THE RADICAL ROOSTERS.

Last Monday of a Big Campaign.

To-day being the last Monday of the hot campaign for the Republican nominations to the important county offices filled this fall, the excitement of the canvass culminates in Lancaster, and where the candidates, political bosses and bummers most do congregate all has been excitement and bustle, which have not abated at the hour when the INTELLIGENCER goes to press.

Very early this morning it might have been observed that the city bummers and heelers were gathering in knots in the vicinity of the court house, organizing in the name of some bogus or *bona fide* scheme, to levy toll on the aspirants for their votes, and getting their pass books and tickets ready for the onset. On every train and by vehicle from every section of the county the office-hunters and the best workers poured in. Around the hotels there was quite a stir, and nearly every candidate was on hand—some of those who have been left by the combinations trying to discover how they could dispose of and trade off what strength remained to them, and others begging their friends to stand firm, so that they may gain political strength by the best possible show in the returns. It is notable, however, that no candidate who is on neither set-up cherishes any lingering hope of election. 'Squire Grider is indeed the only one of considerable strength and just how his vote will affect the chances of his competitors is problematical. It is to be observed that Good's friends have a fit of nervousness lest Grider draw off their strength.

The headquarters of the politicians were at Boss Sensenig's Castle on the alley or the Leopard's hindquarters, and Boss McMellen's Exchange, but Sammy Groff's Snapper Box and all its environs on Barbary Coast were crowded with a hungry and thirsty crowd. At Deichler's, J. W. Johnson, Lew Hartman, John D. Skiles and some others of their faction were explaining the situation to their fellows, and Levi buttonholed the boys in the back room. Here, as at Groff's and McMellen's, the country roosters were arm in arm with the city bummers and not a bit less demoralized, the negro politicians were numerous, rapacious and loud-mouthed. The "small fry" were generally very mysterious and, knowing that when the machine works uneasily the engineer pours in the grease, they were very reticent as to how it was going in their districts and answered that it was very uncertain, "it all depends upon what is done to day." At the Exchange the managers were closeted "far from the madding crowd" and the scrutiny with which visitors were admitted to the councils of the saints bespoke a close and resolute organization.

There is a very considerable degree of confidence manifested as yet on all sides, but it is plainly to be seen that as election day comes nearer the nervousness of the politicians increases. The elements which make up either faction now are so incoherent that they fear treachery from each other, and against that no calculation can be made. McMellen is accused of being for Umble so intensely as to neglect Kready; other *Examiner* people are accused of a leaning away from Spurrier and toward Reeser, though, on the other hand, in this city and elsewhere Spurrier is credited with decisive inroads into the *New Era* party's sources of strength. Kready is accused of stinginess by some of the *Examiner* gang and they threaten to carve him. Harry Breneman is suspected of weakening in fealty to Burkholder, of the *New Era* set up.

The events of the past week and the best information we could gather to-day is that the fight between High and Kready is getting closer than the friends of High had anticipated and a stiff contest is looked for. Skiles seems to be the most hopeful of the *New Era's* candidates and most dreaded by the other side. Fridy's friends are not taking his stock at par. While Kready is expected to carry the town Skiles's friends boast of crossing the city line by 500 majority or more.

In the Earls the chief contest is for sheriff, prothonotary, register and clerk of quarter sessions. High is solid down there; Skiles has the better of it; Umble will carry those districts, and Eaby will give Settley a wrestle.

Keep your eye on that man Umbie. He has forged to the front like a race horse, and is one of the strongest elements in the *Examiner* ticket. McMellen has put his stake on that card and it is to win, even if somebody else on the same side has to be left to accomplish it. Make a note of that too.

Burkholder and Spurrier have been making active and effectual canvasses, and each has pulled up a good deal, if not shifted the chances from their opponents to their own favor. Their respective sides claim them among the strongest men in their combinations. The *New Era* people will bet at odds on Burkholder. Al Smith advises his friends to not give his enemies money to spend against him, but declares that he is safe.

The treasurer fight is an interesting though a subordinate one and seems to depend largely on the size of 'Squire Grider's vote. Grissinger, it is everybody's secret, is in better shape than usual, without a doubt.

Dr. Compton feels under special obligations to Major Griest, his former close friend, for the *Inquirer's* boost of Umble, without a word for Compton. He and Tobe Hershey see now what ought to have been done, viz: a people's ticket organized to beat both rings.

There will be a fight in the Third ward, this city, to snatch it from McMellen; in the Ninth even Miles may not get away with Kready.

