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S. M. PETTENGILL & Co., 37 Park Row, New York, are the *sole* agents for THE BEAVER ARGUS in that city, and are authorized to contract for inserting advertisements for us at our lowest cash rates. Advertisers in that city are requested to leave their favors with either of the above houses.

State of the Thermometer for the week ending January 14, 1871.

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Jan. 8	25 deg.	33 deg.	25 deg
" 9	18 deg.	25 deg.	10 deg.
" 10	18 deg.	32 deg.	35 deg
" 11	40 deg.	50 deg.	43 deg
" 12	44 deg.	58 deg.	41 deg
" 13	35 deg.	50 deg.	43 deg
" 14	39 deg.	63 deg.	57 deg

R. T. TAYLOR.

TIME TABLE.

Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R.—Trains going East leave Beaver Station as follows: Morning Accom'n 9.17; Mail, 2.47 p. m.; Evening Express, 5.30; Local Freight (carries passengers) 3.31 p. m.

Trains going West leave Beaver Station as follows: Mail, 7.43 a. m.; Local Freight (carrying passengers) 10.15 a. m.; Accommodation, 5.47 p. m.

Pitts. Ft. W. & C. R. R.—Trains going East leave Rochester Station (at end of bridge) as follows: Beaver Falls Accom. 6.03 a.m.; Enon accom. 7.10 a. m.; New Castle accom. 8.34 a. m.; B. Falls accom. 12.10 p. m.

Trains going West leave Rochester Station, (at end of bridge) as follows: B. F. accom. 10 a. m.; Enon accom. 5.12 p. m.; Erie night express 5.45 p. m.; B. F. accom. 7.37 p. m.

Trains going East leave Rochester (Upper) Depot as follows: B. F. accom. 6.05 a. m.; Enon accom. 7.15 a. m.; New Castle accom. 8.40 a. m.; Chicago exp. 10.24 a. m.; Beaver Falls accom. 12.15 p. m.; Chicago Mail 2.05 p. m; Erie exp. 4 10 p. m; Chicago exp. 6.04 p. m; Erie mail 9.35 p. m.

Trains going West, leave Rochester (Upper) Depot as follows: Chicago mail 8.15 a. m.; Erie exp. 9 25 a. m; Beaver Falls accom. 9.35 a. m.; Chicago exp. 11.30 a. m.; Chicago exp. 3.55 p. m; New Castle accom. 4.30 p. m.; Erie exp. 5.43 p. m; Beaver Falls accom. 7.50.

The attention of the public is directed to the following New Advertisements which appear for the first time in the ARGUS to-day:

New Advertisements—Dauchy & Co.
Medical Advertisements—Dr. Warner.
Prizes—J. C. Darby.
Special Notice—New York Sun.
German Bitters—Hoofland.
Special Notices—S. & J. Snellenburg.
Salaries paid Agents—Hendricks & Co.
Card—A. Fleming.
Gunsmith—Sigmund Grotz.
Special Notice—M. Schiff.
Special Notice—Dr. R. V. Pierce.
Land for Sale—Inquire at this office.
Book Agents Wanted—Worthington, Dustin & Co.
Dividend—Edward Hoops, Cashier.
Bank Report—Ed. Hoops, Cashier.
Dissolution Notice—Schiff & Steinfeld.

A Fresh Cow For Sale.—A fresh cow four years old, and having a calf one week old, is offered for sale at a moderate price. Inquire at this office. tf.

M. SCHIFF, New Brighton, has the cheapest Dry Goods and Trimming Store in the county.

☞ Blank Warrants to Collectors of School Tax neatly printed, and for sale at this office.

Noiseless and Boiseless.—Read without fail Geer & Cady's advertisement in another column, and write them at Marshall, Mich.— jan11-1y.

☞ Blank Orders on Treasurer of School Districts, just printed and for sale at this office

Public Documents.—We are indebted to Hon. John Scott, U. S. Senate, and to Messrs. Hartranft, Campbell, Rutan, Hamilton, and others at Harrisburg, for valuable public documents received during the past week.

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Dr. J. C. Levis of Bridgewater, was attacked a week or so ago with a disease of the kidneys, which, for a short time threatened his life. At last accounts he was slowly improving.

TEN ACRES OF LAND FOR SALE.—Ten acres of good land adjoining the borough of Beaver is offered for sale, at a moderate price. The lot is enclosed with a board fence. For particulars inquire at the ARGUS office. jan18:tf

Argument.—It is anticipated that the Washington and Jefferson College case will be argued in the United States Supreme Court, at Washington, D. C., about the first of March. Judge Black has been retained for the College, and Judge Woodward for the contestants.

