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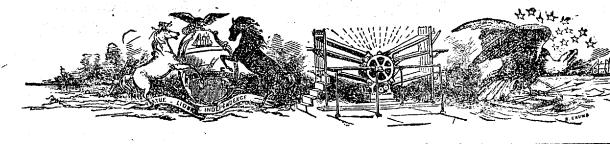
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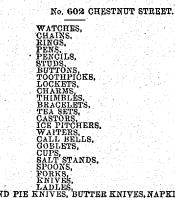
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FRIDAY, MAY 20, 1864. The U.S. Christian Commission on the The following interesting account of the work of the Christian Commission among the wounded at Belle Plain and Fredericksburg is from the pen of John Y. Foster, Esq., of Harper's Weekly, who has been spending a short term as delegate of the Com-Geo. H. Stuart. President Christian Commission: Just returned from a week's labor as a delegate of the Commission, among the sick and wounded oldiers of the Army of the Potomac, I hasten to re-

port to you what I have seen and know of the condition of affairs in that now important field. In company with Dr. George S. Ward, of Newark, N. J., and Mr. Paul A. Davis, of Philadelphia, I reached Washington on the morning of Wednesday, May 11th. There we were joined by some fifteen or more other delegates, and at four o'clock in the afternoon left by steamer for Belle Plain, General Grant's baseof supplies, taking with us a large quantity of hospital stores. Owing to delays, we did not reach Belle Plain until the following day. We landed at Belle Plain at seven o'clock that evening. Such a scene as there presented itself probably was never before witnessed in this or any land. The whole hill-side was literally crowded with wounded, many lying in the mud without shelter, exposed to the pelting rain; many limping

through the gloom in search of a refuge; many crouching in the dripping thickets; many lying right at the river's edge, with the flood creeping to their very feet. In all, not less than 10,000 sick and wounded men were thus grouped along the dark and desolate hills, most of whom had not tasted food for forty-eight hours, and many of whom had re-ceived no medical attention whatever from the time of leaving the battle-field. The delegates, immediately upon getting our stores, proceeded earnestly to the work of relief; furnishing coffee, food and stimulants; washing and cleansing the wounded, and in every way possible ministering to their comfort. This was done, for the most part, in the midst of a driving rain, the delegates wading from tent to tent in a very Slough of Despond. Everywhere we were welcomed with blessings; and it was a pleaure of the purest type and character to contribute to the consolation of the brave men who, suffering for liberty, submitted to every pain and hurt with-

out a single murmur or complaint. The force of workers having been increased by fresh arrivals, several of us proceeded on Friday to Fredericksburg, where assistance was urgently needed. Here we found every house filled with wounded—not less than soven thousand in all. The Commission had several days before established its eadquarters in a large building on a principal street, and from thence supplies were furnished to the hospitals, which, but for this, would have been omparatively destitute of necessary stores. By Friday night over fifty delegates were hard at work in the hospitals, and by Sunday noon, with a largely increased force, the work had been perfectly systematized, and every hospital was under excellent discipline, and supplied with everything necessary for present operations. Among the delegates were several surgeons, who were promptly assigned by the Medical Director, and labored night and day among the wounded, whose comfort they promoted

When we left the field supplies were still coming forward, and delegates constantly arriving. But trains of wounded were also coming in, and the deand for help was increasing. In coming up, we aided in caring for a boat loat of wounded, from Belle Plain to Washington, dressing some of their wounds, and furnishing such food as we could pro-There are to-day in Virginia, and about Washington, at least 30,000 men who are in need of help from this Commission. Body and soul invite Chrisian labor and sympathy. They expect our aid. They have learned to look for the Commission wherever pain is to be relieved; our badge is everywhere a passport to their favor. We must not dis-

men of the North owe it to our gallant, loyal, ouled defenders, to minister, in every emergency, to heir necessities, whether physical or spiritual. Help is needed; supplies are needed; shirts, drawers, stores of every description. Every loyal woman's nimble finger should be employed in this behalf. Every loyal man's purse should be opened in this cause. The necessity, already great, will yet be augmented. The desperate, decisive battles are yet to be fought. Thousands of men must yet fall. We must prepare for their relief. And every woman who gives a day's work in providing slothing; every man who gives a dime out of his fullness; every boy, every girl who may contribute to your Commission fund will carn a recompense which, in coming years, shall sweeten every cup, orighten every sorrow, and make the darkest day cautiful with the memory of good deeds kindly

