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Communion.

The Holy Communion will be administered, in the Reformed church, at Zion, on May 24th, Whit Sunday, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Preparatory services on Saturday afternoon at the usual time.

Another Death.

One of College twp oldest and most influential citizens has passed away in the death of J. H. Mitchell, which occurred at his late home near Lemont, Wednesday morning 6th.

He was 67 years old and leaves six children: James, John, George, Bruce, Mary, who is Mrs. Henry Thompson, and Maud. Heart trouble was the cause of his death.

Growing in popularity—New Philadelphia Branch.

CORRESPONDENTS DEPARTMENT.

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OAK HALL.

Mr. Weibly and wife, of State College, were visiting at the home of Mr. George Kline.

Mrs. Jno. Getz and daughter, of Lemont, were in town last Sunday.

Mr. Luther Campbell has purchased a bicycle and is making good use of it at present.

Mrs. Thomas, of State College, was visiting at the home of W. H. Close last Sunday.

Two Lemont "duls" were around last Sunday.

Our friend Luther K. made a flying trip to Linden Hall Sunday eve. Luther you should have gone to Lemont to find her.

John Weaver, of Walnut Grove, was visiting at the home of Wm. Sellers last Sunday.

The R. R. carpenters are repairing the Comy. property here at the present.

We would think a certain person in the lower end of town if they would attend to their own business, and if we need and help, we will call on them for their valued assistance.

A. W. Dale is building a summer house. We suppose this is for Clem.

Awarded a Medal.

This week Mr. H. K. Hoy, of Benner twp., received a package from Chicago that proved to be an award from the Columbian Exposition at Chicago, or the Worlds Fair for an exhibit of Fulcaster Wheat. The diploma is awarded for "Good yield, general appearance, true to variety; planted August 28, harvested July 6. Yield 23 bushels per acre, etc., Accompanying the diploma is a handsome aluminum case containing a fine bronze medal issued by the Fair Committee. Mr. Hoy can well feel proud of his prize.

Collar Bone Broken.

On Saturday W. E. Hartsock, of near Waddles station, met with a bad accident. He was coasting down a steep hill on his bicycle, and took a bad fall. The result was a broken collar bone and the wheel was considerably used up by the tumble.

An Advantage.

The horse said, "I've got one advantage over you still," looking at the bicyclist in the next stall. "When I'm worn out I can be worked up into glue and canned beef, and you can't."

A Business Change.

A. M. Wasson, who came from Lemont, Centre county, a short time ago and opened a marble yard at No. 1228 Pennsylvania avenue, has purchased from Charles Stratford the marble yard on East Tenth street. Tyrone Times.

Finger Cut.

On Monday morning Mr. Thos. Donachy had the misfortune to have his second finger of his right hand almost cut off, while working about a rip saw at Ardell's mill.

Hon. John G. Love, President Judge of this county, will deliver the Decoration address, at Howard this year.

Robinson and Franklin Bros. big circus will be in Bellefonte, on Wednesday May 27. This will be good news for the small boys.

John Bower, student at F. & M., Lancaster, came home on Saturday, for a short visit.

Col. Wilkinson, the jolly china store proprietor has purchased a bicycle and is learning to ride. His physician advised this for the benefit of his health.

The third week of court is not very largely attended. The usual amount of candidates and professional politicians are lingering about.

Sheriff Condo does a humane act by occasionally giving the inmates of the prison an airing these fine spring days. Anything but being in jail this nice weather.

Herbert Shaeffer and bride have returned from their wedding tour and are at home, in Criders Exchange.

Lewis' eye openers. See page 7.

EX-SENATOR Wallace continues to linger in an unconscious condition, at his hotel, in New York. His physicians entertain no hopes of his recovery.

The Arnold-Reeder trouble is quietly simmering down. Col. Dunham has been pacified in some manner and the Horner's stinger has not been annoying anyone lately. That \$20 bonus and \$1.50 per day still remains unexplained.

