

ST. ANDREWS.

The One Hundred and Twenty-second Anniversary of the Scotch Reformation... The St. Andrew's Society celebrated its one hundred and twenty-second anniversary in a dinner given at Augustus's on Tuesday evening.

After the dinner had been discussed to the satisfaction of all present, the regular toasts were offered and responded to by the gentlemen present. Among the toasts were: "The Immortal Memory of St. Andrew," "The President of the United States," "The Queen of Great Britain and Ireland," "The Army and Navy," "Pennsylvania and its Metropolis," "The Judiciary," "Our Sister Societies," "Our Departed Brethren," "The Memory of Wallace, Burns, and Scott," and "The memory of those who have fallen for the cause of freedom."

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The speaker sincerely traced the history of the country; its early contest for independence; its struggle with the mother country; its clearing the forests and peopling the continent; and the late glorious vindication of our national unity and honor when assailed by the wickedness and folly of our own deluded countrymen, and closed with a prayer for the future, in which he alluded to the principles of the men who laid the foundation stones of the republic being maintained by their descendants.

The next toast—"Pennsylvania and its Metropolis"—was responded to by the Hon. J. H. McKeen, ex-Minister to Prussia, in an eloquent manner, in which he portrayed in glowing terms the rapid growth and progress of our great State and its metropolis, Philadelphia.

The seventh toast—"Our Judiciary"—responded to by Andrew H. Smith, United States Attorney at Philadelphia. He alluded to the "Our Sister Societies"—responded to by H. Helton Mackenzie, Esq.

The lower part of the river, from the point on the side of the river, were thrown into a state of excitement on last Saturday evening, the 18th, by the intelligence that one of the most daring and desperate shooting parties had taken place on the river, and that it had ever been so painful a record. Realizing that this affair would be greatly exaggerated, and that the most judicious course would be to let the public see the truth, and that the (our expenses being very light), to ascertain the fact, which we give as follows:

The timely aid of a bystander, who knocked Murdoch down with a stick of wood, and by that means secured his revolver. On reaching the other side, Murdoch manifested his revulsion, by the outcry of those who had the previous difficulty with him (Murdoch), it was refused, whereupon he commenced firing a second revolver at the pilot, who was at the wheel, two balls passing through the pilot's person, but strange to say, neither one hit the pilot. He then fired twice into the cabin, the balls passing over the heads of the crew, and striking the boat.

The body swung lazily to and fro in the breeze until Sunday noon, when it was taken down and placed in the hold of the vessel. A bad man has come to a bad end, and illustrated that "the way of the transgressor is hard."

Had upon a Convent—Hold Attempt at Murder and Burglary. The carnival of blood which began in this city recently, says the Sacramento Record of Nov. 19, appears not to have yet ended. Almost every day for a month past the local press has had one or more accounts of murders, robberies, or attempts to commit the same, in addition to an unusual number of fatal accidents.

The scene of a bloody character enacted took place night before last within the grounds of St. Joseph's School, on Ninth street, between F and G, which is under the charge of the Sisters of Mercy. It appears that about 11 o'clock, Patrick Riley, a man who has been charged with the murder of something over a year in the capacity of gardener, heard the door of his room open, and rising up in his bed, asked who was there. He says he plainly saw two men, one in the room and one outside the door. As soon as he had spoken, the fellow on the outside told the other to shoot, and according to the story of the wounded man, the other leveled a pistol at him and fired. He felt a ball strike his forehead, uttered a cry, and became insensible. How long he had lain in this condition he does not know, but he says he returned to consciousness he managed to get on a part of his clothing, and succeeded in making his way to the main building, where he was taken care of by the Sisters of Mercy. It is some thirty or seventy feet in the rear of the main building occupied by the sisters, and the one adjoining, used for a school. He knocked at the door, and a woman came to the door, and upon finding out the nature of the case, she called for the police, and the man was taken to the police station of the occurrence. A wound was found just over the right eye of the wounded man, and which, from its appearance, does not appear to have resulted from a pistol bullet. The bone forming the arch over the eye was broken off, and the fracture extending downward along the cheek bone, the bone being cut through, struck by a heavy slug-shot. This, Dr. Phelan thinks, was the kind of weapon used in the assault.

A search of the premises was made and traces of robbers were found in the kitchen and store rooms. A bundle of clothes had been carried to near the fence and then torn open and left there. Riley says he saw the two men with the cart as he was making his way from his room to the main building. What the real object of the desperadoes could have been he does not know, but he says he has never seen any one like them before. Riley says he has never seen any one like them before. Riley says he has never seen any one like them before.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON, AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD—TIME TABLE. Trains will leave Depot corner Broad street and Washington avenue as follows:

Way Mail Train at 8:30 A. M. (Sundays excepted), for Baltimore, stopping at all regular stations. Connecting with Delaware Railroad at Wilmington for Philadelphia. Express Train at 12 M. (Sundays excepted), for Baltimore and Washington, stopping at Wilmington, Perryville, and Havre-de-Grace. Connects at Wilmington with Baltimore and Washington.

Express Train at 4:00 P. M. (Sundays excepted), for Baltimore and Washington, stopping at Chester, Towson, New York, Wilmington, Newark, Elkton, North-East, Charlestown, Perryville, Havre-de-Grace, Aberdeen, Perryman's, Edgewood, Magnolia, Chase's and Stemmer's Run. Connects at Philadelphia with Baltimore and Washington, stopping at Chester, Newark, Elkton, North-East, Perryville, Havre-de-Grace, Perryman's, and Magnolia.

WEST JERSEY RAILROADS. FALL AND WINTER ARRANGEMENT. COMMENCING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1869. Leave Philadelphia, foot of Market street (Upper Depot) at 6:30 A. M. Express, 7:30 A. M. Train connecting with Delaware Railroad for Harrington and intermediate stations. Leave Wilmington 6:30 and 8:15 A. M., 1:30, 4:15, and 7:00 P. M. The 8:15 A. M. Train will stop between Harrington and Philadelphia.

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