LETTERS IN DIFFERENT LANGUAGES.—The number of alphabets of different languages is as follows: English, 26; French, 26; German, 26; Spanish, 24; Dutch, 25; Greek, 24; Latin, 25; Sclavonic, 27; Arabic, 27; Persian, 31; Turkish, 32; Georgian, 36; Hebrew, Chaldee, Syriac, and Samaritan, each 22; Coptic, 32; Sanscrit, 50; Bengalese, 21; Burmese, 19. The twenty-six letters of the English language are sufficiently flexible to express all sorts of facts and ideas, and they are seldom put to a better use than to proclaim the excellencies of the elegant garments for gentlemen and youths made at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut street, above Sixth.

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Albert Kirby, Wash, D C
John Dull, Washington, D C
Jas Summers, Wash, D C
H Dull, Washington, D C
Chas Claggett, Wash, D C
W Spranklin, Wash, D C
J Bayden, Washington, D C
John Walker, Wash, D C
F Waide, jr, Wash, D C
Hon John Covode, Penna
H H Archer, Salem, N J
J Craven, Salem, N J
John S Richards, Reading
T G Griffen, N York
A Allen, N Jersey
A Randall, Annapolis
R Edwards, Boston
R H Smith, Newark, N J
G E Lersh, York, Pa
H H Breneman, Cincinnati
Geo T Lewis, Tennessee
Mr and Mrs Saloon, Boston
Miss M Williams, Boston
Mrs Dr Foley & 2 dau, Md
Geo H Power, Hudson
W A Torrey, New Jersey
J E Foster, New York
A H Grant
J G Field
M L Livingston, Jr
J F Willard, New York
Lawrence Steele, New York
B S Hart, New York
Mr & Mrs J F Putnam, Mass
Miss Putnam, Boston
H P McGrath, Kentucky
L W Britton, New York
J S Watson, New York
Jos C Pyre, Peoria
Geo A Allin, New York
Peter G Lecour, New York
Thos A Whitaker, N Y
B Wendt, New York
T B Kennedy, Penna
J J Dittle, New Jersey
E H Rauch, Bauch Chunk
W L Chambers, Penna
E S Anderson & da, Penna
J C Bloomfield, New York
H R Pierson & wf, Brooklyn
E W Corliss & da, Brooklyn
S Seymour, Wash, D C
E Kingsbury, Conn
W C Woodman, Jacksonville
J O Brown, New York
S H Buttrick, New York
J R Nichols, Elmira, N Y
Mr Adams, Boston

Girard—Chestnut street, below Ninth.

J F Clark, Pennsylvania
Hon J W Wall, New Jersey
Hon James A Bayard, Del
Miss A Bowen, Providence
John L Pratt, Delaware
Miss Pratt, Delaware
Alex Crawford, New York
Mrs S D Young, Harrisburg
Mrs Jas A Schall, York, Pa
Mrs W Danner, York, Pa
Miss Mary Danner, York
Thos Taylor, Chicago
A W Weil, Illinois
C H Wornborgh, Addison
A Wornbogh, Addison
J C Douglass, Delaware
Jos Cook, Long Island
Samuel Demarest, L I
C L Cole, New York
J T Kenney & da, Dayton
J D Wamsley, Baltimore
Jas M Harris, New York
T Harmer & wf, New York
J W Gray, New York
Warren Lazell, New York
Capt G Lamb, New York
Capt L Troch, Penna
O C Hamilton, Great Bend
A Elliott & wf, New Jersey
F Langston & ch, Baltimore
Miss Langston, Baltimore
J Loisenring, Penna
Chas Hamshire, Penna
John W Pomeroy, Penna
S S Kunkel, Harrisburg
J G Harrison, Long Island
John R Mallery, L I

Merchants'—Fourth street, below Arch.

