A PERSONAL PLEDGE

Covering Every Bit of His Property, Given by Governor Beaver

TO THE PHILADELPHIA BANKERS

Who Advanced the Money Necessary for the Work at Johnstown.

HE HAS NO PEARS OF LOSS, THOUGH, Chicago Contributors Want Remixed Flood Relief

Accounts.

When Governor Beaver borrowed nearly \$100,000 for sanitary work at Johnstown, says Colonel Hill, he pledged his personal property for its repayment. The State Board of Health, it is said, has authority to net in such premises, and that the Board will undoubtedly secure the Governor. Chicago contributors make another call for an itemized account of the flood relief fund.

Colonel Samuel W. Hill was seen yesterday by a DISPATCH reporter, concerning the work done by the State and Relief Commissions at Johnstown. The reports of the financial expenditures necessary to get things into shape in that afflicted city, are now nearly ready to hand over to the proper authorities, and to be published in the report of the State at the proper time. The reports will be very voluminous, and give in detail every item of expense.

Considering the gigantic amount of work that had to be done on the premises, the cost of the undertaking is rather surprisingly small. It was at one time estimated that \$1,000,000 would not cover the sum needed Colonel Hill makes the following state-ment: Governor Beaver advanced funds to pay necessary expenses and for relief, until the Flood Relief Commission was fully organized, to the amount of \$91,158 03; this

sum was drawn from the relief fund. For clearing rivers and repairing highways the sum of \$355,818 56 was expended, being advanced by Governor Beaver. A CAUSE FOR CRITICISM. The fact that the Legislature had made no appropriation to meet such an expenditure of money has caused considerable specula-

tion, and at times brought out some adverse eriticism. It was also asked where Gov-ernor Beaver secured the funds for such an outlay, and whether the Legislature would be disposed to make up the expenditure by an appropriation, without some investiga-tion and a little hesitation. An explanation of the procedure was given by Mr.

"The reason why Governor Beaver did not convene a special session of the Legis-fature," said he, "was because it would, in the first place, involve an expense of fully \$500,000. Every member would receive mileage and \$1,500, even though the session lusted only one week. The Governor designed to have the work done as economically as possible, as there had been heavy drafts on the State treasury before the calamity occurred, and when he went to the State Treasurer he found there was no money there for that purpose. He, therefore, ex-ercised his police authority in the matter and ordered the work to be proceeded with. In order to secure funds for this purpose he went so far as to pledge his own private property to obtain them. As the case now stands, his whole property is dependent on the next Legislature to make good the ex-

OF SUPREME POWER.

"The money, as has been stated, was advanced by Philadelphia banking people, and whenever any money was needed to prosecute the work a requisition was drawn on Governor Beaver. Furthermore, the work was ordered by the tate Board of Health, and it must be derstood that its power is supreme in matters of that kind. The Board of Health has He Says He Feels Certain He Cap't power to direct the highest officials, whenever a pestilence or any condition prejudicial to the public health is threatened. It has power to make any expenditure, and can demand that the taxpayers make good the cost of the work. A pestilence was threatened on account of the polluted condition of the river and the bad state of the roads. By going ahead with the work, as has been lone much money has been saved and without the least doubt the Legislature will make good the amount by an appropria-

Certain parts of the report are not yet complete, but Colonel Hill is working on it, and will have it ready before long. Much trouble was experienced at first in trying to determine just what expenses should be assumed by the State, and what by the relief commission. The work of burying bodies was at first taken hold of by the State, but afterward the relief committee met and astion of the report somewhat.

The State has now withdrawn altogether from the case, and the city authorities are doing what they can to improve the place.

CHICAGO WANTS A FULL REPORT. Asking for the Full List of the Johnstown

Contributors.

W. R. Thompson, Treasurer of the Johnstown Flood Relief Commission, yesterday received a letter from the City Controller of Chicago, asking for a copy of the printed report of the contributors to the relief fund. Mr. Thompson replied that the report was not out yet, but expected to have it in two

The report is still in the hands of the printer. Owing to the large number of corrections and additions, the work has been greatly delayed. It is curious, but it is nevertheless a fact, that contributions to the fund are still coming in. Last month Mr. mpson received three small amounts from people in the Northwest. It was secessary to include these contributions in

Mr. Thompson is also careful to get the name of each and every contributor in the report. When the lists of contributors were published in THE DISPATCH last summer, a number of them were overlooked and their names left out. The contributors promptly wrote to Mr. Thompson, who had to have a correction made. One man who

ontributed \$20 was apparently not satisfied until he saw it printed three times.

