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FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 20, 1860.

THE EYE.—S. A. Sterrett, M. D., devotes special attention to all diseases of the Eye. Cataract removed by a new operation, causing but slight pain or risk to the eye. Many interesting cases in the city and elsewhere, who have submitted to the operation, can be seen and consulted. Residence and office 277 Penn street.

THE LAWRENCE SUFFERERS.—The contributions to the poor sufferers by the wonderful tragedy at Lawrence, are large from all points of the North. Various firms in Boston and New York have sent $1459. The funds are applied to pay medical bills and to assist in the support of the hundreds of orphaned children left desolate and alone in the world. The city of Lawrence, which has about one quarter the population of Pittsburgh, has taxed all its powers in the cause of the suffering. It is of course impossible for it to provide for the wants of all, and the voice of our common humanity pleads trumpet-tongued for the maimed, the halt and the burned victims of this awful calamity. We do not know when we have been more deeply affected than by the story of a poor little girl fourteen years old who had been caged in a nook among the ruins, and who was in a fair way of being saved uninjured until the fire broke out. Then the poor little soul saw the red flames rolling towards her; she saw there was no hope; she drew from her little pocket the due bill for her wages yet unpaid and thrusting it through a rent in her prison to some one, said, "Give that to my poor, dear father, and may God protect him and have mercy upon my soul." The little due bill was scorched by the flames as the weeping fireman took it from her hands. She perished in that furnace of We, on that altar of Moloch. Heroic little girl! No field of battle over had upon it a braver soul.

The committee appointed by the meeting which was held here on Tuesday last, will report their labors at the Mayor's office, on *next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.* A mistake occurred as to the time, in some of the city papers. We have no doubt a full purse will be made up in this city. The innocent sufferers all belonged to the laboring classes—those who eat their honest bread, well earned from day to day. No city in the Union has right to sympathize more deeply with them than this, which is peculiarly an industrial city: one where nine-tenths of the population labor daily. Small contributions from each of us, will make a large sum in the aggregate which will not be missed by us, but which will be most gratefully received by them. In the hour of our calamity, the then little town of Lawrence gave her quota to our distress and common gratitude would dictate a worthy offering from us now, when that hive of labor is hung with the symbols of woe. We learn that a deep feeling of sympathy is abroad among our hardy population, and that the committee are succeeding exceedingly well. Pittsburgh has never been behind-hand in her contributions. She gave liberally to the pest-stricken city of Norfolk. She will not withhold her hand from the mourning and sorrow-stricken people of the city of Lawrence.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS before Judges M'Clure, Mellon and Parke.

Wednesday, 19th.—George H. Fuhrer, treasurer of the Folk's Hall, pleaded guilty, to assault and battery, upon John Buch, at Einstein's lager beer saloon. Buch testified that he was asleep when the defendant awoke him, and asked him to redeem a bad note, which he alleged Buch had passed at the Hall on the evening before. Posecutor had no money that evening good or bad, and told him he had not passed it, whereupon he lis passed between the parties, and Buch was knocked down.

John A. Buch was then placed on trial, for passing a five dollar counterfeit note on the Farmer's Bank of Ky., at the Folk's Hall theatre. The same state of facts which were deposed to in the case of conspiracy on Wednesday, were repeated here. An amusing colloquy passed between Mr. Whitsell, counsel for the defence, and the witness in reference to a conversation about the result of the trial.

Aug. Fisher, who had charge of the refreshment stand at the Hall, on the evening in question, corroborated substantially Mr. Fuhrer's statement. Buch attempted to pass a counterfeit one dollar bill on him, the same evening, and on its being refused, said it was all the money he had, when Kollacher paid for the drinks.

Numerous witnesses were called to the character of Buch, after which Mr. Whitsell made a speech for his clients. Verdict of guilty, and recommended to the mercy of the Court.

Jno J. Owens pleaded guilty to selling liquor without license, at the corner of Third and Grant streets, and was fined $10 and costs.

Andrew Tierney, of South Pittsburgh, for selling liquor without a license, pleaded guilty, and was fined $10 and costs (couldn't pay, and went to jail.

