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TO UNION MEN.

THE WORK BEFORE THEM.

At a meeting of the Republican Executive County Committee, at Headquarters, on Saturday, it was, on motion of John H. Stewart, Esq.,

RESOLVED, That we urge upon our political friends in the cities of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, and throughout the county, to devote the coming week exclusively to the perfecting of their party organizations, the appointment of Block and Vigilance Committees in every Ward, Borough, Township and Election Precinct, the appointment of Challengers at polls, and such other matters of detail as will insure an overwhelming Republican triumph.

Let every patriotic citizen, at this critical hour, at whatever personal sacrifice, give one week of labor to the final preparations for the great struggle now so closely at hand.

Headquarters open at all hours for distribution of tickets, posters for the polls, &c., &c.

JOHN W. RIDDELL,
Chairman County Committee.
T. M. BAYNE, Secretary.

CANDIDATES FOR STATE SENATE.

Some changes having occurred in the Senatorial candidates, it has become necessary to repeat the list. It now stands:

	Republican.	Democratic.
1.	Jeremiah Nichols,	W. McCandless,
3.	W. Worthington,	James Sill,
8.	Nicholas Hunter,	J. Dupuey Davis,
10.		Charlton Burnett,
15.	Col. A. J. Frick,	Geo. D. Jackson,
16.	D. Dawson Coleman	Jere. Hoffman,
17.	E. Billingfelt,	Abraham Collins,
	J. W. Fisher,	W. Hayes Greer,
20.	Alex. Stutzman,	R. F. Meyers,
21.	J. W. Deafore,	Thos. B. Searight,
22.	A. W. Taylor,	J. B. Welsh,
23.	Jas. C. Brown,	John W. Irwin.

In the 10th District Mr. C. F. ROCKWELL was nominated by the Republicans, but he peremptorily declined. It is not probable the Republicans will bring forward another man, as the district is hopelessly Democratic.

In the 24th District, the Democrats nominated Mr. SAMUEL BIGGER; but Mr. J. B. WELSH announcing himself as an independent candidate, Mr. BIGGER withdrew in his favor. Mr. WELSH has hitherto acted with the Republicans, and held seats in the last two Legislatures by their favor. It is possible he may haul off, but his running perils only himself.

CANDIDATES FOR CONGRESS.

In view of the changes in candidates we think it best to give a perfected list. No further alterations are to be apprehended.

Dist.	Republicans.	Democrats.
1.	Charles Gibbons.	S. J. Randall.
2.	Charles O'Neill.	John Hulme.
3.	Leonard Meyers.	Chas Buckwalter.
4.	W. D. Kelley.	John Welsh.
5.	C. N. Taylor.	H. P. Ross.
6.	David Thomas.	B. M. Boyer.
7.	J. M. Broomall.	Nanthaniel Pratt.
8.	D. J. Lincoln.	G. L. Getz.
9.	Thaddeus Stevens.	S. H. Reynolds.
10.	Henry L. Cake.	C. B. Glonigger.
11.	Wm. Lilly.	W. N. Vanauken.
12.	James Archebald.	Chas. Denhison.
13.	U. Mercur.	Wm. Elwell.
14.	Geo. F. Miller.	Thos. Bowers.
15.	R. M. Henderson.	A. G. Glossbrenner.
16.	J. R. H. Koontz.	J. M. Sharpe.
17.	D. J. Morrell.	R. L. Johnson.
18.	S. F. Wilson.	T. P. Wright.
19.	G. W. Scofield.	W. L. Scott.
20.	D. A. Finny.	A. B. McCalmont.
21.	John Covode.	H. P. Wier.
22.	J. K. Moorhead.	J. B. Sweitzer.
23.	Thos. Williams.	R. G. Childs.
24.	G. V. Lawrence.	Wm. Montgomery.

MAJOR GENERAL W. W. AVERILL.

We are glad to see that this gentleman has been appointed *Consul General for the British Provinces*, to reside at Montreal. Our personal knowledge of the General enables us to say that no better appointment could be made. This city and Western Pennsylvania owes to the intrepidity and gallantry of General AVERILL and the cavalry forces under his command, their protection on more than one occasion from invasion and probable devastation by EARLY's raiders. As a cavalry officer he never suffered a defeat, while he was the leader of numerous damaging raids, and the hero of many victories. In addition to his high military character General AVERILL is a gentleman of liberal education, of cultivated tastes, and of genial and refined social habits, fit for, and worthy of, the office conferred, or any high consulship in the gift of the President.

THERE are indications that the holders of the Confederate debt are contributing funds to secure, if possible, the success of the Democrats at the ensuing election. They calculate accurately enough the men at whose hands, if any, it is practicable to get the rebel obligations assumed by the general government; but they will soon discover they have sent good money after bad. The Democrats have not yet sufficiently purged their complicity with the rebellion, and will have awhile longer to warm their heels outside the palaces of the government.

THE Augusta (Ga.) *Constitutionalist*, which earnestly supports the President's Policy, shows to what extent it has been reconstructed by such paragraphs as these:

"The Stars and Stripes is a flag befouled all over with wrong and blackguard despotism that daily affronts God by the villanies it does His poor and persecuted people."

Now, we hold that men who cherish such sentiments might as well occupy back seats awhile longer.

THE Democrats have evidently given Mr. CLYMER up as a "dead duck." This is seen in the swaps their electioneerers are offering to make. Why else should they offer votes for GEARY in exchange for votes for their candidates for Congress or the Legislature? We entreat Republicans to abstain from bartering in this way. Stand by the whole ticket, and all will be well.

IN a Democratic procession in Baltimore on Thursday night, a transparency was carried with the following motto: "We are in favor of negro suffrage—the way they suffered at New Orleans." A coffin was carried with the label: "John L. Thomas' and Thad. Stevens' overcoat."

THE popular judgment at the South is that the President extinguished himself by his Chicago trip, and that the Republicans will control the action of the Government.

—The Michigan Boys in Blue who attended the Pittsburgh Convention speak in the warmest possible terms of the welcome they met from the open-hearted Unionists of that city. They were entertained in the private houses of the first citizens of the place, and every want was anticipated. We hear of a case where a number of the Michigan boys were quartered in a private family, and a rain storm coming up on Wednesday, the host actually sent out and purchased umbrellas for the whole company!—*Detroit Adv.*

CITY ITEMS.

Get Superior
Milk Biscuit at Marvin's, No. 64 Fourth street.

Calf Boots
At the Opera House Shoe Store.

Buff Boots
At the Opera House Shoe Store.

