NEWS SUMMARY.

City Affairs.

—A meeting of the Managers of the Pennsylvania Baptist Educational Society was held yesterday.

—Mrs. Margaret English, residing at Ninth and Federal streets, fell in the yard of her house yesterday, and broke one of her legs.

—John Stokes, 80 years of age, residing at No. 237 Bainbridge street, was badly burned last evening by his clothes taking fire from a lighted candle. He was removed to the Hospital.

—The alarm of fire last evening, at 7 o'clock, was caused by the slight burning of some materials in the cellar of a house of Joseph Lewis, Marlborough street, below Belgrade street.

—In the Wilmer case the Coroner's jury yesterday rendered a verdict that Hester Wilmer came to her death from injuries received at the hands of Levi Wilmer, and the husband was committed for trial.

—Policeman B. Mullen, of the First district, was yesterday put under $2500 bail by Alderman R. R. Smith, to answer the charge of having committed an aggravated assault and battery upon Mrs. Elizabeth Fishbourn, residing at No. 1615 Shippen street.

—On Tuesday next the Committee of Councils on House of Correction will visit the River Farm, at the mouth of Pennypack creek, containing eighty acres of upland and sixty acres of meadow land, which is offered as a site for the proposed House of Correction for $25,000.

—Last night the twenty-third anniversary of the Juvenile Missionary Society of the Green Street Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday School was held in the church, Green street, above Tenth, which was filled to its greatest capacity. Rev. J. B. McCullough, pastor, presided, and the exercises were edifying and pleasing.

—The closing exercises of the Night School for Artisans took place at the Central High School last evening in the presence of the Controllers of the Public Schools and a large number of the friends of the institution. Addresses were made by James H. MacBride, M. Hall Stanton, Hon. Daniel M. Fox, Edward Shippen, George L. Buzby, and Professor George I. Riche.

—At a meeting of employing house painters the following resolution was adopted: "*Resolved*, That the standard wages to be paid by the members of this association be fixed at three dollars per day of ten hours from the 1st day of March until the 20th day of October, and at $2·50 per day from the 20th day of October to the 1st day of March, to be paid only to such journeymen house painters as may be worth that sum, all others to be rated in accordance with their worth."

—A meeting of colored persons took place last evening at the Spring Garden Hall, Thirteenth and Spring Garden streets, for the purpose of devising plans for the celebration of the day to be set apart in commemoration of the adoption of the fifteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States. Reynolds Price was appointed chairman, and G. De Young, secretary. A preamble and resolutions were adopted setting forth the object of the meeting, and expressive of their gratitude for the freedom of the colored race. An address was made by Isaiah Wears, after which the preamble and resolutions were adopted.

—Last evening farewell services took place in the Central Presbyterian Church (N. S.), Coates street, below Fourth, on which occasion addresses were made by Rev. J. Y. Mitchell, pastor; Rev. Samuel Duffield, and Elders Sanderson and Griest. There was a large congregation present. This church was built thirty-six years ago, and has been sold to the German congregation, St. John street, below Green, for $18,000. The members of the Central Presbyterian Church will worship in their new and handsome building at the northeast corner of Franklin and Thompson streets, which will be ready for occupancy in about two weeks. The services last evening in the old building were of an interesting character.

Domestic Affairs.

—Gold closed yesterday at 111¼.

—Senator Sherman expects to pass his Funding bill to-day.

—It is likely General Butler's Georgia bill will pass the Senate.

—Missouri has ratified the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments.

—General Alcorn was yesterday inaugurated Governor of Mississippi.

—The Mechanics' Bank, St. Louis, resumed specie payments yesterday.

—The prosecution of General Burbridge, of Missouri, has been abandoned.

—Taxes on fire insurance companies will be reduced by the Ways and Means Committee.

—General Butler has prepared a bill for the admission of Texas on the same terms as Virginia.

—An Indiana schoolmaster has killed one of his pupils by striking him on the head with an iron poker.

—Colonel Baker's action in respect to the Indians is fully indorsed by the citizens of Montana Territory.

—A war party of Gros Ventres and Assiniboine Indians has set out to take vengeance on the Piegans for stealing their horses last winter.

—By an accident on the Erie road, near Wellesburg, N. Y., yesterday morning, one man was killed and a number of others seriously injured.

—On Tuesday next the Reconstruction Committee will again discuss Tennessee affairs. It is believed a majority is in favor of reconstruction.

—A discussion relative to the State Treasury investigation took place in the Senate yesterday, and it was decided to compel General Irwin to testify.

Foreign Affairs.

—An international exhibition of fans is to be held in London. What next?

