LOCAL NEWS.

Amusements, &c. NATIONAL THEATER. - Bryant's Minstrels. WALL'S OPERA HOUSE.—Waihaila and Bio-plastic Troupes with Prince D'Jalma, the man-

DAILY EXCURSIONS to Glymont on the steamer C. P. Smith. DAILY EXCURSION of the steamer Arrew to Mount Vernon.

SMITH'S ART GALLERY, 245 P street. MARKRITER'S ART GALLERY, 488 7th street. BARLOW'S ART GALLERY, 237 Pa. avenue.

THE LATE REV. DR. B. H. NADAL .- The telegram that appeared in our columns yesterday afternoon, announcing the sudden death of the Rev. Dr. Barnard H. Nadal, at six o'clock yesterday (Monday) morning, at Madison, N. J., was read with sorrow by the Methodists in this was read with sorrow by the Methodists in this community, to whom deceased was well known. He was a native of Baltimore, and admitted on trial as a preacher in the old Baltimore Conference in 1835, and to full membership in 1837. In 1845 he was stationed at Columbia street, Baltimore, and subsequently at High street and the Baltimore City Station. At the latter station he was twice appointed. During his last appointment his health became so enfeebled as to cause serious apprehensions. His congregacause seri us apprehensions. His congregarefused to permit his withdrawal from the charge, but sent him to Europe, and supplied his pulpit until his return. Subsequently he was paster of the Foundry church in this city, and endeared himself to his congregation and all who knew him by his earnestness and zeal. His last appointment in the Baltimore Conference was at Wesley Chapel, in this city. On the expiration of his term here he was transferred to the Philadelphia Conference and stationed at Trinity church, the principal Methodist charge in Philadelphia, and very shortly thereafter was elected president of the Drew Theological Seminary, a Methodist college at Madison, New Jersey, which position he filled at the time of his death. In early life Dr. Nadai's educational advan-tages were limited. While stationed in Carlisle,

Pa., he became a student in Dickinson College, and graduated in the same class with Postmaster General Creswell, between whom a strong attachment has ever since existed. As a theologian Dr. Nadal was among the first of his denemination. He was a man of great intellec-tual culture and force, and quite popular as a preacher, and universally beloved by all who knew him. He was a regular contributor to the Methodist newspaper, published in New York city, and the Methodist Quarterly Review. The sermon delivered by him in the Senate chamber of the United States, on the death of the late Senator Thomas H. Hicks, is a monument to his ability, and will not soon be forgotten by those who heard it. A PLEASANT EVENING EXCURSION .- Captain Thomas Stackpole, the popular commander of the steamer Arrow, having invited the news-

paper men of Washington, and other gentlemen of the city with their wives and families to take a trip down the Potomac with him last evening, a number of ladies and gentlemen had assembled on the steamer at the hour designated for sailing-7 p. m.—and soon afterwards the boat left the whart with her merry company and a band of music. At Mount Vernon five of the lady regents of the Mount Vernon Association disembarked, and the boat was headed across the river for Marshall Hall, a well-known sumthe river for Marshall Hall, a well-known summer resort, where a pleasant surprise awaited the party. The grounds were illuminated with hundreds of Chinese lanterns, while the new paylion was brilliantly lighted. "Stackpole's band" took possession of the music stand, and soon the young folks were enjoying the dance. An hour was thus agreeably spent, when the boat started on her homeward trip at 10.30 o'clock, the party reaching the city shortly after 12 this morning, all greatly pleased with the enjoyable character of the entertainment afforded joyable character of the entertainment afforded them, and overflowing with gratitude to the captain of the Arrow for his efforts to ensure them pleasure. The delightful breeze which prevailed last night was greatly enjoyed by the excursionists.

THE THEATERS .- The Walhalla and Bioplastic troupe commenced the third week of their successful engagement at Wall's Opera House last evening, with four new and beautiful tableaux, with the prismatic fountains, and last but not least, with the new wonder, the Persian Prince Sadi D'Jalma, who astonished the audience by placing a glass of fluid on the ball of his foot and drinking it by twisting his head back over his shoulder, and by standing on a ladder without support, and perambulating, ladder and all moving in concert, while he exccuted a solo on the violin.

Bryant's celebrated minstrels attracted a large andience to the National Theater last evening. The programme contained a great variety of music, and several new Ethiopian comicalities were introduced and received with great applause. Dan Bryant and Upsworth are at the head of the profession, while Little Mac is a marvel of ingenuity, and was recailed four times. The entertainment concluded with the capital burlesque of "Lucretia Borgia."

THE BROWN-HART HOMICIDE .- A hearing in the case of Henry Brown, colored, on the charge of murdering Joseph Hart, on Capitol Hill, a few days ago, will take place to-day before Justice Walter. Brown found Hart in his house, and some words having passed as to the latter having become too intimate with his (B.'s) wife, Brown struck Hart with an ave, inflicting a wound which caused his death. Brown left the city immediately after the occurrence, but returned on Sunday and stopped on 9th street, near H. A gentleman in the house, noticing him, got ready to go for an offi-cer, but Brown became suspicious and left. Officer Osterhout took the case in hand, and Brown having dropped a word that he wished to see a lawyer, the officer yesterday morning took a position on 5th street, near Louisiana avenue, to watch for him, and very soon saw him making for the office of the lawyer he had named, and he was taken in custody.

