

DIED SUDDENLY.

MRS. MARY MCGOVERN, AN AGED AND RESPECTED WOMAN, DIED ON WEDNESDAY.

A Native of Ireland and Widow of Thomas McGovern--The Funeral to be Held on Tuesday Morning.

Mrs. Mary McGovern, widow of the late Thomas McGovern, a prominent railroad contractor in his day, died at her residence, corner of North Queen and Liberty streets, this morning, at the advanced age of 87 years.

Deceased was born in Ireland in 1803, but she has been for many years a resident of this vicinity.

Her funeral will take place on Tuesday morning, and her remains will be buried in the Catholic church, of which she was a member.

RETURNED TO COURT.

B. F. Swineheart Accused of Giving Liquor to Howard McLaughlin.

B. F. Swineheart, Jr., of Providence township, was arrested this morning and taken before Justice Hensel, of Quarryville, on the charge of giving liquor to Howard McLaughlin.

The evidence in the case against Swineheart is returned from Lancaster jail a team from Raut to be taken to his home, a few miles west of Quarryville.

McLaughlin was sent along as a driver, and on the road Swineheart gave him several drinks of liquor, and after failing to persuade McLaughlin to crawl a tree on the property of Henry Shab.

A ROMANTIC ELOPEMENT.

A Mt. Joy Man, 64 Years Old, Gets a 10-Year-Old Bride.

Issue D. Baker, of the town of Kansas, but who for many years lived in Mt. Joy, figured as the prominent part in an elopement.

His advertisement was answered by Miss Sadie E. Price, of Saxton, Huntingdon county, one of the belles of the county.

Mr. Baker is a well preserved man, is rich and has several married children.

Stole Four Cases of Beer.

At a late hour on Thursday night Simon Book, a well known colored man, was seen to carry a lot of beer from George Weber's bottling establishment, at Rockland and Green streets.

Mr. Weber went to the door and found that the door had been forced open and four cases of beer stolen.

Broom Drill and Entertainment.

A broom drill for the benefit of Emmanuel chapel, at Walnut and Pine streets, was held on Friday evening.

La Grippe on the Increase.

La grippe is on the increase in Lancaster city. Inquiry of the officers of benevolent societies in the city show that there are more on the sick list than ever before in the history of the societies.

Fox Chase on Tuesday.

Abraham Poff, of Graeff's Landing hotel, has arranged for a grand fox chase on next Tuesday.

Presiding Elder Heard to Preach.

Presiding Elder Heard, of the African Methodist Episcopal church, will preach at the Strawberry street church to-morrow evening.

Hold on Serious Charges.

Frank Lisa and Mary Alice Wanamaker were held by Alderman Deen this morning.

To Entertain the Bible class of the Reformers of the Hill.

The charges of Goodville, on Saturday evening, January 18.

Church Re-Dedication.

The Cernarvon Presbyterian church, of Churchtown, will be re-dedicated Sunday, January 19th.

A RIVAL TO THE STANDARD.

Foreign Capitalists in League With the Pennsylvania Oil Producers.

A combination is being made between some of the principal producers of Pennsylvania and the owners of capital for the purpose of constructing new pipe lines between the oil fields and the coast.

The Standard Oil company does not own the wells which supply it with oil. It acts nominally only as a transportation agent.

The American representative of the foreign capitalists who are interested in the scheme is a gentleman who has placed many millions of foreign capital in this country.

Yes, negotiations have been for some time in progress, and are now well advanced.

The Standard Oil company claims to be that company is obliged under its charter to transport all wells and to keep up its wells.

Do you propose entering into active competition with the Standard Oil company? Not unless it is necessary.

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BARN AND CONTENTS BURN.

JAMES E. NIFFAN'S PROPERTY IN YORK COUNTY DESTROYED.

Two Cows, Hay and Other Crops Consumed--The Tenant-Farmer a Heavy Loser--Alleged Violation of Law.

COLUMBIA, Jan. 11.--A very disastrous fire occurred last evening between 7 and 8 o'clock on the farm of James E. Niffan, of Columbia, situated a short distance from Wrightsville.

The contents of the barn were entirely destroyed. The contents of the fire is unknown, but is supposed to be of incendiary origin.

The barn was occupied by Isaac Hinkle, and two cows belonging to him were lost in the fire.

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WHERE THERE IS WINTER.

A Letter From the Northwest Frontier.

PORT AINSWORTH, Montana, Jan. 5.--We are having a regular Montana winter.

Just now (11 a. m.) it is 50° below with a bright sun and a stiff wind.

At Colville and Lapwai it got down as low as this, but the cold was not felt on account of the stillness of the atmosphere.

Here, however, in spite of what Montanians say, the air is hardly ever still and it usually blows a stiff breeze even when the mercury is below zero.

The fact of the matter is that the Montana people do not know what still air is and have never seen the chimney smoke rise vertically in the sky.

We do not suffer from the cold, as we have nothing to take us out of the garraon, and we are perfectly warm of buffalo fur as well as of the wool.

The nose, which is the only exposed part, has to be carefully watched and occasionally protected by the hand, the eyelashes freeze together and the nostrils close up with ice, but with our arctic dress we don't feel the cold elsewhere.

I have hitherto accepted the theory that it cannot snow when it is very cold, but the other day we had a snow of some six inches while the thermometer stood 26° below zero.

Our houses can be kept reasonably comfortable by keeping fires going in every ash-hole, but we have had a regular display of "sun dogs" every evening at sunset.

The P. & R. has issued its December bulletin showing relief benefits amounting to over \$40,000.

A shooting match between teams from Lancaster and Columbia will be held on Tuesday next on Big Island, on the Susquehanna.

