

THE CRIMINAL COURTS.

MALICIOUS MISCHIEF.

And Surety of the Peace.

William Lutz, residing near Lititz, was held for a hearing before Alderman McConomy to answer complaints of malicious mischief and surety of the peace, preferred against him by his wife.

Keeping a Bawdy House.

Before Alderman Wiley this morning was heard the complaint of Abram Hirsch against Millie Geritzki for keeping a disorderly bawdy house corner of Walnut and Water streets.

A Serious Charge.

Two boys named Wyatt Bremer and Ira Bremer, of Safe Harbor, were arrested in that village this morning by Officer Daily, on suspicion that they were the parties who robbed the store of George A. Triple on the night of June 27 of \$250 in 20 notes.

Drunk and Disorderly.

Patrick Eagan and Joanna his wife, and Patrick Kelly and Mary his wife, were arrested last night by Constable Warfel, of Leacock, for drunken and disorderly conduct.

Police Cases.

Officer Elias arrested Fred Henry (colored) and Henry Duman (white) on complaint of their wives, who charged them with being drunk and disorderly.

ALARMING NEWS.

Massacre of an American Surveying Party.

The following telegram appeared in the New York Herald: "SANTA FE, July 5.—News from El Paso says that a party of Americans, traveling in their own conveyances from Paso Del Norte to Chihuahua, came suddenly at the Sand Hills, about forty miles south of El Paso, upon this dead body of all Americans, and a portion of the surveying party of the Mexican Central railway.

REPORT.

Mr. James E. Cunningham, a son of the late Thomas Cunningham, and a cousin of Mrs. J. M. Johnston, of this city, was a member of the surveying party whose tragic fate is reported in the above dispatch, and his visit to Lancaster two or three weeks ago may be recalled by those who read the brief personal note of his presence here published in the local papers.

THE DOCTORS.

Reports on Health of County—Excursion.

At a stated meeting of the Lancaster city and county medical society, yesterday, in Grand Army hall, the following named members were present: Drs. J. L. Atlee, J. L. Atlee, Jr., Bolens, Black, Bickel, C. B. Bickel, J. B. Bickel, M. L. Herr, Roland and Welchans, of Lancaster; Beckers, Craig, Cottrell, Kay, of Columbia; Newpiper and J. L. Ziegler, of Mount Joy; Brobst, Hertz and Roebuck, of Lititz; M. L. Davis and B. F. Herr, of Millersburg; Alexander, of Marietta; Blatter, of Strasburg; Dunlap, of Manheim; Horst, of Earlville; Hensley, of Paradise; Livingston, of Mountville; Lightner, of Ephrata; Miller, of Bird-in-Hand; Parke, of Gap; W. H. Smith, of Gettysburg; Thomson, of Wrightsville; Cook county; Treichler, of Elizabethtown; Thorne, of Mastersonville.

Trickery News.

There was a very large crowd at the race course on the Speedwell farm last Friday to see the trotting. On Tuesdays none of the horses are speeded more than a half mile, but every Friday they are given a full mile or more.

The Glorious Fourth passed very quietly in this vicinity.

A great many people went to Lititz in the evening. The farmers may be very loyal, but their harvest interests seem more than anything else to be in the foreground.

Accidentally Drowned.

On Tuesday Ellen Dallas, a young woman about 28 years of age, went to the dam of Hibbert's Chaffin, near Arglen, to bathe, and while there was accidentally drowned.

Our Local Musicians.

Miller's orchestra returned at 1:30 this afternoon from Logan's iron works, near Lewistown, where they played for a large picnic yesterday.

St. James Choir Picnic.

The young people composing the choir of the Episcopal church left Lancaster this morning for a picnic in Shick's Grove, near Millersville.

COLUMBIA NEWS.

OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE.

Council meets to-morrow evening.

A special meeting of the Columbia school board will be held in the council chamber to-night.

Death of a Favorite Dog.

"Mike," the little terrier dog owned by Frank R. Howell, was given a dose of poison by some scoundrel, and last evening his owner found it necessary to have him shot.

Improved Railroad Accommodations.

On and after Monday next the train leaving here at 5:40 p. m. will arrive at Quarryville at 6:45 instead of 7:10, and the train leaving here at 8:30 p. m. will arrive at Quarryville at 9:50 instead of 9:25.

Slender Suit.

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Presented with a Violin.

Mr. Silas Wright, now of Parkersburg, formerly of Lancaster, was presented this morning by his friends with a violin, a handsome one. Mr. Wright who has an ear of music, and who has lately become the leader of the Parkersburg orchestra, will give the violin party to be held at Wild Creek next Thursday.

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Short Breath.

O. Bortle, Manchester, N. Y., was troubled with asthma for eleven years. He had tried all the remedies, but without success. Found immediate relief in success. Found immediate relief in success. Found immediate relief in success.

Rose Cold and Hay Fever.

Messrs. WHITE & BRIDGES, Druggists, Ithaca, N. Y., call attention to their Cream Balm for relief of persons suffering with Rose Cold and Hay Fever. I have been a great sufferer from the same complaint; have had great relief by using the Balm, and have recommended it to many of my friends for similar cases.

Hay Fever.

Messrs. ELY BROS., Druggists, Oswego, N. Y., have been afflicted for several years with the months of August and September, with Hay Fever, and have tried various remedies for its relief without success. I was induced to try your Cream Balm, and have used it with favorable results, and can confidently recommend it to all similarly afflicted.

Red Bugs, Roaches.

Rats, mice, ants, flies, vermin, mosquitoes, insects, etc., cleared out by "Rough on Rats." It is a perfect remedy for all vermin, and is sold by all druggists. Depot: John F. Long & Sons, Lancaster.

