THE EXECUTION.

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black man, and to his efforts and those of his religious colleagues may be attributed the happiness manifested by Lane at the last moment.

CONCLUSION.

We believe Lane richly deserved the fate he met, for in no view of the case can we think that Justice got more than her dues. The refusal of the prisoner to say anything on the scaffold or protest his innocence insures the belief that he was guilty, although an opposite course would not have made us more ready to believe to the contrary. He confessed the secrets of his life, his greater and lesser crimes, to the minister of God, and the world will never be the wiser of the confession. The law has been fully vindicated and Louis Lane, the murderer, will never again trouble courts and juries. Let all wicked people remember that Allegheny county has erected in her jail a new scaffold which will last for ages—and beware!

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

THE GAZETTE is furnished in the city the six days of the week for 15 cents per week; by mail, $8 per annum: 3 mos., $2

Surety of the Peace.—Anna Vass yesterday made information before Alderman McMasters, against Palmira Ghent, for surety of the peace, alleging that the latter had threatened to split her head with a hatchet. A warrant was issued.

Ferocious Dog.—Geo. Vass made information before Alderman M'Masters yesterday, charging Frederick Ghent with keeping a ferocious dog. The parties are neighbors and reside in the Fourteenth ward. A warrant was issued.

Improvements.—The citizens of the enterprising borough of East Birmingham are evincing a spirit of improvement far in advance of any of their "south side" neighbors. A large number of stylish new houses are in course of erection on Carson street, and on several of the cross-streets fine buildings are being erected.

Police News.—From the scarcity of police news, we are inclined to believe that business with the police magistrates has been exceedingly dull for some days past, and is still becoming more so. There is nothing doing at the Mayor's office, outside of a few cases for violation of ordinances, and at the Aldermen's offices there is no criminal business being done.

The Work Goes On.—Five persons were arrested and taken before the Mayor yesterday for allowing their horses to stand on the streets unattended. This work of reform goes bravely on, and will be continued in this particular, at least, until people who drive and ride horses, learn to respect the rights, comforts, conveniences and safety of pedestrians.

Still Living.—The unknown man, injured on the Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad Wednesday, an account of which we published yesterday, is still at the Mayor's office in Allegheny. He is still living, but has never returned to consciousness. Dr. Buchanan thinks his brain is injured, and that it is hardly probable that he will recover. Nothing concerning the name of the unfortunate man, or where he belongs, has, as yet, been ascertained, further than the finding of a number of papers in his possession, all of which are written in Italian.

The Squabble.—The number of persons who desire to serve the public in official capacities is really astonishing. Mayor Brush for a few days past has been experiencing, on a small scale of course, some of the annoyances which Gen. Grant was afflicted after his inauguration. His office is besieged by at least a score of applicants for the position of Deputy Mayor and Lieutenants for the new Stanton House. No appointments have yet been made, nor will there be any made until such time as the Station houses are ready for use.

Painful Accident.—Yesterday afternoon, about half past five o'clock, an accident occurred at the corner of the Diamond and Federal street, Allegheny, by which a laborer had his hip joint dislocated. Jas. Powers, engaged in excavating for a cellar at the corner mentioned, was at work when a large quantity of earth fell upon him, completely burying him and dislocating his left hip joint. Drs. Ewer and Buchanan were summoned after the injured man was removed to his residence and reduced the fracture. The injury, although a painful one, is not serious, and the injured man will soon recover.

Body Recovered.

The body of Stockton Harvey, son of Captain Harvey, of Monongahela City, one of the six men drowned in the Monongahela river, between Greensboro and Morgantown, while on their way from the latter place in a skiff, was recovered on Tuesday, the 27th instant, lodged on a snag in the river at or near Gray's Landing, about two miles above Greensboro. The bodies of the other five have all been recovered and interred, the last one some two weeks since, and a party of men had been in constant search for the remains of Mr. Harvey from the date of the occurrence until the body was found. The remains were interred in the cemetery at Monongahela City yesterday.

County Recorder.

