DESTRUCTION OF THE HALTIMORE AND OBIO RAIL- Q C A R F S. BOAD. -The following is an extract from a private letter received in Baltimore this morning from Hancock :

HANCOCK, December 30, 1861. We are here in the neighborhood of the Berkeley County Militia, who are encamped between Parton's Cut and Hancock. They have taken up the track of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad from Back Creek Bridge to Martinsburg, and will a pass through Paxton's Cut to-day, if nothing prevents them from doing so. I understand they will make the attempt to fill up both cuts (North Mountain and Paxton), and remove the iron from the track; but we are looking for the Federal troops every day down the road.

HANDSOME CALENDAR -Messra, James Luche & Son, No. 15 South Charles street, have sent us a very hand-ome calendar for 1862, which reflects | credit upon their skill in their profession.

THE ARTI-SLAVERY CRUMADE.-The Chicago Tribune, which is one of the leading Republican journals of the Northwest, is again becoming very restive, because this Government is "without a policy." It says:

"If we prefer elivery to the Union, why expend | so much treasure, and sacrifice so much life in fighting the rebels? It we prefer the Union to Has on hand a fair assortment of the above articles, slavery, why besitate to sustain the one by crushing the other? In other words, why not meet the | terms, issue tendered us by the South? Let us do that, or confess judgment. Such litigations as we are carrying on with the South does not pay. I does not pay to expend \$500,000,000, and sacrifice some scores of thousands of lives, without deciding comething."

The Tribune then proceeds to abuse the President and his Cabinet. Mr. Lincoln may well ex- | MERRSCHAUM SHOKERS. claim, -"Deliver me from my friends!"

Suggest -To the uninitiated this is a word of simple and harmless significance. Neither bivalves, however, and he no means to the recipients ! safety-valves, but from framed and fury-filled are ! the shells of which the army is hearing such constant reports and which form a curious species in the natural history of war.

"Shella," a cya Major Joseph Roberts, in his "Hand Bok of Artillery," "are hollow spheres, of east-mon contaming powder, which is ignited the means of a fuze," and a "fuze" is a small eilinder or conject-shaped piece of wood, metal t of paper, which is filled with a slow-burning SHAWLS! SHAWLS! SHAWLS! composition, and is inserted into a hole in the

The rate of burning of the fuse is graded according to its length, and is so arranged that the jurice. fire shall be communicated to the moving massile Also, 2000 yds BLACK SILKS, of superior make; at the proper moment. When fired at troops the [extra bargains. shell should be timed to burst directly over their l heads or among them; when fired at buildings or works, it should explode after it has penetrated. To vary this family of shells, we have spherical care shot, filled with leaden buillets and a charge Cloak and Shawl Department in second story. of powder just large enough to burst it: conister shot—a tin cylinder, iron-headed, filled with cast iron balls; grape shot, consisting of nine balls in \ a bag, or confined by cylindrical rings, and numerous others as ingenious as dangerous.

For A person out West attended Church sere ! hand the hymn as sung by the choir. The results of his labor produced the following:

"Waw kaw, swaw, daw aw waw, Thaw haw, thaw law aw waw, Was haw, law thaw raw saw yaw braw, Aw thaw raw-law saw aw."

He aubsequently ascertained that this was the rerse given out: ""Welcome; sweet day of rest. That saw the Lord arise.

Welcome to this regising breast,

And these rejoicing eyes." THE BUTLER EXPEDITION.—The Boston papers of $\left|P\right|R|O|D|UCE|D|EALERS$, Tuesday states that there are no signs of the immediate departure of the Constitution with the second brigade of the Butler expedition, although it is reported that the vessel will leave in a day or two. She has her stores and cargo on board, and season. now awaits the arrival of troops. The cavalry

A chear Almanac, for 1862, has just been published in London, in which a portrait of "Jefferson Davis, First President of the Southern | | First Class Confederacy," is given on the same page as those of the rulers of the different nations of the earth. His photograph is also met with in the shop windows next to that of Lincoln.

for this expedition numbers about three hundred

CITY ITEMS.

Acting Mayor Baker and the City Council .-] The members of the First Branch City Council; held a meeting a few days since for the purpose of appointing a committee to wait upon Mr. Baker and learn his views in regard to their election, and whether he desired to have them sworn in He intormed the committee he had consulted the City Counsellor, George M. Gill, Esq., and his opinion was that their election was null and void. The committee, in return, stated that they had also consulted able legal advice whose opinion l differed from that of Mr. Gitl. The committee, however, called on Mr. Baker the mat day for a final answer, who were informed by him that he would offer no objection to their organization; and it is now understood that Mr. Baker is eu-

gaged in preparing his annual communication. Money Found -An unknown gentleman, taking the 4 o clock Washington train yesterday atternoon for Washington, left his pocket-book, containing a large sum of money in bills, lying on \ the ledge of the ticket office, where it was fortunately found by Mr. A. G. Stabler, the ticket agent at the Camden station, who has it yet in

his possession. Death ge an Old Citizen .- Mr. David Kone, one of our oldest and most respectable citizens, died yesterday at an advanced age of seventy-nine years. He was a native of Adams county, Pa., but for the larger portion of his life was a citizen of Baltimore. He was one of the few of the detenders of our city in the war of 1812 left among

Sent to Fort M. Henry .- Henry Carroll, Esq., * planter of St. Mary's county, residing about four miles from Millstone Linding, was last week arrested by the military upon the charge of faciliating communication with Virginia. He is now h in cure ody at Fort McHenry.

