COLUMBIA NEWS.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

The lockup had seven lodgers last night.

Warrants are out for the arrest of Charles Hippey and Charles Casey for boarding the Columbia accommodation.

The brick work of the new Reading & Columbia warehouse is being painted.

Work on the transfer freight station of the P. R. R. was begun this morning.

"Houses wanted!" is a cry in Columbia, which is not answered, notwithstanding the fact that many have been erected this spring and summer. Mr. J. C. Pfahler is erecting a double house on Locust above Fifth street.

On Monday, at Chickies rock, Miss Elsie Swartz lost her gold necklace.

A match game of ball was played yesterday morning, between the Stars and a picked nine. The latter were defeated by a score of 18 to 6.

The Columbia bicycle club has received part of its uniforms.

A party of thirty-five, yesterday at 4 p. m., went to a point above Wrightsville and fished until 10 p. m., having an enjoyable time.

"Gazelle" is the name the Columbia boat club gave their new boat.

The M. E. campmeeting begins on July 22nd, at Landisville. Excursion tickets sold on July 19th, are good until August 2nd inclusive.

A lecture on slavery will be delivered in the First African Baptist church, to morrow evening, by Mrs. Levi Boze, assisted by Rev. Binkly.

Columbia should respond to the appeal for and made by York, for her flood sufferers. The managers of the Columbia base ball club, will donate the gate receipts of a match game of ball, played on any day but Saturday, providing they can get a club to visit Columbia that will be willing to pay half of its own expenses. The other half the home nine will pay.

Personal.

Mr. Harry Upp has for a guest Mr Geo. R. Kelly, of Pittsburg.

Mr. H. C. Young, has erected a street lamp in front of his wall paper store, that adds greatly to lighting up that part of Locust street.

Miss Carrie Druckenmiller, of Mount Joy, is the guest of Mrs. F. P. D. Miller.

Accidents.

Landis Wanbaugh, had his right leg severely sprained yesterday, by six joists falling thereon.

A. C. Newcomer, by the fall of a heavy plank on his right hand yesterday, had the forefinger severely mashed.

Not a Forgery.

This afternoon was the time set for the hearing of Amos B. Hostetter, before Alderman Barr on the charge of forging the name of Benjamin L. Denlinger. J. Hay Brown, counsel for the Fulton national bank made a statement. He told the reason why the bank made the complaint, which has been published before. They were now convinced that Denlinger signed the note and there was no forgery. Hostetter was discharged, and the bank will take steps to recover the money of Denlinger.

Not Yet Burning.

The electric lighting apparatus is still in bad condition.—61 of the 120 lamps being reported not burning last night. Only two o' the gasoline lamps were reported out.

Excursion and Picnic.

Rev. Father Rauf has arranged an excursion and picnic at the famous Mount Gretna park on the Lebanon & Cornwall railroad, on Monday, July 21, 1884.

Reformed Sunday School Picnic

The Sunday schools connected with the First and St. Paul's Reformed churches will hold a union picnic at Rocky Springs to-morrow. Conveyances will leave the respective churches between 7 and 8 o'clock a. m. and 1 p. m.

Picnic at Lititz.

Grace Lutheran Sunday school will picnic at Lititz Springs to-morrow. They will reach the grounds via the Reading railroad. A large attendance and a pleasant time are anticipated.

St. Stephen's Sunday School Picnic.

The annual picnic of St. Stephen's Lutheran Sunday school will be held to-morrow (Thursday) at Tell's Dam. Omnibusses will leave the church, corner of South Duke and Church streets, at 8 a. m. and 1 p. m. All friends of the Sunday school are desired to join the picnic and give the children a pleasant holiday.

Ferris' Bros. Lancaster City and County Directory.

Business men and others who have not yet availed themselves of the opportunities offered for advertising in or subscribing to the above book, are requested to give the matter immediate attention, as the canvass of Lancaster city is nearly completed. The price of the book to *subscribers* is $2.50. It will cost $3 when offered for sale after publication, and but few copies will be issued beyond the number required by subscribers and advertisers.

Parties removing their residence or making change in business location or firm name, will confer a favor by reporting same to the office.

FERRIS BROS.,
11 South Prince street.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

Time is Money.

Time and money will be saved by keeping Kidney-Wort in the house. It is an invaluable remedy for all disorders of the Kidneys, Liver and bowels and for all diseases arising from obstructions of those organs. It has cured many obstinate cases after hundreds of dollars had been paid to physicians without obtaining relief. It cures Constipation, Piles, Biliousness and all kindred disorders. Keep it by you.

For Lame Back, Side or Chest, use SHOLOH'S POROUS PLASTER. Price, 25 cents. Sold by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street, Lancaster. (2)

Hopeless Epilepsy Cured.