Our readers will observe that the name of Henry Snively, Esq., will be presented to the Republican Convention as a candidate for the office of County Recorder. Mr. Snively has held this office for the last three years, and has throughout his term fulfilled the highest expectations of his friends. The multitudes who have had business in the Recorder's office have ever found him at his post, obliging, courteous and efficient. If he shall be superseded we feel sure it will not be on account of any fault in the character or capacity of the present incumbent. A better officer or one more acceptable to the constituency can not be found.

Whisky Falling.

A very heavy fall in whisky occurred yesterday under the following circumstances. In the bonded warehouse of Joseph S. Finch & Co., Chestnut street, South Pittsburgh, five thousand barrels of new whisky were stored in the fifth story, and at half-past three o'clock yesterday the floor gave way in the back part of the building and about three thousand barrels fell through to the cellar, carrying with them the three intervening floors. About fifty barrels were bursted in the fall and the contents lost, which, in addition to the injury to the building, is the only loss sustained.

NEW BRIGHTON.

Good Templars Annual Re-union—Meeting of Beaver Presbytery.

(Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW BRIGHTON, April 28, 1869.

The Good Templars of Beaver county met in the New Brighton Public School Hall last night and held their annual re-union. There was a fair attendance as to numbers and respectability, and they fared very well in the sense of having plenty of good things to eat, and the best of drinks, pure cold water, and a fine enjoyable time generally. Everything passed off pleasantly, and all went home sober, and strong in the faith that total abstinence from all that would intoxicate is the only true temperance.

The Beaver Presbytery, of The Old School Presbyterian Church, met in this place last night, and is in session in the Presbyterian Church to-day. Some sixteen or eighteen churches are represented, so that the meeting numbers between thirty and forty persons, there being as many laymen (ruling elders) as ministers. They seem to be quite full of business, which they are transacting in a very pleasant mood.

One young man, after satisfactory examination, was licensed to preach.

The churches represented were reported in pretty good condition. C.

Allegheny Valley Railroad—Change of time.

By the new time table of the Allegheny Valley Railroad which we publish this morning, it will be seen that several important changes have been made in order to accommodate the largely increase of travel and traffic on the road. Four additional passenger accommodation trains have been placed on the road in order to accommodate local travel. One of the new trains arrives in the city at 7½ o'clock P. M. and another the 3d. Hulton accommodation departs at 11 P. M., by which arrangement persons residing along the line of the road are enabled to visit places of amusement in the city and return home the same evening.

The large increase of business of this road is in the main attributable to the excellent management of Col. J. J. Lawrence Superintendent, and Thomas M. King Assistant Superintendent whose efficiency and ability to manage a railroad are fully demonstrated by the admerable arrangement on the. A. V. R.

Rents.

In consequence of the high rents which have been asked and obtained for several years past for dwelling houses, there has been an increased demand for small houses, and in order to supply this demand most of the dwellings erected for rent have been of this class. The result is that a number of large houses are empty, and are likely to remain so until such time as rents are reduced. The great majority of persons occupying rented houses are men who earn their daily bread by the sweat of their brow, and receive salaries, the maximum of which does not exceed $2,000, and a very large majority of them do not receive half that amount, consequently they cannot afford to pay from five to eight hundred dollars rent and support a family. If rents are not materially diminished next year the number of "To Lets" displayed after the customary time for renting will be largely increased.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were filed of record before H. Snively, Esq., Recorder, April 27th, 1869:

