AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The Bateman Opera Troupe will give a farewell evening concert at the Academy of Music on Friday evening next. Tickets and seats can be secured at Trumpler's, Seventh and Chesnut streets.

At this concert Madame Parepa will sing several favorite ballads and concerted pieces from the works of the greatest masters, in company with Signori Brignoli, Ferranti, and Fortuna. Mr. Mills and Mr. Carl Rosa will perform some admirable instrumental selections. The programme is one of the most brilliant and attractive ever presented by the Bateman Troupe, and as this will be the last evening concert that will be given, we expect to see the Academy crowded to its utmost capacity.

An *apres-midi* concert will be given on Saturday, for which an excellent *billet* has been arranged. These are positively the last concerts of this troupe in Philadelphia.

MR. WOLFSOHN'S THIRD MATINEE is abundant in rich attractions for the lovers of piano forte music, and besides, Mr. Pollak, who has grown to be a great favorite at these concerts, contributes some charming songs by Luther, Dessauer, and Schumann. Mr. Wolfsohn astonished and delighted his most zealous admirers by the wonderful execution, taste, and intelligence displayed in the performance of his last programme. He was appreciated by the quiet perception of his educated audience, and warmly applauded. His pieces for Friday take a wide range, from the Ode's *Fugue* of Scarlatti, through the intervening periods of Mozart's *Rondo*, Field's *Nocturnes*, and Schumann's *Fancy Pieces* to the glories and eclat of Liszt's *Rhapsodie Hongroise* of to-day. This will be an instructive programme.

CUISINE RATIONALE.—Professor Blot, the noted French culinary artist, will deliver his next lecture at the Assembly Buildings on Friday morning, at 10 o'clock. His bill of fare is choice, and among other matters he will explain the *modus operandi* of preparing good coffee.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

[For Additional Local Items see Third Page.]

THE ELECTION OF BANK DIRECTORS.—In addition to those Banks electing Directors yesterday (the 8th), are the following, and the names of the Directors elected:—

National Exchange Bank.—A. Boyd, Benjamin Bullock, J. Fraley Smith, Joseph B. Hodgson, Charles H. Cummings, George A. Kohler, Watson Malone, Robert P. Gillingham, William C. Houston, Kirk B. Wells, Andrew J. Sloan, Thomas L. Gillespie, William M. Davidson.

Fourth National Bank.—William P. Hamm, Albert C. Roberts, James C. Kelsh, William Brooks, William S. Stokley, Robert Clark, J. Henry Askin, Samuel Miller, M. R. Harris, Alan Wood, G. C. Franciscus.

The election of Directors for several of the City Banks this day resulted as follows:—

National Bank of the Northern Liberties.—Joseph Moore, Joseph B. Myers, Charles J. Sutter, Edwin H. Fitler, Joshua Lippincott, Joseph W. Miller, James N. Stone, Michael Baker, Israel Peterson, William Overington, Alexander M. Fox, Jacob Riegel, Charles Young.

City National Bank of Philadelphia.—William F. Hughes, Josiah Kisterbock, George W. Fahnestock, John Baird, Thomas Potter, S. D. Walton, A. Boyd Cummings, Charles E. Lex, Coffin Colket, Frederick Willcox, J. P. Wetherill, C. Henry Garden, George Gordon.

The Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank.—Edwin M. Lewis, S. A. Mercer, John Ashhurst, Anthony J. Antelo, Benjamin A. Farnham, James R. Campbell, Francis Tete, Lindley Smyth, Richard C. Dale, Pemberton S. Hutchinson, Joshua B. Lippincott, J. Edward Farnum, George W. Farr, Jr.

Commercial National Bank.—Joseph Jones, Alfred G. Baker, Samuel Baugh, Thomas Williamson, George W. Steever, John Garrett, Archimedes J. Bucknor, Archibald Campbell, P. Jenks Smith, Joseph William Bates, William Weightman, Daniel C. Wharton, Charles D. Reed.

The Manufacturers' National Bank.—John Jordan, Jr., Michael Moyer, Emmor Weaver, Henry Davis, D. D. Jones, Lewis Royer, John G. Repplier, Enos L. Reece, Charles Sharpe.

Mechanics' National Bank.—Joseph B. Mitchell, Benjamin W. Tingley, George H. Stuart, James T. Young, Ebenezer Maxwell, L. C. Iungerich, Joseph G. Mitchell, John C. Davis, William A. Drown.

