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A WORTHY CANDIDATE.

The loyal voters of the Commonwealth ask no higher tribute to the worth and character of Judge Williams than the following neat compliment paid him by the only daily Democratic paper of Western Pennsylvania the day following his nomination. It said:

"The nomination of the Hon. Henry W. Williams as a candidate for Judge of the Supreme Court is a good one. He was the best man named before the Republican Convention, and possesses legal and moral qualifications for the responsible position to which he has been nominated. Both parties have now presented their candidates. An important duty has been faithfully discharged by the respective conventions. The campaign may now be conducted *without personal aspersions*, and decided upon the principles of the two great parties. This is as it should be. It is an auspicious sign of the times, and if the county conventions are equally fortunate in the selection of legislative candidates, there will be a stop put to the deplorable corruption at the seat of government under a new reign of honest men and conscientious legislators.—*Pittsburgh Post, June 28th, 1867.*"

The *Post*, in referring to the above, on the 20th of August, was pleased to say:

"We have nothing to take back or modify. Of Judge Williams' private or legal reputation we have nothing but words of praise, and however it may suit some pugnacious and heady politicians, we cannot bring ourselves to view personal assaults as either wise or politic."

THE New York *Tribune* was recently subject to pretty sharp discipline for finding fault with the Republicans of Pennsylvania because they held Judge SHARSWOOD to account for his political affinities. That discipline, though for the time not joyous, but rather grievous, has wrought out the desired fruit of [illegible]. It now says:

"Ordinarily, it would be a matter of small consequence whether a Republican or a Democrat should be chosen to the bench of the Supreme Court, but in the present instance the case is vitally important. Judge Sharswood is the standard-bearer of a principle, and that principle inspires the foes of speedy and just reconstruction. His triumph would be that of the party which opposed the war, and has since labored to pervert its natural results. His election would be a Copperhead victory."

On the heel of this amendment we do not like to be captious; but we cannot help suggesting to writers on the editorial columns of our metropolitan contemporary that a valuable annual is published in New York, known as the "Tribune Almanac." If they will only consult it when discoursing upon candidates and election returns in this Commonwealth, they will avoid a reputation for [illegible] and stupid blundering while assuming an air of the nicest definiteness. Last year in the Luzerne and Susquehanna District, Mr. W. W. KETCHUM was not the Republican candidate for Congress, but Mr. JAMES ARCHBALD was. This is a small matter; but, of late, the *Tribune* seldom avoids blundering in this way. It is fast losing its character for exactness of political knowledge.

[illegible] to justify his refusal to attack the enemy, by advancing the testimony of some rebel General to show that he was prepared for any movement that might have been made. This will not cover the case, even admitting the statement to be true. Porter did not disobey orders in consequence of what he knew of the position and force of the enemy. He made no such argument on his trial. If he had knowledge that made the execution of orders sent him impolitic, he should promptly have sent the information to his superior. The truth is, Porter did not act upon such knowledge. At best, he has discovered, at this late day, a condition of affairs that synchronizes with his fault, and seeks to plead it as an excuse. Even the existence of the fact he alleges could not exculpate him. We do not believe any such fact existed.

THE DEMOCRATS find it convenient to have short memories. Professing to be filled with alarm at the increase of taxation in this country, they altogether ignore the fact that their own conduct led to the war and all the burdens it imposes.

Every State that went into the Rebellion was a Democratic State. In so going they yielded to the natural tendency of the Democratic party.

All the men at the North who sustained, or sympathized with the Rebellion were Democrats, inspired thereto by the doctrines of the party.

If there had been no Rebellion there would be no taxation. If there had been no taxation the Rebellion would not have been put down.

No wonder the Democrats are sensitive on the subject of taxation.

GARIBALDI has not renounced his intentions on Rome, and if cable rumor can be relied upon, to-morrow will prove an eventful day to the city on seven hills, as it has been designated for the long threatened attack of the revolutionists. It is not improbable that the movement will be made, but France will hardly look calmly on as a disinterested spectator. A large body of French troops are stationed at Toulon, and it may be safely conjectured that they will be thrown towards Rome to defeat the prospects of Garibaldi, just as victory seems within his grasp, unless, indeed, he is sufficiently strong to cope with all comers.

THE PRESIDENT begins to comprehend that the District Commanders are actually under an authority superior to his, and that is the authority of the laws; and that, for him to intermeddle with them in the performance of that duty would [illegible]. It may be taken, at least, as evidence of alarm on his part, that he now confesses his prerogatives to be limited, and that the laws set up barriers he may not pass.

[illegible] to the sentiment of the entire people, the notorious Dr. Blackburn, the villain who endeavored to introduce the yellow fever into the North during the rebellion, has found pardon under the Amnesty Proclamation, and is now on his way to New Orleans, where he will practice medicine, and probably will be lionized by those who opposed Sheridan.

THE Agricultural Fair will doubtless attract large numbers of strangers to the city during next week, retailers and others might possibly find a free use of the advertising columns of the GAZETTE of benefit to them.

IT WILL be observed by our telegrams that the first annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, of Pennsylvania, will be held in this city.

THE New York *Times* was just "sweet sixteen" on Thursday last. For that age it is right smart, although a little wild and giddy sometimes.

FIRST EDITION.

MIDNIGHT.

WASHINGTON CITY.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20, 1867.

THE PRESIDENT ON THE SITUATION.

The New York *Times'* special says: As an indication of the President's latest temper on the situation of reconstruction affairs, witness the following abstract of his views, as recently expressed in conversation with certain politicians who called upon him for the purpose of urging him to re-open registration in the South: He informed them that he could not do so without incurring a certain risk of impeachment, and admitted that the reconstruction laws confer on the District Military Commanders sole control over registration. His only power of interference was the removal of commanders when they failed to execute the laws in accordance with the views of their legal construction. He admitted that the District Commanders are acting under direct authority of Congress in the performance of a civil duty, and that if he should attempt to assume power as Commander-in-Chief to control the time of registration and holding elections, they would have the right to refuse to obey his orders, and they would not be amenable to punishment for military insubordination if they did so. He stated that the recent promulgation of the Amnesty Proclamation threw upon Congress the onus of depriving legally qualified voters from registry and voting. He hoped that the Southern people would appreciate it in that light. If any of the pardoned masses, he continued, attempt to register and are refused, the Courts are open to them, and they can compel the military to allow them to register through the Courts. If they do not do so, he concluded the fault of their disfranchisement is with Congress, as he claimed that he had done all that he could do to restore them to their right.

CONSERVATIVE-DEMOCRATIC CALL.

A great Conservative-Democratic mass meeting for Washington and the surrounding country in Maryland, is called, to be held at Bladensburg, on Saturday next. Reverdy Johnson, Jerry Black, Montgomery Blair, and others, are announced to speak.

WAR OFFICE AND GEN. M'CLELLAN.

It has transpired that President Johnson, immediately subsequent to the removal of Secretary Stanton, tendered the War Office to General McClellan, and that the offer was promptly refused by that gentleman. In this connection it will be interesting to know that the efforts to obtain the appointment of General Steedman have not yet been abandoned, although the premature publication of Mr. Greeley's letter recommending him for the office has blocked the game, as it was intended to be used only for the purpose of influencing the Senate when the nomination was sent to it for confirmation.

STILL "CUTTING DOWN" EXPENSES.

General Grant enforces economy in the expenditures of his department with vigorous hand. He has recently ordered the members of his staff to turn in all the public property around headquarters—horses, wagons, etc.—and the staff gentlemen who have always been very circumspect and modest in matters of military display are now cut off from Government transportation as effectually as any private gentleman.

SICKLES AND HANCOCK.

Major General Sickles this morning had an interview with Gen. Grant. Gen. Hancock will leave Washington in a few days for St. Louis, but will not for some weeks proceed to New Orleans.

TOKEN OF RESPECT.

The flags of all the public buildings are at half mast, as a token of respect to the memory of Sir Frederick Bruce.

THE TREASURY.

The Treasury receipts since the 1st inst. from customs was $10,084,000 coin, and from internal revenue, $9,700,000 in currency. Amount of gold in the Treasury, $99,697,000; gold certificates, $16,598,000.

DISORDER IN THE CITY.

General Emory has issued a circular calling upon regimental and company officers to use the utmost vigilance to guard against a recurrence of the rowdyism and disorder of the past few days, which resulted in two cases of unprovoked murder. They are to prosecute all persons selling liquor to soldiers under the prohibitory law of 1861.

CONVENTION OF EX-ARMY OFFICERS.

