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State of the Thermometer for the week ending May 3, 1871:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
May 28	70 deg.	83 deg.	67 deg
" 29	67 deg.	87 deg.	78 deg
" 30	65 deg.	86 deg.	69 deg
" 31	68 deg.	88 deg.	73 deg
June 1	74 deg.	85 deg.	75 deg
" 2	78 deg.	86 deg.	74 deg
" 3	79 deg.	87 deg.	74 deg

The average temperature of May was four degrees lower than last year. The month this year was peculiarly frosty; last year quite free from frost.

R. T. TAYLOR.

TIME TABLE.

Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R.—Trains going East leave Beaver Station as follows: Mail, 7.46 a. m.; Accommodation and Express, (through to Bellair,) 6.15 p. m.

Pitt. Ft. W. & C. R. R.—Trains going East leave Rochester Station (at end of bridge) as follows: Express 4.05 a. m.; Fast accom. 7.10 a. m.; New Castle accom. 5.30 a. m.; B. Falls accom. 12.10 p. m. m.

Trains going West leave Rochester Station, (at end of bridge) as follows: B. F. accom. 10 a. m.; Express accom. 1.15 p. m.; Erie night express 5.45 p. m.; B. F. accom. 7.27 p. m.

Trains going East leave Rochester (Upper) Depot as follows: B. F. accom. 8.05 a. m.; Express accom. 7.15 a. m.; New Castle accom. 3.40 a. m.; Chicago exp. 10.20 a. m; Beaver Falls accom. 12.15 p. m.; Chicago Mail 4.55 p. m; Erie exp. 4 10 p. m; Chicago exp. 8.03 p. m; Erie mail 9.55 p. m.

Trains going West, leave Rochester (Upper) Depot as follows: Chicago mail 11.15 a. m.; Erie exp. 2 45 a. m; Beaver Falls accom. 9.55 a. m.; Chicago exp. 11.30 a. m.; Chicago exp. 3.55 p. m; New Castle accom. 4.20 p. m.; Erie exp. 5.43 p. m; Beaver Falls accom. 7.30

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

Hay and Grain Rake—Abner Morton & Son.
Wire Ferry—Jesse Smith.
Special Notices—John Stevenson's Sons.
Special Notices—Mrs. A. S. Bence.

PUBLIC NOTICE.—On and after May 6th and until the 1st of September the County Commissioners, will meet only on Saturday of each week, at their office in Beaver.
JOHN M'GOUN, *Clerk.*
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House Burned.—On last Friday the house owned by Mr. James Nevill in Industry township, this county, was destroyed by fire. The furniture was principally saved. The fire is supposed to have caught from a defective flue. No insurance on the property.

MILLINERY GOODS.—Go to Mrs. Bence for them, a good stock and the cheapest.
may24;3w.

A Strawberry Treat.—The family of Abner Morton, esq., of Brighton township, have our hearty thanks for a basket of large, ripe, luscious strawberries. We never get offended at treatment of this character.

LACE COLLARS, Kid Gloves, Embroidery, Trimmings, &c., at Mrs. Bence's; new stock and very cheap, give me a call. Next door to U. P. Seminary, Beaver. [may24;3w.

Tenderloin.—Samuel Vaughn, a well-behaved colored man, has established himself in the south-east room of the basement story of the Quay building, where he will be glad to meet those who desire shaving, shampooning, hair-cutting, &c. Mr. Vaughn is a No. 1 barber, and seems to be a reliable, truthful and industrious man. Give him a call.

WE invite our friends to call and examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere. Orders carefully and promptly filled. JOHN STEVENSON'S SONS & CO., 93 Market St., Pittsburgh. [je7-1y.

HATS AND BONNETS, of all the latest styles at Mrs. Bence's, next door to U. P. Seminary, Beaver. [may24;3w.

Here is One Phase of Life.—Do a man a hundred favors, and it is all well: but offend him once, no matter how inadvertently, and all your kindnesses are forgotten in a moment, but the offense is stamped in steel, and over remains before his eyes.

THE latest and best styles of Jewelry, in all its various branches, to be found at JOHN STEVENSON'S SONS & CO., 93 Market St., Pittsburgh. [je7-1y.

Alas! How Changed.—Two or three weeks ago the faces of candidates and their friends were all radiant with smiles. Since the primary meetings however, the aforesaid smiles have nearly all departed, and the "dear people" can now doubtless comprehend the following:

Which I wish to remark—
And my language is plain—
That for ways that are dark
And tricks that are vain,
Candidates are somewhat peculiar.

Watch Repairing.—If your watch is out of order, send it to JOHN STEVENSON'S SONS & Co, Pittsburgh, it will be repaired and returned free of express charges. All work warranted. [je7-1y.

