The Pittsburgh Gazette.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1865.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

(FROM YESTERDAY'S EVENING GAZETTE.)

The Week of Prayer.

A committee of the Preacher's meeting (Methodist), composed of Revs. W. Lynch, W. A. Davison and H. Shinkaugh, have arranged the following exercises in the M. E. churches of the city, for the Week of Prayer. Prayer-meeting was held at the Ross-street church at 7 o'clock Monday. This afternoon at 2 o'clock, Wesley Chapel—prayer-meeting. At 7 P. M. Smith Common, Allegheny City—Lord's Supper, at which, a sermon will be delivered by Rev. A. Shiver. Wednesday, Jan. 4, at 2 P. M. Sharpsfield—prayer-meeting. Thursday, Liberty, Pennsylvania avenue—Lord's Supper, by R. Crouse. Friday, Jan. 6, Allen Church—prayer-meeting; at 7 P. M. Tabernacle—Addresses by C. A. Holmes and J. Watkins.

For several years the British Branch of the Evangelical Alliance has extended an invitation to the various Christian Churches throughout Great Britain to unite in prayer to Almighty God during the first week of January, for the outpouring of His Spirit on the nations of the earth. In compliance with this invitation many of the churches in these cities are open for prayer and conference during at least a part of this week. From reports received from different quarters, we understand that the attendance is more than average. This may be attributed, in part at least, to the influence which has brought to bear upon public mind through the series of sermons delivered lately by the ministers of different denominations in these cities.

Deserved Recognition of Gallantry.

Many of our readers will remember the death of Captain Frank H. Parke, who received a wound at Beams' Station, Virginia, from the effects of which he never recovered. He entered the service as Lieutenant in the Fourth Pennsylvania Cavalry, and was soon promoted to the rank of Captain. He was one of the youngest officers in this country, in whose defence he laid down his life. The appointment bears date from the 16th of August, 1864.

Row Among the Blacks.

A number of colored persons had a grand row on Penn-street at the house of a friend in the Seventh Ward, on Monday night. During the hilarity of the evening, one of the party, during a companion with his hat on, and considering it a breach of good manners, asked him to take it off. He declined to do so, remarking emphatically that "he was afraid of the frost." Whereupon his hat was knocked off unceremoniously, and thereupon a general row ensued. Late at night police were summoned, and ten of the party were "locked off" to the watch house. In the morning it was found that two of them, Richard Vole and Thomas Carrigan, were armed with loaded pistols, and for being so armed they were fined ten dollars each and costs. The other eight were let off on paying two dollars each. One of the party had a good supply of the "needful," and very generously helped out his friends who were penniless, so that they were able to leave the office rejoicing that they had escaped a few days' sojourn in the county jail.

The Oil City Murder.

Another arrest was made in this city, on Monday, of a man supposed to have been concerned in the murder of John McFate, at Oil City. Before the facts were sifted, it was found that there was not a shadow of suspicion against him and he was discharged. It was alleged that this man acted strangely, was incessantly talking about the McFate murder, and was heard to say something in his sleep about the bloody deed. This information was conveyed by a female, to a particular friend, who, in view of the very large reward offered, hastened to inform the police. But it turned out that the supposed bloody-handed individual had excited the jealousy of the lady aforesaid, by abandoning her party for that of another, and she concocted the dreamy revelation out of revenge. None of the parties are "strangers to society," and the man was about to leave the city with his new flame when he was arrested. He can go now without hindrance.

Suit against the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railway.

A complaint has been made, for a long time past, in consequence of the stoppage of travel on Penn street, at the crossing of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway. Whether the Company can avoid the frequent obstruction of the street or not, is a question which we do not pretend to be able to answer, certain it is that the law prescribes a penalty for so doing. To-day Mr. John Owens, Street Commissioner, appeared before Mayor Lowry and made information against the company, charging them with "persistently maintaining a public nuisance by obstructing and blocking the public streets known as Penn and Canal streets, to the great detriment of the public interest, and in violation of the seventy-third section of the general laws of Pennsylvania." The case has been returned for trial at the present term.

