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Pittsburgh Gazette.
PITTSBURGH:
FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 4, 1859.
OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

City and News Items.

MEAN TEMPERATURE.—Observations taken at Shaw's Optician Store, No. 58 Fifth st., yesterday.

	IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock, A. M.	00	37
12 " M.	70	47
6 " P. M.		45
Barometer		28 17-20

☞ DAILY UNION PRAYER MEETING, at the First Methodist Protestant Church, Fifth street, commencing at 11½ o'clock, A. M. All are cordially invited to attend.

The exercises TO-DAY will be conducted by Rev. S. Fulton.

THE WHITE CASE.—The question which was at issue on Wednesday night when the Court adjourned was decided on Thursday morning. The Court decided that the testimony offered by respondent was inadmissible; that the counsel for libellant had placed their case upon the ground of ill-treatment and cruelty, and any testimony in rebuttal going to a charge of adultery would not be admitted. As to this point the Act of Assembly was clear and explicit.

Mr. Hampton then offered to prove by the witness on the stand (Mrs. Bluck) that the intimacy between Mrs. White and Mr. Eyster had aroused the suspicion of the husband and provoked the ill-treatment complained of. To this offer Mr. Marshall, for the other side, objected, and the Court sustained the objection.

Mr. Hampton then offered to show the facts and circumstances which operated to cause Mrs. White to withdraw from her husband's house, and that it was without sufficient cause. Mr. Marshall objected, on the ground that the offer was too lax.

The Court referred counsel to the last clause of the first section of the Act of Assembly, which declares that "when any husband shall have, by cruel and barbarous treatment, endangered his wife's life, or offered such indignities to her person as to render her condition intolerable and her life burdensome, and thereby force her to withdraw from his house and family, in every such case it shall be lawful for the innocent and injured person to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony." The Court added that so far as the record was concerned, there had as yet been no separation between the parties. As far as this Court or jury know, the parties are still living together as man and wife.

Mr. Hampton said that if that was the case, the petition of the libellant was fatally defective, as it does not set forth a withdrawal.

Mr. Marshall referred to the petition and asked leave to amend by adding, "and thereby forced her to withdraw from his house," etc.

The Court stated that at this stage of the proceedings the amendment could not be made. It was too late.

Mr. Marshall then said they would not object to the last offer of defendant's counsel to prove facts and circumstances under which she left.

Mr. Hampton answered that he would withdraw his offer, and was ready now to go to the jury upon the facts already adduced, to which Mr. Marshall agreed, but withdrew his objection on the Court's stating that it would make a note of the fact of objection on the record.

Mr. Hampton then asked the Court to instruct the jury that—

It must appear to the satisfaction of the jury that she could not with safety remain in her respondent's house, and that mere want of sympathy, disagreeable manners, shortkinds of ill-temper, habitual disregard of her feelings, refusal to protect her from the insults of others, are not sufficient to warrant her withdrawal from the house of her husband.

That if the jury believe the ill-treatment as alleged, and all the matters as developed by the evidence tending to show cruelty, were provoked by the misbehaviour of the wife, then the same constitutes a bar to their finding for the libellant.

That the jury are confined in their investigation to the matter set forth in the libel—

That the petition of the libellant in this case is fatally defective in this that it does not allege that she was forced to withdraw from his house and family by reason of the alleged indignities offered to her person; that the jury are confined to the facts set forth in the libel.

Mr. Roberts for libellant stated the names of the cases to which he would refer in the course of his argument.

Mr. Hampton then proceeded to a lengthy argument to the jury, in which he review all the testimony in the case, animadverting with great severity upon the conduct of the libellant, and defending that of his client. He made, as he said, "no apology for his notice or to be of too little importance to deserve his notice in the chain of argument.

R. Biddle Roberts, Esq., answered for the libellant in a speech of three-fourths of an hour, in which he rummed up the evidence and quoted the law and the authorities bearing on the case. He was closely listened to by the vast crowd that were not a little disappointed, apparently, at the lack of scandal which has characterized the developements before the jury.

Judge Mellon then charged the jury and at nearly the time for the adjournment of the Court, they retired to agree upon a verdict.

SPECIAL MEETING OF BOARD OF TRADE.—This meeting was held on Thursday afternoon, to take action in reference to a communication from Senator Gazzam covering the letter of Mr. Stokes to Senator Cresswell, in reference to the tonnage tax. Mr. Gazzam wrote that he believed some strenuous efforts would be made near the end of the session to procure a repeal of the tonnage tax. The letter of Senator Gazzam and the accompanying documents were referred to a special committee appointed for a similar purpose on Feb. 5, 1858, consisting of F. R. Brunot, Isaiah Dickey and Geo. B. Jones. After this reference, the following resolutions were offered and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Trade of the city of Pittsburgh is utterly opposed to the repeal of the Tonnage Tax charged on the business of the Pennsylvania Railroad, or any part thereof, and that our Senators and Representatives are requested to use their utmost efforts to prevent the repeal.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution is hereby directed to be forwarded to each Senator and Representative from this district, together with copies of the pamphlet containing at large the opinions of this Board.

