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CITY AND SUBURBAN.

But One Left.

We have but one more room to let in the "GAZETTE Building." It is a very desirable room on the second floor, fronting on Smithfield street. Terms very low for the location. Call at the Counting Room, first floor.

Councils meet to-day

Peach trees are in full bloom.

The *Ohio Patriot* says that Dr. George McCook, of Pittsburgh, an early settler of New Lisbon, contemplates again taking up his residence in that town.

Thirty-Four.—There were thirty-four victims of bad whiskey before his Honor the Mayor yesterday morning. A few paid the fines imposed upon them and the others were committed.

Kicked.—John Monohan, a colored boy employed as driver for Martin McAleer, Allegheny, had his wrist broken Saturday night by a kick from his horse, which he was carrying at the time.

Contract Awarded.—The Street Committee of Allegheny Councils have awarded the contract for supplying the city with man holes and sewer inlets for the ensuing year to Messrs. Wm. Smith & Co., of the National Foundry.

Four unwilling persons appeared before Mayor Callow yesterday morning. They had been "on a high" the night before and were brought low by the police. They replenished the City Treasury several dollars and thereby secured a release.

Something is wrong with the Diamond scales, Allegheny. They don't work. Fifty dollars were spent in repairing them a short time ago, but that rather made matters worse. The Market Committee of Councils will hold a meeting this evening to take the matter into consideration. If the old scales won't do a new pair will be put up as soon as possible.

Disorderly Husband.—Justinia Shoufolt, of the Third ward, Allegheny, has a husband, Amsiam, who gets cross sometimes. He was in that mood on Saturday, and expressed a hatred of his spouse by applying all sorts of vile epithets to her, winding up with a severe castigation. She had him arrested by Alderman Bolster for disorderly conduct. The magistrate will pass sentence upon him to-day.

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PETROLEUM.

The Prospects—The Brady's Bend Strike—Notes of Other Operations.

The large strike at or near Brady's Bend, on the line of the Allegheny Valley Railroad, has given new life to the oil-producing trade, and great activity prevails all along the line. Prior to that strike, the signs were that this spring and summer would witness an activity in development rivaling that which prevailed when the petroleum fever was at its greatest height, but the Brady business has accelerated things and the certain signs forerunning an intense and unhealthy oil excitement are already discoverable. There are many reasons for believing that there will be more life in the producing business than was ever known before, although speculation will not run so high as it did a few years ago. In the interim between the collapse of '65 and the present time many large fortunes have been piled up by the operators who clung to their wells and steered clear of speculation, and their legitimate success encourages others to once more take to the business. Again, those who had their fingers badly burned in fancy stocks and humbug ground floor operations, have recuperated their energies and accumulated enough money to go in close quarters with the greasy tiger, and timidly and cautiously they will proceed to puncture the earth where never a yield is promised. Other causes combine to render safe the prophecy that the oil producers will be much more numerous this season than at any time inside of five years, and of course the production must necessarily become much larger. There is no business which, on the capital invested, will pay better percentage than the reasonably successful oil well; there is on the other hand no possible way to sink money faster, deeper and beyond recovery than by putting down a dry well. Operators who go in must bear in mind that the business is one of chance, or luck if you please, as much to-day as it ever was, and that it is the long purse, steady, determined efforts and indomitable will and pluck that secure success.

On Saturday we visited Brady's Bend, where the big well was flowing a steady stream of light petroleum at the rate of three hundred barrels in twenty-four hours—or fifty dollars' worth in an hour. The oil is from a crevasse, or pond, formed 1,250 feet under the earth in the third sand rock. How large this subterranean lake may be is a matter of conjecture, and on its size entirely depends the quantity of oil which it will continue to supply. We incline to the opinion that the well will go down to less than thirty barrels inside of thirty days; but the extraordinary strike will occasion a thorough development of the region and new strikes may be anticipated. The big well fire was extinguished on Wednesday night, but was again fired by Jeh fellow, who lighted his cigar with a lucifer over the gas coming out of the pinhole in the pump. Again it was extinguished. Efforts have been made to fish out the tools, which are fastened at the bottom of the well, but to no avail. It is thought that if these tools and others were withdrawn the production would be twice as large.