Jake Strine and Harry Hippey haven't made up their minds yet. They prefer to drop on the soft side of the fence. They may yet see light for Kready.

All signs point to some startling developments during the week, beginning with an *expose* in to-night's *Era* of the doings of a spy-artist, wandering through the *Examiner* camp in search of subjects for a caricature—and of information for the Sensenig people.

The Short Tickets.

The bob-tail ticket of the *Era* Sensenig-Johnson party is as follows:

President Judge—John B. Livingston.
Sheriff—John H. High.
Register—Benjamin Wissler.
Prothonotary—John D. Skiles.
County Treasurer—John J. Good.
Clerk of Quarter Sessions—George W. Eaby.
Clerk of Orphans' Court—Joseph Reeser.
Prison Keeper—David K. Burkholder.
County Commissioners—Samuel M. Myers, Abram Summy.
Coroner—Daniel A. Shiffer.
Directors of the Poor—John Evans, Martin Kreider.
Prison Inspectors—H. B. Gish, John J. Long.
County Auditors—B. M. Greider, Enos W. Marsh.
Delegates—Southern District, Senatorial—H. N. Breneman.
Representative—Wm. H. Brosius, A. F. Frantz, W. B. Musser.

It is complained of this ticket that of the eleven candidates for leading offices six are from Lancaster city. "All on account of Eliza."

The *Examiner*-Mentzer-McMellen party have not issued a short ticket and do not propose to. Their policy has been all along to concentrate the fight on the upper part of the ticket, and whether this cowardice is an element of strength or weakness they will continue in it, trading off everything below director of the poor, if necessary, to make a point for somebody above that. Hence the tickets which they mark differ somewhat at the bottom. Some of them are even trading with Reeser. For county commissioner they will vote generally for Myers, and for the other place trade on Summy, Collins, Bushong and even Johnson. For director of the poor some will "cut" Evans and go for Longenecker, but not many. In other respects their ticket is as follows:

Judge—John B. Livingston.
Sheriff—Jacob C. Kready.
Register—Joseph Umble.
Prothonotary—Sam. Matt Fridy.
County Treasurer—Stephen Grissinger.
Clerk of Quarter Sessions—Abraham Setley.
Clerk of Orphans' Court—George Spurrier.
Prison Keeper—Al. Smith.
County Commisioner—Samuel M. Myers, ——— ———.
Coroner— ——— ———.
Directors of the poor—John Evans, Martin Kreider.
Prison Inspectors—Reuben R. Bitzer, John G. Weaver.
County Auditors—Ezra Burkholder, jr., John K. Reed.
Delegates—Southern District—Senatorial—William A, Wilson.
Representative—A. F. Frantz, Milton Heidelbaugh. Dr. R. M. Bolenius.

COLLEGE HILL.

News and Notes from the Campus.

Dr. Apple, president of Franklin and Marshall college, has announced the award of the honors at the approaching commencement as follows, the awards being made with reference to superior scholarship and class standing:

First honor—Marshall Oration—Ellwood Kemp, Hamburg, Pa.

Second honor—Franklin Oration—Edward Bucher, Sunbury, Pa.

Third honor—(divided between Albert D. Elliot, York, Pa., and Lewis Reider, Kittanning, Pa.)—Morning Salutatory by Lewis Reiter; afternoon Salutatory by Albert D. Elliot.

The Valedictory, given for speaking and writing, and which is not governed by scholarship or class standing, is awarded to C. B. Heller, Danville, Pa.

The senior test ended on Thursday morning last, after a week's duration, and all the members passing; the average test grade for the class was 87 3-10. The average grade for the entire term of four years of the honor men is as follows: Mr. Kemp, 95; Mr. Bucher, 91 3-10; Mr. Reiter, 90 4-10; Mr. Elliot, 90.

The senior vacation began on Friday last, the 13th, and will continue until the 16th of June, commencement day. The class numbers nineteen, and included during the four year course thirty-four members, of whom the others dropped off at intervals. The graduating orations must be handed to the faculty ten days before commencement day. Many of the seniors have gone home to spend their vacation and prepare their orations.

Dr. Apple, president of the college, will give the senior class a reception at his house on the campus some evening during commencement week.

Of the graduating class nine will be ministers, seven lawyers, two doctors and one journalist.

Mr. Elliot, third honor man, will make application for admission into the senior class of Harvard university next year.

The alumni oration will be delivered on the campus in the afternoon, after the alumni dinner instead of in the evening, as in previous years.

'81 had a supper and senior reunion at Spaeth's on Friday evening, the 13th, after the Goethean anniversary exercises noticed at length in our Saturday's issue.