Dispatches from Richmond state preparations are being made for the Convention of ex-United States Officers and Soldiers, to be held on the 25th inst. Letters have been received by the Executive Committee from all portions of the State and the prospect is there will be a full Convention.

ARRIVAL OF SHERIDAN.

General Sheridan arrived this evening.

PANAMA, SOUTH AMERICA AND AUSTRALIA.

Steamer from Aspinwall—Panama Railroad Charter—Isthmus Annexation Canard—Acosta Government Recognized by the Merchants—Mosquera Still in Prison—Revolutions Reported in Ecuador and Peru—Affairs in Chili, &c., &c.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—The steamer Arizona, from Aspinwall, brings one million three hundred and fifty thousand dollars in California treasure. Gen. Totten is a passenger. He brings the new Panama Railroad contract extending the charter ninety-nine years.

Panama dates are to the 13th. A letter has been published at Panama from V. A. Burton, late Minister to Colombia, denying the allegations that he endeavored to effect a treaty annexing the Isthmus to the United States.

The Panama legislature is in session.

The Acosta government was fully recognized by the merchants at a mass meeting in Bogota.

Mosquera is still a prisoner.

An insurrection at Boyacan was suppressed.

Lopez has given his adhesion to the government.

Herara had been defeated and was fleeing.

Regular peace now reigns throughout the interior.

Julius Kroehl, late engineer of the American navy, died at Panama on the 9th, where he was engaged in the construction of pearl diving machinery.

Two Americans were killed and one badly wounded in Carthagena by soldiers.

A revolution in the neighborhood of Barbadoes was suppressed and two hundred arrests made.

A party of Ecuadorians were reported to have captured the seaport town of Tumacoe and were levying contributions. They are supposed to be operating in conjunction with revolutionists in the interior.

The steamer China left Panama on the 4th for San Francisco.

Bills were before the Chilian Congress for the abolition of capital punishment and imprisonment for debt. The bill for sending an Envoy to Mexico passed. The Chilian army has been reduced to almost a peace footing. There was no expectation of the return of the Spanish fleet.

A revolutionary scheme in Peru was suppressed. The intention of the conspirators was to assassinate Prado and proclaim Canseco President. Prado was to be declared constitutional President. The Constitution was to be published this month. The organic laws will be given within sixty days and Congress dissolved.

The steamers Mayores and Aurora, bought in the United States for the Peruvian Government, were abandoned as useless.

Australian news to August 1st was received via Panama. A suitable reception was to be given Prince Alfred. The country districts were recovering from the effects of the late floods. Two pilots and three of their crews were drowned in an attempt to board a ship during a gale. Gen. Latham, the new American Consul, had entered on his duties at Melbourne.

Heavy gales on the New Zealand coast had done damage to the amount of sixty thousand pounds.

NEW YORK.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, September 20, 1867.

CIGAR SMUGGLERS.

Henry Hart and J. McCormick have been arrested, charged, with four others, with smuggling $60,000 worth of cigars, and held to bail in $150,000.

THE WHISKEY FRAUDS.

The principal owners of the Kentucky Bourbon establishment, were before Commissioner White to-day, charged by Collector Bailey with defrauding the Revenue, by carrying on the rectifying business without license, using spurious brands, removing liquors without inspection, &c. Their names are C. H. Sanborn, D. Messmore, A. H. Milly and T. J. Pinkham. They were held in $7,000 each. In turn they have commenced two suits against Collector Bailey, in the Superior Court, and he is held to bail respectively in 80,000 and 40,000 dollars. Messmore is a brother of Assessor Messmore, of the Metropolitan Board of Revenue. Over a million is involved in these cases.

ARRIVAL OF VESSELS.

The Austrian sloop of war Empress Elizabeth arrived to-day from Havana. The steamship North American arrived from Rio Janeiro, August 23, Para September 7, and St. Thomas 13th.

At Para great preparations were being made to celebrate the opening of the Amazon river on the 7th inst.

The United States steamers Guerriere, Pawnee and Kansas are at Rio, all well.

HOBOKEN RACES.

The steeple chase was won by General Williams beating Zigzag and Oakland. In the hurdle race Rayleigh beat [illegible]. Mile heats; time 2:11¼ and 2:11. $400 purse. Jubal beat Oakland, Susie M. and Passaic, in a mile and a half race; time, 2:51. For the $2,000 purse, one mile, Clement beat Susie M.; time, 1:52. For the post stake purse, two mile heats, James Connolly beat Morrissey; time, 3:43 and 3:42¼.

ODD FELLOWSHIP.

The Grand Lodge of Odd-Fellows to-day granted leave to the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania to hold their next annual meeting at Pittsburgh. The Grand Sire in granting warrants to Colorado encampment No. 1, and other lodges and encampments in Colorado and Montana, was approved.

WHISKEY EXPLOSION.

An explosion of whiskey this morning was caused by the burning of Roser's distillery, Navy street, Brooklyn. Two men were badly burned.

BANK TROUBLE—CASHIER MISSING.

Reports are circulating here of trouble at the Stonington Bank, Connecticut, and the cashier is said to be missing.

THE CINCINNATI EXCURSIONISTS

Left last night for Albany.

FROM THE PACIFIC.

Hong Kong-Shanghai Telegraph—Recent Tragedy at Jeddo—Deaths from Hydrophobia—Chinese Affairs—Arrival of the Colorado from Yokohama.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—The China Overland Mail denies the report that the Hong Kong-Shanghai Telegraph scheme will be abandoned. On the contrary material is on the way for its construction forthwith, and some of it already received.

The Hong Kong inquest concerning the Jeddo tragedy resulted in several of the Chinese being held for wilful murder and handed over to the Portuguese Consul.

The Agamemnon is undergoing repairs in dock.

Two Europeans died at Shanghai from hydrophobia. All unmuzzled dogs were being shot.

The Hankow Chamber of Commerce discussed the project of insisting upon cash payments from the Chinese, but abandoned it as having a tendency to throw business into the hands of native merchants.

The opium hulk John Adams was sold to the British Government for $7,500, to be used as quarters for the water police at Hong Kong.

The news from China and Japan is generally unimportant. The North China *Herald* gives an account of the cruise of the Shenandoah in search of a suitable port for an American establishment on the west coast of Japan. General Van Valkenburg accompanied Commodore Goldsborough. The cruise extended from July 12th to the 24th. Numerous places were visited, having from three to thirty-five thousand inhabitants. The people everywhere were very friendly; sometimes timid. What will be the result of the expedition is not stated, except that the point designated in the treaty was not adopted.

The foreign commerce bark Milan cleared from San Francisco to-day for Sitka, with a cargo of building material for the Government.

The overland mail last night brought dates from New York to August 28th.

The *Bulletin* has advices from Chili that J. L. Whitmore and Harry Meiggs have a contract with a French company for six millions of dollars to remove immense deposits of guano from Megellan's Point, held jointly by Bolivia and Chili.

Mining shares continue to droop; Alpha, 450; Crown Point, 770; Gould & Curry, 330; Hale & Norcross, 1160; Yellow Jacket, 807; Chollar Potosi, 331. Legal Tenders, 69¾@70.

The Pacific mail steamer Colorado arrived from Yokohama and Hong Kong this morning, six days sooner than was expected. She found the Costa Rica at Yokohama July 27th; reached Hong Kong August 5th; had three deaths among the Chinese steerage passengers; returning, left Hong Kong August 15th, reached Yokohama 21st, and left on the 24th for this port. She brings three hundred and sixty-two passengers and eleven hundred and forty tons of merchandise. She had moderate weather and good health. Twenty-nine of the passengers were Japanese, two hundred and sixty-nine Chinese—fifty-five bound for New York.

The United States steamer Shubrick went ashore on the 8th inst., in a fog, thirty miles below Cape Mendocino. The ship was returning from a trip to convey lighthouse material. It is not known whether she can be saved.

The Yokohama *Herald* reports frequent murders in Nagasaki and the existence of much apprehension in consequence.

[illegible] was arrested by the great annual holiday of the Japanese. The fete of Napoleon was celebrated at Yokohama with great eclat, all foreign nationalities participating.

Tea quoted at $21@33 per picul. Silk depressed fully $20@30.

The *Herald* declares that the proposition to recall the British troops from Japan unwise. Their presence prevents violence against foreigners.

