DAILY POST.

PITTSBURGH:

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1863.

Democratic City Ticket.

FOR MAYOR,
JOSEPH R. HUNTER.

FOR CONTROLLER,
WILLIAM M. EDGAR.

FOR TREASURER,
FRANCIS FELIX.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

The Democratic State Central Committee are requested to meet at the 'MERCHANTS' HOTEL, in the City of Philadelphia, on WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of JANUARY NEXT, at 4 o'clock p. m.

CHARLES J. BIDDLE, Chairman.

ITEMS.

Gen. FLEURY has left Paris for Copenhagen.

Another rebel representative, SUPERVEILLE, has reached France via Mexico.

Advices from the Army of the Potomac state that all is quiet along the lines.

The President went down the Potomac river on Sunday.

The Richmond papers are gloomy over the effects of AVERILL's raid.

Gen. JOS. E. JOHNSON has assumed command of the rebel Army of the Tennessee.

It is reported that Quartermaster Gen. MEIGS is to be reinstated in his office at the conclusion of his inspecting duties at Chattanooga.

Cornwall, Connecticut, has filled her quota of twenty-five men by volunteers raised in the town, without the assistance of any substitute brokers.

A new French ambassador has arrived in London, accredited to her majesty. He is the Prince de la Tour d'Auvergue, lately French ambassador at Rome.

Of 800 horses recently sent to General BUTLER from New York, for cavalry service in his department, 700 were condemned as worthless.

The U. S. gunboat Ella and Anna is to be known hereafter as the Malvern, named in commemoration of the battle of Malvern Hill.

"If I am drafted I'll go!" The last seen of the individual who made this remark a year ago he was going—to Canada.

It is announced that a large contraband mail has been captured in Baltimore at a moment when it was to be sent to Richmond. Several prominent persons, it is said, are implicated.

The Berlin papers announce that the late King of Denmark's morganatic wife, the Countess Danner, is about to leave that country and take up her residence with some relatives in the Prussian district of Minden.

Maj. N. H. DAVIS, Assistant Inspector General, U. S. A., late of the Army of the Potomac, has been announced as Inspector General of the Department of New Mexico, vice Major H. D. WALLEN, U. S. A., assigned to duty elsewhere.

An army Medical Board for examination of Assistant Surgeons of volunteers, and Assistant Surgeons of colored troops, Contract Physicians and Medical Cadets, has been ordered to convene in New York to-day.

Solitary confinement of prisoners has been abandoned in the State Prison of Michigan on account of the evil consequences attendant upon the punishment; most of those so confined quickly becoming insane.

An elegantly-dressed lady, accompanied by a nurse and baby, took a room at the Metropolitan Hotel, New York, recently. At night the baby was found in the bed, while the unnatural mother and the nurse had departed.

Letters received at the Indian Office say that the Winnebago Trust Lands in Minnesota, which are now being sold, bring considerably more than the average price fixed by law—$2 50 per acre. The average price thus far are nearly $3 per acre.

By order of the War Department, the County of St. Mary's, Md., and Counties of Northampton and Potomac, eastern shore of Virginia, are annexed to Gen. BUTLER's command. Several negro regiments will be at once recruited for that district.

Investigations into the affairs of the Quartermaster's Department at Alexandria are still progressing, and the old Capitol receives almost daily some of the parties implicated in the recent frauds. The contractors come in for a full share of the penalties.

Among the patients in the lunatic asylum at Milledgeville, Georgia, is a celebrated African missionary and writer, Dr. BROWN. Since he has been confined he has written a spelling-book and grammar, which have been published, and is now engaged on a work on chemistry and philosophy.

Several officers and soldiers of the rebel army have come into the Union lines at Newbern, North Carolina, and taken the new oath of allegiance, and accepted the pardon offered by Mr. LINCOLN's recent proclamation. They report that a number of others are about to do the same thing.

A beautiful young lady was discharged on Tuesday morning from Camp Morton, where, having volunteered in the Invalid Corps, she had been performing as cook. It was several days before her sex was discovered. Her name is SOPHIA THOMPSON, and her respectable parents reside in Ohio.

It is reported that nine oyster boats, mostly belonging to Philadelphia, while dredging for oysters near Portopotank Creek, York River, were captured by the rebels. They came out in boats on the pretense of helping to make the cargo and boarded the boats, seized the crews, robbed them of all their valuables, sent them to Richmond, and burnt the vessels.

A correspondent writing from Chattanooga, under date of 17th instant says "Gen. BAIRD, with details from various regiments, had been for two days burying the dead. He found no evidence of outrages on the dead by the enemy, and but few comparatively were unburied. The rebels had no metallic shovels or spades, and were compelled to use wooden ones. Where the surface of the ground was slightly gravel, the dead were seldom or poorly buried.

