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The *Press*, of Philadelphia, for twelve months past, at least, has been larger than the *Commercial*. Now the GAZETTE is larger than either. Though not given to poetry, we cannot forbear quoting a line from a celebrated poem that once appeared in the New York *Tribune*, and has often since made a commotion:

"Tear down that flaunting lie."

Will you do it?

THE city nominating Convention of the Labor Reform party, held last evening, was attended by but few delegates, and the putting forth of candidates for the municipal offices was postponed. The enthusiasm of the voters who departed from the ranks of the Republican party for the new organization has been rapidly subsiding since the recent election, by which it was clearly demonstrated that the movement was to strengthen the Democracy. Those who wandered from the fold have discovered that their best friends remain in the ranks of the Republican party, and that in its keeping their interests will ever be guarded, and labor reform best be accomplished through its influence and support.

WE received by Associated Press last night a statement of the public debt, which was so mixed up and full of errors that we cast it into the waste basket, as the indebtedness might be more easily paid than stated by the figures furnished. At a late hour corrections followed, which only served to increase the stupidity of the original figures.

THE Cretans have not been dismayed at the failure of the Commission to inquire into their wrongs, but with heroic courage stand out for annexation to Greece. A winter campaign against the Turks is being arranged.

MEXICO is again threatened with revolution. The people have grown restive under the rule of Juarez and are ripe for another revolt.

GARIBALDI demands his rights and privileges under the law of nations as a citizen of the United States.

GLEANINGS.

INTENSE excitement was felt in Chicago on Sunday afternoon over the adventure and inevitable fate of two fool hardy young men. They took a little three seated sail boat, and after sailing about for a while, ventured outside the breakwater, where their boat became unmanageable, and was completely at the mercy of one of the severest gales of the season. The helpless young men cried loudly for assistance, and an immense crowd gathered on the shore to watch, with beating hearts and strained eyes, the frail craft and its helpless crew, but no one volunteered assistance. No one of all that crowd raised a hand to help rescue the fellow-beings who were in such imminent danger, until a man, a stranger in Chicago, offered fifty dollars to the men of the craft who would first overtake and rescue the unfortunate couple. This acted like magic, and three tugs started at once, manned with men who would work for a part of fifty dollars, but would not to save the lives of two men. These tugs were out several hours, but found no boat, and it is supposed that the increased severity of the gale capsized it and that the passengers were drowned.

THE railroad authorities at Cheyenne Station, on the Union Pacific Railroad, have had trouble with squatters, who assert their right to the land on which they have built. Three hundred soldiers have been ordered to tear down the shanties and guard the ground, and to shoot any one attempting to re-build there. The feeling is said to be exceedingly bitter, as indeed we may well believe, and the squatters have held an indignation meeting. At present all is quiet.

A man in Cincinnati, while sitting on his own front door steps, on Monday evening, was knocked down, stabbed and robbed of some $175 by a man who had entered the house by the back door and stolen upon his victim. The money belonged to the employers of the young man robbed, he having collected it that evening. The bold robber has thus far escaped detection.

A BEGGAR woman of Alconon, France, died recently in destitution. The charitable neighbors in putting the house to right after the funeral, found ten thousand dollars hid away in corners by the poor old woman.

A numismatologist, of New York, had the pleasure of purchasing an American silver dollar of 1804 for $756, at a sale of rare coins last week. There is but one of the same issue known to be in any collection.

A Sanatorium, where invalids may enjoy excellent care, together with the advantages of mineral spring water, salt water, bathing and boating, is about to be established by private enterprise in New York.

The Sultan of Turkey has an income of $45,000,000 in gold, yet he has never enough money to meet his current expenses, and is involved in debt.

Louisville is organizing a Bee Keepers' Association, and has called a Convention, where very many eminent apiarians are expected to be present.

Near New Albany a man threw a stone at a bull. He failed to hit the bull's eye, but succeeded in hitting and killing a man named Woodward.

Chase offers to hold court in Richmond for the trial of Jeff. Davis on the 18th of November, if Judge Underwood will do so too.

A Methodist preacher is lecturing on the era's of the people. Most men of his profession lecture on the errors of the people.

EGYPT having again gotten a King, is about to have postage stamps, a thing which it is supposed the Pharoahs never dreamed of.

ANNA DICKINSON has decided on leaving the rostrum for the stage, where it is hoped she will at length find her proper vocation.

AN hour-glass two hundred years old is said to be in the possession of a man in Cedar Falls, Iowa. The time of Old Hundreds.

THE farmers in all parts of the country complain that the so called Agricultural Fairs are nothing but horse shows and race grounds.

Dr. Barnes, of Chicago, has never been able to find why sin was let loose on the world, and is greatly troubled thereat.

GEN. SHERMAN is in Chicago stopping at the Tremont House.

PARIS has twenty-two theatres.

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MIDNIGHT.

FROM EUROPE.

THE ROMAN QUESTION.

Particulars of Garibaldi's Defeat.

His Loss 900 Killed and 1 000 Taken Prisoners.

The Bread Riots in England.

Garibaldi in Prison.

Declares He is a United States Citizen

Claims His Rights as Such.

American Minister to Visit Him.

Conference of the Powers to be Called by France.

Fenians Acquitted in Manchester.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ITALY.

ROME, Nov. 3.—*Evening.*—During the past few days Gen. Garibaldi concentrated his forces around his former position at Monte Rotundo. Yesterday afternoon Signori Corte Crispi and Sevardent, supporters of his cause, and a formal deputation from the Revolutionary Society, begged of him to withdraw, stating that the Italian troops had crossed the frontier. Garibaldi refused, saying "he did not value his life in such a cause, and that a soldier ought not to count the number of his enemies." Signor Corte replied: "A General should." The deputation then left the camp.

This morning Garibaldi, with about three thousand of his command, having two guns, moved for Tivoli, to join Nicatero, one of his officers. In the meantime the Papal Zouaves, who were advancing, had taken Tivoli at the point of the bayonet. Garibaldi's force did not know this, and were marching towards the same point. When they arrived at Milona they were surprised by seven battalions of the Papal army, supported by twelve guns, who attacked them in the front and both flanks. The battle ground was among the hills, with a country road running on both sides. The fighting continued fiercely for over an hour. In the hottest moment of the engagement Garibaldi had to be dragged away from the battle. His troops suffered much loss, and retreated towards Monte Rotundo, pursued by the soldiers of the Pope. Here the fight was renewed and continued for over an hour, when the Garibaldian retreat became an utter rout.

It is believed here that General Garibaldi had nine hundred men killed, one thousand prisoners taken, and a great many wounded. Menoti Garibaldi was wounded slightly in the leg. The loss of the Papal force was not so heavy. Arrived at the Italian frontier, the retreating Garibaldians gave up their arms, except weapons which were their own private property, to the Italian regular troops.

