Amusements. taracters. THIS EVENING, the great play of GIO; or the Armorer of Tyre. . S. Kame Overture To conclude with The Toodles.J. O. Sefio ...Mr. Chippendai ENGLISH OPERA AT MASONIC HALL. THE JUSTLY CELEBRATED AND Holman Opera Troupe, Have the honor of announcing a short season of Opera, commencing on MONDAY, Dec, 21st, with Ball's beautiful composition, The Bohemian Girl! With a cast of characters embracing the entire Proupe and a powerful auxiliary corps. Dance—La Madrollina...........Miss Julia Holman To conclude with the laughable Protean

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Missing Papers. The following copies of the Daily Post are wanting at this office to complete our

Two copies Aug. 7th Weekly Post. The Weekly Post, for next Saturday will have another chance, no matter how lis now ready for delivery; price per single high the number of the application—and MOSEBY AND HIS GUERRILLAS. The Weekly Post, for next Saturday is now ready for delivery; price per single copy, in wrappers, five cents; per year, by mail, in advance, \$1 50; the usual deduction made to clubs. For sale at the counting room, corner of Wood and Fifth Counting room, corner of Wood and Fifth Numbers from No. 1,000 to 1,100 will be heard on Saturday—and none over streets, and at Case's and Pittock's periodical stores. Send a copy to absent friends and soldiers in the army. It is a superb number, brim full of the latest time allowed them, which expires on that

who is over thirty five. Another amendment that has been recommended is to make two classes, one of married men, the other of unmarried men, and to draw the latter down until the last man is taken pefore touching the sacred persons or the Benedicts. The subject is involved in great difficulty, and it would be impossible for the highest human wisdom to frame a conscript law that would not produce There should be a requirement also that

ricts where it is paid, and not devoted to correct, substitutes will run up to a very high figure, and we suppose poor men can be benefitted by it only by going as "subs."

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Eastern Importers, and will be sold without any regard whatever to prices.

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Add 1803, as affected by his age and horribly.

Tiding on a train which was being "drilled" bor for support, an only son of an aged or with his leg under the wheel, r cushing it horribly. to draft." which reads as follows: "Where ere are two or more sons of aged or infirm parents, subject to draft, the tather. (or if he be dead, the mother,) may elect which shall be exempt. These decisions are certainly interesting—but how is a body to understand what they mean? They doubtless contain a world of meaning, but how can it be got at? Perhaps those who can answer the following question may be able to "wool" the above. "I your mother's mother was my mother's sister's aunt, what relation would your

my older brother's first cousin's son-in-HEAVY DAMAGES .- The jury in the Dis-The reader may recollect that on the 23d office. day of December, 1861, a boy, a son of Mr. Bender, was severely injured by being run over by a street car, on the Passenger passengers from or to any part of the old country, either by stoam or sailing packets.

Railway near the Cemetery. It appeared in evidence that the regular driver of the part of Europe.
Agent for the Indianapolis and Cincinnatic car had stopped off at the company's store, in Lawrenceville, and entrusted a boy to drive out to the Cemetery and back. Bender's son was on the car, and was or dlasgow and Exchange Business, the undersigned solicits the patronage of his former customers, and the publisin general, and is prepared to set the all outstanding transactions in full. tained by the boy was the result of negli gence on the part of the companylin n having a regular and competent driver o the car at the time, and hence the verdict. Miller and Dickens for plaintiff, Thomas

Howard for defence. KEEP THEM WARM.—A distinguished tent judges to be one of great interest, and medical gentleman says that diseases of in the hands of Mr. Proctor is rendered the chest are early contracted by expo sure to the cold without sufficient clothing. The greater portion of children from one to fifteen months old, who die in winter, are killed by the cold, or diseases resulting from cold. Wollen flannel is renext the skin in our variable climate. a least for nine months in the year. If prents would preserve the health and lives warmly clad, especially about the chest say that these misstrels are by far the be and feet. Wollen socks should be adopt that have visited our city this many a da ed, for cold feet are almost always the

