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OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

City and News Items.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations for the *Gazette*, by G. E. Shaw, Optician, 58 Fifth St.—corrected daily:

	12 M.	12 M. IN SHADE.
9 o'clock A. M.	66	22
12 " M.	50	32
6 " P. M.		32
Barometer	29 6 10	

City Republican Committee.

The members of the City Republican Committee, appointed by the last Mayoralty Convention, are requested to meet at the office of Alderman M'Master, on Wednesday evening, November 16, at 7 o'clock. RUSSELL ERRETT, Chairman.

The Committee is composed of the following gentlemen:

1st Ward—G. W. Coffin.
2d " —George Wilson.
3d " —William Shields.
4th " —Dr. T. W. Shaw.
5th " —Felix C. Negley.
6th " —Thomas A. Rowley.
7th " —James S. Franklin.
8th " —Lewis Kim.
9th " —Hugh Hammond.

BANK STATEMENT for the week preceding Nov. 11th:

BANKS.	Circul'n	Specie.	Loans.	Deposits.
B'k Pittsb'gh	239,116	419,417	1,662,291	617,747
Exchange B'k	444,040	219,636	3,389,324	283,755
M. & M. "	258,977	100,238	937,084	203,668
Citizens' "	127,700	54,136	599,543	96,062
Mechanics' "	209,375	90,462	714,244	98,244
Iron City "	244,556	113,724	700,313	191,170
Allegheny "	225,605	78,858	746,022	142,936
	1,748,963	1,076,471	6,748,521	1,634,232
Last week	1,731,738	1,115,226	6,795,301	1,704,208
Increase	17,225			
Decrease		42,855	46,480	69,976

BANKS.	Treasury Notes and Notes of other Banks.	Due to Banks.	Due by Banks.
Pittsburgh	$ 52,730	$69,635	$63,651
Exchange	119,191	23,520	34,208
M. & M.	94,701	49,555	37,672
Citizens'	14,829	5,224	8,993
Mechanics'	32,138	17,534	28,670
Iron City	33,692	8,372	6,377
Allegheny	35,566	29,314	20,989
	$ 383,147	$203,154	$198,560
Last week	378,993	184,149	191,621
Increase	4,454	19,005	4,012
Decrease			

A SWINDLER ABOUT.—During last week, a man calling himself A. Lanier, stopped at the Monongahela House several days, who assumed some airs of importance and tried to pass for as much as he was worth. He explained to Mr. Crossan that he expected a letter from New York which would contain a draft from a man there against whom he held a note; that the man's name was J. J. Westerman; that he would be obliged to Mr. Crossan if he would take any letter that might come. The letter came as described, containing a check on the Union Bank for $100. Lanier took the check. After a while he asked Mr. Crossan if he would not pay him the cash on the check, reserving for himself the amount of bill for board. Mr. Crossan said he would do so if the check were endorsed by some one whom he knew here in the city. Lanier said he could get Leech & Co. on it, and took it for that purpose. Having been gone a short time he returned, saying Leech & Co. had given him a check on the Trust Company for $25, but as it was past banking hours, he was unable to get it cashed. He therefore desired Mr. Crossan to give him the cash on the $25 check, which he refused to do. This refusal excited the indignation of this gentleman, who was astonished that any one should call in question his honor. He made nothing, however, out of Mr. Crossan.

In the course of the afternoon a clerk of the house of Speer & Bidwell came to inquire after this gentleman. He informed Mr. Crossan that a man who gave them his card as stopping at the Monongahela House, had bought of them $1000 worth of plows, and offered them in payment checks upon New York banks to a large amount, desiring to realize some cash upon one of them for immediate use. In this he failed also.

The sharper now began to suspect that Mr. Crossan might put his case into the hands of the police. He very quietly took what baggage he had and made off, leaving on the first train. He appeared to be from New York. The Chief of Police, Mr. Hague, wrote to Capt. Walling, of the New York Police, giving to him what information he had respecting this man, and asking him to watch at the Post Office for any one who should call for a letter directed to J. J. Westerman. Hague received in answer a letter from Walling as follows:

MR. HAGUE—*Sir*: Mr. J. J. Westerman has forged certificates on three checks, East River Bank, two of them purporting to be signed by Robert Craig, jr., and the other by A. Lanier—for which check he received jewelry. We have been looking for him since the 10th. I sent an officer to the post-office, who watched Saturday and all day yesterday for Westerman, but no such person showed himself. Robert Craig, jr., alias A. Lanier, is described here as about five feet six or seven inches, sallow complexion, very thin black moustache, slim long fingers, dark brown hair, about 30 years of age, looks like a Southerner, wore dark clothes, etc., and his hand writing is the same as on the letter, signed J. J. Westerman. One of the forged checks was sent in a letter, requesting delivery of goods to the bearer of the letter. The bearer referred to is about 22 years old. G. W. WALLING.