AFFAIRS IN CHINA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 16.—The following dispatch from Shanghai, dated August 18, was delayed at the post office in this city by a clerical error:

The continued drought in China is ascribed by the anti-foreign party as a visitation by the proposal of the Tsung Li Yamen to employ foreign instructors in astronomy and mathematics. The Emperor received numerous petitions to prohibit such innovation of the ancient customs. Prince Kung, regent, is abused, and offers his resignation, which was not accepted. One million taels are to be raised by taxation or levy to supply the army of North China, and relieve the sufferers from the drought. [illegible] Chefoo, six hundred miles from Shanghai. Great fear is still entertained [illegible]. He has taken refuge on the English gunboat. One good result is that he shows his gratitude by allowing scientific men to examine the coal mines forty miles from Chefoo, which will probably lead to the first railroad in China.

The Mahommedan rebels in Yunnan carry everything before them. They have declared for the Emperor.

The British Minister returned from a tour of the ports. At almost all he found infractions of the Treaty. At Amoy liberty to sixty per cent was charged on foreign goods in transit to the interior, while the treaty allows only five per cent.

The Hong Kong Chamber of Commerce favor the revision of the treaty next year and of reduction of the duty to 2½ per cent. When the treaty is revised, the powers concerned will insist upon having railroads and telegraphs allowed.

The great tea failure of the English house of Mackellan & Co. caused great excitement at Hankow among the native traders. A mob of eighty attacked the British Consul while holding court, and kicked and bruised him. No man-of-war was in port. The Chinese attempted to plunder the storehouses. The Americans think the United States should have a gunboat on the Yangtze Kiang at once, to protect the river, as large interests are at stake. At Hankow the imports by American steamers for the current season ending June 4th were one million dollars.

The Yellow river was very high again, and the country flooded for miles.

The American squadron now in China and Japan waters consists of six vessels, besides the supply ship. France is withdrawing her fleet from Chinese waters, while England and the United States are increasing theirs.

THE CALIFORNIA ELECTION.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 19.—The returns from forty-eight counties, partly official, give Haight 41,300; Gorham, 35,740; Fay, 1,554. The returns of the vote for Congressmen have been received from a few outside counties. It will not be known fully for several days, but it is certain only one Union candidate (Higby) is elected. The Union majority in the Senate is now positively known to be four, enough to prevent a repeal of the registry law, or division of the school fund, which is favored by a large portion of the Democratic party.

The advance in flour is twenty cents per barrel, making outside rates $5.75@6.75. Wheat $2.00@2.05 per cwt; a disposition to hold is apparent among the farmers, a large hole having been made in the crop by the export demand which still continues.

The Irish organ of California opposes further levies for raids on Canada or insurrections in Ireland, and thinks the present time not favorable for Fenian objects.

The internal revenue collections of San Francisco for the month of August were $347,000. Treasure receipts, domestic sources $4,506,000.

Arrived: French Transport Dorane, Tahiti, second trip for the Government Mails, Robin Hood, New York, Ellen Sears, Baltimore. Cleared: Enoch Train, Liverpool, with over fifty thousand sacks of wheat.

Sandwich Islands dates to August 24th state that anxiety is expressed that the Honolulu Senate will refuse to ratify the Reciprocity Treaty.

A coolie insurrection was prevented at Anomea plantation only by a display of force. Forty were arrested and fined.

Arizona advices to August 24th represent the Indians as still more troublesome. Governor McCormick writes to General McDowell imploring more troops, and stating that hostilities in the Indian Prescott District are unusually formidable and alarming, and the military force totally insufficient.

NEW ORLEANS.

Order Issued Regarding Self-exiled Rebels—Yellow Fever Interments.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 20.—Gen. Mower has issued an order similar to that of General Canby regarding Confederates self-exiled, since returned, now subject to parole.

The interments from yellow fever for the twenty-four hours to this morning, were sixty-[illegible].

Arrived from Europe.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BOSTON, Sept. 20.—The steamship Ontario arrived shortly after midnight, making the passage from Liverpool in ten days and six hours. She brought three hundred passengers and a large cargo.

—In the matter of the seizure of the whiskey establishment of the Kentucky Bourbon Company, in the Fourth District, New York City, Collector Bailey has made affidavits before United States Commissioner White, preparatory to the beginning of criminal proceedings against Daniel Messmore, Mr. Landman, and others. It is said eight thousand barrels of whiskey are subject to forfeiture.

Royal Pilching.

When poor Maximilian was yet Emperor of Mexico he gave a state dinner on one occasion, in which the gold and silver table ware which he brought with him from Miramar was put into service. All present were Mexicans, and no one present was of a lower rank than General; yet it was discovered after dinner that the guests had carried off with them—that is, stolen—a considerable proportion of the most valuable articles of table ware. "Max" said nothing, as all who sat at table professed to be his friends. This was not an astonishing incident at all in Mexico, or for Mexicans. But what will be said to a statement made by the *Court Journal* about the watching of guests at a recent high dinner in London to prevent them from appropriating the glittering temptations upon the table? It seems that at one of the great receptions to England's illustrious Mohammedan guests, where royal personages were present at table, and where gold plate was profusely displayed, a number of the waiters who were employed in attending to the tables were *detectives* in disguise. It was not the Turks who were to be watched, but the noblemen and gentlemen of England. Of course they were not aware of the fact at the time, but the *Court Journal* thinks they must feel "curious" when they learn it. We should think they would—particularly those of them who filched a spoon or two—if any of them did such a thing.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK, A. M.

FROM EUROPE.

The Fenian Demonstration at Manchester.

RESCUED PRISONERS NOT FOUND.

Government Taken by Surprise at the Movement.

FATAL RESULTS OF THE RIOT.

Party of Action and Rome.

SUNDAY FIXED AS THE TIME FOR THE MOVEMENT.

Bismarck's Note about the Salzburg Conference.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ENGLAND.

THE FENIAN RIOT IN MANCHESTER—RESCUED PRISONERS STILL AT LARGE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—A special per cable, dated Manchester this morning, says it was quiet all night, but the police have been vigilant to prevent the escape of any of the rescued prisoners, all avenues of exit are closely watched. During the night several persons supposed to be implicated in the riot were arrested, some in their beds. It was reported early this morning that Kelley was recaptured, but it lacks confirmation.

It is a matter of surprise how speedily the mob dispersed and quiet was restored after the rescue was effected. The outbreak has taken the government by surprise. A strong force is being mustered to prevent further demonstration. One wounded policeman, it is reported, died last night. It is impossible to tell how many lives were lost in the affray. Several persons badly injured, and probably dead, were carried off by the mob. It is thought the mob had friends in the jail who kept them informed of the movements of the police and prisoners.

ALL QUIET IN MANCHESTER.

MANCHESTER, Sept. 20.—Everything is quiet here. The rioters appear satisfied with their success, and there has been no more disturbances. No traces of the rescued prisoners, Kelley and Deasy, have been discovered, and it is thought they have succeeded in escaping from the city. The name of the policeman killed yesterday was Brett. Arrests continue of rioters. Among those in custody are Wm. Allen and Michael Larkin, charged with murdering Brett.

THE RESCUED PRISONERS SEEN AND AGAIN MAKE THEIR ESCAPE.

LONDON, September 20—*Evening*.—A dispatch from Bradford reports that Kelly and Deasy were seen in that city this afternoon, but the police failed to arrest them and they again disappeared.

PRUSSIA.

BISMARCK AND THE SALZBURG CONFERENCE.

LONDON, September 20.—Count Bismarck recently addressed a circular note to the diplomatic representatives of Prussia in regard to the conference of Napoleon and Francis Joseph at Salzburg. The document has just been published, and is the principal subject of an editorial discussion in the English and Continental newspapers. Bismarck says Prussia is willing to accept the representations made by France, that the conference at Salzburg should be regarded as a pledge of peace. [illegible] makes many allusions to the union of the German States. The London journals comment favorably on this note, regarding it as pacific and tranquilizing.

The French press, while it seems disposed to find little fault with what Bismarck says, condemn the circular, because in all its reference to the German unity it completely ignores the treaty of Prague, and omits all allusions to the obligation under which Prussia rests to fulfill the stipulations of that solemn compact.

FRANCE.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

PARIS, September 20.—To day the annual statement of the account of the Credit Mobilier appeared, much disquietude is apparent on the Bourse. The operations of the Credit Mobilier exercise a powerful influence upon monetary affairs in France, and anxiety to know what [illegible] its condition is correspondingly great.

IRELAND.

ANOTHER FENIAN ESCAPE.

DUBLIN, September 20.—Captain Osborne, one of the Fenian prisoners who made their escape from jail at Clonmel last night, has not been recaptured up to noon, though the jail guards started in immediate pursuit. The police are searching for him in every part surrounding where he is supposed to be still concealed.

ITALY.

