Chicago Tribune.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 1865.

THE CITY.

TRAIN FOR SPRINGFIELD.—Extra sleeping cars will be provided on the regular train at 7:30 this evening for Springfield, for the accommodation of those who wish to attend the funeral ceremonies.

HOME FOR THE FRIENDLESS.—The Board of Managers of the Home for the Friendless will hold their monthly meeting at the Home on Wednesday, May 3d, at 3 o'clock, p. m.

JOHNNY ALLEN leaves the Academy of Music today on a brief journey to St. Louis, where he will enact the tambourine in Morris & Wilson's Minstrel Troupe. He opens with a first-class war song to the tune of "Tramp, Tramp."

SANITARY FAIR.—All who would like to attend a pleasant party for the benefit of the Sanitary Fair will go to Mr. Martine's Dancing Academy, this (Wednesday) evening. Tickets at the door or at Root & Cady's music store.

FOR THE FAIR.—A dramatic entertainment for the benefit of the Fair, will be given this evening in the University of St. Marys of the Lake. A first class programme has been arranged, and the students have determined that it shall be carried out faithfully.

AVE MARIA.—The first number of a monthly Catholic journal, "devoted to the honor" of the Virgin Mary, and bearing the title which forms the caption of this paragraph, has just been issued at Notre Dame, Indiana, under the auspices of the University. The periodical is neatly gotten up, and contains several very readable articles.—It is for sale at all the Catholic bookstores in the city.

VIEW OF THE PROCESSION.—A very fine view of the funeral procession as it filed into the Court House, showing the funeral car, military, &c., has been taken by D. Hine, the well known photographic artist, No. 83 Clark street. It is a memento that should be in the possession of every one. The view taken at the most interesting moment in the whole course of the cortege.

TABLEAUX.—The veteran "boys in light blue" propose to do something for their comrades in the field and hospital. On Friday evening of this week they will give a fine entertainment in Uhlich's Concert Hall, in aid of the Fair, being assisted by many young ladies. The military scenes will be new and startling. We hope our citizens will give the encouragement that the occasion demands. See advertisement.

SEASON GOODS.—Messrs. Hunt, Barbour & Hale, Nos. 3, 5 and 7 Lake street, will this day open one hundred cases of new dress goods suitable to the season, comprising a large assortment of delaines and prints. Also a line of bleached and brown cottons. Tradesmen desirous of purchasing a stock of goods of unexceptionable quality, and containing all the best and most approved patterns, will do well to inspect the stock of Messrs. Hunt & Co. before they purchase elsewhere.

THE PHANTOM TRAVELER TO-NIGHT.—Our amusement lovers should bear in mind that this novel and beautiful entertainment opens for the first time in our city, to-night, at Smith & Nixon's Hall. The wonderful variety and beauty of its processions, the startling nature of its effects, as such as the Ghost Scene, &c., and its life-like portraitures of all that interests us from day to day, have won most unstinted praise from the cities first minds of the age, and contribute to crowd its auditoriums wherever given. It will doubtless be the same here.

N. W. FAIR.—The Ladies' Central Committee of the Congregational Churches for the Northwestern Fair are requested to meet on Wednesday, at three o'clock p. m., at the rooms of the Sheridan Insurance Company, No. 49 Lasalle street.

All the ladies belonging to the various Methodist Churches, interested in the Fair, are urged to attend a special meeting this morning, at half past nine o'clock, at the rooms of W. M. E. Church Block, per order of the chairman.

CHARLESTON AND SUMTER.—An address will be delivered in Bryan Hall on Thursday evening next by Henry M. Smith, Esq., of the TRIBUNE, under the auspices of the U. S. Sanitary Christian Commission, and narrating the principal incidents of the late memorable trip to Charleston to raise the old flag over Fort Sumter. Mr. Smith will describe the moral and religious aspect of the colored population; the return of the expedition to Washington, the call of the Illinois delegation on President Johnson and other subjects of absorbing interest to the American people to-day.