TEMPERANCE APPAIRS .- The delegates appointed by the various Catholic Total Absti-nence Societies assembled at Carroll Hall on last Sunday evening, to project measures whereby the different societies would be represented in a central council similar to that of St. Vincent de Paul. It was the opinion of all present that a Union on the above principle, which has operated so successfully in other confraternities, would prove equally so in this, and the cause of temperance promoted in a degree hitherto un-The St. Stephen's Total Abstinence held

their regular weekly meeting last night. Quite a number signed the pledge. It is the intention of this Society to get up a grand excursion or pic-nic; due notice of which will be given in THE NEW POLICE COURT .- The Marshal is

bust looking up a place in which the and --court can hold its sessions, and the central guardhouse (in the second story of which is a large room) has been suggested as probably the most central and convenient location. Up to 9 o'clock this morning the judge bad not been ap-pointed. There is considerable talk about the City Hall in relation to this court, and the offices of judge and clerk being regarded as purely local, and the expenses being chargeable to the District cities and county, it is urged that competent persons to fill those offices may be tound in the District—gentlemen who are thoroughly conversant with the local laws, and have such a knowledge of the people as would prove valuable in the transaction of the busi-

REAL ESTATE SALES .- Fitch & Fox, real estate brokers, have sold part of lot 5, in square 196, fronting 21 feet on M street north, between 15th and 16th, to Mesers. Dougherty and Borland, for \$1,000. Also, part of lot 19, in square 157, fronting 20 feet on 17th street west, between Massachusetts avenue and P street, and running back 120 feet, improved by a two-story frame house, to Charles Keegin, for \$1,950.

dale read "Hagar in the Wilderness," "Charge of the Light Brigade," and "The Drummer's Bride," and speeches were made by Messrs. Winslow, Sleigh and Rev. Mr. Myrick. Some

very fine music added to the pleasure of the WINTER STOCK OF COAL .- Mr. James Gleason. G street wharf, announces elsewhere that he is laying in coal for winter use, which he can

sell at rates for below the present market prices. A District Boy .- On Saturday at the first

public contest for prizes in the gymnasium at Princeton College, New Jersey, the second prize of \$75 was awarded to J. T. Kelly, of the District of Columbia.

THE MOUNT VERNON ASSOCIATION.—The vice regents of the Ladies' Mount Vernon A sociation, twenty-two in number, are now all collected at Mount Vernon, and te-day their yearly session commences, to continue for three days.

FEES IN ADVANCE .- For all suits issued out of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia in civil cases the United States marshal is authorized to receive his fees in advance of ser-

FINE RESIDENCE FOR KENT .- See notice in

our Georgetown advertising column.

Public School Examinations. FIRST DISTRICT .- Secondary No. 3, in this district, Miss S. E. Gibbs teacher, located in the building formerly known as St. Matthew's Institute, on 19th street, between G and H streets. was examined yesterday afternoon by Trustees A. K. Browne and J. S. Brown, assisted by Dr. Reyburn and others. This school is composed of girls from ten to fourteen years of age, and of the 53 on the well, 55 were present at the examination; 20 will be transferred to higher schools in September. As usual, the school passed a most creditable examination, fully passed a mest creditable examination, fully sustaining the reputation it has heretofore enjoyed, of being one of the best secondary schools in the city. The building in which it is located was erected for school purposes, and is a very comfortable one. At the close of the examination the trustoes expressed their pleasure at the satisfactory result, and the medal was then awarded to Mary Lowry. Premiums for exemplary conduct and punctuality were awarded to Kate Reyburn, Harriet Hurdie, Mary Casey, Frances Byron, Virginia Collins and Mary Tobin. Premiums for attention to study and improvement were awarded to Mary Woodward, Sarah Trammell and Eliza Keiler; for penmanship, to Helen Watt; for neatness, to Harriet Davis; for vocal music, to Laura Belt; honorably mentioned, Alice Beltils, Florence Jewell, Rose McConihe, Annie Gwens, Frances Dalton, Anne Casey, Mary Muldoon and Florence Redway. Gold medals for spelling were awarded to Murgaret Gerard and Annie Conrad.

Second District.—The pupils of Female In-

SECOND DISTRICT.—The pupils of Female In-termediate No. 1, Miss E. V. Billings teacher, occated at F and 5th streets, was examined yes, terday morning. This school is one which, for some years, has borne a high reputation, and this examination was fully equal to those or former years. Messrs Woodward and McLel-lan corduct d the examination. The parsing lan corducted the examination. The parsing and grammatical malysis were very fine; arithmetic and geography and spelling good, and the reading would have done credit to more advanced pupils. Two dialogues—"Malech Adhel Saladin" and "Anthony and Ventidius"—were heautifully read, the first by Martha Lemon, Elizabeth S. Langley and Rosa Collins, and the latter by G. Bliss and C. Webster. The singing was very good. This school numbers 41 girls, 40 of whom were present, and 18 of them will be recommanded for transfer. At the conclusion of the exercises Mr. Randolph and M. C. H. Bliss addressed the school, paying a high compilment addressed the school, paying a high compliment to the faithful teacher, and Mr. Woodward conaratulated the pupils on the successful termination of the school year, and awarded the medal and diplomas and follows: Medal, Julia A. Greer; best written examinations, Bosa Col-A. Greer; best written examinations, Rosa Collins, Florence Bell, Alice Davis; conduct and punctuality, C. Crwidy, N. Roeser, Flora Brereton, Kate Webster, M. Faherty, L. Langley; study and improvement, Virgie Quantrille, Amanda Newton, Sillig Warder; improvement in writing, Kate Burham; music, Sarah K. Randolph; neatness, C. Blin; honorable mentioned, to each of whom a book was given by the teacher, N. Lest, Kate Moses and Martha Davis. Davis.

