

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

Daily Prayer Meeting—From 12 M. to 12:30 o'clock at the Rooms in the Christian Association, No. 23 Fifth street.

Criminal Court.—The September term of the Court of Quarter Sessions commences to-day.

First Ward, Allegheny, young men will meet to-morrow evening in Washington Hall to form a Banner Club.

The Second Ward Grant Club will meet to-night at headquarters, Wilkins Hotel, for the purpose of participating in the grand Sherman demonstration.

To-night the various ward organizations and Grant and Tanager Clubs will turn out with torchlights to welcome Hon. John Sherman. Let every Republican fall into line and swell the ranks.

Seventh and Eighth Wards.—The Grant and Colfax Clubs of the above wards will hold their regular meetings on Monday evenings hereafter instead of Tuesday, as formerly, as will be the head of reference to a notice on this page.

Correction.—The parties concerned in the pocket-picking case before Alderman Owen, sitting Mayor, on Friday, reported in yesterday's GAZETTE, were not boarders at the William Penn Hotel, in the Ninth ward, as stated, but at the Pennsylvania Hotel. The proprietor of the Wm. Penn desires the correction.

The Tanners' Club of the city publish orders in another column, through Marshall Brown, in regard to the Sherman demonstration to-night. The invitation is given to all clubs and ward organizations to fall into the procession to-night. The lines will form at the street, right resting on Smithfield street.

Personal.—Mr. E. P. Carpenter, well known as the inventor and gentlemanly agent of the Sewing Machine Sewing Machine Company in this city, leaves for Philadelphia during the coming week, where he will look after the interests of the company in that city. Mr. C. will be succeeded by Mr. Gibson, long connected with Messrs. Singer & Co., and who is equally able in a manner which will doubtless give satisfaction to the Company.

Bankruptcy.—On Saturday morning, in the bankruptcy branch of the United States District Court, Judge McCandless presided. The case of the late Wm. H. Gillet, of Erie county, and G. T. Waters, of Millin county, petitions for liquidation were presented to the court by the assignee, Edward Morganroth, John Chislett, Jr., Ed. Davison, Adam Esler, Wm. Livingston, Thos. Jones, W. Baller, G. W. Nichols, Robt. F. Black, A. J. Harbaugh, John Miller, Frank Donahue, and reporters of the Republican press.

The Chairman, Gen. A. L. Pearson, who stated that he was not going to punish them with a long political harangue, but would merely talk at will to the soldiers present. The General said that there was but one question at issue in the present contest, and that was the same which had engaged the minds of the people during the war, and that was "should the loyal people control this Government, or should it be turned over to the hands of those men whose hands were red with the blood of the nation."

The only platform the soldiers of this county stood upon were the glorious stars and stripes, and the "treacherous stars and stripes." The Republican party presented the flag of the nation with a star for every State as the platform, and the Democrats presented the same platform with an addition of rebel troops, and which they were compelled to lay down to Gen. Grant at Appomattox Court House.

Coroner's Inquest.—The jury impelled to inquire into the cause, and after what manner, Daniel Ross, who was killed by a pistol shot received on September 2d, said pistol being in the hands of Daniel Touse.

The Young Men's Christian Association has done nothing in the past year, and we are sorry to say that some of those who entered into it at first with so much enthusiasm and zeal have since become growing weaker in the faith, and the Association, instead of daily becoming weaker in its strength, in order to reawaken an interest in it to encourage those who are now laboring under material disadvantages, a special meeting of the members will be held at the Third Presbyterian Church, Sixth street, on Tuesday evening, September 8th, at 7 o'clock.

A Fracas in Lawrenceville. As the Twelfth Ward Tanager Club was passing the Garrison wall, in Lawrenceville, on Saturday evening, they were attacked by a party of rowdies, and quite a number of persons injured, among others Mr. A. J. Cochran, the Republican candidate for City Treasurer. One of the assailants, Joseph H. Shook, who resides in Lawrenceville, was captured later in the day, and committed to jail on charges of riot and assault and battery.