Kip Boots
At the Opera House Shoe Store.

Wonderful.
The prices Boots and Shoes are now selling at, at the Opera House Shoe Store.

Over Thirty
Different kinds of Men's, Boys', and Youths Boots at the Opera House Shoe Store.

Country Merchants.
Remember that the place to buy Patent Medicines and Perfumery low is McClarran & McKennan's Drug Store, 80 Market street.

Pure White Lead.
Flax-seed Oil, Turpentine, Varnishes, Mixed Paints, Paint Brushes, Putty, &c., &c. The above articles can be had very low at McClarren & McKennan's Drug Store, 85 Market street, corner of Diamond, near Fifth street.

A Cheap Way
Of going to Saratoga Springs is by going to FLEMING's Drug Store, No. 84 Market street, where you can procure the water direct from the Springs, received fresh every week, and sold at a slight advance above cost. Remember the place—84 Market street.

Don't Say that Consumption Cannot be Cured,
Unless you have used the Rev. E. A. Wilson's Great Remedy for Consumption, and all Bronchial Affections. It *has* cured the very worst cases, and it may cure yours; at allevents, don't despair until you have tried it. Sole agent for Pittsburgh,
JOSEPH FLEMING, Druggist,
84 Market street.
Sent by Mail anywhere, on receipt of $3.50.

Southern Loyalists in Chicago.
Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Gazette.
CHICAGO, Oct. 2, 1866.
Last night the Southern loyalists arrived here. Michigan avenue, fronting the road on which they came in, was fully illuminated.

To-day the city is gay with flags, banners, devices and inscriptions. Business is measurably suspended. Fifty thousand strangers throng the streets. Enthusiasm is at the very highest pitch. Stokes, Maynard, and others, are making speeches. Both Johnsonism and Democracy are wiped out. On next Tuesday Illinois will send Republicans throughout the Union greeting in thunder tones.

Arrival of the City of Paris from Europe—Napoleon's Circular Note.
NEW YORK, October 2.—The steamer City of Paris, from Liverpool 19th, has arrived.

The American war steamers Colorado, Frolic and Swatara were at Southampton.

The important French circular note, alluded to through the Cable some days since, is spoken of by the English press as being of the highest importance, and its authorship is attributed to the Emperor. Both the *Times* and *News* agree in the opinion that Napoleon harbors no evil thoughts against the independence of Belgium or Switzerland. The semi-official *North German Gazette*, of Berlin, says the words in reference to the military re-organization for the defence of French territory must not be considered as a menace. The Prussian people are every day becoming more persuaded that a good understanding between Prussia and France is the sure way of solving European questions in the sense of national progress and civilization.

Lee's Arlington Effects—Cholera.
WASHINGTON, October 2.—The household effects left at the Arlington mansion by General Lee, or rather the fragments remaining of them, were yesterday delivered to the party authorized by General Lee to receive them. This was done, the *National Intelligencer* says, under an order of the President. It appears that nearly everything of any value had been stolen. Many valuable heirlooms, including some of the family portraits, were taken from the frames, packed in boxes, and stored in the upper loft of the mansion since 1861. These boxes had been broken open and every description of real value taken away, and the letters and private papers of the General scattered over the floor.

At the meeting of the Board of Health yesterday the first case of cholera in Washington was reported. It was that of a gentleman who arrived here from Richmond on Friday. The patient is convalescent. The exemption of this city from cholera disproves the theory that it seeks filthy localities.

St. Louis Fair—Fine Stock.
ST. LOUIS, October 2—There was a much larger attendance at the Fair to-day than yesterday. The ring exhibition this morning consisted of cattle, of which there was a fine display. In the afternoon there was a splendid show of stallions, geldings and mares, among them Dixie and Tackey, owned by Richard S. Carr, of St. Louis, who will match either against any horse in the country, except Dexter. The display through both races was postponed till Friday, when they will compete for prizes.

J. P. Robinson, of New York, was elected Treasurer of the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad Company yesterday.

Grand Cable Banquet.
BOSTON, Oct. 2.—Cyrus W. Field arrived in Boston this afternoon, and will leave for New York to-morrow.

On Monday evening, October 1st, a banquet was given in Liverpool to celebrate the success of the Atlantic cable, and was presided over by Lord Stanley, Minister of Foreign Affairs. During the festivities Mr. Field's health was proposed by Lord Stanley, and drank amidst great enthusiasm. A dispatch relating to the celebration, dated Liverpool, October 1st, 9:25 P. M., was received at the office of the Telegraph Company in Boston at 9:45 the same evening.

Dangerous $100 Counterfeit.
NEW YORK, October 2—A very dangerous one hundred dollar counterfeit, on the Central National Bank, in this city, is in circulation. The only way for the public to protect themselves will be to refuse for the present all one hundred dollar National Bank notes, except they are received from sources of well known respectability. One of the peculiarities of the counterfeits we have referred to is, that the "L" in the word mountain, on the right hand of the bill is defective and looks like the letter "I." The counterfeiters however, can soon remedy this defect.

Otera Murder—Destructive Fire.
NEW YORK, October 2.—The *Tribune* publishes the confession of Gonzalez and Pellicer to the murder of Otera in Brooklyn last fall, but both insist that the murder was planned by Viele. The two former were convicted and sentenced principally upon the evidence of Viele, who is still held.

The extensive scale factory of Richard Brown, 57th street and Third Avenue, was damaged by fire last night to the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars. Insured.

The Idaho Purchased for Peru.
NEW YORK, October 2.—A *Herald* Panama correspondent says: The agents of the Peruvian Government have purchased the screw steamer Idaho, 2,618 tons, built in New York for the United States Government but rejected by the Navy Department on account of the Dickinson engines. She will be armed with eight heavy guns and will cruise through the Spanish main to make prizes of Spanish merchantmen.

Jerome Park Races.
JEROME PARK, N. Y., Oct. 2.—The attendance at the races to-day is very large. In the hurdle race of two miles there were four starters. Citadel won the race in four minutes and sixteen seconds; Zigzag was second, Tennessee third and Yellow Hammer fourth.

The second race was won by Mr. Alexander's Watson, who won both heats. Time 1:48½ and 1:48. In the third race, Luther was first, Loadstone second and Knighthood third. Time 3:17.

Union Pacific Railroad—Sheridan.
NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—A *Tribune* special announces the acceptation of thirty-five miles more track of the Union Pacific Railroad. A hundred miles more will be laid before 1867, which will take the track to within thirty miles of Denver.