THIRD DISTRICT.—Secondary No. 2, for boys, Miss Victoria L. Nourse teacher, located in Wallach building, was examined yesterday afternoon by Trustee Clark and Mr. N. A. West. As usual, the school room was decorated with As usual, the school room was decorated with floral ornaments, and presented a handsome appearance. The examination showed that although most of the boys in this school were prematurely transferred from primary schools, and have been with Miss Nourse but a short while, the school is well up to the standard of its grade. The excellence of the scholars in arithmetic and geography was particularly noticeable. The following is the roll of merit:—Gold medal, John Darr; exemplary conduct and punctuality, F. Taylor, Joseph Ockert, W. Felger, Samuel Scott, W. Lehman, Thos. Cratty; attention to study and improvement, Charles Peake, H. Burnham, Michael Chambers; penmanship, Geo. Conner; neatness, Geo. Thorn; manship, Geo. Conner; neatness, Geo. Thorn; improvement in vocal music, John Corcoran; honorably mentioned, James Kellaher, W. Herfurth, E. Bartlett, Fencion Brock, Return Meigs, W. Camio, F. Darr.
In our report of the prize scholars of Miss Lizzie Hinton's school, on Saturday last, the name of Frank Gurharst should have read

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FOURTH DISTRICT .- Secondary No. 3. girls, located on 4% street, between M and N streets south, Miss Belle C. Peyton teacher, was examined yesterday by Trustee Champlin, assisted by Mr. John E. Thompson, teacher of the Male Grammar School of this District. Mr H. McIntire and ex-Councilman Bates. This examination was very satisfactory to the examiners and gratifying to the parents of the pupils who were present, and the teacher. The exercises in numeration and mental and practical arithmetic were quite up to the mark, and for girls whose ages range from nine to fourteen ears, the correct and prompt answers the rather difficult questions propounded by Mr. Thompson showed plainly that great care has been used by the teacher. The musical talent of these pupils has not been overlooked as shown by some well executed choruses yesterday. Mr. Champlin read the roll of merit and with appropriate remarks gave out the awards. He first read the names of those entitled to hon-orable mention and remarked that the limited number of diplomas did not admit of giving all entitled a diploma, but it was understood that those honorably mentiond bore just as good a record as those receiving diplomas. Of this class there were A. Mardus, L. Windcor, L. Godson, E. Gardner, R. Smith, M. Mau-gum, J. Storey, M. Sanford, M. Daniels, N. Cooper, F. Mills, M. Porter, K. Myers, E. Buete, and M. Heath. The medal of honor was awarded to Kate Anderson. Diplomas were awarded to the following: For exemplary con-

duct and punctuality, Julia Foster, Ann Bates, Ido Tolson, Capitola Lipphard, Catherine Dunn, and Mary Haynie; and for attention to study and improvement. Ann Delayergne, Loustudy and improvement. Ann Delayergne, Lou-isa Weilucher, and Ida Davis; for improvement in permanship, Susie Curtis; neatness, Kate Collins; vocal music, Ann Breck. After these awards were made Mr. Champlin called up Capitola Lippbard, Susan Curtis, and Kate Dunn, and presented them each with a beautiful silver medal. This was quite a surprise, no ore expecting it, and the joyous sparkle in the eyes of these little girls no doubt well repaid the eyes of these little girls no doubt well repaid the donor. There are on the roll 39 pupils, 38 of whom were present; 22 of this number are to be transferred to higher grades. Kemarks were made by Messrs. Champlin, Thompson, and Bates, each one expressing gratification at the good exhibit made on the occasion. The school room is well adapted for its use, with high ceilings and good ventilation. The floral display in the way of bouquets was very fine.

Secondary No. 5, Fourth District, was examined on the 16th instant by Trustee Champlin and ex-trustees Croggon and Stephenson. On the roll 50; all present. Entered during the year 136, 86 transferred. The examination was held at an earlier date than that fixed by the Trustees, on account of the continued ill health of the teacher, Miss Annie Van Horn, who has been out of school several weeks during the year in consequence. The school, however, was well up to the high mark noticed last year, which is high praise, and well deserved. In the contest for the gold medal awarded to the school having the best six spellers, the six from this school, viz: George Sanford, Levi Callisher, George Cooper, Wm. Kearpey, Thos. Clarke and Jas. Skidmore, wrote eighty picked test words without an error. The same pupils were then put in the contest of the intermediate schools, when Callisher, Kearney and Skidmore continued without any error. On the third trial, the medal was awarded to James Skidmore, the donor. There are on the roll 39 papils, 38

Callisher, Kearney and Skidmore continued without any error. On the third trial, the medal was awarded to James Skidmore, who, having the fewest of errors, was duly presented with the gold medal for the best spelling at this examination of the school. A very high degree of proficiency was also shown in mental and written arithmetic, reading and writing. The honors of the school were awarded as follows:—Medal, to George Cooper; diplomas for exemplary conduct and punctuality, to Geo. Sanford, Wm. Evans, Dorsey Haines, John Tatsapaugh, Levi Callisher, John Maher; attention to study and improvement, to Thos. Clarke,

Tatsapaugh, Levi Callisher, John Maher; atten-tion to study and improvement, to Thos. Clarke, John Rohey, James Gibeon; penmanship, Wm. Kearney; neatness, Alfred Winfield; vocal music, Joseph Small; honorably mentioned, John Sadler, John Dailey, Enoch Lynch, Allie Riddle, Wm. Pumphrey, A. Clarvoe, E. Guth-rie. The whole school is qualified for transfer to a higher grade in Sentember next. to a higher grade in September next. COLORED SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS .- The ex-