LOYALTY THAT PAYS.

JOHN P. HALE, Senator from New Hampshire is one of the most intensely loyal Abolitionists in the country, and is, besides an occasional lecturer upon public and private morality. Last session, on one occasion he wept quite copiously over the degeneracy of the times, observing that our institutions were in more danger from corruption in our public servants, than they were from the rebels in arms. In fact the New Hampshire Senator was quite equal to PECKSNIFF in his lamentations over the decline of public virtue in high places. From recent developments, however, it appears that HALE, in his dissertation upon the degeneracy of the times, was only speaking in a pickwikian sense indulging in one of his accustomed bits of pleasantry. It turns out that this same wag of a U. S. Senator was not long since engaged in securing the release from a common jail of a person charged with having committed a crime against the Government. For this little service he received the comfortable sum of three thousand dollars. HALE's justification is that he was acting as an Attorney and not as a Senator in this business, which we consider another of his jokes; for who in the name of BLACKSTONE ever heard of a three thousand dollar retainer, in such a case as the one in question. It was the Senator who was engaged; his influence as a Senator, not his limited ability as an Attorney was what was required to rescue a fellow from punishment who stood charged with having committed a serious crime against the Government. It was his political and not his legal influence which was wanted; it was to keep the accused clear of the court that Mr. HALE was employed. He obtained the money the culprit goes clear. For such an act, twenty years ago, a Senator would have been expelled forthwith. Now we suppose that Mr. HALE will continue to favor arbitrary arrests, the suspension of the *habeas corpus*, and all such measures, and will then slip around by some back door to liberate in private those whom he denounces in public

HEENAN AND KING.

Yesterday's *Commercial* editorially alluding to the refusal of some of the fancy to give up bets made upon HEENAN remarks:

"At any rate, nothing will be done in the way of settlement until HEENAN himself, and his friends on the other side, can be officially heard from. In all the groggeries about town "the mill" continues to be the sole topic of conversation. Even the recent advance in the price of liquors, from six to ten cents per horn, is lost sight of."

This last sentence, about the advance of "nips" from six to ten cents each, sheds a great deal of light upon many things, heretofore unaccountable, which have appeared in the editorials of the *Commercial*. The queer things it printed about its "gifted minds;" its incoherent and mazy lucubrations about nepotism, and its muddy definitions the other day, of Government demonstrated that there was a screw loose somewhere. But it is all explained, strong and frequent potations have done their work. Nor will the rise from "six cents to ten" we fear prevent our estimable but weak neighbor from indulging in potations pottle deep.

"Oh! that a man should put an enemy in his mouth
To steal away his brains."

GOOD NEWS FROM THE ARMY.

Although we have no visitors to announce, we have what is almost as good, the determination of our veteran troops to reinlist for another term of three years. It is reported upon good authority that two thirds of the Army of the Potomac have accepted the bounty and furloughs tendered them, and there is reason to believe that the same is true of Generals GRANT's army. The nation is thus insured against the possibility of the disbandment of any of the divisions of our veteran armies. We say divisions, because the organizations of our grand armies are yet safe, as not over one fourth of the troops now in the field will be entitled to their discharge during the coming year. The men who are re-enlisting are those who volunteered during the first year of the war. It speaks well for our military service that so many men who entered the army during a period of general enthusiasm and excitement, should be willing to remain in it after three years hard service had dissipated all the romance there was connected with life in the tented field.

These re-enlistments may have something to do with enforcement of the draft on the 5th of January. The ostensible reason for the call for volunteers was to fill up the gaps in the ranks of our armies caused by the expiration of the term of enlistment of so many of our soldiers. If the soldiers generally re-enlist the administration may conclude that a draft will not be necessary, especially in view of the fact that over a hundred thousand volunteers will have been secured by the time a draft was to have taken place.

GEN. GRANT FOR PRESIDENT.

The New York *Herald* pitches into the country press for objecting to its candidate for President. Our neighbor of the *Commercial* comes in for the following share:

"The Pittsburgh *Commercial*, another mean little paper, published in a smoky little town, and apparently verymuch befogged, speaks of General GRANT's fame as a 'mere momentary or superficial prominence.' The *Commercial* has evidently not yet heard of Vicksburg and Chattanooga, and when the news of those sublime military exploits reaches Pittsburgh the foggy little paper will sing a different tune."

TERRIBLE RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

Four Persons Killed and Fifteen Wounded.

