The Pittsburgh Gazette.

TRI-WEEKLY.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

THE GAZETTE *is furnished to the city for six days of the week for* 15 *cents per week; by mail,* $5 *per annum;* 3 *mos.,* $2.

Rain.—There was a slight fall of snow yesterday morning between seven and eight o'clock, which was the first of the season in this locality.

Work House Commitments.—Patrick Markey, Thos. Lodis and John Gilleton, yesterday afternoon, were taken over to the Work House.

To the Penitentiary.—Yesterday Michael Gill, sentenced for five years, and James Smith, for six years, were taken over to the Western Penitentiary.

Real Estate.—See advertisement of McClung & Rainbow, Real Estate and Insurance Agents, 126, 127 and 129 Centre avenue. 4t

Yesterday morning a bright little waif was found on the front steps of Mr. C. C. Hamby's residence, Cedar avenue, Allegheny. The little stranger will be cared for at the City Home.

Threatening.—Thomas Taylor was held for Court yesterday to answer a charge of surety of the peace before Alderman Taylor, on oath of Thomas Simpson, whose head he threatened to knock off.

Ferocious Dog.—Yesterday John Sutter made information against Mrs. Catherine Kohler, for keeping a ferocious dog, allowing that it had bitten and seriously injured his little daughter. Warrant issued.

Alleged False Pretense.—Charles Lisner, merchant sailor, on Penn street, yesterday, stated to Alderman Taylor that Samuel Clifton had obtained a suit of clothing valued at $40 from him by false representation. No arrest.

Fisticuffs.—Samuel Jenkins alleges that Frederick Heck struck him in the face with his fist. Aldermn Taylor issued a warrant for the arrest of the accused. The parties are employed on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Read this.—Those who please remember their favorite resort for cream candies and taffies, lozenges, roasted and cream almonds and extra fine cream bon bons, at 118 Federal street Allegheny City. George Reaven. 6t

Fatal Result.—Jackson Kemp, the little fellow run over by a car at the Pan-handle Railroad freight depot on Saturday last, died at his father's house on Monday evening. Coroner Clawson empannelled a jury and investigated the circumstances yesterday morning. The jury were unable to agree and adjourned until this afternoon at 3½ o'clock, when they will meet at the Coroner's office.

Young Gamblers.—The attention of the officers on Fifth avenue was called to the fact that a number of young scamps were in the habit of assembling in the rear of the Dispatch building for the purpose of gambling on a small scale, and yesterday morning they made a raid and captured six of the young hopefuls, who were confined in the lock-up about four hours, and after a free lecture from Capt. Graham, they were released.

Shooting.—Yesterday afternoon Alderman McMasters, at the instance of Mrs. Margaret Davis, issued a warrant for the arrest of George Sheecker for false pretences. The accused was charged with fraudulently obtaining boarding to the amount of eleven dollars at the boarding house of Mrs. Davis, on Hazel street, by representing that he was in the employ of Mosley & Co., gravel roofers, and had money due him, all of which, it is alleged, were misrepresentations of facts.

G. A. R. Lecture.—To-morrow night, that inimitable American humorist, Josh Billings, will open the course of lectures under the auspices of the Hays Post 3, G. A. R., in Lafayette Hall. He will discourse on that suggestive topic—"Milk," which, under his peculiar presentation, will doubtless develop into creamy proportions of wit of the most enjoyable kind. Who would spend a delightful evening merrily should be at Lafayette Hall on this occasion. Tickets for the lecture or the entire course may be had at any of the music stores.

Election Results.—Yesterday William Sloan, constable and Patrick Riley, each made information before Alderman Taylor against Florence McCarthy and James Riley for aggravated assault and battery. The accused are charged with making a violent and unprovoked attack on deponents, on the night of the election, near the Twelfth ward polls. They were both badly beaten, and hardly able to be about since, according to their statements. McCarthy was arrested and gave bail for a hearing. Riley has not yet been secured.

Larceny of Clothing.

Yesterday afternoon Alderman Nellis committed to jail John Coats, charged with larceny on oath of Adam Adams. Adams alleges Coats engaged boarding at his house in Allegheny, a few days ago, and after supper was shown to his room. He left the house in a short time, carrying with him a large bundle, which was subsequently explained by the continued absence of more coats than one from the dwelling. The Coats eluded the vigilance of the officers until yesterday, when he was arrested and committed.