John B. McEwen to Andrew Shane, May 4, 1867; lot in Fayette township, containing 51 acres 11 perches.....$4,167
Philip Weisenberger et al to Torrence Shields, April 1, 1868; lot on Sherman street, 17th ward, 20 by 95 feet.....$225
Henry Hulley to J. S. Hughes, April 17, 1869; lot in West Deer township, containing 42 acres 17 perches.....$2,052
John Dillemuth to Wm. Moore, April 22, 1869; lot on Davis street, 11th ward, Pittsburgh, 24 by 180 feet.....$250
Felix F. Egger to Jos. Orr, April 3, 1869; lot on Clifford street, 11th ward.....$560
John Hopkins et. ux. to John Taggart, Sr., March 17, 1869; lot in the Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, on Fremont street, 93 by 300 feet, with buildings.....$1,500
Gilman W. Davis to John Taggart, April 21, 1869; lot on the western side of Fremont street, Allegheny, 20 by 100 feet, with buildings.....$2,000
Robert Potter, Executor of Peter Farmer, to Joseph Farmer, March 10, 1869; 46 acres and 23 perches of land in North Fayette township.....$1,840
George Gresley to Robert Stewart, April 24, 1869; lot on Arthur street, Eleventh ward, Pittsburgh, 25 by 143 feet.....$1,860
C. L. Gensing to Philip Fox, December 19, 1865; lot in Wm. Robinson's plan, Reserve township.....$1,000
Wm. McClockey to Mrs. Mary L. G. Huey, Feb. 14, 1867, 12 acres and 30 perches of land in Versailles township.....$4,257
Margaret Baldauf to John Baldauf, April 27, 1869; lot in Lower St. Clair township.....$400
Mary Haner and John Clark to Wm. Clark, April 3, 1869; two-third interest in a lot on Bingham street, Gregg's plan, Birmingham, 24 by 72 feet with buildings.....$2,200
John M. Reiseman to Mrs. Annie Glass, Feb. 12, 1869; lot on the north side of Washington avenue, Allegheny, 20 by 123 feet.....$950

Ladies' Spring and Summer Suits.

There is one feature of the stock which Messrs. Bates & Bell have now on hand at their store, 21 Fifth avenue, that merits special attention, and is generally and deservedly admired by the ladies. We refer to the large and varied assortment of black silk, poplin, linen and alpaca walking dresses, and we feel warranted in stating that it is one of the most attractive ever exhibited in this city. It comprises ready-made suits in all the late French styles and designs, which are, perhaps, far superior to any we can produce in Pittsburgh, in regard to accuracy of fit and general gracefulness. The silks are very beautiful, and with their different shapes and trimmings, present a charming variety to the purchaser. The poplin suits represent every shade of color, and are all neat and tasteful. They range in price from $22.00 upwards and are in great demand. In a notice, yesterday, we referred to the handsome linen seaside suits, and to-day we have only to repeat that nothing at once so cheap and so well adapted to summer wear has been offered here for many seasons. They are complete in every respect, and yet sell so low as $18.00. In the line of alpacas there is a display of almost equally attractive suits. Of the various imported goods we have mentioned, Messrs. Bates & Bell have large assortments, ready made up and fit for immediate wear. They represent all that is fashionable or fresh in Paris or the East, and are finer than can be produced here. Those, however, who desire to leave orders for suits will have a choice and extensive lot of fabrics to select from and some of our best home *modistes* who are in the service of the firm to prepare them. We will close by noting that in the cloak room, yesterday, we were shown no less than thirty different styles of black silk mantles, cloaks and sacques, each one apparently outstripping the others in elegance and richness, as they were successively exhibited. They ranged in price from $10.00 to $65.00, and are chiefly imported from the leading European houses. There is one new style among them, the sleeveless basque, which is particularly noticeable for its novelty and beauty. Ladies know where to go for goods of this character.

THE CAPITAL.

President Grant and Family at Mount Vernon—Army Retiring Boards Dissolved—Officers Assigned to Duty—Freedmen's Bureau Officers Relieved—Customs—Politics in Texas—Army Recruiting.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

WASHINGTON, April 29, 1869.

TRIP TO MOUNT VERNON.

To-day President Grant and family, accompanied by Marshal Sharpe and family, General Babcock and family, General Badeau, General Dent, Secretary Borie and a number of other invited guests, left the Navy Yard here on the United States steamer Tallapoosa, for a trip to Mount Vernon, where they intend to spend the day.

ARMY GAZETTE.

The President has directed the dissolution of the Retiring Boards at San Francisco, of which General Ord is President, at St. Louis, of which General Graham is President, at New York, of which General McDowell is President, and at Washington, of which General Hardie is President.

The following named officers are assigned to duty at the War Department: Brevet Major Generals Daniel Butterfield, W. S. Ketchum, John E. Smith, Wager Swayne, Brevet Brigadier General W. McK. Dunn, and Colonel Oscar A. Dunn.

