CITY AND SUBURBAN.

The conclusion of the first and the second day's proceedings of the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, at Cedarville, Ohio, reached us at too late an hour (3¼ o'clock) for publication in this issue.

Committed.—Alderman Shore yesterday committed Wm. Kife to jail on an information for larceny, preferred by Wm. Reismyer.

Gildenfenny, news dealer on Fifth avenue, sends us the late number of Peterson's Magazine and Galaxy for June. Both are capital numbers.

Dr. Gleason lectures in Allegheny City, at Excelsior Hall, this evening, on the Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat, causes and cure of Catarrh, &c., splendidly illustrated with Manakin's models, &c.

Whipped.—Eliza Raynor alleges her liege lord John, struck her in the mouth yesterday. The harmonious couple reside on Water street. Alderman Strain issued a warrant for the arrest of John.

A Special Meeting of Councils will be held to-day at two o'clock. We understand the object of the meeting is to take action on the Water Extension bill passed at the last session of the Legislature.

Raised a Disturbance.—Wednesday evening Levi Schinidder, residing in the Third ward, Allegheny, amused herself by applying vile threats to his neighbors, upon which he was arrested, locked up and fined five dollars yesterday by Mayor Drum.

Disorderly.—Richard Mossbaugh was arrested, Wednesday evening, by the Allegheny police on complaint of his family whom he had driven from the house. At the time he was under the influence of bock beer. Yesterday morning he was committed to jail in default of a fine of twenty dollars.

Postponed.—The Committee of Arrangements from the Grand Army of the Republic having in charge the presentation of the "Renegade of the Potomac," owing to circumstances beyond their control, are compelled to postpone the entertainment as announced by advertisement, for the present.

Hymenial.—A double wedding took place at the office of Alderman Donaldson, yesterday, the parties, residents of Beaver county, being a father united to a lady whose daughter was at the same time married to his son. The ceremony was performed by the courteous official in his usual happy manner, in the presence of the requisite number of witnesses. The connubially inclined people departed on a wedding tour immediately after the interesting affair had been concluded.

Suit Entered.—Our readers will remember the difficulty at a ball in Allegheny, between Richard Boley, doorkeeper, and Alfred Gebby, one of the Allegheny police, who wished to enter to arrest one of the attendants at the festive gathering. Boley, it will be recollected, prevented this, whereupon he was arrested by the officer, taken to the lock-up and next morning fined for interfering with an official in the discharge of his duty. As a sequel to the affair information was made yesterday by Boley against Gebby for assault and battery, before Alderman McMasters. Warrant issued.

Kept the Clothing.

Some time since, according to Rosa Cuthbert's statement, she placed in the hands of Patrick and Mary Ann Reyan a lot of wearing apparel, valued at sixty-eight dollars and fifty cents, for safe keeping. When the articles were needed she made application for them but alleges the demand was refused, the Ryan's utterly disclaiming all knowledge of the articles. Hence information was made against them by Rosa, yesterday, before Alderman McMasters, for larceny by bailee. The parties are neighbors, residing on Washington street near Wylie. Warrant issued.

Serious Accident.

William Duncan, a boy about twelve years of age, was severely injured yesterday by being run over by a wagon. He and his little brother were hauling staves from the Allegheny depot, and having loaded a one horse wagon, started out of the yard to Federal street, when in crossing the gutter the staves slipped from the top of the load, throwing the boy in front of the wagon, the wheel of which passed over him. He was taken up by a gentleman who was standing near, and removed to a house in the vicinity and medical attendance summoned. His injuries although severe are not of a serious nature, and he was able to go to his residence in the Third ward, Allegheny.

A Blasted Affair.

Yesterday afternoon, several workmen were arrested on Anderson's Hill, Seventh ward, Allegheny, for blasting within the city limits without using the necessary precautions to prevent injury to citizens as prescribed by ordinance. The parties had been employed by others, who were engaged in building a house in the vicinity, and wished to get sufficient stone from the hillside to lay the foundation walls. At the hearing last evening the gentleman who preferred the information, upon which the arrest was made, withdrew it, the defendant paying the costs and promising to proceed no further in the annoyance.

The Robinson Robbery.

