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TEN DOLLARS PER YEAR
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and address at the counting-room of the publication
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THE NORFOLK POST
Offers the best terms to ADVERTISERS, and its prices will
always correspond with the general advertising rates in
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charged, and for each subsequent insertion TWENTY
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CENTS per year.
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STOVES, &c.
D. W. HILL,
No. 7 CAMPBELL'S WHARF,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER
IN
Tin Ware,
Lamps,
Flows,
Lanterns,
Kerosine Oil,
Best Hollow Wares,
Cooking Stoves,
Parlor Stoves,
Office Stoves,
of all sizes and patterns.
LAMPS
for the Hand, Bracket, Hesp and Reflector Lamps, and
Lamp Chimneys, of all sizes and patterns.
The attention of the trade is respectfully called to the
EXCELSIOR COOK STOVE.
In this Stove we have all that is really valuable in a
COOKING STOVE.
The flues are large, the fire-box large and well-formed,
it has a sifter grate and ash drawer in the hearth, similar
to the celebrated
BLACK DIAMOND,
And the oven is much larger and better proportioned
than that of any other Stove in the market.
We have also attached to this Stove
MANAGLE'S
CELEBRATED GAS BURNING
DIVISION PIECE,
by means of which the gas [thrown off from the coal] is
entirely consumed.
THE STOVE
is perfect in its operation, the design is entirely new and
beautiful, and the plates are heavy and durable.
There are five sizes of these Stoves for burning both
coal and wood.
For sale only at my Stove Warehouse, Campbell's
Wharf, No. 7. Remember, we
—ALSO—
HAVE THE
MONUMENTAL
COOK STOVE
of all sizes, which with the
EXCELSIOR STOVE
are beyond all doubt, the
PREMIUM STOVES
OF
AMERICA.
These
CELEBRATED STOVES
speak for themselves. Therefore, we give no reason why
they should be used. They are the
STOVES
in this market both for economy, efficiency and satisfac-
tion.
I will, and am determined to
SELL CHEAPER
than any other House in the market.
To satisfy yourselves, call before you purchase and try
We also have on hand a
NEW IMPROVEMENT
IN
DOMESTIC BAKERY,
THE FRENCH ROLL PAN.
Its reputation as a
BAKER
is beyond all doubt. Call and examine. It. 1078-1079

FURNISHING GOODS.
ENTERPRISE AND INDUSTRY.
THE CORNER STORE
The resort of
FASHION AND FANCY.
Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's
FURNISHING GOODS,
OF ALL SORTS, FASHION AND MATERIAL.
TOILET ARTICLES,
A great feature in my Stock, from the renowned
PHALON & SONS,
CHAMPION PERFUMERS OF THE WORLD.
PERFUMERY,
CONSISTING OF THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES
AND PRICES:
Extracts for the Handkerchief.
NIGHT BLOOMING CEREUS
\$1.25 PER BOTTLE.
WATER LILY,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
JOCKEY CLUB,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
JASMIN,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
VIOLET,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
MIGNONETTE,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
ROSE GERANIUM,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
SWEET BRIAR,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
MAGNOLIA,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
ESSENCE OF BOUQUET,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
YERBENA,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
ROSE,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
ARABIAN DEW DROPS,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
SWEET CLOVER,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
BOUQUET DE CAROLINE,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
PATCHOULY,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
NEW MOON HAY,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
Also, a splendid assortment of
COLOGNES,
COSMETICS,
&c., &c., &c., &c.,
AT LOW PRICES
Soaps.
NIGHT BLOOMING CEREUS SOAP,
\$1.00 PER CAKE.
SANSAPAREIL, ELEGANTLY PERFUMED,
50c. PER CAKE.
BAY RUM SOAP, ELEGANTLY PERFUMED,
50c. PER CAKE.
BROWN WINDSOR,
50c. PER CAKE.
PERFUME FOR THE HAIR.
PHALON & SONS' COCIN,
\$1.00 PER BOTTLE.
PHALON & SONS' HAIR INVIGORATOR,
\$1.00 and \$1.50 PER BOTTLE.