Probable Stolen Goods. The Allegheny police yesterday morning, about three o'clock, arrested two men who were acting in a suspicious manner. When taken to the lock-up an extra black broadcloth coat was found in the possession of each, which some of the officers suspected that they were returning from a ball, given in Brownstown, to their homes a short distance below Woods Run, where they were well known. One of them was sent to the place mentioned and returned later in the evening with several citizens, who identified the men as residents of the vicinity, but could tell nothing further of them. Under these circumstances the case without charge, and the coats were retained and will be returned to any person proving ownership.

Ordination and Installation. On Thursday last week Rev. James T. Boice, of this city, was ordained to the office of the ministry and installed pastor of the First Reformed Presbyterian Church of Cincinnati, by the Reformed Presbytery of Ohio, in connection with the General Synod, which met in this city last May. Mr. Boice was formerly a licentiate under the care of the Reformed Presbytery of Pittsburgh. He refused to identify himself with those members of the Presbytery who "suspended their relations" to General Synod a few months since, and took his credentials to Ohio from the Old Presbytery of Pittsburgh, which still maintains its relation to the Synod. Upon these credentials he was received by the sister Presbytery of Ohio. We are pleased to learn that his new field of labor under very encouraging circumstances.

New Trial Granted. The motion for a new trial in the case of Dr. J. T. Buechler, convicted at the last term of the Criminal Court of outraging the person of a female while she was under the influence of chloroform, administered for the purpose of having some teeth extracted, was argued on Saturday morning before the court, and the counsel for the defendant claimed that the testimony adduced was not sufficient to support the charge had they been the case of the trial that were they at the close of the trial that the charge had not been sustained; that the testimony of the defendant, and the improbability of the statements of the prosecution, were sufficient to warrant an acquittal, and that additional evidence could be procured tending to prove the defendant's innocence. Judge Mellon delivered the opinion of the Court, granting a new trial.

POLITICAL.

Meetings to be held on Monday and Tuesday, MONDAY. At Mansfield—Speakers: J. M. Kirkpatrick, A. M. Brown, and Miles Humphreys, Esq. At City Hall, Pittsburgh—Hon. John Sherman, of Ohio, Elizabeth township—Thos. Howard, Esq.

TUESDAY EVENING. At Okesdale Ward, on the Pan Handle Railroad—Thomas Howard, and A. M. Watson, Esqs. At Pittsburgh, corner of Magee street and Pennsylvania Avenue—W. C. Moreland, and W. T. Haines, Esqs. At Millvale Borough—A. M. Brown, Esq. At Charters Township—Thomas Ewing, and J. A. Morris, Esqs. At Eleventh Ward (old Seventh) School House—David Reed, and S. M. Raymond, Esqs.

Meeting in the Seventeenth Ward. One of the largest and most interesting meetings of the campaign was held Saturday evening, at the corner of Butler street and St. Mary's avenue, in the Seventeenth ward. The Republicans turned out in their might, and there were many honest Democrats present, who, being tired of the "catch penny" arguments of the Democratic speakers, came out in support of the Republican cause in a fair and honorable manner by men who understand the subject.

A large number of ladies graced the meeting with their presence, and the meeting with a tendency to prevent disturbance. The meeting was called to order by Mr. S. W. Reynolds, who proposed the following named gentlemen as officers: President—G. S. Bates.

Vice Presidents—J. T. McClure, A. M. Clontock, Jacob Mattson, H. Schmidt, Christopher Miller, John Nasser, C. Norton, W. C. Brown, John Schmidt, Daniel Donahue, Benjamin Smith, and Parkinson, Z. W. Gardner, John Chritz, C. Rode, John Kinsey, Sr., Robt. Cane, G. E. McCready, G. W. Gardner, M. Bosworth, Robt. Bell, Jr., Edward Morganroth, John Chislett, Jr., Ed. Davison, Adam Esler, Wm. Livingston, Thos. Jones, W. Baller, G. W. Nichols, Robt. F. Black, A. J. Harbaugh, John Miller, Frank Donahue, and reporters of the Republican press.

The Chairman, Gen. A. L. Pearson, who stated that he was not going to punish them with a long political harangue, but would merely talk at will to the soldiers present. The General said that there was but one question at issue in the present contest, and that was the same which had engaged the minds of the people during the war, and that was "should the loyal people control this Government, or should it be turned over to the hands of those men whose hands were red with the blood of the nation."