Virtue is not always its own reward. At one of the Wellsville, Ohio, churches, on Thanksgiving Day, somebody quietly dropped a one hundred dollar greenback in the money bag, and the unknown donor has the satisfaction of hearing his home paper say that the gift is either a mistake or conscience money.

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Joseph H. Cunningham, Esq., for several years an attorney of Beaver, has opened a law office in Beaver Falls. Mr. C. is well posted in legal matters, and has sufficient ability to make him, in due course of time, an eminent lawyer. We incidentally learn that he is gathering around him a lucrative practice in his new location.

Destroyed by Fire.—A dwelling house on the "Henry Farm" in Industry, was destroyed by fire on last Saturday night. The building was occupied by two or three families of laboring men, who lost nearly all of their household goods. The origin of the fire is unknown.

The Production of Petroleum.—The production of Petroleum in the Venango oil regions, for the month of December, amounted to 509,352 barrels, or a daily average of 16,431 barrels. This looks large, but the oil producers' association show the figures for it.

On Trial.—The trial of Rev. Dr Lanahan, formerly assistant agent of the Methodist Book Concern of New York, for alleged frauds and peculations in management, began in that city on last Thursday. The trial is conducted by an ecclesiastical court.

"The Snow, the beautiful Snow."—The snow which stopped with us a few days last week, and which caused the blood to tingle and the bells to jingle, left us very abruptly on last Wednesday. A warm atmosphere did the business. Result: a high river.

Another River Horror.—The Steamer T. L. McGill, on her way from St. Louis to New Orleans, took fire, while near Shoo Fly Island at 9 p. m. on last Saturday night, and burned to the water's edge. About thirty lives were lost, and probably an equal number saved by being rescued by other boats, which were in the vicinity at the time. None of the lost or saved, we believe, belonged to this county.

Installation.—The Rev. John H. Anghey was installed in the pastorate of the United Presbyterian Church, of North Sewickley, Slippery Rock and Newport, on December 20th, 1870, by a committee appointed by the Presbytery of Shenango, consisting of Rev. D. H. Junkin, D. D., of New Castle; and Rev. R. C. Critchlow, of New Brighton. Dr. Junkin presided, preached the sermon, and delivered the charge to the people. The services were very solemn and impressive. Nineteen persons were recently added to these churches, and the hearts of both pastor and people are greatly encouraged.

Another poor family, this time in Keytesville, Mo., have fallen heir to the sum of $40,000,000 in gold. This fortune was formerly the property of a great-grandfather in Germany, and the money is said to have been waiting for the heirs nine years. There are two very singular things about these fortunes left to Americans by relatives in Europe. The first is that they seldom amount to less than a score of millions or so, and the other is that the inheritors never get any of the money.

If you have sallow color of skin, or yellowish brown spots on face or body, dullness, drowsiness, frequent headache or dizziness, bad taste in mouth, tongue coated, internal heat, unsteady appetite, low spirits, gloomy forebodings, you are suffering from liver complaint or billiousness, and nothing else will relieve and cure you so speedily and permanently as Dr. Pierce's Alt. Ext. or Golden Medical Discovery. Sold by druggists. A pamphlet sent free. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N.Y.

Right Rev. Bishop Dominic, will visit Beaver on Monday, 30th inst., and deliver a lecture on the subject of Œcumnical Council, during the evening of that day, in the Court House or the Catholic Church—the place will be definitely determined in sufficient time for public notification. The subject is an interesting one; and as the eminent theologian who proposes to lecture, was a member of that august body, he will be able greatly to interest the public—Protestant as well as Catholic.

On Tuesday the Bishop will administer the Sacrament of Confederation to such of the children of SS. Peter and Paul's Church as may be found prepared for it. The services are solemn and impressive on those occasions, and no doubt will be largely witnessed by that denomination of christians.

FIFTY dozen Woolen Socks at 433 cts. per pair, at S. & J. Snellenburg's, Broadway, New Brighton.

A Gentleman residing near the bridge leading from Bridgewater to Rochester, informs us that during the recent cold snap, it is estimated that twenty-five hundred tons of ice were cut and hauled from the creek immediately above the lower dam. The greater part of this ice was packed in houses in Bridgewater, Rochester, and Beaver. We may confidently, therefore, look for plenty of cheap ice next summer in this vicinity.

