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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1871.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

—Gold closed in New York, yesterday, at 11⅛a11¼.

—Cotton closed strong at 18½c. for uplands; ales 2790 bales.

—In Liverpool cotton closed steady; uplands 9⅛a9⅜d, Orleans 9⅛a9⅜d; sales 10,000 bales.

—St. Louis is said to be full of young men, clerks and drummers, lately in the employ of Chicago houses, seeking places. St. Louis merchants are sending them out as fast as possible to the old customers of the Chicago trade.

—It is intimated that a new effort will be made, during the coming winter, to induce Congress to pass an international copyright law. Those who have the project in charge claim to have assurances of thorough co-operation in England, France and Germany.

—A French translation of "The Battle of Dorking" is having great success in Paris. The idea of London being subjected to the same bitter humiliation as that lately inflicted on the capital of France is highly agreeable to Gallic taste.

—The chairman of the Chicago Relief Aid Society makes a further appeal for aid for the sufferers. He says that they are now caring for over forty thousand people, with a very small stock of vegetables on hand, and very little coming in.

—Another fearful explosion has occurred in a coal mine near Newcastle, England. Thirty-three men were in the pit at the time, and, at the date of the last accounts, there was scarcely a hope of saving a single life. All the former scenes of distress among the families of the victims were being renewed.

—It having transpired that Duke Alexis is to go to the Greek Chapel in Lexington avenue, New York, on the Sabbath, the pastor is overwhelmed with applications for admission, the chapel being a private one. He pays no attention to them, but the pressure for admittance has admonished him of the necessity for applying for a policeman or two to preserve order at the entrance, which application has been granted.

—J. B. Lippincott & Co., of Philadelphia, have purchased, at a large price, the advance sheets of the "Life of Charles Dickens," by John Foster, the distinguished author of the "Life of Goldsmith," the "Life of Landor," &c. Mr. Foster's intimate relations with Mr. Dickens lead us to expect a work of great interest and standard value. It will be illustrated with portraits and fac-similes from steel.

—The financial transactions carried on in New York by "agents" on behalf of the State of Georgia are a matter of some anxiety as well as mystery to the people there. According to the Atlanta, Ga., Sun, early in the current year the firm of Henry Clews & Co. announced themselves "agents" for the State to sell its bonds. Lately State Treasurer Angier wrote to Clews & Co., requesting an account of their operations, and that firm replies that the Fourth National Bank of New York is the financial agent of Georgia, and adds: "Our firm has never held that appointment."

—The reported alliance between the English peers and the workingmen is said to be not so improbable as it seems at first thought. On more than one occasion, as at the time of the passage of the factory act, and the act shortening the hours of labor, a similar coalition has been made against the commercial classes, who have steadily resisted most of the claims of the workingmen. The latter have a veneration for hereditary estates and titles, and are only opposed to invested and active capital, and they are quite willing to join the aristocracy in order to gain an advantage over their employers.

—The anticipated arrest of Supervisor Tweed, the Tammany ringleader, in New York, in connection with the stupendous frauds upon the treasury of that city, took place on Friday, and, as stated by the telegraph, he immediately obtained release by giving bail in the sum of $2,000,000. This is the first act in the drama, which will doubtless disclose more villany than has ever been exhibited before the courts of New York or any other tribunal on earth. The developments which have been made by the committee who have examined into the frauds for which Tweed and his associates are held responsible show that during the last two years and eight months half the entire revenue of the city and county of New York for that time, and much more than the entire tax levy, has been diverted, or, as is charged, stolen by the ring. The amount thus diverted foots up over $19,500,000.

—The details of the Union torpedo explosion at New Orleans, last week, are at hand, and confirm the telegraphed accounts of its terrific violence. The immediate occasion of the accident was the collision of a street car with the dray that was transporting the torpedoes from the dock. That vehicle became at once a complete wreck, fragments of it being scattered about for fifty yards and a few scraps of pasteboard, white pine splinters and sawdust being all that was left to tell of its cargo. The driver, Connes, was instantly killed, every particle of his clothing save a portion of his undershirt having been literally torn from his person, and his right foot torn from his leg, just below the knee, and hurled through the air to Jackson square. Mr. Connes also had his skull fractured, one or two ribs broken, several bones broken in different parts of his body, and every tooth knocked out. The stores and saloons in the vicinity were severely damaged. The force of the concussion tore down plastering, shattered windows and glass doors, and broke bottles on the shelves by the score. Eight individuals were severely wounded. It was shown in testimony before the coroner that the shippers had represented the cases as containing ordinary merchandise. The consequence was that no extra care was taken of them on the voyage, and it was only by the merest chance or good luck that the vessel arrived at her destination without an explosion.

