

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

THE DEMOCRACY.

Their Deliberate Elections and Nominating Conventions. The Names and Antecedents of Those who Aspire to Office in their Ranks.

This afternoon, between the hours of 6 and 8, the Democratic electors in this city will hold their annual delegate elections, for the purpose of selecting delegates to the different conventions by which their candidates for city and county offices are to be placed before the people.

Among the candidates for Coroner are the following: Frederick F. Burmeister, M. D., of the Nineteenth ward, who served as coroner during the late administration of Governor Cass; and the late position of Pension Agent under the last administration.

Among the candidates for Recorder of Deeds are the following: Major J. B. Cox, of the Tenth ward, who made a very creditable record during the war. For some time he was on the staff of General McClellan, and that officer, whose word is so potent in the Democratic ranks, has given him the testimony to his soldierly and gentlemanly qualities.

Among Major Cox's rivals for the nomination are the following: Samuel Nathans, of the Fifth ward, who recently transacted the business of a pawnbroker at No. 28 South Eighth street, at the corner of Sanson street, but has abandoned that business.

Among the candidates for City Treasurer are the following: Joseph N. Peisell, of the Twelfth ward, who has held the position during the past two years, and previous to his entrance upon the duties of the office had devoted a considerable time to business, having been the cashier of the Consolidation National Bank for a number of years.

Among the candidates for Clerk of Quarter Sessions are the following: William D. Kendrick, of the Tenth ward, doing business as a pawnbroker at No. 224 South Third street. Mr. Kendrick has for years been a very active freeman, and the red-shirted boys are very enthusiastic in his favor.

Among the candidates for City Commissioner are the following in their ranks: Colonel A. H. Reynolds, of the Twenty-sixth ward, who served in the Mexican war, and has never held any political office.

Among the candidates for the Legislature are "too numerous to mention." The redoubtable Sam Josephs, of the Third ward, who handles lemons so ably at Harrisburg, is expected to carry off the prize in the list of candidates.

The Order of Harborside. This Order, the membership of which is now about a hundred, will hold a festival of three days in our city. The representatives from all the lodges in this State met yesterday, for the purpose of uniting the two Grand Lodges of the State of Pennsylvania.

Laying the Rails on Twelfth and Sixteenth Streets. On Friday last workmen started to lay the rails on N. Twelfth street, when work was conveyed to City Solicitor Barger, who immediately filed a bill in the Supreme Court, asking for an injunction restraining the Twelfth and Sixteenth Streets Passenger Railway Company from laying the rails.

THE STORM.

A Terrible Storm Over the City—Thunder and Lightning, Rain and Hail—Damage Done by the Warring Elements.

Yesterday dawned bright and fair, the heavens were manifestly clear, but few scudding clouds, offering no resistance to the brilliant rays of the sun, who rose in majesty, and started on his diurnal course in glory. The Sabbath morn was quiet, and through scattered clouds bell rang with cheery invitations to worship.

Save for protection against Old Sol's scorching heat, none carried umbrellas, for no threatening storm. Ere service was over, however, the sky lowered in darkness, heavy masses of sombre-hued clouds gathered in rapidly, and in a few moments the winds were loosed, and the suspended waters, started from their pendant flanks by the thunder, came down in torrents.

The rain was followed by the wind, which did its work effectively, unroofing and demolishing buildings, uprooting trees and scattering debris in all directions. The hail and lightning followed, completing the destruction.

In the lower part of the city, particularly in the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first, Thirty-second, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-seventh, Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth, and Fortieth wards, the wind blew a perfect hurricane and the hail covered the ground to a depth of half an inch.

Great damage was done to the crops of cereals and other grain, particularly in the Tenth, Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, and Thirtieth wards.

On a school-house on Greenwiche street, below Moyamensing avenue, was partially unroofed. The scene of destruction was visited after the storm had abated, by a large number of persons. The roof of the school-house was raised away and fell several hundred yards distant, some of the planks penetrating the earth to the depth of four or five feet.

A WOMAN BEATEN.—Adam Menock was charged before Alderman Carpenter this morning with assault and battery on Eliza Pollitt, at No. 211 South Front street. It seems that Adam went into this house in a few moments after the storm, and knocked three teeth out of her mouth. He was bound over for trial.

A WHOLESALE ASSAULTER.—Jesse Mitchell (colored) was arrested yesterday for assault and battery on Samuel Palmer, on St. Mary street, near Sixth. Mitchell occurred some quarrel with the man he struck Palmer on the head with a brick. Palmer is at the Hospital, and not expected to live. He is also charged with cutting, at the same time, Mattilda O'Brien in the cheek, and a boy named Robinson with a knife. Alderman Carpenter committed Mitchell to await the result of Palmer's injuries.

ASSAULT WITH A BUNG-DRIVER.—Christian Eberle is the proprietor of a lager beer saloon at No. 208 South Second street. He and his wife have been bound over by Alderman Carpenter for assault and battery on John McFarland. John went in there and got some beer, and getting into a dispute with Eberly about some change, the latter raised with the threat and beat him over the head with a bung-driver, which was handed him by his wife.

DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS.—The citizens resident in the vicinity of Ninth and Tasker streets are, with Mark W. Johnson, liberally making extensive arrangements for a grand pyrotechnic display and jubilee on the lawn southwest corner of Ninth and Tasker streets, on the evening of the 30th of July. A splendid band has been engaged, and an appropriate and patriotic exhibition may be expected.