SALES AT THE BALTIMORE STOCK BOARD January 2, 4862.

\$1,000 Miscouri 6's. 1,000 4 6 5 42 1,000 Baltimore City 6's, '75......57 1,000 Billimore & Obio R. R. bonds, 562,4932. 62.49 2 shares Balt. & Ohio B. R. stock.....451 c Prices and Sales of Stocks in New York. BY THEROMARM TO ENGRERO J. TORMET, STIME AND HILL MAIL. EFR. No. 22 BOLTH PT 1

First Board, January 2. Virginia 6's.....49 sales N. Carolina 6's..60 sale 1 Missouri 6's417 do Reading34' a do Canton Co..... 934 to Mich. South. RR. Erie Railroad ... 32 do Mich. So. Guar. --Erie Pref d..... do Tennessee bonds. 43 do N. Y. Central., 79% do Treasury Notes, 99% do

Market steady. A DVANCES ON CONSIGNMENTS TO ZIMMERMANN, FAIR & CO.

MORTES IDEO AND BUSIOS ATRES. Made by C. MORTON STEWART, No. 52 Houth Gay street.

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SCARFS. GLOVES. GLOVES.

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HAM & CUSHING. Is offered to the public, at cost prices, at No. 278 WEST BALTIMORE STREET. Persons parrhacing presents for the Holidays well do well to examine their stock, consisting, in part, of GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, JI WELRY,

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ANTEICE OF THE APPEAL TAX COURT. - Ваттінова, Dec. 28, 1861. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a list, with a descripyou or all new buildings, and improvements made during the last year, with nother our limits, and assessed as taxable for the l may feel the miselves against of by the second but the Asses. Live a print parameterine to be to be called their to be make at the The early feel from an a sit or genute the commonwealth. permote transcent to the only and making it their inface of compression to a contention, are not to all the construction, under 1 Take the first of the acceptable of the Appelliance Take 4 societies the second THOS HARRISON, grigerty line with manife the

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BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH. THIRTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2, 1862. SENATE. Mr. King, of New York, presented a petition numerously signed by citizens of New York city, praying for the emancipation of slaves under the

wat power. Mr. Latham presented the petition of the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco, for the estab- People. lishment of a steamship roail line between that port and China.

Mr. Sumner offered a resolution that the President be requested, if not incompatible with the panies of Col. Young's regiment, five companies public interest, to transmit to the Senate all the correspondence which has taken place since the Congress held in Paris in 1856, relating to neutral and belligerent rights on the ocean, which was

Mr. Kennedy presented the resolutions of the Legislature of Maryland, protesting against any interference with slavery in the States by the souri Democrat.]-Major-General Curtis arrived General Government.

Committee on Military Affairs to inquire into the | Siegel. This would seem to indicate a change of necessity of modifying the act of July, 1861, in- programme. creasing the Military statutes of the United States. | Colonel Dodge, while riding out on horseback He also offered a resolution calling on the Se- | from the accidental discharge of a pistol carried cretary of War to transmit to the Senate the in his side pocket. The ball was extracted, and number of cavalry regiments authorized to be the wound will not prove to scrious as was at first raised, where stationed and if it be advisable to supposed.

convert those not yet mustered into service into regiments of infantry. Agreed to. Mr. Wilson introduced a bill to provide for the foundry and ferry beats at that place, did not CONDUCTED ON THE EUROPEAN PLAN. appointment of Sutlers for the volunteer service | quite finish their work. Four notorious Confedein the army, and to define their duties. Referred | rate acoundrels, named Charley Martin, Carroll

Rooms, with or without meals. Dissing Rooms administration of justice in the District of Colum- Federals, followed along in the rear, and overbia. Referred

> The Senate then adjourned to Monday. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Secretary of War inform the House why certain and the next morning was found murdered on the volunteer regiments from the State of New York, Herce. Our informant adds that the Confederates now encamped in this city, are not provided with | have killed and packed away in Lexington 3,000 arms, and whether any legislation is necessary hogs for Price's army. on the part of Congress to enable the War Depart- | These facts show a bad state of things, and it ment to furnish atms to regiments now in the | will require hareher measures than any yet resort-

> defence of the city of Philadelphia and the Dela- ligations to the laws of the country, and to the ware river. Referred to the Committee on Mili- suggestions of common humanity. tary Affairs.

