed HIGHLY IMPORTANT RELATIVE TO THE

EXCISE LAW.—The following important communi-cation, received by J. Fletcher Budd, assessor of the Third district, from Chief Commissioner Boutwell, explains itself:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF INTERNAL REVENUE, WASHINGTON, December 11, 1862. Sin: Mr. R. J. Walker, of the Girard Finishing Works, in your district, has submitted to this office a statement of the nature of the business in which he is engaged, by which it appears that the goods finished by him are not his property, but that they belong to the manufacturers thereof, and that his business consists merely in dressing, refolding, and putting them in cases ready for the market.

ployees in regard to manage the party to manufacture, make, or *finish* the goods, wares, and mer-chandise, or *articles*, paying or promising to pay therefor, and receiving the goods, wares, and mer-chandise, or articles, whether the parties are in the chandise, or articles, whether the parties are in the manufacture articles is the party so employed therefor, and receiving the goods, wares, and mer-chandise, or articles, whether the parties are in the same or in different places, the party so employed may not be required to pay the tax on the value thereof. Provided, That at the request of the assessor or assistant assessor, the party employed shall make out. a list, subscribed and sworn, which list shall state the number or quality of the goods, wares, and merchandise, or articles manufactured, made, or fla-ished during each month, as may be required by law in each case, and, as near as may be, the value thereof, together with the name and usual place of business of the party for whom the labor is performed. If the parties have, their usual place of business in the same district where the list is inade out, then the tax due thereon shall be assessed to the party for whom, the labor is performed. But if the parties have their usual place of business in different dis-tricts, then the assessor of the district where in the party for whom the labor is performed has his usual place of business, to the end that the tax due on such list may be paid by such party." By this regu-lation you will see that Mr. Walker, not being the owner, is not liable for the tax which may be as-sessed thereon, but that he must make monthly re-ture of the goods, but simply an employee of the owner, is not liable for the tax which may be as-sessed thereon, but that he must make monthly re-ture of the some tage the regular for the garding the days is not liable for the tax which finished the set of the goods, but simply an employee of the owner, the must make monthly re-ture of the some tage the regular finished the tax chas finished seed thereon, but that he must make monthly re-rn of the amount and value of the goods finished "him, to the end that the tax thereon may be paid

by the owner thereof.

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 Yery respectfully, GEO. S. BOUTWELL, Commissioner.
 To J. FLETCHER BUDD, Third District U. S. Assessor, Philadelphia, Pa.
 P. S.—You will notice that, if the tax has not been paid on the goods before they were so finished, then the tax is to be paid on their full value; but if the tax was paid previous to finishing, then only on the *increased value*; in either case the tax is to be paid by the owner of the goods, according to the foregoing regulations. Commissioner.

BONDED GOODS RECEIVED.—The follow ing are the goods received at the United States bonded stores, Front and Lombard, from January Ist to December 1st, 1862. The sugars amounted to 9,990 hhds., 1,022 tierces, 321 bbls., 1,252 boxes; liquors, 815 casks; coffee, 3,710 bags; dry goods, 569 packages; cocoa, 542 bags. While these stores repackages; cocoa, 542 bags. While these stores re-ceive all kinds of imported goods in bond, still they are the only stores in this port which receive bonded sugars. At various times during the year the im-portation of sugar. was so large that the Patterson block was inadequate to hold all that arrived. S. & W. Welsh, and others, were therefore compelled to bond private stores to receive their own importa-tions. A vast lot of sugars was imported and de-livered by the custom house inspectors also, on cash permits, on the wharf. The present, we learn, has been the largest sugar season in this port for many years.

At the request of Collector Thomas, the Secretary of the Treasury has permitted the stores to be used by the U.S. Marshal for the warehousing apprized cargoes, several of which are now stored therein waiting the action of the court. The like permis-sion has been accorded also to the medical departnon has been accorded also to the mented depart-ment for the storing of army drugs, a large quantity of which is now on hand. The free sections of the warehouse have been rented by New Yorkers, who have stored many thousand barrels of apples therein, prior to their shipment for New Orleans and other nent for New Or

Resolved, That a committee of ten be appointed to confer with a proper committee of Councils upon the subject, and adopt such other measures as will protect the tax-payers on Broad street, and other ons of the proposed line, from injury and cer-depreciation of the value of their property, h would inevitably ensue upon the construc-of the proposed resilicand. Southern points. Taking into consideration the state of the country, the operations of this branch of the Government service, during the past year, have been most gratifying. If the coming year is the re-cipient of the same success, the Government will have no serious cause of complaint. The chairman appointed the following committee : Dr. David Jayne, Amos Ellis, H. N. Fitzgerald, Richard Peterson, Theodore H. Vetterlein, John H. Michener, T. B. Peterson, Amos R. Little, Thos. D. Smith, and Mr. Fox, when, on motion, the meeting adjourned. RECENT DECISIONS UNDER THE TAX

to the various army hospitals about the city. The following are the names of those who belong to parted very indignant. John A. Winteroth sworn—These two men; J

Pennsylvania and New Jersey regiments: PENNSYLVANIA REGIMENTS. John McIntyre, F, 12 Wm Wonderiy, E, 84 Geo Adams, D, 1st Art Geo O Welder, G, 45 Lewis G Sype, D, 62 Wm H Jones, E, 88 Isaac Byerly, C, 67 Ernest Walker, B, 74 E S Pembleton, E, 63 Corp Jas Lewis, G, 50 Geo L Glen, G, 102 Graffins Weston, E, 45 Graffins Weston, E, 45 Jos Ashworth, C, 96 Jacob Fry, C, 105 Jno Murphy, B, 118 Michael Dorgan, E, 124 hironael Dorgan, E, 124 Jao Gabel, F, 98 Byron Pierce, K, 141 Sergt G W, Agnew, G, 2 S S Walter, N, 72 C S K Brink, E, 95 Samuel David, E, 103 E S Pembleton, F, 53 Fred Walder, C, 56 Danl Sherer, A, 12 Cav Amos Yeakel, G, 145 Joshua Morgan, A, 110 John Purcell, K, 96 Edward Bouck, G, 73 James P Ross, I, 51 Jas Stratton, G, 91 Samuel Pew, F, 57 Andrew F Ennis, K, 145 John Bailey, K, 50 Lewis Bimber, F, 145 Jacob Kilpinger, K, 131 S D Brunwell, C, 84 H G Heminger, K, 128 J Strinefellow, H, 130 S Ruth, D. 121 A S Ruth, D, 121 Chas Viale, A, 141 John Daitzinger, D, 47 Henry Riley, A, 88 J F Hippenstere, H, 72 W H Ambrose, E, 11 A Fortescue, I, 73 W N Gaughey, K, 109 Pat Madden, E, 110 Wm E Leard, M, 102 s Durkens, F, Manuel H Bowse

Jacob Fisher, F, 61 Jos McCullough, K Peter Heminger, K A Metzgar, K, 122 David Lovely, K, 136 Jno O'Neill, E, 69 A Metzgar, K, 122 Jno O'Neill, E, 69 Jos Dickerson, G, 106 G Ferris, H, 52 Conrad Figg, E, 133 Jacob Shaffer, G, 71 Jas Campbell, C, 69 Jas Campbell, C, 69 Simon Hymire, K, 145 Aug B Pierce, H, 84 O H Folweiler, F, 132 Sami Plankerton, E, 136 O J F Brownwell, G, 84 H Pennybecker, K, 8 Cav Henry Dougherty, A, 71

NEW JERSEY REGIMENTS. William Norton, G, 3 William H Palmer, K, 4 Robert Wallace, B, 31 Wm Hemmore, G, 1 cav Charles Morris, 1, 27 Jacob Stone, B. 11 Francis Grant. A. 1 John Jackson, C, 11 Walter Coulton, B, 7 William Ward, I, 11 John M Peters, D, 4] Wm M Shipman, A, 2 J H Woodruff, H, 2

Runyon J Walker, I, 3 Joseph Bowman, B, 27 P Bian, C, 27 Corp A Knoffin, I, 29 Henry Bakely, D, 25 John W Reeves, F, 25 John P Sulton, F, 25 John W Reeves, F, 25 P Bian, C, 27 John P Sulton, F, 25 J Applegate, C, 27 George Miller, E, 3 B P Jackson, C, 27 J H Eldridge, E, 27 J Keller, E, 8 Edmund Chandler, B, 11 Joseph M Adams, G, 24 Oharles P Fish, F, 4 Richard R Ayres, H, 24 F F Mott, B, 27 Eli Leighton, E, 29

was his.

answer.

A Man Takes a Coat.

Prairie Hens.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

THE TESTIMONY.

Common Pleas – Judges Thompson and Allison.