ause of catching cold. ELIZABETH BOBOUGH ALL RIGHT.-W are indebted to Lient. J. C. Sproul, re cruiting agent, for the following information. The people of Elizabeth borough not liking the idea of a draft, went to work in earnest, and by offering additional bounties to those of Government, succeeded in raising her quota of men, and is now lear from the coming draft. There is no a ward, township or borough in Allegheny county but could do the same if the would only go to work in the right way,

and in the same liberal and patriotic spirit ST. LOUIS FUR MARKET.-The following were the ruling figures for fors in St. Louis FURNITURE & CHAIRS,

on the 12th instant: No. 1 Raccoon, 60c.; No. 2, do., 30c.; No. 3, do., 15c.; No. 1 Mink, \$2,50; No. 2, do., \$1,25; No. 3, do., 60c.; Fox, 25c.; Wild Cat, 25c.; Mukret, 15c.; small Wolf, 75c; large do., \$1.50; Beaver, per pound \$1,50; Bear, 50c(a.3,50; Opossum, 10c. Deer, Winter, 40c.; Summer, 55c., No. Otter, \$3,76; No. 2, do., \$1,25; No. 3, do.

\$1, Skunk, 10 to 25c. ANOTHER SPURIOUS NOTE, -The Bank Review announces the following description of a new altered \$10 bill on the Ma rine bank of Tolede, Ohio. It is altered from the genuine 1's of that bank. The vignette represents ships at sea, and on the lower left end men are engaged in shipping tea, &c. It will be noticed that there is a large red medallion figure "1" on the center of the bill

House FOR SALE. - We call the attention of the reader to an advertisement in COAL LANDS: COAL LANDS FOR

SALE—Forty-two seres of good coal land, situate on the Little Saw Mill Run R. R. For price and terms, apply to S. CUTHERERT & SONS, date of the County of th

DAILY POST. | THE DRAFT. - Volunteers - Applications by Parents. - | BY TELEGRAPH, | New York, Dec. 17.—The steamer | LATEST TELEGRAPH. | City of Cork, arrived here, from Liver. | DROFT | DR The Board of Enrollment, (22d District,) neets at ten o'clock, and call over those cases of Manifest Permanent Disability. (they do not examine cases of consumption, diseases of heart, liver, kidneys, &c., until the person is drafted.)

After these the names of applicants for Alienage, Non residence and Unsuitable EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS. files. Will any of our friends having the following numbers oblige us by leaving them at the counting room, corner of Wood and Fifth streets:

Two copies of May 1st 1868,
Two copies Aug. 7th "Allenage, Non-residence and Unsutable Age, numbered from 900 to 999 will be called—none over No. 1,000. Any applicants under No. 900, heretofore called, may be called on Saturday, by leaving their names and numbers in the front business office, second story, during to day, that their papers may be completed. that their papers may be searched out to At two in the afternoon disability cas

THE CONSCRIPTION LAW.—The New STAMP DUTIES ON MONEY RECEIPTS.— York Commercial opposes the repeal of The Commissioner of Revenue believes the \$800 clause of the conscription act, and of another discrimination it says:— on documents and instruments of evidence to Memphis and Louisville from here to despotism, and hope for intervention by and of another discrimination it says:—

"The present classification, which must have commended itself to Congressmen posses, therefore, to put a tax upon reclass of 'over thirty-five and married,' is as absurd as it well could be. As a rule, married men over thirty-five, could be may be judiciously extended. He purposes, therefore, to put a tax upon recipits for payment of money. Being of the utmost importance in all transactions, the effect that guards be established in the necessity of making them valid evidence of payment would offer the strong dence of payment would offer the strong city. Cotton will be admitted on the president this even the possible of the purpose the purpose the president this even the possible of the purpose the president this even the possible of the president this even the possible of the president this even the possible of the purpose the president this even the possible of the purpose the purpose the purpose the president this even the possible of the purpose th the penny stamp on receipts is \$2,200,000. A tax here of half that amount, he thinks, would be nearly as productive. than in compliance with the order it will The imposition of a tax of this kind will be seized.

tend to make the cash system more popu. The commanders at Lagrange, Corinth tend to make the cash system more popu-

NEXT CRIMINAL COURT. - The next term of the Criminal Court commences on the some hardship. We are clearly of the 28th inst., just ten days from to day. The opinion that the commutation classe is a law makes it obligatory on our mayors, mitigating feature of the draft, and that magistrates and aldermen, to make their should, in some shape, be retained. returns within a specified time, and as the Prosecuting Attorney is determined to commutation money should be expended enforce it, those interested will do well to bounties and for substitutes in the dis

delay. ther States or other purposes."

