NEWS SUMMARY.

City Affairs.

—At the annual meeting of the Pennsylvania Peace Society the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Alfred H. Love; Vice-Presidents, Lucretia Mott, Rachel W. Townsend, and Isaac Mendenhall; Secretary, Henry T. Child, M. D.; Treasurer, T. Elwood Chapman; Executive Committee, Sarah T. Rogers, Henry M. Laing, A. Mary Wise, Clayton B. Rodgers, Joseph M. Truman, Jr., Jacob L. Paxson, Dinah Mendenhall, Mary B. Lightfoot, Sarah T. Betts, Rebecca S. Hart, Mary Child, Frances Parker, Samuel Townsend, Rebecca T. Magill, Mahlon B. Linton, Lydia A. Price, Lydia H. Hall, and Lydia A. Scholfield.

—Mr. Cook, a pie baker, residing at No. 742 Race street, fell down a hatchway yesterday afternoon, at Twenty-second and Callowhill streets, and broke his leg. Charles Murray, aged about sixty, was knocked down last evening by being run against, at Seventh and Shippen streets, and had his leg broken. Both of the above persons were taken to the hospital.

—The Washington Fire Company of Wilmington, Del., are making arrangements to have a hook and truck ladder, constructed for use in that city.

Domestic Affairs.

—Gold closed yesterday at 134¾.

—Nevada has had an earthquake shock.

—Internal revenue receipts from July 1 to date, $52,250,000.

—Baltimore had thunder, lightning, rain, and lastly snow, yesterday.

—Washington had a snow storm yesterday afternoon and evening.

—An ice-bridge has already been formed on the lower St. Lawrence river.

—A New England Temperance Convention is called for December 2, at Boston.

—The Georgia Ku-Klux prevented the freedmen from voting at the late election.

—The New York *Evening Post* urges all Republicans to support John Kelly for Mayor.

—King & Ellis' shipjoiner's shop in New York was destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss, $75,000.

—John S. Beach has been arrested, charged with robbing the Salt Springs Savings Bank last April.

—Nicholas Henry was yesterday convicted in the New York Courts of conniving in the procurement of a false whisky bond.

—The Baltimore Democrats have taken down their flags, folded them away, and shut up their club shops for the next four years.

—Thomas H. Burroughs, of Lancaster, has been chosen to fill the vacancy in the Presidential chair of the State Agricultural College.

—The restless adventurers who talk about making a raid on Cuba have their flag of red and blue bars on exhibition in New York.

—Aaron Bliss, of Marion, Mass., was attacked in his house on Thursday night, knocked senseless, and robbed of several hundred dollars.

—A habeas corpus has been applied for in the case of Colonel Treadwell, charged with obtaining fraudulent naturalization papers in Jersey City.

—The ship Hellespont, from Melbourne, was wrecked on Thursday, thirty miles south of San Francisco. Eleven of her crew are missing. The ship is a total loss.

—An attempt was made yesterday to rob the New York Central Park Savings Bank of $100,000. The thief dropped the package in his haste to escape from the bank officers.

—Chief Justice Chase will reach Richmond on Thursday, to preside over the fall term of the United States Circuit Court. Unless other arrangements are made, Jeff. Davis will appear by counsel.

—South American advices to the 29th ult. report the United States steamers Guerriere, Pawnee, Kansas, and Quinnebaug at Rio, on the eve of leaving with General McMahon for Paraguay. The Wasp was at Montevideo, with ex-Minister Washburn.

Foreign Affairs.

LONDON, Nov. 20.—A letter is published today from General Garibaldi, urging Spain to choose a dictator for two years and then to establish a republic.

Peter Burns and Martin Constantine were arrested at Ashton yesterday on suspicion of belonging to the Fenian organization. Valuable papers, understood to give details in regard to the organization, were found on the persons of the prisoners.

HAVANA, Nov. 20.—General Valmazada has arrived with his troops at Puerto Principe, and will immediately open the campaign against the insurrectionists, in conjunction with the forces of Colonels Lono, Campello, and Galeros. A telegram has been received which announces that five hundred insurrectionists had presented themselves to General Valmazada, and been pardoned.

The following has been received from Port-au-Prince:—

Fifty-three million dollars were subscribed at Rio, the first week in October, as a loan to the Government, which only asked $15,000,000.

Advices from Paraguay state that the allies are besieging Lopez at Villetta; that four ironclads had passed the fortifications there, and that seven thousand Brazilian troops are marching along the west bank of the Paraguay river with the intention of crossing to Asuncion and thence descending seven leagues to Villetta, to take Lopez in the rear.

Coffee at Rio is unchanged in price.