The present graduating class is composed of eleven Goetheans, four Diagnothians and four no-society men.

Five fraternities are represented at the college, among which the seniors are divided as follows: Seven are Chi Phis, two are Alpha Gammas, two are Delta Tau Deltas, two are Phi Kappa Sigmas, one is a Phi Psi, and five are non-fraternity men.

The Diagnothian literary society will celebrate its forty-sixth anniversary at the opera house next Friday evening.

There is trouble at the college over the proposition to hold the commencement exercises at the opera house. The seniors have gone to the expense of having invitations engraved by Tiffany of New York, which are said to be the most stylish and high-toned ever got up by any graduating class at Franklin & Marshall. They have been engraved with "Fulton Opera House," and the class have engaged the opera house from Mr. Yecker. The faculty are reported to be against the establishment of a precedent that is calculated to take the chief interest of the commencement exercises away from the campus and the college buildings; on the other hand it is argued that the opera house possesses advantages over the college chapel, where the orations have been delivered heretofore, being so much larger and having better accommodations, and being besides situated in the central part of the city and in consequence more convenient for the people of the city. Divergent views of the question are taken by members of the board of trustees and by the alumni, while the class with a single exception are "solid" for the opera house. How the affair will terminate is a matter of conjecture.

THE CHILIANS AFTER PIEROLA

And All Who Are His Friends.

PANAMA, May 7.—News from the South say that the Chilians are in pursuit of Pierola, ex-dictator of Peru, but since his departure from Chicla, the terminus of the Oroya railroad, nothing has been heard of the expeditionary party.

Mr. Frederick Ford, a British subject, and representative of the famous house of Dreyfus, Brost & Co., of Paris, was arrested recently in Lima by the Chilian military authorities and held a close prisoner for 25 hours. He was released only after energetic representations on the part of Mr. St. John, the English minister resident. The only crime alleged against Mr. Ford was that Pierola had addressed him a personal letter which was intercepted and fell into Chilian hands.

Almost a Fire.

Late Saturday evening the Vandersole residence, North Prince street, narrowly escaped a conflagration. Mr. George A. Shelly, of the INTELLIGENCER office, who rooms in the building, while in the act of lighting the gas in his room accidentally set fire to the lace splasher of the washstand and in an instant it was in flames. With considerable presence of mind George succeeded in extinguishing the fire, with no further damage than the destruction of the lace draping, a soiled wall and carpet, and a few burns and no little fright to himself.

An Artist.

There is a man in town te-day who is an artist in his line. He draws pictures of people on the pavements in a very skillful manner. He had a large crowd around him on Chestnut street, near North Queen all day. McMellen and Sensenig ought to sit for a picture on the *New Era's* slate pavement.

Gave Herself Up.

Some days ago a capias was issued against Sallie V. Shaw, of Sadsbury, who is charged with slander by Annie Doane. To-day the former came to town and she was taken before Judge Patterson, who allowed her to go on her own recognizance.

Mayor's Court.

This morning the mayor sent one drunk to jail for five days and discharged three others on payment of costs.

COLUMBIA NEWS.

OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE.

The Susquehanna rolling mill employees were paid on Saturday.

To-day will finish the examination of the public schools.

The pleasure steamboat, "Columbia," was on the river on Saturday afternoon. This was its first appearance this season.

The Catamaran (sail boat) will be launched on Tuesday evening.

The Pennsylvania railroad passenger trainmen are out in their summer uniforms. They describe it as a welcome change.

Propitious weather marked the opening of the Home Communion fair on Saturday evening.

Sener Bletz and a couple of classmates of Lebanon Valley college, Annville, walked to Columbia, the home of the former, on Friday. They chose a warm day.

Dr. D. Emmett Welsh, of Latrobe, Westmoreland county, is visiting his parents at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith, of Washington, D. C., are visiting in Columbia, the guests of Mr. John Fendrich.

Rev. Henry Wheeler, pastor of the M. E. church, is suffering with inflammatory rheumatism and was unable to preach last evening.

Miss Anna Wittenmyer, of Philadelphia, an accomplished and eloquent speaker, will deliver an address on the cause of temperance in the M. E. church on next Friday evening.

Misses Katie and Ella Skeen, of Lancaster, are visiting in Columbia, the guests of the Misses Pierce.

A window curtain caught fire on Saturday evening in a room on the second floor of the residence of Rev. Harry Wheeler, at Third and Cherry streets, and was consumed. No other damage done.

