COLUMBIA NEWS.

OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENCE.

A Man Arrested for Selling Advertisement Bills as Money—Police Cases—Notes of the Town.

James Grimes, of Marietta, was arrested here yesterday by Officer Wittick, charged with passing as money cleverly executed advertisement bills, which were issued by a cotton manufacturing firm of Manayunk, Pa. The bills have all the appearance of bona fide five dollar bills to a careless glace. A number of them were found on Grimes' clothing. At last night's hearing 'Squire Patton committed him to prison for trial in default of bail, but this morning Mr. Abram Collins, of Marietta, became his surety. The latter says Grimes is of unsound mind, rendered so by failure in business, he having formerly been a storekeeper at Collins' station. Officer Wittick has obtained evidence that Grimes sold four of these bills for $10. The case will be settled in court.

Town Notes.

The body of the late William Hiteshue, was taken to Uniontown, Md., for interment.

The remains of the late Ernest Hildebrandt were buried from Trinity Catholic church. The Catholic society of St. Peter turned out in full regalia to the funeral.

The following vestrymen have been selected for the term of one year by St. Paul's P. E. church congregation: Messrs. H. M. North, S. S. Detwiler, George H. Richards, Geo. W. Halderman, D. I. Bruner, M. D. and A. J. Kauffman.

The fair of the Columbia fire company opened last evening. The attendance was not large. The hall is beautifully decorated. Round the sides are the supper tables and stands, and in the centre of the hall is the large cake table. To-morrow the supper will be held between the hours of 5 and 8 p. m.

Police Cases.

James Shank and Charles Rost, of Marietta, who committed an assault and battery upon James Beach on Monday were discharged on payment of the costs.

Officer Wittick has returned from Baltimore, having there arrested a woman who had stolen jewelry in Buffalo, N. Y. The prisoner was turned over to a Buffalo policeman for further disposition.

Harry Kramer knocked down a drunken colored man named Jacob Yelletts on Fifth street Monday evening. Kramer appeared before 'Squire Patton and was dismissed on paying the costs. He then cross suited Yelletts, who, he affirmed, had threatened to give him "a dose of cold lead." Yelletts was sent below for six days.

Condensed Items.

Frank McFall's friends presented him with an easy chair last evening on the occasion of his 42d birthday.—Silver walk at First African Baptist church May 20.—Orion lodge of Odd Fellows to-night.—A P. R. R. call boy recently ate 60 raw oysters.—Handsome base ball suits of Columbia club cost 48.—Patrick Somers, a guest of W. H. Somers, has returned to Kansas—Ironville band fair cleared over $100 first two evenings.—Rev. Moran's lecture on "Fatherland" at opera house to-morrow evening.

Came to Hear Election Returns.

For several days past a gang of men have been busy billing the town for Forepaugh's circus. On Monday evening one of the party was working on the Harrisburg pike near the city limits when he was approached by a stranger who asked him to exchange clothes. He said he had broken jail here some months ago and desired to get into town to see his family. If he wore the clothes that he then had the officers would catch him. The circus man pitied the fellow and agreed to his proposition. They exchanged clothing and the jail breaker was given a bucket and brush to carry. They got in safely, and after spending several hours in the city the stranger again put on his own clothing and left town. He refused to give his name, but stated that when the story of his stealing clothing got around the boys would know who he was. It is believed that it was Johnny Wertz, who has been a bill poster himself for many years, and that he visited town to see who was elected prison keeper.

Two Bad Girls.

This morning Clara Jane Haverstick, aged 16 years, and Genevieve Grush, who is some years younger were taken before Judge Livingston and Patterson, with a view to having them sent to the house of refuge, as they are incorrigible. The parents of the former reside in Manheim township, but of late she has been at the almshouse. Her father complained against her. John Brock, steward of the almshouse, complained against the Grush girl who has been given into his hands, but was uncontrolable. The character of the Haverstick girl was shown to be so bad that she would not be admitted to the house of refuge, and the court refused to send her. Her companion was sent down.

Conscience-Stricken After Twenty Years.