The police here did not get soon enough upon the scent, or doubtless they would have bagged a noted operator in the thimble-rigging business.

POLYTECHNIC SCHOOL.—The Board of Instruction in the Polytechnic School at Philadelphia, of which Mr. A. S. Kennedy is President, has been recently strengthened by the addition thereto of Prof. Henry Vethake, LL. D. He has been elected to the chair of Higher Mathematics. He was provost of the University of Pennsylvania, but resigned that position about four months ago, and has recently accepted and entered upon his new duties as above alluded to. The new College is not, like that which he left, designed to afford a classical education. It is devoted chiefly to the education of gentlemen for the scientific and industrial professions, and when we reflect how many of the highest occupations of this busy age depend upon science and its application, it is not surprising that the polytechnic course should be found superseding the old routine of Latin and Greek, which, originally designed for the training of ecclesiastics, has remained almost unchanged for centuries. At the Polytechnic School are taught all those branches of knowledge that fall under the general heads—Mathematics and Chemistry. The great number of branches that may be so classified need not be specified, as they will at once suggest themselves to every one. The School is peculiarly a Pennsylvania institution, fitting young men for engineering, agriculture and mining. It deserves success, and the fact that a scholar so profound and eminent as Dr. Vethake has given his great influence to it, will certainly give it a new impulse.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Before Judges M'Clure and Parker.

Monday, Nov. 13.—Court met at 10 o'clock.

Thos. Williams, Jas. Denny, and Martin Pfeiffer, were ordered to be brought in from jail for their discharge, as no indictment had been found against them. They were sent for but were not to be found.

Sharper Smith, who has been twice convicted of theft, this term, was put on trial again for stealing a harness. This is the third harness he has stolen. Mr. Mahon was appointed his counsel. The harness and horse blanket he stole from Capt. Campbell. The said harness is valued at $25. His stable was entered on the night of the 26th of June, and the articles taken. The blanket Mr. Campbell found at M'Donald's tavern. The harness was sent to Mr. C., by the brother of the prisoner, from Sharpsburg. Benj. Cos swore that the prisoner came to his house and offered to sell him a harness; witness gave prisoner a steer for the harness. The jury found a verdict of guilty without leaving their seats.

LIBEL CASE IN GREENSBURG.—Wm. A. Stokes, Esq., appeared on Monday morning in the Court of Quarter Sessions, and stated to the court that a subpœna had been served upon F. H. Collier, Esq., District Attorney, to be and appear as witness in the cases of libel brought by a Mr. Carpenter, of Greensburg, against the *Post* and *Dispatch*, of this city. He asked if the court here intended to hold upon Mr. Collier. Judge M'Clure stated that he and Judge Maynard had also been subpœned to be present at the trial, but that it would not of course be possible, as they were now holding court, and the law made it obligatory upon both of them to sit in trials for homicide. Such a trial would be commenced on Tuesday. Moreover, it would be the duty of the District Attorney to be here at that trial, and the court would hold him.

The District Attorney and Judge M'Clure each wrote a letter to Judge Buffington, of the court in which the trial is to be held, explaining the case. Mr. Stokes will probably secure a continuance of the case.

SENT HOME.—The body of the unfortunate man, Francis Gilbert, who committed suicide on Saturday night, at the Girard House, by taking a large dose of morphine, was sent to Philadelphia, where his parents reside, by the express train on Sunday night. There were many stories rife about the cause of this sudden and dreadful act, but it appears, as near as we can learn, to have been caused by domestic difficulty arising out of dissipation on the part of the deceased. His wife had been living apart from him for a time, and only on Friday, came here at his request and under the statement that he had reformed. He was, as we are informed, much under the influence of liquor when she arrived and so she refused to lodge with him. This seems to have decided him in the course he pursued. The verdict of the Coroner's inquest was that he came to his death by morphine, administered by himself.