THE relations between United States and Spain are becoming more or less strained. We are constantly on the point of hostilities and no one can predict what time it can break upon us. Our entire country is heart and soul in sympathy with the brave Cuban patriots, now making the noble struggle for freedom and liberty, the same as we enjoy. The merciless butcheries and taking of life by the cruel Spaniards is so heartrending that Americans can hardly remain silent any longer. Cubas should be free.

NOT A STATESMAN.

McKinley Has Little Except His Tariff Views to Recommend Him.

Senator Cullom thinks McKinley is less qualified for the office of president than any other conspicuous candidate.

Possibly Senator Cullom's views may be somewhat colored by the fact that McKinley is making considerable inroads upon the Illinois delegation, but nevertheless there are many people who agree with the man who looks something like Lincoln.

The fact is that ex-Governor McKinley has never given any special evidence of statesmanship. The legislation for which he is chiefly noted—the McKinley bill—was repudiated by the American people with as much emphasis as any legislation of recent years. In fact, many prominent protectionists think the bill was bunglingly and injudiciously drawn up.

As governor of Ohio McKinley did not add to his reputation. In fact, many people of Ohio do not hesitate to say among themselves that in executive qualities their late governor showed himself deficient. He plainly did not make a great governor of Ohio.

No campaign of shouting at Columbus and fat frying later on can make a candidate really great. Major McKinley is an amiable and well intentioned man, but there is much presidential timber of sounder quality in his party than he.—Boston Globe.

The Root of Republicanism.

A lugubrious wall comes up from Illinois. Senator Cullom says a large amount of money has been spent in Illinois to carry the delegates of that state for McKinley. If Senator Cullom has nothing to say more to the purpose he had better remain silent. The payment of money for the purpose of nominating and electing Republican candidates for the presidency is an established custom. Money has even been used to put a Republican president in the White House who was not elected. Money is the root of Republicanism.—New York Post.

Republican Reform.

The experience of the reform mayor of Baltimore is demonstrating that Republican ring rule is just as bad as Democratic ring rule, and that both varieties of rings can generally be depended upon to combine to crush out decency and honesty in the conduct of the affairs of a great city.—Boston Herald.

Money Talks.

McKinley has the lead in the number of delegates already chosen to the national Republican convention. The money of the protection barons is talking eloquently these days.—Kansas City Times.

A Winning Ticket.

Quay, the dispatches say, would be satisfied with second place. The Republic's Republican ticket, McKinley and Quay, would be a winner—for the Democrats.—St. Louis Republic.

SPAIN TAKES IT BACK.

Condemned Competitor Filibusters Will Get a New Trial.

CONSUL WILLIAMS' UNPOPULARITY

Our Representative at Havana Has Aroused the Enmity of Spanish Sympathizers by His Vigorous Attitude in Our Latest Controversy with the Castilians.

MADRID, May 11.—There are evidences of growing popular excitement in Spain over the attitude of the United States government towards the question of the filibusters captured on board the Competitor. The riots and outbreaks of popular hatred towards the United States at the time of the passage through congress of the resolutions favoring the recognition of the Cubas as belligerents have not been forgotten, and the sentiments which caused them are but smoldering.

The news of the capture of the men on the Competitor was received with great



CONSUL GENERAL RAMON O. WILLIAMS.

attestation and rejoicing. It was felt to be the first opportunity that had been offered to make an example of those engaged in feeding the insurrection. The popular demand for their execution is general, and it is likely to become vociferous. Little account is taken of the refined questions of treaty interpretation involved in the protest of the United States government against the execution of the sentences. The action of the United States is regarded rather as an expression of sympathy with the insurrection, and there will be a strong popular clamor to disregard it. The opinion is general that the death sentence should be carried out.

Allegations are made in these Havana dispatches of very extraordinary conduct on the part of Mr. Ramon O. Williams, the United States consul general. If these are not true they are nevertheless certain to add fuel to the fire of popular indignation in Spain. Mr. Williams' attitude, it is asserted, is the subject of general censure in Havana, and is said to be very provocative. The story goes on to relate that the United States consul general shows himself everywhere in public places in Havana, using irritating and menacing language regarding the probable action of the United States towards the authorities in case the sentences upon the Competitor captives are executed.

