COLUMBIA NEWS.

FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT

The Organization of a Band Monopoly in the County Discussed—Chapter of Accidents—Town Briefs.

The leaders of several bands in Lancaster county are talking of forming a band monopoly. Prices will be made for all kinds of engagements, and no band will be allowed to play for less than the fixed price. This will do away with one band underbidding another. For instance: The price for a day's engagement at home may be fixed at $2 per man. No band in the organization can then play for one cent less. Under-bidding is said to be the cause of rivalry between bands, and in several instances has been the means of breaking them up. It is confidently believed that the bands in Lancaster county will join, and if a success is made out of the arrangement, York county will follow in the footsteps of Lancaster.

Personal.

Last evening, Mr. James Perrottet, returned home from his trip to Pike county.

The new owner of the Columbia reel works, A. M. Bender, of Lancaster, accompanied by his family, removed to this place yesterday.

Mr. Robert J. Ryan, on Walnut street, has his brother, Judge Ryan, of Pottsville, and part of his family as his guests.

Misses Minnie and Lucy Lockard, of Philadelphia, spent yesterday and to-day with Mrs. L. W. May.

Mrs. Jeff Gilbert was agreeably surprised last evening by a number of her friends, who gave her a party. It was an enjoyable affair.

Chapter of Accidents.

While shifting cars in the west yard, yesterday afternoon Engineer John Jackson backed into another train. Two cars were raised from their trucks, but no other damage was done.

Taylor Richards, while playing on a pig pen yesterday, was pushed off the railing, and in falling broke his right arm near the elbow.

Jacob Brummer, while carrying one of his horses was bruised on the left side of his face, by the animal pawing him, and had an ugly wound inflicted on his left shoulder, by the horse biting him.

John Gabriel in jumping on and off cars at the "out" had both heels caught between the dead-woods of two cars, and so severely mashed that one will probably have to be amputated.

Base Ball Items.

The Columbia club lost a good player when Ed. Hiteshue resigned.

The Vigils, of Newtown, are desirous of contesting for the championship of Lancaster county.

S. Swingler, the "little left fielder," of the Columbia, has been doing excellent work with the ash this season, also in the field, as he only has seven errors credited against him.

Town Briefs.

About twenty-five Columbians accompanied the Marietta excursion to Mt. Gretna this morning.

The attendance last evening at the meeting of the United Brethren assembly was quite small. What's the matter?

Assistant Master Mechanic A. R. Moss did efficient work in placing the new boiler in the P. R. R machine shops at Columbia. The difficult task was successfully performed.

A Republican and Democrat became involved in a heated political discussion last evening, and the latter was knocked down. The Democrat's friends then assisted in thrashing the victor.

When finished Mr. M. Bachenheimer's Chestnut street residence will be one of the handsomest in Columbia. The plans were drawn by John Evans & Son, of Lancaster.

Masket Master Jim Brown has so far kept pace a pock-thock found in the market house last Saturday, and a brass dead latch key, found in Mt. Bethel cemetery on Monday.

The congregation of St. Peter's Catholic church will hold a dancing picnic at Millway on Saturday.

ON THE DIAMOND

What the Sphere Slugers of the Country Are Doing.

Kenzil has not signed with the Virginia club.

A Pittsburg dispatch says the managers of the Allegheny base ball club are negotiating with the Cleveland management for the transfer bodily of the Cleveland club to Pittsburg.

The York club is playing with the Ironsides to-day. Pyle and Oldfield are the battery for the latter, and Avery and Zeiber for the former. The club will play again to-morrow. The Yorkers have not yet defeated the Ironsides, but will try hard on this trip.

The usual crowd of freight car fiends view the games on the Ironsides grounds. Any one would be astonished to see the men who resort to this mean way of seeing a game. Many of them people of wealth who would rather roast on top of a freight, or house roof, than pay to go in. Others climb telegraph poles or hang from the windows of the tobacco warehouses in the neighborhood. The small boy who cannot procure money to go to the games cannot be blamed. Many of the men who view the games from the outside are among the biggest mouthed in town on base ball subjects, and are always anxious to lend their lip in any discussion. Their money they neither lend nor give up.

An enterprising photographer of this city took a very good picture of a freight car, which stood on the siding near the Ironsides grounds, during the progress of a game a few days ago. The car was crowded with men and boys and all can be recognized in the picture. The photograph is to be placed in a North Queen street window with others to be taken this week.