PHALON & SONS' GOLDEN CREST PHILICOME,
50c., 75c., \$1.00 and \$2.00 PER BOTTLE.
Mad'm Demorest's Latest Fashions.
We are the only Agents for the sale of Madams Demorest's
latest patterns for Ladies' and Children's garments.
These patterns are for sale at my Store simultaneously
with the opening at New York.
—*— EMBROIDERY and STAMPING executed in the best
styles, and at the shortest notice.
MACHINE SEWING, TUCKING and HEMMING done to or-
der on the most improved and popular Sewing Machines
in use, at from three (3) to six (6) cents per yard.
—*— Hotel and Steamboat Sewing done to order, and
at reduced rates.
Ladies' and Children's UNDER-GARMENTS of all de-
scriptions, ready-made, on hand and made by measure.
Gentlemen's Shirts.
LINEN, COTTON, CASSIMERE, NEGLIGEE,
CALICO
and a great variety of Under-Shirts, ready-made and
manufactured.
Fancy Goods.
Further, I have a most select and extensive stock of
HAIR and TOOTH-BRUSHES, COMBS,
POCKET CUTLERY, POCKET BOOKS, HAIR NETS,
WRITING DESKS, &c., &c., &c.
Remember my Store, No. 1 Main street, corner of
Bank, Hall's old Corner, next door to Santos' Drug Store.
WILLIAM H. STINER.
1078-1079

SHIRTS, &c.
EMPIRE SHIRT FACTORY.
LARGE AND VARIED STOCK
at
NEW YORK PRICES.
SHIRTS CUT, FITTED AND MADE
at the
Shortest Possible Notice.
HOTEL AND STEAMBOAT
SEWING
DONE TO ORDER
AND AT
REDUCED RATES.
LADIES' ORDERS FILLED WITH DESPATCH
FOR ALL KINDS OF
GARMENTS.
Scarf-Pins and Sleeve Buttons
OF ALL
PATTERNS,
TO SUIT
ANY TASTE.
Children's Garments and Suits
made to order, and
PATTERNS FURNISHED.
Elaborate and Fancy
EMBROIDERY
of all sorts, with the latest and most approved
PATTERNS,
to suit the taste of the most fastidious critic or connois-
seur.
NUBIAS' SEA-FOAMS,
CAPS,
CAPES
AND
SHAWLS,
either
KNIT
or
CROCHET.
UNDER GARMENTS
OF ALL
PATTERNS, STYLES
AND MATERIAL
It is constantly on hand and made to order, for Ladies
FOREIGN
AND
DOMESTIC
POCKET CUTLERY.
In fact, everything in the furnishing line, kept on
hand, and all orders promptly filled.
WILLIAM H. STINER,
1078-1079
Corner Store, No. 1 Main street.

SEWING MACHINE.
WILLIAM H. STINER,
CORNER STORE.
Agent for the Celebrated and Justly
Popular
FLORENCE SEWING MACHINE,
The most Perfect Machine of the kind
extant. It possesses the follow-
ing advantages over
Any and All Sewing Machines
NOW IN USE.
IT MAKES FOUR DIFFERENT STITCHES,
LOCK,
KNOT,
DOUBLE LOCK,
AND DOUBLE KNOT,
on one and the same machine. Each stitch being
ALIKE ON BOTH SIDES
of the fabric.
It has the
REVERSIBLE FEED MOTION,
which enables the operator, by simply turning a thumb-
screw, to have the work run either to the right or left,
to stay any part of the same, or fasten the ends of the
seams, without turning the fabric.
Changing the length of the stitch, and from one kind
of stitch to another, can readily be done while the ma-
chine is in motion.
EVERY STITCH IS PERFECT IN ITSELF,
making the seam secure and uniform.
It is almost
NOISELESS,
and can be used where quiet is necessary.
Its motions are all
POSITIVE:
there are no springs to get out of order, and its simplicity
enables the most inexperienced to operate it.
IT WILL NOT OIL THE DRESS
of the operator, as all the machinery is on the top of
the table.
