Cambria Freeman.

EBENSBURG, PA.,

FRIDAY, - - AUGUST 30, 1889.

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

FOR PROTHONOTARY:
JAMES C. DARBY, of Conemaugh Borough.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER.
CELESTINE J. BLAIR, of Ebensburg.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY:
FRANCIS J. O'CONNOR of Johnstown.

FOR POOR DIRECTOR:
RAPHAEL HITE, of Carroll Twp.

FOR CORONER:
PETER McGOUGH, of Portage Twp.

FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR:
HENRY SCANLAN, of Carrolltown.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

The Democratic State Convention will assemble in the Opera House, in the city of Harrisburg, on Wednesday, September 4, 1889, at 12 o'clock, M, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of State Treasurer and transacting such other business as may properly come before it.

The rules of the Democratic party of Pennsylvania provide that "the representation in the State Convention shall consist of representative delegates, one for each 1,000 Democratic votes cast at the last gubernatorial election, or for a fraction of 1,000 such votes amounting to 500 or more, in the respective representative district; provided that each representative district shall have at least one delegate."

ELLIOTT P. KISNER,
Chairman Democratic State Committee.
BENJ. M. NEAD, Secretary.

Democratic State Committee Meeting.

A meeting of the Democratic State Committee will be held at the rooms of the Committee, No. 306 Market street, Harrisburg, on Monday, September 2d, 1889, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

BENJ. M. NEAD, Secretary. ELLIOT P. KISNER, Chairman.

AN International American Congress will meet at Washington, at noon on October 2nd, 1889. It will be attended by some fifty to sixty delegates, including some of the most distinguished men in Central and South America.

A PENNSYLVANIA crank, remarks the Chicago *Herald*, has made three hundred clay idols of various grotesque shapes, which he worships devoutly every night and morning. The general supposition is that the only idol worshipped in Pennsylvania is protection.

THE last Legislature was kind enough to set apart September 2 as a legal holiday to be known as labor day. This will give the protected workingman an opportunity to spend some of his surplus earnings. The generosity of the Republican Legislature should not be permitted to pass unnoticed.

TANNER boasts says the Boston *Herald*, of the amazement he is to bring upon Congress by the extent of his calls for money from the Treasury. Seriously, did the Grand Duchy of Gerolstein itself ever furnish such parodies of men in public life as our nation is now affording at the Pension Office and the Post Office?

IN view of the pledge of Mahone's platform in Virginia, says the Pittsburg *Dispatch* (*Republican*) that the Republicans will secure financial aid to ex-Confederate soldiers and their widows and orphans, it becomes a rather pertinent inquiry whether Republican platforms are intended to state Republican principles or to catch votes.

SEPTEMBER 5 is the last day to have your name registered in order to get a vote at the general election November 5th. If you are not positively sure that you are registered go and attend to this duty at once. It might be well enough to see your neighbor and remind him of the necessity of having his name registered in time.

THE United States circuit court at San Francisco, California, was officially informed on Tuesday that the charge of murder against Justice Stephen J. Field, growing out of the shooting of Judge Terry had been dismissed by the Stockton Court. Judge Sawyer, according dismissed the habeas corpus proceedings in the case of Justice Field.

JOHN LEES, one of the prominent woollen manufacturers of Philadelphia, says: "I have come to the conclusion that the only salvation for this country must be found in free raw materials. Unless Congress removes the tariff on wool it won't be long before some of the largest factories in this country will be compelled to close their doors." Next!

THE gallows did ghastly work in New York city last Friday morning, but it seems as if the lesson it conveyed had not been given quickly enough. But a few hours before the four men plunged through the fatal trap a young ruffian in Brooklyn, surprised while robbing a house, plunged a dagger repeatedly into the heart of the man who had detected him.

THE United States, says the Toronto (Canada) *Mail*, according to the latest interpretation of the alien labor law, will allow no more clergymen of foreign birth to accept invitations to preach to American congregations. There was more enlightment among the Macedonian heathens than there is among the American Christians. Had there not been Paul would have been turned back when responding to the cry from Macedonia for help. It is to be hoped other countries will not follow the American example and resist the arrival of ministers of the Gospel. Suppose the pagans were to take a leaf out of the Christain book and order out all the American missionaries, what a terrible outcry there would be from Sandy Hook to the Golden Gate.

