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GENERAL NEWS.

the Adjutant General will cause fifteen minute guns to be fired at the meridian of this day, and on the day of the funeral half hour guns will be fired from sunrise until the moving of the procession.

Second—The Capitol buildings will be draped and the flags to be displayed at half mast.

Third—The public offices will be suitably draped in mourning, and will be closed on the day of the funeral.

[Signed.] JOHN F. HARTMAN, Governor.

LATER.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 9.—The funeral of Ex-Governor Geary is announced to take place on Thursday morning next from the First Presbyterian church, on Market square.

THE COOLIE TRADE.

Terrible Story by the Engineer of a Slaver.

Mr. O. Tackson, who was engineer on the coolie transport Fatchoy, relates the following in the New Orleans Republican: The Fatchoy left Macao August 25, with 1,005 coolies on board.

We arrived at Angar, Batavia, September 9, remained there two days, proceeded thence to Mauritius, where we took on water and coal, the ship remaining in quarantine.

The vessel is to all intents and purposes German property. She has been chartered to the Havana Chinese Importing Company for two trips, one of which is now fulfilled.

The other captain is a German. In the ship's papers he is styled sailing master. The first, second and third mates are Germans.

The Boston Common Council has passed an order to open the public library on Sunday by a vote of 47 to 10 nays, and the order will be carried into effect next Sunday.

The Press Association of Georgia has made a formal protest to the Legislature against the tax upon printing material.

—The Pittsburgh and Birmingham Passenger Railway are asking authority to extend their track eastward.

—The Stokes case Judge Boardman denied the motion for a new trial, and refused a stay of proceedings.

—The Eastern coal district, according to statistics given by the Stanton Republican, there were in 1872, 163 persons killed in the mines, 469 injured, 84 wives deprived of husbands, and 288 children left fatherless.

—John S. Phillips, one of the proprietors of the Bloomsburg Republican, has sold his interest to E. M. Warden.

—A large body of regular troops will participate in the ceremonies of the second inauguration of President Grant.

—The defense of Alroy for the murder of Ellis was begun Friday morning at Boston. His counsel rely upon proving an alibi.

—Laura D. Fair lectured in Sacramento, California, on Thursday night. She denied that she attacked the press, but said that the clergy generally are the only individuals who persecute her.

—The Texas and Pacific railroad engineers have commenced locating a line of road through San Diego City, California.

—A generous citizen of Toledo has bequeathed one hundred and sixty acres of valuable land, near the city, for the foundation of an institution to which both sexes are to be admitted and taught in the arts, trades and related sciences.

—Twelve prisoners broke jail at Lebanon last Friday night and escaped over the wall by making a rope out of bed clothes.

ANNUAL STATEMENT: RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES AT THE TREASURY OF BEAVER COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1872.

Table with columns for Receipts and Expenditures. Receipts total \$10,391.99. Expenditures total \$56,171.92. Includes items like Sheriff's fees, Court House expenses, and various salaries.

TABLE OF TAXES IN THE SEVERAL TOWNSHIPS FOR STATE AND COUNTY PURPOSES; AMOUNTS PAID TO TREASURER; AMOUNTS CHARGED TO AND AMOUNTS PAID BY COLLECTORS; AMOUNTS REC'D FROM UNSEATED LANDS; COMMISSIONS ALLOWED TO COLLECTORS; BALANCES DUE BY COLLECTORS

Table with columns for Township & Boroughs, Levy, Amt. p'd, and Names of Collectors. Lists various townships like Beaver, Bridgewater, and Hookstown with their respective tax amounts and collector names.

DR. C. P. WALLACE, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH BEAVER CO. FOR THE YEAR 1872. CR. Table showing financial transactions for the treasurer, including balance from 1871 and various receipts and payments.

DR. BEAVER COUNTY STOCK ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR 1872. CR. Table showing stock account transactions, including amounts of outstanding warrants and balances.

DIRECTORS OF THE POOR AND HOUSE OF EMPLOYMENT OF BEAVER COUNTY IN ACCOUNT WITH BEAVER COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1872. Table showing financial transactions for the directors, including cash paid for support of paupers and various expenses.

BEAVER COUNTY, ss: We, the undersigned Auditors of Beaver county, do hereby certify that we have examined the Accounts of C. P. Wallace, Treasurer, of said county; also the Receipts and Expenditures of the Directors of the Poor and House of Employment; also the Statement of the County Receipts and Disbursements for the year 1872, and find them correct as they stand stated.

D. SINGLETON, REGISTER OF WILLS IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF BEAVER, IN ACCOUNT OF COLLATERAL INHERITANCE TAX WITH THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 1st, 1872.

Table showing will registrations and inheritance tax payments for the year ending December 1st, 1872. Includes names of decedents and amounts paid.

Advertisement for S. Hamilton, Piano & Organ dealer. Located at 51 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Features an illustration of a piano and text describing their products and services.

Advertisement for Rochester Fire Insurance Company. Incorporated by the Legislature of Pennsylvania, February 1870. Offers fire insurance for buildings and goods.

Advertisement for Farm for Sale. A good farm situated in Brighton township, Beaver county, Pa., about six miles from Beaver.

Advertisement for Executor's Notice. Estate of James Porter, deceased. Letters testamentary on the estate of James Porter, late of Bridgewater, Pa.

Advertisement for Thos. Kennedy & Co., Successors to Wm. Buechling. Dealers in Fancy & Toilet Article, Sponges, Brushes and Perfumery, Paints, Oils and Dyes.