ELECTED.—The Directors in the Trust Company Bank to fill places of those three whose term expire this year, were yesterday elected at the banking house of that company. The gentlemen elected are Samuel Rea, F. G. Bailey and Thomas Bell, Esqs.; and they are chosen for three years.

FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION.—On Monday evening the Firemen's Association held a regular quarterly meeting at Neptune Hall. Members present, Messrs. Montgomery, Reese, Hare, White, Gregg, Lowe, Mitchell, Mackey, Lowrie, Kemp, Kay, Cupples, Graham, Shields, Weldin, Wilson, Sawyer, Sr., Whitehead, Little, Oyer, Rosewell, Moreland and Pres't Gazzam.

Minutes of preceding meeting were read and approved. Secretary submitted the quarterly report of the Chief Engineer, G. W. Leonard.

Statement.—Number of fires, 38; false alarms, 12; total, 50. Amount of insurance, 13,296; amount of loss, $34,761; loss over insurance, $21,465. The semi-annual statement shows a total number of fires and alarms is 93; the loss over insurance for 6 months $32,939. The number of false alarms for the sixth month 26.

The Committee of Conference and Inspection reported, verbally that no meeting of the committee had been held and no regular report could be presented.

Several members suggested that under the constitution the members of the Committee were each liable to a fine of 50 cents, and the President imposed a fine of 50 cents on each. Mr. Wilson moved to remit the fines, which was lost by a decided vote.

Mr. Wilson, from the committee appointed to ask an appropriation from Councils of $600 for the purchase of a hook and ladder truck, reported that the duty had been attended to, and the matter had been referred to the Committee on Fire Engines and Hose. Report accepted and committee discharged.

About this point the matter of dispute about G. W. Leonard, Esq., Chief Engineer of the Fire Department came up. This dispute arose on this state of facts:—About the time of the State Fair, Mr. Leonard entered into a correspondence with T. A. Scott, Esq., of the Pennsylvania Railroad, to procure free passes over that road for the Fire Department. In the course of that correspondence he remarked that "the Firemen's Association was composed of the leading and best members of all the companies, while the companies themselves are made up of any and every body." This was doubtless a mere slip of the pen on the part of Mr. Leonard, but the Duquesne Company took it up and passed resolutions demanding that he should resign.

Mr. Mackey moved to lay the whole matter on the table until some specific charge should be brought against Mr. Leonard. Carried.

Mr. Wilson then offered the resolutions of the Duquesne requesting Mr. Leonard to resign.

Mr. Oyer moved to lay the resolutions on the table, and the yeas and nays were called—yeas 11, nays 13. So the motion to lay on the table was lost. The resolutions then being before the meeting, considerable warm discussion ensued.

Mr. Little made a strong speech, deprecating in the severest language the action taken in reference to Mr. Leonard for a mere slip of the tongue or pen.

Mr. Moreland also made a speech expressing the hope that the resolutions would be voted down.

The resolution then came up and the yeas and nays were called, the question being on requesting Mr. Moreland to resign:

Yeas—Messrs. Reese, Hare, White, Lowe and Wilson—5.

Nays—Messrs. Gregg, Montgomery, Mackey, Shields, Hammill, Mitchell, Lowry, Kemp, Kaye, Cupples, Graham, Weldin, Little, Whitehead, Oyer, Sawyer, Jr., Tibby and Moreland—13.

The resolution was therefore lost. Mr. Leonard was then requested to explain if he wished so to do. Mr. Le took the floor and from a manuscript delivered a clear and lengthy statement of the facts. He disclaimed fully any intention of insulting or injuring the feelings of any member of any company. He was proceeding with some sarcastic remarks on the action of a committee appointed to meet him, when he was requested to confine himself to his explanation. Mr. Leonard then stopped reading and took his seat.

On motion of Mr. Wilson, the explanation was received and declared satisfactory.

Mr. Mackey then read a communication from Mr. Leonard, resigning his office. The Association refused, by a very large majority, to accept it.

Messrs. Gregg, Sawyer, Sr., and Kaye, were appointed a committee to revise the association for the relief of disabled firemen. Adjourned.

