

CAUGHT BY CHIEF SMELTZ.

A WISCONSIN HOBZELER TAKEN INTO CUSTODY AT THE PENNSYLVANIA STATION. The Prisoner Attempts to Persuade the Chief That He is Not Shoemaker, But a Photograph Convinces Him.

Chief of Police Smeltz this morning arrested George K. Shoemaker, a fugitive from justice, who is wanted at White Water, Wisconsin, for embezzlement. The chief has been looking for Shoemaker for several days. On the 1st of August, he received the following telegram from H. A. Fowler, deputy sheriff of White Water: "Please inform me if there is a man named George K. Shoemaker in your city. He is 35 years old, 5 feet 7 inches in height, has dark hair, mustache and weighs 150 pounds. He shipped goods from White Water to Lancaster, Pa., on July 28th. Shoemaker is an old resident of your city. Any information of his whereabouts gladly received."

The chief at that time could not find any trace of him. A few days later the chief received a letter stating that he had left White Water on July 28th, and that Shoemaker was not to be arrested but located, and that the goods sent from Wisconsin were shipped in the name of Dieter, his wife's maiden name.

Chief Smeltz learned that the Pennsylvania railroad freight office that a lot of goods shipped to Henry Dieter had been handled by Emanuel Shoemaker, and upon further inquiry he learned that Emanuel Shoemaker lived at Rothville and had a son named George K.

It appears that all of Shoemaker's goods were not sent by freight. There was one trunk shipped as baggage, and Chief Smeltz received from the deputy sheriff the number of the check. On Saturday he learned that a man answering Shoemaker's description had made inquiries for the trunk, and Chief Smeltz arranged with Baggage Master Clinton that when the man came again he would be detained and a telephone message sent to him. This morning Shoemaker called, and the chief was sent for. When Chief Smeltz got to the baggage-master's office he questioned the man. He denied being Shoemaker and claimed that he was sent there for the trunk by Shoemaker, that his name was Landis and that Shoemaker had been detained at the soldiers' encampment. The chief allowed him to talk until he was through and then handed him over to Officer Sanson to be taken to the station house.

When the party arrived at the station house the chief took from the drawer in his desk a photograph of Shoemaker. He showed it to the alleged Landis. He wilted at once, said he was Shoemaker and begged to know how the chief got his photograph.

Deputy Sheriff Fowler is in Harrisburg and was telegraphed for. He arrived here on the noon train. The offense which Shoemaker is charged with is the embezzlement of \$1,500 from J. C. Acker.

Shoemaker sold a house to Acker and represented that it was clear of all encumbrances. After he received the purchase money he skipped out at once and after his flight it was learned that the materials in the house had been paid for, and that Mr. Acker would be paid for several hundred dollars.

When Deputy Sheriff Fowler went to Shoemaker's cell this afternoon Shoemaker called him by name, said he was willing to go back to Wisconsin and denied that he made any false representations to Mr. Acker. The sheriff and his prisoner left for Wisconsin on the 2 o'clock train this afternoon.

DEATH OF A COLORED WOMAN. She Suffers Two Years From a Complication of Diseases—A Child Nearly Drowns.

COLUMBIA, Aug. 12.—Mrs. Margaret C. Williams, wife of Nelson Williams, a well known colored man of near Kinderhook, died on Saturday night, aged 28 years. The death resulted from a complication of diseases, after a two years' illness. A husband and daughter survives. The remains will be brought to town on Wednesday morning and services held in Mount Zion A. M. E. church. Interment at Wrightsville. Ellen Ely, a nine-year-old daughter of John C. Ely, had a narrow escape from drowning on Sunday evening. With some children she was playing along the canal and was thrown in the water by a stone slipping. The children were powerless to save the child and commenced crying, when their cries were heard by Fred Whitfield, who was rowing down the river in a boat. He went to the place and saved the child as she was going down for the third time. The child was unconscious, and was restored after some work.

A BLOODLESS DUEL.

Mr. Calhoun Could Have Killed His Opponent—They May Be Arrested. The duel between Mr. Patrick Calhoun and Mr. J. D. Williamson, both prominent railroad men of Atlanta, Ga., was fought Saturday evening, just 200 yards across the Georgia line in Alabama. They stood exactly two paces apart, both perfectly cool and calm. Captain Jackson, Mr. Calhoun's second, and Mr. Jack King, Mr. Williamson's second, put the cartridges in two cocking hammerless Smith & Wesson revolvers. The agreement was that each principal, at the word, should be allowed to empty his revolver or show fire. "Then fire," he said.