In Jail.—A boy of about fifteen years of age, named Henry Neely, was arrested in New Brighton last week, for stealing a coat and vest. He is now quartered in the county jail awaiting the action of a "jury of his countrymen."

Go to Mrs. Bence for a stylish and cheap, Ladies Hat or Bonnet; one door below the U. P. Seminary, Beaver. [may24;3w

Watches, Watches.—The most complete line in the city of Pittsburgh, and all the necessary attachments, to be had of JOHN STEVENSON'S SONS & CO., 93 Market St., Pittsburgh. [je7-1y.

INITIAL note paper and envelopes; stationery of all kinds, and the celebrated Groide gold fountain pen, for sale at Mrs Fast's.

The proceeds of the Festival held in the M. E. Church of Beaver, last Friday evening, amounted, after deducting expenses, to about $40. The affair passed off very pleasantly.

FANS, fans, fans. Parasols, parasols, parasols, in great variety and very cheap, at Mrs. Fast's.

Golden Fountain Pen.—Something new and novel. Be sure and read the advertisement in our paper headed "Greatest Invention of the Age." We believe the Golden Fountain Pen is unsurpassed. A good pen is a necessity to every man, woman and child. Agents here is a chance to make money in introducing a good and saleable article. 1y.

Sterling Silver.—Sterling Silver, Table Ware and presentation pieces. JOHN STEVENSON'S SONS & CO., 93 Market St., Pittsburgh. [je7-1y

A NEW supply of embroideries, laces, flowers and ribbons, at Mrs. Fast's.

Attention is directed to the advertisement in another column of the ARGUS, of A. Morton & Son, dealers in the celebrated Lock-Lever Hay Rake, manufactured by Coates, Gray & Co., Alliance, Ohio. These rakes are said to be simple and complete, and persons in need of an implement of this kind, should see this one before purchasing.

A Suit for Damages.—The wife of James Stanley, in Sallneville, Columbiana Co., (O.), sued last week, one whiskey-selling Bill Johnson, for the recovery of $300 damages, incurred by the latter retailing the ardent to her husband. The case was tried before Esquire Hunter, to a jury, and a verdict rendered of $266.16 against defendant. That is the third or fourth case of the kind in that county, and there will be plenty more before the year closes. So say the newspapers there.

Silver-Plated Ware.—We sell none but tripple plate. Send for drawings and prices. Goods sent C. O. D. if desired. JOHN STEVENSON'S SONS & Co., 93 Market St., Pittsburgh. [je7-1y.

A Waif.—A few mornings ago Rev. A. B. Bradford of Darlington township, this county, was no little surprised to find a young babe on the steps of his dwelling. Who the parents are is unknown. Mr. B., we learn does not feel inclined to keep charge of the little waif, and has accordingly sought relief at the hands of the Directors of the Poor for the county.

Clocks, Clocks, Clocks.—American Clocks; full stock; newest styles; lowest prices. JOHN STEVENSON'S SONS & Co., 93 Market St., Pittsburgh. [je7-1y.]

Democratic Candidates for Nomination.—The *Conservative* of this place, contained last week, the names of the following persons as candidates for nominations on the Democratic ticket:

For Commissioner—Jamison Elliott, Jonathan Sickman, Jesse Carothers, John A. Russell.

For Treasurer—Capt. C. B. Hurst.

For Associate Judge—John White, Marmaduke Wilson.

Waltham Watches.—Being Agents for the sale of these Watches in the City of Pittsburgh, we are confident of our ability to please in styles and prices. JOHN STEVENSON'S SONS & Co., 93 Market St., Pittsburgh. [je7-1y

The School Book Law.—The Legislature which has just adjourned passed the following act. It has been approved by the Governor:

SECTION 1. That hereafter the board of directors of any district, the controllers in cities and boroughs or any school superintendent, shall not order or direct or make use of the school books or series of text books used in any school under his or their superintendence, direction or control more than once in every period of three years, and any laws or parts of laws inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION 2. Any school director, controller or superintendent who shall violate the provisions of this act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be sentenced by the court to pay a fine not exceeding two hundred dollars and be deprived of his office.

Killed by the Cars.—A German, named Frederick Myers, aged about 57 years, while walking on the track of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago R. R., on Tuesday, of last week, was struck by the locomotive of a freight train, and one of his legs horribly mangled. He lived until Wednesday afternoon when death ended his sufferings.

Personal.—John Collins, esq., formerly of this county, but now of Chicago, Ill., paid our town a visit last week, and spent a few days, pleasantly among his many friends in and about Beaver. Mr. C., to us, seems as young now as he did, fifteen years ago. Time has evidently been dealing lightly with him.