HAVANA, Nov. 20—Later.—Captain-General Lersundi says the statement that five hundred rebels had surrendered to Valmazada, and been pardoned, which was published in the *Diario* this morning, greatly exaggerated the facts; that despatches to the Government report only about fifty men have so far given up, but small parties of insurgents are continually coming into Puerto Principe, having abandoned the rebel cause.

An official banquet was given to-day in the Government Palace by the Captain-General, at which Admiral Hoff and officers of the American squadron were the principal guests. General Lersundi made a speech, in the course of which he admitted that had he been born in the United States he would in all probability have been a radical Republican; but being a native of Spain, he was a constitutional monarchist, with liberal ideas. He closed with a toast to the American Union and its leaders and people. Admiral Hoff offered a toast in honor of Spain, saying "the Governments of Spain and the United States had been friends for seventy years, and friends he hoped they would always remain."

FROM MASSACHUSETTS.

The State Securities.

BOSTON, Nov. 20.—The annual examination by a committee of the Executive Council on the condition of the notes and securities in charge of the State Treasurer, has just been finished. The funds represented are now seventeen in number, two having been added during the past year, amounting in the aggregate to nearly twelve million dollars. The present market value of the securities is, in nearly every instance, in excess of their cost, the whole increase exceeding the amount of the original investment by more than one million seven hundred thousand. The Treasurer has for several months past been unable to lend the money at his disposal. The committee suggest the expediency of extending the loans in other New England States on terms required of the cities and towns in Massachusetts.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 20.—Aaron Bliss, of Munson, was attacked in his own house last night, knocked senseless, and robbed of several hundred dollars.

The Boston and Albany Railroad depot at Warren was broken into last night, and the safe carried out of doors, but for some reason the burglars failed to open it.

A call has been signed by numerous clergymen and laymen for a new England Temperance Convention in Boston in December.

The New York Conflagrations.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The *Evening Post* has ascertained that the repeated alarms of fire yesterday afternoon arose from a deliberate attempt to destroy a large part of this city. Two young men ran from place to place in East Fifteenth street and Sixteenth street, setting fire to a number of stables and outbuildings, until the whole community was alarmed, and all the available force of the Fire Department was demanded to prevent a great conflagration.

The Velocipede in Paris.

From Le Courrier des Etats Unis

For some time the velocipede has attracted public attention in Paris. It is to be met everywhere on our great thoroughfares, moving rapidly and skillfully through the crowd of carriages and foot-passengers, and accomplishing marvels of equilibrium under the guidance of a skilful rider. This rapid and elegant vehicle of locomotion has generally two wheels. The three-wheeled ones, owing to this third point of support, have a larger and more comfortable seat, and have also more stability, but they move much slower. The two-wheeled velocipede—the classic vehicle, as one may say—excites the most astonishment. Pleasure-seekers and men of business all stop to follow with curious eye this strange affair, which might be called the democratic carriage, and which appears to solve the problem of cheap personal locomotion.

In France, people receive every novelty by laughing at it, and afterwards they begin to reflect. The question of velocipedes, after having passed through the first of these periods, has entered on the second. This bold, odd carriage has already taken the right of a citizen among us. It has its special manufacturers, its professors, and its enthusiastic practitioners. It is even used for betting purposes. Velocipede race courses, with prizes and crowns, have been instituted at Vesinet, and at the Hippodrome. Velocipedes (abbreviated veloces) to run upon the turf like the horses of our sportsmen. If these courses have not been instituted for the physical amelioration of the human race, they have amusement and diversion for an object, which is something.

Paris, however, has not the exclusive privilege of this new machine; it has invaded the provinces. There is not a city in our departments in which the velocipede may not be seen. In short, it is in possession of a veritable fashion or world of its own. This may not be thought much at present, its only object being amusement; but as soon as certain improvements are made in it we shall see it enter upon a more important phase.

This is not the first time the velocipede has made its appearance in France. Invented in 1808, it was attempted to naturalize it in Paris. Public experiments were made with it in the Jardin du Luxembourg, but met with no success. It was mounted on very low wheels, and the rider had to support himself by placing his feet directly on the ground. Such a mechanism was rudimentary, and failed completely, and it is only in caricatures, those archives of ridicule in our country, that we can find any traces of the experiments made in the garden of the Luxembourg in 1808.

Forgotten for more than twenty years, the velocipede reappeared in 1830. At this time a public functionary, M. Dreuze, perfected the machine of 1808. He secured the rider's point of support upon the axletree of the two wheels instead of the ground, and created thus the actual velocipede. M. Dreuze, who belonged to the administration of post offices, formed the excellent idea of proposing this machine for the use of rural postmen, to whom, he argued, it would be of great avail in the matter of speed and promptness, and at the same time causing them much less fatigue.