Mr. Williamson stood with the limbs of a scrub oak almost touching his face, while Mr. Calhoun stood in the open space. The pistols were placed in their hands. The seconds stepped aside and Mr. King asked: "Gentlemen, are you ready?" Both replied "Yes." "Then fire," he said. In rapid succession six shots rang out. Then the firing ceased and both men remained firm. Neither had been touched. Mr. Williamson had fired all five of his shots, while Mr. Calhoun only fired once, his ball hitting the twig that touched Mr. Williamson's cheek. Mr. Williamson evidently fired three shots, but he was too fast, and, therefore, missed his man. Mr. Calhoun, who is a dead shot, having in his practice the morning before last fired only three out of five times at twenty paces, and who was as cool as if in target practice apparently, did not try to hit his man. After the shooting, Mr. Calhoun pointed his revolver at Williamson, demanded him not to move, and said: "Mr. Williamson, I have held out of my balls, which I am entitled to fire at you now. I do not wish to take your life. I now ask you to retract your remarks made before the Legislature. If I don't want to take your life, I will not do so," answered Williamson, "provided you withdraw the reflections upon my character involved in your remarks."

Mr. Calhoun again asked an unconditional withdrawal, which Mr. Williamson refused. Then Mr. Calhoun said: "Mr. Williamson, you withdraw your remarks or shall I fire?" Mr. Williamson replied: "If you withdraw the reflections upon my character, if not, no, I am ready for your bullets. If you fire your shots, then we will load and fire again," and Mr. Williamson folded his arms to receive the fire. "I don't want to take your life," said Mr. Calhoun. "In speaking before the legislative committee I intended to cover a business point, and Mr. Williamson personally did not intend to do so."

"Then I withdraw my statement," said Mr. Williamson. "Then," said Mr. Calhoun, pointing his pistol at Mr. Williamson, "I am entitled to fire four shots in the air. I reserved them for this purpose." He then fired his remaining shots in the air. The principals showed no further feeling. The chief opinion is that Mr. Calhoun simply gave Mr. Williamson his life.

Williamson is a railroad president and Calhoun a railroad lawyer. ATLANTA, Aug. 12.—Pat Calhoun returned to Atlanta yesterday, and Williamson is in Rome. Gov. Say of Alabama, has announced his intention of demanding the extradition of the duellists. Gov. Gordon of Georgia, says he will honor a requisition, as the duel was fought on the state line. There is just uncertainty enough about it to raise trouble as to the question of jurisdiction. It is not certain that the spot could be identified, as the parties got off in the dark to fight the duel, and hastily left the ground.

Assembly for Spiritual Conference. At the meeting of the assembly for spiritual conference this morning Rev. E. Graf, D. D., conducted Bible study, Rev. A. C. Whitmer, superintendent home missions, read a paper on "The Unification of our Mission Work." As the work is now conducted the missionary enterprises of the Reformed church are exemplified by various boards, East and West. The advantages of unification were stated, but the difficulties in the way of placing all the missions under one board, under the direction of general synod were in general considered, for the present, insurmountable. Among these difficulties were the following: The unification of the general board, and make it difficult to oversee all the missions in the different parts of the United States to the best interest of each. Difficultly because of difference of language. The paper carefully presented the subject, and was highly commended. The subject called forth much hearty discussion.

This afternoon Rev. W. C. Schaeffer, Ph. D., president of Palatinate college, read an able paper on "Emotional Religion," and in the discussion the members of the conference took an animated part. There were large numbers of new arrivals this morning, among whom were Rev. S. M. Roeder, W. J. Johnson, T. J. Haeker, T. G. Apple, D. D., R. W. Miller, J. P. Stein, J. E. Kershner, Ph. D., C. S. Gerhard, D. G. Klein, S. E. Stollte.

Sunday was a day of rest and spiritual refreshing for the members of the spiritual conference. The communion was celebrated in the morning, Rev. J. W. Sauter, D. D., preaching the sermon. At 4 p. m. another service of devotion was held. In the evening the majority attended service in the First Reformed church, where Rev. C. Clever, D. D., preached.