ESCAPE OF A PRISONER.—On Monday morning, at 10 o'clock, officer Moon brought down from the jail to the watch-house the man Gallagher, who is charged with cutting Mr. Beatty, at the Perry House, one night last week. The facts connected with that affair are still fresh in the minds of newspaper readers. Gallagher was put in the watch house when brought from jail, to await the arrival of a witness who was needed on the preliminary examination, for although Mr. Beatty was present at the hour fixed for the examination, (10 o'clock,) he was unable to identify the prisoner. Therefore, Moon locked G. up in the watch-house, and the examination was postponed until 3 o'clock. Moon in the meantime was called away to Beaver, and left the prisoner in charge of another officer. At dinner time, food was carried in to him, but the outside door was left open. The cell door, which was of iron, remained locked, however. Unknown to any one about the Mayor's office, some one took this opportunity to slip in, break the lock from the cell door, and let the prisoner go. Of course he had confederates to aid him in the daring enterprise, and was no sooner clear than he made good his escape. The police force was put upon his track, but up to the hour of this writing nothing has been heard of him. We believe this is the first prisoner that has escaped during the administration of Mayor Wilson, and he expresses himself determined to forfeit him own and bring him back to answer to the offended laws.

SUPREME COURT.—Before Judges Strong, Thompson, Read and Lowrie, C. J.

Monday, Nov. 14.—The following opinion was delivered in this court to-day:

Burkes O'Brien Indiana. Affirmed. Per Curiam.

The list for Allegheny county was called over:

Mellinger vs Ledlie's Administrator. D. C. Non pros.

M'Kelvy vs Johnston's heirs. D. C. Non pros.

Leech vs Sexton. D. C. Non pros.

Dalton vs Citizens' Deposit Bank. D. C. Non pros.

Paulson et al vs Goddard. D. C. Non pros.

Kennedy vs Foster & Fleesou. D. C. Non pros.

—Road to Collins township. Q. S. Argued by Hampton for complainant and Flennikan contra.

Ormsby et al vs Ihmsen. Argued by Woods and Burgwin for plaintiff in error, and Williams and Shannon contra.

HAVE you looked in at Barker's, No. 59 Market street? What a wonderful trade is done there! This all comes of selling fine goods at low prices. Think of fine Merinos at 50 cents per yard and Delaines at from 12½ to 18 cents—excellent cloth, beautiful patterns! At such prices the wonder ceases that this popular store does so tremendous a trade. Why it is crowded from early morning until late at night, by scores of lady customers. Don't fail to go and see the marvelously cheap goods, sold at great bargains at Barker's new store. Winter is here, and it is quite an object to clothe our families *warmly* and at the same time *cheaply*. Barker's is the place.

CHANGE IN WEATHER.—A very trying change in the weather occurred between Saturday night and Sunday noon. The thermometer on Saturday indicated a high temperature for the time of the year—fairly up to twenty-five degrees. Sunday morning the ground was covered with snow, and a sudden wind set in that was exceedingly searching. On Monday morning, the thermometer was at 14 degrees below the freezing point, and all day the snow and ice melted only on the sunny sides of the streets.

The rain of Saturday had the effect to give us at least six feet of water. The set the boats at work loading, and they will make the best of it while it lasts. Without more rain it cannot last long, that is certain.

HABEAS CORPUS.—A case of habeas corpus came before Judges Maynard and Adams, sitting on Monday in the Common Pleas. The sister of a Indiamond James Brightmore sought to procure his discharge from the House of Refuge, where he has been confined for incorrigibility for some time. It was alleged that he was vicious and idle and, it appeared, a fair and just case for the House. T. B. Hamilton, Esq., appeared for the discharge of the lad and J. H. Hampton for the other side. The case was heard at some length and the boy was remanded to the House of Refuge.

ORDERED ON DUTY.—Dr. James McMasters, a graduate of Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, and a son of Mr. Samuel McMasters, of this city, who had been appointed Surgeon in the Navy, in October last, received orders on Saturday to proceed to Annapolis, Maryland, to enter upon the duties of his office. We congratulate our young townsman on his rare fortune, as his good luck is an exception. We wish him all possible success in his new and important professional career.

A BEARING in the case of Miles & Mallet will take place this morning at ten o'clock. The County Treasurer has brought suit to recover the amount of their license due to the State, as is alleged, for keeping a place of amusement called the "Gaieties," for dramatic exhibitions, and the money sued for amounts to $200. The defence set up is that their place is only for negro minstrelsy and not in the nature of a theatre for dramatic representations.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.—Before Judges M'Candless and Grier.

Monday, Nov. 13.—The cases, to the number of 43, on the trial list, were called over, and the case of Farwell & M'Laren vs. Rody Patterson fixed upon for trial this morning. This is a case involving, as we understand, the sale of some horses belonging to Dan Rice.