M. Creuze's plan was adopted, but unfortunately at this time winter set in, and velocipede locomotion presented some difficulties; the wheels slipped about on the hard snow without advancing. One would have said that it was only necessary to iron the wheels, or suspend the use of the velocipede during the winter. Government found it the easiest way to suspend their use entirely.

The same vehicle appeared some years after, under another form—a little carriage upon three wheels and propelled by the hands of the rider. This machine did not succeed on account of the difficulty in guiding it and the fatigue it caused the guider. It is in fact well known that the muscles of the legs can be exercised much longer than those of the arms. In all good velocipedes the action of the arms is merely complimentary to that of the legs.

We describe in our "Année Scientifique" for 1860 a machine called the *apotrope*, invented by an old naval officer, M. Salicis—a machine that seemed to be a first step, in a practical way, in the construction of these vehicles. Weights attached to the wheels lightened the muscular movements of the rider. The solution of the problem was satisfactory, and it is to be regretted that little attention was paid to this machine. A few improvements would have sufficed to render it of certain utility.

We have helped resurrect the velocipede of 1830, invented by Dreuze—that is, the velocipede of two wheels, with the point of support on the wheels, and propelled by the arms of the rider. The indications are that this time the movement is in earnest, and will lead to important results. One cannot doubt this in view of the interest which this attempt excites, and of the continually increasing number of its proselytes.

We should be careful, however, not to overestimate the real merits of the velocipede, nor cry victory before victory is reached. Such as it is, this vehicle can be of great use to private individuals for rapid travelling upon good roads; but this, at present, is the only way in which it can be of use. Some think it may be made available for postmen and the runners of telegraph offices in the country. The idea is an excellent one, but if they consider the bad condition of our country roads during bad seasons of the year, they will agree with us that before this use of the velocipede can be made practicable it will be necessary to make such improvements in it as will allow of its travelling through all seasons and upon all roads. To place the velocipede, as now constructed, at the disposal of our country postmen and telegraph runners, would be a very unfortunate movement, as it would only result, as in 1830, in replunging this power into the limbo of forgetfulness. Too great haste often destroys the best projects. Let us, then, perfect this machine before speculating upon its use. Let us not gather the fruit while it is yet green, that we may not be obliged to throw it away after having tasted it.

MARINE TELEGRAPH.

For additional Marine News see First Page.

ALMANAC FOR PHILADELPHIA—THIS DAY.

SUN RISES	6 54	MOON SETS	11 20
SUN SETS	4 38	HIGH WATER	6 41

CLEARED YESTERDAY.

Brig Alice Lea, Foster, Kingston, Ja., Workman & Co.
Schr Sarah Fisher, Moore, Cedar Point, Captain.
Str R. Willing, Cundiff, Baltimore, A. Groves, Jr.
Str Mayflower, Fultz, New York, W. P. Clyde & Co.
Tug Thos. Jefferson, Allen, for Baltimore, with a tow of barges, W. P. Clyde & Co.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Brig Lily Houghton, Morton, 6 days from Savannah, with lumber to Warren & Gregg.
Schr Julia Elizabeth, Caudage, 4 days from New Bedford, with mdse. to Lennox & Burgess.
Schr Ariadne, Thomas, 1 day from Smyrna, Del., with grain to James L. Bewley & Co.
Schr Garnet, Marshall, 1 day from Lewes, Del., with grain to James L. Bewley & Co.
Steamer Beverly, Pierce, 24 hours from New York, with mdse. to W. P. Clyde & Co.
Tug Thos. Jefferson, Allen, from Baltimore, with a tow of barges to W. P. Clyde & Co.

BELOW.

One ship, three herm. brigs and one full-rigged brig came in the Capes on Thursday morning. Reported by Samuel Schellinger, pilot.

MEMORANDA.