OPPOSED TO A RAILROAD ON BROAD STREET.—Last evening a meeting of owners of real estate residing upon Broad street was held at the Mechanics' engine house, Brown street, for the purpose of taking measures to prevent the laying of a freight and passenger railroad upon Broad street. Mr. J. H. Michener presided, and T. B. Peterson,

Esq., offered the following preamble and resolutions,

Mr. J. H. Michener, presided, and T. B. Peterson, Esq., offered the following preamble and resolutions, which were unanimously agreed to:
 Whereas, The Navy Yard, Broad-street, and Fair-mount Passenger Railway Company have secured a charter, purporting to authorize the construction of a passenger railroad, to commence at the corner of Broad and Federal streets, thence east to Front street, thence south to Wharton street, thence west to Broad street, thence up Broad to Spring Garden street, thence west out Spring Garden to Fair-mount; to be built as all other passenger railways are built in this city; and whereas, an attempt is now being made to lay a single track, with three rails, from the corner of Broad and Prime streets, up Broad street to Girard avenue and thence down Girard avenue, to connect with other streets, so as to connect the depot of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad, in Kensington, with the depot of the Philadelphia, Wilmington, and Baltimore Railroad at Broad and Prime, for the express purpose of transporting passengers and freight in large, eight-wheeled cars, through Philadelphia without change of cars; a course of travel which would prove de-structive to the interest of property owners on Broad street and Girard avenue, and would prove to be as great a nuisance as the long mule teams on Market street: therefore;
 Resolved, That we approve of the course of the committee in applying to court for an injunction against the construction of the road, and that they be instructed to use all legal and honorable means to prevent the desceration of Broad street, the finest avenue in the county, for the benefit of a few specu-lators.
 Resolved, That a committee of ten be appointed to

vs. Henry F. Blandy et al. In error to the Circuit Court of the United States for the Southern districts of Ohio. On motion of Mr. Lincoln the Judgment of the said Circuit Court in this cause was reversed, Adjourned until to-morrow morning, at eleven

Adjourned o'clock. PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF TRADE. ISRAEL MORRIS, JOSEPH C. GRUBB, EDMUND A. SOUDER,

LETTER BAGS

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 17, 1862.

good; they were very insolent indeed, and finally departed very indigmant.
John A. Winteroth sworn—These two men; I think they are the ones, entered my store about two o'clock yesterday afternoon with a twenty-dollar treasury note; they desired to have it changed; they wanted small notes; I told them I might change it if they would take a couple of five; I counted out the fives, and also some ten or twelve small notes, picking out the best of them; one of the men picked up the notes, and I told him to put them down, as they were not all counted out yet; he then "grabbed" the money a second time, and looking at the notes, threw them down, and said they would not do; I took the money back and they started for an exchange office; when they went out I felt rather suspicious, and, on making an examination of my account, found I was short about fifteen dollars.
A. package of notes found on the prisoners was now submitted to the inspection of the witness." He marked a §5 note, Ceoil County Bahk, Md.; §5 note, Coosoliation Bank, and a §2 bill, which he thought looked very much like the notes taken from him. There were no private marks on them by which he could positively identify them.
Oliver Wilson, storekeeper, 510 'Callowhill street, testified that, between 4 and 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the prisoners called at his store, and, stepping into his counting-house, asked him to change a \$20 note. He threw it down on the desk; and asked if I could "break it into small notes." I commenced founting out small notes—one, two, three, four, five, six—and when I reached about sixteen, one of the men picked about sixteen, one of the insense. Laughter.].
John P. Barron, store-keeper, 121 South Eighth street. These men came into my store about one o'clock vesterday and asked me to change a twenty-dollar treasury note. I counted out three fives, and, while getting five in small notes. I handed them thol them they had better go to some bank. In two or three minutes after they had gon

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OLEARED. Schr Harper, Coombs, Barbadoes, S & W Welsh. Schr Wm Arthur, Haskill, Portland, L Audenried This witness marked a note which he thought

c Co. Schr D Smith, Williams, Providence, J R White, Schr Armenia, Cavalier, New York, C A Heck-

scher & Co. Schr Eva Bell, Lee, New York, J R Blakiston. Schr O F Hawley, Buckley, Newport, Castner,

was his. Ephraim Y. Apple, bookkeeper at a store 217 Cal-lowhill street, testified that four or five weeks since two men came into the store, and I changed a \$20 note for them—in small bills; he looked at them and said they would not do, he desired others. They went away, and upon counting the money I had on hand, found five dollars missing. I believe the prisoners are the same men who called on me at that time, O. F. Davis, of S10 Chestnut street testified that tickney & Wellington. Schr J M Vance, Burdge, Brooklyn, Tyler, Stone

Co. Schr White Squall, Pierce, Fortress Monroe, do Schr G W Cummings, Weldin, Fortress Monroe, Noble, Caldwell & Co. Schr J W Phillips, Phillips, New Hayen, do Schr T P Cooper, Taylor, Appanaug, J Milnes

x Co. Schr A Cordery, Babcock, Port Royal, Hammett, Yan Dusen & Lochman. Schr S Seymour, Room, Washington, Thos Web, Ider Ir ster, Jr.

name, found five dollars infishing. If believe the prisoners are the same men who called on me at that time.
O. F. Davis, of 810 Chestnut street, testified that at about one o'clock yesterday afternoon the prisoners came into the store and asked to have a note changed; I had my bank account already made out, but felt inclined to accommodate them; I took out thirty dollars from the pile, and laid some five-dollar notes on the desk; they wanted small notes; did not care whether they were treasury notes or not; finding they could not be satisfied, they received back their note and departed; I counted over my money again, and found five dollars missing; they crowded on ime while. I was-counting, the money, and I thought this somewhat strange; the note I lost was a treasury five.
A. M. Park, 820 Market street, testified that on the 18th of last motte, and aget it; picked up my money ad threw it, back into the drawer, and at night found my account §5 short; the prisoners look like them or yesterday on the same business, but they got no change; they want after them to put my neighbors on their guard.
A. M. Park, a son of the preceding witness, testified as to the identification of the parties who paid the store and street for the stores in the neighborhood, and I went after them to put my neighbors on their guard. BY TELEGRAPH. [(Correspondence of the Philadelphia Exchange.) LEWES, Del, Dec 16. The bark Irma, from Porto. Cabello, came to the Breakwater this morning. The ship Grey Eagle, from Rio de Janeiro, passed up yesterday afternoon. The barks Imperador, for Pernambuco; Hanson Gre-gory, for New Orleans; Ellen McDonald, for Ha-yana. Chaso for Lagnarys. Aurs for Margeillas yana; Chaso, for Laguayra; Aura, for Marseilles, and six brigs, all outward bound, are at the Break-water. Wind W, accompanied with rain. The brig Breeze, from Rio, has also come in. Yours, &c. JOHN P. MARSHALL.

MEMORANDA. Steamship Saxon, Matthews, hence, arrived at Soston 15th inst. Ship Albert Gallatin, Stover, from Calcutta, at Boston 15th inst. Brig Mary Stetson, Gilkey, hence, at Port Royal

Brig L T Knight, Park, hence, arrived at Boston 15th inst. Schr Ann E Smith, Brewer, hence, arrived at Port

tified as to the identification of the particle and particle and the store a visit last month. The defendants were committed in default of \$2,500 each to answer at court. Royal 5th inst. Schrs John Price, Sears, and Martha Monroe, Bennett, hence, arrived at Port Royal 3d inst. Schr Haze, Corson, for Cape May, cleared at New A Man Takes a Coat. A colored man rejoicing in the high-sounding name of Nathaniel Alonzo Bishop, was arraigned before Alderman Beitler yesterday, on the charge of steal-ing a coat, the property of Michael Asher. It was in evidence that the owner keeps a store in South street, near Sixth. It was open on last Sunday eve-ning, and while the family were in the back roon, Nathaniel walked into the store, helped himself to the coat, and escaped with it. He was committed to answer.

York 15th inst. York 15th inst. Schrs Ann Turner, Ayres, Thos. Borden, Wright-inghtington, Mary Patterson, Godfrey, and J Frambes, Frambes, cleared at New York 15th inst. for Philadelphia. Schr Rowena, Fader, hence for St Kitts, was spo-ken 1st inst, 1at 34, long 70.

CIRCULATING LIBRARIES.

