TWELVE O'CLOCK M.

THE CAPITAL.

The German Naturalization enue Appointments - Stamp Duties Deferred—Collection of Revenue in Tennessee Resisted. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

WASHINGTON, September 17, 1868. THE NATURALIZATION TREATY. Circular letters have been issued by the Departments of the Interior and of Justice of the North German Union, in conformity with the recent treaty with the United States, instructing the officers that no action must be taken against former subjects of the German Confederation for unauthorized emigration who may produce proof of having become naturalized American citi-

REVENUE APPOINTMENTS. The following Gaugers were appointed to-day: S. Miller, Fourth District, Indiana; S. M. Wesver, Fourth District, Indiana; A. B. T. Buttew, Third District, Indiana; A. J. Todd, Second District, Indiana; James McKee, Tenth District, Illinois; Robert C. Peters, Sixth District, Ohio.
The following Storekeepers were appointed to-day: John A. Emrie, Aurora, Indiana;

Keath Harry Pease and David Runman COLLECTOR OF REVENUE THREATENED IN

TENNESSEE The Internal Revenue Collector at Green ville, Tenn., asks for four hundred mounted troops to enable him to collect revenue from distillers and others in his district who threaten to murder him and his assist ants if they attempt to make seizures for non-payment of taxes.

MILITARY ORDERS. John McLeon Taylor is ordered to San Francisco as Government Purchasing Agent. Major Ball is ordered to Alask as Commissary. Lieut. Hoxie, of the Engineer Corps, is ordered to Jefferson Bar-

STAMP DUTIES SUSPENDED. The Secretary of the Treasury has post-poned the operation of stamp duties on dis-tilled spirits until the 2d of November, and of tobacco, snuff and cigars the stamping of tobacco, suntil the 23d of November. MEXICAN MISSION.

A letter from Mexico says that General Roscrans will be cordially received there CUSTOMS RÉCEIPTS.

The total receipts of customs from Sept. 7th to Sept. 12th, were \$3,963,807.

CANADA.

Accomplices in the McGee Assassination-Whalen Expected to Confess - Yacht Snow_Fair Horses Burned to Death. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

OTTAWA, Sept. 17.—Patrick Blakely, one of the accomplices in the McGee murder. is said to be insane. Bail will probably be ecepted for Eagleston, Enright and Murphy, the other accomplices. Whalen most strongly protests he did not shoot McGee, but knows who did. It is expected he will make a full confession before long.

Quenec, September 17.—The yacht Mon-ette, of this city, won the race to-day for the code of signals. Distance, sixty miles, in five hours and thirty-five minutes. Dur-ing a portion of the race the yachts sailed t the tide. The weather here is cold and rainy,

TORONTO, September 17.—A woman named Larkin was found dead in her house this afternoon. Her husband was arrested on suspicion of causing her death. He and lisreputable woman were found drunk in the house at the time the body of his wife was lying neglected on a sofa.

Weather very cold. Snow fell at Aurora, a few miles north of this city, last night. MONTBRAL, Sept. 17.—Papin's livery stable was burned last night, and a number of stock horses, intended for exhibition at the Provincial fair, burned to death. The attendance at the Provincial fair vesterday and to-day was large. Captain Woosely, of the Sixtleth Rifles, has so far made the highest score at the rifle meeting.

GEORGIA.

The Eligibility of Colored Legislative Members—The Governor's Message—Ne-groes Excluded from the Jury Box.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.) ATLANTA, Sept. 17.—The Senate to-day took up the message of the Governor regarding the action of the Senate declaring the seats of colored members vacant. The Governor protests against the action of the Senate as unconstitutional and in opposi-tion to the spirit of the Convention which framed the State Constitution under the Reconstruction acts, claiming that the electors were judges of the qualifications of the persons elected to represent them, and assuming that if all male inhabitants of the State had a free voice and place in the new State sovernment, the majority would keep it in harmony with the national administration. and where all could enjoy equal civil and political rights there would be no just cause for dissatisfaction. The House today passed by a vote of 101 to 19 a substi-tute to the jury bill, which places grand and petit jurors on the same footing and permits none but intelligent and upright persons to sit on juries, and excludes ne-

Alleged Incendiaries Arrested.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.) Augusta, Me., September 17.—George E. Knox and James N. Harwood, enlisted in the United States Arsenal in this city, were arrested this morning and arraigned before United States Commissioner J. H. Manly, charged with setting the fires which converse in the Assenal Argund estimates. manly, charged with setting the fires which occurred in the Arsenal ground on the 9th of July and 5th of August last. They were each held in \$1,000 ball. Geo. F. Talbot, District Attorney of the United States army, has been here investigating these cases for the past four weeks.