The Lancaster club visited Atlantic City yesterday and were outbatted and outfielded by the August Flower nine of that city. Following is the score:

INNINGS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
August Flower	1	0	0	0	0	5	2	0	1—9
Lancaster	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2

SUMMARY.

Base hits—August Flower, 13; Lancaster, 3. Errors—August Flower, 7; Lancaster, 9.

Games Played Elsewhere.

Philadelphia: New York 4, Philadelphia 3; New York: Brooklyn 5, Athletic 2; Boston: Providence 4, Boston 0; Chicago: Chicago 9, Buffalo 11; Detroit: Cleveland 6, Detroit 2; Columbus O.: Columbus 5, Indianapolis 4; St. Louis: St. Louis 6, Louisville 3; New York: Virginia 5, Metropolitan 13; Baltimore: Baltimore 4, Allegheny 3; Boston: Boston Union 8, National Union 1; Wilmington, Del.: Wilmington 10, Allentown 8; York, Pa.: Trenton 16, York 6.

A Satchel Stolen from a Carriage.

A satchel was stolen from the carriage of Dr. Carpenter this morning while the doctor was visiting a patient in the northwestern part of the city. The police were notified of the theft and furnished with a description of the thief. Officer Roadman arrested a stranger giving the name of Theodore Claussen, on the railroad near the Duke street bridge, on suspicion, shortly before noon, and in default of bail he was committed for a hearing.

The satchel was found in an alley this afternoon and returned to the doctor. The contents had not been disturbed. The man arrested on suspicion has been released from custody, the woman who saw the theft failing to identify him.

Telephone Connection.

J. P. Martin, corner of Prince and Walnut streets, is connected with the telephone.

PROBING PUBLIC OFFICIALS.

Hearing of the Charges Against Alderman Spurrier, Constable Eicholtz and Ex-Officer Leman.

This morning at 10 o'clock the hearing of Alderman Spurrier, Constable Eicholtz and ex Officer Leman, who are charged with obtaining money from the county by false pretense, was begun before Alderman Fordney. It is alleged by the county that these defendants drew from the county, in cases which were dismissed by Alderman Spurrier, for services which they did not render.

The county was represented by Solicitor Fry, E. K. Martin and J. L. Steinmetz, esqs. and the accused by J. Hay Brown and B. Frank Eshleman.

The bills of the alderman and officers with the vouchers &c., were first produced, and they admitted that they drew the money from the county.

The first case in which fees were alleged to have been wrongly drawn was that of Com'th vs. Levi Steffy, charged with false pretense. The prosecutor was Charles Eichman. He testified that Steffy owed him a sum of money, and he went to see Alderman Spurrier about it. The alderman said he would send him a notice. Witness did not make complaint against Steffy, nor did he attend the hearing; he afterwards received his money from the alderman who said there were no charges.

On cross examination witness was shown a complaint with his name to it. He could not say whether he signed the complaint or not; the signature looked like his. He would not deny signing his name, nor would he say that he did. Levi Steffy testified that he was arrested by Officer Leman; he was first taken to the station house and then to jail. His brother finally paid the bill and he was released. The witness was badly mixed in his testimony, and could not tell whether he was committed to prison for a hearing or for court, but was certain that he was in prison.

The next cases, in which the alderman and officers are alleged to have done wrong, were those against Sam'l Greenly, charged with receiving stolen goods, horse stealing, larceny, &c. The accused charged for making the arrest, taking recognizance, subpoenaing witnesses, holding a hearing, &c. The facts of the case are these: A horse was stolen from Albert McArdle by a colored man named Johnson, who sold the animal to Greenly, from whom Jacob and Joseph Baker, of Lititz, purchased it, when it was found to have been stolen. These suits are the result.

Jacob W. Baker testified that he made no complaint against Greenly, and was not a witness against him in a criminal charge. He was present when they had a settlement at Spurrier's with Greenly; the latter paid $32 50 and witness paid costs; witness could not tell whether Officer Eichholtz and Leman subpoenaed him for a hearing or not as so many persons are after him to be a witness.

Joseph W. Baker testified that he did not remember making these complaints against Greenly. He told Spurrier the story of the stolen horse, wagon, &c., and then signed some papers which the alderman filled out. [Complaints with Baker's signature were shown]. Witness could not tell if he was subpoenaed by the officer or not; when he met Greenly at Spurrier's there was a settlement, and no hearing was had; witness was not sworn at any time.