S. & J. SNELLENBURG just returned from the east with a large stock of New Goods. Call and see them, and secure bargains.

A Donation Visit.—The residence of Rev. J. C. Wilson, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church of Beaver, was visited by his friends on Tuesday evening of last week, and a liberal supply of creature comforts and greenbacks left to be taken charge of by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson. The goods and cash amounted to about two hundred dollars. Mr. Wilson is a very faithful pastor, and the visit here referred to bears evidence of appreciation on the part of his flock.

Loss by Fire.—Mr. R. H. McCreery, formerly of Beaver, but latterly doing business in Kansas City, Mo., met with a loss by fire, in that city, a couple of weeks ago. He was engaged in the manufacture of malt, and having some repairs to make, business was suspended for a few days. During the suspension, the building was consumed by fire. It is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. We have no means of knowing what Mr. M.'s loss amounts to.

Not Accepted.—Some two or three weeks ago Rev. J. M. Shields, of the Bridgewater Presbyterian Church, tendered his resignation as pastor of that organization. A congregational meeting was soon after held and a large majority of the membership expressed themselves averse to his leaving them. This fact being laid before the Presbytery, which assembled in Allegheny City, on Tuesday, January 10th, that body unanimously refused to accept Mr. Shields' resignation as Pastor of his present charge.

Secretary Boswell received the other day, from the west, a curious letter. The writer said he was the father of triplets, and somebody had told him there was a fund set apart out of which was given a bounty to parents having such a run of luck. He said he had two children besides, and as his means were not large, if there was such a fund he hoped the Secretary would put him in the way of receiving the benefit of it. To confirm and establish the truth of the story, photographs of three born at a birth were attached to the letter.

An Advertising Result.—A young man in New York recently advertised in the "personal" column of the *Herald* for a wife. In two days he received twenty-two answers from husbands, saying he could have their "better-halves."

Death of a Printer.—On Sabbath day, January 8th, Mr. Thomas J. Morgan, foreman of the Beaver Valley *Herald*, died of hemorrhage of the lungs. Mr. Morgan was attacked with the disease which finally proved fatal about three weeks ago, while working at his case, but it was thought at that time that he would soon recover; but this belief proved fallacious. After his death his remains were taken to Carrollton, Ohio, where his aged mother still lives. Mr. Morgan was a good compositor, and a young man of very fair ability. He leaves a wife and three children to survive him.

Young Men's Christian Association.—We have received a copy of the Report of the Young Men's Christian Association State Convention, held at Scranton, in November, just issued by the State Executive Committee. It is a pamphlet of fifty pages, neatly gotten up, containing the full report of the three days' sessions of the Convention, the report of the chairman of the Executive Committee, accompanying which is a tabular report of over seventy Associations, with the names of officers, number of members, and a general statement of their work. It embraces in addition a vast amount of valuable information suited to those interested in the work of this organization, which has now become such a power for good in our land. It shows the work of the Associations now scattered all over our State to be in a flourishing condition, over forty new ones having been organized during the year, and the interest exhibited in the work gives promise of many additional ones during the winter. Copies of the Report can be had by addressing the chairman at Pittsburgh. The following are the members of the Committee: Thomas K. Cree, chairman, Pittsburgh; Nelson F. Evans, Phila.; C. C. Shirk, Erie; James A. Beaver, Bellefonte, H. S. Boles, Scranton; James McCormick, Harrisburg; Thomas H. Rabe, Pittsburgh.

Better Late than Never.—A wedding came every near being "spoiled," in East Liverpool, last week. Owing to unaccountable abstractedness, the lucky swain had neglected to procure the necessary license, and at a late hour the previous evening, being asked by a friend if he had completed all the arrangements, was suddenly reminded of his forgetfulness. He then proposed to the intended bride to go to Smith's Ferry, Pa., and have the knot tied; but as the friends had been invited to witness the ceremony, this of course wouldn't do, and hence it was found absolutely necessary to send post haste, in the dead hours of night, to New Lisbon, in order to obtain the license by the appointed hour.

I. O. of O. F.—Two new lodges of I. O. of O. F., were established in this county recently—one at Glasgow, and the other at Homewood. The former is to be known as Line Island Lodge No 763, and the latter as Beaver Valley Lodge No. 769. The following gentlemen were elected as officers for Line Lodge: John Morton, N. G.; Henry Camp, V. G.; S. G. Ferren, Secretary; Rev. S. Raynolds, Treasurer.