No. 1, Grammar School, the most advanced one examined yesterday, has been in charge of Miss E. J. Hutchins, and was examined by her in geography. English grammar, physiology, arithmetic, algebra, &c., and the degree of proficiency evinced by the classes was highly commendable. This school is composed of thirty-two pupils, male and female—the latter being in the majority—and they range from about nine to sixteen years of age. One excellent feature observed in the studies of this school is the encouragement of practicing original composition laced on the walls. served in the studies of this school is the en-couragement of practicing original composition in English. Some essays were read evincing fair ability in composition and good taste in the selection of words to express ideas. No. 2, intermediate, Mrs. R. Carrington, teacher, is composed of 35 pupils, male and fe-male and the pupils were accommod in with

male, and the pupils were examined in arithmetic, geography, reading, and spelling. The result was very creditable to the teacher and pupils. No. 4, intermediate, in charge of Mrs. E. H. Disbrow, was examined in about the same E. H. Disbrow, was examined in about the same class of studies as No. 2, with like satisfactory results. The pupils numbered about 35. No. 3, secondary, Miss C. F. Withington, is composed of 38 scholars, and they acquitted themselves in a manner deserving of commendation. At the conclusion, Trustees Jones and Syphax addressed the pupils in complimentary terms, and paid deserved tributes to the teachers for their faithful services during the session. The Courts.

THE M'GARRAHAN-MURTAGH LIBEL CASE. CIRCUIT COURT, Judge Olin.—Yesterday, by withdrew from having any further connection with the case. This is an action for libel, and damages are laid at \$10,000 for an article pubbehad in the National Republican, and has been before the court fer some time, different motions having been made to take testimony and to

Mr. N. Wilson, on the part of the defendant, again argued law points, which were everruled and then filed an affidavit of the defendant and then filed an affidavit of the defendant, setting forth that he could not safely go to trial in the absence of certain testimony, which he deemed essential to his defense; that his counsel was unable to proceed with the case in consequence of illness, and finally, that he was of opinion that he could not get a fair and impartial trial from the judge presiding, (Justice Olin,) owing to prejudice entertained by him and opinions expressed on the merits of the case, and also because of the intimate social relations existing between the said judge and the plaintiff. the plaintiff.

Justice Olin remarked that if the ground of illness of counsel only-had been urged he would be disposed to grant any reasonable request for delay; but when it was urged that he could not give an impartial trial to the case because of his social relations with the plaintiff he would give no hood to the application, and would try the case as best he knew how. He then ordered the trial to be proceeded with, and a jury was sworn.

Mr. Merrick stated the case for the plaintiff, and was followed by Mr. Wilson for the defen-This morning, the case was resumed, and

Mr. Peck, former editor of the Republican, wes CRIMINAL COURT, Judge Eumphreys.—Yesterday James Rollins was convicted of grand larceny and sentenced to one year in the Albany

This morning Pink Jackson was convicted of grand larceny of a keg of butter. Chas. Bayl's wes found guilty in one case of petit larceny and not guilty in a second. He was sentenced to six months in jail.

THE RIVER FRONT.—Arrivals at Jas. Gleason's G-street Wharf—Schooner Widows' Sons, wood, for Jas. Gleason; steamer Enterprise, wood, for Jas. Gleason; steamer Enterprise, wood, for Jas. Gleason; schooner Mathias Desmond 2, coal, for same.

Sheriff's Wharf.—Arrived—Schr. Ann Jare. Smith, from Aquia creek, with free stone for Wm. Mully; steamer Enterprise, Doty, with cargo of wood for G. L. Sheriff. Crouch's Wharf.—Arrived—Sehr. Boland, Curran, wood for Captain Crouch.

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Brown's Wharf.—Arrived—Schr. Art, Avandale, woad for James Granger.

Riley's Wharf.—Arrived—Schrs. L. D. Dunnock, Elliott, Sanisbury, lumber for J. W. Ward; Commodore Connor, Gilmore, Port Deposit, lumber for Wm. McLain, American Coaster, Pannell, Cherry Stone, clams for market; Ann E. Gibson, Brown, fish for market.

Carter's Wharf.—Arrived—Schooners Iris, Griffin, Havre-de-Grace, coal, H. Halley; Maid of the Mist, Cook, coal, Marshall & Co.; Marv Comegys, Wil on, coal, Geo. Bogus; Thomas C. Worrell, Sewafd, coal, same. Worrell, Sewafd, coal, same.

Harvey's Wharf.—Arrived—Schooner Kent,
Seward. coal, Harvey, Clark & Given; Ocean,

McCreery, coal, same. New Tug Boat.—Henry Davis and Wm. Bennett, two young men of the Seventh Ward, have purchased a new tug boat from Bordentown, N. J., to run on the river, called the R. R. Rodgers.

VISITORS FROM WASHINGTON .- Messrs. Angus, Brown and Spicer, a committee of the Common Council from Washington, were in this city yesterday for the purpose of examining our wooden pavements, having reference to the paving of Pennsylvania avenue and other streets in Washington. They were very tavorably impressed with the pavements, both the Nicolson and the Wyckoff, though their preference seemed to be for the Wyckoff. They went to Williamsport last evening, and will be in that city to-day. The Wyckoff pavement on Pennsylvania avenue would be a miracle of progress and improvement for which all the people would be thankful.—Elmira (N. Y.) Advertiser, June 16.