STATE SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION.—The Seventh Annual Convention of the Pennsylvania State Sabbath-School Association will be held at Allentown, Penn'a, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the 13th, 14th and 15th of June. All the earnest Sunday-school workers of the Keystone State are cordially invited to be present. Each evangelical school is requested to send two or more delegates. Those who propose to attend should notify A. J. Breinig, Allentown, Pa., who is Chairman of Local Committee of Arrangements, on or before the 7th of June, so that entertainment may be secured, and orders for excursion tickets procured and forwarded.

On Thursday morning Mr. Nathaniel George, of North Huntingdon township, Westmoreland county, while driving home from Irwintown, where he had been buying a stove, was thrown from his wagon, the horses having taken fright and run the vehicle on to an embankment. The cooking stove was thrown on to Mr. George's head, breaking his neck and killing him instantly.

HATS, hats, hats. Summer styles just received, at Mrs. F. D. Fast's.

Mr. John Hancock, an old and highly respectable citizen of Woodcock township, Crawford county, committed suicide on Tuesday of last week by hanging himself in his barn. He was a well-to-do farmer, a member of the Methodist church, and stood well in the community. No cause can be assigned for the rash act except that he had been in poor health for a few days previous. He leaves a wife and seven children.

Information Wanted.—About twenty years ago, a Mr. Morriss Burris, a baker by trade, took my son, then an infant, to raise. A few years afterward Burris left Delphos, and all efforts on my part to find his whereabouts, or learn anything of my son has proved fruitless. Papers willing to do a kindness to an afflicted family will confer a favor by noticing the above. It is our hope that the notice may reach the eye of some one who can give information. Address George Long, Napoleon, Ohio.

"Hard Times.—There is a good deal of gammon in the cry of dull times. They are really never as bad as the people represent them. Take the present occasion as an example. The deposits in the bank show that money is plenty, some of them having the largest accounts they ever had. A great many people who complain most have snug sums at interest or in the savings banks. Let all who owe others pay their honest debts and good times will soon come again. The plea of hard times is merely set up by some persons as an excuse for not paying their debts.

Mrs. Frederick Brown, a widow who resided in Vernon township, Crawford county, hanged herself on the 24th inst., by fastening the end of a rope to the latch of a door, then passing the rope over the top of it, fastened the other end to her neck, and by this means strangled herself until life was extinct. When found she was resting on her knees. She had previously put on her dress as if about to go on a visit. Some months ago her husband died, and since that event her mind has been somewhat deranged; but her friends had not anticipated that she contemplated self-destruction.

Strange.—That men will get drunk, swear, blackguard and howl round the streets like so many dervishes, and yet, when the public newspaper mentions the matter, they get outrageously mad, abuse the editor and threaten all manner of evil against him. That men will issue out whisky for votes, lead their neighbor to where the barrel is located and violate the law openly, in broad day light, after the manner we mentioned last week, and yet when the newspaper speaks of it they will grow terribly indignant and talk of all manner of revenge. Sirs, if you don't like your actions blame not us, but yourselves. You did that which you don't like to hear, not us. We publish news and propose to do so, regardless of objection or denunciation.—*Waynesburg Republican.*

The Soldiers' Orphans, of the Phillipsburg School, in this county, on special invitation, visited Pittsburgh, and participated in the grand ceremonies of Memorial day in that city and Allegheny. We find them noticed in the published proceedings as follows:

The presence in our city yesterday of the soldiers' orphans of the Uniontown and Phillipsburg Soldier's Orphan's Schools, was by no means an unimportant or uninteresting event, inasmuch as they were never here before together.

THE DELEGATION FROM PHILLIPSBURG.—Those from the Phillipsburg school, numbering 130 in all—69 girls and 61 boys, in charge of their Superintendent, Rev. Mr. Taylor and ten of the lady teachers, reached the city at half past ten o'clock yesterday morning, and were escorted by a delegation of the G. A. R., which met them at the depot, to City Hall, where Mr. Lee S. Smith and others of the G. A. R., as well as some of our most prominent citizens—Bartley Preston, C. W. Batchelor, and H. J. Moore, esqs., and the ever welcome, patriotic ladies of the city, had prepared a bountiful repast. It comprised everything good and substantial, and the children partook of it with a zest. The boys wore small straw hats and uniforms; the girls pink calico dresses and brown hats trimmed with blue ribbon. Every other girl had a silk flag in her hand, and every alternate girl a bouquet of flowers.

