The Columbian.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1889.

The jury in the celebrated Cronin case on trial at Chicago several weeks past, brought in a verdict on the 15th, sentencing Coughlin, Burke and O'Sullivan to imprisonment for life, giving Kunze three years, and liberating Beggs. The jury was out several days.

DUDLEY OFFICIALLY DEFENDED.

The virtuous indignation of all classes of Indianapolis citizens was aroused when the Indianapolis *Journal*, John C. New's paper, appeared with an interview with District-Attorney Chambers in which he not only justified his action in the Dudley matter, but gloried in its results. The plan adopted to bring Dudley to justice was the same as that practiced by the Republicans in the Coy case. When the Grand Jury failed to indict him, he was taken before a commission and evidence was thus obtained that enabled a subsequent Grand Jury to indict. It was with the hope of doing the same thing that the warrant was issued for Dudley's arrest. In the course of his interview in the *Journal* the District-Attorney declared that "so-called Dudley letters, construed in the light of the knowledge that we all possess of how elections in Indiana are conducted by both parties, have nothing in them of criminal character; but upon the other hand, when so construed, are honorable, and indicate simply a patriotric interest in elections."

The expressions of opinions called out by this interview were all unfavorable to the official and many citizens denounced him in unmeasured terms. The *Evening News*, which supported Harrison, demands Chamber's instant removal and says:

What does Mr. Chambers know? Who are his associates? Certainly this standard of public morals make his incumbency of a public office a shame and disgrace. President Harrison owes it no less to himself than to the public service and to this community to promptly relieve Mr. Chambers. The knots of Crawford County might approve as "honorable" and as "indicating a patriotic interest in elections" advice to "divide floaters into blocks of five" and to put a "trusted man" with the "nescessary funds" in charge of each block and "make him responsible" that "none gets away," but civilized society doesn't. This whole Dudley episode seems to have left its slimy track on all the precincts dedicated to the United States here. The impotence of its machinery to ferret out this scoundrelly attempt to debauch a State, particularly after it showed what it could do with Coy, has weakened public respect. To see Col. Dudley swagger in and swagger out, decorated with congratulations like a hero, has aroused public contempt. To hear the Federal prosecutor praising his infamy as "honorable" and patriotic calls for public scorn and invites the repudiation of this community and this State.

The New York *World* of the 14th says:

Apparently the Administration has ordered that Mr. W. W. Dudley be not arrested for his infamous attempt to corrupt the voters of Indiana in behalf of Mr. Harrison. It is a notorious fact that he did write the "blocks-of-five" letter. He escaped indictment by the connivance of Federal Judge Woods, who discovered that it was not a crime to attempt to bribe voters. On the affidavit and complaint of Mr. John A Lang the Federal Commissioners made out a warrant for Dudley's arrest in Indianapolis on Thursday. The warrant, however, has not been served, because United States District-Attorney Chambers has directed Commissioner Van Buren to keep it in his pocket.

This is an impudent and wicked denial of justice. It is worthier of the dark days of the English Star Chamber than of these latter days, and of this freer country in whose courts of law all men, rich and poor, high and low, are supposed to stand on an equal footing. Such conduct as that of which these Republican judicial officers are guilty would have been an outrage before the Constitution of the United States was dreamed of. It would have been an attack upon the mediæval privileges of Englishmen.

It is said, and it is probably true, that this tyranny is in obedience to orders from Washington. No wonder, then, that Dudley dares to show himself in Indianapolis, and that he and Judge Woods are jocular over the defeat of justice and the triumph of a grave political crime.

Death of Dr. Higbee.

Dr. E E. Higbee, superintendent of public instruction, died last Friday morning at his home in the city of Lancaster. For nearly nine years and by the appointment of three successive governors he served the people of this State with singular fidelity and purity and singleness of purpose, as the honored head of the educational department of the State government.

He was born March 27, 1830, and graduated from the University of Vermont in 1849. He received his professional education at the theological seminary at Mercersburg, in this State and entered the ministry in 1856. He became professor of languages in Heidelburg Colledge, Ohio, in 1859, but three years later removed to the city of Pittsburg and resumed his labors in the ministry. Soon after he returned, as one of its professors, to the Theological Seminary from which he graduated and in 1869 was elected to the presidency of Mercersburg College, which position he filled until his appointment as superintendent of public instruction in 1881, and this latter office he held by reappointment in 1885 and 1889 until the time of his death.

Dr. Higbee was a man of broad culture a polished and thoughtful scholar, o ancient and modern thought and literature. As an instructor, his extraordinary attainments and varied resources brought to him abundant success in every department of effort, and as an educator in its broadest and best sense he had attained a rank among the first in the nation.