To the Public.

As there have been many misunderstandings about certain matters alluded to in a report of a member of the Visiting Committee of the Central Board of Education, concerning his visit to the High School, the public are respectfully requested to entertain no opinion about them until the matters are reported on by the High School Committee to whom they were referred by the Central Board of Education and by whom they are now under investigation. By order of the Committee, JOHN A. SERGEANT, Secty Central Board of Education

Illegally Festive.

Monday night the saloon of George Smith, in the Ninth ward, was entered by Frank Evans, who demanded something to invigorate the inner man. Being in a highly inebriated condition, Smith alleges he refused to let Evans have anything further, when that individual fell to demolishing the furniture of the establishment and otherwise demeaning himself in an improper manner, accompanying his actions with fierce threats against the peace and safety of the saloon keeper, finally winding up with a direct assault upon the object of his wrath. He was finally ejected from the premises. Yesterday Smith made information before Alderman Sirals against his assailant, for disorderly conduct and assault and battery. Evans was arrested and held for a hearing.

Burglars Again.

About three o'clock yesterday morning the house of James O'Connor, 279 Penn street, was entered by burglars and a valuable gold watch, a breast pin and a pocket book containing a small sum of money stolen. Mr. O'Connor and his family are absent on a European tour, and the house is in charge of the housekeeper, Mrs. Neil. At the time mentioned Mrs. N. was awakened by a noise in her room, and upon opening her eyes, she discovered that two men were working at a dressing bureau trying to open the drawers. On giving the alarm, and the villians fled, taking with them the property named. On examination it was found that they had gained admittance to the House by cutting a pane out of the door opening into the back yard, and by putting the arm through the aperature were enabled to slide the bolts by which the door was fastened, and Mrs. Neil's sleeping apartment had been entered in the same manner. The thieves is is evident are not all in the penitentiary yet.

Dung's Good Trade.

One of our exchanges contains a paragraph stating that William Fleming & Co., No. 190 Wood street, are doing the largest Kid, Cap and Ladies' Fur trade west of New York. There is nothing at all surprising in this, when we take into consideration the fact that they always keep on hands the largest and best selected assortment of Hats, Caps and Ladies' Furs in all the section of country, which they sell at other wholesale houses, as low prices or lower than the same goods can be obtained in Philadelphia or New York. Mr. Fleming and his gentlemanly partners thoroughly understand the trade in which they are engaged, and always make it their especial business to please all who may favor them with a call with them. To those who wish to purchase any goods in their line we would say, by all means give them a call and examine their stock and prices, for their prices before purchasing elsewhere. You will find this extensive establishment filled with an immense assortment of the new styles of Ladies' and Misses' Furs, consisting of Hudson Bay Sable, Mink Sable, Siberian Squirrel, German Sable, Fitch, Mink, Blackened and Silver Ermine, African and Persian Lamb.

THE COURTS.

Over and Terminer.—Judges Mellon and Stowe.—Trial of John Grimm for the Murder of James Shovelin.—United States Courts.—Supreme Court.—County Courts.

TUESDAY, October 19.—The case of the Commonwealth vs. John Grimm, indicted for the murder of James Shovelin, the opening of which was reported yesterday, was resumed, and the Commonwealth called the following witness:

James Monaghan was sworn and testified that he boarded at the house where the tragedy occurred; was out in the house when Grimm entered, but hearing a noise and a pistol shot, he rushed in and found the men in holts, Shovelin had hold of Grimm by the coat and one hand; Grimm was standing up against him with a pistol in his right hand; I got hold of the pistol with my left hand, and tried to shove it off; Grimm said "shot gov'." I did let go of the pistol, and Grimm and Shovelin rushed neck inward the door. Mr. Gant came in and called to Shovelin to let go. Shovelin said "shoot" and did let go. Grimm then walked toward the door. Shovelin pulled off his coat and said he could fight him yet; Grant said, "I want no fighting in this house." Grimm then said "hold on, you have got what will do you." Shovelin sat down on a chair and said "yes, Grimm, you have shot me." I gave Shovelin a drink of water. Grimm passed out of the kitchen into the hall, but don't know what time he left the house.

Capt. William Reed, of the night police, was next called and testified that at about 2 o'clock on the night of the 11th of September Grimm came to the watch house and handed him a pistol, stating that he had had a difficulty with Shovelin. (The pistol, a five shooter, was shown.)