Garibaldi left this morning by a special railroad train for Florence. He made no parting address, and looked old, haggard and disappointed. The revolutionary insurrection movement is broken down all over the territory. There were no French engaged in the fight, with the exception of a few who went in as volunteers, though some of the Garibaldians, deceived by the resemblance of the uniform of the Papal soldiers to that worn in some of the French regiments of the line, say they were beaten by the French soldiers. The Italian troops, stationed on the frontier, behaved with great judgment in the emergency. Many of the wounded Garibaldians are here and some at Monte Rotundo.

TERNI, November 4—*Afternoon*—Hundreds of wounded men are arriving here from the scene of the late engagements between the Garibaldians and the Papal troops. They are conveyed by special railroad trains. The Italian regulars act in a very kindly manner to all, assisting in carrying them from the station to where they are laid, weeping like women on beholding the sad spectacle. Father Gavazzi has charge of the hospital.

LIGGINOLE, November 4.—When Gen. Garibaldi reached here this morning, the Italian officers on duty told him he must go to Spezzia. Garibaldi drew a revolver, saying he would not resist the officers, but that he would not go willingly. The Italian soldiers then stepped forward and lifted him into the cars. His sons would not go with him.

FLORENCE, November 5.—The English Minister and Embassy here have requested King Victor Emanuel to treat Garibaldi leniently.

It is said there will be no collision between the French and Italian troops.

Italy is quiet.

There are rumors afloat here to the effect that Garibaldi's mind is affected.

PARIS, November 5.—The *La Presse*, of this evening, says: The French Charge De Affairs, at Florence, was ordered to present on Sunday to the King's Government an ultimatum that the Italian troops which had been marched into Papal territory should evacuate it before Thursday evening, November seventh.

GARIBALDI'S ARREST—ITALIAN TROOPS RECALLED FROM ROME.

FLORENCE, Nov. 6.—The *Gazetta* announces that Garibaldi was arrested by the Italian Government, and the vote in the towns in the province, which seem in favor of a union with Italy, has been discontinued. The Italian troops have been re-called from the territory of Rome.

FRENCH TROOPS TO RETIRE—GARIBALDI'S SONS ALSO PRISONERS.

PARIS, Nov. 6.—The *Courier de Francaise* announces that the French troops will retire from Rome to Avitia, pending the negotiations between Italy and France and Rome in regard to the existing difficulties.

The *Moniteur* says Garibaldi with his two sons are prisoners at Varaguana.

FURTHER OF GARIBALDI'S DEFEAT.

FLORENCE, Nov. 6.—On Sunday Garibaldi, with 3,500 men and two cannon, left his camp, near Monte Rotundo, to advance to the attack of Tivoli, which was held by the Papal troops. He found the latter to number 6,500 men, posted in a strong position, and supported by artillery. The Pontificial troops immediately fired with their batteries upon the approaching Garibaldians. A desperate conflict ensued, which lasted forty-five minutes, when Garibaldi retreated. The battle was renewed at Monte Rotundo. The insurgents fought with great obstination and kept up the conflict at this point for two hours and a half, when, exhausted and overwhelmed, they gave way and were utterly routed. Four hundred and fifty insurgents were killed, and nine hundred taken prisoners. No idea of the number wounded can be ascertained. The total loss of the Papal troops is seven hundred killed and wounded.

GARIBALDI IN PRISON—DECLARES HE IS A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES.

FLORENCE, Nov. 6,—*Afternoon.*—Garibaldi is now in prison at Vigevano, in Piedemont. He claims he is a citizen of the United States, and demands his rights and privileges as such, under the laws of nations. The American Minister, Hon. George P. Marsh, left Florence for Vigevano to visit the General.

RETURN OF FRENCH TROOPS.

PARIS, November 6—*Afternoon.*—One division of the French troops which entered Rome has already been withdrawn from the city and returned to Civita Vecchia, and the rest will soon follow. The whole expedition for the relief of Rome will then remain at Civita Vecchia, and there await the action of Italy.

The feeling on the Bourse to-day has been animated, but the cessation of war like preparations and general disarming are necessary to restore confidence.

A call for a General Conference of the European powers will soon be issued by the French Government.

GEN. CIALDINI IN COMMAND.

FLORENCE, Nov. 6—P. M.—Gen. Cialdini is in command of the Italian forces acting as an army of observation on the Papal frontier. He has located his headquarters at Pisa.

ENGLAND.

THE BREAD RIOTS AT EXETER—SIMILAR RIOTS AT AXMINSTER—MILITIA CALLED OUT.

EXETER, November 4.—*Midnight.*—The bread riot, which commenced here, has extended to Axminster, situated twenty miles east of Exeter, where the premises of the corn dealers have been burned. Axminster contains the well-known carpet factories, with buildings for the manufacture of woolen cloths, and has a very determined population of working men. The local militia have been called out and placed under arms in Exeter, and reinforcements of the regular troops have arrived in the city from the Naval Station at Plymouth. Several arrests have been made. Special constables have been sworn in both at Exeter and Axminster. The Mayor of Exeter had made a speech to the people, but the mob is still in force, and great excitement prevails in the streets even at this hour.

FENIANS ACQUITTED.

MANCHESTER, Nov. 6—*Evening.*—Of the prisoners tried before the Special Commission yesterday and to-day, Nugent, Bramon, Featherstone, Caffey and Martin have been acquitted.

FRANCE.

DEPARTURE OF FRANCIS JOSEPH.

PARIS, Nov. 6.—The visit of the Emperor of Austria to France has ended, and His Majesty departed from Paris yesterday on his return to Vienna.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, Nov. 6, P. M.—Consols closed at 94¼. Five Twenties, 70½; Illinois Central, 81 16 16; Erie, 47.

FRANKFORT, Nov. 6, P. M.—United States bonds, 76.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 6.—*Evening.*—Cotton closed a shade firmer at an advance of 1 16 on American descriptions; Middling uplands at 8 9-16d; Orleans, 8 13-16d. sales 15,000 bales. Breadstuffs—Corn, 40s 6d. Wheat; white California, 15s 6d; No. 1 Milwaukee, 13s 9d. Barley, 5s 4d. Oats, 3s 11d. Peas, 51s. Provisions—Beef, 115s 6d. Pork, 72s. Bacon, 52s. Lard, 52s 6d. Cheese, 52s. Produce—Rosin; common, 8s 3d; fine pale, 12s. Tallow, 44s 6d. Spirits Turpentine, 27s. Petroleum advanced to 2d; refined, 1s 5½d.

LONDON, Nov. 6.—*Evening.*—Sugar, 26s 6d for No. 12.

ANTWERP, Nov. 6, P. M.—Petroleum heavy and declining; standard white, 43 francs 75 centimes.

HURRICANE IN THE WEST INDIES.

Loss of Life Great and Destruction of Property Immense.

Town of St. Thomas in Ruins.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAVANA, November 5.—An official dispatch from the Superintendent of the Royal Mail Steamship Company at St. Thomas, to the British Consul in this city, says all the property of the Company was destroyed by a terrible tornado on the 29th of October. The steamer Rhone was lost on Peter Island, and the Wye on Buck Island. The Conway went ashore on Tortala Island, and the Derwent at St. Thomas. The Solent and Tyne were dismasted. The town of St. Thomas is in complete ruins. Fifty vessels are ashore. The loss of life was very great, and the destruction of property immense. All the officers and engineers on the Rhone and all others on board were lost. From the Wye forty persons were saved, including Captain Taylor and Mr. Hodgeson. Of the passengers on board the regular steamer for Southampton, which had sailed with one hundred and fifty passengers, only twelve were saved. A French steamer was also damaged, and the list of other vessels that received injuries is very large.