POLICEMAN ASSAULTED.—Yesterday Patrick McKee got into a row at Vansicker's stables, on Market street, near Second. A policeman attempted to arrest him, when he was called off by a dog and drew him inside the building, and hammered him on the head. McKee was afterwards captured, and held in custody by Alderman Eggleston, at a tavern at the corner of Second and Market streets.

A SMALL SUM OF MONEY FOUND.—Lieutenant Erickson last night found a small sum of money in Jefferson Square. The owner is requested to call at the Second District Station.

THE UNIVERSITY.

A Generous Offer of a Ten Acre Site in the Twenty-second Ward.

The following correspondence will be read with interest by all the friends of the University of Pennsylvania: No. 187 SOUTH FOURTH STREET, PHILADELPHIA, June 22, 1869.—Dear Sir:—Carroll Brewster, Dear Sir: believing that it would be advantageous to the property of the institution which you represent that it should be located without the limits of the built-up portion of the city, I take pleasure in offering to donate a tract of land of 20 acres, near the corner of Olney, Twenty-second ward, situated on the Second street, turnpike, and five miles from Market street, where to erect the college for your obedient servant.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant, SAMUEL C. FORD, Esq.—Dear Sir:—Your favor of yesterday, offering to donate ten acres of land at Olney, on the Second street pike, to the University of Pennsylvania, was received and is very gratefully acknowledged. I am not a member of the Board of Trustees of that institution; I am the President of its Alumni. I will take every possible opportunity of having your favor submitted to the proper authorities of the university, who will, doubtless, communicate with you promptly.

Another Stabbing Affray.—At a late hour on Saturday considerable excitement was caused among the boarders at the Eagle Hotel, on Third street, by a stabbing affray. The assailant, a man named Drury, had got into a quarrel with a man named Dillon, who was a boarder in one of the upper rooms of the house. An investigation proved that one Thomas Dillon, of the name of Drury, had been in the hotel, and had got into a quarrel with one Drury, who was a boarder in one of the upper rooms of the house. An investigation proved that one Thomas Dillon, of the name of Drury, had been in the hotel, and had got into a quarrel with one Drury, who was a boarder in one of the upper rooms of the house.

A COLLISION.—There was a smash-up on the Susquehanna Railroad, fifty-miles west of this city, yesterday. No lives were lost and no one hurt. Two engines were smashed and some cars wrecked.

FROM EUROPE.—The Fenian Prisoners.—DUBLIN, June 23.—Large meetings were held yesterday in various parts of Ireland in favor of the release of the Fenian prisoners. At the Cork meeting there were five thousand people present, and at Dublin two thousand. Similar meetings were held at Limerick, Ennis, Milligan, and Drogheda. Able speeches were made and resolutions passed.

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FOURTH EDITION.

DOMESTIC AFFAIRS.

A Heavy Robbery in New York.—The Ocean National Bank Mulcted Out of Two Millions in Securities—Doings in Washington.

NEW YORK, June 28.—The streets greatly excited this morning over the announcement just made of the robbery of the Ocean National Bank, which is situated on the corner of Greenwich and Fulton streets. The total amount stolen, which consisted mostly of bonds, checks, and securities, is estimated at about two millions of dollars.

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THE FILIBUSTERS.—The Times remarks:—It was curiously reported yesterday that the Cuban filibustering party, which left Hoboken and vicinity on tug-boats, on Saturday evening, had been intercepted in the Bay by revenue cutters, and were obliged to return, greatly disappointed that they were not able to reach the steamer Quaker City, which was bound for Havana.

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ATTEMPTED SUICIDES.

An Ex-Alderman Chops his Head to Pieces—A Railroad Employee Cuts his Throat—Frightful Atrocity.—The Two Men Still Alive.

NEW YORK, June 28.—An attempt to commit suicide which, for frightful atrocity, exceeds anything recorded for a length of time. Mr. Aquila Haines, for many years an alderman of the Twentieth ward, and generally esteemed as a man of probity and respectability, had, since the expiration of his term of office, given attention to the study of the art of medicine, and had acquired considerable skill and substantially. By some recent operations he is said to have lost health, and, as a consequence, he experienced much mental depression and distress.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDES.—An ex-allyer in an early hour on Sunday morning he heard a noise in front of his door, and, supposing some of his workmen were quarreling in consequence of not having been paid, and that they had come to inflict personal chastisement on him, he was much alarmed, and called out to see what was the matter. He held an ordinary hatchet and an ice pick, and with these implements he attacked the intruders, and, in the confusion, he was struck on the head by one of them, and he fell to the ground. He was taken to the hospital, and is now recovering.

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FIFTH EDITION.

THE LATEST NEWS.

Secretary Robeson Formally Receives His Under Officers—His Address to Them—Some Practical Remarks.

FROM WASHINGTON.—The Naval Secretary Formally Receives His Under Officers. WASHINGTON, June 28.—At noon to-day the officers of the Navy now in this city were formally received at the Navy Department by Secretary Robeson. The officers were in full uniform, and were severally introduced by Admiral Porter.

Secretary Robeson's Speech. After the ceremony of shaking hands had been completed, the Secretary, addressing the officers, said:—I assure you, gentlemen, that it is with a feeling of the greatest interest, and with pleasure, that I meet you to-day. Though hitherto unacquainted with most of you, I could not have been ignorant of the names I have just heard without at the same time being ignorant of the history of my country. To have charge of the service of which these are representatives may well fill the measure of any man's pride. Your country also is proud of her navy, and she has reason to be so.

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