The following named officers are relieved from duty in the Freedmen's Bureau. They are all Assistant Commissioners for the States opposite their names: Brevet Major Generals J. J. Reynolds, Texas; Chas. H. Smith, Arkansas; A. Ames, Mississippi; Brevet Colonel John R. Edit, South Carolina; Lieutenant Colonels Chas. E. Compton, North Carolina; James Thompson, Tennessee.

TEXAS POLITICS.

Hon. George W. Paschall has published a pamphlet address "to the People of Texas," announcing himself a candidate for the United States Senate. Among other things, he declares in favor of the ratification of the new Constitution by the people, the election of none but Republicans to the State offices and to Congress, the election of Andrew J. Hamilton as Governor, and the removal of the disabilities of every friend of the General Government.

RECRUITING FOR THE ARMY.

The reason assigned by army officers for the reopening of recruiting offices is that the actual personnel has been ascertained to be under the contemplated minimum.

CUSTOMS.

The customs receipts from April 19th to 24th inclusive, were $3,871,116.

CINCINNATI.

The Southern Railroad Project—Whiskey Ring Developments—A Tornado.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

CINCINNATI, April 29.—Both Houses of the Ohio Legislature have passed a bill giving the city of Cincinnati authority to use ten million dollars for the purpose of building a short line railroad through Kentucky to connect with the Southern system of railroads at Chattanooga. The work will be undertaken at once and pushed forward vigorously. Our citizens almost unanimously favor the project. The enterprise is to be managed by a Board of Trustees, to be appointed by the Judges of the Superior Court, which will insure first class men.

The United States Grand Jury found fifty-two indictments, mostly against whiskey dealers, for defrauding the revenue. The parties mostly live here and at Dayton. There are some big fish in the net. One of the whiskey ring has made a confession. No names are published as yet.

The Committee of the Board of Trade to the Legislature will make a report to the citizens to-morrow night at a general meeting.

At Walker's Station, on the Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad, at six o'clock last evening, there was a destructive tornado. The depot was demolished and several houses were blown down and unroofed. The forests were blown down. The tornado lasted about twenty minutes.

Marion Hays, a brakeman on the Little Miami Railroad, fell from a train near Corwin last evening, and was killed instantly, the trainp assing over his body.

President King, of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, is expected in the city to-night on business of the Cincinnati and Baltimore Railroad, a short line in connection with the Marietta and Cincinnati Railroad in this city.

RICHMOND, VA.

The Conservative State Convention.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

RICHMOND, VA., April 29.—The Conservative Convention reassembled this morning, and the minority report was withdrawn to make way for a resolution to adjourn until ten days after Grant's proclamation for the State election. This resolution was defeated by a majority of two-thirds. The majority report was then adopted, with a few dissenting voices.

The debate pointed unmistakably to Walker, Conservative Republican, as the person to be supported by the Conservatives for Governor.

Resolutions were adopted for better organization, and for the appointment of commissioners to wait on President Grant relative to the submission of the constitution, and also to wait on General Canby. Adjourned *sine die*. The press representatives of all politics were admitted to-day.

The spirit of the debate in Convention this morning, by those who favored the minority report urging the people to vote down the constitution, was that while negro suffrage might be forced on the people by the government, yet Virginians should not themselves assist in the degradation. Those who favored the majority report said that sort of argument was a thing of the past. Negro suffrage was an accomplished fact, and the white people of the State, instead of silently resisting the general government, which is our government, should carry out reconstruction in good faith, accepting what the government gives us, and making the best of it. It was urged that the election of Gilbert C. Walker, a Northern Republican and administration supporter, for Governor, would give the people of the North confidence in professions, and induce immigration to the States. The minority report was advocated by Ex-Gov. Wm. Smith, and the majority by Jno. B. Baldwin and Jno. R. Edmunds.