After the edibles had been disposed of and while waiting for the arrival of the pupils from the Uniontown schools, to wear away the time, Mr. Taylor had Willie Burns, who is only nine years old, and the least boy in the school, recite the piece he was to speak at the monument, namely: "A Speech on the Battle of Gettysburg." The piece is a parody on Tennyson's "Six Hundred," and was written by Mr. Taylor, Superintendent of the school. The piece was rendered in fine style, the speaker winning the encomiums of all who heard him. The girls then sung the "Memorial Tribute of the Phillipsburg Soldier's Orphans," written by Miss Maggie N. Taylor, beginning:

"Honor the brave true-hearted,
The heroes of our land."

The children all apparently love their Superintendent and teachers, and the expressions of gratitude upon their faces as they partook of the meal spread before them; forced upon those who had helped to provide for them, the conclusion that the little ones also loved them. We are sure they did, and it is certainly a pleasure to know our city is so well supplied with warm-hearted and patriotic people. Mr. Taylor informed our reporter that notwithstanding there have been as high as four hundred children in the school during the past six years, not a single death has occurred, though many have been received in a terribly diseased condition.

For the newest and latest novelties in Watches, Jewelry and Silver Ware at the lowest prices, go to JOHN STEVENSON'S SONS & Co., 93 Market St., Pittsburgh. [je7-1y.

A brown kid glove was found on the floor of the M. E. Church, during the festival in that building on last Friday evening. The owner can have it by calling at this office.

Opening Other People's Letters.—John Harper, William Bowman and Alfred Davis, of Carroll and Tuscarawas counties, were taken to Cleveland on Thursday last, by Deputy United States Marshall Geo. W. Steele, of Mount Vernon, Ohio, at the instance of Special Agent C. P. Baldwin, of the Postoffice Department, charged with opening letters addressed to James Nolan, of Mineral Point, Ohio, It seems by the evidence that Harper, who is a Constable for Carroll county, had a warrant for Nolan's father, who was charged with poisoning a horse belonging to Bowman. For the purpose of ascertaining old Nolan's whereabouts, Harper demanded the letter addressed to the son, whereupon the Postmaster and himself proceeded to open and read the same, Bowman being an abettor. All three were held by United States Commissioner White in the sum of one thousand dollars each.—*Minerva Com.*

Who May Marry in Ohio.—Under the law of February 10, 1871, "male persons of the age of eighteen years, and female persons of the age of sixteen years, not nearer kin than second cousins, and not having a husband or wife, may be joined in marriage, provided always, that male persons under the age of eighteen years shall obtain the consent of their fathers, respectively, or in case of the death or incapacity of their fathers, then of their mothers or guardians." If the parent or guardian does not go in person to the Probate Judge, a written consent must be sent, witnessed by two persons one of whom must take it to him.

THE AMERICAN STOCK JOURNAL for June contains ten fine Engravings of Blooded Stock: Poultry, Progressive and Old Fogy Farmers, besides the following articles: The Hay Crop, Examination of Horses for purchase, Diseases in Sheep, English Fox Hounds, A Scotch Farmer and his work, Pleurisy in Horses, Strains, Bruises and Wounds in Cattle, Summer Care of Hogs, Sturdy, Giddiness, or Water in the head in Sheep, Rearing and Feeding Pigs on Dairy Farms, Driving Trotting Horses, Fowls for the Farmer, Acorns, Nuts, Fruits, &c., for Hogs, Diseases in Cattle, Farms of the late Prince Albert, of England, The Chins or Hong Kong Geese, Preparation of Medicines used in Diseases of the Horse, Care of Farm Stock, Stock Breeding, The Progressive Farmer, The Old Fogy Farmer, Gearing and working Oxen, Smatze Pheasant Game Fowls, Inquiries and Answers. Specimen copies *sent free* by the Publishers, N. P. BOYER & Co., Parkersburg Pa.

Thieves! KNAVES!! SWINDLERS!!! These are mild terms with which to designate those mean contemptible adventurers who have been indulged by the high reputation which Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy has won, to put up and offer for sale a worthless imitation of this celebrated medicine. Remember that R. V. Pierce's private Stamp, which is the only *Positive Guarantee of Genuineness*, should be upon every package. This private Stamp, issued by the U. S. Government expressly for stamping Dr. Pierce's medicines, has upon it his portrait, name and address, and words "U. S. Certificate of Genuineness." Don't get swindled by men calling themselves Dr. Sage; Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N. Y., is the only man now living that has the right and can make the original Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. Sold by Druggists or sent by mail on receipt of sixty cents.

The Mahoning Vindicator, comes to us enlarged materially, and otherwise improved typographically. It is now an eight-page paper, and contains a large amount of reading matter—outside of its, to us, vile politics. We are pleased to note this evidence of pecuniary success.

