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Our Returning Board.

An analysis of the "scattering" votes officially reported by the returning board of this state shows that a very considerable number of ballots cast at the state election are lost to those for whom they were intended by reason of slight errors in the manner of printing their names. To be sure these losses are confined almost entirely to the nominees of the weaker parties and are therefore inconsequential in the general result. It makes no difference in the awarding of the certificates of the election that the Prohibition candidate for governor loses five hundred votes for governor because his Christian name and surname are reversed on the return sheets of one county; nor that a superfluous "A" in the name of another candidate loses to him thousands of votes; nor that thousands cast for "Lowery J. Dewoody" cannot be counted for "J. Lowery Dewoody." But it is highly important to consider the rule followed in these cases which might so easily have been invoked in the count of the vote for candidates who had a chance of election.

There has been a storm of indignation raised because the secretary of state in Mississippi refused to count for "J. R. Chalmers" votes returned for "J. R. Chambless." But under the rule adopted in this state, had the returns from Philadelphia, for instance, represented the vote for the Democratic candidate for lieutenant governor, as cast for "Black, Chauncey F.," as is often the manner of writing the name on such returns, our state department would not have included this in the vote for "Chauncey F. Black," and would have given the certificate for that office to Davies. Such a decision would have raised a storm of indignation, and it would have been bitterly resisted by law and probably by force, and yet it is exactly logical with computation of the vote for Dewoody, Williams and others which are tabulated like the tabulation that counts out Chalmers.

It is difficult to see how the state officials whose business it is to tabulate the vote could safely be intrusted with the discretion of counting it otherwise than it is returned; such power would probably be subjected to abuse. But it is not a proper condition of things that would compel a candidate to even contest for a seat to which he was elected and for which the certificate was given to another, because some of those who voter for the winner parted his name in the middle and others at the side.

The official returns given out by the state department are fruitful in suggestions as to the ease with which men equitably entitled to office could be counted out in this state. It is customary to call these tricks and technicalities the methods of Southern scalawags and bulldozers, but the law of Pennsylvania is as loose on this subject as that of Mississippi, and perhaps our returning boards have only wanted an opportunity to exercise their power as ruthlessly.

Arabi Pasha's Fate.

It not being deemed expedient to have a protracted trial of Arabi Pasha, a convenient arrangement was made with him by which he agreed to plead guilty and England agreed that the khedive should commute his sentence of death to banishment for life. It was a very sensible way of disposing of the matter. Anything like a fair trial, in the fashion recognized in English jurisprudence, where the accused is allowed free latitude to show the circumstances surrounding his offense, would not have been profitable to the English government which sustained the toppling power of Turkey in Egypt; and any other manner of trial would not have suited the English sentiment at home. The easiest way of disposing of these embarrassing state criminals is the best. When they are shot down in the melee, Providence does a kind turn for the conqueror. When they are not, prudence requires that they be shuffled out of the way in the most unobtrusive manner. Jeff Davis was a great embarrassment to our government when he was captured and the enterprising captain who was stupid enough to do the deed got small thanks for it from the authorities. We got rid of Davis after long delay with tolerable success. We made a great botch of it with the Lincoln and Garfield assassins. The first were tried and condemned in hot haste by an unlawful courtmartial and in a shocking and indecent way; while Guiteau, who should have been summarily shut up in an insane asylum, agonized the country for weeks through a long and unseemly trial. The world cared little what fate befell Arabi Pasha who has not recommended himself to its good opinion by his wisdom or valor; but as the civilization of the day does not permit the execution in cold blood of great rebels the English government has been fortunate in the arrangement it has been able to make to punish its enemy in appearance while really not punishing him at all.

NEW YORK city had a new experience on Sunday, which was the day set for the execution of the provisions of the new law that forbids the conduct of all avocations on Sunday, except the sale of drugs and some other specially named articles. The police gave notice of their intention to enforce the law, and the consequence was a great change for the better in the quietude of the streets. What traffic was done was carried on without obtrusion on the public attention. Many arrests were made and the justices took upon themselves to make a liberal construction of the law; bootblacks, for instance, were discharged as not guilty of its violation, although they had not the benefit of a direct exception in the words of the law, which seems to be drawn with a strictness of expression which will render its literal execution very oppressive. The only thing that is possible in securing a decent observance of the Sabbath is to provide against the public exhibition of week day labor; and even this is a task that will try severely the energies of the best police force.

MRS. LANGTRY, who has been most freely criticised by the metropolitan journals, does not, it seems, read any of their opinions. "What," she asks, "is the use? When I do as well as I can, I can do no better." It is very sensible in her to avoid the distraction which would necessarily come from the diverse criticisms she would have to read, some fulsome in their praise, others equally unjust in detraction, and with every shade of comment in between. The opinions of the art critics of the great cities are never unanimous, and consequently never as a whole good opinions. There is at least one popular actress on the stage, Mary Anderson, who would long ago have been off it, if she had read and regarded the opinions of the men who deliver the judgments of the New York journals upon theatrical art. Nevertheless, Miss Anderson continues to play to and please large audiences, who find in her one of the best of American artists. Either the public are wrong or the critics; and as the actor plays for the public, it follows that the public are those to be pleased.

