

TROTTING AND RUNNING.

NOBLES GIVE A GOOD EXHIBITION AT WEGMAN'S PARK ON WEDNESDAY.

Lady Upton First in the Trotting Contest and Kaufmann's Sam Walton Runs Mile Heats in Pretty Close Time.

The second day of the fall races at McGramm's park drew an audience of about the same size as on Tuesday. It was believed by many that the crowd would be much larger on account of the better weather and the fine showing that the horses made in the opening day.

The first race was the 2:30 race, for which the purse was \$200. Four horses were entered and all started as follows: William B. G. Sherman, 8; Sherman, 7; M. J. Midgley, 6; M. J. Upton, 5; Emanuel B. B. M. H. K. A. and Brooke Leung, 4; b. m. Rosa K., 3.

In the first heat, Rosa K. went ahead at once, closely followed by Lady Upton and Ella B. The horses were all close together at the half mile, with Ella, who had come up slightly in the lead, and Rosa K. next. There was a beautiful race between these two horses down the home stretch, and despite the efforts of the wire to close together, they were unable to tell which was in the lead. The judges declared it a dead heat, with Sherman Basher third, and Lady Upton fourth. Time, 2:31.

Lady Upton was not slow in going to the front after the word was given in the second heat, and despite the efforts of the other horses, who did nobly at times, they were unable to wrest the position from her. Sherman Basher broke several times, but took second place, and Rosa K. stretched, and came in that way closely followed by Ella B. Time, 2:35.

The third heat opened with Upton again at the front. Behind her, the rest of the quartet pole was reached, when she broke and was passed by the other two. At the half mile Basher had recovered sufficiently to take a good lead, and she held it to the end, giving Upton a very close race to the finish, the latter beating him by something over a length. Rosa K. was third. Time, 2:35.

In the fourth and deciding heat, the horses made a beautiful race to the half mile with Rosa K. leading. At that point Ella B. took the lead, and she held it for the second time during the race. The little mare recovered, however, and on the home stretch, to the surprise of everybody, she went right to the front, closely followed by B. second, and Rosa K. third. Time, 2:35.

The running race of three-quarter mile heats for a purse of \$100, the only one that was not a trotting race, was won by Richard Sales' McGardner. The starters were: B. Stuffer's b. m. Effie Hardy, 3; M. J. Upton, 2; H. H. Kaufmann's Sam Walton, 1; B. Stuffer's leading, Effie Hardy, 3; M. J. Upton, 2; H. H. Kaufmann's Sam Walton, 1.

The horses were started at the quarter mile, and they had considerable difficulty in getting away in the first heat. Walton went off in the lead and Mack was second, but he soon stopped, and the race was won by Richard Sales' McGardner. The horses were close in those positions all the way around, there was some great running on the stretch. Walton won by two lengths and the two others were almost neck and neck to the finish. Effie was slightly ahead of the Milton horse. Time, 1:21.

The horses got a splendid start in the second heat and they made a beautiful race the whole way around. Walton and Mack were almost together a greater part of the way, but Walton was in the lead ahead and Mack not more than a length in front of Effie. Time, 1:21.

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Death of Ex-Senator Hall. Ex-Senator John G. Hall, of Pennsylvania, died in Liverpool on Monday. He sailed for Liverpool on the 29th of last month on board the City of Berlin, to visit England on business. During the voyage he became ill, but on reaching Liverpool he rallied, and on Monday he suddenly relapsed and died at the Adelphi hotel in the evening. Mrs. Hall, who accompanied her husband, will return to New York on Saturday with his remains. Mr. Hall was 59 years of age. Failure of the heart's action was the cause of death. Mr. Hall was born in Lancaster, Pa., and was educated in the public schools and in the academies of Bellefonte and Lewisburg. He studied law at Clearfield and was admitted to practice in 1845. He represented the counties of Berks and Lancaster in the House of Representatives in the sessions of 1870 and 1871, and re-elected November, 1882. He was an unflinching Democrat.

John M. Hovey, of Norristown, Pa., a retired farmer of wealth, committed suicide on Wednesday. After chatting pleasantly with his wife he stepped into the parlor, and a few minutes later Mrs. Hovey heard a pistol shot. She found her husband lying on the floor and dying of a bullet wound in the head. He had bought the pistol the day before, and on entering the parlor he took a part of his clothing and laid down on a rubber carriage blanket, which he had provided to protect the carpet from becoming soiled by his blood, and in this position he fired a shot into his right temple. On his writing desk lay a note, which reads as follows: "Do not be frightened, dear wife. Telephone to Charles. Charles is my son, who lives at Baintbridge, and is thought that Hovey's mind was affected by grief for the loss of a favorite son, who was murdered and robbed a few years ago while traveling in the south."