The Washington *Chronicle* learns that about six o'clock on Saturday evening, the train from Brandy Station ran off the embankment at Bristow Station, destroying several yards of the track, the locomotive, and four cars, besides killing four men and wounding fifteen. At the time of the accident, the train was moving at the rate of at least 20 miles an hour. At Bristow Station, where there is a switch, the track is in bad condition. Within eighty yards of the scene of the accident is a bridge of considerable size, which must have given way had the train proceeded farther, thus rendering certain the loss of at least one hundred lives.

It is stated as the cause of the catastrophe, that the switch having become unmoveable further than to a certain point, the person whose duty it was to change it ran up the track towards the coming train and attempted to stop it; but being unprovided with either lantern or torch, his efforts were fruitless.

The following are the names of the killed and wounded:—

KILLED.—Charles F. Robinson, citizen of Philadelphia, and formerly a lieutenant in the 121st Penna. volunteers.

Henry Young, company G, 11th Pennsylvania Reserves.

—— Broad, company H, 9th Pennsylvania Reserves.

One man unknown.

WOUNDED.—James McCahan, engineer, face.

Thomas Ford, company D, 10th Pennsylvania Reserves, arm.

Charles Lensandt, company A, 6th New York, slightly.

Gilliss Dunlap, company, E, 11th Pennsylvania Reserves, leg.

Joseph W. Shaw, company H, 5th Pennsylvania Reserves, head, slight.

William Cutler, company B, 5th Reserves, ankle.

Orville Minor, company K, 11th Reserves, head and ankle.

Nathaniel Dickey, company D, 10th Reserves, arm.

Charles Horn, company D, 10th Reserves, arm.

Samuel Cook, company D, 10th Reserves, both knees.

James McPeck, company D, 10th Reserves, ankle.

William McWilliams, company D, 10th Reserves, hip and ankle.

Elias Page, company D, 5th Reserves, hip.

William B Austin, company D, 12th Reserves, back.

William Wetzel, company H, 12th Reserves, slightly.

The wounded men were at once removed to the hospital of the 3d Division, 5th Corps, under the charge of Dr. Phillips, who assisted by Dr. Grim, of the 12th Reserves, gave them every attention their cases demanded. They were all doing well.

LATE EUROPEAN NEWS.

Launch of an Iron-Clad.

An important addition was made on Dec. 12 to the Royal Navy by the launch of the armor cased screw steam-frigate Minotaur, at the premises of the Thames Ironworks and Shipbuilding Company, Blackwall. The Minotaur is of the same size and class as the Agincourt, now building for the Government by Messrs Laird of Birkenhead, and the Northumberland, building at Millwall. The following are the dimensions of the vessel: Length between perpendiculars, 400 ft. extreme breadth, 59 ft. 4 in.; burden in tuns, builders' measurement, 6,812. Her engines are of 1,350 horse power, and are fully calculated to perform a speed of 14 knots an hour, nothwithstanding the immense size and weight of the vessel.

Her armor plates are 5½ inches thick, or one inch thicker than in vessels of the Warrior class, and her backing is composed of 9-inch teak timber. The armor of the Warrior extends only over a length of 212 feet, the entire length of that vessel being 250 feet; but the Minotaur will be completely iron-clad from stem to stern, leaving no part of the vessel unprotected. About one-third of her armor has already been bolted to her sides. Her armament will consist of 50 guns of large calibre, the description of which has not yet been determined on, the Admiralty now being engaged in carrying out experiments on board the Excellent gunnery ship, in order to ascertain the efficiency of 300-pounder rifled, 150-pounder round shot, and other guns for arming men-of-war, and also an improved apparatus which has been invented for the purpose of working these large guns with ease and efficiency in the naval service. The Minotaur has been fitted for the reception, when necessary, for a powerful ram at her stem.

The Smashing Powers of the Armstrong 600 Pounder

From the London Times.

The smashing powers of Sir William Armstrong's 600-pounder shunt-gun were tested on Friday (Dec. 11,) at Shoeburyness against the Warrior floating target. The target is an exact counterpart of a section of the Warrior's side, and measures 18 feet long by 10 feet in hight. It is constructed of iron plates of the best homogenous metal, 4½ inches thick, bolted to a backing of teak 18 inches in depth. Behind this come two sets of ¾ inch plates, rivited to massive ribs of iron—the whole being shored up by slanting beams of fir of immense thickness. The target was moored at 1,000 yards distance from the firing points of the 600 and 300 pounder Armstrongs, and wooden targets for ascertaining the correct elevation for this range floated close by, a little clear of the iron one.