Commonwealth vs. Joseph Oliver and Frank Grout, indicted for rescuing a prisoner. The defendants, as is alleged, prevented the arrest of Oliver, by Sproul of the night police on the 24th of November last.

Thomas Brown pleaded guilty to the larceny of a pair of hob nailed shoes from Max Heninger on Smithfield street, near Fifth, and was sentenced to three months imprisonment in the county jail.

Commonwealth vs. John Scott, indicted for larceny in stealing a coat from Ben Trimble. The prosecutor testified that in November last, defendant came to him and sought employment as a singer at the "Varieties." He was poorly clad, and before sending him upon the stage, Trimble sent him the coat and vest, directing him to send them back to the office when he had finished his singing. Instead of doing so, he made his exit by a back door, taking the clothes with him. The Court instructed the jury that there was no felonious taking, and they found a verdict of not guilty. The prisoner was remanded to jail to answer another charge still pending against him.

Patrick M'Laughlin, charged with receiving stolen goods, was brought into Court, but the case was not made out and he was discharged.

F. A. Shachleiter, for selling liquor without a license, was fined $15 and costs.

OLD FOLKS' CONCERTS.—The original Father Kemp's Old Folks Concert Company, from Massachusetts, will open at the City Hall, Monday evening next.

THE following items we clip from the *Crawford Journal:* A sad accident occurred to two students on Saturday night week, who were sliding down College hill upon sleds. One of them, named Beasley, had his thigh broken—the other named Allen was injured in the back. Both these lads are from Mississippi. We learn from the last Connecautville *Courier* that our dear old "Uncle Sam" has at last graciously condescended to permit a one-horse mail to be carried once a week from Girard to New Castle. Union meetings ought now to be held along the line, in consequence. How we are progressing.....The dam across the Neshannock, at J. C. Shaw's paper mill, was swept away last Tuesday. The thaw had broken up the ice above, which gorged at the Falls, but giving way it came down with such pressure as to take the dam off, with the exception of a few feet at each end.....The following persons were elected on Tuesday last, officers of the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad for the ensuing year:—President: William Reynolds; Directors: John Dick, J. J. Shryock, John McFarland, L. D. Williams, G. A. Bittenbanner, D. A. Finney, G. Church, Marvin Kent, (Franklin Mills, Ohio,) John H. Chamberlain, (Akron, O.) James M. Coffinberry, (Cleveland, O.) James P. McFarland, O. Hastings.

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DIABOLICAL.—The Indian (Pa.) papers are full of accounts of a wretch, named J. C. Stuchell who has tormented his own child by putting it on the red hot stove. At one time he compelled the child, (a boy) to stand on the red hot stove with his bare feet. The child appeared in Court dreadfully scarred and disfigured. It is the most wonderful and revolting display of demonism that ever fell under our notice. The jury found the prisoner guilty, but inasmuch as he had been convicted of larceny a short time before, and got fifteen months imprisonment in the Penitentiary, judgment was suspended.

(For the Pittsburgh Daily Gazette.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—In the notice of our White Lead establishment, yesterday, there are one or two inaccuracies which we wish to correct:

Our establishment is *competent* to turn out daily 600 kegs of the various grades of lead and zinc.

In contradistinction from many of the Eastern manufactories, we produce our material, by oxydizing the pig lead ourselves—as is also the case with other manufactories of this city.

Yours, T. H. NEVIN & Co.

ESCAPE FROM JAIL.—About two o'clock Sunday morning last a mulatto named Aaron Williamson, who had been committed by Justice Hornlab, of Canonsburg, on charges of stealing from various persons of Cecil township, made his escape from jail by knocking off the iron sheeting of his cell door and forcing the staple which confined the bolt of the lock.—*Wash. Examiner.*

CITY AFFAIRS.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations for the *Gazette*, by G. E. Shaw, Optician, 88 Fifth St.—corrected daily:

	IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock A. M.	00	22
12 " M.	54	34
6 " P. M.		23
Barometer		29 5-10

For commercial matter, see fourth page.