The Arlington Hotel, at Alliance, Ohio, formerly the "Nixon House," is now kept by Mr. Frank M. Kerr, formerly of Darlington, this county. It may be emphatically said, Mr. Kerr "knows how to keep a hotel." The "Arlington" has undergone thorough repairs and painting, and now presents an inviting appearance. The *Local* says "Mr. Kerr and his lady are great favorites in hoteling with all who visit their place," and will add to the prestige of the House." We are confident if politeness to guests, with assiduous attention to their creature comforts will win favor with the itinerent public, the "Arlington" will soon become a popular stopping place.

About Rye.—Mr. Nazro Park of Bridgewater, this county, has some rye growing upon a lot in that village which is worthy of notice. It is all pretty tall, but here is the yield from one grain of seed: One stalk 8 feet long; one stalk 6 feet; one stalk 6 feet 7 inches; one stalk 6 feet 11 inches; one stalk 7 feet 2 inches; one stalk 7 feet 10 inches; that is, 34 feet 6 inches from one grain of rye, or an average of 5 feet 9 inches to each of the six stalks.

A Theological Discussion.—A theological discussion is announced to take place in the Bethel Church, at Moravia, Lawrence county, on the 20th of June. The question to be discussed is as follows: "Resolved that the Sermon proceeds the Decalogue is binding upon the Christian as a rule of life." Affirmative—Revs. Patterson, Alexander and Johnson; Negative—Revs. Phillips, Cowdan and Cake, of Salem, Ohio. Rev. J. H. Aughey, of Rochester, this county, will preside at the discussion.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republican County Convention met at the Court-House on Monday last, May 29th, at 10 o'clock, a. m., and was called to order by Dr. David Stanton, Chairman of the County Committee. The roll of districts being called the following delegates appeared and presented their credentials:

BIG BEAVER.
David Knowles.
BEAVER.
R. S. Quay,
D. McKinney, Jr.,
BOROUGH TOWNSHIP.
Elijah Barnes.
BRIDGEWATER.
Thomas Dilworth.
DARLINGTON.
T. Smith Stokes.
DANVILLE.
L. J. Berry.
BEAVER FALLS.
James Patterson,
J. A. Kline,
John Gray.
CHIPPEWA.
A. J. Welsh.
DARLINGTON.
George Youts,
John Stuart.
ECONOMY TOWNSHIP.
Daniel Neely.
FALLSTON.
S. S. McFerran.
FRANKLIN.
J. H. Wilson.
FRANKFORT DISTRICT.
J. B. Vance.
FREEDOM BOROUGH.
W. W. Kerr.
GREENE.
M. Lawrence,
B. Nelson.
GEORGETOWN.
Smith Coulter.
HOPEWELL.
Arthur Shields.
INDEPENDENCE.
John S. Wilson.
INDEPENDENCE.
Thomas Todd.
MIDDLESEX.
G. McDaniel.
MIDDLE DISTRICT.
H. W. Nelson.
MOON.
G. W. Shrodes.
NEW BRIGHTON.
J. Barber,
Mid. ward J. E. Buckley,
do Joe. Wilson,
Sou. ward J. E. Barber,
do J. F. Miller.
NEW SEWICKLEY.
William Yeats.
NORTH SEWICKLEY.
David Graham.
NEW GALILEE.
H. J. Brittain.
OHIO.
W. F. Dawson,
John Slentz.
PATTERSON.
S. A. Dickey.
PHILLIPSBURGH.
Robert Heath.
PULASKI.
L. S. Thomas.
RACCOON.
J. H. Christy,
D. Harvey
ROCHESTER BOROUGH.
S. J. Cross.
W. S. Shellenberger.
ROCHESTER TOWNSHIP.
A. L. Reno.
SOUTH BEAVER.
George W. Barclay,
S. Lawrence.
ST. CLAIR.
J. Paul.

The Convention was then organized by the election of George S. Barker to be President, and Frank Minor, Thomas Todd and John S. Wilson to be Secretaries. The returns from the various districts were handed in and reported by the Chairman.

On motion of James Patterson, esq., a committee of five on resolutions was appointed, and the Convention adjourned until 2 o'clock, p. m.,

Convention met at 2 o'clock, p. m.

The Secretaries of the Convention then reported that they agreed in their count, and that the several candidates had received the number of votes given in the table published in this paper last week.

The Committee then organized permanently as a County Committee by the election of Samuel J. Cross, of Rochester, as Chairman; Smith Curtis, of Georgetown, as Secretary, and J. F. Miner, of New Brighton, as Treasurer.