"The doctors pronounced my case to be on of hopeless epilepsy," says our correspondent, W. C. Browning, Attorney at-Law, Judsonia, Ark., "and declared death to be my only relief. *Samaritan Nervine* has cured me." Get at druggists. $1.50. jy8 1wdeod&w

To Repair Damages.

Dear lady, there is probably no use telling you that fashionable life in a great city is a rough one on your beauty. Late hours, loss of sleep and mental excitement will leave you by and by shorn of those beautiful tresses which drew lovers around you in other years. Artificial substitutes can never pass for those rich and glossy locks. Parker's Hair Balsam will stop your hair from falling out, restore its natural color and softness, and prove cleansing and beneficial to the scalp.

COLDEN'S Liquid Beef Tonic will cure indigestion, dyspepsia or loss of appetite. *Ask for Colden's*, of druggists. jy1-1wdeod&w

How to Secure Health.

It seems strange that any one will suffer from the many derangements brought on by an impure condition of the blood, when SCOVILL'S SARSAPARILLA AND STILLINGIA, or BLOOD AND LIVER SYRUP will restore perfect health to the physical organization. It is indeed a strengthening syrup, pleasant to take, and has proven itself to be the best BLOOD PURIFIER ever discovered, effectually curing Scrotula, Syphilitic disorders, Weakness of the Kidneys, Erysipelas, Malaria; all nervous disorders and debility, bilious complaints and all diseases indicating an impure condition of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Skin, etc. It corrects indigestion. A single bottle will prove to you its merits as a health renewer, for it ACTS LIKE A CHARM, especially when the complaint is of an exhaustive nature, having a tendency to lessen the natural vigor of the brain and nervous system.

BAKER'S PAIN PANACEA cures a pain in man and beast. For use externally and internally.

RED HORSE POWDERS cure all diseases of horse, cattle, sheep, hogs, poultry and all Live Stock. A POSITIVE CURE. may31-2 For sale at H. B. Cochran's drug store 137 North Queen street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FLINN & BRENEMAN'S

Fishing Tackle Department.

RODS, REELS, LINES, CORKS AND HOOKS.

EXAMINE OUR CELEBRATED

"GRAVITATION HOOKS,"

THE BEST HOOK IN THE MARKET.

THE LARGEST STOCK AND LOWEST PRICES IN THE CITY

FLINN & BRENEMAN,

152 NORTH QUEEN STREET. LANCASTER, PENN'A.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Hop Plasters are clean, sweet and pleasant to use. Fresh Hops combined with Balsams and Gums. More powerful than any other porous plasters. 25 cents.

A Fair Offer.

THE VOLTAIC BELT CO., of Marshall, Mich., offer to send Dr. Dye's Celebrated Voltaic Belt and Electric Appliances on trial, for thirty days, to men, old and young, afflicted with nervous debility, lost vitality, and many other diseases. See advertisement in this paper. aug-ydM,W&F&w

The Travelling Salesman

Is an irresistible fellow, brim full of stories, jokes, humor, self-assurance and grit. He is very taking withal. *Burdock Blood Bitters* are a very taking medicine; they take everywhere, and are sold everywhere. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street.

Brown's Household Panacea

Is the most effective Pain Destroyer in the world. Will most surely quicken the blood whether taken internally or applied externally, and thereby more certainly RELIEVE PAIN, whether chronic or acute, than any other pain alleviator, and it is warranted double the strength of any similar preparation.

It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, and ALL ACHES, and is The Great Reliever of Pain. "BROWN'S HOUSEHOLD PANACEA" should be in every family. A teaspoonful of the Panacea in a tumbler of hot water [sweetened, if preferred], taken at bedtime, will BREAK UP A COLD. 25 cents a bottle. may31-1yd M,W,S&w

FRESHNESS and purity are communicated to the complexion by Glenn's Sulphur Soap. "Hill's Hair Dye," black or brown, 50 cents. 1y7 1wdeod&w

Malaria is caused by Torpid Liver; Piles by Constipation; Headache by Indigestion. Avoid them all by using the great vegetable remedy, Allen's Bilious Physic. 25 cents. At all druggists. jy7-1wdMW&F&w

Hay Fever.

For twenty years I was a sufferer from Catarrh of the head and throat in a very aggravated form, and during the summer months with Hay Fever. I procured a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm, and after a few applications received decided benefit—who cured before the bottle was used. Have had no return of the complaint. Charlotte Parker, Waverly, N. Y. jy1-2wdeod&w

COLDEN'S Liquid Beef Tonic is endorsed by physicians. *Ask for Colden's; take no other* Of druggists. jy7-1wdeod&w

A Quick Recovery.

