

Lancaster Intelligencer.

TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 22, 1881.

A Related Case-Fav.

Mr. Speaker Hewitt has only been vindicated by a committee of the House from a charge of partisanship and unfairness in referring bills to committees, when he embraces the opportunity to demonstrate that the charges were probably true and the vindication undeserved. The original accusation against him fades into insignificance beside the demonstrated infamy of his abuse of his power as speaker of the House.

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and Paxon having changed and turned a minority of two into a majority of four. Justices Mercer, Gordon and Green now dissent. They say that no one part of the constitution in relation to the judiciary should stand alone, but it should be taken as a whole, and that "it cannot be contended that the Legislature intended to take from the inhabitants of one county rights which are enjoyed by those of another county."

PERSONAL.

WILLIAM G. CROSBY, LL. D., governor of Maine in 1833 and 1834, and for nearly fifty years a prominent lawyer, died yesterday in Belfast, aged seventy-five years.

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Rev. THOMAS A. KING, recently elected pastor of the New Jerusalem, Calvert street, Baltimore, preached on Sunday morning in that church for the first time since his baptism into the Swedenborgian faith. Mr. King was formerly a minister in the Methodist Protestant church, but had studied the doctrine of the church to which he is united for some time, and several times preached in the church of which he has been chosen pastor.

to be that the Philadelphia members have made up their minds to have no business done at Lancaster until their pet schemes are put through.

REWITT'S PERFORMANCES.

His Arbitrary Billings in the House Last night, referred to by the Patriot in an article printed elsewhere, were largely due to Speaker Hewitt's rulings, manifestly in the interest of the Philadelphia ring opposing the repeal of the recorder's bill.

Mr. Randall leaves the speaker's chair to become the acknowledged leader of the minority. He was bold, persistent and tenacious when he led the opposition before—ready in debate, fertile in parliamentary expedients, dashing in methods—and he will return to the floor with broader experience and training.

Mr. Randall very well deserved the compliment of the reception given to him in this city by his political colleagues last Saturday night. By the very able and conscientious manner in which he has discharged the duties of an opposition leader, which devolve upon the speaker of the House of Representatives, he has won a measure of respect which is by no means confined within party limits.

Mr. Elizabeth Bradley, aged fifty-eight years, committed suicide at No. 4300 Fernside street, Manayunk, by hanging.

Andrew Conway was struck by a guilley of a derick on an oil well near Bradford and received fatal injuries.

An eleven-months-old child of Samuel Winestock, of Bradford, swallowed sixteen quinine pills and died soon afterward.

A man named Algier, was drowned at Danville by the upsetting of his boat while out in the river catching driftwood.

About \$1,500,000 of the \$2,000,000 stock of the projected Pittsburgh, Youngstown & Chicago railroad were subscribed on Saturday at Youngstown. The survey begins at once.

The thieves in Harrisburg have as much cheek as the members of the Legislature. Ten attempts to break into the house of Tom Jones, editor of the "Telegraph," but they were frightened off by dogs.

STATE ITEMS.

Wm. H. Christian, of No. 1229 Randolph street, Philadelphia, was engaged in picking coal on the tracks of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, above Montgomery avenue, when he caught between the rails and was killed.

One of the most painfully suggestive as well as disgraceful illustrations of the low level of greed which actuates the professional politician, has just been developed in Pittsburgh.

Tens of thousands of wild ducks are now feeding near Fort Delaware. They are not easily near by gunners, however, being very wild and shy.

A party of Canadian emigrants filling with their stock and baggage ninety cars and numbering nearly 900 persons, have been snout on the outskirts of Chicago since Saturday night.

A bold rascal went to a bank in Boston, and by representing that he was an agent for a counterfeit note detector, obtained possession of a bad fifty dollar bill, across whose face the word counterfeit had been written with red ink.

Several important bills on first reading were then taken up in succession. One the first one Wolfe moved to indefinitely postpone and called yeas and nays for the purpose of delay.

One of the DuPont earthquakes ran along the Brandywine yesterday morning. It was caused by an explosion in the Hagley yard of the powder works.

A three-story brick building, one hundred feet square, owned by the Rochester, N. Y. hydraulic company, and occupied for manufacturing purposes, fell in ruins yesterday. The cause is believed to have been the explosion of a forty-horse power steam boiler, used for heating the building.

THE SENATE'S "COURTESY."

Welcoming the Reporter Expelled from the House at Lancaster until their pet schemes are put through.