Barques Ashore-Crew Lost. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette, 1 CLEVELAND, September 17.—The barque Clough of Black River went ashore twelve Clough of Black River went ashore twelve miles east, Tuesday night. All the hands were lost except Rush Beed, second mate. Names of lost—J. S. Reed, Captain; Geo. Derrick, first mate; Catharine Sullivan, stewardess; Chapman, Bleer and Fitzpatrick, lake sallors. The barque Berlin is reported ashore six mi es east, laden with coal and lath. Insured in Boston for \$8,000. The scow Lone Star is also ashore in Black River.

NEW YORK CITY,

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.i NEW YORK, September 17, 1868. SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived: The steamship Louisiana, from Liverpool. She reports, September 7th. in longitude 26 deg. 50 min., latitude 48 deg. 40 min., she sighted the bark Monegnish, of Prince Edwards Island, with signal of Treaty-Military Orders-Rev- distress, and supplied her with provisions, she having on board the mate and sixteen of the passengers and crew of the Cunard engers and crew of the Cunard of the passengers and crew of the Cunard steamship Melita, from Boston on the 26th ult., for Liverpool, destroyed by fire the day before. The Monegnish reports she fell in with the ship Jacob A. Stamler, from Havre, for New York, having on board ninety passengers and the crew of the Melita. The Stamler's supplies of provisions and water being insufficient, the Monegnish took or board the mate and sixteen others. took on board the mate and sixteen others

THE INTERNAL REVENUE PRAUD CASE. The Internal Revenue investigation case was before U.S. Commissioner Guttman to-day, when Mr. Courtney stated that in a recent official interview at Washington ar-rangements had been made to have some high toned legal gentlemen associated with him in the prosecution of this case. Mr. Courtney said he intended to retain charge Courtney said he intended to retain charge of the case and to prosecute it to the end, regardless of whom it might compromise; but he requested a postponement until his assistants were selected by the United States Attorney General. The case was postponed till to-morrow, although the coursel for Mr. Harlan and Mr. Smith decoursel for Mr. Harlan and Mr. Smith decourse for Mr. Harlan and Mr. Smith decourse for Mr. sired immediate procedure. Several addi-tional charges of forgery and fraud being made against Martin and Kee, Judge Darling to-day refused to admit them to bail. BOYS IN BLUE TORCHLIGHT PROCESSION. There was a very large torch light pro-

cession here to-night, comprising several thousand of the organization known as the Boys in Blue. The display was very fine. Fire works and music were plenty. Adlresses were made at the Cooper Institute by General Sickles, Kilpatrick and others. The occasion of the parade was the anniversary of the battle of Antietam. General Pleasanton presided at the meeting. Senaor Sherma n was among the speakers. The procession contained five thousand men in uniform.

CUSTOM HOUSE BUREAU. A new Custom House Bureau is to be formed at the Custom House. It will be known as the Twelfth Division and will have supervision of the coastwise trade between the Atlantic and Pacific ports by way of the Isthmus. A Deputy Collector and several assistants will be appointed for this city and also for San Franci-co.

GIFT SWINDLERS ARRESTED. Wheeler Louis and E. J. Todd, fog ther with a lot of stationery and envelopes, the latter addressed to parties in the country, were arrested and seized by the police to day. They comprise the gift swindling concern known as W. J. Wheeler & Co. They were sent to jail in default of \$1,000 bail. A WIFE DROWNED.

