Public Entertainments.

MR. GOTTSCHALK'S CONCERT, on Thursday evening, will be made additionally interesting by the presence of Mr. Habelmann, a charming tenor, unnecessarily over-praised by some journals, but well deserving of his great popularity. Mrs. Behrens will sing "Ah! mon fils," and must necessarily be compared with Madame D'Angri, who sang the air at each of the concerts last week. One of the chief attractions of the programme will be the Beethoven trio for piano, violin, and violoncello, performed by Mr. Gottschalk, Carlo Patti, and Charles Schmitz, one of our finest resident artists.

MR. J. E. MURDOCH'S READINGS, on Thursday evening, will be of patriotic and Scriptural selections, and for the benefit of the First Presbyterian Church. It seems, by the way, as if Mr. Murdoch had entirely withdrawn from the stage, and we are sorry for it.

REV. DR. CHAPIN has chosen for the subject of his lecture, Friday evening, "Europe and America," and it need not be said that he will treat it eloquently and intelligently.

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ZENO, of all virtues, made choice of silence; for by it, said he, "I hear other men's imperfections, and conceal my own." Silence may be a virtue at times, but we doubt if even Zeno would have been silent, had he been familiar with the name and fame of Granville Stokes, the celebrated clothier, No. 609 Chestnut street.

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BURCH—REED.—On Thursday, March 10th, at St. James' Church, by the Rev. Dr. Morton, assisted by the Rev. J. S. Reed, Charles S. Burch, Esq., U. S. Consul to Cardiff, to Eva A., eldest daughter of Osmon Reed, Esq., all of Philadelphia.

DARLINGTON—RICHARDSON.—On the 15th instant, at All Saints' Church, by the rector, Rev. George Bringhurst, P. M. Darlington, U. S. N., to Rebecca M., daughter of Clayton N. Richardson, of Philadelphia, formerly of Bucks county.

DIED.

EDWARDS.—On the 14th inst., John Edwards, 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. 130 Coates street, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. To proceed to Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

ALLISON.—On Tuesday morning, 15th inst., Mrs. Frances Allison, widow of the late Dr. N. S. Allison, aged 73 years.

Her relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from her late residence, No. 2025 Spring Garden street, on Friday morning, the 18th inst., at 10 o'clock.

CUMMING.—On the morning of the 14th inst., Hannah, wife of Richard F. Cumming, in the 58th year of her age.

The friends of the family are invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her husband, No. 440 North Fourth street, on Fifth day, at 4 o'clock.

YOWMATH.—On Monday, the 14th inst., George F. Womath, in the 65th year of his age.

His male relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, at Frankford, on Thursday, the 17th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M. To proceed to Monument Cemetery.

CROWELL.—On the 14th instant, William Crell, aged 54 years.

The relatives and friends are invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 813 Tasker street, on Thursday morning, at 10 o'clock.

EDWARDS.—On the 14th instant, John Edwards, in the 76th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 130 Coates street, on Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. To proceed to Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

MORRIS.—On the 13th instant, Harriet Morris, daughter of Mary and Thomas Morris.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, near Phœnixville, Pa., on Wednesday next, at half past ten o'clock.

HOWE.—On Monday, March 14th, at the residence of his son, the Rev. Dr. Howe, the Hon. John Howe, aged 80 years.

His remains will be taken to Bristol, B. I., for interment.

ASHMEAD.—Harry Eugene, youngest child of Henry B. and Mary A. Ashmead, aged 1 year and 11 months.

Funeral from the residence of his parents, 1102 Girard avenue, on Wednesday morning, at 10 o'clock.

PEIRCE.—On the 15th inst., J. Loring Peirce, M. D., aged 34 years.

Funeral from the residence of his father, Cyrus Pierce, of Bristol, Bucks county, on Fourth day morning, at 2 o'clock P. M., when the friends of the family are invited to attend without further notice.

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"THE GREAT CENTRAL FAIR," FOR THE U. S. SANITARY COMMISSION.
OFFICE OF THE COMMITTEE ON LABOR, INCOMES AND REVENUES.
No. 118 SOUTH SEVENTH STREET,
PHILADELPHIA, March 15, 1864.
The Committee on Labor, Incomes, and Revenues, of "The Great Central Fair," invite co-operation with them in the particular work for which they have been appointed. As no portion of the people are more patriotic than the working men and women of the country, it is but just and proper that they should have every opportunity to contribute to the objects of the Fair. The most equable plan for accomplishing this, and, at the same time, the easiest one, is to ask for the contribution of a *single day's labor* from each classman in the community. To reach every department of industry and art, will be a work of great labor, but, if attained, will be productive of immense results.