Every train on the Valley road bears hundreds of persons to Brady's Bend station, who go out of curiosity and with a desire to pick up leases. The property owners are quite independent and dictate various terms to those willing to lease. For instance one man holding fifty acres wants as many leases taken out—one-fourth royalty and operations to commence within ten days. Such terms may be taken, but it is no wise certain to make a pepper bottle lid out of the land by perforating it with holes hardly an acre apart. That policy has ruined more than one promising locality, and experience should teach some people some lessons. The owners of the big well, among whom, we are glad to observe, is Mr. J. McC. Creighton, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, have a lease of twenty-one acres, and have refused $200,000, although a few hours prior to striking, it is said, the whole thing might have been purchased for $1,500. Derricks are going up rapidly, new houses and hotels are to be built, and we should not be surprised to see Parker's Landing fairly eclipsed in importance before many days shall have passed away, by this now and important section.

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PARTIAL EXERCISES.

Farewell of Rev. Dr. J. S. Dickerson.

"Have you made the acquaintance of Rev. Mr. Dickerson," we were asked by the venerable Dr. Loomis, of Lewisburg, some five years ago. "He is an able, earnest and genial man, and as he is about to remove to Pittsburgh, I want you to become acquainted with him, for I know you will like him." We did make his acquaintance, and have found him to be all that our scholarly friend stated. He has done five years service here—valuable service—and is about to remove to the "Hub." His works have praise him. The mutual attachment of pastor and people was shown yesterday. Many an eye was suffused with tears, and many a tongue was speechless in bidding adieu to the pastor and his most accomplished lady. The farewell to the church was given in the morning. His usual good sense was shown in this address. No reproof was administered, no evidence of any want of confidence in his people was exhibited in anything that was said. There was a revise of the past and sound advice as to the future.

Last night a union meeting of the several Baptist congregations was held in the First Church, to hear the formal farewell sermon of Mr. Dickerson. Rev. Mr. Young, of the Union Baptist Church, presided with the retiring pastor, and during the evening addressed an eloquent appeal to the Throne of Grace. Mr. Dickerson preached a very powerful sermon, and in conclusion again addressed feeling farewell remarks to his congregation.

A tree is known by its fruit. Deeds speak louder than words. His city here has not been simply to hold together a prosperous and wealthy church, but to build up and enlarge a feeble band. And this he has done.

He commenced his work in the church on the corner of Grant and Third streets, then a gloomy and unattractive. His audience at his first sermon numbered 28 and at his second sermon 43. Now in the new and tasteful chapel his audiences have usually been about 400. This chapel too so wisely located, is "substantially paid for." Then the church roll contained 212 names, some of whom probably have removed from this city or were dead. During his pastorate 119 have been added by profession and 90 by letter. He has delivered 90 addresses, outside of his regular duties, attended 19 funerals and made 2000 calls. These calls, on a people widely scattered time. A scholarly and most successful pastor recently died in Laurel Mass., whose visits in a pastorage of more than 30 years, averaged 70 per year. This was regarded as a great work, but it required probably less time than the four hundred made here. Both of these cases tend to show how much a ministers success depends on these parochial visits. The contributions to benevolent purposes the first year were $620; last year $1,137. The average contributions, including the payments towards the chapel, have been $14,000. He leaves too a united, prosperous and happy working church. His heart and hand have been in every good work.

This is a noble record. Such pastors cannot well be spared. To call him away from such a field to the very centre of Baptist influence seems to us unwise for the cause. He will be missed here. Long and most kindly will he be remembered, and many a heart will invoke rich blessings on him in his new sphere of work. His great and warm heart has begotten its image in many of his people.

If Pier, Dannais & Co. will make the best ale in the country they must not grumble if people do make them work day and night to keep up with the demand.

Children's Carriages, wholesale and retail, at Jas. Longhridge's, 171 Smithfield.

INCENDIARISM.

Excitement in East Liberty—Supposed Attempt to Burn and Pillage the Place —Three Fires—Loss About $30,000.

The good people residing in that portion of our city known as East Liberty were somewhat startled, excited and alarmed yesterday morning at an early hour by an attempt to burn the town, and the excitement continued at a high pitch throughout the day.