—The National Police Convention met at St. Louis on the 20th instant, twenty States being represented by about one hundred delegates. The object of the deliberations is the devising of measures for the speedier detection and more certain prevention of crime, the reformation of juvenile culprits, and other kindred matters. An address of welcome was delivered by Mr. C. A. Mantz, which was received with great applause. Mayor Brown, of St. Louis, was elected president, and made a capital speech in fullest harmony with the ideas of the convention. After the appointment of various committees and reading of various letters and telegrams, the day's session was concluded. On Saturday, the committee on business reported the following subjects for consideration: Improving the condition of neglected and abandoned youth; provididg for a systematic plan of transmitting detective information; the social evil; a police telegraphing system; photography; and reward for extraordinary services. Committees were appointed to consider each of these subjects. On Monday the committee on abandoned youth made a report recommending the establishment of educational and industrial schools on a national basis, which was referred to a committee of the whole for consideration. Reports were also made on the subject of transmitting detective information from one place to another, counselling a more perfect and practical method of operations, and on the "social evil" subject, which evil, it was thought, should be removed from the domain of the moralist and transferred to police surveillance. The St. Louis system was commended, and the report was referred to the committee of the whole. Other reports were read, and a proposition for forming a National Police Association was adopted. The report on the "social evil" was again taken up in the afternoon session, and adopted after an animated discussion; and then, after the usual vote of thanks, the convention adjourned to meet in Washington on the first Monday of next June.

"The Battle of Berlin."

We noticed, some time ago, the publication of a remarkable *brochure*, "The Battle of Dorking," prefiguring the future conquest of England by the Germans, with a circumstantiality of detail and soberness of comment which created a sensation in that country. This has been followed by "The Battle of Berlin," the object of which is to expose the dangers to Prussia from an aggrandizing policy, such as is likely to be encouraged by recent successes, or, perhaps, to ridicule the fears that are felt for this result.

To show the fate that waits on ambition, the author feigns that the Germans determine on seizing Heligoland, on hearing of which purpose the English minister at Berlin hurries home to England. War ensues. France, under the Duc d'Aumale and Gambetta, is inclined to increase its crops rather than retrieve its lost territory, and pledges itself to a strict neutrality. The war is begun, and very soon there is a revolution in Germany, and a republic is declared—Jacoby and Leibhardt coming to the front. The Emperor flees from Berlin, and Field Marshal Von Moltke, Generals Von Roon, Von Falkenstein, Von Steinmetz and Von Werder, as well as a host of minor notabilities, are taken prisoners, and, refusing to swear allegiance to the republic, are placed under strict confinement. The Council of the Republican League for awhile holds all power. There is a determined civil war between the forces of the republic and those which still follow the fortunes of the Emperor. A force of troops—British, Belgian and Dutch—crosses the frontier as the civil war waxes warm, and the Republicans celebrate its arrival. A series of victories is the result; Lord Napier, who is in command, being able to mingle business with pleasure, but liking to take the business first. The Emperor of Russia, from motives of his own, takes Emperor William's side, and sends over a horde of Cossacks to help him to regain his throne. They concentrate on the eastern frontier, and thus comes about the battle of Kœnigsberg, often called the battle of Berlin, because of the tremendous issues that were there decided. The Hohenzollern dynasty, that had consolidated so vast a power, was there made an end of, and whilst Republicanism reigns in Europe the erewhile Emperor of Germany, "in a little villa near Melbourne, only nominally in the custody of the Government, meditates upon the reverses of fortune. His aged eyes look upon a New World—the Old World, which he did so much to disturb, has passed from his sight forever."

Things just as startling as those in this extravaganza have followed the French designs upon the Rhine. It is to be observed, however, that the Emperor William, in his late address at the opening of the session of the Reichsrath, said that the foreign relations of the Empire were entirely satisfactory, and that there was no cause of anxiety in any quarter. So that the "Battle of Berlin" may be more remote than the "Battle of Dorking."

Minority Representation.