—Espartero is expected in Madrid, and is spoken of as a candidate for the throne.

—Mountainous icebergs were encountered by the steamer New York on her voyage from New York to Southampton.

—Charles Dickens visited Queen Victoria by invitation yesterday. It is said he has been tendered a peerage or baronetage.

—Ex-Governor Letcher of Virginia has published a statement respecting the proposed monument to Stonewall Jackson, saying $50,000 is needed, and that no local or sectional views restrict the scheme—that it is national in its design, and the North has cordially responded to the appeal, and the East and the West are moving. It is proposed to erect a memorial chapel at the Virginia Military Institute in Lexington, and, should the funds collected permit, a statue in bronze or marble, "to transmit to coming generations the features, form, and expression of one whose name and virtues are alike known and honored throughout the civilized world, and who was a bright exemplar of whatever was true and noble, and of good report among men."

—Iowa has been compelled to discharge a "lady" teacher in one of its public schools for drunkenness.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

Meeting of Both Branches of City Councils.

Both branches of the City Government met yesterday afternoon. The business transacted was as follows:—

Select Branch.—President Cattell in the chair.

A communication was received from the School Controllers, asking for the purchase of the lot on Wood street adjoining the present school lot. Referred to the Committee on Schools.

A communication was received from the Chief Engineer and Surveyor, relative to making the footways on Market street, from Front to Eighth street, 10½ feet wide. Referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Shermer offered a resolution directing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to require the owners of property to pave Cumberland and Jasper streets. Referred.

Mr. Marcus offered a resolution requesting the Committee on Trusts and Fire to report by ordinance a method for better securing fire-alarm boxes. Adopted.

Mr. Franciscus, from the Committee on Finance, reported favorably an ordinance creating a Department of Port Wardens, with an amendment that port wardens be appointed by Councils.

Amendment agreed to and bill passed.

Mr. Shoemaker, an ordinance relative to increasing the salaries of judges. Referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Franciscus, an ordinance to provide for surface drainage in front of the State House building. Referred.

The bill making the annual appropriation to the Board of Health was read and referred to a special committee of five.

The following bills from Common Council were disposed of:

One changing the names of certain streets in the Twenty-fourth ward. Passed.

One for curbing and paving of footways on Long lane, Mifflin and Federal streets. Passed.

One requesting the Mayor to return to Councils the names of all pawnbrokers. Passed.

One changing the name of Mary street to Park avenue. Passed.

One relative to the opening of America and Stiles streets and Ridge avenue. Passed.

One for the repaving of William street, from Bainbridge to Fitzwater. Passed.

One for the construction of sewers in Wister and Main streets. Passed.

One requesting the Legislature not to pass the bill relative to macadamizing Alleghany avenue. Indefinitely postponed.

One relative to the payment of Benjamin F. Duncan for claims in the construction of sewers. Passed.

One relative to lines and grades of streets in the Twenty-second ward. Passed.

The ordinance authorizing a loan of $1,000,000 for the extension of the Water-works was considerably discussed, but its further consideration was postponed.

The consideration of the bill of appropriation to the Board of Port Wardens for 1870, and to pay the deficiencies of 1869, was postponed.

A resolution was adopted tendering the use of Independence Hall for a public reception to Vice President Colfax.

A supplement to the ordinance approved October 3, 1854, relative to supplying the city with water, authorizing the increase of the inspectors in the Water Department, was passed.

A resolution to enter satisfaction on the official bonds of ex-Controller Getz was adopted.

A resolution permitting W. J. Phillips to place wires on the poles of the police and fire alarm telegraph was adopted.

Also, according to I. P. Morris the right to erect telegraph lines on certain streets in the city. Adopted.

Also, a resolution authorizing the opening of Cresson and other streets. Adopted.

Adjourned.

Common Branch.—This branch met at the usual hour, President Louis Wagner in the chair.

A communication was received asking for the use of Independence Hall for Vice President Colfax, in order to receive his friends, on the 25th inst.

Mr. Bardsley presented a resolution granting the use of Independence Hall to Vice President Colfax. Agreed to.

A number of petitions were presented and appropriately referred.

Mr. Bardsley, of the Committee on Finance, reported back an ordinance for an appropriation for the erection of schools. Referred to Committee on Schools.

Mr. Huhn offered a resolution instructing the Committee on Police to inquire into the practicability of erecting a new station-house in the Fifth district. Referred.

The school bill having been returned by the Mayor, Mr. Bardsley moved to reconsider the vote. Agreed to.

He then moved to strike out $23,000 in item No. 150, for salaries for teachers, and insert $33,000. Agreed to.