John E Carroll, Penna
H A Guerney
J W Bailey
L Marsean, New York
John Pilling, New Jersey
P Bostetman, Newport, Pa
Dr C Basler, Pittsburg
Jos White, Washington, D C
J P Donaldson, Delaware
Mr and Mrs Carpenter, N J
Miss Acton, Salem, N J
John S Lehn, Easton, Pa
J C Fuller, New Jersey
T Reading, Trenton
W S Rutherford & wf, Pa
Miss R S Rutherford, do
Miss L M Elder, Harrisburg
C W Kline, Hector, Pa
Chas H Jones, Reading
John Sommers, New Jersey
Mrs Clark, Maryland
S P Carpenter, Salem, N J
W C Sheppard, Salem, N J

American—Chestnut street, above Fifth.

Mrs Merchant, New York
John Moore, New York
Jas Shannon, New York
E Clark, New York
J Smith, New York
Jos Clark, New York
P Wright, New York
Chas McBrien, New York
John Hillis, New York
T Browne, New York
C K Sheafer
W L Dupree
E J Prance, Blair co
J Bowly, Blair co
S B Dorlan, Chester co
Wm Dyer, Lebanon, Del
John T Jakes, Delaware
Robt Edwards & sn, Penna
Abner Jones, New York
H C Bond, Newtown, Pa
Wm Weiss & wf, Eckley, Pa
Miss Weiss, Eckley, Pa
Henry Prick, Lewisburg
Thos Weiss
Wiley Randall, New York
W E Hall, Smyrna, Del
J B Wilson, Delaware

St. Louis—Chestnut street, above Third.

Wm Fitzgerald, New York
James Tease, New York
John Barnes, New York
James Hughes, New York
T E Down, New York
J Lynch, New York
Rev A B Dascomb
H C McLean, Wilm, Del
F R Defendorffar, Mexico
H H St John, Penna
John J Dover, Pottsville
D Porter, New York
J H Crane, Wash, D C

Bald Eagle—Third St., above Callowhill.

A Neff, Lehigh co
Mrs E Neff, Lehigh co
Henry Gabriel, Allentown
Joseph Richards, Penna
Charles R Maugh, Penna
Wm U Stocker, Penna
Geo Horning, Penna
Jacob Richards, Penna
Mr Barbster, Reading
Mrs Berline, Penna
Mrs Henry, Lebanon co
G M F Kick, Millersburg, Pa
H H Manderbach, Penna
G F Illig, M D, Stonesburg
A L Pfleger, New Berlinville
Samuel Weaver, Stouchsbg
Isaac S Gerhart, Berks co
P S Hertzog, Lanc co
H Oxenrider, Penna
A Pennbacker, Penna
Lewis Feiffer, Penna
John Zeller, Penna
Jacob Freeman, Penna
Chas Lesher, Kutztown
E M Kemp, Kutztown, Pa

Union Hotel—Arch street, above Third.

R Shoener, Pottsville
R A O'Kerr, Altoona
M F Dell, Altoona
S Snyder, New York
P B Miller, Bedford co, Pa
J B Milhous, Ohio
W Hilhous, Wrestling, Va
W F Emery, New Jersey
E J Hyde, Delaware
N B Brown, Salem
T Hoge
H Ramsay, Penna
P M Reazer & wife
S Bunkle, Penna
D L Leterly, Pottsville
Mrs Cunningham, Penna
J Kutz & in, Reading

Commercial—Sixth street, above Chestnut.

P Raforty, Penna
J Faulkner, Montg co, Pa
Jos S Ely, Newtown, Pa
Wm M Hobart, Virginia
John Kirk, Lancaster co, Pa
J Johnson, Lancaster co, Pa
A Shaffer, Lancaster co, Pa
Wm S Hendric, Doylestown
S Potts, Bridgeport, Pa
J P Uzzell, Centre co, Pa
R J Henderson, Lancaster co
R Baldwin, Lancaster co, Pa
Mrs Nichols, Pt Deposit, Md
J H Park, Addison, N Y
E Park, Addison, N Y
T R Park, Addison, N Y

National—Race street, above Third.

