

BILLS ARE NOT OFFERED IN CONGRESS BY THE DOZEN BUT BY THE HUNDRED.

It is said that officers of the regular army are much given to gambling.

GENERAL McCook, of York State, was elected Secretary of the United States Senate last week.

Last week one day, one hundred and thirty-seven Philadelphians went to Washington to do their utmost to induce the committee that fixes the time and place for holding the Republican National Convention to select Philadelphia as the place, but the committee selected Chicago, and appointed the 3rd day of June, as the time.

The North American of a recent date has this to say of surplus revenue. The Democratic signs are not wanting that a large number of Representatives now at Washington are of opinion that as good a way as any to get rid of that troublesome surplus is to distribute it among the people through the medium of the Pension Bureau. Already a great number of bills to that end have been introduced, some of them providing for an increase of the pensions already granted, and others creating entirely new classes of pensioners. It is not likely that they will all get through, but as the general sentiment in the House is said to be favorable to this kind of legislation, the pension appropriation is in a fair way to be still further enlarged, unless the Senate objects, the more so as such liberality is always popular with the masses, and as, moreover, the Democrats would like to have their share of the soldier vote.

The North American of the 11th inst., says it is not easy to understand what possible connection there can be between the aims and purposes of the Central Labor Union, which appears to hold meetings in New York every Sunday and pass resolutions, and the man O'Donnell, recently convicted of the killing of informer Carey. It would perhaps puzzle the shrewdest of those who attended the meeting last Sunday to explain why they should have interested themselves in such a matter, but they nevertheless "resolved" that the President of the United States ought to interfere with the due course of law and justice in a foreign country. Of course, if those persons have no other business on hand they might as well pass resolutions on this as on any other matter, but they certainly should first change the name of their organization. The Central Sentimental Sympathy Society would be far more fitting than any title alluding to honest labor.

Pay for Slaves.

St. Louis, December 6.—Prominent parties in Texas will soon begin a suit in the Court of Claims at Washington to recover the value of slaves emancipated during the late war. The action will be based chiefly on certain clauses of the State Constitution which were approved and indorsed by Congress at the time of the annexation of Texas and which, it is claimed, make the United States Government liable for slave property. The plaintiff in the case was a strong and very pronounced Union man during the war and the proposed action is indorsed and will be pushed by some of the best lawyers of Texas.

Grant's Position Defined.

"General Grant's position before the country with reference to the Presidency is what it has always been. He has never been a candidate for political preferment by his own asking. He did not seek the nomination in 1868, nor in 1872, nor in 1880. He never established a literary bureau and never asked a man to vote for him. The only position General Grant ever sought was a commission as captain in a regiment of volunteers at the outbreak of the war. Every honor that has been conferred upon him has been unsought and modestly accepted. No public man ever engaged in political intrigue less than he, and his ambition has only been to serve his country when called upon. He has retired upon his laurels, and with his family around him in New York he is living quietly and composedly, the first citizen of the greatest republic on the earth. Should he be nominated for the Presidency next year it will be because there is a need of him and not because he aspires to further honors."

The Outrage on Miss Bond.

HILLSBORO, Ill., December 13.—At the opening of the court this morning all the witnesses who were called and sworn were instructed by Judge Phillips that they must remain in the room prepared for them or on the street, as they would not be permitted in the Court room. The Court room was densely thronged. Miss Bond was the first witness called, and was examined by Judge Edwards, for the prosecution. She recited how on the afternoon of June 29, 1882, after dismissing school and while she was sweeping the school house, she was seized from behind by a man who dropped through the scuttle-hole from the attic of the building. He choked her until she was blind, tied her shawl round her waist, and then pulled her up to the left above. As she went up she saw the face of one of the men in the law, and there (pointing to John C.

Montgomery, she said, "is the very man. I will swear that is the face I saw." She also noticed that the other man wore low-cut shoes and red stockings. She was taken up and laid on a platform in the loft prepared for her. She told the men she would rather lose her life than her virtue, and begged them to kill her. One man remarked that was easy enough to do, and, taking out his knife made cuts on her throat and face—sine in all. Upon this she lost consciousness, and, on recovering, about an hour afterward, she had been ravished. One man was just getting up, and she was outraged repeatedly after that, being chloroformed. When she recovered consciousness, about 1 o'clock in the morning, she found herself lying in a heap on the school-house floor beneath the scuttle-hole. She dragged herself over to the house of Widow Pettis, where the two defendants were. She told Mrs. Pettis that she had been ravished by two large men, wearing light shirts and dark pants, whom she did not know. Clement and Pettis hesitated to take her home, fearing her father might suspect them; but upon Mrs. Pettis offering to go along they hitched up a team and took her home. She told her father that two men, wearing white shirts and dark pants had outraged her, and stated that her neck was very much bruised, and her knees, arms and shoulders bore marks where her assailants had grasped her. She also stated that her wrist had a cut which still remained, and, taking off her glove, she showed the scar to the jury.

