

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

THE MASTER MECHANICS.

Meeting of the American Master Mechanics' Convention this morning.

The convention of the American Master Mechanics' Convention commenced this morning in the Assembly Buildings, Tenth and Chestnut streets.

The President read the fourth article of the constitution relating to the qualifications of master mechanics necessary for membership.

The proceedings of the previous session were read and approved, after which the roll was called and the members answered to their names.

An opportunity was then given for all lawfully-qualified persons to sign the constitution and become members.

The President read a short address of welcome to the delegates, of which the following is an abstract.

Mr. Dodge, Secretary, offered the following:—The question having been raised as to the propriety of allowing visitors to attend the deliberations of the association.

On motion, a committee was appointed to revise some items of the constitution and by-laws, which revision had become necessary on account of the increased size of the body.

The report of the committee appointed at the last convention on boilers and boiler material was then read by the chairman of the committee.

It was thought that the question should be taken so as to know whether the majority were in favor of any steam packing, or whether they preferred the old style packing.

The committee on the Erie Railroad, moved that a vote be taken, so as to give an idea of the opinions of all the members of the convention.

The report of the committee on Boiler Explosions was called for, but by request the reading was postponed until a future time.

The committee on Dead-weight of Rolling Stock also reported for further time.

On motion the subject was laid over until the report of the committee on Tires should be read.

CHARITABLE BEQUEST.—Major Henry T. Desilver, lately deceased, left a long will. His estate and possessions are to fall into the hands of his family.

WIFE-BEATER.—Miss Chambers is a resident of No. 2016 Arch street. Alderman Dallas has held him in \$500 bail to answer the charge of beating his wife.

SURVEY DISTRICTS CHANGED.

The late Legislature by an act of Assembly, has materially changed in the Survey districts in the city of Philadelphia.

First District.—The Twenty-sixth ward, and that part of the Second, Third, and Fourth wards lying west of Passyunk road.

Second District.—The First ward, and that part of the Second and Third wards lying east of Passyunk road.

Third District.—The Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, and Tenth wards, and that part of the Fourth ward lying east of Passyunk road.

Fourth District.—The Eleventh, Twelfth, Thirteenth, and Fourteenth wards, and that part of the Fifth ward lying east of Broad street.

Fifth District.—The Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth, and Twentieth wards, and that part of the Sixth ward lying east of Broad street.

Sixth District.—The Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Twenty-third, and Twenty-fourth wards, and that part of the Seventh ward lying east of Broad street.

Seventh District.—The Twenty-fifth, Twenty-sixth, Twenty-seventh, and Twenty-eighth wards, and that part of the Eighth ward lying east of Broad street.

Eighth District.—The Twenty-ninth, Thirtieth, Thirty-first, and Thirty-second wards, and that part of the Ninth ward lying east of Broad street.

Ninth District.—The Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth, Thirty-fifth, and Thirty-sixth wards, and that part of the Tenth ward lying east of Broad street.

Tenth District.—The Thirty-seventh, Thirty-eighth, Thirty-ninth, and Fortieth wards, and that part of the Eleventh ward lying east of Broad street.

Eleventh District.—The Forty-first, Forty-second, Forty-third, and Forty-fourth wards, and that part of the Twelfth ward lying east of Broad street.

Twelfth District.—The Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth, Forty-seventh, and Forty-eighth wards, and that part of the Thirteenth ward lying east of Broad street.

Thirteenth District.—The Forty-ninth, Fiftieth, Fifty-first, and Fifty-second wards, and that part of the Fourteenth ward lying east of Broad street.

Fourteenth District.—The Fifty-third, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-fifth, and Fifty-sixth wards, and that part of the Fifteenth ward lying east of Broad street.

Fifteenth District.—The Fifty-seventh, Fifty-eighth, Fifty-ninth, and Sixtieth wards, and that part of the Sixteenth ward lying east of Broad street.

THIRD EDITION.

AFFAIRS AT THE CAPITAL.

Taking the Census.

Tobacco and the Revenue.

The Political Campaign.

The Canvass in Massachusetts.

Phillips and the Reform Movements.

The Election in Colorado.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Massachusetts Campaign.—Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—Senator Wilson is here looking after the business of the National Republican Congressional Campaign Committee.