Twenty years ago James Hutchinson, of Springtown, Bucks county, gave an acquaintance ten cents and requested him to bring a package of tobacco along from the store to which the man was going. He brought the package and the affair was forgotten until last week, when the man wrote to Mr. Hutchinson, inclosing twenty five cents and a postal card, which he said was in payment for one cent change which he had received and had failed to return twenty years ago, the tobacco being only nine cents. He further stated he had joined the Dunkard church, and his conscience would give him no rest until he had returned it with full interest.

Complimenting.

The soldier friends of M. V. B. Keller, the nominee for clerk of orphans court, are sending him congratulations from all quarters, the Democrats visiting with the Republicans in complimenting him on his handsome vote. For a one-legged and one-armed soldier Mart certainly made a good race.

Discharged on a Writ.

This morning John Hartman, a boy who was sent to jail by Squire Frank, on last Thursday for 10 days for train riding, was taken before Judge Patterson on a writ of habeas corpus, and discharged, no one opposing the application.

Mayor's Court.

The mayor this morning discharged two vagrants, committed two disorderlies and left off one drunken fellow who was thoughtful enough to have saved $2.02 with which to pay the mayor's and constable's cost."

Changing the Electric Light.

Workmen are to-day engaged putting brackets on the electric light poles, on which the lights will be hung hereafter instead of being suspended in the middle of the street.

Amusements.

The Emma Abbott Opera.—Those who have any choice in seats will do well to be on hand to-day at the office of the opera house, for the interest aroused by the announced coming of Emma Abbott and her great double company is very marked. There seems to be quite an excitement accompanying Abbott this season, and it has reached here already. She has known success for five years, but never anything to this, if the universal statement of the press is true, especially where the company remains a whole week. Its remarkable excellence is its best advertisement. Few performances are to be given here, "Bohemian Girl" at matinee and "King For a Day" in the evening. They are to be in Washington next week.

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DEATHS.

SHEIRICH.—Near Rohrerstown, on April 14, 1884, Mr. Abraham Sheirich, in the 75d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, on Thursday, April 17th, at 9 o'clock in the morning, at the house, and at 10 o'clock, in the Lutheran church, at Rohrerstown. al5 2*

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SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THE COLlection of state and county taxes for 1884 in the East and West wards of Lancaster city, will be received at the office of the county commissioners until 12 o'clock, noon, MONDAY, APRIL 28, 1884. By order of THE BOARD. Attest: FRANK GEIST, Clerk. a16-10td

ESTATE OF CATHARINE KANE, LATE of the city of Lancaster, deceased. Letters of administration on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing in the city of Lancaster. JNO. A. COYLE, a15 6t Wd Administrator.

ESTATE OF CATHARINE E. KENNEDY, late of Lancaster City, Pa., deceased.—Letters testamentary on said estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same, will present them without delay for settlement to the undersigned, residing in Lancaster City, Pa. SUSAN W. BARNES, Executrix. GEO. A. LANE, Att'y. m1-6tdoaw

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The business of the firm will be continued as heretofore, under the same firm name of Geo. M. Steinman & Co., by the undersigned, who feel deeply grateful to the public for their extensive patronage, and hope, by a continuance of their former methods and policy of business, and by strict attention to the wants of their customers, to retain their confidence and good-will. GEO. M. FRANKLIN, GEORGE STEINMAN. a3-W,S6w&w

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SECOND EDITION.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 16, 1884

THE REPUBLICANS.

THE CLANS IN CONVENTION TO-DAY.

Marked Struggles and Scrambles for Place—Brosius' Boom, and How He Would and Wouldn't be a Candidate Again—The Lancaster Delegates—Cooper Re-elected Chairman.

Special Dispatch to the INTELLIGENCER.