It gives us great pleasure to state that the merchant who was reported to be at the point of death from an attack of Pneumonia has entirely recovered by the use of DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS. Naturally he feels grateful for the benefit derived from using this remedy for the lungs and throat; and in giving publicity to this statement we are actuated by motives of public benefaction, trusting that others may be benefited in a similar manner. je30-2w

Allen's Brain Food betained extract strengthens the Brain, and positively cures Nervous Debility, Nervousness, Headache, unnatural losses, and all weakness of Generative System; it never fails. $1 pkg., 6 for $5. At druggists, or by mail from J. H. Allen, 315 First Ave., New York City. jy7-1wdM,W&F&w

Emory's Little Cathartic is the best and only reliable Liver Pill known, never fails with the most obstinate cases, purely vegetable—15 cts. jy7-1wdM,W&F&w

Be Careful of the Babies.

If your children are threatened with croup or any throat difficulty, apply a few drops of *Thomas' Eclectric Oil*. It is the nicest medicine for the little ones we know of. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street.

DYSPEPTIC, nervous people, "out of sorts," Colden's Liquid Beef will cure. *Take no other*. Of druggists. jy1-1wdeod&w

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 in the United States. Sold everywhere. 25 cents a bottle. may30-1yd M W S&w

Mrs. Dr. Walton's Periodical Tea.

Mother Walton has prescribed this valuable medicine for a great many years in her private practice. It has proved an unfailing specific in the treatment of the many disorders to which the female constitution is subject. It is a sure cure for the monthly troubles that so many women suffer. Mailed on receipt of price, 50c. Sold by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street. (3)

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LADIES! If you want an elegant 50c Corset try the "Our New 50c Corset," and if you want a good Jersey we have them at $1.25, $2.00, $2.50 and $3.25. Our Niagara Shirt at 95c far superior to any Shirt in the market. J. P. SWARR, No. 50 North Queen Street, Lancaster.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework in a small family. To a good girl with recommendations, the highest wages will be paid. Inquire at jy8 2t 205 NORTH DUKE STREET.

BASE BALL.

Wilmington vs. Ironsides.

TWO CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES.

ON FRIDAY and SATURDAY the WILMINGTON'S, the Champion Eastern League Team, will play the Ironsides (on the Ironsides Grounds.) Everybody should see these games.

GAME CALLED AT 4 O'CLOCK.

☞ Train leaves Pennsylvania Depot every 15 minutes. jy 2t

ASSIGNED ESTATE OF EDWIN M. Shaeffer and wife, of the City of Lancaster, Lancaster county. The undersigned auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of H. S. Gara assignee of the estate of said Edwin M. Shaeffer and wife, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on Thursday, August 7, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m., in one of the jury rooms of the court-house, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.

C. S. HOFFMAN,
Auditor.
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ESTATE OF MARGARET WEAVER, LATE of Lancaster city, deceased. The undersigned auditor, appointed to distribute the balance remaining in the hands of Jacob N. Miller, administrator, d. b. n. c. t. a. of the estate of Margaret Weaver, deceased, to and among those legally entitled to the same, will sit for that purpose on Wednesday, August 13, A. D. 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m., in the Library Room of the Court-House, in the city of Lancaster, where all persons interested in said distribution may attend.

H. C. BRUBAKER,
Auditor.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—A GOOD GIRL. APPLY AT the Cooper House. 3t*

CLEAR HAVANA FILLER CIGARS FOR 5 cents. Guaranteed to be clear fillers, at HARTMAN'S YELLOW FRONT CIGAR STORE.

PENN CIGARS FROM 90cts. PER HUNdred up, at HARTMAN'S YELLOW FRONT CIGAR STORE.

SCHOOL TAX FOR 1884.—THE DUPLICATE is in the hands of the Treasurer. Three per cent. off for prompt payment.

W. O. MARSHALL, Treas.
No. 12 Centre Square.
Office hours, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. 1td

GENUINE OLD STOCK CONNECTICUT Cigars, 2 for 5c., 11 for 25c., at HARTMAN'S YELLOW FRONT CIGAR STORE.

WANTED.—FIRST-CLASS AGENTS—A good article; money in it. Apply between 7 and 9 a. m. and 7 and 8 p. m. to T. M. SIMPSON, j9-2t* No. 4 East King St., Lancaster, Pa.

I COPY FROM NONE, BUT TAKE THE lead and sell the best 5c. Cigar in the city, at HARTMAN'S YELLOW FRONT CIGAR STORE.

PANSIES AND OTHER VERY PRETTY designs of cards given away every day. 4 lbs nice Light Brown Sugar for 19c., Pure White Sugar only 7c., Best Granulated, 7½c. at CLARKE'S TEA STORE, No. 38 West King street, Lancaster, Pa.

