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AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

- BOOTH'S THEATRE, 141st St. Between 5th and 6th Aves.
WALLACK'S THEATRE, Broadway and 12th Street.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE, corner of Eighth Avenue and 23d St.
OLYMPIA THEATRE, Broadway—New Version of HAMLET.
FIFTH AVENUE THEATRE, Twenty-fourth St.—PROF. FEAG.
WOOD'S MUSEUM AND MENAGERIE, Broadway, corner Thirtieth St.—Matinee daily.
NIBLO'S GARDEN, Broadway—THE DRAMA OF THE EMERALD KING.
FRENCH THEATRE, 14th St. and 6th Av.—FRENCH OPERA—LA PERICHOLE.
BOBBY THEATRE, Bowery—BRIAN BOBOIRNE—JOLLY BEN BOWLING, &c.
ACADEMY OF MUSIC, 14th Street—ENGLISH OPERA—MANTRA.
NEW YORK STATE THEATRE, Nos. 46 and 47 Bowery—Opera Buffo—SARIE BLISS.
MRS. F. B. CONWAY'S PARK THEATRE, Brooklyn—THE LADY OF LYONS—THE GOOD FOR NOTHING.
TONY PASTOR'S OPERA HOUSE, 201 Bowery—COMIC VOCALISM, NEGRO MINSTRELS, &c.
THEATRE COMIQUE, 34 Broadway—COMIC VOCALISM, NEGRO ACTS, &c.
BRANTON'S OPERA HOUSE, Tammany Building, 14th St.—BRANTON'S MINSTRELS.
SAN FRANCISCO MINSTRELS, 559 Broadway—STATION MINSTRELS, NEGRO ACTS, &c.—12 TEMPTATIONS.
KELLY & LEON'S MINSTRELS, 720 Broadway—STATION MINSTRELS, NEGRO ACTS, &c.
NEW YORK CIRCUS, Fourteenth Street—EQUESTRIAN AND GYMNASTIC PERFORMANCES, &c.
HOOVER'S OPERA HOUSE, Brooklyn—HOOVER'S MINSTRELS—THE BLACK STATION, &c.
APOLLO HALL, corner 28th Street and Broadway—THE NEW HIBERNICAN.
NEW YORK MUSEUM OF ANATOMY, 615 Broadway—SCIENCE AND ART.

New York, Friday, March 18, 1870.

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AFFAIRS IN TENNESSEE are reported getting worse. Threats are said to have been made that if another reconstruction of the State is attempted Union men will be slaughtered.

THE CASE OF REPRESENTATIVE BUTLER, OF TENNESSEE, charged with selling a cadetship, was disposed of by the House yesterday. A resolution to expel him received a decided majority, but failed for want of a two-thirds vote.

SPEAKER HITCHMAN yesterday presented to the Assembly the New York City and County Tax Levy bills for the ensuing year. The estimates for the city aggregate \$4,390,745, and those for the county \$2,004,232.

YESTERDAY MORNING four men and a boy lost their lives by an accidental explosion of nitro-glycerine near Hackensack, N. J. The cause of the accident has not been clearly ascertained, but we suppose it resulted from careless handling of the material.

A PARTY IN THE FOURTH WARD—"Bucky McCabe" is the latest hero of city sensation, and is the freest shooter of all. He has his drink at the bar and his friends drank with him, and then the mercenary landlord demanded pay.

IF BURT KNOWS HOW.—There is reason and truth in what is said by the representative of the English holders of Erie stock—that the law giving the present management of the road an indefinite lease of life is oppressive and unjust to the large majority of the stockholders.

The Rumpus in the Democratic Family—Much Ado About Nothing.

There seems to be a very general interest felt outside the State in the result of the rumpus in the democratic family here and in Albany. The broil is supposed, by people removed some distance from the scene of commotion, to mean a total and terrible rupture in the harmonious relations among the leaders of the ruling party in this State.

But never fear, good people in the rural and radical districts, that the careering young democracy, with its youthful knights errant and erratic, the crowing Creamer, the lusty Norlon, the genial Genet and the rest of the like and active spirits of the latest revolutionary movement, will perform the whole programme for which you give them credit.

If, in the elegant language of the gladiatorial philosopher, Hon. Jack Morrissey, "things is fixed" now, the old hands into which the spoils of other days were wont to fall will have to make more room for the numerous applicants for the delights of office and emoluments.

The young democracy can hardly get along without the old. Their experience is crude, brief and local. A national convention for the nomination of a Presidential candidate, and the drawing up of a sound and successful party platform, would be apt to suffer in the hands of Jupiter Norlon and Hon. Jack Morrissey.

THE LATEST NEWS OF THE NEW CHARTER FIGHT.—The last story is that the terms of peace are agreed upon. The statement of the terms of peace is a statement of the price of the men who make war on Tammany in the name of virtue and good government.

THE EVIDENCES OF FISK, JR., can be credited, the Wall street magnates hold spicy opinions of each other. Vanderbilt, we are told, thinks Drew not "better than a baiter pulling," and Fisk agrees with the Commodore.

Lively Times in Richmond.

It will be seen by the despatches published elsewhere that the people of Richmond are enjoying a rare scene of excitement. Some time ago the Virginia Legislature enacted a law vacating all the offices held by military appointees and authorizing the Governor to appoint new officers.

Yesterday, the 17th of March, A. D. 1870, was a famous day in the annals of the City of New York to one of the oldest nationalities of the world and to the most powerful nationality in the metropolis. It was the great feast of Purim for the sons of Israel and St. Patrick's Day for the sons of Erin.

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BRITISH POLITICAL AND COLONIAL DIFFICULTIES.

The British government declines to give Parliament precise information concerning the late rebellion in the Red River Territory just at present. Mr. Gladstone tells the House of Commons that two of the Fenian political convicts have "gone mad."

The Late Heavy Storms—The Danger of Spring Freshets—A Timely Warning.

Since Saturday last, the 12th instant, very heavy storms have prevailed over nearly the whole area of the United States, from the seaboard to the Rocky Mountains, and beyond the farthest points in the British Possessions from which we have any information.

From all points in the interior of this State and of Pennsylvania, and the far West this vernal equinoctial, with its snow fall of nearly two feet, resulted in a general blockade of the railroads and in numerous accidents from the crashing in or blowing off of the roofs of rickety buildings.

Altering Certified Checks.

Wall street is prolific of frauds of all kinds, but the most serious of all is the alteration of certified checks by substituting figures expressing larger sums for the originals—a little game which has been recently discovered.

MR. WILSON'S EXPLANATION.

The statement of the London agent of the Associated Press shows that he received the telegram announcing the arrival of the steamer City of Boston at Queenstown from a good source, and at least definitely fixes from whence it came into his hands.

ROBESON'S REASONS.—Secretary Robeson, who was up before the House Committee on Foreign Affairs yesterday, gives as a reason why so few vessels are in Cuban waters that many of the ships were looking after affairs in St. Domingo and at other points.

THE PRIVILEGED CLASSES IN GREAT BRITAIN.—THE GAME LAWS.—How bold has become the democracy in Great Britain!

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