Girard National Bank.—D. B. Cummins, Charles Rugan, William Gillespie, Thomas B. Watt'on, Thaddeus W. Markley, Washington Butcher, Edward S. Handy, Daniel McDevitt, Adam Roth, S. B. Barcroft, Joseph W. Lewis, David Scull, Jr., J. T. Audendried.

Kensington National Bank.—Charles T. Yerkes, John Martin, J. H. Wannoughtt, Benjamin H. Brown, Hill Reihe, M. D., Edward Gorgas, David R. Garrison, R. Montgomery, John Taylor, John Scanlin, Stephen Robbins, H. R. Stewart, and Isaac E. Landell.

National Bank of Germantown.—William Wynne Wister, Charles Megarge, Owen Sheridan, William Green, William N. Johnson, John S. Haines, Jabez Gates, Nathan L. Jones, John Rittenhouse, Norton Johnson, Nicholas Rittenhouse, James R. Gates, Charles J. Wister, Jr.

Third National Bank.—D. B. Paul, Thomas K. Peterson, J. W. Supplee, William Callum, Z. C. Howell, J. Harrison, Jr., J. B. McCressey.

Sixth National Bank.—Samuel McManemy, John Welsh, Philip Fitzpatrick, Henry May, Daniel Baird, James W. Farley, Daniel H. Foster, James Ballenger, William D. Gardner.

Second National Bank.—Nathan Hilles, George W. Rhawn, Edward Hayes, Benjamin H. Deacon, Lewis Shallcross, William Ervien, John Cooper, William H. Rhawn, Benjamin Rowland, Jr.

SUPPOSED HOMICIDE.—Last Saturday night several roughs got into a fight in a lager beer saloon in the lower part of the city. During the melee fists, furniture, and glass-ware were thrown around in a miscellaneous sort of a manner, and several persons suffered in consequence thereof. William Gorger, living at No. 716 Shippen street, was injured severely about the head, and was taken to his home. Soon afterwards erysipelas set in, and last night he died. The Coroner has been summoned to hold an inquest upon the body.

RATHER SUSPICIOUS.—William Norton was discovered stowed away in the cellar of the building at Third and Vine streets, occupied by Mr. Widener as a leather store. When brought out of his quarters he was very full of protestations of his innocence of any wrong intention, but it was of no use. No one could see why he would seek such a cold place under such suspicious circumstances, when there were so many places he might go to to get rested. He had a hearing before Alderman Toland, and was committed.

LIGHT-FINGERED.—George Wilson was arrested last evening, near Second and Girard avenue, on a charge of larceny. It appears that he went into a dry goods store, at No. 232 Girard avenue, and picking up two pieces of cloth, made off with them. Officers Hancock and Thompson, who saw him come out of the store in a suspicious manner, made chase after him, and captured their prisoner before he had gone very far. Alderman Shoemaker held him in $1000 bail after hearing the facts of the case.

MORE IMPROVEMENTS.—The well-known news-stand at the N. E. corner of Fifth and Chesnut will remove, in a few days, to the southeast corner, under the management of Charles Neurath the old director, where, he wishes to inform the public, they can be supplied with all the daily and weekly papers; also, THE EVENING TELEGRAPH, done up in wrappers, for mailing, the New York dailies and weeklies, envelopes, writing paper, etc.

REV. HENRY WARD BEECHER, one of our greatest orators, is announced for to-morrow evening, in the Academy of Music, on the subject of "Universal Suffrage." It will be a treat to listen again to this eloquent gentleman, who has so many admirers in this city. Those who are doubtful as to Mr. Beecher's exact position will find, on hearing him to-morrow evening, that he still stands firm for the Union.

MR. J. M. ROMMEL, the renowned coal dealer, has created quite a sensation at his new quarters, northwest corner of Eighth and Willow streets. Orders are pouring in upon him daily—enough to swamp him, but for his increased facilities for supplying his customers. People know that they can get the best coal of Mr. Rommel, and they appreciate his efforts to accommodate the public.

