Evening Telegraph

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1864.

THE MOST NORTHERN TOWN IN THE WORLD.

Hammerfest is the most northern town in the world. It is in the province of Finmarken, and is situated on an island, under lat. 70 deg. 39 min. Towards the southwest it is hemmed in by steep cliffs. It is truly a barren spot, though once it is said to have been well wooded. As a commercial port, Hammerfest is of some importance. During the summer months, the harbor is crowded with Russian, English, French, and other vessels. The principal trade consists of dried codfish, a large quantity of which is sent to the Mediterranean ports to be consumed by the Roman Catholics of Southern Europe.

Were it not for the climatic influence that the Gulf Stream exerts, Hammerfest, and indeed the whole northern parts of the Scandinavian peninsula, would be uninhabitable, and as ice-bound as Boothia Felix, Victoria Land, &c., and those desolate regions in the other hemisphere which lie under the same parallel of latitude. But, as it is, the sea never freezes along the whole of the west coast of Norway; icebergs are rarely or never seen; and it is also owing to this that the mean temperature in winter at the North Cape and at Christiania, though thirteen degrees of latitude lie between them, is one and the same. Agriculture, of course, cannot be carried on to any extent in the northern parts of Norway, but even at Hammerfest barley will ripen, and potatoes will occasionally arrive at maturity. At Alten, however, which is six degrees to the south, vegetable growth goes on with a rapidity which is quite marvellous. "Barley will grow two and a half inches, and peas three inches in the twenty-four hours, and this for several consecutive days;" while turnips, radishes, and lettuces will grow everywhere, where human beings are to be found to cultivate them.

During the summer, which may be reckoned to last from the middle of May till towards the latter part of August, the port of Hammerfest presents a lively appearance. The weather then is intensely hot, for, as the sun never sets from July 19 till August 24, the earth and the air can never become cool.

We would recommend the traveler who may be bound for the far North, to see the midnight sun, or to place his foot on the extreme verge upon the European continent, not to forget to bring with him a liberal supply of eau-de-Cologne. He will find it useful at Hammerfest, for the whole place reeks with a fishy odor. There is a tolerable hotel, perhaps rather dear in its charges.

A good deal of eider-down is brought to Hammerfest for exportation, though not so much as formerly, owing to the reckless way in which these birds have been slaughtered. The Norwegian Storthing has however, recently passed a law to protect them. The eider-duck abounds along the whole coast of Norway. Generally speaking, they build their nests on the small islands which fringe the coast, though they will often repair to the mainland, building close to the farm-houses and fishermen's huts, even under the very doorsteps.

The best eider-down is taken from the nests which the female bird has plucked from her own breast. This is termed "live down," in contradistinction to the "dead down," which is stripped off the dead bird. A quarter of a century ago, it was by no means a rarity for small vessels to bring from five to six thousand pounds of eider-down to this port from Spitzbergen. The usual price for eider-down in London is about a guinea the pound, but I have bought it direct from Hammerfest at about one quarter the price.

A great quantity of multer berries (Rubus chamamorus) is exported from Hammerfest, principally for the Christiania market. These have a much finer aroma than is the case with those that are grown in the southern parts of the country. To give some idea of the importance in which these fruit are held, it will be sufficient to mention that the Norwegian Storthing passed a law in 1854 rendering any one amenable to a fine who plucked the berries on the "multer lands" in Finmark and Nordland, unless to eat on the spot.

There were several Lapps in Hammerfest when we were there, bartering reindeer skins for the necessaries of life, especially for brandy and tobacco. They are queer little fellows, most agreeable at a distance. I am inclined to think I speak feelingly, for once I had to pass the night in a Lapp hut, having been overtaken by a storm in the interior of Finmarken. That they never wash I need scarcely say, but they wear next the skin a thick woollen jersey, which I feel convinced is only changed once, and that is when it is quite worn out, and has to be replaced by another. It will not, therefore, be a matter of surprise when I remark that I found them very lively companions during the night.