HARRISBURG, April 16, 9 A. M.—The day opened bright and beautiful for the Republican state convention, the weather being in striking contrast with that which pelted the Democratic delegates in Allentown a week ago. There are more signs of a struggle for place here than there were there, the scramble for the nomination of congressman-at-large being particularly noticeable. Gens. Osborne and Lilly have opened headquarters and the members of their train-bands straggle around displaying the badges of their favorites; ex Attorney Gen. Lear is here inviting the nomination to come to Doylestown; but the funniest thing in the canvas is the relation of our own Brosius to it. It seems that he has steadily said he would not be a candidate, and the other ambitious placemen eagerly took him at his word, and candidates like Osborne,—who represents the G. A. R. and military elements of his party,—and Lilly, who would roll a bar'l into the campaign and wave his red vest at the head of the column, brought themselves out relying on Brosius to stay out of the fight. Meantime it was quietly whispered among Brosius' friends that if the convention named him he could not, dare not, would not, decline. Harry Schroyer and 'Squire Spurrier took charge of his boom and it was making rapid headway when it encountered the serious protests of Osborne, Cooper, Quay, Lilly and others, who maintained that it was bad faith to revive the Brosius business, inasmuch as the other candidates had only made themselves such after his unmistakable declination was given out. Brosius himself was telegraphed to and answered in a lengthy message, which only plunged the Lancaster delegates into deeper embarrassment. It seemed to intimate his entire willingness to accept and even disclosed a faint anxiety for the nomination, while at the same time it did not render his candidacy possible without a charge of shuffling and bad faith toward those who had become candidates on the basis of his previous withdrawal. This is a convention of practical politicians who can easily find willing candidates for all the places, and who are glad to take declinations in real earnest. As the Lancaster county body here does not sympathize strongly with Mr. Brosius' sentimentality in politics his boom was carefully laid away in lavender.

The Lancaster county delegates had a meeting at the Lochiel hotel at 9:15 a. m. Collector A. J. Kauffman turned up as a substitute for Landis from the Upper district. It leaked out that Peter J. Roebuck had offered to sacrifice himself as a candidate for congressman at large, but had received a very large slice of cold sholder from 'Squire Spurrier and other members of his home delegation.

For elector John I. Hartman and J. P. Wickersham were candidates before the conference and when the delegates went in it was understood that they stood three to four, and one doubtful, as follows:

For Wickersham: Coble, Roebuck, Long and Musselman.

For Hartman: Schroyer, Yocum and Spurrier.

Geo. Calder, who had been juggled out of the place four years ago by Geist's opposition, could have been chosen, but he sent a peremptory declination.

Kauffman weakened on the too numerous Hartman family and as Yocum's name was called last he "caught on" to the majority and Wickersham won by 6 to 2.

For members of the state committee the conference selected J. Hay Brown, from the Lower senatorial district, and John Roland, of New Holland, from the Upper.

The popular nominations of L. S. Hartman and E. L. Reinhold as delegates to the national convention were ratified. W. U. H.

A CUT AND DRIED PROGRAMME

Some Kicking Indulged in Against Appointments.

Special Dispatch to the INTELLIGENCER.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 16.—Upon assembling it was seen that the Republican convention lacked the interest and popular attendance visible at Allentown. The machine programme ran along smoothly. Waddell was elected temporary chairman and made a spiritless speech, which was lamely received. According to the cut and dried programme a committee of nine was appointed on the Allegheny contest, consisting of Stewart, Longenecker, Merrick and Jadwin, Half-Breeds; and Huff, Reeder, Losch and Lane, Stalwarts. Bowers, the other member, is not classified, but is supposed to be for Magee. Upon a call for committees Long and Yocum, of Lancaster, were appointed on resolutions and Spurrier and Roebuck on organization.

A rather fresh delegate from Butler, named Steve Harley, precipitated matters and obstructed the machine and its free operation by introducing, amid the applause of the packed galleries, a resolution declaring and instructing for Blaine and Lincoln. It met with mild opposition; but Bayne and other Blaine men compelled a decision and show of hands. The Philadelphia and a few scattering delegates sullenly opposed it, and the vote announced was 200 ayes to 37 noes. Elliott, of Allegheny, was violently hissed for declaring for Lincoln but against Blaine. When the chair announced Snowden, of Philadelphia, chairman of the resolutions committee and Rowan of the committee on organization, Bayne and others kicked and demanded the right of the committee to name the chairman. A motion to that effect, however, was laid on the table. Recess was then taken until 12:30 p. m. W. U. H.

Cooper Re-elected—Brosius' Boom Reviving.