"Thursday afternoon I chanced in the Senate chamber, where I was accosted by its two presiding officers, Lieutenant Governor Stone and President pro tem, Wm. I. Newell, of Philadelphia.

The lock of the desk assigned me in the Senate happened to be out of order, and while it was being repaired the president pro tem, Senator Newell, insisted upon my making use of his desk on the floor of the Senate and also offered me another desk in his private room in the building.

A Man Rushing Wildly through the Streets of New York. In New York yesterday a naked man, who had small-pox, was rushing about the streets, on the west side, creating a veritable panic.

Philadelphia & Reading R. R. The master appointed by the court to preside over the recent meeting of the stockholders of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad company yesterday filed his report in court.

James E. Gowen, counsel of the Reading railroad company, is confined to his bed, having injured one of the ligaments of his leg yesterday while trying to cross Spring Garden street, at Ninth, before an approaching car.

Paul Lawson, colored, has been arrested in Burke county, Ga., for killing a woman with whom he lived in the same house.

A lumberman named Upright, shot and mortally wounded his wife in Stanton, Michigan, on Saturday. When arrested he alleged infidelity as the provocation.

Mr. Jacob Collins has started a candy store. He intends to turn it into a grocery store after April 1st.

A SPRING CHICKEN.

He was a tall, slim young man, with yellow hair, parted in the middle, his water eyes were protected by green goggles. On his shabby hands he wore kid gloves; and on his crane-like neck a lay-down collar two sizes too large for him.

"I have something here, which I am sure will please you; something entirely original and just in season. Permit me to read it to you; it contains only about five hundred lines; here it is."

Who is Missing that Answers This Description? It has been briefly noticed in the INTELLIGENCER that the body of a drowned man, supposed to have come down the river, was lately found in Harford county, Md.

MESSES. STEINMAN & HENSEL—Gentlemen: I write to inform you of the finding of an unknown white man on an island in the Susquehanna river on yesterday, nearly opposite to the lock on the canal.

Justice of the Peace, Darlington, Harford county, Md.

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE. WASHINGTON BOROUGHS ITEMS. From Our Regular Correspondent.

Horace Hull, aged 25 years, a son of the late Dr. Levi Hull, was attacked with cramp at his home at the Strang house on Sunday morning, and after suffering terribly, died last evening about 9 o'clock.

THE LEAF.

The rush of buyers to secure desirable lots of the crop of '80 continues unabated, though the activity is not quite so apparent on the surface as it was a week or two ago.

There has not been much doing in old tobacco during the past week for the very good reason that there is not much of it left in Lancaster.

The following tobacco sales were made last week in Drumore to Hoover: Enoch Carrigan, 5 and 3; Edwin Gregg, 13, 6 and 3; Wm. Chandler, 10, 4 and 3; Jas. Pherson, 10, 4 and 3.

The following are purchases of tobacco made by John Hildebrand in Drumore and adjoining townships lately: Benjamin Stanton two acres at 13, 5 and 2; Mrs. Kunkle one acre at 13, 5 and 3; Henry Gardner one acre at 8 and 3; Christian Kreider three and one-half acres at 12, 5 and 3; Daniel Hilly one acre at 18, 5 and 3; John Wilson one acre at 13, 4 and 3; John Thomas three acres at 13, 2, 5 and 3; Thomas Tremble one acre at 17, 10, 5 and 3; Wesley Shirk three quarters of an acre at 18, 4 and 3; Walter Shirk three quarters of an acre at 18, 6 and 3; Daniel Hilly one acre at 18, 4 and 3.

Mr. Levy of Lancaster, who had a warehouse at Mountville, Connecticut, has leased the old building, known as the old foundry building, Kennel Square, for a tobacco warehouse.

Mr. Joseph Hiltchhouse, of Virginia, formerly pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, has been on a visit to this neighborhood and is looking remarkably robust.

THE NICKEL MINE. The Nickel Mine band have equipped themselves with an excellent uniform and will give a musical entertainment on the 26th inst. to assist in defraying their expenses.

Had colic is a common inconvenience, and one which has been very recently one with the tobacco men. Only one sale has been heard of: Thomas Nelson sold at 16, 3, to Diller & Rutter. At a rough estimate there is over 100 acres of tobacco still in this township, the great bulk of which has not been seen by the buyers yet.

Yesterday afternoon, at the Merrimac house, Samuel Hess & Son, auctioneer, sold for Daniel Logan, sixteen head of Franklin county horses at an average of \$120 each. Two of the animals brought \$227 each.