Mrs. Devoe was drowned in Shrewsbury river, at the Highlands, last evening by the capsizing of a boatin which, with her hus-band and family, she was enjoying a pleasire trip.

culty. SALE OF PEWS. The auction sale of pews in the new Jewish synagogue reached the amount of \$750,000, which cuts out all indebtedness and places \$100,000 in sinking fund. VARIOUS MATTERS.

The Book Trade sale was slightly attend ed to-day.

A working woman's association was formed here to-day with the following officers: President, Mrs. Tobett; Vice Presidents, Augusta Lewis, Susan Johns, Emily Peers; Secretary, Mrs. L. C. Browne; Treasurer, Susau B. Anthony. Speeches were nade by Cady Stanton and others.

made by Cady Stanton and others.
At the inquest over the body of Thomas
McCabe, shot by policeman Kternan on
Wednesday morning, testimony was given
showing that the officer fired into a drowd showing that the officer fired into a drowd of unoffending men, women and children, who had dispersed at his command without making any disturbance or trouble. The verdict of the jury was to the effect that McCabe was killed by the officer while in the discharge of his duty, but the Coroner held him for the action of the grand jury.

It is stated that an influential member of large co-operative working men's associa-

a large co-operative working men's associa-tion has absconded to Canada with the funds.

The upper portion of the residence of James Gordon Bennett, at Washington Heights, was burned to-day. Damage

The first innings of the English cricket-The first innings of the English cricketers was finished to-day with a score of 175. The American players completed their first innings this afternoon, making only 61.

Three workmen and a receiver of stolen goods were arrested to-day, charged with stealing valuable carpets from Sloan & Co. The receiver confessed to buying the goods, and also had made similar purchases of men employed by other carpet firms. Several thousand dollars have been lost by various firms in the business by ost by various firms in the business by their operations.
It is quite cold and clear to-night. Ther-

mometer 49 deg. MEXICO.

Settlement of the Ministerial Question, &c. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)
NEW YORK, Sept. 17.—City of Mexico advices of the 12th state that the ministerial crisis is ended, as two votes of the Su-preme Court, those of Justices Palaico and Velasco, decided the question in favor of allowing Senor Lerdo De Tejado to hold his place on the bench and the Portfolio of Forelge Affairs at the carrie time. Foreign Affairs at the same time. The question of who shall be Attorney General will now be soon settled. It is possible that

Senor Iglesias will be appointed.

The opposition press condemn Secretary
Seward for his late treaties about naturalized citizens and claims.

The Legislature of Durango has declared that the honor of their State demands that the assassing of General Patton be found out. It is evident that General Canto is out. It is evident that General Canto is one, but as he is deputy to the National Congress, that body must be his judge.

The submission of General Lucas in the Puebla Sierra has been accepted, by the Government. Colonel Gutierreg has escaped by way of Vera Cruz. Gen. Figura arrived at Vera Cruz from Havana, but was arrested on landing. The property belonging to Senue Sanchez Navarro has been

arrested on landing. The property belong-ing to Senor Sanchez Navarro has been d to discover certain national relies. It will be returned. The insurgent Gregoria Corona was cap-tured and hung in Guanajuale. The Indian Chief Lozardo was concen-trating his forces at Barraneas and Ixla.

Suicide of a Gambler.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] BALTIMORE, Sept. 17 .- H. M. Breckley of Fincastle, Va., committed suicide last night at the Maltby House by taking morphine. He had previously been playing fare and lost \$1,050. Deceased served during the war as Colonel of a rebel regi-

FOUR O'CLOCK A. M.

FROM EUROPE.

The London Times on the Elections in England and America -Celebration of the Baptism of the Grecian King Prohibited by the Turkish Government-Arrest of the Greek Attache of the American Legation.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] ENGLAND. London, September 17.—The Times con trasts the political canvass of Great Britain with that of the United States. In both cases the elections are new ones. Here in England there are many contests, differ ing in men and principles, and the result is a confused hubbub, in which no one sound is heard above the rest. Incidents thus far have been peaceful, even negative, but the eight weeks remaining before the election may warm the contest now so

The Times dwells on the violent anima-tion of the Presidential fight in the United States. It calls an American election an American carnival. The American people may be serious and interested, but they allow most eccentric and grotesque characters to represent the whole people, which some injustice, but less harm than commonly thought.

