THE DAILY GAZETTE.

HOME NEWS.

The attention of retail grocers is called to the advertisement of Harper, Dilworth & Co. on our first page.

Fill up the Ranks.—The citizens of the 7th, 8th, 11th and 12th wards wishing to join a good military company, will find a notice of one on the first page.

Mr. B. A. Hony was yesterday appointed Assistant U. S. Marshal to take the census of the Ninth, Tenth and Twelfth wards, Pittsburgh, vice David Beck, resigned.

The stock of the Andes Insurance Company is being taken rapidly by our capitalists. Their prospectus will be found on our first page. Read it and subscribe for some stock.

Sunday School Anniversary.—The fourth anniversary of the Sixth Avenue Mission Sabbath School will be held in the Second U. P. church Sixth avenue this evening at half-past seven o'clock.

Slight Fire.—The alarm from box 76 at half past ten o'clock last night was occasioned by the burning of a tar tank at Livingston's Oil Works. The fire was extinguished before any damage was done.

Small Pox.—It is stated that small pox is raging in the city. There were twenty-three cases on Wood street near Water, reported yesterday, and one death is reported to have occurred Wednesday evening. The Board of Health should look into the matter.

Distinguished Travelers.—Three "brave and distinguished travelers passed through the city yesterday on their way home in the far West from Washington City—Mr. Ok-tas-sare-bajo, Pack-e-shucks and Cat-ch-ches. The party, after eating a hearty dinner at the Union Depot, left on the two o'clock train.

The Universalist Church will give a Grand Vocal and Instrumental Concert this evening in their Church, corner of Grant street and Third avenue. The choir of this church is one of the best in the city, and it being assisted by several of our best amateurs, a rare treat will be given in the way of sweet music.

Anniversary Meeting.—The annual meeting of the patrons of the Home of the Friendless was held last evening in the First Presbyterian Church. The programme consisted of reading the annual reports, singing and exercises by a number of the little children, which were very interesting. We had intended giving a full report, but that has been rendered impossible by the crowded state of our columns.

The Medical Society of the State of Pennsylvania will meet in Philadelphia on Wednesday, June 8th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Orders for excursion tickets over the Pennsylvania R. R. can be procured from Dr. J. Snodgrass, No. 91 Wylie street. The following are the delegates from the Allegheny County Medical Society: Drs. J. Pollock, W. J. Gilmore, W. S. Haseltion, W. H. Heiple, John Semple, R. C. Dixon, J. M. Crouse, T. J. Rhods, Jas. M. Miller, T. J. Gallaher, J. C. Magiunn, F. H. Vankirk, W. F. Knox, T. N. Miller, R. L. Walker, O. D. Bruce, A. M. Speer, J. H. Snodgrass, Jas. McCann, W. C. Heiter and W. S. Foster.

Grand Opening of Dry Goods.

There will be a grand opening of an entirely new stock of dry goods by Messrs. McKee, Murphy & Co., successors to J. W. Barker & Co., No. 50 Market street, on Monday next. The stock has just been purchased under personal supervision by one of the members of the new firm, and is in every respect choice and complete. All the gentlemen composing the present firm were connected with the old house of J. W. Barker & Co., and are well acquainted with the tastes of its numerous patrons. They will leave nothing undone, we are assured, in the way of selling cheap first-class goods to give satisfaction to their customers, and secure a liberal share of public patronage.

Grand Jurors.

The following named persons have been summoned to serve as grand jurors for the next term of the Court of Quarter Sessions, commencing on the first Monday of June:

Allen Aber, West Deer township.
William Boyd, Indiana township.
D. Bailey, 4th ward, Allegheny.
J. R. Brown, 9d ward, Allegheny.
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Nicholas Carr, McClure township.
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Moses Phillips, 13th ward, Pittsburgh.
Andrew Scott, 11th ward, Pittsburgh.
George Wilson, 7th ward, Pittsburgh.
Dewees Wood, McKeesport.

Smoky Island.

ALLEGHENY, June 2, 1870.

MESSRS. EDITORS—A resolution has been passed by Allegheny Councils, requiring the Committee on Common Grounds to inquire into the titles of those claiming to own property on the south front of the city, known as Nelson's Island, Smoky Island, etc., and further to ascertain at what price said claimants would be willing to dispose of their titles to said lands.

You are aware that this property, in its present condition, owing to its liability to overflow, is of very little value, and, until something is done with the grade, either by the city or by private enterprise, nothing can be done in the way of building or improvement of any kind.