AT the last meeting of the Firemen's Association, the committee of conference and inspection previously appointed, made the following report:

To the President and Members of the Firemen's Association:

GENTLEMEN—Your Committee of Conference and Inspection report the apparatus and houses of the Department in the following condition:

Eagle—Engine house in need of repair; hose carriages and engine in good order; hose same as stated in last report. *Allegheny*—Engine house in good order; engine in good order; hose carriage condemned; hose same as stated in last report. *Duquesne*—Engine house in good order; engine and carriage in good order: hose same as stated in last report. *Niagara*—Engine house in good order; engine and carriage in good order: hose same as stated in last report. *Neptune*—Engine house in good order; hose carriages in good order: hose same as stated in last report. *Vigilant*—Engine house in need of repairs; hose carriage and engine in good order; hose same as stated in last report. *Good Intent*—Engine house in good order; hose carriage and engine in good order; hose same as stated in last report. *Relief*—Engine house in need of repairs; hose carriage condemned; engine in good order; hose in bad order for want of grease: this company reports one section of hose as lost by the Chief Engineer. *Independence*—House in good order; engine and carriages in good order. Your committee has to report this company to be short six sections of hose, for which they account to us as follows: Mr. Hartley lost three sections; Mr. Tibby stated that they sold two sections; one section was lost at Lawrenceville; for all which we hold the company.

Mr. Montgomery moved the adoption of the following:

Resolved, That this Association earnestly recommends to the Councils the necessity of making an appropriation to the Allegheny Fire Company, sufficient to secure the lot now occupied by them, because it is understood that if the appropriation is not made the house and lot will be sold by the Sheriff on the first of April.

Adopted.

After the adoption of this resolution, on motion of Mr. Montgomery it was unanimously

Resolved, That Councils be requested to appropriate forty-five hundred feet of hose for the use of the Department, to be equally divided among the companies.

OLD FOLKS' CONCERTS.—The original Father Kemp's Old Folks Concert Company, from Massachusetts, will open at the City Hall, Monday evening next.

ARTS AND SCIENCES.—We hail with pleasure the initiatory steps being taken to establish in our city an Academy of Arts and Sciences. At no point in the country can such an institution be more highly instrumental in diffusing solid information and imparting great scientific truths, than here where all mechanical branches are prosecuted and where abound all the elements of scientific knowledge and the industrial arts. We are gratified to learn that the proposition has been heartily seconded by men of the right stamp and that an enthusiasm in its behalf is already awakened which affords promise of its certain success. To doubt the feasibility of the project, would be to reflect upon the well known public spirit and local pride of this intelligent community. The association has been inaugurated under the most flattering auspices, and we shall not permit ourselves to doubt for a moment that its projectors will be gratified by witnessing a hearty response from Pittsburghers having at heart the good of our rising, expanding and prosperous city. See notice of the committee which follows:

AN ACADEMY OF SCIENCE AND ARTS PROJECTED.—The following address to the public, from the gentlemen whose names are attached, treats of an important measure, and will be read with interest by every lover of art among us. We hope the project will succeed as it contemplates supplying a want that has long existed here, and should therefore receive the warmest encouragement. The Committee say:—An organization for the better cultivation of science and the mechanic arts has long been felt to be a pressing want in this community. Recently initiatory steps have been taken towards the attainment of this object, by the formation of a society under the above title. This society will embrace in its aim the establishment of a Cabinet, the cultivation of the Natural Sciences, and the general investigation and discussion of the Mechanic Arts.

Several preliminary meetings have been held by the Academy, and on Tuesday evening last the number of gentlemen in attendance, interested in the cause, was such as to afford the most encouraging promise of success. At this—the first general meeting—laws for the government of the association was adopted, and at the next meeting, which will be held at the Hall of the Academy, (Brewer's Building, corner of Fifth and Market streets,) on Tuesday evening next (Jan. 24) at seven o'clock, officers will be chosen for the present year.

It is confidently believed that the necessary elements exist among us for building up a successful and permanent institution, devoted to these objects; and the undersigned, appointed a Committee for the purpose, do most cordially and earnestly invite the attendance and co-operation of all who desire the success of this enterprise.