William Jones, N. G.; Samuel Thompson, V. G.; R. J. Stinsen, Secretary; W. J. Davidson, Assistant Secretary; and J. McCleary Treasurer, are the officers for the Beaver Valley Lodge.

New Castle & Beaver Valley Railroad.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company was held at their office in New Castle, on Monday the 9th inst., and elected the following officers: President, A. L. Crawford; Directors, G. W. Cass, Wm. Harbaugh, Pittsburgh; Wm. L. Scott, Erie, R. W. Cunningham, G. W. Crawford, Wm. Patterson, New Castle.

Just like Him.—We notice in one of the New Castle papers that our neighbor, Mr. W. H. Marshall of Rochester, has presented two marble tablets for the pedestals of the presiding officers in Marietta Lodge, No. 237 Knights of Pythias, in that place. Mr. Marshall is not only a liberal gentleman; but one of the most skilled workmen in Western Pennsylvania.

The Year-Book which is offered as a premium to every subscriber of the *N. Y. Observer*, is before us. It is certainly a rare book, and rich in the collection of facts convenient and useful for reference. The first Directory of New York for 1786 is reprinted entire. The work contains two hundred pages and is offered at the low price of one dollar. Address, S. E. Morse, jr., & Co., 37 Park Row, N. Y.

A Novel Way of Fattening Geese.—The New Castle *Gazette and Democrat* of last week says: David Winternitz exhibited two dressed geese in our office last week which, for fat beat everything we have seen this season. They weighed 17 pounds apiece, and by measurement the *fat* was three fourths of an inch thick on the back, and two inches thick on the breast. His method of fattening them was given as follows: He penned them up, not allowing them freedom except for a short time occasionally in the water. A bag or poke with shelled corn was hung up, which had a hole in the bottom of it large enough for two or three grains of corn to be picked out at one time, and this he kept within reach of the geese all the time. In four weeks he fattened thirteen geese in this way. We suggest this method to our poultry raisers, believing if it were adopted our markets would not be stocked with such blue and bony fowl meat as we see occasionally.

The Lawrence Journal put in an appearance last week clothed in a new dress. The *Journal* is a good local paper and deserves to be liberally sustained.

Election of Bank Directors.—At an election held on Tuesday of last week by the stockholders of the National Bank of Beaver county, the following Directors were chosen for the present year: John Miner, John Stiles, Benjamin Wilde, James Duncan, George S. Barker, George W. Hamilton, Mattison Darragh, R. E. Hoopes, and R. B. Edgar. Seventeen hundred and eighty-eight votes were cast.

The following officers were selected by the county Commissioners last week: Clerk, John McGoun; Counsel, Henry Hice, Esq.; Physician to Jail, J. C. Levis, M. D.; Manager House of Refuge, S. J. Cross; Mercantile Appraiser, W. H. Nelson; Janitor of Court-House, James Fogg.

The Soldiers' Entertainment.—The entertainment given by the soldiers of this vicinity on Monday and Tuesday evenings of last week was well attended, the Court-house being filled to its utmost capacity each evening. The performances were, in the estimation of some "first-rate," in the opinion of others, a "bore." The proceeds amounted to $113,00.

BALLOU'S MAGAZINE FOR FEBRUARY. The February number of BALLOU'S MAGAZINE is issued, and has a most timely and instructive illustrated article on Russia, treating that great nation in a most comprehensive manner, showing its manners and customs, strength and weakness, all of which is very important just at this time, when Russia is showing its teeth and uttering ominous growls. Then we have a most brilliant table of contents, such as no other magazine in this country can produce. First is a poem by B. P. Shillaber; then follows "A Leap in the Dark," "Air Castles," "Laughing Eyes," "The Reporter's last Item," "The Haunted Wherry," "The Story of a Valentine," "Little Strix the Screecher," "Fritz," "Five Days on the Farrallones," "In the Wrong Box," "My Phantom," "One Month from Minnie's Diary," "The Ruby Mine," "Queen Edith and her Punishment," "Eve and Morn," "Our Young People's Story-Teller—Guess; or, "The Son of a Politician," "Dick Hassard the Young Desperado," "Jack Frost," "Curious Matters," "The Housekeeper," "Facts and Fancies," "Mr. Brown and his Rockers,"—Humorous Illustrations. The number for Febuary is the best one that has yet appeared. It is just the thing for families, and the publishers club "BALLOU'S MAGAZINE" and THE MONTHLY NOVELETTE" for the low price of $3,00 per year. Thomas & Talbot, 63 Congress st Boston, are the proprietors, but both magazines are for sale at all periodical depots in the country. BALLOU is only $1.50 per year, or 15 cents single copy.