The Elmira paper is mistaken in announcing these gentlemen as a committee of the Washington Councils, or as having charge of the It is probable that their mission may have some-thing to do with the paving of M street under the law recently passed by Congress.

PROBABLY FATAL ACCIDENT .- Last night, about 9% o'clock, Mr. E. Napier, a student at Howard University, reported at the second precinet police station that a man was lying in the road near the Schuetzen Park. Sergeant Seibold and officer R. T. Taylor went immediately to the place designated, and found the man lying insensible. He was brought to the station, and Lieut. Johnson sent for Dr. G. S. King, who promptly responded, and did all in his power for the injured man, but up to noon to-day he had not spoken, and it is supposed that he was thrown from his horse and his skull was fractured. He was recognized as Edward Con-way, formerly of the 2d U.S. cavalry, and recently of the Soldiers' Home.

WM. ERNSTEIN, of Georgetown, D. C., arrested by Officer Cuningham yesterday, was before Justice Walter on the charge of being the father of the illegitimate child of Elizabeth Schmith. After the birth of the child Ernstein proposed to marry her, but she refused the offer, on the ground that she believed that he had a wife in Germany, and demanded \$400 as compensation. These terms he refused to accept, and she procured a warrant, and the case coming up before Justice Walter he held him to security to support the child.

AN APPRAY—A Lady in the Case—Excitement on the Avenue.—Yesterday considerable excite-ment was occasioned on Pennsylvania avenue, between 3d and 4½ streets, in consequence of an attack being made by John McClaughin and T. J. Misick on Henry Reems. It is said that the attack was made because the latter assaulted a lady, but the latter denies this charge. The parties making the assault on Reems having been arrested by Officer Scott and held to bail for a hearing, all the facts will probably be

THE CORPORATION FINANCE COMMISSION .-This commission continues its acssions in the ante-room of the Council Chamber, and the bills and accounts are flowing in freely. All the commissioners have turned in their ac-counts except those of the Third and Seventh Wards. Mr. Murphy turned over his accounts this morning. Quite a number of corporation laborers are filing their orders with the com-

FIFTH WARD BUILDING ASSOCIATION .- At the eighteenth monthly meeting of this associa-tion, held last evening over Dooley's drugstore, the sum of \$6,000 was advanced on 59 shares, at an average of 49% per cent.

PETTY LARCENY .- Yesterday Officer Lawler arrested Thomas Bulger for petty larceny, and Justice Mills held him to security for court.

GEORGETOWN.

SEVENTE BUILDING ASSOCIATION.—At the twentieth monthly meeting of this association, held last evening at Lang's Hotel, ten shares were sold at an average of \$125 net to the share-

HERMIONE LODGE, Knights of Pythias, meets to-night. See advertisement. WHEAT SALES are dull—the only transaction marking the past few days being a sale of 700 bushels good, at \$1.48.

ALEXANDRIA.

ALEXANDRIA AND WASHINGTON RAILROAD Case—Decision of Chief Justice Chase.—Chief Justice Chase, in chambers, yesterday, pronounced his opinion upon the Alexandria and Washington Railroad case, so far as the same involves the question of the status of the com-There is understood to be some apprehension among the base ball fraternity that the "championship of the South" will again revert to Baltimore. The Olympics of this city, who move held it, were easily beaten in Baltimore strong nine to morrow to play the return game, on the Olympic grounds, and take that title home with them if possible.

At the Monthly Merting of the Superintendent, Mr. Cook, to a supplemental course of examination, which proved equally satisfactory. The rooms were decorated with American flags, flowers, wreaths, and ornaments of cedar branches, and appropriate motiones, constructed of any organizations, one with W.S. Shoemaker and ornaments of cedar branches, and appropriate motiones, constructed of any organizations, one with W.S. Shoemaker and ornaments of cedar branches, and appropriate motiones, constructed of any organizations, Railroad Company, Several years ago, when the suit concluded there were decorated with American flags, flowers, wreaths, and ornaments of cedar branches, and appropriate motiones, constructed of any organizations, Railroad Company, Several years ago, when the suit concluded there were decorated with American flags, flowers, wreaths, and ornaments of cedar branches, and appropriate motiones, constructed of any organizations, Railroad Company, Several years ago, when the suit concluded there were decorated with American flags, flowers, wreaths, and ornaments of cedar branches, and appropriate motions, and organizations, one with W.S. Shoemaker as president, and the other with James S. French as president, each claiming to be the Alexandria and Washington Railroad Company, Several years ago, when the suit concluded there were two, organizations, one with W.S. Shoemaker as president, and the other with James S. French as president, each claiming to be the Alexandria and Washington Railroad Company. as president, and the other with James S. French as president, each claiming to be the Alexandria and Washington Railroad Company. There was, as may be remembered, some months since, much litigation, injunctions by Judge Underwood and counter injunctions by Judge Hill, of the State Court, and for a day or so the running of the road by the Shoemaker Company was interrupted. But the Shoemaker Company kept possession of the road, and with their energetic managers, Messrs. Stevens and Phelps, have continued to run the trains. Judge Chase yesterday fully sustained Judge Underwood in recognizing the Shoemaker Company as the legal Alexandria and Washington Railroad Company. He sustained all the attachments for contempt issued by Judge Underwood, but released the fines, and finally made perpetual an injuction restraining any interference with the possession of the road, against the rights of its present holders, the Alexandria and Washington Railroad Company, of which W. S. Shoemaker is president. This puts an end to present litigation on this branch puts an end to present litigation on this branch of the subject.—Alex. Gazette.