Sales of Real Estate. B. F. Abner, auctioneer, sold on Wednesday for Abner, auctioneer, assignee of C. W. Shultz, of Camargo, a piece of land in Eden township, containing 95 acres, on which is erected the Camargo mill, saw mill, dwelling house, barn and other improvements, to Susan M. Shultz for \$1,000.

Also for the same a piece of land in Strasburg township, near Martinsburg, containing three acres more or less with mill, dwelling and other improvements, to J. Frank Shultz for \$1,000.

The water committee. The water committee of city council took an omnibus this afternoon and drove out to the new water works to make an inspection.

DEPOSED BY HIS SISTER-IN-LAW.

A Chicago Real Estate Agent Runs Off With His Wealthy Wife.

Hyde Park is excited over the supposed elopement of Emmele Green, a Chicago real estate dealer, whose residence is in the fashionable suburb, with Mrs. C. E. Bortell, wife of his half brother. The two families live close together in Prairie avenue, and have always been on the most intimate terms. About two weeks ago Green told his wife he was not feeling well, and would run out to his Wyoming ranch for a short time. A day after he left, Mrs. Bortell told her husband she wished to visit friends in Indianapolis, and left the same day.

Green wrote to his wife from Omaha, telling her he was feeling better but could go on to the ranch, and enclosed her the key to a box in the safe deposit vault. A day or two later a servant found in Mrs. Bortell's room a letter that lady from Green, couched in the most endearing terms, and the secret was out. On opening the box in the safe deposit vault Mrs. Bortell found a check for \$25,000, which she never expected to return; that he had paid up all his debts, and had little money left, and his wife had to sell the house and go to Indianapolis.

No trace has yet been found of the couple, although an active search is being prosecuted by Mr. Bortell.

A WOMAN'S REVENGE.

Mrs. Cunningham Has Mrs. Gesselbocker to Tea In Order to Whip Her.

Rosa Gesselbocker, a widow residing at 134 Wall street, Elizabeth city, N. J., was invited to a tea at the home of Mrs. Cunningham, living at 130 Court street, last evening at a restaurant, which was taken by Mrs. Gesselbocker. She dissembled her wrath, however, and invited Mrs. Gesselbocker to her home, where she was to be entertained. She locked the doors so that her victim could not escape, and then attacked her. Mrs. Gesselbocker, who is a big, stout woman, was knocked down, it is said, with a chair.

It is asserted that Mrs. Cunningham kicked and struck her, and also slashed her with a razor. The latter woman's screams of murder brought a crowd around the place, who burst in the doors and rescued her. She swooned when she was taken to the hospital. Her clothing was pulled almost to pieces. Last evening her daughter said she was unable to leave her bed. Mrs. Cunningham was brought out from the hospital and taken to her home, where she is recovering.

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A Wife Beater at the Whipping Post. John Eisenberger, who was sentenced last week to receive thirteen lashes upon his bare back for beating his wife, was whipped at the whipping post in the jail in Baltimore, by Deputy Foreman, in the presence of the sheriff and several newspaper reporters. Eisenberger felt his disgrace keenly. He was nervous all the while, and his purpose of leaving the city forever after his sentence had been completed.

The whipping was very quickly done. Eisenberger was brought out from his cell, attired in trousers and shirt. Upon reaching the whipping post, which is a cross-like arrangement, he was placed with his hands behind his back, and his feet spread apart, and his arms stretched along the cross beam, the hands being pinioned at each end.

As the arrangements were completed Deputy Sheriff Roseman took his stand upon the platform, and laid on the taker's dozen lashes very rapidly. When by the end of the first dozen, the prisoner was a mass of welts, with the blood running from the places where the ends of the cat had broken the skin. He will nurse his back during his confinement in jail.

An Important Indian Decision.

A special from Denison, Texas, to the Standard, says that the United States Supreme court has given a decision sustaining the legislative amendment to the constitution of the Chickasaw Indian nation, which gave the Indians the right to sell their lands and the rights they acquired by marrying white women. The whites claim that under the constitution they have the right to sell their lands, and the Indians claim that they have the right to sell their lands and the rights they acquired by marrying white women.

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The Boston American Reporter says: Another large trust company has gone into liquidation. The Anthony Loan and Trust company, of Anthony, Kan., with an office also at 4 Postoffice Square, Boston, has failed. The company was started in 1885, with a nominal capital of \$250,000, only a portion of which, however, was paid in, and the company has done little business.