It is a strange phenomenon; but I never stayed twenty-four hours in any place in Norway without having at least one invitation to go after a bear. Once, but only once, was I fool enough to accept it; for after having lain flat on my stomach all night in close proximity to the putrid carcass of a horse, and getting nearly devoured by mosquitoes, and, of course, seeing nothing, I made a vow never to go a bear-hunting any more. There are, however, several bears in Finmarken, and large numbers are annually slaughtered by the Lapps, mostly in the winter time or early spring.

One day a Lapp woman went out to fish on a lake, accompanied by her son, who was fourteen years old. When they had caught a sufficient supply, they landed on a part of the shore which was thickly overgrown with fir and underwood. Presently the woman's quick eye fell on a large heap of boughs, reeds, moss, &c., and, on nearer inspection, she found a large hole underneath the mass of rubbish, and felt convinced it was the entrance to a bear's "Hi," or cave. She was a courageous and resolute little body, and, nothing daunted by the discovery, nor reflecting that she was alone, hastened back to the boat to fetch her axe and rifle (for a Lapp woman generally goes armed, and is usually an expert shot). Now her sisters in other parts of the civilized world would most probably have been frightened out of their wits, and have beat a speedy retreat under such circumstances. Her only anxiety was lest the bear should get off.

On returning, she proceeded to cut down a small fir sapling, which she pointed at one end, and gave it to the boy to brandise about in the hole to ascertain whether it was occupied or not, while she stood with uplifted axe a little on one side. No sooner was the pole inserted than out came the head of a monstrous she bear, and down came the axe on her skull with such force that it remained sticking fast in the wound, and accompanied Bruin as she retreated to the furthest end of the cave. Time being up for round number two, and her opponent not putting in an appearance, she determined to try the effect of a shot. No sooner had she fired down the hole, than out bolted a cub about the size of a sheep dog, which her son cleverly managed to catch hold of by the hind leg. But it was too strong for the little fellow, and, after dragging him for some distance, managed to get away. Determined, however, not to lose him, mother and son went in pursuit, and speedily overtook the animal, which had taken to the water. A few well administered taps with the end of the oar soon rendered him *hors de combat*.

Having secured him, the courageous little woman went back again to the "Hi" and gave it another stirring up. But all was still. Next she fired a second shot, but nothing moved. Concluding that the bear must be dead, or else have escaped during her absence, she determined to dig her out, a work of no small labor. Success, however, attended her exertions, for at length she found the bear lying quite dead, with the axe still sticking in her cleft skull, and, by her side, another cub as big as the first, with a bullet wound through his neck, also dead.

No mean achievement for a woman and her boy!—*All the Year Round.*

AMUSEMENTS.

WALNUT STREET THEATRE.—To-night Miss Lucille Western appears in that horrible character of "Nancy Sykes." No play in the language could probably be introduced with a better effect of exhibiting the genuine and purely able force of Miss Western's acting, and at the same time her uncoiled versatile talents, as the play of to-night, *Oliver Twist*—the contrast between the appearance of the London outcast and the natural beauty and grace of Miss Western. The story of the play, too, is worthy of more notice than has generally been awarded to it. The interest commences in the first act, and does not flag throughout. The characters are not only original, but truthful, and each worthy the genius and humanity which characterize the great novelist. A moral is contained in every scene, and invidious virtue in every character. Even "Fagin" and "Sykes," while they horrify the audi or with their exhibitions of stultified consciences and lack of fear of God or man, paint a lesson which, if studied by the reckless youth of this great city, would do more good than any other means which could be employed to wean them from the wiles of the Evil One, which surround them in their paths through life. All should see Miss Western's delineation of "Nancy Sykes."

On Monday evening next, Miss Western will appear as "Cynthia, the Gipsy Flower Girl."

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRES THIS MORNING.—Between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock this morning, no less than three fires, one of which proved quite destructive, occurred in different parts of the city.

