THE FOURTH.

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tendance. Governor Oglesby and Generals Sherman and Logan will attend the exercises.

UTICA, N. Y.

A grand procession of firemen, military and civic societies in the forenoon, to be followed by a meeting in the square, at which G. W. Adams will read the Declaration of Independence, J. Watson Williams will deliver an oration, and Lieutenant T. P. Cook will read a poem. In the afternoon there will be plenty of fun over a race for a greased pig, a sack race, a wheelbarrow race, &c. Fireworks in the evening.

SARATOGA SPRINGS.

The day will be observed at the Springs by a race on the Association track, a balloon ascension and out-door acrobatic performances.

NEW BEDFORD, MASS.

The only observance of the day in New Bedford, besides the ordinary salutes, will be a parade of the "Squeedunck Phlat Phoot Phuzylears."

CINCINNATI, OHIO.

The programme for the city celebration at Cincinnati had not been published in the papers of latest date received. There are to be a variety of festivals, picnics and excursions in the city and vicinity, gotten up by private enterprise.

BALTIMORE, MD.

In Baltimore, at Patterson Park, John Minor Botts, of Virginia, will deliver an oration, while Mr. Van Riper, of New Jersey, will deliver another at Druid Hill. In the evening there will be music and fireworks in various sections of the city. Several civic societies have organized arrangements for independent celebrations.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

The celebration in this city will consist of a grand cavalcade and exhibition of horses, with liberal premiums, horse racing, and a regatta.

DETROIT, MICH.

The celebration in Detroit will have a feature in common with that at Philadelphia. The regimental flags are to be presented to the State government. James E. Pittman will officiate as Chief Marshal of the day. The procession will be an immense one, and will form in fourteen divisions. All the chief cities of the State and many of adjacent States will be represented by their municipal authorities. The militia, the returned soldiers, civic societies, the trades and the fire department will likewise be represented. The following is the order of exercises at the grand stand:—

1. Prayer, by Right Rev. Bishop McCloskey.
2. Music, Star Spangled Banner.
3. Address of Welcome, by his Honor the Mayor.
4. Salute to the Governor, by the colors and the troops.
5. National salute, by battery of Company G, Fourth United States artillery.
6. Presentation of colors, by General O. B. Willcox.
7. Turning over of the colors by the color bearers.
8. Music, "When Johnny Comes Marching Home."
9. Reception of the colors by his Excellency the Governor.
10. Benediction, by Rev. Dr. Duffield.

A grand banquet will be provided for the returned soldiers by the citizens, and the exercises of the day will end with a display of fireworks on the *Campus Martius*.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

There will be a grand procession of returned soldiers, carrying the colors under which they had fought during the war. These will be presented to the State with appropriate ceremonies.

CHICAGO, ILL.

The corner stone of the monument to S. A. Douglas will be laid to-day in Chicago. It is expected that President Johnson, Secretary Seward and other eminent officials of the government will be present. The latest Chicago papers do not contain the full programme of exercises.

MEXICO.

The Liberals on the March Towards Tampico—Expected Capture of the City—The Liberal General Corona in Possession of Guadalajara with a Force of Seven Thousand Men—Yellow Fever at Tampico, &c.

WASHINGTON, July 3, 1866.

A letter from the Gulf squadron, dated June 12, says:—

I have reliably ascertained that the State forces of Tamaulepas are *en route* from the city of Victoria for Tampico, with about one thousand men of all arms, and judging from the weak condition of its defences, I have not the slightest doubt that the expedition will be attended with success, and as the French predecessors of the present commandant had consigned so many Mexicans to the scaffold without a trial or even the form of a trial, it has created a desperate sentiment of revenge in the minds of those who are soon expected to be masters of this city, and I am therefore apprehensive that fearful scenes of disorder will be witnessed. The roads from Tampico to the interior cities are entirely in the hands of the liberals, and they have lately been extremely successful on the West coast.

It is said that General Corono now holds the important city of Guadalajara with a force of seven thousand men in the name of Juarez.

The Imperialists at this moment occupy but a small space of this country, and if they do not receive immediate reinforcements they will be obliged to concentrate their whole force at the city of Mexico and Vera Cruz to enable them to make good their retreat.

Recent advices report the yellow fever raging at Tampico.

The National Game.

THE SOUTHERN CHAMPIONS ON A TOUR—THEIR ARRIVAL IN PHILADELPHIA—NATIONAL OF WASHINGTON VS. ATHLETIC AND KEYSTONE OF PHILADELPHIA.