IT IS THE MOST RAPID SEWER IN THE WORLD,
making five stitches to each revolution.
ITS STITCH IS THE WONDER OF ALL,
because of its combined
ELASTICITY, STRENGTH AND BEAUTY.
IT DOES THE HEAVIEST OR FINEST WORK
with equal facility,
WITHOUT CHANGE OF TENSION OR MACHINERY
Every machine has one of Jenck's patent hemmers at-
tached (the right to use which we control), enabling the
operator to turn
ANY WIDTH OF HEM DESIRED.
There is no other machine which will do so large a
range of work as the Florence.
It does not require finer thread on the under side than
it does on the upper.
The needle is more easily adjusted than in any other
machine.
It will sew across the heaviest seam, or from one to
more thicknesses of cloth, without change of tension or
breaking of thread.
It is fully protected and licensed by Elias Howe, Jr.,
and his associates, and our own Letters Patent.
To avoid the
STRAIN ON THE EYES, BENT POSTURE, CLOSE
APPLICATION, AND FATIGUING CARE,
heretofore necessary on a large proportion of work done
on Sewing Machines, we now furnish each machine with
"BARNUM'S SELF-SOWER,"
which
GUIDES THE WORK ITSELF,
and is of incalculable value, especially to inexperienced
operators.
While possessing the above, and many other advan-
tages, the Florence is sold at corresponding prices with
other first-class machines.
We refrain from publishing the highly complimentary
notices of the press with which we have been favored,
and place our Machine before the public, believing that
an intelligent examination of its merits will fully sub-
stantiate all that we have claimed for it, and justify the
assertion we now make, that it is the
BEST SEWING MACHINE IN THE WORLD.
We warrant every Machine to be all that we claim for
it, and will give a written warranty if required. Agents
wanted in all the principal cities and towns in the
United States.
With a small investment of capital, a profitable busi-
ness can soon be established.
For Circulars, and samples of sewing, enclose a stamp
and address.
Also, Agent for the
GREAT LEADER OF FASHION
in America,
MADAM DEMOREST,
of Metropolitan, as well as Worldly fame, in her great
Art of
CUTTING, FITTING, &c., &c.
OUR SHIRT FACTORY
Is the largest South of Baltimore, and our advantages
superior to all others South.
A large and well selected assortment of
SCARFS, NECKTIES, BUTTERFLIES &c.,
UNDER-SHIRTS, DRAWERS, SILK WOOL, MERRINO
AND COTTON, GLOVES,
HOSIERY, in all styles and varieties,
VALISES, Ladies' and Gentlemen's,
On hand,
One Hundred and Fifty Dozen
Negligee Shirts,
WILLIAM H. STINER,
1078-1079
Corner Store, No. 1 Main street.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1865.
FOREIGN NEWS.
The steamship *Peruvian*, from Liver-
pool October twenty-sixth, and Lon-
donderry the twenty-seventh, arrived
off Farther Point on Monday evening,
November sixth, with five days' later
news from Europe. Lord Palmerston's
funeral preparations were rapidly ap-
proaching completion. The Queen's
carriage was to lead the imposing cor-
tege. The pall bearers were to be ten
Cabinet ministers. The Prince of Wales
was to be at the Abbey, and business
generally suspended on the occasion,
which was to have come off the twenty-
seventh. It was reported that Lord
Palmerston would be created a Peeress
in her own right. The Queen was ex-
pected to reach London from Scotland
on the morning of the 26th. The Min-
isterial arrangements were to be sub-
mitted by Earl Russell to the British.
The *Morning Post* was apparently go-
ing into the opposition. In speaking of
the forthcoming arrangements, it says:
"The feeling of the country toward
Earl Russell's ministry will be one of
total apathy. The country will
scarcely be able to praise or condemn.
It will be no easy matter to re-
construct his government in the
House of Commons, but he must cer-
tainly introduce some fresh elements to
retain the majority nominally required."