Samuel Greenly testified that he was not arrested and did not give bail. Alderman Spurrier and Eicholtz came to his house one night and stated that if he did not take the wagon (which was stolen property) to a hotel they would bring him to Lancaster; he took the wagon to the place; some days after he came to Lancaster and settled with Baker. There was no hearing nor any witnesses heard against him. [On cross-examination the witness was badly mixed and contradicted himself in some statements].

Alfred Greenly corroborated his father to some extent, and testified that he did not go his bail.

A. F. Hostetter testified that he went to Spurrier's with the elder Greenly to attend a hearing in a civil suit as he supposed; the witnesses were not all present and Spurrier then told him the action was criminal, and said Greenly could be easily put under bail. Witness said he would be on hand when needed, and no bail was given.

A boy McArdle, who, according to the bill was a witness against Greenly at the hearing testified that he was not subpoenaed nor did he attend any hearing against this man. Howard Herr, another witness testified that he was not at the hearing and did not recollect being subpoenaed.

The other case for which fees are charged was Commonwealth vs. Albert Herzog. The man was prosecuted by Henry Mohn, for assault and battery, and the case was put on the bill as dismissed after a hearing. Mohn testified that he was not called as a witness at Herzog's hearing, nor did he hear any one else testify.

At noon the hearing in the cases were adjourned until 4 o'clock.

PLEASURE GATHERINGS.

Excursions to New York and Mount Gretna—The Maennerchor Picnic.

Twenty-one persons from this city availed themselves of the cheap excursion over the Reading railroad to New York and up the Hudson river, to day.

An excursion was run to day from Marietta to Mt. Gretna, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church. About 200 participated from Marietta and the number was added at Bainbridge and other stations along the road.

The twenty sixth anniversay and picnic of the Lancaster Maennerchor will be held at Rocky Springs on Monday, August 18. A fine time is promised.

An Exciting Afternoon Runaway.

Considerable excitement was caused at 2 o'clock this afternoon by a runaway. Four mules attached to a large farm wagon were standing near the court house on East King street, and becoming frightened at some unknown object, started on a full run down East King, around the square and down South Queen street. In front of Dr. Carpenter's residence the brake rod and chain flew off, nearly striking a boy. At the corner of Church and South Queen the mules attemped to run on the pavement, when Harry Shaub and Davis Kitch, jr., of the city fire department, caught them and brought them to a halt. The team belonged to Mr. Benj. Herr, of West Lampeter township. The mules were uninjured, but the wagon was considerably damaged.

A Special Teachers' Examination.

A special examination for teachers of the county who could not be present at the general examination will be held at Lancaster in the girls' secondary school building on South Duke street Saturday, Aug. 23, beginning at 9:30 a. m. Admission to the class will be granted only to such as can give a good reason for not having been in the annual spring examinations, and who are promised a school as shown in a written request from the proper school board, to be presented to the superintendent before entering the class.

He Fell Asleep on the Track.

From the Oxford Press.

Jacob Ziegman, of the B. C. R. R., had his left arm badly crushed and head cut by a car wheel striking them on Monday at Octoraro Junction. He was dispatched to flag a freight train and sat on the track where he fell asleep and was injured. Dr. Hanna, of Port Deposit, found it necessary to amputate the arm.

Republican Fizzle in Providence Township.

The Blaine and Logan pole raising near Fairview school house on Saturday evening was a grand fizzle, about 18 voters only being present. There was more vigorous cheering for the Democratic candidates than for Blaine and Logan. An appeal was made to some of the Democrats present to help bear the expenses of the occasion.

A Bantam Hen That Lays Big Eggs.

Franklin D. Heleine is the possessor of a bantam hen that laid an egg that measured 5½x4½ inches. It is of the duck wing variety, is two years old and weighs ¼ of a pound.

On a Visit From Texas.

Jacob Fetterly, of Texas, formerly of this city, is paying a visit to his old friends. He is stopping at the Cadwell house.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Absolutely the best Porous Plaster ever made. The *Hop Plaster* is composed of Fresh Hops, Balsams and Gums. Weak Back, Side Ache, Sore Chest, and all pains are speedily cured by its use. Apply one. Only 25 cents, at any drug store.

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"I have used *Burdock Blood Bitters* with great benefit for indigestion and constipation of the bowels." C. L. Easton, Hamilton, Ont. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street.

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Headache, fever, chills, malaria, dyspepsia cured by "Wells' Health Renewer." $1.

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Give Homeopath his pellets, Allopath his pills; but for rheumatism, for aches, for pains and sprains, *Thomas' Eclectric Oil* is ineffably superior to either. It has benefited as many people as it has had purchasers. All druggists sell it. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street.