Wife Desertion.

Marina Wilbert, who has had a "world of trouble" with her husband, Peter Wilbert, appeared before Mayor Lowry to-day, and preferred a complaint against him. She alleges that he has recently sold off his tavern stand, and with the proceeds, leaving her and her children in very needy circumstances. She alleges that if her husband cannot be made to come to her support, she will become a charge upon the community. The information closes with an assertion that she has been abandoned by her husband without any just cause or provocation on her part. A warrant has been issued for his arrest, but there is very little hope of her getting any support from him. She gives him some half a dozen times as many different offenses, and it is to be hoped the partnership were dissolved.

[illegible]—The chairman of the Tennyson [illegible] received a letter from Mrs. Simon [illegible], in which she states that husband, Dr. Giles, could only visit our city for a period of his life, as he is now dangerously ill, and consequently his lecture is postponed. He is conditionally released from his engagement. The committee, however, have engaged Mr. Burnett, for two evenings in February, at their course (excluding Dr. Giles' lecture) positively number ten, evening entertainments. We are pleased to learn that the course of the Club find ready sale, and that the people are inclined to grant the new Lecture Association a cordial encouragement.

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Credits and Bounty.

TRIBUNE GAZETTE.—In your comments in Saturday's Gazette, on the communication of "The Board" of the 23d district—which "Board" by the way *talks sense*—you use the following language:

"Our only conviction deepens, day by day, that the true and only way is to enact that recruits shall be credited only to the districts in which they reside. This would reach the root of the evil, and upset both bounty-brokers and bounty jumpers."

Let us examine this sovereign and only panacea for the evil in question. Here is Versailles township in your county and district, right beside us, in North Huntingdon township, Westmoreland county and 21st district. Well Versailles has an aristocracy of money in it, but holds on to it, and pays no dollar of bounty. Right beside it is our township paying $500 bounty.

In Versailles lives a poor man whose family is solely dependent on his labor for support, he feels like going to war but he can't afford to go from Versailles, leaving his family to starve, and so he comes over here—we pay him $500 which he leaves with his family, with the knowledge that they will be comfortable while he is away, and we get credit for him on our quota. This seems all right and fair, but here you come with your enactment which says, in effect, "My friend you *can't go* to North Huntingdon and you *can't get* $500. If you *will persist* in going to war or if you are drafted and forced to go you will have the consoling reflection that your wife and little ones have nothing to eat, to nerve you for the fight.

That *remedy* looks to me more like a Copperhead device to keep men out of the army, than a *remedy for any* thing. I sincerely believe, too, that that will be its practical effect. I look at that matter in this way. I realize my stake in this contest—feel that it is my cause—the cause of my children and of mankind. I don't want to go to war, in fact am so situated as to make it almost impossible for me to go myself, and so I am willing to *pay liberally*, any man who *will go*. Sixteen dollars a month won't keep a family, and I say that all who go should be *largely paid*, not as a charity, but as a *debt*, for the labor, privation and risk they incur for *our* benefit. How can they be thus paid, except through the system of local bounties? A township or ward that won't pay *ought* to lose its men.

You say this bounty paying is *exhaustive*. How does it compare with the Versailles township method of letting the draft come and then buying substitutes at $1,000 apiece for a year? Which is the more exhaustive, paying $500 per man or $1,000? That's the whole question simply and fairly stated.

The legislation you propose, would be no less impertinent and oppress no than it would be to enact that *no man* could furnish a substitute, but every man drafted must go himself, no matter what his circumstances—a measure that I think no Old World tyrant has ever attempted.

I agree with you as a general rule, in principle and policy, but am sorry in this case to differ utterly with you and the *Commercial* and several other papers I have seen. The city of Pittsburgh has paid bounty to a great many men from the country, and no doubt you can hire more, if you have the money, and it will be cheaper too than to let the draft come. If you are actuated by nothing higher than Mayor Guthrie's benlightened self-interest," you should be opposed to such impertinent legislation as you recommend. NORTH HUNTINGDON.

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