The Pittsburgh Gazette

EPHEMERIS.

—Gen. Jas. B. Steedman is in New Orleans.

—Hon. Jas. Guthrie, of Kentucky, is convalescent.

—A goat race took place in Savannah on Christmas day.

—The creole portion of New Orleans is infested with burglars.

—There are seven hundred and eighteen bar rooms in Detroit.

—Mr. Tennyson's new poem is to appear in the the February *Atlantic*.

—The English are the most thievish race in the world.—*London Spectator*.

—Bear fighting is the favorite amusement in the country districts of Missouri.

—Strange to say, Chicago is excited—this time, over a rum shop in its Court house.

—"No Thoroughfare" has been a success; 340,000 copies have been sold in England.

—A Mr. Beasly was accidentally shot at a torchlight procession in Maysville, Ky., last week.

—Fifteen cents a barrel was the price of water delivered at the house, in Olean, a few days ago.

—Upwards of ten thousand men are employed by the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.

—A store and tobacco factory in Wentzville, Mo., were destroyed by fire one night last week.

—A new mode of embalming has been found and put in use in the Bellevue Hospital, New York.

—The "greeting" of the letter carriers of New York, on New Year's day, was written by Alice Cary.

—James Hahey, a young man of Baltimore had his foot cut off by a passing train on Monday, in that city.

—John C. Breckenridge, ex-Vice President and ex-several other things, is said to play a fine game of marbles.

—A triple portrait of Dexter has been taken by Mr. Troye the animal painter. It is to be sent to Paris to be chromoed.

—A man was shot in Columbus, Ky., the other day while attempting to crawl into the window of a store. He was badly hurt.

—The Odd Fellows of New Albany have gathered up a Mutual Aid Association, which is doing much good this unfavorable season.

—The late rise in the Kanawha river let out some fifty thousand barrels of oil, which sufficed to supply the Parkersburg refineries for awhile.

—Mr. Thos. B. Robinson, aged twenty-seven years, blew his brains out with a revolver on Christmas eve. He lived in Green county, Mo.

—The daughter of the ex-King of Hanover is to marry the Crown Prince of Holland. She is to have a dotal gift of two million thalers, if the royal father can persuade Prussia to pay up.

—A southern exchange, in speaking of two cases of infanticide, one of the murderesses being white and the other black, calls the white one "an unfortunate girl," and the other "a negro fiend."

—The number of persons mortally wounded by premature discharge of firearms or by accident, on Christmas day, was large, the last of whom we have heard was C. Kebenack, of New Orleans, who has since died.

—A grey eagle attacked a flock of geese in Wisconsin recently, and would have made a successful raid had it not been for a woman who attacked him with a stick and beat him severely, driving him screaming from the field.

—Five thousand pounds of meat, nine hundred large loaves of bread, four chests of tea, and a large quantity of other food, were distributed by the St. George's Society of Toronto among the poor of that city on Christmas day.

—The subject of an improvement in the mode of heating railway cars has received much attention from the press of this country since the Angola tragedy, but we have yet to hear of a railroad company having given it even a passing thought.

—The society for the prevention of cruelty to animals in New York is doing much good, but is carrying its zeal, sometimes, to such an excess as to render Mr. Bergh's only shelter from the ridiculous, the honorable character of his intentions.

—On last Sunday night three negroes broke into a store in Simpsonville, Ky., and stole the stock, consisting of several barrels of whisky and a large quantity of groceries. They were arrested while taking off the last load in a wagon, which was also stolen.

—The Bishops and Archbishops of Bohemia have excommunicated *all* political newspapers, alleging that they are conducted by Jews alone. This has had the effect of largely increasing the subscription lists, which is a good thing for the editors.

—A young woman was found murdered in the woods near Marshfield, Mo., last week. When last seen alive she had a United States bond for a large amount in her possession, and as this is not to be found now, the cause of the murder may be easily imagined.

—An old brick building in Louisville, used as a smoke house and as a store house for rubbish, fell down on Sunday last, creating great excitement, as it was supposed some persons were crushed beneath the ruins. Fortunately, however, no one was hurt and the only damage done was the removal of an unsightly building.

—William Bowsher and his two sisters, of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, who recently died very suddenly, were poisoned. Their bodies have been examined, and no doubt whatever exists as to the fact. Who the poisoner was is a horrible mystery. Both of the young ladies were pretty and interesting, and were shortly to be married.

