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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1892.

The regular term of court begins next week.

During Court week transient boarders and lodgers can find accommodations at Phillips', Main St.

Judge Ikeler is holding the regular September session of court at Danville this week.

Don't forget Frank Mayo, at Opera House, Bloomsburg Thursday evening September 29th.

The Catawissa News-Item has recently purchased a new Campbell Oscillator Press.

It is announced that return tickets will hereafter be on sale at all stations on the line of the L. V. R. R.

Mrs. Norman has removed the fence in front of her residence on Center Street, and will soon have a granitic pavement laid.

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Sadie McHenry and Mr. P. K. Vannatta at the home of the bride in Orangeville on the 28th inst.

There will be a democratic meeting held at Proctor Hall, Jamison City Saturday evening, Sept. 24th, addressed by C. R. Buckalew and E. M. Tewksbury.

Louise, one of the twin children of Mr. Kirby of Mauch Chunk died last Sunday morning, aged eight months and two days. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Mauch Chunk.

The Committee on supplies for the Fair dinner have already purchased or engaged a large number of turkeys and chickens but as many more will be required. Those having any last years hatching to dispose of should call on or write to Geo. S. Robbins, chairman, at an early date.

The Philadelphia & Reading railroad Company sold 50 excursion tickets from Bloomsburg to Washington city via Philadelphia. They could have sold more, but only 50 were sent here for sale. The agents at Catawissa and Rupert also sold all the tickets left with them.

A London newspaper offered a prize for the best definition of "money," and it was awarded to a young man whose definition was: "An article which may be used as a universal passport to everywhere except heaven, and as a universal provider of everything except happiness."

We have received a copy of Old Point Waltzes, composed by Charles J. McHenry, and published by Manly B. Ramos & Co., Richmond, Va. They are very pretty. Mr. McHenry, who is a son of John J. McHenry of Benton, has already established a high reputation as a pianist and composer.

Parties desiring to purchase a first class property for dwelling or business purposes or as an investment should look to offer of the sale of the property of Morris C. Sloan, deceased, at the north-west corner of Market and Third streets, by William S. Moyer, Executor, on Thursday, October 6, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M. See hand bills.

Railroad travel on all lines leading to Washington has been very heavy during the past week. Nearly all trains coming into Harrisburg on the Pennsylvania have required two locomotives. On Saturday orders were issued to many of the agents in the west, not to sell any more tickets to Washington, as there were not enough cars to handle the passengers. As a consequence of this unusual travel most all trains have been late, and the mails have been delayed. During the past week the Philadelphia papers have not reached here until half past two o'clock. Now that the rush is over things will soon settle down to their normal condition again.

Gone to Washington.

F. M. Gilmore and wife, H. D. Edgar and wife, Nathan Fowler, W. O. Holmes and wife, Isaiah Hagenbuch, W. A. Shaw, B. F. Hicks, P. S. Moyer and Amos Savage went to Washington on Saturday to witness the parade on Grand Army Day.

MUSIC LESSONS.

Chas. P. Elwell, for the past three years a student in Boston, is giving lessons on piano and violin. Both taught in the best methods, piano in New England Conservatory method, violin according to the German school.

Invitations have been sent out for the marriage of Miss Elizabeth W. daughter of I. W. McKelvy, to Mr. William Leverett of Wilkesbarre, at St. Paul's church, Bloomsburg, on Monday, October 5th, at 6 o'clock p. m.

Columbus Day in the Schools.

Superintendent of Public Instruction D. J. Waller, Jr., has issued a circular to school directors, superintendents and teachers of public school throughout the state requesting a general observance of Columbus Day, Oct. 21, in which he says a prominent feature should be the planting of Columbus trees.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., post office and will be sent to the dead letter office October 4, 1892.

John Barnhart, Mr. Henry Drownickie, Mr. Gus Lange, W. B. Porter, Mr. William Smith, Mrs. C. G. Thompson, Mrs. Bobby Williams.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised September 20, 1892. One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

COMING TO DANVILLE.

FIRST THREE MONTHS FREE OF CHARGE.

Dr. Smith an eminent Philadelphia Specialist will arrive in Danville on Wednesday Morning September 21st, and locate at the Montour House.

All who visit the doctor before Sept. 27th will receive services for the First Three months Free of Charge.

The only favor desired is a recommendation from those whom he cures. The doctor does not publish the name of any patient, but simply uses their recommendation as a reference. This eminent Philadelphia physician treats every variety of chronic disease and deformity, but will in no instance accept an incurable case. If your malady is beyond all hope, he will frankly tell you so; also caution you against spending any more money for unnecessary treatment. It costs nothing whatever to interview this eminent gentleman, and therefore the most humble in circumstances can have the satisfaction of knowing whether their malady is curable or incurable. Remember the dates, and go early, as his office is crowded from morning till night.