The people of Pennsylvania decided at the recent election to call a convention for revising the State Constitution, which, with an amendment or two—such as that which provides for the election of judges by the people—adopted without the aid of a convention, has stood the test of a whole generation. The journals of the State are already suggesting work for the convention in advance of the election of delegates; and in particular are urging attention to the question of minority representation, which is probably as important a subject as is likely to engage the deliberations of the body. This is fortunately a measure which can be considered upon its intrinsic merits, inasmuch as it can have no exclusive party bearing. While no one party can be benefited by it more than another, all parties may well unite in the material reform which it contemplates of rendering representation more just and equal than is possible under the existing system. Pennsylvania is entitled to the credit of having introduced, and to a limited extent given practical effect to this reform. It was through the persevering and truly patriotic efforts of ex-Senator Buckalew that the experiment was made in the local elections, at the place of his residence, and which has been repeated with so much satisfaction to the people. With such aid as Mr. Buckalew's sound judgment and experience will afford, it is hoped that some plan will be devised by the Pennsylvania Convention for a successful introduction of the system which will commend it to general adoption.

A British Republic.

A letter from George Potter has recently been published in the London *Times*, in which the merits of a monarchy and a republic are compared. Such a document, published in England, in the early part of this century, would have caused the imprisonment and probable conviction of treason of the writer, and of the proprietors of the *Times*. Mr. Potter advocates a republic as theoretically the best government for Great Britain, but admits that the monarchy, as established under Queen Victoria, is perfectly satisfactory to most intelligent Englishmen. He speaks kindly of the Queen, for which act of courtesy he is severely censured by other members of the Republican party of England. Mr. Potter, however, is not sure that the successors of Queen Victoria will be fit to reign. He thinks that the monarchy might survive if the House of Lords were made elective, many of the present hereditary members being, in his opinion, entirely disqualified as legislators from their evil courses of life. The Church, he also argues, must be disestablished, the ballot adopted, and electoral districts of equal population created for the selection of members of the House of Commons. These are Mr. Potter's views, but Great Britain, at the present time, approaches very nearly the condition of a republic. The Queen reigns, but does not govern, and the Prime Minister, whether Liberal or Conservative, rules, by virtue of his majority in the House of Commons, and can pass measures over a hostile vote in the House of Lords, either by the exercise of executive power or by the threat to create Peers. The disestablishment of the Irish Church, and the abolition of the purchase of commissions in the British army, by Mr. Gladstone, are sufficient proof that in England the real authority and power are entrusted to the Premier.

The Charleston Election—Sound Doctrine from a Radical Paper.

[From the Columbia Union.]

The writ of *Mandamus* in the Charleston election case was summarily disposed of Saturday evening. Judge Graham very properly figured the matter down to two points, the first of which was the singular fact that the contestants had failed to produce the protest; secondly, the Supreme Court, in the case of Pillsbury and others, had decided that the City Council of Charleston had no right to pass judicially upon the validity of an election. These points stated, there was no case before the court. The matter came to an end as if the bottom had been knocked out, and the many prominent men of the legal fraternity of Charleston departed gleefully. We trust that those dissatisfied Republicans, who were unwilling to abide by the decision of the people at the ballot-box, are now satisfied of one thing, and that is, that contesting seats, where there are no legal grounds, is an up-hill business. All true Republicans ought to feel gratified with the result of Saturday's work.

Hostetter's Bitters.

SINKING FAST.—PALE, MISERABLE, discouraged, without relish for food, without energy enough for exertion, yet with no acute pain or other specific indication of disease, how often do we see feeble invalids fading as it were out of life without any apparent cause. We say of them that they are "sinking fast," or "sinking gradually," as the case may be. But there is no good reason why they should sink at all. Persons in this dead-alive state simply want invigorating and vitalizing. Nature, in a state of torpor, demands help. Bring out the reserve of vitality in the system, brace the nerves; tone the stomach, break up the morbid trance of body and mind with a course of HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS. It can be done. It has been done in thousands of instances. The effect upon the enervated frame is electric. Never give up, however languid and broken down. Remember that for the exhausted, the debilitated, the desponding, this powerful vegetable restorative is a genuine elixir. It is not a mere stimulant that provokes a transient flash of vigor in the system, and then leaves it in a more depressed condition than before. It removes the causes of debility by altering the secretions, and regulating the action of the internal organs, as well as reenforcing them. It is a particularly valuable medicine at this season, because it is an antidote to the malaria which produces intermittent fever, bilious colic and other disorders of the bowels prevalent in the fall.

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Meetings.

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By order of General R. H. ANDERSON, President.
oct31 THOMAS McCRADY, Secretary.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.—THE REGULAR Meeting of the St. Andrew's Society will be held at South Carolina Hall, THIS EVENING, at 7 o'clock.
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SOCIETY FOR THE RELIEF OF THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS OF THE CLERGY OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN SOUTH CAROLINA.—An adjourned meeting will be held on WEDNESDAY, 8th proximo, at the Mansion House, Broad street, at 1 o'clock, P. M.
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The ladies of the Ursuline Community, S. C., respectfully announce to their friends, and to the public, that the annual exercises of the Academy will commence September 1st. Their Institute being devoted to the education of youth, and each member having received a long and careful training for that purpose, the schools under their charge, as well in the various countries of Europe as in America, have never failed to win and retain the confidence of parents and guardians.