Chas C Adams, Chambersbg
W F Brandt, Penna
R Jones
D Carey, Wellsboro
Miss M J Kreider, Penna
Miss A A Kreider, Penna
H H Shultz, Huntington, Pa
S Anderson, Pa
S B Brubaker, Lancaster co
T A Foin & la, Danville
A Yorniker, Penna
J G A Hoffeditz, Reading
A K Bates, Providence, R I
Stephen Light, Berks, Pa
J W Tucker, Minersville
M L Bowman, Myerstown
Mrs C Molly, Pinegrove
John Weitzel

Black Bear—Third St., above Callowhill.

W D Schantz, Allentown
E M Yoder & wf, Reading
Mrs Bower, Kutztown
Miss Bower, Kutztown
Miss Hottenstine, Kutztown
Miss Warner, Kutztown
Miles Artman, Zionsville
Dr S Richards, S Easton
F P Heim, S Easton
Levi Buckman, Lehigh co
G Whetstone, Tamaqua
S W Miller & la, Berneville
J K Grim, Grimsville
John Bossert, Pa
Saml Landis, Pa
Daniel Shell, Pa

States Union—Sixth and Market streets.

W O Thomas, Blairsville, Pa
Jas D Vandsiar, Altoona
John P Allmond, Wilm, Del
John Price, Wilm, Del
H Jacobs, Clearfield co
J Cornish
J W Handshew, Mt Rock, Pa
W W Morrison, Penna

Union Hotel—Third street, below Vine.

W Rhoads & la, Reading
Master Jacob Rhoads, Reading
Miss R Rhoads, Reading
W Y Miles, Gallipolis, O
A N Harvey, Penna
J Richwine & wf, Lanc co
W Tate, Jr, Allegheny City
S Franciscus, M D, Milton
Col R Ratcliff, Samuels, Christian Commission
P A Burgh, Mechanicsburg
A C Carlisle, Hughesville
Jas D Kerr, Robesonia
J Wall & la, New Jersey
R Hawks, New York
Henry A Lee, Long Island
M T Hiebener, Lititz, Pa

Girard House—Market street, below Third.

Miss Sloan, Harrisburg
Owen Coleman, Schuylkill Co Pa
E Jordan, Maryland
Geo Noyes, Norristown
J Williams, Lancaster
Isaac Livingston, Wilkesbarre
M Pennock, Chester co, Pa
L Paxson, Wilmington, Del
H E Johnson, Penna
K S Reynolds, Maryland
J W Weaver, Chester co, Pa
Robt Baldwin, Lan co
Levi Benton, Chester co, Pa
J E McBride, York co, Pa
A J Russell, Chester co, Pa
A Kirlin, Berks co, Pa

Union Hotel—Market street, above Third.

Chas M Erben, Lancaster
John Bunner, Lorenting co
Geo Bobb, Mechanicsburg
Isaac Livingston, Wilkesbarre
D Venador, Penna
Miss L Kirkpatrick, Perry co
C Rowe, Harrisburg, Pa
Thos Madox & dau, Md
Miss F Brohm, Maryland
J S Liggett, Pittsburg
W Smith & la, Penna
R B Hallibas, Danville
R O Jonnor, Michigan
J L Day, Easton
John C Dolan, M Chunk
H M Cummings, Easton
John Montgomery, Penna
J Barber
A Hetman, Hanover, Pa
Miss F Heiman, Hanover, Pa
J Ahl, Cumberland co
John L Pratt, Delaware
M Covey & fam, Harrisburg

Washington—Market street, below Third.

Wm Morrison, Penna
Daniel Lutman, Perry co
John H Bryner, Perry co
Martin S Stehley, Blair co
A B Ewing, Carlisle, Pa
J H Pearsol, Lancaster
John Gambol, Trenton, N J
Chas N Sproul, Chester co

Union Hotel—Market street, above Third.