Dr. David Stanton was then called upon to address the Convention, and responded as follows:

GENTLEMEN:—I can congratulate you upon the harmony which now prevails in the Republican party throughout the State. The delegates forming our recent State Convention, all reported the same happy condition at their respective homes, and gave assurance of a firm determination of Republicans to make the coming election a telling stroke upon the enemy, from which they would not rally in 1872, for the greater battle of November, 1872. That Convention did its work with a unanimity and absence of ill feeling unprecedented in the history of State Conventions. In regard to your nominee for Surveyor General, Col. Robert B. Beath, I will briefly say that he is a man after your own hearts. He is, by education, well qualified for the position. A life-long Republican, he is worthy of your votes. As a patriot, he has, on the battle field, shown himself worthy of your love and gratitude.

To the candidate for Auditor General, my extreme modesty prevents an illusion. My opponent, General McCandless says that I uttered "a slander upon the pure and patriotic men who had perilled their lives to defend their country in her hour of need." I suppose the General had reference to my expression, 'the late war of democratic rebellion.' In return for his compliment, I will say that the General "pours out his blood like water in defence of the supremacy of the laws and constitution," and that he is a man "against whose character no tongue of slander dare wag, for his character is spotless in all the relations of citizen and soldier;" and I say this on the General's own authority, for I read it in the speech he made at the time of his nomination.

Our platform is the same one on which we have gained so many glorious victories at the polls and on the battle field; one that requires us to take no "new ground" to occupy. You have, doubtless, all read it. I advise you to read and re-read it. It will warm up your patriotic impulse and inspire you with fresh courage for the campaign. It is sufficiently conservative to guard our liberties, and secure our prosperity; it is radical and progressive enough for the great party of political reform, and adapts itself to the necessities of a free and enterprising people.

The great aim of our party are to protect the sacred rights of manhood, to guard our nation's honor, to develope our great resources, to encourage our home industries and defend the rights of laboring masses against the encroachments of monied monopolies.

As it is to the Republican party the country is indebted for her abolition of slavery, for the crushing of the rebellion, for the death blow to the accursed heresy of State rights, for the maintenance of our finance al credit, for the reduction of the debt and at the same time, of taxation; so will it be the party towards which all political reformers must look for aid, in the oppressed and toiling masses.

What have those struggling freemen in our coal fields to hope for from a party which would inaugurate dissension and rebellion rather than limit and cripple an institution of human bondage; our sympathies are with that people, and with all oppressed wherever found, and I trust that, through our party, they may soon find relief.

We must confess that in the recent platform of the Democratic party we can see some signs of a "new departure," some hopes, perhaps, of progress. They accept the situation with all the amendments, even including negro suffrage, thereby conceding that the great principles for which we have so long been contending are correct.

Verily, that prince of Ohio copperheads talketh like a newly converted sinner, and the Pennsylvania mourners at the stool of repentance, cry, "Amen, so mote it be."

In the fullness of their gushing, first impulses they go for their candidates to that class they so recently stigmatized 'Lincoln hirelings.' Is not all this encouraging? It would not be charitable to doubt the sincerity of their repentance, although it does look a little suspicious that after their acceptance of the amendments, they insert a "*but*," that little word which has always proven such a potent obstacle to repentance and reform. They say "we accept the amendments, *but* your attempt to enforce them is tyranny and usurpation." That is very like their old dogma, "the States have no right to secede, *but* there is no power in the Constitution to prevent."

Well let us not be uncharitable. Let us not discourage and push back the mourners, but let us not admit them into full communion until they show works meet for repentance, until time has demonstrated its sincerity.

Gentlemen, I congratulate you upon the candidates this day declared your nominees, and I congratulate them upon the bright prospect before them. They are all so well and favorably known by the people that they need no encomium. Let us go to work to elect them.

I sincerely thank you for the hearty support you gave me as Chairman of your late Conventions. May the present Committee achieve more brilliant victories; may its labors be more light.

The Committee on Resolutions made the following report which was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we accept as our platform the enunciation of principles given forth by the late Republican National Convention, and will meet the Democracy upon it with unhesitating confidence of success.

Resolved, That we hail the Republican party of Pennsylvania for the recognition of the eminent merits of our fellow citizen, Col. David Stanton, in his nomination for the office of Auditor General, and we pledge to the ticket placed in nomination by the State Convention the earnest support of a united party, and an increased majority.

Resolved, That the administration of Gen. Grant, for its integrity, its economy, its reduction of expenses of Government, its rapid extinguishment of the public debt, and its wise and moderate policy in our foreign relations, meets our unqualified approval, and that we heartily endorse that resolution of the State Convention which recognizes him as the proper standard bearer of the Republican party in 1872.