Mr. Thompson also received a letter yesterday from a Mr. Herty at Johnstown, who claimed not to have been treated properly by the commission. He rendered valuable services to the commission in the payment of claims. He was known as an "identifier," and on account of his knowledge of the people of the town, he prevented a great many frauds from being perpetrated. He wants more pay for his services, but Mr. Thompson can see of so way of doing anything for him.

GOOD FOR BOATING BUSINESS.

River Lines Securing Most of the Freight to

the Northwest. Rumors have been flying around for the last few days to the effect that there was some cutting of freight rates being done on the quiet. None of the agents of the freight lines will admit that it is being done. Shipments by steamboat to Chicago and the Northwest are increasing, and all rail freight seems to be suffering from the com-petition. The rates asked by steamboat lines are from 2 to 5 cents less than those that are offered by the rail routes.

The steamboat companies are intending to build a small boat for the Allegheny river to carry considerable local freight, and the boat companies can make a large cut in this kind of freight. Rates to South-western points are still tow and the agents western points are still low and the agents here have received a notification of another out of 8 cents to all common points in Texas.

BUMBALO'S Sunday letter for THE DIB-sun will treat of taxation, and the duty of governments in encouraging the improvement of property.

THE POLITICAL FIGHT.

A Suggestion Meeting Without a Row in the Sixth Ward-Ritenour Nominated for Connell-Chairman Foley to Reply to the Challenge To-Day.

A suggestion meeting was held in the Sixth ward last night, and nobody was hurt. The Republicans of the ward held a suggestion meeting at the Forbes schoolhouse that was remarkable for that ward in

The only objection of consequence raised was that of M. L. Malone, who, by reason of a sudden motion to close the nominations for Councilmen, failed to get his man named. He protested, and asked that the nominations be reopened, being seconded by H. H. Bengough. He then nominated Mr. John S. Ritenour. The candidates sug-

gested were as follows: For Common Council, John S. Ritenour, John Eurich and H. R. Newlin; School Directors, J. V. Hoag, Jacob Ruch, George Jackson, H. L. Hoburg, William Martin, S. B. Charters, S. J. Greer; Ward Assessor, John Hamilton, Charles Fritz; Constable, Michael Hughes,

Democratic headquarters were lively yesterday. The wards are all being carefully organized, but especial attention is being given to the Southside and East End. Chairman Foley expressed himself rather forcibly on the Republican challenge for a joint debate. He said: "It is a broadside bluff, and I do not think that the public generally will expect an actual response to it. I do not believe that the Republican mittee expected an answer. My advice

The fight in the First Ward for the position of Alderman has been put in charge of Alderman Gripp, who is giving it his personal attention. The Magistrate said personal attention. The magnifically set-tled. 'Squire Cassiday's own friends acknowledge that he is beaten."

Chairman Foley, of the Democratic City

Committee, was seen last night. He said he had not as yet decided what he would do in regard to the challenge issued by the Re-publican Chairman. However, he said he would write a reply to the challenge to-day, but he declined to say what its contents would be until after it had been formally

sent.

Mr. Gourley, the Republican candidate for Mayor, spent the greater part of yesterday on the Southside, visiting the glass houses. He reported at headquarters that he had been well received, and that he was satisfied that there would be a change on the Southside from the Judgeship vote.

An adjourned meeting of the Randall Club was held last night. The committee appointed to draft suitable resolutions on the nomination of Judge Bailey reported.

The resolutions which were adopted set forth the many good qualities of Judge Bailey and the alleged bad record of Mr.

A Republican suggestion meeting of the citizens of the Twelth ward, Allegheny, was held last night. The following ticket was suggested: Alderman, A. J. Brinker, William Ray, Edward Klotz and William Eisenbeis; School Directors, Edward L. Hoffman, George Diftter, Julius Ludwig, William Tucke and Thomas Matthews: Constable, Robert Hughey; Poor Directors,

Joseph Shaud, Jr., and A. Binder. The Republicans of the Fourth ward, Allegheny, met last night and suggested the following names for the ward ticket: Alderman, A. G. Neeley: School Directors, Lewis Mendel, Peter Reiseck, Robert Brooks, William Green and R. C. Miller.

The Republicans of the Fifth ward, Allegheny, suggested their ward ticket last night. It is: Alderman, M. G. Clark; School Directors, Charles W. Cochran, John H. Dean and Dr. J.W. Dickson; Constable, A. C. Stenner, C. R. Wilson and Charles cookson.
The Tenth ward, Allegheny, Republicans

will hold their suggestion meeting in the Charles street schoolhouse Wednesday evening next.