A very severe storm with thunder and lightning passed over Columbia on Saturday night. Its duration was short, but while it lasted the peals of thunder and flashes of lightning were incessant. A locust tree in the colored cemetary was struck by lightning and the lower portion of it split into several pieces. A wind storm with but little rain passed over here last evening.

The second musical entertainment for the benefit of the United Brethren church came off on Saturday evening and was quite a success.

Rev. W. P. Evans, of Cohansey, N. J., preached yesterday in the E. E. Lutheran church; Rev. E. S. Herring, of Wrightsville, in Shuler's hall for St. John's English Lutheran congregation; Rev. William Shull, of Byberry Baptist church, Philadelphia, in Vigilant hall, for the new Baptist congregation, and Rev. J. C. Mumma, a former pastor, in the United Brethren church.

Our readers will remember that the new schedule of the Pennsylvania railroad company went into effect this morning. The old one o'clock train now leaves at 12:40 p. m.

An exciting runaway occurred this morning. Gottlieb Young's two horses ran away with his beer wagon, which was wrecked. The horses were caught at the P. R. R. depot with only the front pair of wheels hanging to them. The rest of the wagon was left up town. Several narrow escapes from collision are reported.

Three fish commissioners—said by some to be of the United States commission and by others of the Pennsylvania commission—arrived here this morning from Harrisburg with about fifty cans—said to be destined for spawn, and left on a later train for Port Deposit, Md.

The Borough Councils.

At Friday evening's meeting of council the finance committee presented a report showing the receipts to be $5,013.93; orders paid since last report, $4,026.28; balance, $987.65. The finance committee recommended the negotiation of a temporary loan for $2,000 (which recommendation was adopted and an order made accordingly) to meet a bill lately submitted by the auditor general for back state taxes due the commonwealth of Pennsylvania for $2,112.59. The road committee reported repairs to several alleys. The paving committee recommended the changing of the grade of the gutter for South Third street, between Union and Perry, to meet a profile recently made which it is thought will meet all ordinary requirement. The road committee presented a statement of the cost of Port Deposit granite which they thought superior to that now in use for street crossings and the centres of alleys, and it was decided to try it on one of our alleys. A motion was adopted instructing the finance committee to make inquiries as to the posibility of placing the floating debt at a lower rate of interest and report at the next stated meeting of council. Messrs. Given and Stair, of the school board, appeared as a committee before council to ask for the use of council chamber for the board meetings on the second Tuesday evening of each month; want of room in the library room, where the board is accustomed to hold its meetings, being advanced as the reason for the request. The permission was granted. Mr. Frederick Bucher appeared before council complaining of the defacing of property, cutting trees, ringing bells and other depredations committed by malicious persons. Mr. Peter Fraley complained of the extreme filth and odor arising from the drainage from the different butcher pens, as running through the alleys of the borough, brewing contagion and disease. The committee on police was ordered to confer with the chief burgess and report at next meeting a plan for the more efficient action of the police. A communication was read from Henry Hippey, secretary of the Columbia fire company, asking permission to take their steamer to Reading to take part in the grand parade and tournament to be held there on September 22, 23 and 24, 1881. Dr. Craig and Chief Engineer Eamy urged upon council the great necessity of repairing the Columbia steamer. It was decided to write to a Reading machine firm to send some one here to examine the engine's condition.

Mr. R. J. M. Little was elected to run the opera house clock and keep it in repair at a salary of $40 per annum. The time of meeting was changed from 7:30 to 7 o'clock, p. m. Bills to the amount of $2,057.99, including pay roll, were then read. An order was granted for the State tax of $2,112.59—spoken of above.

Assault and Battery.

A little girl named Agnes Tshudy made complaint before Alderman Barr against her father, George W. Tshudy, of drunken and disorderly conduct and assault and battery on her mother, the wife of the accused, who was so badly hurt that she could not appear and make complaint personally.

George W. Tshudy, the above named accused, has entered complaint of assault and battery against Joseph Kohr, before the same magistrate. The time for hearing has not yet been fixed.

Stable on Fire.

About one o'clock yesterday morning a small frame stable belonging to Henry Mishler, on North Queen street, was discovered to be on fire. The Washington fire company easily extinguished the fire before much damage was done. How the fire originated is not known, but it may have been caused by lightning.

Sale of Horses.

On Saturday twenty head of Western horses were sold at public sale at the hotel of Jacob D. Warfel in Intercourse. The average price was about $170.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WATCHES. WATCHES.

The average weekly sales of Watches in the United States have reached about twenty thousand, and this great production has so cheapened the cost that a good Watch is within the reach of every person. During this week we have added to our stock Chatelain Watches for Ladies and Misses from $7.75 up. Gents' Stem Winders from $5 up.