Great indignation is expressed both by the public and the press over the landing of the latest Bermuda expedition, which has been announced in a highly sensational manner by the newspapers here.

The men sentenced are: Alfredo Labrador, said to be the leader of the party, claiming American citizenship; Dr. Elias Bedia, also claiming American citizenship; William Gildes, said to be a British subject; John Milton, a native of Kansas; Teodora Mata.

Condemned Men to Have a New Trial.

LONDON, May 13.—The Madrid correspondent of The Standard says: "On Monday Spain and the United States arrived at an amicable understanding, and the Competitor prisoners will be allowed a fresh trial before the ordinary court, under the existing treaties between Spain and the United States."

Steamboat Boiler Explodes, Eleven Lost.

VICKSBURG, Miss., May 12.—One of the most terrible river disasters of recent years occurred Sunday night about twenty-five miles below this city. The towboat Harry Brown, of Pittsburg, upward bound from New Orleans, exploded her boilers at 11 o'clock. The boat was a complete wreck, and sank in less than five minutes. Eleven lives are known to be lost, as follows: Pilot Norman Dravo, G. W. Bardsley, steersman; William Deaghtery, chief engineer; Miss Annie Hess, chambermaid; Tom Judge, fireman; William Wilson, fireman; William Fitzsimmons, first mate; Pat Carniff, second mate; William Kelly, lamp trimmer; Frank Adrian, of Cincinnati; John Wagner, of Louisville.

The Laurada Steals Away.

NEW YORK, May 11.—The steamer Laurada, which recently landed a filibuster expedition in Cuba, quietly left this harbor yesterday and put out to sea in ballast. Subsequently it was learned that off Montauk Point the vessel was met by the tug Commander and two barges. From these about a hundred Cubans, together with several tons of arms and ammunition, were transferred to the Laurada, which at once put out to sea, evidently bound for Cuba.

A Mother's Awful Death.

ROBERTSON, N. J., May 13.—Clara Keller, the wife of Frank Keller, living near Dann's Mills, was burned to death yesterday, her clothing catching fire from a stove where she was baking bread. Her three little children saw her horrible death, but her husband was absent at the time. The woman was burned to a crisp, not a shred of clothing remaining upon the body, and the flesh falling off.

Instructed to Seize the Laurada.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—The secretary of the treasury has instructed collectors of customs and commanders of revenue cutters on the South Atlantic coast to be on the alert to seize the steamship Laurada if discovered in those waters with evidences of a purpose to violate the laws relating to filibustering expeditions against a friendly power.

Fifty Families Made Homeless by Fire.

LANSING, Mich., May 13.—The fire which swept through this place on Saturday afternoon and night has burned itself out. The entire town, except a few scattered houses, was destroyed. Fifty families, numbering about 500 persons, are homeless. The loss is roughly estimated at nearly \$750,000.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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ITEMS OF STATE NEWS.

HARRISBURG, May 8.—Adjutant General Stewart last night decided to hold the division encampment of the National Guard of the state at Lewistown from July 18 to 25.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., May 12.—A disastrous forest fire is raging from Bernice, Sullivan county, to Harvey's Lake. Considerable damage has already been done to valuable lumber.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 13.—By a fall of a rock in Babylon mine at Buryea, yesterday, Charles Smith, a miner, was killed and Andrew Suda, a laborer, aged 24 years, was fatally injured. Both were married.

YORK, Pa., May 12.—Dissatisfaction over the failure of the York club to win any games culminated last night in the election of Frank Sees, of Harrisburg, as manager. He watched today's game, and will at once weed out weak players and put stronger men on the team.

ASHLAND, Pa., May 13.—An explosion of gas occurred at the Hammond colliery, Girardville, yesterday afternoon, fatally injuring John Monaghan, aged 45 years, and seriously burning Edward Roach, aged 38. Monaghan died shortly after reaching the surface, and Roach was taken to a hospital.