The Democrats of the Twenty-seventh ward will hold their primary election at the Monastery street schoolhouse to-night.

DELAMATER'S HOPE.

Benten for the Nomination. When Senator Delamater was in the city a short time ago he remarked to a political friend that he didn't care how the Allecheny delegation voted, that he would capture the nomination anyhow. Then he as no mound is small enough to added:

expect to, I want to secure the votes of all the Allegheny county Republicans."

WORK OF THE STORM.

Sloppy Streets and Pools of Water to Hamper Pedestrians-Cattle Curs Unroofed on the Pennsylvania Rond-Some Dam age Reported in Other Places.

The average citizen chuckled to himself vesterday morning as he saw the snow fall. sumed the responsibility of this work. A sumed the responsibility of this work. A transfer of certain accounts and items then at night it turned to gloom. During the and think 1,000 would be nearer the mark. The entire country in that locality is conrain. It came down steadily all evening, of all kinds. making the streets sloppy and disagreeable. On the crossings the snow dammed up the water, and pedestrians were forced to wade through the floods.

Strange to relate about midnight the man in charge at Davis Island Dam reported that the rivers were falling, but he wouldn't youch for their condition this morning. Like the fellow who spends his night drinking, they might be gloriously full, though their capacity is large.

East of Pittsburg the storm became furious. Toward evening the wind became fiercer, and in the Allegbeny mountains trainmen on the Pennsylvania road reported the weather as very cold and about six inches of snow on the ground. All trains were delayed, and the through ones did not arrive until late last night. Between Derry and Latrobe the roofs were blown off 12 cat tle cars, leaving the poor animals exposed to the cold. Trees fell across the telegraph wires, but by hard work the men managed

to keep the two lines open. The crew of the Yough express reported that much damage had been done by the storm along the Southwest Branch in the neighborhood of Dunbar and Fairchance. On the B. & O. trains were also delayed by the snow in the mountains.

Yesterday the Pleasant Valley street car line brought out their new sweeper for the first time, and it did effective work in cleaning the streets. The rough night knocked out about 50 pe

cent of the usual receipts at the various the New neckwear at James H. Aiken & Co.'s, 100 Fifth avenue.

Extenordinary Bargains in Men's Hosiers And underwear; fine cotton hose 19c, were 35c, 29c were 50c; extra fine merino hose 35c, were 50c and 75c, 50c were \$1: woolen 35c, were 50c, 50c were 75c. Open until 9 P. M. Saturday.
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SECRETS OF MOUNDS.

A Very Interesting Chat With a Well Posted Ethnologist.

DIFFERENCES IN ALL GROUPS.

Critical Investigation of the Cobble Mounds Necessary to

LEARN ANTTHING OF THEIR AGE

Modern Silver Plates That Have Been Found in Some

Gerard Fowke, a noted ethnologist, for merly of the Smithsonian Institution, and member of the Ohio Historical and Archmological Society, is at present in the city, visiting friends. He is on his way to ities on matters in which he is interested. He has intimate knowledge of mound remains, prehistoric relies, etc., throughout the country, and furnishes some very interesting information concerning them.

There is at present a gentleman stopping in this city who has quite a reputation in certain scientific circles. His demeanor is so quiet and unassuming, however, that his presence would have been passed by totally unnoticed if a representative of THE DIS-PATCH had not by accident received an introduction, and the name recalled some of his notable schievements in the line of work which he has been following for many years. Gerard Fowke is known in the East and West than in this vicinity, yet there are many who are sufficiently acquainted with him to hear with interest of his presence in our midst. Several years ago he made an investigation-archeologically speaking-of the Monongahela valley and was much impressed by what he saw in various places. His interesting opinions concerning these, as well as other notable remains, are best told in his own language:

NONE OF THEM ALIKE, "I opened a number of mounds up the river, and found, as is usually the case, that every separate group of mounds differ more or less in character from those of any other locality. For this reason it is advisable to open every mound, whether large or small, carefully, as there is no telling what may be contained in them. The 'cobble mounds' up the valley may or may not be ancient. A conclusion can only be reached by a thorough investigation. Among the earth mounds I observed a number of peculiar things. In one situated on the hill above Monougahela City I found a well-preserved skull about two feet below the surface, filled to repletion with snail shells. In several other skeletons were unearthed which were arranged different from any that have come

under my observation before. "Regarding the age of these mounds, it is somewhat difficult to say anything positive. Many are certainly of great antiquity, while others again are known to be of quite modern construction. Some years since while in Mississippi engaged in this work I found a silver plate at nearly the bottom of a mound which bore the arms of Castile and Leon. This mound was on the Tallahatchee river at a point close to where De Soto, the Spanish explorer is said to have spent an entire winter season. This would go far to prove that the earth work referred to has been erected there since. Then there are mounds which show undoubted evidence of having been added too at various times. I have opened a number showing five different layers of arth, indicating as many different epochs