THE REVOLUTION IN ST. DOMINGO.

HAVANA, Oct. 30, via KEY WEST, Nov. 5.—An armed expedition of the followers of Ex President Baez landed at Monte Cristo from Haytien vessels, and occupied Guayabin. They were attacked and beaten by General Telanso. The Dominicans are panting to avenge the treachery of Solnave, and could easily march five hundred armed men on the capital of Hayti. The Dominican Minister of Hayti has been recalled. President Cabral has gone to Cibos. He has negotiated a loan with London capitalists for ten millions.

STEAMER WRECKED.

Just before day break the steamship Hendrick Hudson went ashore on the Chibo beach, near Moro Castle, having been carried ashore by a heavy current and a strong northeast squall. She is a total loss. It is probable no lives were lost.

MEXICO.

Rumor of a Revolution to Overthrow Juarez—The Government Will Not Recognize Foreign Governments Until They Recognize the Republic, &c. &c.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

HAVANA, Nov. 5.—Late advices from Mexico state it was momentarily expected a revolution would break out in that republic for the overthrow of Juarez.

HAVANA, November 5.—The Mexican government refuses to hold any intercourse with the Ministers and Consuls of foreign governments until the Republic is recognized by such governments. Santa Anna and wife come passengers on the steamer Elder, *en route* to St. Thomas. The court which tried him has been imprisoned for exiling.

The remains of Maximilian had not been sent to Vera Cruz up to the departure of the Elder. Mr. Hall, Maximilian's lawyer, is a passenger on the Elder, and goes to New Orleans.

CANADA.

Opening of Parliament.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

OTTOWA, Nov. 6.—Hon. James Couchon was appointed Speaker of the Senate. The Canada Parliament was formally opened this afternoon. To-morrow the Governor General will deliver an address from the Throne.

Fire at Scranton, Pa.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SCRANTON, Nov. 6.—A fire in the Fourth ward this morning destroyed ten buildings occupied as stores, saloons and dwellings. Jas. T. Stello, Hyde Park Cooperation Co., Mrs. Walter, J. Jones, H. Sahm, H. B. Powell, M. Green and M. O. Mear, are the principal losers. Loss between $30,000 and $40,000; about one-half insured.

Yellow Fever at Mobile.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MOBILE, Nov. 6.—Weather clear and cold; heavy frost this morning. The physicians say there is no danger in visiting the city. Yellow fever deaths to-day, eleven.

Jail Delivery.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

SCHENECTADY, November 6.—Five criminals escaped from the jail last night, including Frank King, under indictment for murder.

River Telegrams.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, November 6.—River at a stand, with five feet nine inches in the canal by the mark.

SECOND EDITION.

THREE O'CLOCK A. M.

THE STATE ELECTIONS.

NEW YORK.

The Press on the Result—Democratic Majority in the State 40,000—The Contest for Sheriff—Riot in Fifth Ward, Brooklyn.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 6, 1867.

The *Tribune* says: "With three-fourths of the Republican journals published in our city either neutral in the contest or virtually telling their readers it would be better for the Republican cause to have the Republican ticket beaten this fall, we could hardly expect to hold our own in State or city; but the defection in both is far greater than could with reason have been anticipated. To let the election go by default, it was held and argued by the trimmers and camp followers would crush out what they are pleased to stigmatize as Radicalism, and render inevitable the nomination of General Grant for President. Such considerations and calculations have kept fifty thousand voters from the polls, and insured the overwhelming defeat of our State ticket."

The *Times* says: "The vote of the the State of New York yesterday went Democratic by an aggregate majority ranging from present figures and estimates from eighteen to twenty-three thousand."

The *Herald* says: "New York, with her large financial interest, declares against the party of debt and taxation, and rebukes the attempt to place the Southern States of the Union under the heel of the African barbarian."

The *World* says: "By yesterday's work the Empire State placed herself at the head of the noble army of Commonwealths whose mission has been here and now to stay the hands of the architects of ruin, and whose mission will be in the year and the contests that are to come to redeem and restore the Union, and establish peace and representation and self government throughout all its borders."

The *Post* thinks the "manifestation of the people will be a mere passing chastisement, intended to rebuke their faults and bring them back to moderation, common sense and policy."

The *Commercial Advertiser* accuses the managers of the Republican party of improvidently and thriftlessly scattering what cost so much care and toil to save; but with this defeat, our winter of discontent, and under better auspices, the approaching canvass will be made glorious summer. Shaking itself free from incumbrances, the Republican party, re-organized, reformed and purified, will assert its devotion to the Union, unfurl the Grant banner and fight out the Presidential campaign on this line.

NEW YORK, November 6.—The returns complete and estimated from thirty-eight counties give a Democratic gain over last last, year, when the Republicans carried the State by 12,789 votes. The Democratic majority in the State will doubtless exceed 40,000.

The vote for Sheriff in this city is quite close. O'Brien, Tammany candidate, is elected by eight hundred and eighty votes over Connally, Mozart nominee.

Quite a riot occurred in the Fifth ward, Brooklyn, last night. A gang of rowdies attempted to tear down the sheds at the corner of Johnson and Gold streets. An officer who arrested one was stoned by the crowd, but was not injured. The use of his revolver had no effect on the mob. One of the rioters was subsequently arrested.

The *Tribune* concedes the State to the Democrats by not less than forty thousand.

ALBANY, November 6.—The *Argus* claims over 40,000 majority for the Democratic State ticket, a majority of the Assembly and at least fifteen of the thirty-two Senators.

MASSACHUSETTS.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BOSTON, Massachusetts, November 6.—The vote of two hundred and forty-nine towns give Bullock 83,626, Adams 62,556. Of the State Senators elected so far as heard from twenty-eight are licensemen and only six for prohibition. Out of one hundred and ninety-five Representatives one hundred and fifty-five are for license. John Quincy Adams was elected Representative from Quincy.

MARYLAND.

Complete Democratic Success.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

BALTIMORE, Nov. 6.—Returns come in slowly. The indications are that every official position in the State will be filled by Democrats. In Washington county the entire Democratic ticket is elected. It is also believed that the entire Democratic ticket is elected in Frederick county. Kent county gives twelve hundred and eighty-two Democratic majority, and Wycomco, (a new county,) gives one thousand Democratic majority.

WISCONSIN.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MILWAUKEE, November 6.—The net Democratic gain in the State, as far as heard from, is two thousand and four. The Republicans claim that Fairchild is elected by about four thousand. The Democrats concede about three thousand. The Democrats gain six or eight members of the Assembly, and three or four Senators.

MINNESOTA.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

ST. PAUL, Nov. 6.—Scattering returns indicate that Marshall, Republican, is elected Governor by about 4,000 majority. Negro suffrage is probably defeated, though not yet hopeless. The entire Democratic ticket is elected in this county by from seven to eight hundred majority.