SALE OF STOCKS AND REAL ESTATE.—The following properties were sold by James A. Freeman, at the Philadelphia Exchange to-day, commencing at noon:—

290 shares Dunkard Oil Company (assessment paid).....2½c. each
100 shares Union petro oil co.....1½c.
1000 shares Bradon Ia and Oil Company .48 bid, not sold
Lot of ground and seven frame dwellings, S. E. corner of Thirty-sixth and market streets.... $8500
A lot with house and stable, Jumper street, above Race.....$39 9 bid, not sold
No. 1727 N. Eleventh street—a three story dwelling, 18 by 58 feet.....$1300
Four lots, Eighth and Tudor streets.....$555, $45, $50, $36
Factory, Twelfth and Ogden streets No 947 N. Twelfth street; about 15 feet square.$10,400 bid, not sold
Store No. 1145 Germantown road, with stable on Girard avenue.....$840

STEALING AN UMBRELLA STAND.—Catherine Barns, being a woman of taste, was attracted last evening to the photograph rooms of Mr. Jesse Groom, in Second street, above Spruce. Whilst there she became intensely enamored of a handsomely designed umbrella stand, and wishing to retain it as a souvenir of her visit, she arose, took it up, and walked off. A policeman who saw her walked after her, and then with great gallantry escorted her to Alderman Butler's office. That gentleman furnished her with comfortable lodgings at the expense of the city, until she can have an opportunity of explaining away the charge of larceny which was preferred against her.

FIGHT IN A BEER SALOON.—Last evening a fight was commenced at the lager beer saloon of Mrs. Louisa Lovier, No. 110 Race street. For a few minutes, while the fight lasted, the skirmish was sharp, and furniture suffered terribly; so did the heads of some of the combatants. One of them, a German, was smote upon the head by a beer glass, and hurt rather badly. The man that struck him, Charles McCullough, was arrested, and had a hearing before Alderman Godbou, who held him in $800 bail to answer the charge of assault and battery.

DISORDERLY HOUSE.—Francis McCarty was arrested yesterday afternoon on a charge of keeping a disorderly house. It appears that Francis keeps a place where disorderly characters are wont to assemble, at No. 330 North Eighth street, and when there, under the influence of old rye, these fellows fight, howl, swear, and sing most shockingly out of tune and with a fearful lack of harmony. Lieutenant White sent a detachment, who arrested him and two of his guests. After a hearing before Alderman Massey, McCarty was held in $800 bail to answer.

FALSE PRETENSES.—John Jenkins, who has for some time past been obtaining goods under false pretenses, was arrested yesterday afternoon at No. 912 Coates street. It appears that John has been in the habit of representing himself to merchants as a man well to do in circumstances and as having a store. By these means he, in conjunction with a *pal*, has been able to obtain from different firms samples and invoices of dry goods, cigars, etc. etc. He had a hearing before Alderman Plankinton, who held him in $1000 bail to answer the charge preferred against him.

BREAKING WINDOWS.—About ten days ago three roughs got into a disturbance at Tenth and Jefferson streets, and in the progress of the melee missiles were thrown, some of which broke glass in the windows in the vicinity. Complaint was made and warrants were issued by Alderman Haines for the arrest of the guilty parties. Yesterday one of them, named Francis Cush, was arrested at Hutchinson and Jefferson streets. He had a hearing before Alderman Haines, and was held in $600 bail to answer the charge of malicious mischief.

A SUBSCRIPTION HOP.—Last night, the anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans was celebrated by a grand hop at the La Pierre House. About one hundred and fifty couples were present. The affair was decidedly *recherche*, and everything passed off as the most sanguine could have desired. A large number of our best known citizens were present, and the success of the hop reflects great credit on the management. The morning had almost dawned before the guests grew weary of mingling in the mazes of the dance.

MISCHIEVOUS.—Thomas Toy was arrested in Sansom street yesterday morning, charged with misdemeanor. It appears that he was driving a furniture car through Sansom street, and seeing a doctor's carriage standing near Thirty-sixth street, it is said that he ran into it maliciously, breaking it. He was arrested soon after, and had a preliminary examination before Alderman Allen, who held him for a further hearing.

NATIONAL HALL.—Hon. J. R. G. Pitkin, of La., will lecture on to-morrow (Thursday) evening. He has chosen for his subject, "The Modern Puritan." It will no doubt be an able and spirited address; and, coming from a distinguished Southern loyalist, will be especially attractive. Miss Greenwood (the "Black Swan") will add to the entertainment by singing several ballads and arias.

HEAVY VOTE.—At the fair held for the benefit of St. Francis Church, the vote on the base ball prize implements stood as follows last night:—

W. H. Patterson B. B. C.....0993
Frontier.....6526

MISS DICKINSON'S LECTURE.—At the Academy of Music to-night, Miss Anna Dickinson will deliver her new lecture, called "Something to Do." We have no doubt that this will be one of the lady's most powerful and entertaining efforts.

