French Lawyers in Trouble for Writing a Law Book.

The Paris correspondent of the London *Daily News* gives the following account of the recent operations of the French police:

"I have today to report a grievous freak of arbitrary power, which reminds one painfully of the worst days of the present empire. At an early hour, June 16, the police made domiciliary visits to the houses of MM. Garnier Pages, Carnot, Dreo, Ferry Gambetta, Etienne Arago, Olamorgan Herold, Durand, and several other equally respectable members of the late Electoral Committee of Paris, to search for papers. The residence of M. Floquet, late an opposition candidate for the Legislative Corps, in a southern department, was also visited, and, in his absence, his desks and drawers were broken open. The pretext for this act was that lists of members of a secret society were likely to be found at the houses of these gentlemen. The true motive—as I state without any hesitation—was to terrify the electors of France on the eve of the elections for the councils-general.

"Most of the men whose homes have thus been violated are young barristers, whose great crime is that they have written conjointly a valuable manual of electoral law, instructing citizens what to do when illegally interfered with by prefects, mayors, and gendarmes, and showing how the present Constitution, with all its artfully restrictive clauses, nevertheless leaves a large measure of real power in the hands of the constituencies, if they have only the intelligence and the courage to make use of it. This book, no doubt, greatly contributed to the unlooked for success of the opposition at the general elections of 1863, and it is greatly feared by Government that systematic attention to its counsels will most seriously change the composition of the councils-general, the elections for which stand fixed for Sunday, the 10th. It is probable that some of the gentlemen whose domiciles have been invaded to-day have taken part in that organization of the country elections without which universal suffrage must ever be a fraud and a delusion. No doubt they have endeavored, by all legal means, and in spite of highly calculated legal difficulties, to prevent votes from being thrown away, and to recommend names to the notice of the constituencies. The object of the violent measure of the police is to get possession of the names of their correspondents in the provinces. To punish electoral committees as members of secret societies, and at the same time to prohibit all public meetings, is a genuine *Idée Napoléonienne*, and a beautiful illustration of the way in which universal suffrage may be made to work."

THE DEATH OF GEN. (BISHOP) POLK—WHO DIRECTED THE FATAL SHOT.—A rebel prisoner, who says he was within fifty feet of General Polk when he was killed, states that Generals Johnston and Hardee were the other generals in company with Polk. At the time the first shell struck, the two first-named generals remarked simultaneously that they had no desire to make a target of themselves for a Yankee cannon to play upon, and so they stopped aside under cover of the neighboring trees. Polk said he was not afraid of a shell, and he held to his position. Scarcely had he spoken thus, when the second shell terminated the rebel General's life.

General Sherman is said to have directed the fatal shot. With the aid of a powerful glass he discovered three general field officers of the enemy, with their staffs, making their way toward the crest of Pine Mountain. General Sherman watched their movements, and saw some of the group on the mountains taking observations. The vigilant general rapidly rode up to the battery last located to reach the rebel officers, and found it to be Simonson's. As it was noon, the men had nearly all left the guns for their meals. Going up to one of the pieces, Gen. Sherman asked the officer in charge, and being told he was at his dinner, he was requested to return instantly. When the lieutenant arrived, under the General's personal directions, a shell was sent on to Pine Mountain. "It has fallen about twenty-five feet too short; a little more fuse and you have it," said Sherman, after watching its effect. The next shot struck some one, of course not known at the time. "That will do," said the General, in a quiet, cool tone, and then rode off, followed by a single orderly, the usual numerical strength of his field staff.

THE YO-SEMITE NOTCH.—The following characteristic extract is from a letter written by the late Rev. Thomas Starr King, to Dr. Ballou:

"All the time I have been thinking of you—if how greatly you would enjoy the scenery, also of a less merely greater pleasure it would give me to travel with you on foot and by horse. * * * Ah, Doctor, what life there not to see in this valley! In the line of majestic rock and cataract wildness! I have seen the *genus loci* to-day, sitting on an obelisk of granite (springing clean a thousand feet above the snow line, so smooth that you could see clear to the ashy-colored poll), and with his finger on his nose looking this query at me: "Ah, my slim shap, so you thought the White Mountains were some, did you? Where's your Notch now? Can you call to mind those warts on Coos county, Jefferson, and Adams, that you have made so much nonsense about? *Don't* you wish you could make a bonfire of those handsome-typed books in which you have cracked up baby mountains as though they are full grown?" How cute and funny he looked, and how cheap I felt! But then there isn't room in Coos county for the Sierras; and the White Mountains are as big a dose of sublimity as the district can stand. Alas! I didn't think of this answer till the spirit had melted off from his seat on the south dome of the valley back, a rock 4,067 feet above my head plain. No; I forget. It was on the obelisk, 1,500 feet higher than this, that he so impudently leered at New Hampshire and its mountain annalist.