Gold and Silver Louis XV Watches—a high style of the last century revived—made to order and engraved with our trade marks, "Pennsylvania" and "H. Z. Rhoads & Bro." Having been well tested we can give assurance of their excellence as timekeepers, and their cost is especially low.

We invite an examination.

A generous stock of all wares in our line will be found in our cases, and we offer great bargains in Diamonds, Sapphires, and in Jewelry of our own manufacture.

H. Z. RHOADS & BRO., Jewelers,

4 West King Street, - - - - Lancaster, Pa.

LANCASTER WATCHES. AMERICAN WATCHES.

EDW. J. ZAHM,

Manufacturing Jeweler, - - - Zahm's Corner, Lancaster, Pa.

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LANCASTER AND AMERICAN WATCHES,

FRENCH AND AMERICAN CLOCKS,

Solid Silver and Silver-Plated Ware in Spoons, Forks, Knives, Casters, &c.

We offer to our patrons advantages which are rarely combined in one establishment, because we have a complete MANUFACTURING DEPARTMENT in connection with our retail business and are making a large part of the goods we sell. This enables us to be sure of quality, to sell at the lowest prices, and gives us first-class facilities for WATCH WORK and GENERAL REPAIRING.

EDW. J. ZAHM,

Manufacturing Jeweler, - - - Zahm's Corner, Lancaster, Pa.

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THE HOUSE PAINTERS

Increase of Wages Granted.

The journeymen house painters have secured the increase of wages demanded by them a few weeks ago. They have heretofore been working for $1.50 per day and gave notice that after the 15th of May they would demand $1.75 per day and after the 1st. of August $2.00 per day. This notice was deemed necessary as an act of fairness to the employers who had taken contracts at low prices in consequence of the low wages paid. We are informed that George W. Brown, George Pontz and Wm. H. Bateman, who employ from 30 to 40 men, promptly agreed to the increase, and their men are all at work. It is believed the other bosses have agreed or will agree to the increase.

Good Templars' Convention.

On Saturday the Good Templars held a convention in this city, all the lodges of the county, except one, being represented.

A committee was appointed to make arrangements for a general convention of all who are in favor of total abstinence. At the afternoon session, Rev. Geo. C. Hart, of Wayne county, Worthy Chief Templar of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, occupied the chair and addressed the convention. To-day he visits Millersville; to morrow Strasburg; on Wednesday he speaks in Philadelphia; on Friday in West Chester, and on Saturday will attend the Chester county Good Templars' convention. On Sunday he will speak in Oxford.

Narrow Escape of a Child.

This morning a little child of Michael Herzog, who resides at No. 508 West Orange street, made a narrow escape from drowning. The child was at the house while its mother was hanging up clothes in the yard, when it accidentally fell into a tub of water. The mother heard the noise and running to the house rescued the child.

Petitions in Divorce.

The following petitions in divorce are filed in the prothonotary's office:

George B. Adams vs. Elizabeth Adams; Maria P. Williams vs. Frederick Williams; Anna Hopkins vs. Wm. H. Hopton; Mary E. Snyder vs. Lorentz Snyder; Kate A. Fisher vs. Joseph H. Fisher.

An Important Capture.

Philadelphia Times.

In addition to the Hog Ring and the Bull Ring in Lancaster Republican politics the Hash Ring has just made its appearance in the ring. That ought to capture the free-lunch route party followers.

Fingers Cut.

On Friday, Herman Wohlson, a son of Wm. Wohlson, while at work with a circular saw had two fingers so badly cut that it was found necessary to amputate them The thumb was also torn.

The Belgain Blocks.

Workmen are to-day engaged relaying the Belgian blocks on North Queen street, between the street car tracks, which have been very uneven for some time past.

Don't Your Canary Sing?

Then get a bottle of Bird Bitters, which is an unfailing restorer of song and a cure for all diseases of cage birds. If your druggist does not keep it, or will not get it for you, send a postal card to the Bird Food Company, 307 Federal street, Camden, N. J., and they will see that you are supplied. Price, 25 cents.

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Ball at Rotnweiler's.

A ball will be given this evening by an association known as the "Will and Pleasure Club," composed of young and active Republican politicians, and most of whom we believe are members of the "Cuckoos." The management is in stalwart and determined hands, and they promise that best of order shall be preserved.

City Bill Posters.

Carson & Hensel, city bill posters and distributors, office INTELLIGENCER building, No. 6 South Queen street.

Mothers, as a delightful sanitary measure, always order the Cuticura Medicinal Soap.