The success of the plan will depend upon the hearty co-operation of every element of industry within our limits, and we invite the aid and guardians of the industrial interests, and all others, to take hold with us in furthering this great work of patriotism and humanity.

The committee is charged with the following duty, to wit:

First. To obtain the contribution of "one day's labor," or earnings, from every artisan and laborer, foreman, operative, and employer; president, cashier, teller, and clerk of every incorporated and unincorporated company, railroad, and express company, employing firm, bank, manufactory, iron works, oil works, mill, mine, and public office; from every private banker and broker, importer, auctioneer, and merchant's clerk; agent, salesman; designer, engraver, painter, and artist; publisher, printer, and mechanic; from every Government officer, contractor, and employee; grocer, butcher, baker, and dealer; farmer, horticulturist, and producer; from every manufacturer, milliner, and female operative; every individual engaged in turning the soil tending the loom, or in any way earning a livelihood, or building a fortune within the States of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware.

Second. To obtain the contribution of one day's "revenue" from all incorporated companies, firms, corporations, companies, railroads, and works.

Third. To obtain the contribution of "one day's labor" from every other person, and person of fortune—male and female—living upon their means, and from all clergymen, professors, teachers, scientific men, authors, and professors; and all other persons engaged in the learned or other professions.

Much of this work must be performed by the personal influence and efforts of ladies and gentlemen associated, or to be associated, with the committee in carrying out the plan.

The committee feel the responsibility of the work they have undertaken, which, to be successful, will require a very perfect ramification of their plan, and therefore are call upon all earnest people to associate themselves together in every town, township, and county, and form organizations of ladies and gentlemen, and contract to them the final work and labor of love. In the manufacturing counties, the coal and iron regions, and in the anthracite districts—especially let there be organizations in the larger towns, so that the young people may have an opportunity thus to render HOMAGE to their relatives and friends fighting the battles of their country in the war for the life of the nation.

The work of this committee may be prosecuted where no other effort can be made for the fair, as in the mines of the coal regions. A day's earnings of one hour, or a day's product of the mines, can be obtained, where no portable articles could be procured for presentation. Indeed, there is no part or section of these States where the day's labor may not be obtained, if organizations can be born and to reach them.

The committee cannot close without urging upon all proprietors of establishments the duty of an early prompt and energetic action to secure the benefit of the day of labor from all within their control.

The Committee deem it unnecessary to do more than thus to present the subject to the people of the three States named. The great campaigns of our armies the labors of the "Sanitary Commission" will be greatly augmented. By the first of June nine-tenths of the largest battles of modern times—will be operating in the field. So large a force, scattered over regions to which the sick and wounded unavoidably must necessarily carry disease, and bring a large amount of sickness, suffering, and death, to any nothing of the ghastly horrors of the battle field. The sufferings it is our bounden duty, as men and Christians, to relieve. A great and enlightened people, enjoying the blessings of a Government of their own making, *cannot refuse* assistance to men suffering to maintain it, and we will not do it. The great Central Fair, drawing its products from the three States of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Delaware, is efficient in all its parts, mechanical, and industrial wealth, shall fail behind any similar effort which has yet been attempted for the Soldiers' Relief Fund.

As it is desirable not to multiply circulars, *no further authority than this circular will be issued to any employing firm or company, or any respectable committee of ladies and gentlemen to proceed at once in the work of this committee.*

Subscriptions will be immediately acknowledged in the newspapers of Philadelphia, and it is desirable that the contributions at once as each fresh acknowledgment will stimulate further effort.

All subscriptions should be addressed to JOHN W. CLAGHORN, Treasurer, Office of the Committee, No. 118 South SEVENTH STREET, Philadelphia.

JOHN MONTGOMERY BOND, Chairman.
MCGREGOR J. MITCHESON, Secretary. mh16-2t

BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE SCHOOL SECTION, N. L. D. A. A meeting held on the 10th inst. it was ordered that the usual exercises of the Schools of the Section be dispensed with on the 22d inst., and instead of each week, to allow teachers and scholars an opportunity to take an active part in the Sanitary Fair, held for the Great Central Fair for the United States Sanitary Commission.