Red Cloud and his band left New York sufficiently civilized to each wear a linen duster Black velvet sashes are very fashionable and are worn with every style of dress. Nilsson will make her first appearance in New York Sept. 19.

will not promise to love, honor and obey, but will say instead, love, honor, and te gay.

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Groide Bracelets, received this morning at Prigg's Bollar Jewelry Store, Se. 457 Pa. ave., bet. 4% and 6th sts. PERSONS desiring to purchase Ready-made Clothing will do well to bear in mind the Cloth-ing Establishment of

ing Establishment of
Lawi Barr,
At the Corner of 7th and E streets.

He manufactures all his own Goods, and guarantees every article sold to insure satisfaction. Fresh arrivals of the latest style of Goods can be seen at his establishment every morning. Persons desiring to be comfortable during the hot season can procure an entire outfit of every species of Garments, from an Undershirt to a Dress Coat, at a very nominal cost, at the corner 7th and E streets, Washington, D. C. 20,6

DAVIS, 801 Market Space, corner of 8th st., is still selling Straw Goods and Parasols at cost, and all other kinds of goods remarkably cheap. He is receiving new goods, comprising choice novelties, daily. Ladies, give him are early

IMPORTANT TO GENTLEMEN.—If you wish your clothing theroughly cleansed, all grease spots effectually removed so that they will never show again; if you wish your clothing nicely pressed so that they will look like new, send them to Anthony Fisher, first-class scourer, agent of Staten Island and New York Dyeing, and sole proprietor of a new Parisian process. 618 9th street, opposite the Patent Office. List of prices:—Coats, from \$1 to \$2.50; Pants, 75 cents; Vests, 50 cents; a whole Summer Suit, \$2.25. Ladies would do well, before they put away their winter garments, to give me a call. Fisher's Cleaning Process takes all grease spots effectually out, and he can give guarantees that no moths can enter the gariments during the summer. References:—Mesers. B. H. Duvall, 434 Pa. ave.; S. H. Heiberger, 242 Pa. ave.; G. F. Schafer, 278 Pa. ave.; W. T. Griffith, 308 9th st.; A. Saks & Co., 316 7th st., and many others. See advertisement in another column. 5,16,1:

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OFFICIAL.

Laws Passed by the Sixty-Seventh Council of Washington City, D. C.

AN ACT authorizing the Mayor to purchase water Be it enacted by the Board of Alderman and Board Be it exacted by the Board of Alderman and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington. That the May or be, and he is hereby, authorized to purchase in open market or by contract all the watermains, not exceeding twenty-five thousand feet, with the step-cocks and other material necessary for laying and tapping the same, which may be required by this Corporation for the year 1870, and that the expense thereof be paid out of the water fund, of which a sufficient sum is hereby appropriated. Size, 2. And he at further enacted. That the Mayor be, and he is hereby, requested to make such purchases of manufacturers doing business in this city: Provided. They can be made on as favorable terms as eisewhere.

[Approved, May 21, 1870.

An Act authorizing the laying of a water-main in Eleventh street east.

Lettenacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington, That the Water Board be, and they are hereby, authorized and requested to cause a water main to be laid in Eleventh street east, from Pennsylvania avenue to O street south; and to defray the expense thereof a sufficient sum be, and is hereby, appropriated out of the water fund, the said sum to be reimbursed by such assessments upon the property berdering on said water-main as are authorized by existing law.

[Approved, May 21, 1870.

An Act to set the curbstones and pave the foot-ways and gutters on the west side of Sixth street west, between E and Water streets south-

west.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to cause the curbstones to be set and the footways and gutters paved on the west side of Sixth street avest, between E and Water streets southwest. The work to be contracted for, and executed in the manner and under the superintendence provided by law; and to defray the expenses of said improvements a special tax equal to the cost cf said improvements a special tax equal to the cost thereof is hereby imposed and levied on all lots or parts of lots bordering on the line of the improvement; the said tax to be assessed and collected in conformity with the provisions of the act approved October 12, 1865.

[Approved, May 21, 1870.

Joint Resolution for grading and graveling Fifth street east, from M street north to Boundary street. Be it resolved by the Board of Common Coancil of the City of Washinston, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to have graded and graveled Fifth street east, from M street north to Boundary street, to a width not exceeding sixteen (16) feet, and to have planted at or near the intersection of Boundary street and Fifth street north the necessary trunks for the purpose of effecting a proper drainage at that point. The sum of three bundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to carry into effect the purposes of this act, payable out of the funds of the Fourth Ward.

Approved May 21, 1870.

An Act granting certain privileges to John W.

Be it enacted by the Board of Addermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington, That permission be, and is hereby, granted to John W. Thompson to erect bay windows, extending net more than five feet from the building line, to his new dwelling-house about to be built on let No. 5, in square No. 218: Provided, The consent of the President of the United States be first obtained.

Approved, May 23, 1870.

U. S. GRANT, President United States.

AN ACT for the relief of Michael Crathy. AN ACT for the relief of Michael Crathy.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aidermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington. That the sum of five dollars be, and is hereby, appropriated cut of the general fund, to enable the Mayor to pay to Michael Crathy the said sum, being the amount of a fine imposed for an alleged violation of the law of the Corporation. The said fine was imposed upon him by Justice Maryman in the morth of February, 1870.

[Approved, May 28, 1870.

An Act for the relief of F. and A. Schneider.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington. That the sum of two hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of the general fund to enable the Mayor to pay F. and A. Schneider a balance due them for placing an iron railing in front of the City Hall, as per bill for the same approved by Mayor Wallach. [Approved, May 3, 1870.