The *Advertiser* thinks it will be im-
possible for Gladstone to work the House
of Commons, unless he can more help
than is now visible. The *Herald* says
if Russell makes any radical move the
conservatives will certainly lose no op-
portunity to checkmate him. With these
prospects before him, Earl Russell
has a most difficult role to play than was
at first anticipated. The political news
from the continent is, as usual, devoid
of interest. It is announced from the
Sohleswig that the Prussian Commis-
sioners had threatened the use of mili-
tary force to prevent the inhabitants
from recognizing the Duke of Angul-
tomburg, or any other person as having
authority in the duchy. An ovation to
the Duke at Eckenford was, it would
seem, the occasion of this threatened
demonstration. Austria and Prussia
had addressed an indignant remon-
strance to the Senate of Frankfurt, in
consequence of some resolutions made
in that city against the two principal Ger-
man Powers, threatening intervention
if any further meetings of delegates
were permitted. The King and Queen
of Portugal were expected at Turin,
Italy, on the evening of the twenty-
fifth, where the Prince and Princess
Napoleon had arrived in advance. In
the London Money Market, Consols
closed at 84 3/8; American Five-twen-
ties at 63 1/4 3/8.
LIBERAL ADVERTISING. We under-
stand that some of the Petersburg mer-
chants have recently conceived the idea
that they are the most liberal advertisers on
the continent. Never were gentlemen
more egregiously in error. Nor need
they go to Baltimore, Philadelphia,
New York or Boston, to ascertain their
error. In the publishing and hospita-
ble, but unpretending town of Norfolk,
not one hundred miles distant, the en-
terprising merchants thereof throw ours
far into the shade. A late number of
the *Post*, (last Friday's), contains three
entire columns, all occupied by one in-
dividual. Such a friend to the press
ought to be known far and wide, and
we must give his name the benefit of
our circulation. It is then, WILLIAM
H. STINER. Now mark our prediction!
Mr. S. will accumulate a colossal fortune
if he has not already done so.—*Peters-
burg Express of Monday.*
We know Mr. Stiner very well. He is
an enterprising business man. We
own that he is "a friend to the press,"
but at the same time, he knows how to
be a friend to Mr. Stiner. That is the
secret. We wish him great success, and
hope the Petersburg merchants will fol-
low his advertising example.
THE PETERSBURG COMMON COUNCIL
is a stunning body. We have read the
proceedings of Monday night, as reported
in the *Index* of Tuesday, with some-
thing of local pride. The question be-
fore the Board relates to a proposed
change of the taxes, and Mr. A. Donnan,
who is "no plebeian man," said:
"The entire argument of my friend,
Mr. Paul, has been unfair throughout.
Mr. Grigg only proposed to lay this ad-
ditional tax, if necessary. I say, sir,
that the discussion has been unfair
throughout. You are trying, sir—I say
it respectfully—to force this class legis-
lation down the throats of this Council.
I am opposed to this arraying of class
against class, and will never submit to it
silently. The gentlemen try to make us
believe that the debt is so enormous
that this tax is necessary. Who is pres-
enting the city for its indebtedness?
Where is the man? Who is he? In my
judgment, sir, there is no pressure of
circumstances upon the city, and no ne-
cessity for the raising, at present, of
more than \$100,000. In short, Mr. Chair-
man, I am no plebeian man, sir.
Mr. Paul—I suppose I am, sir.
Mr. Donnan—No sir, I think you are
very liberal."
THE SEWARD FAMILY. On the 2d of
November Frederick W. Seward was
able for the first time to affix his name
to the official despatches, although he
has been transacting the business of his
office for some time at his private resi-
dence. When Montgomery Blair seeks
to heap public odium upon the name of
his father, he should remember by what
care and tender bonds the Seward family
is bound in the recollection of the na-
tion to the memory of the martyred
President. Our great Secretary was
chosen as a victim also. The scheme
which linked him in that fatal catas-
trophe by singling him out for sacrifice,
only crowning him with a new honor,
by proving how much the traitors hated
him. The sad domestic afflictions that
Mr. Seward has endured, as a conse-
quence of that fatal night, must keep
alive an earnest sympathy in every
breast, and unite him still more fondly
to the nation he has served so well.—
Philadelphia Press.