Resolved, That the gratitude of the people of Pennsylvania is due to Governor John W. Geary for his able and upright administration of the executive office.

Resolved, That we hail with pleasure the nomination of the Hon. Wilson McCandless for the office of Auditor General, that we pledge to each one of them our earnest and united support and a triumphant election.

Mr. Quay offered the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That Capt. W. S. Shellenberger, Capt. James Darragh and Capt. John G. Boyle be appointed conferees to meet similar conferees from the counties of Washington and Butler to nominate four candidates for Assembly.

Resolved, That James Patterson, esq., be appointed delegate to the next Republican National Convention, and John Slentz, S. A. Dickey and H. W. Nelson be appointed conferees to meet similar conferees from other counties in the Congressional district, to select delegates to said National Convention.

Resolved, That Thomas G. Kerr and J. L. B. Dawson be elected delegates to the next Republican State Convention, and that T. Smith Stokes, Samuel Lawrence and Wm. Kerling be appointed conferees to meet similar conferees from the counties of Butler and Washington to select Senatorial and Representative delegates of said convention.

The following gentlemen were elected members of the Executive Committee for the ensuing year:

D. M'Kinney, Beaver; James Patterson, Beaver Falls; J. K. Buckley, New Brighton: Arthur Shields, Hopewell; J. H. Christy, Raccoon; John Slentz, Ohio; James Darragh, Bridgewater.

Clark A. Hunter of Ohio township was unanimously nominated for Auditor, to fill the unexpired term of W. H. Lukens, who had removed from the county.

The Committee then adjourned to meet at the call of the Chairman.

Dr. H. J. Chandler, Dentist of Rochester, requests us to say that he will not be in his office in that place next week, in consequence of being chosen as a delegate to the State Dental Convention, which convenes at Gettysburg on the 13th. After the 17th of June he will be in Rochester as usual.

FASHIONABLE MILLINERY.—Ladies wishing the latest styles of Hats and Bonnets, at a reasonable price, should call at once, on Mrs. Bence, next door to U. P. Seminary, Beaver. She has just opened another large and well selected lot of everything new in the Millinery line. Remember now is the best time to buy. je7-3w

The Ravenna (Ohio) *Democrat* puts on record the following new style of making butter: "A few days since, Mrs. Mary M. Hughes put about a quart of cream in a cloth bag, and buried it about two feet deep in the earth, where it remained three days, when she disinterred it, and found it transformed into pure, sweet, yellow butter, with not one drop of buttermilk to be seen. Mrs. Hughes thinks that cream will yield about one third more butter by that process than by the old-fashioned way of churning.

For the West.—Mr. J. L. Courtney and wife of Vanport, this county, left for Mount Pleasant, Henry county, Iowa, on last Monday. We believe they intend making that place their home in the future. The good wishes of their numerous friends go with them.

A FACT.—It is an undisputed fact that Mrs. Bence's Hats and Bonnets are universal favorites. She has just received another lot of Hats, Bonnets, Flowers, &c. Give her an early call, one door below U. P. Seminary, Beaver. je7-3w

MR. EDITOR:—A most foul and brutal murder was committed at Rochester, on the 30th instant, upon an unfortunate man, who, it would seem from his education, may have seen better days, but who has been seduced from the path of rectitude by the fatal habit of the social glass—the morbid appetite created by the poisonous drinks now issued out by the dealers in the stuff—in this case as it universally does, had so completely debased its victim that no entreaty from a distressed and weeping wife could restrain him from drinking, or the liquor seller from supplying the liquid weapon of destruction and death, until the fatal catastrophe was accomplished.

Now here is a fallen being not only mangled and torn and hurried unexpectedly before the bar of God, but an innocent wife and helpless children are robbed of the support and protection of a husband and father. The question is a question for this intelligent Christian community to settle is, who is this guilty murderer, or who should be carryed before the bar of justice and convicted for this cruel crime? The respectable Christian citizens that gave their names in favor of the license to murder and demoralize our fathers, husbands and sons, or the party that furnished the money to supply the free drinks to steal away the brains of the ones to secure their votes, or the railroad cars which mangled its victim or the respectable vender of this destructive and poisonous liquid?

Now I would ask the question, can a person be guiltless that will sell or give away poison or a weapon of death to any one who, they know, will destroy his own life or some other's by the use of rum? HUMANITY.

Festival in the Presbyterian Church.—Those of our readers who receive the ARGUS on Tuesday evening, will we hope, bear in mind that a festival will be held in the Presbyterian Church of Beaver this evening. A good time may be confidently anticipated.