ATTENTION is called to the card of SAMUEL M'MASTER'S, No. 99 Market street, who has just opened a very large and superb selection of Ladies' Furs, etc., of the latest styles and rarest patterns and finest qualities. His stock of hats and caps is very large and elegant. His is an old and popular establishment, and has always on hand the largest and finest stock in the city.

THE case of the young men of Lawrenceville, charged with riot before Alderman Steele, did not come up yesterday, as the matter was compromised and settled.

THE peremptory sale of fine watches and jewelry will be continued at No. 112 Wood street, by J. G. Davis, auctioneer, this afternoon at two o'clock, and at seven o'clock this evening.

OUR BOOK TABLE.

Wild Scot'ish Scenes. A tale of Dissension and Border War. By J. B. Jones, author of Wild Western Scenes. Philadelphia: T. B. Peterson & Bros.

The "Wild Western Scenes" of this author was a popular work, and indicated his power as a writer; but we doubt whether this work will add to his reputation. It is not, as its title would imply, similar to his first work, either in scope or design; but an absurd tale, designed to illustrate the politics and political spirit now prevailing at the South. It may be very pleasant reading, to those who have a fancy for such things; but we confess that our fancy does not run in that direction. For sale by W. A. Gildenfenny, opposite the old Theatre, Fifth st.

"THE PICNIC PAPERS." By Charles Dickens, and other celebrated authors." Philadelphia: T. B. Peterson & Bros.

A collection of original papers, only one of which—The Lamplighter's story—is by Dickens. It was originally published for the benefit of the distressed family of some eminent literary man, and its contents are of a very readable kind. Published uniform with Peterson's Edition of Dickens. Price 50 cents. For sale by W. A. Gildenfenny, opposite the old Theatre, Fifth st.

"Exposure of a few of the many misstatements in H. M. Brackenridge's History of the Whiskey Insurrection." By Neville B. Craig. Pittsburgh: J. S. Davison.

Those who have read Brackenridge's History of the Whiskey Insurrection, will remember how bitterly it assails the "Neville Connection," and with what ferocity it attacks our venerable friend, Neville B. Craig. The little work before us is an answer to a few of the many misstatements in that book, and is well worthy of perusal. Mr. Craig herein vindicates the family of his ancestors from the aspersions of Brackenridge's book; and those who have read the one should not fail to read the other. For sale by J. S. Davison, the publisher, corner of Wood street and Diamond alley.

GROVER & BAKER now occupy the second story corner of the magnificent new Brewer Building, over W. & D. Hugus' Dry Goods store, where they have on exhibition and for sale all varieties of the celebrated Grover & Baker Sewing Machines—machines that have already won their way, from their intrinsic merits, to the favor of many hundreds in this section of country. The room where these splendid machines are now to be had, is one of the most capacious and finely adapted to their advantageous exhibition and full operation in the city. It is elegantly fitted up and finely lighted. Family machines of all descriptions, plain and of more costly finish, are there for exhibition and will be sold at moderate prices. We were greatly pleased with the working of several kinds, especially one for hemming, a most admirable contrivance, simple and yet speedy and perfect in its operation. The worth and thorough excellence of the Grover & Baker Sewing Machines have been so generally conceded, that it is almost needless to expatiate in their praise. They combine great efficiency with simplicity. Any female readily masters all their intricacies and soon becomes expert in their use. A pamphlet containing special directions for beginners accompanies each machine, and makes perfectly plain to all the modus operandi of its working. The patentees of this celebrated machine have spared neither pains or expense in getting it up in the greatest possible perfection—perfectly adapted to the purpose designed. The immense sales which have rewarded their efforts to supply the long sought for *desideratum* are gratifying to them and afford an earnest of their future success with the public.

A sample show case will be found at the street entrance door which cannot fail to attract the attention of all who pass. It contains specimens of sewing by this machine, of the silks, hose and thread used, etc. A visit to the capacious warerooms of Grover & Baker will be highly gratifying to all who admire these beautiful machines, and have a desire to see them in operation. Courteous gentlemen are always on hand to afford any desired information.

WE are requested to invite attention to the sale of valuable Real Estate in the Sixth and Eighth wards, belonging to the estate of the late Rev. A. W. Black, dec'd, by order of Orphans' Court, and also a list of desirable Stocks, this evening, at the Commercial sales rooms, by Mr. Davis.

A RARE opportunity is now offered of procuring desirable new furniture, at very low prices, at the sale,