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CITY AFFAIRS.

METEOROLOGICAL Obervations for the *Gazette*, by G. E. Shaw, Optician, 59 Fifth St.—corrected daily:

	IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock A. M.	00	39
12 " M.	60	26
6 " P. M.		29
Barometer		29 6.10

FOR RENT—A Room on the first floor of the *Gazette Building*. For particulars, inquire at this office.

THE Anti-Slavery meeting announced yesterday, for the purpose of forming a Church Anti-Slavery Society, auxiliary to that established some months ago in the east, was held last evening at Iron City College Hall.

R. C. Fleeson was, on motion, called to the chair, and Rev. Lewis Woodson appointed Secretary.

The chairman stated the object of the meeting, after which he introduced Rev. Henry T. Cheever, of Connecticut, Secretary of the Parent Society, who delivered an address on the aims and objects of the organization, earnestly urging Christians to unite and preach and pray against this evil, until, in a peaceful and moral way, it is abolished.

On motion, a committee of three, consisting of Messrs. W. S. Rentoul, James Robb and Rev. Lewis Woodson, was appointed to report a constitution and officers for the Society.

When they had retired, Rev. Cheever offered a series of resolutions.

After a preamble, setting forth the expulsion of thirteen Christian families, associates and co-laborers of Revs. Fee and Rogers, missionaries of the American Missionary Society, from Madison county, Ky., of Revs. Candee and Kendrick, generally. Best brands Family Flour always on hand.— Agents for the sale of Mallory's celebrated Patented Pearl Starch. Nos. 116 Second and 115 First sts., between Wood and Smithfield sts., Pittsburgh, Pa. ap21:yd

1st. That it is the duty of the President to interpose to protect Christian citizens in the South, whose lives, liberties, property and persons are violated without due process of law.

4th. That we protested, as entreated by the exiles of Kentucky, "to do our duty, that lost privileges may be secured to them, freedom to the slave, security to the master, and prosperity to all.

5th. That a copy of these resolutions shall be transmitted to the President of the United States and the Governors of Kentucky, Virginia and North Carolina.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

The Committee on Constitution, etc., reported an instrument, embodying the declarations of principles of the parent society at Worcester, Mass., and the constitution of the Church Anti-Slavery Society of Pittsburgh. The following is the list of officers: President, Neville B. Craig; Vice Presidents, Edward Dithridge, Rev. James Rodgers, Reese C. Fleeson, Rev. S. B. Reed, Rev. Samuel Jacobs, Rev. D. H. A. McLean, D. D., Rev. A. H. Thomas, Rev. H. Sinsebaugh, John Dean, Rev. Isaac Sawyer, Rev. John Douglass, B. D., Rev. John McMillan. Secretary, Rev. John Gregory. Treasurer, W. S. Rentoul. Executive Committee, James McMasters, C. B. M. Smith, James Robb, Rev. Lewis Woodson, D. L. Eaton, Charles B Tayler, John Peck, Aaron Floyd, Wm. Adair.

The report was adopted.

A vote of thanks was passed to Rev. Cheever for his eloquent address, and for his labors everywhere in behalf of the slave.

It was announced that Rev. Cheever would lecture on Friday evening next on the "Volcanic Phenomena of the Sandwich Islands."

After a large number had signed the constitution, the meeting adjourned.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Before Judges McClure, Mellon and Parke.

Tuesday, Jan. 31st.—Ellen Coffee, of the Sixth Ward, was placed on trial for selling liquor without license. Verdict not guilty. She had been in prison for twenty days.

Com. vs. John Carney, of the Sixth Ward, indicted for the larceny of a portmonnie with a small amount of money, on oath of Robert Morrow. The prosecutor not appearing, a verdict of not guilty was rendered.

Seth Teets, who was convicted in October, 1859, for horse-stealing, and was granted a new trial, was again placed on trial for the same offense. He was charged with having entered the stable of David Holliday, of Ohio township, and taking therefrom a bay mare, saddle and bridle. He was arrested near Freedom, Beaver county, while riding the mare. The defense claimed that Teets, who was proved to be very much intoxicated at the time, had no intention of stealing the animal, and that some one had lent it to him to carry him back to Rochester, to meet his brother. He was proved to have had an excellent character for honesty previous to this charge, and the jury rendered a verdict of not guilty.

Com. vs. Noah Rea; indicted for burglary. This is his second trial, the jury, when he was tried some weeks ago, having failed to agree. He is quite a lad, and is charged with breaking into the boarding house of Mrs. J. Jones, Grant street, Nov. 21st, and stealing a couple of silver napkin rings. Verdict ...