PHILADELPHIA.

National Presbyterian Union Convention in Session.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette]

PHILADELPHIA, Nov 9.—The National Presbyterian Union Convention has commenced its session. Rev. Mr. Blair, the oldest delegate present, opened the Convention with prayer. George H. Stewart was elected permanent Chairman, and Dr. Archibald, of New York, clerk. Over three hundred delegates are present, representing the Dutch Reformed Church, the Old and New School and Reformed United and Cumberland Presbyterian Churches. Revs. Dr. Hodge, H. B. Smith, Hatfield, Breckenridge, Beatty, Duffield and many other distinguished divines are present. The Church in which the Convention meets is crowded at evening Session, and great public interest shown in its deliberations.

NEW ORLEANS.

Yellow Fever no Longer Epidemic—Total Deaths, 3,000.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 6.—The Board of Health last night declared yellow fever no longer epidemic, and that the city is now free from all epidemic disease; that citizens and strangers can return at once without apprehension. The weather has been very cold for several days, with northerly winds. The total number of deaths from the epidemic to yesterday morning was three hundred. The Board of Health pays a high and deserved compliment to the Howard Association, saying their success has been wonderful. There were six interments from yellow fever yesterday. The Theatre season has commenced.

ALABAMA.

Proceedings of the Reconstruction Convention.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

MONTGOMERY, Nov. 6.—The Reconstruction Convention to-day passed a resolution authorizing the raising of proper standing committees, and to memorialize Congress to remove the political disabilities of all who materially aided reconstruction. An ordinance was introduced and referred to restore all the property sold by executors and administrators during the war, for Confederate currency, to the legal heirs of the estates, without suit in court. The State Constitution will probably be modled after the Vermont Constitution.

WASHINGTON.

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(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6, 1867.

FARRAGUT'S RECEPTION IN ENGLAND.

The Navy Department has received an official account from Admiral Farragut of his reception in England. He expresses gratitude at the great courtesy extended to himself and officers.

LAND OFFICE.

The report of the Commissioner General of the land office shows that nine millions acres of public lands have been disposed of during the past year. There is yet remaining fourteen hundred millions acres, including the recently acquired Russian territory.

RAILROADS IN THE UNITED STATES.

There are now thirty-seven thousand miles of completed railroad in this country, while the number of miles in course of construction is 17,560.

SECRETARY M'CULLOCH.

The Secretary of the Treasury being engaged in preparation his financial report, denies himself to nearly all visitors.

FROM CRETE.

The latest accounts from Crete confirm the report of the total failure of the mission of Ali Pasha. The Cretans are preparing for a winter campaign against the Turks. They declare they will not lay down their arms until the Island is annexed to Greece. Advices from Athens announce the nomination of Mr. Pakaminta as President of the Assembly, with a strong ministerial majority, which is considered as indicative of the stability of the administration.

GRANT ADVOCATED.

Forney's *Press* and *Chronicle* of to-morrow will each contain a long editorial in advocacy of General Grant for President. It is therein said that Gen. Grant is in hearty accord with the Republican party, and in proof of the truth of this assertion the editor quotes from the speech of Hon. Elihu B. Washburne, of Elizabeth, Illinois, on the 5th of October, which Colonel Forney says may be accepted as a like authority with the declarations of General Rawlings, now chief of staff of the army of the United States, made at Galena on the 21st of June last. As to General Rawlings' speech, the editor says, in italics, it was carefully prepared in Washington, after a full understanding with General Grant, and was spoken that the country might know exactly the position occupied by General Grant himself.

TREATMENT OF UNION PRISONERS.

Several members of the Committee on the Treatment of Union Prisoners arrived this morning from New York. A sub-Committee, with Representative Pile for chairman, will commence sitting at the Capitol on Friday. A number of witnesses are summoned, most of whom are expected to-morrow. Mr. Shanks, Chairman of the General Committee, will go to the west for the purpose of taking more testimony.

WHISKEY TAX.

It is stated Commissioner Rollins' report will contain a strong argument in favor of adopting a plan of taxing whiskey stills according to capacity.

GENERAL GRANT

Was busily engaged at Headquarters this morning preparing his annual report as General of the Army of the United States.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

Conservative Convention Assembled.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

COLUMBIA, Nov. 6.—The Conservative Convention met to-day. Eighty-six delegates were present, representing twenty districts. James Chestnut was elected President. A Committee on Business was appointed and the Convention adjourned until to-morrow.

Personal.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, November 6.—Chief Justice S. P. Chase arrived in this city this evening, and is stopping at the Metropolitan Hotel; also, Brig. Gen. Garfield, just arrived from Europe.

Yale College [Professor Dead.

(By Telegraph to Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW HAVEN, November 6.—Worthington Hooker, M. D., Professor of Yale Medical College, died this evening.

THE COURTS.

Supreme Court Proceedings.

Court met at nine o'clock Wednesday morning. Present a full bench. The following cases were heard:

Steel vs. Frick. Westmoreland county. Argued by Foster for dlaintiff in error and by Laird contra.

Roberts *et al.* vs. Orr *et al.*; Armstrong county. Argued by Gilpin for plaintiff in error, and Golden contra.

Donnelly vs. Thomas *et al.*; Indiana county. Argued by Stewart and Foster for plaintiff in error and by Golden contra.

Finlay vs. Stewart; Armstrong county. Submitted by Barclay for plaintiff in error, and by Golden and Gilpin contra.

Humphreys vs Armstrong county; Armstrong county. Submitted by Barclay and Phelps for plaintiff in error, and by Golden and Neale contra.

Gompers vs. Roebester; Indiana county. Argued by Weir for plaintiff in error, by John P. Blair contra.

United States District Court—Judge McCandless.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 5.—Court met at the usual hour, ten o'clock.

United States vs. 34,400 cigars, owned by John Paine. Proceeding *in rem* for affixing alleged false stamps. Luzerne county case. Verdict not guilty. An indictment against the same defendant, relative to the same matter, was disposed of by a verdict of not guilty.

United States vs. David Boetz. Defendant plead guilty to carrying on the business of a pedlar of the 4th class and was sentenced to pay a fine of ten dollars and costs.

United States vs. Daniel Mecnan. Indictment, concealing whisky upon which the tax had not been paid. On trial.

United States vs. Charles Byron; selling lager beer without having stamps affixed to the bungholes of the barrels. Held to bail for his appearance at ten o'clock Thursday morning.

United States vs. Peter Auen. Criminal docket. Continued till January special term.

United States vs. nine casks of beer *et alia*, being the property of Peter Auen. Bond filed and property ordered to be released.

Common Pleas—Judge Mellon.

WEDNESDAY, November 6.—Court met at the usual hour, ten o'clock.

Tradesmens National Bank of Pittsburgh vs. C. W. Ricketson's administrator. Verdict for plaintiff for $5,510,73.

National Bank of Lawrence county vs. C. W. Ricketson's administrator. Verdict in favor of plaintiff for $15,917,01.