JOHN Y. FOSTER. Very truly yours, MAY 17, 1864. The Forged Despatch. To the Editor of The Press:
Sir: The circumstances attending the dissemina tion of the forged proclamation of "May 17," purporting to proceed from the President of the United States, and published as such by the World, Herald, point to its perpetration by one familiar with newspaper-office business. The use of "manifold" written MS : the delivery at a late hour, not long before going to press; the precision of the language; the imitation of the official style: All denote the class among whom the police authorities should look for the authorship.

With a view of aiding in the discovery of the criminal I would suggest that an original of this forged proclamation, in the manifold writing, should be submitted to a committee of gentlemen of the press in New York city, so that they may decide as to the identity of the handwriting. Manifold writing is done upon oiled paper, with a stylus, and none but an adept in the use of that instrument can produce MIS, of this kind. The number of known manifold writers is comparatively small; the peculiarities of appearance in the writing of each are well known. Generally, there are no manifold writers in newspaper offices. The Associated Press, in New York and elsewhere, employs them. Police and "items" reporters, and commercial and market news writers, comprise nearly all those who use this means of reduplicating copy. The field of inquiry being thus narrow, it is to be hoped that the dishonest newsmonger in this instance will be traced

f am, sir, yours truly, The Mendacity of Slaveholders.
To the Editor of The Press: To the Editor of The Press:

Sin: Where iniquity has long abounded, and become nearly universal, and where crime has for an extended period been enacted on a stupendous scale; where, in a word, large communities have come with one accord to "call good orll, and evil good," it is not an easy thing to individualize; but if the thing be at all possible, from the most salient of Southern communities, during the last few years, after cruelty, which is their overshadowing abomination, we should next instance their mendacity.

Were it not that a people who, in this ninetcenth century, could deliberately undertake to construct on the ruins of a Republic like ours a new system based on human slavery, might be supposed capable of any atrocity, we should be astounded on reading, as we do, the nefarious utterances of the newspaper-writers of Richmond. And even yet the affluence of their imagination in coining original and utterly baseless falsehoods, together with the copiousness with which they pour them forth, is a secret, nay, a marvel to us. But among the most towering of their efforts in this line, is their charge upon the Government and the people of the Northern States of the crime of inaugurating this war! Why not assert, at once, that it was the insurgent North, or, still worse, the Administration of President Lincoln that planted the first batteries in 1561, and opened fire on the legitimate Government of Jesseron

fire on the legitimate Government of Jesses n Davis?

Were the ordinary thief, burglar, and cut-throat, after a protracted immunity in his crimes, to charge upon the ministers of justice, who at last started out for his arrest, the authorship of all his mischief, we think that lookers-on would be likely to stare. Yet even such a dodge among the vulgar rout of criminals would but precisely parallel the audacrity of the slaveholders who, three years ago, actually appropriated the posts of honor, with large amounts of public property and treasure, which we had confided to them, to their own private uso, and for our destruction—asserting veelforously, meanwhile, that we were the guilty betrayers of trust. We certainly can conceive of no truer way of stating their case than this, or anything fairer than the above comparison. Yet still these mendacious robbers and murderers on a lunge scale, through thoir Richmond organs, are thus daily venting upon us the vilest cpithets and the grossest abuse as the authors of this war, the invaders of their homes, and as having been guilty towards them of every crime in the whole calendar of sin.

RESACA.—This place, to which so great a share of public attention is now directed, is almost due outh from Chattanooga, and distant from it by ailroad fifty-six miles. It is situated in Gordon county, Georgia, on the north bank of the Coosawattee river, which flows southwest, changes its name to the Oostalantee, and joins Etowah at Rome, the two forming the Coosa, which, joining the Tallagoes, forms the Alabama, and flows into the Gulf Soosa, forms the Alabama, and flows into the Gulf at Mobile.