The teachers of the State and his associates in the great work of education loved him with a filial devotion and the Commonwealth trusted him as a pure, noble, true and honest man.

Franklin B. Gowen Dead.

THE FAMOUS RAILROAD LAWYER COMMITS SUICIDE.

WASHINGTON, DEC. 14.—Franklin B. Gowen, a well-known lawyer of Philadelphia and at one time President of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company was found dead in his room at Wormley's Hotel, shortly after noon to-day with a bullet wound in his head. The door of the room was locked on the inside and on the floor lay the pistol with which the wound was inflicted. It was undoubtedly a case of suicide. No theory is advanced to account for the act, except that of Mr. Gowen's friends, who believe that in a fit of melancholy, to which he has been subject of late, he yielded to a suicidal impulse and fired the fatal shot.

Mr Gowen arrived in this city last Monday and took up his quarters at Wormley's Hotel, where he has been a guest when, at frequent intervals, his law business brought him to this city. On this occassion Mr. Gowen came here as attorney of George Rice, of Marietta, O., who for several years has been fighting the Standard Oil Trust. Mr. Rice had begun suit before the Interstate Commerce Commission against the Southwesteran railroads for discrimination in favor of the business of the Standard Oil people and against his own and other private enterprises. On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Mr. Gowen argued a case before the full Commission, displaying his fine ability to excellent advantage. His argument was clear and forcible, and his mental vigor seemed unimpaired. He afterwards expressed his confidence that he would win the case in which he was engaged. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Gowen took his key from the room clerk at Wormley's and went to his apartment. At about 5 o'clock one of the chambermaids entered his rooms to provide towels and water and found Mr. Gowen putting on his coat "to go for a walk," as he said. He was not afterwards seen alive at the hotel. He carried with him a small bag, such as lawyers use for holding briefs and other documents.

NONE HEARD THE SHOT.

His whereabouts untill about 8 o'clock have not yet been traced, but at that hour he was met by several acquaintances in front of the Riggs House, on Fifteenth street, opposite the Treasury Department. He chatted pleasantly for five minutes, appearing to be in the best of spirits, and then walked briskly towards his hotel, a block above, on the same street. About 9 o'clock a chambermaid noticed that his door was locked from the inside. Mr. Gowen has always been an early riser, frequently leaving his room at 7 o'clock. At about 8 o'clock a chambermaid attempted to enter his room to put it in order, but discovered that it was still locked on the inside, the key being in place. Supposing that Mr. Gowen desired to sleep later than usual she did not disturb him. She tried the door at various times, however, until finally at 1 o'clock, becoming frightened, she reported the fact to the hotel office.

Mr. James Wormley, accompanied by Policeman Cross, the day clerk, and a porter, knocked loudly on the door, but receiving no response, procured a step ladder, upon which the clerk mounted. Peering in at the transom, he was horrified to see the body of Mr. Gowen lying on the floor with the pistol by his side. Climbing through the transom the clerk unlocked and opened the door. A hasty examination showed that the unfortunate guest had been dead several hours The body lay upon the floor, partly under a small table, evidently just where it had fallen. The dead man had doubtless stood before the large mirror in the room when he fired the fatal shot. The pistol was a Smith & Wesson, 38-calibre, brand new. It lay on the hearth several feet from the body and its ivory handle was crimson with blood. The dead man was very well dressed and his coat and underwear were soaked in blood. Through the wound in his head the brains were oozing.

Mr. Gowen's baggage consisted of a valise and a tin box of legal papers. In his pocket, in bills and coin, were $126. There were also some French coins, evidently carried as pocket pieces.

UNSEEMLY HASTE.

With a haste that was almost unseemly the proprietor of the hotel telephoned to Police Headquarters for a patrol wagon. A detail of police was speedily despatched and the body crried to the wagon and removed at once to the Morgue. As soon as Representative Maish learned that the remains had been unceremoniously removed to the Morgue, he went to the Coroner and secured an order to take the body to an undertaker's, where it was prepared for removal to Philadelphia. A telegram was shortly received by Mr. George Rice from the dead man's nephew, Francis J. Gowen, stating that he would arrive here at 9 o'clock to night. At that hour he reached the city, accompanied by two friends, Capt. Linden and J. E. Hood. Gowen said: We were unexpressibly shocked to learn of my uncle's death. When I saw him last he was in the best of health and spirits and no possible cause that we can conceive of can be assigned for this rash act."