Gen. Sheridan arrived at New Orleans on Sunday. A board of officers has been appointed to investigate the B[illegible] affair.

Great Soldiers' and Sailors' Meeting at Meadville.
MEADVILLE, Pa., Oct. 2.—A great mass meeting of the soldiers' and sailors', the greatest mass meeting ever held here, is in progress. Fully twenty thousand strangers are in town. Able speakers are addressing multitudes. It is the greatest meeting, outside of Pittsburgh, ever held in Western Pennsylvania.

Base Ball Game—Eagle Fire Company.
PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 2.—The Atlantic played a game of base ball this afternoon with the Keystone Club, and won by a score of 23 to 15.

The Eagle Fire Company, of Pittsburgh, arrived to-day on a visit, and were escorted through the streets by twenty of our companies with their machines.

Maximilian Countermands the Order to Evacuate Sonora.
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2.—It is asserted that Maximilian sent an order countermanding the evacuation of Sonora, and that the French Admiral having embarked all his troops refused to disembark.

Indian Depredations.
FORT LARAMIE, Oct. 2.—A band of African Indians stole a herd of cattle near this place on the 20th ult. They were pursued by Lieutenants Bingham and Starring with a party, who surprised them, killing all but four, and recovering the stock.

Congressional Nomination.
BOSTON, October 2.—Brevet Brigadier General G. H. Gurney has been nominated for Congress by the Workingmen's Convention in the Third District.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK, A. M.

VERY LATEST TELEGRAMS.

EUROPEAN NEWS BY MAIL.

Bad Crops in England—Annexation Matters—Changes in the German Election Law—The Pope Preparing for Flight.

NEW YORK, October 2.—Files by the City of Paris to-day furnish further explanation of the advance in prices of breadstuffs in the English market, reported by the cable. Heavy rains and long continued high winds have inflicted serious injury upon the crops in most of the agricultural districts, both in England and Ireland. In the Moorland regions the loss will be particularly heavy. The crops remaining in the fields become discolored, so that they will, it is feared, only be fit for cattle feeding, while the standing crops have rotted at the bottom and also sprouted. Barley, oats, peas and potatoes even have all experienced more or less damage. From Scotland the reports are uniformly unfavorable, and the same observation applies with even greater force to Ireland.

The annexation committee of the Chamber of Deputies recommended unanimously the adoption of the bill for the incorporation of Schleswig-Holstein with Prussia in the following form: The Duchies of Schleswig-Holstein will be united to the Prussian monarchy—pursuant to article second of the Prussian Constitution. The other paragraphs were passed as proposed by the Government, a resolution being added by the committee urging the introduction, as speedily as possible, of a bill for the annexation of the Duchy of Louenburg.

The law for the election of representatives for the North German Parliament was passed September 14th by the House of Deputies.

First. A parliament is to be assembled for the consideration of the constitution of the regulations of the North German Confederation. Second. Every man blameless in the eye of the law, who is a citizen of one of the German States united in the Confederation is to be, as soon as he has attained the age of twenty-five years, a voter. Third. From the right of voting are excluded, first, persons who are under guardianship or trusteeship; second, persons against whose property suits of bankruptcy have been granted during the term of such bankruptcy; third, persons who obtain support as paupers from the funds of the State or of their district, or who have obtained support during the year preceding the election.

The Dutch Chambers were opened on the 17th. The King announced that the financial condition of the country was satisfactory.

The *Times* admits that the agitation among the Kibowa subjects of the Ottoman Empire begins to bear all the appearance of a preconcerted national movement, but remarks that if anything like a general European complication were to arise out of this state of things, it would be due to secret agents, of which we as yet know nothing, but who have far other objects in view than the furtherance of the interests of Greek nationality.

The Venice *National* mentions that it has received a telegram from its private correspondent at Berlin, stating that on the execution of Karakusoff, on Saturday last, popular demonstrations took place in consequence of which charges of cavalry were made. Several persons were wounded and numerous fined.

The St. Petersburg *Borsen Zeitung* says that all the preparations on the mainland and the surrounding Behring's Straits for the completion of the line of telegraph between Russia and America, are nearly finished. In the course of the present year the telegraph will be constructed over a distance of three thousand five hundred miles beyond Revil.

A Rome correspondent of the Pall Mall *Gazette* gives the following statement of the Papal difficulties: While preparing for the eventuality of flight, the Pope is also contemplating the possibility of his being detained a captive at Rome, and, as a precaution, has drawn up a secret bull, delegating his full powers to a cardinal, whom certain reasons prevent my naming at present. Directly the holy father is taken captive or deprived of his apostolic liberty, the said cardinal will repair to Vienna or London, and there publish the bull which is now in his possession. In this document Pius IX names him as his *alter ego ad tempus vicar*, of the universal Church, that is Pope *ad interim*. All Catholic bishops, all priests, and all faithful, are, during the captivity of the Sovereign Pontiff, to address themselves to this organ of the Pope reduced to silence, and who will be the interpreter of Peter in bonds Petrus in Vinculis.

French Circular—France's Modest Suggestions.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2—The important French circular note, already referred to, after showing that the recent changes in Europe are favorable to France, proceeds. The coalition of the Third Northern Courts is broken up. The new principle ruling in Europe, is liberty of alliance aggrandized. Prussia requires the independence of Germany. France will not feel disposed to oppose or to regret the work of assimilation which has just been accomplished, and to subordinate to feelings of jealousy the principles of nationalities which represent and profess regard for the people. By imitating France, Germany has taken a step which draws her nearer to us. Notwithstanding unreflecting susceptibilities, Italy has equally drawn nearer to us in ideas, principles and interest. The September Convention which secures the pontifical interests, will be loyally carried out. Second class naval forces are arriving in the Baltic and the Mediterranean, which assure the liberty of those seas. Austria, relieved of her Italian and German, leaving and no longer employing her forces in barren rivalries, but concentrating them upon the east of Europe, still represents 35,000,000 souls, whom no hostile interests separate from France. By what singular reaction of the past upon the future shall public opinion see not the allies, but the enemies of France, in nations liberated from a past that was hostile to us, and now called to enter upon a new existence, guided by principles which are our own, and animated by the sentiments of progress, which form the pacific link of society. In Europe, more strongly constituted and more homogeneous, by better defined territorial divisions is a guarantee for the peace of the continent, and is neither a peril nor an injury to our nation. France, with Algeria, will soon number 40,000,000 inhabitants. Germany 33,000,000, of whom 29,000,000 will be in the confederation of the north, and 5,000,000 in that of the South. Austria 35,000,000. Italy 25,000,000. Spain 18,000,000. What is there to disturb us in this destribution of European forces—an irresistible power—can we regret it—impels it, the people, to unite themselves in grand masses and causing the disappearance of secondary States. This tendency springs from the desire to place general interests under the most effective of guarantees possible. It is inspired by providential sight—the destinies of the world. While the old populations of the Continent increase slowly in their restricted territories, Russia and the republic of the United States may, within the next one hundred years, number a hundred millions of men, although the progress of these two great empires is not, for us, a subject of solicitation, while, rather, we applaud their generous efforts in favor of the oppressed races. It is for the interest of the nations of central Europe not to remain broken up into little States without either force or public spirit.

