THE COURTS.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

(Reported for The Press.)

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—Judge Cadwalader.—The case of Jacob Shuster, alias Tom Shuster, alias Tom Crowell, alias John Smith, charged with the murder of the mate of the brig Cyrus Hamilton, was called up yesterday morning. The counsel for the prosecution, Mr. Ashmead, District Attorney Vandyke and Mr. Dallas, and the counsel for the defendant, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Dwight, and Mr. Ingersoll, appeared. The prisoner was one of the principal witnesses for the United States, and asked that the case might be continued over until an attachment could issue to bring in the defaulting witness; and he also stated that the case could not be tried on the evidence of the witness, Wm. W. Bull and R. Hubbell, counsel for Shuster, and Daniel Dougherty, counsel for John, asked that the case might be put on trial at once; that it was continued over twice, and that they had a right to ask to proceed with the trial. U. S. District Attorney Vandyke replied that he would not put the case on trial until his witnesses were all present. The counsel for the defence then asked the judge to enter such pressures in all of the bills against the defendants.

The judge replied that the court had no power to do so, as that there was a legal ground for the continuance of the case.

The defence replied that all they wanted was speedy justice, and that, if the case was to be continued, Shuster should be dismissed on his own recognizance.

The court refused to grant their request.

John Jenkins, Deputy United States marshal, then made his appearance and stated that he had the attachment in his possession for Mrs. Henry; that he went to her house, and that she was not at home; that they stated that she left home at nine o'clock in the morning, and had not been there since.

The judge then discharged the jury and witnesses until this morning, and continued the case over until to-day.

DISTRICT COURT—Judge Hare.—George C. Barber vs. John K. Simon: An action on a number of promissory notes. No defence. Verdict for the plaintiff for $4,441.34. Cuyler for plaintiff; Campbell for defendant.

Jacob usb. Ayres vs. Daniel Rubicam: An action on a promissory note. Defence alleges that they received no consideration for the note. Verdict for defendant. Marshall for plaintiff; Paul for defendant.

Charles S. Fields and James S. Hardie, copartnering, &c., vs. Thomas H. Carleton: An action on a book account to recover the amount of goods sold and delivered. Verdict for the plaintiff for $511 06. W. S. Price for plaintiff; Tuttle for defendant.

The Bank of Troy vs. Anne Ralston, executrix of Robert Ralston, deceased, late trading as Ralston & Co. An action on some promissory notes. Verdict for the plaintiff for $211 15. Ingersoll for plaintiff; Mitchelson for defendant.

DISTRICT COURT—Judge Stroud.—John Dungan, Sr., vs. William Forepaugh, administrator, d. b. n. c. t. a., of the last will and testament of Christopher Buck, deceased. An action to recover the value of two promissory notes. Verdict for the plaintiff for $665.69. Weatherby for plaintiff.

John Huss vs. John M. Krupp. An action on a promissory note. Verdict for the plaintiff for $391.59. Barger for plaintiff; Walsh for defendant.

Edward Stephens vs. James Burk. An action to recover the value of work and labor done and for breach of a contract. On trial. Laycock for plaintiff; W. H. Rawle for defendant.

QUARTER SESSIONS—Judge Thompson.—Yesterday morning the jury in the case of William Hobb, charged with malicious mischief, returned a verdict of guilty. Sentenced to pay a fine of $10 and costs.

Nicholas Carson was charged with the larceny of a quantity of books, the property of Mary Lawrence, administratrix of Emma Walder, deceased. Verdict guilty, but recommended to the mercy of the court. Sentenced to nine months.

John Mills pleaded guilty to the charge of the larceny of three coats, valued at $15, the property of Mr. Hackney, administrator of the estate of Daniel Remick, deceased. Sentenced to nine months.

Anne Brown was charged with receiving stolen goods. The property belonged to Mrs. Vaux, wife of the ex-mayor, and consisted of a silk dress, valued at $50. The goods had been stolen by two boys, Hampton and Hains, from the residence of Mr. Vaux, and by them sold to Mrs. Brown. Verdict guilty. Sentenced to nine months.

Thomas Williams was charged with the larceny of a coat valued at $22, the property of Captain Andrew Nelson, whose ship was at the wharf when the coat was taken from it. Verdict guilty. Sentenced to 15 mon ha imprisonment.

Henry Fitzmaurice was charged with receiving a box of tobacco, valued at $36, knowing it to have been stolen. The tobacco was the property of N. G. Snseder, and was stolen by some boys from the depot at Thirteenth and Market. Jury out.

William Thomas was charged with receiving goods knowing them to be stolen. Verdict guilty. Sentenced to 12 months in the county prison.

Peter Kelly was charged with assault and battery on John Levi. Peter Kelly was charged with assault and battery on Walter Hart, and John Levi and Walter Hart were charged with assault and battery on Peter Kelly. These cases are cross bills. Jury out.