At 10 o'clock the remains were taken to the B. & O. depot for removal to Philadelphia. The only theory advanced to account for Mr. Gowen's suicide is that of momentary insanity. For many months he had been laboring assiduously in his large legal practice and his mind was undoubtedly under a severe tension. It is supposed that in a moment of temporary insanity he took his own life. Mr. Gowen was a man of temperate habits, and during his stay in Washington did not partake of a drop of liquor. There is said to be a strain of hereditary insanity in the Gowen family. It was affirmed here to-night that one of Mr. Gowen's brothers had committed suicide, while another disappeared mysteriously, but is supposed to have destroyed himself.

The circumstances of Mr. Gowen's death were such that Coroner Patterson did not regard an inquest as necessary and, no delay was resulting on that score, Mr. Francis Gowen was able to take his uncle's remains to Philadelphia to-night.

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Court Proceedings.

December 11.

On motion of B. F. Zarr, an attachment issued for Henry Nuss.

John M. Smith appointed guardian of Gertrude and Harman S. Smith minor children of Mary Smith. C. Kramer approved as surety.

Charles Hartman, Richard Ivy, and John Appleman appointed viewers of a road in Mt. Pleasant near Catharine Johnsons.

Peter Swank, L. Yeager and Jeremiah Snyder appointed viewers of a road in Franklin near W. G. Fisher's.

Bruce Freas, Arthur Creasy and S. D. Neyhard appointed viewers of a private road in Briarcreek, near Conrad Markle's.

Charles S. Smoyer appointed guardian of Geo. S Smoyer, minor child of W. F. Smoyer.

Petition of Gideon Michael for adoption of Nora Michael, filed.

Estate of Joseph G. Keller deceased Petition filed by David T. Keller for specific performance of contract.

Sarah A. Gillaspy vs J. G. Gillaspy, Guy Jacoby appointed commissioner to take testimony.

Ezra Stephens vs Lucy A. Stephins. Publication ordered.

Estate of Henry Croop. On petition sale of real estate ordered by administrator.

C. C. Kline's use vs H. F Oman et al judgment for plaintiff for $310.61.

William Scott as James M. Lahman et al. Rule to show cause graduated.

J. H. Maize appointed auditor in estate of Rebecca Breech.

C. B. Jackson appointed auditor in estate of Elizabeth McAfre.

Estate of Thos. Sherman, rule on heirs to accept or refuse real estate at the valuation.

Stephen Nuss vs J. Weiss judgement entered for plaintiff for want of plea.

A. M. Harvey vs V. Stout et ux, judgment for plaintiff for $12.10 and costs.

Estate of Thomas Polk. Note permitted to be withdrawn from files.

Alvin Moser vs Flora Moser alias subpoena awarded.

Estate of Samuel Long, order of sale continued.

Adjourned to Saturday 14th.

December 14.

Bond filed and approved in estate of Carlton A. Caswell.

Citation awarded in estate of Francis Carr.

Auditor's report in estate of Stephen Thomas, confirmed nisi.

C. G. Barkley vs, W. Giger judgment for plaintiff for $38.64

B. B. Freas appointed guardian of Elizabeth, Elmer, William E. and Harry A. Sitler, minor children of William Sitler.

Alias order of sale issued in estate of Elijah Yocum.

Inquest awarded in estate of Mary Rupert.

Petition of executor of Gabriel Evert deceased, filed, for permission to bid at sale.

John F. Derr, Diemer Davis and I. A. Dewitt appointed viewers of a bridge in Sugarloaf near M. J. Tripp in Jamison City.

Sale ordered in estate of B. F. Peterman.

The usual orders were made for the venires at February court, and for the selection of five hundred names to be put in the jury wheel for next year.

A. N. Yost appointed auditor of public accounts.

The following order was made: Now, Dec. 14, 1889 the COLUMBIAN and *Sentinel* are designated as the papers in which shall be published the names of all applicants for liquor license, their respective residences and the place for which application is made, not less than 15 days nor more than 25 days before the third Monday of January.

Order of sale in estate of Samuel Long continued.

Petition for appointment of deputy constable in Catawissa, rule is granted to show cause why the petition should not be granted, returnable Monday, Dec. 23, contestants to file their answer by Dec 21.

Guava.

Protracted meeting is held at Herington Hollow. They are doing a very good work.

A fine tracking snow fell on the 14th, and the deer hunters, had to abondon their hunting, just when the much wished for snow came.