New Brighton Cutlery Works.—The *Iron World*, published at Pittsburgh, gives the following interesting description regarding the extensive Cutlery Works of Samuel Mason & Sons, located here, together with some brief statements regarding the enterprising proprietors, which we transfer to our colums with pleasure:

"The above named works, Samuel Mason & Sons, proprietors, are located at New Brighton, Pa. The firm commenced the manufacture of carving knives and forks, butcher knives, etc., on the first ultimo in their new buildings erected for the purpose. These buildings are undoubtedly the best arranged for manufacturing in the United States, are two stories above ground and built on a solid rock foundation. The main building is 165x40 feet and can accommodate one hundred and fifty workmen. That our readers may know why we so unhesitatingly endorse this house, we will state that the senior member, Samuel Mason, has had forty years' experience in the manufacture of fine cutlery, having learned his trade in Sheffield, England, serving his time at the cutlery works of Joseph Mappin & Son, a house that has a national reputation for the excellency of its goods, and are known to employ none but the most skillful workmen. The firm will employ none but the best workmen that can be obtained in this country or Europe. The steel used at this establishment is from the firm of Reese, Graft & Co., Pittsburgh.

We hail with joy the advent of this new manufactory in the west, and predict for it a brilliant future.

We trust that it is only one of many similar concerns, and that in a few years the money now sent to Europe for the purchase of cutlery may be expended at home in our midst, furnishing employment and homes for thousands of workmen.

Keytesville Woolen Manufacturing Company.—This flourishing company has now a capital of $100,000, and is located in New Brighton, Pa. J. A. Wills, President, and R. E. Hoopes Treasurer. The works occupy four large buildings. Their new building is 125 feet long, and 54 feet wide, and is five stories high; contains new machinery, of the latest improvements, with six sets cards, and thirty-two broad looms using about 200,000 lbs. wool per annum. In making shawls, 150 hands are employed, and in this item alone the works rival any in the State. The mill is run by water power from the Beaver river, and by low water only one day was lost during the last year. This establishment has every facility for successful operation. The officers are highly recommended as reliable and honest men, and their work has heretofore confirmed this report of them.

Fire at Baden.—On last Friday evening, at about 7 o'clock, a fire broke out in the wagon manufactory of Shiras & Co., and before the flames were arrested all the buildings belonging to the Co. were destroyed. The loss is heavy, but it will fall chiefly on the insurance companies, as the firm was insured to the full extent of the damage sustained

Soldiers' Orphans.—From the report of the State Superintendent of Soldiers' Orphans, we gather the following statistics, touching the three schools in which the people of this county are particularly interested:

PHILLIPSBURG.—Total number received, 316; transferred, 17; discharged on age, 63; on order, 48; number in school May 31st, 63 males and 64 females; total, 127.

ROCHESTER.—Total number received, 7; number in school May 31st, one male and six females; total, seven.

ZELIENOPLE.—Total number received 4; discharged on age, 1; on order, 1; number in school May 31st, two—one male and one female.

For the Beaver Argus.

A Morning's Beauties.

What is more calculated to awaken in the mind emotions of beauty and grandeur than the rosy dawn of "Aurora"? This morning as my eyes caught the first glimpse of its struggling beams flooding with joy my cosy chamber, I was filled with emotions of beauty. I was as it were, overwhelmed with the grandeur of the scene. After arising I went to my window to feast more upon its beauties. I looked with awe at the first rays coming in their freshness to greet me with a "good morning." They came dancing and prancing over "hill and dale," apparently revived and refreshed from their last night's repose until they had visited every secret nook of her wide domain, and all her subjects were rejoicing and doing honor to the morning Queen, for now she had ascended the zenith of her beauty; all nature was emblazoned with her gladdening smiles, and she was now ready to receive her old morning friend, King Sol, who gently peeped out from behind his oriental home, shedding abroad his benign, influence to add new beauty to the scene; for in his golden presence nature's Queen adorned in her bridal robe of white, glittered like so many jewels which were reflected by the waters of the beautiful Ohio, and sparkled upon its transparent bosom like a rich cluster of diamonds. My ears were also at the same time viewing these beauties delighted with the merry tinkle of bells as the cheerful sleighs flew speedily by over the floozy snow with happy-faced, rosy-cheeked, bright-eyed drivers, apparently in their glory, enjoying with me the delights of such a morn. Thus ends a morning's beauties.

ANNA M. BAKER.