REV. DR. CARTWRIGHT'S LECTURE last evening at the City Hall, was listened to by some twelve or fifteen hundred of our citizens. The Hall was filled at an early hour. The venerable lecturer is advanced under a bad cold and considerable hoarseness. He is a "plain, blunt man," who for fifty-six years has served well and faithfully his Devine Master; and he told his audience in a colloquial manner a number of incidents in his remarkable and eventful ministerial career. He spoke for something over an hour and we felt as if we should have liked to listen to him for at least another hour, and we know it would have been profitably and delightedly spent. He is a strong man, who has seen severe hardships and done inestimable good to his fellow men. He looks as though he might blow the Gospel trumpet lustily for some ten or more years to come, and we hope that blessed privilege may be vouchsafed him by the God he has so earnestly and unselfishly served in the long passed years.

He lectures again at City Hall on to-morrow (Thursday) evening.

OUTRAGEOUS ASSAULT.—Complaint was made before Alderman Donaldson, on Tuesday, against a young man named James McKenna, charging him with assault and battery with intent to kill, on oath of Mr. Charles Glenn. Mr. G. alleges that as he was passing through the Fifth Ward, on the evening previous, in company with his wife, he saw McKenna, who was intoxicated, maltreating a child who was standing on the sidewalk. He made some remark in regard to it, when McKenna drew a tumbler from his pocket and inflicted a severe blow upon the complainant. A warrant was issued.

John O'Neil, of the Fifth Ward, was held on a charge of assault and battery, on oath of Mrs. Margaret Jane Motsar. O'N. is a boarder at Mrs. M.'s, and she alleges that he assaulted her when she asked him to "pay up."

PARDON.—A pardon was received on Tuesday from Governor Packer, for Joe Barker, convicted and sentenced to ten months imprisonment, on the 6th of May, 1859, for nuisance, in blockading the street while delivering indecent harangues. The executive clemency was granted on the representation of Dr. Baldwin, Prison Physician, that said Barker was subject to attacks of determination of blood to the head, and required the attention of his family. Joe promised the Court when sentenced to refrain hereafter from committing the offense for which he was convicted, and his term of sentence was shortened on that account.

COUNTERFEIT.—The Philadelphia *Ledger* says: "A very dangerous counterfeit five dollar note, purporting to be of the Mechanics' Bank of New Bedford, Mass., is in circulation in this city. Vignette, whaling scene; figure five on each upper corner, dimmed and blurred. Our readers should be careful how they take any notes of this denomination."

THREE persons, Beverley Peterson, John Rudolph and —— Slosser, have been committed by Ald. Normine, of the Ninth ward, on a charge of stealing chickens, on oath of Wm. Robb. Chicken stealing is an offense very frequently committed throughout the city, of late.

THE Pittsburgh Almanac, for 1860, with calculations by Sanford C. Hill, Esq., the best and most reliable Almanac published, is sold by all enterprising dealers. If you want the best, ask for Hunt & Miner's Pittsburgh Almanac, and take no other—the price is only 5 cents a copy.

BAILED.—John Chaffman, who has been in prison for some time on a charge of seduction, etc., gave bail on Tuesday and was released.

PLEASANT INCIDENT.—As a slight token of the high esteem in which the retiring Mayor, Hon. H. A. Weaver, is held by the police corps, they presented him, on last evening, with a finely mounted gold-headed cane. The presentation address was made by Mr. Wm. Barnhill, Jr., on behalf of himself and the gentlemen of the Police. It is couched in neat and appropriate terms. The cane is a beautiful one, and was manufactured by Mr. George Stevenson, of No. 57 Market street. This pleasant episode in the life of a faithful retiring officer, who has nobly discharged his responsible duties as a Chief Magistrate of this city, will no doubt be borne in perenial remembrance through all after life.

Mayor Weaver, in reply, after highly complimenting the police, said he retired from the Mayoralty with mingled feelings of pleasure and regret—pleasure in being relieved of the weighty responsibility pertaining to the position, and regret for a severance of the intimate association with the members of the police, in an official capacity, for three years. With the most grateful feelings of his heart, he now took his official leave from them, and invoked that a like happy relation might exist between them and his successor.