Of Shakespeare, it is said by Richard
Grant White, that he never rewrote, re-
touched, or amended one line of all his
works; he wrote for money, and hav-
ing got his pay, he left his works to take
care of themselves. He never wrote
anybody a letter, and when he died,
left but four signatures behind. There
were probably no autograph seekers in
those days.

THE NEWS.
On the 16th of May, 1864, policeman
George W. Burges was shot and killed
at the corner of second avenue and
Sixty-third street, New York, while en-
deavoring to arrest a man named John
Connolly. A man known as John Car-
roll, alias Cahill, was at the time arrested
on suspicion of being the murderer, but
was discharged for want of evidence.
Connolly, a man named Owen Hart,
who had been arrested on charges of
grand larceny and felonious assault,
stated that certain persons were very
desirous of getting him out of the way,
as Cahill had confessed being the mur-
derer to him. This led to search for
Cahill, who had disappeared from the
city; and, after much travel, labor and
maneuvering on the part of the detec-
tives, he was found keeping a drinking
shop in Columbus, Ohio, arrested and
brought on to New York, where he ar-
rived on Friday night, Saturday an
examination of the matter took place
before Justice Dodge, and, after con-
siderable testimony had been taken, Cahill
and Connolly were both committed to
the Tombs, the former on suspicion of
being the person who fired the fatal
shot, and the latter as an accessory.
The corner stone of a Roman Catholic
orphan asylum to be erected in Brook-
lyn was laid on Sunday with imposing
ceremony. Bishop Loughlin, of that
city, presiding. The Irish Benevolent
and charitable societies turned out in
great force on the occasion, and it was
computed that between thirty thousand
and forty thousand people were present.
The site is on the corner of Wyckoff
street and Albany avenue, in the East-
00th District. The festival of St. Charles
Borromeo was celebrated at the Sydney
place Roman Catholic church, Brook-
lyn, on Sunday evening by a grand mu-
sical performance, subsequent to which
Archbishop McCloskey delivered a most
interesting and eloquent address, em-
bracing a sketch of the character of the
saint in whose honor the ceremonies
were performed.
The total number of national banks
organized up to the present time is 1,605,
all of which, but four, are now in exist-
ence. According to the quarterly re-
port of the comptroller of the currency
the loans and discounts of these banks
amount to \$485,000,000; circulation,
\$171,000,000; individual deposits, \$435,-
000,000; circulation of State banks,
about \$80,000,000. Efforts are to be made
to have Congress extend the limit of
national bank circulation from \$300,-
000,000 to \$500,000,000, and the proposed
extension is said to have the counten-
ance of Comptroller Clark.
Maximilian has recently issued the
following in Mexico: "Our honorary
Counselor of State, M. F. Maury, is au-
thorized to appoint seven agents of col-
onization in the following States and
cities of the United States: Virginia,
North and South Carolina, Texas, Mis-
souri, California, New Orleans and Mo-
bile. Said agents shall receive one hun-
dred dollars per month as compensation,
and the further sum of three hundred
dollars per annum for necessary ex-
penses." In the meantime Maximilian
has been heard of by Mr. Maury should sud-
denly espouse the liberal side.
Mark Shinborn, convicted of robbing
the Walpole Savings Bank, and sen-
tenced to ten years' imprisonment, es-
caped from jail in Keene, N. H., on
Thursday evening, by means of a key
and pistol, furnished him by an alleged
confederate in the bank robbery, named
George White. Shinborn opened the
jail door with the key, threatened to
shoot the jailer, and escaped to the
woods. A reward of \$500 is offered for
his arrest. He is a German Jew, twenty-
five years old, dresses well, of genteel
appearance. White is held for trial in
jail of \$40,000.
On Monday afternoon the Tunis em-
bassy called on the Secretary of State,
who accompanied them to the Execu-
tive mansion. The object of the visit
was to take leave of the President. The
interview continued about twenty min-
utes, and was of the most agreeable
character. The Tunisians have ex-
pressed the warmest acknowledgments for
the civilities everywhere shown to them,
both by the officers of the Govern-
ment and many of our hospitable citi-
zens, and left Washington on Tuesday
for Philadelphia, intending to depart
from the United States next week.