Samuel Cochran and Wm. Campbell vs. James M. Byers. This was an action to recover the value of two hundred sheep, seized by the defendant, who was then Sheriff of Washington county. The sheep were seized as the property of Gen. Callen, of Cannonsburg, upon a judgment issued at the suit of A. J. McQuiston, and were sold under that judgment. The plaintiffs allege that the sheep belonged to them and not Gen. Callen, and bring this suit to recover the value thereof, claimed to be $2,000. Messrs Acheson and Gibson for plaintiffs and Marshall for defendant. On trial.

Following is the list for this day.

57. Henry vs. Nolan.
64. Pease vs. West. Transportation Co.
66. Hare vs. Rigdon et. al.
4. Richardson & Co. vs. Miller.
8. Sorg for use vs. Rohrkaste.
9. McGinniss vs. McGinniss.
10. Miller vs. McGinniss.
21. Gunther vs. Offenback.
22. Anderson vs. Smidth & Co.
24. Brown vs. Bailey.

Samuel Swift, a very worthy young man of Greenville, Pa., died suddenly one day last week. He had been subject to epilepsy, and on retiring to his bed was in his usual health, but was found dead in the morning, dying, as is presumed, from a fit.

The Johnstown Counterfeiters—Wright and Waters—were taken to the Penitentiary yesterday.

The Allegheny County Cases will be taken up in the Supreme Court to-day.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Sale of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad—Penna. Central the Purchaser for $1,960,000

Wednesday at twelve o'clock, M., at the Court House, in this city, was exposed to public sale the Pittsburgh and Steubenville (or Pan Handle) Railroad, from the south side of the Monongahela river, opposite this city, to the easterly side of the Ohio river opposite Steubenville, with all the property franchises, &c.; also all the cars, engines, and other things tending to the management of the road. The sale was in pursuance of a decree of the Supreme Court under a mortgage, dated August 1st, 185[illegible], (declared to be a first lien,) given to Thomas McElrath, of New York, in trust, for the benefit of the holders of bonds of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Company, bearing even date with the mortgage, to the amount of one million of dollars, and for securing the same with the principal moneys and interest thereafter to accrue thereon.

Shortly before twelve o'clock a crowd began collecting in the rotunda of the Court House, and among others we noticed Hon. Thomas C. Jewett, President of the Western Transportation Company (lessees of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad,) J. Edgar Thompson, President of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad, George W. Cass, President of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad, William Phillips, President of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, Colonel M'Cook, of Steubenville, George B. Roberts, of Philadelphia, Theodore Cuyler, of Philadelphia, Solicitor of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad, Wm. J. Howard and Jno. H. Hampton, Solicitors of the Pennsylvania Central, W. C. Moreland, Solicitor of the Western Transportation Company; and W. R. Ellis, of New York.

After the hour of twelve was sounded by the tower bell, Capt. Harry B. Smithson, of the auction firm of Smithson, Palmer & Co., was about to begin the sale, when, for comfort's sake, the atmosphere being very chilly, the District Court room was thrown open, and thither the crowd proceeded. Capt. Smithson took the bench and formally announced that the sale was about to proceed. Theodore Cuyler, Esq., by request, read the advertisement of the trustee, Mr. McElrath, who was present. After the reading Mr. Cuyler announced that the sale was subject to a certain contract, entered into in 185[illegible], with the Chartiers Valley Railroad Company.

J. H. Hampton, Esq., at the request of the President of the Western Transportation Company, read a paper giving notice of a claim of $1,400,000, for rights of way, material, labor, &c., and money advanced in the completion of the Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad.

A gentleman whose name we did not learn, also gave notice of a claim of Frederick Marshall, of Noblestown, for $5,000 for grading.

Captain Smithson stated that bidders might take notice of the claims presented, if they chose, but they would not be recognized in the sale, which would be in accordance with the mortgage and decree of the Court.

By this time the Court room was pretty well filled. The bidding commenced at a quarter past twelve, and the first sum named was twenty thousand dollars. In the course of fifteen minutes the figures had increased to five hundred thousand; in five minutes more to one million; at forty minutes past twelve to one million five hundred thousand; 1250, one million seven hundred thousand; 12:55, one million nine hundred thousand. The bids then ran ten, twenty, thirty, thirty-five, forty—one—two—three and last call—forty-five, fifty, fifty-five, sixty—one—two—three and last call—gone (said Capt. Smithson) for *one million nine hundred and sixty thousand dollars*, bid by W. J. Howard, Esq., Solicitor of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The next highest bidder was W. R. Ellis, who represented himself and other capitalists of New York city.

After the formality of signing the bids, Mr. Howard, in compliance with the terms of the sale, produced the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, gave it to the mortgage trustee, Mr. McElrath, and took a receipt therefor, thus completing the business of the occasion. The result was as had been generally anticipated.

Labor Reform Convention—Nominations Postponed—Eleven Districts Represented.

The Delegates elected to the Labor Reform Convention, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the various Municipal Offices, met pursuant to call at the rooms of the Firemens' Association, City Building, Wednesday evening, Nov. 6th. The meeting was organized by calling George Baber to the Chair, and appointing H. B. Hagey, Secretary.

Mr. Baber took the Chair, and after thanking the Convention for the honor conferred upon him, stated that the Convention was ready for business.

Mr. S. W. Clay offered the following resolution which was adopted:

WHEREAS, The delegates here assembled in this Convention deem it inexpedient to make nominations at present for the offices to be filled at the ensuing election, therefore

Resolved, That this Convention stand adjourned from this date to the evening of the 27th of November, 1867.

After the adjournment the Chairman stated that he had by some means neglected to have the list of delegates read, and in order that they might know what districts were represented requested the Secretary to call the names of the delegates.

The Secretary then called the names of the delegates, when seventeen responded, representing eleven districts, viz: The First, Second, Third, Fourth, Seventh, Eighth and Ninth wards of the city; First and Second wards, Lawrenceville, Oakland and Pitt townships.

On motion, the districts not represented were requested to send delegates to the Convention on the 27th inst.

The meeting then adjourned.

The Destroying Angel.

We have a distinct recollection of reading an account of the doings of the destroying angel in Revelations, how the vials of wrath were emptied upon the heads of the offending millions, etc., but never dreamed of meeting him or any of his assistants on this terrestrial globe, or even hearing of his presence hereabouts. He is here, or at least an individual professing to be an "Angel," made his appearance on Penn street, yesterday, where he exercised his disposition to destroy and leave desolate whatsoever should come within his reach. He was armed, not with a two edged sword, but an old, dull hatchet, with which he broke windows, hacked door posts, and even attacked the sign of Dr. Charles William Betzol, at the building formerly occupied by the Catholic High School, which he defaced into utter destruction. The Doctor did not appreciate his labors, and straightway went to the office of Alderman Taylor and made an information against Mr. Angel, charging him with malicious mischief. A warrant was issued for his arrest and placed in the hands of officer Bell, who, if Angel has not taken his departure from this portion of the land, will certainly arrest him and take him before the Alderman, where all who have a desire to see him can do so, free of charge, by calling at the office.