GARIBALDI'S PREPARATIONS FOR THE MOVEMENT ON ROME COMPLETE.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The preparations of the party of action in Italy, in the revolutionary movement on Rome, are about complete. It is rumored that Sunday next is fixed by Garibaldi as the day upon which the long deferred attempt is to be made.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 20—*Evening*.—Cotton unchanged; sales 12,000 bales. Manchester market buoyant. Breadstuffs advanced; closing strong. Corn 41s. 3d. for new mixed Western. California Wheat 13s. 5d. Barley 5s. 5d. Oats 3s. 7d. Peas 44s. Provisions—Cheese, 53s.; Beef, 145s. 6d.; Pork, 71s.; Lard, 51s. 3d.; Bacon, 43s. 6d. Produce—Tallow, 44s. 6d. Other articles unchanged. London markets unchanged.

ANTWERP, Sept. 20.—Petroleum 53 francs.

LONDON, September 20—*Evening*.—Consols, 94 11-16; Five-Twenties, 73¼; Illinois Central, 77; Erie, 41¼.

FRANKFORT, September 20—*Evening*.—U. S. Bonds, 76¾.

GEORGIA.

Gen. Pope Orders an Election on the 29th of October—Steamboat Explosion—Difficulty with Negroes—Fatal Results.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

AUGUSTA, GA., September 20.—The *Republican* contains the order of General Pope, directing an election to be held in Georgia, commencing on Thursday 29th October, to continue three days, at which registered voters may vote for a convention or against a convention; also for delegates for said convention. In case a majority of the voters so decide, the Senatorial districts, as established by State laws, are adopted for the purpose of representation in the convention, which will consist of one hundred and sixty-nine delegates. The instructions are generally the same as issued for the election in Alabama.

COLUMBUS, GA., September 20.—The steamboat Chipola exploded her boilers eighteen miles below here yesterday. Six persons, two white, and four colored, all of them employees on the boat, were killed. The passengers were all saved, but the boat was a total loss.

SAVANNAH, Sept. 20.—Col. N. Books and overseer, Mr. Lancaster, of Camp Pickens, Charles county, Ga., had a difficulty with a negro working on the place, which resulted in the shooting of the negro in the thigh. Next day (Sunday) two armed negroes went to the house to demand satisfaction of Lancaster. Several shots were exchanged, one of the negroes killed and the other wounded. Mr. Lancaster was badly wounded and had a horse killed. Mr. Lancaster and Mr. Nugaser left on Monday for St. Mary, when an armed band of thirty negroes seized them. Nugaser escaped by swimming the river, Lancaster was left in the hands of the negroes, and it is feared they killed him.

THE INDIAN WAR.

Attack on a Railroad Camp—Six Whites Killed and Five Mortally Wounded—Murderers Arrested at Fort Harker—Union Pacific Railroad.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ELLSWORTH, KANSAS, September 20.—The camp of Thomas Parker, railroad contractor, forty-six miles above Fort Hays, was attacked by Indians yesterday at noon. Forty men were in camp at the time of the attack. Parker and six of his men were killed and five mortally wounded. Eight Indians were killed. Parker's body was pierced by fifteen bullet, lance and arrow wounds.

Previous reports of the scalping of Sharpe and Shaw are untrue, but five men of their outfit were killed on Monday.

Two brothers named Farrall were arrested at Fort Harker to-day, charged with the murder of Frank Johnson, which occurred a few days ago.

The track of the Union Pacific Railroad is rapidly progressing, and has now reached a point fifteen miles from Fort Hays.

River Items.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, September 20.—River falling.

LOUISVILLE, September 20.—River stationary with [illegible] of water in the canal.

CANADA.

Troop Ship Detained at Quarantine—Cholera on Board—Yellow Fever Blackburn Going to New Orleans.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

QUEBEC, September 20.—The steam troop ship Himalaya, from England, with the 69th troops on board, is detained at quarantine island, from the prevalence of Asiatic cholera.

TORONTO, September 20.—The celebrated Dr. Blackburn, of yellow fever notoriety, left Canada for New Orleans yesterday, having obtained such permission under the late amnesty proclamation.

MONTREAL, September 20.—The directors of the Commercial Bank of Canada have made a report recommending the redemption of stock to the amount of sixty per cent, to provide against possible losses. The business of the bank is said to be in a favorable position.

INDIANA.

Murderer Respited—Immense Crowd Assembled to Witness the Execution—Fears of Lynch Law.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 20.—White, convicted of murder, sentenced to be hung at Anderson, Ind., to-day, has been respited by the Governor until the second week in October.

An immense crowd from all parts of the county was gathered at Anderson. The feeling of hatred against the murderer is so intense that it is feared White will be taken from jail and hung. The streets surrounding the jail are blocked by the crowd, who are clamorous for the execution.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 20.—The excitement at Anderson, Ind., in regard to the execution of Milton White, has subsided, and the crowd dispersed quietly.

RICHMOND, VA.

Suit by a Colored Man for Admittance to a First Class Railroad Car—New Collector [illegible].

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

RICHMOND, Sept. 20.—Another negro to-day sued the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Company for non-admittance to a first class car upon a first class ticket, purchased at New York. The Company have determined to stand a suit as a test of the question for railroad companies South.

General Gulford enters upon his duties as Revenue Collector here in October.

TENNESSEE.

House at Chattanooga Destroyed by Fire—Loss $130,000.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHATTANOOGA, Sept. 20.—The Crutchfield House was partially destroyed by fire this evening. The fire was caused by the breaking of a number of lamps in the oil room. Little property was saved, except in the lower portion. There were several narrow escapes, but no lives lost. Other buildings in the rear were damaged by sparks, but not seriously. The loss is about $130,000, insured for $60,000.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Political Excitement—Republican Organ Denounces Radicals—Mass Meeting Called.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

RALEIGH, N. C., September 20.—The *Register*, edited by Daniel R. Goodloe, the recognized organ of the Republican party of the State, denounces the recent Radical Convention bitterly, and excommunicates Holden and his adherents.

The Constitutional Union men will hold an immense mass meeting on the 27th. All the most influential and prominent citizens have signed the call.

CINCINNATI.

Aid for the New Orleans Howard Association.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, September 20.—In response to a telegram from the Howard Association in New Orleans, asking assistance, the Chamber of Commerce donated five hundred dollars, and appointed a committee of sixteen to solicit subscriptions from citizens generally, for the same object. Measures taken immediately to carry out the object.

Daring Burglaries.

It appears from the following, which we clip from the Norristown *Republican*, that burglars do not confine their operations to large cities, but occasionally favor the country towns with an exhibition of their daring exploits:

On Wednesday night there were three dwellings entered by burglars and robbed of various articles of value. The robberies appear to have been perpetrated by the same parties. Their operations commenced at the residence of Mr. William H. Slingluff, Esq., Cashier of Montgomery National Bank. It is not known at what hour of the night an entrance was effected here, as no one in the house was disturbed or knew anything of the robbery until about six o'clock in the morning. Mr. S. upon rising [illegible]. Upon an examination it was discovered the house had been entered through the front door by turning the key with pliers. The plunder here consisted of a small quantity of silverware, coupons to the value of about $65, in all amounting to something over $200. Mr. Fudge's residence, at the corner of Willow and Oak streets, was also entered and robbed of about $30 in gold and silver coin. Their next operation appear to have been at the residence of William E. Lesher, on the corner of Swede and Oak. Mr. L. was aroused about three o'clock by hearing a noise in his chamber. He remarked that there must be a rat in the room. The noise continuing he arose and procured a light, just in time to hear the hasty departure of footsteps down the steps and out of the house, which they had also entered by applying nippers to the key. The burglars passed through three doors, which they opened in a similar manner before gaining admittance to Mr. Lesher's room. They carried off a gold watch, gold chain and eyeglasses, a small amount of money and several articles of jewelry, amounting in all to about $200. [illegible] The perpetrators have not yet been detected, neither is it suspected who they are.

The Marks Case in Warren County.