THE Prohibition State Convention met at Harrisburg on Wednesday, and nominated J. R. Johnston, of Pittsburg, for State Treasurer.

AT the meeting of the new County Committee held at the Opera House on Monday, W. A. B. Little Esq., was elected Secretary for the ensuing year; W. H. Rose, was elected member of the State Central Committee, and C. A. Sharbaugh, of Carrolltown, Dr. J. B. Noonan, of Chest Springs, C. N. Crouse, of South Fork, M. Fitzharris, of Gallitzin, and Dr. Geo. Wagoner, of Johnstown were elected delegates to the State Convention.

THE farmers have this year says the Philadelphia *Record*, rasised a tremendous wheat crop for which they will get European prices, less the cost of transportation. But when they buy sugar, lumber, clothing, salt, tools, medicines, tinware, or any other of the thousands of necessary things taxed in the tariff schedules, they must pay American prices. They sell in the cheapest market and buy in the dearest market. As long as they are satisfied with this kind of trading there is no reason why Harrison shouldn't be President.

A WASHINGTON special to the New York *World*, of Wednesday says that some astounding figures came to light on Tuesday in the matter of increased and rerated pensions. It appears that during the month of August Commissioner Tanner has paid out the enormous sum of $75,000 in seventeen rerated cases. Richard Whiting, of St. Louis, received the largest amount, $12,251.59. Hiram Smith, Deputy Commissioner of Pensions, has himself been rerated, and pockets $6,035 72. Cardenio Bruce, of Kansas gets $6,341.72. John S. Fay receives $6,341.85. Heny Funking shares in tie big garb to the tune of $5,231 05. Tanner basses this wholesale distribution of the surplus upon a recent decision of Assistant Secretary Chandler in the case of Henry Schmidt, in which the Secretary ruled that a man might be pensioned for double disability.

THE Democratic primaries were held on Saturday last and on Monday the return judges met and counted the votes. As will be seen by the official table of the votes polled, published on this page, James C. Darby, of Conemaugh borough, was nominated for Prothonotary; Celestine J. Blair, of Ebensburg, was nominated for Register and Recorder; Francis J. O'Connor, of Johnstown, was nominated for District Attorney; Raphael Hite, of Carroll township was nominated for Director of the Poor; Peter M'Gough of Portage township, was nominated for Coroner and Henry Scanlan, of Carrolltown was nominated for County Surveyor. The ticket is a good one, composed of Democrats worthy of the support of every Democratic voter in the county and having been nominated in accordance with the rules of the Democratic party the entire ticket should be voted in November without being defaced by a scratch, by every Democrat, and triumphantly elected. We will refer to the ticket again at some future time.

THE Campaign of Education goes right along, rain or shine, winter or summer. The failures of the woollen manufacturers are causing many persons to think; and out West great meetings are being held for the purpose of dissociating Tariff Reform from politics and of discussing it on merits. At Plattsburg, Mo., on Wednesday, some 20,000 people who had met to look into the question greeted with applause the following letter addressed to the Chairman of the Committee on arrangements:

I have received your cordial and earnest invitation to attend a Tariff Reform picnic at Plattsburg on the 21st instant, and I am exceedingly pleased to learn that such an active and efficient measure is to be adopted to arouse the intelligence of the people of your locality upon a question so vital to their interest and to the good of the entire country. The time is opportune for instruction and information upon the subject of Tariff Reform and for the correction of misapprehension and prejudice. The question is so deep and has so much to do with the welfare and happiness of the American people that its consideration ought not to be restrained within the limits of party subserviency, and it will not thus be restrained if it is understood.

GROVER CLEVELAND.

