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the time in doing nothing, and that in the worst possible manner. The usual expenditures had been made, and that was about all. The war had sadly interfered with the operations of the committees, by scattering their membership, But he considered the present state of the pub-ic mind highly ravorable to the creation of a Iberal sentiment. All that is necessary is the crystallization of this sentiment. We want a good business man and lecturer to travel the country and organize. He had been in correspondence with an Englishman and a German with the view of engaging their services. But the German finally concluded that he could not speak English plainly enough, and the Englishman had accidentatly become a spiritualist.

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Infidels Should be Friendly to Each Other.

Mr. Menden then stated his belief that every one present should make it his duty to introduce himself to all the others. To a Convention held in New York a tew years ago, a friend had come all the way from Ohio; but returned disgusted with the Convention and with infidels in general, because he knew nobody and nobody knew him.

Organization the Great Desideratum of Infidelity.

Mr. Menden then adverted to the vast import ance of an organization, believing that the scat-tered forces of inidels throughout the United could by this means regenerate States priest-ridden, bigoted, puritanical, hypocritical world, and set all mankind at liberty. A few men in Massachusetts, knowing no such WORG as defeat, went to work at abolition in 1830, and now slavery is abolished. If every infidel throughout the country would give even fifty cents a year, it would enable them to bear the expenses of a public lecturer. He then read a couple of letters bearing on this subject. One of these, from Terre Haute, Indiana, stated that that place was pretty well blessed with ind-delity, only one in fifteen trading at the gospei shop.

A New Plymouth Rock Discovered.

Mr. Warner, of Boston, a sharp-featured, black-haired gentlemen, who was gitted with a very spreading style of oratory, said he thought the unpopularity of their belief should not discourage them. Superstition and false theology have cramped the minds of the people, and delivered them over to the priesthood. But we should go forward with the hope of final success. So long as he had before him the sup-port of that new Plymouth Rock, Horace Seavor, could labor in earnest, and would accomplish his end or die. (Cheers.)

The Rightconsness of Infidelity.

Mr. Seavor, the object of this flattery, re sponded, regretting, for the sake of the audience that he was severely afflicted with a cold. He would be delighted if he had such lungs as Brother Warner, and the cause would prosper if there were in its ranks live hundred such earnest and effective laborers. They would not then be open to the reproach of being disciples of masterly inactivity. They had, however, satistaction of knowing that their cause is right and just. A distinguished warrior once said 2hat where there were the fewer advocates of a cause, each one's share of honor was all the greater, and a disappointed politician had declared that it is better to be right than to be popular. He thought their cause was founded in reason and justice, and was amply satisfied with coming so far from home to find himself in the presence of an audience of intelligent, independent, and liberal-minded persons in favor of the cause of reason, liberty, and humanity. (Cheers.)

Qualifications of Members Again Discussed.

The Chairman again called the attention of the Convention to the necessity of permitting none but infidels to take part in its delibera-

The Secretary thereupon moved that all persons present who harmonized with the Convention and the object they had in view, be permitted to participate in its proceedings. This motion was followed by a lengthy discussion, in which several gentlemen participated.

Mr. Thorn was particularly in favor of permitting anybody and everybody to take part, hoping, as he did, that some Christian would present himself and his arguments, to give them a chance to combat them. If he could get a fair hearing in the churches, he could soon upset Christianity. He entertained no fear of infidelity being put down by discussion. But the priesthood was too wise, too cautious, too cunning to engage in this discussion. Having found it thus difficult to engage Christians in discussion at infidel meetings, he favored the plan of joining lyceums and making a fuss in them generally. Many persons who did not like to be seen at a regular infidel meeting, would glady go to such a place on purpose to hear midel doctrine. The Secretary stated that he was an advocate of the most unlimited freedom of speech, but as this Convention was called for a particular pur pose, he was opposed to permitting everybody to participate. Some men could talk about nothing but politics, and if they once got started here, the object of the Convention would be deleated. Let us talk to the purpose. We want a central organization. Let us have one and keep it. After that we can call a convention tree speech, and invite all the priests in Christendom to attend.

Mr. Menden-I hold that the use of tobacco is | the foundation of all other vices. Tobacco itself is almost as bad as religion.

Ingrate Christians.