Jas Dackter, Danphin co
Wm Rauch, Penna
Adam Werner, Berks co
Miss Manderbach, Penna
B L Bagenbush, Albany
Mrs L Hagenbush, Albany
B Brown, Byberry
H Seidel, Reading
Jos Reinhard, Reading
Andersonville Calvin, Easton
H Filbert, Penna
B H Roth, Montgomery co
P Bormany, Lehigh co, Pa
J E Kerschner, New York
Amos Early, Dauphin co
J J Brobst, Lehigh co
Silas Camp, Penna
Godfrey Peter, Sugar-v'l
D Oswald, Penna
Elias Bittner, Penna
Z H Long, Carbon co
John Troxel, Bucks co
P Dunholtz, Tremont
E Umholtz, Tremont

Union Hotel—Second street, below Vine.

T D Batsford, Long Eddy
Walter Peake, Long Eddy
E H Hool, Byberry
A H Trego, Lambertville
Walsted Cole, Sussex
John Massaker, Pike co
J Brout, Pike county
J W Hubbell, Chestnut Hill
Elias Shupe, Doylestown

Union Hotel—Second street, above Market.

H H Boozer, New Jersey
S C Reynolds, Penna
E Dusenbury, New York
W Comstock, New York
W H North & la, Reading
A C Barber, New Jersey

Union Hotel—Second street, below Chestnut.

Miss Reed, Philadelphia
Miss Bell, Philadelphia
Miss Hess, Philadelphia
W Bechtel, Bechtelsville
Lieut J Wilman, Pa
C D Fowler, Berwick, Pa
Geo Moyer, Montgomery co
D J Harper & la, Olney
Mrs Kramer, Doylestown
A Stauffer, Reading
John S Worrell & la, Pa
D K Miller, Pa
Ben Heffren, Pa
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MARRIED.

SCHNECK—CAMPBELL.—By the Rev. A. Manship, on Thursday last, April 30th, Mr. Charles Schneck to Miss Sarah Campbell, both of Philadelphia.

TYSON—GRIEST.—At the residence of Cyrus Griest, on fifth day (Thursday) the 30th of fourth month (April), by Friends' ceremony, Charles J. Tyson, of Gettysburg, and Maria E. Griest, of Menallin township, Adams county, Pa.

DIED.

BROWN.—At Bordentown, N. J., on the morning of the 4th instant, Mrs. Anna Brown, relict of the late John Brown, in the 84th year of her age.

The funeral service will take place at her late residence, Prince street, Bordentown, on Wednesday morning, at 8 o'clock, to which her friends are respectfully invited without further notice. Carriages will be in waiting, on arrival of the remains by the 11 o'clock train, at Walnut-street wharf on same day. To proceed to Laurel Hill Cemetery.

DOSTER.—On the morning of the 2d instant, at Bethlehem, Pa., Ellen Augusta, youngest daughter of the late Lewis Doster, Esq., in the 13th year of her age.

The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, at the Moravian Church, this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.

OAKFORD.—On First-day, 3d inst., Richard Oakford, in the 74th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 1711 Stone street, on Fourth-day next, at 2 o'clock, without further notice. To proceed to Darby.

SMALL.—On the 1st inst., Mrs. Mary Small, after a lingering illness, at the house of her son, Dr. Wm. B. Small, No. 2237 Callowhill street.

The funeral will take place this (Tuesday) morning, at 10 o'clock, and will proceed to Laurel Hill. The friends of the family are invited.

ESA.—On the 1st inst., Harriet, wife of John Esa.

Her friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from her late residence, 1214 Arch street, to-day (Tuesday), at 10 o'clock.

LAUER.—On the 1st instant, Mr. John S. Lauer, in the 31st year of his age. (California papers please copy.)

His relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his son-in-law, E. N. Cooper, No. 104 Pine street, this (Tuesday) afternoon, at 4 o'clock.