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The situation of the Convent is all that can be desired for health and beauty. The buildings are on elevated ground, about two miles from the Capital, and in the midst of an oak grove of twenty acres. It is within half an hour's drive from the depot, where omnibusses and baggage wagons await the arrival of passengers.

No distinction of religion will be made in the admission of pupils, nor will any undue influence be used over their religious principles; but, for the maintenance of good order, all will be required to attend the exercises of Divine Worship prescribed for the Academy.

From individuals or societies disposed to aid in the education of young ladies, applications for the admission of pupils, at reduced terms, will receive the most favorable consideration that the circumstances of the school will admit.

The Scholastic Year is divided into two Sessions—the first commencing September 1st, and ending February 1st; the second commencing February 1st, and ending July 1st.

TERMS PER SESSION—PAYABLE IN ADVANCE.

Board, Washing, Fuel, Lights, Tuition in English, Needle Work and Domestic Economy	$150
Pens, Ink and use of Library	2
French, Latin, each	10
Harp, $30—use of Instrument, $5	35
Piano, $25—use of Instrument, $3	28
Guitar, $18—use of instrument, $2	20
Vocal Music, (Bassini's Method)	15
Vocal Music, private lessons	25
Drawing in Crayon	10
Painting in Water Colors	10
Painting in Pastel	20
Painting in Oils	30

For further information, application may be made to the MOTHER SUPERIOR, to Right Rev. Bishop LYNCH, or to the Reverend Clergy.
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Insurance.

CITIZENS' INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF NEW YORK.

INCORPORATED 1836.

Statement of this Company, (which will not lose more than $25,000 by the Chicago fire:)

Cash Capital	$800,000 00
Surplus	411,416 94
Leaving assets	$711,416 94

Insurances taken at fair rates in this favorite Company by A. L. TOBIAS, Agent,
No. 109 East Bay, next (south) Courier.
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IMPERIAL

FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF LONDON,

ESTABLISHED 1803.

Capital and Assets over $8,000,000, in Gold.

Information sufficiently definite has been received by this Company from Chicago to enable us to state positively that our entire amount in the burnt district is	$200,078 00
Upon which we have reinsurance in a strong Company, not in the Chicago fire	54,400 00
Showing our losses, if total in every instance, which is not probable, to be	$145,678 00

These losses are now being promptly adjusted and paid.

Risks taken at fair rates in the first class, old established Company, and losses paid here, by
A. L. TOBIAS, Agent,
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RELIABLE FIRE INSURANCE!

CONTINENTAL INSURANCE COMPANY

OF NEW YORK.

CASH CAPITAL	$ 500,000 00
Surplus	2,155,620 81
Assets 1st July, 1871	2,655,620 81
Loss by Chicago Fire	1,000,000 00
	1,655,620 81
Additional Capital all subscribed	500,000 00
Present Assets after paying Losses	$2,155,620 81

UNION INSURANCE COMPANY

OF SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

CASH CAPITAL, Gold	$ 750,000 00
Surplus	365,174 00
Cash Assets	1,115,174 00
Loss by Chicago Fire not exceeding	300,000 00
Present Assets after paying Losses	$ 815,174 00

The Subscribers continue to take Risks, as heretofore, in the above named reliable Companies. WILLIAM B. HERIOT & CO.,
oct28-3 Agents.

Tailoring.

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHING,

FURNISHING GOODS, &c.,

FOR

MENS', YOUTHS' AND BOYS',

CONSISTING OF:

BUSINESS AND DRESS SUITS.

And a large assortment of FINE CLOTH WALKING COATS, of all Colors, Black Single and Double Breasted Frock Coats, Star shirts, Underwear Goods, &c., English and Domestic Half Hose, Alexandre's, Imperial, and Courvoisier's Kid, Silk, Thread, Buckskin, Dogskin, Cassimere and Cloth Gloves, Linen and Paper Collars, Neckties, Cravats, Handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Umbrellas, &c., of the latest style.

And a very large and fine selected stock of BROADCLOTHS, Doeskin, Beaver, Tricot, Diagonal COATING AND CASSIMERES.

And a very handsome variety of the latest style PANTS AND VEST PATTERNS.

Which we offer to sell by piece, yard or pattern, or make up into Garments, by measure, in the latest style, and at the shortest notice.