From the New York Sun.

An Important Question Well Answered.

Who is J. C. Derby? and what is the great Premium Land Sale? are questions frequently asked by all prudent persons before purchasing a share in the great Premium Land Sale, of which he is manager.

We can tell them what we know.

Mr. Derby has been well and favorably known throughout the country, for the last twenty-five years, as one of the most prominent publishers of the country.

Who does not recollect the well known and popular publications of Messrs. Derby & Miller, Derby Orton & Co., Derby & Jackson, &c., &c.? The same Mr. Derby, after retiring from the book publishing business, accepted one of the most important and honorable Government positions—that of Commissioner in Chief of the great Paris Exposition of 1867; appointed also by the Government to two important Consulates—but whose engagements were such that he was obliged to decline the honor.

Mr. Derby subsequently purchased large estates at Aiken, S. C., for a permanent residence; and now, with a view of still further developing that beautiful town, which has received the title of "Southern Saratoga," he has placed a portion of his valuable property before the public, to be disposed of in a novel manner, and one which cannot fail to be unusually popular. Is it then at all probable that a gentleman so well known as Mr. Derby—one who has held the prominent positions of publisher and United States Commissioner—would now be at the head of the great Premium Land Sale unless it was to be conducted in the most honorable and straight-forward manner?

We are requested to say, by the County Superintendent, that copies of the School Law and Reports are in the hands of the Clerk of the Court for distribution. They are put up in packages in order that each district may receive its quota. Presidents and Secretaries of Boards will please call and procure them.

Forty-First Congress.

SECOND SESSION.

The Senate was not in session, on Saturday the 17th inst.

HOUSE.—The entire session was principally devoted to debate. Mr. Mungen addressed the House on the dangers to be apprehended from the continuence of Chinese imigration. A long discussion ensued on the proper construction of a clause in the Arkansas Constitution disfranchising those who had sworn to support the Constitution unless they voted for that Constitution or sustained the reconstruction policy of Congress. Many members participated in the discussion. Adjourned.

SENATE, January 9.—Nothing of material interest transpired.

HOUSE.—The chief excitement was occasioned by a discussion of the San Domingo resolution. There was a large attendance of members and spectators, and the first vote on the subject was larger than any previous vote this session. After the business of the morning hour had been finished, Mr. Orth, of the Foreign Affairs Committee, got the floor, and moved to suspend the rules in order to take up and pass the Senate San Domingo resolution on the Speaker's table. The resolution was discussed until the hour of adjournment.

SENATE, January 10.—After the presentation and reference of several bills and resolutions, the bill to regulate the U. S. Mint, Assay offices, coinage, &c., was amended and passed. The Senate then took up the San Domingo resolution as amended by the House, to wit: "Providing that nothing contained herein shall be held, understood or construed as committing Congress to the policy of annexation of the said Republic of Dominica." Mr. Sumner asked for the yeas and nays. He knew not if the Senators were aware of the painful news received since the debate of this subject, showing more than ever why we should hesitate in this business. Since this last discussion a proclamation of Gen. Cabral has been received. He held in his hand an original copy in Spanish, printed on the island, and making an appeal to his followers against the usurper Baez, who, had more than once said, he was retained in power by the Republic of the United States—a republic standing before the world to maintain the power of a pretender—truly a sad part for a republic to play. The proclamation commenced, "God, Country and Liberty," and was signed "Cabral, General of a Division in the Army," in which he states that the South is still in arms; that lately the enemy was beaten and routed; that reinforcements had reached his advanced posts, and, without waiting for infantry, he vigorously attacked, and defeat the foe, &c. The proclamation is dated November 18th, 1870. He asked whether he was wrong when he called this a bloody law suit. This opened a melancholy picture; it was a picture of civil war. Here was a chief in the mountains and another chief on the sea shore, the latter sustained in power by the United States, and we were asked to proceed still further in this business. Better say with Macbeth, "I'll proceed no further in this business." The resolution was further discussed until the hour of adjournment.

HOUSE.—The House discussed the San Domingo resolution, at great length; amended it, declaring that nothing contained therein should be construed to commit Congress as being in favor of annexation; and passed it. The Democrats voted solidly in the negative. The resolution as amended was sent back to the Senate, with action as above. The bill to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of American Independence, by holding international exhibition of arts and manufactures in Philadelphia, was passed. Adjourned.

SENATE, January 11.—The Senate resumed the consideration of the San Domingo resolution as amended by the House. Amendments were offered, discussed and rejected. The debate was lengthy, spicy and, in some instances, acrimonious. The House amendment was agreed to, and the resolution goes to the President. Adjourned.