Illinois Press Association.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW ORLEANS, April 29.—A portion of the Illinois Press delegation are enjoying hospitalities at the St. Charles Hotel as guests of the City. They arrived this morning and were met at the Mobile boat landing by the Mayor and delegation of the City Council and Chamber of Commerce, with an address of welcome. The party numbers about eighty ladies and gentlemen. After an excursion upon the river, a complimentary dinner was given. They go home to Cairo to-morrow.

NEWS BY CABLE.

Riots in Ireland Between Catholics and Orangemen—Mazzini Requested to Leave Switzerland—The Seige of Prague Raised—Proceedings in British House of Commons—The Irish Church Disestablishment—The King or Dictator Question in Spain—Movement for Republican Government.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, April 29.—Captain Carleton was shot at Athlone yesterday.

At New Market to-day the one thousand guineas stake, for three year old fillies, was won by the Duke of Beaufort's Scottish Queen; Maria was second and Brigantine third.

LONDONDERRY, Ireland, April 29.—Riots occurred here yesterday between Catholics and Orangemen. During the collision between the two factions the police charged upon both. Fire arms were freely used, several rioters being wounded and two killed. The riot assumed, at one time, fearful proportions, but the efforts of the police and the appearance of the military from the garrison, finally succeeded in restoring quiet, and the city is now tranquil. The military will remain on duty a day or two.

LONDON, April 29.—The proceedings in the House of Commons, this evening, were unusually interesting. Right Hon. Chichester Fortesque, Chief Secretary for Ireland, in a reply to a question of Lord Manners, deplored the recent outrages in Cork and Londonderry. Every endeavor had been made by the government to suppress the riotous proceedings, and the peace preservation act had been fully enforced. He also stated that further explanations were at the time impolitic.

John Arthur Otway, member for Chatham, denied the authenticity of the telegram purporting to have been received from Sir Rutherford Alcock, British Minister to China, that the Chinese government and people were opposed to progress.

The Irish Church bill then came up. After a short debate on Mr. D'Israeli's amendment to give the Glebe Houses to the Church, the proposition was rejected, as follows: For amendment 227, against it 318—majority for Government 91. During the discussion Mr. O'Connor Don stated the Trustees of Maynooth College were willing to put that building up for sale, if the same could be done with the Glebes of the Church.

On the clause allowing the retention by the Church of any real or personal property, produce of property, or moneys given by private persons out of their own resources, since the year 1660, or produce of moneys raised by private subscriptions since that year, Mr. Gregory moved to substitute the year 1608 for 1660.

Mr. D'Israeli moved the omission of the date entirely. Sir Roundell Palmer spoke in opposition to the amendment. He thought the fixing of the date at the year 1560 to be more desirable to the Church and country than leaving to the former all of the endowments subsequently to the Reformation. Both amendments were then withdrawn, and Mr. Gathorne Hardy submitted a motion to fix the date at 1560. The House divided upon this motion, with the following result: For amendment 220, against amendment 306—Government majority 86.

Sir Frederick William Heigates, member for Londonderry, moved to retain the royal and other grants made since the second year of the reign of Queen Elizabeth. Negatived by 283 to 180.

SWITZERLAND.

GENEVA, April 29.—It is rumored today that the Swiss government has requested Joseph Mazzini to leave the country. Mazzini lives at Lagano, near the Italian border, and his connection with the recent conspiracy at Florence and Milan has probably led the Italian government to make such request of Switzerland.

SPAIN.

MADRID, April 29.—The majority in the Constituent Cortes urge a prompt decision either for Duke Montpensier or Prince of Asturias as King or Dictator of the Republic. The Republicans are about to start a National petition in favor of a Republic.

AUSTRIA.

VIENNA, April 29.—The law declaring Prague in a state of siege has been annulled. Placards have been posted in various parts of the city requesting the inhabitants to avoid any further disturbances.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, April 29.—Consols, for money, 93⅝; for account, 93⅝@93¾. Five-Twenties are quiet at 80⅞. Stocks are quiet; Erie, 21¼; Illinois Central, 88½; Atlantic and Great Western, 24. Tallow 44s. Sugar active at 28s. 6d. on spot. Turpentine 30s. 9d.

FRANKFORT, April 29.—U. S. bonds, 87½.