Malt Bitters regulate, purify, strengthen and nourish the maternal functions.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

It is impossible for a woman after a faithful course of treatment with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, to continue to suffer with a weakness of the uterus. Enclose a stamp to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for her pamphlets.

"The Doctor Told Me

to take a blue pill, but I didn't for I had already been poisoned twice by mercury. The druggist told me to try Kidney-Wort, and I did. It was just the thing for my biliousness and constipation, and now I am as well as ever." Torpid kidneys and liver is the trouble for which Kidney-Wort always proves to be the best remedy known.—*Hartford Courant.*

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Benefactors.

When a board of eminent physicians and chemists announced the discovery that by combining some well known valuable remedies, the most wonderful medicine was produced, which would cure such a wide range of diseases that most all other remedies could be dispensed with, many were sceptical; but proof of its merits by actual trial has dispelled all doubt, and to-day the discoverers of that great medicine, Hop Bitters, are honored and blessed by all as benefactors.

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Itching Piles—Symptoms and Cure.

The symptoms are moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching, very distressing, particularly at night, as if pin worms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected; if allowed to continue very serious results may follow. Dr. Swayne's All Healing Ointment is a pleasant sure cure. Also for tetter, itch, salt rheum, scald head, Erysipelas, barber's itch, blotches, all scaly, crusty, cutaneous eruptions. Price, 50 cents, three boxes for $1.25. Sent by mail to any address on receipt of price in currency or three cent postage stamps. Prepared only by Dr. Swayne & Son, 330 North Sixth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Sold by all prominent druggists.

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Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere; 25 cents a bottle.

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A Forlorn Hope.

Otto J. Doesburg, proprietor Holland City *News*, Mich., writes: "A bad cold settled on my side and back, kidney trouble, liver and rheumatism combined; I suffered terribly, though was obliged to move about and attend to business. I tried local doctors, but received no relief, and 'as a forlorn hope' tried your Thomas' Eclectric Oil; have only used half a fifty cent bottle, and feel as well as I ever did in my life." For sale at H. B. Cochran's Drug Store, 137 North Queen street.

I HAVE been a sufferer for years with Catarrh, and under a physician's treatment for over a year, have tried a number of "sure cure" remedies and obtained no relief. I was advised to try Ely's Cream Balm. It gave me immediate relief. I believe I am now entirely cured. G. S. DAVIS, First National Bank, Elizabeth, N. J. Aug. 14, 1879.

BY FAR the best remedy for the treatment of Catarrh and its kindred diseases is Ely's Cream Balm, which is having the largest sales with us of any preparation now offered. The reports are all favorable, and we do not hesitate to indorse it as superior to any and all other articles in the market. The Balm is pleasant and easy to use. CYRUS LAWALL & SON, Druggist, Easton, Pa. my9-2wd&w

DEATHS.

JOHNS.—In Philadelphia, May 14, Mrs. Kate Johns, wife of Peter Johns.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Tuesday, the 17th inst., on the arrival of the 2:30 p. m. train, to proceed to Lancaster cemetery. Services at the chapel. *

POLITICAL.

For County Commissioner:

FRANK CLARK, of Strasburg township, Subject to the choice of the Democratic county convention. apr6-d&wtp

ADAM S. DIETRICH, of Manor township. Subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention. *

HENRY F. HARTMAN (Lime Burner), of East Lampeter township. Subject to the choice of the Democratic county convention. apr2-d&wtp

MARTIN HILDEBRANT, of Mount Joy Borough. Subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention. ap13-d&wtp

JERE MOHLER, Ephrata. Subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention. april-d&wtp

For County Auditor:

JOHN L. LIGHTNER, of Leacock township. Subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention. apr18-tfd&w

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GRAND MAY HOP.—ON THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 19, 1881, at KAUFFMAN'S HOTEL, Oreville. Good Music and Refreshments. m16-3td*

GRAND OPENING OF THE BEAUTIFUL SUMMER GARDEN at HOTEL FRANKE THIS EVENING. A Band of Music will be present. The Best and Coolest Beer—Barbey's Celebrated. JOHN HESS, 1td Proprietor.

NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the partnership in the Star Bakery existing between George Frey and Wm. Trapnell has been dissolved. I will pay no bills contracted under the name of Frey & Trapnell.

m14-3td* WM. TRAPNELL.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.

DOUBLE TEAM

—OF—

ROAD MARES.

Inquire of B. F. BRENEMAN,

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INSURE WITH THE OLD AND WELL Established Agency of the

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No. 19 EAST KING STREET.

dll-6md M.WSR Second Floor.