One of the most prominent clubs outside of our metropolitan organizations is the "Champion Club of the South," the noted Nationals, of Washington, and with a view of extending their experience in contests with the leading clubs of the country, they determined this season to take a tour northward, to play return games with such of our clubs as visited them last year, and meet such others in the field with whom they have had friendly relations. They accordingly left Washington on the night of July 1, and on Monday duly arrived in Philadelphia, where they were engaged to play their return match with the Athletics, and their first game with the Keystones. They were met at the depôt by a committee of the Athletics, and escorted to the Washington House, in Chestnut street, and after dinner they were taken to the Athletic grounds, on Fifteenth and Columbia streets, where they found collected some five or six thousand people, and before the game commenced the assemblage had more than doubled, it being the greatest gathering of people known in the annals of the game in Philadelphia. The entire field was completely encircled, the people being in a mass in some places. The ladies' stand presented a fine sight, being decorated with flags, with an inscription, "Welcome, Nationals," over the centre. The game proved to be the finest display of fielding ever made by the Athletic Club, who had a splendid team out, Pratt playing at third base, Fisler being the only absentee; and Gaskell filled his place creditably. The totals at the close of the fourth innings stood six to two; but afterwards the Athletics added sixteen runs to their score, the Nationals obtaining but four—the totals at the close standing twenty two to six in favor of the Athletics. The Nationals ably acquitted themselves in the field, and their swift pitching proved to be effective; but they found it a difficult task to punish McBride to any extent. The umpiring was first class, the interpretation of the important sixth rule being a model to copy from. Though defeated, the Nationals congratulated themselves on keeping down the Athletic's score to decent figures.

In the evening the Athletics treated their guests to a grand dinner at Augustin's, and the day was closed with social enjoyment.

On the 3d the Nationals played the Keystones, and this time were successful. We give the score of the Athletics and the Nationals below:—

ATHLETIC.	O.	R.	NATIONAL.	O.	R.
Whitefielder, r. f.	3	2	Parker, 2d b.	3	1
McBride, p.	3	2	Berthrong, c.	3	1
Booth, 2d b.	4	2	Smith, s. s.	4	0
Wilkins, s. s.	3	3	Williams, p.	4	0
Berkenstock, 1st b.	5	2	Fox, 3d b.	1	2
Dockney, c.	4	2	Hodges, 1st b.	2	1
Chas. Gaskill, c. f.	3	1	McLean, r. f.	5	1
Pratt, 3d b.	3	3	Urell, c. f.	3	0
Pike, l. f.	4	4	Urell, c. f.	4	0
Total	27	22	Total	27	6

INNINGS.	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	6th.	7th.	8th.	9th.	Total.
Athletic	0	2	3	1	7	0	5	3	1	22
National	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	6

Umpire—Mr. Bomeisler, Eureka Club. Scorers—Messrs. Benson and Munson. Time of game—Two hours and twenty-five minutes.

Fly catches—Berkenstock, 2; Dockney, 2; Pike, 1. Total, 5. Berthrong, 5; Fox 4; Urell, 2; McLean, 2; Hadley, 1; Hodges, 1; Parker, 2; total, 17. Foul bound catches—Dockney, 4; Berthrong 1. Outs on bases—Athletics, 9 times; Nationals, 16 times. Outs on fouls—Athletics, 7 times; Nationals, 7 times.

The Christy Will Case.

AN INQUEST TAKEN BEFORE A JURY—FINDINGS OF FACT—THE WIDOW AND CHILDREN OF DECEASED DECLARED LAWFUL HEIRS TO THE ESTATE.

SUPREME COURT, CHAMBERS.

Before Judge Barnard.

JULY 3.—*Harriet E. Christy* vs. *Fayette G. Clark and others.*—This case which was long and vigorously contested before the Surrogate, came up this morning before Judge Barnard and a jury on issues of fact. It will be recollected that Mr. Christy died, leaving, as alleged, all his property to his mistress. The paper purporting to be his last will and testament was admitted to probate by the Surrogate, when an appeal was taken to the General Term of the Supreme Court.

Judge Barnard delivered an opinion reversing the decree of the Surrogate and ordering a trial by jury. A motion was then made before the Circuit to postpone the trial until October, which was granted, the Court, however, ordering defendants to pay all costs hitherto incurred. This they refused to do, so that an inquest was accordingly taken, when the following findings were submitted to the jury, to which they returned answers, all in favor of the plaintiff:—

1. Whether Harriet E. Christy was lawfully married to Edwin F. Christy? Yes; she was married to Edwin F. Christy in the year 1856.

2. Were Edwin H. Christy and William A. Christy the lawful issue of the marriage of Edwin F. Christy and Harriet E. Christy, or were or are they the heirs-at-law or next of kin of Edwin F. Christy, deceased? Yes.

3. Whether Edwin F. Christy ever made or executed the paper writing purporting to be his last will and testament, dated May 18, 1862? No.

4. Was Edwin F. Christy competent to execute a last will and testament? No.

5. Whether the alleged paper writing was procured to be executed by or through undue influence exercised on the said Edwin F. Christy? Yes.