TRIAL OF THE WASHINGTON ASSASSINS.—Major General Hunter received yesterday a telegram commanding him immediately to proceed to Washington to preside over the trial of the parties charged with being accessories to the plot in partial pursuance of which the President was assassinated, and dangerously wounded, and all the other members of the Cabinet intended to have been destroyed. About eighty persons have been arrested on this charge. Gen. Hunter is a man who does not stand any humbug: he goes right to the bottom of things, and at once, and universally renders judgment in accordance with the evidence adduced.

HOME COMFORT.—We are not advising people to smoke. It is not a particularly pleasant habit—to some people. But there is considerable truth as well as poetry in the old saying, that a man who doth not smoke hath either known no great grief or reasseth himself the softest consolation, peace to which comforteth his soul. If people must smoke, and smoke they will, let them smoke good tobacco. The "Home Comfort" manufactured by Heath & Connable, is of this description. It is good tobacco. The demand for the "Home Comfort" has been so large that dealers have not for been able to obtain a supply after the 23d inst. this will be remedied, and dealers those who desire to buy this brand can be accommodated.

MORE PICKPOCKETS IN LIMBO.—A large delegation of thieves took their departure from this city yesterday morning bound for Springfield, where they hope to receive less opposition from the police than they found here. Twenty-one pickpockets were taken, up on Monday, and yesterday seven more were caught. Their names were: James Stanton, alias Jo. Harris, Thomas Mc-Hale, John Starkey, John Williams, Thomas Andrews, and Jacob Scott. The man Stanton is reported to be the most expert pickpocket in the pickpocket in the Northwest.

ABOUT SIX O'CLOCK last evening two men were reliever of their wallets in the saloon in the alley at the rear of the TRIBUNE office. One of them lost $100 and the other $300. The thefts were committed by a party of rowdies congregated in the saloon. No arrests were made.

ROBBERIES.—The residence of Mr. Gearhard, on Milwaukee avenue between Green and Indiana streets, during the absence of the family yesterday afternoon, was entered by some unknown robbers, and a chest broken open, from which they took $2,000. The entrance was made through the front door.

On Monday afternoon the grocery store of Messrs. Adams & Bacon, on the corner of Cottage Grove avenue and 22d street, was entered during the absence of the occupants and robbed of $50 in money and goods to the amount of $250.

About ten O'clock on Monday night, two men with a two horse wagon drove up to a house on the southwest plank road, near Madison street, during the absence of all the men folk's, and soon by means of the kitchen, carried off all the goods their vehicle with everything they could find in the way of eatables, and then drove off. There were two women in the house at the time, but they were deterred from giving an alarm by one of the men brandishing a revolver and threatening to kill them if they made any noise.

AN EXCHANGE.—The following is going the rounds of the papers, credited to the St. Louis *Republican*:

"The following occurrence, the result of a blunder on the part of an express agent, took place in this city recently. A young lady in delicate health, daughter of a prominent and highly esteemed citizen, was sent to a water-cure establishment in Wisconsin, where it was hoped her health would improve. They, however, were disappointed, and the girl died, and her remains were forwarded by express to this city for burial. When the afflicted family were about to take a last look at the face of the deceased, and the lid of the coffin was raised, they were shocked and mortified to discover that the corpse was the body of a man, which, by some unfortunate blunder of the agent of the express company, had been sent to them instead of the lady intended. Investigation soon revealed the fact that they had exchanged in Chicago and each sent in the wrong direction."

BOLD ROBBERY.—Yesterday afternoon two men entered the saloon kept by Abe Kay, on the corner of Dearborn and Kinzie streets, and stole a pistol, which was given them by Mrs. Kay. In payment for the liquor one of the men offered a $20 note, but Mrs. Kay, mistrusting from the suspicious appearance of the man, that he possessed no such a large bill was merely a *ruse* to find out how much money she had, refused to change it. Upon this, the men they drank, each time presenting the same bill. Not liking to lose thirty cents, she concluded to change the bill, and with that in her hook out a wallet containing $64 and commenced counting out the required amount, when her suspicions again returning, she "pre-emptorally" refused to change the bill, and placed the wallet in the drawer. Just then, observing a suspicious movement on the kitchen, and going there she left her little girl in the saloon. Scarcely was her back turned before one of the men reached over the counter and extracted the wallet from the drawer, and ran out. The little girl bellowed murder, several blocks calling on the passers by to arrest the men, but her cries were unheeded and they made good their escape.