False Pretense.

We have, on several occasions, spoken of the practice of using the criminal law for the purpose of collecting debts, and in collecting police news have found numbers of false pretense cases which appeared to have but little, if any foundation; but never before have we heard of a more palpable attempt to subvert the criminal law for that purpose than the following:

Charles Konmer, a resident of Indiana township, attended a public sale in that district, where he bought at auction hogs amounting to $53, for which he gave his note to Antone Mankie, of whom the hogs were purchased, payable in ninety days. The note matured a few days since, but Konmer was not prepared to lift it and asked for an extension, which was refused, and yesterday the holder of the note, Mr. Mankie, made information before Alderman Mullin, of Allegheny, against Konmer, charging him with false pretense. The defendant was arrested and held for a hearing. The use of the criminal law for the purpose of enforcing the payment of debts is intolerable, and something should be done to stop it.

Two attempts have been made to burn the old Academy building in Franklin, but both were unsuccessful. It is supposed that the fire was kindled by some old cop who blames school houses and academies for converting Venango into a Republican county.

The Erie *Gazette* suggests that the church pews in that city be placed upon pivots, so that the occupants may not be obliged to strain their necks every time somebody comes into the church.

Dividend and Election Announcements.

The business community fully appreciate the advantages presented by the GAZETTE as an advertising medium, as will be seen by reference to our columns. As the dividend and election notices are of importance to persons interested in the various banking, insurance and oil companies of the city, we herewith publish the announcements in this issue.

DIVIDENDS.

The Directors of the Marine Oil Company have declared a dividend of five per cent. on the capital stock, payable at their office, No. 12 Fourth street, on and after November 5th, 1867. Transfer books closed.

Mr. G. A. Endley, Cashier of the German National Bank, announces that a semi-annual dividend of six per cent., (free of Government tax) on the capital stock of the bank has been declared by the Board of Directors, payable on and after the 11th inst.

Mr. J. Magoffin, Cashier of the Iron City National Bank announces that the Directors of the bank have declared a dividend of six per cent. on the capital stock out of the profits of the last six months, payable to the stockholders, or their legal representatives, on and after the 11th inst., free of national tax.

Mr. William Mussler, Secretary and Treasurer of the Triumph Oil Company, advertises that the Board of Directors have declared a monthly dividend of five per cent., payable on and after the 15th instant, at their office. The transfer books will be closed from the 10th to the 15th inst., inclusive.

Mr. D. C. Hultz, Secretary of the Pittsburgh Insurance Company, announces that at a meeting of the Board of Directors a dividend was declared of ten dollars per share, (payable on and after the 12th inst.,) $2 in cash and $8 to credit of Stock Due Bills, making the stock fully paid up, free of National tax.

Mr. Wm. P. Herbert, Secretary of the Western Insurance Company, advertises that the Board of Directors of this Company have declared a dividend of three dollars upon each share of the capital stock, out of the earned profits of the last six months, free of Government and State taxes, payable to stockholders on and after the 12th inst.

Mr. Wm. Roseburg, Cashier of the Bank of Pittsburgh, announces that the President and Directors have declared a dividend of five per cent. on its capital stock, out of the profits of the last six months, which will be paid to stockholders or their legal representatives, on or after the 15th inst., free of Government, State and local taxes.

Mr. James Robb, President, of the Keystone Savings Bank, advertises that the Directors declared a dividend of three dollars per share, out of the profits of the last six months, payable at their new Banking House, No. 293 Liberty street, on or after the 28th inst.

Mr. H. M. Murray, Cashier of the Exchange National Bank, announces that the Board of Directors have declared, from the earnings of the last six months, a dividend of six per cent. revenue tax paid by the bank. Stockholders will be paid on or after the 11th inst.

Mr. J. E. Brady, Jr., Cashier of the Citizens National Bank, advertises that the Directors of this Bank have declared a dividend of five per cent. on the capital stock, out of the profits of the last six months, payable to the stockholders or their legal representatives, on and after the 17th inst., free of Government tax.

Mr. J. C. Livingston, Cashier of the Third National Bank, announces that the Board of Directors of this Bank have declared a dividend of six per cent. on the capital stock, out of the earnings of the last six months, free of Government tax, payable on and after Monday, 11th inst.

Mr. W. J. Palmer, Treasurer of the Union Pacific Railway Company, Eastern Division, advertises that the interest on the First Mortgage Bonds, Leavenworth Branch, of the Union Pacific Railway Company, Eastern Division, due November 1st, 1867, will be paid on presentation of the coupons therefor, at the Banking House of Dabney, Morgan & Co., 53 Exchange Place, New York, on and after that date.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

Mr. W. P. Herbert, Secretary of the Western Insurance Company, announces that an election for thirteen Directors of that Company, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office, No. 92 Water street, on Tuesday, 12th inst., between the hours of 11 a. m. and 2 p. m.

Mr. W. M. Hersh, Secretary of the Jones Ferry Company, advertises that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the the Company will be held on Monday, Nov. 11th, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the office of A. D. Smith & Bro, Water street, at which time and place an election for Directors will be held, and such other business transacted as may be brought before them.

Mr. F. De Haan, Secretary, announces that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company, at Oakland Station, on Monday, November 18th, 1867, between the hours of one and three o'clock p. m., for the election of Directors, Secretary and Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Mr. D. P. Corwin, Secretary, advertises that the ninth annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens Passenger Railway Company, of the city of Pittsburgh, will be held at M. McGinley's, No. 27½ Fifth street, on Monday, November 18th, 1867, at 7 o'clock P. M., at which time and place a Board of Directors will be elected for the ensuing year, and such other business transacted as may come before the meeting.

Mr. W. K. Nimick, Secretary, announces that the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Pittsburgh & Birmingham Passenger Railway Company will be held at the Monongahela House, on Monday, November 18th, 1867, at 12½ o'clock P. M., at which time and place a Board of Directors will be elected for the ensuing year, and such other business transacted as may come before the meeting.

The Nicolson Pavement.

The work of laying the Nicolson patent pavement on Wood street has not yet been commenced; but from the progress of the preliminary arrangements, we presume it will be in a few days, after which, we are informed, it is the intention to complete one hundred and fifty lineal feet per day. The street from Water to First is graded and graveled, ready for the plank, which is being tarred preparatory to being laid down. For this purpose an iron trough, about twenty feet in length, two feet wide, and eighteen inches deep, is placed across Wood street at First, under which is a furnace. This cauldron, or trough, is partially filled with coal tar, which is heated to a high temperature by the fire in the furnace beneath, and in this each board is dipped and allowed to remain about a minute, when it is removed by two men, one at either end, with tongs made for the purpose, and after the hot tar has dropped from it it is piled, ready for use. The method of putting down the pavement after the material has been prepared is familiar to most of our readers, as it has been frequently stated.

The city generally, and the Wood street merchants in particular, have suffered great inconvenience during the past reason, on account of the delay in paving the street paved, and its completion will meet with a hearty welcome from all concerned.

Delightful.