Messrs. Benjamin J. and Edmon Blankman appeared for plaintiff.

THE EXCISE LAW.

Small Amount of Business Transacted Yesterday—Applications for Licenses—Injunctions Issued Yesterday, &c.

The Commissioners of Excise transacted but a small amount of business yesterday. The receipts for license fees were unusually light, and only six applications were received. The liquor dealers who have been unable to obtain licenses are still engaged in suing out injunctions, and yesterday about one hundred were served on the Commissioners, making a total of upwards of five hundred and ninety already issued. The following are the names of those who yesterday made application for licenses:—

Jeremiah Harrington, 76 Laight street; Geo. Punchard, 441 Greenwich street, both first class; Daniel F. Hackett, 90 Amity street; Mrs. J. Rovekamp, 121 West Twenty-ninth street. In Brooklyn—M. J. Fox, 243 Myrtle avenue; A. Steinman, corner of Fifth and North Seventh streets, all second class.

INJUNCTIONS.

Third precinct, Captain Greer—G. Scmidt and W. Hall Kamp, 183 Reade street.

Fourth precinct, Captain Thorne—C. Peterson, 78 James street; J. Bush, 14 Chatham street; Jas Reilley, 83 Oliver street and 35 Madison street; D. Kolster, 55 Rose street; M. H. Boyson, 53 Chatham street; H. Beine, 29 Frankfort street; B. Jurgens, 229 William street; C. Osiker, 332 Water street; A. Fonoll, 242 William street; H. Tietjen, 85 James street; H. Kilo, 210 William street.

Sixth precinct, Captain Jourdan—H. F. Cordes, 89 Elm street; H. Jno. Fitzgerald, 49 Baxter street; H. Mahaken, 9 Pearl street; F. Glander, 54 Mott street; C. Bade, 70 Bayard street; G. H. Grainar, 62 Mott street; H. Nienger, 27 Baxter street; H. Shohmann, 159 Worth street.

Seventh precinct, Captain Jamison—J. Baker, 62 East Broadway; C. Clark, 86 Henry street; J. Savage, 245 Cherry street; O. Moran, 146 Cherry street; J. Clark, 154 East Broadway; M. McMahan, 209 Division street; R. Evans, 243 Cherry street; C. Lutz, 143 Division street; A. Frise, 121 Cherry street.

Eighth precinct, Captain Mills—F. Myer, 165 Spring street; F. Vogt, 157 Greene street; W. Miller, 128 Spring street; J. B. Roome, 87 Mercer street; A. E. Newman, 79 Sullivan street; A. Hillser, 94 Prince street; (applied on Monday for a license, and on being refused took out an injunction on Tuesday.)

Ninth precinct, Captain Sebring—A. Ott, 60 Greenwich street; by Judge Brady.

Tenth precinct, Captain Davis—Albert Happach, 151 East Houston street; C. Illinger, 61 Eldridge street; John Reicherter, 151 Eldridge street; G. Schneider, 281 Grand street; W. Wahlman, 58 Chrystie street; L. Reuter, 305½ Broome street; L. Riege & Godfred Apaeflie, in basement under Essex Market.

Eleventh precinct, Captain Ulman—L. Gregnich, 240 Second street; S. Karnuff, 159 Attorney street; A. Schneider, 241 Third street.

Thirteenth precinct, Captain Helm—James Woods, 64 Willett street; Pat. Boylan, 63 Broome street; Henry W. Miller, 82 Broome street.

Fourteenth precinct, Capt. Williamson—G. A. Doerge, 522 Broadway; Jas. McNamara, 28 Howard street; F. C. Wilberund, 195 Mott street; A. Hatch, 564 Broadway; D. Stegland, 11 and 39 Howard street; Wm. Walkerling, 207 Hester street; C. H. Behnker, 148 Baxter street.

Fifteenth precinct, Captain Caffrey—Daniel Dooling, 233 Thompson street.

Seventeenth precinct, Captain Mount—Schoveiger & Nebeller, 239 Fifth street; A. Luckhardt, 185 and 187 Second street; F. Schwartz, 84 avenue B; John Merdian, 123 avenue A; C. Schwarzkopf, 38 First avenue; George Juckschbierdi, 305 Fifth street; Anton Sauer, 128 Third street; Charles Kolb, 227 Fifth street; V. Benner, No. 1 avenue A; Morgan Burke, No. 4 First street; George Schmidt, 222 First avenue; Charles Beaudell, No. 1 First avenue.

Twentieth precinct, Captain Petty (acting)—Dennis Whitney, 534 Eleventh avenue.

Twenty-second precinct, Captain Ward—Philip Abrens, 424 West Fifty-fourth street.

Twenty-eighth precinct, Captain Dickson—Chas. Suss, 346 Hudson street.