1:57 P. M.—Galusha A. Grow has been elected permanent chairman. In accepting the chair he made a prolix speech. Cooper has been unanimously re-elected state chairman. The Brosius boom is reviving.

The convention is now waiting on the resolutions and credentials committees.

Still Waiting.

2:30 P. M.—The convention is still awaiting reports. A proposition has been introduced to base representation hereafter on the party vote. Bayne made a speech for it, as did also Collector Andy Kauffman. It was opposed by Quay and finally laid on the table by a vote of 143 to 84.

The Resolutions Adopted.

2:50 P. M.—The resolutions reported attack the Democratic state administration; favor protection; applaud party harmony; ask for a fair and free ballot; recommend gold standard coinage, and the trade dollar retirement; commend Arthur; sustain civil service reform, and declare and instruct delegates at-large for Blaine and Lincoln. W. U. H.

A LARGE CONVENTION.

How the Delegates Got to Order.

By Associated Press.

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 16.—The weather this morning was an agreeable disappointment to the people attending the convention. The sun shone brightly and the air was warm and pleasant in the opera house where the Republican convention was held. The stage was filled with visiting statesmen and reporters long before the delegates settled in their places.

Cooper Calls the Convention to Order.

At 10:25 the usual brass band was silenced and Chairman Cooper rapped the convention to order. After roll call the only contest announced was that from the Fourth Allegheny district. Ex Senator Waddell, of Chester, was made temporary chairman and in his opening speech strongly advocated harmony in the party arrangement.

The order of business was then agreed upon as follows: Appointment of committee on contested seats, committee on organization, committee on resolutions, permanent organization, election of state central committee, election of delegates at large, election of electors at large and ballot for congressman at large.

Blaine for President.

After the appointment of committees Harley, of Butler, moved that the committee on resolutions be instructed to report a resolution naming Blaine for president and Lincoln for vice president. Keller, of Centre, moved to amend so as to instruct the delegates at-large also to vote for Blaine. Harley accepted the amendment and the motion as amended was passed by a vote of 200, to 37 negative; the latter came one from Allegheny and the rest nearly all from Philadelphia. A motion to have the name of Lincoln stricken out, because to make him vice president now would be to injure his prospects for the presidency four years hence, was ruled out of order. The chair then appointed Elwood Rowan chairman of the committee on permanent organization, and A. Lowden Snowden chairman of committee on resolutions. Various committees were then notified where to meet and the convention took a recess for one hour.

Grow on the Tariff

The hour's recess stretched itself out to double that time. Upon reassembling the committee on permanent organization presented a unanimous report nominating Grow for permanent chairman, together with a number of vice presidents and secretaries. The report was adopted and Grow took the chair amid much applause. In reviewing the political situation he dwelt on the tariff issue, characterizing the resolutions passed at Allentown last week as meaningless and deceiving. He was for protective tariff, which would secure the laborer of this country a comfortable living for himself and family. Cheapness of commodities is not to be desired when it comes at the expense of the wages of the laboring man. He argued further that in ninety-nine cases out of one hundred a reduction of duties would not reduce the price of goods to consumers. Free trade, he thought, was merely a logical theory based upon mistaken facts.

The State Committee.

Chas. Emery Smith, editor of the Philadelphia *Press*, then made a eulogistic address in favor of Thomas V. Cooper being retained as chairman of the state committee. A motion to proceed with the election of electors at large was defeated and the work of forming the state committee proceeded. One member from each county was appointed.

A New System.

Bayne, of Allegheny, and Kauffman, of Lancaster, advanced a resolution instituting a system of representation in the Republican state conventions doing away altogether with senatorial delegates, and recommending one delegate for every one thousand voters in each representative district, with one extra representation for each fraction of five hundred or more. After some debate Quay, of Philadelphia, moved to lay the resolution on the table, which was lost.

SWINDLERS TRIPPED UP.

A Case in Pittsburg in Which Some Rogues Came to Grief.