ACCIDENT.—Mary Young slipped and fell on the ice, in Shippen street, near Second, and broke her leg. She was taken to the Hospital.

CLOTHING AT REDUCED PRICES.—Having purchased recently many lots of choice goods at much less than cost, from which we have fully replenished our stock, and having reduced all old goods to proportionate prices, we offer *by far* the largest and best assortment of Men's, Youths', and Boys' Clothing in Philadelphia, which we are determined to close out, and are selling rapidly at, in many cases, but half the prices at which the same goods were sold last year, we in all cases guaranteeing the prices to be lower than the lowest elsewhere, or the money will be refunded.

HALF-WAY BETWEEN FIFTH AND SIXTH STS. { BENNETT & CO., TOWER HALL, 518 MARKET STREET.

FROM THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF PHARMACY May, 1866; edited by William Proctor, Jr., Professor of Pharmacy in the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy—"Will the fluid extracts go out of use owing to the high price, or can we have some authoritative modifications of the formulas by which we can make them at a more reasonable cost? If the latter, shall the change be in the quality of the menstruum, or in the manner of applying it so as to reduce the quantity requisite? Can there be a convocation of the Committee of Revision to authorize some new method or modification of the present recipes?"

With regard to the contemplated change in the quantity, or in the menstruum itself, in the preparation of fluid extracts, I would take occasion to say that in medicine the health of the patient is the great object to be gained.

The cost of material is something, but when put into the scale with human health and often human life, it is hardly worthy of consideration at all. My Buchu (Helmbold's) will continue to be made as formerly, and if it cannot be maintained at present prices, they will have to be advanced to meet the advance in the price of material. To such as desire quantity instead of quality we would say that water is a cheap commodity, and may be readily added by the person using the medicine if he desires to do so.

H. T. HELMBOLD, Druggist and Chemist,
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IMPEACHMENT!—A LIST OF THE CHARGES—We charge:—
First. For Overcoats, from $25 to $75.
Second. Full suits $30 to $90.
Third. Coats, Pants, or Vests, separately, ten per cent. lower than the same quality of goods can be had for anywhere else in this city.
Charles Stokes & Co., first-class Clothiers, under the "Continental."

PERRY DAVIS' PAIN KILLER.—We are not in the habit of "puffing" patent medicines, but we cheerfully add our testimony to that of many others in favor of this medicine. The Pain Killer is invaluable for the diseases for which it is recommended. Try a bottle of it, and see if we do not state correctly.—*Roman Citizen.* 8

WE DO NOT ASSERT that every family should be their own physician in all cases; but it is undeniable that with a case of Humphreys' Homœopathic Specifics in the house, times without number, disease and sickness may be arrested, and time, money and suffering saved. This has been done by thousands, and may be done by all. See advertisement in another column.
Or address
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A DISTRESSING COUGH causes the friends of the sufferer almost as much pain as the sufferer himself, and should receive immediate attention. Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry specially cures coughs, colds, influenza, sore throat, etc. It will always relieve consumption, and in many well-attested cases it has effected a perfect cure.

OIL PAINTINGS.—B. Scott, Jr. announces a sale of Oil Paintings this evening, at 7½ o'clock. The collection embraces many very elegant productions of the modern school, and will be sold without reserve.

FEMALE COMPLAINTS should be cured, as they surely can be, by a few doses of Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

A SURE remedy for Chills and Fever. Ayer's Ague Cure never fails.

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NO CURE NO PAY!—POSITIVELY NO CURE NO PAY.—Dr. Fitler's Remedy cured C. F. Clothier of Rheumatism, No. 23 North Water street. Used inwardly. Advice gratis, 10 to 1. Office, No. 29 South Fourth street.

BURNT ALMONDS, Rose Almonds, Iceland Moss Paste, Cream Chocolates, etc., can be had at all times of George W. Jenkins, Confectioner, No. 1037 Spring Garden street.

ELLIPTIC SEWING MACHINE COMPANY'S FIRST PREMIUM LOCK-STITCH SEWING MACHINES.—Incomparably the best for family use. Highest Premiums (Gold Medal). Fair Maryland Institute, New York and Pennsylvania State Fairs, 1865. No 925 Chesnut street.