IXNE.—A very encouraging religious revival is progressing in the Fourth street Bethel, in Harrisburg.....Two of the "Kentucky exiles," Revs. J. R. Rogers and J. F. Boughton, addressed a large audience at Cleveland, on Sunday last.....On petition, the Sharon Iron Company has been dissolved by the Mercer Court. .....The New Castle District Preachers' Association meets in Mercer on Tuesday, May 1st. Mrs. Swisshelm, formerly of this city, has been appointed Surveyor of Logs and Lumber by the Legislature of Minnesota. On hearing of her appointment she gives quite a lengthy homily in the St. Cloud *Democrat*, of which she is editor, on Woman's Rights.

MR. MELLOR has laid on our table another of Fred. Buckley's exquisite songs—"I'd Choose to be a Daisy"—sung at the Apollo with thrilling effect by the "Buckley Minstrels" on several occasions. This is one of the latest and most beautiful of the many choice gems set to music by Mr. B. Go to Mellor's and get it.

STOCK SALES by J. G. Davis, Auctioneer, No. 64 Fifth street, on Tuesday evening, January 31st:

3	Shares Exchange Bank Stock,	$61,75
14	do Mechanics do do	57,00
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READING.—Mr. Russell, Professor of Elocution at Locust Grove Seminary, gave his reading of "Dickens' Christmas Carol," at Lafayette Hall, last evening, before the Franklin Literary Society.

THE jury in the Jones case were still out yesterday evening, not having appeared in court since they retired.

WE are indebted to Hunt & Miner for a copy of the New York *Ledger*, which may be had at their store on Fifth street.

THE SCHOOL VISITOR, published by Clark & Daugheday, for February, is out.

DIARIES for 1860, for sale at Hunt & Miner's.

JENNY LIND PENS are sold by Hunt & Miner.

The Coming Man.

To the Editors of the Pittsburgh Gazette—Gentlemen: It is indeed true, as you say in your article on the election of delegates to the Chicago Convention, in your daily of the 28th ult., that it is all important, not only to the success of the candidate from our own State, but also for the success of the Republican party at large, that your delegates should be a unit in that Convention, and that unit should most positively be for Simon Cameron. His practical common sense, his conservative course in Congress, his locality and his old democratic antecedents, all tend to make him the least objectionable as well as the most available man that can be put in nomination by that convention.

The Keystone State will elect the coming man in 1860: and it must be evident to all (who care for an axes of their own to grind) that Simon Cameron is the man for the times and place. His speeches, in and out of Congress, are of the practical, common sense sort. He does not branch out into some ideal logic that, at present at least, is of no avail, as regards the growing interests of our common country; but his practical, every day, common sense speech is just what the masses of our people can comprehend—and being a practical business man myself, I think these practical, business-like speeches, as well as practical, common sense men, are just the thing to go before a practical common sense people, who, as a nation, are neither individuals, nor most emphatically are; and I trust that the action of the coming Convention will be governed just as any practical, common sense business man would govern his conduct and action if he had a price of so much import and of so much doubt to secure, and that it will make such selections as will secure to the country capable, conservative officers, who have nothing hanging over them or about them to affect their influence or popularity in any section of the Union; and if the members of that Convention will lay aside all personal preferences and put in nomination a ticket that is alike creditable to us as a people, as well as a party, it is most certain to win in the great contest of 1860—and that ticket, in my humble opinion, would be, and should be, the Hon. SIMON CAMERON, of Penn'a., and ABE LINCOLN, of Illinois.

With such a ticket from such localities, we can beat any *Giant* they can put on the track at Charleston, but if we branch off on to some ideal fanatic or to some old fogy, whose political heart has long since been congealed and petrified, by the many frosts of political indifference and disappointment, and has no life or sympathy with the progress of the day or nation, and whose very life quakes with fear of dilution and dissolution; with such a ticket, we indeed would be an easy prey to the force and energies of this unscrupulous Democratic party.

Nothing but a young and vigorous ticket will satisfy us as a people, or become this young and growing Republican party. I have no interest in this matter, either one way or the other, as a country can, or should have, it is for the success of the great principles of liberty and union that I speak, and not for any interests or success of any particular man or section.

But the battle is to be fought in the good old Keystone State, and the man most fitting to lead us on to victory is to be found within her borders, and we should have an opportunity to show to the world that she has men—*noble men*—that love liberty and will take sides in her name with as much force and efficiency as some of her sons have taken in the protection and perpetuation of that dear, *damnable* domestic institution, that has bought up and now owns the entire Administration—the democratic party being thrown in by the way of boot money, in the barter for place and power.

But still, with all the errors and vices of this Administration the democratic party is not to be broken so easily, that a mere combination on our part, is equal to an election. No sir; we have work to do, and we must have care to have the right man in the right place, and in a conservative, conciliatory spirit bind together all the interests of the great Opposition, and then success is sure and certain and the course of our country and people is onward and upward.

