

THE COLUMBIAN.

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1883.

The anti-treating bill was defeated in the senate on Wednesday.

The Philadelphia Recorder bill has been reported by the Legislature and Lane has been outted.

The big bridge between New York and Brooklyn is nearly completed and will be formally opened on May 24th.

The Grant medals commemorative of the 896 who voted for him for President at the Chicago convention in 1860 have at last been distributed.

THE PROHIBITION AMENDMENT.

The Aquev Prohibition Amendment has been defeated in the House. The amendment as originally introduced prohibited the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquor.

Another Veto from the Governor.

Governor Pattison has vetoed the bill to equalize taxation for school purposes only in independent districts formed from parts of one or more than one county.

A Circuit Court of Appeals.

Senator Wolcott reported affirmatively a bill establishing a Circuit Court of Appeals, consisting of five Judges, to be elected next fall, each voter to have the privilege of voting for three.

Brady and Kellogg Indicted.

Charged with receiving fifteen thousand dollars in bribes. Despite the protestations of Ex-Senator Kellogg's friends and denials as to his complicity in State route frauds, the grand jury at Washington has returned a true bill against Brady and Kellogg.

Rich State Senators.

McNell, of Allegheny, Laird, of Westmoreland, and perhaps one or two others, are estimated at \$100,000. Tom Cox, despite his great reputation as a newspaper mathematician, is said to be worth only \$40,000.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The following bills have passed finally in the Senate: Senate bill to extend the time for the completion of railroads five years.

Senate bill changing the rate for catching loose logs in the Susquehanna from fifty cents a log to one dollar for one thousand feet board measure.

House bill requiring a district attorney to have practiced at the bar for two years.

Senate bill authorizing suits against the commonwealth was amended on third reading so as to allow action to be instituted for the collection of claims accruing or arising since 1883.

Senate bill abolishing the office of mercantile appraiser and imposing the duties of that office on assessors except in cities of the first class passed finally.

House bill empowering any city to take and hold donations of money, books, real and personal property, for the purpose of a free library.

House bill repealing the act for the appointment of an inspector of steam boilers in Schuylkill, Northumberland and Columbia districts.

House bill relative to adoption of a city seal in cities of the third class. Senate bill validating the charters of building and loan associations and building and savings associations granted by the courts.

The anti-treating bill was amended on third reading to prohibit treating only in licensed places.

Mr. Adams introduced a bill subjecting to a fine of \$500 the manager of any public hall or place of amusement which shall permit the aisles or passage way to be obstructed so as to impede free ingress or egress.

Senate bill requiring notaries public to place the time of the expiration of their terms on their seals was passed finally.

Senate bill to prohibit persons from treating other persons to intoxicating drinks was passed third reading, after an amendment offered by Mr. Henning to except various malt or brewed liquors.

Mr. Hall amended, on third reading, the bill authorizing railroad companies to change their route or termini shall be changed, if it be in any city.

Senate bill authorizing foreign corporations, doing business in the state, to elect a local agent or manager.

Senate bill giving cities of the fifth class the benefit of the act to create poor districts.

House bill empowering corporate authorities of boroughs to lay footwalks along township roads.

The bill relating to the change of text books more than once in five years.

Fixing salaries of officers in counties containing over sixty thousand and less than eighty thousand inhabitants.

Providing for the sale by the secretary of internal affairs of the reports of the geological survey.

To abolish the office of jury commissioner.

Prohibiting street passenger railway companies from working conductors, drivers and other persons employed by them more than twelve hours a day.

Senate bill allowing incorporated reformatories schools and houses of refuge of youthful delinquents from Delaware.

Applying the general salary law to the counties of Luzerne and Wyoming.

To give harbor companies the right of eminent domain.

Senate bill allowing incorporated banks and banking institutions to change their name and place of business within the county where located.

In the House: The bill appropriating \$84,000 to the House of Refuge in Philadelphia passed finally.

The bill granting a pension of \$36 annually to the surviving veterans of the Mexican war, and to the widows and orphans of soldiers and sailors of said war, was called up and read the third time, when Mr. Stees, of Schuylkill, moved that the house go into committee of the whole for the purpose of a special amendment, which would amend the act of the Florida war.

Mr. Farth was called to the chair, the amendment was agreed to and the house adopted the report of the committee of the whole. The bill amended passed third reading.

The bill appropriating \$10,000 to the society of the Home for Friendless Women and Children at Scranton was read the third time and passed finally—yeas 152, nays 12.

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LIBRARY. Copies not presented and outstanding orders outstanding.

RECEIPTS. Balance in Treasurer's hands at close of 1881.

EXPENDITURES. Balance in Treasurer's hands at close of 1881.

OTHER DISBURSEMENTS. Balance on hand on 31st March 1883.

NOTICE. In hereby given that the following account has been filed in the Court of Columbia County.

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