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PUBLIC NOTICE.—E. G. Whitman & Co., No. 318 Chesnut street, are now ready to supply their choice and pure Confections, put up in neat boxes.
Also, a large assortment of Imported Boxes, Surprises, and Knick knacks, for Trees.

A CURE OF RHEUMATISM WORTH SEEING.—S. Kilpatrick, No. 1744 Olive street, cured by Dr. Fitler's Remedy. Warranted no cure no pay.

POUND and lady cake made of the best materials, delivered per order, by Morse & Co., Nos. 9.2 and 904 Arch street.

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Cabinet organs, only at
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BELIEVING THAT THE CUT, QUALITY AND PRICE OF CLOTHING ARE MATTERS NOT UNWORTHY THE SCRUTINY AND CONSIDERATION OF PRUDENT MEN, WE INVITE A CAREFUL EXAMINATION OF OUR SUPERB STOCK OF WINTER READY MADE CLOTHING, EMBRACING EVERY VARIETY OF DRESS, BUSINESS, AND STREET SUITS. PRICES ALL REDUCED SINCE TAKING ACCOUNT OF STOCK.

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MARRIED.

COATES—RICHARDS.—On January 8, 1867 at Philadelphia in presence of Alderman Hay, by Friends' ceremony JOSEPH B. COATES, of York county, Pa., to RUTHANNA RICHARDS, of Cecil county, Md.

MEYER—FLEISCHMANN.—On Wednesday, the 2d instant by the Rev. K. A. Fleischmann, at his residence, Mr. WILLIAM H. MEYER to Miss AMANDA C. FLEISCHMANN, both of this city.

DIED.

BANES.—On the 6th instant, JANE ANN, widow of the late William Alexander Banes, in the 40th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, Paul street, above Orthodox Frankford, on Thursday afternoon, the 10th instant, at 2 o'clock. To proceed to Cedar Hill Cemetery.

SIMPSON.—Suddenly, on the 6th instant, JOHN W. SIMPSON, in the 47th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 355 Jarvis street, below Reed, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SKATES SHARPENED AND REPAIRED, and a very superior assortment of Skates, Skaters' Caps, Leggings, Gimlets, Assistants, Heel Plates, etc. Also, Creepers for walking upon ice. For sale by TRUMAN & SHAW,
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ANY ONE OF THE NUMEROUS CLOTHES-Wringers which have rubber rolls will save its cost in clothing time, and labor. But above all others, we confidently recommend the purchase of those having cog-wheels to the rollers, because we know them to be the most durable. They are for sale by all kinds, by TRUMAN & SHAW,
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ECONOMY IN YOUR COAL EXPENSES may be promoted by the use of Patent Ash Sifters, of which various kinds are for sale by TRUMAN & SHAW,
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A SECOND GRAND
Carnival and Feast of Lanterns,
WILL BE GIVEN AT THE
CAMDEN SKATING PARK,
On Thursday Evening, Jan. 10,
(WEATHER PERMITTING).

The Park will be brilliantly illuminated with the MAGNESIUM LIGHT and HUNDREDS OF LANTERNS. 1t*

COPARTNERSHIPS.

THE FIRM OF SLIFER, EBERT & HALL is this day dissolved by limitation.
D. B. SLIFER,
JOHN EBERT,
C. HALL.
January 1, 1867.

The undersigned will settle the affairs of the late firm, and continue the business in his own name, at the old stand, No. 331 N. SECOND Street.
D. B. SLIFER

JOHN EBERT will continue the manufacture of Cabinet-ware for the trade at No. 116 EDWARD Street.

C. HALL will continue the manufacture of Windsor and Cane-seat Chairs, at No. 128 EDWARD St. [1 7 3t*

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.—The copartnership existing under the name of COOPER & GRAFF is this day dissolved by mutual consent, LEWIS COOPER retiring. The business will be continued by the undersigned, under the name of COOPER & GRAFF.
CHARLES H. GRAFF,
WILLIAM H. TEVIS.
December 31, 1866. 1 11 3t*

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RETURN

OF THE

UNITED STATES BRANCH

OF THE

Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company,

From December 1, 1865, to December 1, 1866,

In conformity with the law of Pennsylvania.

Authorized Capital,	$10,000,000
Paid-up Capital, - -	1,958,760
Total Amount of Assets (Gold)	15,888,080

Investments and Funds Retained in the United States.