The bill as amended was then agreed to.

The subject of the public buildings was then taken up.

Mr. Martin withdrew his motion of last week The subject was then laid upon the table.

The following Select Council bills were taken up:

A resolution reorganizing the Water Department was agreed to.

Also, an ordinance making an appropriation to the Water Department. Agreed to.

Also, a resolution authorizing Robert H. Adams to construct a turnout from the North Pennsylvania Railroad. Agreed to.

An ordinance authorizing the Chief Commissioner of Highways to reduce licenses of the Second and Third Street Railroads for one horse cars. Agreed to.

Also, one for the laying of water pipe on Haverford road and other streets. Agreed to.

Also, one providing for the collection of outstanding taxes. Agreed to.

A resolution to have Decatur street placed on the plan of city property. Agreed to.

Also, a resolution providing for the protection of the fire alarm telegraph boxes on the telegraph poles. Agreed to.

Mr. Hall presented a resolution giving the right of way to fire companies running north and south, in order to prevent accidents. Referred to the Committee on Fire and Trusts.

Mr. Bardsley presented a resolution to enter satisfaction on the official bond of George Getz, late City Controller. Agreed to.

Mr. S. Miller, of the Committee of Highways, presented a resolution for the opening of Cresson street and Manayunk avenue. Agreed to.

Also, a resolution to pave Forty-third street and Eighteenth street. Agreed to.

Mr. Huhn, of Committee of Police, presented a resolution granting the right to W. J. Phillips of placing a telegraph wire on the poles of the police and fire alarm telegraph. Agreed to.

Also, a resolution granting permission to Israel W. Morris to place telegraph poles and wires on certain streets. Agreed to.

Mr. Hanna, of the Committee on Trusts and Fire, presented a resolution to discharge the committee from the consideration of the subject of granting permission for the placing of a fire alarm box at Thirty-second and Walnut streets. Agreed to.

Adjourned.

Incidentals.

—The Winsted (Conn.) *Herald* is enraptured with the ice, "from a foot to eighteen inches thick, clear and hard as crystal, and free to all comers," now being taken from a lake in its immediate neighborhood.

—A writer, who is more newspaper correspondent than clergyman, but who has nearly swung around the circle of the denominations as the latter, says in a recent letter that the people in this region are so fitful and fickle, and there is so little permanency in settlements, that the wonder is that any man who can shovel coal or drive an express wagon is willing to run the risks of a pastorate.

—Judge Carpenter decided at Charleston, S. C., on the 4th inst., that a note drawn payable six months after the declaration of peace between the United States and Confederate States of America could not be collected, as no peace had been declared "between those Governments." Exceptions were taken, on the ground that the close of hostilities was a virtual declaration of peace.

—A Connecticut reporter, who recently attended a wedding, apparently for the first time, writes that when he looked upon the bride "in her sweet grace and with her gentle ways, he felt like going into the shadowed gardens of imagination, and gathering there the rarest roses of language—roses half asleep in their buds and half awake as they swelled to bloom from slumber—and adorning her wedding wreath, already full with the blessings and repeated blessings and bridal offerings of loving friends."

—The Selma (Ala.) *Times* chronicles with evident satisfaction "a righteous judgment and swift punishment" by "Providential interposition," a negro having stumbled while attempting to carry off a stolen sack of corn, and the weight of the corn having broken his neck. But the *Times* adds that his negro accomplices took the corn and carried it off. It seems strange that they should have escaped without similar swift punishment under such peculiar circumstances.

—The Prescott (Arizona) *Miner* gives a partial list of the persons murdered by Indians in that Territory since March 4, 1864. The list contains the names, so far as they could be ascertained, of 103 victims, and the *Miner* expresses the opinion that if it could obtain the names of all the persons killed in the Territory since its settlement, at least 200 more would be added to it; while 200 have been wounded, more or less seriously, since the beginning of 1864. The *Miner* does not care to inquire into the robberies committed by the Indians, and consoles itself with the thought that "hundreds of the murderous race of savages that infest the Territory have been sent to their long home, and will trouble the white men no more."

MARINE TELEGRAPH.

For additional Marine News see First Page.

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SUN RISES..... 6·19 | MOON SETS..... 1·56
SUN SETS..... 6·02 | HIGH WATER..... 8·38

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MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

FOR AMERICA.

Cambria	Glasgow	New York	Feb. 25
Samaria	Liverpool	New York	Feb. 26
Lafayette	Brest	New York	Feb. 26
Etna	Liverpool	New York v. B.	Feb. 26
Bellona	London	New York	Feb. 26
America	Southampton	New York	Mar. 1
Tripoli	Liverpool	New York	Mar. 1
Nebraska	Liverpool	New York	Mar. 2
Virginia	Liverpool	New York	Mar. 2
C. of Wash'ton	Liverpool	New York	Mar. 3

FOR EUROPE.