On motion it was resolved that these resolutions be also furnished to the city papers for publication.

ANOTHER "FACT FOR THE PEOPLE."—In order that the "dear people" may appreciate the indefatigable exertions of their pet Commissioner, Major J. H. McIlhenny, to guard their interests, we give the following additional fact, which we have from the most undoubted authority. On the 22d of October last, the Court imposed certain fines upon sundry parties for contempt, which fines were promptly paid to the Prothonotary, and he instructed by the Court to pay it into the County Treasury. The sum thus paid in, and for which the Prothonotary holds Mr. Muse's receipt, was $245. Recently the Treasurer was waited upon by Major McIlhenny, in company with one of the parties fined, with a written order to the Treasurer to *refund this two hundred and forty-five dollars to the parties fined!* Our worthy Treasurer, Mr. Muse, refused to do so without a warrant duly signed by a majority of the Commissioners. We think we can promise the people that such a warrant will not be drawn while Zaccheus Patterson is of the majority of the county board.

GEOLOGY.—We are pleased to learn that Dr. Boynton arrived in the city last evening and will commence his course of lectures, elsewhere in the GAZETTE advertised, this evening. Dr. B. enjoys a wide and enviable reputation. We had the pleasure of attending his course in a distant city more than six years since, and still retain pleasant recollections of them. His course is scientific and yet he makes it an eminently popular one. While he knows all the knotty, technical terms, he yet understands the translation of them into English, preferring the latter where it will do just as well. His illustrative cuts, pictures and diagrams are excellent, and to see them from night to night is worth the price of the course. He will, we are sure, have crowded houses, as he had in Philadelphia, Boston and New York during the last winter.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The first annual meeting of the Western Pennsylvania Teachers' Association will be held at New Brighton, on Tuesday, 8th inst., to continue in session three days. Arrangements will be made for a reduction of railroad fare, hotel expenses, and, if possible, free entertainment for ladies.

The spring session of the Crawford county Teachers' Association will be held at Espyville, commencing on Tuesday, 15th inst., and continuing one week.

A BOY aged about three years, child of Wm. Cooper residing near Clinton, Allegheny Co., was burned to death on Sunday morning, the 28th of February. It is supposed that its clothes caught fire from the stove or grate, the father and mother had been out of the house but a few moments when they were alarmed by the screams of their children. When the father came in it was burned in a very shocking manner. Death put an end to its sufferings in a few hours.

PITTSBURGHER KILLED.—We learn that Mr. Richards, of Penn street, has received a letter stating that his son, Dr. Richards, who has for some time resided in New Orleans, was among those killed by the recent explosion of the "Princess." The family are unable to learn any details of the matter, and are in the deepest distress.

MANN'S EXTRA BARB PEN.—We acknowledge the receipt of a sample box of these fine steel pens from Hunt & Miner, Masonic Hall. They are a large, yet proportioned pen, and appear equal to any which we have used.

CHOICE BOOKS BY CATALOGUE.—Truly was it said, "to the making of books there is no end." But how few comparatively of that teeming issue are "books which *are* books," as the gentle Elia hath it! Hamlet says, "to be honest, as this world goes, is to be one man picked out of ten thousand;" and every genuine reader knows that the proportion of books which are books, discovers even a greater discrepancy. Hamlet's honest men are not to be met with on every street corner; neither are the volumes which would receive Lamb's honoring title of "books" to be come across on the shelves of every mart. They are the rare birds of passage which only occur when the treasures of a long-time-gathering and lovingly hoarded collection are migrated by the auctioneer's hammer, to new repositories. Such books are not the ephemeral amusement of an hour, but the continual luxury of a life time; and of these Sir Thomas Overbury wrote his quaint conceit:

"Our life Fame pleceth longer at the end;
And Books it farther backward do extend."

The extensive catalogue to be sold in Davis' second floor sales room on to-morrow evening, is composed of this valuable description of strictly choice books, and no reader of taste should fail to give the sale his attention.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—A lad named Michael Doyle, who was employed as train boy on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh road, met with a painful accident yesterday. He was on the cars of the Fort Wayne road, which were crossing to the passenger depot, and when near Penn street, he undertook to jump off; but not being expert at the task, he struck his foot on the bumper, and fell, his left hand arm falling on the rail, and one of the wheels passed over from the fingers to the elbow. One finger was entirely cut off, and the hand and arm were mashed to a jelly; but the doctor thought the bone was not seriously injured and that amputation could be avoided. Dr. Dickson dressed the wound, and he was kindly cared for by the railroad company. He is an orphan, and boards at a house on Grant street, whither he was taken.

BLACKWOOD for February is on our table from Hunt & Miner. This is a peculiarly interesting number. The review of Carlyle's, "pribbles and prabbles," as Sir Hugh Evans says, about Frederick the Great, is riddled through and through. The article is denominated "Mirage Philosophy." Two capital articles are here, one on "Objectionable Books," and the other on "Popular Literature." A "Cruise in Japanese Waters" will be read with interest. Other articles are Rawlinson's Herodotus, How We Went to Skye, etc.