Office Hours—9 a. m. to 8:30 p. m. Sunday—10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

The Wonder of Alaska.

A WALL OF BLUE ICE A MILE LONG AND FOUR HUNDRED FEET WIDE.

From Scribner's.

The Muir glacier, which is the great wonder of Alaska, was doubtless discovered by Vancouver in 1793, but Professor John Muir was the first to describe it. Muir Inlet, at the head of glacier bay, is the termination of this great "river of ice." The wall of blue ice is there a mile long and about four hundred feet high, says an exchange.

It is worn into towers, castles and caverns and is continually discharging fragments from the size of a paving stone to that of Cologne Cathedral. These falling into the sea cast up the spray for hundreds of feet into the air and send forth waves which dash upon the shores and echo like thunder among the mountains. The Muir glacier is really a sea of ice, with numerous branches in the valley, any one of which is as large as the Gomar of Aletsch glacier of Switzerland.

It is, according to Mr. S. P. Baldwin, a recent visitor, as large as all the Alpine glaciers in one, being 1,200 square miles in area. The ice is 1,000 feet thick at the mouth in Muir Inlet, and the glacier is estimated to comprise as much water as Lake Erie.

It discharges 77,000,000,000 cubic feet of ice as icebergs and 175,000,000,000 feet of water by melting every year. The centre of the glacier, where the motion is quickest, is so rough and broken in crevasses that it is considered impassable. The eastern half, however, can be traveled as far as the neve.

Professor Wright has found the motion at the centre to be as much as 65 feet a day, whereas that of the Alpine glaciers is only 33 inches or so. As much as 90 feet a day has been found in the case of a Greenland glacier. The Muir glacier once extended much farther into the bay, and is now receding every year, while the sources of the ice supply are falling.

Danville Fair.

The Fair this year will exceed any former meeting.

Larger premiums to farmers and stock growers.

Large purses for speed, and many of the best trotting horses in this section of the country to be there.

Bartholomew's Equine Paradox to be on the grounds each day with 24 horses and Band—4 prizes daily to the ladies holding lucky ticket.

Excursions on all railroads, October 5th, 6th, and 7th, 1892.

THE SHADOW OF DEATH.

CHOLERA'S DEAD IN EUROPE LAST WEEK NUMBERS ABOUT FIFTEEN THOUSAND PERSONS.

London, Sept. 20.—The Shadow of death is lifting, for cholera's death this week do not number more than 15,000 if the returns are approximately true. Hamburg's total death roll has amounted to about 7,000, and the plague has renewed in some degree its intensity in that stricken city. In Russia, however, there has been marked improvement, and the disease is rapidly disappearing in many places in Western Europe where it threatened to become a great scourge. Paris continues to be a danger point, although the daily reports given out by the authorities indicate that the pestilence is subsiding.

The Ice Cart.

R. W. Jennings, of Chicago, a life long republican in referring to the excuses made by the republican leaders on account of the greatly reduced majority in Maine and Vermont, says as follows.

"It is a great deal more amusing than original to hear the office holders, led by Secretary Foster, giving their version of the reverse in Maine. Mr. Foster says Republican voters down there didn't understand the new-fangled way of voting.

I heard him say in a speech once that the Republican party was the party of intelligence. Can it be that they are degenerating? How dreadful! No, Mr. Foster, you forget that when the mongrel office holders from the South forced the Republican party to turn down Mr. Blaine, they turned down tens of thousand of Republicans with him.

I inclose a copy of a circular that was distributed at the Republican funeral, otherwise called a ratification, that was held at the Auditorium in Chicago just after Mr. Harrison's nomination. It was distributed by Mr. Blaine's loyal friends. The Chicago Tribune said editorially that we were too hasty and that if we had waited thirty days we would not have done as we did.

Well, it is not the first time the Tribune has been mistaken, for twice thirty days have elapsed and the feeling only grows the stronger out this way. The World's Western Campaign Fund is a capital idea. How hypocritical it sounds from a party that fosters a Quay harbors a Platt and rewards a Raum, calling it a corruption fund!