ALTOONA, Pa., May 12.—Mrs. Thomas Gates, wife of a city passenger railway motorman, was assaulted on her own premises, in the southern suburbs of the city, Sunday night by Thomas Cox, a neighbor. Her screams frightened Cox away. An angry mob surrounded Cox's house and threatened to lynch him, but he was rescued by the police and sent to jail to await trial.

LANCASTER, Pa., May 11.—Miss Bertha McConnell, who shot Harry Thompson at the Keystone House, this city, on the morning of March 21, and later in the day shot herself at her home in Costesville, had a hearing before Alderman Cummins on Saturday, and was held in \$500 bail for trial, her father becoming security. Thompson was also held for unfaithfulness, and he too furnished bail.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., May 12.—During yesterday afternoon's storm the schoolhouse at Bath, near here, was struck by lightning. The school was in session at the time. The bolt struck the roof and ran down the wall. The ceilings of the school rooms were broken and the doors rent. Nearly 400 children were in the building at the time, but only slight injuries were sustained by a small number. The presence of mind of the teachers averted a panic among the little ones, and all were safely dismissed.

WEST CHESTER, Pa., May 11.—The James C. Smith Memorial home, the property which was recently bequeathed by the late Mrs. Heloise Drexel-Smith to the Protestant Episcopal City mission as a retreat for convalescent white women, was dedicated Saturday afternoon with impressive services. This fine institution is located at Oakbourne Station, on the West Chester and Philadelphia branch of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore railroad, and is one of the prettiest spots in Chester county.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Lawyer Rotan has concluded his examination of the mass of papers and other material which murderer Holmes turned over to him on the day of the execution, and states that he found among them nothing of public interest. There was no will among the papers, and absolutely no provision made in them for Mrs. Pitezel. Most of the papers were letters addressed to members of his family, bidding them farewell, and to various persons explaining points in the cases against him.

LEBANON, Pa., May 9.—Policeman Hain, who on Thursday night shot John Smith, of Pleasant Hill, was yesterday committed to prison to await the result of Smith's injuries. The shooting was the result of the gathering of an orderly crowd after a parade, which Hain attempted to disperse. Hain attempted to club Smith, and the latter resisted. The shooting followed. Had it not been for addresses to the angry crowd by Mayor Weimer, C. R. Lantz and General Gobin it is believed that Hain would have been killed. Smith's condition is critical.

PHILADELPHIA, May 13.—The first congress of foundrymen ever held in this country began yesterday at the Manufacturers' club in this city. Upwards of 250 delegates from all parts of the United States are in attendance. The objects of the sessions is to bring the foundrymen into closer contact, and to form associations in the various states. Francis Schumann, president of the Philadelphia Foundrymen's association, welcomed the visitors, as did Mayor Warwick. Last night the delegates listened to addresses on technical subjects.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 12.—Catharine Anzilo, the Italian woman who shot Angelo Donipietro at her home in Latimer on April 30 last, was before the court yesterday on a habeas corpus proceeding. The woman confessed that she shot the man as he was about to enter her bedroom. Some witnesses for the prosecution, however, testified that the murdered man told them just before he died that it was the woman's husband who fired the shot. The district attorney said he believed the woman was attempting to shield her husband. The court refused to discharge the woman. Her husband, who was arrested with her, will also be held to await the action of the grand jury.

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Moving. The probable removal of the Beech Creek railroad shops from Jersey Shore has caused a bit of commotion in other towns. Clearfield, Lock Haven and other points are anxious to secure the enterprise and are making liberal inducements.

Industrial Edition. The ladies of Bellefonte are contemplating issuing an industrial or woman's edition of a newspaper, in Bellefonte. It will be gotten up entirely by the women, of about twenty-four pages in size and at least 5,000 copies. The proceeds are to be devoted to the Y. M. C. A.

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N. B. Special. We have closed out a line of ladies' very fine Capes in Silk Veivet, French Broadcloth and Cobart Cloth, that cost the manufacturer from six to ten dollars, which we shall run at \$3.75.

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