The first shot from "Big Will" was a dummy cast-iron shell, weighing 600 pounds, and was leveled with such unerring aim at the wooden target as to smash it literally to powder. The elevation of the piece in this instance was 2° 5′, and the charge of 70 pounds. The next shot was a steel shell, with a cast iron head, weighing 610 pounds, and containing 24 pounds of powder, which is only four-fifths of its normal charge. Before firing this shot a consultation took place among the artilleriats present as to the elevation to be given, it having been discovered that the wooden target damolished by the first shot had been moored at 1,020 yards instead of 1,000, as had been originally intended. After some discussion, the gun was fired at 29° 10′ elevation, the shell passing just over the top of the target a little to the right of the central line.

The next two shots—live steel shells similar in all respects to No. 2—demonstrated in a most surprising way the wonderful accuracy of the gun in obeying the slightest change in elevation. For shot No. 3 the piece was depressed to 2° 3′, the shell passing through the exact center of the top of the target, and carrying away a piece of the wood framing of a semi-circular shape. The fourth shot was fired at only 2′ less elevation, and struck the target as near the center as possible, making daylight through it, and exploding at the very moment of impact. A hole 2ft. by 20in. yawned in the 4½in. plate, level with and a few inches on the left of the bull's eye. The teak backing was splintered into fragments from the size of the cocoanut to the merest fiber, and the ¾in. plates and one of the ribs were completely torn away like so much paper. In front, below the hole, there lay a huge mass of iron plate, weighing three or four hundred weight, and looking like a piece of crumpled black rag. The plate above the one which was pierced was started from its place and bulged outward, nearly the whole of the bolts holding it to the target being broken away.

In fact, all present allowed that since the great battle of gun versus plate had begun to be waged, there had never been such a complete triumph for the former combatant. At first it had been intended to try the effects of the 600 pounder upon the Warrior target at 2,000 yards, but the first blow at 1,000 yards so disabled it as to render a new target necessary. On returning to the firing point the 300 pounder was next tried—four shots being fired; but owing to several causes only one of them took effect, striking the right top corner of the plate, and smashing but not penetrating it, owing to the target having been slewed around to an angle of nearly 40 degrees with the line of fire by the fourth shell from "Big Will." This concluded the firing for the day.

Professor SAMUEL CHEW, of the Maryland University, died at his residence in Baltimore on Friday last.

DIED.

RATTIGAN—At his residence, at Lloydtown, C. W., Rev. PATRICK RATTIGAN, aged 80 years.

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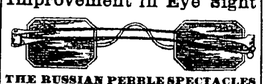

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THERE WILL BE HELD JANUARY 5, 1864, at the BOARD OF TRADE ROOMS, an adjourned meeting of the Coal men. All interested in the Coal Trade are earnestly urged to attend, as business of vital importance will be brought before the meeting.
de29-1wd A. P. McGREW, Sec'y.

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NOTICE.—TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILROAD COMPANY.—A meeting of the Stockholders of the P. F. W. & C. Railroad Company, will be held at No. 23 Fifth street, Pittsburgh, at 11 a. m., of the

31st of December, proximo,

For the purpose of considering an agreement for

The Sale of the F[illegible] ...ee,

To be a corporation of that [illegible] Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and [illegible] Company, as provided in "An [illegible] Assembly of the State of [illegible] 4th, 1863.
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New Advertisements.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.—BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court for the County of Allegheny, dated Dec. 26th, 1863, the subscriber will expose to public sale, and sell to the highest and best bidder, on FRIDAY, the 22d day of January, 1864, between the hours of 2 and 4 p. m., on the premises, all that certain piece of ground, embracing parts of lots numbered 68, 69 and 70 in John Brown's plan of lots in the Borough of East Birmingham, County of Allegheny, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on the westerly line of Washington street at the corner of an alley, 24 ft. wide; thence along Washington street southwardly 40 ft., thence in a line parallel with the aforesaid alley 73 ft. 6 inches to the line of lot No. 67, northwardly 40 ft. to the aforesaid alley; thence along said alley eastwardly 73 ft. 6 inches to the place of beginning, being the same piece of ground which was conveyed to Henry Brookmeier, by John Brown and wife, by deed dated Oct. 21st, 1853. Terms of sale—cash.

WM. HAGEMANN,
Administrator of the estate of
de31-1td&3tw Henry Brookmeier, deceased.

OFFICE HOUSE REFUGE WESTERN PENN'A.,
67 Fourth street, Pittsburgh, Pa.,
December 30, 1863.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Contributors to the House of Refuge, will be held at the office of the Institution, 67 Fourth street, Pittsburgh, on MONDAY, the 4th day of January, 1864, between the hours of 9 and 12 o'clock, to hear the report of the late Board of Managers, and to elect officers for the ensuing year. By order,
de31-3t JOS. KIRKPATRICK, Sec'y.

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