Skin Diseases.—"Swayne's Ointment."

"*Swayne's Ointment*" cures Tetter, Salt Rheum, Ringworm, Sores, Pimples, Eczema, all Itchy Skin Eruptions, *no matter how obstinate or long standing.* aug12M,W,F&wly

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Use instead of unwholesome cosmetics Glenn's Sulphur Soap, which purifies the skin "Hill's Hair Dye," black or brown, fifty cents. aug11-1wdeod&w

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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 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.

The Man Who Talks Much

We want to say a word to you who make a living with your tongue. You certainly must have a clear, strong voice to engage your listeners. *Dr Thomas' Eclectric Oil* for sore throat, colds, and hoarseness is unexcelled. Use and be merry. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street.

The People's Remedy for Biliousness, Constipation, Piles, Sick Headache, Jaundice, &c., is Allen's Billious Physic, a purely vegetable liquid remedy; large bottle, 2 cents. At all Druggists.

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FOLIAL.

Campaign Banners, Flags, Suits, Capes, Caps, Helmets, Shirts, Torches; everything in campaign outfits. Send for illustrated circular to Campaign M'f'g Co., 16 Barclay street, New York. aug11-1m eod

Brown's Bronchial Troches

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.

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"Fire Him Out."

This is a common remark when roughs and rowdys insult public decency by their uncouth ways. Dyspepsia is a horrid horn. Fire it out with *Burdock Blood Bitters*. You can do it. For sale by H. B. Cochran, druggist, 137 and 139 North Queen street.

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Like perspiration, intense itching, worse by scratching, most at night, seems if pin-worms were crawling. "*Swayne's Ointment*" is a *pleasant sure cure.* aug12-M,W,F&wly

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Cures colic, cramps, diarrhœa; externally for aches, pains, sprains, headache, neuralgia, rheumatism. For man or beast. 25 and 50c.

A Fair Offer.

The Voltaic Belt Co., Marshall, Mich., offer to send Dr. Dye's Voltaic Belt and Appliances on trial, for thirty days, to men, young or old afflicted with nervous debility, lost vitality and kindred troubles. See advertisement in this paper. M,W,F&w

Cured My Wife's Weakness.

From Evansville, Ind., the home of our correspondent, Mr. Jno. R. Patterson comes the following: "*Samaritan Nervine* cured my wife of a case of female weakness." It's an extract from Mr. Patterson's letter. $1.50.

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Every one likes to take solid comfort and it may be enjoyed by every one who keeps Kidney-Wort in the house and takes a few doses at the first symptoms of an attack of Malaria, Rheumatism, Biliousness, Jaundice or any affection of the Liver, Kidneys or Bowels. It is a purely vegetable compound of roots, leaves and berries known to have special value in kidney troubles. Added to these are remedies acting directly on the Liver and Bowels. It removes the cause of disease and fortifies the system against new attacks.

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DEATHS.

DONER.—In Manor township, Aug. 10, 1884, John Doner, in the 67th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, on the Columbia turnpike, on Thursday morning. Funeral services at the Old Mennonite church, near Millersville, at 10 o'clock. 3t*

BRAN.—August 11, 1884, Edward D. Bubb, in the 41st year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family, also Conestoga Council No. 8, Jr. Councils, Nos. 120 and 22, O. U. A. M., and Post 88, G. A. R., and also Post 405, G. A. R., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his parents' residence, No. 519 East King street on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Woodward Hill cemetery. aug12-2t*

BORING.—In this city, on the 12th inst., John D. Boring, in the 74th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 440 North Queen street, on Friday afternoon, August 15th, at 3 o'clock. Interment at Lancaster cemetery. No flowers.

PHILLIPS.—August 12, 1884, in this city, Alice, daughter of Ephraim and Sue Phillips, and grand-daughter of D. F. Eberman, aged 11 months and 9 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her parents, No. 509 North Prince street, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Lancaster cemetery. 1t*

POLITICAL.

Democratic National Ticket.

President—GROVER CLEVELAND.
Vice President—THOMAS A. HENDRICKS.

Democratic State Ticket

ELECTORS AT LARGE.

RICHARD VAUX, B. J. McGRANN,
H. B. PLUMER.

ELECTORS.