PARIS, April 29.—Rentes, 71fr. 52c. The Bullion Bank of France increased three and one million francs during the week.

HAVRE, April 29.—Cotton unchanged.

LIVERPOOL, April 29.—Cotton irregular; middling uplands, 11⅞@12d; New Orleans, 12⅛@12¼d; sales of 8,000 bales. California wheat, 9ds 6d; red western, 80s 4d. Western flour, 21s. Corn, new mixed, 26s 6d. Oats, 3s 5d. Barley, 5s. Peas, 38s 6d. Pork, 104s. Beef, 90s. Lard, 72s. Cheese, 81s. Bacon, 61s 6d. Spirits petroleum, 9d; refined, 1s 9½d. Tallow, 29s 6d. Linseed oil, 41s.

FRANKFORT, April 29.—*Evening.*—Five-Twenties closed at 87⅛@87½.

Writ of Error in a Homicide Case.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

LOUISVILLE, April 29.—Judge Bland Ballard, of the United States District Court, has issued and ordered a mandate to be served upon the sheriff, requiring a stay of proceedings in the case of John Conley, the negro who was sentenced by Judge Bruce, of the Circuit Court, to be hung to-morrow. The defendant in his petition sets forth that he is denied and cannot enforce in the Courts or judicial tribunals of the State of Kentucky the right to testify or give evidence, which is one of the rights secured to him by the first section of the act of Congress of April 8th, 1866. The petition exhibits a complete transcript of the record of the proceedings in the State Court, and asks that a writ of error be allowed him to remove the cause to the United States District Court, in pursuance of the acts of Congress of March 3d, 1863, and April 9th, 1866. After quoting at length the acts of Congress bearing upon the case, Judge Ballard concludes by allowing the writ of error, so that the constitutional question suggested may receive full consideration before the United States Dissidet Court.

—A[illegible] Leavenworth, Kansas, Tuesday morni[illegible]g, a mob of about one hundred negroe[illegible] fired upon and fatally wounded a negro named Thompson, while being taken to [illegible] jail from the court house where he had b[illegible]en examined for shooting another negro, whose friends composed the mob. Sev[illegible]eral arrests were made. There was great e[illegible]citement among the Africans.

CUBA.

Proclamation by a Spanish Commander.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

KEY WEST, April 29.—The following important dispatch was received here by mail from Bayamo, Cuba:

Count Valmaseda, Commander of the Spanish forces in the Eastern Department, has issued a proclamation, whereof the following are the chief features: *First*, Every native male, over fifteen years of age, found away from his residence without sufficient cause, will be executed. *Second*, Every uninhabited dwelling, and every inhabited dwelling, where a white flag is undisplayed, will be reduced to ashes. *Third*, All women away from their houses will come to Bayamo or Jiquari, or they will be brought by force. The proclamation is dated Bayamo, April 4th.

HAVANA, April 28, via KEY WEST, April 29.—The Second Battalion of volunteers, commanded by Col. Reullta, and forming the garrison of Fort Cabana, in the Harbor of Havana, having refused to obey an order for the release of a prisoner, Gen. Dulce and staff were obliged to proceed to the fort in full uniform to effect a change in their disposition. The Captain General made an address to the volunteers, when they suffered the prisoner to depart under an escort of government troops. The action of the volunteers has occasioned great indignation on the part of the public, and threats are made against the Second Battalion, in case they lay down their arms, which is not, however, anticipated.

The revolution in the eastern department is gaining strength. The Spanish troops in that portion of the island are suffering from sickness. The Cubans are besieging and constantly harrassing them and the capture of various convoys causes a scarcity of supplies and ammunition in the ranks.

Advices from St. Domingo to the 15th of April say immigration from Germany is increasing. The tobacco crop of the country is immense. The Province Ciebo was tranquil.

The Spanish frigate Gerona has returned to this port.

Sugar buoyant; sales at 8⅞@9 reals for No. 12.

ST. LOUIS.