Wooster, Ohio, Jan. 30, 1860. BUCKEYE.

PETER CARTWRIGHT, the noted Backwoods Preacher, will deliver his second and last lecture at CITY HALL on THURSDAY EVENING, 2d inst. Doors open at 6½ P. M; lecture commence at 7½ P. M. Tickets 25 cents, to be had at J. B. Hobley's, Fourth street, Book stores, and Scott & Graham's, Pratt & Benny's, and Mr. Chandler's. ...

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LATEST NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH.

RECEIVED AT THE DAILY GAZETTE OFFICE.

Thirty-Sixth Congress—First Session.

WASHINGTON CITY, Jan. 31.

SENATE.—A communication was received from the Commissioner of Patents, transmitting the meteorological observations of 1859, which he thought of sufficient interest to be printed. Referred.

Mr. Iverson introduced a bill to carry out the provisions of the 15th article of the treaty with Mexico.

Mr. Pitch introduced a resolution voting 5000 extra copies of the President's message and accompanying documents. Adopted.

Mr. Grimes asked to be excused from serving on the Committee on Private Land Claims. Granted.

Mr. Douglas' resolution was called up, and Mr. Hunter spoke. He pointed out the vast importance of slave labor to the people of the North. He argued that there was no irrepressible conflict between the sections, and that the emancipation of the slaves would prove a great injury to people of all the sections. If the north could not in conscience carry out the provisions of the constitution, the manly course was to say so and prepare for a separation. Free society was an experiment: whereas slavery had been tried and proved to be stable. A strict observance of the constitution would save the Union.

Adjourned.

HOUSE.—The galleries are as crowded as yesterday. The excitement to-day is not so intense, nor is the floor encumbered with as many unprivileged persons.

On motion of Mr. Stanton, there was a call of the House. It appeared that the following gentlemen were absent: Messrs. Boyce, Stalworth, Brown, of Ky., Sickles, Kunkle, Soulses and Clark B. Cochran.

Mr. Sherman, of Ohio, moved that the House proceed to vote for Speaker, viva voce.

Mr. Winslow submitted that the motion was not in order.

Pending the proceedings under the call of the House, Mr. Sherman insisted that it was the duty of the Clerk to put the question on his motion.

Mr. Borock, in order to give time for the absentees to arrive, moved to adjourn, which was lost.

Mr. Smith declined to make a short speech.

The House then proceeded to vote.

Mr. Millson in a speech, seconded the nomination of Mr. McClernand.

A spirited debate followed and various explanations were made.

The House then voted. Mr. Davis, of Md., voted for Mr. Pennington. (Hisses and applause.)

Forwarding the ballot various gentlemen explained the reasons for their votes for Mr. McClernand.

Messrs. Hardman, Leach, of N. C., Mallory and Moore, of Ky., Americans, withdrew their votes until it is shown that they were necessary to elect him.

Messrs. Maynard, Smith, of N. C., and Vance, Americans, voted for Mr. McClernand. Mr. Vance said it was no time for Southern men to hesitate, as a Maryland slaveholder (Mr. Davis) had landed himself in the bosom of the Black Republican party.

Mr. Ashmore made an earnest appeal to the South Americans and Democrats, to concentrate on Mr. McClernand. If they did not now elect, a Republican would be chosen.

In the next trial the result was announced as follows: Whole number 233; necessary to a choice, 117; Pennington, 116; McClernand, 91; Gilmer, 5; Millson, 2; scattering, 15.

The Republicans were impatient for another vote, which the Democrats resisted. The latter promised that a vote should be taken to-morrow.

After a preliminary calling, the House adjourned.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The Tribune's Washington correspondent says: In the voting to-day for Speaker, Mr. Riggs gave his vote to Mr. Pennington it would elect, but Mr. Riggs, who has repeatedly pledged his vote for Mr. Pennington, refused to do it. Mr. Riggs then changed his vote from Mr. Pennington to McClernand, but will vote again for Mr. Pennington, when his vote will elect him.

The Herald's correspondent says the Harper's Ferry Committee met to-day, but examined no witnesses. The letter of Mr. Hyatt was read, but no action was taken, the Committee preferring to wait until Mr. Hyatt appears before them on Wednesday. Hon. S. E. Sowell, of Boston, acts as counsel for Mr. Hyatt. There is but little doubt that if Mr. Hyatt refuses to answer the questions propounded to him by the Committee, that he will be deemed guilty of a contumacious witness, and arraigned at the bar of the House for contempt. His reasons for not answering will then be the same as given in his letter. This will cause his counsel to call for habeas corpus will then issue for his release, and thus the question will be brought before the Supreme Court of the United States and be legally attested. Mr. Hyatt will arrive here to-morrow. Mr. Redpath, of Walden, and Sanborn, of Concord, Massachusetts, it is said, will not appear. Dr. Howe will await the legal test to be made by Mr. Hyatt before appearing. Giddings has not yet arrived, and may assume the same position taken by Hyatt.