The railroad bridge at Resaca, destroyed by the rebels on their retreat, is one of the most important, we believe the most important, on the Western and Atlantic Railway. If our recollection is accurate, it is six hundred feet long. The distance from Resaca to Atlanta is eighty-two miles by rail, and the country is much more favorable for our operations than that from Chattanooga to Resacca. We believe it safe to say that more than half of the difficulties of a march from Chattanooga to Atlanta are already overcome. We believe it safe to say that more than half of the difficulties of a march from Chattanooga to Atlanta are already overcome.

The statement that our forces are in pursuit of Johnston beyond Resaca indicates that no difficulty was experienced in crossing the Coosawattee river. The next important stream is the Etowah, forty miles ahead, and here are situated the most extensive iron-works in the State. Sherman's army is now in the country whose rivers flow into the Guilf. He holds the whole of the famous railroad triangle, of which the towns of Chattanooga, Cleveland, and Dalton marked the angles, and which was about as nearly the "heart of the Southern Confederacy! as could be found on the map. Its very great importance has been universally recognized. The city of Atlanta, now directly menaced, is looked upon in Europe, as well as America, as the most important place in possession of the rebels, Richmond not excepted. The country on the line of Sherman's march swarms with negroes, driven by their masters from Tennessee and Mississippi, and the towns contain their beasted manufactories. Rome is southwest of Resaca, and twenty or thirty miles from the main line of railroad. If Johnston continues his retreat toward Atlanta, Rome will fall into our possession without a serious siruggle. We may count upon it that Sherman will move with rapidity. His army is stripped for a race, and the intention is to subsist chiefly on what the country affords.—Cincinnati Commercial.

DR. HORATIO BEAUMONT, son of Andrew J. Beaumont, Esq., a well-known resident of the neighborhood of New Hope, Pa., has just been assigned

The following carefully prepared list of genera-officers, who have died since the commencement of the war, is furnished by Sonator Wilson. It will be rved that thirty-six have been killed in battle, and fifteen died of diseases contracted in the ser-

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nians in Washington. OFFICERS.

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SUSPENSION OF THE NEW YORK WORLD AND JOURNAL OF COMMERCE—LETTERS FROM THE RDI-NAL OF COMMERCE—LETTERS FROM THE EDITORS.

To the Editor of the New York Tribune:

Sin: Will you oblige us by publishing in your columns the following statement of the proceedings of the Government this evening toward the World and the Journal of Commerce regarding the publication in our morning's issue of the forged proclamation, purporting to be signed by President Lincoln, appointing a day of fasting and prayer, and calling into the military service 400,000 men.

The document in question was written on thin manifold paper, such as is used for all the despatches sent to the soveral newspapers of our association, and had every external appearance and mark to identify it as a genuine despatch arriving in the regular course of business.

It was delivered at our office late at night at the time of the receipt of our latest news, too late, of course, for editorial supervision, but, as it happened, not before our printing offices were closed. It was delivered at all, or nearly all, of the newspaper offices, and was published in a part of the Journal of Commerce and World, and as we are informed, in a part of the editions of one or more of our cotemporaries. Journal of Commerce and World, and as we are informed, in a part of the editions of one or more of our cotemporaries.

Early this morning the fact that the despatch had not been sent by the agent of the Associated Press became known to us, and its frandalent character was at once announced upon our bulletin boards, and a reward of \$500 offered by us for the discovery of the forger.

The Executive Committee of the Associated Press also offered a similar reward of \$1,000, as the fraud had been attempted to be perpetrated upon all the journals composing our association.

We took pains in the afternoon to apprise Gen. Dix of the facts in the case, and gave him such information in regard to the circumstances of the forgery as might assist him in the discovery of its author. The Government was at once put in possession of the facts in the case.

Nevertheless, this evening, Gen. Dix, acting under peremptory orders from the Government, piaced our offices under a strong military guard, and issued warrants for the arrest of the editors and proprietors of The World and Journal of Commerce, and their imprisonment in Fort Lafayette.

A vessel was lying under steam at one of the wharves, to convoy us thither.

Chancing to meet one of the officers of General Dix's staff, charged with the execution of this order, we proceeded in his company to the headquarters of the Department of the East, and were informed by General Dix that the order for our arrest had been suspended, but that the order for the suppression of the publication of The World and Journal of Commerce had not been rescinded, and that we could not be permitted to enter our offices, which continue under the charge of the military guards.