GREAT CARE NECESSERY. "In every case they should be opened with the most particular care, if scientific results are desired. Under no circumstances made, it should be from the top downward; but, better still, take the entire work to pieces in sections, then nothing will be lost, and if a record is to be kept of any remains found therein, exact location can be noted. This system should be pursued in every case,

relics have been discovered in earthworks so small as to almost escape the observation of the ordinary investigator. In small mounds in Ross county I found remains of wooden houses, partially charred by fire, as if they had been set fire to and then the earth thrown over them. Ohio is a great country for mound remains and Ross county seems to have been the location of the densest population of the people who constructed them. Many years ago, Squier and Davis, the celebrated archmologists, estimated the number of mound

remains in Ross at about 500. I have been NOT ENOUGH KNOWN OF THEM.

"It is a great pity that so many remains of interest are destroyed by persons who have not the slightest knowledge of their character. I must confess that I did the same thing years ago, when quite young; but the knowledge gained then has been of great value to me since in my researches. Then there is another class who go about the country rifling the mounds and other remains for no other purpose than to dispose of their finds to relic dealers in the East and elsewhere. This is a great wrong, but there seems to be no way of overcoming the difficulty other than to put the work into the experienced hands of men who will conduct it scientifically, and place finds of value in places where they will be of some value to those interested."

Mr. Fowke is a native of Maysville, Ky., but during childhood has lived at various towns in seven different States. He was a student of the United States University, but left it to accept a position in the Smithsonian Institution. He has been in nearly every State of the Union since connection with that institution, has discovered many peculiar and valuable remains and written a num-ber of books and pamphlets on the subject and its various phrases. At the present time the Bureau of Ethnology have a large work of his in preparation which will in-clude several hundred illustrations. He will remain in this city until to-night,

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FAREWELL IN RHYME BAILEY'S REPLY DISSECTED.

the old hat was a scrap of paper, on which

was written a few lines of doggerel appro-

priate to a man's last act before consigning

a little curious to know how the clothes

came there, and approached the spot. He

and vest, together with an old battered hat.

On closer inspection he noticed a folded

sheet of paper stuck into the hatband. The

paper, which Mr. King subsequently showed

to a DISPATCH reporter, was very dirty, and had evidently been picked up on the road. Upon it was scribbled a few lines of

verse, which, although mere doggerel, if supposed to have been put together in a hurry, might have been the work of an edu-

The river is wild and dark to-night, And the shore lies hid from my aching sight; But wilder still with their storms of pain; Are my wounded heart and my throbbing brain;

And darker far is that gloomy shore From whence my soul shall return no more.

Mr. King said that he was not much of a

udge of poetry, so he put the paper in his pocket and continued his walk. Turning

up Twentieth street, he met a friend a little

way down Carson street, and showed him

the idea of suicide, and together they re-turned to where the clothes had lain, but

the clothes had completely disappeared. Mr. King supposed that they had been

leaped to a watery grave, or whether another

place where the clothes lay, and after

One curious thing about the verses is that

the heavy rain and snow of yesterday would

they bear the paragraph marks and mode of

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cated man. The lines were as follows:

his body to a suicide's watery grave.

HE RELIGIOUSLY DODGES THE A Peculiar Verse Written on a Scrap of Paper Found by the River. The Democratic Candidate Ignores Material Parts of the Graff, Bennett & Co.

SUICIDE IN EACH LINE OF IT. Record-More Pertinent Questions for Him to Answer.

John H. Bailey, assignee of Graff, Bennett & Co., the nominee of the Democratic party for Mayor of Pittsburg, published in the newspapers of Friday his answer to the charges against him in the Graff, Bennett & Co. assignee matter and prefaces it with the remark that he is expected to answer to the public for every act of his life—that—he is prepared to do it and begs for no quarter.

So be it. Mr. Bailey is hereby guaran-

teed a calm, dispassionate discussion from the records as to this matter—that his answer to the McIntosh, Hemphill & Co. et al. bill will be published, and that no assertion not made by or fairly inferable from the record will be used, and he on his part is expected to fully and fairly answer such matter in plain, unequivocal language acknowledging Washington, to consult scientific author- as true such as he admits and designating specifically such as he denies.

specifically such as no denies.