The circular proceeds to demonstrate that the Emperor was right in accepting the part of Mediator. On the contrary he would have disregarded his high responsibility, if, violating the neutrality promised and proclaimed, he had suddenly plunged into the risks of a great war, one of those wars which arouse the hatred of race, and in which whole nations meet in strife.

The Government, continues the circular, comprehends the obstacles of annexation, dictated by the absolute necessity of uniting to a country a population having the same manner and the same national spirit. It can only desire those territorial agreements which would not affect its powerful cohesion, but must always labor for its moral and political aggrandizement, using its influence on behalf of the moral interest of civilization. Nevertheless the results of the late war teach an important lesson, and show the necessity which exists for the defense of our territories for perfecting without delay our military organization. The nation will be meek in this duty, which cannot be remarked as a threat by any.

In conclusion, the circular considers the political horizon free from any threatening contingencies, and expresses belief in the lasting peace.

Lecture by Chas. Sumner.

BOSTON, October 2.—Hon. Chas. Sumner delivered the opening lecture of the course before the Parker fraternity, this evening, in Music Hall, to a large audience. His subject was "The Presidential Policy—The one man power and Congress."

The address, which is long, was evidently prepared with much care, and gives an elaborate review of the national situation and severely criticizes the course of President Johnson and his counsellors.

Mr. Sumner sums up the case as follows:

The President wielding the one man power, has assumed a prerogative over Congress, utterly unjustifiable, and has undertaken to dictate a fatal policy of reconstruction, which gives away to rebels, puts off the blessed day of peace and reconstruction, and leaves the best interests of the people in jeopardy. Treacherous to the great cause and treacherous to himself, he has set up his individual will against the people of the United States in Congress assembled, and forgetful of truth and decency, he has assailed members as assassins, and has denounced Congress itself as a revolutionary body called or assumed to be Congress and hanging on the verge of the Government, as if this most enlightened and patriotic Congress did not contain the embodied will of the American people. To you, each and all, I appeal to arrest this madness. Your votes will be the first step. The President must be taught that usurpation and apostacy cannot prevail. He who promised to be Moses and has become Pharoah must be overthrown, and the Egyptians that follow him must share the same fate, so that it shall be said now as aforetime, "And the Lord overthrew the Egyptians in the midst of the sea."

Oil Strike.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., Oct. 2—Oil was struck this morning at a depth of about 1,300 feet in the Artesian well being sunk here by Mr. Chauncey Rose, of this city. It flows at the rate of about forty or fifty bbls. per day, with casing only extending ten or twenty feet below the surface. It is estimated that it would produce one hundred barrels per day if properly tubed. The oil is of good quality. It is considered the more important being the only oil as yet found in this part of the country in paying quantities.

THE NEW ORLEANS RIOTS.

Report of Investigating Commission—Gen. Sheridan's Report Confirmed—A Preconcerted Rebel Murder.

NEW YORK, Oct. 2.—The *Tribune* has a special to-night from New Orleans, containing the report of the Military Commission to investigate the riots in that city. The report is signed by General S. Mower, Quincey, Gregg and Baldey. It gives a full synopsis of the evidence confirming the dispatches of General Sheridan.

The Commission gives the opinion that it was a preconcerted plan among rebel associations for the purpose of attacking the convention, if there was any pretext; but for the declaration of martial law and the presence of troops, fire and bloodshed would have raged through the night in all of the negro quarters of the city, and the lives and property of Unionists and Northern then would have been at the mercy of the mob. Three-fourths of the mob were rebel soldiers.

The Board review the conduct of Mayor Monroe, and believes his action precipitated the consequences that ensued from his own acts. The party in power in New Orleans with Mayor Monroe, the Board believe, if allowed to have their own way without punishment for past offenses, will soon render New Orleans a place of insecurity for Northern lives and property.

FROM RICHMOND.

United States Circuit Court not to be Held—Prospective Effort for a Writ of Habeas Corpus in Jeff. Davis' Case.

RICHMOND, VA., Oct. 2.—It has been definitely ascertained to-day that no term of the United States Circuit Court will be held here this month. The June term was illegal, and consequently the adjournment to this day was invalid.

The opinion is expressed here that the counsel of Jeff. Davis will ere long test the efficacy of a writ of habeas corpus awarded by Judge Lyons or Judge Meredith, of this city, and if they fail to make the application, it is expected that the bar of Richmond will hold a meeting to discuss the propriety of that proceeding on the part of one of their number.

The Southern Homestead Bill—Gen. Couch's Appointment—Election of Directors.

WASHINGTON, October 2—The law of June last, providing for the disposal of the public lands in the Southern States for homestead settlements, is now being printed, with instructions for distribution among the district land offices in that section of the country. The benefits of the act are extended to all citizens of the United States without distinction as to race or color.

Rear Admiral Pearson, commanding the South Pacific Squadron, informs the Navy Department under date of September 10th, of the arrival of the steamer Lancaster, at Callao, on the 5th.

General Couch was yesterday notified of his appointment as collector of the Port of Boston.

The stockholders of the Alexandria, Washington & Georgetown Railroad have elected a new Board of Directors and the following officers: R. W. Luthorn, of New York, President; Jas B. Stewart, Washington, Secretary, and Wm. Beyer, Baltimore, Treasurer.

Return of Gen. Sheridan—Investigating Committee Appointed.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 2.—General Sheridan returned from Brenham, Texas, this morning, whither he had gone to investigate the destruction of that town by incendiarism, charged upon United States soldiers. The following points were about decided upon unofficially as facts: The original cause of destruction is not satisfactorily determined as yet but there are doubts. During the fracas two soldiers were wounded, one severely and the other slightly; that later in the night a number of men burned the business part of the town and that they were soldiers; that Capt. Smith, commanding the post, had nothing to do with the matter, and that the affair required a more rigid investigation. General Sheridan, to accomplish this purpose, has appointed an investigating committee.