DURING the fiscal year ending June 30, 1882, the internal revenue collections of this district amounted to $1,450,619. They were only exceeded in this state by the Philadelphia district $3,011,318 and Pittsburgh, $2,725,425.

THE Republicans went howling through the last campaign in this state about the proposed attack of the Democrats on the tariff. The end of the first month that has elapsed finds Sherman, Dawes, Harrison, Frye and Kasson writing to a Boston paper that the tariff must be revised. And yet, Frye was imported into Pennsylvania to make tariff speeches.

AN examination of the "scattering" votes as reported by the state department in its tabulation of the results of the late elections shows that only 50 of this kind were returned for the gubernatorial office and that of these only 5 were intended for Pattison. Of the 4,103 scattering votes for lieutenant governor, Howard, the Greenback Labor candidate, lost most by reason of the entire vote of his party in some counties being cast for "Wm. A Howard," whereas his name was plain "William Howard;" Alban Williams, the Prohibition candidate, lost materially by being voted for in some counties as "Alvin" and in others as "Allen" and "Alfred," while the 422 votes intended for him in the little county of Warren were returned for "William Alban." Davies lost 93 in Mercer by votes cast for "W. T. Davis," but the only vote apparently intended for Black, the Democratic candidate, which he did not get was 1 cast for "Jerry Black" in Allegheny county. For congressman-at-large there were 590 scattering, mostly cast for district candidates, though a mistake in printing Mr. Brosius' name in Beaver county led to the return of 2,127 votes there for "Marrian" Brosius; and the Prohibition candidate for Congress, like one of his colleagues, lost the entire vote of Warren county by a transposition of his name. Mr. Elliott lost only 4 votes, and they were cast in Luzerne for "Ortimer F. Elliott," the omission of his first initial letter having been caused, doubtless, in cutting the tickets. For judge of supreme court the scattering vote, 2,108, nearly all came off the Prohibition candidate owing to various misprints of his name. Mr. Black received two votes, evidently intended for him as lieutenant governor; Mr. Clark apparently lost none. For secretary of internal affairs there were 3,785 votes scattering, most of which were at the expense of J. Lowry Dewoody, Greenback-Labor candidate, who in some districts was voted for as Lowery J. Dewoody and in others "Lowry J. Dewoody." Mr. Africa lost none. W. T. Davies received 30 in Somerset, which were likely intended for him for lieutenant governor. These results are highly gratifying as showing the thoroughness of the Democratic local organization in its watchfulness against loss to the state candidates in the printing and distribution of the state tickets.

PERSONAL.

PERE HYACINTHE says: "Ideal marriages are rare, perhaps impossible."

CHARLES L. LAMBERTON, of Wilkesbarre, gives notice that he does not want to be attorney general. Next?

UNCLE RUFUS HATCH began life as a chain carrier on a Wisconsin railroad and afterward a locomotive engineer.

GOVERNOR CLEVELAND, when asked why he didn't marry, said: "I am too old. I've missed my chance."

EX-REV. GEORGE C. MILN is to make his debut in the character of *Richelieu* on the 9th instant at the Coates opera house, Kansas City, Mo.

MRS. HANCOCK, the wife of General Hancock, has written a "Te Deum Laudamus," which is dedicated at St. Cornelius' chapel Governor's Island. It is to be published shortly.

CLAYTON MCMICHAEL, one of the editors and proprietors of the *North American*, Philadelphia, has been made marshal of the District of Columbia, vice Henry removed. He is a friend of Arthur and Brewster and a popular and accomplished gentleman.

JOHN HUMPHREY NOYES, the founder of the Oneida community in New York, who fled the state about a year since to escape indictment is now an exile. The last heard of him he was at Clinton, Canada, near Niagara Falls, living with his wife, although three others of the community women went with her when she joined him.

ARABI was yesterday condemned to death and his sentence was at once commuted to exile. English correspondents insist that there was not a flaw in the evidence connecting him with the burning of Alexandria. His troops began their work of incendiarism "as regularly," says one witness, "as if they were going out to battle." "All his statements on the subject," says the London *Times*, "are lies, gross and palpable."

NILSSON'S crape did not touch the stony heart of the *Record's* New York correspondent. He says: "There is too much study about her mourning to make one feel badly for her. A bit of shabby crape on a old hat will bring the tears to my eyes, but this wealth of crape, these long black gloves held at the wrist by a jeweled band, this sparkling order on the breast did not touch me as it did some people. And her manner was not that of one who mourned. I never saw Nilsson more gay and festive than she is this time. She is almost undignified in some of her songs."

CRIME AND CASUALTY.

A BUDGET OF TRAGIC HAPPENINGS.

The Weary Way of the Wicked World—Death in all Forms of Violence—Suicide Soon After Marriage.