We protest against the suppression of our journals of the publication of our offices, which continue under the charge of the military guards.

shameless forgery implied in the order for our arrest.

We protest against the suppression of our journals for the misfortune of being deceived by a forgery not less ingenious nor plausible than the forged report of the Confederate Secretary of War, which Secretary Seward made the basis of diplomatic action.

PRIME, STONE, HALE, & HALLOCK, Journal of Commerce.)

MANTON MARBLE (World.)

To the Editor of the N. Y. Tribune:

Sin: The following leading, editorial was prepared for the Journal of Commerce of Thursday morning. As it cannot appear in that paper, in consequence of its suppression by the United States authorities, you would confer a favor by inserting it in your columns. in your columns: [From the N. Y. Tribune of yesterday morning.] EXCITEMENT AGAINST THE JOURNAL OF COM-There was a good deal of excitement in the city relative to the imposition. About 11 o'clock in the morning a large crowd, composed almost entirely of merchants doing business down town, and particularly in the neighborhood of Wall street, assembled in front of the office of the Journal of Commerce, corner of Wall and Water streets, and domanded that the proprietors of the paper should forthwith contradict the reported proclamation published in its columns. contradict the reported proclamation published in its columns.

Mr. Wade, of the firm of Grinnell, Minturn, & Co., with other prominent merchants, on behalf of the assemblage, waited upon the proprietors, and showed them a despatch direct from Washington to the Board of Brokers denying the proclamation. The proprietors insisted upon the genuineness of the proclamation, and refused to contradict on their bulletin the report, stating that it was authentic from the Associated Press. They still persisted, notwithstanding one of their own employees brought a denial from Mr. Craig, agent of the Associated Press.

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The excitement occasioned by this obstinacy on the part of the Journal continued to increase, and it was not until violent demonstrations were made, particularly against Mr. Stone (one of the proprietors), that the paper consented to issue a builetin denying the whole affair. This had the desired effect, and the crowd retired. During the excitement General McClellan visited the editorial department of the Journal, and remained there some time.

THREE CENTS Have hely once Unity go.

[From the Montrose (Pa.) Independent Republican.]

Hark to the batteries disputing in thunder—
Shell over tree top and shot rattling under,
Noisily cover the path of the foe

Down through the forest aisles, lofty and large.

There's a look on the face of our leader I know,
And I wait the dread order. "Fix bayonets—charge!

Am I less brave for a moment's quick shiver?
Hearts of oak yonder bear light leaves that quiver.
I look down the line—there's a lip turning white,
Set the firmer for that; there are fixed gazing eyes
Intent upon something, but not on the fight;
There's a swift glance flung upward to plores the blue
skies. While the thunder rolls nearer, distinct thro' it all I catch fragments of whispers, as "Boys, if I fall: Or thus, "Should the worst come, write home to "Tell my sister, my wife, that I died like a man."
'You'll tind in my knapsack, friend," murmurs an-"A line that I scrawled when the battle began." Our colonel sits firm; with that look in his eye, Like a sword part unsheathed, he rides gallantly by Should he fall, made a mark for the sharpshooter's a By his gay epaulette with its golden enerust. There'll he trumpet-loud voices to herald his fame—But I am a private—the commonest dust! For fance do I fight? Lord of Hosts, does not he Who battles for right ever battle for Thee! There are graves trodden level that love seeks in vain, Held in honor by angels. Allke in thy sight The poorest who careves for the red stripes their stain, And the leader who falls in the van of the light. They are coming—they come! Shifting sumbeams reveal Their way through the leaves by the glitter of steel. They swarm to the light, through the tree boles they swarm Out from the forest aisles, lofty and large. Our colonel turns pale, drope his beckening arms, But hark, boys, the order, "Fix bayonets—charge!"

Caribaldi to Victor Hugo. The following letter was received by M. Victor lugo on the 2d of May: Hugo on the 2d of May:

"Falmouth, April 26, 1894.