About half past twelve o'clock they were aroused from their slumbers by the cry of fire, which was occasioned by the burning of a stable belonging to Mr. J. McConnie, situated between the Railroad and Penn avenue in the Twentieth ward. When discovered the flames had made so much headway that it was impossible to ascertain in what part of the building the fire originated but from the fact that the stable was locked and no one about McConnie' premises had been in it, it was reasonable to suppose that it had been set on fire. The stable and contents were entirely destroyed, notwithstanding the citizens labored faithfully with all the means at hand to suppress the raging element. The scarcity of water and absence of engines rendered their labors fruitless. Among other articles in the stable at the time of the fire were two wagons and two sets of harness. Mr. McConnie' loss will not exceed $1,000, upon which there is no insurance.

The building was surrounded on all sides by stables which were in great danger of being burned, but through the efforts of the citizens they were saved.

The excitement incident to the first fire had just begun to subside when there was a second alarm, at about half-past three o'clock. This time the porch attached to Mr. Christopher Strashley's dwelling house on Penn avenue near the National Hotel was on fire. Fortunately the discovery was made in time to prevent serious damage being done. Mr. Strashley's loss will not exceed $75, which is fully covered by insurance in the German Company of this city.

Scarcely had the flames been brought under subjection at this point until there was another alarm, and the planing mill of Messrs. Graham, Lyon & Company, at the corner of Station street and Negley avenue, were discovered to be in flames. The fire made such rapid progress as to baffle all efforts at the disposal of the limited means at hand, to subdue it, and in a short time the entire building was in ruins. Several outbuildings, including a stable, and several piles of lumber, were destroyed, involving a loss of over $25,000, upon which there is an insurance of $5,000 only, in the Germania.

The fire communicated from this building to the African M. E. church, which was also destroyed. The building was valued at $1500 and there was an insurance on it in the German Insurance Company of this city of $500.

By this time the entire population was aroused and the most intense excitement prevailed. It was at once said that fires were all the work of an incendiary, and it was presumed that the object was to plunder. The second fire was easily extinguished. Efforts have been made to find out the tools, which are fastened at the bottom of the well, but to no avail. It is thought that if these tools and others were withdrawn the production would be twice as large.

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THE COURTS.

District Court—Judges Hampton and Kirkpatrick.

SATURDAY, April 23.—In the case of Faber, vs. P. & C. Gas, Coal and Coke Company, previously reported, motion for a new trial and reasons filed by defendant's counsel.

Court Hampton will take up the argument list in the Quarter Sessions Court room Monday, and Judge Kirkpatrick will continue to hear jury trials in the District room.

NEXT LIST FOR MONDAY.

294 Conner vs. Marshall.
179 Craig vs. Birch.
178 Brown for use vs. Owners of Steamboat "Reindeer."
108 Irwin et al vs. Shaffer.

Common Pleas—Judges Stowe and Collier.

SATURDAY, April 24—In the case of Cooper vs. Kennedy writ of *habeas corpus* to recover possession of relations child, argued several days since, a full report of which we published, the Court dismissed the writ and ordered that the child remain with its grandparents for the present, on condition that the father be allowed free full and free privilege of visiting it at all reasonable times at the residence of the respondents.

Maggie Patton vs. James H. Patton; in divorce. Petition presented and subpoena awarded.

Catherine Hannan vs. Jeremiah Hannan; in divorce. Petition presented and subpoena awarded.

Margaret Weidner vs. Francis Weidner; in divorce. Petition presented and subpoena awarded.

Georgeanna Boyer vs. Wm. Boyer; in divorce. Petition presented and subpoena awarded.

TRIAL LIST FOR MONDAY.

113 Soldiers' Orphan Society, vs vs. Smith.
52 P. & C. Gas, Coal & Coke Company vs. Bailey.
53 Same vs. Hartman.
59 Same vs. Henderson.
244 (O. L.) Graham vs. Vandever, et al.

Quarter Sessions—Judge Sterrett.

SATURDAY, April 23.—Henry Lemar, convicted of felonious assault and battery, Thomas Hamilton prosecutor, was sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, a fine of six cents and undergo an imprisonment of three years in the Penitentiary.

Young Men's Christian Association.

On Saturday evening the regular monthly meeting of the above Association was held in their new rooms, corner of Penn and Sixth street. H. K. Porter, Esq., President in the chair.