Miss Clara Nelson drowned herself in the mill race in Titusville. For some time past she had given evidence of unsoundness of mind and as late as last week endeavored to commit suicide by hanging herself. Sunday morning she left her house and proceeded to the race, where, unobserved, she took off her clothes and jumped in. Her body was discovered in the afternoon on the stones near the junction of the race with Oil creek. She was 32 years of age. Seven weeks ago she married a man nearly twice her age.

Murdered by a Negro.

As Mr. John Hunnicut was going home from Walhalla, S. C., with his little son, 8 years old, he was brutally murdered on Schroder's hill, and his boy had his head fractured. The boy is still alive, and says a negro with an axe-handle committed the deed. A jury of inquest is now investigating the matter, but no clue has been found to the murderer.

A Colorado Shooting Affray.

A shooting affray occurred in the office of Drs. Clay and Evitsky, in Durangs, Col., who had been partners a long time. No trouble has been noticed between them until Sunday morning, when Dr. Evitsky shot Dr. Clay and then himself. Dr. Evitski died instantly. Dr. Clay can not recover. No trouble is known to have existed between them until Saturday, when Dr. Evitsky received a severe cowhiding from a Mrs. Moore and a Miss Hawkins, who accused him of talking disparagingly about them. Evitsky was under the impression that his partner had something to do with his being cowhided, and this it is thought led to the shooting.

A Child Burned to Death.

Jennie McCoy, aged 3½ years, of No. 333 North Sixty-first street, Philadelphia, was very badly burned about the legs on Saturday afternoon by her clothing catching fire from a bonfire, around which she was playing with other children, on a lot in front of her home. The other little ones vainly endeavored to extinguish the flames, but before this was accomplished the little girl was fatally burned. She died early yesterday morning.

Short News Miscellany.

The schooner Oliver Ames, from the Kennebec river, for Baltimore, with ice was wrecked at Provincetown, Mass., yesterday. The crew were saved.

The Washington *National Republican* appears this morning in eight-page form, under new management. Frank Hatton, assistant postmaster general, is editor.

Noah D. Smith, clerk and deputy collector of customs, at Memphis, Tenn., has absconded. He is $1,600 short in his accounts. He has been in the employ of Collector General W. J. Smith for six years.

Rev. Dr. Hall, of New York, read prayers yesterday at New York over the body of Samuel Remington, the manufacturer of rifles. The body leaves New York this morning for Ilion, where it will be interred on Tuesday.

The new chapel of St. Francis Xavier, in Sixteenth street, New York, was dedicated by Cardinal McCloskey, yesterday, assisted by Coadjutors Archbishop Corrigan, Archbishop Williams, of Boston, Bishop O'Farrell, of Trenton, and other eminent clergymen.

Albert Seabury was found murdered on Seaconnet Beach, R. I., on Saturday. The owner of the property is suspected.

A negro, named Bill Allen, who, on Wednesday, killed Policeman Wright, of Chicago, was chased last night by a squad of police and shot down. He wounded an officer in his flight.

Three pilots—George Barke, Peter Martin and Henry Voight—who were blown out to sea in an open boat from Port Eads, La., on Wednesday last, have not been heard of since, and are probably lost. Voight was a married man with a large family.

Stephen Britton, a highly-respected citizen of Petersburg, Va., and widely known, attempted to commit suicide late on Saturday night by taking a large quantity of laudanum. It is not thought he can recover. Reduced circumstances prompted the act.

Patrick O'Brien, of New New Orleans, a deputy sheriff, had a difficulty in a barroom in that city with Lawson and Oscar Graric yesterday. The latter shot O'Brien five times, wounding him mortally. Oscar Graric was shot through the wrist. The Graric brothers were arrested.

The special express train from New York for Boston struck a wagon at a crossing in Thompsonville, Conn, yesterday afternoon In the wagon two boys were riding, one of whom, named Arthur Lord, 16 years old, was killed, and the other, Patrick Kane, received injuries from which he died three hours afterward.

At Houston, Texas, the International Compress caught fire at 11 o'clock, and at 12:30 p. m. was still burning. The firemen were unable to get any water on the flames. There were about 808 bales of cotton in the press.

A fire, originating from a cigar stump in a saloon destroyed the business portion of Petersburg, 20 miles north of Vincennes Ind., and burned all the records, books and papers of the city. Loss, $40,000.

A fire was caused by the explosion of a kerosene lamp in the dry goods store of Roger Hart, at Williamsburg, N. Y. The damage to the stock was about $5,000. The building, owned by Philip Strauss, was damaged $3,000. Mr. Strauss' furniture was damaged $1,500; insured.

SUICIDE FROM SHAME.

A Young Woman Driven to Death.