The only platform the soldiers of this county stood upon were the glorious stars and stripes, and the "treacherous stars and stripes." The Republican party presented the flag of the nation with a star for every State as the platform, and the Democrats presented the same platform with an addition of rebel troops, and which they were compelled to lay down to Gen. Grant at Appomattox Court House.

Coroner's Inquest.—The jury impelled to inquire into the cause, and after what manner, Daniel Ross, who was killed by a pistol shot received on September 2d, said pistol being in the hands of Daniel Touse.

The Young Men's Christian Association has done nothing in the past year, and we are sorry to say that some of those who entered into it at first with so much enthusiasm and zeal have since become growing weaker in the faith, and the Association, instead of daily becoming weaker in its strength, in order to reawaken an interest in it to encourage those who are now laboring under material disadvantages, a special meeting of the members will be held at the Third Presbyterian Church, Sixth street, on Tuesday evening, September 8th, at 7 o'clock.

A Fracas in Lawrenceville. As the Twelfth Ward Tanager Club was passing the Garrison wall, in Lawrenceville, on Saturday evening, they were attacked by a party of rowdies, and quite a number of persons injured, among others Mr. A. J. Cochran, the Republican candidate for City Treasurer. One of the assailants, Joseph H. Shook, who resides in Lawrenceville, was captured later in the day, and committed to jail on charges of riot and assault and battery.

Probable Stolen Goods. The Allegheny police yesterday morning, about three o'clock, arrested two men who were acting in a suspicious manner. When taken to the lock-up an extra black broadcloth coat was found in the possession of each, which some of the officers suspected that they were returning from a ball, given in Brownstown, to their homes a short distance below Woods Run, where they were well known. One of them was sent to the place mentioned and returned later in the evening with several citizens, who identified the men as residents of the vicinity, but could tell nothing further of them. Under these circumstances the case without charge, and the coats were retained and will be returned to any person proving ownership.

Ordination and Installation. On Thursday last week Rev. James T. Boice, of this city, was ordained to the office of the ministry and installed pastor of the First Reformed Presbyterian Church of Cincinnati, by the Reformed Presbytery of Ohio, in connection with the General Synod, which met in this city last May. Mr. Boice was formerly a licentiate under the care of the Reformed Presbytery of Pittsburgh. He refused to identify himself with those members of the Presbytery who "suspended their relations" to General Synod a few months since, and took his credentials to Ohio from the Old Presbytery of Pittsburgh, which still maintains its relation to the Synod. Upon these credentials he was received by the sister Presbytery of Ohio. We are pleased to learn that his new field of labor under very encouraging circumstances.

New Trial Granted. The motion for a new trial in the case of Dr. J. T. Buechler, convicted at the last term of the Criminal Court of outraging the person of a female while she was under the influence of chloroform, administered for the purpose of having some teeth extracted, was argued on Saturday morning before the court, and the counsel for the defendant claimed that the testimony adduced was not sufficient to support the charge had they been the case of the trial that were they at the close of the trial that the charge had not been sustained; that the testimony of the defendant, and the improbability of the statements of the prosecution, were sufficient to warrant an acquittal, and that additional evidence could be procured tending to prove the defendant's innocence. Judge Mellon delivered the opinion of the Court, granting a new trial.

of his character, and thrown into a state of political excitement for the time being, on Saturday night last, by one of the largest and most enthusiastic Grant and Colfax meetings which has been held in the city during the present campaign. Old men and young men, from the work shops, coal mines, and from the counting rooms, and the honest but hard working farmers for miles around, numbered the crowd. It numbered many hundreds. The Grant and Colfax Club of the borough turned out armed and equipped with torches, banners, caps and capees, headed by a band of martial music marched through the principal streets of the town. A large number of ladies, the wives and daughters of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

The meeting was organized by calling Col. E. J. Allen to the chair, and appointing Lieut. Isaac Mills, Jr., Secretary. Col. Allen, on taking the chair, in a neat and appropriate address to the meeting for the honor conferred upon him, and introduced Mr. Miles Humphreys, who made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

The meeting was organized by calling Col. E. J. Allen to the chair, and appointing Lieut. Isaac Mills, Jr., Secretary. Col. Allen, on taking the chair, in a neat and appropriate address to the meeting for the honor conferred upon him, and introduced Mr. Miles Humphreys, who made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

At the conclusion of Mr. Humphreys' remarks, W. T. Haines, Esq., was introduced, and made a telling speech, in which he said that the Grant and Colfax Club were laboring manfully, and being identified with the Trades Unions of this county, and with the perfecting of the loyal, patriotic mechanics, merchants, miners and farmers were present and gave their sanction to the noble effort now being made to oust the Grant and Colfax Club from the Government from falling into the hands of those who have labored to destroy it.