Later news from Washington would Bonder to indicate that Congress will repeal Hope Hose Company, of Allegheny city, have disbanded, and the city has taken ber 21st. at 7 o'clock, and on TUESDAY, WED-NESDAY and THUESDAY AFTERNOONS, at 52, and EVENINGS, at 6½ o'clock, will be sold that effect to the amendatory bill introdu.

at the Masonic Hall Austion House, No. 55 Fifth extreme large consignment of street a large consignment of their time, and in case of a serious fire they will be greatly missed.

ACCIDENT. - A lad named Thomas Law "Interesting Decisions."-Under the had his leg crushed between two cars, at the various Executive Departments of the FANCY GOODS, head of "Interesting Decisions," an ex. the Outer Depot of the Pittsburgh and Comprising a full assortment for HOLIDAY change says: The Provost Marshal Gen. Chicago Railroad, on Monday. He was

marriage, for the two years covered by the present enrollment, are determined by his age on July 1st, 1863. Where there is one son in the first, and two or more in the second class, subject to draft, the latter where the second class, subject to draft, the latter where the second class, subject to draft, the latter where the second class, subject to draft, the latter where the second class, subject to draft, the latter where the second draft, the latter where the second class, subject to draft, the latter where the second draft wher CUNABD LINE are within the meating of the 4th provision of the 2d acction of the act as "liable a few days, and was made a Major General managing of the support. Where but a few hours previous to his death.

> PAID OFF .- Capt. Wm. J. Morehead, distursing officer, U. S. A., paid off all the troops in Camp Copeland, including both bounty and pay, during Tuesday and Wednesday last.

EVENUT. - By decision of the State Superintendent, school teachers are exempt from duty on Thankagiving days, Christ sister's aunt, what relation would your great grand father's uncle's nephew be to Fourth of July.

HOLIDAY BOOKS.—The largest and Photograph 'Albums, Bibles, Prayer and trict Court yesterday in the case of Bender Hymn Books ever opened in Pittsburgh, vs. The Citizens Passenger Railway, ren is the attck displayed at Miner's Mamdered a verdict for the plaintiff of \$1.316. moth Book Store, next door to the Post-

Toys at Auction .- On Monday evening next McClelland, at the Masonic Hall Auction House, will commence his usual annual sale of toys, fancy goods, &c.

Miner's Almanac.—Miner's Pittsburgh

Almanac, for 1864, calculated and edited by Sanford C. Hill, is sold everywhere. AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRE. - Mr. Proctor, the great Amer ican tragedian, takes a benefit at the theatre this evening, on which occasion the new historical drama entitied "Gio" in which he personates three characters-"Gio," "Balbec" and "The Twin Broth-er." This play is pronounced by compeintensely interesting. Seats should be en-gaged early in the day, as the house will e racked to its utmost capacity.

MORNINGSTAR'S MINSTRELS.-This excallent and popular operatic troupe, who have been during the past week delighting commend as the best clothing to be worn large audiences at Concert Hall by their exquisite music and amusing jokes, will give a Grand Matinee on Saturday afternoon for the benefit of ladies and children. We of their little ones, they should keep them think the public will bear us out when we that have visited our city this many a day. Go and hear them this evening. REMEMBER. - Seats for the Holman Or

era can be secured at Masonic Hall to orrow morning from ten to one o'clock ogage your seats, for a great rush may expected. THE HOLMAN TROUPE. - See advertisement of the Holman English Opera Troupe

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Washington City News. REPEAL OF THE COMMUTATION

CLAUSE.