Miss Laura Speakman, a young lady of about 20 years of age, and a resident of the hamlet of Chatham, Chester county, a short time ago became a mother, her child dying a short time after its birth. The father of the child, although he promised to marry her, ran away, and since that time she has been very much depressed in spirits. A physician recommended that she should pay a visit to Kirkbride's, at Media, Delaware county, but instead of going there she went to Kennet Square to her sister, Mrs. Albert Jackson, where she became the patient of Dr. Price, of that borough. Her mental condition, however, grew worse, and a few days ago she was caught with a butcher knife in her possession, which was taken away from her and a close watch put over her. One day last week she asked her brother-in-law if the water at Plankington's bridge over the west branch of the Red Clay creek was sufficiently deep to drown a person. Mr. Jackson told her he thought it was and did not give the query any further thought. Saturday night at supper time she did not appear and after searching for her about the premises the family became alarmed. It was then that Mr. Jackson recalled the conversation about the creek, and with some neighbors went to the spot and, a few feet below the bridge, found the unfortunate woman lying dead in about five feet of water.

FIRE AT MAHANOY CITY.

Battling Furiously With the Flames.

A fire originating in G. F. Depper's carpet store in Mahanoy City burned six buildings in the business section, and for a time threatened the entire town. High winds prevailed, and the water supply, owing to the recent drouth, was short. The losses are as follows: G. F. Depper, house and stock, $5,500; insurance unknown. P. F. Dillon, wholesale liquor store, $7,000; insurance $5,000. Wm. Phillips, hotel, $500; no insurance. Wm. Dolan, $2,500 loss, on building occupied by Frank Bensinger, grocery, loss $700. Henry Stride, loss $800. H. L. Williams, loss, $3,500, insurance $2,500; on building occupied, loss $3,500, insurance $2,500; on building occupied by T. W. Spurr, organs and pianos, loss $2,500; insurance $1,600. P. Linton, shoe store, loss $3,500 on building and stock; no insurance. Mrs. Conner, millinery, $1,000; no insurance. Shenandoah and Tamaqua, in response to an appeal for aid, sent all their apparatus. The sufferings of the firemen while at work were intense. The citizens did all in their power to relieve them, and a subscription was taken up for their benefit. Miss Katie M. Rebo, aged 23, an invalid, was so overcome by excitement that her life is despaired of.

A MAN'S HEAD CUT OFF.

Distressing Accident at Reading—Mangled While Coupling Cars.

A distressing accident took place in Reading at 1 o'clock Sunday morning during a snow squall. B. Frank Hain, living near Auburn, had his head cut off near the Philadelphia and Reading depot. He was engaged in coupling cars when an engineer of another shifting train threw a number of cars against those that Hain was coupling. He was not prepared for this, and was knocked down, falling on the rails. The first wheel cut off his head the second his left arm and the third rested on his shoulder. The car had to be pulled off of him before the mangled remains could be removed. Hain was about thirty-two years of age, and leaves a wife and children at Hammond station. He was a tall and finely-built young man, of handsome appearance and excellent health. The engineer who backed the cars upon him says he was given a signal which he thought came from the proper person, but of which the unfortunate brakeman, it appears, knew absolutely nothing. The engineer claims to be entirely blameless. Coroner Kelly will hold an inquest, and the remains will be sent home by Undertaker Henninger. Hain was employed on a freight train running from Tamaqua to Philadelphia.

THIRTEEN BURNED OR DROWNED.

A Steam Tug Takes Fire and Sinks Suddenly in Lake Michigan.

A tug picked up the lake barge A. W. Luckey, in a disabled condition and towed her into Chicago. The captain of the Duckey stated that the steam barge R. G. Peters was towing the Luckey when suddenly the Peters caught fire, and before aid could be rendered, sank, stem first, with Captain Olsen, Mate Larsen, and 11 others who composee her crew. The Luckey tried to assist them, but the wind was high and the barge became unmanageable. The Peters was nearly new, was owned by L. Sands, of Manistee, was valued at $32,000 and was insured. She ranked first class.

THE POULTRY ASSOCIATION.

Preparations for the Annual Exhibition.

The Lancaster Poultry society held a stated meeting this morning in the rooms of the Agricultural society. The following named members were present: Geo. A. Geyer, Florin; J. B. Lichty, city; John E. Schum, city; Charles Lippold, city; Joseph R. Trissler, city; F. R. Diffenderffer, city; C. A. Gast, city; H. H. Tshudy, Lititz; J. B. Shultz, Elizabethtown; H. D. Shultz, Elizabethtown; Isaac Brooks, West Willow; Dr. E. H. Witmer, Neffsville; J. M. Johnston, city; Peter Bruner, Mt. Jon; J. W. Bruckhart, Salunga.

J. L. Bruner, of Mount Joy, August Long, of Pittsburgh, Simon Tshudy, of West Willow, were nominated and elected members.

The following names were placed in nomination for officers of the society for the ensuing year:

President—H. H. Tshudy, Lititz; J. B. Long, city; George A. Geyer, Florin.

Vice Presidents—M. L. Greider, Mount Joy; T. Frank Evans, Lititz.

Corresponding Secretary—Joseph R. Trissler, city.