Boyd, Dr. McHenry, Geo. Hirleman and son, Lafayette Keeler and two more hunters passed through this place with a fine four prong buck on Saturday last. It was shot by Lafayette Keeler. Mr. Keeler made a very good shot, for the chance he had. He says the deer was sixty or seventy yards from him, running very fast when he shot. The ball entered one ear and passed through coming out near the eye on the opposite side from him. We are informed that the deer will be served up in good style on Christmas, at the McHenry House. All are cordially invited to come to the venison supper and dance on Christmas.

Every one that had a sleigh and horse, were out sleighing on Sunday last. Thos. Smith and daughter Lillie, Lander Kile and wife, Lester Larish and Kinney Kile, also the "Operator" took a flying trip over the hills to Coles Creek hollow, to take his lady out for a sleigh ride. We hope he will have a very pleasant time and not be blessed with any upsets or runaways, before he makes his return.

Elias Shultz, Orlando Hess, Chas. Welliver, Chas. Everhart, and B. R. Laubach took the evening train for Benton, returning on the late train.

Again death appeared in our midst. Thos. Hess' eldest boy died on Saturday 14th inst., and will be interred in Coles Creek Cemetery. The sympathy of the community is with the bereaved parents.

Clint Diltz, Mr. Hall, Chas. Mackafee, section foreman, and Mrs. Mackafee took the train for Bloomsburg on Saturday last, returning on Monday forenoon.

Robert Hess and Brad Masteller, two of our most industrious young men are busily engaged in scoring and hewing ties on the mountain side. Success to you boys, some day you will become rich, if you save your money.

Hartman and Long have their mill nearly ready to commence sawing. They have quite a number of maple logs, skidded up on a pile close by the mill, ready to roll on the mill just as soon as it is ready to run. Mr. Taylor Meeker is sawyer and understands keeping his saw in the best order possible, for sawing hard wood lumber.

W. F.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Susan V. Hicks, late of Briarcreek twp., deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Susan V. Hicks, late of the township of Briarcreek, county of Columbia, and state of Pennsylvania, deceased have been granted to G. W. Ash of Briarcreek, Columbia County, Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

G. W. ASH, Adm'r.

12-13-4t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Rebecca Breech, deceased.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia County to make distribution of balance in the hands of D. & L. B. Kline administrator, to and among the parties entitled thereto will sit at the office of C. E. Geyer, Esq., in the town of Catawissa, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1890, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to attend to the duties of his appointment, when and where all persons having claims agai st said estate, must appear and prove them, or be forever debarred from any share of said fund.

Dec. 16, '89. J. H. MAIZE, Auditor.

NOTICE IN PARTITION.

In the matter of the partition of the estate of Mary Rupert, late of the town of Bloomsburg, Columbia County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

The heirs of said decedent will take notice that in pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia County, a writ of partition has issued from said Court to the Sheriff of said county, returnable on the first Monday of February, A. D. 1890, and that the inquest will meet for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of said deceased at on Saturday, the eighteenth day of January, A. D., 1890, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, upon the premises, at which time and place you can be present if you see proper.

The premises in question are described as follows: The undivided one-third interest in all that certain lot of ground situate in the town of Bloomsburg, aforesaid, bounded on the East by West Street, on the South by lot of W. H. Ringrose, on the West by Bloom Alley, and on the North by lot of Mrs. Ellen Kelly, being forty feet front on West Street and one hundred and ninety et ht feet in depth whereon is erected a two story brick dwelling.

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Real Estate!

By virtue of a writ of Alias Fi. Fa. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House (in the Sheriff's office) Bloomsburg, Pa., on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 1890,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following: All that certain messuage or tenement and lot of land situate in Madison township, Columbia Co., Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone on the east side of the public road, thence by land of the said Michael Bihlmne south eighty-six and a quarter degrees west eleven and seven-tenth perches to a maple, thence north eighteen and a half degrees east ten perches to a stone thence north eleven and three quarters degrees east fourteen perches to a stone north eighty-seven degrees east six and five-tenths perches to a stone on the west side of said road, and thence south one quarter degree west twenty-four perches to the place of beginning, containing

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HERRING, Atty.

ALSO:

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 4, 1890,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following: All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Scott township near the village of Espy, Col. Co., Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the south by public road leading from Espy to Berwick, on the east and north by lands of Alfred Mood, and on the west by lands of Alfred Mood and Levi Kinley, containing

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more or less, whereon are erected a

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and other Outbuildings, apple orchard and other fruits.

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ZARR, Atty. JOHN B. CASEY, Sheriff. 12-9-'89.

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The names of the subscribers to said application are: Edwin Eberman, Reber McEwen F. T. Weed, Joel Garrison, Thomas Wheeler, C. C. Buck, Egbert, Merriman and Edgar Jackson.

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