General Sheridan has decided on giving the frontier Texas settlers full protection against hostile Indian tribes.

The Southern Loyalists—Grand Reception in Chicago.

CHICAGO, October 2.—A mass meeting in Lake Park this afternoon was largely attended. At noon the Southern loyalists were escorted to the meeting by the Committee of Arrangements and procession, composed principally of detachments of veterans, with flags formerly carried in their regiments. Along the route of the procession several buildings were decorated with flags and appropriate mottoes. Five stands for speakers were erected in the park and speeches were delivered by Governor Oglesby and all the members of the southern delegation. To-night there is a torch-light procession composed of bands of music, soldiers, civic societies, and citizens. A large number of buildings along the line of march are handsomely illuminated. The delegation goes hence to Springfield.

Earthquake at Paris—Turkish Victory.

NEW YORK, October 2—Advices by the City of Paris state that a slight shock of an earthquake occurred in Paris and Devonshire, England, on the 14th.

The battle in Candia was fought between thirty thousand Turkish troops and forty thousand Cretan insurgents. The battle lasted eight hours, and the former became masters of the field. The Cretans were badly armed. They lost six hundred in killed.

The King of Greece, in a speech to the ministers of foreign powers, expressed his sympathy with the christians of Turkey, and says he cannot prevent his subjects from giving them aid. The speech caused great agitation among the Greeks.

English Telegrams—Markets.
(BY CABLE.)

LONDON, October 2.—There is no general news of importance to-day.

LIVERPOOL, October 2.—Cotton market active, and prices have declined ½ penny. Sales to-day of 30,000 bales; Middling Uplands quoted at 13¼. Breadstuffs easier. Corn 27s. 6d. for western mixed.

LONDON, October 2.—Money market quiet and steady; Consols for money, 89¼. The following are the quotations for American securities: Erie, 51¼; Illinois Central, 78¼; United States 5-20s, 71¼.

The Burning of the Indiana Penitentiary.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 2, 11:35 P. M.—The entire losses by the fire at the Southern Indiana Penitentiary, at Jeffersonville, Ind., will not exceed $30,000, one-fourth whereof falls upon the State of Indiana. All the manufacturing establishments at the Penitentiary are at work to-day.

Daniel Garrard, proprietor of the only salt works in the State, died on Sunday in Clay county, Ky.

Philadelphia Politics—Great Excitement—Large Meetings.

PHILADELPHIA, October 2.—The political excitement is increasing. The Republicans had meetings to-night in the first, second and fourth districts. The Democrats had a meeting in the third district. There was a slight disturbance at the latter, and some shots were fired. A very large vote is expected at the election, there having been over sixteen thousand names added by extra assessment.

The National Express Company—Meeting in Charleston to Sustain It.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 2.—A meeting of prominent merchants was held to-night to sustain the National Express Company. Geo. A. Trenholm presided. Resolutions were adopted urging the Board of Directors to re-organize the Company on a permanent basis, and promising them the support of the Mercantile Community.

Congress Endorsed at Brooklyn.

NEW YORK, October 2.—A large and enthusiastic meeting was held in Brooklyn last night, which was addressed by General Hiram Walbridge, General Woodward and others. Resolutions were passed that the action of Congress in relation to the States lately in rebellion had conformed to the high standard of public duty, displaying moderation, a sense of justice and an intelligent consistency.

Cholera in Wilmington.

WILMINGTON, N. C., October 2.—There have been three fatal cases of cholera reported here during the past three days, all on one lot, and all negroes. No other cases are reported. Measures have been taken to prevent a spread of the disease.

Abatement of Cholera in Memphis.

MEMPHIS, Oct. 2.—Only fifteen new cases of cholera and nineteen deaths are reported to-day.

NASHVILLE, Oct. 2.—Eleven deaths from cholera occurred to-day.

GENERAL NEWS.

—The Prince of Wales is called the best deer stalker in his kingdom.

—Mark Twain tells of a member of the Washoe Legislature who used to always prop his vast feet upon his desk and get behind them and take raw turnip during prayer by the Chaplain.

—A Paris letter says the health of the Imperial Prince is not so firm as could be wished. He is singularly delicate, and this complexion gives alarm to those who remember his aunt died of consumption.

—Colonel Russell Smith, late Chief of Artillery on General Lee's staff,—(so he said)—has vamosed from the too confiding town of Marysville, much to the regret of tailors, barbers and other tradesmen.

—The copperhead newspapers are finding fault because the sessions of the Loyalist Convention at Philadelphia were opened with prayer. They are better pleased with the blasphemy of the Presidential speeches.

—Victor Hugo does a large part of his daily work before breakfast, gets up at five o'clock, and all that. He writes standing, and blots, erases, interlines, so that all his matter must be copied before it goes to the printer.

—Horrible! A Western editor thus "cusses" his opponent: "May his cow give sour milk, and his hens bad eggs; in short, may his daughter marry a one-eyed editor, his business go to ruin, and he go to—Congress."

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

(ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS ON THIRD PAGE.)

Destructive Fire on Wood Street.

Between eight and nine o'clock last evening, flames were discovered issuing from the wholesale tobacco warehouse and manufactory of W. & D. Rinehart, No's. 149 and 151 Wood street. The alarm was instantly given and the fire department were promptly on the ground, straining every nerve to stay the destruction. But all their efforts were unavailing until the upper and lower stories were entirely consumed and the property contiguous had suffered considerable damage by water. The fire is supposed to have originated in the third story where a small kiln has been built for the purpose of sweating the tobacco before making it into plugs or cigars. There had been very little fire in this kiln during the day, and the foreman of the establishment states that he covered up what there was before going home at six o'clock. Messrs. Rinehart have suffered a great deal from fire during the last five years, having been burned out no less than six times. Their loss from the conflagration of last night will amount to somewhere in the neighborhood of $30,000. We understand they are fully insured in home companies, and their real loss will, therefore, be very trifling.

Barndollar & Sulzer, tin, copper and sheet iron workers, No 153 Wood street, suffered a slight damage by the indiscriminate use of water which at times almost deluged this firm's building. They are fully insured.

Through the thoughtful exertions of John Herron, one of the detective police, the saloon of C. Kuhlman, No. 147 Wood street, was saved from destruction. When he arrived upon the ground the domestics were engaged in carrying the furniture out into the street where it was ruthlessly trampled under foot or otherwise destroyed. He immediately took possession and closing the door, refused to allow another article to leave the building until the approach of the fire necessitated their removal. By this judicious course of policy Mr. Herron saved for Mr. Kuhlman some four or five hundred dollars, for which he ought to be very grateful to him. As it is, his loss will be but a trifling amount.