Recording Secretary—J. B. Lichty, city.

Treasurer—John E. Schum, city.

Executive Committee—Peter Bruner, Mt. Joy; J. A. Stober, Schoeneck; Chas. Lippold, city; Wm. A. Schoenberger, city; Dr. E. H. Witmer, Neffsville; A. S. Flowers, Mount Joy; S. G. Engle, Marietta.

The candidates will be balloted for at next meeting.

The secretary stated that he had rented Excelsior hall in which to hold the coming exhibition, and room above for storage of coops, for $60.

Letters were received from Messrs. Bicknell and Besher, the gentleman selected as judges, announcing their acceptance of the position.

The secretary further announced that he had made arrangements with the Pennsylvania railroad for the issue of excursion tickets during the exhibition.

Joseph R. Trissler was appointed superintendent of the exhibition, he to devote his whole time to it, and to be paid therefor.

Adjourned.

OBITUARY.

Sudden Death of Philip Gast.

Philip Gast, tailor and cutter, residing at 222 West James street, died on Sunday night from a stroke of apoplexy with which he was visited on Saturday morning. Mr. Gast was a German by birth. He came to this country when a small child. He was a brother of Christian, Henry and Conard Gast, of this city, and of Frederick Gast, of California He leaves a family of one son and seven daughters. He was a member of Lancaster Lodge I. O. O. F., and perhaps of some other beneficial societies. He was about 64 years of age, was an excellent workman, and was employed as a cutter by some of the best clothing houses in this city. He had been in failing health for some time past, but nothing serious was apprehended until he was stricken down on Saturday. He will be missed by a large circle of warm friends and acquaintances. His funeral will take place on Wednesday at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment at Lancaster cemetery.

Sudden Death of Josiah Burgess.

Josiah Burgess, a well-known farmer residing in Providence township, below the Union hotel, died suddenly on Saturday morning. He had been in apparently good health, up to a very short time before his death, when he was attacked with neuralgia or cramp in the stomach, and died while sitting in his chair. He was a man in good circumstances, about 60 years of age, and leaves a wife and an adopted daughter. He never had any children of his own. His funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

A Hundred Short.

Mr. Henry E. Shimp, who was one of the Democratic candidates for Assembly in the Northern district of the county at the recent election, informs us that in the computation of the vote cast for him a mistake of one hundred was made, and that he should have been credited with 4,369 instead of 4,269, as printed in the returns. We gladly make the correction, and may add the wish that the additional 100 were enough to change the result and send our good Democratic friend to the Legislature.

Miss Sharp, the Revivalist.

Miss Lizzie Sharp, who labored so successfully in the revival at the Duke street M. E. church, ended her labors there last evening before a very large and deeply interested congregation. She goes to Philadelphia to engage in revival work in that city.

THE JURY WHEELS.

FIRST NAMES FROM THE NEW FILLING

The Last Drawing By the Old Commissioners—The List of Jurors to Serve in Courts of Quarter Sessions and Common Pleas.

On Saturday afternoon, Jury Commissioners Ringwalt and Hartman drew from the jury wheel the names of the following parties to serve as jurors in the January and February courts The names are drawn by the old commissioners, as the new ones do not take their offices until the 1st of January. This wheel was filled by the old commissioners, but the remaining jurors for the year will be drawn by the new ones. At the expiration of their terms they will fill the wheel for their successor.

Twenty-Four Grand Jurors, Jan. 15.

Edwin Hopton, innkeeper, W. Hempfield.
Chas. Grove, liquor dealer, Columbia.
Robert Baldwin, merchant, Salisbury.
Joseph Penrose, gentleman, Drumore.
Henry Baker, farmer, Cocalico.
Benj. Workman, gentleman, Elizabeth.
J. M. Bleuensderfer, farmer, E. Hempfield.
Joseph P. Ambler, farmer, Drumore.
Amos Barclo, clerk, Columbia.
Henry S. Garber, farmer, Mt. Joy bor.
G. Mengle, shoe merchant, Manheim bor.
Hiram L. Bachman, clerk, Columbia.
Ephraim Hershey, gentleman, Columbia.
P. M. Eberly, farmer, E. Cocalico.
Samuel Erisman, carpenter, 2d ward, city.
Levi Sener, farmer, E. Hempfield.
C. E. Graybill, forwarder, Columbia.
Joseph Bishop, farmer, Mt. Joy twp.
John J. Coulter, farmer, Bart.
Robt. K. McCullough, farmer, Fulton.
Sam'l Weleans, bricklayer, E. Donegal.
Wm. F. Jenkins, farmer, Fulton.
J. F. Sener, lumberman, Manheim twp.
Martin Kerr, butcher, Brecknock.

Petit Jurors for January 15.