Steamship Saxon, Boggs, for Philadelphia, cleared at Boston 19th inst.
Barque Brazil, Hibbert, from London 1st ult. for Philadelphia, was spoken 15th inst. off Nantucket.
Brig W. H. Bigelow, Parker, from Liverpool 30th Sept., for Philadelphia, was spoken 15th inst. lat. 35 30, long. 74 40.
Brig George E. Prescott, Mills, for Philadelphia, sailed from New London 19th inst.
Schr North Pacific, Erickson, hence, at Richmond 17th inst.
Schr Ocean Bird, Marsh, hence, at Petersburg 17th inst.
Schrs A. R. Wetmore, Lemon; H. L. Speight, Willetts; and Rappahannock, Corson, hence, at Washington, D. C., 16th inst.
Schr Mary and Francis, Boyle, hence, at Richmond 18th inst.
Schrs George Kilborn, Stanley, hence for Saugus and Harriet Baker, and Maria Lowrie, Hamilton, hence for Portland, at Edgartown 15th inst., and remained evening of 17th.
Schr Grace Watson, Jones, from New Haven for Philadelphia, at New York 19th inst.
Schr Nellie Treat, Trim, hence, at Bangor 17th inst.
Schr Helen M. Condon, Condon, hence, at Belfast 18th inst.
Schr Emma E. Safford, Hanson, hence for Providence, at New London 18th inst.
Schr P. L. Smith, Smith, hence, at Belfast 14th inst.
Schrs Martha, Smith, and John Griffith, Griffith, hence at Belfast 16th inst.
Steamer Anthracite, Green, for Philadelphia, cleared at New York yesterday.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Official information has been received at this office that a stone beacon, four feet above high water, stands on the eastern part of the outer and northernmost of St. Patrick rocks, in Killala bay, on the NW coast of Ireland, with the extreme of Kilcommin head N. ½ W., and the ruins of Castlenageeha W. ½ N.

Also, that a perch, consisting of an iron staff surmounted by a cage thirty feet above high water, stands on the eastern part of the inner or southernmost of St. Patrick rocks, with the stone beacon on the outer rock N. ¾ W., seven-tenths of a mile, and the round Tower at Killala SW. by W. ½ W.

Although the sandy point of Ross has been partially washed away, the leading mark to clear St. Patrick rocks on their southeast side, viz:—"Killala Round Tower open of Sandy Point of Ross," is in no respect affected thereby, and may be used as heretofore with perfect safety.

CAUTION.—In consequence of the washing away of the southern part of the Sandy Point of Ross, the leading mark for crossing Killala bar, given on the chart, viz:—"Three chimney cottage over the middle of Sandy Saddle" is no longer available; and the mark now in use is so difficult of recognition by a stranger as to render it unadvisable to enter the river without the assistance of a local pilot.

(All bearings are magnetic. Variation 26 deg. 30 min. westerly in 1868.)

By order, W. B. SHURRICK, Chairman.
Treasury Department, Office Lighthouse Board, Washington, D. C., Nov. 9, 1868.

Notice is hereby given that the wreck of the barge Enterprise—of the buoyage of which notice was given on the 28th inst.—is found to be so dangerous to vessels navigating the district at night that a Spar has been fixed to the mast of the wreck, from which a bright Anchor Light will be exhibited so long as the condition of the wreck and the state of the weather will admit of it.

By order, ROBIN ALLEN, Secretary.
Trinity House, London, Oct. 31, 1868.

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GOODS FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

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CLOAKS, $12 to $25.

CLOAKINGS.

SILK VELVETS, $10 up. BLACK BEAVERS, $3 up
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ENGLISH MEDICAL WORKS.—WILLIS P. HAZARD, No. 722 SANSOM street, will close out the entire stock of Medical Books, mostly London editions of good authors, at less than cost, comprising the Sydenham Society's issues, John Churchill's publications, Cooper's Surgical Dictionary, some excellent French works, etc. etc., to which the attention of physicians is requested.

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DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C.,
November 18, 1868.

Will be sold at Public Auction, on MONDAY, November 30, 1868, commencing at 10 o'clock, at Lincoln Depot, a quantity of Quartermaster's stores no longer required by the Department, consisting in part of—

25 Horses,	1 Dead Horse Dray,
50 Mules	5,000 lbs. Iron, assorted,
200 Army Wagons,	500 lbs. Steel, do
100 Wagon Wheels,	500 lbs. Rope, do.
50 Ambulance Wheels,	2,000 lbs. H and M Shoes,
1 Shingle Machine,	assorted,
3 Circular Saws,	20,000 feet Oak and Ash
1400 King Bolts,	Lumber,
160 Tongue Chains,	200 Wagon Wheel
500 Open Links,	Boxes,
26 Wagon Jacks,	600 Ambulance Wheel
3 Carts,	Boxes,
5 Ambulances,	4,000 S Hooks.

together with a quantity of articles rated as unserviceable, consisting in part of Brushes, Lanterns, Harness, Whips, Chairs, Files, Bedsteads, etc.

Attention is especially called to the high class of Mules offered at this sale.

Catalogues will be furnished.

Terms—Cash in Government funds.

By order of the Quartermaster-General,

A. P. BLUNT,
Brevet Colonel, A. Q. M.,
11 20 6t Acting Depot Quartermaster.

PUBLIC SALE OF CONDEMNED ORDNANCE AND ORDNANCE STORES.