CAIRO, Dec. 17.-The steamer Julia from New Orleans, has just arrived. She reports that the steamer Brazil was fired into below Rodney, on the 11th; three

three designated roads leading into the Gen. Schofield had an interview with the city. Cotton will be admitted on the President this evening. No order reas absurd as it well could be. As a rule, married men over thirty-five, could be stinducement to having them duly stamped from their families more easily estinducement to having them duly stamped from their families more easily estinducement to having them duly stamped. It is believed that, by subjecting families are younger and need more care, while the head of the house is less likely while the head of the house is less likely while the head of the house is less likely revenue might be obtained without serious. Cotton will be admitted on the President this evening. No order response to confidence of payment would offer the strong city. Cotton will be admitted on the President this evening. No order response to confidence of payment would offer the strong city. Cotton will be admitted on the President this evening. No order response to confidence of payment would offer the strong city. Cotton will be admitted on the President this evening. No order response to confidence of payment would offer the strong city. Cotton will be admitted on the President this evening. No order response to confidence of payment would offer the strong city. Cotton will be admitted on the President this evening. No order response to command the Department of Missouri be owner, consignees, marks and bills, and found for Gen. Schotleld. Gen. Buford of the payment would offer the strong city. Cotton will be admitted on the President this evening. No order response to the city of the payment would offer the strong city. Cotton will be admitted on the President this evening. No order response to the payment would offer the strong city. Cotton will be admitted on the produce the payment would on the produce the payment would offer the strong city. Cotton will be admitted on the payment would not be called the serious city. Cotton will be admitted on the payment would not be called the payment would not be called the payment would not be called the payment w ary agent. The time and day is also specified when cotton produce may be brought in, and if brought in otherwise

> these commands and the adjacent country will permit.
> Guerrillas are reported in various points along the river between here and Memphis. The Memphis cotton market

WASHINGTON, December 16.—The Bill reported back from the Senate, s Committee on Military Affairs, with amendments reduces the proposed bounty for enlistments of veterans to \$100, and of others to \$10, and includes those on y who are not now in the service.
Senator Wilson's amendment to the con-

scription bill, exempts the following persons: Such as are mentally or physically unfit for service, the Vice President of the United States; the Judges of the various Courts of the United States; the heads of United States: Governors of the several States; an only son liable, to military duty, of a widow, wholly dependent on his la-

rice, the residue shall be exempt; any erson convicted of felony.

The separation of the enrollment into two classes, has been abolished. A person enrolled and moving to another locality may have his name taken from the list and placed upon the enrollment in the place f his residence. Any person enrolled

ho shall procure an acceptible substitute shall be exempt. NEW YORK, December 17.-A special to the Times, dated Washington, Decem ber 16, says an effort is being made to give General Butler full authority to negotiate HOLIDAY BOOKS.—The largest and for the exchange of our prisoners now choicest collection of Holiday Books, languishing in Richmond, It is understood here that he has expressed his wil lingness to undertake it, and has confidence in his ability to affect it. It is moreover understoood that he will be acceptable to the Richmond authorities

as a negotiator, and they will be disposed to treat on the basis of considering all our captured negro soldiers, not claimed as FOR CINCINNATIAND LOUISVILLE. slaves by their owners, on the same footing as our white soldiers. A demand was made to day upon the State Department to claim the surrender of the pirates who captured the Chesapeake from the Nova Scotian authorities, under the extradition treaty. The facts upon which this is based were received this

afternoon. HEADQUARTERS UNITED STATES FORCES, VEST VICCINIA, December 15.—A special to the Herald says: We have informa-tion that a detachment of the 20th Pennsylvania cavalry, while out on a scout ordered by Gen. Kelley, destroyed the foundry at Edinburg, in the Shenandoah Valley. The rebels were using this foun-

foundry at Edinburg, in the Shenandoah I Valley. The rebels were using this foundry for the preparation of iron to be sent to Richmond, and, as reported, used in the construction of gunboats.

A portion of the troops under the command of Col. Welles, and from Gensullivan's column, had some severe skirmishing yesterday, near at and beyond Strasburg. Col. Welles took some thirty prisoners, a portion of these belonging to Ewell's corps. The indications is that the enemy has, or is trying to reinforce I mboden, in the Shenandoah Valley. The reasons for this will soon be apparent.