Jacob Ulrich, gentleman, Mt. Joy bor.
Jacob E. Creamer, restaurateur, 1st ward, city.
John Yundt, butcher, Brecknock.
Jerome B. Shultz, tailor, Elizabethtown.
Samuel Huber, boiler-maker, 8th ward, city.
Jacob Dyer, merchant, Elizabethtown.
Nathan F. Hartman, teamster, Adamstown.
James W. Lape, farmer, E. Cocalico.
G. E. Fahnestock, merchant, 6th ward, city.
John McKillips, gentleman, 9th ward, city.
Jacob Bork, shoemaker, 8th ward, city.
Isaac Wertz, farmer, Martic.
Wm. Dietrich, drover, E. Hempfield.
John M. Weaver, farmer, Mt. Joy twp.
Francis Kilburn, reporter, 2d ward, city.
Hanson B. Ambler, farmer, Martic.
Wm. H. Gorrecht, foreman, 5th ward, city.
B. F. Weaver, farmer, Salisbury.
Andrew E. Shimp, farmer, E. Cocalico.
G. Alfred Grove, painter, Columbia.
Henry Cohn, conductor, Columbia.
Levi Watts, merchant, E. Earl.
Jacob R. Myers, farmer, Manor.
John L. Martin, merchant, 5th ward, city.
John A. Bausman, insurance, 8th ward, city.
Jacob Souders, justice, Mt. Joy twp.
Christian Strawbridge, rake-maker, Columbia.
Morris W. Groff, butcher, Conestoga.
John M. Stern, farmer, Mt. Joy twp.
Henry B. Shreiner, farmer, Manheim.
Israel Johns, farmer, Leacock.
Christian Mattern, saloon-keeper, 6th ward, city.
John Minnich, farmer, W. Hempfield.
John S. Barner, farmer, Martic.
R. E. Shober, miller, Brecknock.
Henry H. Heidler, tobacconist, Columbia.
Wm. C. Peters, carpenter, Drumore.
Aaron G. Good, farmer, Leacock.
Jacob Wise, farmer, Salisbury.
Cyrus Bruner, lumberman, Columbia.
Abraham F. Strickler, farmer, Pequea.
Marshall Nixon, farmer, Salisbury.
H. H. Heise, hardware, Columbia.
George Tille, grocer, Columbia.
John Evans, drover, Warwick.
J. S. Snyder, shoe-dealer, Columbia.
Henry Doerr, butcher, 1st ward, city.
Adam Konigmacher, tanner, Ephrata.

Common Pleas—January 22.

John B. Slough, inn-keeper, 1st ward, city.
G. W. Cormeny, blacksmith, 4th ward, city.
Henry S. Shertz, saddler, Salisbury.
David S. McGee, justice, Little Britain
George Campbell, farmer, Martic.
Davis A. Brown, farmer, Fulton.
David M. Leisey, butcher, W. Cocalico
John R. Bricker, lumberman, Warwick.
C. W. Stevenson, clerk, Columbia
Rufus Kline, farmer, Clay.
Henry B. Buch, coachmaker, Warwick.
Casper Forrest, laborer, 5th ward, city.
Fred'k Williams, druggist, Columbia.
Sam'l J. Beard, justice, Penn.
George H. Smith, lamplighter, Providence
Wm. Roberts, shoemaker, W. Hempfield
J. H. H. Butler, laborer, 7th ward, city.
Theo. Cyde, machinist, Columbia.
David Metzler, farmer, Conoy.
C. L. Hunsecker, gentleman, Manheim twp.
Jos. Harkness, merchant, Little Britain
James A. Lynch, farmer, W. Donegal.
Wm. Conner, locksmith, 6th ward, city.
J. Agnew Irwin, blacksmith, Paradise.
John B. Moore, miller, Rapho.
Emanuel Kunkle, farmer, Drumore.
Richard Blickenderfer, foundryman, 1st ward, city.
B. F. Weidler, painter, U. Leacock.
Curtis Miller, farmer, Clay.
John Ammon, blacksmith, E. Earl.
Joseph Roop, inn-keeper, Colerain.
John P. Gable, saddler, W. Hempfield.
H. H. Aument, farmer, Drumore.
Henry H. Deitrich, merchant, W. Lampeter.
John L. Brandt, farmer, Rapho.
David Good, farmer, Conestoga.
Peter Z. Hershey, farmer, Penn.
August Buck, shoemaker, Earl.
W. W. Busser, teacher, Leacock.
Alex. Dysart, shoemaker, Mt. Joy bor.
Henry Snoll, tavern-keeper, Columbia.
John Hamilton, teacher, Rapho.
John H. Swarr, farmer, E. Hempfield.
Jacob Seiple, farmer, Washington bor.
Jacob Gundaker, auctioneer, 3d ward, city.
Jacob N. Groff, farmer, Paradise.
B. L. Hess, auctioneer, Lancaster twp.
Wm. B. Redding, clerk, E. Cocalico.
Charles H. Kreider, clerk, 3d ward, city.
Elias Eby, farmer, Rapho.

Common Pleas, Jan. 29.