A large amount of condemned Ordnance and Ordnance Stores will be offered for sale at public auction, at the Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, on MONDAY, the 23d day of December, 1868, at 10½ o'clock A. M. The following list comprises some of the principal articles to be sold, viz:—

19 iron-brass guns various calibres.
1,419,000 pounds of shot, shell, etc.
841 muskets, carbines, rifles, etc., various models.
80,000 pounds of gunpowder.
31,778 lots of infantry accoutrements.
4746 lots of cavalry accoutrements.
427 saddles.
715 curb bridles.
644 watering bridles.
422 halters.

Persons wishing complete lists of the stores to be sold can obtain them by application to the Chief of Ordnance at Washington, D. C., of Brevet Colonel CRISPIN, U. S. A., Purchasing Officer, corner of HOUSTON and GREEN streets, New York city, or by direct application to this Arsenal.

S. V. BENET,
Brevet Lieutenant Colonel U. S. A.,
11 21 6t] Commanding.
Frankford Arsenal, Bridesburg, Nov. 14, 1868.

CITY ORDINANCES.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the sale of a lot of ground in the Twelfth ward.

Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain That the Mayor of the city be and he is hereby authorized to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, after thirty days' notice of the time and place of sale by advertisements in three of the daily newspapers of the said city, and by handbills:

All that lot of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate on the west side of Fifth street, at the distance of one hundred and seventy-six feet northward from the north side of Noble street, in the Twelfth ward of the said city, containing in front or breadth on the said Fifth street forty feet four and a half inches, and extending in length or depth westward, between lines parallel with said Noble street, one hundred and sixty-one feet two and a half inches on the north line, and one hundred and fifty-one feet seven inches on the south line thereof, for cash, clear of incumbrance: Provided, that before the deed by the city is executed for said premises the ground rent of four hundred and eighty dollars per annum now charged thereon shall be extinguished and discharged; and, provided, that no bid shall be accepted for said premises less than eight thousand seven hundred and twenty dollars, and that the purchaser shall pay all expenses for stamps and conveyancing, as well for the extinguishment of the ground rent as for the deed to the purchaser.

Section 2. That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to affix the corporate seal of the city to such deed or deeds as may be necessary to convey the said lot of ground and premises to the purchaser or purchasers thereof.

JOSEPH F. MARCER,
President of Common Council.
WILLIAM S. STOKLEY,
President of Select Council.

Attest—
BENJAMIN H. HAINES,
Clerk of Select Council.

Approved the twentieth day of November, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight (A. D. 1868).

MORTON McMICHAEL,
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MUSICAL DIRECTOR.....MAX MARETZEK
ITALIAN AND GERMAN OPERA.
COMBINATION COMPANY.
GRAND OPENING NIGHT.
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1868.

The public of Philadelphia and vicinity are respectfully informed that arrangements have been concluded with the following EMINENT ARTISTS for their appearance in Philadelphia during the brief operatic season of TWO WEEKS:—

Prima Donna Soprano:—
MADAME ANNA DE LA GRANGE,
(For Farewell Engagement.)
MISS STATES, MADAME ROTTER, MISS McCULLIOCH, MADLLE DURAND, MISS MACKENZIE.

Prima Donna Mezzo Soprano,
MADAME ROSA DELLINI.

First Tenore:—
SIG. BRIGNOLI, HERR HABELMANN, SIG. MALAFERI.

The celebrated Basso Buffo:—
SIG. GEORGIO RONCONI.

First Baritones and Bassos:—
SIG. ORLANDINI, HERR FORMES, SIG. ANTONUCCI, HERR JOSEPH HERMANNS

Stage Manager.....SIG. DUBREUIL

Conductors:—
MAX MARETZEK and SIG. TORRIANI.

THE REPERTOIRE.
(In German),
FAUST, MARTHA, FRA DIAVOLO, DER FREYSCHUTZ, and FIDELIO.
(In Italian),
TROVATORE, ERNANI, DON GIOVANNI, SICILIAN VESPERS, BARBIERE DI SEVIGLIA, and ROBERT LE DIABLE.

THE CHORUS AND ORCHESTRA have been selected with the greatest care from the best available sources. They are formed from picked members of the bodies who have served under Mr. Maretzek's baton for many years.

THE CO-TUMES are entirely new, and have been made regardless of cost.

THE MISE EN SCENE will be carefully supervised by regular members of Mr. Maretzek's Company.

The OPERA SEASON will consist of TWELVE NIGHTS. ITALIAN OPERA every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, and FRIDAY. GERMAN OPERA every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY.

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