BROTHERHEAD'S CIRCULA-

SHERIFF'S SALES. SHERIFF'S SALE .- BY VIRTUE OF

SHERIFF'S SALE. BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Venditioni Expons, to me directed, will be exposed to public sate or venduc; on MONDAY, Eve-ning, January 6, 1863, at 4 o'clock, at Sansom-street Hall, All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the late district of Spring Garden, now in the Thirteenth ward of the city of Philadelphia, on the east side of Tenth street, commencing at the distance of one hundred and forth feet northward from the north side of Brown street, and containing in front or breadth on said Tenth street soventizes feet, and extending of that width in length or depth quarkward between lines at right angles to said Tenth street on the north line seventy-six leet three inches and one-half of an inch to a point, and on the south line seventy-four feet eleven inches and three-eightis of an inch to a point; and on the south fine there of forty-nine feet seven inches and three-eightis of an inch to a point; and on the south of an inch, including the one-half of a certain two-feet six-inches wide culley on the north, line dopening out and fronting on said Centre street. Southward, by the said fronting on said Centre street. Bunded northward by other ground of the said James McCullough Farr and fronting on said Centre street. Bunded northward by other ground of the said James McCullough Farr and fronting on said Centre street. Bunded northward by other ground of the said James McCullough Farr and fronting on said centre street. Bunded and conveyed unto John Shade on ground reat, southward by ground of by indenture dued the thirteenth day of May, Auno Do-min the hundred to be grouted and donveyed unto John Shade on ground reat, southward by ground of by indenture dued the thirteenth day of May, Auno Do-min one thousand eight hundred and fifty-stoven, re-corded in Philadelphia in Deed Book R. D. W., No, 133, mage 208, &c., granted and conveyed unto the said John Hendley, in fee, reserving thercout unto the said James McCullough Farr, his heirs and assigns, the yearly reat and fity cents, payable i

CHERIFF'S SALE BY VIRTUE OF With be exposed to public sale or vendue, on MONDAY Evening, January 5, 1853, at 4 o'clock, at Sansom-street Hall.

will be exposed to public sale or vendue, on MONDAY Evening, January 5, 1833, at 4 o'clock, at Sansom'street Hall. No. 1 All fint, certain lot or pice of ground with the two-story frame dwelling with kitchen back, thereon erected, situate on the northwesterly side of Thomas' Mill road (now called Cottage:streel); at Chestaut Hill, in the Twenty-second ward of the city of Philadelphia, containing in front or breadth on said road forty feet, and extending in length or depth, between parallel lines at right angles with said road, in a northwesterly direction, about one hundred and ten field six inches, to land of John H. Shultz. Bounded on the northeest by ground now or late of Cephas G, Chnids, fund on the southeast by Thomas' Mill road foresaid. No.2. And, also, all that certain lot or picee of ground, with the two-story frame dwelling with kitchen back thereon erected, Radjoining the above-described promi-ses, situate on the northwesterly side of Thomas' Mill road, (now called Cottage street,) at Chestnat Hill, in the Twenty-second ward of the city of Philadelphia, contain-ing in front or breadth on said road forty feet, and ex-tending in length or depth, between parallel lines at right angles with said road, in a northwesterly direction, about one hundred and ten feet six inches, to land of John H. Shultz. Bounded on the northwesterly direction, about. Being the same premises which Cephas G. Childs, and on the southeest by Thomas' Mill road aforesaid. Deed Book R. D. W., No. 6, pages 282–200, &c., granted and covered under and waten of waten feet. Scized and taken in excention as the property of Samuel Watson, and to be soid by *Deed Book R. D. W.*, No. 6, pages 282–200, &c., granted and covered under and waten sthe property of Samuel Watson, and to be soid by *Deed Book R. D. W.*, No. 6, pages 282–200, &c., granted and covered under samuel Watson in fee.] Scized and taken in excention as the property of Samuel Watson, and to be soid by *Deed Book R. D. W.*, No. 6, pages 282–200, &c., granted and converd un

SHERIFFS SALE_BY WIRTUE OF SHEETEF'S SALE,—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale or vendne, on MONDAY Evon-ing, January 5, 1850, at 4 o' clock, at Sansom stricet Hall. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate on the east side of Tenth street at the distance of two hundred feet northward from the north side of Montgomery street, in the late district of Penn, now within the city of Phila-delphin, containing in front or breath on the said Tenth street one hundred feet, and extending in length or depth eastward of that width between lines, parallel with the side Montgomery street, on the north line thereof one hundred and sixty-cight feet three and seven-eighths inches, and on the south line thereof one hundred and seventy-four feet cleven inches to the Germantown and Norristown Railroad. Bounded northward and south-ward by ground of John B. Canne, eastward by the said Germantown and Norristown, Railroad, and westward by the said Tenth, street. Subject to the payment of a yearly rent or sum of one hundred and sixty-two dollars. [Being the same premises which the said John B. Canne, by Indenture dated June 16, 1857, recorded in Deed iBook R. D.'W. No. 189, page 60, granted and conveyed to John G. Burk, his heirs and assigns, reserving the said yearly-rent or sum of one hundred and sixty-two dollars, prime and Norristown in the south the south street. Subject to the payment of a yearly rent or one hundred and sixty-two dollars. Book R. D.'W. No. 189, page 60, granted and conveyed to John G. Burk, his heirs and assigns, reserving the said yearly rent or sum of one hundred and sixty-two dollars, payra-ble half yearly on the first day of the months of April and October in every year thereafter forewer.]

Burk, and to be sold by JOHN THOMPSON, Sheriff.
 Philadelphia, Sheriff's Office, December 12, 1852.
 [D. C., 350; D., 52.] Debt, \$639.48. Olmsted. del7-st

SHERIFF'S SALE BY VIRTUE OF HIGKITT'S SALE.—BY VIKTUE OF a writ of Venditioni Expones, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale or vendue, on MONDAY Eve-ning, January 5, 1863, at 4 o'clock, at Sansom-street Hall, All that certain three-story brick messuage or tene-ment and lot or piece of ground situate at the northwest corner of a ten-feet-wide court or alley leading into and from Twenty-third (late Ashton) street, called "Bunting's Alley;" and the said Twenty-third street, in the Bighth ward of the city of Philadelphia, containing in front or predith on the said Bunting's alley sixteen feet, and ex-tending of that breadth in length or depth northward along the west side of the said Twenty-third street forty-seven feet three inches. Bounded northward by ground

DEPUTY QUARTERMASTER GENE DARY of FICE, PROPOSALS OFFICE, PROPOSALS will be received at this office until SATUR-DAY, the 20th inst., at 12 o'clock M., for the delivery in this city, on or before the 31st inst, of FITY PORTABLE FOLICES, No. 2, "Queon," with anvil and tools com-

PROPOSALS.

FOIGES, No. 2, "Queen," Will Matvi and tools com-plete. Malo, TWO THOUSAND WAGON COVERS, to be well made, matervial to be cut fifteen feet long, four breadths wide, of 28% inch, 10 onnee army standard cotton duck, subject to inspection, Proposals will be endorsed "Pro-uosals for Forges," or "Proposals for Wagon Covers" as the case may be. The right is reserved to roject all bids deemed too high. de166t

Dep. dr. m. Gon. Dep. dr. m. Gon. Dep. dr. m. Gon. NUTED until the 26th day of DECEMBER, 1852, for furnishing the Subsistence Department at Washington, D. C. with 400 tons of HAY, in balgs. The first delivery to be commenced on or about the 6th day of JANUARY, 1863, and the whole quantity put in within thirty days from the first delivery. The Hay to be delivered at Sixth-street wharf, and to be weighed and inspected. Bidders must state in their bids the price per 100 pounds at which they will furnish the Hay. Firms making bids must state the names of all the particle interested.

Parties interested. Payments to be made in certificates of indebtedness, or such funds as Government may have for distribution. Bids to be directed to GoL A. BECKWITH, A. D. G. and C. S. U. S. A., Washington, D. C., and endorsed "Proposals for Hay.". del5-t28

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DEF UI Y QUARTERMANTER CENTRE PROPOSALS will be received at this office until WEDNESDAY, 17th inst, at 12'o'clock' Mi, for the de-livery in this city on or before 31st December, 1862, of the following articles: Two thousand Tar Buckets. Two thousand Whips (Black-snake), 5½ feet long. Three thousand Curry Combs. All to be of the best quality of their several kinds, and subject to inspection. The right is reserved to reject all bids deemed to high. del3-4t Captain and Ass't Quartermaster U.S.A.

DROPOSALS FOR BOOTS.

An invoice of GUVES AND GAUNTLETS. GLOVES AND GAUNTLETS. - men S flue cloth gloves; cashmere gloves. - lined Lisle, thread and silk do. - cashmere Berlin, and silk do. - lined buck and heaver gloves and gauntlets. - lined buck and heaver gloves and gauntlets. - lined buck and heaver gloves and gauntlets. - stripe merino half hese. - PARIS KID AND CLOTH GLOVES. - PH, GOURVOUSINS BEST MAKE - do do. do. cloth gloves. - do do. do. cloth gloves. - 74 West of England blue beavers. - 74 French tricets.