Mr. Thorn-We have come here, many of us at considerable expense, to organize an infidel I understand the motion to be simply meeting. to extend our courtesy to all present who favor such an infidel organization, and that it is not for the purpose of pleasing ingrate Christians, who may come here for the purpose of com-

menting on our views. (Cheers.) Mr. Seavor sustained this proposition by saying that no one present had any desire to please Christians. He thought an intidel had no business in a Christian convention, and by the same rule no Christian had any business in an infidel gathering. Mr. Menden did not believe there was a single

Christian present, but at the time he spoke his back was turned towards our reporter.

At this point the debate was closed by the previous question being demanded. Several persons still made an attempt to speak, when some one said he hoped that infidels would not set the churches a bad example. The motion to invite all who sympathized with the objects of the Convention to participate in its delibera-tions was then passed, with but one dissenting vote.

A Utilitarian.

Ten minutes were then allowed the repre-sentatives of different organizations present to report their progress, with the provision that o one was to speak mo.e than twice. Under this ruling, a gentleman gave a history

of a society in Philadelphia which met every Sunday to discuss all questions which pertained to the welfarc of the human race. This society was termed "Utilitarian," and found great strength in this very title, as many would attend its meetings who would not go near a regular infidel meeting. For his part, he considered opposition to Christianity as gether too narrow a platform. He thought that Christianity was only one of the orging evils which afflicted humanity. He wanted the name of the "Inndei Association of America" changed to "Utilitarian."

John O-w-c-n.

About this time an elderly gentleman, closely muffled in a snuff-colored overcoat, watched his opportunity, and gaining the floor, desired to know of the Chair if he could be permitted to say a lew words. The Chairman evidently had a suspicion that

there was something wrong and asked the gentleman's name.

"Owen," was the response.

The Chair-What is ft? Mr. Owen-Owen; John O-w-e-n-John Owen, There being no objection, Mr. O-w-e-n pro-

My Honorable Friends, and my Honorable Mr. Chairman:-I heard this gentleman, but I could not understand what he said No doubt a great many understood him, but I did not. I am an innoel. I am an innidel myself. Why am I an infidel? I will tell you here why I am an intidel. I will answer the question myself. Infidel signifies infidelity, but to a church, and not to your dear wite. Now is your wife a church, or is a church your wife? No doubt gentlemen have been entertained by this familiar conversation, whether they are gentlemen or not; I appeal to you as a man. Intidel springs from infidelity. The idea that Mr. Owen's speech was a little

mixed had become quite general by this time, and his last brilliant statement brought out seve ral cries of "order."

Mr. O-w-e-n-Excuse me. gentlemen, but you've got to hear me ! The Chair-We are now listening to reports

from persons here belonging to different organizations throughout the country. Mr. O-w-e-n--In other words, then, I am an

The Chair-Yes, yes; we all know that, Mr. O-w-e-n-1 don't wish to expose this Con-

vention to the community. The Chair-The Convention does not wish to

be exposed. You can sit down. Mr. O-w-c-n did not sit down, but remained standing for some minutes, gazing with, mouth wide open, at the gentleman who took the floor. He was finally satisfied, and thereupon assumed a sleeping posture.

A gentleman then proceeded to discuss the abject of effective organization, pointing out the different steps in the order in which they should be taken. He gave an account of the "Utilitarian Society" of Philadelphia, and its character, holding it up as a model. In this way an influence could be wielded that would shake Christianity to its centre. By this time Mr. O-w-e-n had recovered, and he again suddenly made himself heard as tol-lows:-Infidelity! inndelity! you must keep in-fidelity before you! (Cries of "Order! order!") Speak louder to the audience, we can't understand you.

on Wednesday morning; Mr. Leech and witness did search, and in the stable found a bloody shirt-cuff with a small portion of the sleeve attached; the stable was in a dilapidated condiion and of easy access; the cuff appeared to have been thrown by carelessly; it was behind a horshead.

William J. Leech corroborated the account of finding the shirt-cuff on Friday afternoon. They started to search for the razor and ring, and in searching for these the shirt-cuff was found.

Charles L. Parker testified that he kept a barber shop at No. 1242 Poplar street; on Fr day, 21st, Williams was in his shop at a quarter past 7 in the morning, and witness haved him; there was nothing peculiar about his manner; after he was shaved he sat near a table, and held a newspaper in his hand, apparently reading; witness got his breakfast, and was gone about ten minutes, and when he came back Williams had left. Edward C. Joyce testified that he was in Par-

ker's barber shop on the Friday morning referred to, and saw Williams there; saw him with a newspaper in his hands; nothing was said about the murder.