Summer Lessons. Davis Kitch, who is superintending work for the Pennsylvania railroad company in the western part of this state, is home on a vacation. He can only remain a few days. Wm. Patton and family, of Columbia, Pa., are at the Seaside house, Ocean Grove, N. J. Emily and Annie Sprecher, daughters of George D. Sprecher, went to Atlantic City, and not Mr. Sprecher, as noted in Friday's paper.

D. Stewart Griffiths, of the Fulton bank, left this morning for Atlantic City, where he will spend ten days. Miss Annie Wolsten is departing for Atlantic City. Miss Millie Yantz left this morning on Niagara Express for Reno, Lock Haven, Williamsport and other places in this state. She will be gone about a month.

William Summerville and wife, of Philadelphia, are going to observe in the city of the Penn. rolling mill. David Freedwood, of Nist, Idaho, after an absence of four years, is visiting the family of Joshua L. Lytle and his mother, on North Lime street.

Samuel and Charles Dilger, and wives, left this morning on Niagara Express for Gettysburg. Mrs. Annie Wolsten is departing for Atlantic City. John Heigle, checkman at the Pennsylvania railroad station, was at Atlantic City over Friday and Saturday. Rev. E. V. Gerhart has gone to Elk Lick, Somerset county.

Drunk and Disorderly. Charles Beckman and William Book were arrested by Constable James Ehrman on Saturday evening for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. They will be heard by Alderman Heen.

Guttenberg Picnic. The Guttenberg Death Benefit association is picnicking at Toll's Hainfo-Park. There is a large crowd in attendance. The Algonquin Club Returns. The members of the Algonquin club returned from York Furnace on Saturday afternoon. They are sunburned and express themselves as having had a good time.

Passenger Trains Collide.

BARNEAT, N. J., Aug. 12.—The east and west bound morning trains on Amboy packed full of passengers collided near here this morning. Both engines were smashed, but fortunately no one was seriously hurt. The engineers and firemen of both engines jumped and saved their lives.

Inspecting Their Poles. The Edison Electric Light company have men out to-day inspecting their poles. A number of rotten poles will be replaced, and the balance will be painted. The poles have been standing nearly seven years.

Pamphlet Laws. The pamphlet laws for 1889 have been received at the prothonotary's office, and the aldermen and justices of the peace of the county can get a copy by calling at that office.

Murdered the Whole Family. A horrible butchery is reported from McAdams county, Va., where a man shot a whole family of five, including two children, in a remote district of the county with two daughters about grown. They were poor but respectable people. The father, John Shephard, was all three dead. They had evidently been continually assaulted and murdered. There is absolutely no clue to the perpetrators of the deed.

Excursion to Niagara Falls via Reading. Reading, Pa., August 12. Round trip tickets good for seven days. Fare only \$10.00. Leave Lancaster, King street, at 7:30. Columbia at 7:45. Tickets good going via Reading and Lehigh Valley, popular route, and good to return via Canadiana and Penna. R. R. to Harrisburg, and Reading R. R. to destination. Tickets good to stop at any place en route. Cheapest and finest trip ever offered by Reading railroad.

Lutheran Extension to the switchback on Wednesday, August 14. Round trip tickets, good for three days. Special train leaves Quakertown at 8:30 a. m.; Leffon, 8:30. Fare, \$3.00. Train leaves Lancaster, King street, at 9 a. m.; Columbia, 9 a. m.; Petersburg, 9:20; Landisville, 9:25; Marietta, 9:30; Lehigh Valley, 9:35; Ephrata at 7:37. Fare only \$2.75, including the 15 miles around the famous switchback. Train returning leaves Marietta at 8:30 p. m., and goes to the terminus at Reading, Pa. aug12,13,14,15

Deaths. LAWDAF.—In this city, August 11, Peter Landis, aged 48 years. The relatives and friends of the family, also Metamora Tribe, No. 2, I. O. O. F., Monterey Lodge, No. 21, I. O. O. F., and Ridgely Encampment, No. 21, O. E. S., are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 39 South Line street, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment at Zion's cemetery. Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her parents, No. 67 West Orange street, on Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Interment at St. Joseph's cemetery. aug12,13,14,15