ACCIDENT TO NAPOLEON.—The Paris (June 15) correspondent of the Cork *Reporter* says:

"The almost exclusive topic of conversation at the Bourse to-day was an accident said to have happened to the Emperor yesterday at Fontainebleau. It is said that while rowing on the lake, in the pleasure grounds, he fell into the water, and had received an accidental wound on the head from a boat which pushed forward to pick him up. Owing to the absent lives against Napoleon, none of the evening papers dared to make the slightest allusion to this, which is really the leading topic of the day." The London correspondent of the New York *Evening Post*, in referring to this event, says:

"According to a report which I have reason to consider nearest the truth, Napoleon, feeling a little tired after dinner, went down to the pond and asked the boatman to unfasten for him one of these light *pirogues* in which only one person can sit, and which can only be managed by a very skilful rower. The boatman attempted to remonstrate with his Imperial Majesty, but the latter insisting peremptorily, there was no choice left to the poor Scaevola, however, but 'the ship which bore Cæsar and Cæsar's whole fortune' left the shore when it capsized, and the master of Frosse got a small scalp. By means of a pole he was safely landed. Though this occurred after a full dinner, it does not seem that the health of Louis Napoleon has been injuriously affected by the accident."

FAMINE IN THE CAPE DE VERDE ISLES.—The Boston *Daily Advertiser* reports, on the authority of a captain direct from Santiago, that a positive famine existed in the Cape de Verde Islands. There has been no rain for a year, the crops have failed, the verdure is parched and shrivelled with heat, and the ground is dry and dusty. The people are flocking into the towns to beg, but receiving nothing where there is nothing to give, and by scores in these months 7,000 have thus died. One cannot walk the streets without beholding the dying. In the country the captain beheld scenes still more horrible. Men haggard with hunger begged of him at every step; women, gaunt and weak, tottered along the road and fell fainting in their weakness; children, even where they hoped to find bread; children, almost naked, held up their little bony arms, mutely asking for help. He went but a short distance, and returned heartsick. When the vessel left, 60 bodies were landed and carried up into the city, men and women dug in the dust for the few grains of rice which fell from the bags, and treasured them as if they had been gold. There can be no crops before the first of December, even if the islands have rain.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.—A correspondent from Hollidaysburg sends us the following:

The Conferees of the Union party of the 17th Congressional district of Pennsylvania, composed of the counties of Huntingdon, Blair, Mifflin, and Cambria, met at Tyrone City on Tuesday, 28th inst., to nominate a candidate for Congress. Three days were spent in balloting without making a nomination. About four hundred ballots were made. A. A. Barker, Esq., of the Cambria county district, supported by the conferees from Cambria and Mifflin; Colonel S. M. Hall, formerly Speaker of the State Senate, from Blair, and Colonel Wm. Dorris, of Huntingdon, by those of his own county. The friends of each stood firm for three days, and, despairing of a nomination, adjourned until some time in August next. This Conference seems to have shade the famous Conference held in the Wild Cat district some years ago.

THE CITY.

[FOR ADDITIONAL CITY NEWS SEE FOURTH PAGE.]

SALE OF THE SANITARY FAIR PAINTINGS.