Chief Franklin testified that alter Williams' arres, and after receiving a caution that he was not bound to tell anything to criminate himself, he was questioned in regard to his whereabouts during the week. Williams de nued being at the house of Mrs. Miller on the day of the murder, but admitted that he was there on the pievious Monday, and obtained his breaktast. In regard to the Wednesday, Williams said he got his breaktast in the Spring Garden market, and then went out to his uncle; he was asked to explain the blood on his clothes, which he did by saying that on his clothes, which he did by saying that he was in a slaughter-house in Garden street; he was neked how he lost the right sleeve of the shirt; he said he got into a fight on Wednesday morning, at Twelth and Willow, and there being blood on the cuff (the blood coming from his nose), he had form the sleeve of and threw it away in the street; he asserted off, and threw it away in the street; he asserter that he pulled it off with his hand. He was again asked in regard to this fight on Friday last, and he adhered to the story, and stated that he threw the sleeve away in Twelfth street, above Spring Garden. Mr. Franklin produced a handkerchief found on witness at the time of his arrest, and although he alleged that his nose had been bleeding, there was no blood on the handketchief.

The shirt-cuff found corresponded with the cuff on the left sleeve of the shurt Williams had on when arrested.

During the hearing yesterday, Thomas J. Vorrall appeared as counsel for the prisoner, Worrall but took no part in the examination of the wit-

The jury rendered a verdict, "That the said Fliza Miller came to her death from wounds inflicted at the hands of Gottheb Williams, at her house. No. 924 Buttonwood street, on the morning of Wednesday, September 19."

Chief Franklin has offered a reward of \$100 for the recovery of the ring worn by Mrs. Miller previous to her death, and the razor taken trom the house.

MEETING OF THE UNION LEAGUE AT NATIONAL HALL .- The Union League heid a meeting on Saturday evening, at National Hall, Market street. Jobn Price Wetherill, Esq., pre-sided, and John Goforth, Esq., of this city, de-livered an address. The speaker commenced by saying that if those who have attended the meetings held in this hall and throughout the city during this campaign have carefully noted the character of the speeches that have been delivered, they cannot have failed to have been struck with the fact of how little of politics, how little of men, and how much of principle they contained. It has been the studied effort to enforce the importance of electing to offices of trust none but just, true, and loyal men. (Applause.) It has entirely ceased to be a matter of interest what may be the majority for General Geary in October next. That his majority will be immense has become a fixed and unalterable tact.

The speaker, in referring to the Southern States and the Rebellion, said that the South having attempted to go out of the Union, and failed of their purpose, now wish to come back with greater rights and more power than they had before. They endeavored to exercise the right to go out, but were conquered and brought back, subjugated and beaten. They have now only the rights of conquered Rebels. They have but two rights-the constitutional right to be hurg, and the divine right to be damned. They have done everything to forfeit the SPECIAL NOTICES.

OFFICE OF THE LEHIGH COAL CT.

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tember 10 and close on SATURDAY, December 1, 1985 at 3 T. M. Tayment will be considered due June 1, 1867, but an instriment of 25 per cent, or tra dollarm per share, must be paid at be time or subscription or the subscribers, be ore the lat of November, 1867, On at Dayments, be ore the lat of November, 1867, on at Dayments, locluding the aloresaid instainent, made before the lat of June. 1867, discount will be allowed as the rate of 6 par cent, per source as markents made between to at date and the is of November, 1867, interest will be charged at the same rate. All stock nut paid up in full by the lat of November, 1867, wild be increated to the use of the Company. Cer-tificates for the new stock will not be issued until after June 1 feet and said stock, it mad up in full, will be entire it will be notested to the use of the Company. Cer-tificates for the new stock will not be issued until after June 1 feet and said stock, it mid up fit full, will be entire dividend. SOLOMON SHEPHERD, 8 30.

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PHILADELPHIA, September 29, 1866.

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The Sticking Point.

Mr. Menden then obtained the floor, and stated that the representatives of several organizations in different parts of the country were present, and he would like to hear what progress they had to report. He would also like to inquire if these organizations could not contri-bute something towards the support of a public lecturer. To do this seemed to be the sticking point. A man of talents is needed, but not such a one as Joseph Barker, who got all the money out of us he could, and then turned Christian (Cheers,)

Mr. Menden then proceeded to narrate

A Little Incident

that occurred in his office not long since, to the following effect:-Two gentlemen entered Mr.

tral organization, to support a lecturer. First Gentleman—Well said, but you can't do it. Mr. Menden—Why not? What is the reason? First Gentleman—For the lack of organization.