Philadelphia Produce Market. PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 12.—Noon Flour: Penna super 2, 2.65; extra, 2.60; 3, 2.55; 4, 2.50; 5, 2.45; 6, 2.40; 7, 2.35; 8, 2.30; 9, 2.25; 10, 2.20; 11, 2.15; 12, 2.10; 13, 2.05; 14, 2.00; 15, 1.95; 16, 1.90; 17, 1.85; 18, 1.80; 19, 1.75; 20, 1.70; 21, 1.65; 22, 1.60; 23, 1.55; 24, 1.50; 25, 1.45; 26, 1.40; 27, 1.35; 28, 1.30; 29, 1.25; 30, 1.20; 31, 1.15; 32, 1.10; 33, 1.05; 34, 1.00; 35, 0.95; 36, 0.90; 37, 0.85; 38, 0.80; 39, 0.75; 40, 0.70; 41, 0.65; 42, 0.60; 43, 0.55; 44, 0.50; 45, 0.45; 46, 0.40; 47, 0.35; 48, 0.30; 49, 0.25; 50, 0.20; 51, 0.15; 52, 0.10; 53, 0.05; 54, 0.00; 55, 0.00; 56, 0.00; 57, 0.00; 58, 0.00; 59, 0.00; 60, 0.00; 61, 0.00; 62, 0.00; 63, 0.00; 64, 0.00; 65, 0.00; 66, 0.00; 67, 0.00; 68, 0.00; 69, 0.00; 70, 0.00; 71, 0.00; 72, 0.00; 73, 0.00; 74, 0.00; 75, 0.00; 76, 0.00; 77, 0.00; 78, 0.00; 79, 0.00; 80, 0.00; 81, 0.00; 82, 0.00; 83, 0.00; 84, 0.00; 85, 0.00; 86, 0.00; 87, 0.00; 88, 0.00; 89, 0.00; 90, 0.00; 91, 0.00; 92, 0.00; 93, 0.00; 94, 0.00; 95, 0.00; 96, 0.00; 97, 0.00; 98, 0.00; 99, 0.00; 100, 0.00.

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MENNERHOE GARDEN. THIS WEEK'S ATTRACTIONS. JAMES NEARY, The Great Irish Comedian. JONES AND EDWARDS, The Original Telegraph Man. MISS HILLIARY MCOSTE, In her Life Character and Sweet Song. aug12-13-14-15

PROPOSALS—SEALED PROPOSALS WILL be received by the Water Committee until 12 o'clock, p. m., on Saturday, August 17, 1889, at the City Hall, for the purpose of making the following described repairs at the Hancock Brick Works, situated in two parts, as follows: First—For a new Penstock complete, with new head-gates, new head-frame, new frame for rack and plank the side shed, and one and a half inches diameter second—should it be found that the bottom of the canal is not of sufficient depth, the contractor to furnish all material for the full completion of the work, and further agree to be the best white oak, and the plank good, and one and a half inches diameter, and to make off-drafts and remove all the old work, and to receive all the old lumber, floors, and other material, and to be paid for the same at the market price. Plans and specifications can be seen at the City Hall, on Saturday, August 17, 1889, at 10 o'clock, a. m. For further particulars apply to J. W. MOSSER, Chairman Water Committee. aug12-13-14-15

MARTIN BROS., Merchant Tailoring, Clothing and Furnishing Goods. A chance to make a dollar ago almost as far as two in many choice styles of Men's and Boys' All-Week Cheviot, Cassimere, Flannel and Corduroy Suits, unusual values, 85c to \$14. For the little boys we take great care to please the eyes of the mothers and fit the backs of the boys. Natty Suits, made from reliable cloth, well made and perfectly fitting, \$2 to \$8. Complete and Ready-to-Wear Suits, Shirts, Waists, Jersey Suits, Knit Suits, Knit Skirts, Knee Pants, Fast Back Hose, etc. Summer Furnishings are going at prices that takes them out, as we want to go. Madras, Oxford and French Flannel shirts at the most economical prices. Complete and Ready-to-Wear Suits, Shirts, Waists, Jersey Suits, Knit Suits, Knit Skirts, Knee Pants, Fast Back Hose, etc. aug12-13-14-15

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