C. of London	New York	Liverpool	Mar. 12
Paraguay	New York	London	Mar. 12
France	New York	Liverpool	Mar. 12
India	New York	Glasgow	Mar. 12
Weser	New York	Bremen	Mar. 12
Silesia	New York	Hamburg	Mar. 15
Samana	New York	Liverpool	Mar. 16
Colorado	New York	Liverpool	Mar. 16
Palmyra	New York	Liverpool	Mar. 17
C. of Wash'ton	New York	Liverpool	Mar. 19
Lafayette	New York	Havre	Mar. 19
America	New York	Bremen	Mar. 19
Cambria	New York	Glasgow	Mar. 19
Etna	New York	Liverpool via H.	Mar. 22
Nebraska	New York	Liverpool	Mar. 23
Bremen	New York	Bremen	Mar. 24
C. of Brussels	New York	Liverpool	Mar. 26

COASTWISE, DOMESTIC, ETC.

Tonawanda	Philadelphia	Savannah	Mar. 12
Mariposa	New York	New Orleans	Mar. 12
Prometheus	Philadelphia	Charleston	Mar. 17
Columbia	New York	Havana	Mar. 17
Hen. Chauncey	New York	Aspinwall	Mar. 21

Mails are forwarded by every steamer in the regular lines. The steamers for or from Liverpool call at Queenstown, except the Canadian line, which call at Londonderry. The steamers for or from the Continent call at Southampton.

CLEARED YESTERDAY.

Ship Bazaar, Jellerson, New Orleans, D. S. Stetson & Co.
Steamship Fairbanks, Moore, New York, John F. Ohl.
Steamer J. S. Shriver, Webb, Baltimore, A. Groves, Jr.
Schr Tennessee, Creed, Savannah, S. Lathbury & Co. —not as before.
Schr H. Little, Godfrey, Savannah, S. Lathbury & Co.
Schr A. S. Gaskill, Gaskill, Charleston, do.
Schr W. Butman, Smart, Savannah, S. Lathbury & Co.—not as before.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamship J. W. Everman, Hinckley, from Richmond via Norfolk, with mdse. to W. P. Clyde & Co.
Brig Caroline E. Kelly, Robinson, 14 days from Matanzas, with molasses to E. C. Knight & Co.
Schr S. V. W. Simmons, Williams, 5 days from Wilmington, N. C., with lumber to Patterson & Lippincott—vessel to S. Lathbury & Co.
Schr Chas. P. Stickney, Mathis, 10 days from St. Mary's, Ga., with lumber to E. A. Souder & Co.
Schr Paul & Thompson, Godfrey, 2 days from New York, with barley to Whitney & Son.
Schr William and James, Outten, 4 days from Nanticoke river, with railroad ties to Hickman & Cottingham.
Schr Lottie, Taylor, from Boston, with mdse. to Mershon & Cloud.
Schr Ann E. Carll, Tyler, 9 days from Charleston, with phosphate to Charleston Mining Co.
Schr Caroline, Tice, 2 days from Millville, with glass to Whitall, Tatum & Co.

MEMORANDA.

Ships Wallace, Jordan; Nimbus, Kelley; and Centaur, Foster, for Philadelphia, remained at Liverpool 25th ult., loading.

Steamship Prometheus, Gray, hence, at Charleston yesterday.

Steamship Norfolk, Platt, hence, at Richmond 8th instant.

Steamship Whirlwind, Sherman, hence, at Providence 8th inst.

Steamship Fanita, Freeman, hence, at New York yesterday.

Steam-yacht Clifton, Chadwick, hence, at Jacksonville 3d inst.

Bark D. H. Watjen, Deetjen, hence for Bremen, was towed up to Bremerhaven 8th inst., badly damaged by ice.

Bark Lalla Rookh, Sutherland, hence, at Flushing 24th ult.

Brig Union, bound to Philadelphia, was spoken 25th ult. lat. 35 12, long. 71 30.

Schr Orion, Osborn, from Belfast for Philadelphia, at Holmes' Hole P. M. 6th inst.

Schr David B. Streaker, Vangilder, at New York 9th inst., from Wilmington, N. C.

Schrs R. S. Miller, Hiawatha, J. Stroup, J. S. Hewitt, R. G. Whilden, A. Truedell, J. G. Babcock, G. Nevenger, J. Satterthwait, M. Vandusen, R. K. Vaughan, and others, sailed from Holmes' Hole A. M. 6th inst.