PROPOSALS FOR BOOTS. PROPOSALS for 500 Pairs Boots for the United States Navy will be received until.SATURDAY NOON, Decom-ber 20, at the office of the NAVY AGENT, 112 South THIRD Street. SIZES OF THE BOOTS.—The Boots shall be plainly stamped on the sole with the descriptive numbers in figures, half an inching length; and with the Contractor's name and the year when mide: the stores to be in the following proportion for each 100 pairs, unleas otherwise ordered—Viz: 8 of No. 5, 17 of No. 6, 25 of No. 7, 25 of No. 8,16 of No. 9, 7 of No. 10, and 2 of No. 1. They shall conform in all respects to the samples at the Yards, be delivered in good, streng boxes, the tops of-which to be securely fastened by screws, and each box to contain 25 pairs, packed as follows—viz: 8 bairs of No. 5 with 17 of No. 6; 13 of No. 7, with 12 of No. 8, or vice versa', 16 of No. 9 with 7 of No. 10, and 2 of No. 11. 'Specimens can be seen at the United States Inspector's office, Swanson and Washington streets. 'AMESS S. CHAMBERS, Navy Agent.

DROPOSALS FOR BEEF.

PROPOSALS FOR BIELF. Oprice of NAVY AGENT, 12 SOUTH THIRD STREET, PHILADELPHA. PROPOSALS will be received at this office and SATURDAY NOON, December 20th, for furnishing FIVE HUNDRED BARRELS OF BEEP, to be delivered at the PHILADELPHIA NAVY YARD within thirty days from the date of the acceptance of proposal for the same; the BEEF and BARRELS to be of the quality and description invariably required for the use of the Navy. The barrels shall be criticity new, and be made of the bost's cassoned heart of white oak staves and heading; the staves shall not be less than three-fourths of an inch thick. They shall be three-fourths nooped over with the best white oak or hickory hoops. Each barrel shall be of the internal capacity of thirty-two gallons, and shall be branded on its head, by burning, "Navy Beef," the weight and year when packed, and on the bung stave with the letter "B," and be subject to the inspection of the Inspector of Provisions, and deliverable at his store-house, at PRIME and SWANSON Streets, without extra charge. No more shall be thought of an indes accompanied by

Charge . No proposals will be considered unless accompanied by a guarantee. JAMES S. CHAMBERS; del8-6t Navy Agent.

DEPUTY QUARTERMASTER GENE DEPUTY QUARTERMASTER GENE-RAL'S OFFICE, PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 11, 1862. PROPOSALS, will be received at this office until TUESDAY, 23d instant, at 12 o'clock M., for the burial of all the soldiers who may die at any of the following United States Military Hospitals, from the 1st of January. to the 1st of October, 1863: Hospital at 6th and Master streets, Philadelphia. Do, at 22d and Wood streets, do. Do, at 22d and Wood streets, do. Do, at 12th and Buttonwood streets, do. Do, at 12th and Buttonwood streets, do. Do, at 12th and Buttonwood streets, do. Do, at 12th and South streets, do. Do, at 10th and Christian streets, do. Do, at 10th and Orris streets, do. Do, at 20th and Morris streets, do. Do, at Byoad and Cherys streets, do. at Broad and Cherry streets, on Race, below Sixth street, at Hraddington, at Chester. at West Philadelphia. at Heston ville. at Germantown, at Islington Lane. Itals in process of creetion at C 요즘 다음을 감독했다.

GREENWOOD FORGE FOR SALE. This desirable Property, with excellent Water Power and conveniences for making, charcoal blooms, with about sixty-five acres of productive farm and chest-nut-timber land, will be offered at Public Sale, on the pre-mises, at PENNINGTONVILLE, Chester county, on the ion at Chestnut Hill. a

SALE OF MEDICAL AND MISCELLANFOUS FROM A LIBRARY SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS, Sec. December 17, at the Apetion Store, community at a o'elock, a collection of medical and miscellaneous books from a library; also, surgical instruments, de SALE OF FURS, FURS, ON MONDAY MORNING, December 22, will be sold, an assortment of fachion able furs, in sable, may the, fitch, squirrel, and, mink, in setts and pieces. POM a HODATY 7 Miss, surgical instruments, ac.
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 ALSO, in the second story. Sales Room, the superior bedding, &c. front a family declination, bid.
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LARGE ROSITIVE SALE OF DRY. GOODS. ON THUESDAY MORNING. December 18, at 10 o'clock, will be sold by catalogue a 4 months' credit-

About 755 packages and lots of British, German, French About 775 packages and lots of British, German, French and American dry goods, embracing a large and general assortment of staple and fancy articles, in woolens worsteds, linen and cotton, and silks.

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FOR SALE OR TO LET-FOUR HOUSES, on the west side of BROAD Street, below Columbia avenue. Apply at the southwest corner of NINTH and SANSOM streets. mh23-tf

TO RENT-A THREE-STORY above Twelfth, north side. Rent low to a good tenant. Apply to WETHERILL & BROTHER, jelz 47 and 49 North SECOND Street. TO RENT-A THREE-STORY

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LEHMAN Streets, with stable and carriage house; lot 71 by 171 feet. Also, "The Philadelphia House," at Cape May, with or without the furniture. The house contains 31 cham-bers, large parlor, dining room and kitchen, with bake house, wash house, &c., &c. Lot 66 by 700 feet, and stabling for 14 horses—pleasantly situated, and will be sold very cheup. Alarge variety of Cottages, Farms, and city properties, for sale or exchange Also, 3 Grist Mills, with lands and houses attached. B. F. GLENN, 123 South FOURTH Street, del3-tf or S, W. corner Seventeenth and Green.

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SALE OF POPULAR MISCELLANEOU'S BUOKS OF VARIOUS INTERESTING SUBJECTS ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON December 18; at the Auction Store, consumering at 1 o'clock, a collection of popular miscellaneous books, on

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EEAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SAL2 AGE A LARGE amount at Private Sale, including they description of city and country property. Printed lists may be had at the Auction Store.

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Sale for Account United States WOOL, COTTON, AND LEATHER CUTTINGS ON SATURDAY MORNING, December 20, at 10 o'clock, at the Austion Booms, a large quantity of wool, cotton, and leather cutings also, about 3,000 lbs paper. SALE OF IMPORTED DRY GOODS. ON FRIDAY MORNING, Dec. 19, at 10 o'clock, on 4 months' credit— 400 lots of fancy and staple imported dry goods. Samples and catalogues early on morning of sale.

Sale for Account United States, PACKING BOXES, LUMBER, HOOP-IRON, &c. ON TUESDAY MOIRING. December 23, at 10 o'clock, at the United States Arcent near Gray's Ferry, a large quantity of empty boxes, lumber, hoep-iron, &c. VIENNA, BROCHE, AND CHAINE LAINE SHAWLS, OF A CELEBRRATED MANUFACTURE, ON FRIDAY MORNING ON FRIDAY MORNING An invoice of - super. colored centres. Vienna broche long shawls. - do black chalne laine and broche do. - extra quality camels' hair SALEOF CHOTH, BERLIN, SILK, BUCK, AND BEAVER GLOVES AND GAUNTLETS. C. J. WOLBERT, AUCTION MART.

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The subscriber will give his attention to sales of heat Estate, Merchandise, Houseboid Furniture, Fancy Goda Paintings, objects of Art and Virtne, &c.; all of which shall have his personal and prompt attention, and for which he solicits the favors of his friends.

RICH CHINA AND FANCY GUODS, FANCY PLATER WARE, &c. - ON THURSDAY AND FRIDAY MORNING December 38th and 19th, at 10.0 clock, at 30.18 South Sixth street, below Market street. A large and general assortment of rich china, silver plated ware, and fancy goods.

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- 74 French tricolse SOIE RIBBONS, COLORED, BLACK POULT DE SOIE RIBBONS, COLORED, CABLE CORD, - ON-FRIDAY-MORNING, - cartons Nos, 22a40 extin heavy black poult de so ribbons, colored, cable, cord edge. TIONEERS, No. 213 MARKET Street. PHILIP FORD & CO., AUCTIONEERS

LARGE POSITIVE SALE OF AMERICAN AND M PORTED DRY GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, MILL NERY GOODS, &c., by catalogne. THIS MORNING, December 17, commencing at 10 o'clock precisely. Comprising about 750 lots of desirable goods, adapted to present sules. Catalogues and samples early on the morning of sala

SALE OF 1,000 CASES BOOTS, SHOES, BRO-GANS, &c. ON THURSDAY MORNING. December 18, at 10 o'clock precisely, will be sold by ca-talogue, 1,000 cases men's, bors', and yonths' calf, and kip, boots, calf and kip, brogans. Balmorals, &c. Women's, misses', and children's calf, kip, gods, kid, and morocco, heeled boots and shoes, gaiters, Balmorals, Godsgoen for examination, with catalogues, early on the morning of sale.