On cross-examination by Judge Thornton, Miss Bond stated that she had never seen him since the outrage until yesterday in the Court room, and then immediately recognized him as the man whose face she saw above her while being drawn up into the loft. She stated it was true that she told different parties after the defendants were arrested that they were not the men who had outraged her. Though it was true that she had told Mrs. Pettis and her father only two men had outraged her, she was now satisfied that there were three.

Several times during the examination Miss Bond was taken very sick and often compelled to rest. She was affected to tears while recounting her wrongs, and she had to be assisted out of the Court room. Her identification of John C. Montgomery is full and complete. The other defendants she could not swear to, but the prosecution claim that they will be able to connect them by circumstantial evidence with the crime.

Teachers' Institute.

County Superintendent, Wellington Smith, called the Institute of Teachers to order at 2 o'clock on Monday December 10, 1882. Rev. Geo. Benough read a portion of the 1st chapter of the Epistle to the Hebrews and offered a prayer, thus launched the Institute proceeded to business by electing J. W. Keller, of Mifflintown, and Geo. W. Rine, of Walker township, Secretaries, by acclamation. Prof. J. T. Ailman and W. H. Groninger were elected Vice Pres. On a suggestion made by the President of the Institute, each of the newly elected officers delivered an inaugural address. Upon the conclusion of the "inaugural addresses," Superintendent Smith addressed the Institute.

He said there is a certain class of people who continually antagonize these annual conventions of teachers; they are however, a class of people who are not in sympathy with the Common School Cause. This influence is not great, but what influence they do exercise is exceedingly detrimental to the education of popular opinion with respect to the cause of our common school system. It is an established fact that the county institute is one of the most effective agencies in promoting the cause of popular education. Local and personal prejudices are rapidly vanishing before the progressive educational spirit of the present time. A part of the time of the Institute will be devoted to school room work and the remainder to social intercourse. One hundred and twenty-five teachers will be present. Teachers who will avail themselves of the full benefits of the Institute will certainly be strengthened in mind, soul and body. Teachers often do not realize the benefits offered by Institutes until they get back to their school rooms. They should therefore be zealous students during the sessions of the Institute, if even they do not perceive at the time the utility of the principles or methods presented by the instructors. It is only the inattentive teachers who receive no benefits. Teachers should remember that upon them rests the responsibility of shaping public opinion. The large number of teachers present indicates a successful Institute and we hope that the present Institute will be a decided advance on all former occasions.

The instructors engaged for the Institute not being present, the President suggested that the teachers enter into a discussion of the following topics: "Should a person who is not well read professionally be allowed to teach?" The question was ably discussed by S. E. Harkins, W. H. Groninger, J. W. Hibbs, A. W. Hill, Superintendent Smith, J. N. Keller, J. W. Kenney, G. W. Rine, and J. T. Ailman. The conclusion reached was that it is best for the teacher that he should have a thorough knowledge of school management and theory of teaching, and be a reader and student of two or three educational periodicals and have a general knowledge of the mental faculties, and the order of their growth and development.

MONDAY EVENING was devoted to an address by Prof. J. T. Ailman, subject, "Psychology," and to an address by Prof. John M. Duncan, entitled, "How to make the best of one's self." The addresses were well received.

TUESDAY MORNING.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. M. L. Smith. Mr. McMeen, and Miss Cooper led the choir.

When the roll was called quite a number of teachers were not present, which caused the President to remind the Institute that all absentees at roll call are in danger of losing the wages for the day.

J. W. Kenney read an essay on tardiness and regular attendance. His points were, 1st, the teacher must make his subjects interesting, 2nd, he must visit his pupils by his personal magnetism, superior scholarship and general fitness for the teachers' work.

D. K. Kepner, asked, "How can we secure the attendance of such pupils who are kept at home by their parents or work?" Kenney said, "Visit the parents and get both parent and pupil interested in the school work."