We have just had the pleasure of hearing and seeing at Mellor's Music Rooms another of those charming Decker Pianos, which to our eyes and ears is a marvel of exquisite workmanship and refined musical tone. The furniture is of the handsomest rosewood, embellished with rich mouldings, and the legs carved in imitation of fruits and flowers. The tone is pure and clear as a rich human voice, and rings out its melody in the richest profusion under the hands of the player. We always thought the Deckers were fine pianos, but we did not expect to hear such an instrument as this when Mr. Mellor invited us to his rooms. We are informed that this piano has been already sold, and goes to grace the parlor of one of our most estimable citizens, where it will discourse sweet melody to admiring friends, and sound forth the praises of the Decker Bros. as artists in their line of business.

Good

Prunes, Raisins, Currants, Citron, Spiced Salmon, Canned Fruits and Vegetables, Pickles, Catsups, Sauces, Jellies, Marmalade, Extract of Beef, Condensed Milk, Gelatine, Canton Ginger, Baker & Whitman's Chocolates, Spiced Oysters, Fresh Pine Apples, Quinces, Plums, Cherries, Currants, Pears and Blackberries, Spices, Olives, Capers, Olive Oil, Tamarinds, Extracts, &c., &c., second door North of the First National Bank, Allegheny city. GEORGE BEAVEN.

G. P. Wilhelm, Esq., Chairman of the Street Committee of the Borough of Duquesne, advertises in to-day's paper for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of several streets of that borough. Separate bids for either curbstone or Nicolson will be received. Full particulars may be obtained at the office of the Burgess or from Mr. Wilhelm.

Destructive Fire — McCune's Oil Works Burned—Several Thousand Barrels of Oil Destroyed.

A very destructive fire occurred last night in Collins township, on the Sharpsburg road, by which the extensive Oil Works of McCune & Co. were totally destroyed. The fire broke out between nine and ten o'clock, in the main building, which was a large frame, covering an aera of several hundred feet, and in a few moments the whole structure was enveloped in flames. About twenty minutes after the fire was discovered a terrible explosion occured in the building—most probably the still—which blew it to atoms. Shortly after the explosion the flames were communicated to the immense tank, in which there were several hundred barrels of crude oil. In a few moments after the flames reached it the tank exploded with a most terrible report, which shook the earth for a mile around the scene of conflagration, and threw a volume of flame to the almost incredible height of three hundred feet. When the tank bursted the oil flowed toward the river, and the earth from the river to the works, a distance one hundred yards, was a glaring sheet of flame. The works which were destroyed were situated in close proximity to, and between the Standard and National Works, both of which were in imminent danger of falling a prey to the devouring element, which was still raging at an early hour this morning. A stone house attached to the works, containing a large quantity of oil, was destroyed. It was impossible to form any estimate of the loss. The scene, at the time the tank exploded was one of terrific grandeur. An area of over an acre of ground was one vast sheet of flame, and a large quantity of oil, which was thrown up in a body to an immense height by the explosion, appeared to burst like a rocket, and the forked tongues of flame shot forth in every direction, lighting up the heavens like the most vivid flashes of lightning. Never before, perhaps, was such a terrific and grand spectacle witnessed in this vicinity, and it is to be hoped that such another may never again occur. There were hundreds of people present, but no effort was made to check the flames, as it was deemed utterly useless to attempt it, owing to the inflammable nature of the material on fire. No power on earth, could have quenched the fire, until the oil was all consumed. We heard of no person being injured, and of no further incidents than those above stated.

A Brutal Assault.

Mary Butterfield, a young lady about twenty-two years of age, residing with her parents at Sharpsburg, yesterday made information before Alderman McMasters against her brother, George Butterfield, charging him with assault and battery. George is a youth of eighteen years, and it appears that his sister had by some means taken possession of an article claimed by him, which she gave to her father. Sunday, while the parents were at church, the brother went to his sister's room and demanded the missing article, which she refused to give him, telling him that she had given it to her father, whereupon he assaulted her, beating and abusing her in a shameful manner, even pulling a large quantity of hair out of her head, leaving the top of the head almost bald. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

Re-Union.

The annual ball of the Eagle Fire Company is announced for Friday evening next, at City Hall. The re-unions of this Company are always first class affairs, and it is their intention, *we* understand, to make this *the* ball of the season. The names of the gentlemen announced as the Committee of Arrangements, are a sufficient guarantee that nothing will be left undone to make the occasion a pleasant one. The Great Western Band, under the leadership of Prof. Hartal, will furnish the music, and for those who practice the Terpsichorean art, a rare opportunity will be offered. A first premium Weed sewing machine will be drawn for by the ladies in attendance.

Taken to the Penitentiary.—Sheriff Cluley yesterday took to the Penitentiary the following persons, convicted at the recent term of Court: John Boswell, convicted of larceny; sentence, two years. Wm. Miniger, assault and battery; Chas. Douglass, larceny; and Fanny Gray, burglary; sentence, one year each. Thos. Brees, convicted of assault with attempt to commit rape; sentence, three years.

Released on Bail.—Lawrence Purcell, charged with the murder of James Monaghan, and who was admitted to bail by the Court, in the sum of $10,000, yesterday procured the required bail and was released. Mr. Purcell, at his own request, remained in the lock-up instead of going to jail, until the bail was procured.

Assault and Battery.—J. W. Hoover yesterday made information before Alderman Mullin against J. B. McGee, charging him with assault and battery. He alleges that McGee struck him in the eye with his fist and knocked him down. A warrant was issued for his arrest.

Arrested on a Process.—Moses Nelson was yesterday arrested on a process issued out of the Court of Quarter Sessions, and committed to jail in default of payment of certain costs due the county by him.

Firemen's Association.—The Pittsburgh Firemen's Association will hold a regular monthly meeting in the Hall of the Association, City Building, on Monday, November 11th, at half-past seven o,clock.

Postponement.—On account of the unavoidable absence of some of the singers of the May Queen, the concert will be postponed from Tuesday the 12th to Thursday the 14th.

Farewell Benefit.—Mr. and Mrs. Barney Williams announce a joint farewell benefit to-morrow night at the Opera House. Read the bill; it will be found on our second page.

Butter, to the amount of some thirty pounds, was confiscated by the Market Constable, yesterday morning, for short weight. It was transferred to the Poor Farm authorities.

Lawrenceville ordinances appear on our second page to-day.

CITY ITEMS.

Read the Testimony from One of the Oldest Citizens of Allegheny City.

ALLEGHENY, Oct. 14, 1867.

MR. GEO. A. KELLEY.—*Dear Sir*: I have been troubled for some years with the complaint described by your advertisement of Dr. Sargent's Diuretic or Backache Pills, and concluded to give them a trial, and am glad to say they afforded me immediate relief. I cheerfully recommend them to any one suffering from like symptoms, feeling confident they will do all you claim for them.

DAVID SMITH.

For sale by all Druggists. Price 50 cents per box. TF

Ladies' Furs, Ladies' Furs.