"My Drar Victor Hugo: Thanks for your letter of the 24th. Yes! I love you with a love that men of your nature can appreciate; and, certainly, one of my chief regrets in quitting this land of refuge is that I have not been able to grasp your hand—the hand of him who is the man of human emanciantlem—the corner-some whereon the future of people. ation—the corner-stone whereon the future of peopatton—the confer-score whereas the state of the ples rest.

"Your humane foresight has no doubt shown you, in pointing out to me deliverance, that the end for which nations long is near attainment. I accept the angury will gratitude, and I can assure-you that, in my short visit to the generous sons of Old England, I, like you, have seen the general disposition to come to an understanding and an end with England, I, like you, have seen the general disposition to come to an understanding and an end with that slaughtering policy which, under the mask of order and legality, dominates the world. Yes, my worthy friend, with my hand in the blackened and horny hand of the English workman, I have understood the word of fraternity with France, spoken by the unanimous voice of the crowd of these stalwart sons of toil, and my eyes were moistened when I thought on that sentence of death on despotism—on that infitative of a great people calling a great people brother for the liberation of all. And, as you say, with England and France at the head deliverance is not far off. Caprera would be very proud of your visit, and I am at the present time so happy that I dare to hope for all things. Allow me to grasp your noble brand, at least in thought, and to call inyself for life your devoted,

"G. GARIBALDI."

THE LAST OF MEYERBEER—THE ARRANGE-MEN'S FOR HIS FUNERAL.—A private letter from Paris, received here, gives some particulars of the funeral ceremonies by which it was intended to honor the memory of Dicycrieer. A committee was appointed to take the matter in charge. It consisted of Auber, the composer; of Jules Beer, a hophaw of the deceased; of Mes-sieurs Camille Douect, Saint Georges, Emil Perrin, Georges Kastner, Edouard Monnais, Louis Bran-dus, the Baron Taylor, and Florentino, the news-paper musical critic. dus, the Baron Taylor, and Florentino, the newspaper musical critic.

Meyerbeerdied on Monday the 2d, and after lying in state in Paris three days, the body was on Friday, the 6th, at noon, removed from his house, No. 2 Rue de la Montaigne, and conveyed, followed by a large funeral procession, to the station of the Northern Railway.

Services took place here, and several funeral discourses were pronounced. A special train then left for Berlin with the remains. Several members of the committee went with them as far as the French frontier, Mr. Jules Beer continuing on to Berlin. On Monday, the 9th of May, the final obsequies were to take place at Berlin, after which the body would be deposited in the family vault.

Meyerbeer's will would be opened by his direction at Berlin. As yet no one knows what disposition he therein makes of his property.—New York Post. A DUEL nearly came off at Marseilles between two members of the Japanese Embassy now on their journey. The parties in the quarrel placed two ballots in a hat, on one of which was written "death." He who drew this was bound to retire to a room and commit suicide. This was satisfaction to the survivor. The affair was, however, nipped in the bud by the interference of some French gentlemen, who could not see the propriety of such an arrangement.

resents a good appearance.

THE STATE. DEATH OF A SCHUYLKILL COUNTY MILLIONAIDE.
—Mr. Richard Kcar, coal operator, died at his residence in Minersville, this county, on the 6th instaat, aged fifty-eight years. Mr. Kear at the time of his death owned property valued at \$1,000,000. He came to this region in 1829 and worked as a miner at days' wages, until 1835, when he commenced working a small colliery of his own. Between that and 1849 he met with the "ups and downs" incident to the business, and was sold out twice by the sheriff. The last time his property was bought in for him, and in 1849 he commenced prospering, and from that period to the time of his death his accumulations amounted to the sum stated above. In his will Mr. Kear left his foreman, who had been with him a long time, \$5,000, and his clerk, Mr. Wetzman, who for some years conducted his entire business, \$2,000. The residue of the property goes to his relatives, twelve in number, among whom it will be equally divided. Mr. Kear was a bachelor, and lived very economically. It is thought that his personal expenses did not exceed \$400 a year. The executors of his will are Mr. Wetzman and Mr. Michael Bright.—Mirers' Journal. BURNED TO DEATH.—Mr. George Wolf, of Lower Augusta township, Northumberland county, Pa., aged about sixty-five years, was burned to death on Tuesday of last week. He was engaged in burning brush when his clothing caught fire, and he was so badly burned that he expired before assistance could be rendesed.