Forthers Monroe, Dec. 16.—The Richmond Whig, in an editorial, says that the Atlanta Confederacy asserts that our cavalry advanced on the 10th, shove Ring gold, and finding the country clear of the enemy, they proceeded thence to Lookout Mountain, and Missionary Ridge; there they found nothing but the remains of the enemy's camp. The position seemed to have been deserted on Saturday last. In the town of Chattanooga and below, the enemy had visibly decreased his force. The presumption is that a heavy column has gone after Longstreet, and an expedii the found and Market sts., Pittsburgh.

Straburg. Col. Welles took some thirty prisoners, a portion of these belonging to the construction of the send to the use of stimulants and natic removes the appetite or carving of the chronic inflammation of the stomach in the use of stimulants and in the chronic inflammation of the stomach in the use of stimulants and in the chronic inflammation of the stomach in the use of stimulants and increase and inflammation of the stomach, in Headsche, Neuralra and increase as interest. Teachers to the body, is derived from the lood we direct.

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As A NALTERATIVE. The blood, the life of the body, and Hotches, Pumples, Tetter, Prysipelas, Old Sores, Moreurial and Taints, and other disease arising from impure blood, disappear. Use of the product of the beday, is derived from the loo

he presumption is that a heavy column as gone after Longstreet, and an expedition has started into West Tennessee to ook after Forrest, who has taken advan-

age of the absence of Sherman's corps. WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 .- Night before last Moseby, with a gang of ninety guer-rillas, made a descent upon our picket lines outside of the defences, without effeeting any serious damage. Our cavalry

ere sent in pursuit. An abourd rumor is circulating to-day broughout the city that Moseby was in town yesterday afternoon. The military authorities have been on a sharp lookout for the guerrillas, but without success. It is reported at the Navy Yard that the rebels have lately opened with field pieces on our gunboats at the mouth of the Rappahannock, and our steamers, after firing a few shot in return, hauled off into the Potomac.

Washington, Dec. 17.—The probabili-ties decidedly are, that Congress will re-peal the three hundred dollar clause of the enrollment act. The military committee of the Senate, are believed to be in favor of doing so, and it is not unlikely that they will attach a section to that ef-fect amendatory to the bill introduced by Senator Wilson.

posed Congress, and says, if trouble and conflagration should ensue, as is probable, the entire responsibility will fall upon hose who rejected the work of peace.

has worked wonders in recalling to thei llegiance to the Government, sympathi ers with rebellion in that department Its operation commenced in Norfolk Virginia, on Saturday last, when a number therto opposed to the Government volnutarily came in and took the oath of allegiance. On Monday the number of applicants for certificates of loyalty was so great that they could be hardly accom-

modated. New York, Dec. 17.-Mintitlan dates into below Rodney, on the 11th; three women and one man were killed and several wounded. She also reports that the steamer Tecumseh was burned on the 16th of November. The Julia brought 250 passengers, and 212 hogsheads of sugar for St. Louis. Five hundred straged larged deservatives were sent patives were very bitter on the French patives were very bitter on the French since the place was of the 19th ult., states that the place was of the states that the place was of the 19th ult., states that the place was of the states that the place was of

> NEW YORK, Dec. 17.-A Tribune special dated Washington, Dec. 16, says:

NEW YORK, Dec. 17. - The Tribnne has advices from Texas from prominent gen-The commanders at Lagrange, Corinth and Columbus will be authorized to make a simular regulation at the posts named when, in their judgment, the state of these commands and the adjacent country. and Bastrop counties, thirty four persons had been hanged—Americans and Germans.

here.

THE KIVER.—Last ovening at twilight, there were sant ten feet of water and falling. The weather during the day was changable—we had occasional showers.

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80th, with one day's later news. The Pope's reply to the Congress invitation, expresses his conviction, that the Congress would respect his rights. The Paris Constitutional attacks the English Government for declining to extent the proernment, for declining to enter the pro-

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17 .- Information has been received here, that the order, No. 46, of Gen. Butler, recently issued,

Memphis. The Memphis cotton market is dull. The sales for the last two days have been 95 bales at 66@70c. Receipts from below 94 bales.

