

NEWS SUMMARY.

City Affairs. Before Alderman Smith, yesterday afternoon, James Monaghan had a final hearing on the charge of shooting James Cleary on Sunday night, the 28th of August. Complainant testified that he was at the public house of Edward Bonnell, No. 17 South Ninth street, when two men drove up in a wagon and entered the tavern to get a drink. One of the men asked him to drink with them, and while he was at the bar Monaghan threw a tumbler at him, and he hurled the bar pitcher at Monaghan; then they elbowed and were soon separated. Monaghan then went away and returned in an hour and a half, and presented a pistol at witness. Cleary jumped and got hold of him, and both fell to the floor. Monaghan fired three shots, one of which took effect in Cleary's hip, causing, however, only a flesh wound. Monaghan was held for \$2000 bail for his appearance at the next term of the Court.

Peace. The Republicans now say openly that peace must be had at any price. One who has intimate relations with the government tells me to-day that, cost what it may, peace will be made at once, as the only way of saving the Republic. The Franco-American fraternalism is culminating into extravagance. Mr. Washburne is the hero of the hour, and his name is being mentioned in his honor everywhere. The name of the Avenue Imperatrice is to be changed to the "Avenue des Etats Unis." Paris, Sept. 12, evening.—[Special dispatch to the New York Tribune.]—One of the secretaries of the British embassy has started for the Prussian headquarters to ask whether negotiations are possible. A correspondent, writing from Rheims, Sept. 6, describes a conversation with Bismarck, who began by expressing his regret that the Emperor, and gratitude to the United States for their sympathy with Germany. To a remark concerning German unity Bismarck replied that there was no stronger friend of unity than himself, but care was required in accomplishing the work. "South Germany having fought by our side, it is impossible to agree on any form of union, even among those who favor union. At Baden things look better. No doubt there is an opening."

ARRIVED YESTERDAY. Nor. ship Scorpion, Pedersen, 49 days from Liverpool, with salt to order. Steamer F. Franklin, 11 hours from Savannah, with salt to order. Steamer Tacony, Nichols, 24 hours from New York, with salt to order. Steamer D. Utley, Davis, 24 hours from New York, with salt to order. Br. bark Louis, Wickle, 36 days from Bremen, with empty petroleum barrels to order—vessel to L. Westergaard. Br. bark Maria, Webster, 43 days from Gloucester, Eng., with railroad iron to Naylor & Co.—vessel to Souder & Adams. Br. brig Proteus, Enslow, 33 days from Gloucester, Eng., with oil railroad iron to Worham & Co.—vessel to Souder & Adams. Br. brig Proteus, Enslow, 33 days from Gloucester, Eng., with oil railroad iron to Worham & Co.—vessel to Souder & Adams. Br. brig Proteus, Enslow, 33 days from Gloucester, Eng., with oil railroad iron to Worham & Co.—vessel to Souder & Adams.

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AMUSEMENTS. HOPE LAMAR WITH HIS OWN BROTHERS. TRICK HORSE AMPLIFICATION AND ASTIC ANIMAL SPECTACLE will exhibit: LIGHTNING Street, between Race and Vine, MONDAY, TUESDAY, AND WEDNESDAY, Sept. 19, 20, and 21. On the KEYSTONE SKATING PARK, OLYMPIA, FRIDAY, Sept. 16. Lot corner THIRTY-SIXTH and MARKET, WEST PHILADELPHIA, SATURDAY, Sept. 17. Performance every AFTERNOON and EVENING. Doors open at 2 and 7 o'clock. Admission, 50 cents; children under ten years, 25 cents. NEW ELEVENTH STREET OPERA HOUSE, Eleventh Street, above Chesnut. THE FAMILY RESORT. Established in 1862. CARROLL & DIXEY'S MINSTRELS. Presenting to the public the Great Star Troupe of the World. OFFICE OF THE MINSTRELS. Presenting to the public the FINEST TROUPE OF ARTISTS IN EXISTENCE. Box office open from 10 to 1 o'clock. Seats can be secured after 1 o'clock at Carcross & Co.'s Music Store, No. 6 North Eighth Street. J. L. CARCROSS, Manager.

THE WAR.

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES. THE PROSPECTS OF PEACE—THE ARMISTICE ASKED BY FRANCE—STASBURG AND TOLL—THEIR HEROIC DEFENSE—THE PRUSSIANS AROUND PARIS—THE REVOLUTION IN ROME.

MARINE TELEGRAPH.

For additional Marine News see First Page. ALMANAC FOR PHILADELPHIA—THIS DAY. SUN SETS..... 6:09 HIGH WATER..... 4:49 PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF TRADE. THOMAS G. HOOD, CHAIRMAN. CHRIS. J. HOFFMAN, COMMITTEE OF THE MONTH. THOMAS G. HOOD, MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL AND KINDLING WOOD. DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C. August 23, 1870. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 M. on September 15th, 1870, by responsible parties, to keep on hand and deliver as required at the various offices and officers' quarters in the city of Washington, D. C., a quantity of coal and twenty-two (22) cords of kindling wood and one hundred and ninety-five (95) tons of merchantable White Ash or other anthracite coal of size as will be called for at various points in this city and to weigh 2240 pounds to the ton, as follows:— At Fort Whipple, Va., about 40,000 pounds. To be delivered at various points in this city at 2,188.50 pounds.