Sunday School Picnic.

The annual picnic of the City School connected with the North Avenue M. E. Church, Allegheny, was held on Saturday in Gallagher's Grove, in the suburbs of the city and was an exceedingly pleasant and enjoyable affair. The day was all that could be desired and the occasion, as the occasion of the picnic, was a great success, especially to the little folks, whose enthusiasm and hearty enjoyment infused themselves into the whole proceedings.

Through the kindness of Captain Knott, transportation was furnished for all in attendance, a sufficient number of cars for that purpose having been run off the Manchester Passenger Railway to the Pleasant Valley, at the terminus of which the grove is situated. Arriving at the grove, the cars were quickly relieved of their happy load, and soon the woods were made vocal with the music of children's merry laughter.

The morning hours were rapidly away, and when the time for the feast arrived, a hungry, smiling company gathered around the tables laden with the weight of innumerable substantial and delicious, a sight of which would have caused the eyes of the angels to sparkle with delight, and his lips to smack with very joy.

The after-dinner amusements moved around for a time but gradually the spirit of enjoyment resumed its sway, and until the shadows of evening came on, the young folks were in a merry mood, and all the pleasurable excitements of the occasion.

At a proper hour the gathering was broken up, and the weary but merry throng of pleasure seekers bearing away gratifying recollections which will hereafter serve to make the days brighter in memory's calendar of days.

The Boat Race. The approaching boat race between Walter Brown, of Portland, Maine, and Henry Coulter, of Allegheny, which is to take place on the river at Monongahela on Wednesday evening, is creating very little excitement in the city, although it promises to be the beginning of a new era in boat racing, as both parties appear anxious to have the race decided upon at night.

The boat in which he will pull is a paper shell, constructed by Waters & Co., Troy, New York, and measures 12 inches in width, 6 1/2 inches in depth, and weighs 24 pounds; cost, \$135. He appears to be in good condition, and admits that it will work to do it.

Hamilton, we learn, has forwarded the first draft of the new Constitution of the City, to be covered by the winning man in the present race.

A Police Officer Sentenced to Jail. James Brown, who was convicted in the Criminal Court about a year since, on a charge of burglariously entering the shoe store of Messrs. Palmer & Anshutz, on Market street, was called up in the Quarter Sessions Court, on Saturday morning.

James Brown was a police officer, visited the store on a Sunday, in company with a number of his friends, and was detected in the act of trying on a pair of boots. A lot of goods were taken away, and the store was also broken into, and a pair of boots removed.

Brown's companion, a man over sixty years of age, was tried on the charge, convicted, and is now serving a term of months in the Penitentiary. Brown, however, is not, as he merely visited the store as a "snoop" pigeon, and was not charged with the theft of the boots.

The jury found him guilty of being a thief, and sentenced him to pay a fine of \$100, or to be imprisoned for thirty days, and to undergo an imprisonment of twenty days, if he failed to pay the fine.

He was then taken to prison, but as an effort is being made to procure a pardon from the Governor, he will probably be released during the present week.

Mysterious Shooting Affair. Saturday evening, between eight and nine o'clock, a most unfortunate event occurred in Sharsburg, resulting in the death of Mr. William Cupps. Mr. C. was sitting in his home about the centre of the room on the first floor, resting his elbow upon a table, while his wife was reading a book to him, when he was struck by a bullet and killed instantly. The ball passed through the upper part of the chest, and lodged in the lungs, and the heart.

The downward inclination of the ball as indicated by its coming from the window at which it was fired, led to the conclusion that the shot had come from the bluff above the house.

Coroner Clawson was notified and accompanied a jury yesterday when several witnesses were examined. Their evidence was to the effect that the shot was fired from the vicinity of the residence of Charles Cook, which is about two hundred feet distant from Cupps' house.