DANIEL ALLEN, President.
WM. F. BUTCHER, Secretary. 1t

COMMENCEMENT.—THE Twelfth Annual Commencement of the FEMALE DEPARTMENT, COLLEGE OF PHARMACY, will be held at the COLLEGE BUILDING, NORTH COLLEGE Avenue, on WEDNESDAY, 16th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M. Valedictory Address will be delivered by Prof. A. PRESTON. mh15-2t*

A LECTURE UPON THE LIFE AND CHARACTER OF THE LATE BISHOP HUGHES will be delivered by the Rt. Rev. JAMES ROUSHAN, D. D., Bishop of Newark, New Jersey, at the ACADEMY OF MUSIC, Broad and Locust Streets, on MONDAY EVENING, March 28th, 1864, at 8 o'clock. Proceeds for the benefit of the Poor.

Tickets 25 cents, can be obtained at Peterson's Book Store, No. 306 Chestnut street, of the Sextons at the principal Catholic Churches, and at the Catholic Book Stores.

ASSEMBLY BUILDINGS, CORNER TENTH AND CHESTNUT,
COURSE of LECTURES on COMPARATIVE ANATOMY,
By C. HEERMANN, M. D., beginning April.
Subscription Tickets, $10. List opened at Mr. Leypoldt's Foreign Library, CHESTNUT, below the Mint. mh14-6t

THE PENNSYLVANIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
MARCH 7, 1864.
The Directors have this day declared a Dividend of SEVEN DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS per Share on the Stock of the Company for the last six months, which will be paid to the Stockholders or their legal representatives after the 17th instant.
mh8-10t WM. G. CROWELL, Secretary.

NOTICE.—THE FIRST MEETING of the Corporators of the RESOLUTE MINING COMPANY, under their Articles of Association, will be held at No. 334 WALNUT Street, in the city of Philadelphia, on the 21st day of MARCH, 1864, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of completing the organization of the Corporation and transacting any other proper business.
JOHN R. GROUT,
R. A. HOOPER,
Two Associates under said Articles.
PHILADELPHIA, March 2, 1864. mh4-10t

WESTERN LIVE STOCK RAILROAD COMPANY.
PHILADELPHIA, March 7, 1864.
NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The annual Election for President and Five Directors will be held on FRIDAY, the 15th day of March, 1864, at No. 409 WALNUT Street. The Polls will be open from 12 M. until 1 P. M.
R. T. FRAILEY, Secretary.
mh7-11t

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE.—Second Collection District of Pennsylvania, comprising Fifth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, and Tenth Wards of the city of Philadelphia.
NOTICE.
The annual assessment for 1863, for the above-named district, of persons liable to a tax on Carriages, Pleasure Yachts, Billiard Tables, and Gold and Silver Plate, also of persons required to take out licenses, having been completed,
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN
That the taxes aforesaid will be received daily by the undersigned, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 3 P. M., (Sundays excepted,) at his office, southwest corner of THIRD and WALNUT Streets, on and after MONDAY, the 7th inst., and until and including SATURDAY, the 2d day of April next ensuing.
PENALTIES.
All persons who fail to pay their annual taxes upon Carriages, Pleasure Yachts, Billiard Tables, and Gold or Silver Plate, on or before the afternoon of the 2d day of April, 1864, will incur a penalty of ten per centum additional of the amount thereof, and be liable to arrest, as provided for in the 19th section of the excise law of 1st July, 1862.
All persons who fail to make a true statement of their licenses as required by law, on or before the 2d day of April, 1864, will incur a penalty of ten per centum additional of the amount thereof, and be liable to a prosecution for three times the amount of said tax, in accordance with the provisions of the 69th section of the law aforesaid.
All payments are required to be made in Treasury Notes under authority of the United States, or in notes of Banks organized under the act to provide a national currency, known as National Banks.
No further notice will be given.
JOHN H. DIEHL, Collector.
S. W. cor. THIRD and WALNUT Sts.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

PROF. DUNBAR,
whose Speaking and Singing created such a sensation last Friday evening at the Academy of Music, has been prevailed upon to lecture