The president is Edward H. Conant, of Boston, and the other officers are located in Anthony, Harper county, which is the location of the company's principal office and Trust company. The Anthony Loan and Trust company people are having back interest accumulated to the amount of \$100,000, and have decided to go into the hands of a receiver. They assert that their securities are mainly held among their friends.

The Wires Must Go Down.

In view of the wholesale loss of life by electricity the meeting of the New York State electrical control on Wednesday was devoted to the consideration of the representatives of the various companies. Mayor Grant favored this, and declared himself in favor of shutting off the current of electricity by overhead wires, although the mortality ceased.

He stated that the wires were safe, but not of the reputation for the amount of the affirmative of his question, "Will you take hold of a charged wire of your company to prove its safety?" He admitted that he had never taken hold of a charged wire, and was firm in insisting that the wires must go into subways, and that when subways did not exist perfect insulation must be maintained.

The Carlisle Fair.

At the Carlisle fair yesterday there were more bicycle races. The one mile handicap was won by A. A. Zimmerman, of the Cape May Athletic club, with B. H. Miller, of Lancaster, second, in 3:23. The two miles open was won by Philip S. Brown, of Washington, with W. E. Reid second in 11:45. The 4-mile handicap, which was won by the mile with David Rose, of Lancaster, second, in 21:14-5.

Among the horses Joe Ockers's Mulligan was the three-quarter mile running race in 1:20 and 1:22.

Chalkley Leoney Indicted.

The Camden grand jury on Wednesday found an indictment against Chalkley Leoney for the murder of his niece, Annie Leoney. The principal evidence was furnished by Garrett Murray, the colored farm hand, who lives near the Leoney farm, and Frank Lingo, a negro who was first suspected of the murder. Prosecutor Jenkins will probably move last night in jail, being held as a witness.

A Double Tragedy Caused by Jealousy.

Henry Huffman and George Huter, of Piqua, Ohio, both men of 35 years, courted the same woman, a young widow named Letzer. Huter was the favorite suitor, Huffman became jealous, and called on Letzer Wednesday morning about 10 o'clock. The men exchanged a few words, when Huffman drew a revolver and fired. Huter was hit in the chest, and stood over him and fired a second time, Huffman then shot himself in the neck, killing himself. Huter still lives, but cannot recover.

FULL VIEWS. THE EVIDENCE.

THE FINDING OF THE CHESTER COUNTY WAY IN THIS CASE IS REVERSED.

Extracts From the Opinion of the Supreme Court—Justice Mitchell Dissents From the Conclusions.

Following is the opinion of the supreme court in the case brought by Mr. Fulton against the county's assessor, to recover for money collected from the state:

In his statement and affidavit of claim the assessor stated that he had entered into a contract with himself and the county commissioners, dated June 28, 1882, by which he agreed to collect from the county the amount of the unpaid taxes on personal property then due, for which services the county, by its commissioners, agreed to pay him 25 per centum on the amount of the unpaid taxes, and he agreed to pay in his account with the commonwealth; that said contract was evidenced by a resolution adopted and entered on the minutes of the county commissioners.

"Resolved, That H. R. Fulton, esq., be and is hereby appointed attorney for the county to take proceedings to obtain credit for the county in his account with the commonwealth for all unpaid taxes for personal property. Mr. Fulton's compensation is to be 25 per centum upon the amount or amounts which may be credited, and is to be in full settlement of all costs and expenses as well as of fees."

The assessor, in pursuance of said agreement and resolution, collected and received for years of labor, and great expense procured credit settlement in favor of the county in his account with the commonwealth, in the sum of \$23,822.40, which included in the terms of said contract, etc., and that plaintiff's compensation for services, etc., specified in said agreement and resolution, is \$5,955.60, which was due him with interest thereon from June 29, 1887.

In substance the defense interposed by the county was that at the time the resolution of June 28, 1882, was adopted plaintiff below was the duly elected and qualified solicitor of the county, and that the assessor, by his act of February, 1879, at a salary of \$50 fixed by that act, and for that reason neither he nor the county commissioners had any power or authority to make the contract, under which the services were rendered, and on which the claim is founded.

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DECLARED NOT GUILTY.

THE JURY BELIEVE ELLIS HUGHES IS INNOCENT OF A SERIOUS CHARGE.

Witnesses Testify They Would Not Believe On Oath the Woman Who Charged Him With Rape.

Wednesday Afternoon—Court reassembled at 2:30 o'clock and Ellis Hughes was put on trial for outraging Mrs. Emma J. Althouse, of Martic township. She testified that she was 27 years of age, had been married two years, and on the 10th of April while in her house Ellis entered and committed the offense charged.