Mr. Vallandigham asked leave to offer a resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury to report, at an early day, to the House the sum total of the present floating debt of the United States, as pearly as the same can be ascertained or estimated, giving, also, as far as practicable, the several heads as to departments or subject matter under which said debt may be ranged. Also, that the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to report, as soon as practicable, the amount in pounds of the importation of tea, coffee and sugar in the a partial similarity of names. The response to several ports of the United States for each month specific inquiry this morning in the proper quarter of the current fiscal year up to January 1, 1862. with the amount of duty collected on each since

Messrs. Stevens and Fenton severally objected to the introduction of the resolutions. Mr. Phelps, of California, asked but failed to obtain leave to introduce a bill extending the laws now in force regulating trade and intercourse with the Indian tribes to the Indians in Califor-

The House then adjourned till Monday.

Important from Mexico...Vera Cruz Occupied by the Spaniards. NEW YORK, January 2d.—The steamer Columbia, from Havana on the 28th ult., has arrived. occupied by the Spaniards, and that the Spanish | imperial or royal masters. Some of these are flag is waving over the tamous fortrees of San gorgeously embroidered with gold, and set off by Juan de Ulloa.

FROM FORTRESS MONROE.

bere this morning at half-past eight o'clock, but Other Ministers were then presented by Mr. reports no news of special interest. A flag of Seward. truce came down from Norfolk yesterday, bring- | The diplomatic corps was followed by the Jusing over thirteen. Federal prisoners of war, who | tices of the Supreme Court, the officers of the had been elchanged. All was quiet around the larmy, beaded by Gen. McDowell, and the officers Fortress. There were no arrivals by sea or de- of the navy, beaded by Capt. Wilkes. The army partures worthy of mention. The Georgeanna officers were generally in undress uniform, but will take down this afternoon a number of heavy | those of the navy were in "full toggery," with siege gun carriages.

Arrivals from Port Royal. NEW YORK, Jan. 2. - The steamer Ariel arrived | House. yesterday from Port Royal, which post she left

on the 28th ultimo. She brings no news of mo-Port Royal, for repairs: bar of the Mississippi.

Mason and Slidell Gone. PROVINCETOWN, Jan. 2 -The British steam gunboat Rinaldo left here at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon with Messrs. Mason and Slidell and their Secretaries on board.

FROM THE SOUTH. From the Norfolk Day Book of the 30th ult.

we glean the following items: The schooner J. F. Crouch, hailing from Port Elizabeth, New Jersey, and bound from Alexandria, Virginia, to Deighton. Massachusetts, with coal, went ashore on Friday night, about 11 lo'clock, off the Pleasure House. Her captain, Timothy Henderson, of New Jersey, and crewwere brought up to the city. The vessel and car-

go are a total loss. the same regiment. They were both killed at the | fully invite the attention of purchasers and the trade 100 springs; with a full ascortment of Corsets and first fire; rides, forty paces. Both bodies have are in general to our stock of

rived here en route for Louisiana. THE FIGHT AT DRANPSVILLE. of the 27th ult., writing of the buttle of Dranes- recent importations.

"After the regiment fell back to Herndon, i many of the soldiers were too much exhausted to a days from the first Menday to January next to bear or 1 deter get there before the rolls were called, and very while they replaced and appeals of all persons concerned, who many, who have found their companies and regiments since, were at that time put on the list of the many the transport of the was elevated thereafter | killed wounded and missing. All of the wagons i treturned to camp safely, and all belonging to this [ALSO, Sect 107488 COUNTRY ENTERIAL PURSE. regiment came back heavily laden with proven-I der, which speaks well for the energy of Colonel i Hadford in having his teams to leave camp an i bour before day and several hours in advance of And Notions of all kinds suitable to the trade.

> From the Fort Smith (Ark.) Times, Dec. 15. REPORTED SUCCESS IN THE INDIAN COUNTRY We learn from Major Clark, of Texas, direct from the camp of Col. Cooper, that a battle took digris river, about one hundred and eighty miles | Dispasses er and the enemy under Opothdeyholo, estimated | new hat given the block of ever being a feel and hales at four or five thousand. Col. Cooper bad only about thirteen bundred men.

The enemy attacked Col. Cooper about eleven y'clock, and the fight continued all day until sunown. Col. Simms' Texan regiment fought with great bravery, and the Choctaws, Chickasaws and

Creeks fought like tigers. The enemy followed Colonel Cooper eeven miles, and attacked him with great fury. Col. C. drove them back to the woods, a distance of two miles. A large number of Cherokees were with Upothleybolo; likewise about one hundred and fifty Seminoles. Col. Drew, with his men, who remained with him, fought well and did good service. The Choctaws took about one hundred and fitt scalps, and the Chicksaws nearly fifty. The Creeks did not scalp any, because the enemy were their own

From the same, Dec. 16. We learn that Col. McIntosh, in command of the troops on this frontier, has ordered eight comof Colonel Greer's regiment, and Col. Whitfield's battalion to the assistance of Col. Cooper, against (Opothleyholo and his Jawhawking allies.