THIRD EDITION.

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 16, 1881.

A SENSATION.

TWO NEW YORK SENATORS RESIGN.

An Appeal to Their Constituents.

WASHINGTON, May 16.

In the Senate the vice president has laid before the Senate the following communition.

"WASHINGTON, May 16.—*Sir:* Will you please announce to the Senate that my resignation as senator of the United States from the state of New York has been forwarded to the governor of that state? I have the honor to be with great respect your obedient servant.

"ROSCOE CONKLING."

Platt Follows Suit.

This communication was received with great sensation, which was heightened when the vice president laid the following before the Senate:

"SENATE CHAMBER, May 16.—*Sir:* I have forwarded to the governor of the state of New York my resignation as senator of the United States from the state of New York. Will you please announce the fact to the Senate. With great respect your obedient servant. T. C. PLATT."

A hum of astonishment followed the reading of the communications.

Mr. Hill suggested (*soto voce*) that this would be a good time to elect officers of the Senate.

The Proceedings.

After some routine business Mr. Dawes moved to go into executive session.

Mr. Cockrell—I thought you wanted to consider the other resolutions.

Mr. Dawes—I had no idea but that the senator would like to go on with it; it is in accordance with the disposition which he has shown from the beginning.

Mr. Hill (Ga.)—The senator said that the republic would be subverted if the resolution was not acted upon.

Mr. Dawes—But the senator would never be convinced until he happened to have a majority.

Mr. Hill—Oh! we wont insist upon having it considered.

Mr. Dawes—An accident is an eye opener to the senator.

Mr. Hill turned around and suggested to Mr. Davis, (Ills.), that there was nothing to prevent the Senate from adjourning this week *sine die.*

The Senate then at 12:30 went into executive session and at 1:40 adjourned until to-morrow.

Soon after the adjournment of the Senate this p. m. the Republican senators went into caucus for the purpose, it is understood, of determining what course of action shall be pursued in regard to the Robertson case and other contested nominations, and also to consider the subject of adjournment.

It is generally believed that the nomination of Judge Robertson will be brought before the Senate for final action during the next few days and that the Senate will adjourn, *sine die* towards the close of the week.

Neither Mr. Conkling nor Mr. Platt has been at the capital to-day and in absence of any authoritative explanation from them the motives and meaning of their resignations are left subject to mere speculation and conjecture.

CONKLING'S COUP.

What is Thought of the Resignations.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—When the news of the resignations of Senators Conkling and Platt reached the treasury department to-day great excitement ensued, and officials and subordinates alike were soon gathered in groups throughout the building discussing the situation and its probable effect. The theory which has been advanced that the senators who resigned are quite confident of being returned by the New York Legislature, is very generally accepted, but in some quarters it is maintained that on account of the Legislature having heretofore endorsd the nomination of Robertson to be collector of the port of New York, it cannot consistently endorse the action of the two senators in opposing it. This course, however, it is conceded by prominent Republicans can easily be brought about.

All sorts of rumors are afloat regarding other resignations which are to follow, Vice Vresident Arthur, Attorney General MacVeagh and Postmaster General James being among those mentioned in this connection. There is, however, no apparent foundation for the reports.

Secretary Windom called at the executive mansion shortly after 1 o'clock and has been there since. President Garfield was apprised of the contemplated resignations this morning and remarked to a treasury official shortly before 12 o'clock that he expected the news to arrive momentarily.

The resignation of the senators is the topic of conversation at the hotels and other public places, and large groups of men may be seen on the street corners discussing the affair in an excited manner.

Cowhided the Girl.

CININNATI, May 16.—A special from Nokanus Ill., says: "Henry Hall, proprietor of the Eureka hotel, last night publicly cowhided his sister whom he met walking with a young man to whom he objected to her associating with. The young woman was 18 years old."

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—For the Middle Atlantic states, fair weather in the interior and local rains on the coast, various winds, mostly from N. E. to N. W., slowly rising barometer and no change in temperature.

MARKETS.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Flour—State and Western buyers' favor and dull; Superfine State $4 00@5 50; extra do $4 55@4 65; choice do $4 70@4 75; fancy do $4 80@6 75; round hoop Ohio $4 60@5; choice do at $5 05@6 75; superfine western $4 00@4 55; common to good extra do $4 55@4 90; choice do $4 90@6 75; choice white wheat do, $5 00@6 00. Southern dull unchanged; common to fair extra, $4 75@5 25; good to choice do $5 30@7 00.