The first fire broke out about 1 o'clock in a one story frame stable, owned by Thomas Little, and located at the northeast corner of Sixteenth and Pearl streets. The stable was used by four men, one of whom was the proprietor of a flour store, and the other three furniture-car drivers. All had horses in the stable, which were burned to death. The names of the unfortunate owners are Alexander Neider, William Laycock, Patrick Shailer, and Thomas Forde. They also lost a quantity of feed, some harness, etc. Two of the horses were valued at $200 each, and the other two at $150 each. The total loss is about $900.

The second fire broke out about half-past one o'clock, in a two-story double frame building, in the rear of Otis street, near Amber, Nineteenth Ward. The building was owned and occupied by John Tuckey, carpet-weaver, and contained sixteen hand-looms, and a large amount of stock and materials. The building, with its contents, was totally destroyed. The flames extended to another large two-story frame building, owned and occupied by the same man for lumber purposes. The building contained twenty-six hand-looms, a lot of ready-made carpets, and a quantity of materials. The structure was partially burned, and the machinery and stock damaged by water. A large number of rolls of carpet and a considerable quantity of stock were saved through the exertions of the police and citizens.

The two factories were completely surrounded and partially shut out from view by other buildings on Otis, Amber and Holman street. These other buildings consisted of three rows of dwellings and one row of cooper shops. Fortunately at the time of the fire the roofs of these structures were covered with snow and sleet and hail. This, no doubt, together with the exertions of the firemen, prevented a very serious conflagration. They all escaped with slight damage. The dwelling of Mr. Tuckey on Otis street, and several other surrounding residences, were damaged by water, it being necessary for the firemen to run their hose through these buildings in order to reach the flames. The total loss by fire is estimated at about $6000, which is partially covered by insurance, mainly in New York companies.

About 3 o'clock a fire was discovered in a two-story brick structure, located in a small street running north from Milton street, near Eleventh, in the Second Ward. The structure was owned and occupied by William W. Murley as a soap factory. A portion of the upper story was filled with hay. The building was pretty well demolished, and the establishment badly damaged. The dwelling of Mr. Murley, on Eleventh street, and several other buildings adjoining, were slightly damaged by water. The total loss is estimated at $900, upon which there is no insurance.

The total loss of the three fires foots up nearly $8000. The losses would have been much heavier had it not been for the heavy fall of snow during the progress of the conflagrations.

THE FIRST SNOW.—To childhood and youth there is no more pleasant occupation than to watch the falling of the feathery flakes of snow. To see it commence to descend; now a flake changes that green leaf into a spotted trefoil of green and silvery white; gradually they increase in number, the trees gradually disappear, and large white masses of snow take their place; the muddy road becomes a feather bed, until beneath the ever-increasing mass the whole earth changes its variegated hue, and seems to be enveloped in one vast sheet of white tissue paper.

The countryman sees that on the morrow the ground will be covered, and takes the necessary precaution to secure the safety of his health. The citizen, when he opens his window in the morning, utters exclamations of surprise as he sees his city abounding in the colors of the "Confederate Flag," red, white, and red—brick, snow, and brick are all the features visible.

To children the sight of snow-storms acts like a most exciting stimulant; they shout and cheer in utmost glee. Indeed, the stimulating effects are not reserved for children only—we have seen numbers of old men, almost tottering on the verge of the grave, have their sinking spirits aroused when they see the pearly flakes descending. It is a blessing to all; it acts like a blanket to protect the grain and vegetables; it refreshes the earth; it invigorates man; and delights all created things. All hail the first snow!

HELP THE NERVY.—It is in contemplation to establish societies in this city for the purchase of fuel, provisions, etc., to be retailed to the poor at cost price, thus saving them the profits charged by retail dealers. It is not charity which is wanted to alleviate the sufferings of our poor as much as some co-operative effort through which families of moderate or limited means may be able to purchase fuel and other more important necessaries of life at the lowest prices. All this and more these associations propose to do. They intend purchasing coal, flour, etc., at the lowest rates wholesale, which they propose retailing to the more needy at cost, barely reserving enough profit to cover expenses. This is not charity; but it will relieve suffering which charity could not touch. It will not affect the pride of men of small means; and deserving families who would not accept charity, though perhaps in want of assistance, will be able, without sacrificing their independence, to avail themselves of its advantages, and thus much suffering among a deserving and worthy class of the population may be prevented. The organization of an association of this character need not entail any loss whatever on the parties getting it up, while that it would confer signal benefits on the poor and destitute of the city no one will deny.

