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FRIDAY MORNING, MARCH 21, 1862.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

HARRISBURG CORRESPONDENCE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Tuesday, March 18, 1862.

The House was called to order by Speaker Rowe at the usual hour. This being private bill day, the calendar is the order:

Dr. Green presented a petition and bill for the grading, paving and curbing of street, lanes, alleys, side walks, &c., in the borough of Duquesne, Allegheny county. There is, I am informed, opposition to the bill from several of the tax payers. If they desire the defeat of it, they had better give it due attention in good time. If not, they will be to blame and not the member. This march I have been requested to say to all parties interested will have ample notice.

Bills Passed To-day.

An act to authorize the Councils of the city of Pittsburgh to compromise with the holders of Bonds of said city, issued in payment of subscriptions to the Capital Stock of certain Railroad Companies.

A further supplement to an act incorporate the Erie and Pittsburgh Railroad Company.

An act confirming the title to certain lands in Elizabeth township, Allegheny county.

An act supplementary to an act defining the manner of collecting the compensation and paying of the street and alley commissioners in the city of Allegheny. Approved May 20, A. D. 1859.

A supplement to the act to incorporate the Burlock Point Pier Company. This is a Pittsburgh concern. The bill was amended and would have been even then defeated had it not been for the vigilance of Judge Shannon. I must here remark that there is no man more attentive to his constituents than the very talented member named. The whole delegation from your county are good and better than formerly.

Andrew Jackson.

The Chair of the House, this morning, in calling the roll, pronounced perhaps the pleasantest name in the catalogue of Christian names, which contrasted most strikingly with the rough, rugged and rude Anglo-Saxon cognomens, which emanated from the dockets of the American Congress. By the eternal [illegible] "Andrew Jackson!" was the language of a Democratic member, and responded to by eighty voices. In the name of the Author of our being, then, let Providence, Liberty and Union be saved from all harm.

The Governor and a committee from both Houses have gone to Philadelphia to meet the Governor and other dignitaries as regards the defence of our rivers, harbors, &c. Your member, Mr. Williams, is one of the committees and has gone to discharge the duties devolving on him.

The army of the Potomac is on the move and several brigades are on shipboard, destined, it is thought, for Norfolk. There will be stirring times ere long, and the grand struggle will soon decide the fate of the Union. The North will maintain its prowess and maintain what Washington contended for, a free and undivided country. The same glory will crown the efforts of our soldiers that crowned Jackson with imperishable renown, and America's arms invincible. God defend our happy Union and our glorious old Flag forever.

TESTIPO.

Harper's Ferry Bridge.

The B. & O. R. R. Co. have an army of workmen employed in repairing its road—the Government footing the bills. The immense bridge at Harper's Ferry is to be restored. It is the intention to lay a single chord across the piers, to accommodate travel immediately, while a magnificent structure will take the place of the wooden one which the Vandals destroyed. The whole road will be opened by the first of April. In the meantime every portion of the superstructure has been nearly ballasted and repaired, and the mighty herd of locomotives, nearly three hundred in number, put in complete order, ready for the rushing tide of freight and passengers who will pour over it as soon as the road is opened.

Gas from Petroleum.

The Toronto *Globe* gives an account of further experiments in the manufacture of gas from crude petroleum, which are being made, with great apparent success, in that city. The flames of the coal oil gas were shown to be larger and more brilliant than that of the coal gas, although the burners were all of equal size, and the pressure was stated to be the same in both cases. One would hardly believe that gas of such pure quality could be produced from coal oil, and that, too, in its unrefined state. The operation by which the result is achieved is very simple, and the machinery is not so elaborate and costly as that required to make coal gas. It is also said that it is manufactured at a saving of seventy-five per cent.

The State Printing.

As has been already announced the State printing at Harrisburg has been awarded to Messrs. Singerly & Myers, of this city, for three years, at sixty-nine and one-fourth per cent. below the *maximum* rates fixed by law. These rates are about the same usually charged by printers for work executed by them, say forty cents per thousand ems for composition and forty cents per token for press work. The bid consequently is over two-thirds less, or about twelve cents for composition and the same per token for press work.

Who are Entitled to Pensions.

The Attorney General has decided that all disabled soldiers of the three years-or-war men are entitled to invalid pensions under the act of July 22, 1861; and that all disabled three-months soldiers called into the service under the President's proclamation of April 15, 1861, are entitled to pensions under the acts of 1802 and 1816. He also decides that there is no law giving pensions to widows and orphans of deceased soldiers of the present war.

No More Soldiers' Letters.

The writing of letters by soldiers in the army of the Potomac now on the road to Richmond is prohibited by an order issued from headquarters. Letters written just before the march was commenced were retained three days or more at Washington before they were dispatched northward. Those who have friends in the army and receive no letters will understand why.

Rebels Captured.

The Wheeling *Intelligencer* says: Letters received from the First Virginia Regiment, now at Winchester, state that several of the young men who enlisted from this city, in the company called the Shriver Grays, were captured when the Federal troops took possession of that place.

SMALL Pox has disappeared from our county jail, and the inmates, some one hundred in all, including forty court prisoners, are generally in good health.

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