The nomination of Phillips, Wilson thinks, will be of advantage to the Republican party in the State, because it will drive votes away from the Democracy.

The Colorado Election.—Private despatches received here to-day state that General Chaffee, Republican candidate, has been elected Governor of Colorado Territory.

The Census in New York.—WASHINGTON, Sept. 14.—General Walker, Superintendent of the Census, has addressed a letter to Mayor Hall, vindicating the taking of the census.

The Savannah.—The United States practice ship Savannah has arrived at Hampton Roads, and will proceed to Annapolis, where the midshipmen will be allowed to go ashore.

Trial for Murder.—ITHACA, N. Y., Sept. 14.—The trial of Mike Ferguson for the murder of John Miller, a blacksmith, on the night of March 30 last, is under way.

Specie Shipments.—NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Shipments of specie to Europe to-day \$306,385.

New York Produce Market.—NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Cotton firm and unchanged; milling upwards.

New York Stock and Money Market.—NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Stocks dull. Money market easy.

FROM NEW ENGLAND.—BOSTON, Sept. 14.—Wendell Phillips has accepted the nomination of the prohibitory law party for Governor of Massachusetts.

Baltimore Produce Market.—BALTIMORE, Sept. 14.—Cotton quiet and scarce at 19 1/2c.

Farragut's Remains.—The remains of Admiral Farragut are to be buried at sea.

Tennessee is declared to be the healthiest place on the face of the globe, and the most remarkable for longevity of life.

The number of Chinese miners at Humboldt county, Cal., has been largely increased during the past month.

THE METROPOLITAN UNDERWORLD.

The Paris Sewers and Canals.—Possible Means of Entering the City.

The Paris correspondent of the Daily News writes, under date of August 28, as follows:—You know the story of the sewer passage from the London pavement, white-faced and mephitic, and have said to yourself, "sewers."

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FOURTH EDITION.

THE PAR'S EXODUS.

Curious and Painful Scenes.—The Nation's Writings.

A Paris correspondent of the London Gazette writes August 31:—For some days past there has been a great exodus from Paris of people possessed of pecuniary means.

On the other hand, peasants, petty shopkeepers, and the like, residing in a circle of 10 or 15 miles from the capital, are flocking in, bringing with them their household goods, their little stores of hay, grain, and potatoes, and their live stock.

The spectacle these poor people present is really pitiable. To see in a cart, drawn sometimes by a poor, wretched hack (all good horses were long since seized for the army), or by a donkey, or by hand, a collection of mean furniture, piled pell-mell; attached to the tail of the cart by ropes, and walking reluctantly, a cow, or a calf, or a pig, or a goat; and by the side of the vehicle a poor woman (almost always crying) and children.

And, in addition to this, one sees constantly wagons filled with farm produce, with fruits, and even with fire-wood—such things being brought into Paris by way of precaution, to prevent them from falling into the hands of the enemy.

Accompanying all this ingress there is an egress which is not less significant. At one moment one sees small bands of soldiers belonging to different regiments hurrying towards the railway (the Eastern), which will carry them to the seat of war.

At another, little groups of cavalry are going to the front; and at another, again, one sees a great number of cannon and ammunition wagons, going at full gallop—an extraordinary sight, even in these times of war.

There passes—a more painful sight still—ambulances and trains of mattresses for the wounded. On the Boulevard, one sees the tall, thin, sharp-shinned, and more than twenty years I never saw before—a long line of men, of different classes of society, from the aristocrat to the peasant, all marching towards the railway, some in uniform, some in plain clothes, some in party in one and party in the other.

Some are armed with muskets, some with rifles, some with pistols, and some with swords—so accoutred and so armed, said plainly to every one who knows anything of French affairs that the nation is reduced to the most straits for men.

FROM EUROPE.—THE KING AND THE POPE.—LONDON, Sept. 14.—A special despatch to the New York Telegram, received from a correspondent, dated Rome, September 13, states that all proposals from the King of Italy as to future arrangements are repudiated by his Holiness.

A despatch has also been received from Florence, dated September 13, stating that Minister Sanza received on that day a deputation of prominent citizens of Florence.

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