The alleged robbery at Robinson & Co's., on Liberty street, Wednesday, an account of which was published in the GAZETTE of yesterday, was the subject of considerable "talk" on the street yesterday. It appears that a well known business man of the city was followed for a considerable length of time on the streets yesterday by a young man connected with the establishment, and at his instance was arrested and taken to the Mayor's office, charged with being a participant in the robbery. Fortunately, the gentleman was enabled to convince his Honor that he was not in the city at the time the robbery was perpetrated, and he was accordingly discharged.

The young man who was arrested on Wednesday evening by the Allegheny police, on suspicion of being one of the robbers, has since given his name as George Stevens. He said he had just arrived from Boston *en route* to Louisville, and had stopped at the Grant House. The Grant House register showed the name of George Stevens, from Lockport. The baggage seized with him also bore the same name.

Information was made against him for robbery by Mr. Robinson, upon which he is held for a hearing, to-morrow, at ten o'clock. The baggage of the other two suspected men was brought to the Mayor's office, from Neely's tavern, and searched, but revealed no clue to the owners. The money will hardly be recovered. In another column we publish a full description of the papers taken, which will be found of interest.

THE COURTS.

District Court—Judges Hampton and Kirkpatrick.

THURSDAY, May 20.—The cases of Sullivan vs. Reese, Graff & Dull, and Cusick vs. same defendants, previously reported, were resumed. At the conclusion of the evidence for plaintiff, the jury was discharged and a non suit entered on motion of defendant's counsel, on the ground that the evidence was not sufficient to entitle the plaintiff to recover.

BEFORE JUDGE KIRKPATRICK.

Jenkins & Wilson vs. Hodges. Action on a promissory note. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $215.22.

Harr vs. McGowan. Action on a promissory note. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $217.

Sweeny vs. O'Neill. Action on a promissory note. On trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR FRIDAY.

85. Grice vs. Stewart et al.
89. Balder vs. Morrison, Coegler & Co.
92. Hastings vs. McGee.
82. Mertz vs. Dunning.
96. Com. of Pa. vs. Trustees of Plum Creek Church.
97. Kissling vs. Gillespie.
98. Laby vs. Nobbs.
99. Kiehl et al vs. Karnes.

Common Pleas—Judge Mellon.

THURSDAY, May 20.—The case of Hoeveller's Administrators vs. Mugele et al was resumed, and is still on trial.

International Co-operation Foundry Association vs. Pentz. Motion for a new trial and reason filed.

Kramer vs. Mondvoon. Motion for a new trial and reasons filed.

Adler & Co. vs. Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Action for damages. On trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR FRIDAY.

No. 8. Mills vs. Kirkpatrick, et ux.
No. 10. Smith vs. Gray.
No. 45. Heath, for use, vs. Haigh.

March List.

No. 4. Greensburg Pike B. & L. Association vs. Birshoffeberger.
No. 5. Quince vs. Adams Ex. Co.
No. 9. Jones vs. Stacey.
No. 10. Martin vs Muller.
No. 11. Same vs. Same.
No. 13. Hullaran vs. Kier, Foster & Kier.
No. 14. Harper, Gutman & Co. vs. Williams.
No. 15. Frazier Bros. vs. Coulter.
No. 16. Kuldan vs. McKnight.

Allegheny Politics—Executive Committee Re-organized.

Pursuant to a call, the members of the Allegheny City Executive Committee assembled last evening at the office of W. P. Price, No. 21 Diamond. Mr. John McDonald, Presided, with Mr. J. P. Sprague as Secretary. The Committee was then re organized by the filling of all vacancies, and now stands as follows:

First Ward—Thos. Scandrett, W. C. Stockton, John Morrow, W. G. Algeo, Robt. White.

Second Ward—John McDonald, Jos. P. Sprague, John Kirkpatrick, W. P. Price, George Bothwell.

Third Ward—John Holmes, Arthur Hobson, Casper Gang, Fred. Lang, Sam'l Hastings.

Fourth Ward—Henry Behrhorst, J. C. Patterson, John Megraw, H. W. Aufterhide, Robt. M. Blair.

Fifth Ward—John Heath, Isaac Read, James Caughey, Alex. Patterson, Henry Paulis.

Sixth Ward—James Grenet, W. W. Brown, A. M. Stevenson, W. F. Trimble, John Speer.

Seventh Ward—C. Wettach, Fred. Bielstein, Andrew Arent, Wm. Hamilton, Robt. Henderson.