Twenty-ninth precinct, Captain Speight—Michael Schmitt, 449 Sixth avenue; Thomas Thomky, 1,178 Broadway; Jos. Rassecher, 263 Sixth avenue; Henry Beckman, 87 West Nineteenth street.

Thirtieth precinct, Captain Slott—E. Breid, corner of Broadway and Manhattan street; Caper Reindel, corner of Tenth avenue and 125th street.

Thirty-first precinct, Captain Bogart—John B. Gayer, southwest corner of Seventy-second street and Eighth avenue; J. Hasenwinkle, corner of Eighth avenue and 100th street.

JUSTICE DOWLING AND THE LIQUOR DEALERS—NO MORE COMPLAINTS.

Inasmuch as the highest Criminal Judge (Recorder Hackett), of the city, has decided the Excise law to be unconstitutional, Justice Dowling, by advice of District Attorney Hall, has decided to entertain no more complaints against the liquor dealers until the validity of the law shall have been passed upon by the Court of Appeals. The police captains will be officially notified of the course advised by the District Attorney, but it is expected they will be governed entirely by the orders received from General Superintendent Kennedy and the Police Commissioners. Two men arrested for excise violations were yesterday brought before Justice Dowling and discharged in compliance with District Attorney Hall's suggestions. After Recorder Hackett's decision was promulgated a meeting of the police magistrates, for the purpose of agreeing upon some course to pursue in the matter, was contemplated; but the idea seems to have been abandoned, and each magistrate will therefore act upon his own convictions, if not governed in his line of duty by the advice of the prosecuting officer of the county.

BEFORE JUSTICE SHANDLEY.

Only one case of violating the Excise law was yesterday before Justice Shandley. The name of the prisoner is John D. Meyer, of 18 Rivington street. He was held in $100 bail to answer before the Court of General Sessions.

ACTION OF THE BROOKLYN SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

In this court yesterday a number of applications were made for injunctions against the Excise Commissioners on the part of liquor dealers of Brooklyn. Judge Gilbert refused all such applications, but intimated that he will give counsel an opportunity at a future day to renew those applications. About fifty injunctions in favor of Brooklyn dealers have been granted by New York Judges.

MEETING OF LIQUOR DEALERS.

The New York Liquor Dealers' Society last night met at the Metropolitan Rooms, in Hester street, when the question was discussed whether it would not be a good idea that everybody connected with the association should take out an injunction against the Board of Excise. Some were opposed to this injunction business, among others, Colonel French. Mr. Williams, the President, and others argued that the Excise law can only be defeated in a legal way. They spoke in favor of the injunction system. No resolutions in reference to these matters were passed, but a large amount of routine business was transacted.

Judge Brady on the Excise Law—Judge Cardozo Sustained.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS—CHAMBERS.

Before Judge Brady.

JULY 3.—At the opening of the court Mr. Stalknecht made application on behalf of several of his clients for injunctions against the Excise Commissioners.

Judge Brady, in reply, remarked:—I regret very much the necessity that exists for these injunctions—a necessity, however, occasioned by the determination of the Board of Excise to enforce a law which has been declared by Judge Cardozo, after solemn deliberation, to be unconstitutional. This Court possesses the same power to do what has been done in reference to that law as the Supreme Court, and though a decision by one of its judges is not that of the whole court, yet that decision, until reversed upon argument before all the judges sitting in General Term, is the law of the Court, whatever may be the opinion of the other judges formed without hearing the arguments upon the question presented. The decision is more binding upon the Board of Excise who are not a Court of Review, but who are acting as such, and assume the power of reversing in effect the judgment of a Court of competent jurisdiction. They still act under the law which has been declared to be void, and compel the person threatened with process to seek his protection by injunction. This course of conduct is not calculated to teach obedience to judicial authority, and may lead to a spirit of insubordination which even the Board of Excise may regret. I intend no disrespect by these remarks. I am acquainted with some of the gentlemen composing the Board whom I regard as my friends, but I cannot commend the spirit with which they have received the decision of Judge Cardozo, and for the attitude of disrespect, if not defiance, which they have assumed.

Injunctions were granted in the cases in question.

Order of Arrest Against Police Officers.

In the Court of Common Pleas yesterday Judge Cardozo issued an order of arrest against Captain Ward and Sergeant Loudes, of the Twenty-Second precinct, for the illegal detention of Jacob Miller, bartender in the employ of M. J. Groh, who was arrested on Sunday, the 24th ult. It appears that after the arrest of Miller, which occurred in the afternoon, Justice Connolly, who had been appealed to by the friends of Miller, came down to the Fourth District Police Court, and opening court, notified Captain Ward officially to that effect, directing him to produce all prisoners then in his custody, that they might be dealt with as the law directs. This order Captain Ward, in the spirit of the assumption of extrajudicial authority which seems to prevail at headquarters, saw fit to disregard, and Miller was accordingly held till the following morning, when Justice Kelly discharged him for want of sufficient evidence of an offence having been committed. An action for false imprisonment is being commenced. The order for arrest is in five thousand dollars.