We are therefore of opinion that the defendant is innocent of the offense charged, and that the prosecutor's evidence is insufficient to justify a conviction. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

Current Business. Celia Houseal, of Maytown, was appointed guardian of minor children of Frank Houseal, deceased, who are interested in the estate of their grandfather, the late Henry Houseal.

Thursday Morning—Court met at 9 o'clock and argument of the Hughes rape case was begun. All morning was taken up by the testimony of the witnesses, and the charge of the court. The jury in less than 10 minutes agreed upon a verdict of not guilty.

Christian Hinkle, who was declared not guilty by the jury but who was directed to pay one-half the costs, refused to comply with the order and was sent to jail.

A. J. GEIGER'S ODD WILL. Many Peculiarities Displayed in the Testament Admitted to Probate. The odd will of the late Andrew J. Geiger, the well-known Kensington lumbric merchant, was admitted to probate on Wednesday last.

The testator's will was a long and complicated one, and contained many peculiar provisions. It was admitted to probate on Wednesday last.

The testator then rewards his laborers and friends as follows: Frederick Thuring, \$500; James Dolan, \$500; Andy Cliford, \$500; Ned Lynch, \$500; Joseph Merritt, \$500; Miss Ella L. Blood, \$500; Miss Ida Little, \$500; Mrs. Ada Reed, \$500; Miss Kate Hamilton, \$500; Miss Kate Anderson, \$500; Miss Laura Hood, \$500; and Miss Max Stark, of Louisville, Ky., \$500.

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A Large Audience Gathers at the Actor at Fulton Opera House. By this time, it is fair to assume, the citizens of Lancaster are well acquainted with the satisfaction of the opera house management that meritorious entertainments will not lack fit patronage.

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FOREIGNERS SURPRISED.

The South American Delegates Shown Page Tool Works in the East.

Mexico City, Oct. 10.—After the Pan-American excursion party returned to the train last night, in Hartford, rain began to fall, and a steady down-pour lasted until the cars started for Collinsville at 7:30 o'clock this morning.

When that charmingly situated little town was reached, however, the rain ceased, the sun made its appearance, and a quarter of a mile walk through the fresh country lane, running from the station to the works of Collins edge tool company, was enjoyed by the party.

As time pressed, it was necessary to make the visit too short to afford proper opportunity for complete understanding of the complicated processes through which the steel passes from the ingot to a shining broach or slender machine.

The South and Central American delegates saw for the first time how bush hocks and machetes, with which they were familiar, were produced, and learned with surprise that one half of the six hundred employes engaged in these works were making Spanish axes and tools for shipment to South and Central America.

After inspection of the works the visitors were escorted to the office of the company where they were presented with souvenirs consisting of a metal pin, a pair of oxidized silver, with appropriate inscriptions and with murderous-looking bowie knives.

At ten o'clock the train was again boarded and the party started for Meriden, which was reached at 11:30.

A Big Steamship Stranded. NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The steamer City of New York, which ran aground in the lower bay last evening, on her arrival from Liverpool, is still fast aground. Eleven tugs have been sent to the assistance of the passenger steamer, but to no avail. It is feared that she is sinking in the quicksand.

There are 500 cabin passengers and 175 second cabin passengers on the City of New York. The steamer passengers are numbered up in the hundreds. The City of New York had head with heavy rolling seas. She was obliged to stop the port engine twice during the gale.

Notwithstanding the head winds and rolling seas and stops, she made the passage in six days, 10 hours and 20 minutes. There was no accident before the racer got stuck in the middle. The agents of the company say she will be floated all right on the next high tide.

Gen. Gobin Chosen Grand Master. WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—The Grand Encampment No. 10, of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, in secret session this morning elected the following officers to serve during the ensuing three years: Very Eminent Sir J. P. S. Gobin, of Pennsylvania, most eminent grand master; Hugh McCurdy, of Michigan, deputy grand master; Warren LeRoy Thomas, of Kentucky, grand secretary; Robert H. Hooley, of California, grand captain general; Henry Bates Stodard, of Texas, grand senior warden; Nicholas Van Slyke, of Rhode Island, grand junior warden; H. Wales Lines, of Connecticut, grand treasurer; William B. Isaacs, of Virginia, grand recorder; General John H. Starnes, of Lebanon, Pa., and general of the Third Brigade of National Guards of Pennsylvania.

Fire in a Fertilizer Factory. BALTIMORE, Oct. 10.—The fertilizer factory of G. Ober Sons & Co., at Locust Point, is burning. The loss is estimated at \$150,000. Two large buildings were destroyed. The loss is \$200,000 on buildings; \$5,000 on stock. The amount of insurance is not ascertained.