CAPTAIN A. G. OLINER, 12th Pennsylvania Reserve Corps, lost \$1,900 in a railroad car between Altoona and Harrisburg on Friday night. FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

THE MONEY MARKET. PHILADELPHIA, May 19, 1864. We think we can see approaching another furore in the stock market. For the past few weeks there has been a comparative lull after the great panic which so forcibly broke up the spirit of speculation, and swep away in a day the fortunes of thousands. The contagion, it will be remembered, spread itself far and wide, and carried away many who had herefofore never knowo of the existence of a stock board. Females, it was well known, presented themselves at brokers' offices, and with the money they had just drawn from the Saving Fund, offered to go into the market as purchsers of stocks, about which they could have known nothing and, if they did, it would be to find that they were ut-terly worthless. Savings that had been laid by for years were withdrawn from safe and steady investments, and hazarded entirely upon the prospect of a ris in price of wild-cat companies, which men of caution and experience had not nor would not venture to touch. The excitement, however, was upon the people, and particularly that class of the people who know nothing of the tricks of speculators, and the occasion was duly improved to bring out stock after stock, till the crash came, and all went under. The knowing ones reaped a golden harvest, and the innocent and ignorant became vic tims. The shock was feli, and for four or five weeks the stock list of the Board of Brokers exhibited meagre sales, and they were only of the securities of the better character. In spite of that terrible lesson, the same thing is about being repeated. Mining companies and oil companies are starting forth anew, and no questions are asked as to their integrity or value. New names appear on the list, some that can be pronounced, and those which native Indians only could accentuate properly. They are supposed to have some real standing from the pompous appellations by which they are de-signated. Falcy rallroad shares that have long been on the market, and known universally to have little or no value whatever, that pay no dividends, and which expect to pay none, are run up for speculative pur-poses, and the business of buying and selling stocks is reduced to the ordinary occupation of gambling. The recent panic and downfall in prices have evidently failed to produce the effect that was expected. A word to the wise is generally sufficient, and to the uninitiated would we give this word of caution. It would be as great an injustice to class all the low priced stocks in the same category as it would be to sa that any two stocks quoted at the same high price are of the same intrinsic value. Many of the recent oil com-panies have been started upon a firm and solid basis. While their circulars may possibly exaggerate the re While their circulars may possioly exaggerate the resources which the companies claim, yet it will be found that they, in many instances, fully justify the quotation of the stock. The oil resources of Pennsylvania are, it might be said, inexhaustible, and are destined to occupy in our political economy a place no less renowned than coal and iron. It is stated that the yield of the Pennsylvania petroleum wells, in

that the yield of the Pennsylvama perfolaum wests, in the beginning of 1868, amounted to about 4,000 to 4,500 barrels a day. During the epring, in spite of low prices, the production was already equal from 5,000 to 6,000 barrels, and it continued to increase, when the high prices ruling for the article, from June to October, estimulated the scarch for oil. In the full the quantity gained amounted at times from 3,000 to 10,000 barrels daily. Pumping wells, if they only yield a few barrels a daily. Pumping wells, it they only field a few barrels a day, may not be worked when the market value of oil is low; but, as a general thing, wells which give about ten barrels daily can be pumped with advantage sollong as oil is worth \$2 per 40 gallons at the place of production, where prices ruled from \$1.75 to \$7.50 during the year. It is impossible to give an exact figure for the quantity produced in 1883; but, according to the best information at hand, it must have amounted to about 2,000,000 barrels, net. This production, giving a daily average of about 5,000 barrels, net, surpassed the devended and we have now a larger quantity of all in the mand, and we have new a larger quantity of oil in the United States than at the beginning of last year. The vield of oil during this year may possibly even double this; so that it will be seen that where companies are organized for the honest purpose of developing this great wealth, the result cannot but be profitable to the holders of the stock. This fact renders it all the more important to watch, yighlantly those organizations that would seek to cover up their fraud by the trustworthiness of the rest.