The result of the important case of the Commonwealth vs. Meer Marks, M. J. Marks, Hyman Marks and S. Jacobs, tried at Warren, Pa., a short time since, was briefly announced in the GAZETTE by telegraph. The Titusville *Herald*, referring to it says:

"The facts in the case, as disclosed by the evidence, were, substantially, that about the 1st of December, 1866, one Meer Marks, a dry goods merchant, located and doing business at Tidioute, having bought on credit a large stock of goods, undertook to "play sharp" by confessing judgment to some friends and confederates to the amount of $12,000, and executions therefor were placed in the Sheriff's hands. Meanwhile, the defendants clandestinely packed up some $5,000 worth of goods and shipped them to different parts of the country, a portion of them being sent to the city of Titusville. After the Sheriff had closed out what he could find of Marks' property at Tidioute, the goods were returned to Tidioute and Marks' store was opened again in the ostensible name of S. Jacobs, M. Marks acting in the subordinate capacity of clerk. H. B. Claflin & Co., of New York, one of the largest houses in the country, thereupon caused the arrest and indictment of the defendants, and their trial has proved it to be one of the worst swindles, supported as it was by forgery, perjury and subordination of perjury, and all the attendant sturdy expedients by which dishonesty seeks to hide its guilt from detection. The trial, however, resulted in the conviction of all the defendants. The sentence of M. Marks was that he pay the costs of prosecution, a fine of $500, and undergo an imprisonment for four months. The sentence of the other defendants was that each pay a fine of $100 and undergo a two months imprisonment. The case produced a good deal of excitement throughout the oil regions, and the result will be a warning to dishonest debtors, and illustrates the [illegible] determination of New York mercantile houses in pursuing as far as the machinery of the law will allow those who attempt to cheat and swindle them."

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—A vast congregation of people assembled at the Opera House last evening to pay tribute to Miss Thompson on the occasion of her farewell benefit. The piece selected for the occasion was "Stoop to Conquer," with Miss Thompson as Kate. Bates in the leading role, and of course it was done to perfection. At the Matinee this afternoon, "Cricket on the Hearth" will be presented, and from the cast it cannot fail to render satisfaction. For this evening the "Serious Family" is on the bills, with Michael Earl for an afterpiece.

TRIMBLE'S VARIETIES.—Miss Ella La Rue, the California Diamond, created quite a sensation at the Varieties Theatre last night. The house, as is usually the case, was full. In addition to Miss La Rue, there were other attractions, not the least of which were Miss Annie Worthington, the charming Terpsichorean, and the Clark Brothers, who, as comedians and vocalists, have no superiors. They should all be seen and heard to be fully appreciated.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Beethoven's Grand Oratorio, "Christ on Mount Olivet," will be produced at the Academy of Music, Tuesday evening, September 24th, under the direction of F. Puchringer.

MASONIC HALL.—The panorama of the life of Abraham Lincoln will be exhibited at Masonic Hall, on Monday evening. This is said to be one of the finest panoramic productions ever presented to the public, and the subject is of the most interesting character. S. K. Murdock, the celebrated Shakespearian reader, will deliver the lecture, the announcement of which is of itself sufficient to insure a crowded house.

PITTSBURGH THEATER.—Griffin and Christy's celebrated minstrel troupe will occupy the Pittsburgh Theatre for a short season, commencing Monday evening, the 23d inst. This troupe comprises some of the best talent in the profession, and their stay here will doubtless prove profitable to the management.

Iron and Wood Pumps, embracing all the latest and most approved styles and inventions, for sale at reduced rates by T. T. Evans, practical plumber, gas and steam fitter, No. 165 Wood street. Special attention paid to orders from the country. All work warranted to give the highest satisfaction.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

FOURTH PAGE.—*The fullest and most reliable Money, Oil and Produce Market Reports given by any paper in the city, will be found on our Fourth Page.*

THE STATE FAIR.

A Visit to the Grounds—Great Improvement—Active Preparations for the Opening on Tuesday.

Yesterday, in company with the efficient President of the State Agricultural Association, A. Boyd Hamilton, Esq., we paid a visit to the Iron City Park, wherein the coming exhibition will be held. We found the Park thoroughly metamorphosed, and so changed that we could hardly realize it is the old place. Under the direction of A. B. Longaker, Esq., (formerly Speaker of the House of Representatives at Harrisburg,) Secretary of the State Agricultural Association, the changes have been going on, till to-day the grounds are as admirably adapted for the holding of such a grand exhibition as contemplated as any in the Union. It required a large sum of money and vast labor to make the repairs, additions and alterations, and much more of both will be necessary before the Fair is thrown open to the public. Water has been introduced from the new Basin at a cost of over one thousand dollars, and many new buildings have been erected. Prominent among these is a commodious amphitheatre for the accommodation of one thousand persons who may secure an opportunity of participating in the sports of the ring. The structure is substantially built, and presents a very handsome appearance. At the upper end of the grounds, a part never before used for exhibition purposes, we found Mr. Elliott, of the well known horticultural firm of J. W. Elliot & Sons, busily engaged in superintending the work of completing a large rural aquarium. This will be a cool and inviting retreat, and one of the most attractive features of the Fair. Its circumference is one hundred and twenty-three feet, while its depth is some four or five feet. In the centre is reared a miniature mountain of rocks, ivy and climbing vines, and from the crest a fountain capable of casting a solid stream nearly one hundred feet high has been placed. The bottom or floor will be covered with shells and tiny castles in plaster, which when covered with clear water will have a most beautiful effect. It will of course be plentifully supplied with fishes. The Manufacturers' and Domestic Halls have been united by the erection of a large central wing, and now presents a width of some forty feet by a depth of four hundred feet. The circular platform in the centre of the broad field has been canvassed and will be devoted to the purposes of a floral hall. Its proportions are magnificent. The accommodations for stock have been largely increased, while the Mechanical buildings have also been enlarged. The race course has been further graded, planed and rolled, and is now one of the best adapted in the country. Mr. Knox, the "king of small fruit growers," has constructed, at his own expense, a large building wherein he will exhibit his own garden specimens and agricultural implements. [illegible] part of the grounds an elliptical building, one hundred and sixteen by sixty-five feet, has been erected, and will be devoted to floral exhibitions. The Artists' Hall, press headquarters, officials' offices, restaurant and other buildings have been materially improved and enlarged. All of the different outbuildings have been whitewashed, and look clean and handsome. The Treasurer's office has been removed from the gate at Penn street to the immediate entrance of the grounds, which affords much better convenience to visitors, especially those in vehicles. The work of getting ready for the opening next Tuesday will be vigorously prosecuted, and if the Fair is not a grand success it will be no fault of the enterprising managers. They have performed their part well, and it remains with the people, for whose interest and benefit the exhibition is to be held, to encourage it, by being represented with their goods or manufactures, and at least by their presence. The office of the President, No. 10 St. Clair street, presents a lively scene everyday, with exhibitors entering for exhibition and persons subscribing for life membership. The entry books will close on Monday evening, and consequently the rush will be great up till that time. We can safely promise our readers a grand State Fair, providing the elements do not interfere with the arrangements, and trust that all will endeavor to be in attendance.

Serious Accident.

A serious and painful accident occurred near the outer depot on the Pennsylvania Railroad, yesterday morning, by which Mr. Horner, a clerk at the transfer depot, was crippled for life. Mr. H. resides at Wilkinsburg, and comes to the city usually on "Wall's Accommodation train," which arrives at this depot about 7 A. M. His office is situated some distance below where the cars stop at the outer depot, and instead of getting off the train at the station, as he should, he has been in the habit of jumping off while the train was in motion. By some means he slipped and fell with his right foot on the track, immediately in front of the wheels of one of the cars, which passed over it, severing the foot at the ankle joint. The injured man was removed to his residence, in Wilkinsburg, where his injuries received prompt attention.

It is a great wonder that accidents of this kind are not more numerous, for, indeed, they should be called accidents, as they are, escapes from injury are more properly the result of accident than the injuries themselves. We are informed that it is a universal practice with the employees of the company to get off and on the cars at this point when in motion. [illegible] reminded of the dangers attending it, by occurrences such as the above. A large majority of accidents are the result of carelessness on the part of the person injured.

Work Commenced.

In New York City a stock grocery and provision store has been opened, and thus far the enterprise has proved successful, and generally the shares have greatly enhanced in value. There can be no doubt that such concerns are extremely profitable, especially when carefully managed, and we await with considerable interest the inauguration of the Allegheny Grocery and Provision business, which is to be started by a capital stock company of our citizens. The sale of stock still continues, and having recourse to the subscription book yesterday, we observed but very few shares remaining unsold. Those, therefore, who desire investing had better call immediately at the office, No. 26 Federal street, and secure the remaining chances. The buildings of the Company have been commenced in the Second ward, and will prove handsome additions to that part of the city. With such well known citizens as Mr. John McGraw as President, and Mr. J. P. Israel as Secretary, the Company must certainly prosper.

City Assessors.

For the information of voters desiring to be assessed, in order to vote at the forthcoming election, we herewith publish the names and residences of the City Assessors. We will endeavor to lay a full list of those of Allegheny and the boroughs before our readers at an early edition:

First Ward—Samuel Patterson, 54 Liberty street.