HOUSE.—The Committee on Agriculture reported a bill to procure and disseminate information as to the extent of cereal crops (Wheat, Rye, Barley, &c.,) in other countries, requiring such information to be furnished by our consuls, which was passed. The death of Hon. John Covode was announced, and after customary action, the House refused to adjourn. A good deal of debate arose on the bill to appropriate $200,000 to the Louisville and Portland canal, an amendment appropriating $341,000 to the Des Moines Rapids, passed. The Legislative, Judicial and Executive appropriation bill was taken up, considered, amended and laid over. A Committee was appointed to escort the remains of the late Hon. John Covode to his family. Adj.

SENATE, January 12.—The House bill for an international exhibition at Philadelphia, in honor of the 100th Anniversary of Independence was received; and, on a motion to refer it quite a lively spat occurred between Senators Cameron and Conklin. Mr. Cameron, in advocating his colleague's motion, remarked that Pennsylvania, unlike New York, was not continually grabbing everything that was offered and trying to pick up that which was not. For years there had not been an office, no matter how small, which New York had not obtained, when if was possible for her Senators to get it for her. In commerce the same greed was manifested. Everything somehow seemed decided in New York interests. Mr. Conklin said the Senator from Pennsylvania, Cameron, is now entirely mistaken in supposing that his colleague Fenton or himself were jealous of Philadelphia. On the contrary, both feel the greatest pride in that place. Mr. Cameron disclaimed having imputed jealousy to any one. Mr. Conklin said he was about saying when interrupted that New York felt proud of Philadelphia as one of her most flourishing suburbs. Anything New York Senators could do to contribute to the importance of Philadelphia or any other villages surrounding New York he would be very glad to do. Mr. Cameron tho't Mr. Conklin's remarks about the suburbs of New York would have been very fine if original with him, but it was very common witticism, in which the Senator's colleague in the House also indulged. Mr. Scott remarked that by giving the Government sanction to the Philadelphia celebration, the central anniversary of American independence, as a local celebration, New York, Cincinnati or any of the numerous towns of the country would not be interfered with. After the transaction of some unimportant matters, Mr. Edmunds presented and had read a remonstrance of Mrs. General Sherman and one thousand other ladies against female suffrage. And the remonstrance including among the number wives of Senators and Representatives and prominent men in professional life throughout the country. The House bill making appropriations to the Louisville Canal and Des Moines Rapids, passed.

HOUSE.—A resolution instructing the Committee of Appropriations to inquire into the allowance of a claim of George Chonpounling of $443,000, approved July 15, 1870, requesting the Sixth Auditor to delay the payment of any warrant thereof until the Committee reports, and that the Committee have the power to send for persons and papers, was adopted. The Executive, Legislative and Judicial appropriation bill was discussed till the House adjourned.

SENATE, January 13.—Mr. Scott presented a emmunication from Committees of the Pennsylvania Legislature, Common Council of Philadelphia and Franklin Institute, giving reasons why the 100th Anniversary of Independence ought to be held in Philadelphia in 1876. The subject of a joint Ocean Cable was discussed at considerable length, when, without definite action the Senate adjourned until Monday.

HOUSE.—The Senate bill authorizing an increase of the issue of 5 per cent. bonds to $500,000,000, with an amendment that the total amount of issue shall not be increased, was passed. A bill declaring that women were entitled to suffrage under the 14th and 15th Amendments was introduced and voted down. Messrs. Butler and Loughridge voted for it. The Legislative Appropriation bill was considered for some time without definite action. A bill was introduced for a commission to Audit claims for losses by the Alabama and other southern privateers during the war, and for issuing U. S. bonds for the payment thereof. Adjourned till Saturday.

PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTS. GAZETTE. MONDAY, Jan. 16, 1871.

BEANS—$1 50@2 per bushel.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—3¼@3½ cts.

CHEESE—In dull but unchanged. Western Reserve 14@14½; Ohio Factory, 15@15½, Ohio Goshen at 15@16; N. Y. Goshen 16@16½.

CRANBERRIES—$10@18 per bbl.

EGGS—Fresh eggs in light supply, but the injury continues light; may be quoted at 30@31 cents. Pickled dull but unchanged; sales reported at 22@27 cents.

FLOUR—There is a continued fair local demand and, while the market is firmer there is no change to make in quotations. We continue to quote western flours at $5 75@6 25 for spring, $6 00 @6 50 for red winter wheat, and $6 75@ for white. Rye flour $5 50.