The stock market was quite active in the earlier part of the day, though it showed signs of weakness near the close. Government securities are still in active request, with an improving tendency. The 5-20 bonds closed at 100% for the registered; 7-30s, endorsed, sold at ness of the rest. closed at 100% for the registered, 100% endured, solid at 11113, an advance of 36. The only Government loan on the market at par is the 10-40 loan, and the sales are large daily. This loan pays five per cont. interest semi-annually in colo, and the law which authorized it conannual in tains an express provision for the payment of the principal in gold, which is neither expressed nor implied in any other loan act, beyond the provisions of the law of 1847, organizing the Treasury Department, wherein it is simply declared that the disbursements of the Treasury shall be in coin. This alone makes the 10-40 bonds the most desirable investment of any which has

Gold, which sold early in the day at 18514, fluctuated

a good deal during the day, and was quoted in the af-

ternoon as low as 15224.

Reading shares opened at 75, buyer 10 days, and fluctuated between that and 7234: Pennsylvania Railroad sold at 69%, and some small lots at 70, which is an advance; Philadelphia and Eric at 36; Little Schuylkill

ret been offered.

The War Press. To the getter-up of the Club of ten or twenty, seextra copy of the Paper will be given. There were sales of Green and Contes at 41, Second and Third at 77, and Arch-street at 311/4. Quotations of Gold at the Philadelphia Gold Exchange Howes & Rahm, quote: City warrants...... Five-twenty bonds... artermasters' Vouchers... ders for Certificates of Inde

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Erie at 1154@116%. Hudson River at 155/4, Harlem at
250, Reading at 165/4, Michigan Southern at 100%, Hilinois
Central at 135, Pittsburg at 116%, Rock Island at 115%.
Fort Wayne at 1194.
The appended table exhibits the chief movements at
the Board compared with the closing prices of yesterday: w York Central Railroad ... 13414

lu Chien.. Philada. Stock Exchange Sales, May 19. Reported by S. E. SLAYMAKER. Philadelphia Exchange. FIRST BOARD. Mechanics' Bank - 271/1 100 Susq Canal .

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100 do ... 89 .24 4 Louisville Bank... 103 SECOND BOARD.

An iron flag has been placed on the Patent Office at Washington. It is handsomely painted on waying folds, to imitate the national colors, and 

> Philadelphia Markets. MAY 19-EVENING. There is rather more doing in Flour, and holders are irm in their views, with sales of about 2,500 bbls at \$7.75 for city mills, extra fair to good extra family at \$508.25, and high grade doat \$9 \overline{0}\$ bil. The retailers and bakers are buying at from \$707.25 for superfine \$7.6007.75 for extra family, and \$300. .50 3 bbl for fancy brands, as to quality. Rve Flori

New York Markets, May 19.

AT THE MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE, PHILADRIPHIA.
p Tonawauda, Julius. Liverpool, May 25
rk A I Harrey, Fader. Barbados, soon
g Emma, Foulke. Port Spain, soon. Ship Tonawanda, Julius...... Bark A I Harvey, Fader...... Brig Emma, Foulke..... PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF TRADE, MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

Steamship Saxon, Maithews, 60 hours from Boston, with make and passengers to Henry Winsor & Co. Off the Capes of the Delaware, saw a bark and a brig coming in bark John Trucks, hence for New Orleans, was at anchor below Bombay Hook; ship Majestic, for Quebec, was at anchor off Morris Liston's; brig Benj. Carryer, from Sagua, was off New Castle, coming up. Brig Kurea (Br), Strachan, from Clentuegos 221 nff, with sugar and molasses to George C Carson & Corporate Carryer, Carrye Brig Kurea (Br.), Strachan, from Cientitegos 22d alf, with sugar and molasses to George C Carson & Govessel to C C Van Horn. The Kurea was ashore at Gape Henlopen, as before reported, but came off without serious damage, and was towed up by tug American Brig James Grosby, Parker, 6 days from Hortland, with plaster to E A Souder & Go.