The glue factory of A. Hoeveler, in Virgin alley, in the rear of Rinehart's, was damaged to the extent of one hundred dollars. No insurance.

At one time the entire block in which were situated the burning building, was in imminent danger, but owing to the zealous efforts of the firemen the flames were extinguished in the building in which they originated.

A Battle Under Ground.

A terrific uproar yesterday morning startled the people in the vicinity of Coursine's hotel, No. 3 Wood street, near Water. From the yells and oaths, and immense hubbub the neighbors were led to believe that some "big thing" in the way of bloody deeds was going on. The outside population made a rush—with due caution—for the inside of the building, but the mystery was as great there as outside. No visible cause for the unearthly turbulence could be ascertained, but the row still continued as fiercely as ever. While the people were listening and wondering officers Moon, Wrigley and Cupples, of the Mayor's police, arrived and soon traced the disturbance to the cellar. There they found two men stripped to the buff, and fighting with such energy as might be expected of men who had reached somewhere about the nineteenth round. They formed a frightful spectacle, each being bruised nearly to a pummice and covered with blood from waist to scalp lock. Their clothes were almost literally torn from them, and they were consequently in an exceedingly used up condition. Still they hammered and kicked and tore at each other with the pluck and endurance of the Kilkenny cats, and apparently it was only just in time to prevent a similar fate for both of them that the police arrived. When they had been separated and brought above ground the spectacle they presented was more horrible than before. The backs of both of them were almost wholly flayed, great patches of skin being torn off at the [illegible] surface. Their noses were respectively mashed, their cheeks puffed out, their eyes half shut and beautifully blacked, and their whole physique [illegible]. Upon inquiry for identification the belligerents were ascertained to be John Coursine, the proprietor of the doggery, and John Flaherty, a customer. Coursine alleged that Flaherty came there drunk and insulted some "ladies" who were in the house. Inquiry revealed the fact, however, that the "ladies" mentioned were nothing of the kind, and claimed no cause of grievance towards Flaherty. It is more probable that the fight was purely the result of old Adam and bad whisky. The parties were removed to the lock-up and will be duly attended to this morning.

Large Meeting in Upper St. Clair Township.

An exceedingly large and spirited meeting of Republicans was held yesterday afternoon at Woodville, Upper St. Clair township. Delegations were present in large force from Temperanceville, Union township, Mansfield, Scott township, South Fayette, and Upper St. Clair township. It was estimated that over two thousand five hundred people were present in the village.

A procession, bearing an abundance of appropriate and telling mottoes, devices and sentiments mustered before the meeting, and marched through the streets of the town, under the direction of the Chief Marshal, Dr. Wm. J. Gilmore. The procession was a fine success, and extended over a mile and a half on the turnpike.

The meeting was organized by electing Rev. C. J. Braddock, President; Jacob Jordan, Jesse Connor, Daniel Hoffman, M. B. Brown, Capt. B. Young, Joseph Miller, and Col. Wm. Espy, Vice Presidents; and Russell Errett, Thomas Gamble, Elliott McBride, J. G. Murray and Isaac Walker, Secretaries.

After the organization the meeting was addressed at length by W. C. Moreland, Esq., John Dalzell, Esq., General J. K. Moorhead, General F. H. Collier and Colonel Thomas M. Bayne. The reputation of these gentlemen as able, eloquent and popular orators, renders it entirely unnecessary for us to say that they presented the great issues now at stake in the clearest and ablest manner. We think the dullest intellect, after listening to the convincing arguments and the persuasive eloquence of the gentlemen named, could scarcely escape a clear perception of matters connected with the present campaign.

The speakers were repeatedly greeted with enthusiastic cheers, which testified that they spoke to hearts which could appreciate and understand, and who were bound to perceive and welcome the truth.

At a late hour the meeting dispersed with repeated cheers for the loyal standard bearers, and the principles they represent. The demonstration will show a very appreciable result on Tuesday next.

English Opera.

Richings English Opera Troupe appeared for the second time last night, at the new Opera House, in the "Doctor of Alancantara." The house was crowded last evening by a very select audience, consisting of the very *elite* of the city, who by rapturous applause frequently testified their appreciation of the performance. The success of the new troupe has been very great, and those who are fond of good vocalism and can appreciate a meritorious piece, speak in the most glowing language of the new company's various excellencies. The singing of Miss Caroline Richings and the duett between Mr. and Miss Zelda Harrison was very fine, and so favorably were their efforts received that they were forced to repeat their pieces several times during the evening. This evening, that exquisite opera entitled "The Bohemian Girl," will be produced with the full strength of the company. From what we have seen since the advent of the Richings Troupe among us, we are free to say that its success has been almost without parallel.

Too Officious.

Industry is a capital thing, and most people like to have it exercised in their behalf if properly directed. When, however, a woman goes into an office where she is a perfect stranger, and carries her womanly instinct to "clean house" to excess, the matter of industry ceases to be entertaining. Such an excess of zeal was manifested yesterday by Lizzie Jackson, at the office of Mr. H. C. Lippincott, on First street. Lizzie went there drunk—very drunk—and took possession of the office during the momentary absence of the proprietor. When he came back, he discovered that Lizzie had deliberately gone to work and had sprinkled the floor all over with dirty water, preparatory, as appeared, to a general cleaning up. Before the general cleaning occurred, officer Busha, had arrested the too zealous house wife, and had marched her off to the lock-up.

Identified.—We made mention yesterday of the case of Louisa Miller, committed to jail for the larceny of a quantity of clothing from her mistress, Mrs. Liscomb. Yesterday it was ascertained that she was the same who stole the clothing, not long since, from Mary Moriber, on Locust street, Allegheny. So Louisa will have two scrapes to settle, instead of one.

Villainous Nuisance.—We have been called upon by a number of business men on Fifth street to call the attention of the Board of Health or the Sanitary Committee to the intolerable nuisance existing on Fifth street, in the alley adjoining the Postoffice. The stench arising from it is enough to create an epidemic.

Concerts.—Our readers will be very glad to learn that for three nights next week, commencing with Monday evening, Max Strakosch's great musical alliance, comprising a number of first class *artistes*, will regale the public with their delightful concerts at Masonic Hall. A rich treat may be expected.