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA.—The opera season will be resumed on this evening. The *repertoire* for the week is as follows: On this evening Miss Louise Kellogg will make her debut as Amina, in Sonnambula. On Thursday evening, Puritani will be given, with Miss Kellogg as Elvira. On Friday evening, Signor Mazzolini, the celebrated tenor, will make his debut in the opera of Ernani, Ballo in Maschera, as Richard the Governor, his great role, and Carlotta Zucchi as Amelia. On Saturday, for Matinee, Martha. The box office at the Opera House will be opened this morning at 9 o'clock.

MCVICKER'S.—This evening Mr and Miss Coulcock will appear in an entirely new domestic drama entitled "Jessie McLane;" or the Story of a Coal Mine," and a new farce written by a prominent citizen of this city entitled "A Supper in Dixie." "Milky White" is in rehearsal.

COL. WOOD'S MUSEUM.—This excellent little theater will re-open this afternoon, on which occasion will be presented the successful drama entitled "Pop O'Day," with new scenery and a good cast. The management have several novelties in preparation.

HOWE'S CIRCUS.—This circus will exhibit in Chicago this evening, at the corner of State and Twelfth streets, under the direction of Mr. Howes, proprietor, and continue afternoon and evening until the 6th inst.

SMITH & NIXON'S.—The Phantom Traveler will commence his journey to-night at Smith & Nixon's. Entertainments will be given afternoon and evening until Saturday night.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Arlington, Leon & Kelly will re-commence their engagement at this Academy of Music this evening. The attraction is the great equestrian spectacle of Mazeppa and an excellent programme of musical gems.

Rebuke of Flunkyism.

CHICAGO, May 2, 1865.

Editors Chicago Tribune:

The Directors of the Christian Commission ought at once to make a pledge that they will not use a dollar of the money and supplies furnished them to feed rebels; they are given for no such purpose; and that they will summarily dismiss all agents who go cajoling upon or toadying to General Lee or any other traitor. In the very paper in which you publish the fact last the contributions of the fathers and mothers of the soldiers whom these villains have starved are being bestowed upon pauper rebels, is a letter setting forth that these people should not when they heard of Lincoln's death. Not another dime should the Christian Commission receive until it takes some action in this matter.

Will you call upon the Worcester *Spy* to give the name of its correspondent, and, if possible, to obtain and publish those of the six other fools who went with him. Yours,

Turtle.

THE PRESIDENT'S FUNERAL.

THE BODY DEPARTED FOR SPRINGFIELD.

Visiting the Corpse in the Court House Yesterday.

Escorting the Remains to the Depot--Torchlight Procession---The Funeral Dirge.

[Meetings, Resolutions, &c.

The corse of our honored President has left Chicago—going forward on the last stage of its journey to the tomb. Ere these lines meet the eyes of a majority of our readers the sepultural cortege will have deposited the remains in the State House—carried the lifeless form back to the place where but little more than four years ago he took leave of his friends on departing to assume the honors and duties of the Presidential office. He has returned to that home, oh how sadly! yet how much he had accomplished the glorious mission on which he set out, yes one far more glorious than probably ever he dared to picture to himself when last he stood in the streets of Springfield, and sadly bade them "farewell." In this, his return, he comes as the one who has conquered through death—he has established in this his martyrdom his rights to be called "The Savior of his country." He DIED TO MAKE US FREE.

Chicago has shown during the past two days, a fitter one for deeply his sorrow and the record of his virtues is engraven on the popular heart. Out of the depths of our love for him and detestation of the foul deed by which he fell, there has been no less than of the crimsoned hand now laid low, which was not the accursed instrument of a Satanic power, we have shown how a people can mourn. The grim pageant of woe which attended the remains in their journey through our city, imposing though it were, was in truth but a feeble index of the grief which welled up in every breast, and which at times threatened to become too profound for utterance. The national mourning was nowhere more intense than in Chicago, perhaps nowhere so deep, so heartfelt. Here he was known and personally beloved, and of the untold thousands who assembled to greet here the dust