WAUKENPHAST—M. S. HARNISH HAS the exclusive sale of the Geo. H. Plan Ladies' Fine Waukenphast Shoes for the city of Lancaster. Every pair warranted. jy3-1md

HUBLEY'S LIQUID RENNET. A delicious dessert for warm weather. Four recipes for preparing it, 25c a bottle. At HUBLEY'S DRUG STORE, a5-6md No. 24 West King St.

TOBACCO GROWERS, ATTENTION! Insure your growing crops against Hail damage, before it is too late, at BAUSMAN & BURNS' Insurance Office, jy9 3tdR&6twR 10 West Orange Street.

A NEW PROPRIETOR IN AN OLD SALOON.—Having purchased the saloon lately occupied by A. P. Palmer, Centre Square, I will be pleased to have my friends and the public give me a call. Everything pertaining to a first-class saloon will be kept. j9tf* A. C. RAHTER.

DIVIDEND NOTICE. The President and Managers of the Lancaster & Susquehanna Turnpike Road have declared a dividend of three and five-twelfths per cent. on the capital stock of the Company, payable on demand at the office of the Treasurer. WM. P. BRINTON, Treasurer, No. 38 South Queen Street. July 7, 1884. jy7 3t

TO THE DELEGATES TO THE NATIONAL Convention and all who contemplate going there: If you want to keep cool and be comfortable while in Chicago, go to A. B. ROSENSTEIN and leave your measure for one of those elegant "TROPICAL" suits. They come in ten different shades and only cost $16.00 handsomely trimmed with Chinese silk. ROSENSTEIN, The Fine Tailor, 37 North Queen street. m24-6mdR

NOTICE—POST 84, G. A. R., HAS LEASED What Glen Park for the season, and it can be rented for picnics, public excursions, family parties, etc. The park will be thoroughly cleaned and refitted, and everything put in complete order. For further particulars inquire of WILLIAM ROEHM, HARRY HAUSELY, JAMES ARMET, Council of Administration, Post 84, G. A. R. Mr. Armet is now on the grounds. m3 2md S&W

CHEAP FUEL. CHEAP FUEL. In order to meet the wants of their customers, the LANCASTER GASLIGHT AND FUEL COMPANY will sell to their consumers

GAS STOVES AT COST.

Samples of Stoves may be seen at their office, NO. 120 NORTH QUEEN STREET. m31-1mdR

PENMANSHIP. Class for instruction will be organized

MONDAY, JULY 14, 1884.

at the BUSINESS COLLEGE, NO. 10½ EAST KING STREET, second floor. Call and examine specimens of improvement, or address, H. C. WEIDLER, jy7-1wd* Principal.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.—PROPOSALS will be received at No. 29 East King street, until Wednesday, July 16th, at 12 o'clock noon, to furnish the public schools of this city with Baltimore co. hard, broken, for furnace, egg, stove and nut, and Lykens Valley stove to be of the best quality, free from slate or dirt, and delivered in the cellars of the school houses during the month of July, as directed by the committee. The bids to cover all the coal required for the entire year—about 475 tons or more.

H. E. SLAYMAKER,
Chairman Com. Buildings and Grounds.
jy7-2td

PUBLIC SALE—WILL BE SOLD AT public sale on SATURDAY, JULY 12, 1884, at 9 o'clock, a. m., in Centre Square, Lancaster, Pa., one six-seat Carriage, in excellent order; one set of brass-mounted Double Harness, made by Wood Gibson, New York; also, a Pony Phaeton, made founder in Wilmington, Del.; also, a Germantown Wagon and set of Single Harness.

The above is the property of Mrs. Henry E. Johnston, of Wheatland, and will be offered to the highest bidder.

JACOB GUNDAKER,
jy 5 3td Auctioneer.

PROPOSALS FOR COTTON FIRE HOSE.—Proposals will be received at the Mayor's Office up to July 21st, for two thousand feet of Rubber Lined Cotton Fire Hose, to be made from the best cotton 2½ inches internal diameter, and in lengths of fifty feet, with the Fire Department Standard Couplings attached. Said Hose to be of not less three distinct plies or layers. All of said plies or layers to be scrubbed together and lined with the finest grade of Para Rubber. Said Hose to weigh not less than fifty pounds to the length without couplings, and to be capable of resisting a test pressure of 400 pounds to the square inch on delivery. Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

LANC. CITY FIRE COMMITTEE.

TOBACCO AND CIGARS.

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Champagne Flavored

PLUG TOBACCO!

The attention of Chewers of Fine Tobacco is called to this Choice Brand.

It is in High Favor with those who have tried it.

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SECOND EDITION.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 9, 1884.

THE DEMOCRACY.

SECOND DAY'S WORK AT CHICAGO.