Mr. Bunch, formerly English consul
at Charleston, who is hardly less a rebel
than his South Carolina wife, and
who was promoted by the English gov-
ernment to the post of consul general
at Havana, in reward for services rendered
by him to the southern confederacy, is
reported to have called upon the cap-
tain general of Cuba for assistance in
repressing a negro riot, which is alleged
to have broken out in Jamaica. Mr.
Bunch's plea is said to be that the Brit-
ish governor of that island is at the
mercy of the rioters.
The Government will evidently be
compelled to sustain, during the winter
months, a goodly portion of the popu-
lation of Richmond, Virginia. At a re-
cent meeting of the Councils of that city,
it was announced officially that there
was but one dollar and fifty cents in the
treasury. No less than two thousand
poor whites are now subsisting upon ra-
tions drawn from the Government, and
with the approach of winter this num-
ber must be greatly increased.
Another case of embezzlement and
fraud has recently been developed, com-
mitted by J. H. Ogden, for a long time
chief of the Louisville and Nashville
Railroad. The books of the road show
a deficit of over \$6,000. Last Tuesday
he absconded, going to Atlanta, Ga.,
whence the detectives traced him, and
he was brought back to Nashville,
and lodged in jail. A fast woman is
to be at the bottom of the affair.
The Providence *Journal* has a letter
from Brazil stating that, in less than
three weeks, Professor Gaspar collected
more than three hundred entirely new
species of fish in the region of the Am-
azon. An immense number of speci-
mens in the department of natural his-
tory have been collected. The writer
thinks the Professor is doing too much
work for so hot a climate, and should be
careful of his health.
An exhibit made up at the Post Office
Department shows that the whole num-
ber of post routes so far restored in the
Southern States is two hundred and forty-
one, embracing eighteen thousand five
hundred and fifty-three miles of service,
at a cost to the government of \$395,700 less
than by the contract in existence at the
outbreak of the rebellion for the same
amount of service.
A poor woman named Barlow has
given birth in London to a child with
two heads. The baby is a deep affliction
to its parents' family, having been
born with a second head attached to the

first in such a manner that the smallest
twist or sudden movement would cause
immediate death. The poor mother is
unable to lay it down without fear, and
unable to nurse it without the assistance
of another person.
Chicago must be a very dirty place,
judging from the following paragraph
in the *Republican*: "Nothing is done
about cleaning the streets of this filthy
town. Probably there is not another
city in the world, out of Turkey, that is
so nasty. Garbage accumulates in our
thoroughfares, and the animals and old
bosta lie about our most frequented
streets. With all its metropolitan char-
acter and enormous trade and influence,
Chicago has not yet waked up to the
necessity and duty of making itself
decently clean."
A wedding was interrupted lately in
Colchester, England, by the levity of
the groom. All went well until the
clergyman required the bridegroom to
repeat after him the words: "I—(take
—to be my wedded wife * * * for
better, for worse," &c., when he altered
the formula to "I take her better, but
not for worse." The minister imme-
diately closed the book, and quitted the
church.
The New York *Herald* says the Rev.
Morgan L. Dix preached a sermon on
Sunday, in Trinity Chapel, in which he
stated that there was a perfect unity be-
tween the Southern and Northern
branches of the Episcopal church at the
recent convention in Philadelphia. He
also furnished some interesting facts in
regard to the work of the convention.
Dr. Chapman, of London, is claimed
to have used an application of ice-bags
to the spine, in cases of cholera, with
remarkable success. A French physi-
cian, Dr. Bouquet, uses copious
draughts of pure alcohol, half a cupful
every fifteen minutes with the addition
of a little rum and tincture of cinna-
mon.
A Rev. Mr. Oswald of Lyons, Iowa,
was recently placed under arrest for a
brutal assault upon his own daughter.