DOWNING.—At Downingtown, Pa., on the 3d inst., Charles Downing, in the 65th year of his age.

Funeral on Fourth-day, the 6th instant, to leave the house at 2 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS.—On the morning of the 3d instant, in the 6th year of his age, Herbert Maxwell, son of William G. and Ann Thomas.

BAUM.—On the 2d instant, George W. Baum, of the 16th (Corn Exchange) Regiment P. V., in the 36th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family, also Mount Olive Lodge, I. O. O. F., are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his brother, H. C. Baum, No. 1932 Callowhill street, on Wednesday morning, the 6th inst., at 7½ o'clock. To proceed via Reading Railroad to Amityville, Bucks county, Pa., for burial.

TRUCKS.—On the evening of the 30th ult., after a short illness, John Trucks, in the 66th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 12 North Seventh street, this (Tuesday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock. To proceed to Woodlands Cemetery.

BAER.—On the 1st inst., Joseph H. Baer, in the 41st year of his age.

BOYTON.—On Sunday, the 3d inst., Elizabeth Bolton, widow of the late Thomas Bolton, aged 68 years.

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Collection by citizens of Lambertville, on Fast-day, per J. A. Anderson	32 22
Collection at Business Men's Union Prayer Meeting, Chestnut street, Fast-day	29 40
Collection, First German Reformed Church, Fast-day	25 00
A Friend	25 00
Collection in Union Baptist Church, Mineersville, Pa., on Fast-day	22 30
Geo. Metzger, Carlisle, Pa., additional	20 00
Collection at First Presbyterian Church, Camden, per Wm. Few Smith	15 20
Sunday-School of North Church, Rev. Dr. Buslnelly, Hartford, Conn.	15 00
Hilton Head, South Carolina	10 00
Collection at St. Paul's P. E. Church, Minersville, Pa., Fast-day	10 09
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Wm. T. Keen, Co. A, 132d Regiment P. V.	5 00
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John A. Sterett, Lewistown, Pa.	5 00
The wife of an officer	5 00
Freeburg Ladies' Aid Society, Illinois	4 40
Deacon C. Merritt, Hudson, N. H.	3 40
Moses B. Sydenham, Fort Kearney, Nebraska	2 00
Kennett Square Church, per Rev. J. S. Gilmore	2 00
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Ezra S. Whipple, Co. I, 11th Michigan	1 00
	$412 93
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☞ NOTICE. THE REV. ALBERT BARNES will deliver the Annual Address in behalf of the PRESBYTERIAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY, in the Tenth Presbyterian Church, (Rev. Dr. Boardman's,) Twelfth and Walnut Streets, on this EVENING, at 8 o'clock. *Subject of the address*—"*Presbyterianism, its affinities.*" The occasion will be one of great interest to the public, and especially Presbyterians, are invited to attend.

REV. S. J. BAIRD,
REV. T. J. SHEPHERD,
SAMUEL AGNEW,
Committee.

☞ TO THE LOYAL CITIZENS OF THE SIXTEENTH WARD.

The National Union Association of the Sixteenth ward will meet at the House of R. Wardell, SECOND street, above Beaver, on TUESDAY EVENING, May 5th, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of choosing officers to conduct the delegate election, to be holden in the various precincts on the 7th instant, and to make general nominations for delegates to the Representative and Senatorial Conventions. All citizens of the ward who are willing to support a National and State Administrations are invited to participate.

By order. ISAAC A. SHEPPARD, President.
N. U. A. of Sixteenth ward.

☞ TWENTIETH WARD.—A MEETING of the NATIONAL UNION ASSOCIATION OF THE TWENTIETH WARD will be held THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, at the Hall, southwest corner of Eleventh street and Girard avenue, for the purpose of selecting the officers to conduct the election to be held in the various precincts on Thursday next, for Delegates to a Senatorial and Representative Convention.