Second Ward—Alex. Aiken, 125 Fourth st.

Third Ward—John Quinn, 113 Ross street, near Fifth street extension.

Fourth Ward—A. P. Thompson, 84 Penn st.

Fifth Ward—Joseph Irwin, 84 Pike street.

Sixth Ward—William Shore, at Alderman Butler's office, Wylie st., near Washington.

Seventh Ward—Capt. Wm. Mays, Miltenberger st.

Eighth Ward—Christian King, Ann street, near school house.

Ninth Ward—Alderman James Irwin, 823 Penn street.

Tenth Ward—Willard Leonard, Seventh street, near Cherry alley.

Fine Arts in Paris.

The Marquis d'Aoust, President of the Society of Fine Arts in Paris, writes: "I have gathered the necessary information; I have heard these excellent Pianos at the Exposition and at Mr. Steinway's; I have tried them myself and the report I can make to this Society is reduced, as it appears to me, to very few lines. In one simple [illegible] provements introduced by American makers and principally by Messrs. Steinway, in the construction of their instruments, which, in consequence of their thoroughly solid construction, can resist the effects of the trying climate of North America.

"The Pianos of Messrs. Steinway appear to me, as well as to all the Artists who have tried them, superior to all that have been made to this date in the whole world."

There is a wholesale and retail agency for these wonderful pianos in this city at 122 Wood street, presided over by the Messrs. Kleber & Bro., and who are doing a very extensive business in them.

Obituary.—Victor Scriba, an old and respected German citizen of Allegheny city, died at his residence on Troy Hill, Friday morning, September 20th. The deceased was formerly connected with the German press of this city, and for several years subsequently been an acting Justice of the Peace in Reserve township. The numerous friends and acquaintances will hear of his death with deep regret. His remains will be interred at the German Evangelical Cemetery on Troy Hill, Sunday, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Personal.—To our esteemed fellow citizen, Colonel John H. Stewart, is due much of the credit for the highly gratifying reception awarded by our citizens to the intrepid Sheridan. That gentleman performed his part as Chairman of the Reception Committee in the most graceful manner, and contributed largely towards making "little Phil" feel at home in Pittsburgh.

A Party of Irishmen yesterday made a demonstration on the German Lutheran Church, on the corner of Wylie and High streets, tearing out the doors and windows, and removing portions of the brick work. All of which they have commenced at $2.00 per day, as the structure must come down to make room for new buildings.

Readers from the country who will be in attendance at the State Fair will not forget to call in and examine the fine assortment of lamps, chandeliers, pumps of all descriptions and general goods in the gas, steam and water line, at the well known establishment of T. T. Evans, No. 165 Wood street.

[illegible]—Mr. C. Ries, of this city, arrived yesterday, in Boston, on the steamer Ontario from Europe.

Police Items.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY CASES.

Amanda Duvall made information before Alderman Donaldson, yesterday, against Elijah Barker, charging him with assault and battery. The prosecutrix is a resident of Spring alley, and she alleges that the defendant came to her house and threatened to whip her husband, and struck her with his fist. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

Elizabeth Keckman preferred a charge of assault and battery against James Lewis, yesterday, before Alderman Lynch, alleging that the defendant attacked and beat her minor son in a shameful manner. The parties reside at the Tremont House, in the Diamond. The defendant was arrested and held for a hearing.

Thos. Sullivan, charged with committing an assault and battery on the person of Michael Donahue, by cutting him with a knife, at Frankstown, on the 18th inst., was committed to jail by Justice Barker, of South Pittsburgh, yesterday, for a hearing.

SURETY OF THE PEACE.

Joseph J. Duvall made oath before Alderman Donaldson, yesterday, against Elijah Baker for surety of the peace. He alleges that the accused came to his dwelling on Spring Alley and threatened to whip him. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Baker.

Thomas Ford, of South Pittsburgh, made information before Alderman McMasters, yesterday, against Joseph Alton for surety of the peace, alleging that the accused threatened to do him bodily harm. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Alton.

Margaret McCann made oath against Catharine Rooney, before Alderman Lynch, yesterday, for surety of the peace. The parties reside in Scowstown, and the prosecutrix alleges that the defendant threatened to kill her. A warrant was issued.

The Grand Jury and Black Mailing.

In the Quarter Sessions, yesterday afternoon, the Grand Jury made the following presentment:

"And now, Sept. 20, 1867, the Grand Inquest come into court and represent that the practice of levying 'black mail' upon alleged criminal charges is systematically carried on by irresponsible parties, male and female, and large amounts of money have been extorted, and desire to be informed by the Court whether it is in the province of the Grand Jury to prefer bills of indictment against such parties as have been guilty of this practice."

Judge Stowe made some remarks in relation to the matter, and said he would inform the jury at another time of his conclusion. He had a very decided opinion as to the prevalence of the practice of 'black-mailing.' In the case of a public officer he thought the jury might indict, if any of their number had knowledge of the facts; but in that of a private citizen, the proceeding must be in the ordinary way, by information before a magistrate.

Although we cannot speak with entire certainty, we think the Grand Jury had in view, in making the presentment, or inquiry, above given, a recent bawdy-house case, in which the parties concerned in the prosecution, under the "further hearing" expedient, intimated to individuals claimed to have knowledge of the character of the house, and who were summoned to appear before the magistrate, that for a "consideration" the case could be stopped, and perhaps the case referred to was stopped in this way.

St. Paul's Cathedral.

We have already noticed the fact that work has been resumed upon St. Paul's Cathedral. We understand that it is designed to proceed with it now until the edifice is entirely completed. During the present season it is expected to add at least one hundred feet to the tower at the corner of Grant and Fifth streets, and to raise the highest front tower to the height of the roof. When the street corner tower has reached the height of two hundred and fifty feet, the central tower or spire will be taken down and a dome constructed after one of the designs of the architect, Mr. C. Barberger. Owing to the breaking down of a county bridge, delay has been caused in the receipt of stone, and the work thus somewhat retarded; and in addition to this Mr. Schaver, one of the stonecontractors, was so unfortunate as to have his leg accidentally broken at his stone yard in Allegheny City, a few days ago. These occurrences have interfered materially with the calculations of Mr. Barberger, the architect, adding considerably to his duties of superintending. Indeed, yesterday he was too busy to give us information concerning the work, but promised to do so at another time.

Free Excursion—Attractive Sale.

Hourly for all! At Fort Pitt Station, near Mansfield, on Pan Handle Railroad, Monday, September 23d, at 11½ o'clock, A. M., on the premises, will be sold eighty-one lots of ground, in plan laid out by the Fort Pitt Coal Company, at Fort Pitt Station, near Mansfield, seven miles from the city. These lots contain from one-half to one acre each, and are particularly well suited for private residences or gardening purposes, being located on line of railroad, on a beautiful knoll overlooking the same. The neighborhood is good; situation elevated; surface diversified, and in point of location and size of lots all can be suited at this sale, which will be positive, peremptory, and without any reserve whatever.

Cars will leave the Union Depot at eleven o'clock A. M. Parties desiring to attend will be conveyed to and from the sale *free of charge*. Plans can be had by calling on Smithson, Palmer & Co., auctioneers.

Republican Meetings.

A grand rally will be held at Tarentum to-night. W. C. Moreland and John H. Kerr, Esqs., will address the meeting.

The Republicans of Irwin's Station will meet to-day in mass meeting. Able gentlemen will address their fellow-citizens on the important issues of the hour.

The Republicans of Lawrenceville will hold a grand rally on Tuesday evening next, in the Second ward, of that borough. Gens. Pearson, Collier and Moorhead, and Messrs. A. M. Brown, Thomas Howard, H. C. Mackrell and John H. Kerr are expected to address the meeting.

The Republicans of the Sixth ward will hold a public meeting at the School House next Monday evening, for the purpose of organizing the ward committee and attending to such other business as may be necessary in order that the full vote may be brought out at the forthcoming election.

A Flourishing Institution.

The Pittsburgh Female College, under the charge of the Rev. Dr. Pershing, is one of the most flourishing institutions in the city. Having heretofore alluded to the many advantages this school possesses, and to the excellent manner in which it is conducted, we will not refer to them at present further than to say it is a model school. The present term commenced a week since, under more favorable circumstances than any previous session since its organization. Notwithstanding this is the first session of the term the number of pupils in attendance is unprecedentedly large, and as a great many are expected during the next two or three weeks, the school will be larger the coming year than it has ever been heretofore. To the untiring energy and persevering efforts of Dr. Pershing on behalf of this institution is mainly due its present popularity.