The details as published in the local pa-
per, are shocking, and show that the
proper place for his official brute is the
penitentiary, where he can pound away
at granite instead of Christian morals.
A Justice of the peace in Cleveland,
Ohio, recently summoned a colored man
as a jurymen in an important case. The
white jurors refused to take their seats
with him. After a couple of hours
spent in getting the Justice discharged
every fifteen minutes with the addition
of a little rum and tincture of cinna-
mon.
Mr. B. W. Greene, late President of
the Connecticut Fire Insurance Com-
pany at Hartford, cut his wife's throat in
a paroxysm of insanity last Sunday
night, causing her death in a few mo-
ments. He then cut his own throat in
two places, inflicting such gashes as to
render his recovery highly improbable.
An affray took place on the street in
Nashville on Monday, between ex-Mayor
John Hugh Smith and a police officer
named Brown. Two shots were fired
by Smith without hitting Brown. One
of the shots barely missed a lady who
was passing, and a man who was on the
other side of the street.
W. C. Barney, clerk in the Custom
House, was Monday arrested on a
charge of having attempted, with the
aid of an accomplice, to defraud the
Government out of \$40,000 by means
of spurious bonds, executed to draw
from the Custom House 300 barrels of
alcohol.
At Saratoga Springs recently, a young
man, aged twenty-five, led to the altar
a blushing damsel of some sixty-five
summers. The merry god plays some-
times curious antics—though it is whis-
pered that Ceres had more to do with
the match than Cupid.
The Mississippi Legislature proposes
to set apart 25 per cent of the Public
Debt to pay the State Debt tax to be levied
for the support of disabled Confed-
erate soldiers and the widows and chil-
dren of soldiers killed in the war.
The iron bridge on Washington street,
in Buffalo, broke through on Monday
morning, precipitating a wagon loaded
with iron castings into the canal. Two
valuable horses were killed and the
driver had his leg broken.
In the "Milwaukee harbor" suit, tried
in the Eastern District Court, a verdict
has been rendered against the defend-
ant, the city of Milwaukee, of \$140,907-
11. The case will be carried to the Su-
preme Court of Wisconsin.
There was a terrific gale on Lake On-
tario on Sunday night. Several vessels
were blown ashore near Oswego, and
the beach was strewn with lumber and
staves from those that had lost their
deck loads.
Ruskin in his two lectures gives this
caution to women literateurs: "There
is one dangerous science for women—
one which let them, indeed, beware
how they profanely touch—that of the
ology."
At Caledonia, Racine county, Wis-
consin, on Wednesday last, a young
man named Sitiesky, of unsound mind,
shot his father and mother, inflicting
mortal wounds and then killed himself.
The government has just discovered
that some of their own detectives have
been engaged for some time in shoving
the new counterfeit fifties. They are
safely lodged in the Old Capitol.
The population of Hong Kong, ac-
cording to the last census, is 121,498;
79,579 Chinese live in 4,700 houses, or
in the proportion of upwards of sixteen
individuals to one house.
The Philadelphia city councils have
approved a bill to defray the ex-
pense of inaugurating certain sanitary
measures, in view of the approach of the
cholera.
Mr. Frederick W. Seward having suffi-
ciently recovered from his injuries, has
resumed his duties at the Department as
Assistant Secretary of State.
Judge A. B. Weeks, of Alabama, a
poet-politician and noted chess player,
died recently at Columbus, Mississippi.
Of the 40 forts and earthworks con-
structed around Washington, but twelve
will be retained and garrisoned.
Five regiments of troops have been
ordered to Montreal to keep down the
Fenians.
**GOLD STRUCK BY THE WORKING
PARTIES.**—*San Francisco, Nov. 4.* A
despatch, yesterday, from Victoria,
states that a party constructing the tele-
graph line towards the Russian posses-
sions, were setting telegraph poles
about one hundred and fifty miles north
of the Queen's river. They there
struck dirt yielding from seventy-five
cents to one dollar's worth of gold per
panful. The greater portion of the
men working on the line had been dis-
charged, and operations for the season
been partly suspended.