Jerry Sullivan testified that he had seen Grimm and Shovelin together on Friday evening prior to the shooting, and that Grimm had a knife in his hand. They met at Ellis Furnace and walked away together.

Patrick Murray, sworn—Boarded at Mr. Jack's on the 11th of September last; the house is probably not over two hundred yards from Gani's. Saw Grimm on the 10th of September. He came to Laughlin's works about half-past three o'clock. Grimm boarded where I did. I said, "Halle, Jack." He said, "Is it here you work?" I said, "Yes." He then crossed over to another part of the works, and returned with Shovelin. Shovelin said, "Grimm, if you come to the works to fight you'll get it knock the face of you." Grimm said, "I did not come to fight; if you don't sue me, perhaps Laughlin will! I came here to know what you had against me." Shovelin replied that that was his business; that dog must be muzzled or shot (meaning the dog Grimm has). Grimm said, "I have done you no harm," and they walked back to the furnace. That's all I heard on Friday. At a quarter before twelve on Saturday, while on my way to dinner, I met John Grimm and Shovelin at the coke yard. They were in conversation. I waited for dinner to be announced; while there Grimm passed and went into the house. He passed out again. Dinner was announced immediately afterwards. Took my seat at the table, and shortly after Grimm seated himself at my left, and said "Murray, I thought that man came to dinner at twelve." Asked him what man, and he said Shovelin. Told him I didn't know what time he came to dinner. He can come when he gets his place cleaned, up. Grimm said he was up to see him, and that the woman told him he (Shovelin) took his dinner at half-past eleven and then went away; I said, "Grimm, if I was you I wouldn't interfere with a man at his boarding house or on the public highway; it might cause trouble;" he said, "Yes, I will go up to-night and see him, and he will have to swallow the words he used, or him or me will get hurt, for I got liberty from Mr. Gani." I saw Shovelin after he was wounded, outside of Gani's house.

Frank Moore, sworn: On or about the 10th of September lived near Moorehead's mill and worked there. [Pistol shown.] Carried that revolver eight years; it belonged to me; I parted with it to a man named John Grimm one Saturday morning; it was the day Shovelin was shot; three chambers of it were loaded when I parted with it; there is one chamber loaded now; gave it to Grimm about a quarter of six on Saturday morning; I told him I only had three cartridges, and he said if he used them he would buy me a new box:

The Commonwealth rested here.

Wm. Owens, Esq., opened the case for the defense in a brief address, detailing that the shooting was done in self-defense. The following witnesses were then called:

Miss Elizabeth Green, sworn—Am the daughter of Mrs. Gant, who testified was subpœnaed by the Commonwealth; was in the room when Shovelin was shot; while Grimm was in the house Shovelin came in; he was in the kitchen; when Shovelin came in he sat on the table and said, "Johnny Grimm is in that room, and if he is a gentleman he will come out and see me;" mother said she did not want any fighting in the house; Shovelin said he didn't mean to fight until Monday morning, and then he would whip him as two minutes. Shovelin spoke in a very loud voice. Shovelin asked me before Grimm if I had ever told him anything about him. I said no. Grimm came into the kitchen with his hands in his pockets. Shovelin was in the middle of the floor and pulling off his coat and laid it on the corner of the table. Neither of them spoke until I spoke. I said: "John did ever I say anything to you about Shovelin." Grimm said I had not. Shovelin said "yes you did." Witness detailed the conversation which ensued, and continued: Shovelin got into a great passion, and John said "did the dog bite you, or what did I ever do to make you want to whip me?" Shovelin said it was none of his business; John said "you told some of the men at the furnace that the reason you are going to whip me is because I am going with Barbara." Shovelin said it wasn't and Grimm said it was. Shovelin called Grimm a liar, and Grimm said he was one too. Shovelin then ran towards John to catch him. John put up his hands to keep him back, and then Shovelin caught him by the throat, and pushed him up against the wall. Grimm said "stop, let go your hold, let go your hold;" he said this two or three times, but Shovelin did not let go, and then Grimm shot him. There were two shots fired. After the shots Shovelin had Grimm by the throat. My father then came out and took Shovelin's hand away from Grimm. My sisters Emma and Barbara and mother were in the room at the time. Monaghan came in after the firing. Don't know whether the men were separated at that time. Father was sick on that evening. Heard Grimm offer to go for a doctor. Shovelin was boarding at the house. It was just about dark when the shooting occurred. When Shovelin first came in he asked my mother how my father, who had been sick, was.