The largest stock in the city of Siberian Squirrel, Hungarian Fitch, Mink and Hudson Bay Sable for children and ladies, can now be seen at Gardner & Stewart's, West corner of Market and Fourth streets. These Furs are all entirely new, and are for sale very low, cheaper than at any house in this city. Also, a large stock of new Dry Goods, cheap.

T:TH:S:2w.

Trunks! Trunks!! Trunks!!!—Remember the place to get your Trunks, Valises, &c., is at Liebler's Trunk House, No. 104 Wood street. He keeps the very best and all the latest styles. Call in and examine. TTS.

Good Lozenges, namely, Peppermint, Rose, Musk, Teaberry, Cinnamon, Cayenne Pepper and Conversations, at the lowest price. At 112 Federal street, Allegheny city. GEORGE BEAVEN.

To the Ladies.—If you want a Nice Traveling Bag, Valise or Satchel, go to Leibler's fashionable Trunk House, No. 104 Wood street, and you will find any thing you can wish for in his line—cheap and *good*. TTS.

Just Opened.—At the New York Hat and Fur House, No. 52 St. Clair street, a large stock of Ladies' Furs.

The lot 50 by 120 on South Canal street, upon which stands the old Fourth ward school house, Allegheny, was sold yesterday by A. Leggate, auctioneer, for $1,050.

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

For Valuable Information and side-splitting jokes, see the "Pittsburgh Quarterly Magazine." For sale by all news dealers. 6t.

Hats, Caps and Furs at Wm. Fleming's, No. 139 Wood street.

CITY ITEMS.

Magnificent Country Residence at Public Sale.

There will be sold on the premises, on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 14th, at 3 o'clock, the present residence of Hay Walker, Esq., on the New Brighton road, near the second toll gate. The grounds consist of ten acres of very rich land under a high state of useful and ornamental cultivation, with an orchard of choice fruit trees in great variety, graperies, all kinds of small fruits, shrubbery, a span-roof cold grapery 42 feet by 22 feet, with finest exotic grapes, excellent pasture and abundant spring water. The house is a two story frame building of fourteen rooms, finished in first class style and in excellent condition. In addition to all other conveniencies, it contains the invaluable accessories of an ice house and cooling room. The city gas is throughout the building, an item of infinite value in the country. There are the usual out-houses, wash-house, ranges, &c. There is a good, spacious barn, with stabling for eight horses. Also, a gardener's house of four rooms. These premises are situated one mile from Woods' Run station, with plank footpath all the way, and only one-third mile from Verner station—only a few minutes pleasant walk. Eight trains run daily to and from the city, affording almost constant communication therewith. The front entrance is by the first lane beyond the second toll-gate, on the New Brighton turnpike, which is the best road for carriage travel leading from the city. The exceeding beauty and utility of this lovely spot can only be realized by a visit and inspection, which is respectfully invited before the day of sale. Terms—one-third cash; balance in four years. Possession given April 1st.

A. LEGGATE, Auctioneer,
159 Federal street, Allegheny.

At the late "State Fair" the First Premium was awarded to Graff, Hugus & Co., for the best Cooking Range exclusively for bituminous coal, for the best Cooking Stoves, the "Columbia;" for the best Grate Fronts, Summer Pieces and Fenders; for the best parlor heater, the "Morning Glory (base burner); for the best Furnace for warming churches, school houses and dwellings, the "Morning Glory." The Monitor Furnace, for bituminous coal, has no equal for warming churches and dwellings. All persons who wish the best articles, call at Graff, Hugus & Co.'s, manufacturers, Nos. 206 and 208 Liberty street, Pittsburgh. STTHS.

Mercutio said of his wound,
"It was not as deep as a well, or as wide
As a gate, but it would do."
PLANTATION BITTERS will not raise the dead,
But they cure the sick, cheer the depressed,
And render life a thing to be enjoyed.

We believe that there are millions of living witnesses to this fact. Dyspepsia is a horrid disease, but Plantation Bitters will cure it. It is a most invigorating tonic for weakness and mental despondency. Those who are "out of sorts" should try Plantation Bitters. S:T:TH

Magnolia Water.—A delightful toilet article—superior to Cologne and at half the price. S:T:TH

To Wholesale Buyers.—I am prepared to offer you at my new house, No. 104 Wood street, a superior lot of Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags, Satchels, &c., lower than any other house in the city. I manufacture all my work, and can warrant them to be made of the very best material. Remember the number, 104 Wood street.

T:TH:S JOSEPH LIEBLER.

Bargains can be had in Ladies' Furs at the New York Hat and Fur House, No. 52 St. Clair street.

Dry Goods at Wholesale.—We invite the particular attention of buyers at wholesale to our complete stock of silks, dress goods, and all kinds of fancy and staple goods, and to the fact that we sell at the lowest eastern prices, and cut goods to suit purchasers.

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

Something Good.—The boots, shoes, gaiters, &c., for men, ladies and children, kept at 89 Market street, are made of the very best material, and sold as low as the lowest. All goods are warranted to give satisfaction. *If* you want something good, and at gold prices, call at Robb's Shoe House, 89 market street.

Good Cough Candy, Everton and Cocoa Nut Taffy, Pine Apple, Lemon, Vanilla, Almond and Mountain Tea Candy. Chocolate and Vanilla Caramels, Dates Figs, &c., &c., at 112 Federal street, Allegheny city. GEORGE BEAVEN.

Ladies' and Misses' Furs at William Fleming's, No. 139 Wood street, at lower prices than at any other house in the city.

LYONS' BLACK SILK VELVET FOR CLOAKS.—Beautiful goods, sublime qualities, in all widths, at less prices than can be found in the two cities, on west corner of Market and Fourth streets.

TFS. GARDNER & STEWART

DIED:

MOORHEAD—On Wednesday afternoon, shortly before three o'clock, of brain fever LAURA F. MOORHEAD, only daughter of James F. Moorhead, in the fourth year of her age.

The funeral will take place on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, at two o'clock, from her parent's residence, Pride street, near Pennsylvania avenue. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

CAMPBELL—On Wednesday afternoon, at 5½ o'clock, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Nancy Donahue, JAMES CAMPBELL, of Shaler township, aged 93 years.

Funeral from his daughter's residence, No. 8 Scott street, Sixth ward, on FRIDAY, at ten o'clock A. M., to proceed to Pine Creek Church.

FOWLER.—On Wednesday morning, at eight o'clock, JOHN FOWLER, aged 65 years.

Funeral from his late residence, corner of Davison and Church streets, Lawrenceville, at 2 o'clock THIS AFTERNOON. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

McKELVY.—On Wednesday morning, MARY A. McKELVY, in the 27th year of her age.

Funeral from the residence of her mother, THIS MORNING, at 10 o'clock. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

BURNS.—On Wednesday morning, November 6th, at 7 o'clock, JOHANNA BURNS, wife of B. Burns, Esq.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 196 Third street, on FRIDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

MINNIS—On Tuesday evening, Nov. 5, 1867, at 2½ o'clock, Mr. JOHN MINNIS, aged sixty-five years.

The funeral will take place on THURSDAY AFTERNOON, at two o'clock, from his late residence on Penn street, near St. Clair. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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