W. H. Groninger gave an interesting and instructive talk on the Beauties of Nature, let the students of nature be who he inquires into the mysteries of nature, 2nd, the beauties of nature do not exist in such objects only as make impressions upon the sense of sight but they exist largely in the laws and principles which exist in nature and mind and control them.

After recess and music by the Institute, Dr. A. N. Raub, Principal of the State Normal School, at Lock Haven, was introduced, and delivered an interesting talk on Spelling. A certain class of reformers propose to abandon the spelling book. He said, however, that he had not time to propose their own spelling, because many teachers are not competent to propose spelling of their own. He said that the diversity of text-books is too great. Different professions require different vocabularies of words. He earnestly advocated the use of the spelling book, because in them you have a proper selection of words, properly arranged and classified either by etymology or sound or according to their use.

Prof. R. M. McNeal, Superintendent of Dauphin county, introduced and talked on Defective Teaching. After the regular opening exercises after dinner on Tuesday, the subject of Language Lessons was discussed, by Prof. J. T. Ailman, after which the subject of Teaching Spelling was resumed by Dr. Raub. After recess Prof. R. M. McNeal presented the subject of Study and Recitation, which he discussed in an interesting and animated manner.

LIST OF TEACHERS IN ATTENDANCE.

The following is the list of teachers in attendance on Tuesday afternoon: J. T. Ailman, J. N. Keller, Mary A. Cooper, J. G. Hilliard, W. A. Adams, M. L. Snowden, E. D. Davis, R. Maggie Marks, W. H. Groninger, J. Milton Brier, Sadie M. Cooper, I. G. Lantz, Ella S. Van Orner, John Stover, G. L. Howe, Mary Ballentine, Cecilia Regan, Henry C. Howe, Luther Kinzer, R. E. McKeen, G. W. Rine, Mary A. Walls, H. D. Gibb, J. F. Wert, D. L. Deitz, Emma W. Allen, D. P. Osburn, A. Coldron, O. M. Kirtland, Wm. E. Etka, John H. Oliver, J. C. Howe, Louis B. Robinson, E. S. Dyringer, Stewart A. Turbett, R. E. McKeen, Sr., A. Y. McKeen, G. Towsey, J. T. Turbett, McMillan S. Hench, James B. Henry, Minnie B. Gruber, Charles W. Beaher, Annie J. Milken, Annie E. Shoen, Wm. J. Allen, D. P. Osburn, W. E. McKeen, S. A. McClure, A. B. Will, Lizette M. Stewart, Mary J. Wise, Emily A. Fazio, Ella S. Showers, Eugene McAfee, Charles Janssen, Anna G. Coyle, Hugh C. Rhine, Mary E. Crouse, Gerie B. Beale, Annie D. Carothers, Ella V. Carothers, Robert B. Campbell, Josiah W. Kenney, Denny McKeen, W. S. Groninger, S. M. McLaughlin, G. H. Martin, John C. McLean, Bertha A. Patterson, Ira D. Dunn, D. S. Kepner, John W. Hibbs, J. S. Barnes, T. R. Hookman, A. F. Harkins, J. T. Ailman, Ella M. Daugherty, J. F. Shelby, J. A. Martin, M. L. Oberholzer, E. S. Hockenbrock, O. B. Sulouff, Jane E. Kaufman, H. L. Hays, T. P. Arledge, Elizabeth, Wide E. Speakman, J. C. Dinn, Adam Will.

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was devoted to a lecture by Dr. A. N. Raub, on "Educational Fallacies," and a lecture on "Astronomy," by Prof. Harkins.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. E. E. Berry, and after roll call and music, G. W. Rine opened a discussion on the subject, "Is hard study one of the lost arts?" J. W. Hibbs, W. H. Groninger, D. S. Kepner, John M. Duncan and J. T. Ailman, Dr. Raub lectured on the subject of Grammar. Dr. J. W. Walker, Jr., Principal of Bloomsburg Normal School, was introduced and lectured on the subject of the County Institutes.

The afternoon session was taken up by the reading of an essay, by Stewart A. Turbett, on Tardiness and Irregular Attendance, and by a discussion, opened by Prof. David Wilson, of Port Royal, on the subject, "A plea for uniformity in text books at this time for change, ten years." The discussion was held in a room prepared by director, W. H. Knouse, lawyer, Dr. D. Stone, editor, B. F. Schweier, lawyer, A. J. Patterson, lawyer, Jacob Beidler, law student, J. Warren Plette, director, Geo. W. Fink and was closed by Prof. David Wilson.