Jesse Harner, farmer, Martic.
John M. McCulley, merchant, 6th ward, city.
Wm. Carter, coal merchant, Ephrata.
Eli W. Martin, farmer, Earl.
T. M. Patterson, farmer, Little Britain.
Jacob S. Hershey, farmer, Penn.
J. W. Hart, coach painter, 8th ward, city
Fred'k Wolf, barber, 1st ward, city.
Isaac Serkes, farmer, Conoy.
John C. Clark, clerk, Columbia.
Wm. Krauss, coachmaker, W. Cocalico.
John Christy, shoemaker, W. Hempfield.
John A. Stober, justice, W. Cocalico.
Thos. F. McElligott, reporter, 2d ward, city
Jacob Zecher, coachmaker, 6th ward, city.
Abm. M. Morrow, wheelwright, Carnarvon.
John M. Breneman, mason, Warwick.
A. R. Myers, merchant, W. Hempfield.
Isaac Lichty, farmer, Paradise.
Morris Zook, tanner, 4th ward, city.
John S. Hoover, farmer, W. Hempfield.
George H. Rumple, hardware, Columbia.
W. W. Greist, clerk, 4th ward, city.
Joel L. Lightner, farmer, E. Lampeter.
J. Hoover Hamilton, clerk, Salisbury.
Benj. Shertzer, farmer, Washington.
Samuel D. Graybill, miller, W. Earl.
Anthony F. Biehl, plumber, 2d ward, city.
John H. Sollenberger, farmer, Brecknock.
Henry Brock, shoemaker, 8th ward, city.
A. A. Regan, innkeeper, Conestoga.
B. B. Flickinger, justice, W. Cocalico.
D. K. Burkholder, farmer, Manheim twp.
Chas. M. Brown, ex-justice, E. Donegal.
R. F. Mullen, clerk, Columbia.
Isaac M. Coover, mason, Rapho.
W. T. Coulman, blacksmith, Fulton.
Cooper Knight, machinist 6th ward, city.
Levi Overholtzer, farmer, Salisbury.
Christian S. Eckman, carpenter, Salisbury.
Henry E. Hershey, farmer, Penn.
G. S. Truman, merchant, Colerain.
Henry Shelly, farmer, Rapho.
Daniel Weidman, farmer, Clay.
George Eaby, gentleman, Rapho.
P. W. Gorrecht, clerk, 9th ward, city.
Reuben Keller, farmer, Ephrata.
S. S. Hess, supervisor, Strasburg, twp.
Levi S. Haldeman, clerk, Marietta.
W. H. Hogendobler, carpenter, Columbia.

Common Pleas, February 5.

Abram R. Graybill, farmer, W. Earl.
Fred'k Hoffman, tailor, W. Cocalico.
John Carter, blacksmith, Drumore.
John Shertzer, weaver, E. Donegal.
Abram B. Huber, farmer, Manheim.
Abram Reese, laborer, Providence.
George W. Zecher, grocer, 6th ward, city.
J. Wesley Bazer, blacksmith, Cocalico E.
John C. Lichty, blacksmith, 2d ward, city.
Jeremiah Dermer, mason, Columbia
John Leeds, farmer, Cocalico.
C. A. Derrick, farmer, Martic
Wm. Eckernan, tailor, 1st ward, city.
Amos Harnish, coachmaker, Columbia.
Barton M. Weaver, farmer, E. Earl.
Amos Ringwalt, saddler, 2d ward, city.
J. Luther Hayes, carpenter, E. Donegal.
F. W. Sensenig, farmer, E. Earl.
Clayton F. Myers, treasurer, 1st ward, city.
Peter Albright, laborer, 8th ward, city.
Jacob Nissley, cooper, Rapho.
B. F. Reed, farmer, Bart.
Isaac Mulliken, mason, Strasburg bor.
N. N. Hensel, wheelwright, Drumore.
Cyrus Singerfield, coachmaker, Salisbury.
Ebenezer Killian, laborer, Ephrata.
Henry N. Snyder, cigarmaker, Manor.
Henry Eckman, laborer, Providence.
John W. Urban, merchant, Conestoga.
Fred'k Smith, gentleman, Conoy.
Frank Karks, laborer, 8th ward, city.
Daniel S. Will, farmer, W. Donegal.
J. Martin Good, farmer, Bart.
Albert Bowman, saddler, Ephrata.
Henry C. Miller, farmer, E. Hempfield.
Jacob Greenwalt, agent, 1st ward, city.
Amos Hershey, merchant, Leacock.
H. H. Gingrich, clerk, Manheim.
Nelson Wolfskill, ex-constable, Cocalico.
E. K. Stettler, justice, W. Lampeter.
Moses Riehl, farmer, U. Leacock.
Fred'k H. Gantz, farmer, Rapho.
Simon F. Albright, justice, E. Donegal.
Ephraim Meiskey, farmer, W. Hempfield.
M. M. Fillis, assessor, Warwick.
Fred'k A. Fenstermacher, shoemaker, Manor.
John Cassell, carriagemaker, W. Lampeter.
Barton N. Winters, inn-keeper, Ephrata.
Philip Kuhlman, gardner, 7th ward, city.
Barton Meguire, cigarmaker, 5th ward, city.