—A free dispensary has been in operation in Baltimore for some months, and a large number of persons have been relieved. Medical and surgical advice are both given, and many interesting operations have been performed. In Philadelphia a free dispensary of medicines has been in operation for more than fifty years, and has rendered great assistance to needy persons during that time. The various medical colleges render free surgical service, and thus persons too poor to pay need not die for want of the very best service possible to be obtained. Here some surgeons and physicians attend their poor patients as faithfully as their wealthy ones, but all do not, and the poor man cannot rely on them as a class. If we had an institution like the one in Baltimore, where every man unable to pay would have a right to demand and receive aid, many lives might be saved and our city lists of mortality reduced. A subject as important as this deserves attention, and the expense consequent on the establishment of a dispensary would be but slight when the amount of good that it would accomplish was taken into consideration.

—The gallows enthusiasts have few advantages in France. They are never certain upon which night the execution will take place, and many weary hours are spent in waiting. Avinian, a Paris butcher, who used to entice his victims into some secret place, kill them, cut up their bodies, and throw them into the Seine, was recently guillotined in the presence of a crowd of thousands. But the audience had watched the Place de la Roquette six nights, in rain and fog and cold, for the anticipated spectacle.

A horrible scaffold scene recently took place in Prussia. A woman and her son were to be executed for the murder of the husband and father. The woman refused to walk, and was carried on the scaffold, her son waited below. Owing to the shortness of her neck, the executioner could not fasten her securely to the block, and only the second blow severed her head from the trunk. The son fainted, and had to be revived before being brought to the block still reeking with his mother's warm blood.

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DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, for the Western District of Pennsylvania. In Bankruptcy. In the matter of S. S. ROSE, Bankrupt. WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, ss. A Warrant in Bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the ESTATE OF S. S. ROSE, Of the City of Allegheny, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, in said District, adjudged a Bankrupt upon petition of his creditors, and the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to said Bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt, to prove their debts, and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at Pittsburgh, in said District, on the 27TH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of SAMUEL HARPER, No. 93 Diamond street, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said District. THOMAS A. ROWLEY, U. S. Marshal.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, for the Western District of Pennsylvania. ROBERT WATSON, a Bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, having applied for a discharge from all his debts, and other claims provable under said Act, by order of the Court, notice is hereby given, to all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons interested, to appear on the 14th DAY OF JANUARY, 1868, at 11 o'clock A. M., before SAMUEL HARPER, Esq., Register, at his office, No. 93 Diamond street, in the city of Pittsburgh, to show cause, if any they have, why a discharge should not be granted to the said Bankrupt. And further, notice is hereby given that the Second and Third Meetings of Creditors of the said Bankrupt, required by the 27th and 28th sections of said Act, will be had before the said Register, upon the same day, at his office, at the same time and place. S. C. McCANDLESS, Clerk of U. S. District Court for said District.

WESTERN DISTRICT PENNSYLVANIA, ss: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as ASSIGNEE OF ROBERT HERVEY, of the borough of Tarentum, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, within said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition by the District Court of said District. HUGH M. BOLE, Assignee, corner Point Alley and Duquesne Way.

WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, SS: At Pittsburgh, the 14th day of December, A. D. 1867. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of JOSEPH A. CARLINE, of Pittsburgh, in the County of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said District. JOHN H. BAILEY, Assignee, Att'y at Law, 86 Grant st.

WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA, ss. At Pittsburgh, the 18th day of December, A. D. 1867, the undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of JOHN S. RENNEDY, of Allegheny, in the county of Allegheny, State of Pennsylvania, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said District. Attorney at Law, 86 Grant st.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Allegheny county, on the estate of MARELLA MEIKLE, late of Baldwin township, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate will make payment, and those having claims against the same will present them for settlement without delay. ROBERT GHIERSON, Pitt Township.

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION of the PITTSBURGH DIAMOND BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION for a Charter of Incorporation. Notice is hereby given that the above named Association has applied at No. 117, December Term, 1867, for a Charter of Incorporation, and the same will be granted at next term of said Court, if exceptions are not filed in proper time. JACOB H. WALTER, Proth'y.

IN THE MATTER OF BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION No. 2, OF BIRMINGHAM. Notice is hereby given that the above Association has applied for a Charter of Incorporation, at No. 118, December Term, 1867, Common Pleas Court, and the same will be granted at the next term of said Court, unless exceptions are filed in proper time. JACOB H. WALTER, Prothonotary.

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