Catalogues and samples early on the morning of sala EMBROIDERIES. An invoice of very richly embroidered jaconst ed. lars and setts, infants robes and waists bends, flouraing. Also, a full line of richly embroidered, tacked and hemstitched linen cambric handkerchiefs, for htilday sales. RIBBONS AND MILLINERY GOODS. Also, bonnet and trimming ribbons, black and fary edge: velvet ribbons, Freuch artificial howers, black and fancy feathers, black and fancy silk velvets &c. HOSIERY GOODS, GLOVES, &c. Also, men's white aud colored shirts and drawers: the dies' gents'; and children's cotton and wool hose: A fail line- of fleecy lined, merino, and liste glovas and gamtlets; buck gloves, gaunties, and mits. Also, ladies' and misses' hoop skirts, ladies' Balaoral skirts: Also, fancy krif Germantown goods, hoods, Scarts, &e skirts: Also, fancy knit Germinntown goods, hoods, scarfs, ka 2,000 DOZEN COATS' AND WILLIAMANTIC GOTON 'Also, 2,000 dozen Coats' and Williamantce Wile spoal-cotton, Grundy, assorted colors do, or less numbers. CHINA AND GUM TOYS.

CHINA AND GUM TOLS. Also, at commencement of sale-- cases china tea setts, dolls, vases, &c. - do gum toys, gum balls, &c. LARGE SPECIAL SALE OF GERMANTOWN FANCY KNIT GOODS, HOSIERY GOODS, &c., by catalogua, ON FRIDAY MORNING. Describer 17. commencing at 10 o'clock precisely.

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SHIPPING.

BOSTON AND PHILADEL port on SATURDAYS, from second whart below SPRUCE Street, Philadelphia, and Long whart beston.

The steamship NORMAN, Capt. Baker, will sail from Philadelphia on SATURDAY, December 20, at 10 A M, and steamer SAXON, Capt. Matthews, from Boston, on SATURDAY, December 20, at 4 P. M.

These new and substantial steamships form a regular line, sailing from each port punctually on Saturdays.

Insurances effected at one half the premium charged by sail vessels.

LAW .- The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has decided that persons who make ladies' dresses to order are not to be considered as manufacturers under the tax act.

Millers are to pay licenses as wholesale or retail dealers according to the manner in which they make

sales. Owners of carding machines, doing customer work for a community, are not considered manufacturers, and therefore are not required to take out license. Farmers slaughtering a beef, and selling a part thereof, must pay a duty of thirty cents if the beef exceeds eighteen months old, and live cents if under eighteen months. Private boarding houses, known and conducted as

Farmers buying calves, and keeping the same until grown, are not considered cattle brokers, and are not required to take license as such.

are not required to take license as such. Any, person slaughtering animals, and selling the same, be they many or few, are subject to the tax. A license to wholesale liquors confers no authority upon the party holding such license, to retail liquor. Nor does a license to sell liquor authorize the sale of any other kind of merchandise. A farmer who sells the products of his own farm by travelling from house to house is not a pedler. The milk of a farmer's cows is considered as among the products of his farm, and no license is required for the sale thereof. A person other than a farmer who keeps cows and makes the sale of milk an occu-pation is not embraced in the above ruling, and will be required to take a license.

THE EXPENDITURES OF COUNCILS.-The appropriation of \$22,750 made to the clerks of Councils for the current year will, probably, be all expended on the 1st of January. The municipal expenses of the past year have been very large, grow-ing out of the national difficulties. Soldiers have been buried at the public expense, swords have been been buried at the public expense, swords have been presented to distinguished generals, and testimonials_ costly and unique, have at various-times been pre-sented, involving considerable outlay. The funeral of General Smith cost the city about \$500, and a similar sum for the reception of General Corcoran. Other expenses of a like character have been in-curred during the year. The repairs authorized by the Committee on City Property to Independence Square cost nearly \$5,000. The supper to the Le-gislature, at the Continental, on the 22d of February, entailed an expense of about \$2,000. A debt of \$57,000 matured and was paid during the year. In 1354 the clerks of Councils expended the sum of \$120,000, and this when there were no great improve-ments in any part of the city. To the items of "in-cidentals," in the appropriation of last year, the sum of \$3,350 was credited, and the sum of \$3,254.95 expended. The amount of extra appropriations expended. The amount of extra appropriations made to the various Departments during the year is about 4970 000 about \$270,000.

UNITED STATES STEAM SLOOP JUNIATA. -The final departure of this ship will be delayed for a few days, in order to replace some parts of her machinery which were broken on the trial trip. The following is a correct list of her officers:

The following is a correct list of her officers: Captain-Charles S. Boggs. Lieutenant Commander-James G. Maxwell. Lieutenant-Frederick V. McNair. Chief Engineer-James F. Lamdin. Acting Master-James F. Lamdin. Acting Master-J. G. Tayler, J. H. Stimpson. Acting Ensign-William H. Winslow. Surgeon-Albert Schriver. Paymaster-Thomas C. Masten. Second Assistant Engineers-Francis Cronin, Wil-liam Pollard, James T. Keleher. Third Assistant Engineers-Philip H. White, Richard D. Dodge, Charles S. Hunt. Masters' Mattes-Reuben Rich, James F. Thomp-son, William A. Ordway. Boatswain-J. K. Bartlett. Gunner-William A. Fenier.

NEW RAILBOAD LOAN .-- We learn that the Camden and Amboy Railroad Company, and the Delaware and Raritan Canal, propose to issue a consolidated loan of \$5,000,000, to take the place of their loans falling due in 1863, '64, 65, 66, 67, and 1870. It will be secured by mortgage on all the works of the companies, and will bear six per cent. interest. It is also provided in the mortgage that the English debt of about \$2,000,000, now in the course of liquidation by a sinking fund, shall be completely paid off by the year 1880, when this mort-gage shall become the first lien on property which now yields annually a net income of a quarter of the whole amount of the mortgage. whole amount of the mortgage. The companies are prepared to negotiate for the exchange of the bonds of the Consolidated Loan for

those failing due in 1863 and 1864; or for the purchase of the latter. CONTROLLERS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS -An adjourned meeting of the Board of School

Controllers will be held to-morrow afternoon. The special business will be the consideration of the complaint against the management of the Girls' High School, presented at the last meeting in a writ-ten memorial signed by all the principals of the Girls' Grammar Schools. The subject is exciting conside-rable attention in certain circles, and it is expected that the Controllers will authorize a theorymb in that the Controllers will authorize a thorough investigation of the matter in dispute. The proposi-tion to reinstate geography into the list of home studies will also be considered:

DEMAND FOR POSTAGE CURRENCY-The

ARRIVAL OF AN UNSEAWORTHY VESSEL, WITH HER CREW, AT THIS PORT .- A vessel known

as the Niagara, and which formed a part of General Banks' expedition, put into this port on Monday night, and is now lying at the navy yard. This ves-sel is not the famous frigate Niagara. of ocean-tele-

graph notoriety, but a vessel which was built in 1844 for service on Lake Ontario. She has no masts, for service on Lake Untario. She has no masts, and her upper works are exceedingly light, and one angry wave would sweep them into the ocean with the men they shelter. But this is not the worst. The cross-timbers of the vessel are, it is said, rotten through and through, being a mass of black rot. The crew had a smooth sail from New York, which port they left on Saturday, and yet the captain was obliged to put the vessel inside the De-laware breakwater to pump her out. She also took fire in the daytime, and a sea drove away her plank-ing and gangway.

fire in the daytime, and a sea drove away her plank-ing and gangway. The officers of the regiment instituted a thorough investigation, and arrived at the conclusion that the boat was totally unfit for sea, and that the wisest course was to put into the nearest port and there await orders. There was no mutiny on board, but out of all the large number of old salts on the vessel, who belong to the regiment, there is not one but what pronounces the steamer unfit even to carry freight. The lieutenant colonel has gone to New York to consult with Government officials there. The following is the roster of the regiment:

York to consult with Government officials there. The following is the roster of the regiment: Colonel, C. P. Messer, Haverhill. Lieutenant colonel, J. W. Lock, South Reading. Major, John Hodges, Salem. Surgeon, Wm. Cogswell, Bradford. Adjutant, H. A. Wentworth, South Reading. Quartermaster, H. Degan, Malden. Chaplain, R. Hassale, Haverhill. The companies on board the Niagara are B, C, D, F. and G.