Dist.	Dist.
1. John Slevin.	15. George S. Purdy.
2. J. P. J. Sensenderfer	16. P. R. Ackley.
3. John W. Lee.	17. John P. Levan.
4. H. J. Horan.	18. Ezra D. Parker.
5. R. L. Wright.	19. E. W. Munma
6. J. H. Brinton.	20. A. H. Dill.
7. Wm. Stahler.	21. F. P. Iams.
8. C. F. Rentschler.	22. J. K. P. Duff.
9. H. M. North.	23. John Sean.
10. H. S. Stiles.	24. A. B. Winterstein
11. A. G. Brouthead.	25. John H. Hill.
12. F. V. Rockafellow.	26. Wm. A. Forquer.
13. Richard Kahn.	27. A. J. Greenfield.
14. George H. Irwin.	

Democratic County Ticket

Congressman-at-Large.—W. W. H. DAVIS.
Congress.—FARIS HALDEMAN.
Judge.—D. G. ESHLEMAN.
Senator (XIII.)—JOHN MARTIN.
Assembly (2).—CHRISTIAN FOX.
" —JAMES S. PATTERSON.
" (3).—S. S. DETWILER.
" —JAMES DUFFY.
" —J. H. KAUFFMAN.
Sheriff.—R. M. ARTERS.
Prothonotary.—BENJ. WORKMAN.
Register.—E. C. BLUNK.
County Treasurer.—JNO. S. MANN.
Clerk of O. C.—H. S. RUTTER.
Clerk of Q. S.—SAM'L K. HOSTETTER.
County Commissioner.—H. F. HARTMAN.
Prison Keeper.—GEO. W. STYER.
Prison Inspector.—H. B. BUCH.
" —W. WHITAKER.
Poor Directors.—GEO. D. ERMSTETTER.
" —H. S. YODER.
Coroner.—DAVIS KITCH.
Auditor.—GEO. W. SCHROEDER.

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NEW SAUER KRAUT AND CLAM SOUP LUNCH THIS EVENING, at the Law Building Restaurant, corner Duke and Grant streets. The Keystone band will be in attendance. Koehler's Celebrated Ice Cold Beer on tap. 1t KITCH & STAPLEFORD, Props.

TRY CLARKE'S 20c TEAS AND 25c COFFEES, and you will be pleased. Rio and Java, mixed, 25c per pound. Best Granulated Sugar, 7½c; Lightest 5c Sugar in Lancaster. CLARKE'S TEA STORE, No. 38 West King street.

NOTICE O. U. A. M.—THE MEMBERS of Conestoga Council No. 8, O. U. A. M., are requested to meet in the council chamber to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late Brother, Edward Bubb. Conestoga Council No. 22 and Empire Council No. 120, Jr. O. U. A. M., are cordially invited. Attest:

ISAAC E. LONG, R. S. 1t

ATTENTION.—The comrades of Geo. H. Thomas Post 88, G. A. R., are requested to meet at Grand Army Hall, at 1½ o'clock, THURSDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 14, in uniform, to attend the funeral of Comrade Edward D. Bubb. Comrades of Post 405 are invited to attend.

M. N. STARK, Commander.
Attest: C. H. PASSMORE, Adjt. 1t

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMITTEE.—There will be a meeting of the Democratic county committee at the Headquarters, on the third floor of Kepler's Postoffice building, North Queen street, Lancaster, on MONDAY, AUG. 18, at 9:30 A. M., SHARP. A full attendance is requested.

W. U. HENSEL, Chairman.
a6-d&wtd

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IRONSIDES vs. YORK.

Wednesday & Thursday, Aug. 13 & 14.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, AUG. 13, 1884.

TWO TERRIBLE FIRES.

PROPERTY BURNED AND LIVES LOST.

Business Part of North East in Erie County Badly Burned—Two Firemen Perish in Boston.

ERIE, Pa., Aug. 13.—About 3 o'clock this morning fire broke out in the drug store of Brookers & Fleming, at North East, in this county, and spread rapidly. In reply to a call for assistance a steamer was sent from Erie. It was several hours before the fire could be gotten under control, and the business portion of the town is now in ashes. Several blocks and the parish church were fine brick buildings, built since the fire of 1871, when the same section of the town was burned. Over two-thirds of the business portion of the town is destroyed, including the best buildings in the place. No estimate of loss and insurance can yet be made.

Among those burned out are the First National bank, Sheir, Blaine & Gould's bank, Stockton's jewelery store, Turel's grocery, Logan's shoe store, Ingall's jewelery store, Loomis' harness shop, Selkeridge's hardware and grocery, Hayne's hotel and clothing house, Hammond's crockery store, Smiley & McDonald's grocery and drygoods store, Loomis & Sullivan's boot and shoe store, Damon's drygoods store, Halcomb's meat market, Greer's drygoods store, the opera house, Ross' drug store, Belknap & Co.'s grocery, Butt's cigar store and other small shops.