Hallfax, Dec. 17.—The Ella and All to be read, a newspaper paragraph, charging with bribery a Senator from New English Campa in and ordered her land, in securing the release, for the sum the Dacotah came up and ordered her into Halifax. The three vessels are now

RIVER MATTERS.

43"The fine packet Arminia, Capt. M'Callum loaves for taire and bt. Louis on Friday. This boat has fine accommodations and attentive of ficers.

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TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS,

CLEVELAND, Dec. 17 .- The Assessors

XXXVIIIth CONGRESS, CASE AGAINST THE | GOVERN-MENT Fort Yorktown Destroyed by

rived here this morning. THE CHESAPEAKE CAPTURED. probably in the rning.

COMMERCIAL.

Washington, Dec. 17.—House,—The peaker laid before the House the report of the Superintendent of Coast Survey. Mr. Stevens, from the Committee on Ways and Means, reported a bill making appropriations for consular and diplonatic expenses. Mr. Rice, from the committee of Naval A. F. Committee of Naval Affairs, reported a oint resolution tendering the thanks of Congress to Capt. Rodgers. On motion of Mr. Washburne, of Illinois, it was resolved that when the House adjourned to day it would be till Monday next. Mr. Price introduced a resolution, instructing the Committee on Roads and Canals to inquire into the expediency, &c., of constructing and enlarging such Northern canals as may be necessary to connect the Hudson and Mississippi

rivers with the great lakes, and report by bill or otherwise. Mr. Holman moved to lay it on the table, which was disagreed to by a vote of 57 to 96. The resolution was then adopted. was then adopted.

Mr. Anderson offered a resolution which was adopted instructing the Committee on Roads and Canals to inquire into the expediency of improving the upper rapids of the Mississippi, with leave to report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Rogers gave notice of a bill to refand to the States, counties, townships, wards, cities and municipal corporations

all monies paid by them respectively for

bounties to volunteers in the Union army.

Fire.

Cerrible Roiler Explosion at Chicago

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Senate. - Mr. Hale rose to a privileged ing with bribery a Senator from New England, in securing the release, for the sum of \$3,000, of two prisoners from the Old Capitol. From information which he had received from a Senator, he was led to believe that he (Hale) was the Senator alluded to. He wished to make a statement of the tacts upon which the charge was founded. Mr. Hale then at some length explained that he bad acted as counsel for these persons, and that previous to doing so, he had asked the advice of the Hon. Reverdy Lohnston and others if he could experience. and that previous to doing so, he had asked the advice of the Hon. Reverdy Johnston and others, if he could, consistently with his position as United States Senator, act as the legal adviser of the tently with his position as United States
Senator, act as the legal adviser of the above mentioned parties. He was assured he could, and that there existed no reason why he should not. The Hon. Reverdy Johnson stated to him that he was, himself, egnaged in such cases almost daily under these circumstances: he acted for the prisioners. He (Hale) then stated the facts of the case and concluded by saying if there was bribery it was not done inadvertently but advisedly, and with cautious deliberation.

Mr. Johnston remarked that he recollected distinctly that Hale called on him as stated and reported the convention. distinctly that Hale called on him

lected distinctly that Hale called on him as stated, and reported the conversation materially as stated in answer to his (Hale's) inquiry whether a Senator was precluded from acting as connsel for a person charged before a court martial with traud. He (Johnston) said he saw no legal impediments in the way, or even indelicacy in what he (Hale) had done, was no doubt done in consequence of this opinion, that Senators do not cease to be lawyers if called upon for professional services. He saw no dicalty in complying unless the services involved the neglect of public duties; he (Johnston) had repeatedly acted himself upon this assumption. The only question that could arise is, is there any law prohibiting it? There was a law pro against the Government before the Court Holmes & Fifer sold 127 head at \$4.50. Claims. He believed that same law

against the Government before the Court of Claims. He believed that same law expressly, except that in cases pending before the courts, one has a right to go before any other court in the United States. It was not the intention to prevent a lawyer practicing in his profession if a case of fraud in contracts is brought before a military court. A lawyer, whose services are desired, has no right, because he is a member of Congress, to refuse his services any more than he would in a capital case in the civil courts.