THE ASSOCIATION - OF LADIES for the management of the Homeopathic Hospital take

pleasure in acknowledging the following donations to December 13th : Mrs. Dr. Herring, 2 lbs of sausages, vegetables;

Common Pleas -Judges Thompson and Allison: THE MANDAMUS IN THE DUFFIELD CASE-HEARING. The case of Thomas J. Duffield vs. Thomas F. Adams, et al., members of the Common Council of this city, was called up yeaterday morning. The question raised is, as to whether a majority of the members of Council possess the power to declare the seat of a member vacant without a regular trial on cause shown. By resolution of the defendants, mem-bers of Council, passed December 4th, the seat of Mr. Duffield was declared vacant, the alleged cause being that he was an officer of the United States. This resolution was passed in his absence, and without any notice to him, or any opportunity afforded him to show cause against it. This extreme sensitiveness of the majority of feated at the polls last October, by a majority of 3,000 votes, will secure the rule of the city during the next fiscal year. It is not likely, however, that it will succeed, and the action of the court yester-day, in disposing of the motion to quash the writ of mandamus, issued on Saturday, was an effectual extinguisher of the high hopes of many. Trederick C. Brewster, Esq., called up the .case yesterday morning, stating that proper service of the writ had been made, and that the petitioner was ready to go on. Henry M. Phillips, Esq., for the respondents, Mrs. Raue, apple butter (a pot); Mr. Widmen, 1 leg of lamb ; the baker, 1 pan of rusk ; Mr. Oppershimer, 2 hs of coffee, 2 hs of sugar ; Mrs. Thomas, returner. C. Brewster, ESG., called up the case yesterday morning, stating that proper service of the writ had been made, and that the petitioner was ready to go on. Henry M. Phillips, Esg., for the respondents, stated that there had been a motion made to quash the writ, for the reason that there was nothing con-tained matters which show to the court that it ought not to entertain jurisdiction to judge of the qualifications of a member of Councils. He referred to the Consolidation act vesting the legislative power of the city in the Select and Com-mon Councils. providing that the qualifications of members of Councils should be the same as are re-quired for members of the Senate and House of Re-presentatives of this State, and that Councils should in like manner as the Legislature judge and deter-mine the qualifications of its inembers. He then contended, at great length, the judging of the qualifi-cations of members was a legislature act over which neither the judiciary nor the Executive could exer-cise the slightest control, or review such action. His argument was a very elaborate and skilful one, taking the broad ground. throughout that Councils alone could determine the question of qualification, and that, no matter in what form they. did so determine, it was not in the power of the courts to interfere, and that their responsibility was solely to the people. Mr. Phillips was followed by David T. Sellers, Esq., for Mr. Duffield. In noticing the motion to judge of the qualification of members given to. Coun-dis was simply a power to try the case of a contested election. It was in the section which applies to the cases of contested election, and conting else; that the right to expel a member rests upon an express constitutional provision, and Councils have no such power ; that as the petitioner was qualified at the time of election, he is qualified for the term for which he is elected, except he should accept an office of a municipal character ; and lastly, that the petitioner is not an officer of the U beef steak ; Friend to the Hospital, 1 dozen of shirts ; a lady (C. L. A.), tea, sugar, rice ; Angelina Thomas, (colored girl) 11 hs of loaf sugar; Mrs. Scott, 1 bas-ket of potatoes ; Mrs. Roberts, 8 bunches of her-ring ; Mrs. Rosche, biscuit ; Mrs. Williamson, shoul-der of lamb ; Mrs. Wallace, trimmings for the sew-ing box; Mrs. Greble, pair of flat irons ; Mr. Lea-gaher, two months' milk ; Mrs. Lesher, checker board and box; Miss Harriet Kingston, 1 h tea, 12 hs sugar, 4 hs coffee, 1 ham weighing 11 hs; Mrs. Frederick Myerly, 6 jars currant jelly; Mrs. Wil-son, molasses; Mrs. Williamson, leg of beef; Miss Wallace, 1 comfortable; 4 comfortables from Mrs. Isaac Try; Mrs. S. Dillingham, 1 blanket, 1 com-fortable, 50 miscellaneous books and pamphiets; Mrs. Isaac Perry, 10 hs sugar, 1 h. tea; Mr. Bethell, 5 miscellaneous books; Mrs. Lusher, 1, comfortable; J. Wallace, jr., 11 hs beef; Mr. Keyser, breast of veal; Mr. Palmer, breast of lamb. beef steak; Friend to the Hospital, 1 dozen of shirts;

FRIENDS' COLLEGE-A meeting was re-

cently held in this city of subscribers to the stock for a Friends' College, where both males and females will receive a liberal education. The stock subwill receive a interna contraint. In stock stud-scribed by the three yearly meetings of New York, Philadelphia, and Baltimore, is \$50,000. When half is paid in, commencement will be made by pur-chasing ground and erecting buildings. The design is to raise a capital of \$200,000 if possible. The college is to be under the management of thirty-two stockholders selected for the purpose. It is to be located convenient to Philadelphia, probably in De-laware county. laware county.

FAIRS.-A children's fair will be held in the Sunday-school room of St. Mary's Church, Locust street, above Thirty-ninth, West Philadelphia, on the 18th and 19th instant. The proceeds are for the Soldiers' Reading Room. A fair, for the benefit of the sick and wounded sol-diers at the Homeopathic Hospital, will commence to day, at the New Jerusalem Church, Fourth street, below German.

RUN OVER.—Pat'k Ruddy, while driving a furniture car along Thirteenth street, above Market, on Monday evening, accidentally fell off and was run over. The wheels passed over his back and struck him on the temple, injuring him so badly that he died in a few minutes. The deceased was

about 36 years of age, and leaves a wife and fou children residing in Warren street, above Thirty SOLDIERS' FAIR AT ROXBOROUGH.-Three young ladies of Roxborough, Misses Mary Towers, Mary Hipple, and Harriet Sailor, held a fair last month, and netted the sum of eleven dollars, which they have appropriated for the benefit of the Filbert-street Hospital, through the Roxborough Ladies' Aid Society.

Aid Society. FELL DOWN STAIRS .- Rose Kuen, aged seventeen years, was admitted to the Pennsylvania Hospital yesterday, her leg having been fractured by falling down stairs, in Girard avenue, near Fourth

street. STRINGENT ORDER.-By order of the Pro-

The police yesterday arrested six young men, alleged to belong to a disreputable gang calling themselves "Prairie Hens.". They infest the north-western part of the city, on the borders of the • TING LIBRARY.—All the NEW English and imerican Books, including ALL CLASSES of Literature-lie is the ONLY Library in the country that includes 11 the NEW ENGLISH BOOKS that are not REPRINT-Schuyklil, and commit various unlawful acts. One of the party was liberated from prison a few days since, and on Monday night they gave him a sort of ovation. They had plenty of money. It is thought they raised the fund under pretence of collecting it for ambulances for the firemen. On the person of

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for ambulances for the firemen. On the person of one of them was found a petition bearing the names of a number of prominent eitizens as having sub-scribed various sums ranging from five to ten dol-lars. The following named parties have subscribed. They are requested to call at the Central Station, this morning, for the identification of the prisoners: C. J. Wolbert, Wm. B. Thomas, Du Hadway & Dod-son, G. W. Fahnestock, H. J. Williams, Wm. Dill-worth, Ross J. Withers, Peterson (Chestnut street), E. H. Trotter, James Gaskins, D. S. Hopkins, David S. Browning, S. S. Womrath. ENGLISH AND FRENCH FAMILY CIRCULATING LIBRARY AND CABINET DE LECTURE, 1323 CHESTNUT STREET. Subscriptions per year, month, and day. Catalogues furnished gratis on application. Just ready, Catalogue of the Young Ladies' French Li-

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EDUCATION.

DENNSYLVANIA MILITARY ACA-Supreme Court at Nisi Prins -- Mr. Justice Thompson. THE DOUGLASS-MITCHELL CASE-CONCLUSION OF THE TESTIMONY. Douglass vs. Mitchell. The evidence in this case was closed yesterday, and counsel commenced sum-ming up. The plaintiff introduced testimony in the morning corroborative of some already given, and closed. The defence then offered testimony for the purpose of showing alleged contradictions in the evidence of some of plaintiff's witnesses, and closed also. The case will be finished to day.

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municipal character; and lastly, that the petitioner is not an officer of the United States. Mr. Sellers' argument was a very able one. He was followed by F. C. Brewster on the same side, and by Geo. M. Wharton, Esq., in reply. After a short consultation with Judge Allison, on the conclusion of Mr. Wharton's argument, Judge Thompson said that the court had no difficulty in determining the present motion. The Legislature could not create a municipal corporation beyond the reach of the law, and if they did, it would be an un-constitutional creation. A municipal corporation was as responsible as any other to the law and came under the control of the courts quift as fully. This case was one, where a member of Councils had been deprived of his office without cause shown, in his absence, and without notice to him; and the court had frequently held, in cases of corporations, where members had been expelled without regard to constitutional in this case. The motion to quash was accordingly overruled, and the defendants, on ap-plication of Mr. Phillips, were allowed until 10½ o'clock this morning to decide whether they would file any answer to the writ. MARSEILLES CASTILE SOAP.-100 Boxes choice Castile soap for Sale by RHODES & WILLIAMS, No. 107 South WATER Stree