Justice Connolly and the Police.

At the Fourth District Police Court yesterday morning some five persons charged with a violation of the excise law were brought up. In accordance with the statement made by him yesterday morning as to the course which he should pursue in regard to these cases, Justice Connolly discharged the prisoners, on the ground that the offence charged against them had been declared by a superior criminal and civil jurisdiction to be one of that character. He likewise expressed a hope that, pending a review by a competent court of the decisions given by the Courts of Common Pleas and General Sessions against the constitutionality of the law under which these arrests are made, the Commissioners and Superintendent would instruct their subordinates to cease making these arrests, as, unless such decisions are reversed the citizen offending against this statute is guilty of no offence for which a committal can be made by a police justice.

Other cases being brought in, in the afternoon, Justice Connolly dismissed the parties and stated that in all future arrests of this character, if the party arrested would make an affidavit setting forth the circumstances of the illegal interference in his business he would lock the officer up for being guilty of conduct tending to cause a breach of the peace. Justice Connolly proposes to instruct the Commissioners and Mr. Superintendent Kennedy that when a Court possessing competent jurisdiction to decide upon a question of constitutional law does exercise this judicial function the police, who are simply servants of the law, must respect its decisions, and should they lose sight of this, and seek to assume the powers of superior judiciary, it becomes necessary that they should be instructed as to what their duty is in the premises. In the cases brought before Justice Connolly on Monday an error occurred in stating that some of these were held in $300 bail; they were simply held in their own recognizance of $100 to answer when called on.

NAVY BULLETIN.

DETACHED—JUNE 25.

Assistant Surgeon James M. Flint, from the receiving ship at Baltimore, and ordered to the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

APPOINTED—JUNE 25.

Wm. V. Marmien, George S. Calbeth, J. N. Kidder, Ernest D. Martin, Thos. K. Brown, Adam Trace, Robert A. Wheedon, Edward H. Ware, Assistant Surgeons in the Navy.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Third Assistant Engineer Gustavus A. Pfeltz has resigned. Midshipman Joel Hall, from the Second Congressional district of Connecticut died of typhoid fever on the 22d of June at the Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland.

The Pacific Squadron.

GOOD CONDITION OF A MAJORITY OF THE FLEET—THE TUSCARORA ORDERED TO VISIT ALL THE COMMERCIAL PORTS BETWEEN CALLAO AND VALPARAISO AND PROTECT AMERICAN INTERESTS.

WASHINGTON, July 3, 1866.

The Navy Department has received a communication from Acting Rear Admiral Pearson, commanding the Pacific squadron, dated Bay of Callao, June 1, in which he gives the following report concerning the condition and employment of the vessels of which it is composed:—

The flag ship Powhatan is in good condition and will remain at Callao until the 20th of June, when she will proceed to Panama and there meet the Lancaster on her arrival at that place. The steamer Lancaster is repairing at Mare Island Navy Yard, but is expected to be ready for her officers and crew by the middle of June. The steamer Suwanee is in good condition and was in the Gulf of California at last advices. The steamer Saginaw is getting ready at the Mare Island Navy Yard to assist the Western Union Telegraph Company. The ship St. Marys needs repairs, and will be ordered to Mare Island in a few days. The steamer Suwanee is in excellent condition, and now at Valparaiso, Chile. The steamer Mohongo is ordered to Guayaquil, and when no longer needed there to proceed to Panama and the ports of Central America. She is in good condition.

The steamer Tuscarora is in good condition and ordered to visit all the commercial ports between Callao and Valparaiso, and should she find the Spanish fleet in any port to remain there for the protection of American interests. Should she not meet the Spanish fleet, then to proceed to Valparaiso.

The steamer Waterce is very foul. She is to be docked and then sent wherever most needed. The steamer Nyack is in good condition and now at Callao, but will proceed to Panama in a few days to relieve the St. Marys. The storeship Fredonia is at Callao in excellent condition. The storeship Farallones is now at Panama and in good condition.

BROOKLYN INTELLIGENCE.

CARELESS USE OF FIREARMS—A MAN SHOT IN THE NECK.—Between seven and eight o'clock on Tuesday evening, as Mr. Hugh Chistal was riding through Marcy avenue, E. D., he felt a slight concussion as if hit by a stone. On placing his hand on the injured part he found blood flowing, and it was subsequently ascertained to have been caused by a pistol bullet in the hands of some unknown person. The wounded man was taken to the Forty-ninth precinct station. His injuries are not dangerous.

MATTERS AT THE NAVY YARD.—Upwards of four hundred workmen were discharged from the Brooklyn Navy Yard a few days ago. The discharged men are classified as follows:—Thirty-two joiners, eighty-one carpenters, thirty-three caulmakers, eighty-four blacksmiths and helpers, fourteen sawmill men, seven coopers, &c., including oakum, painters, sparmakers and others.