Questions of streets, alleys, drainage, and height of grade for the grounds and the embankment surrounding them, are prominent and somewhat embarrassing to the progress of Councils, whilst the property is in its present condition as to ownership.

Some are of opinion that for want of substantial foundation it will never be practicable, or at least advisable, to erect buildings of any value thereon; therefore, the best use to which said lands could be put, would be grade and lay them out, with a view to and for the purposes of additional park grounds, to be improved and beautified hereafter.

Certainly this is not being of land, situated in the centre of population and comprising some sixty acres, should be made available, either for building purposes, thus largely adding to the taxables of the city; or for additional breathing spots, where the tired citizen may indulge in freshening breezes, wafted from the fair bosoms of the three rivers.

Yours, PROGRESS.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Man Killed at the Grain Elevator.

About half-past three o'clock yesterday afternoon a fatal accident occurred at the Grain Elevator, on Liberty street. It appears that a man was standing in the gate-way through which the cars pass into the elevator, with his back against the corner of the wall. A car was being backed in, to which he paid no attention, and was caught by the car, which passes within four inches of the wall, and crushed to death. We were unable to learn who the unfortunate man was, but we are informed that the body was removed to Allegheny, where he resided.

CHOKED TO DEATH.

Fatal Accident—Killed By a Pretzel.

A singular accident occurred in South Pittsburgh, yesterday afternoon, resulting in the death of a little boy five years of age, son of Frederick Colwees, residing in South Pittsburgh.

The child was crossing Carson street, in front of his father's house, about 1 o'clock P. M., eating a pretzel, and the driver of a car which was coming down the street called to him in a sharp tone of voice to get off the track. The boy was alarmed, and jumped back, when a piece of the pretzel he was eating entered his throat, where it stuck and resisted all efforts to remove it.

The child lingered in great pain until about 6 o'clock last evening, when death relieved him from his sufferings.

THE COURTS.

District Court—Judge Kirkpatrick.

THURSDAY, June 2.—In the case of Jacob H. Walter vs. Joseph Keley, previously reported, verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $397 50.

The first case taken up was that of the City of Pittsburgh vs. J. Shaffer. *Sci. Fa.* on judgment by city authorities for paving Dinwiddie street. Judgment sci. compulsory non suit.

Same vs. J. F. Cluley. Action as above. Judgment of compulsory non suit.

TRIAL LIST FOR FRIDAY.

33. Hoenegger & Co., for use, vs. Graham & Co.
34. Same vs. Same.
35. Hartupee & Co. for use, vs. Caldwell.
36. Lupton & Co. vs. Richardson.
40. Bushwell, for use, vs. Union Refining and Storing Company.

Common Pleas—Full Bench.

THURSDAY, June 2.—The argument list was taken up, but no business of general interest was transacted.

THE CITY POOR.

Meeting of the Board of Guardians—Reports of Superintendent of the City Farm and Physician of the Board.

A regular monthly meeting of the Board of Guardians of the Poor of the city was held yesterday (Thursday) at two o'clock P. M., in the office of the Secretary, on Fourth avenue, the President in the chair.

Mr. Patterson, Superintendent of the City Farm, reported that there had been 28 persons admitted to the Institution during the month—14 males and twelve females; 26 persons had left the Home in May—17 males and 22 females; leaving in the Institution 150 inmates—93 males and 50 females—a net decrease of 12 persons during the month. There has been one birth in the Home and five deaths during the month.

The Superintendent called the attention of the Board to the necessity of some repairs to be made.

The report was received and filed and the necessary repairs ordered to be made.

Dr. Denham, Physician of the First District, reported that medical services had been rendered by him to eighteen persons during the month. The report was received and filed.

Dr. Isaac Ward, physician at the farm, reported that the number under treatment May 1st was eight; admitted during the month, ten, and twelve cases of measles. There were also five deaths during the month. The report was read and ordered to be filed.

Dr. T. A. Rex, physician of the Second District, reported that medical services had been rendered to eighteen persons during the month. Read and ordered to be filed.

The President was authorized to draw warrants for sums amounting in the aggregate to $1,200.00.

The meeting then adjourned.

U. P. CHURCH.

General Assembly—Last Day's Proceedings—Home and Foreign Missions—Education—Organic Union—The Last Dinner—Bill of Fare—Closing Session.

EIGHTH DAY—MORNING SESSION.

The Assembly met at nine o'clock in the morning and spent half an hour in devotional exercises, Rev. J. L. Purdy in the chair.

The Court was opened for business, Rev. D. Paul leading in prayer.