Benjamin Morgan, the Secretary of the American Legation, has gone on a special mission to St. Petersburg. He also carries a dispatch to the American Embassy at Berlin. Mr. Bancroft, American Minister at Berlin, is traveling in South Germany.

TURKEY.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 17 .-- A letter to the Independence Belge, from Constantinople, dated 8th inst., states that an attempt of the Greeks of Chicos to celebrate the day of the baptism of the Grecian King was suppressed by the Turkish authorities. The Greek attache of the American Consulate was one of the persons arrested. It is said Admiral Farragut petitioned for his release, but the petition was refused and the man was taken in confiner nent to the Dardannelles.

FRANCE.

PARIS, September 17.-Rio Janeiro ad vices state that Brazil has apologized for the detention of the United States gunboat Washington. The Emperor was enthusiastically re ceived by the troops at Laveruezau.

GERMANY. MUNICH, Sept. 17.-Minister Bancroft is expected here this week to exchange rat-ifications of the naturalization treaty between Bavaria and the American Govern

CHINA. LONDON, September 17.—Telegrams from Yokohoma, July 26th, announce active military operations on foot, but give no de-

SCOTLAND. EDINBURG. September 17.-Sir Robert Napler has arrived and was tendered the

freedom of the city. FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. PARIS, Sept. 17 .- The feeling on the

Bourse is improving. Rentes closed at 69 trancs 50 centimes. francs 50 centimes.

LONDON, Sept. 17.—Evening.—Erie, 30½;
bonds, 72½; others unchanged.
Cotton advancing. Spirits of Petroleum
1s. 11d. The bullion has increased in the Bank of England £40,000. FRANKFORT, Sept. 17.—Bonds firm at 75% ANTWERP, Sept. 17.—Petroleum 48%.

Louisiana Election Case Decided-Gen

Longstreet. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 17.—Judge Cooley, of the Sixth District Court to-day, in a contested election case, dismissed the suit at plaintiff's cost. He delivered an opinion ating that where the election was ordered by a commander previous to the adoptio of the present constitution, by virtue of Congressional authority, the decision of the military commander in respect to the elec-tion is not subject to the revising power of the courts of the State.

Gen. Longstreet vesterday visited the Legislature and was invited to a seat inside trail. His son in-law has left the Democracy

he bar. A recess was taken to receive him A general introduction of members oc curred.

Fruit Thief Shot by a Clergyman. By Telegraph to the Fittsburgh Gazette.]
Boston, September 11.—Last night John Owen shot a young man named Michael Sheen in the act of taking fruit from his Sheen in the act of taking fruit from his garden. Sheen was dangerously wounded. Owen graduated at Bowdoin College, studied Divinity at Howard College and subsequently has officiated as Unitarian clergyman. He was arrested and held to bail Much excitement prevails among the Irish citizens in the neighborhood, who deem the shooting unjustifiable.

From Halifax.

By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] HALIFAX, Sept. 17 .- In the House last night a petiti n was presented from the merchants of this city, praying that a commission resent to Washington to look after the Nova Scotia interests, in connection with the reciprocity committee appointed to prepare a resolution on the subject.

Frost and Snow in New York. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. UTICA, Sept. 17 .- Frost visited this vicinity last night, and forty-two miles south of Utica at Sherburn, snow fell. Frosts last night in Hampshire county, Mass., Albany, Elmira and other places in this State.

Republican Mass Meeting in Woodsville, O. (By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.) Tolebo, O., September 17.—Gen. Walbridge, of New York, Hon. J. M. Ashley and Gen. Grosyenor, of Ohio, addressed a large Republican mass meeting this afternoon at Woodsyille, Ohio.

Alabama Legislature. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette, 3 : MONTGONERY, September 17.—The Legislature did nothing to day. Both Houses adjourned early, and the Republicans went into a secret caucus to decide what course to pursue on the registration question.

The Maine Horse Show. AUGUSTA, Sept. 17.—The Maine Horse Show had a fine day and good attendance. The first premium for stallions was awarded to Gen, Knox. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

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THE MAINE ELECTION.

Republican Majority Fully 20,000.

(Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Gazette.) NEW YORK, Sept. 18, 1868. J. G. Blaine telegraphs from Portland to the Tribune: Official returns from more than three-

> fourths of the towns of the entire State fully confirm our claim to twenty thousand (20,000) majority. We gain more than nine thousand (9.000) on last year's majority, and are seven thousand in excess of our average majority for the past twelve years. The total vote is by far the largest ever thrown in Maine.

A. G. CUMMINGS. Tribune.

ST. LOUIS. Another Masonic Banquet—Election of

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.) ST. Louis, Sept. 17.—The O'Sullivan Lodge of Perfection of St. Louis gave a banquet to-night at Freemasons' Hall to the Supreme Council of the ancient and accepted rite, southern jurisdiction, and all active and honorary thirty-third degree of the northern jurisdiction. About sixty persons were present. Speeches were made by Thos. E. Farrett, Grand Master of O'Sullivan Lodge, Albert Pike, Sovereign Grand Commander of Southern Jurisdiction, and quite a number of other high officers. At the election to-day of the General

At the election to-day of the General Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons the following were elected: James M. Austin, of New York, General Grand High Priest; Robert S. Bruns, of South Carolins, Deputy Grand High Priest; Wm. Hacker, of Indiana, General Graad King; Martin Collins, of Missouri, General Grand Scribe; John McClellan, of Ohis, General Grand Secretary; Isaac S. Titus, of California, General Grand Captain of Host; Orlin H. Minor, of Illinois, General Grand Royal Minor, of Illinois, General Grand Royal Arch Captain. The following were elected officers of the

Grand Encampment of Knight Templars of the United States: W. S. Gardner, of Massachusetts, Grand Master; J. Q. A., Fellows, of Louisiana, Deputy Grand Master; Kent Jarvis, of Ohio, Grand Generalissimo; Geo. Relt, of Missouri, Grand Captain Gen-eral; John Frizzell, of Tennessee, Grand Senior Warden; W. C. Munger, of Kentucky, Grand Junior Warden; John A. Simons, of New York; Grand Treasurer; John D. Caldwell, of Ohio, Grand Recorder; Alfred Creigh, of Pennsylvania, Grand Standard Bearer; Wm. Barrett, of New Hampshire, Grand Sword Bearer; Thomas W. Chandler, of Georgia, Grand Warden-Quite a large, number of Knights Tem-plar left for home to-day and the remainder.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS.

vill probably leave to-morrow.

John E. Hayes, editor of the Savannah (Ga.) Republican, died on Wednesday. The thermometer at Albany last night marked 50 degrees. -F. M. Boodwell's woolen mill at South Beechelton, was burned Wcdnesday. Loss

210,000. -The mare Lady Thorne has been sold to Mr. Welch, of Chestnut Hill, nearPhiladelphia, for \$17,500.

—Bardwell's satinet factory, in South Belcherton, Mass., was burned on Wednesday. Loss \$60,000. -There was a killing frost at Scranton, Pa., on Wednesday night. A heavier one was expected last night.

Judge Cadwallader, of Philadelphia, has decided that a policy of insurance is exempt under the bankrupt law. -The Wisconsin Democratic Convention

yesterday nominated Alex. Mitchell for Congress for the First District. -It is estimated that it will cost \$5,000,000 to reconstruct the State of Texas. millions have been spent since January

—It is pretty certain there will be a quo-rum of both Houses of Congress in attend-ance on Monday. Very few Democrats will attend.

-Reverdy Johnson, Minister to England has written a letter to a friend in Washing-ton City, stating that he will not support Seymour and Blair, but will remain neuand goes for Grant. -The Eleventh Annual Convention of

the Machinists and Blacksmiths' Internathe Machinists and Blacksmiths' Interna-tional Union of North America is now being held at Buffalo. The session commenced Wednesday afternoon, with President O. B. Daily in the chair. P. P. McFeely, of Mid-dleport, was chosen Secretary. The Presi-dent made an address, in which he recom-mended the establishment of an intell-grace office for the accommodation of emence office for the accommodation of em oyes. The Convention will probably ontinue three days.

Gale on Long Island Sound.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gasette.)