The remainder of the paintings, &c., contributed to the Great Central Fair in aid of the Sanitary Commission, were disposed of by auction at the Art Gallery last evening. The attendance was rather small, and the bidding was confined to a few. Over two hundred paintings were sold, and most of them without frames, the purchaser being obliged to take the frame at the cost set upon it by the committee, which prices were very reasonable. All the paintings were disposed of at a less cost than was asked for them before the sale. It was near twelve o'clock when the sale closed. We give the following most important paintings sold, with the prices obtained for them:

"Entangled Sheep," by Schenck, $155; "St. Jerome," by Spagnoletto, $50; "The Surprise," by F. Herzont, $150; "Truewaldsen," by S. B. Waugh, $30; "Adoration of the Shepherds," by Bassano, $35; Portrait of Dr. Loconte, by Daniel Huntington, $50; "The False Beacon," by Jas. Hamilton, $17; "The Goddess of Liberty and Spirit of Secession," by A. Fredericks, $45; "Jealousy" and "Going to the Shrine at Lake Albano" by Chapman, $210 each; "The Water Carrier of Venice" (on tray), by Miss Hood, $22.50; "The Boys, Switzerland," by G. J. Hartwick, $40; "George Washington" (after Healy), by Moon, $35; "On the Juniata," by Miss Anna Sellers (after Weber), $30; Portrait of Webster, by Healy, $100; "Adirondack Mountains," by W. T. Richards, $70; "Storm on a Coast," by Resnier, $17; eight paintings, by T. P. Otter, brought $105.50; "On the Juniata," by J. R. Williams, $27.50; "The Soldier's Widow," by Jos. Rothermel, $105; "The Blind Harper," by S. F. Ferris, $75; "Out in the Cold," by Helmick, $37.50; "Devil's Bridge, St. Gothard Pass," by Russell Smith, $105; "The Terrace," by Jas. Hamilton, $100; "The Rival Chieftains," by Mary Smith, $160; "The Walk by the River," by W. H. Wilcox, $40; "Spring Time," by W. T. Richards, $70; "Blossoms," by George O. Lambdin, $80; "Waterfall," by Geo. W. Conarroe, $37.50; "Watering Flowers," by Alex. Lawrie, $42; "At Play," by W. E. Winner, $65; "Maternal Solicitude," by C. Schussele, $125; "Fall Scenery," by Thomas Moran, $60; Portrait of Major General Meade, by Jas. R. Lambdin, $50; Imperial Family of France, woven in silk, (after Winterhalter,), $55; water color, "Algerine Maid," by Princess Matilde, $160; Portrait of the Empress Eugenie, by Fagnani, $450. The small statuary, by John Rogers, of New York, sold at 25 per cent. lower than was asked previous to the sale. A bust of General Grant, by Bailey, brought $4, and one of General Meade, by the same, brought $10.50. The marble statue of Agnus Dei, by Steinhauser, brought $1100. Several other pieces of statuary were sold, for which medium prices were obtained.

HOSPITAL ITEMS.

The following cases were admitted into the hospital yesterday:

Winslow Jones, with his leg broken, caused by falling on a ship lying at his port.

Patrick Flanigen, with one of his hands smashed. The accident occurred at Sloat's planing mill.

A lad named Peter Condlin, with his arm broken. The accident occurred while wrestling with another boy at Eleventh and Chestnut streets.

FIRE.

The fruit-preserving establishment of Wm. H. Flack, on Landing avenue, near Coates street, caught fire yesterday afternoon. The stock in the cellar was consumed. This place was also on fire the morning previous.

CITY ITEMS.

YOUNG MEN prepared for the Counting House and business life at Crittenden's Philadelphia Commercial College, No. 637 Chestnut street, corner of Seventh. No vacations. Students instructed separately, and at such hours as may best suit their convenience.

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In the practical value of its course of instruction, and in facilities for imparting business knowledge, this institution is unequalled.

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HIGH DUTCH.—English words are creeping gradually into the German language. At Hamburg there has just appeared, "Essays, Wissenschaftlichen und lit rarischen Inhalts von H. Holland: aus dem Englischen von B. Althaus." We recently noticed in a Dutch newspaper something to the following effect: "All gein cotesen, and trowseron, and waistcoatsen, buy at der Brown Stein Closen Hall of der Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut strauss, above Sixto strauss, der Philaderfy!" Good, for a first attempt, that.

THE "ALABAMA."—The outlaw Semmes, it is to be hoped, has finished his career with that of his ship. The most cheerful thought is that no one was killed among that brave band on the Kearsarge. Thus perish every rebel on land, as well as sea, that the arts of peace may again be the pursuit of all men, and among the most exciting words be, "Summer Clothing at Charles Stokes & Co.'s 'One-price,' under the Continental."