Rev. R. H. Pollock read the action of the Associate Synod in relation to the transfer of members of the Pittsburgh Presbytery.

Rev. Mr. Smith said that anti-Christ must be in the church. He "sits in the temple of God showing himself that he is God."

Rev. W. S. Owens thought members should have time to consider such an important subject.

The previous question was called for and ordered, on motion to reconsider.

The motion to reconsider was carried.

A motion was made to recommit the subject the committee. Lost.

Resolved, That we are under deep obligations to Messrs. Hammer & Sons who have gratuitously given the use of Mozart Hall, in which these tables have been spread, and to Mr. Wr. W. H. Simpson, the caterer, who has so abundantly furnished them.

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Resolved, That returning to our homes, we will carry away with us and retain the pleasantest recollections of our Assembly sojourn among the friends in Pittsburgh.

Resolved, That while we heartily thank these friends, having entertained us as strangers, some "thereby entertaining angels unawares," we yet feel authorized to assure them of the hope contained in the promise "that he who gives to a disciple a cup of cold water in the name of the Master, shall in no wise lose his reward."

Resolved, That acknowledging God to be the giver of every good and perfect gift, we earnestly thank Him for "filling our mouths with good things," and for raising up around us so many generous friends, and that now, as always, we call upon our souls, and all that is within us, to be stirred up and magnify and bless His great and holy name.

The Moderator, Rev. Mr. Kendall, was called upon, and spoke in the most flattering terms of the liberality of our citizens.

Short addresses were then made by Messrs. Wallace, Jackson, Douglass, Black, Reed and others, in all of which the best feeling prevailed, after which the resolutions were adopted.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The Assembly convened at two o'clock and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Mr. Alexander.

The Clerk read the minutes of the morning session.

THE SPEER ESTATE.

Mr. Getty, chairman of the Committee on Finance, then presented the following report:

That the Associate Synod has directed the Board of Trustees of that Synod to paylover to the Trustees of the General Assembly of the U. P. Church the accrued rent and interests of the Speer Estate, and the money that may come hereafter from these sources. That the appropriation of these monies shall be conditional that the Board be instructed to expend at the time appointed, and desirous as we are not merely to cultivate the most fraternal relations, but if possible to secure organic union with a church so closely allied to us in faith and practice; therefore,

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to meet with a similar committee from the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church to confer with respect to organic union between these churches, to report the result of said conference to the next General Assembly.

Dr. Brown presented the report of the special committee on Church Extension, and moved it be placed on record without reading, and be made the special order of the day for half past two o'clock.

The report was received and the motion adopted.

Rev. Mr. Owens presented the report of the Committee on Statistics.

The report was received and adopted.

Rev. A. G. Wallace presented the report of the committee appointed to count the vote on overtures. The report was referred to the Committee on Psalmody.

HOME MISSIONS.

The special order of the day being the consideration of Home Missions, and the hour having arrived, the report of the Committee on Home Missions was taken up.

The report read as follows:

The Committee on the Board of Home Missions beg leave to report as follows:

The Home Mission work is, in the judgment of your committee, the great work of the Church. The field to be occupied is attractive and inviting, and upon the energy with which it is cultivated, depended under God, not only the extension of the Church at home, but also the success of the foreign mission field. The more effectually the home field is cultivated, the more the Church will be able to do abroad.

From an examination of the report of the Board it appears that this extensive and ever increasing field has been cultivated with a good degree of energy and success during the year now drawing to a close. The interest it would appear, is being more than ever impressed with the importance of the home field; hence her liberality to this Board during the present year. It is gratifying to feel that all the claims against the Board up to April 1st, 1870, have been met, and that there is still a small balance in the Board. It speaks well for the Church, and also for the economy and wisdom of the Board. The fact, indeed, there is but a small sum in the treasury to meet the claims of the last quarter of the current year, yet it is hoped that enough will be paid into the treasury during the sitting of the Assembly, to enable the Board to meet promptly their claims as they become due.

Your Committee would recommend for adoption the following resolutions:

1. That this Assembly records its grateful thanks to Almighty God for the measure of success which has attended the labors of our missionaries during the present year.

2. That the action of the Board in the appointment of missionaries and in the appropriation of moneys for the coming year be confirmed.

3. That when an appropriation is made to a place in which there is a settled minister, it be regarded as on condition of settlement, and cease when the pastoral tie is dissolved.