An Act for the relief of Dennis Reily.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washinston. That the sum of three hundred and seventy dollars and seventy-five cents (\$370.75) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of the general fund, to pay Dennis Beilly for felt-roofing, and cleaning and removing a portion of the roof of Center Market.

Approved, May 20, 1870.

AN ACT for the relief of John T. Lynch. Be il enacted by the Board of Aldermen and the sound of the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington, That the sum of one hundred and fixty-four dollars and twelve cents be, and is hereby, appropriated, payable out of the general fund, to enable the Mayor to pay to John T Lynch the amount due on a certain bill rendered under date of February 5, 1870, for paying and laying gutters, &c., in the Center Market.

[Approved, May 30, 1870. AN ACT for the relief of Anthony Buchly.

AN ACT for the relief of Anthony Buchly.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington, That the sum of one hundred and nine dollars and fifty cents be, and the same hereby is, appropriated out of the general fund to enable the Mayor to refund the same to Anthony Buchly, being the amount of taxes overpaid by him on lot B. being part of original lot No. 4, in square No. 457, for the year 1864 to 1869, inclusive.

[Approved, May 30, 1870. AN Act for the relief of Daniel McCarthy. Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington, That the sum of sixty-seven deliars and twenty-one cents be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of the funds of the First Ward to enable the Mayor to refund the same to Daniel McCarthy, the said amount having been erroncously assessed and collected for

having been erroncously assessed and collected for taking up and relaying the foot-pavement in front of the said Daniel McCarthy's property, being situated on the northwest corner of Sixteenth and L streets north.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted. That the cost of advertising the said property to be sold for said erroneously assessed paving taxes be, and the same is hereby, authorized to be paid out of the funds of the First Ward, the said property having been illegally advertised, and that an amount equal to the cost thereof be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of the funds of the said Ward.

Approved, May 30, 1870.

An Act for the relief of John Wilson. Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board Common Courcil of the City of Washington, That the sum of pinety two dollars and ninety five cents (\$92.95) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, payable out of the funds of the First Ward, to enbeing an over assessment for sewer constructed in the First Ward, per act approved in the month of May, 1867, and the Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to cause the said sum to be paid.

1 Approved May 30, 1870.

[Approved May 30, 1870. An Act for the relief of Jerry Nolan.

Be tienacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington. That the sum of ten dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, payable out of the general fund, to enable the Mayor to reimburse Jerry Nolao the amount of a fine imposed on his daughter by Justice Maryman. on the 12-n of April, 1870, and the Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to cause the said sum of ten dollars to be paid.

Approved May 30, 1870.

An Act for the relief of Benjamin Thomas.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the Viry of Washinston, That the sum of twenty dollars be, a. d the same is hereby, appropriated, payable out of the general fund, to enable the Mayor to refund to Benjamin Thomas the amount of a fine imposed on him by Justice William Thompson in the month of February, 1870.

Approved, May 30, 1870.

An Act for the relief of Henry McConely. (?)
Be ut enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board
of Common Council of the City of Washinston. That
the sum of twenty dollars and seventy-five cents be,
and the same is hereby, appropriated, payable out of
the general fund, to enable the Mayor to refund to
Heury McConoly this amount paid by him to City
Collector August 24. 1869, being an over-charge for
sewer, square 518, part of lot 2, and the Mayor be,
and he is hereby, authorized and required to vanse
the above sum of twenty dollars and seventy five
cents to be paid.

[Approved, May 36, 1870.

An Act for the relief of J. B. Lord.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the Uity of Washinston, That the sum of one hundred and thirty-eight dollars and thirty-three cents be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, payable out of the funds of the Fourth Ward, to enable the Mayor to repay the said sum to John B. Lord, in reimbursement of an excessive assessment paid by him on account of the construction of the sewer in Fourth street west.

Approved, May 30, 1876.

An Act to pay the claim of John C. Parker for stationery furnished the City Collector's Office.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington, That the sum of three hundred and twenty-three dollars and ten cents be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of the general fund to enable the Mayor to pay the claim of John C. Parker for stationery supplied to the office of the City Collector.

Approved May 30, 1870.

An Act to set the curbstones and pave the footways and gutters on the south side of L street, from Third street southeast to Water street southwest. Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to cause the curbstones to be set and the footways and gutters paved on the south side of L street, from Third street southeast to Water street southwest. The work to be contracted for, and executed in the manner and under the superintendence provided by law; and to defray the expenses of said improvements a special tax squal to the cost thereof is hereby imposed and levied on all lots or parts of lots bordering on the line of the cost the southers of the s cost thereof is hereby imposed and levied on all lots or parts of lots bordering on the line of the improve-ment; the said tax to be assessed and collected in conformity with the provisions of the act approved October 12, 1865. [Approved, May 30, 1870.]

An Act granting certain privileges to William
Pinion.

Be it engeted by the Board of Aldermen and Board
of Common Council of the City of Washington. That
authority be, and is hereby, granted to William
Pinion to erect a frame house on his lot, edjoining
— Nixon, on the west side of Nineteenth street
west, between M and N s. reets north: Provided,
The consent of the President of the United States be
first obtained.

U. S. GRANT, President United States.

An Act for the relief of John Ardeeser.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washinston. That the rum of one hundred and eighteen dollars and seventy five cents be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of the general fund, to enable the Mayor to relund to John Ardeeser amount of tax overpaid on lets Nos 4 and 5, in square No. 449, for the years 1864, 1835, 1866, 1867, and 1868.