Thanks.—We desire to return our thanks to Sheriff Boyd, Mrs. McClelland of the McClelland House, and to Miss Emma Page, the expert and lady-like telegraph operator at Uniontown, for courtesies received from them while we were in that place attending the execution of Thairwell.

Horse Race.—A race between a brown horse, Jeff, of Pottstown, and a sorrel pony from Princetown, for a purse of $1,000, was announced to come off at Amityville, Bucks county, Tuesday, October 2d.

Chestnuts Selling.—Chestnuts at thirty cents a quart have appeared in the Reading markets.

Criminal Court.

Yesterday morning at nine o'clock Court opened with Judges Mellon and Brown on the bench.

The Jury in the case of Catharine Lablasterie, returned a verdict of not guilty and ordered each party to pay half the costs.

The case of Clay Crider, indicted for bigamy, was then taken up. Crider, it will be remembered, was employed as driver at Jackman's Livery Stable. A wealthy young widow named Barnes, whose husband had lately died and left her quite a fortune, resorted to carriage riding to pass away the time. Crider was always sent to drive Mrs. Barnes around, and became enamored of the fair widow, and in due season the twain were made one. Subsequently it was ascertained that Crider had a wife and child living in Gettysburg, and an information for bigamy was lodged against him. He managed to keep out of the way for a time, but was at length apprehended and lodged in jail. The jury, after an absence of some five hours, returned to Court unable to agree. They had found the prisoner not guilty, but could not decide where to bestow the costs. With some good advice from the Court, they were sent out again.

The defendant was then tried on an indictment for adultery, preferred against him by Mrs. Barnes, prosecutrix in the above case, she alleging that the accused had a wife living in Gettysburg at the time of the marriage between them. The charge was not sustained, and the jury, after a short absence, returned a verdict of "not guilty," and the prosecutrix to pay the costs.

John O'Conner was next arraigned on an indictment for assault and battery. The jury returned a verdict of guilty, and the prisoner was remanded for sentence.

The case next tried was that of Christopher Tippman, for aggravated assault and battery, on oath of his wife. Christopher, it appears, while in an intoxicated condition, attacked and abused his wife in such a manner that her life was despaired of. The accused plead guilty to assault and battery, and was remanded for sentence.

A larceny case was next tried—that of Jane Sproul, a vagrant. It appears that the defendant entered the dry goods store of J. G. McConnell, on Market street, and desired to see a few different patterns of calico. While one of the clerks had his back to her, Jane endeavored to conceal a web of calico, valued at five dollars, under a black sacque which she wore, but she was detected in the act by officer Cupples, of the Mayor's police, who was standing at the door watching her manœuvres. The officer conveyed her to the lock-up, where she was afterwards committed for trial. The jury found a verdict of guilty, and the prisoner was sentenced to undergo an imprisonment in the county jail.

The next case was that of Michael Dunn, indicted for the larceny of a pair of pants from a negro named Yates. A verdict of not guilty was rendered and the prisoner was discharged.

John McGeiger was next placed on trial for an attempt at buggery; Henry Hess, of Allegheny, appearing as prosecuting witness. The jury found the prisoner guilty of a disgraceful attempt, and he was remanded for sentence.

Wm. Simpson, a tavern keeper, of the Tenth ward, was arraigned on three charges of selling liquor without a license. It was stated that the accused had a license for selling liquor in the Fourth ward, but during the early part of the summer his house was destroyed by fire, he removed to the Tenth ward and continued to sell liquor during the months of June, July and August, without obtaining another license. A verdict had not been returned up to the hour of adjournment.

Great Rally at Lawrenceville.

On Monday evening a large and exceedingly spirited meeting of Republicans was held in Lawrenceville. A large procession of Boys in Blue paraded the streets of the Borough until eight o'clock, when they marched to the place of meeting. An organization was effected by the election of the following officers:

President—General A. L. Pearson.

Vice Presidents—Edmund Wilkins, Samuel M. Kier, Dr. James Robinson, Dr. C. W. Boutwenger, Samuel McMahon, Alexander McClintock.

Secretaries—C. C. Ornsburgh, Edward Pearson, Joseph Craft.

The Hon. John M. Kirkpatrick, ex-District Attorney of Allegheny county, was introduced as the first speaker, and received a warm and cheering greeting. He addressed the meeting very briefly, for the reason that he had still another assemblage to address before he retired; but his remarks were apt and eloquent, and created a decided enthusiasm.

William C. Moreland, Esq., of Pittsburgh, was next introduced and received with loud cheers, which having subsided, he said that he regretted that the people of this country were not a unit on the great public questions of the day. We were now to decide for ourselves which of the two political parties were right. The speaker then proceeded at length to place before his audience the questions at issue, and to appeal to them in the most eloquent manner to choose the right side of the mighty conflict.

The Hon. James Kennedy Moorhead, our representative in Congress and candidate for re-election, was then introduced and briefly responded to the call which was made for his appearance on the stand. His reception was exceedingly flattering, and after the enthusiasm was subdued a little, he proceeded to address the people at considerable length with all his accustomed force and clearness.

Hon. Thomas J. Bigham was next introduced and briefly addressed the meeting. Senator Bigham urged the loyal men of Lawrenceville to put forth every effort between the present time and the day of election.

Several other speakers followed in brief remarks, and the entire course of the meeting was enlivened by several songs from Prof. W. J. Pope, the popular campaign singer. At a late hour the meeting adjourned with hearty and repeated cheers for the Republican candidates and the principles on which they stand.

Probably Fatal Fall.

A stone mason named John Peters, met with an accident yesterday, that may probably terminate fatally for him. It seems that Mr. Peters, who is a contractor, was engaged at work on the new First Baptist Church edifice now under course of erection on Fourth street, between Grant and Ross streets. The church is being built entirely of stone, and a temporary scaffold has been erected for the purpose of putting on the steeple. Mr. Peters was on this scaffolding, and in some manner became unbalanced and fell a distance of at least fifty feet, among pieces of stone, &c., his head striking the ground first. He was taken up in an insensible condition, removed to a house opposite the church and medical aid procured. On examination it was ascertained that he had sustained severe contusions on the head, besides being bruised all over his body. He was removed to his home in Allegheny, and received the most careful medical attendance. It is possible that he may recover, though it is considered doubtful.

When first taken up he was conveyed, at the request of the lady, to the residence of Mrs. Minis, opposite the scene of the accident, and there received every possible attention. Mr. Donnelly was summoned immediately after the accident, and rendered every attention.

Death of an Old Citizen.