FOR BARGAINS, in Hats and Bonnets, of the latest styles, go to Mrs. Bence's, Beaver. je7-3w

PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTS. GAZETTE, MONDAY, June 5, 1871.

FLOUR—Has been moderately active during the week, though the demand is mainly local and the prices remain unchanged. We continue to quote red winter wheat at $7.00@7.25; white wheat at $7.50; good spring extras, $7.00 and choice baker's flour, $7.25. Rye Flour, $6, in a small way.

FRUITS—Green Apples, none in market. Dried fruit dull and the stock, particularly of anything good, is very light; apples, 6@7 c; peaches, 10@11. Dry Quarters, 11@12; for mixed, and 13@14c for halves. Oranges, $6,50@7, Lemons scarce and higher, $7,00@7,50 per box. Prunes lower, 10c for Turkey, and 11@12 for French. Currants 10@10½c. Layer Raisins, $ per box; Valencia's, 13 cts per lb.

GRAIN—The receipts are only moderate and with a steady milling demand prices are well maintained. $1,40@1,47 for red and $1,50@1,57 for white; there is but comparatively little No. 1 wheat offering, and, consequently, it sells more readily and at relatively better prices than the poorer grades. Oats, market is steady and prices fully maintained, though the feeling in regard to the future is a little mixed; we now quote at 60@61 buying and 62@63 selling—small lots, in store, 65@67. So far as we can learn the crop at present in the sections of country tributary to this market, does not present a very promising appearance. Corn continues dull, though prices are without quotable change; sales during the week at 65@67 for mixed ear and prime yellow, in bulk, is being offered at 70@71. Very little going in Rye; not much offering and the demand does not seem to be urgent; dealers are paying $1,00 for small lots—a round lot would bring 3a5 cts more. The market is barn of Barley, excepting what is in the hands of consumers, and there will be little or nothing done until the new crop is ready to move.

GROCERIES—Sugar—The past week has witnessed another sudden change in the sugar market, showing a decline of ½c per ℔ in Refined with a corresponding decline in the raw material used by refiners. The decline has taken dealers by surprise, the opinion having been that sugars had touched bottom at 12½ for refined at the factories. It is thought by many traders that an effort is being made to bear down the market so as to give the refiners an opportunity to purchase stocks at low rates for the summer and fall business. If this should prove to be true, an advance in refined goods may be looked for as soon as the purposes of the "bears" are accomplished. This theory seems to gain favor, in view of the fact that it is at refining sugars that the strike has been made, while the higher grades, for grocers' sales, are held in firm advance apparent disposition to unsettle. The arrivals last week at the eastern ports were large, but not in excess of same time last year. Molasses Sugars are quoted lower. Coffee has still further declined, except in the finest grades. The stock is large and increasing. Rice—Carolina still scarce and held at high figures, but has not reached the highest point of last year. Ragoon and Patna, in liberal supply at our quotations. Syrups—Off and owners anxious to sell all kinds of goods made from molasses—the supply of the raw material being in large surplus.

COFFEE—Fancy Rio, 19; Prime, 18; Good, 17; Fair, 16½; Roasting, 16@16½.

SYRUPS AND DRIPS—White Honey, 72; Havemyer & Elders, 72; Silver Drips, 60; Leverings, 63; other grades, 45@55.

SUGARS—Choice New Orleans, 11½; prime 11½; good, 10½; fully fair, 10½; Porto Rico sugars, 10½@11½; Cuba, 10@11; Demarara, 11@12½.

REFINED SUGARS—Hard Sugars, 13½; A Coffee, 12½ "B," 12½; Extra C, 12½; C, yellow, 12½.

MOLASSES—New Orleans, choice, 70; prime, 68; good, 65.

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For the Beaver Argus.

The suggestion made in the ARGUS a week or two ago, was certainly a good one, and it should not be unheeded by your numerous readers, many of whom are capable of furnishing a short essay on some religious topic, if not every week, at least monthly, so as to make the column appropriated to *religious matter* interesting and desirable. Here in old Beaver, and all over the county, and wherever our papers are sent, among christians of different denominations, a steady stream of gospel-truths, not *controversial*, might be supplied by the press, through the week to aid the pulpit somewhat, in its great work of soul's salvation. God can work at all seasons of the year, and on any day in the week; he has done it, and he will do it, by various instrumentalities. Let us stir each other up, and let us seize the honor of being co-workers with God while the day of grace lasts; "*For the night cometh when no man can Work.*" God help us, to help each other, and that, right early; for, it is written, "*In summer* and in *winter* it shall be." J. K. M.

An Alderney Calf for Sale.—A fine full-blooded Alderney bull calf is offered for sale by a gentleman in Bea