The Indiana and Illinois Delegations—Butler Withdraws—Indications of Cleveland's Strength.—Vilas' Speech.

CHICAGO, July 9.—The Indiana headquarters, both at the Palmer house and the Grand Pacific hotel, were scenes of activity last night. Indiana was one of the few states that cast her vote solid yesterday afternoon on the unit rule amendment. Her thirty votes were recorded yea in favor of abolishing the unit rule. In explanation of this vote, the delegates say the motive of Indiana was to break the unit rule, so as to weaken Cleveland in his own state, and scatter his votes. The Indiana delegation are confident that McDonald is growing in strength, but evidences are obtainable that the delegation is keeping in view the second place on the ticket, in case they fail for first place.

After sitting till past midnight, the Illinois caucus adjourned without reaching a final decision. The vote on presidential preference stood Cleveland 17, McDonald 12, Bayard 2. In regard to the vote on the unit rule in the convention, Gen. Block, of Illinois, said he thought it was made up of four elements. First, nearly all of Cleveland's strength; second, a lingering sentiment of states' rights, as indicated in the South Carolina vote; third, the power of the machine; fourth, a disposition to refuse any demand made by Kelly.

Booms for Individual Candidates.

As the hour approaches for the meeting of the convention, it is more apparent that the opponents of Cleveland will make another attempt to break the unit rule and that upon the result of this they count the chances of Bayard, McDonald or Thurman. In what form this test will come up will depend upon the form of the proceedings of to day.

The Cleveland managers were industriously at work all night. A circular issued by the Young Men's Democratic club, of Brooklyn, was again pressed upon the attention of the outside delegates. It urges the nomination of Cleveland on account of his availability with Independent Republicans, who will be attracted to him. Their support will be for the benefit of the Democratic party. The delegates are further advised that for the support of these Republicans, it is necessary to have a plank in the platform favoring revenue reform.

It is a fact to be carefully noted, say those friends of Cleveland, that the Republican revolt against Blaine is composed, for the most part, of individuals and journals that are in favor of tariff reform.

There are other Republicans represented here not considered by these gentlemen. They are not free traders, but those who do not like the sweeping tendency to centralization of Republicanism. The legal tender decision is referred to as cause for complaint, the opinion of Justice Field in this case and his opinion in other cases involving questions of local government. These men are favorable to Justice Field and have made a strong impression in behalf of that gentleman. Very judicious work has been done for Mr. Field and if the instructions of the California delegation did not stand in the way, the demonstration in his behalf would be very pronounced.

The enthusiasm shown for ex Senator Thurman yesterday encourages many in the hope that he may finally be selected as a compromise candidate. "Nothing can be used against him," say they. The Californians are very demonstrative in pushing his candidacy, and if Ohio were a unit for him and equally as serious, he would be very formidable. One of the features of the morning on the streets and in the neighborhood of the convention hall was the appearance in large numbers of blazing red bandana handkerchiefs ostentatiously displayed and by appearances of Senator Thurman on tops of walking sticks or in the hands. The Thurman boom is to be pushed to-day.

TROUBLED TAMMANY.

Rumor That Tammany Will Reopen the Unit Question Denied

The report that Tammany will try to reopen the unit question is denied by Senator Grady, who says he knows of no way to get at it.

To day it is reported Tammany will make in the convention an effort to break the unit rule, but exactly how the fight is to be resumed is not stated. Kelly claimed this morning that he had 100 additional votes to those cast yesterday for Grady's amendment. The fight of yesterday was only a preliminary sparring match. The real contest, so it is said, will occur to-day, whether the effort will be successful or not. There is no doubt that last night and this morning an immense amount of work was done by Kelly and his men. The actual results of yesterdays filibustering is claimed to be a decrease in the total vote of Cleveland of at least 50 votes, and perhaps more. The opposition held that any method that can stave off a ballot on president is sure to be disastrous to Cleveland's chances. It gives the field a chance to fight.

At noon yesterday the managers of the field say his greatest strength was reached. He enjoyed a strong boom after the defeat of the New York delegation, but the vote on Grady's amendment yesterday is capable of several interpretations. The Cleveland men claim, of course, that it showed only a portion of the New York governor's real strength. The friends of Bayard, Thurman and McDonald, on the other hand, say that Cleveland's actual strength is at least 100 short of the 463 votes cast against the amendment.

Many believe these 100 votes, or a very large proportion of them, can be converted to-day to a position against the unit rule.

The Second Day's Proceedings.