Importations.

(Reported for the Press.)

CARDENAS—Brig Mary E Milliken, Norden—104 hhds molasses B Hand; 5 do 36 tcs do 65 hhds 1 tierce 104 bxs sugar 14 tank bottoms S & W Welsh; 7 hhds sugar 11 tcs honey 63 tenth bxd cigars J Kipp.

WILMINGTON—Schr J H Allen, Babcock—143,000 feet lumber Malone & Taylor; 200 bbls rosin J T Boone.

BOSTON—Steamship City of New York, Howes—125 pkgs mdse A Slade & Co; 44 do B W Chase & Sons; 12 do Parrish Kitchen & Co; 60 do Frothingham & Wells; 36 bales goat skins Jos C Bates; 500 drums figs G K Chambers; 225 bbls apples Barrett, Stearns & Co; 14 chests indigo S Grant, Jr & Co; 120 bbls paper G Megargee & Co; 55 pkgs glass Mantey & Munroe; 150 do machinery, Megargee & Bro; 58 bbls rosin J T Boone & Moland; 50 do apples C A Rand; 46 cases tacks S B Rogers; 30 sacks sheet iron N & G Taylor; 25 bbls cider Wharton & Co; 25 do B E Hatch; 50 bbls fish Stroup & Bro; 50 cases boots and shoes Myers, Claghorn & Co; 30 pkgs mdse Leech & Co.

WILMINGTON, NC—Schr E H Rowley, Godfrey—257 bbls spts turpentine 2 bags wool Cochran & Russell; 292 bbls spts turpentine 505 do rosin Knight & Bell; 52 bbls spts turpentine Z Locke & Co; 150 bbls spts turpentine 45 do tar Rowley, Ashburner & Co; 9 bbls spts turpentine Yarnall & Crew; 216 do rosin Knight & Bell; Reeves; 29 bales cotton W P Newlin; 37 do yarn Hay & McDevitt; 1 pkg mdse H & E H Small; 25 do furniture Jeanes & Morrison.

PASSENGERS ARRIVED

In steamship City of New York, from Boston—Mr J Wetherbee and lady, Mr H S Wetherbee and lady, Mr Chas Wetherbee, Mr Albert Wetherbee, Mr J Hoyt, Mrs M Hoyt and two daughters, Mrs Mary B Lane, Mrs Mary O Moore, Master Jos A Moore.

LETTER BAGS

At the Merchants' Exchange, Philadelphia.

Ship Wyoming, Burton.....Liverpool, Nov. 25
Barque Chas Kean, Chattin, Montevideo.....
Buenos Ayres, and Rosario.....soon
Barque J H Chadbourne, McKee.....Rosario, soon
Barque Elizabeth J, Youlke.....Demerara, Nov 25
Brig Black Squall, Burns.....Kingston, Jam, soon
Brig Delaware, Baker.....Barbadoes, soon
Brig Herald.....Barbadoes, soon
Brig Wm Moore, Eaton.....Havana, soon
Schr Hilen Rues, Somers.....Matanzas, soon

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Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 23, 1858.

SUN RISES.....7 12 | SUN SETS.....4 48
HIGH WATER.....5 36

ARRIVED

Steamship City of New York, Howes, 47 hours from Boston, with mdse. and passengers to Henry Winsor. Passed below the Brandywine Shoal, brig Commandmanditaria, for Havana and steam-tug America below Marcus Hook, with ship Lancaster, for New Orleans, in tow.

Barque Hahnemann, Abbott, 3 days from New York, in ballast to E A Souder & Co.

Brig Mary E Milliken, Norton, 14 days from Cardenas, with sugar and molasses to D W Prescott. Has been detained eight days north of Cape Hatteras by gales from NE and NW. Took a pilot last Thursday.

Brig Edwin Geyer, 7 days from Portland, with plaster to E A Souder & Co.

Schr Edward H Rowley, Godfrey, 3 days from Wilmington, NC, with naval stores to Rowley, Ashburner & Co.

Schr Belle Conway, Delany, 3 days from Baltimore, with wheat to A G Cattell & Co.

Schr Joe W Pharo, Cavalier, 3 days from Jersey City, with mdse to Charles S Smith.

Schr L S Stevens, Studley, 3 days from N York, with barley to captain.

Schr Sarah Warren, Beatle, 1 day from Camden, Del, with wheat to Jas L Sewley & Co.

Schr Emma Brooks, 1 day from New Castle, Del, with wheat to Jas Barratt & Son.

Schr J Whitby, Henderson, 1 day from Odessa, Del, with wheat to Christian & Curran

Schr Lombard, Harding, 15 days from Turks Island, with salt to captain.

Schr J H Allen, Babcock, 10 days from Wilmington, NC, with naval stores to Stickney & Parsons.

Schr Diamond State, Smithers, 3 days from Milford, Del, with grain to J H McCollay.