GROCERIES—The grocery market has been quite active this week, the volume of business in the aggregate having been unusually large, and as stocks are very much reduced, it is expected that trade will continue brisk for some weeks to come. In regard to prices there are no important changes.

PROVISIONS—Plain shoulders 11½ cs; Ribbed sides 13½ cts; Plain sides 14½ cts; Sugar cured Hams 17@17½ cts. Lard, prime kettle rendered 12c in tcs, and 13c in buckets.

Penn'a. Legislature.

SENATE, January 10.—The Speaker announced standing Committees. [Published elsewhere in this paper.] The Senate promulgated a new rule for the observance of its members. Mr. Bell, introduced a law authorizing voters at elections of School Directors to give their votes to less number of candidates than the whole number to be chosen upon principle of free voting. Mr. Graham—A joint resolution endorsing the report of a recent Committee visiting Washington to protest against obstruction in the Ohio River, and requesting the government to transmit the same to the President and Congress. This resolution recites that since the adjournment of the last Legislature the Company incorporated by Ohio and Kentucky have commenced the erection of a bridge at Cincinnati fatal to commerce and navigation, because the elevation is only seventy-two feet above low water and eighty above highest water piers in low and high water channels; the draw is out of the channel and inaccessible to all crafts at all stages of the water, and the bridge is in no respect conformable to the letter or spirit of the Act of Congress. A resolution endorsing a proposed act of Congress, giving soldiers of the late war, one hundred and sixty acres of land, without occupancy. Laid over. Several bills and resolutions were presented, after which the death of Senator Watt was announced. Resolutions were passed.

HOUSE.—Action in this body was devoid of general interest.

SENATE, January 11.—Mr. Connell presented a petition for contesting the election of Mr. Dechart, Democrat, from the first District. The drawing of the Committee was postponed. Several bills were introduced, but none of general interest.

HOUSE. The seat of Mr. Lamon, Republican from Philadelphia, is contested, and Friday fixed upon for drawing a Committee to investigate the case. Among the bills introduced was one to incorporate a Railroad Company in Clarion county. The seat of Mr. Hagar, Republican of Philadelphia, was also contested. The death of Mr. Campbell, Democratic member of Philadelphia was announced; also, the death of Hon. John Covode; the customary resolutions were passed, and the House went into joint session with the Senate and elected R. W. Mackey State Treasurer. Previous to voting, Mr. Billingfelt said that he had already expressed his preference, and as he believed this was the last time the Legislature would be called upon to enter into such a contest, on this occasion he would vote for the regular Republican nominee, Mr. Mackey. After appointing a Committee to escort the remains of Hon. John Covode home, the House adjourned.

SENATE, January 12.—Mr. White made a preliminary report from the Joint Committee, on the Legislative *Journal* which met last night, and read a notice which was resolved upon by the Committee, to receive proposals until January 17th; said *Journal* to contain notices of memorials, petitions, remonstrances, bills, resolutions, sketches of debates and yeas and nays, six thousand copies to be printed daily in brevier and not less than four pages of the form and size of the Legislative *Record* of 1868, the contract to be given to the lowest bidder with good security. He invited the attention of the Associated Press reporters to this matter, that there may be the largest competition from the publishing houses throughout the State. Mr. Graham from the Committee on Federal Relations reported favorably on his resolution to Congress in reference to the obstruction on the Ohio River, Passed. Mr. Turner from the Committee on Federal Relations reported favorably on the resolution recommending Congress to pass a bill giving one hundred and sixty acres of land to the soldiers of the late war. Mr. Rutan introduced a bill extending to Beaver county the Act of 1866 relative to the fees of the coroner of Allegheny county; also, a supplement to the penal laws, which fixes the imprisonment of from thirty days to one year and a fine of three hundred dollars for injuring graves, fences, shrubbery, &c., in cemeteries.

HOUSE.—The Speaker announced the standing Committees. On the question of drawing a Committee on the contested seat of Mr. Hagar, Mr. Strong moved to reconsider the matter of pronouncing the petition defective, because the law requires a certificate of the City Treasurer, Prothonotary or one of the Commissioners, that the petitioners are duly qualified electors; whereas this says they appear to be qualified voters by the records, which is not sufficient evidence that they were qualified voters at the time of election. The Speaker ruling no key, wound and set by the Stem, *only $40 each.*

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SAM. B. WILSON, *Executor.*

Beaver, Dec. 23, 1870.

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