JOSEPH F. MARCER, President.

☞ NATIONAL UNION PARTY OF THE EIGHTEENTH WARD will hold a meeting at their Hall, corner of Richmond and Palmer streets, THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 7½ o'clock, for the purpose of electing Judge and Inspectors to conduct the election of Delegates to the State Convention.

JOS. S. ALLEN, Secretary. H. BUMM, President.

☞ HORTICULTURAL HALL, BROAD and WALNUT Streets.—Topic for discussion this evening—"The Interior Arrangement of Greenhouses."
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☞ SIXTH-WARD NATIONAL UNION PARTY.—A meeting will be held on THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, May 5th, at 8 o'clock, at BEECH'S HOTEL, CHERRY Street, between Third and Fourth.

By order WILLIAM H. BARNES, President.
JOHN G. BUTLER, Secretary. 1t

☞ FOURTH-WARD NATIONAL UNION ASSOCIATION meet THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, at GUMPHER'S, FIFTH Street, below Shippen.

SAMUEL S. MURPHY, Secretary. KENNEDY McCAW, President.

☞ TWENTY-FOURTH WARD, ATTENTION!—The loyal citizens of the Twenty-fourth ward are invited to meet at the McCLELLAN HOUSE, FORTY-FIRST and HAVERFORD Streets, on THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, May 5, at 8 o'clock, to select one Judge and two Inspectors for each Precinct, to conduct the Delegate Election, to be held on Thursday Evening, 7th inst.

JAMES MILLER,
Pres't National Union Ass'n, Twenty-fourth ward.
JAMES NEWALL, Secretary. 1t*

☞ NINTH-WARD NATIONAL UNION ASSOCIATION.—Agreeably to a call of the City Executive Committee, a Meeting of the above Association will be held THIS (TUESDAY) EVENING, May 5th, at 8 o'clock, at the Hall, TENTH and FILBERT Sts., to elect Judges and Inspectors to supervise the Delegate Election, to be held in each Precinct on THURSDAY, May 7, from 6 to 8 o'clock P. M.

JOHN L. HILL, Secretary.

☞ FOURTEENTH-WARD NATIONAL UNION ASSOCIATION.—Agreeably to the call of the Union State Convention, the loyal citizens of the Fourteenth ward are invited to assemble at SPRING GARDEN HALL, on TUESDAY EVENING, May 5, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of selecting officers to conduct the Delegate Election, to be held May 7, in accordance with the rules for governing the National Union party.

S. E. SLAYMAKER, President.

☞ TENTH WARD.—THE LOYAL citizens of Tenth ward will meet, pursuant to the call of the City Executive Committee, at the house of CHARLES C. OVERBECK, ELEVENTH and VINE Streets, on TUESDAY EVENING, May 5, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of electing one Judge and two Inspectors for each Precinct, to conduct the Delegate Election, to be held on Thursday Evening, May 7, in the various Precincts of the ward, and to make general nominations for Delegates.

HENRY C. HOWELL, President.
WM. R. LEEDS, Secretary. 1t*

☞ EIGHTH WARD.—THE NATIONAL UNION ASSOCIATION of the Eighth Ward will meet THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 7 o'clock, at the Hall of the Schuylkill Hose Company, LOCUST Street, above Twelfth, to select officers for Ward Delegate Election. (11) A. J. HARPER, President.

☞ SEVENTH-WARD NATIONAL UNION ASSOCIATION will meet THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, at O'NEILL'S HALL, for the purpose of choosing officers for election.

WM. F. MADARA, President.
JAS. DICK, Secretary. 1t*

☞ THE NATIONAL UNION ASSOCIATION—FIFTH WARD.—The loyal citizens of the FIFTH WARD will meet, pursuant to the call of the City Executive Committee, at the HALL of the GOOD INTENT FIRE CO., SPRUCE Street, above SIXTH, TUESDAY EVENING, May 5th, at 8 P. M. Business of importance is to be transacted.