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SHERIFF'S SALE BY VIRTUE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Venditioni Exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale or vended, on MONDAY Evening, January 5, 1863, at 6 o'clock, at Sansom-street Hall, All that certain lot or piece of ground, situate on the wrest side of Deleware Eighth and east side of Ninth-street, at the distance of one hundred and fifty-four feet southward from the south side of Deferson street, in the late District of Penn, now in the city of Philadelphia, containing in front or breadth on said Delaware Eighth and Ninthstreets respectively, twenty-three feet, and ex-tending of that width in length or dopth from said Eighth to/Ninth street two hundred and eighteen feet two inches and a quarter. Bounded southward by ground granted or intended to late of John A. Howell, and eastward by said Eighth street. (Which lat of ground John A. Howell and wike, by indenture, dated the fifteenth day of April, A. D. 1853, recorded in Deed Book T. H., No. 133, page 178, &c., granted and cuveyed unto the said Robert H. Ford in fee, reserving thereout unto said John A. Howell, his heins and assign, the yearly ground reat of one hund ed and thirty-eight dollars, payable half-yearly on the fifteenth day of the months of April and October. M. B. The judgment upon which the aboye proceed-ings were had was obtained for arrearages of the said ground reat. MOMN THOMTSON, Shoriff. Philadelphia, Sheriff's Office, December 12, 1862. [D. C., 336: D., '62.] Debt \$21418. A. Thompson. del7-sit SHERIFF'S SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, Corner Eighteenth and G streets, WASHINGTON, December 10, 1862, SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this Office until SATURDAY, December 20th, 1862, at 12 o'clock M., for the Burial of Persons dying while in the military service in the United States, in the city of Washington, and also within three miles of said city, from the 1st of January until the 30th of June, 1863, Specifications for all the requirements of such burials can be seen at this office. PROPOSALS. The full name and post-office address of the bidder must appear in the proposal. If a bid is made in the name of a firm, the names of all the parties must appear, or the bid will be considered as the individual proposal of the party signing it. Proposals from disloyal parties will not be considered, and an oath of allegiance must accompany each propo-sition. Proposals must be addressed to Captain FDWARD I.

and an odd, of another addressed to Captain EDWARD L. Proposals must be addressed to Captain EDWARD L. HARTZ. Assistant Quartermaster U.S. Army, Washing-ton, D. C., and should be plainly marked "Proposals for the Burial of Persons dying in the military service of the United States." GUARANTEE

GUARANTEE: The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of the clerk of the nearest district court or of the United States district attorney. The ability of the bidder to fill the contract, should the be awarded to him, must be guarantied by two responsi-ble persons, whose signatures are to be appended to the guarantee, and said guarantee must accompany the bid. CHERIFF'S SALE .- BY VIRTUE OF SHERIFF'S SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be ex-posed to public sale or vendue, on MONDAY Evening. January 5, 1963, at 4 o'clock, at Sansom-street Hall. All that lot or piece of ground, with the four three-story brick houses forming a court, and thereon erected, situ-ate on the east side of St. John (or Pitt) street, beginning at the distance of one hundred and twenty feet south of Beaver street. In Kensington district, Philadelphia coun-try, containing in front, or breadth, on St. John street, twenty feet, and extending of Char with in langth or-depth eastward seventy feet. Bounded on the north by ground of John Roney, on the east by a ten-feet wide alley, on the south by the next described premises, and on the west by St. John street, together with the free and common use and privilege of said ten-feet-wide alley.

guistancee, and said guarantee must accompany the bid. Bidders must be present in person when the bids are opened, or the proposals will not be considered. Bonds, in the sum of one thousand dollars, signed by the contractor and both of his guarantors, will be re-quired of the successful bidder upon signing the contract. We, _____, of the county of _____ and State of ______, do hereby guarantee that ______ is able to fulfil the contract in accordance with the terms of his proposition, and that, should his proposition be accepted, he will at once enter into a contract in accordance therewith. Should the contract be awarded to him we are prepared to become his securities.

SEALED PROPOSALS ARE INVITED

The and common uses and privilege of said ten-feet wide alley.
And, also, all that lot or piece of ground, with the four three-story bricks forming a court, and thereon, erected, situate on the cast side of St. John (or Pitt) street; beginning at the distance of one hundred and forty feet south of Beaver street, in Kensington, Philadelphia county, containing twenty leet in front on St. John. street, and extending 'of that width in length 'or depth eastward seventy feet. Bounded on the north by the premises last above described, on the south by ground late of Mary Craig, on the east by the snil ten feet-wide alley, and on the west by St. John street.
Being the same two lots or pieces of ground which and county of Philadelphia, by deed poll under his hand and seal bearing date the eighteenth day of November, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty. I. S. C., nage 223, and also recorded in the office for Record.
S. C., nage 233, and also recorded in the office for Record.
in Deed, Kc, for the city and county of Philadelphia, in Deed, Sce, for the cast wand seature of Record.
in Deed Book R. L. D., No. 13, page 309, did grant and convey unio said William A. Martin in fee. Seized and taken in execution, and sold as the estate of Jacob Heyberger.
Together with the free and common use and privilege

Together with the free and common use and privilege of said ten-feet-wide alley. Seized and taken in execution as the property of Wil-liam A. Martin, and to be sold by JOHN THOMPSON, Sheriff. Philadelphia, Sheriff's Office, December 12, 1982. [D. C., 351; D., '62.] Debt, \$2,177.38 Hopper. del7-31

SHERIFF'S SALE .- BY VIRTUE OF Ment. All bids to be accompanied by two guarantees and di-rected to Colonel A. BECKWITH, A. D. C. and C. S. U. S. A., Washington, D. C., and endorsed "Proposals for Beer Cattle,"

SHERIFF'S SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Alias Levari Facias, to me directed, will be exposed to public sale or vendue, on MONDAY Evening, January 5, 100, at 40 clock, at Sansom-street Hall. "All that certain brick messuage of tenement, and lot of piece of ground, situate on the west side of Delaware Second street, or the New Market square, between Cedar and Lombard street, in the city of Philadelphia, containing in front or breadth on the said Second street inneteen feet one inch, more or less, and in. length or depth one hundred and twenty feet to a twelve-feet-wide alley leading into Cedar street. Bounded on the north by a messuage and lot heretofore granted by James P. Lyle to Levi Taylor, now belonging to John Scraven-dyke, on the east by New Market square, on the worth by a to now or late of David Evans, and on the worth by a thore or late of David Evans, and on the west by the said alley: which said described lot, includes the sonthern moiety or half part of a three-feet-wide alley extending from the said twelve-feet alley custward thirty feet the gradually harrowing the further depth of three feet to a point for the gate-post. Being the same promises which James P. Lyle, by indenture dated the twenty-fourth day of November, A. D. one thousand eight hun-dred and forty-six, and recorded in Deed Book A. W. M. No. 25, page 53, 2c, granted and conveyed unto the said Thomas E. Baxter in fee.] Together with the common me and privilege of the said there feet-wide alley over the right to build under and over the southern moiety thereof, leaving sufficient headway in the clear. Together also with the common use and privilege of an alley four feet in width by forty-two feet in depth, on the north side of the hereby granted messuage and lot leaving your the said John Scravendyke's (formerly Levi Taylor's) ground into and from the said Second street, as the same wave excepted and reserved in and by the deed of convey-ence from the said James P. Lyle to the said Levi Taylor's of December, A. D. one thousand eight h S. A. Washington, D. C., and endorsed Proposals for Beef Cattle."
 We. —, of the county of —, and State of. —, do hereby guarancee that — is able to fulfil the contract in accordance with the terms of his proposition, and that, should his proposition be accepted, he will at once enter into a contract in accordance therewith.
 Should the contract be awarded him, we are prepared to become his securities.
 (This guarantee must be appended to each bid.)
 The responsibility of the Clerk of the nearest District Court or of the United States District Attorney.
 Bids which do not comply with the above will be rejected. ACT ANY DEPARTMENT, Novemen 25, 1962. The Navy Department will, until the 23d of December, 1862, receive propositions for the erection and completion of a wharf at Port Royal, South Carolina, in conformity with the general specifications herewith accompanying. The proposition must state the gross amount for which the wharf, deriver, boisting regime, scale, rail-tracks, and cars will be completed, according to the plans and specifications, and mame the time within which the party will agree to have it finished. Parties intending to bid can examine the drawings in the Navy Department, and in the office of the Construct-ing Engineer in the New York Navy Yard, at the office of the Navy Agent at Philadelphia and at Boston. The bid must be accompanied by the usual guarantee that if accepted the party will execute the contract, which will be duted from the time the party is notified that his offer is accepted, and the contract will embrace the usual conditions.