SUDDEN DEATH.—This morning Coroner Taylor held an inquest upon the body of William Holmes, aged sixty years, who died suddenly, yesterday afternoon, at a tavern at Fourth and Jefferson streets. It seems that Holmes went into the place, about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, and indulged in snuffy drinks. He took a seat on a barrel, where he remained with his head down until about 9 o'clock, the proprietor supposing him to be asleep. Finally, it was determined to arouse him. A glass of water was poured down his back, for the purpose of sobering him. The fluid had no effect on the unfortunate individual, whom it was then ascertained was dead. He had evidently been dead for several hours, as his limbs were stiff and cold.

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AMUSEMENTS.

AMERICAN ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

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SHAKESPEARE'S TRAGEDY OF OTHELLO! MONDAY AND TUESDAY EVENINGS, Dec. 12 and 13, EDWIN FORREST will render his grand Shakespearian delineation of OTHELLO, in Shakespeare's celebrated Tragedy of the same name. MR. JOHN McCULLOUGH as Iago. MADAME FOKISI as Emilia. ALICE GRAY as Desdemona. This great Tragedy will be presented in a style of unexampled completeness, with APPROPRIATE SCENERY, COSTUMES, AND APPOINTMENTS. EDWIN FORREST'S engagement will positively close FRIDAY EVENING, December 30. MR. FORREST MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY, AND FRIDAY NIGHTS. SEATS SECURED SIX DAYS IN ADVANCE. No performance on WEDNESDAY or SATURDAY Evenings. The Box Sheet, for the sale of secured places, now open between the hours of 9 and 4½ o'clock. Admission, 50 and 25 cents. Secured Seats 50 cents additional.

MRS. JOHN DREW'S NEW ARCH ST. THEATRE. HOUSES CROWDED TO THE ROOF. TWELFTH NIGHT OF J. S. CLARKE. Comedy, Farce, and Drama! TO-NIGHT (Saturday), December 10, the sterling Comedy of PAUL PRY. Paul Pry.....J. S. CLARKE. To be followed by SOMEBODY'S COAL. Smashington.....J. S. CLARKE. To conclude with the thrilling Drama of JONATHAN BRADFORD; Or, the Murder at the Roadside Inn. Caleb Scrimmidge.....J. S. CLARKE. Monday—THE KNIGHTS OF THE ROUND TABLE.

ASSEMBLY BUILDINGS. FIFTH CLASSICAL MATINEE BY THE PHILADELPHIA CLASSICAL QUINTETTE CLUB, AT 2½ P. M. WEDNESDAY, December 14. Single tickets, at the door, Fifty cents. 12-8-3t

GREAT NATIONAL CIRCUS.—STAR ENGAGEMENT. WALNUT STREET, ABOVE EIGHTH. Directress.....MRS. CHARLES WARNER (formerly Mrs. DAN RICE). The largest company in the world. A star engagement having been made with the immense NICOLO Troupe, these great artists will appear this evening and every evening during the week. Young NICOLO, an aerial performer on the L'Echelle Perilouse, or Flying Trapeze, is regarded by all critics as the child wonder. The TALLEEN BROTHERS, and W. ROCHELLE, the great Man-Monkey, with Herr NICOLO, constitute the Troupe. The DENZER BROTHERS, EATON STONE, TOM KING, O. BATCHELOR, Messrs. MURRAY and HUTCHINSON, CHAS. SHERWOOD and Family, will also appear in many beautiful scenes. The Trained Dogs will also appear. Clown, Mr. SAM. STICKNEY, Jr. Come early, and get seats at eight. Commence at 7½0. MATINEES WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY AFTERNOONS, commencing at 2½ o'clock. ADMISSION.—First Tier, 50 cents; Second Tier, 38 cents. Private Boxes, $5 and $6, as to size and location.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW CHESNUT ST. THEATRE. CHESNUT STREET, ABOVE TWELFTH. GROVER & SINN, LESSEES AND MANAGERS.