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Jos Greenshaw, Chicago
W B Belknap & la, Ky
J Rhoades, Pittsburg
James Beach, Pittsburg
J S McCalmont & wife, Pa
E McCalmont, Franklin
A McCalmont, do do
Saml Mump, New York
J Caldwell, Boston
G W Huntington, Boston
Thos J Lee, Boston
Jos Trumbull, Worcester
Geo H Lincoln, Boston
W B Morris, Boston
Jas Fisher, New York
Mrs Preston, New York
A J Adler, Ohio
C Dennison, Wilkesbarre
Robt Rogers, New York
John A Rogers, New York
H D Smith, Boston
Capt Bowyer
Jas Jordan, Lane, Alabama
Miss M Lane, Alabama
Mrs Dargee, Alabama
A Hurvey, Alabama
W M Carpenter, Alabama
Major Chase, Penna
S A Whitney, New Jersey
Jas Mullhelland, Reading
J B Weir, New York
J Crawshaw, Jr, St Louis
Mr Vatendingham, do
J R Walker &fam, Salt Lake
D E Small & son, York, Pa
Geo M Peabodam, Worcester
W Kaneen, Buffalo
J M Presby, New York
G W Jenkins, U S N
H Steillemier, Chicago
W W Stryker & wf, Ohio
M Black & wf, Ohio
J D Hilland, Buffalo
W T Warwell, New York
E B Wicks, Clinton, N Y
Jas Russell, Clinton, N Y
W H Spencer

The Girard.

Thos C Frame, Delaware
Jas J Smith, Delaware
Benj Jim, Delaware
H S Gooden, Delaware
Edw J Fox, Easton
Edw V Williams, Easton
W A Bindil
J F Jacobs, Pittsburg
I Harris, New York
I Willard
W H Gallagher, Virginia
W White, Virginia
Henry Woodward, Wash
James Clark, New York
Geo Doyle, New York
Thos Hammond & wf, Mass
Jas Johnston, Milwaukee
W Gray
G G Gibbs, Philadelphia
Joshua Bishop, U S A
B H Coulter, Harrisburg
W F Harwood & lady
Hon J S Carlisle, Virginia
B H Coulter, Penna
H F Heckert, Cincinnati, O
J S Gerard, New York
W F Morris, Penna
H K McBride, New York
Geo A Sherman, Louisville
James Magee, Jr, New York
Geo Meara, Huntingdon co
Jos Martin & fam, Circleville
Miss Ludlow, Circleville
Miss Donsmore, Circleville
John F Webb, Toledo, O
Henry L Webb, Toledo, O
Jas Waterman, Toledo, O
D Fleming, Harrisburg
W W Fowler, Pittsb'g
D Flint, Chicago
J M Hester, Penna
J A Cooper, Maryland
W Great, Delaware
A B Pitkin, Wash, D C
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J C Matthews, Delaware
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F P Patterson, New Jersey
A J Gwin, Penna
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J S Hopkins, Alex, N Y
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A J Marlin, Allentown
H C Keamer & la, Bedford
E Boerlier
E Shepard & la, Ohio
J H Collins, do do
D Bair, Lancaster
W Uri, Louisville
J G Wilson
B Cox, Germantown
L A Mentzer, Lewistown
J R Dailey, Bridesburg
J S Rohrer & la, Lancaster
J S Wilmer, New Haven
T B Holden, Plymouth
S Strickland, Reading
J H Cornell, New York
G J Bolton, Cape May
J C Wallace, Pittsburg
P C Yeager, Allentown
W T Thompson, N Y
R R Allen, New York
W B Hollister, New York
G W Hopkins, Lancaster
A C Way & wf, Newark, N J
John Greves, Albany
James Wilson, Albany
H Greenebaum, Louisville
A Sizer, Louisville
Rev H Palethorp Hay, N J
Thos Conner, Ashland, Pa
J G Jewell & lady, Washington
A V Gray, Washington
J H Collins
Geo Blair & la, Trenton, N J
H B Hunt
James Bowles
Henry A Thomas
J C Miller, Kittanning
S S Boyer, Sunbury
N J Hoag, New York
W Cook, New Jersey
G I Sisoach, Columbus, O
Miss O M Brown, Columb, O
F Bates, Washington
W J Martin, Washington
J Barlow, New York
A L Hall & wf, New Castle
Chas A Mason, Boston
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J R Pierson, Mass
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Dr C E Cooles, Baltimore
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The Commercial.