The circular referred to was signed by Mr. Jennings and a number of Blaine Republicans. Its conclusion was as follows:

As was predicted, the "harmony" cry is now in full blast. Let the answer of self-respecting Republicans be: "The office-holders have nominated this man; let the office-holders elect him." Better a thousand times better, elect a Democrat than to stultify yourself. We ask you for your co-operation. Fifty men have signed a roll not to vote for Harrison. They have been life-long Republicans. Fifty thousand Republicans in Illinois alone feel like this fifty. Let us join hands, get together and organize. We need not vote the democratic ticket. We can refrain altogether or vote some other way. But do not reward political ingratitude, duplicity and canting hypocrisy. We invite suggestions and correspondence.

The Nice Fat Profit on Armor Plate.

From the Erie Herald.

One of the Western lawyers from St. Paul, retained by the working-men of that section to assist in defense of the Homestead men awaiting trial, figures out that the cost of the armor plate turned out at Homestead for the government is only \$40 a ton, whereas the government pays \$600 a ton for it, the contract being for 6,000 tons, and at that rate and for that amount, Mr. W. W. Erwin, Western lawyer referred to, figures out a profit of \$3,500,000 on this one contract to the Carnegies. The refusal of Mr. Frick to answer the questions put to him by the Congressional committee as to the cost of production at the Homestead works of course gives grounds for crediting the loose statement of Mr. Erwin. Possibly the armor plate does not cost more than \$40 a ton, counting labor and material, but the estimate does not take in the cost of the armor plate mill necessary for its production, which was very heavy.

The agitation of these enormous profits at the West in the protected industries, and especially on government work, will probably result in a searching investigation by the next Congress. The 6,000-ton contract was awarded the Carnegies without advertisement or competition.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19, 1892.

Washington has never attempted to entertain so large a crowd as the one now here in attendance upon the National Encampment of the G. A. R., but it is doing it well and in the main satisfactorily, although there are some complaints of over charging on the part of restaurant keepers. The city is handsomely decorated and more profusely than ever before. Mr. Harrison was kept away by the illness of Mrs. Harrison and his place is to be taken on the programme by Mr. Morton, who, by the way, never smelt gunpowder in battle, having been busy during the entire war in his New York bank amassing his fortune. Of course this has caused some good natured chafing among the old soldiers, but they are here for a good time and are apparently having it.

One year ago, when Washington was selected as the city to entertain the encampment, many prominent local democrats feared that it would be used by the republicans for political purposes, and for that reason declined for a time to take any part in making preparations for it; but they were assured that there was to be no politics in it, and accepting that assurance they allowed themselves to be on the citizens' committee and went to work with a will, and it is no exaggeration to say that the great success of the encampment is very largely due to the work of these democrats and to the money contributed by themselves and their democratic friends.

But the old soldiers had hardly begun to arrive in large numbers before these democrats learned that just as they had at first feared the encampment was to be used to help the republican party. No blame for this can be attached to the republican members of the citizens' committee; they have kept their promise and confined themselves to look after the comfort of the city's guests in a manner that is highly creditable to them, but Congressmen and officials high up in the administration, aided by the republican National committee have been and are now hard at work trying to prejudice democratic members of the G. A. R. against Mr. Cleveland. To accomplish this purpose thousands of copies of a pamphlet containing garbled extracts from Mr. Cleveland's Pension veto messages, are being slyly circulated among them, and a large number of members of the G. A. R., some of them said to be in the pay of the National Republican committee, are continually harping on the same subject. In addition, there are a number of republican Senators and Representatives, chief among them being Senator Proctor of Vermont, who was dug out of obscurity and put at the head of the War Department by Mr. Harrison, who are openly shouting about "Cleveland's dislike for the old soldiers," and doing their level best to create a prejudice against Mr. Cleveland. It is a little short of disgusting that the encampment, which should be a pleasant reunion of the men who served in the army together, should be used, and unfairly used, by politicians to further their own ends. It is a foul blot upon what otherwise be a very enjoyable affair, and it is not likely to benefit those who are engaged in it.

Secretary Charles Foster is very much opposed to prohibiting immigration by Presidential proclamation, notwithstanding the opinion of the Attorney General that it can be done legally. The steamship companies have all promised not to bring steerage passengers from Europe as long as there is danger from cholera. That puts a stop to immigration. It also prevents a lot of Americans now in Europe who are unable to pay more than steerage passage returning home. It seems hard to shut out our own citizens because they are not able to pay cabin passage, and treasury officials are trying to study up some plan that will be just without being dangerous. Several of the steamship companies have offered to allow bona fide American citizens now in Europe and unable to pay more to come home as second class passengers on their return steerage tickets; but the officials are little afraid to give their consent to this plan as it would be almost certain to be abused. Something has got to be done, as demands have already been made by foreign authorities to know if these Americans are to be left over there as paupers.