Approved May 30, 1876. AN ACT to set the curbstones and pave the footways and gutters on the east side of Twenty-fith street west, between I street north and Pennsyl-

street west, between I street north and Pennsylvania avenue.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to cause the curbstones to be set and the fostways and gutters paved on the east side of Twenty-fifth street west, between I street north and Pennsylvania avenue. The work to be contracted for and executed in the manner and under the superintend-

ence provided by law; and to defray the expense of the said improvement a special tax equal to the cost thereof is hereby imposed and levied on all tots or parts of lots bordering on the line of the improve-ment; the said tax to be assessed and collected in conformity with the provisions of the act approved October 12, 1865. [Approved, May 30, 1870.

An Acr for the relief of Goorge H. Lee.

Be it enacted by the Board of A termen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington. That the sum of twenty dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of the general fund to reimburse George H. Lee the amount of a fine imposed by Justice Milis on the 4th day of January, for an alleged violation of law; and that the Mayor be, and he is hereby, anthorized to cause the sum of twenty dollars to be paid.

[Approve 1 May 30, 1870.

AN Act to grade and pave the alleys in square No. Be it enacted by the Board of Aidermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington. That the Mayor be, and he is hereby, an horized and requested to cause the alleys in square No. 48 to be graded and paved in the usual manner. The work to be contracted for, and executed in the manner and under the superintendence provided by law; and to defray the expenses of said improvements a special tax equal to the cost there is hereby imposed and levied on all lots or parts of lots bordering on the line of the improvement; the said tax to be assessed and collected in confermity with the provisions of the act approved October 12, 1865.

Approved, May 30, 1870.

An Act to grade and pave the alley in square No. 198.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington. That the Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to cause the alley in square No. 198 to be graded and paved. The work to be contracted for and executed in the manner and under the superintendence provided by law; and to defray the expense of the said improvement a special tax equal to the cost thereof is hereby imposed and levied on all lots or parts of lots bordering thereon; the said tax to be assessed and collected in conformity with the provisions of the act of October 28, 1867.

Approved, May 30, 1870. An Act to grade and pave the alley in square No.

An Act for the relief of Emil Fouscher, Patrick Sullivan, and Bushrod Washington.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington. That the sum of one hundred and sixteen dellars be, and the same is hereby, appropriat 1 out of the general fined to reimburse Emil Foucher. Patrick Sullivan, and Bushrod Washington for money erroneously assessed a poathern for grading sidewalks on west side of Third street cast, between Massachusetts avenue and Estreet north.

Approved May 30, 1870.

An Act for the relief of Stephen Parsons.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aidermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington. That the tax of sixty six dollars and fifty five cents assessed upon lot 25, in square 411, for abating a nuisance, in the summer of 1525, together with all accumulated interest thereon, and the costs of adventising the same, and other charges which now stand charged upon the tax-books against Stephen Parsons be, and the same are hereby, remitted, and the said Stephen Parsons is hereby relieved from the payment of the same, the said tax having been erroneously assessed.

An Act to set the curbstones and paye the footways

An Act to set the curbstones and pave the footways and gutters on the west side of Twenty-fourth street west, between G and H streets north.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the Ci y of Washinston. That the Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to cause the curbstones to be set and the footways and gutters paved on the west side of Twenty-fourth street west, between G and H streets north. The work to be contracted for and executed in the manner and under the superintendence provided by law; and to defray the expense of said improvement a special tax equal to the cost thereof is hereby imposed and levied on all lots or parts of lots bordering on the line of the improvement; the said tax to be assessed and collected in conformity with the provisions of the act approved October 12, 1865.

Approved May 20, 1870.

Joint Besolution suspending tax sale.

Be it resolved by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washinston. That the City Collector be, and he is hereby, respectfully requested to suspend the tax sale of lots Nos. I and 2 in square No. 183, for laying foot pavements, until after the first day of July, 1870, or until such time as the Committee on Claims report on a bill affecting the above-named lots, and now under consideration by said committee.

[Approved, May 30, 1870.

AN ACT to set the curbstones and pave the footways and gutters on the west side of Third street west, between O and P streets north.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washington. That the Mayor be, and he is hereby, authorized and requested to cause the curbstones to be set and the footways and gutters paved on the west side of Third street west, between O and P streets north. The work to be contracted for, and excented in the manner and under the superintendence provided by law; and to defray the expenses of said improvements law; and to defray the expenses of said improvements a special tax equal to the cost thereof is hereby imposed and levied on all lots or parts of lots bordering on the line of the improvement; the said tax to be assessed and collected in conformity with the provisions of the act approved October 12, 1865.

Approved, May 30, 1870.

AN ACT to repair the sea-wall at the foot of Second street east, and to build a sea-wall at the foot of Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Boar. Common Council of the City of Wasainston. That e sum of fourteen hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of the funds of the Fifth Ward to repair the sea-wall at the foot of Second street east, and to build a sea-wall at the foot of Third street east. The work to be done under the direction of the Superintendent of Sewers and superintendence of the Commissioner of Improvements of the Fifth Ward and two assistant commissioners to be appointed by the Mayor.

Approved May 20, 1870. Approved May 30, 1870.

An Act for the relief of William Reading.

Be it enacted by the Board of Aldermen and Board of Common Council of the City of Washinston. That the sum of eighteen dollars and fity four cents (\$18.14) be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of the water fund to enable the Mayor to re und that amount to William Reading for water tax erroneously paid on Lot No. 7, in square No. 31.

Approved, May 20, 1876.

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