JAMES KING, C. WELLS, } Com. J. R. READ,

REV. DR. CONE.—The announcement that the Rev. Arthur Cleveland Coxe of Baltimore is to deliver a lecture before the Mercantile Library Association, has set afloat a number of interesting anecdotes of his father, an eminent Divine of the Old School Presbyterian Church. At one time in his life, Dr. C., the elder, was rather a warmer Abolitionist than was popular in New York, where he was living as pastor of the Lake Street church. His opponents went so far as to mob him in the streets, shouting after him various opprobrious epithets. The chief people of his church took him to task, and under the pressure the good Doctor announced that on the next Sunday he would preach a sermon defining his position. The hour arrived and the church was crowded—but not by the congregation—the outsiders had taken possession. The good Doctor entered the pulpit, looked around, saw the state of the case, and began as follows: "My dear friends, I have two important preliminary remarks: 1st, you were not invited here; 2d, you are welcome." This prepared them for pointed preaching, and doubtless they got it.

THE SWISS BELL RINGERS—*Last Two Nights.*—Again, last night, were the Bell Ringers attended with their usual success, viz: a large and appreciative audience. Their entertainments seem to grow in public favor and are attended by both old and young. Never has there been more attractive or meritorious concerts presented to the public of Pittsburgh for support or sanction than those of the above troupe. To-morrow afternoon will be a gala day for the young lads and Misses, which will no doubt be enjoyed by multitudes in the evening. Their engagement closes with a benefit for the sufferers by the late calamity at Lawrence.

MISSIONARY MEETING.—A very large and interesting Missionary meeting was held at Rev. Preall's Church, (United Presbyterian,) Sixth street, on Wednesday evening, and a society called the "Home and Foreign Mission Association," was organized. The following gentlemen were elected as officers: President, Nathan Prestley; Vice President, John Handlin; Secretary, James W. Arrott; Treasurer, S. M'Lean, Jr. A committee to solicit funds towards this object was appointed, whose duty it will be to wait on our citizens throughout the entire city and procure subscriptions for that purpose. A paper was passed around through the audience and some seventy dollars were subscribed.

THE Managers and Directors of the House of Refuge, find, as are informed, that it will be necessary for them to procure the authority and proceed to build in connection with the school, a place where the boys who prove themselves ungovernable, may be confined in safety. There is a certain portion of the building—the upper story, we believe, where rooms could be fitted up for the purpose intimated. We believe there is no apartment in the building which a desperate chap might not escape from, or set fire to, if he were so disposed, should the officers attempt to make use of any of the present rooms for the purpose of confining the bad fellow.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE, for February, one of the best and most interesting works of the kind now published, is out—and to Messrs. Hunt & Miner, Fifth street, we are indebted for a copy. This number, as usual, contains a large number of interesting articles, the perusal of which will amply repay any one who is of a literary turn. Among the contributions for this number will be found "Coos and the Magaloway," "Ode on the Birthday of Chas. Wesley," "Holidays in Costa Rica," "Monthly Record of Current Events," "Literary Notices," etc., any one of which is worth the price of the work.

SNOW.—About two inches of snow lay on the ground Thursday morning. We think that it all fell in the space of half an hour or an hour on Wednesday night, during which time it fell faster than we ever saw snow fall.

FATHER KEMP'S OLD FOLKS are to be here next week, the mere announcement of which fact will cause universal joy. We can safely promise our citizens a rich and unrivalled Musical Banquet, such as we are rarely privileged to enjoy. The universal popularity of this numerous band of vocal minstrels renders it needless for us to do more than to announce their purposed visit, and refer the reader to their advertisement in another part of the *Gazette.* A cotemporary, in speaking of them, says:

"Their entertainments are original, unique and peculiar, and the company have met with immense success at every stage of their tour westward from the land of the Puritans, whither they are now returning. It is scarcely a year since City Hall was filled to suffocation at every one of their concerts. As they appear in garbs fashionable at least 'a hundred years ago,' and sing, with strong and well trained voices, the hymns, sacred anthems and patriotic songs so much loved by the fathers of the republic in Massachusetts, and so much revered by their descendants, we predict for them a hearty welcome and a repetition of their former success. A rare and novel series of entertainments may be expected, worthy the patronage of all classes."