Common Pleas, February 12.

Wm B. Rineer, farmer, Colerain.
Benj. J. Eberly, hardware, Mt. Joy bor.
Elias Bard, farmer, U. Leacock.
Adolph Albert, merchant, 2d ward, city.
Jacob R. Bachman, farmer, E. Lampeter.
B. K. Shultz, coal-dealer, Washington bor.
George T. Grosh, cooper, E. Donegal.
Samuel F. Gruel, ice-dealer, 4th ward, city.
Philip Maxwell, farmer, Fulton.
Joseph A. Eck, miller, Columbia.
Isaac Kauffman, farmer, W. Hempfield
George T. Guyer, auctioneer, Warwick
Amos Dembach, farmer, Manor.
Henry B. Hersney, dealer, Salisbury.
Henry Wilhelm, engineer, 4th ward, city.
E. B. Herr, farmer, Manor.
G. J. P. Raub, merchant, Eden.
J. H. Buckwalter, miller, Upper Leacock.
G. W. Mehaffey, gentleman, Marietta.
E. H. Rhodes, cabinet-maker, E. Cocalico.
Wm. Axe, jr., laborer, Salisbury.
Wm. Smith, sr., cigar-maker, Earl.
Henry Nagle, assessor, Earl.
John H. Barnes, printer, 3d ward, city.
Jacob M. Eby, justice, Paradise.
Adam B. Long, farmer, Manheim twp.
Daniel Hess, jr., farmer, Conestoga.
Jacob M. Musselman, farmer, E. Hempfield.
Henry L. Landis, farmer, Manheim twp.
Henry Weidley, tinsmith, Drumore.
Jonathan Stewart, carpenter, E. Hempfield.
Theodore Hiestand, lumber, Marietta.
Geo. J. Diller, jr., merchant, 4th ward, city.
Andrew Stoner, farmer, Conoy.
Jos. Forrest, sr., coppersmith, 7th ward, city.
Jacob Thompson, farmer, Bart.
Jacob Bachman, gentleman, Strasburg.
E. Gochenauer, farmer, E. Hempfield.
Jacob A. Bush, merchant, Warwick.
Wm. Kahl, brickmaker, 9th ward, city.
J. Frank Bell, tailor, E. Hempfield.
Martin Hoover, laborer, Pequa.
Wm. McFalls, wood dealer, Providence.
George Crane, clerk, Columbia.
Adam Dennison, farmer, Conoy.
John Wolf, coachmaker, Rapho.
Wm. McMullen, drover, Providence.
David Myers, farmer, W. Donegal.
Samuel A. Reese, farmer, Eden.
Adam Keene, farmer, Eden.

THE DRAMA.

Modjeska as "Adrienne Lecouvreur."

Helena Modjeska is a great actress. Such is the verdict that the world long since rendered upon her capacity; such was the judgment given with doubled emphasis by the audience who witnessed her superb performance in Fulton opera house on Saturday evening. It was an uncommonly brilliant assemblage that thronged the opera house upon the occasion of the visit of the famous Polish woman, whose life reads like a romance, and whose achievements form part of the contemporaneous history of the drama; an audience representative of the wealth, fashion and highest culture of the community, and one that was as attractive to look upon as it was complimentary to the distinguished stranger who made her introductory appearance among us after such a heralding of trumpets as is rarely surpassed in managerial art. Popular expectation was raised to its highest pitch. It is a great compliment then to the actress to say that the expectation was fulfilled to round proportions. The play was "Adrienne Lecouvreur," so a pleasant kind of a piece at all; French folly and *liaison* are closely interwoven with its theme, which is that of pure and devoted love failing of its fruition, and the development of its events operates as a tension upon the feelings of the spectator that is only broken here and there by the glimpse one is afforded of the depth of love and devotion which a woman's heart is capable of bestowing upon even an unworthy object. For *DeSaxe*, upon whom this true-hearted woman lavishes the wealth of her affection, is a cowardly sort of person, the recital of whose deeds of valor upon the battlefield sounds strangely in contrast with his treatment of *Adrienne*, which is lamentablyshort of the stature of manhood that might be looked for in such a soldier and a hero. But as to Mme. Modjeska's interpretation of the title role as conceived by the author there is scarcely room for division of sentiment. It is a masterpiece of dramatic art, complete in its structure, finished in its every component, and beautiful to look upon. Each outline is as sharply defined as though chiseled from the polished marble, and upon it is stamped the imprint of genius, while there is an indefinable charm, a beauty and delicacy of finish in every phase of the creation that gratifies the sense and fills the measure of a perfect and completed whole. Modjeska does not glitter and sparkle in her acting; her work glows with a steady lambent light, like unto the vestal flame of old, whose lustre is never dimmed; though the fire may ever and anon take on increased intensity, there