City Mortality.

The following is the report of Dr. A. G. McCandless, Physician of the Board of Health, of interments in this city for the week ending September 13th:

Diseases—Consumption, 3; Inflammation of Stomach, 1; Hemorrhagia, 1; Natural Causes, 1; Rheumatism, 1; Paraplegia, 1; Dysentery, 1; Nervous Fever, Cholera Infantum, 2; Dropsy, 2; Whooping Cough, 2; Typhoid Fever, 1; Convulsions, 1; Small Pox, 1; Diptheria, 1.

Of the above there were: Under one year, 5; from two to five, 3; from ten to fifteen, 1; from fifteen to twenty, 1; from twenty to thirty, 1; from thirty to forty, 2; from forty to fifty, 2; from fifty to sixty, 4; from sixty to seventy, 2; from seventy to eighty, 1; from ninety to one hundred, 1.

Males..... 13 | White..... 21 | Total..... 24.
Females.... 11 | Colored.... 3 |

Unexpected Visitors.

An accident occurred yesterday evening, at the corner of Liberty and Smithfield streets, at which point a number of men were engaged in relaying the water pipe. A horse and cart was standing near the trench in which several men were at work, when a passing wagon loaded with iron, struck the cart with such force as to knock the horse into the trench. Fortunately no one was injured by the occurrence, and after considerable labor the horse was extricated from the uncomfortable quarters into which he had been so unexpectedly precipitated, without having sustained any serious injuries.

Ground Spices.

Formerly we had no spice mills and every family were obliged to grind their spices in their coffee mills. With the introduction of spice mills on a large scale came adulteration and fraud. Each paper of ground pepper, so called, was half buckwheat. Ginger was half cornmeal or brown cornseed, &c. Our readers have a sure remedy for all these evils in the pure and pungent spices recently supplied to the retail trade by the Messrs. Arbuckle. We have used their spices in our own family, and found them excellent and pure.

Court of Common Pleas.

Before Hon. J. P. Sterrett.

Friday, Sept. 20.—A. A. Anderson & Co. vs. John M. Pass. Action to recover the sum of $34.50, with interest from November 2d, 1865, for printing a paper book in the case of J. P. Robinson, administrator of Ann Gottsman, vs. the Pennsylvania Insurance Company. The defendant denied that he ever ordered the work, or authorized any one else to get the book printed. The jury found in favor of the plaintiff for $43.12—full amount claimed.

Noonday Prayer Meetings.—The noonday prayer meetings, held in the First Methodist Church, Fifth street, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, which have been suspended for some weeks, will be resumed on Monday, September 23d, when meetings will be held daily between the hours of twelve and one o'clock.

Brignoli and La Grange Opera.—It has been announced that Madame La Grange and Signor Brignoli would appear on Monday and Tuesday, September 30th and October 1st. We are requested to state that their first appearance will be at the Academy of Music, Wednesday and Thursday, 2d and 3d of October.

T. T. Evans, 165 Wood street, practical gas and steam fitter and plumber, attends to the execution of all orders either in the city or country, in the best style of workmanship and most reasonable prices.

Up the Monongahela.—Navigation on the Monongahela river has been opened and boats are now running regularly between Pittsburgh and Geneva.

An Inside and an Outside View.

If men will carefully look into the matter of which we write, there are very few who will not be compensated for all the time occupied in doing so. For we are entirely satisfied that there is no subject of greater importance to the sick man than the proffer of a medicine calculated to restore health. If we speak the truth, it is worthy of all consideration to any one in quest of health, and that we do speak the truth, let any one try the remedies which we have made so prominent, and we need not blush for the result. If those who are well read our articles, they will find remedies spoken of that will appropriately rush into their minds when the occasion for their employment becomes necessary. Three-fourths of the diseases of the lungs and their auxiliary organs, could be cured at the onset of a cough, which is merely an outside manifestation of an inward disease, by the use of DR. KEYSER'S PECTORAL SYRUP. The other fourth of Pulmonary disease could be cured, when not advanced to a fatal stage, by the use of DR. KEYSER'S LUNG CURE, a remedy for coughs and lung diseases of a chronic and long standing type. Let those entrusted take heed of this advice, and make the inquiry of any one who has ever used these remedies, and judge of them according to the evidence thus obtained. No two remedies were ever compounded, for the cure of lung diseases, equal to DR. KEYSER'S LUNG CURE and DR. KEYSER'S PECTORAL SYRUP, sold by the gross, dozen or single bottle, at the Doctor's great medicine store, 140 Wood street.

DR. KEYSER'S CONSULTING OFFICE FOR LUNG EXAMINATIONS AND THE TREATMENT OF OBSTINATE CHRONIC DISEASES, NO. 120 PENN STREET, from 8 A. M., until 4 P. M.

Pianotelles.

PITTSBURGH, September 20, 1867.

Rev. John Davis, Dear Sir:—Impressed with the importance and value to the public and schools in general of your Pianotelles as an illustrator of the astronomy of the solar system, we would respectfully solicit you to place it on public exhibition in our cities for a few days at your convenience.

Hon. Wilson McCandless,
Hon. Thomas Mellon,
Rev. D. Elliott, D. D.,
Rev. D. R. Kerr, D. D.,
Prof. John S. Easton,
Robert Woods, Esq.,
Rev. S. H. Nesbitt, D. D.,
E. P. Jones, Esq.,
Thomas Ewing, Esq.,
Thomas Steel, Esq.,
Hon. George Wilson,
Rev. S. J. Wilson, D. D.,
B. M. Lain, Esq.,
Prof. R. Curry,
W. A. Herron, Esq.,
Rev. John H. Ebbert,
Jacob Lamman, Esq.,
Ira B. McVey & Co.,
J. G. Backofen,
George H. Thurston, Esq.,
Rev. E. K. Squire,
Alfred S. Wall, Esq.,
Rev. L. L. Conrad,
Rev. Joseph Kerr,
Rev. Wm. D. Howard.

This Week, This Week.

Buyers of Dry Goods remember the grand display of New Goods at the well known Dry Goods House, on the west corner of Market and Fourth streets, of Messrs. Gardner & Stewart. Their Stock is all new.

Plaid Satin Jap Chine for dresses only 37½ cents.
Congo Plaid, elegant, 30 cents.
Satin Stripe Poplins, 37½ and 50 cents.
English Merino Cloths, 37½ cents.
Elegant Merino Plaids, 50 cents.
Black Alpacas, 25, 37½, 50, 62½ and 75 cents.
One case French Merinos, at $1 per yard.
One case Empress Cloths, 75 cents per yard.
Alexandria Poplins.
Velvet Cloth Poplins.
Zebra Ottoman Cloths.
Paris Reps, Mourning Goods, elegant, rich and cheap.
One case Blankets $4.50.
One case Blankets $5.00.
One case Blankets $6.00.
One case Heavy Plaid Flannels only 37½ cents per yard.
One case Heavy Tweeds 50 cents.
The newest stock and cheapest goods, on West corner of Market and Fourth streets.
GARDNER & STEWART.

Cold Sparkling Soda Water at J. T. Sample's Drug Store, No. 53 Federal street, Allegheny.

Goods at Reasonable Prices.—Mr. James Robb, No. 89 Market street, one of the pioneers in the boot and shoe trade of this city, has on hand a large and fashionable stock of boots, shoes and gaiters which he offers to the public at very reasonable prices. It will be remembered that the assortment found here is not from Eastern auction houses, but has been selected direct from manufacturers who deal in such articles as will prove serviceable and durable. Call in and see for yourselves.

At Private Sale on Saturday, September 21st, at the Mammoth Emporium, 55 and 57 Fifth street. You can select from a very large and desirable assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, rag, hemp, Dutch, stair, and superior Ingrain Carpets, domestic Dry Goods, Flannels, Blankets, Hoop and Balmoral Skirts, Shirts and Drawers, and Notions generally, all at auction prices. Remember, Nos. 55 and 57 Fifth street, Smithson, Palmer & Co.

We would invite the attention of capitalists seeking advantageous investments in real estate to the very desirable property on Fourth street, offered for sale by the People's National Bank. This is one of the very best locations in the city, and the bank having secured a site on Wood street for their new banking house, will sell the property. Application to be made soon. See advertisement in another column.

Rev. Herrick Johnson, D. D., will preach his farewell sermon to his congregation on next Sabbath morning, and in the evening he will deliver a sermon to young men, by request of the Young Men's Christian Association, in the First Presbyterian Church, on Wood street. Services at 7½ o'clock. All young men are cordially invited. Seats free.