THE Mills bill, says the Pittsburg *Post*, proposed to reduce the duty on pig iron from $6 72 per ton to $6. That was denounced as free trade. But Governor Ames, of Massachusetts, (one of the largest iron manufacturers in the Union.) elected on the ticket with Harrison last November, and every Republican manufacturer of iron and steel in New England, have signed petitions to Congress asking that the duty on pig iron shall be reduced to the ante-war rate of 24 per cent.—that is, about $3 per ton. These Republican manufacturers also ask that coal be admitted duty free, instead of paying 75 cents a ton, a rate that the Mills bill did not disturb, and very foolishly in our judgment, as it would clearly open new markets for the bituminous of Western Pennsylvania in Canada, if we should repeal the duty on coal, the Dominion making no secret that in that case it will repeal its duty of 60 cents a ton.

New England is determined, not as a question of politics but as a necessity of her industrial situation, to have free coal and iron ore, and a marked reduction in the duties on crude manufactures of iron and steel. She has the votes in Congress, with those of other tariff reformers, to make certain the result. But the movement for free raw material will not end with the success of her demands. Free wool is of even more importance to manufacturers and consumers. The silence of the trust and monopoly papers of this region as to the extraordinary movement in New England for tariff reform is about as significant as the Yankee uprising. We commend to them especially the statement of Governor Ames, that "there is reason in all things, and when the system (protection) has been carried as far as it has in this case, so that many industries have been ruined, it is time for a change."

Official Returns of Democratic Primary Election

Held Saturday, August 24th, 1889.