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The Performances will commence with the Grand Military Drama, in three acts, called JESSIE BROWN; OR, THE RELIEF OF LUCKNOW, which can safely be termed the MOST THRILLING DRAMA OF MODERN DAYS, and will merely add the GREATEST SUCCESS OF THE SEASON, THE GRAND CHARGE OF THE HIGHLANDERS, Employing in active conflict OVER 100 PERSONS. Upon the Stage at the same time, forming a tableau of such thrilling and powerful effect as to at once rouse the GREATEST ENTHUSIASM IN EVERY BEHOLDER. The Evening's Entertainment will commence with the interesting and exciting Drama, DON CESAR DE BAZAN. Don Cesar.....Mr. Lewis Baker. Maritana.....Miss Lizzie Vaughn. ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER 17, SEVENTEENTH GRAND FAMILY MATINEE.

FOYER ACADEMY OF MUSIC. WOLFSOHN & THOMAS FIRST CLASSICAL CONCERT, FIRST CLASSICAL CONCERT, FIRST CLASSICAL CONCERT, FIRST CLASSICAL CONCERT. THIS (Saturday) EVENING, December 10. Subscriptions at Gould's, Ashmead's, and Meyer's Music Stores. Single Tickets.....$1·50 each, to be had at the Music Stores, and in the evening at the Door. Doors open at 7. Concert at 8.

WALNUT STREET THEATRE. THIS (Saturday) EVENING, December 10, The charming young, able actress, MISS LUCILLE WESTERN, will appear in her great character, NANCY SYKES! NANCY SYKES! In the famous adaptation of Charles Dickens' OLIVER TWIST; OR, THE PARISH BOY'S PROGRESS. To conclude with the comic Drama of the GOLDEN FARMER; OR, YELL, YOU OF IT? Box Office open from 9 till 3. Curtain rises at 7½.

SELECT PASSAGES FROM THE ORATORIOS OF THE "CREATION," "ELIJAH," AND THE "MESSIAH," WITH OTHER SACRED MUSIC, AT ST. CLEMENT'S CHURCH, CORNER TWENTIETH AND CHERRY STREETS, THURSDAY EVENING, DEC. 15, AT 8 O'CLOCK.

The above will be under the direction of Mr. FRANK DARLEY, Organist of the church, and Mr. HUGH CLARK, Organist of the Handel and Haydn Society. The Treasurer to be devoted to the completion of the Organ of the church.

Tickets can be procured at the Music Stores of Mr. J. Gerde, No. 602 Chesnut street; Messrs. Lee & Walker, No. 702 Chesnut street; Messrs. C. Andre & Co., No. 1104 Chesnut street; at the Episcopal Book Store, No. 1224 Chesnut street; at Mr. C. M. Burns' Book Store, No. 931 Chesnut street; and at the Drug Store of Mr. H. B. Hippocrit, N. W. corner Twentieth and Cherry streets, opposite the church.

TICKETS, ONE DOLLAR.

N. B.—No tickets will be sold nor money received at the door of the church. 12-10-3t-stuth*

EXHIBITION OF WORKS OF ART, FOR the BENEFIT of the CHRISTIAN COMMISSION, at the ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS. An Exhibition of a Private Collection of Works of Art, in Paintings, Sculpture, Water Color, and other Drawings, Engravings, &c., is now open at the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, No. 1020 CHESNUT Street, from 8 A. M. to 10 P. M., for the benefit of the Christian Commission. Admission 25 cents; Season Tickets 50 cents. 11-26-1-1

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PHILADELPHIA, November 22, 1864.

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