COMMISSIONERS OF PROSPECT PARK.—Judge Gilbert, of the Supreme Court, by authority vested in him, yesterday made the appointment of the new Commissioners of Prospect park:—Elias Ludlam, Tenn's G. Bergen, Grenville T. Jenks, Henry C. Murphy, Jr., and Wm. M. Thomas.

THE NEW MASONIC TEMPLE.—An adjourned meeting of the Masonic bodies of the Western District was held night before last at the rooms of Anglo-Saxon Lodge. James M. Fuller occupied the chair. The object of the meeting was the election of twenty-five trustees, who are to erect the new Masonic Temple. The following are the names of the gentlemen chosen:—Nathan B. Morse, William E. Osborn, D. T. Gray, Henry W. Karn, Harvey Farrington, John C. Smith, Aaron Morley, William M. Shipman, William H. De Bevoise, Ezekiel Baldwin, Charles Lowrey, John M. Reilly, Abell C. Willmarth, Charles Kirby, M. F. Gale, William E. Sprague, David Cavan, Joshua W. Osborn, Gardner S. Hutchinson, Lewis McMullen, Daniel T. Walden, Jeremiah Box, Nathaniel F. Waring, J. Hillyer, Stephen Hayner. Inspectors of the next election—Richard F. Toombs, Arthur Poole, James E. Underhill.

Brooklyn Law Intelligence.

THE OTERO MURDERERS.

In the Kings county Court of Oyer and Terminer yesterday, before Judge Gilbert and Justices Hoyt and Voorhees, District Attorney Morris moved that the sentences of Gonzales and Pellicer, the murderers of Señor Otero, stand over to the General Term of the court. The General Term will not assemble till September, and as the case will have to come back again to the Court of Oyer and Terminer the hanging of the prisoners will devolve upon a sheriff not yet elected.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

Before Judge Benedict.

In this court a number of causes and returns of process, through an inadvertence, are made returnable on the 4th inst. All such cases, without further notice, will be in order on Thursday, the 5th inst.

News Items.

A man in Iowa, Jacob Ketch by name, loaded a toy cannon with a marble for a ball, put the muzzle in his mouth, touched it off with a match and blew out his few brains.

A man named Jencks Howard, proof reader in the office of the Detroit *Post*, was arrested on the 28th for a murder committed on a Mississippi steamboat, two years ago.

The Chicago police made three thousand five hundred and ninety-eight arrests during the last municipal year, of which only eighty-four were of native Americans.

The Boston and Worcester Railroad Company have erected in the former city a model lodging house for employés of the road. It contains fifty rooms, and is fitted up with most modern conveniences.

A bass, weighing thirty-six pounds, was caught in the Connecticut river the other day.

An Indiana woman testified in court that she was sixteen years old, had been twice married and had two children.

Some veterans of the Mexican war, living in Madison, Indiana, have petitioned Governor Morton to be allowed to carry, on the 4th of July, the flag they followed to victory at Buena Vista.

Isaac Van Aucken, who murdered his wife and stepdaughter about a week ago at Adrian, Mich., has made a full confession.

Philadelphia thieves will become as proverbial for their sharpness as the lawyers of the Quaker city. "Meter inspector" is their last gag.

At the works of the Dickson Manufacturing Company, in Scranton, Pennsylvania, on the 21st ult., a man named Thomas O'Donnell, was terribly and probably fatally burned by melted iron. The iron seared all parts of his body except the head, neck and hands.

A boiler explosion in Chicago on the 27th ult., at the machine shops of the Northwestern Railroad, damaged badly a good deal of property and injured several persons, but none of them fatally.

On Tuesday last, in Baltimore, the Chesapeake Bank and another mysteriously lost about $19,000 apiece.

The wife of a Baltimore clothing merchant, who is in Europe, eloped on the 26th with the former colonel of a New York cavalry regiment, taking $11,000 of her husband's money, which she had authority to draw from bank. They were overhauled at York, Pennsylvania, the erring wife brought back, but the Colonel and the money eluded capture.

A storehouse of the Boston and Maine Foundry Company, at South Reading, Massachusetts, was burned on Thursday last. Loss $50,000.

A Portland man has invented a coffin lid with a mirror in it, so that the face of the deceased is visible to them at a distance. This will help expedite funeral ceremonies.

Five new ministers were graduated at the Hartford Seminary last week.

The valedictory oration at the approaching commencement of Yale College, has been assigned to F. N. Judson, of New Haven, and the salutatory to Hamilton Ora, of Cleveland, N. Y.

A swindling concern at New Haven, which by false pretences had obtained several thousand dollars worth of goods from New York, was broken up on the 26th ult. by the police.