M Hartwell, Brooklyn
J H Freedley, Ohio
R A Piper, New York
S Hodgkins, Oxford
J Mendenhall, Chester co
P H Beck, Ohio
F Shantz, Doylestown
J Fraser, Bethlehem
J Brewster, Huntingdon co
W Gawthrop, Penna
H Jones, Delaware co
G W Woodward, Chester co
W W Cameron, Maryland
M L Stewart, Penna
J Jones, Maryland
A Made, Coatesville
L K Walton, Penna
H J Walls, Penna
S Pennock, Chester co
G G Green
M Rooney, Schuylkill co
W C Learned, Buffalo
B K Adams, New York
Chas Lehr, Canton, O
J D Smedley, New York
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S Ball, Auburn, N Y
W Ball, Auburn, N Y
J H McKee, Hazleton
H Bamberger
A King
Chas W Wilson
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J Waterson, Kentucky
John Weiland, Easton
R E Morris, Norristown
O Hupp
G E Hinman, Utica, N Y
J H Smith, Danville
E B Palmer, New York
J Schnurman, Allentown
B T Trimmer, Rochester
H W Ayres, Downingtown
J D Hibbs & la, Harrisburg
J McVay, Jr, Delaware
George J Bond, Pittsburg
H M Rawlin, Washington
C F Shields, Delaware
L L Tate, Penna

The States Union.

Edw Newman, New York
F McKinney & wf, N York
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E J Massey, Delaware
E B Camp, Penna
H F Foltz, Penna
J McClain, Indiana
Geo Williamson, Penna
S Lobman, Williamsport
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M Boyer & wf, Chicago
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The National.

S Lyon, Danville
J R Hoffer, Mount Joy
J C Boffer, Mount Joy
G B Levy, Lehigh
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N J Bridge, Baltimore
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NOTICE.

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THE GREAT CENTRAL FAIR—COMMITTEE ON CARPETINGS, OIL CLOTHS, &c.—The undersigned with pleasure acknowledges the receipt of the following donations and subscriptions, viz:

McCallum & Co., in goods	$1,100 00
J. F. & E. B. Orne, in goods	300 00
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Those who have subscribing lists, or money to collect, which they have not as yet handed in, will please forward them at once to the Chairman, or Cashier.

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BANK OF NORTH AMERICA—DIVIDEND.

THE BANK OF NORTH AMERICA, JULY 2, 1864.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a DIVIDEND of Three Dollars per share, payable to the Stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the 11th instant.

JOS. HOCKLEY,
Cashier.

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DIVIDEND NOTICE.—OFFICE OF THE EGBERT OIL CO., 147 SOUTH FOURTH ST., second story.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1, 1864.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend of TWO PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, payable on and after the 9th of July, free of State tax.

The books will be closed on the 5th of July at 3 P. M., and opened on the 9th.

WM. M. CARTER,
Treasurer.

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OFFICE OF THE BRIDGE OIL COMPANY, 147 South FOURTH Street.

PHILADELPHIA, July 1, 1864.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a first monthly dividend of ONE PER CENT. on the Capital Stock, payable, clear of U. S. and State taxes, to the Stockholders of record on the 15th inst. The transfer books will be closed on the 9th, 6th, and 7th inst.

A. F. SABINE, President.

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A MEETING OF THE CORPORATORS of the SOUTH BOUQUET IRON COMPANY will be held at No. 230 WALNUT Street, on WEDNESDAY, July 6th, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and the transaction of such other business as may be presented.

PHILADELPHIA, June 30, 1864.

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OFFICE OF SOMERSET IRON AND COAL COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA, 64 CEDAR Street, NEW YORK, June 10, 1864.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Direction of the Board of Directors, at instalment of TWENTY PER CENT. on the subscription to the Capital Stock of the SOMERSET IRON AND COAL COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA be, and hereby is, made payable to JAMES BOWDEN, Treasurer of said Company, on or before the 18th day of July next.

Attest: T. M. TYNG, Secretary.

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DIVIDEND NOTICE.—OFFICE OF THE SUSQUEHANNA AND TIDE-WATER CANAL COMPANIES have their office at No. 434 WALNUT Street, Second floor.

The "Transfer Agency" of these Companies, heretofore in SOUTH FOURTH Street, has been removed to the office of the Companies, at the place above stated.