Realf is notified to appear on Wednesday, when the committee will probably question him on some new point. Since the discharge of Judge Arny as a witness before the committee, he has said that if he had not been stopped by the chairman, he would have shown that Brown was twenty-five miles from Pottawatomie on the night that Wilkinson, Doyles and Sherman were killed. He says Brown told him he was not with the party, but that it was a righteous deed. One of the party also told him Brown was not there, but was camped on Midda Creek.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Mr. Sutton, Warden of the City Prison, yesterday afternoon, made a very important discovery in the cells of the two murderers, Stephens and Sancher. It appears that these two prisoners had entered into a conspiracy to escape.—The plan was to kill the two night-keepers when those officers opened the cell door to hand in their supper, then obtain the keys and pass out. A loaded revolver was found on each prisoner.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30—Resolutions were introduced in the Virginia House of Delegates, to-day, declaring that "while we recognize as the paramount necessity for decisive measures in the present condition of things, yet we believe that prompt and efficient co-operation can be more safely obtained by the direct and authoritative action of the constituted authority of the Southern States, than through the agency of an assemblage which can have no legitimate power, except to debate and advise. Therefore, the General Assembly of Virginia will not, at this time, undertake to invite any Conference of Commissioners appointed by the authorities of the Southern States."

The Democrats in Caucus made no nomination for Speaker, but appointed a Committee to take action, with a view of concentrating the vote opposed to Mr. Pennington, on one of their own number, probably Mr. Letcher, of Va. Mr. Briggs, Ills understood, will cast a vote to-morrow (Tuesday) for whoever may be supported by the Democrats in reciprocation of the generous support of their candidate, Mr. Smith. In Pennington.

Thaddeus Hyatt, President of the National Kansas Aid Committee, has written to Senator Mason a letter in answer to the subpoena to appear before the Harper's Ferry Investigating Committee on the 1st of February, in which he informs the committee that while he will so far regard the summons as to appear before them, he will not answer any of their interrogatories, because he questions the exercise, by a Legislative body purely judicial, powers that are neither incident to the government nor conferred by express provision of the Constitution. In this position Mr. Hyatt is sustained by the best legal advice of Massachusetts and New York.

James Redpath, of Walden, Mass., author of the Life of John Brown, has also been subpoenaed to appear and testify, but he is a very spicy, and what might be called a very saucy letter, refuses to comply with the summons.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 31.—This evening's Journal publishes a call for a grand Mass Meeting on Saturday night next, to organize a party, to be styled the Constitutional Union party, having for its object the preservation of the Union, the protection of the constitutional rights of the States and the suppression of sectionalism. It is signed by a large number of prominent business men of this city. The Hon. John J. Crittenden, Hon. Millard Filmore and Hon. Edward Everett are expected to address the meeting.

The bark Laconia, from New Orleans, reports on the 19th, that a small boat, containing two German sailors, who two days before, had deserted from the Danish schooner Catharine at Matamyas, and started for America. The boat was nearly full of water, and their stock of bread was damaged. At their request they took them on board and brought them here.

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—The day Express train from New York for this city, ran off the track near Palmyra, and one of the cars was thrown down an embankment, turning several somersaults. The brakeman had both legs crushed; he died of his injuries. Mr. and Mrs. Biddle, actors, and a Mrs. Ogden, were seriously injured and about twenty passengers were somewhat bruised. The Rev. Merrill Richardson, of Worcester, was seriously injured.

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 31.—There are no signs of the R. M. steamship America, now in her 18th day from Liverpool. The news dispatch for the Associated Press, on her arrival, will be transmitted over the Nova Scotia line to Amherst, and thence by the express to Sackville, a distance of only five miles, which will insure great promptness in its delivery to the press throughout the United States.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31.—The river remains about stationary at this point, with 7 feet water to Cairo. The weather turned very cold last night with blustering winds from the north. The mercury has been steadily sinking towards zero all day. Ice is said to be making rapidly above. Prospect of a speedy opening in the Upper Mississippi and Illinois, is given up as hopeless.

RICHMOND, Jan. 31.