The evening session was devoted to a lecture by Col. J. P. Sanford, of Iowa, subject, London—Paris in war times.

THURSDAY MORNING.

Dr. Raub talked on the subject of the uniformity of text books, and discussed the uses and abuses. Prof. Duncan addressed himself to the subject of history, and reviews. The first business of the afternoon was the reading of an essay, "Incoherence, Wives and Unwives," by O. B. Sulouff. Communications and Whispers, by Misses Collie J. Regan, Gerie B. Beale, Annie J. Milliken.

Dr. Waller advised directors and teachers to conduct regular reviews in all their classes. He spoke on the subject of history, and on the subject of employing higher priced teachers, and concerning poor school houses, poor furniture. Prof. David Wilson opened a discussion, subject, "What course of study is necessary to give the children of the State a good elementary education?" Lawyer Stone, lawyer Patterson, teacher Groninger, editor Beidler, took part in the discussion, after which a committee on resolutions, on the death of Miss Ramsey, was appointed.

Dr. Waller lectured in the evening, on the subject of "What shall we do with our boys?"

FRIDAY MORNING.

After the regular opening by prayer by Rev. Geo. Benough, music,

roll call and so forth, was devoted to remarks by Dr. Raub, on school government, and to Dr. Waller, on the subject of penmanship, and to Cloyd E. Kaufman, to read an essay on "Communication and whispering," and to George Martin, to read an essay on same subject, and to J. B. Henry, to read an essay on "Tardiness and regular attendance, cause and cure," to J. W. Kenney, to read an essay on schoolroom punishment, and to B. S. Burns to read an essay on whispering and communication.

The letters of the election for members of the committee on permanent certificates reported the following persons elected J. T. Ailman, W. E. Auman, Mary Ballentine, J. N. Keller, G. W. Rine. After which report, Dr. Waller addressed himself to the subject of attention.

After the routine opening of the afternoon session, Wm. E. Etka read the report of the committee, on the death of teacher, W. H. Lukenas, of Walker township.

W. H. Dyringer presented the report of the committee on resolutions relative to the death of teacher, Miss J. Sherlock.

The report of the committee on general resolutions was read by the Secretary of the committee, John W. Hibbs.

W. A. Allen offered the following resolution. Whereas, there is a fund of over \$50, belonging to the teachers of the county. Therefore, resolved, that the County Superintendent, be and he is authorized to secure and invest said sum in purchasing Appleton's Encyclopedia for the use of teachers during the sessions of the annual County Institute. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

D. L. Kepner reported the resolutions of the committee on the death of Miss Sarah J. Ramsey, of Tuscarora township.

J. G. Long read an essay on tardiness and irregular attendance, which was followed by an essay on the same subject by H. G. Grayman, and also one by W. A. Coldron.

After recess, Mr. Groninger read the report of the committee on the subject of the discussion of the theme, "The Beauties of Nature," and answered a number of referred questions.

J. N. Keller discussed a paper on literature in common schools.

Messrs. J. M. Duncan, J. W. Plette, and T. D. Garman held a discussion on a higher state of morality in our common schools.

S. E. Harkins read the report of the committee appointed to draw resolutions on the death of Miss Maggie McKinley, of Tuscarora township, Superintendent, Wellington Smith, closed the afternoon session by a speech, thanking the people of Mifflintown and vicinity, for their presence, sympathy, and aid, and the teachers, for the interest and zeal manifested during the sessions of the Institute.

He expressed the hope that the teachers would be benefited by the instruction received, and would endeavor to utilize it in their schools.

The evening session was devoted to a lecture on Col. Copeland, of Indiana, for a lecture on "Snobs and Snobbery," in which everybody, excepting a lecturer, was made to figure as a snob. The Colonel is a funny fellow.

Items.

A piece of a walnut choked a Chester county child to death.

Lycoming county paid for sheep killed by dogs during November \$495.70.

The trades unions of Pittsburg mean to petition congress to pass a law prohibiting the importation of foreign labor.

Statistics prove that the city of Wilkesbarre and its outlying suburbs send, on an average, one person a week to the insane asylum.

One hundred and fifty Hungarian families have been rendered destitute by the suspension of work on the Brush valley water works at Centerville and are living on charity.