New York, September 17.—The gale on Long Island Sound yesterday and to-day was very severe. The steamer Nellie, while running from here to Norwalk, was co held days and the head head here. while running from here to Norwalk, was so badly damaged that she has been hauled off for repairs. The steam tug Alida, from Albany sunk three grain canal boats on the Hudson river while towing them here.

First Frost of the Season. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—The first frost of the season visited this section this morning. Dispatches from Northern and Central Illi-

nois, and from Iowa, report heavy frost. It are injured, being too far advanced. Relief for Minnesota Sufferers. By T. legraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette. CHICAGO, Sept. 17 .- The City Council of St. Paul, Minn., has appropriated twelve thousand dollars to relieve the wants of the inhabitants of Selkirk settlement. It is thought that sufficient funds have been raised to supply their wants.

Fire in Philadelphia. [By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] PHILADELPHIA, September 17 .- A building on Minor street, occupied by Thomas W. Price, stationer, and A. M. Collins & Co., manufacturers of printing cards, was burned this morning. Loss \$10,000; insured for \$8,000.

Great Brot at Albany, N. 1. [By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] ALBANY, September 17.—A great trot be-tween Mountain Boy and Lady Thorn, for \$2,000, comes off here over the Island Park course on Monday,

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Meeting in the Sixteenth Ward. A large and enthusiastic meeting of the citizens of the Sixteenth ward, was held last evening, at their new speakers' stand GAIN OF MORE THAN 9,000 OVER LAST YEAR. | in the lower part of the ward. The meeting was called to order by R. H. Smith, who announced the following officers:

President-A. B. Boul. President—A. B. Boul.

Vice Presidents—James McKay, Mr. Preatsch, Robert Watson, Dr. Ewing, J. W. Over, William Robb, J. C. Stewart, Andrew Kloman, Louis List, Samuel King.

The Lawrenceville Glee Club opened the meeting by singing a very humorous sorg. meeting by singing a very humorous song, entitled "Mr. Burtt and his Rattan," which

was loudly applauded.
While the Club was singing, the Sixteenth Ward Grant and Colfax Club arrived on the ground, lequipped with caps, capes and torches. The Club is one of the largest in the city and last night turned out seventy marching men, making a very fine appear-

ance.

B. F. Lucas, Esq., being loadly called for, came forward and began his remarks by asking the Democrats present if they had heard from Maine? He then, in a very humorous manner, explained to the meeting the Democratic plan of taxation, which caused great laughter and embodied rather an expensive and ridiculous style. The bond question was then handled in a very able manner and gave great satisfaction. This question is considered, by the Democracy, a very important and intricate materials. ter, but he thought the Republican party was fully able to carry it through on their

own phatform, and thought the Democratic manner was a great deal like Slaymaker's bull and the locomotive, their plack was good but their judgment very bad. The speaker then stated that greenbacks and bonds was not the question before the American people, but it was just as our great leader, U. S. Grant, had, in a very few words in his letter of acceptance, said, it is whether we shall have peace or whether our people shall be plunged into another wicked, fierce and bloody war, which was inevitable in the event of the election of Seymour and Blair. All their speeches and letters were full of expressions and sentiments for war, and it was prompted and urged on by such men as Hampton, Pillow, For est & Co. He then paid a high tribute to the combined action of the war Democrats of this community in coming forward and assisting us in raising Grant and Colfax the highest office at the disposal of the American people. He arged the people to go on with the work earnestly, and make our victory greater than that in Maine and Vermont. His whole speech was full of humor and kept the crowd in closest attention, and at times created the wildest The Lawrenceville Glee Club again sang

a good song in their best style, entitled "Seymour, Blair & Co." Hon. Russell Errett then came forward and began his address by wondering if the and began his address by wondering it the coldness of the weather was caused by the chilly influence of the news from Maine population of the news from Maine to the new form the listening all evening for the hundred guns they proposed firing to-night in honor of their great victory. The difference between the candidates for office nominated by the Chicago and New York. Conventions was then Inid before the meeting in a plain and forcible manner. He paid a

and forcible manner. He paid a high tribute to the character of Grant and Colfax, in comparing their plain and unassumed conduct with the vile and threatening expressions of Seymour and Blair. The actions of Grant and Seymour during the war were then compared in an able manner from the breaking out of the war down to the surrender at Vicksburg. Just at the time Seymour was denouncing in New York the war as a failure, then while Grant was manipulating the unconditional surrender of Lee at Richmond, Seymour was holding forth again in the same place; again de-nouncing the war as a great failure and urging the Democracy of New York to ome forward and put an end to this useless