Schr Diamond State, Still 2 days from Milford, DeI, Schr Diamond State, Srill. 2 days from Milford, Del, with grain to James Barratt.
Schr Lucry, Spence, I day from Brandywine, Del, with corn meat to R M Lea.
Schr Emma, Hunter, 1 day from New Castle, Del, with grain to James Barratt.
Schr Lancet, Bayard, 1 day from Christiana, Del, with grain to Christian & Co.
Schr Vendalia, Cooper, 1 day from Smyrna, Del, with corn to Jumes L Bewley & Co.
Schr Mary, Rickards, 1 day from Camden, Del, with corn to Junes L Bewley & Co.
Steamer Ann Eliza, Richards, 24 hours from New York, with mdse to WP Clyde.
Steamer Black Diamond, Meredith, 24 hours from New New York, with mdse to W Beird & Co.

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CLEARED.

Ship Echo, (Br.) Whealen, Quebec. Steamship Salvor, Chesterton, Fort Monroe. Bark Jennie Pitts, Haskell, Pietou. Brig Eliza Ann, Ayres, Key West.

Brig Monica, Phillips, Newburyport.

Brig Three Sislers, Hanns, Marseilles.

Brig Humboldt, Cobb, Boston.

Schr John Dorrance, Rice, Boston.

Schr John Dorrance, Rice, Boston.

Schr Pointer, Holmes, Port au Prince.

Schr Gw Gummins, Boult, Dighton.

Schr Ann Pickerel, Jodge, Baltimore.

Schr Ann Carlet, Andrews, Boston.

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Schr Ida L Howard, McDuffle, Salem.

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Schr Jas Tilden, Davis, Boston.

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Schr Schwid, Jasper, Boston.

Schr Mary Patterson, Godfrey, Providence.

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Schr Mercy Taylor, Nicerson, Boston.

Schr Henler, Hamilton, Salem.

Schr Mary Haller, Hamilton, Salem.

Schr Mary Haller, Aren, Full River.

Schr Mary Hanks, Haley, Fortress Monroe.

Schr Budalo, Jones, New York.

Steam-tug Fortland, Hatrick, Alexandrig.

9.50 8 bbl for fancy brands, as to quality. Rye Flour is selling in a small way at \$7@.25 \$\overline{P}\$ bbl. There is very little doing in Corn Meal.

GRAIN.—Prices of Wheat are rather better; about 5,500 bus sold at \$180@182 for good to prime reds, and white at from 190@200 \$\overline{P}\$ bu, as to quality. Rye is dull at 155@180 \$\overline{P}\$ bu. Corn has again advanced; sales comprise about 9,000 bus at 142@145c for yellow, part to arrive, and 140c \$\overline{P}\$ bu for white. Oats are rather dull and lower; about 5,000 bus sold at from \$S\$ to \$00 \$\overline{P}\$ bu, as to quality. and lower; about 5,000 bus sold at from SS to 90c ? bu, as to muality

BARK.—Quercitron is unchanged; a small sale of 1st No. 1 was made at \$40 per ton COTTON.—The sales are limited, and prices have again advanced. Small sales of middlings are making at Sto ? b cash.

GROCERIES.—Sugar and coffee are without change, and there is very little doing; small sales of the latter are making at \$60.96c ? b for Rio.

PETROLEUM.—There is no material change to notice; small sales are making at \$360.96c ? gailon for free as to quality. 

New York Markets, May 19.

Breadstuffs.—The market for State and Western Flour is 5@10c better.

Sales of 13,000 bbls at \$7.05@7.20 for superfine State, \$7.55@7.40 for extra State, \$7.55@7.50 for choice ditto, \$7.05@7.20 for superfine Western, \$7.55@7.55 for common to medium extra Western, \$7.55@7.70 for common to good shipping brands extra round-hoop Ohio, and \$7.76@8.40 for trade brands.

Sonthern Flour is firmer. Sales 1,200 bbls at \$7.60@8 for common, and \$3.10@10.75 for fancy and extra.

Canadian Flour is 1@2c better. Sales 500 bbls at \$7.36 @7.30 for common, and \$7.56@8.30 for good to choice extra. Rye Flour is quiet at \$5.75@6.60. Corn Meal is very scarce and advancing. LETTER BAGS.

JAMES R. CAMPBELL, S. W. DE COURSEY, WM. G. BOULTON. COMMITTEE OF THE MONTH. PORT OF PHILADELPHIA, May 20, 1864. SUN RISES.... 4 49 SUN SETS..... 7 11 HIGH WATER 1 37

1734. Passenger railways are attracting more attention.