Eighth Ward—Wm. Oakley, George McConnell, George Moul, Wm. Saints, Wm. Krebbs.

After the organization the Committee adjourned to meet at the City Treasurer's office, Tuesday evening, May 25th at 7½ o'clock.

Forgetfulness—Its Result.

Mr. Patrick Black forgot to read the papers yesterday morning. If he had read them, in all probability he would not to-day be mourning the loss of $680. The particulars of a neat little game were there set forth, and profiting by the experience of others Patrick might have saved himself from being swindled. He didn't, however, and the result was disastrous. He arrived in the city from Brady's Bend, Armstrong county, yesterday morning, with nine hundred and thirty dollars in his pocket, en route to Nashville, Tennessee, where he expected to invest it in land. He bought his ticket at the Union depot, and being of a communicative disposition, soon fell in with a genial fellow, respectably dressed and gifted with a pleasing flow of language, who was also destined for Nashville. Genial friend was a merchant in Nashville and knew all about the place. After conversing a while he wanted Patrick to accompany him down town to attend to the shipping of a couple of horses. Patrick accompanied him on the fatal journey. On Fifth avenue the stranger stepped into a carpet store to get a one thousand dollar greenback changed. In a few minutes he returned, unsuccessful, and asked the loan of $680, so that he might ship the horses immediately, and then go to the bank and get the change for his bill. Patrick produced the amount asked and invested it in this sure cure for greenness. The borrower then disappeared, telling him to wait a few minutes for his return. He waited, but waited in vain. He informed a policeman of the affair. Aroused all the detective energies concentrated at the Mayor's office. Described his friend, whom he now impolitely denominated a thief, as a short man, with a black moustache and dark clothing. Several innocent short men were quite abashed by the earnest attention with which they seemed to be regarded by the men of the mace. But among them all, the looked for individual could not be found. And so another name is added to the mournful list of misplaced confidences.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—Humpty Dumpty at the Opera House to-night. The pantomime will be represented for the last time Saturday evening. Those who wish to see the performance should bear this in mind.

PITTSBURGH THEATRE.—This is the last week of the "Forty Thieves" at the Pittsburgh Theatre, and accordingly lovers of the burlesque will have but two more opportunities to see this, one of the most gorgeous ever put on a Pittsburgh stage. It attracts crowded houses every evening, which is sufficient proof for our statement.

INTERESTING EXHIBITION. — Next Tueday evening the pupils of Mrs. Slack Davis' school will give one of their novel and interesting entertainments at the Academy of Music. The programme is varied and attractive, and a pleasing entertainment may be expected by all who desire to attend.

ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.

Special Meeting—Report of a Special Committee on Improvements.

A special meeting of the Select and Common Council, of Allegheny city, was held yesterday, Thursday, May 20th, 1869, at half-past seven o'clock.

Select Council.

Members present: Messrs. Callery, Faulkner, Gwinner, Hall, Hartman, J. C. Patterson, Phillips, Riddle, Reiter and President McBrier.

Mr. Phillips, from the Special Committee, appointed to enquire into the expediency of erecting a public hall on the Third ward square, submitted the following report:

GENTLEMEN: Your Special Committee, to whom was referred the resolution relating to the propriety of erecting a public hall building in the Third ward square, would respectfully report that they had the matter under consideration, and while nothing was agreed upon further than appointing a Sub-Committee to consult with architects and ask them to prepare rough plans of improvements. Your Committee was fully convinced from data before them that such a building or series of buildings could be erected, comprizing a public hall and rooms for city offices, not only without levying a tax for the same, but providing a revenue almost equal to all the incidental resources of the city together. Your Committee will say that almost at the very outset of their labor, parties owning property in the vicinity, proposed to be enclosed, gave them to understand that the city have no authority to use said square for any such purposes as proposed. The opinion of the City Solicitor was had on this matter, which verifies the position of the property-holders. Your Committee having complied with their instructions, respectfully ask to be discharged or further instructed.

Accompanying the report was the opinion of the City Solicitor, sustaining the view of the property owners relative to the improvement.

On motion of Mr. Hall the matter was laid over for the present.

Mr. Faulkner presented a report from the Railroad Committee, stating that the Fort Wayne Railroad Company had agreed to put up a bridge at Preeble street for the safety of foot passengers. The report was accept.