Save Your Hair—Keep it Beautiful.

The "London Hair Color Restorer" is the most delightful article ever introduced to the American people and is totally different from all other Hair Restorers, being entirely free from any deleterious or poisonous ingredients. It restores the hair to its natural color, and causes the hair to grow again, and causes the hair to grow again, and causes the hair to grow again.

For County Commissioner.

FRANK C. BARNES, of Harrisburg, is invited to the choice of the Democratic county convention.

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HENRY F. BARTMAN (Line Barner), of East Lampeter township, is invited to the choice of the Democratic county convention.

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MARTIN HILDEBRANT, of Mount Joy township, is invited to the choice of the Democratic county convention.

For County Auditor.

JOHN S. BROWN, of Drumore township, is invited to the choice of the Democratic county convention.

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JOHN L. LIGHTNER, of Leacock township, is invited to the choice of the Democratic county convention.

DEATHS.

KAYE—In Harrisburg, July 5th, Catherine, wife of Christian Kaye, aged 81 years.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—FIFTY (50) CIGARETTES on form work. Apply at once to GROUSE & CO., No. 22 South Second St., Reading, Pa.

RAKE BARGAINS!

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SCHOOL TAX 1881.

WANTED—FROM 10 TO 15 HANDS to work in a Stone Quarry, at Wrightsville, Pa. For particulars apply to the quarry at KERR, WATKINS & CO., No. 125 North Second St., Reading, Pa.

NOTICE TO THE MEMBERS OF THE LEIDERSBRANZ.

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THIRD EDITION.

THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 7, 1881.

IMPROVING.

PRESIDENT GARFIELD GETTING ALONG FINELY. Latest Bulletins from the Sick Chamber. To-day's Early Callers. EXECUTIVE MANSION, July 7, 6 a. m.—The president's symptoms are probably less dangerous to-day than at any previous time since the shooting.

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Capt. Willer ran a special train to Farmington after physicians and they were on the ground soon after midnight.

BY WIRE.

The Telegraphic News of To-day.

A fire of unknown origin, in Newark, N. J., to-day destroyed the malthouse of F. J. Kastner's brewery, two houses, part of the malthouse, and 3,500 barrels of beer. Loss, \$75,000; insured for \$93,000 in New York and foreign companies.

In the corporation court of Danville.

Called, to-day, Wm. Johnson, colored, who killed Pleasant Simmons, colored, on June 7, was convicted of murder in the second degree and sentenced to sixteen years in the penitentiary. The jury comprised eight negroes and four whites.

Lefevre's chestnut colt Tristram.

was first, Lorillard's bay colt Barret, second, of the four horses which ran to-day in the Vermont race for the Horse Show stakes, three years old, colts and fillies, six furlongs.

Washington, July 7.

The following was sent this morning: To Lowell, minister, London. The president continues to improve. Every symptom this morning is favorable.

Not out Danger, but Passing it.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, July 7.—10:45 a. m.—Attorney General MacVeagh says the president's condition is very favorable indeed. He does not consider that the president is out of danger yet, but says he appears to be passing out of it as steadily and rapidly as can be expected.

The Chamber of Commerce to Act.

NEW YORK, July 7.—A special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held to-day at 1 p. m. for the purpose of taking action in regard to the attempted assassination of President Garfield.

The Doctors' Latest Bulletin.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, WASHINGTON, July 7, 1 p. m. (Official).—The condition of the president continues quite as favorable as this morning. Pulse 100; temperature 100.8; respiration 23. Unless some unfavorable change should occur, no further bulletin will be issued until 3:30.

A Good Appetite.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, July 7.—2:30 p. m.—The condition of the president has remained substantially unchanged since the date of the last official bulletin. The slight increase in pulse and temperature this morning is said by the attending physicians to be only the natural fluctuation of the fever from morning until noon. The president has eaten chicken broth to-day, and expressed a strong desire for beef soup and oatmeal with milk. The latter was given to him as probably the best objectionable kind of the solid food which he seemed to crave.

More Than an Even Chance.

In conversation this afternoon with Dr. Baynton, of the president's family physician, Dr. Bliss expressed the opinion that the president's chance of recovery was now considered more than even. The danger of peritonitis, he said, was rapidly passing away, and although it might still occur, its occurrence had become improbable.

The Present Verdict.

The only accidents now to be apprehended, Dr. Bliss said, and the only ones likely to terminate fatally, were secondary hemorrhage and pneumonia, or blood poisoning. Secondary hemorrhage might occur at any time up to the seventh day, but on account of the course which the ball took, and the place where it is supposed to lie, the danger of secondary hemorrhage was not, in Dr. Bliss's opinion, a serious one. Pneumonia, he said, was not to be feared, and of that there was not yet, he said, the slightest indication. An abscess also might form at any point along the course of the ball or at the extremity of the wound, but with this he said he did not deal.

The President an Admirable Patient.

Dr. Bliss expressed great reliance upon the president's vigorous constitution, strong vitality and calm courage. He was, he said, the very best patient he had seen in the course of his surgical practice.

Secretary Blaine's Continued Assurance.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—The following dispatch was sent to-day by Secretary Blaine to Minister White at Berlin: The president has been steadily improving for the past thirty-six hours. He is progressing to the crown prince the thanks of this government for his sympathy.

Chicago's Councils Condemn the Crime.

CHICAGO, July 7.—The city councils have adopted appropriate resolutions concerning the attempted assassination of President Garfield.

From the Pacific Coast.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 7.—The Taxpayers' convention has adopted resolutions in favor of the president, and expressing sympathy with his family.

What Mr. Gladstone Said.

LONDON, July 7.—A special dispatch from New York says: "Mr. Gladstone is criticized for suggesting in the House of Commons