The meeting was opened by devotional exercises, consisting of singing, praying and reading a selection from Paul's letter to the Corinthians.

After singing "Sweet By and By," by a quartette connected with the Association, Superintendent Cree submitted the report of the various meetings held during the month. There had been twenty-two prayer meetings held weekly in the two cities during the past month. Nine Associations have been organized by the Committee on Associations within the past three months, and are now in a prosperous condition. Sixty one applications for active and associate membership, four of whom were ladies, were presented and admitted. This is a much larger number than usual, and is an indication of the growing interest manifested in the Association.

The question "How shall practical piety be cultivated among converted young men" was opened by Wm. Johnson, who said it was necessary to have a full and complete knowledge of God's word, to be entirely subject to his will, to be ever at the foot of the cross, &c. Several other members followed; some thought the christian standard was not held high enough—to apt to look at our neighbors for a model instead of Christ—and that we must not expect to be able to teach the young unless we, ourselves, are wise in the ways of God. A greater degree of warmth amongst Christians in their daily intercourse was stated would create a closer union, one with another, and so help one another along.

Notice of a sermon by Joseph King, of Allegheny, to young men on the 8th of May; a free lecture on "Our Posts," by Rev. F. A. Noble, on the 28th inst., and a musical soiree on the 19th of May, in these rooms, were announced.

The meeting was very largely attended, a great many strangers, ladies as well as gentlemen, being present. We wish the Association success in its new quarters.

The New Market House.

An adjourned meeting of the committee of citizens of the Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth wards on the new market house was held Saturday evening, 23d inst., when the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That a market house is absolutely necessary for the citizens of the Twelfth, Thirteenth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth wards; that we, the representatives of said wards, do hereby unanimously recommend the selection of a site for said market house somewhere between Twenty-ninth and Thirty-ninth streets, and that we hereby urge upon the City Councils the necessity of taking immediate steps to secure a market house in said locality.

Resolved, That we call upon our members in Councils to unite upon this location, and use their utmost exertions to accomplish the same.

THE FIRE COMMISSIONERS.

Caucus of Republican Members of Councils—The Candidates.

Pursuant to notice the Republican members of Select and Common Councils held a caucus in the Common Council chamber Saturday to nominate candidates for Fire Commissioners.

The caucus convened at half-past two o'clock and organized by calling Charles W. Bachelor to the chair, and appointing Harry Oliver and Charles Duff Secretaries. Others were nominated for secretary but declined to serve.

The following members were present:

Select Council—Messrs. Aiken, Coffin, Edwards, Friday, Glenn, Gross, Herron, House, E. P. Jones, Isaac Jones, Kehew, Kirk, Lisle, Loyd, Morrow Murray, McMahon, Phillips, Reese, Seeley, Wilson and President McAuley.

Common Council—Messrs. Arthurs, Albeits, Barker, Batchelor, Beynon, Beakman, Black, Carroll, Caskey, Duff, Fedder, D. L. Fleming, Jno. Fleming, Fulton, Gerson, Hare, Jones, Kehew, Mattern, Mitchell, Miller, Moore, Moorhead, Morgan, Moseiy, McKelvy, Oliver, Sr., Oliver, Jr., Seibert, Seifferth, Seitz, Shoob, Sims, Smith, Snodgrass, Tomlinson; Verner.

The President stated the object of the caucus, after which every member pledged himself to abide by the result.

THE CANDIDATES.

On motion the caucus proceeded to vote by marking for seven Republicans to be Fire Commissioners with the following result:

Henry Haye, for three years, 54; M. K. Moorhead, for three years, 48; R. W. Mackey, for three years, 47; Robt. Finney, for two years, 47; John H. Stewart, for two years, 47; Wm. M. McKelvey, for two years, 42; Thomas Reese, for one year, 36.

It was then resolved to nominate two Democrats to serve as "Pittsburgh Fire Commissioners," with the following result:

John J. Torley, 41; J. H. McElroy, (Second ward) 27; J. H. Jones, 21; Chas. B. Strain, 10; A. Neilwaine, 9; James Irwin, 8.

Mr. Morgan moved that the three candidates having the largest number of votes be declared the choice for three years, and the next three for two years.

Mr. McAuly, in consideration of the fact of three of those chosen having received an equal number of votes, offered an amendment to Mr. Morgan's motion that the three first named on the list be the choice for three years, and the next three for two years.