Schr B L Berry, Haley, from Boston.

Schr L A Danenhower, Miller, from Boston.

Schr W B Ferguson, Smith, from New Haven.

Schr Wm Loper, Robinson, from Gloucester.

Schr J Clark, Scull, from New York.

Sloop Billee, Holt, 3 days from Indian River, with grain to J W Bacon & Co.

CLEARED.

Steamship Boston, Sellew, New York, Jas Alderdice.

Barque Traveller, Randall, Rio de Janeiro, Rutter, Newhall & Co.

Brig Zenobia, Pendleton, Lynn, D Pearson & Co.

Schr B B Berry, Haley, Boston, Baum, Ogle & Co.

Schr W B Ferguson, Smith, Providence, C Miller & Co.

Schr Wm Loper, Robinson, Lynn, Blakiston & Cox.

Schr Hiawatha, Disney, Newburyport, Van Dusen, Norton & Co.

Schr J Clark, Scull, Fall River, B Milnes & Co.

Schr L A Danenhower, Miller, Boston, Hayes & Godshall.

Str R L Gaw,Ier, Baltimore, A Groves, Jr.

(Correspondence of The Press.)

HAVRE DE GRACE, Nov. 22, 1858.

The Wyoming left this morning with 12 boats, laden and consigned as follows:

L Hertford, flour and corn to F Fitzpatrick; McCullough & Gaverick, pig iron to Smith & Co, Schuylkill; Sarah Alice and Col E W Bright, lumber to D B Taylor & Co; Jos W Campbell and Jas McCormick, do to Malone & Taylor; Dolphin, lime to Elkton; S B Bailey & Son, lumber to S B Bailey & Son; Fairfield Mills, do to H Crook; J C Gramm; S B Thompson, and President James Buchanan, coal, to Delaware City.

(Correspondence of The Press.)

READING, Nov. 21, 1858.

The following boats, from the Union Canal, passed into the Schuylkill Canal to-day, bound to Philadelphia, laden and consigned as follows:

Bald Eagle and Bloomer, lumber to Malone & Taylor; Pennington & Raymond, do to D B Jones; G W Lardin, anthracite coal to G W Landis; John Irwin, tar iron to M Betting; Nicely, boards to Chas Eisenhart.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(Correspondence of the Philadelphia Exchange.)

CAPE ISLAND, NOV 22, 4 40 P. M.

A barque and several schooners passed in this afternoon. The brig Judge Whitman, for Boston; and Amazon, for West Indies, went to sea yesterday. Wind E, Weather stormy.

Yours, &c, THOS. B. HUGHES.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE PRESS.)

NEW YORK, Nov 22.

Arrived, ship Aurora, from Liverpool; brig Arabella, from Aspinwall.

BOSTON, Nov 22.

Off Highland Light, Cape Codd, ship Asia, for Trapani.

MEMORANDA.

Steamship Delaware, Copes, hence, arrived at New York 21st inst.

Steamship Phineas Sprague, Matthews, hence at Boston yesterday.

Brig Indian, Hamlett, hence, arrived at Boston yesterday.

Ship Westmoreland, Dean, for Liverpool, was towed to sea from New Orleans 5th inst. (not 8th.)

Ship Evening Star, Jones, cleared at Mobile 17th inst for Antwerp, with 2112 bales of cotton, valued at $129,996 23.

Ship Paragon, Drinkwater, for Trieste, cleared at Mobile 15th inst, with 2810 bales of cotton, valued at $149,906 56.

Ship Wm Penn, Mead, for Baltimore, was loading at Liverpool 6th inst.

Ship Dashaway, Hill, from New York for San Francisco, sailed from Rio de Janeiro Sept 29.

Barque Amy, Hammond, hence arrived at Boston 20th inst.

Barque Weather Gage, McKee, for New Orleans, sailed from Rio de Janeiro 6th ult.

Barque F S Means, Means, for New Orleans, sailed from Rio de Janeiro 7th ult.

Barque Mary Sawyer, Bartlett, for New York, sailed from Rio de Janeiro Sept 29.

Barque Evangeline, Clark, for San Francisco, sailed from Rio de Janeiro Sept 22.

Barque W C Alden, Small, at New York yesterday from Matanzas.

Arrivals.

Brig Mississippi, Leeds, Matanzas, 8th inst, sugar and molasses to Thos Wattson & Co.

Brig Ann Elizabeth, Pendleton, Lynn, coal to D Pearson & Co.

Brig Zenobia, Pendleton, Lynn, coal to Lardin & Co.

Brig Black Squall, Burns, Kingston, Jam, 10th inst, logwood, fustic, &c, to Stickney & Parsons.

Brig Herald, Barbadoes, 12th inst, molasses to master.

Brig Wm Moore, Eaton, Havana, 8th inst, sugar and molasses to master.

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Schr Ann Eliza, Cole