WE regret to learn that five barges of the steam tow boat Red Fox got aground at Merriman's on Thursday. Considering the large fleet of boats which have left here for below, a remarkably small number have met with any untoward fortune—the great body having reached their destination in safety. We have no particulars beyond the fact as above announced.

FOUND.—A valuable mare which was stolen from the stable of Leah Kunkle, near Greensburgh, on Tuesday last, was yesterday found by officer Moon, in the possession of Mr. Charles Kendle, a tavern keeper, of Allegheny, who had innocently purchased the animal in the horse market on Wednesday, for $55. The owner of the mare got her again, but the thief could nowhere be found.

CLEANED OUT.—Galloway's Castle was cleaned out yesterday. Freddy Dicks and his interesting brother Billy, were committed as vagrants, each ten days; Abe. Cross and Elizabeth Cross, one for thirty and the other for twenty days; Sara Milligan ten, Elizabeth Orr twenty, and Sarah O'Neal twenty days. Clark Hossack went up for twenty-four hours.

In the District Court on Thursday, a motion was made to vacate the order through which Mr. De Puy was some days since appointed receiver of the Pitts. Ft. W. & C. R. R. It is the design, we suppose, and probably the desire of the friends of the road that it should pass entire into the hands of Mr. Ogden, the Receiver.

ICE.—We are informed that in the Conemaugh river, about two miles above Blairsville, the ice is gorged to a height of nearly 20 feet. Should a freshet come so as to break up this immense mass of ice, great damage will cause to many of the bridges across the river.

CATALOGUES of the valuable Private Library to be sold on Saturday evening, at Davis' auction rooms, Fifth street, are now ready for distribution, and comprise specially desirable works in Popular Literature, Theology, Mechanics and Science.

THE death of R. B. McCabe, a prominent and highly respected citizen of Blairsville, occurred on last Tuesday morning. The community made worthy demonstration of their regard for him.

GEO. SHRADER, a lad aged about 16, was yesterday committed by Alderman Scott, to the House of Refuge, on complaint of his mother. He was reported to be incorrigible.

OLD FOLKS' CONCERTS.—The original Father Kemp's Old Folks' Concert Company, from Massachusetts, will open at the City Hall, Monday evening next.

MORALITY.—The number of deaths in the city as reported by the City Physician, between Jan. 7 and 15, was 9; males 2, females 7; all white.

GROVER & BAKER'S Sewing Machines are becoming all the rage. They need but to be known to be appreciated. No machines ever offered to the public have given more general satisfaction. Examine the show case in front of the entrance to their warerooms on Fifth street, next door to Hugus' store. The specimens of sewing are a sufficient guarantee of the excellence of the Grover & Baker machines.

Books.

DAVISON, **No. 93 Wood Street,** Corner of Diamond Alley, HAS FOR THE HOLIDAY TRADE THE New and Illustrated Books OF THE SEASON, Including the Finest and Latest LONDON AND EDINBURGH **HOLIDAY BOOKS!!!** suitable for all ages. STANDARD BOOKS IN FINE BINDINGS: Religious and Devotional BOOKS, Elegant BIBLES PRAYER and HYMN BOOKS; and a most extensive assortment of CHILDREN'S BOOKS. STEREOSCOPES AND VIEWS. He was the first to introduce this beautiful invention in Pittsburgh, and is not behind the times in variety, novelty or price. JOHN S. DAVISON, dec7-tdf 93 Wood street, near Diamond Alley.

NEW BOOKS AT DAVISON'S—Seven Years, by Julia Kavanagh; Self Help, by Smiles, author of Life of Stephenson; The Professor at the Breakfast Table, by Holmes; Kingsley's New Miscellanies; Statements of Christian Doctrine, by Rev. H. N. Ballou; Great Facts, a History of the most important Inventions of the present century; Vol. VIII of Hamilton's History of the U. S.; How could he Help It? by A. S. Roe; Greeley's Overland Journey; Practicians, by Geo. D. Prentice; Foot Falls on the Boundary of Another World, by R. Dale Owen; New Dictionary of Quotations, from the Greek, Latin and Modern Languages; The Great Tribulation, by Dr. Cumming; Evenings at the