Dr. Gross said that the large vote Mr. Hays had received was a compliment to that gentleman's long and faithful service, and he could not be ignored in the manner it was by Mr. McAuley's motion.

Mr. McAuley called attention to the fact that when he made the motion that the gentleman from the Second, Mr. Hays, of the compliment, he was not aware who was named first on the list; or who had been complimented by the largest vote.

Mr. Hunt's name was then placed at the head of the list, in place of Mr. Finney, for the three year term.

The name of Mr. Jeremy Jones was used in the caucus without his consent, but was withdrawn by Mr. E. P. Jones, as that gentleman had not voted, Mr. Jeremy having received eighteen votes. Had his name not been withdrawn he would have probably been nominated.

Attractive Establishment.

Among the most attractive business houses in the city is that of Reynolds, Steen & Co., No. 124 Wood street. This store is stocked with a very large and carefully selected assortment of the finest goods in the line of French and American Chinaware, Glassware and Queensware, together with all varieties of glass, Parian, Britannia and silver-plated ware. The establishment has long been a want long felt in the community, a first class importing house of this character, and the patronage which has been tendered them manifests the fact that they are fully appreciated by the people. They are in direct communication with the leading potteries, foreign and at home, and are thus enabled to supply the latest designs and styles in every line of goods at prices that can be had in the Eastern markets. The firm is composed of Messrs. Reynolds, Steen and John J. Steen, glass manufacturers of long experience, and Mr. George Burke, for many years connected with the leading house in this branch of trade in the city of Boston. They have divided their house, 124 Wood street, into two departments, the upper portion for the wholesale and the lower for the retail trade. Relying upon their acquaintance with the business and with a new stock selected with the greatest care, they solicit the patronage of purchasers, feeling satisfied that they can supply the wants of all who need anything in this line.

Meeting of the Prison Board.

A meeting of the Prison Board was held in the District Court room Saturday, Judge Hampton presiding.

The meeting was one of the most interesting that the Board has held for some time. The subject under consideration was the disposition of the rooms adjoining the Sheriff's office. The Commissioners want them for an office for the Sheriff, but were in favor of making a library and consulting room of them.

Judge Kirkpatrick offered a resolution assigning the rooms, one to be used as a consultation room and the other for the use of the library.

Mr. Lambert, County Controller, offered as a substitute a resolution assigning the rooms to the Commissioners for an office.

The leading members of the bar were present and took part in the discussion. Judge Sterrett asked a point of order on Mr. Lambert's resolution, as it was stated that at a previous meeting a resolution had been adopted assigning one of the rooms to the Library Association, and it was now too late to rescind that resolution. The point was sustained.

Mr. Lambert, however, insisted on a vote being taken on Judge Kirkpatrick's resolution, and called the yeas and nays.

The resolution was adopted by a vote of eight yeas to four nays. The Commissioners and Controller voting in the negative.

The Railroad Project.

In our issue of Saturday we published the proceedings of a meeting of the Railroad Committee in which was embodied a proposition to extend the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad from its present terminus to Smithfield street, and we learn that a petition asking that privilege will be presented in Council today. The Pittsburgh, Virginia and Charleston Railroad company are also desirous of making the terminus of their road at that point, and if the Railroad Committee present an ordinance granting the privilege to the Connellsville road a proviso will be offered granting the privilege upon condition that the Pittsburgh Virginia and Charleston Railway company shall have the right of way on track and such buildings as may be erected in common with the Pittsburgh and Connellsville company upon payment of one half the cost of erecting the building, one half the rent expenses &c.

Anniversary Meeting.

The fifty-second anniversary meeting of the Young Men's Bible Society will be held in the Third Presbyterian Church (Dr. Nobles'), Sixth avenue, this evening at seven and a half o'clock. The occasion promises to be one of unusual interest to the friend of this noble cause and others in sympathy with the work. The annual reports of the Secretary, Treasurer and other officers will be presented, showing the condition of the Society and its success during the past year. These exercises will be followed by brief addresses by the Rev. George F. Hays, of Allegheny, and other eloquent speakers, which, together with the musical exercises, form an exceedingly attractive and varied programme. There should be a large attendance.

Should be Heeded.