The convention was called to order at 11:27 o'clock, with an immense crowd in attendance. The only demonstration in honor of delegates entering the hall this morning was made when the Ohio delegation, headed by ex-Senator Thurman, made its appearance. While it was making its way to the portion of the hall assigned to it, the other delegates and speakers generally joined in doing honor to Thurman, and many such expressions were heard as "the noblest Democrat of them all." "He ought to get the nomination," etc. Hon. E. B. Washburn occupied a seat on the platform near Senator Pendleton. Representative Springer was also among the distinguished persons on the platform.

The report in circulation that Butler has gone home is untrue; he is at the hotel engaged on the platform.

The committee on resolutions will not be able to report before to morrow.

A number of memorials and resolutions from various organizations were presented and referred to the committee on resolutions without action.

The committee on credentials reported in favor of allowing each territory and the District of Columbia two votes. An amendment that territories be not allowed to vote was offered by Randolph, of New Jersey. Randolph's amendment lost.

The platform committee met at 10:30 o'clock, and for the first time secured a full attendance. Heretofore Gen. Butler and two others have absented themselves. The revenue reformers express more confidence this morning of their ability to secure a plank in favor of reform. They claim that a division will show 20 for and 18 against it.

The Committee on Resolutions at Work.

The convention opened with prayer by Right Rev. Bishop McLaren, of Chicago. Jenkins, (Wis.), sent up a communication from the committee on resolutions, saying that the work of that committee would not be complete until to morrow morning. Cummings, (Mass.), offered a resolution instructing the committee on resolutions to give a hearing to a committee of the Irish National League in favor of excluding aliens from acquiring real estate in America. Resolutions were also offered and referred without debate in favor of planks in the platform against the employment of convict labor, for the enforcement of the eight hour law, against sumptuary laws, and declaring that the vote yesterday on Grady's amendment to the unit rule, was intended to apply only to states which had instructed their representatives to vote as a unit. Taylor, (Arkansas), chairman of the committee on credentials reported the list of delegates with an amendment, giving territorial delegates votes in the convention. Randolph, (N. J.) moved an amendment that territorial delegates be allowed to vote. McArthur (Ore.) spoke against the amendment. The amendment was rejected and the report was adopted. Heenan, (Mich.) offered a resolution for reduction of taxation to a revenue basis. It was referred. Hampton, (S. C.) offered a resolution reciting importance of letting the national committee select its chairman from Democrats of the whole Union, and declaring that it shall not be restricted in its choice of chairman to members of committee. Referred.

A resolution against polygamy was introduced by Smith (Utah) and referred. Further resolutions were offered and referred to the committee on platform against the acquisition of large tracts of public lands by corporations; for reform in the civil service by making postmasters elective, against the systematic reduction of tariff taxes; providing that in case of the death of the candidates for president or vice president the chairman shall call together the convention to fill the vacancy; for the repeal of all legislation which, under Republican rule, tended to pauperize labor; for constitutional amendment making the presidential term of office six years, and to limit disposal of public lands to actual settlers in quantities of not more than 160 acres each. Finally a resolution was adopted to refer all such propositions without being read. Under that rule several anti-Chinese and tariff reform resolutions were referred, being only read by their titles.

Butler Withdraws From the Fight.

General Butler has withdrawn from the canvass. Major McDavitt and Ben. Palmer, two of his workers, tacitly admitted the fact that his withdrawal was in pursuance of a compact with Kelly. The Bayard men loudly proclaim that Butler's strength would be thrown to their man. This is an open question and one which is dependent on circumstances. The Bayard men also said that Butler would return home to day, and that his place in the convention would be taken by his alternate. This statement Major McDavitt promptly denies. He said Butler would be in the convention and that he would not go home at noon, but he did not say that the ex governor had not formed a combination with Kelly.

A SPLENDID SPEECH

President Vilas Delivers a Scathing Arraignment of the Republican Party.

The report of the committee on permanent organization was then made. The name of W. H. Vilas, of Wisconsin, being presented as president with a list of vice presidents (one from each state), and several secretaries and assistants. The secretaries and clerks of the temporary organization were continued under the permanent organization.

The report was unanimously adopted, and Mr. Hendricks with five other gentlemen, were appointed to escort Mr. Vilas to the chair. Mr. Vilas on taking the chair returned thanks for the honor done him, not as a recognition of himself, but of the young Democracy of the Northwest. It was their fair due. It was attributable to their lofty zeal and patriotism. They hailed it as a presage and prototype of the coming triumph. [Applause.] This convention was assembled to consider a great cause, to pronounce a momentous judgment. It's hand was on the helm of a mighty nation, earth's greatest, noblest and free. Society would rejoice in the well considered work of this convention. Its import and value lay not in the hope of mere party victory, in clutching the spoils of office the opportunity was pregnant with mighty possibilities of good of men. The Republican party, which had recently held its convention here had tendered nothing worthy of the fervent aspirations of the people. To a country rejoicing in restored unity and concord, it tendered the renewal of sectional strife; to a nation that felt the impulse of a mighty growth it offered demogoggery. In political parlance "soap" was its inspiration and ammunition.