200 Lots in City District.—Persons desiring to buy cheap and convenient houses would do well to attend the auction sale, Monday next, on the Pennsylvania Railroad between Lawrenceville and Millvale Station. The beauty, central location, and easy communication with the city, cannot be surpassed by any property now offered for sale. See McIlwaine's advertisement for particulars.

We sell Dry Goods both at wholesale and retail, and are, as a consequence, enabled to keep a larger and much better assorted stock, to sell cheaper, and give the goods in more accommodating quantities than exclusive jobbing houses. Retail merchants are invited to examine our stock.

J. W. BARKER & CO., 59 Market street.

House and Lot, Vinegar Factory Fixtures, Horse and Wagon, at auction on the corner of Locock and Voeghtly streets, Allegheny City, on Thursday, September 26th, on the premises, at ten o'clock A. M. See advertisement of Smithson, Palmer & Co., Auctioneers.

A First Class Restaurant.—Of the many restaurants in our city, none enjoys a higher reputation than the Continental, Nos. 71 and 73 Fifth street. Mr. Holtzheimer is an excellent caterer, a fact well known to the community generally, it would seem; from the liberal share of patronage he receives.

The Continental Saloon.—At the Continental dining rooms, on Fifth street, next door to the Post Office, may be found all the delicacies of the season, as well as the substantials, all of which are served in a manner to challenge competition.

Glad Tidings.—Holtzheimer has some of the finest shell oysters ever brought to this market, a fact readily admitted by all who have recently visited the Continental Restaurant, Nos. 71 and 73 Fifth street, next door to the Post Office.

The cable dispatches this morning announce a fall in the price of teas. Embrace the opportunity offered at the old established tea mart, No. 20 Fifth street, to secure the very best brands at the most reasonable reduced rates.

Call in and purchase your teas and spices at the old established tea mart of Joseph A. Robinson, No. 20 Fifth street. Nothing but the purest article kept on hand, at the most reasonable prices.

Western Avenue, Allegheny City. A desirable residence and beautiful grounds on this avenue will be sold at auction on the premises, on September 28th, at two o'clock P. M. See advertisement of Smithson, Palmer & Co., auctioneers.

Magnificent Silver Plated Ware at Auction.—On Thursday, September 26th, at 10 A. M., and 7½ P. M., at Masonic Hall Auction Rooms, 55 and 57 Fifth street. See advertisement in auction column. Smithson, Palmer & Co., auctioneers.

The Entire Stock of Variety Store, 28 Wylie Street, at Auction.—On to-morrow, (Saturday) September 21st, at 10 A. M. and 2 and 7½ P. M., precisely. See advertisement of Smithson, Palmer & Co., auctioneers.

Ink, Pens, Pencils, Pen Holders, Pen Racks, Letter Clips, of all sizes and kinds, Erasers, American and English, Pencil Sharpeners, Gum Rings and Bands, Paper Cutters and Holders, Paper Weights, &c., &c., at Hogle & Chambers, 74 Fifth street.

Fresh Teas just received in original packages from the importers, at the old established tea mart of Joseph A. Robinson, No. 20 Fifth street.

Fools Cap, Letter, Note, Billet, Foreign and French, View of Pittsburgh, and all kinds of writing papers, at Hogle & Chambers, 74 Fifth street.

Eye, Ear, Throat, Lung, Chest Diseases, and Catarrh, Successfully treated by Dr. Abora, 134 Smithfield street. A book by mail 50 cents.

Go to Fleming's Drug Store, No. 84 Market street, for the best old Rye Whisky in the city, at lowest prices.

Go to Fleming's Drug Store, No. 84 Market street, for the best Holland gin in the city.

Hats and Caps.—All the new Fall styles at Campbell's new hat store, 125 Federal street, Allegheny.

Cold Sparkling Soda Water at J. T. Sample's Drug Store, No. 53 Federal street, Allegheny.

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DIED.

DEAN.—On Friday morning, at 10½ o'clock, ALEX. DEAN, Jr., aged 11 years, [illegible], son of Capt. Alex. and Elizabeth E. Dean.

Funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 89 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, on TO DAY, at 10 o'clock P. M. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ALEX. AIKEN, UNDERTAKER, No. 166 Fourth street, Pittsburgh, Pa. COFFINS of all kinds, CRAPES, GLOVES, and every description of Funeral Furnishing Goods furnished. Rooms open day and night. Hearse and Carriages furnished.

REFERENCES—Rev. David Kerr, D. D., Rev. M. W. Jacobus, D.D., Thomas Ewing, Esq., Jacob H. Miller, Esq.

J. G. RODGERS, UNDERTAKER AND EMBALMER, successor to the late Samuel K. Rodgers, No. 39 Ohio Street, three doors from Beaver, Allegheny City. Metallic, Rosewood, Mahogany, Walnut and Rosewood Imitation Coffins, at the lowest reduced prices. Rooms open at all hours, day and night. Hearse and Carriages furnished on short notice and on most reasonable terms.

EDWARD CZARNIECKI, UNDERTAKER. Office, 246 Ohio Street, Allegheny. Metallic, Rosewood and other Cases, with a complete stock of funeral furnishing goods on hand, and furnished at shortest notice at lowest prices. Sale and Livery Stables, corner of FIRST AND MIDDLE STREETS. Carriages, Barouches, Buggies, Saddle Horses, &c., &c., for hire.

E. C. STEWART, Undertaker, corner of MORTON and PENN STREETS, Ninth Ward. Coffins of all kinds. Hearse and Carriages furnished on the shortest notice.

CEMETERY MARBLE WORKS.

E. V. HARBAUGH, at the Cemetery gate, Lawrenceville, Pa. ORNAMENTAL MARBLE AND STONE WORKS; STONE BURIAL CASES, WARRANTED WATER PROOF.

DUNSEATH & HASLETT, Jewelers and Opticians,

Have just opened a large and well selected stock of WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, SPECTACLES, BAROMETERS, And all kinds of THERMOMETERS. OPTICAL GOODS.

56 FIFTH STREET.

JAMES SCOTT, (SUCCESSOR TO JOHNSTON & SCOTT,) DEALER IN FINE WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, SILVER-PLATED WARE, ETC, 274 LIBERTY ST., PITTSBURGH. Particular attention given to repairing Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

REMOVED AND NEW GOODS. H. SMITH. Merchant Tailor. Has removed to No. 96 WYLIE STREET, [illegible] where he is now receiving a new and extensive stock of FALL CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, VESTINGS AND OVERCOATINGS, Which will be made to order in the most stylish manner [illegible]. H. SMITH, Merchant Tailor, No. 96 WYLIE STREET, cor. of Federal.

GREAT BARGAINS AND LOW PRICES! SMITHSON, PALMER & CO., AT THE MAMMOTH EMPORIUM, 55 & 57 FIFTH STREET, Are Offering Great Bargains IN BOOTS, SHOES, GAITERS, BALMORALS, CARPETS, DOMESTIC DRY GOODS, BLANKETS, FLANNELS, HOOP SKIRTS, Pocket and Table Cutlery, NOTIONS. Persons wishing to purchase will do well to examine one of the best assortments ever offered, and AT THE LOWEST PRICES. Furniture and Household Goods AT AUCTION on every Thursday.

FOR SALE—12 HANDSOME BUILDING LOTS, [illegible] situate on Greensburg Turnpike, adjoining the handsome residence of Col. H. McCullough. These are the most desirable lots for country residences in Lawrenceville for the views, and cannot be excelled. Terms easy. Enquire of HILL & SHUTTERLY, Real Estate and Insurance Agents, Butler street, Lawrenceville.

FOR SALE—That handsome and very desirable THREE STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, situate No. [illegible] street, Pittsburgh. This house is situated on one of the handsomest streets in Pittsburgh, and [illegible] rents for $800. This property is worth the attention of persons seeking a home. HILL & SHUTTERLY, Real Estate and Insurance Agents, Butler street, [illegible] Lawrenceville.

HORSES FOR SALE, AT Howard's Livery Stable, FIRST STREET, near Monongahela House. [illegible] Horses bought and sold on commission.

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HOLMES, BELL & CO., Anchor Cotton Mills, Pittsburgh, Manufacturers of HEAVY [illegible] SHEETINGS [illegible] ANCHOR AND MACHINE [illegible] AND BATTING.

DRIED BEEF.—Cincinnati [illegible] of the celebrated "Star" brand. Sugar Cured Beef Tongues, for sale at the Family Grocery Store of JOHN A. RENSHAW.