The German singers of Buffalo, Erie, Cleveland and Pittsburg have determined to hold their next annual festival at Erie City on the 20th, 21st and 22d of August.

A man in Springfield, Ill., who has an income of $52,000, will refuse to pay his tax in order to test the constitutionality of the law imposing it.

In California marinis pelican eggs are for sale.

FIRES.

Destructive Fires in Brooklyn.

DESTRUCTION OF AN EXTENSIVE LIVERY STABLE—BLOODED RACE HORSES BURNED TO DEATH—LOSS THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS—FIREMAN KILLED—THE WORK OF AN INCENDIARY.

Between eleven and twelve o'clock on last Monday night afire was discovered in the extensive livery stable of Thomas C. Jackson, in Atlantic street, near Classon avenue, Brooklyn. The inflammable character of the contents of the building caused the flames to spread with great rapidity, and before the firemen could stretch their hose and get fairly to work the fire had made such headway as to preclude the possibility of saving anything. The stable was filled with fine trotting stock, splendid blooded horses, fancy wagons, cabriolets, phaetons, coalbox wagons, skeleton wagons and other fashionable equipages. Among the celebrated horses lost by this occurrence were the Hambletonian trotter Mystery, valued at $3,000; the trotting horse Red Jacket, an old favorite, valued at $1,500; the trotting stallion Sunshine, valued at $1,000; Peculiar, valued at $1,000, and five other horses of a total value of $1,500. There were also consumed four splendid coaches and six trotting wagons, with harness complete, valued at $3,380, besides hay and feed to the value of $250. The loss on the stables, exclusive of what they contained is $6,000, making Mr. Jackson's personal loss about $17,480. The building is insured in the Montauk Fire Insurance Company for $1,700. The loss on equipages and additional horses and livery is estimated at $10,000, making the total loss not far from $30,000. From a cursory inquiry into the facts attending the fire there is no doubt but that it was the work of an incendiary. A colored man named Philip H. Richardson, who was previously employed as a workman about the stables, but who was discharged a few days ago, was arrested by officer Carr, of the Forty-fourth precinct, on suspicion of being the incendiary.

Edward Clock, a member of Engine Company No. 9, as he was proceeding to the above fire, was knocked down in Fulton street, near Hamilton, by a hose carriage running near the engine. In his fall he dislocated his neck, causing almost instant death.

FIRE IN BALTIC STREET.

Yesterday morning a Mrs. Knight residing in the two story frame building in Baltic street, near Franklin avenue, went to New York on a visit, leaving her two children, aged respectfully two and four years, locking them in her apartments. After she had gone the children put a quantity of straw on the stove, to which they set fire. The smoke in the room was very dense, and the cries of the children in consequence thereof brought the neighbors to the rescue. The children were finally saved through a rear window, but the house and its contents were entirely consumed.

Fires in New York.

FIRE IN WEST THIRTY-NINTH STREET.

Shortly before five o'clock yesterday morning a fire broke out in the distillery of S. E. Bohn & Co., No. 25 Abattoir place, West Thirty-ninth street. The fire spread to the adjoining premises No. 26, occupied by Fitzpatrick & Dolan, dealers in fat and hides. Nos. 27 and 28, occupied by A. H. Simons as a slaughter house, were also considerably damaged. S. E. Bohn's loss is estimated at about $5,000; said to be insured. Fitzpatrick & Dolan estimate their loss at about $500; insured for $1,000. Mr. Simons' loss amounts to about $500; no insurance. The cause of the fire is at present unknown. The loss on the buildings may be estimated at about $3,000; partly insured.

FIRE IN CHERRY STREET.

About eleven o'clock on Tuesday morning a fire occurred in a bedroom on the fourth floor of tenement house No. 384 Cherry street, in premises occupied by David McQuinny, supposed to have been caused by a child playing with matches. The damage to the furniture will be about $300; no insurance. The stock of groceries on the first floor owned by Mrs. H. Finkeldey, were damaged about $50 by water; insured for $2,000 in the Hope Insurance Company. The building is owned by Mr. Morrel. It is damaged about $400; insured.

FIRE IN CENTRE STREET.

The alarm of fire at about four o'clock yesterday afternoon originated from No. 245 centre street, on the roof of the building, supposed to have been caused by fireworks. Damage about one hundred dollars.

FIRE IN ELDRIDGE STREET.

The alarm of fire at about five o'clock was caused by a fire on the shingle roof of building No. 82 Eldridge street, owned by N. Harris and occupied by T. Lyle and others. Damage to building about one hundred and fifty dollars and to furniture one hundred dollars. No insurance. Fire caused by fire crackers thrown on the roof from an adjoining tenement building.

FIRE IN WORTH STREET.