Specifications for a Wharf at Port Royal. S. C

becchilder, A. D. offic throads and the Book G. W. R., No. 20, page 213, &c.
 N. B. -On the above premises there is crected a three-story brick dwelling and store.
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Hospitals in process of direction at Chestnut Hill, and that about being erected on "Logan Estate," Germantown avenue, together with any Hospitals: which may be erected within the city limits within the time specified. Proposals must include the Cofin, conveyance of the body, cemetery charges, digging of grave, setting up and lettering of a head-board over each grave (head-boards will be furnished by the Quartermaster's Department), and all other incidental expenses connected therewith. Cof-fins to be well made, of good seasoned plaued pine, not less than seven-eighth inch, thick. Contractor must be at all times prepared, when notified, to give prompt at-tention to burial of soldiers. The right is reserved to re-ject all bids deemed too high. A BYD, Additional and a set and the set and and a set and the bids deemed too high. A BYD, mises, at PENNINGTONVILLE, Chester county, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, on THURSDAY, the 18th instant at 2 o'clock P. M. Besides the Forge, the other improve-ments are, a good stone mansion House, stone Barn, five stone Tenement Houses, and other buildings, including a large stone Flour Mill house, with its machinery. Char coal for making blooms can be obtained at fair prices. dell-6t* BUCKLEY & BROTHERS. FOR SALE-FARM AND COUN-FOR SALE—FARM AND. COUN-TRY Seat, situated in Honeybrook township, Chea-ter county, on the Brandywine Railroad, one-fourth of a mile from Forest Station, containing 91 Acres, 5 of Wood-land, the remainder good farm land. The improvements are a Stone Dwelling, which has recently been modernized, with Plazza on three sides, to large Frame Kitchen, a never fulling spring, 100 feet from Kitchen, with large Spring House and Dairy room. One of the best new Barns in the county, 80 by 60, slate roof, with Coach and Wagon House attached, 40 by 30, with all the necessary ont-buildings. A Ram supples the House and Barn with water. Apply to CHARLES HARDERT No 2017 CHESTAUUT. Street. or to WILLIAM PALLSGROVE, adjoining farm, del540*

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Where the blues is not preserve a stated in full, with the oresidered. The names of firms should be stated in full, with the precise address of each member of the firm. Payment to be, made in certificates of indebtedness, or such other funds as Government may have for disburse-

postage currency unabated. As the demand is much greater than the supply at the present rate of proder will go into effect to-day. duction, the Government will not be able to supply the demand within a year. When it is taken into consideration that only \$4,000,000 worth has been issued, thus leaving \$36,000,000 more to be issued, some idea can be formed of the immense amount of small change which has been withdrawn from circu-lation, and the necessity for prompt delivery of the remainder of the currency. PHILADELPHIA SUBSTITUTES .- The fol-

lowing-named Philadelphians were accepted as substitutes at Camp Bradford, near Baltimore, on Monday last : George Davis and John McLaughlin, for two drafted residents of Anne Arundel county; Joseph Quigley, William Neill, Benjamin Harris, George Wheeler, John Hughes, and William Smith, for drafted residents of Montgomery county.

NAVIGATION.-The Delaware canal was frozen up so firmly the early part of last week that boatmen despaired of getting through with their last loads for the season. The mild weather, however, softened the ice, so that the ice-breakers could break it up, and navigation was resumed on Sa-turday. Navigation has also been resumed on the Lehigh canal, where the ice at some places was about six inches thick. The Delaware river is clear of ice.

TAX RECEIPTS .- The receipts from taxes this year will probably amount to over two million dollars—a larger amount than in any former period in the history of the city. Last year the recoipts amounted to \$428,990 89, and in 1860 to \$67,716 18.

COMMENCED WORK.-The work of laying the rails on the Broad-street Railroad has been com-menced. The track from Callowhill street to Girard avenue will be laid in the centre of the street.

MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS .- The stockholders of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Balti-more Railroad meet at Wilmington on the 12th of January next.

NEW AMBULANCE.-The new ambulance of the Washington Engine Company will be com-pleted on the first of January, at a cost of about \$600. •

Supremie Court of the United States. MONDAY, Dec. 13, 1862.-On motion of Hon. O. H. Browning, Elliott Anthony, Esq., of Illinois, and J. H. Wilkinson, Esq., of Ohio, were admitted as attorneys and counsellors of this court. No. 128. Ellis M. Russell, "plaintiff in error, vs. Henry G. Ely et al. In error to the District Court of the United States for the district of Wisconsin. Mr. Justice Miller delivered the opinion of the court, affirming the judgment of the said District Court in this cause, with costs. No. 111. John Leffingwell, plaintiff in error, vs. Geo. B. Warren. In error to the District Court of the United States for the district of Wisconsin. Mr. Justice Swayne delivered the opinion of the court. vost Marshal, no soldier, with or without a pass, will be allowed on the streets after 7½ o'clock. This or-COTTON SALL DUGA GALE of all numbers and brands. Raven's Duck Awning Twills, of all descriptions for Tents, Awnings, Trunk, and Wagon Covers. Also, Paper Manufacturers Durier Feits, from 1 to feet wide. Tarpanlin, Bolting, Sall Twine, &c. JOHN W. EVERMAN & CO., my4tf 102 JONES Alley. COTTON SAIL DUCK AND CANVAS, SENT TO THEIR REGIMENTS .- Yesterday, two hundred convalescent soldiers and deserters were sent to their regiments. The confect states for the district of wisconsm. Arr. Justice Swayne delivered the opinion of the court, reversing the judgment of the said District Court, with costs, and remanding the cause, with directions SENT TO FORT DELAWARE .--- Twenty-four rebel prisoners were sent to Fort Delaware yester with costs, and remanding the cause, with directions to award a ventre facias de novo. No. 9. John Dredge et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. Robert Forsyth. In error to the Clrcuit Court of the United States for the Northern district of Illinois. Mr. Justice Clifford delivered the opinion of the court, reversing the judgment of the said Circuit Court, with costs, and remanding the cause, with di-rections to award a ventre facias de novo. No. 12. William Kellogg's heirs, plaintiffs, vs. Robert Forsyth; and THE POLICE. (Before Mr. Alderman Beiller.) An Old Dodge Revived. Two men, calling themselves William Smith and Philip H. Hargrave, were arraigned before Alterman Beiler yesterday afternoon, at the Central Station; on the charge of larceny. The following evidence was elicited at the hearing, which will be found in-teresting to everybody, principally storekcepers, and place them on their guard against such sharp prac-tice. We may here state that, upon being arrested in Comptroller street, on Monday evening, by Offi-cer Bell, of Lieut. Goldey's division, they became very indignent indeed. One of them pulled out his card and pencil, and demanded the name and num-ber of the officer, threatening to report him in the morning to Mayor Henry. The officer, being backed up by a couple of storekeepers, took the prisoners to the Third-district station, where they were de-tained for a hearing. The dodge, practised by these men, was rife about twenty years since. It was: then practised with a store was generally selected as the person to be vic-inging is a local a lone female attendant of a store was generally selected as the person to be vic-inging is known as & finfaning," requires con-siderable skill. The operator must possess the qualities of a gentleman—must mimic indignation to perfection, as occasion may require. Both these when a sime is no kereper; 236 Chestnut street, being affirmed, testified that on Monday affernoon the two men came into the store to get a §20 Trea-sup note change (J was attending a customer and referred the applicant to my wife; they desired small commenced counting it out; when I had counted for \$15 to \$18, the dark completed man (Smith) picked the notes up as though to examine them, and then putting them down again, said he would rather have treasury notes, I told him he had better go to a broker, if the notes, such as I had, did not suit him; THE POLICE. No. 12. William Kellogy's heirs; plaintiffs, vs.
Robert Forsyth; and
No. 13. John Reynolds et al., plaintiffs in error,
vs. Robert Forsyth. Errors to the Circuit Court of the United States for the Northern district of Illinois. Mr. Justice Oliford delivered the opinion of the court, reversing the judgments of the said Circuit Court in these cases, with costs, and remanding the causes, with directions to award new ventres.
No. 19. Charles Conglon et al. and The Tennessee Mining Company, plaintiffs in error, vs. John Goodman et al. In error to the Supreme Court of the State of Tennessee. Mr. Chief Justice Taney delivered the opinion of the court, dismissing this cause for the want of jurisdiction.
No. 44. George H. Rugg, plaintiff in error, vs. Jonathan Haines. In error to the Circuit Court of the United States for the Northern District of Illinois.
The judgment of the said Circuit Court of the State of the said.
No. 40. Henry County, plaintiff in error, vs. F. and A. Rusch. The motion of Mr. Rankin to continue this cause was overruled.
No. 108. Henry County, plaintiff in error, vs. F. jal4-tf de12 and A. Rusch. The motion of Mr. Rankin to con-tinue this cause was overruled. No. 149. William M. Jones, appellant, vs. Charles W. Green et al. The motion of Mr. Woolworth to dismiss this cause was overruled. No. 76. Rufus S. Lee, et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. Henry F. Blandy et al. In error to the Circuit Court of the United States for the Southern district of Ohio. This cause was submitted to the court upon the record and printed arguments by Messrs. Lee and Fisher for the plaintiffs in error, and by Mr. Lincoln for the defendants in error. No. 79. Mathias B. Wright, et al., plaintiffs in error, vs. Moses Bales. This, cause was submitted to the court upon the record and printed argument by Messis. Lee and Fisher for the plaintiffs in error, No. 78. Rufus S. Lee et al., plaintiffs in error,

Supreme Court of the United States.

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