Mr. Hale submitted the following resolution which was agreed to:

Resolved, That the Committee on Judiciary be instructed to inquire whether J. P. Hale, a member of this body, in connection with the case of one Hunt. Charged with crime by direction of the War Department, has been guilty of any conduct inconsistent with his duty as a Senator, and that they have power to send for persons and papers.

The following message was received from the President: Herewith, I lay before you, a letter addressed to myself by a committee of gentlemen representing the Freedman's Aid Society in Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Cincinnati. The subject of the letter, as indicated above, is one of great magnitude and importance, and now which these gentlemen of known. is one of great magnitude and importance, and one which these gentlemen, of known ability and high character, seem to have considered with care. Not having time to form a mature judgment of my own as to whether the plan they suggest is the best. I submit the whole subject to Congress, deeming that their attention thereto is almost imperatively ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

demanded. ABRAHAM LINCOLN.
Mr. Foote moved that when the Senate
adjourn, it adjourn till Monday next. Lost-adjourned. CAIRO, Dec. 17.—Memphis dates to the evening of the 14th have been received. evening of the 14th have been received.

Gen. Hurlbut promulgated another important order of which the following is the substance: It having been ascertained that large quantities of coin have massed from Memphis, and especially South, it is therefore ordered that neither coin or bullion be sold, bargained or exchanged within such parts of Tennessee, Arkensas

and Mississippi, as are within this depart ment; except as follows: Persons having coin or bullion in their possession which they desire to exchange may receive permission from the Treasury agent to send the same north via Cairo, receiving back the equivalent insuch cur-rency as they may choose. Any sale or exchange, except as above provides, shall be punished by military tribunal. Bankers and others doing a deposit business in Memphis, are required to send forward the coin bullion in their hands to the Provost Marshal, both for themselve and their depositors, and convert the same into currency. Hereafter they will receive none on deposit except to forward the same as herein provided.

**Mew York Dec. 17.—Soney in good demand at 7 % cent. Sterling firm but quiet at \$1 65 Gold rather more steady, opening at 50%, and declining to 50%.

Washington. Dec. 17.—The case of Cannack and Ramsey against the Govrament, came up for argument before the First Comptroller of the Treasury yester day. It involves a claim of about two million dollars with interest and has been AP Students can enter and review at any time.

CIRCULARS containing full information sent count of a mail contract for service on the Pace of charge to any address, or application to the Principals, JENKINE & BMITH, derlawdaw JENKINE & BMITH, derlawdaw Phitsburgh, Pa.

COUNT of a mail contract for service on the Pacific coast. Wm. Curtis Hays, esq., of the Principals, JENKINE & BMITH, opened the argument for claimants and will be followed by Milton Claimants and will be followed by Milton Whiten Pacific coast. Wm. Curtis Hays, esq., of the argument for claimants and will be followed by Milton Whiten Pacific coast. Wm. Curtis Hays, esq., of the sellers not offering freely. Wheat slow:

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FORTERS MOYEOR, Dec. 12.—Last evening the hospital at Fort Yorktown was destroyed by fire. The fire communicated to the bakery and about half past one o'clock the magazine exploded. The fire continued, causing the frequent explosion of shells during the night. About four o'clock this morning another explosion took place. Several buildings were destroyed. These are all the particulars we have as yet. One wounded man arrived here this morning.

CHICAGO, Dec., 17 .-- One of the boilers of the Chicago Distilling Company ex-ploded to-day, demolishing the engine house. Seven men who were employed in the building were scalded so badly that it is eared they will not recover. Five or six others were injured but not seriously. Two men are reported missing and are

PITTSBURGH GENERAL MARKET OFFICE OF THE DAILY POST.
FRIDAY, December 18, 1863. Rusiness - We have no particular change to notice in regard to trade generally. On the whar re noticed a good deal of activity, Among the we noticed a good deal of activity. Almos the sales that were reported we noticed as follows:

Hay—Sales of 8 loads were made at \$40 00 % ton. Baled was unchanged.

NTRAW—Small sales of Oat straw was made at \$22 00 % ton. These were steep figures,

Flour—Among the sales were 100 bobs. Extra Family at \$7 00.00 7 25; 80 bols do Extra at \$6 00; 65 bbls. Extra Family at \$7 00 or and 200 bbls. do Extra \$5 00; Extra Family \$17 00.00 7 25. Inferior parcels sold at lower figures.