One of the greatest and most serious allegations of record is that John H. Bailey, assignee, petitioned the Court of Common Pleas No. 2 of Allegheny county for a decree authorizing and permitting him to sell at public sale all the real estate of Graff, Beunett & Co., subject to certain incumber-ances only, and after due notice of the sale that John H. Bailey, assignee, sold all of the real estate above mentioned, including the rolling mills, blast furnaces, steel plants, factories, dwelling houses, etc., to the "syndicate" for the sum of \$25,050, a grossly inadequate price and much less than its actual value; that the said properties are and were at the time of said sale worth at least \$500,000 over and above the incum brances subject to which they were sold. And the bill prayed for (among other things) the nullification and making void of the sale and deeds thereunder for said properties and for the appointment of a receiver to enter upon and take possession of said properties, such receiver eventually to be ordered and directed to sell and expose at public auction the said property for the benefit and advantage of the creditors of

Graff, Bennett & Co.

And yet, Mr. Bailey, your answer is most significantly silent upon this transaction. You do not even deign to notice it.

Referring to the personal property, you say, "No public sale of these effects was possible." Why? You say, "A schedule would have given no information more than could have been obtained from the inven-tory on file." At what did the inventory value the "remaining assets?" Would the total of the inventory—\$652,605 94—less the real estate, \$350,000; viz., \$302,605 94, be the appraised value of the same? If so, was not \$50,000 a ridiculously low price for

But most marvelous of all is your state-"I could not ascertain their value be

cause I had no means of information that was not possessed by the sworn appraisers, who failed to learn the value of a great many of them. Does not this part of your answer empha-

size the allegation that you were derelict in your duty? The reason you could not ascertain the value of the goods intrusted to you to dispose of is not apparent. They were tangible property, a large portion of which, like pig iron, ore, etc., had a market value daily and hourly. Did you examine all of the assets did you go into other counties and States and look at and inspect the property there? The syndicate had no trouble in valuing it, for the record alleges that it resold out of the many items you thus sold it for \$277,000 in a short time after your

sale to it. You were appointed to learn the value of this property; you were to sell it at something like its real value; you disposed of property alleged by the records to be worth \$341,000 for \$50,000 and defend your action by saying you "could not ascertain their value," thus admitting that you sold at private sale, the assets of this company for a certain sum at a time when you were should a tunnel be bored horizontally to the center of the mound. If but one shaft is same—would you so act with your own property? Again you say: The "combination of creditors" comprised three-fourths in amount of the unsecured creditors, who tell me that

they solicited the others to unite with them. European plan, and the new management is The assets were not sold for \$50,000, but I a guarantee that it will be one of the cleanhave reason to believe cost the purchasers \$150,000. You will admit you had no right to sacrifice Graff, Bennett & Co.'s property. Then what difference does it make whether the "combine" included three-fourths or more

of the creditors? Ot what avail is this ex-Were you not bound to protect the assignors (Graff, Bennett & Co.) and the remaining one-fourth of the creditors? And you have reason to believe the assets cost the purchasers \$150,000, and they were not sold for \$50,000. Don't you know even now what you sold them for? But if the syndicate paid \$150,000 for \$341,000 worth

of property, and they have since sold eight items for \$277,000, and have \$119,000 worth remaining, who got the worst of the deal, the syndicate or Graff, Bennett & Co. and their creditors, even if said syndicate did pay \$150,000, as you have reason to believe? Do you—a lawyer and once a judge—pre-tend to say that because an indebtedness was against this property that no public sale of the same could have been made or that you, as assignee, could not have by selling some paid off the indebtedness and thus held the balance clear? The records allege that the syndicate has been marvelously successful in this regard, and have sold item by item, eight of the pieces of said property, and have realized the handsome sum of \$277,000

for the same. Are the fruits of these eight items more than you realized from the whole estate, real, personal and mixed?

The record also alleges that you were informed that you could sell the Connellsville Coal and Coke property for \$50,000 before you sold to the syndicate, and you did not do so, and that after your sale to the syndicate it sold to the same man this same piece of property for \$50,000. If they could and

did for this figure, could you not have done the same? Finally, was not one of the trustees of this syndicate, who were the beneficiaries of this deal upon which the syndicate has already realized so large a profit, your own

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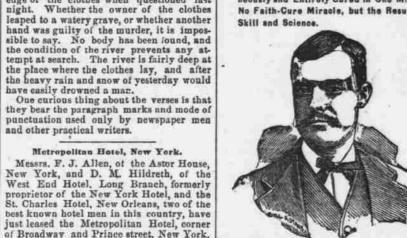
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