DISTRICTS.	PROTH'Y Darby	PROTH'Y Miller	R&R Blair	DIS'T ATT'Y Dalton	DIS'T ATT'Y O'Connor	DIS'T ATT'Y Walters	P. B. D. Hite	P. B. D. Ortis	CORON'R McGough	CORON'R Roach	C S Noonan	COMMITTEEMEN.
Adams Township	14	3	18		5	13	18		14	4	18	James Costlow.
Allegheny Township	15	10	25	7	7	11	23	2	20	4	21	John S. McCoy.
Ashville Borough	17	1	18	10	8		18		17		18	J. J. Rhoddy.
Barr Township	36	5	41	11	25	8	41		37	3	36	J. D. Eger.
Blacklick Township	10	2	12			12	11	1	12		12	John B Hite.
Cambria Bor. 1st Ward	53	11	55		49	24	53	20	56	8	64	E. E. O'Neill.
" " 2d "	72	74	144	1	86	56	56	82	91	47	143	George Frick.
Cambria Township	11	5	15	6	4	6	15	3	15	1	15	Thomas Hoover.
Carrolltown Bor.	8	61	65	8	36	25	60	9	51	16	68	Adrew Eckenrode.
Carroll Township	25	53	76	3	65	11	74	5	54	24	77	James Mellon.
Chest Springs Bor.	16	5	22	7	3	12	20	2	19	2	14	J. B. Noonan.
Chest Township	5	15	20		15	5	20		20		19	Joseph Hippt.
Clearfield Township	26	13	39	27	6	5	37	2	34	5	36	Joseph A. Gainor.
Conemaugh Township												No election held.
Conemaugh Bor. 1st W.	114	115	223	5	120	99	117	91	99	126	213	Albert Geisethart.
" " 2d W.	47	35	80		32	25	46	28	28	47	78	Michael Navin.
Coopersdale Bor.	2	7	9			9	1	7		9	8	W. B. Adams.
Croyle Township	25	14	37		25	15	27	10	26	11	40	P. F. Lewis.
Dean Township	11		11			11	11		11		11	Dennis Cawley.
East Conemaugh Bor.	12	7	19		6	13	11	7	15	4	19	Thomas McCabe, Jr.
East Taylor Township	18	1	19		12	7	6	12	14	4	15	James B. Clark.
Ebensburg Bor. East W.	8	7	15	5	4	6	10	5	10	4	14	W. H. Byrne.
" " West W.	34	33	67	38	17	14	57	11	55	12	66	James McBreen.
Elder Township	5	54	55	2	31	23	57		50	5	55	P. E. Dillon.
Franklin Bor.	10	1	11		4	7	10	1	11		11	D. A. Murphy.
Gallitzin Borough	57	7	59	6	52	6	60	4	60	4	58	Michael Fitzharris.
" Township	3	3	6		3	3	6		6		6	A. P. Siberts.
Grubbtown Borough	31	2	33		33		10	23	2	31	33	W. R. Grubb.
Jackson Township	2	6	8		4	4		8	8		8	Peter Kelly.
Johnstown Bor. 1st W.	15	27	40		15	28	14	25	9	32	41	R. M. Linton.
" " 2d "	18	12	31		24	7	18	13	17	13	31	David Kirby.
" " 3d "	26	39	60		49	17	29	35	23	42	65	John C. Martin.
" " 4th "	3	34	37		9	28	14	23	6	30	35	George Ludwig.
" " 5th "	5	42	43		12	33	9	38	12	35	46	George Harshberger.
" " 6th "	8	51	59		26	33	21	38	16	43	59	Joseph Kuntz.
" " 7th "	1	82	82		17	67	15	65	6	75	82	Adam Hibner.
Lilly's Borough	29	7	36	2	25	9	26	9	33	4	36	William McGough.
Loretto Borough	23	3	25	2	19	5	25	1	24	2	26	Dr. Jno. Murphy.
Lower Yoder Township	38	32	69	1	36	32	33	35	39	30	70	James Cole.
Millville Bor. 1st Ward	32	6	38	2	26	12	25	8	23	12	34	Thomas Meldron.
" " 2d Ward	48	15	78	1	88	9	53	36	79	17	97	James Minahan.
Munster Township	13	2	14	3	5	6	15		13	2	14	Joseph W. Griffin.
Portage Township	39	4	43	5	26	2	24	7	40	3	43	George A. Mears.
Prospect Borough	39	3	41		23	19	30	8	33	7	43	John O'Tool.
Reade Township	12		12	10		2	12		12		12	John J. Kuhn.
Richland Township	10	10	18		9	7	4	13	13	5	17	J. H. Cole.
South Fork	23	2	26		19	6	7	17	17	7	26	Charles N. Crouse.
Stonycreek Township	12	26	38		3	35	22	14	5	33	39	Geo. Shaffer.
Summerhill Township												No election held.
Susquehanna Township	3	24	25		7	20	23	4	15	11	27	J. L. Bair.
Tunnelhill Borough	17	9	25	3	15	7	25		25	1	26	John C. Hanlin.
Upper Yoder Township	24	10	34		31		23	10	5	28	34	W. A. Lantzy.
Upper Washington Twp.	27	9	37	4	29	3	34	3	22	14	35	Lake Burgoon.
Lower " "	2	13	14	3	11		14	1	13	2	15	T. F. Myers.
White Township												No election held.
Wilmore Borough	13	3	16	1	13	2	9	7	16		14	P. F. Kirby.
Woodvale Borough	14	22	35	2	18	15	24	6	11	25	36	James Kane.
West Taylor Township	16	4	20		1	19	18	2	4	16	20	James Eckels.
Totals	1235	1041	2195	175	1229	844	1429	758	1354	844	2191	

Daily Object-Lessons.

Every day brings the story of some new failure in one of the protected industries. These things mean loss of employment to workmen and a scarcity of bread to helpless women and children.

The manufacturers who fail, and many of those who have not failed but who see trouble ahead, make one uniform report of the cause. The tariff on raw materials is choking the life out of their industries. It is driving mill owners into bankruptcy and turning workmem into the streets without employment.

Surely in such circumstances the men who make the laws should approach the subject with a patriotic and humane determination to remove the cause of the trouble, which is the more easily done because the Government has no need of the revenue derived from the taxes on raw materials.

What hinders? Is it anything but the blindness of a partisanship which has sold itself to the greed of a Plutocracy and pledged itself to perpetuate the power of Trusts and combinations by holding the whole existing tariff sacred?—*N. Y. World.*

Magnificent Leadership.