Cider—sales of 25 bbls, at prices ranging from \$6 00 to 7 00 % bbl.

Applea—sales of 150 bbls. at \$2 40 % bbl.

Checese—Sales of 64 boxes \$W\$. \$R., at 14c and \$0 boxes Hamburg at 15c.

Grain—Sales as follows: Rye scarce. Sales of 250 bush, at \$1 35 00 40. Corn was in steady demand—sales of 500 bush. on private terms. Oats was in steady request—sales of 1000 bush at \$00 % bush. Wheat—prices are lookitg up. Red Sales of 600 bush at \$1 360 38; White—1000 bush at \$1 360 bush. \$1 \$1 \$35. Sales of \$1 \$25. Sales of \$1,20 \$10 \$3. \$1 \$1 \$4. \$4. \$1 \$3. \$25. \$1 \$1 \$5. \$4. \$3. \$25. \$1 \$1 \$5. \$4. \$35. \$1 ales that were reported we noticed as follows:

ty Whisky—Sales of City Rectified was reported to us at 85@90c & gallon; holders were firm.

Ashes—Sales of 5 tons refined Sods Ash at 55%;
8 do do common at 45%; 4 do Pearls at 10½

Buckwheat Flour—Seems to have been rather a poor speculation during the present season. The unreason ble rates demanded here prevented the article from being used to any extent. ont.

Groceries—Sugars—we note sales of 20 bbls
Crushed at 17%; 10 do do Powdered at 17%; 10
do Granulated at 17%; 20 do "A" "Office at 17%; 10
15 do "B" Coffee at 17, and 40 do "C" tellow at
14%; 10 bbds Cubs, fair, at 13%; 10 do do prime,
at 14%, 8 do prime New Orleans at 14%, Coffee—
32 sacks fair to prime Rio at 34%—35%. Molasses was unchanged—the market was steady.

ALLEGHENY LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Larment sold 100 head at 6 05. W Ryans sold 122 head at 5 85. H Kilgore sold 97 head at 5 55. H Johnson sold 154 head at 6 00. Hogland sold 94 head at 6 00.

The market is excited and somewhat unsettled since the publication of the Treasurer's Report, recommending a tax on Leaf of 20c., and an increase on manufactured of from 5 to 12c, which, added to the present taw, 15c., would make 20 to 21c w 10., according to quality. Early in the week, in auticipation of this increased tax, a brisk demand s. rung up, and continued to the close, prices steadily advancing. The sales have been very large, leaving the market with very light steeks, and prices firm at advanced quotations. Cincinnati Tobacco Market. Cineinmati Tobacco Market.
The sales of Loaf tobacco at Todman's warehou o were 36 bids., viz: 28 bids., Mason comitted to the common of the c

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. New York Market.

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New York Dec, I'.—Cotton less active and prices continues firm at 82c. Piour opened 5c better on shipping grades and crosed heavy: \$6 40@6 55 for extra State; \$7 45@7 55 for R. H. O.: \$7 60@9 90 for Trade Brands. Whisky heavy at 82@87 with no buyers at cutside quotations. Wheat to better; \$1 42@1 43 for Chicago spring: \$1 45@1 49 for Milwaukie Club: \$1 45 for old do: \$1 50 for Amber Milwaukie Club: \$1 45 for old do: \$1 50 for Amber Milwaukie. Corn 2@35 better; \$1 23@1 30 for shipping mixed Westernin store. Outs opened steady and closed, heavy at 83@91. Wool steady. Sugar quiet. Pork without any chauge. Bacon sides moderate Hams 10%. Drossed hoge dull and lower; 1%@7% for western.

Philadelphia Market.
Philadelphia Dec. 17.—Flour dull: Fam
\$7 21@7 50. Wheat a little higher and dems
falling of: Red \$1 60@1 64: White nominal
\$1 75@2. Corn dull: new \$1 60@1 11; some
Yellow afloat at \$1 20. Oats unchanged and du
Cotton firm at 83@85. St. Louis Market.