The inquest was then adjourned until this afternoon, when Christian Cook and Adolph Denman, who it appears was at Cook's house on Saturday night, both were arrested and brought to the lock-up where they will remain until the investigation is concluded.

Grant Rangers in Allegheny City. A meeting of the loyal citizens of the Fifth and Sixth wards, Allegheny, was held on Saturday evening at the Fifth ward Grant Club headquarters, to take some action in regard to the formation of a club to be called the Grant Rangers. It was decided that the name of the club should be chosen to preserve, and D. W. Olegar appointed Secretary.

The President stated that the meeting had been called for the purpose of organizing a company to parade on horseback in any procession authorized by the Republicans of the city.

A committee, consisting of Messrs. Patterson, Olegar and McClung, was appointed to confer with the Grant Legion of Allegheny city, in regard to the securing of uniforms.

A Committee on Finance was also appointed, after which the meeting adjourned until Tuesday evening, September 8th.

Amusements.

THE OPERA HOUSE.—The dramatic season of 1868-9 was opened on Saturday night at the Opera House, under the auspices of M. W. Canning, Manager; W. Henderson, Lessee, and F. O. Savage, Stage Director. Under the gas light the house looked very neat and pretty, the improvements being of marked and liberal character. There was in attendance a very comfortable audience in the auditorium, and the galleries were well filled. The play, "Love's Sacrifice," was not a good selection for an opening night, as it is deep and difficult enough to tax the energies of any strong actor.

The Opera House is the best that we have had for many years in this city, and we trust that the high order of the company established on Saturday night will be rigidly adhered to throughout the season, and that all causes for complaint in the past has been removed.

The company is composed as follows: Miss Augusta L. Dargo, of New York, Leading Lady; Mrs. Mark Pates, Subaltern; Mrs. D. B. Van der Horst, Miss Laura; Miss Clara Seabrook, Boston; Misses Kate Hall, Mrs. J. N. Moller, Miss Lena; Miss Olive B. Dowd, of Mobile, reading; Miss Mary Williams; Miss May Dudley; Miss M. W. Horton, of Boston; Light Comedian; Mr. W. H. Collings, Boston; Heavy Man; Mr. D. B. Vadezer, St. Louis; Old Man; Mr. Harry Hutto, Philadelphia; Messrs. J. M. Charles, John Dane, W. V. Ferguson, Harry Watson, J. E. Brown, B. S. Adams.

Mr. Edwin Booth, the most gifted and brilliant actor of the American stage, opens an engagement of six weeks at the Opera House, commencing on Wednesday evening, the 10th inst. to a large and select audience already made up of the brilliant ovation which awaits him.

MASOUC HALL.—The dramatic season opens this evening at Masouc Hall, and during the week will introduce some of his choicest experiments, selected from an immense repertoire of magical illusions, including his mysterious umbrella, feather and tube, a very complicated trick, and acknowledged by all who have ever witnessed it as the best ever introduced into the magic arena.

The performing Canaries, Java Sparrows, Paroquets, White Mice, and interest is taken in the matter. Coulter makes his headquarters at the Xanthe boat house, on the river, and is in the city, although he is in the city above the dam. He has obtained his rowing weight—one hundred and sixty pounds—in excellent style.

Water Brown arrived in the city at 9:30 yesterday, and put up for the day at the Monongahela house, where he is in the city, although he is in the city above the dam. He has obtained his rowing weight—one hundred and sixty pounds—in excellent style.

Water Brown arrived in the city at 9:30 yesterday, and put up for the day at the Monongahela house, where he is in the city, although he is in the city above the dam. He has obtained his rowing weight—one hundred and sixty pounds—in excellent style.

Water Brown arrived in the city at 9:30 yesterday, and put up for the day at the Monongahela house, where he is in the city, although he is in the city above the dam. He has obtained his rowing weight—one hundred and sixty pounds—in excellent style.

Water Brown arrived in the city at 9:30 yesterday, and put up for the day at the Monongahela house, where he is in the city, although he is in the city above the dam. He has obtained his rowing weight—one hundred and sixty pounds—in excellent style.

Water Brown arrived in the city at 9:30 yesterday, and put up for the day at the Monongahela house, where he is in the city, although he is in the city above the dam. He has obtained his rowing weight—one hundred