Wheat a shade better and rather quiet; No. 2 Red, May, $1 22½@1 23; do June, $1 20½@1 20¾; do July, $1 18¾ bid; $1 19 asked.

Corn about ¼c lower and quiet; Mixed western spot, 50@57½c; do future, 54@55½c.

Oats scarcely so firm; State, 47@54c; Western, 46@53c.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 16.—Flour steady, fair demand; superfine, $3 25@3 75; extra $3 87@4 25; Ohio and Indiana family $5 37@6 00; Penna. family $5 00@5 87; St. Louis family $5 75@6 37; Minnesota Extra $5@5 87; do straight, $6 00@6 10; winter patent $6 50@7 25 spring do $5 50@7 50.

Rye flour at $5 50.

Wheat quiet; No. 2 Western Red, $1 21½@1 25; Del., Penn'a Red and do Amber, $1 24@1 25.

Corn scarce and wanted; steamer, 60@61c; yellow and mixed 63@63½c.

Oats quiet and not so strong; No. 1 White none here; No. 2, do, 54c; No. 3, do 53@53½c; No. 2 Mixed 52@53c.

Rye scarce at $1 03.

Provisions dull; mess pork $17 75, for job lots; beef hams, $23 50@25 00; Indian mess beef $22 50, f. o. b.

Bacon—smoked shoulders, 6½@7c; salt do 6¼@6½c; smoked hams 11@12c; pickled hams 9½@10c.

Lard dull; city kettle scarce, 11½c; loose butchers' 10½c; prime steam, $10 95.

Butter—market dull: Creamery extra Pa. 28@29c; do good to choice 25@27; Bradford county and New York extra, 24@25c. Rolls dull: Penn'a 16@18c; Western 10@16, as to quality.

Eggs dull: Penna 12½@13c; Western 12c.

Cheese dull and weak; New York full cream 12@12½c; Western full cream 11@11½c; do fair to good, 10@10½c.

Petroleum steady: refined 7½c.

Whisky dull and weak.

Seeds—Good to prime clover, out of season; do do Timothy jobbing at $3 10@3 12; do do Flaxseed dull at $1 25@1 30.

Stock Market.

New York, Philadelphia and Local Stocks also United States Bonds reported daily by JACOB B. LONG, N. E. Cor. Centre Square.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Stocks strong.

	May 16. A. M. 10:00	P. M. 1:00	P. M. 3:00
Money	4	....	....
Chicago & North Western	129⅝	129⅝	129¾
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	122⅝	121¾	121
Canada Southern	....	....	78¾
C. C. & I. C. R. R.	27⅞	28⅞	29
Del., Lack. & Western	125⅞	125⅞	125⅝
Delaware & Hudson Canal	113⅝	114	113¾
Denver & Rio Grande	....	....	107⅝
Hannibal & St. Joe	....	76¾	75¾
Lake Shore & Mich. Southern	131¼	131⅝	131⅞
Manhattan Elevated	29¾	27¾	27¾
Michigan Central	113¼	113⅞	113
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	50⅝	50⅞	51¼
N. Y., Lake Erie & Western	50⅝	50⅝	50½
New Jersey Central	103¾	104	103⅝
N. Y., Ontario & Western	36⅞	36¾	35¾
New York Central	150	....	149¾
Ohio & Mississippi	46⅝	46	46
Pacific Mail Steamship Co.	55	53⅞	54⅞
St. Louis & Iron Mt	74	76¾	76¾
Sutro Tunnel	....	....	2
Union Pacific	124¼	124¼	124
Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific	51⅞	51⅞	56¾
" " Preferred	95⅞	96¼	95¾
Western Union Tel. Co	119¾	120⅝	120¾

PHILADELPHIA.

Stocks steady.

Pennsylvania R. R.	67	66¾	66¾
Reading	29⅞	30¼	30⅛
Lehigh Valley	62⅝	....	62⅝
Lehigh Navigation	46½	46¾	46½
Buffalo, Pitts. & Western	21⅝	....	21⅝
Northern Central	....	....	52⅝
Northern Pacific	44⅛	....	44
" Preferred	79¼	....	78¾
Hestonville	....	....	21⅝
Philadelphia & Erie R. R.	27⅛	28	27¾
Iowa Gulch Mining	....	....	48

UNITED STATES BONDS.

	P. M. 1:00		
United States 4 per cents	....	....	....
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Noon Quotations of the Grain Market

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CHICAGO.	Cash.	June.	July.
Wheat	$1.01½	$1.02½	$1.02½
Corn	.41½	.40⅝	.41¼
Oats	.37½	.36	.35
NEW YORK.	Cash.	