Participants in the jubilee celebration to-morrow should remember the request of the Executive Committee and officers in relation to temperance. Some people never can celebrate an event, no matter of what kind, without getting *outside* about a demijohn of whisky, and getting into a fighting humor. We hope this will not be the case with any who take part in the jubilee. The pleasure and impressiveness of the occasion should not be marred in that way. The officers have taken every precaution, however, and are determined to summarily dispense if any who join the ranks in an intoxicated condition, or in that way interfere with the success of the demonstration.

Severely Injured.

Some time on Saturday night Mr. John Flodine, while proceeding to his residence, No. 118 Bard street, walked into an excavation on the thoroughfare near his home. His arm was broken, and his left wrist dislocated. He also sustained other severe bruises and was unable to move until discovered by a passing pedestrian. Yesterday morning Dr. Donnelly was summoned and reduced the fracture. Flodine is of Swedish nativity and a gunsmith by occupation. The accident, he says, was uncovered, and a suit for damages is talked of.

XVth AMENDMENT JUBILEE.

SPECIAL ORDERS.

Birmingham Division—Headquarters on Washington street, right resting on Sixteenth street; will start from Birmingham at 10 o'clock A. M.

Allegheny Division—Military, societies and citizens, on foot, will form on Boyle street, right resting on North avenue; Union Club and Tilghman Club cavalcades will form on Sandusky street, right resting on North avenue; carriages on Poplar street, right resting on North avenue; wagons on Cedar avenue; will start from Allegheny at 10 o'clock A. M.

Pittsburgh Division—Will meet on Penn street, right resting on Sixth street; will follow the Allegheny Division when it passes Sixth street.

GENERAL ORDERS.

First Division—Consisting of policemen, Great Western Band, Chief Marshal, Staff, orderly and aids, color bearer and aids, military, Knights of the White Cross, invited guests and speakers in carriages, Executive Committee in carriages: Will assemble on Water street, right resting on Smithfield street.

Birmingham Division—Will take up their position on Wood street, right resting on Water, and left resting on Third street.

Allegheny Division—Will take position on Market street, right resting on Water avenue.

Pittsburgh Division—Will take position on Water street, right resting on Market and left resting on Ferry street.

Grand Marshal—Geo. D. Ware.

Chief Marshal of Pittsburgh Division —Lonnie Googins.

Chief Marshal of Allegheny Division —Henry C. Pulpress.

Chief Marshal of Birmingham Division —Shepard Waters.

Upon the completion of the route, the procession will be dismissed at the corner of North avenue and Federal street, Allegheny, passing in review before the Chief Marshal, his staff and aids. Upon arriving at the Allegheny Diamond, the place of the GRAND JUBILEE MEETING, all persons occupying carriages, wagons, etc., will dismount, if practicable. The meeting will be organized in twenty minutes after reaching the ground.

We urge upon all men, by the sacred rights of our new-born liberty—by our gratitude to God and the Government—to abstain from intoxicating liquors on the day devoted to our jubilee. By a resolution passed at a recent joint meeting, any person who may be found in the procession in an inebriated state will be dismissed from the ranks.

Invited by request of the Grand Division Marshals.

S. A. NEALE,
Sec'y of Executive Committee.

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—Mr. Chanfrau played to full houses during all last week, appearing every evening in his specialty of "Sam," and might doubtless draw fully as large audiences this week with the same bill, but Manager Canning has decided to give his patrons something new, and has produced upon Mr. C. Stedman's "Kit," the new sensational drama, which created such an excitement in the East.

BIBLICAL TABLEAUX IN TURNER'S HALL.—The Turner Society will this evening close its series of Tableaux Vivants, so beautifully and successfully given. The Tableaux are arranged, after the celebrated drawings of Gustavus Dore. Prof. Conrad, under whose immediate care the Tableaux are arranged, has given particular attention to the preparations for this evening's entertainment. As this is positively the last exhibition for this season, we solicit a liberal patronage for our German friends.

FAIR.—The Mercy Hospital Fair now in progress at City Hall is one of the finest affairs of the kind ever held, and is worthy of the patronage of every charitable man, woman and child in the community. The attendance has been exceedingly large since the commencement, and we hope it will continue so.