Schr Sarah Bruen, Fisher, hence, at Wilmington, N. C., 8th inst.

Schr J. F. Durfee, Perkins, from Fall River; J. H. Bartlett, Harris, from Greenport; and Nightingale, Beebe, from Orient, all for Philadelphia, at New York 9th inst.

Schrs Henry B. Hall, for Boston; S. A. Staples, White, for New London; and Carrie Marston, Davis, for Dighton, all from Philadelphia, at New York 9th instant.

Schr Lottie Beard, Perry, sailed from New Bedford 8th inst. for Wood's Hole, to load for Philadelphia.

Schrs Thomas Borden, Wrightington, from Fall River; A. F. Kindberg, Chase, from Providence; C. E. Smith, Hanson, from Norwich; Paugusset, Waples, from New Haven; and J. H. Booth, Harris, from Greenport, all for Philadelphia, passed Hell Gate 9th inst.

Schrs Annie May, for Boston; M. J. Brooks, Hughes, for do.; N. H. Benedict, Allen, for New Haven; and C. Merrick, Hand, for do., all from Philadelphia, passed Hell Gate 9th inst.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Notice is given that on and after the night of April 9 proximo, a "Fixed Light, varied by Flashes," of the system of Fresnel, showing a bright flash at intervals of thirty seconds, will be exhibited at Tarpaulin Cove Lighthouse, Vineyard Sound, Mass., instead of the fixed light now shown.

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PROPOSALS.

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES, SEWERS, ETC.—OFFICE OF CHIEF COMMISSIONER, No. 104 S. FIFTH Street.
PHILADELPHIA, March 9, 1870.
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the Chief Commissioner of Highways until 12 o'clock M., on MONDAY, 14th instant, for the construction of the following three-feet Sewers, viz:—On the line of Market street, from Forty-second to Forty-third street; on Ontario street, from Thompson street to Girard avenue; and on Ninth street, from Norris to Diamond street; thence along Diamond street to Franklin, and thence, on Franklin street, to the south curb-line of Dauphin street; and on Third street from Pine to Gaskill street; also a sewer of two and a half feet diameter on Wilson street from the southerly curb-line of York street to the sewer in Dauphin street, with such manholes as may be directed by the Chief Engineer and Surveyor.
The understanding to be that the contractor shall take bills prepared against the property fronting on said sewer to the amount of one dollar and fifty cents for each lineal foot of front on each side of the street, as so much cash paid; the amount, as limited by ordinance, to be paid by the city; and the contractor shall be required to keep the street and sewer in good order for three years after the sewer is finished. No allowance will be made for rock excavation, unless by special contract.
When the street is occupied by a City Passenger Railroad track, the sewer shall be constructed along side of said track in such manner as not to obstruct or interfere with the safe passage of the cars thereon; and no claim for remuneration shall be paid the contractor by the company using said track, as specified in Act of Assembly approved May 8, 1866.
Each proposal will be accompanied by a certificate that a bond has been filed in the Law Department as directed by Ordinance of May 25, 1860. If the lowest bidder shall not execute a contract within five days after the work is awarded, he will be deemed as declining, and will be held liable on his bond for the difference between his bid and the next lowest bidder. Specifications may be had at the Department of Surveys, which will be strictly adhered to. The Department of Highways reserves the right to reject all bids not deemed satisfactory.
All bidders may be present at the time and place of opening the said proposals.
MAHLON H. DICKINSON,
3 10 3t Chief Commissioner of Highways.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, UNITED STATES ARMY.
PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 7, 1870.
Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on FRIDAY, the 8th day of April, 1870, for furnishing the Quartermaster's Department with five thousand (5000) gross tons (or such less quantity as may be required) best quality of White Ash Anthracite Coal, of such sizes and in such quantities as may be ordered for a period of one year from the 1st day of May next, with the privilege of increasing the amount to ten thousand (10,000) tons, should it be required.
So much of the Coal as may be required for use in this city, including the United States Arsenals at Bridesburg and Gray's Ferry road, to an amount not exceeding six hundred (600) tons, must be delivered without additional expense to the United States. The balance to be delivered on board of vessels at this port in good order and condition, free from slate, bone, dust, and other impurities.
Proposals must be made out in duplicate, on blank forms, which can be obtained at this office, and envelopes endorsed "Proposals for Delivery of Coal."
Bidders are invited to attend at the opening of proposals.
The Quartermaster's Department reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Any additional information desired by parties wishing to bid will be furnished upon application to this office.
HENRY C. HODGES,
Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel and
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