STRIKES.—A large number of puddlers are on a strike in the various iron mills about the city. As near as we can learn, those which have not already struck, have issued "round robins," or given notice by word of mouth that in two weeks from time of notice (some will expire on next Saturday, and some in a week after) they shall look for an advance, or they will knock off. The mills will probably in many cases stop for a time.

THE WAVERLY HISTRIONIC ASSOCIATION.—We understand that this association purpose shortly to give an exhibition at the Athenæum, the proceeds of which will be applied to the support of the Mission School connected with Christ's Methodist Episcopal Church. The object of the exhibition is a laudable one, and it should be largely patronized by our citizens.

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TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The first annual meeting of the Western Pennsylvania Teachers' Association will be held at New Brighton, on Tuesday, 8th inst., to continue in session three days. Arrangements will be made for a reduction of railroad fare, hotel expenses, and, if possible, free entertainment for ladies.

The spring session of the Crawford county Teachers' Association will be held at Espyville, commencing on Tuesday, 15th inst., and continuing one week.

A BOY aged about three years, child of Wm. Cooper residing near Clinton, Allegheny Co., was burned to death on Sunday morning, the 28th of February. It is supposed that its clothes caught fire from the stove or grate, the father and mother had been out of the house but a few moments when they were alarmed by the screams of their children. When the father came in it was burned in a very shocking manner. Death put an end to its sufferings in a few hours.

PITTSBURGHER KILLED.—We learn that Mr. Richards, of Penn street, has received a letter stating that his son, Dr. Richards, who has for some time resided in New Orleans, was among those killed by the recent explosion of the "Princess." The family are unable to learn any details of the matter, and are in the deepest distress.

MANN'S EXTRA BARB PEN.—We acknowledge the receipt of a sample box of these fine steel pens from Hunt & Miner, Masonic Hall. They are a large, yet proportioned pen, and appear equal to any which we have used.

[Special Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NORTH BENTON, O., March 2.

Editors Gazette—The war between the disputants was dropped by your correspondent, last night, just as Elder Mitchell took the floor. He is a large, athletic, fine-looking man, whose wealth of phrase is truly astonishing. Never for a moment is he at a loss for the word. His voice is stentorian; his eye, which scarcely ever wanders over the audience, is frequently turned upward, or he looks out, not *at* you but as if he saw somebody *through* you. He is a born debater, I think, and when he had the floor would not be interrupted. One of his colleagues wrote on a slip of paper, and passed to him, some suggestion, probably: "Please not annoy me," said the Speaker. He would not allow his attention to be distracted, but kept his clear grey eye fixed upon the point, and thundered away. He has quite a peculiar habit of moving his lips while he is speaking, as if he were tasting his words before he gave them to his opponents. I may as well say here, that the debate was conducted with great decorum and fairness on both sides, and with so many kindly expressions of regard for each other, that I think both sides felt their duty would be more acceptably performed were they in turn to take the pulpit just above their heads and preach "Christ and him crucified." But I am wandering from Elder Mitchell. He began by saying that the doctrine of strictly choice books, and no reader of taste should fail to give the sale his attention.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—A lad named Michael Doyle, who was employed as train boy on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh road, met with a painful accident yesterday. He was on the cars of the Fort Wayne road, which were crossing to the passenger depot, and when near Penn street, he undertook to jump off; but not being expert at the task, he struck his foot on the bumper, and fell, his left hand arm falling on the rail, and one of the wheels passed over from the fingers to the elbow. One finger was entirely cut off, and the hand and arm were mashed to a jelly; but the doctor thought the bone was not seriously injured and that amputation could be avoided. Dr. Dickson dressed the wound, and he was kindly cared for by the railroad company. He is an orphan, and boards at a house on Grant street, whither he was taken.

BLACKWOOD for February is on our table from Hunt & Miner. This is a peculiarly interesting number. The review of Carlyle's, "pribbles and prabbles," as Sir Hugh Evans says, about Frederick the Great, is riddled through and through. The article is denominated "Mirage Philosophy." Two capital articles are here, one on "Objectionable Books," and the other on "Popular Literature." A "Cruise in Japanese Waters" will be read with interest. Other articles are Rawlinson's Herodotus, How We Went to Skye, etc.

STRIKES.—A large number of puddlers are on a strike in the various iron mills about the city. As near as we can learn, those which have not already struck, have issued "round robins," or given notice by word of mouth that in two weeks from time of notice (some will expire on next Saturday, and some in a week after) they shall look for an advance, or they will knock off. The mills will probably in many cases stop for a time.

THE WAVERLY HISTRIONIC ASSOCIATION.—We understand that this association purpose shortly to give an exhibition at the Athenæum, the proceeds of which will be applied to the support of the Mission School connected with Christ's Methodist Episcopal Church. The object of the exhibition is a laudable one, and it should be largely patronized by our citizens.

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