The friends of our National and State Administrations and all who desire to see rebellion of the South and treason in the North, alike suppressed, are invited to attend.

ROBERT P. KING, President.
ROBERT K. NICHOLS, Secretary. my4-2t

☞ THE LAW OF LAWS IN LANGUAGES, or the "Law of the Unique" in German, will be presented in public by Prof. C. C. SCHAEFER, as the closing Lecture of his present course, and the opening Lecture of his new course, in German, at CONCORD HALL, 108 North TENTH Street, on MONDAY, May 4, at 5 o'clock P. M., to be continued and repeated on TUESDAY following, at 5 and 8 o'clock P. M., severally. The Teachers of First School District of Pennsylvania, the Principals and Teachers of the Boys' Central and Girls' High School, the Members of the Board of Control of Public Schools, (according to previous acceptance,) the Members of the Board of Trustees, and the Governing Faculty of the University of Pennsylvania, the members and representatives of the press, and the public in general, are invited to attend.

Commencement, ten minutes after time stated as above; Lecturer, each, of one hour. No tickets required. my4-2t

☞ MUSICAL FUND SOCIETY.—THE annual meeting of the Musical Fund Society will be held at Sansom Hall, on TUESDAY, the 5th May, at 8 o'clock P. M. The Annual Report will be read, and an election for Directors held.

WILLIAM L. DUNGLISON, Secretary.

☞ OFFICE OF THE AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY—No. 310 WALNUT Street, Philadelphia, April 21st, 1863.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a SPECIAL MEETING of the STOCKHOLDERS of this Company will be held at this office, on THURSDAY, May 21st, 1863, at 12 o'clock M., to consider the propriety of accepting the provisions of the supplement to their charter, approved April 14, 1863, and authorizing the Board of Directors to increase the Capital Stock of the Company.

ap22-4t*m2t* C. C. CRAWFORD, Sec'y.

☞ NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL ELECTION for Trustees and Managers of "The Northern Home for Friendless Children" will be held at the office, corner of President, THOMAS BARR, Esq., and Secretary CARPENTER streets, in the city of Philadelphia, on TUESDAY, May 12, A. D. 1863, between the hours of 4 and 6 P. M.

MACGREGOR J. MITCHESON,
my4-5,11,12 Secretary N. H. F. C.

☞ OFFICE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA, April 15, 1863.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of FOUR PER CENT. on the Capital Stock of the Company, free of State and National taxes, payable on and after May 15, 1863.

Powers of Attorney for Collections of dividends can be had on application at the office of the Company, No. 252 South THIRD Street.

JOHN T. THOMAS T. FIFTH, Treasurer.
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☞ GOLD, SILVER, AND DEMAND NOTES WANTED. DREXEL & CO.,
ap13-1m 34 South THIRD Street.

☞ LAY DELEGATION—M. E. CHURCH.—The Laymen of the M. E. Church in this City are requested to meet in the Trinity M. E. Church, Eighth street, above Race, on TUESDAY Evening, May 5th, at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of electing Delegates to represent the Methodists of this city at the Lay Delegation Convention, to be held in the city of New York, May 13.

By order of the Committee.
my2-3t* E. JONES, Secretary.

☞ AGREEABLY TO THE CALL OF the Union Party State Central Committee, loyal citizens of Philadelphia are invited to assemble in their respective wards on TUESDAY, May 5th, at 8 o'clock P. M., at such places as may be selected by the officers of the ward associations, for the purpose of electing one JUDGE and two INSPECTORS for each precinct; said judges and inspectors to conduct an election in the various precincts on THURSDAY, May 7th, between the 6 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing ONE DELEGATE from each precinct to a Representative Convention, and ONE DELEGATE to a Senatorial Convention, in conformity to rule 17 of the rules for the government of the National Union Party. The Representative and Senatorial Conventions shall meet at such places and times as a majority of their number shall by public notice direct.