The late Pennsylvania Republican Convention was notable chiefly for its adulation of Senator Quay of that State, who was Chairman of the Republican National Committee during the last campaign. When the President of the Convention referred in his speech "To Chairman Quay's magnificient leadership," there was "long-continued applause." Then followed the reading of the platform, which rejoiced greatly in the victory of 1888, "first, because it was fought and won under a Pennsylvania platform"; and again, more distinctly and amply, it declared that "The thanks of the Republicans of the Commonwealth are due and hereby tendered to Matthew S. Quay for the honorable and masterful way in which he conducted that campaign." What was this "magnificent" and "honorable" and "masterful" leadership? Lincoln, Sumner, Seward and Andrews were Republican leaders. They were men of the highest ability who with noble eloquenc taught the country Republican principles, who maintained by resistless argument Republican policy and by their personal character won the enthusiastic confidence of the whole party and the respect of their opponents. Mr. Quay is totally unknown as a leader in any such sense of the word. His reputation is wholly that of a party boss. He is a magnificient and masterful leader like ex Senator Dorsey and Mr. Thomas Platt, or like the elder Cameron, whom the Pennsylvania platform eulogizes with Mr. Tanner and Mr. Quay.

Mr. Dorsey's magnificient and master leadership carried elections by "soap," Mr. Quay's by marshaling floaters in blocks of five. Mr. Quay was known to the country before the last campaign soley by the strong denunciation of Republican journals. A few years ago, according to the Philadelphia "Press," in the case of attempted bribery of members of the Legislature of Pennsylvania, Mr. Quay, being then Secretary of the Commonwealth, "connived at crime by setting the criminals free in defiance of the constitution and the law." When he was trying to secure a nomination as State Treasurer the "Press" asked how this story, told upon every Democratic stump, was to be met. "Mr. Quay's nomination," it is said, "would raise questions and involve risks which would imperil the result of the canvass." And again, hinting at his connection with irregularities which it charged in the management of the Treasury, it is said:

"What is still more important, such a campaign would inevitably lift the lid from the administration of the Treasury itself, and uncover Secrets before which Republicans would stand dumb."

The New York "*Tribune*," alluding to these things and the conduct of Mr. Quay, said:

"A more insolent defiance of public sentiment has not been seen since Tweed asked the taxpayers of New York what they were going to do about it."

This was Mr. Quay's "magnificent" and "honorable" and "masterful" leadership in his own State as estimated by Republican journals. What was it last year in the country? Did it lie in his eloquence or his argument? Was it the leadership of intellect or character or personal enthusiasm? No; it was of another kind. The *Voice* has shown that Mr. Clarkson, the present First Assistant Postmaster General, who was Vice President under Mr. Quay of the Republican National Committee, bribed two of the clerks of the *Voice* to furnish its mail lists to the Republican committee. That Mr. Quay was ignorant of the transaction will be believed by those who believe that Mr. Dorsey knew nothing of the "soap" sent to Indiana, and Mr. Dudley nothing of "floaters in blocks of five," or of "a trusted man with necessary funds in charge" of them. Mr. Quay's leadership was illustrated also in the enormous sum of money raised by Mr. Wanamaker and devoted to the final expenses of the campaign. Probably there is not a single person in the country who is competent to have an opinion upon the subject who believes that all this money was legitimately used by Mr. Quay. There has never been any accounting of its use and there never will be. Undoubtedly it went to meet Mr. Dorsey's "soap." But however it may have been used, Mr Quay's candidate was elected by "magnificent" and "honorable" leadership of this kind. This is the leader who is now the Republican hero of Pennsylvania. His conduct, which the Philadelphia *Press* and the New York *Tribune* have described as we have seen, is praised with an enthusiasm of acclamation to which there seems to have been no dissent. It is also announced that he is to be urged by Pennsylvania as its candidate for the Presidency. Should the movement succeed, we may expect Mr. Dorsey to be associated with him as Vice President, and in the event of their election, probably Mr. Platt would not be again disappointed in securing the Treasury; nor could Mr. Dudley's equally magnificent and honorable services be overloaked.—*Harper's Weekly.*

Who is Responsible.