Mr. Phillips offered a resolution instructing the Street Commissioner to widen the sidewalk uniformly on Marion avenue. Referred to the Street Committee with power to act.

Mr. Callery called up the ordinance relative to tapping sewers and making connections therewith, and moved its adoption.

Mr. Hall moved to lay the matter over for the present. Adopted.

Mr. McBrier (Mr. Hall in the chair) presented the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on Streets and Sewers be and are hereby instructed to report a general ordinance in regard to the frontage tax for sewers on corner lots. Adopted.

Mr. McBrier offered a resolution instructing the Committee on Ordinances to consider the propriety of digesting the city ordinances and compiling the same for publication in book form, and also the expediency of revising the charter. Adopted.

Adjourned.

Common Council.

In the absence of the President, Mr. Long, of the First ward, was called to the Chair.

Members Present—Messrs. Blair, Comley, Gilliland, Hanna, Hastings, Kirkpatrick, Krebbs, Kopp, Long, Megraw, McNeil, Porter, Reineman, Seidle, Tate, Thompson, Voegtly, Warner.

Reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

Mr. Hanna moved a suspension of the rules in order that general business might be taken up. Carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Business from Select Council, which had been presented but not acted upon at the last meeting, was taken up.

The plan for the Western avenue sewer was presented as it had been adopted by Select Council.

Mr. Tate moved to lay it over until the next regular meeting.

Mr. Hanna presented a remonstrance against the plan. Ruled out of order by the Chair.

Mr. Voegtly moved to amend by referring the plan back to the Committee on Streets and Sewers. Carried.

Mr. Hanna again presented the remonstrance against the sewer, which was read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Sewers.

The plan for the Anderson street and Stoddard alley sewer was next presented.

Mr. McNeil moved to non-concur and refer back to the Committee.

Mr. Tate asked the gentleman's reasons for opposing the sewer.

Mr. McNeil said he understood there was a new law relating to sewers recently passed by the Legislature, and he would not vote for the construction of a sewer under its provisions.

Mr. Megraw had not heard of the proposed sewer until it was brought before Councils. He thought the matter should be investigated further. He believed that not half a dozen people on its line had ever asked for it.

Mr. Voegtly thought all the sewer plans should be laid over for the present.

Mr. Tate moved to concur with Select Councils in adopting the plan.

The yeas and nays being called, the motion was decided lost.

Mr. Warner moved to lay the plan over until the second meeting night in June. Carried.

The White Oak alley sewer plan was next taken up.

Mr. Hanna moved to concur and adopt the plan.

Mr. Voegtly moved to amend by laying it over until a future meeting. Carried.

Mr. Long now vacated the chair in favor of Mr. McNeill.

REPORT OF STREET COMMITTEE.

The report of the Street Committee was read and received, the action of Select Council being then concurred in.

CONCURRENCES.

The action of Select Council, in the following business, was concurred in, In refering to Committee on Street, and Sewers, a resolution to authorize the City Engineer to employ an assistant to superintend the construction of sewers. In passing, finally, ordinances for grading and paving of Fayette street, Sixth Ward; for construction of culvert on Perry street; for grading and paving of Jefferson street, Second Ward; for construction North avenue sewer; for construction of White Oak alley sewer; changing the name of Webster street, between Stockton and Montgomery avenues, to Sherman avenue.

In referring to the Committee on Water petition for water pipe on Brady and Wagoner streets.

In referring to same Committee petition for water on Concord street.

In accepting communication from Park Commissioners.

In referring to Committee on Gas, a resolution for the erection of a Gas lamp at corner of Monterey street and Benton alley.

NON CONCURRENCES.

The ordinance for paving First alley, north of Hemlock street, Third ward; for construction of Anderson street and Stoddard alley sewer; for construction sewer on Lincoln avenue and Rope alley; for construction of sewer on Western avenue; relative to the running at large of animals through the city; for construction of sewer on Spring Garden avenue, all of which were in S. C. passed finally, were laid over.

The ordinance for the paving of Evans alley in Select Council, passed finally, was amended by striking out "between Locust and Sheffield streets," and as amended adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CITY PROPERTY.

The report of the Committee on City Property was read. Mr. Voegtly moved to concur in the action of Select Council in adopting the report after striking out the resolution relative to the Allegheny Library. Lost.