OFFICE CATAWISSA RAILROAD COMPANY, No. 424 WALNUT STREET.

PHILADELPHIA, 8th June, 1864.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend of three per cent. on the preferred and scrip debts of the company, payable on the 1st of AUGUST next.

Transfer Books will be closed from the 21st July to 22 August, inclusive.

By order of the Board.

W. L. GHIRON, Treasurer.

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OFFICE OF THE PRESTON COAL AND IMPROVEMENT CO., No. 5 WILLING'S Alley.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15, 1864.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—The Board of Directors of the Preston Coal and Improvement Company this day declared a QUARTERLY DIVIDEND OF TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. from the net earnings, payable on the 5th of July next to parties who shall be registered as the holders on the books of the Company, at the close of business on the 30th day of June instant. Transfer books close on that day and open on the 6th day of July. Dividends due Stockholders in New York and Boston will be remitted by mail, if address when requested.

HENRY D. MOORE,
Secretary.

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BANKERS AND BROKERS'

TELEGRAPH COMPANY—Incorporated under the laws of the States of New York, New Jersey, Maryland, and the District of Columbia, and by special act of the Legislature of Pennsylvania, May 18th, 1861, and organized in Philadelphia, with the following as officers:

H. H. WAINWRIGHT, President.
J. S. RITTENHOUSE, Secretary and Treasurer.

GEO. W. McLEAN, Esq., firm of Jerome, Riggs, & Co., New York.

H. L. GAW, Esq., firm of Gaw, Macalaster, & Co., Philadelphia.

JOHN S. NEWBOLD, Esq., firm of Newbold, Son, & Aertsen, Philadelphia.

WM. CISHEK, Esq., firm of Wm. Fisher & Sons, Baltimore.

LEONARD J. FORNEY, Esq., Baltimore.

The object of the corporation is to erect two sets of poles and wires, forming a double line, to run by different routes from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and Washington, and all the principal intermediate points, and to establish offices for the reception and transmission of telegraphic messages, and by connecting with other lines at the main points, to be able to send messages to all parts of the United States and Canadas.

The line is now in course of construction, and contracts have been entered into for the purchase of poles and other materials. None will be used except of the best quality of white cedar, and the wire used will be of wires in operation between the main points in less than sixty days, and the other set will be put up and in operation much more rapidly.

No enterprise now in the market offers equal prospects of profit with that of telegraphing, as the success of the business proposed to be done by this Company, as its name implies, warrants its stock being recommended to the public as a choice investment.

A careful estimate, based far below the actual capacity, of the number of wires proposed to be employed by this Company, shows that upon the BOARD OF INFORMATION it can earn and declare a dividend of 18 to 20 per cent. per annum.

Books for subscription to the capital stock of this Company will be opened in the city on WEDNESDAY, SATURDAY, at the office of Messrs. CHAS. CAMBLOS & CO., 38 South THIRD Street, and remain open until 2 o'clock on SATURDAY, July 9th. Half the subscriptions received will be payable in instalments.

It is intended to have the interest divided in the different cities through which the line will pass; therefore but a limited amount of the stock will be offered in each. Further particulars will be given upon applying at the office of CHAS. CAMBLOS & CO.,

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OFFICE OF THE CATAWISSA RAILROAD COMPANY, No. 424 WALNUT Street.

PHILADELPHIA, July 2, 1864.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—The Board of Directors have established a Transfer Agency for the Stock of this Company in New York City.

SAMUEL KNOX, Esq., Secretary and Treasurer of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey, has been appointed Transfer Agent, office 60 WALL Street, New York.

All Stockholders wishing the New York Certificates in exchange for those they now hold, will present them at this office.

T. HASKINS DU PUY,
President.

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OFFICE OF THE FAME INSURANCE COMPANY, 406 CHESTNUT Street.

PHILADELPHIA, July 5th, 1864.

AT a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Fame Insurance Company, held this day, a dividend of THREE PER CENT. was declared, payable on demand, clear of all taxes.

W. I. BLANCHARD,
Secretary.

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THE EXTRA VETERAN BOUNTY FUND COMMISSION will meet on MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 6 o'clock P. M., to receive proofs, at No. 7 Goddard's Hall, LIBRARY Street, immediately in the rear of the Post Office. Families interested will please call at this place *only*.

E. D. SAUNDERS, Chairman.
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