Miss Emma Gani was the next witness called, and testified in substance the same of the preceding witness.

At this point the Court took a recess of an hour, and on reassembling again a number of witnesses were called and examined as to the character of the deceased, and the relative sizes of the two men, after which the defense closed.

Thomas M. Marshall, Esq., then made the opening argument to the jury on behalf of the Commonwealth, and was followed by W. C. Moreland, Esq., for the defense, at the conclusion of which Court adjourned, to meet at nine o'clock Wednesday morning, when Gen. F. H. Collier will address the jury for the defense, and Mr. Swartzwelder, Esq., will make the closing argument for the Commonwealth.

Supreme Court—Full Bench.

TUESDAY, October 19.—The Supreme Court convened at 10 o'clock this morning. Present: Chief Justice Thompson and Judges Agnew, Read, Sharswood and Williams.

An opinion was delivered in the case of the Commonwealth ex. rel. Attorney General, vs. James Gamble. This was a quo warranto from the Middle District to inquire upon what grounds Judge Gamble held, that office. Judgment heretofore entered was sustained. Opinion by Thompson, C. J.

Musselman & Clarkson's appeal, Lancaster county. Decree affirmed and appeal dismissed. Opinion by Thompson, C. J.

United States vs. Black et al., Cumberland county. Decree reversed and it is ordered and decreed that the said balance of $1,565 55 be paid to the appellants, the United States; the costs of this appeal to be paid by the appellees. Opinion by Read, J.

Eckles' appeal, Cumberland county. Decree modified by allowing Eckles $1,000 as his compensation, and by dividing all the costs below and in this Court equally between the parties. Opinion per curiam.

Norris' appeal, Philadelphia. Decree of Quarter Sessions reversed, and the order to that effect made. Opinion by Agnew, Judge.

Wolf vs. Western Union Telegraph Company, Allegheny county. Judgment affirmed. Opinion by Agnew, Judge.

Coleman vs. Coleman, Lebanon county. Decree affirmed and appeals dismissed, the costs of the appeals to be paid by the parties in proportion of their respective interests. Opinion by Sharswood, Judge.

Ryger's appeal, Lancaster county. Decree reversed and record remitted to the court below that the decree may be there modified according to this opinion. Opinion by Sharswood, J.

Cooper's exception vs. Scott, Fulton county. Affirmed. Opinion by Williams, J.

Woods' administratrix vs. Woods' administrator's Commissioner's county. Affirmed. Opinion by Williams J.

Hatfield & Rice Manufacturing Company vs. Dysart, Lancaster county. Judgment reversed and venire *de novo* awarded. Opinion by Williams J.

Robert C. Beach and Hugh O'Jamison, of Warren county, on motion of Hon. R. Brown; Theo. S. Wilson, of Clarion county, on motion of Geo. W. Lathy, Esq., and J. R. Osmer, of Venango county, on motion of James S. Myers, Esq., were duly admitted and qualified to practice in this Court.

Dickson's administrator vs. Foust, Crawford & Co. Continued.

Clark et al. vs. Douglas, Erie county. Argued by DeCamp for plaintiff, in error, and by Curtis, contra.

Robeson & Co.'s appeal, Venango county. Submitted.

Joseph H. Patrick, of Clarion county, was, on motion of B. J. Reid, Esq., duly admitted and qualified to practice in this court.

Klumph vs. Dunn, Crawford county, *non pros.*

Hoskinson vs. Elliott et al., Erie county. Argued by Thompson and Marshall for plaintiff, in error, and by Walker, contra.

United States District Court.—Judge McCandless.

TUESDAY, October 19.—The list of Grand Jurors was called, and nineteen answered. C. B. Curtis, Esq., of Erie, was designated as foreman.

Judge McCandless then delivered the charge to the Grand Jurors, instructing them as to their duties, after which they retired.

The Court ordered a special term of the Court to be held at Pittsburgh on the first Monday of December, 1869.

In the case of the United States vs. Thirty-three barrels of distilled spirits, owned by Robert Lyons, on motion of District Attorney Carnahan, and by order of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, the proceedings were discontinued.