He closed his very eloquent and able-He closed his very eloquent and ablespeech with again urging the people to goon with their work with renewed efforts,
determined to make the victory in November great and glorious; worthy of the man
who is leading us on to the fight, and make
this political war the last we will have to
fight with Copperhead Democracy.
With three rousing cheers for Grant and
Colfey the meeting adjourned.

Colfax, the meeting adjourned. Rallying of the Forces in Allegheny, Mass

Meeting in the Diamond. One of the largest meetings since the opening of the campaign was held last evening at the Republican Headquarters in the Allegheny Diamond, and, such was the enthusiastic spirit which animated those in attendance, that, notwithstanding the disagreeable childness of the evening, the audience remained in undiminished numbers until the adjournment of the meeting. The music of the occasion was furnished by Smith's Brass. Band ably seconded by the Allegheny Glee Club under the leadership of Prof. W. H. Slack.

An organization was effected at half past saven o'clock by the election of the follow-

even o'clock by the election of the following officers:

President—Hon. Robt. M'Knight. Vice Presidents—John B. Ingam, Wm. P. Price, S. W. M'Ginness, J. C. Putterson, W.

Krebs, A. Davidson,
Krebs, A. Davidson,
Mr. M'Knight, on taking the chair,
thanked the audience for the compliment
paid him, and made an address of considerable lengths on the issues of the day, which elicited great; applause.

At the conclusion of Mr. McKnight's speech, the Alleghery Glee Club sang two humorous and patriotic songs in an effective style, after which A. M. Watson, Esq., was introduced. Mr. Watson dwelt on the reconstruction policy of Congress; the bond question, and the record of the two parties. His remarks occupied a me time, and were frequently integranted with objects. which elicited great applause.

frequently interrupted with oheers.

Colonel J. M. Thompson, of Butler county, was the next speaker. He took up the various questions at present agitating the public mind, and argued them in an able and convincing manner, which seemed to meet with the approbation of the audience, who manifested their feelings in vodiferous and bearty applause.

At the conclusion of Mr. Thompson's re-

marks the meeting adjourned with three cheers for Grant and Colfax. Real Estate Transfers. The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, Septem-

ber 17, 1868:

THE COURTS

United States District Court. The District Attorney certified that a Grand Jury will be necessary at the October term, whereupon the Court ordered a venire facias to issue for twenty-three

Grand, and forty Traverse Jurors. The case of the United States against 13S barrels of cut and dry tobacco, and the United States against fifty barrels of cut United States against fifty barrels of cut and dry tobucco claimed by J. K. Taylor, of Philadelphia, which have been on trial for some days pust, were enbuitted to the jury to-day, and at the time of our going to press no verdict had been rendered.

In the Admiralty branch the report of John H. Bailey, Esq., the Commissioner appointed to distribute the fund in the case of J. E. Bernley vs. the steamer "Traveler" was confirmed with the second absolute if

was confirmed ness, to become absolute if exceptions are not filed within ten days. In the bankruptcy branch final discharges were granted and certificates awarded to Joseph B. Cherry, of Allegheny county; J. S. Gould, Germon R. Nourse, Charles G. A. Charles G. Andrews, Wm. G. Hawkins, Rufus S. Perkins and E. H. Baum, of Erie

county, and Franklin M. Burger, of Bair county.

Petitions for discharge were filed by R.
W. Russell, F. G. Whichler and Samuel M.
Whichler, of Eric county, and Benjamin
M. Clark, of Allegheny county, and the

District Court.