Funeral Obsequies—Attempted Outrage—Christian Association Home.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

ST. LOUIS, April 29.—The funeral of Daniel D. Page, who died in Washington a few days ago, took place from St. Georges Church to-day. Rev. Dr. Berkley officiated. A large number of the oldest citizens in the city, among them several of its oldest Mayors, attended the funeral.

A young man named A. W. Sigerson, belonging to a well-known family here, was held in $1,500 bonds to-day for an alleged attempt to commit a rape on a woman named Mrs. Mary Townsend.

At a meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association, to-night, a plan was presented for the erection of a Young Men's Christian Association Home. The plan contemplates a Company with $100,000 stock, for the erection of a five-story building in a prominent part of the city, to be used by the Association for general purposes, and for business as well as a Home for young men. Much interest was manifested in the enterprise, and although the meeting was small over four thousand dollars were subscribed on the spot.

THE PACIFIC RAILROAD.

Ten Miles of Railroad Track Laid in One Day—Iron Laid at the Rate of a Mile an Hour—Only Nine and a Half Miles of a Gap Between the Two Roads.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 29.—Dispatches from the end of the track of the Central Pacific Railroad say over ten miles of track were laid yesterday. The track layers were compelled to desist on account of the unfinished grading. The iron was laid at the rate of a mile an hour. The work on the Union Pacific progresses slowly. Rails are down within eight miles of the summit of Promontory Point. Governor Stanford yesterday visited the eastern end of the road for the purpose of inducing the Union people to abandon their rock cutting and take the Central Road, but found no one with authority to make the change. This morning only nine and a half miles remained to complete the Road through from ocean to ocean, three and a half of which are of the Central Pacific.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

National Convention at Newark, N. J.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEWARK, N. J., April 29.—In the National Sunday School Convention, this morning, Mrs. Jeannett Heath, of Kansas, was added to the list of Vice Presidents. Rev. H. W. Beecher opened the discussion on the Sunday School Mission work, and was followed by Rev. S. H. Tyng, Dr. Peck, of M. E. Church, and others.

The Convention was attended by an immense concourse this evening, overflowing two separate meetings. Eloquent addresses were made by Rev. John Hall, of New York, Ex-Senator Frelinghuysen, Mr. Eggleston, of Chicago, R. McKenzie, of Dundee, Scotland, and others. A letter from Vice President Colfax was read regretting his inability to attend the Convention, and sympathizing in its objects.

BOSTON.

National Peace Jubilee—Massachusetts Legislature.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

BOSTON, April 29.—The receipts for season tickets to the National Peace Jubilee amounted to upward of $10,000 on the first day the sale commenced.

In the Senate to-day a bill was reported authorizing the Warden of the State Prison to permit the convicts to assemble in the yard for recreation and exercise.

An amendment to the liquor bills, to include other fermented liquors than lager beer and cider, was rejected.

In the Senate to-day a Committee of the Board on Public Buildings reported the present Public Library Building inadequate, and recommended its sale and the erection of a new building.

NEW YORK CITY.

(By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.)

NEW YORK, April 29, 1869.

The *Post* publishes the following card:

Editor's Office of the Sun, New York, April, 28, 1869.—To the Editors of the *Evening Post*: All the charges against me, made by Jno. D. Stockton, of the Philadelphia *Post*, published in your issue of yesterday, are false.

Respectfully, AMOS JUMMINGS.

Park H. Jones, the newly appointed postmaster, of this city, filed his bond and was sworn in to-day.

DIED.

ROBERTSON—On Wednesday afternoon, the 28th inst., LUELLA KATE, daughter of Stewart and Catharine Robertson, aged 7 years.

Leela thou wast mild and lovely,
Gentle as the summer breeze;
Pleasant as the air of evening
When it floats among the trees.
Dearest Leela, thou hast left us,
Here thy loss we deeply feel;
But 'tis God that hath bereft us,
He can all our sorrows heal.

Funeral from the residence of the parents, 83 West street, Allegheny, FRIDAY AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

M'CREIGHT—On Wednesday evening, the 28th inst., Mr. JAMES M'CREIGHT, in the 73d year of his age.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 732 Penn street, TO-DAY at 2 o'clock P. M.