The following cases were continued to the special term in December: United States vs. George W. Crozier, et al., three cases; United States vs. J. L. Cone et al.; United States vs. Holmes & McClay, two cases.

The case of the United States vs. Jas. Murphy, indicted for neglecting to report to the Assessor after number of presses in use in his tobacco manufactory, and for failing to give bonds for the same, was taken up. Jury out.

Court adjourned until Wednesday morning at nine o'clock.

District Court.—Judge Mirkpatrick.

TUESDAY, October 19.—In the case of Drayo vs. Milliken, previously reported, verdict for plaintiff for six cents damages and six cents costs.

In the case of Tibby vs. Shaw, reported on trial yesterday, verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $123.61.

James Martin for use vs. Henry Gambler. On trial.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

61. Owners canal boat "Ella" vs. Owners steam tug "Storm No. 2."
85. Parker & Paul vs. Martin et al.
25. Friend use vs. Olnhausen gar.
10. Goodell vs. Pa. R. R. Co.
101. Stein, Seasongood & Silverman vs. Megraw & Co.
102. Huckenstein vs. Lee et ux.
104. Lee vs. P. Pt. W. & C. & P. R. R.
105. Greer & Boyd vs. Tomlinson & Son.

Common Pleas.—Judge Sterrett.

TUESDAY, October 19.—Wm. Earp vs. Richard Griffiths, action to recover for boarding. Verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $371.71.

John Schnaidler vs. Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad Company, action to recover damages sustained by plaintiff on behalf of a cow killed on the railroad. The jury found a verdict in the sum of $600.

Joseph Gibson, Administratrix of Jas. Gibson, deceased, action on a bank account. Verdict for plaintiff for $336,17.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

127. Roody vs. Snyder.
141. Grey vs. Howard.
132. Stephenson vs. Grubbs, et al.
133. Miller et al. vs. Miller's Executors.
144. Somer & Co. vs. Edmunds & Co.
145. Haslett vs. Newell.
146. Colhan vs. Speer.
147. Phelan vs. Ramsey.
148. Love vs. Meredith et al.
149. Mawhinney vs. Moore et al.
150. Hollenback vs. Peters.
151. Rogers vs. King et al.

Quarter Sessions.

TRIAL LIST FOR WEDNESDAY.

312. Com. vs. Charles F. Good.
383. Com. vs. Edward Barrott, et al.
389. Com. vs. Roger Brooks.
400. Com. vs. P. E. Goodall.
406. Com. vs. Robert Heuston.
416. Com. vs. Geo. M. Morrison and Jas. Robinson.
354. Com. vs. Frederick Geddes, 3 cases. Jacob Mainhart, Jas. Huespaih.
418. Com. vs. Jason A. McClure.
423. Com. vs. Thomas Sullivan.
430. Com. vs. James Smith.
423. Com. vs. Wm. C. Rafferty.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW OPERA HOUSE.—A fashionable and brilliant audience assembled last evening at the Opera House to accord a welcome and greeting to Mrs. Caroline Richings-Bernard, the American Queen of Song. The attendance was not so large as we anticipated, but the audience was conspicuous for intelligence and refinement and represented the higher elements of appreciative society. As Lady Hamilton in Martha, Mrs. Richings Bernard sustained herself admirably and proved the peer of Parepa Rosa. Her acting and facial expression on the stage, warmth of expression, correct interpretation of every point in the play, gained for her the hearty applause of the audience, and established her genius as a histrionic artiste of extraordinary ability. Her rendition of the "Last Rose of Summer" was charming and peculiarly original. Her sustained high notes and trills were sweetly and artistically delivered, and the encores she elicited was no admirable as to hold the audience spell-bound in breathless silence till the close, when a storm of wild applause shook the building to its base. The encore was graciously responded to, and again and again the house was rocked with ecstatic applause. "Nancy," Mrs. Anna Kemp Bowler, "Pinnket," Mr. Henry Drayton, "Lionel," Mr. Brookhouse Bowler, "Lord Tristam," Mr. James A. Arnold, "High Sheriff," Mr. J. G. Peakes, were all excellent pieces of artistic acting and vocalism, and we venture to say no better array of genuine talent could be mustered together in the operatic boards. The chorus, costumes, scenery, orchestra and general appointments were all that could be desired, reflecting largely to the success of the rendition.