4. That the Executive Committee for the coming year shall consist of the following persons: Revs. J. S. Pressley, D.D., J. G. Brown, D.D., and A. G. Wallace, Ministers, with Messrs. Andrew H. Bryce, S. Mahood, James McCutcheon and A. R. Cunningham, Mr. A. H. Bryce to act as Treasurer.

5. That a Committee consisting of Revs. A. G. Wallace, D. M. McLeod, D.D., J. G. Brown, D.D., and the Corresponding Secretary, be appointed to revise the regulations of the Board and report to the Assembly next year.

Mr. McHenry called for the reading of the resolutions in the report, and moved that they be considered seriatim.

The first resolution was adopted.

The second resolution was then taken up.

Dr. Black moved to amend by inserting after "to the colored congregation at Monmouth, Illinois, $450."

The motion elicited considerable discussion.

Rev. Mr. McHenry, from the Committee, said that the matter had been fully considered by the Committee, and he hoped the Assembly would approve the action of the Committee.

Rev. Mr. Blair—I hope it will not.

Moderator—Order, brethren! I hope members will study brevity in their remarks and respect to each other.

Mr. Blair—I won't stand any personal reflection from the Moderator of this Assembly.

Moderator—I did not intend to be willfully held from Mr. Blair, until he apologized to the Moderator.

By request of the Moderator, the motion was withdrawn.

After considerable discussion the amendment was adopted.

A motion was then made to increase the appropriation to the Vermont Presbytery to $100.

After some discussion the amendment was adopted.

A motion was also made to increase the appropriation to the Chicago Pristbytery $100, making it $1,000.

The amendment was lost, by a decided vote.

The previous question was called on the adoption of the second resolution, and was sustained. The resolution was then adopted.

The third, fourth and fifth resolutions were adopted without discussion.

The preamble was then adopted, and the report as a whole was adopted as amended.

Mr. McHenry offered a supplementary report, accompanying which was a resolution authorizing the Board to appoint Rev. J. B. Hood to labor at Delta Walls, Walla county, Wyoming Territory, as Missionary for the ensuing year, and that $900 be appropriated for his support.

The report was received, and the resolution adopted.

JEWISH MISSIONS.

The report of the special committee on Jewish Missions was taken up. The report recommends the continuation of Rev. M. Triss as Missionary to the Jews in New York.

A lengthy discussion ensued in which Mr. Cris' qualifications were fully canvassed. It was stated that he was deficient in both prudence and common sense.

Rev. Mr. Cook offered as an amendment a resolution authorizing the appointment of a committee on joint missions, and that the committee be instructed to seek out a suitable person as a missionary to the Jews.

After considerable discussion the previous question was called and sustained.

The question was then taken on the amendment, which was lost.

The question then recurred on the adoption of the report, which was also decided in the negative.

Mr. Wallace moved that the Committee on Finance be directed to confer with the lady who proposes the founding of a Jewish Mission, and report at the next meeting of the Assembly.

FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Rev. David Paul, from the Committee on Foreign Missions, offered a resolution requesting persons desiring to make donations for special missionary purposes to consult with the Board before so doing.

Mr. McGay moved as an amendment, "that whatever moneys or goods are contributed or donated for a special purpose, the request of the donor shall be complied with." The amendment was lost.

The question then recurred on the resolution as presented, which was adopted.

The report was then adopted as a whole.

The hour of twelve o'clock having arrived the Assembly adjourned. Rev. Mr. Hays leading in prayer.

THE DINNER.

At half-past twelve o'clock the members of the Assembly, to the number of three hundred, repaired to Mozart Hall, as usual, where, as has been the custom since the Assembly convened, a most sumptuous repast was in waiting. The bill of fare comprised all the substantials and luxuries of the season which, after the divine blessing had been invoked by Dr. Cooper, were dispatched with a rest that proved conclusively their excellence and in a manner which was certainly flattering to Mr. Simpson, under whose supervision the dinner was prepared.

BILL OF FARE.

The following was the bill of fare of the closing dinner:

Roast—Beef, Veal, Lamb, Chicken, Beef, a la mode.

Boiled—Chicken, Salmon, Holland Sauce; Breast of Lamb, Parsley Sauce; Lamb, Mint Sauce; Chicken Pretty, Giblets in Rice.

Baked—Barbacued Salmon.

All the vegetables of the season.

Dessert—Peach Pie, Rhubarb pie.

Pound Cake, Lady Cake, Ice Cream and Strawberries.

Tea and Coffee.

At the conclusion of the feast Rev. John Douglass, D.D., was called upon to return thanks, after which Rev. J. R. Johnson, of Washington, Pennsylvania, submitted the following:

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