Real Estate held by the Company in the United States	$253,722 83
Cash Deposits in Banks	165,656 55
Amount of Cash in hands of Agents, and in course of transmission	100,677 51
Amount of Loans, on Bond and Mortgage, constituting first liens on Real Estate (in the United States) on which there is less than one year's interest due	819,000 00
Amount of Loans, Stocks, etc., held by the Company	352,736 83

Income in the United States.

Cash Premiums from December 1, 1865, to December 1, 1866	1,503,486 04
Amount of Premiums earned	902,091 60
Amount of Interest	79,288 82
Amount of Income	16,647 36

Expenditures and Liabilities.

Amount of Losses during the year which have been paid	793,651 02
Amount of Losses in suit or contested during the year	12,500 00
Amount of Losses during the year not yet paid	112,064 00
Amount paid for reinsurance and return premiums	123,991 98
Amount of expenses during the year, including commissions and fees to Officers and Agents in the United States	236,843 21
Amount of Taxes	53,002 14

STATE OF NEW YORK.
City and County of New York, ss.

Be it remembered that on this 31st day of December A. D. 1866, before me, the subscriber, a Commissioner in and for the State of New York, duly commissioned and authorized by the Governor of Pennsylvania to take acknowledgment of Deeds and other writings, to be used and recorded in the State of Pennsylvania, and to administer oaths and affirmations, personally appeared ALFRED PELL, Resident Secretary of the Liverpool and London Globe Insurance Company, and made oath that the above and foregoing is a true statement of the condition of said Company upon the 1st day of December, 1866. And I further certify that I have made personal examination of the condition of said Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Company on this day, and am satisfied that they have assets safely invested to the amount of $1,695,293 71; that I have examined the securities now in the hands of the Company, as set forth in the foregoing statement, and the same are of the value represented in the statement.

I further certify that I am not interested in the affairs of said Company.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, the 31st day of December, A. D. 1866.
[L. S.]
JAMES W. HALE,
Commissioner for Pennsylvania in New York.

Directors in New York.

FRANCIS COTTENET, Esq., Chairman.
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FOURTH EDITION

FROM WASHINGTON THIS AFTERNOON.

[SPECIAL DESPATCHES TO EVENING TELEGRAPH.]

WASHINGTON, January 9.

Safety of Mrs. Randall.

Mrs. Randall, wife of the Postmaster-General, concerning whose safety some apprehension was felt, has arrived in New York from Europe.

Missouri Land Claims.

The commissioners appointed by the President, under an act of Congress authorizing them to investigate the Missouri land claims, have made a report allowing the State of Missouri 723,697 acres for the enrolling, arming, and subsisting of troops during the Rebellion. From this is to be deducted the direct tax, amounting to $761,127.

Negro Suffrage in the District.

The House Committee on the District will follow up the bill for negro suffrage by a bill to establish negro schools in the District on the same footing as white public schools.

The Impeachment Question.

Mr. Ashley was before the Judiciary Committee of the House to-day to give testimony in regard to the impeachment. It has been decided by the committee that strict secrecy shall be maintained in regard to the proceedings before them.

The New Tariff Bill.

The Senate Finance Committee have nearly prepared their tariff bill to report. It will be a compound of the House bill and the Wells bill. A number of the prominent capitalists and commercial men of the Northern cities are here to make an earnest protest against rash action by Congress upon the impeachment question.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

Senate.

Mr. Edmunds (Vt.) presented two petitions in favor of the Tariff bill passed by the House last session. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Lane (Ind.) reported from the Committee on Pensions, bills granting pensions to the widows of three Union soldiers of Tennessee who were hung by the Rebel authorities during the war, when caught in the act of burning a bridge near Knoxville. The pension in each case is $8 per month, and dates from the 8th of November, 1861.

Mr. Wade (Ohio), from the Committee on the District of Columbia, reported, with amendments, the House bill to authorize the construction and use of a lateral branch of the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad into and within the District of Columbia. Ordered to be printed.

Mr. Sumner (Mass.) presented the petition of the woolen manufacturers of Massachusetts for a protective tariff. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Sumner presented the petition of the citizens of Virginia for a republican form of government in that State. Referred to the Reconstruction Committee.

Mr Sumner presented the protest of the citizens of Massachusetts against the admission of Nebraska with a constitution disenfranchising colored citizens. Ordered to lie upon the table.

Mr Sumner presented the claim of the New England Emigrant Aid Society for $25,000 damages done to their property in Leavenworth, Kansas territory, by a mob some years ago. Referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Ramsey (Minn.) presented the protest of the merchants and bankers of St. Paul against the contraction of the currency. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Henderson (Mo.) presented a similar petition, which was similarly referred.