Mr. Megraw moved the adoption of the report as a whole. Carried.

NEW BUSINESS.

Mr. Warner presented a petition for a change of grade on Juniata street, Sixth ward. Referred to Committee on Streets and Sewers.

Mr. Megraw presented the report of the Conference Committee, relative to the building of a house for the Good Will Hose Company, Sixth ward. The Committee reported in favor of awarding the contract to Messrs. Murdock and Hall for a two story house complete at a cost of $10,688.

Mr. Warner moved to refer back to the Committee to prepare a plan for a two story building, and advertise for new proposals. Adopted.

Mr. Thompson offered a remonstrance from citizens on Jefferson street, against the grading and paving of the same. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Mr. Long offered a resolution instructing the Committee on Wharves and Landings to report upon the expediency of extending Allegheny avenue to the river for the purpose of using the same as a public landing. Referred to Committee on Wharves and Landings.

Mr. Thompson: a petition for the repeal of the ordinance relative to the grading and paving of Evans alley. Referred to Committee on Streets.

On motion adjourned.

The Clearfield Bank Robbery.

The *Raftsmen's Journal* gives the following particulars of the robbery of the County National Bank at Clearfield, on the 18th inst, some account of which we have already published: "First they pulled the Lilley safe about two-thirds of its length outside of the other door, knocked off the combination knob, and then attempted to drive in and cut to pieces the conical-shaped chilled-iron center block in which the combination operates. Evidently having found this a fruitless effort, they then plied the heavy sledge-hammer with great force and vigor to the various portions of the front edges of the safe and door, but succeeded only in knocking off some small scales. Finally, however, it seems, they found a weak spot—a flaw, more than an inch in width and about five inches in length, in the iron of the door, to the left of the combination. The iron covering this defect in the door was only about a quarter of an inch in thickness, and the inside about half an inch. The outside portion over the flaw having been broken in with the sledge hammer, they next drove a heavy steel punch through the inner part and into the combination, breaking the lock into pieces. From appearances, the burglars evidently had a hard job on hand, and one which must have taken them perhaps more than an hour to accomplish, as the iron through which they forced their way is literally covered with dents and marks; and the great wonder is that they did not alarm the whole town by the great number of heavy blows they struck to secure their end. The robbery must have been committed between midnight and morning, and the amount secured by the burglars was $15,000 in money and $4,500 in government bonds.

"A telegraph dispatch was received here on Saturday, announcing arrest of two men at Mifflin, answering the description of those who obtained the meal at Dunbar, but were afterwards released. On Monday, another dispatch was received from Lock Haven, stating that two men had been arrested at that place, and who were adjudged to be two of the burglars, but we have no further information regarding them."

We may say, in addition, that two men, supposed to be the burglars, have been tracked to the neighborhood of Tyrone, where they disappeared in the thickets. Officer Dressler, of this city, has been for several days absent in that locality, on the hunt, but has, as yet, given no signs of success.

Sheep Shearing Festival.

The Stock and Wool Growers' Association of Upper St. Clair, Snowden and adjoining townships held their annual sheep shearing festival at the farm of Capt. John Gilfillan yesterday.

The festival was one of the largest ever held in this county, and was in every particular a grand success. There were over two thousand persons present, and among them a number of candidates for the several county and other offices. The day was spent in the most agreeable manner possible, and will long be remembered by those who participated in the festivities of the occasion as one of the pleasant reminiscences of the past.

The following agricultural implements were on exhibition:

Original Harper Hay and Straw Fork, H. S. Donnelly, agent.

Patent Hook Grapples, D. C. Brown, agent.

Kelloy's Patent Corn Planter, James H. McNall, agent.

Kuffin Reaper and Mower, R. E. Rodgers, agent.

Kirby's Reaper and Mower, W. G. Rowley, agent.

World Reaper and Mower, W. W. Knox, agent.

Buckeye Reaper and Mower, David Bowers agent.

No. 3 Champion Reaper and Mower, H. B. Long, agent.

M. J. Bocklow's Grain Separator, H. C. Carter, agent.

The following were the entries:

CLASS A.

Bucks—Edward Wright, John Gilfillan, Henry Mooney, Wm. Allison, Jas. Mathews, J. B. Bryer, Joseph Caldwell, G. J. Caldwell, W. J. Fife, Wm. Thompson, Harvey McMurray, Archibald McMurray.