PITTSBURG, Pa., April 16.—Two weeks ago Geo. W. and John Clay, wholesale notion dealers here, confessed judgment for $21,000 to their father, Ephraim Clay, and the store was closed by the sheriff. A few days later Clarence H. Swearinger, of New York, arrived in this city, and finding the store in the sheriff's hands entered suit against Clay Bros. for conspiracy to defraud their creditors. Geo. Clay was arrested in Columbus, Ohio, yesterday in company with J. M. Stringer, alias "Reddy The Fish," a well known character. They had in their possession 59 cases of goods valued at $16,000. They were brought to Pittsburg on requisition and with John Clay were lodged in jail to await a hearing. Swearinger alleges that Clay Bros. obtained goods valued at $40,000 on credit, representing that there were no claims against them and their confessed judgment to their father. A large quantity of the goods was afterwards shipped to Columbus, in Stringer's name, for the purpose of defrauding their creditors. Clay Bros. were released on bail, but Springer is still in jail.

Against Americans in Mexico.

CHICAGO, April 16.—A special from Tracasecas, Mexico, 700 miles south of El Paso, Texas, reports an uprising against the American residents there, in which the Mexican Central railroad was attacked by rioters, who burned bridges and tore up the track for several miles. The governor of Chihuahua called on troops to prevent disorders.

A Preacher Deposed.

UTICA, N. Y., April 16.—Rev. Merritt N. Caprou, of Leyden, Lewes county, formerly of Rome, has been deposed by northern New York Methodist Episcopal conference here on charges of imprudent and immoral conduct and fraud. The investigation lasted nearly a week. Caprou has given notice of appeal.

Excitement Over a Lynching.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 16.—The excitement in Breathitt county, over the lynching of Henry Kilburn and Ben Strong is increasing. Kilburn's friends are gathering in large numbers, and threatening vengeance against lynchers. An outbreak is expected.

A Public Building for Wilkesbarre.

WASHINGTON April 16.—In the Senate to day Mitchell introduced a bill providing for the erection of a public building at Wilkesbarre.

A Long Sentence.

MILFORD, Pa., April 14.—John F. Greeving convicted of murder in the second degree for the killing of Ammie C. Cheever, was to day sentenced to state prison for eleven years and six months, the full sentence. A motion for a new trial has been withdrawn.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—For the Middle Atlantic states, slightly warmer fair weather, preceded in northern portions by light rain, southwest to northwest winds, followed by rising barometer and slight fall in temperature during the night.

MARKETS.

Philadelphia Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—Flour dull and heavy; Superfine State, $2 50@3; Extra do $3 00@3 50; Pa. family, $4 50@4 75; Ohio & Indiana family, $4 50@4 75; Minn. extra, $4 50@5 87; patents, $5 90@6 50; spring do $4@6 62.

Rye flour at $3 50.

Wheat firm, fair demand; No. 2 Western Red, $1 00½@$1 01; No. 3 do, 85½@86c; No. 1 Pa. Red, $1 13½@1 16.

Corn higher on local scarcity; steamer, mixed and yellow, 56@57c; sail yellow and mixed, 55@58c; do mixed and yellow, 54½@57c.

Oats firmer and fairly active; No. 1 White, 42½c; No. 2 do, 41½c; No. 3 do 40½@41c; rejected do, 39@40c; No. 2 mixed, 39@39½c.

Rye steady at 70c.

Seeds—Clover quiet at 9@10c; Timothy dull at $1 40; Flaxseed easier at $1 70@1 72.

Provisions dull; Mess Pork, $18 25@18 50. Beef Hams, $27; India Mess Beef, $23.

Bacon—Smoked Shoulders, 8c; salt do, 7½@7¾c; Smoked Hams, 13½@14½c; pickled do 12½@13c.

Lard dull; city refined at 6¼@6½; loose butchers, 6¼@6½c; prime steam $8 62½@8 70.

Butter dull but lower; Creamery extra, 31@33c; B. C. & N. Y. extra, 27c; firsts, 24@25c; Western extras, 22@23c.

Rolls at 7@8c for low grades; no choice here.

Eggs quiet and easier; Extras, 15@15½c.

Cheese steady but quiet; full creams, 15@15½c; Western do, 13c; do fair to good, 9@10c; Pa. part skims, 5@6½c; do fancy, 7@7½c; do full skims, fresh, 4@5c; old, 2@3c.