The moulting department of the Keeley Stove company will resume work on Monday, after a three weeks' illness.

The Columbia shirt factory will commence a ten-hour term on Monday, instead of eight hours, as before.

The Franklin and Marshall Glee club will give a concert in the opera house on February 11th.

Only 21 people were in the opera house last night to see "The Judge," and a performance was not given.

The Frederick division pay car was in town to-day paying for December.

Five loaded cars in train of engine No. 1282 were wrecked at Collins this morning.

The Harrburg Accommodation was delayed thirty minutes.

Holy communion services will be administered at the Second street Lutheran church on Sunday morning.

Deals in full bloom were plucked in the yard of Scott Patton, on Cherry street, yesterday.

HE SPENT \$75,000 IN TWO YEARS. Then He Ended His Wild Career With a Dose of Morphine.

A dose of morphine in the career of Walter C. Colburn, the Dracina hotel, Providence, R. I., on Friday.

THE KELLEY OBSEQUIES.

MANY FRIENDS ATTEND THE FUNERAL CEREMONIES IN WASHINGTON.

The House of Representatives Thronged by Members of Congress and Others. Brief and Simple Services Held.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.--Long before the hour of noon the galleries of the House were filled with spectators anxious to do honor to the memory of a man who had for so many years been a prominent member of that body.

A few minutes before the House was called to order members of the Senate, without formal announcement, entered the chamber and quickly took seats in the body of the hall.

At 12:30 the officiating clergyman, Dr. Butler, and sexton, entered the hall, reading the beginning of the burial service. They were followed by committees of the Senate and House having charge of the ceremonies.

The magnificent casket containing the remains of William D. Kelley was placed on the bier. The family of deceased, Dr. Butler, and sexton, entered the hall, reading the beginning of the burial service.

The benediction was delivered by Dr. Cutbert, and then slowly and sadly the committee escorted the remains of Hon. William D. Kelley from the chamber which had known him so long and so well.

The procession was led by the vice president, who occupied the seat by the speaker having left the chamber. On motion of the House, the chaplain, Dr. Schless, where the remains were lying.

At the conclusion of the services in the chapel the funeral procession was formed and started for Charlotterburg. Unter den Linden, through which the procession passed was profusely draped with mourning emblems.

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BRICE'S WONDERFUL CAREER.

Sketch of the Life of Ohio's New Democratic Senator.

Calvin S. Brice was last evening nominated for United States senator, to succeed Henry B. Payne, by the Democratic caucus of the Legislature.

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NEW YORK AND CHICAGO.

REPRESENTATIVES OF THESE CITIES BEFORE THE CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE.

People Eager to Hear the Arguments of the Chief Contestants For the Proposed World's Fair in 1893.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.--The announced New York, through her distinguished representatives, would present her claims for the location of the proposed world's fair before the Senate special committee on the quadricentennial to-day, was sufficient to draw a crowd to the capitol that speedily exhausted the accommodations of the Senate reception room, where the hearing was held.

The first arrivals were from Chicago, the ladies' delegation from the "City of the Unadorned" occupying seats at the side of the room in a body.

Shortly after 10 o'clock the New York delegation, nearly 100 strong, entered the room headed by Mayor Grant, ex-Secretary Whitney and other distinguished officials and citizens.

Among others present at the hearing were representatives of St. Louis and Washington before the committee, the number of senators and representatives including Senator Everts, of New York, and Representative Hitt, chairman of the House committee on foreign affairs, which has assumed jurisdiction of the subject of the world's fair in that body.

It was 10:30 when Chairman Hiscock formally began the proceedings by announcing a change in the program as originally made for to-day.

Mr. Dewey was the first speaker. He began to speak in a husky tone of voice, but it soon cleared. He was listened to throughout with the closest attention and frequently interrupted by applause from his loyal and admiring New York supporters.

Not Recognized by Gov. Toole. HELENA, Mont., Jan. 11.--Yesterday afternoon Messrs. Sanders and Powers, who were elected United States senators by the Republican vote, and Messrs. made formal application to Gov. Toole for certificates of election.

Difficult to Recover the Bodies. LOUISVILLE, Jan. 11.--No more bodies have been recovered at the bridge explosion since that of Hamilton Morris was taken from the outer lock of the entrance chamber yesterday morning.

Object to the Election. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11.--In the court of common pleas, No. 2, to-day counsel for Messrs. Sheldeneider and Fritsch asked for an injunction to restrain the Reading railroad voting trustees from electing officers of the entrance chamber on Monday.

The Baby King Improving. MADRID, Jan. 11.--S. m.--The condition of the king is more favorable than this morning. He slept at intervals during the night. He took a small quantity of soup.

A Valuable Horse Among Those Burned. VERMILION, Ky., Jan. 11.--At four o'clock this morning the stables belonging to Macy Bros. burned, destroying 35 out of 38 horses.

A Woman's Crimes. MOSCOW, Jan. 11.--While engaged in leading a raid on a nihilist club in this city M. Solotuchina, chief of the nihilist police, was shot by a woman named Olga Charenko. The woman then committed suicide.

Bought a Picture for \$100,000. LONDON, Jan. 11.--One of the Messrs. Vanderbilt of New York, has purchased from the Earl of Dudley, the famous picture "The Landmark of Venice." The price paid for the painting was £20,000.

WEATHER FORECASTS. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 11.--Eastern Pennsylvania: Threatening weather and rain; warmer; wind shifting to southerly.

He is a Professional Bum. John Edelman was a lodger in the station house on Thursday night. He was discharged yesterday morning because he was looking for work.

A Horse with Runaway Gear Hanging. A horse with runaway gear hanging from him was caught at Walnut and Pine streets last evening. The horse was subsequently claimed by Paul Gerhart as his property.