The air was already filled with vapors of visionary schemes addressed to various interests and factions. Some were encouraged to expect advantage from the chaotic possibilities of foreign war. Others were promised relief or again from legalized raids on the national treasury. A great change has been wrought in recent years in this country in the minds of the people and in political forces. We have ceased to fight over the suicidal war. The sin of slavery has been purged. The work accomplished by those who labored to save the Union remains undisturbed, and the gratitude of the people is their reward.

At this point General Butler entered the hall and was heartily applauded. The speaker resuming, said that the country had heard repeated promises of reform from the party in power, but had been disappointed, until there is a growing conviction that the only hope lies in the utter defeat of that party, and there is but one hope. It is vain to look to any new party organization. In the wisdom and patriotism of the Democracy here assembled is the only hope of relief. The party is adequate to the great responsibility. It is the party of Jefferson and Jackson to-day, as formerly, and the principles they promulgated are its principles now. It is the party of the people, of economy and honesty in the administration of government. It has shaken off the venal and time-serving, and has rescued from the ranks of its opponents the best and purest. The Democracy are ready to continue such exchange. In conclusion he counseled moderation in their action, and bespoke a generous forbearance for himself in the discharge of his duties.

1:15 P. M.—A resolution was that the convention call roll and present candidates for president. The call of states on tabling resolution been ordered.

The motion to lay resolution to proceed to presentation of candidates on the table will probably be lost. Cleveland men are voting pretty generally in negative.

1:26 P. M.—The New York votes was cast in negative, Grady and others protesting.

Grady challenges the vote and demands the call of delegates; great confusion and hisses. The chairman rules that he will accept the challenge of vote.

Gov. Waller, of Connecticut, rose to a question of privilege. He asked that reporters be prevented from hissing and interrupting, and that the halls be cleared. The chair upheld the question. Great excitement.

Chairman decides no objection could be made by delegates till the roll of states be completed. The roll call is proceeding. The motion to lay the resolution that convention proceed to present candidates on table was lost. The result of vote on laying resolution to proceed to presentation of candidates on table was ayes 256, noes 552.

Grady, N. Y., stated the vote was 49 noes, 19 ayes, 4 absent. Several states changed their vote on end of roll call. The corrected vote was, ayes 268, noes 542.

A motion was made that no vote be taken on candidates till after the committee on resolutions reports, but a motion that candidates be presented was carried.

A motion was made that the convention adjourn to 7 p. m. The roll of states was demanded. The motion was lost.

Presenting the Candidates.

The call of states for presentation of candidates has begun. When Delaware was reached there was great cheering, long continued time. Mr. Gray has taken the platform to present Bayard.

Mr. Gray is being listened to with great attention. His mention of Bayard's qualities was cheered and the mention of his name received with much enthusiasm.

When Indiana was reached there was an outburst of cheers. Hendricks has taken the platform to present McDonald. The delegates and audience arose to greet Hendricks with cheers, waving hats and handkerchiefs. Three cheers for Hendricks were given with a will.

IMPORTANT RUMORS.

Cleveland Managers Said to be Willing to Withdraw in Favor of Hewitt

CHICAGO, July 9.—The following rumors are creating excitement. It has been ascertained from a gentleman occupying prominent relations with members of the New York delegation, that communications are now being interchanged between Cleveland followers in New York delegation and his friends at Albany and New York city, with a view of uniting all factions upon the name of some New York man and the withdrawal of Cleveland. At one o'clock this p. m. John Kelly received a telegram from a gentleman in New York, occupying a high position in a political post in that city, inquiring whether the name of Abraham Hewitt would prove satisfactory to Kelly. No reply has yet been made. This inquiry coming from such a confidential source indicates that Cleveland's own friends have suggested Hewitt's name.

Mr. Kelly is represented as not being unfriendly to Hewitt. It is said that Cleveland's organizers had a half hour interview with General Butler this morning and tendered to him the position of secretary of the treasury under Cleveland if he comes to Cleveland's support on the first ballot. Gen. Butler promptly replied that he could not consent to hold a cabinet office under a man so unskilled in politics as Cleveland was. In making this reply to the overture Butler's language is said to have been more vigorous than delicate, but it conveyed the contemptuous idea above mentioned.

CLEVELAND AHEAD.

A Disposition to Concede the Nomination to the Majority Candidate.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 9.—Cleveland is still ahead. There is a growing sentiment that as soon as a candidate receives a majority he will be conceded the necessary two-thirds and nominated. The other prevailing sentiment is that the tariff platform should be made by New York and not offensive to Pennsylvania. As the result of these, I look now for Cleveland's nomination and for a safe deliverance on the tariff, which will hold Butler to the party. If Vilas makes a good impression in the chair, nothing is more probable than his selection for second place.