FROM MISSOURI.

GENERAL BIEGEL SUPERSEDED. ROLLA, Dec. 27 .- [Special despatch to the Misin town this evening, and will assume command Mr. Wilson offered a resolution instructing the of the forces here to-morrow, superseding General

this evening, received a flesh wound in the thigh

It appears that the Federal forces which made Ixxington a visit the other day and burned the Wood, John Reed, and Thomas Shields, were in Mr. Grimes introduced a bill in regard to the the city at the time, and after the departure of the taking one of the soldiers who was lagging behind, shot and killed him. On last Friday night, a passenger who had arrived at Lexington by the On motion of Mr. Duell it was resolved that the | Booneville stage, was seized by Charley Martin,

ed to, to bring the city of Lexington and the re-Mr. Kelly introduced a bill to provide for the | gion round about to a realizing sense of their ob-

FROM WASHINGTON. UNFOUNDED REPORTS-HEALTH OF GEN. M'CLELLAN. Washington, Jan. 2 .- It was yesterday reported that Gen. McCall had been killed in a skirmich -the innocent firing of guns on the night previous being the only foundation for the rumor .--Perhaps the report prevailing in distant cities, and about which questions by telegraph are asked today, of the death of Gen. McClellan, results from warrants the assertion that at no time recently has Gen. McClellan been dangerously ill; that he is attending to important business connected with the army, and expects to engage in out-door business in the course of peveral days. The General has only been suffering from a severe cold taken at Gen. Porter's last interview. He is rapidly recov-

lering from its effects. The Washington correspondent of the Philadelbhin Inquirer furnishes the following items:

THE PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION. At II o'clock the Plenipotentiaries, Ministers Resident, Secretaries of Legation, and attaches of I the foreign Powers represented here, called on the President, wearing the uniforms or court cos-She brings intelligence that Vera Cruz has been | tumes which they sport at the courts of their crosses of honor.

Lord Lyons, attended by his numerous suite, was cordially received by President Lincoln, and The steamer Georgeanna, Capt. Pearson, arrived | after shaking hands they had a familiar chat.

cocked hats and epaulettes. Patriotic airs were performed by the full Ma-

rine Band, stationed in a restibule of the White

GENERAL MCCLFLLAN. The President was gratified to learn, at the The United States frigate Sabine arrived yes- commencement of his reception, by one of the terday from Georgetown, South Carolina, via medical attendants at "head-quarters," that Gen. McClellan is slowly recovering from what was The prize bark Express has arrived from the doubtless an attack of typhoid, yet was fortunateby checked in time. Owing to his illness, a guard has prevented bands from serenading him for sev-

eral nights past. GENERAL SCOTT NOT COMING BERE. All had hoped to see the well known form of General Scott "head the column" of officers today, but it has been announced that he does not * intend to visit the metropolis at present. He is in excellent health, the swelling of his lower limbs having disappeared, and with it the attacks of | vertigo with which he was troubled.

WHOLESALE GOODS HOUSE. NEW STOCK

Fall and Winter Dry Goods. The undersigned having just taken possession of RICHMOND, Dec. 20.-A duel occurred last week | their new and elegant Marble Front Store, have on the Peninsula, between Lieutenant Jones, of with great care relected a large and desirable stock SKIRT—something entirely new. Also, a full the Fifth Louisians, and Dr. Forward, a sutler in of all kinds of Dr. Goods, to which they respect

DRESS GOODS. Of which we have a splendid assortment of the and A correspondent of the Lynchburg Virginian, medium qualities and beautiful styles, of the nest

> Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinets and Vestings, differency abode as Equality technik in as an A.D. Seedland a K. and tures. Have just received a large filled. FULLED LINSAYS AND BLANKETS.

Fine and Medium qualities of Blackets. Surporte for Military and Hilliage seepers. WE HAVE A SELECT ASSUREMENT OF Shawla, Woolen Under Shirts and Drawers,

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Between Howard and Liberty. VIANCE'S CELEBRATED TETTER WASH. E E it in the exects and you green, and forther Salt Harth. place on the 9th on Bushy Creek, near the Ver- Risa waxa. Bakinks from and of Colabbics of Sais A stokle bertle of this pestinishle companied by significal transfrom this place, between the forces of Col. Coop- of the most sold to be seemed the second discussion of the page. I gart, feine bie geget ball ball de Gebent bie if Meine ich bei beite ein

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