Every indication to severe financial stringency during the coming month. The crops throughout the West are much heavier than usual, and the movement of the new grain to market, has commenced a fortnight earlier than is customary. General business has responded to the stimulus, and the iron industries of the country, which are the most reliable index to the situation, display improving symptoms which promise to develop into a degree of activity that has been long absent.

But under these circumstances the business and financial worlds are confronted with a serious obstacle. Owing to the absorption of funds by the National Treasury, the supply of funds to meet this emergency is entirely inadequate. The surplus reserve of the New York banks was down to two million dollars on Friday. The financial pressure already created is responsible for several of the recent failtures of business and manufacturing concerns. Speculation tends to widen and prices to advance. They are necessarily checked by these demonstrations. But on every side, both in the business world and in Wall street, the cry is that the Treasury should and must come to the rescue.

Under these circumstances, what is the Harrison Administration doing? The Secretary of the Treasury has run away from his responsibilities, and is professedly resting from the onslaught of the officeseekers. President Harrison's unfortunate remarks about Government deposits in national banks prevents relief to the money market in that direction. Secretary Windom is apparently afraid to take the responsibility of increasing the purchase of bonds by the only available means, and no one in authority seems to think that the interest on the national debt could be anticipated.

The sufferers are the mercantile and manufacturing community. Already they are beginning, irrespective of party, to charge the present condition of affairs to the Administration. Office brokerage, and not national concerns, is the limit of the mental horizon of Windoms and Harrisons.—*N. Y. Star.*

A Makeshift in the Treasury.

When Mr. Harrison undertook the formation of a Cabinet he resembled a theatrical manager whose business ability and financial standing were in doubt. Mediocre veterans and inexperienced amateurs were willing and anxious to join his troupe, but the lights of profession fought shy of him. And the performances which the aggregation has since been giving are in keeping with its composition. The report that the leading man threatened to buy a ticket and hiss the "show," if it continued to be so bad, would be entirely justifiable by the facts.

Considering the importance which financial problems are assuming, it behooved Mr. Harrison to have put at the head of the Treasuty a man of real strength and financial experience. The tender of the position to Senator Allison of Iowa was a recognition of this fact. But Mr. Allison apparently had no desire to court the prospect of "walking home" when the Harrson comedy company became stranded. Manager Harrison's only resource was to fill the place with a "super" and trust to luck to carry him through to the end of the season. Hence it was that William Windom of Minnesota and Wall street was disinterred from the political graveyard.

Speaking seriously, the financial end of the Harrison Administration is not one of which the country can be proud. Performances like that of the redoubtable Tanner or Robespierre Clarkson prevent it from receiving due attention. But at his present rate and on the existing lines of his policy, Mr. Secretary Windom bids fair to create more real trouble than any of them. He is apparently doing all he can to bring about a first-class financial disturbance. When general business suffers, as there is more than a prospect that it will, the excuse of incompetency will scarcely answer.—*N. Y. Star.*

NEWS AND OTHER NOTINGS.

—C. E. Lyberger, postmaster at Millwood, Knox county, Ohio, on Sunday shot at his daughter Daisy but missed her, the ball striking Mrs. Lyberger and fatally wounding her. Lyberger then blew his own brains out. The cause of the shooting was old family troubles.

—Warren Kenney, a farmer near Erie, met with a singular death on Saturday. He fell from a load of lumber and broke his neck, but was not immediately killed. He was brought to the Hamot hospital for treatment, but while the nurses were adjusting him in bed his neck was slightly turned and he died instantly.

—Charles Noll, an employe of the Central Pennsylvania Telephone Company, while up on a pole in Lock Haven on Saturday adjusting some wires was thrown to the ground by the pole breaking. The heavy timber fell on him. His jaw was broken and he was otherwise badly cut and bruised He is a resident of Bellefonte and may not recover.

—J. C. Ruff, of Gloucester, Mass., has four tomato vines trellised on his premises, which have reached a height of 9 feet 4 inches and are still growing. There are over 100 green tomatoes growing on the vines. He has also a pea vine which has grown to 10½ feet in height, from which 77 pods, each pod containing seven peas, has been picked.