Silk and Alpaca Umbrellas—the largest assortment.

Our stock has been selected with the greatest care, and prices marked very low, in plain figures. Being confident that we can offer inducements unequalled by any other house, we solicit buyers in our line to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. All orders will receive our prompt and very careful attention.

The TAILORING DEPARTMENT is under the supervision of Mr. WINTERER, who has already proved himself a first class Cutter; and the public will bear in mind that our Clothing has been manufactured by ourselves during the dull summer months, and can therefore recommend it as regards fit, wear and workmanship, and prices exceedingly low to suit the times.

MENKE & MULLER,
No. 325 King street,
oct19-3mos Opposite Society street.

JOHN RUGHEIMER,

No. 141 KING STREET,

WEST SIDE, A FEW DOORS NORTH OF QUEEN STREET,

Would respectfully inform his friends that he has just returned from New York with a large and well-selected stock of the latest styles of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

Also, a full assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS,

Including the Celebrated

STAR SHIRTS.

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KENNEDY & GREGORY,

MERCHANT TAILORS,

No. 186 KING STREET,

OPPOSITE D. H. SILCOX'S WAREHOUSE,

Having this day entered into copartnership in the above Business, would respectfully solicit from their friends a share of their patronage. They pledge themselves that their Cutting and Manufacture shall be done in the latest style, and in a manner to give satisfaction to their patrons, and at moderate prices.

J. T. KENNEDY.....F. M. GREGORY.
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Decorative Upholstery.

LACE CURTAINS,

WINDOW SHADES,

PAPER HANGINGS, &c

W. J. TRIM

Has on hand a large and carefully selected stock of UPHOLSTERY GOODS, WINDOW SHADES, Paper Hangings, Decorations, &c.

CONSISTING IN PART OF:

A full line of WINDOW HOLLANDS AND SHADES
Swiss, Nottingham and Muslin Curtains
Brocha, Reps, Terrys and Satin Delains
All Wool Damasks and Watered Moreens
French and English Cretonnes and Chintzes
Linen Coverings and Stripes, Bindings, &c.
Embroidered Piano and Table Covers
Victoria, Dining and Centre Table Covers
Tollanettes, Oil Cloths, Table and Desk Coverings
Lambrequins and Centre Tassels, Fringes and Gimps
Gilt, Walnut and Rosewood Cornices
Brass and Picture Nails
Hair Wool, Cotton and Moss Mattresses
Pew and Pulpit Cushions,

AT No. 243 KING STREET, IN THE BEND.
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RUSSELL'S SOOTHING SYRUP.

A Fresh Supply received and for sale, wholesale and retail, by DR. H. BAER,
sep19 No. 131 Meeting street.

Groceries, Liquors, &c.

PRIME RIB AND CLEAR SIDES.

25 hhds. Prime Western RIB SIDES.
15 tcs. Dry Salt Clear Sides
Landing from Baltimore steamer, and for sale by JEFFORDS & CO.
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BACON! BACON! BACON!

40 hhds Prime Western SHOULDERS
30 hhds. Choice C. R. Sides
60 tierces Canvassed Hams
50 boxes Breasts, Shoulders, &c.,
10 hhds. No. 2 Shoulders.
On consignment, landing and for sale low by BERNARD O'NEILL,
oct31-3 East Bay.

CHOICE D. S. AND SMOKED C. R. SIDES.

30 boxes Choice D. S. C. R. SIDES
25 hhds. Choice S. C. R. Sides
10 hhds. Choice S. Shoulders
5 tierces Canvassed Extra S. C. Hams, new.
Just received, and for sale by
oct31-1 LAUREY & ALEXANDER.

COAL! COAL! COAL!

700 tons ANTHRACITE COAL, Egg Size
230 tons Anthracite Coal, Stove Size
150 tons Anthracite Coal, for Steamers and Foundries
160 tons Bituminous Coal, hand-picked, for house use
250 tons Smiths' Coal.
In yard, and to arrive per bark Devonshire, brig W. H. Parks and schooner Sarah Wood, and for sale by H. F. BAKER & CO.,
Cumberland street,
oct31-3 Or Central Wharf.

BAGGING! BAGGING! BAGGING!

200 rolls "METHUEN" BAGGING
300 half rolls "Methuen" Bagging
Full weight and prime quality.
100 rolls "Webster" Bagging
Extra weight and quality.
Landing and for sale by
oct19-thstu10 A. R. TAFT & CO.

SEEDS! SEEDS!

Rust proof RED SEED OATS, Black and White Seed Oats
White, Red and Amber Seed Wheat
South Carolina