Randall's arrival created considerable enthusiasm. He declares that he seek nothing but party harmony, through a good candidate and a satisfactory platform. Both sides in New York seek aid from Pennsylvania, but I infer that the state delegation will divide if the issue comes two to one in favor of the Cleveland men against the New York opposition to him.

11:20 A. M.—The convention is occupied with the report of the credentials committee, the only feature of which that excited discussion was the proposition to give votes to the territorial delegates. Their admission to seats and votes was granted by a large majority.

11:47 P. M.—The platform committee is at work. It will not conclude before to-morrow morning, and there will be no balloting until then.

The convention scene at noon is very interesting, few seats being vacant. Conspicuous figures are Thurman, gray and grizzled, the boyish face of Coxe, the calm features of Wallace, Carlisle smooth faced and clean shaven, Wade Hampton on his crutches, Hendricks, mild mannered and dignified, the rugged countenance of Abbet and a group of a dozen United States senators, among them Beck. At the press platform Messrs. Butler, Hewitt, Converse, Hay, Watterson, MacPherson, Burke and Powell are wrestling with the resolutions. In the block where New York and Massachusetts sit, neighbors John Kelly and John R. Fellows, Daniel Manning, Smith Weed and Josiah Abbott are notable presences.

Vilas is a young and vigorous, clean, trim looking man with black whiskers, eyeglasses and resonant, penetrating voice. His speech was in excellent taste, deliberate, scholarly, concise, eloquent and rhetorical. Its effect was good. The tone of the address was high and its reception cordial. His arraignment of the Republican party was ironical and excited laughter and applause.

12:50 P. M.—Butler just now come in, interrupting Vilas' speech with the sensation of mingled cheers and hisses that his entrance created. It is generally believed that Butler held himself back for dramatic effect, and his performance has caused no little asperity.

1:44 P. M.—Sowden proposes to have speeches of nomination now made, and a counter proposition to adjourn until to-morrow has been voted down. To a motion to lay Sowden's resolution on the table, the vote was 282 ayes 521 noes. The states divided apparently without any specific purpose. Indiana voting no Kentucky aye, New York no, and Pennsylvania twenty-four ayes and thirty-five noes.

2:15 P. M.—Gray made an effective presentation of Bayard, but the convention went wild when Hendricks mounted the platform to name McDonald.

W. U. H.

Butler Advised to Bolt.

The following correspondence was made public to-day:

NEW YORK, July 9.—To Benjamin F. Butler, Chicago:—"Your friends here advise you to bolt the convention if a monopolist like Cleveland is nominated."

[Signed] JOHN T. HENRY,
President National Anti-Monopoly Organization.

CHICAGO, July 8.—John T. Henry, New York.—"Will never agree to the nomination of a monopolist."

BENJ. F. BUTLER.

A Would-be Lyncher Shot.

GALVESTON, Tex., July 9.—A dispatch from Gatesville says Lewis Johnson and four or five others went to the house of Harriet Coales, a negress, for the purpose of lynching a negro named Jesse Isaacs. Some of the party went to the back door of the house, while others entered at the front and began shooting. Isaacs returned fire and shot Johnson, killing him instantly. He then escaped. Johnson had a handkerchief over his face.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—For the Middle Atlantic states, fair weather, followed by increasing cloudiness and occasional rains, winds becoming variable, slight change in temperature.

MARKETS.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, July 9—Flour market dull; Superfine State, $2 50@3; Extra Superfine do $3 00@3 50; Pa. family, $4 25@4 50; Ohio and Indiana family, $4 75@5 00; Minn. extra, clear, $3 75@4 50; straight, $4 50@5 50; winter patents, $5 50@6 25; spring do $5 50@6 37.

Rye flour at $3 50.

Wheat dull and unsettled; No. 2 Western Red, 93½@94c; No. 3 do, 86c; No. 1 Pa. do $1 12.

Corn firm for local trade; steamer, 59@60½c; sail yellow, 63c; do mixed, 62@61½c; No. 2 mixed and yellow, 57@58c.

Oats firm and quiet; No. 1 White, 37½@38½c; No. 2 do, 37½c; No. 3 do, 36½c; rejected, 35@36c; No. 2 mixed, 35c.

Rye steady at 70c.

Seeds—Timothy dull $1 50@1 55; Flaxseed firm at $1 80@1 85.

Winter Bran dull at $15@15 50.

Provisions steady and in fair demand; Mess Pork, $16 50@17 00; Ice Hams, 22@22½; India Mess Beef, $19 50@20.

Bacon—Smoked Shoulders, 7½c;