—Ed. Stambaugh, of Spring township, Perry county, recently purchased 25 head of western cattle, nearly all of which he sold to neighboring farmers. Last week most of them were taken sick with a mysterious malady and 10 or 12 have died. It was feared they had pleuro pneumonia, but the disease has been pronounced "Texas fever," a fatal but not contagious disease.

—An inventive genius in Rome, Ga., has canstructed a little machine that he calls the "chicken walker." It proposes to do away with the fences around gardens, and protect the gardens from damage by chickens. When the machinery is placed on a chicken's feet, and the fowl goes in the garden and makes an effort to scratch the soil, instead of accomplishidg its desire, the attachment walks the chicken out of the garden; the harder it scratches the faster it goes.

—Above Augusta, Ga., on the Carolina side of the river, there is an old man who is half crazed by the earthquake. He positively refuses to live in a house, and has never entered one since he fled from his tottering home three years ago. At Sand Bar Ferry a young colored man's hair turned perfectly white from black on the night of the earthquake. It is still white. At a station on the Carolina road a cow that went through the quake shook all the time until her death, a year ago. For nearly two years the animal constantly trembled and piteously moaned.

—A terrible collision occurred on Friday morning on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad near Petroleum, W. Va., in which three men were instantly killed and many wounded. An accemodation train going west crashed into a special train occupied by railroad officials on a tour of inspection. The killed are James Layman, engineer, Alexander Baily and John Fletcher, firemen. Cipners Rowlands, an old engineer was injured interally and cannot live. The special car occupied by the officials was smashed. Roadmaster Hunter, trackmaster R. J. Mailoy, and George Douglas were badly injured.

—Spring Lake reservoir, near Fiskville, in the southwest corner of Cranston, Rhode Island, which supplies thevillages along the Pawtuxet river, burst on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Greene Tew, aged 60, a Mrs. Hawkins, aged 90, and Mrs. Tew's son, aged 6 or 7 years, were walking through a strip of woods and were overtaken by the flood and drowned. Their bodies were found in the wood through which the water quickly ran until it emptied in the Pautuxet river. The river rose rapidly and caused considerable alarm among the people. Many of them left their houses and fled but the flood subsided as rapidly as it had come. The path of the water from the reservoir was through thinly settled country and the only damage to property was the wrecking of a stable belonging to Russel Matthews, the capsizing of the carriage shop belonging to Dr. E. K. Clark and the demolishing of three road bridges.

Whiskey Kills.

How often are we yet to be told that whiskey kills? Arsenic kill; opium kills, and so do hundreds of other good remedies kill if *abused* instead of *used*. But ask the question, "Will whiskey cure?" "Yes!" is the positive reply of the most eminent physicians of all the land. Disease steals into your system like a sneak thief into your house, and often by neglecting a bad cold, we end our days in lingering, and wishing for health—when, indeed, *one* bottle of *Pure Whiskey* or *Brandy* would have cured the cold. Such goods may be scarce, but they *can be* found at Max Kleins, 82 Federal street, Allegheny. His "Silver Age" is the only whisky endorsed by the doctors. You can get the pure Guckenheimer, Finch or Gibson Rye at $1.00 per quart or six quarts for $5.00 Send for price list.

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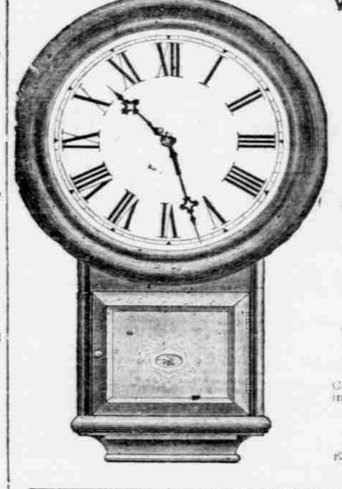

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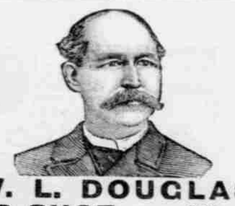

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