Before Judge Hampton. In the case of Magill vs. McGrew the

jury found a verdict for defendant. The argument on the petition of Thomas B. Rice and Joseph S. Reed, asking for an injunction against the City Engineer and Street Commissioner of Allegheny city, restraining them from taking possession of restraining them from taking possession of a piece of ground belonging to the petition-ers, was heard and the injunction refused. The jury summoned for the fourth Mon-day of September are dismissed, and need

not appear. jury summoned for the second Monday of September were notified to appear on the third Monday, instead of the second. Cases Nos. 33, 45, 46, 59, 72, 88 and 111 were marked for trial, and as soon as they are disposed of Court will adjourn until af-

Court of Quarter Sessions. [Before Judge Sterrett.] Court met at the usual bour, Thursday

orenoon, and transacted the following business: In the case of Samuel McKain, of Alletheny city, indicted for assault and battery on complaint of Lydia C. Lytle, the jury found a verdict of guilty and recomme the defendant to the mercy of the Court.

Sentence deferred.
In the case of Michael Creighton, indicted for larceny at a tavern in Miffin townships the jury found a verdict of guilty, and recommended the prisoner to the mercy of the Court. Sentence deferred.

Mary E. Ramsey, colored, plead guilty to an indictment for the largeny of a silk sacque, the property of Louis Sussman, and was sentenced to twenty days imprisonment.

ment malicious mischief, en oath of John Lindenfelzer. The parties reside in Lawrenceville, and are owners of adjoining houses, in which they reside. The difficulty arose as to the ownership of a dividing wall, which defendant undertook to re-move. The jury found a verdict of guilty. A surety case, growing out of the same transaction, was next disposed of. Judgment in both cases was deferred.

Archibald Wasson was placed on frial on an indictment for the larceny of a sum of money from John Young. The moneywas taken from a trunk in the prosecutor's boarding house, in the Twelfth ward. The amount stolen was stated to be \$200. After being arrested, and whilst being taken to

amount stolen was stated to be 200. After being arrested, and whilst being taken to the tombs, the prisoner was suspected of throwing away money, and some \$12 or \$14 were found, which he subsequently ad-mitted that he had thrown away. On trial at adjournment.

An Old Merchant Dead.

Jacob Forsythe, Esq., whose funeral is to take place to-day, was for many years among the most energetic and enterprising nerchants in this city. Anterior to the day of capals and railroads, he was very largely engaged in the commission and forwarding trade of the city, enjoying a correspondence widely extended over the Western States. He was at one time alsoextensively connected with the carrying trade by steamboats of this city. He passed through all the revulsions and depressions, financial and commercial, of the last forty years. Shaken very severely by heavy losses in 1837-'40, he nevertheless manfully bore himself up against them all. He was a clear-headed, far-seeing, sagarious ousiness man, whom no reverses could subdue, but by energy and perseverance triumphed over every obstace, and at his death was in independent circumstances. He had, owing to infirmities of age, retired from active business for the past year or two, relieved by his sons from all cares and anxieties. Mr. Forsythe will be remem-bered by many of the older merchants of our Western towns and cities as a leading merchant of this city. They all, in common with his cotemporaries of the present and past in this city, will lament his unex-

pected death. Consolidation.—The union of the two lines of steamboats running between this city and Brownsville is taked of, and it is quite probable that the negotiations now pending in regard to the matter will result in a consolidation. Heretofre there has been quite a rivalry between the companies which has been rather injurious, not only to their interests but to those of the public traveling that way. There is a large amount of business and travel done in this direction which with proper care and attention might be still more increased.

New Orleans Market.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

New Orleans, September 17.—Cotton't market tending upwards; middlings, 23%C; sales 1,000 bales; receipts 2,843 ba ee. Exchange, 164%a166%c; New York Sight Exchange, 166%a166%c; New York Sight Exchange, 166%a16%c; New York Sight Exchange, 171%a166%c; New York Sight [By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

asier. Chicago Market. By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.] CHICAGO, Sept. 17.—Comparatively nothing is doing at the evening board to night. No. 2 Wheat closed at \$1,21a1,511; No. 2 Corn at 95)(495)40, and Oats at 51,40.

Havana Market. HAVANA, Sept. 17.—Sugar firm; No. 12.
Dutch Standard 8 reals. Exchange on London 14% a15% premium. By Telegraph to the Pitteburgh Gazette. 1