On Monday morning Francis Plunkett, Esq., an old resident of East Birmingham, died at his residence in that borough. The deceased, early in life, was a glassblower, and worked for M'Cully & Lorenz, in West Pittsburgh, known as Sligo. At length he removed to Wheeling, and engaged in the flint glass business under the firm of Plunkett & Ensel. They were the pioneers of the business in that city. Thence in later years he came to Pittsburgh, and was successfully connected with the firm of Young, Ihmsen, & Plunkett; Wolf, Plunkett & Co., and Plunkett & Co., all engaged in the glass business. He was connected with the latter firm at the time of his decease. His father was an early settler in Western Pennsylvania, and for years taught school in this vicinity. By his death a vacancy is made in the business circles of our city, which will be difficult to fill. His funeral will take place to-day.

Connubial Reconstruction.

On Monday a woman named Hannah M. Corbin made information before Alderman Donaldson, charging her husband with desertion. The parties are residents of Greensburg, and it appears, according to Mrs. C.'s statement, that he had left with Howe's Circus, which had been performing at that place, without providing for her. Hence the suit. A warrant was put in the hands of Officer Barber, who proceeded to Greensburg in search of Corbin. He found him after considerable trouble, and brought him to this city, where he had a hearing yesterday afternoon. The recreant husband professed the greatest contrition, and the wife, we suppose, thought that he was better than no husband at all, so the suit was withdrawn, after it had progressed some time. There were no costs in the case for the same reason that some men don't return a large income—want of money.

Sudden Death in Allegheny.

On Saturday evening a widow lady, Mrs. Charles, residing on Rebecca street, in Allegheny, died sudden at her residence of paralysis. The deceased had been enjoying comparatively good health up until within a very few hours of her demise. At the supper table she complained of a very acute pain in the head, and called one of her daughters to press her forehead to mitigate the pain. The symptoms of the fatal malady increased, and the family became alarmed, and medical assistance was procured immediately, but of no avail, death ensuing in a few hours thereafter. The deceased was upwards of seventy years of age, and leaves a very large circle of relatives and warm friends to mourn her loss.

Heavy Fire at Altoona.—On Monday evening a very heavy fire, involving the destruction of fifteen cars loaded with oil, occurred about two miles this side of Altoona, on the Pennsylvania Central Railroad. We have been unable to ascertain how the fire originated, or the amount of loss, but it must have been exceedingly heavy. The heat was so intense that the ties were burned for a considerable distance, and the rails warped, impairing the track to such an extent as to delay all the trains for four or five hours.

Call Received.—The Rev. Mr. Schmidt, of Lebanon, Pa., has received an unanimous call to accept the position of pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church of Reading, made vacant by the resignation of the Rev. N. Valentine. No answer from the reverend gentleman has as yet been received.

The Coming Billiard Match.—We are informed that on Thursday a billiard match for the championship of Western Pennsylvania and a purse of $500, between John Wilson and James Simpson, comes on in this city.

The Thairwell Execution—The Burial.

After the telegraphic report of the execution of Richard Thairwell, at Uniontown, had been forwarded by our reporter there, the body of him, who had just expiated his life on the gibbet, was removed to the poor-house grounds for interment. The grave for its reception had been dug, and the coffin was about to be lowered into it, when Mrs. Hubbard, of Brownsville arrived with an order from Sheriff Boyd allowing her to take possession of the corpse and make such disposition of it as she thought proper. After some time a wagon was procured from Mr. Thorndell, of Uniontown, in which the coffin was placed—Mrs. Hubbard, her husband, and several young men taking seats along side of it in the vehicle—and just as the shades of night came down upon the town, that solitary wagon started on a journey of twelve miles to Brownsville.

As it passed slowly through the street leading to the old national road, groups of men, women and children stood upon the sidewalk or in their doorways, and in respectful silence saw it disappear among the shadows of the trees. It was almost midnight when the remains reached Brownsville, yet many people were yet in the streets, anticipating their arrival. The body was removed to Mr. Hubbard's residence, where it remained until yesterday at three o'clock, when a grave was dug within a few feet of the Monongahela river, in the yard surrounding Mr. Hubbard's house, and with due solemnity, all that remained of what was once Richard Thairwell, was consigned to its last resting place.

Johnson Meeting at Connellsville.

The Johnsonites of Fayette county had a grand demonstration at Connellsville yesterday. A rattling drum and a cracked fife made the air vocal with terrible sounds, while the shouts of some thirty-five dirty faced urchins made all the little enthusiasm noticeable. The meeting, in point of number, was, in fact, a failure, there being not more than two hundred persons present, including men, women and the urchins before alluded to. Speeches were made by several local notorieties, the beginning and end of which was a tirade of abuse on the unfortunate descendants of Ham. From the feeling manifested in Fayette county we are prepared to believe that John Covode will represent the twenty-fourth district in the Fiftieth Congress.

Almost an Accident.—Yesterday afternoon, as the large pole for the fire alarm telegraph, at the corner of Smithfield and Fourth streets, was being erected to its proper position, it slipped and fell. Fortunately, the foot of the pole was in the hole prepared for it, and the earth was solid enough not to give way, so the heavy timber did not fall quite to the ground, though it fell within a few feet of it. Had it fallen entirely down, it would inevitably have crushed a man who was directly in its range on a passing wagon. Fortunately no one whatever was hurt.

Testimonial.—Yesterday, in a burst of generous enthusiasm, some of the passengers on the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, presented six beautiful pocket-knives, procured from the Pittsburgh Cutlery Company, to the baggage masters and conductors of the road. The knives were beautiful instruments, having pearl handles and five blades each. On one side of each handle was engraved the name of the recipient, and on the other the source from which the present came.

Able to Prosecute.—Ellis Sharpneck, the man who was shot by John Lupe in Mansfield, several months ago, has recovered from his injuries sufficiently to be able to appear against Lupe. He has arrived in town, and the case will probably be up for trial during the present week.

Singular.—A pear tree, on the premises of a citizen of Middletown, seemingly died last summer, and gave no evidence of life until a week or two ago. Now it is in full bloom and apparently in a thriving condition. This is, indeed, a singular case.

Attention.—The Tenth ward Union Republican Geary Club and Boys in Blue, will meet at seven o'clock this evening at Bayne & Shafer's office, to transact important business. A full attendance is expected.

Fourth Ward, Allegheny, Boys in Blue.—There will be a meeting this evening of the Boys in Blue of the Fourth Ward, Allegheny, at Moul's Hall, on Chestnut street. Punctual attendance is requested.

Discharged.—The Grand Jury has concluded its labors and been discharged by the court. No presentment was made.

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