Mr Sherman (Ohio) presented a petition for an increased duty on flaxseed; also for the passage of the House tariff bill. Referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Lane (Ind.), from the Committee on Pensions, reported favorably the House bill providing that the pensions of widows of revolutionary soldiers married to such soldiers prior to January 1, 1800, shall be increased, and paid at the same rate as the soldiers would be entitled to if now living. Such payment to date from September 30, 1865.

Mr. Morrill, from the Committee on the District of Columbia, reported adversely upon the bill annulling all laws and ordinances of the District of Columbia, and of the several territories, making distinction between persons on account of color, and for the punishment of officers and persons who may attempt to execute any such laws or ordinances, as contrary to the provisions of this act.

This subject, he said, had already been acted on in the Suffrage bill.

Mr. Morrill, from the same Committee, reported a bill to amend an act entitled "An Act to continue, alter, and amend the charter of Washington," so as to read to license, tax, and regulate agencies of all kinds of insurance companies; provided that the tax or license shall not exceed three-fourths of one per cent. upon the cash premiums received, with an amendment inserting one per cent. in place of three fourths of one per cent.

House of Representatives.

Mr. Chanler (N. Y.) rose to a question of privilege, and called the attention of the House to the fact that in the Associated Press report of the vote on the passage of Mr. Ashley's Impeachment resolution on Monday, his vote in the affirmative was omitted the reporter assuming that he had not voted. He protested against the reporter's deviating from the special list. He complained that the reporter of the *Globe* had done the same thing, but he would not intimate that it had been in either case a willful intention to misrepresent him. He sent and had read the paragraph of which he complained, and which stated that the official list showed him voting in the affirmative, but that was evidently an error. (Laughter.)

He did not wish to be considered as having made any mistake. He had voted with a fixed determination so as to bring before the House the charges made against the first Magistrate of the country.

In conclusion he submitted a resolution that the reporters of the Associated Press be under the same rules and regulations as the reporters of the *Globe*. The resolution was referred to the Committee on the Rules.

Mr. Hopson (Iowa) introduced a bill to restore the jurisdiction of Indian affairs to the Department of War. Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Walker (Ohio) introduced a bill to provide a system of education for the public schools of the District of Columbia. Referred to the Select Committee on Education.

On motion of Mr. Dodge (N. Y.) the Secretary of War was requested to inform the House whether any steps had been taken for removing the wrecked steamer Scotland, recently sunk in the entrance of the channel of New York harbor, and what is necessary in order to secure the early removal of the wreck, which is endangering the navigation of the channel.

Mr. Alley (Mass.), from the Post Office Committee, reported a joint resolution directing the Postmaster-General to adjust and settle the claims of the Ocean Steamship Line running between New York and San Francisco, via Panama, for extra mail service in 1864-65, the allowance not to exceed $10,000. After a debate, Messrs. Alley and Kasson advocating the measure and Mr. Washburne (Ill.) opposing it, the joint resolution was, on motion of Mr. Harding (Ill.), laid on the table.

Mr. Alley, from the same Committee, reported a joint resolution appointing the Mayor, Postmaster, United States District Attorney of New York city, Jackson Schultz, Charles H. Russell, and Moses H. Taylor a Commission to purchase a site for a Post Office and United States Courts in New York, being a portion of the City Hall Park, for the sum of $500,000.

After some debate the above joint resolution was passed.

PENNSYLVANIA LEGISLATURE.

Senate.

HARRISBURG, January 9.—Mr. Glass presented a petition from the merchants of Philadelphia asking that the bridge at Columbia be rebuilt.

Mr Connell read a bill authorizing the opening of Juniata avenue, and vacating part of Nicetown lane; also one extending the provisions of the Landlord and Tenant act to cases of descent and purchase; also one appointing Commissioners to lay out Broad street from its present terminus in a straight line, and of the present width, till it strikes the river Delaware in Bucks county.

Mr Worthington presented a supplement to the act incorporating the Girard Insurance Company.

The bill incorporating the Germantown Swimming and Skating Park Association was passed.

Messrs Lowry Graham, and Searight were announced as the Senate Bribery and Corruption Committee.

At noon the Senate went into a joint Convention, to elect a State Treasurer.

House of Representatives.