To-night the "Bohemian Girl" will be presented. The cast is unusually strong. Mrs. Bernard as "Arline," Mr. Haigh (first appearance) as "Thaddeus," Mr. Drayton as "Arnheim," Mr. Peakes in his great and acquired impersonation and specialty of "Devilshoof" and Miss Mischka as the "Gipsy Queen."

Secured seats may be secured at box office; seats may be secured all day.

Parepa Rosa English Opera.—Last night the Parepa Rosa Company appeared at the Academy of Music, for the first time, in Pittsburgh, Balfe's charming and romantic opera, in three acts, entitled "The Puritan's Daughter." Every available seat in the Academy was occupied; and the auditory composed the *elite* of the city and suburbs.

The dramatic *personæ* in the great picture of human life sustained their parts to perfection, more particularly the impersonations of the Puritan's daughter and Charles the Second by Madame Parepa Rosa and Mr. Gustavus F. Hall. The silmest effectiviate soft and musical voice of "Rochester" in the characteristic song:

"O! give to me a stinging peach now,
To warm the heart and cheer the soul, etc."

had a telling effect on the audience, and would have met with as warm a tribute of appreciation had the musical modulations been spiced by neither a natural nor affected delivery of the articulation with the tongue and teeth. "Clifford," lacked a little of energy and earnestness throughout the parts, yet his graceful delivery of the words of chilling sentiment against his betrothed, when found alone with King Charles, evinced his high perception of the position. "Seymour" was admirable, sustained, so much that notwithstanding his life of reckless daring, a feeling of regret at the inglorious termination of his existence must have crept amongst the audience.

The directors of this opera troupe must feel that they have achieved, in Pittsburgh, as elsewhere, a decided success. The results of their almost unrivalled cost, expensive and appropriate scenic illustrations and proper management, and last, though not least, the fact of its appointments being under the careful supervision of Mr. C. D. Hess, the courteous proprietors and directors.

Pittsburgh Theatre.—The dramatic troupe now engaged to attract crowded houses at the Old Drury Theatre, performance is truly wonderful, and forms one of the finest and most thrilling combinations of entertainments we have ever seen in Pittsburgh. They will appear at the usual matinee this afternoon.

A Mistake.—Gen. McClellan did not arrive in the city yesterday, but will doubtless pass through as soon as circumstances permit. There is no other reason than to look at the elegant assortment of fine trunks, valises, traveling satchels, &c., which Jas. Hall, No. 104 Wood street, always has on hand. Other travelers might inspect the stock with advantage.

PAST AND PRESENT.

Visit from a Subscriber of the "Gazette" in 1795, not in Spirit but in well Preserved Flesh and Bones.

Our sanctum yesterday was gladdened with a visit from one who seemed as a great connecting link of the past with the present, a man who prominently figured in the last century and lives till to-day, hale and hearty, to tell us of things and times and people who have long since passed away: Mr. William Connelly of Franklin, Pa., who is now in attendance at the United States Court Session as a juror, and who is about entering into the ninety-fourth year of his dwelling on this earth. The boys of sixty horseboots who complain from the thousand attending ills of old age, who are hawked about on easy rolling chairs and who limp through toothless mouths, and their through gutta percha borns, would blush with sheer shame to meet this hearty and robust old fellow, who has years enough resting on his shoulders to make him an object worthy their reverence. He was born in 1776 in Philadelphia, and has lived his whole life in Pennsylvania. At an early age he removed to Franklin, Pa., which was then a lumber headquarters, containing only a few log cabins and a fort. In 1795 he visited Pittsburgh, floating down the then beautiful Allegheny river on a raft. He was accompanied by some seven companions, all of whom, with himself, were clad in Indian costume. Entering the rude little village of Pittsburgh, they were kindly received and put up at the old "Black Bear Hotel," on the north-eastern side of the Diamond. Being a little flush of money, the party bought a suit of citizens' clothing apiece and "put on style" among the inhabitants. The accommodations and tables of the "Black Bear" were of such a favorable character as to cause the entire party to remain in the village of Pittsburgh longer than they had originally intended. During the sojourn Mr. Connelly took liberal observations of the place, and is now a perfect encyclopedia of information regarding the infancy of our great cities. Over the rivers there were no houses of residence except one or two cabins adjoining the fort, in Allegheny. One of the good things he did during his visit was to help the poor printer, Mr. John Scull, who was then publishing the nine year old GAZETTE on the corner of Market and Third streets. Mr. Scull, the founder of this paper he remembers as a courteous and obliging gentleman, a man of plain ways and universally admired and respected. He got the credit of putting out a paper "up to the times" and of editing it with very decided ability. The people were very proud of the GAZETTE, and strangers who visited the city were urged to subscribe for it in order to help the enterprise along. Mr. Connelly received mails from Pittsburgh at Franklin once every three weeks. If a Philadelphia paper ever got there it was regarded as a great curiosity. The post-riders of those days laid quite a hard time of it, dearly earning their wages.