Petroleum firm; refined, 8½@8¾c.

Whisky at $1 20.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Flour—State and Western dull and declining; Superfine State, $2 60@3 50; Extra do, $3 15@3 50; Choice do, $3 60@3 00; Fancy do, $3 10@6 50; Round Hoop Ohio, $3 20@4 00; choice, $4 05@6 00; Superfine Western, $2 60@3 25; common to good extra do, $3 15@3 60; choice do, $3 60@6 50; choice White Wheat do, $6 25@6 50. Southern quiet and steady; common to fair extra, $3 20@4 25; good to choice do, $4 30@6 25.

Wheat ½@¾c lower, heavy and irregular; active speculative trading; No. 2 Red, May, $1 00¾@1 01¼c; June, $1 02½@1 03¼; July, $1 03⅞@1 04⅝; Aug., $1 04½@1 04⅞.

Corn ¼@½c lower and heavy; Mixed Western spot, 56@58½c; do future, 57½@60c.

Oats ¼@⅜c lower, including No 2 May, 36⅝c; No. 2 June, 36⅞c; State, 39@46c; Western, 35@45c.

Stock Markets.

Quotations by Reed, McGrann & Co., Bankers, Lancaster, Pa.

	11 A. M.	12 M.	3 P. M.
C. C. & I. C.	....	....	....
Michigan Central	....	....	87
New York Central	113¾	114	114⅛
New Jersey Central	86	85⅛	85⅛
Ohio Central	2½	2½	2½
Del. Lack. & Western	119⅛	118¾	118⅞
Denver & Rio Grande	17⅝	17	17
Erie	21⅞	21⅝	21⅛
Kansas & Texas	18	18⅝	18⅝
Lake Shore	97¼	97¼	97⅝
Chicago & N. W., com.	115⅛	115	115⅛
N. N., Ont. & Western	....	....	9⅝
St. Paul & Omaha	....	....	30⅝
Pacific Mail	51⅛	52⅛	49⅞
Rochester & Pittsburgh	9	9⅝	9⅛
St. Paul	86⅛	86⅛	85⅝
Texas Pacific	18	17⅞	17⅝
Union Pacific	69⅛	69⅛	69⅛
Wabash—Common	11⅛	11⅛	11
Wabash—Preferred	20	19	18⅝
Western Union Telegraph	68⅛	68⅛	67⅝
Louisville & Nashville	47	46⅞	47⅛
N. Y., Chi. & St. L.	8⅛	8	8
Lehigh Valley	70	70	69⅛
Lehigh Navigation	....	....	47⅝
Pennsylvania	60⅛	60⅝	60⅝
Reading	26 1-16	26	25⅞
P. T. & Buffalo	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Northern Pacific—Com.	....	....	22⅛
Northern Pacific—Pref.	47⅛	48	47⅞
Hestonville	....	....	....
Philadelphia & Erie	....	....	....
Northern Central	....	....	....
Underground	....	....	....
Canada Southern	49⅝	49⅝	50
Oil	94⅛	95	94
Poodle's Passenger	....	....	....

New York.

Quotations by Associated Press.

Stocks lower. Money easy at 1¼@2c.

New York Central	113⅞
Erie Railroad	21⅛
Adams Express	131
Michigan Central Railroad	87
Michigan Southern Railroad	97⅝
Illinois Central Railroad	128⅝
Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad	141
Chicago & Rock Island Railroad	120⅝
Pittsburgh & Fort Wayne Railroad	132
Western Union Telegraph Company	68⅛
Toledo & Wabash	11⅛
New Jersey Central	85⅝
New York Ontario & Western	9⅝

Philadelphia.

Quotations by Associated Press.

Stocks steady and dull.

Philadelphia & Erie R. R.	18
Reading Railroad	26⅛
Pennsylvania Railroad	60⅝
Lehigh Valley Railroad	70
United Companies of New Jersey	192⅛
Northern Pacific	22⅛
Northern Pacific Preferred	48
Northern Central Railroad	66⅝
Lehigh Navigation Company	48