ART GALLERY.—Every body goes to the Art Gallery, and as many they have been there, and everybody should go during the present week.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were admitted of record in the office of Thos. H. Hunter, Recorder for Allegheny county, Saturday, April 23, 1870:

Wm. E. Fustin to Robson Campbell & Co., Feb. 1, 1869; 4 lots in Kilbuck tp.....$1,000
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F. P. Schoyer et ux to Jacob Schoyer, Jr., Feb. 19, 1870; 1 acre of land in Robinson tp.....$1,000
Jacob Schoyer, Jr., et ux to Jacob Schoyer, Sr., Feb. 19, 1870; 1 acre of land in Robinson tp.....$1,000
Jas. A. Taylor to M. A. Lang.....$2,000
101.74 by 129 ft. on Juniata st., Allegheny city
J. H. Hespenheide to John Rooney, March 2, 1867; lot 20 by 110 ft. on Jefferson St., Allegheny city.....$600
Jane Fulmer to Jas. B. Palmer, Oct. 14, 1865; 2 acres and 19 perches of land in 2d ward, city
Jas. B. Palmer et ux to Jane Fulmer, Oct. 14, 1865; lot 12 by 87½ on Union St., Allegheny.....$1,000
Ambrose Weisel et ux to Fred. Forbelein, Feb. 17, 1869; 2 acres of land in Kilbuck tp.....$1,000
Fred. Forbelein to Joseph Weber, Aug. 2, 1869; lot 12 by 87½ on Union St., Allegheny.....$1,000
Ambrose Weisel et ux to Fred. Forbelein, Feb. 17, 1869; 2 acres of land in Kilbuck tp.....$1,000

Law Students' Association.

On Saturday evening, April 16th, 1870, the law students of this county held a meeting in the District Court Room, and formed an organization to be known as "The Law Students' Association, of Allegheny County."

A Committee of three persons, consisting of Messrs. Southard, Campbell, and Oliver, were appointed to draw up a constitution and by-laws for the government and discipline of the Association, which was held in the same place on last Friday evening, at which time the Committee made a report.

The Association proceeded to the election of officers, with the following result: President—T. J. Jack. Vice President—T. J. Jack: Second Vice President—Mr. Young. Secretary—Robert Barron. Treasurer—Jacob Geyer.

The meeting then adjourned.

Wanted—3 rollers, 3 hookers in, 3 men for farm work, 3 boys for country, 10 for work in vineyard. Also girls for all work for city and country. Apply at Employment Office, No. 1 Sixth street.

Brushes! Brushes!—All kinds of brushes, of our own manufacture, at Loughridge, 171 Smithfield street.

The Spring Stock of Henry G. Hale, Merchant Tailor, at corner of Penn avenue and Sixth street, is now large and complete. Monsieur Boupain continues to preside at the cutting. tf

Stoneroad's Catharetic Syrup is used in all cases instead of pills, castor oil, epsom salt, &c. Highly flavored. Twenty-five cents. Try it. Sold by all druggists. W.F.M.

For looking glasses and picture frames, go to Loughridge's 171 Smithfield street.

Northern Pacific Railroad Bill.

The following is the text of the Northern Pacific Railroad bill, as passed by the Senate:

Joint resolution authorizing the Northern Pacific Railroad Company to issue its bonds for the construction of its road, and to secure the same by mortgage, and for other purposes.

Be it resolved, &c. That the Northern Pacific Railroad Company be, and hereby is, authorized to issue its bonds to aid in the construction and equipment of its road, and to secure the same by mortgage on its property and rights of property of all kinds and descriptions, real, personal and mixed, including its franchise as a corporation; and as proof and notice of the legal execution and effectual delivery said mortgage shall be filed and recorded in the office of the Secretary of the Interior, and also to locate and construct, under the provisions and with the privileges, grants and duties provided for in its act of incorporation, a main road to some point on Puget Sound, via the valley of the Columbia River, with the right to locate and construct its branch from some convenient point on its main trunk line across the Cascade mountains, to Puget Sound; and in the event of there not being in any State or Territory in which said main line or branch may be located at the time of the final location thereof, the amount of lands per mile granted by Congress to said company, within the limits prescribed by the charter, then said company shall be entitled, under the directions of the Secretary of the Interior, to receive so many sections of land belonging to the United States, and designated by odd numbers, in such State or Territory, within