

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.—In this court yesterday the testimony in

Cause No. 37.—U. S. vs. H. W. Vandegrift, was concluded and the cause tried, after which the court adjourned until this morning.

Upon meeting this morning, the court took up cause No. 49—U. S. vs. R. M. Whaley.—The District Attorney suggested the death of the respondent and it was ordered that the libel be dismissed.

In cause No. 50—U. S. vs. R. M. Whaley same suggestion and same order as in cause No. 49.

Cause No. 66—U. S. vs. Reginald Fairfax—The District Attorney suggested the death of respondent whereupon the court ordered the dismissal of the libel.

Cause No. 2—U. S. vs. W. H. Smith—on motion of the District Attorney the libel in this case was dismissed on payment of costs.

Cause No. 45—U. S. vs. W. G. Cazenove—testimony taken and cause tried.

Causes Nos. 5 and 6—U. S. vs. Hugh Latham—argument of counsel heard and cause continued for further argument until Monday.

Cause No. 3—U. S. vs. Selden Peach—on motion of the District Attorney, the libel in this cause was dismissed, costs being paid.

The Court then adjourned till Monday morning at 10 o'clock.

THEATRE.—The performance at the Theatre last night, was again very good, and the audience were highly delighted. Miss Grey and Mr. Wheatley fully sustaining the favorable impression made by them in their previous appearances. To-night will be produced, "The Taming of the Shrew" and the farce of "Wed-dilove."

Agnes B. Allen, widely celebrated as the relative of old Ethan Allen, of revolutionary fame, and the possessor of the sword of the old hero—that sword with which the British commandant at Ticonderoga was menaced and compelled to surrender, "in the name of the great Jehovah and the Continental Congress"—died suddenly at Lamont, Michigan, on Tuesday of last week.

The U. S. Treasury Department has just issued an order which is of interest to all classes of public officials, if not of private parties. It provides that in all official papers or in all copies, entries or transcripts of or from the same, the names of places, persons, firms and corporations, and all dates and official designations, except signatures of officials, shall be at full length, in words or figures, without any abbreviations.

An interesting little son of Benedict T. Bussey, of Hickory, Md., aged about three years, fell into a pot of boiling soap, having both hands and arms burnt to a crisp on Saturday last. He lingered in great agony until Monday morning, when death put an end to his sufferings.

Gen. Robert Anderson has been relieved from the command of Fort Adams, Newport, R. I., on account of ill health.

Massachusetts election returns are in from all but twelve towns. Governor Andrew's majority is 40,752.

A collision on the Opelousas Railroad recently occurred by which sixteen Federal soldiers were killed and seventy-five wounded. A Confederate prisoner was also wounded.

RAILROAD BRIDGE OVER THE POTOMAC.

The projected railroad bridge near the Old Long Bridge, is near its completion, according to contract with Post & Co., of New York.—The cribs and piles for this structure (of a mile in length) are just about finished, though but a few months in time have been employed for the purpose. The former are of the most firm and durable materials and have their foundations at a depth of forty feet. The piles are driven to the depth of thirty-five to forty-five feet, and the superstructure is heavy timber, with such an adjustment of parts that each contributes to the strength of all. The materials for the draw, planking, railing, &c., are all prepared and are at hand. It is not doubted that the bridge will be ready for use on the first of January. In connection with the railroad hence to Alexandria, it is understood that a northern company has a design of extending another railroad by a straight line to Fredericksburg.—[Wash. Cor. Balt. Sun.

FROM THE SOUTHWEST.

CAIRO, November 11.—The steamer Allen Comarier was recently attacked by guerillas a short distance from Helena, brought to the shore and burned to the water's edge. The boat was owned at Memphis; and was valued at \$15,000.

All is quiet between Memphis and Corinth. It is reported that Chalmers will make another attack on Collierville. The Confederate officers captured in the late fight at that place arrived here to-day en-route to Johnston's Island. Among them is Colonel George, late commanding the Mississippi State militia.

A fight occurred on the Little Tennessee river on Monday, in which a Confederate regiment was repulsed with the loses of fifty killed and forty captured.

The walking cane of the late David C. Broderick, of California, has been presented to Mr. Lincoln.

Gen. Heintzleman, recently relieved from the command of the Defences of Washington, has not yet been assigned to any new position.

It is understood that Gen. Foster is on the point of leaving for the West to relieve Gen. Burnside. This officer is now in Washington.

Partridges are selling in the Boston market at fifty cents a pair, and wild ducks at 75 cents a pair.

COAL OIL.

CHEAPEST AND BEST COAL OIL IN THE CITY, by the barrel, or at retail, *prices as low, or lower than the lowest*—quality unequalled—for sale at

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No. 15 Royal street, where can be had Lamps, Chimnies, Wicks, and everything connected with the trade, in every variety of style, together with a general assortment of Gas and Steam Fixtures, Chandeliers, Pendants, Brackets, Drop Lights, Glass Globes, Paper Shades, &c., of all the new styles, and beautiful patterns, at prices to please.

Gas Fitting, Alterations and Extensions promptly attended to; all work warranted.

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nov 14—3t* **JOHN H. BRENT.**

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LADIES where are you going? To Schwarz's, to buy our furs and muffs; he sells you an elegant muff at \$3, and a cape to match at \$5.50. Why don't you go and see him before they are all sold. nov 13—

SCHWARZ'S Show Room is now open, where you can find the largest and best assortment of Cloaks, Shawls, Furs and Bonnets. Call and take a look. nov 13—

SCHOOL NOTICE.

THE SECOND QUARTER of my school will commence on **MONDAY NEXT,** November 16th. Applications can be made at the school-room, Royal street, third door north of the Market-house. **JOHN S. BEACH.**

nov 13—2t

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