About half-past ten o'clock a fire was discovered in No. 132 Worth street, rag store, owned by Thomas Shaughnessy. Damage about two hundred dollars. Insured for six hundred dollars in the Astor Insurance Company. The building is damaged about twenty-five dollars. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Large Fire in Dunkirk, New York.

BUFFALO, July 3, 1866.

The most destructive fire ever known in Dunkirk, N. Y., occurred there yesterday. It broke out about one o'clock in the morning, in Dr. Smith's drug store, in Merchants' Exchange Block, and, spreading through the entire block, extended to the Farmers' Hotel, and thence to Mr. Willey's and Mr. Keyes'[illegible] houses across Center street, and to Daniel Loeb's Concert Hall, dwelling house and saloon, and finally to the residence of A. F. Fisher; all of which were speedily consumed, together with John Coney's and Charles Willey's livery stables, a blacksmith's shop and other property. Fortunately, there was but little wind at the time, otherwise a large portion of the village would have been destroyed. The following are the losers and losses:—Dr. Smith, stock and building $18,000; insurance, $9,500; R. L. Cary, hardware, $11,000, mostly insured; J. H. Van Buren, drygoods, $2,500; E. C. Williams, druggist, $500; Dr. J. C. Matteson, lost library, surgical instruments, &c.; Dr. Byron Rathbun, dentist, $800; insurance, $300; Young Men's Christian Union lost all their furniture; W. W. Brigham, assessor, and Dr. O. Benedict, deputy collector, lost his books, papers saved; Dr. L. G. Hall, $150; Daniel Marcey, Farmers' Hotel, $2,000; furniture mostly saved; Charles Willey, $1,200; furniture mostly saved; O'Marroe's block damaged, $400; John Coney, $350; Edward Keyes' dwelling, blacksmith shop and barn, $3,000; Daniel Loeb, $8,000; A. F. Fisher, $400; Joseph Nelson, [illegible] store and dwelling, damaged $1,500; insured.

Fire in Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 3, 1866.

This afternoon Daniel Smith's planing mill and moulding factory, on Thirteenth street, near the canal, and William McLean's lumber yard, near by, were destroyed by fire. Smith's loss $15,000; no insurance. McLean's loss is supposed to be $50,000; insurance only $5,000.

Alleged Attempted Murder on the High Seas.

UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

Before Commissioner Osborn.

Frank Allen, who had been charged on the previous day with having attempted to kill the mate of the English steamer William Penn, while on the high seas, was again brought up for examination yesterday. The point raised by defendant's counsel that the Court had no jurisdiction, inasmuch as defendant had not fled from the authority of England, but was in the custody of the officers of the ship, was overruled by the Commissioner, who proceeded with the testimony of Edward Billings, master of the William Penn. The evidence, so far as it went, disclosed no fact against the accused. The case was adjourned till Friday next at ten o'clock.

Political News.

SECOND MAINE DISTRICT.—In the Congressional Convention at which Sidney Perham was renominated the other day, forty-one delegates refused to vote.

NEW ADMINISTRATION PAPER IN MAINE.—A new paper is to be established at Augusta, Me., to support the policy of Andrew Johnson. Its motto will be, "Support the government."

THE CALL FOR THE PHILADELPHIA CONVENTION.—A Washington correspondent says the call for the National Convention at Philadelphia was prepared by Secretary Seward.

FOURTEENTH OHIO DISTRICT.—Martin Walker, it is reported, will receive the republican nomination in this district.

FOURTH NEW JERSEY DISTRICT.—General Edward Jardine is mentioned as the probable nominee of the republicans.

FIFTH NEW JERSEY DISTRICT.—It is reported that General R. R. V. Wright, having recovered his health, will be the democratic candidate for re-election to Congress.

College Commencement.

WORCESTER, July 3, 1866.

The Commencement of the College of the Holy Cross took place to-day. Governor Bullock and staff and Bishop Williams were present. The graduating class was large.

Died.

CLOCK.—In Brooklyn, suddenly, on Monday evening, July 2, while in the performance of his duty, EDWARD F. CLOCK, aged 31 years.

The relatives and friends of the family, also the active and honorary members of Continental Engine Company No. 9, Volunteer Fire Department in general, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday afternoon, at three o'clock, from the Carlton avenue Methodist Episcopal church.

HOMANY.—At Jersey City, on Tuesday, July 3, of congestion of the brain, HENRY F. HOMANY, aged 58 years. His remains will be taken to Riverhead, Long Island, for interment on Thursday.

(*For Other Deaths See Sixth Page.*)

SHIPPING NEWS.

Movements of Ocean Steamers.

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.

FROM EUROPE.

Names.	Leave.	Date.	For.
Ericsson	Bremen	June 20	New York
Scotland	Liverpool	June 20	New York
Damascus	Liverpool	June 21	Quebec
City of Manchester	Liverpool	June 23	New York
Iowa	Glasgow	June