Ewes—John Gilfillan, Alex. Gilfillan, Jr., John Espy, Archy Watson, Wm. Allison, J. B. Bryer, A. Gilfillan, Sr.

CLASS B.

Ewes—S. A. Cook, W. S. Fife, Wm. Thompson, E. Thompson, Harvey McMurray, Archy McMurray.

CLASS C.

Yearling Ewes—John Gilfillan, Henry Murray, John Espy, A. Watson, Wm. Allison, Harvey McMurray, A. McMurray, Joseph Caldwell.

CLASS D.

Yearling Bucks—A. B. Lickman, Joseph Caldwell, Harvey McMurray, Archy McMurray.

The premiums were not awarded at the time our reporter left the ground, but will be officially announced to-day.

A sumptuous repast was prepared by the ladies in the neighborhood, to which the numerous guests did ample justice.

Foreign Visitors.

Information having been received by His Honor, Mayor Brush, yesterday morning, that Mr. Thornton, the British Minister, Baron Lederer, the Austrian Minister, Mr. Francis Clare Ford, First Secretary, and Mr. Fane, Second Secretary of the British Legation, and Hon. Captain Ward, of the Royal Navy, who is also an attachee of the Legation, would arrive in this city via the Allegheny Valley Railroad, during the afternoon, a meeting of the business men and manufacturers was called to meet at the Mayor's office at eleven o'clock, to make arrangements for the reception of the distinguished visitors. In consequence of the short notice, however, there was but a slim attendance at the meeting, and no business was transacted; but at the suggestion of the Mayor, several prominent citizens assembled at the office and proceeded to the depot in carriages.

Colonel Wm. Phillips, President of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company, dispatched a special train to meet and bring in the distinguished party, who were to have left Venango City at ten o'clock A. M. There was a delay, from some cause, and the train did not reach this city until half past four o'clock P. M. Upon their arrival at the depot, they were kindly received and welcomed by Mayor Brush and the citizens who accompanied him. The British and Austrian Ministers were not among the visitors. The following letter from Hon. Simon Cameron to Judge Kirkpatrick, introducing Mr. Secretary Ford, will explain their absence:

WILKESBARRE, PA., May 16, 1869.

DEAR JUDGE—This will be handed you by Mr. Ford, Secretary of the British Legation, who has with him Captain Ward, of the Royal Navy, and Mr. Fane, also of the Legation. They are part of the company of gentlemen who left Washington City to look at our mineral regions. The others were compelled to return from this place to Washington, and I regret to add I also must leave them at Northumberland. These gentlemen will reach Pittsburgh in a few days, and their objects is to see all that can be seen of the manufactories of your city. SIMON CAMERON.

The reception of the party at the depot was an informal one, consisting of handshaking all around, and words of welcome from the Mayor and others who were present. Among these we noticed Hons. James Veech and John M. Kirkpatrick. General Sweitzer, Josiah W. Ellis, Esq., Mr. M. Lyon, of Lyon, Shorb & Co., and others. The entire party proceeded to the Monongahela House, in carriages, where they were introduced to a number of our prominent manufacturers. This morning the visitors, escorted by Mayor Brush and a committee of citizens will visit some of the leading manufacturing establishments in the vicinity. They will remain in the city till Sunday, and will return to Washington City, via the Pennsylvania Railroad, stopping for a day in Johnstown to inspect the Cambria Iron Works. The gentlemen express themselves as highly pleased with their trip through the oil regions, and, indeed, with their experiences wherever they have gone.

Ladies' Meeting—Arrangements for Decoration Day—Committees Appointed, &c., &c.

Yesterday afternoon another meeting of the patriotic ladies of the city and vicinity was held in City Hall, for the purpose of making arrangements to perform the work assigned them in the ceremonies of "Decoration Day." There was a much larger attendance than at the previous meeting, and the proceedings were marked with an enthusiasm and earnestness which augurs well for the success of the work undertaken.

In the absence of Mrs. McKee, Chairman of the former meeting, Mrs. John Watt was called on to preside.

Mr. Watt stated the principal subject for consideration was in reference to the entertainment of the orphan children coming from locations outside of the city to participate in the Decoration ceremonies. The Principals of the schools at Uniontown and other places had promised to allow the children under their care to visit the city on the occasion, provided suitable accommodations could be provided.