Appointed by the President. WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Among the list of appointments of presidential postmasters announced to-day is that of Isaac F. Tillinghast, at La Plume, Lackawanna county, Pa., the office having become vacant. There are no other Pennsylvania offices in the list.

Randall Goes to Washington. PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10.—Ex-Speaker Randall left this city for Washington to-day, accompanied by his wife and children.

Damage By Fire. ALLEGANY, Pa., Oct. 10.—Fire on the steam heating company and \$1,000 on the stock in Honey & Berger's shoe factory.

Corner-Store Laid. NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—The corner-store of the New York World's new home, the Pulitzer building, at Park Row and Frankfort street, was laid this afternoon by Joseph Pulitzer, Jr., the 4-year-old son of the proprietor.

A Six-Year-Old Abducted. About 5 o'clock Wednesday evening, while a young child about 6 years old, named John Polk, was playing in the street, his dwelling in York, a well-dressed man, who had been leaning against a telegraph pole near by, approached her, and asked her to go with him. She was shyly refused the proffer and he took her by the hand and forcibly led her along down Newton avenue to the railroad. Her cries became so violent that he was obliged to place her under his arms and carried her along, placing his hand over her mouth to suppress her cries. He hurried her along to Wile's road, and there he was overtaken by a policeman, who carried her to her father's home.

He Made a Great Noise. Emmanuel Hammond, who resides on John street, went on the warpath on Wednesday. He got drunk and raised such a noise that the whole neighborhood was aroused. He was finally taken to his home where Dr. Kinard attended him, after which his family physician, Dr. M. J. Davis, was called. Upon examination they found that one of his shoulders was dislocated. The camphor was the cause of the whole trouble. He took a great deal of it and became unconscious. In falling he struck his shoulder, causing the injury to it. To-day he is much better.

The Surprise Party Still Rages. Last evening thirty-five lady and gentleman friends tendered Miss Lizzie E. Auzer a birthday surprise at her father's residence, No. 228 East Chestnut street. The evening was quite spent in games of all sorts and music, and at an early hour, fine table was spread before the guests. One of the notable features were the pyramids of fruit which beautified the tables.

Plenty of Luck. Alderman Pinkerton is one of the happiest men in town to-day and he is receiving congratulations on every hand. The cause of all this is that he became the father of two bouncing baby boys last evening. He thinks of naming one after President Harrison and the other after Grover Cleveland.

Hurt in a Cork Factory. Yesterday Fred, Foreman, of West King street, who is employed in a cork factory, had his hand badly cut and bruised by having it caught in cogs. Dr. Kinard attended him.

ONE IS ACCEPTED.

AND ANOTHER RESOLUTION IS REJECTED BY THE EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.

The Church's Constitution Amended. A Proposed Change in the Judicial System Defeated by Nine Votes.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—At to-day's session of the general convention of the Protestant Episcopal church the committee on constitutional amendments reported a resolution in favor of an amendment to the constitution providing that no change shall hereafter be made in the book of common prayer or the articles of the constitution unless it has been provided by the majority of the house of deputies and house of bishops of one general convention and similarly approved by the succeeding convention. The vote by dioceses was taken on the resolution and it was adopted.

At 11 o'clock the report of the committee on the judicial system of the church, being the order of the day, came up for discussion. After a long discussion the vote was taken on the resolution, which reads: "In every diocese the mode of trying presbyters and deacons may be instituted by the convention of the diocese except in so far as the general convention shall otherwise provide." The resolution was lost, the vote standing: Clerical 23 areas, 18 in ones, 5 divided; lay 23 areas, 24 ones, 3 divided.

The house adjourned at 12:35 o'clock until 9 o'clock to-morrow morning. At one o'clock the delegates partook of the luncheon to which the missionary society had invited them in the colony of Maryland and in the afternoon they listened to addresses made before the society by a number of missionary bishops, who told of their work and experience in their respective fields.

Had He Cause to Shoot Him? EL PASO, Texas, Oct. 10.—Several nights ago Customs Inspector Blachley, on the watch at the street-car line bridge, saw a Mexican accompanied by a boy and two women cross to the American side of the river. The man carried a bundle. The officer approached and ordered the Mexican to hand over the bundle, but instead of obeying the command the Mexican drew a pistol and fired at the officer, who missed him. Blachley returned the fire, one of his bullets taking effect in the Mexican's abdomen and bringing him down. The officer then fired at the wounded Mexican in a critical condition. The two women who were with him returned to the other side with the bundle of to