The Committee on the part of the House to investigate the alleged bribery and corruption in the matter of the election of a United States Senator was announced to consist of Messrs Stumbaugh, of Franklin, Marks, of Philadelphia and Westbrooke, of Wayne.

The House proceeded to draw for a committee to try the contested election case of Charles D Rouck, of Union. It is alleged by the contestant that deserters were allowed to vote at the election. Mr Wingard appeared for the contestant, and Jacob Zeigler for the sitting member. The committee chosen was as follows:—Messrs. Stumbaugh, McCreary, Allen, Shuman, Filow McPherrin, McKee, Mechling, and Kennedy.

The committee to report what property in Philadelphia is exempt from taxation and for what reason was announced to consist of the following Philadelphia members:—Messrs. Gregory, Kerns, De Haven, Worrell, Todd, Josephs.

The members from the Senate being introduced, William H. Kemble was elected as State Treasurer, the Democrats voting for John F. Spangler.

Gold in Canada.

QUEBEC, January 9.—Mr. Pope, the Inspector of Gold mines at Chaudiere reports that a nugget has been found at the depth of thirty-two feet, valued at $8000.

Latest Markets by Telegraph.

BALTIMORE, January 9.—The Flour Market is steady and prices are unchanged. The receipts of Wheat are small and prices nominal, at $2 80@3 00 for Pennsylvania red; no choice or prime lots in the market. White Corn, $1 08@1 05; yellow, $1 01@1 08 for new; old, $1 06@1 05. Oats, 50c. Clover-seed quiet, at $8 25. Provisions inactive. Mess Pork, $21 50; bulk shoulders, 9c. Lard, 12½c. Whisky dull, and no sales reported. Coffee and Sugar firm; large sales of the latter were made yesterday for refining, at 10@10½c.

National Convention of Colored Soldiers and Sailors.

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On reassembling the resolution was adopted.

The Committee on Credentials reported that C. H. Langston, of Kansas, had presented the necessary documents, and he was received as a member of the Convention.

Mr. Martin M. White offered the following:—

Whereas, An article appearing in the *Christian Recorder* of last week has the effect of defeating our Convention; therefore,

Resolved, That the article appearing in the *Recorder* of last week on the subject of conventions calling the tried and faithful men whose record stands forth to the world as an evidence, unmistakable of their fidelity to their race, and especially to the scarred brained and maimed soldiers and sailors of the republic, is a scandal and insult, and clearly demonstrates the corruption of this vitiated heart, and proves him unfit for the confidence of his outraged and injured race. Adopted.

Mr. J. B. Stratton, of Pennsylvania, submitted the following:—

Resolved, That in view of services rendered the country in the terrible struggle for the perpetuation of the Union, by the Loyal Colored Soldiers and Sailors of the State of Pennsylvania, that we do hereby petition the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Pennsylvania assembled, to give us, the Loyal Colored Soldiers, Sailors, and citizens, the right of suffrage, without any qualifications but loyalty to our native State and general Government.

In urging its passage, he said:—Mr. Chairman and Comrades—As the author of the resolution, I present it with the hope that it may reach the Senate and Legislature of Pennsylvania. I will not consume the time in advocating the justice of the resolution. It needs no argument. Let the bones of Pennsylvania colored heroes, that now make sacred the soil of the late Rebel States, appeal in thunder tones to the loyal whites of Pennsylvania for manhood and suffrage for the colored soldier, sailor, and civilian of the State of Pennsylvania. We need no better appeal than the torn and tattered colors borne aloft through many a dearly bought field by thirteen thousand of Pennsylvania's sable heroes.

The Convention was still in session when our report closed.

BEFORE ALDERMAN BEITLER—THE $3500 CASE.—James M. Cooley, Samuel Torrence, and W. H. Clayton had a further hearing before Alderman Beitler, at 2 P. M. to-day, on the charge of picking the pocket of Mr. Falls of $3500, the particulars of which were given in a previous issue of the TELEGRAPH. H. B. Tucker stated that he charged a $500 note for Cooley. They were each held in $5000 bail for their appearance at Court.

Philada. Stock Exchange Sales, Jan. 9

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SECOND BOARD.

$1000 Phil & Sun. 7s. 95		100 sh Cata of	2¾
$5000 Leh Gs, 84	91¼	100 sh do	3¾
$1000 City 6s, n c&p. 100		100 sh do	2¾
$1500 do, new. 100		100 sh do	2¾
$5000 US 5-20s