By order of the City Executive Committee of the National Union Party.
JOHN J. FRANKLIN, } Secretaries.
HENRY B. GARDINER, } WM. B. KERN, President.
ap29-1t May7

☞ OFFICE MINE HILL AND SCHUYLKILL HAVEN RAILROAD COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA, 4th Month, (April) 27, 1863.

Notice is hereby given that a general meeting of the stockholders of the Mine Hill and Schuylkill Haven Railroad Company will be held at the hall of the Franklin Institute, No. 15 South SEVENTH Street, in the city of Philadelphia, on FIFTH DAY, (Thursday,) the 14th day of the Fifth Month, (May,) at 11½ o'clock A. M., for the purpose of acting on a joint agreement for the consolidation and merger of the Schuylkill Haven and Schuylkill River Railroad Company with the Mine Hill and Schuylkill Haven Railroad Company, and for the transaction of such other business as may be properly before said meeting. By order of the Board of Directors.

JOHN C. GRESSON, President.
Attest—WILLIAM BIDDLE, Secretary. ap28-tu14

☞ OFFICE OF THE SCHUYLKILL HAVEN AND LEHIGH RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY, PHILADELPHIA, April 27th, 1863.

Notice is hereby given that a general meeting of the Stockholders of the SCHUYLKILL HAVEN AND LEHIGH RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY will be held at the Hall of the Franklin Institute, No. 15 South SEVENTH Street, in the city of Philadelphia, on FIFTH DAY, the 14th day of May, 1863, at ten o'clock in the morning, for the purpose of acting on a joint agreement for the consolidation and merger of the Schuylkill Haven and Lehigh River Railroad Company with the Mine Hill and Schuylkill Haven Railroad Company, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before said meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.

ALEX. J. DERBYSHIRE, President.
JOSHUA W. ASH, Secretary. ap28-tu14

☞ NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commissioners named in an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Connecting Railway Company," approved April 14, 1863, will meet for the purpose of receiving Subscriptions to the Capital Stock of the said Company, at the office of the Company, on May 1, 1863, at 10 o'clock A. M., at No. 4 WILLING'S Alley, in the city of Philadelphia.

Clement B. Barclay, | John A. Wilson,
Oliver W. Barnes, | R. D. Barclay,
Edmund Smith, | J. C. Sharples,
S. B. Kingston, jr., | Isaac V. Elwell,
Joseph Lesley, | A. C. Harmer. ap20-tuy11

☞ THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BLOOMSBURG IRON COMPANY will be held at the Company's Office, Irondale, Pa., on WEDNESDAY, May 20, 1863, for the purpose of electing nine Directors to serve the ensuing year, and for the transaction of other business.

WM. E. BAKER, Treasurer.
ap25-20t* No. 213 North WATER Street.

☞ THE 50TH ANNUAL MEETING OF the "Corporation for the Relief of the Widows and Children of Clergymen in the Communion of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania," will be held in the Vestry Room of St. Peter's Church, Philadelphia, on TUESDAY, the 5th of May next, at 5 o'clock P. M.

JAMES M. AERTSEN,
April 30, 1863.—4my5 Secretary.

☞ OFFICE OF THE SURGEON-ARTIST TO THE ARMY AND NAVY, PHILADELPHIA, October 24, 1862.

Wounded Soldiers and Sailors desirous of availing themselves of the Liberal Appropriation for supplying Artificial Limbs, should apply immediately at the office of the Surgeon-Artist to the Government, No. 1609 CHESTNUT Street.

jn5-6m GEO. W. CLEMON,
Government Surgeon-Artist.

☞ HOMŒOPATHIC HOSPITAL, 1318 CHESTNUT Street.—This institution is now open for the reception of sick and wounded Soldiers, who will be received and provided for in the most comfortable manner, free of charge.

B. F. CLEMON,
ap22-4t Secretary of Board of Managers.

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