Mr. Menden-I will stake my head against a foot-ball, and that is not worth much (whether it was the head or the foot-ball that was of such little value Mr. Menden neglected to state), that is the truth could be arrived at, the Church gets more than half its support from men who are infidels at heart, who despise the Church organi-zation, and know and feel the rottenness of religion. (Applause.)

Mr. Menden permitted the applause to lead him from the track of his story so far as to say that he never attempted to disguise his senti ments, and that he knew, as they all knew, that religion was rollenness, and nothing else. (Applause.)

Infidelity Supports Religion.

The colloquy in Mr. Menden's office is then

First Gentleman-I subscribe five dollars year to the Boston Investigator, and pay forty dollars a year per rent. (Applause.) Second Gentleman I do worse than that; I subscribe three dollars and a half to the Boston

Investigator, and pay fifty dollars a year to sup-port an Episcopal church.

Evil Teachings of Sunday Schools. sation), and when they grow up they have learned to despise the truths their fathers hold, and try to inculcate in them.

Infidels Smoke, and Chew, and Drink Lager Beer.

Mr. Menden then proposed that a contribution of fifty cents per annum we levied on every infi-del in the country, stating his belief that nineten hs of them wasted much more than that on

tobacco every week. A Voice-And many of them drink lager beer. (Laughter.)

An Itincrant Infidel Wanted.

The speaker then continued, stating that he had left home and come to the Convention on purpose to ascertain if it were not possible to devise some plan for sending forth an itinerant preacher of infidelity. If such a man would come within fifty miles

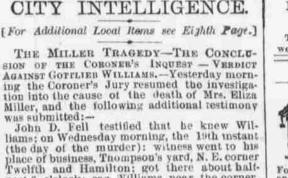
of the speaker's home, he would hire a hall for him and pay his expenses, and then see him one hundred miles on his journey away. He also in-formed the Convention that before the loss of his evesight he had read and studied a great deal; but his course of study seemed to have been restricted to a work called the "Devil's Book," which appeared to be a mixture of Latin, Greek, and Hebrew, for all he knew, and which had been borrowed by one doctor, one lawyer, one member of the Legislature and two or three other persons. He thought that, if the itinerant would only turn up and devote a little time to the study of this book, he would be able to make short work with Chris tianity.

John O-w-c-n Desires to Hear Something About Infidelity.

Mr. O-w-e-n here interrupted the speaker, to say:-I want to hear something about infi-delity. Keep to the question. I- (Cries of "Sit down!" "sit down!") We want the gentleman to speak on infidelity. (Cries of "Order ! otder !

Mr. O-w-e-n sat down at last, and listened attentively for awhile to the next speaker, who addressed the Convention in a low, sing-song tone. It was evident that, like most of the res Mr. O-w-e-n could not get the speaker's drift, and so great was his disgust thereat that he

shrugged up his shoulders and left the hall. After the departure of Mr. O-w-e-n, the proceedings became so intolerably dull, that reporter, at a quarter to 4 o'clock, gathered up his notes and beat a retreat. The example thus set was followed by many others.



past 6 o'clock; say Williams near the corner, and from his appearnace thought he had just been washing himself, witness opened the shop and then went to the stable, and after returning to the wareroom Williams was gone; this was between 8 and 94 o'clock, when he disappeared; witness attended to some busi-ness, and when he came back saw Williams leaning against a chimney-place back of the wareroom on Pleasant street; he remained there a short time, and then went towards Eleventh street: at 4 o'clock in the afternoon the witness heard of the murder; on Friday, 21st, Mr. Leech told witness that Gotlieb Williams was the man who killed the woman; that was after his name had been published in the papers; had not seen Williams since the previous Wed-nesday; on Friday it was suggested to witness to search the stable and premises, to ascertain if Williams had hid anything when he was there

rights of citizenship, if not of civilization. They raised armies and navies to wage war against their country. They fought hercely in the field, and resorted to all the arts, and devices, and barbarities that fiends and savages ever conceived or employed. They did all they could to break up this Government. There was nothing whatever left undone. Murder, rapine, arson, famine, were the work of their soldiers.

us be resolved that this is a Government of the people, for the people, and by the people, and that it shall not perish from the earth. Let us resolve to protect this Government now and for all coming time. The people of the North have made up their minds to win, and the people of the South have made up their minds to submit. There will be no more war. The Rebels fought until they could tight no longer-they fought to the end. Everything now depends upon the people on Tuesday, October 9. On your votes hangs the fate of the country. If you are true to yourselves, true to the past, true to the promptings of the future, there can be but one result.

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