Our old friend was well acquainted with Gen. Washington and spent many evenings very pleasantly with him in Philadelphia. He knew Ben Franklin and remembers nearly all the contemporary great men of the country of that period.

Mr. Connelly is a phenomenon. He is light and quick on his feet, hears well, talks with force and brilliancy, can read fine print and looks to be not over sixty years of age. He is merry, lively, and very entertaining. He does not attribute his longevity to anything else than the strong constitution with which he has been blessed. He never has been addicted to the use of liquor, and guarded against all sorts of dissipation. He never refused taking his honest glass of grog when he thought it would do him good, but solgisty was a leading virtue with him, and despite all temptations he never suffered himself to pervert the functions of either his body or brain. It was very unpopular in "ye good olden time" to refuse to get jolly on stated occasions, but our old friend managed with his large stock of moral courage to successfully resist temptation and to keep true to his ninety-third year without a break. He never was interested in his life! He says he has been so much of intemperance, has marked so many high lives that went down to ignominious graves, has observed so much poverty, degradation and vice consequent upon excessive indulgence in strong drink that he feels it to be his duty to say to all young men entering upon life in the busy world to keep themselves at all times free from the pollute themselves in the eyes of God, in their own estimation and that of everybody else. Words of warning like these from one who goes ever down into the past with his memory into the darkness of a past century, who has spread before him a graphic picture of generations crowding generations from the earth's stage, should fall with effect on those who are floating outward in the current of life, and who are rushing, driving them surely and certainly into the whirlpool of dissipation, the darkness and misery of drunkenness and vice.

Mr. Connelly served as a legislator in 1819–'20–'21, representing the district composed of Venango, Franklin, Mercer, Warren and Erie counties. All of those who figured with him in early life have passed away, and he, almost alone, yet stands a sturdy oak in the midst of the ruins of humanity. He has many great-grand-children, and says he soon expects to have great-great-grand children. There is no clearer-headed man on the jury, and none have a larger stock of sound judgment and good strong common sense. His mind is strong and vigorous, and from present appearances and condition of health, he promises well to turn his hundredth year.

Juvenile Pugilistics.

Yesterday a trio of juveniles, were enjoying an animated pugilistic entertainment on Penn street, two of them being pitted against the third. This little champion was in a fair way of carrying off the prize, when the driver of a passing vehicle, recognizing in the defeated, two of his brother's children in distress, promptly espoused their cause, and got into difficulty by his intervention. Later in the day, Isaac H. Bunton, father of the conquering hero, made information before Alderman Donaldson against William Langdon, the intruder, for assault and battery upon his son, the offense consisting in horsewhipping and kicking the youthful representative of the Bunton family. Warrant issued.

A Success.

As a caterer to the tastes of an enlightened public, Mr. Haltsheimer, the accomplished proprietor of the popular Continental, has met a decided success. This fact is well attested by the hosts of patrons who make his establishment, on Fifth avenue, below the post-office, a general rendezvous when their appetites are to be satisfied. The bill of fare from day to day is fit for royalty itself, while the manner in which it is served—polite attention everything neat and clean about the premises—is an additional attraction which is well appreciated by every visitor. Since the late improvements in the Continental, the interior apartments will compare with any restaurant in the city, while the feast presented every day cannot be excelled.

The Secret of Beauty lies in the use of Hagan's Magnolia Balm for the Complexion.

Roughness, Redness, Blotches, Sunburn, Freckles and Tan disappear where Magnolia Balm is used, and a beautiful complexion of pure, satin-like texture is obtained. The plainest features are made to glow with Healthful Bloom and Youthful Beauty.

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