On motion it was resolved that the ladies present pledge themselves to take charge of the arrangements and provide entertainments for all visiting Orphan children. After some further discussion, the following Committees were appointed in reference to the matter:

Committee to provide supper on Friday, 28th and breakfast Saturday morning at some suitable place, to be hereafter designated: Mrs. Samuel McKee, Mrs. General A. L. Pearson, Mrs. Judge Stowe, Mrs. L. S. John, Mrs. Irwin, and Mrs. Riddle. Committee to provide dinner at Masonic Hall on Saturday: Mrs. John Watt, Mrs. H. B. Mann, Mrs. M. Cote, Mrs. George Miltenberger, Mrs. Rippey and Miss M. Galway.

It was stated that the trustees of Masonic Hall had kindly placed the Hall at the disposal of the ladies for Friday and Saturday, the 28th and 29th. The offer was accepted and the thanks of the ladies tendered to the trustees for their generosity.

Delegates from the First Ward Schools, Pittsburgh, reported that the schools had made arrangements for supplying a number of wreaths, boquets and flowers, in addition to which the Directors had promised to contribute a sum of money to be used as the Committee thought best.

It was decided to open Masonic Hall on Friday and Saturday for the reception of flowers and provisions, the ladies present at the meeting to be constituted a committee to procure these supplies.

Adjourned to meet Monday afternoon, at three o'clock.

Borough of Millvale—Election.

The annual election of borough officers for the borough of Millvale took place on Wednesday, the 19th instant. Only one regular ticket was presented. Nevertheless, but one or two ballots were put in that were not *scratched*. One Councilman and the Assessor were elected for a "smoothbore," and only one Inspector of Elections was elected, owing to an informality in having both Inspectors' names on each ticket. The following are the officers elected and the majorities:

Burgess—Jno. I. Williams, 64 majority.

Council—John G. Brown, 65 maj.; Edward Coates, 65 maj.; Daniel Dempsey, 65 maj.; F. G. Segelcrouck, 64 maj.; Wm. McConnell, 35 maj.; David C. Evans, 29 maj.

School Directors—Charles A. Burrows, three years, 58 maj.; Josiah Riley, three years, 62 maj.; David C. Evans, two years, 61 maj.

Judge of Elections—Thomas McElroy, 65 maj.

Inspector of Elections—Brewer Scott, no opposition.

Assessor—A. McF. Johnston, 5 maj.

Constable—Theodore Kleiber, 65 maj.

The place to get White Lime, Calcined Plaster, Hydraulic Cement, is at Acker & Caskey's, 13 Smithfield street.

Dry Goods—Country Merchants.

An enterprising dry goods firm, such as that of Messrs. Bates & Bell, 21 Fifth avenue, is a boon to country dealers. It saves them an amount of time, trouble and expense that a country dealer can alone appreciate. Messrs. Bates & Bell, for instance, keep constantly on hand a complete stock of all varieties of dry goods which, by purchasing in large quantities, and on those favorable opportunities that men of extensive trade can alone take advantage of, they are enabled to sell at very low wholesale rates—much lower frequently than small dealers could buy for in the East. Then the latter, by making their selections here at home, at 21 Fifth avenue, are saved all the expense and uncertainty attending orders sent to the East. Just now Messrs. Bates & Bell have full and varied stocks of linens, dress goods, silks, silk and cloth mantles, lace curtains, cassimeres and cloths. The rural merchant cannot fail to suit himself and please his patrons by replenishing his store with these goods. Messrs. Bates & Bell he will find inclined to liberal dealing, and prompt and satisfactory in filling orders. Send them in.

Hagan's Magnolia Balm.—This article is the True Secret of Beauty. It is what Fashionable Ladies, Actresses, and Opera Singers use to produce that cultivated *distingue* appearance so much admired in the Circles of Fashion.

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SPROUL—STEWART—On Thursday, 20th inst., at the residence of the bride's parents by the Rev. Thomas Sproul, D.D., Rev. THOMAS A. SPROUL, of New Alexandria, Pa., to Miss EMMA S. STEWART, daughter of Henry Stewart, Esq., of Allegheny City.

DIED:

YOUNG—On Thursday, May 20, inst., Capt. JOHN W. YOUNG, in the 73d year of his age.

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