There is a notable decrease among republicans of the talk about the South breaking up this year, and an increase of talk about the doubtfulness of the republicans holding their own in the northwest. This is significant, showing as it does that democratic prospects are recognized even by republicans to be steadily brightening. A republican said this morning: "Nothing but a serious blunder on the part of Mr. Cleveland and the democratic managers can prevent the success of the democrats." It was not a bad diagnosis of the situation, and it is for Mr. Cleveland and the democratic managers to see that no blunder is made.

Ground was broken on Monday for the foundation walls of the new building at the Normal School. A large force of men is at work, and the building will be pushed rapidly.

Cholera Scare Over.

New York, Sept. 18.—The cholera scare is at an end and the quarantine officials are getting some rest. The event of yesterday was when P. T. Wall, who is in charge of the Surf Island house, sent Dr. Jenkins the following telegram: "I received this afternoon from the board of health of Islip a notice to vacate the premises within three days and that they would call on the citizens of the county to stop the landing of baggage. Captain Cockrane, commanding the militia here, says that all steamship baggage received here will be properly protected. We are in every way prepared to give them a warm reception."

Dr. Jenkins said, "Our men down there are advised of the situation, and will be prepared to resist any such action on the part of the citizens of Islip. There are thirty five state quarantine police, all provided with revolvers and 125 militiamen under command of Captain Cockrane."

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One reason why Scott's Emulsion of Pure Norwegian Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda has had such a large sale is because it is "Almost as palatable as milk," but the best reason is that its curative properties are unequalled. It cures the cough, supplies the waste of tissues, produces flesh and builds up the entire system.

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Gen. Stevenson's Defamer.

To the Editor of The World. I inclose you a clipping from a local Republican organ making grave accusations against A. E. Stevenson. Can you show any history or record showing Mr. Stevenson's position during the period of the war, or any other information that might be of value.

J. G. RUSSELL.

New Kingston, N. Y., Sept. 15.

[Gen. Stevenson resides in the city of Bloomington, Ill., and has resided there many years. The city and Congressional district in which it is situated are strongly Republican, yet on two occasions he has been elected to Congress as a Democrat, defeating the strongest Republican that could be pitted against him. This gentleman, who was a Union veteran, presided at the meeting held in Bloomington to welcome Gen. Stevenson on his arrival home after his nomination by the Chicago Convention, and no man was ever more warmly and generously indorsed by a political opponent than Gen. Stevenson by his old opponent at that time. This, and the fact that the Republicans and old soldiers of Bloomington hold Gen. Stevenson in high regard, coupled with the latter's own indignant denial of the charges referred to ought to be sufficient to satisfy any fair-minded man that the charges are absolutely false.—E. D. WORLD.]

CAMPAIGN SONGS.

Best Efforts in the New York World's Prize Competition. [Air—"Uncle Sam's Farm."] Throughout our glorious nation see our banners moving bright For Cleveland and for Stevenson, the champions of right. From Canada to Mexico, from Washington to Maine, We will vote for Grover Cleveland for our president again.

CHORUS. Then rally, Americans! Rally in your might; Down with oppression and battle for the right. Do not fail to cast your vote upon election morn For Cleveland and for Stevenson, the champions of reform.

The burden of taxation is a heavy load to bear By those who struggle on oppressed with poverty and care While millionaires, protected, build their palaces abroad, And spend the gold that they have gained by trickery and fraud.

The Republican committeemen are "trying out the fat." And Harrison is on his knees to Jimmy Blaine and Platt. And begging hard for them to work to save him from defeat. 'Tis useless, for his forces are already in retreat.

Our right to vote as we may choose we never will forget, And at the ballot box we need no gleaming bayonet. The force bill is an outrage, too, all honest men concede, 'Twill prove a millstone round the necks of Harrison and Reid.

We want no better president than Cleveland was before; We will elect him once again to serve us four years more. Then, freemen, do your duty. For the honor of our land, For Cleveland and for Stevenson united let us stand.

CHORUS. Then rally, Americans! Rally in your might; Down with oppression and battle for the right. And when the rising sun shall gleam upon election morn, 'Twill shine on glorious victory for Cleveland and reform.



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BRISTOL H., is a young stallion, two years old, owned by C. E. Hower of Bloomsburg. He was sired by the celebrated trotter, Frank M., some of whose colts have made great records. His dam is a Morgan mare with three minute record. Bristol H. will stand for the season of 1892 at the stable of C. E. Hower, Bloomsburg. Terms \$25.00 tf.

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