Two Men Burned in a Boston Fire.

BOSTON, Aug 13.—A fire occurred this morning in the building, Nos. 108, 110 and 112 Beech street, occupied by several firms in different branches of business, causing losses aggregating $50,000, which is covered by insurance. Joseph Pierce and Jones Quigley, firemen, were on the roof with a line of hose when it fell in with a crash and precipitated the two men into the seething mass of flames. When the fire had been subdued their bodies were found on the fourth floor burned to a crisp. Pierce was one of the best hosemen in the city, and was noted for his faithful and courageous work, and had often been injured in his efforts to save property.

IRISH NATIONAL LEAGUE.

The Session Attended by Eight Hundred Delegates.

BOSTON, MASS., Aug. 13.—Delegates to the convention of the Irish National League held a secret meeting last night, during which the policy which shall govern the proceedings of the convention to day was discussed. The delegates were nearly unanimous in favor of prohibiting the discussion in any form of American politics. Some 800 delegates are in town.

The delegates to the convention of the Irish National League began to assemble in Faneuil hall at 11:30 a. m. and by noon the hall was pretty well filled with the 800 delegates, and the galleries were crowded with spectators. Many ladies are present. Faneuil hall was never more profusely decorated than it is, and every feature of the adornment indicates a gathering of a host of Erin's sons. The convention was to be called to order at 11 o'clock. But at 1 o'clock delegates were still coming, and business had not yet begun.

Come to Attend the Convention.

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Mr. Thomas Sexton, accompanied by Mr. William Redmond, who arrived on the steamer Nevada to day, started at once for Boston to attend the Land League convention in that city.

FRANCO-CHINESE SQUABBLE.

A Determination to Resist French Demands.

LONDON, Aug 13.—Advices from Shanghai say the Tsung li Yamen announces its determination to resist the French demands. Tamsui, on the northeast coast of Formosa, is being defended by torpedoes. Li Hung Chang is to be impeached for transferring the China merchants' fleet to an American firm.

Making Preparations for Vigorous Warfare.

PARIS, Aug. 13.—Two regiments of marines and three more brigades are being placed in readiness to start for China.

Sensation Caused by Heavy Mail Robberies.

VIENNA August 13.—A great sensation has been caused by the recent robberies of the Austrian mail. Not long ago a letter containing 150,000 florins was abstracted, and now a whole mail bag has been stolen. The bag contained only valuables and registered letters; in some of the letters were checks amounting to 280,000 florins, sent by a savings bank in Pesth.

P. O. S. of A. at Harrisburg.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Aug 13.—The morning's session of the state camp of Patriotic Order of Sons of America was that devoted to the hearing of reports from the committee and district officers. This afternoon the officers will be installed and the session will be then brought to a close.

The Lydian Monarch Heard From.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Aug. 13.—The steamship Hanovarian, just arrived here from Halifax, reports that she passed the Lydian Monarch, three miles off Cape Race, at 5 o'clock this morning, moving at the rate of three quarters of a mile an hour.

Bank Corporation Extended.

WASHINGTON, Aug 13.—The comptroller of the currency has extended the corporate existence of the First National bank of Lock Haven, Pa., to August 15th, 1904.

Bank Director Committed for Trial.

MONTREAL, Aug 13.—Henry Bilmer, one of the directors of the defunct Exchange bank, has been committed for trial on the charge of obtaining undue preference from the bank after its collapse.

Injured by Falling Coal.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., Aug 13.—A man named Lynch, a Pole, was fatally, and and John Sigman, a Hungarian, seriously injured by a fall of coal at West Shenandoah colliery at noon to-day.

American Bankers in Session.

SARATOGA, Aug. 13.—The American Bankers association assembled in annual convention here this morning, with quite a large representation of prominent bankers present.

Executions Against a Cigar Firm.

ALLENTOWN, Aug. 13.—Weaver Bros.' large cigar factory was closed this afternoon on executions amounting to $36,500.

Duke of Wellington Drops Dead.

LONDON, Aug. 13.—The Duke of Wellington dropped dead at Brighton to day, as he was entering a train for London.

The Condition of the Cholera.

TOULON Aug. 13.—Two deaths from cholera occurred here last night. The heat is moderating.

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