Governor Patterson has appointed Charles R. Hildebrand, of Philadelphia, as commissioner to Codify the Ancient Laws of Pennsylvania, vice George Sharswood, deceased.

Six barrels of oranges were procured for use at the wedding of a daughter of J. C. Bunting, of Reading. They came from the bride's brother, who has an orange plantation in Florida.

A bean lodged in the throat of a 3-year-old child of Mr. Little, of Chambersburg, swelled to three times its original size and could not be removed for three days, but the child did not die.

There is a mule in the coal mines at Wilkesbarre that has not seen daylight in twenty-six years, except during one day, in the Centennial year, when he was brought above ground to take part in a parade.

Henry Briggie, a young German resident of Pittsburg, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head. He was under arrest on the charge of larceny and was likewise jealous of his sweetheart.

Twenty bushels of wheat were stolen from the barn of Perry Steinmetz, of Lebanon county, the other day. The thief left behind him a pocket book containing \$60 and papers which revealed his identity.

A romantic story comes from Coaltown. In 1863 William Craig and Mary Barker quarrelled and Craig left declaring he would not return for twenty years. He kept his promise, but this morning returned and on Christmas there will be a wedding unless another quarrel delays it again.

Dr. Charles W. Berkane, a Mansfield dentist is in trouble. When he had finished examining the teeth of Mrs. Lettie Cowan, the other day, he suddenly clasped her in his arms and imprinted a kiss upon her lips. Mrs. Cowan cried while and then told her husband, who had Bekane arrested on the charge of assault and battery.

Mr. W. H. Vanderbilt gave a ball one night last week at which 1000 people attended. This was no doubt grand, but there is twice as much fun at a country dance or an informal gathering where enjoyment and individuality are not lost in the push

and swell of the dazzling mob. Mr. Vanderbilt's ball is said to have cost \$100,000.

APPLETON, Wis., December 8.—No trace has yet been discovered of the sixteen-month-old daughter of Franklin Kline, a prominent farmer in Shawano county, which was carried off by a bear on Thursday last, while playing in front of Kline's house. A large number of the citizens of the towns of Cicero and Lesnor are out in the woods searching for the lost little one.

An experienced breeder of sheep says that a number of sheep in any flock wearing bells will keep away dogs. He allows ten bell sheep to every hundred. When sheep are alarmed, they run together in a compact body, and the ringing of all the bells frightens the dogs. In Great Britain and Ireland bells are used by almost every owner of sheep. They are useful for keeping off dogs and foxes, the latter being very destructive to lambs in places where this precaution is not taken.

LANCASTER, December 7.—Mrs. Maria Bomberger, wife of Elias Bomberger, owner of the large flouring mill near the borough of Manheim, nine miles north of this city, committed suicide on Thursday evening.

After returning from a drive with her husband, and while the family were at supper, she went to the chicken house and, placing a piece of washline around her neck, fastened the other end to a cross-bench and swung herself off. As soon as she was missed search was made and her lifeless body was found. She was the second wife of Mr. Bomberger and a sister of his first wife. She was forty-four years old and had been dependent for some time past, with symptoms of mental aberration, but it was not expected that she would either harm herself or others.

New Advertisements.

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A FARM OF 75 ACRES, 65 ACRES clear and in a good state of cultivation, the balance in timber, in Spruce Hill township, Juniata county, Pa., one-half mile from the proposed railroad from the Juniata to the Potomac river, six miles from Port Royal. The improvements are a Large Stone Dwelling House, 28x30 feet, with a well of good water at the door, Bank Barn, Corn Crib, and other out-buildings, a large Apple Orchard, and a great variety of fruit. Also the right to quarry fine stone on a farm about a half distant. The farm has been leased recently.

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John Byler offers a valuable farm at private sale. The farm is situated along the main road leading from Mifflintown to McAlisterville, in Fermanagh township, Juniata Co., Pa., and only 2 1/2 miles from Port Royal. The farm contains 145 ACRES of land, 120 acres of which are cleared, the balance in valuable timber. The land is in a good state of cultivation and under good crops. The improvements are a good frame house 30 by 36 feet, a good frame bank barn 40x30 feet, and other out-buildings, a well 5 feet deep of never failing water at the door of the house, and a well 16 feet deep, of never failing water at the barn. There is an orchard of over 100 trees on the farm. For further particulars call on JOHN BYLER, on the farm, or address him at Mifflintown, Juniata county, Pa.

Valuable Real Estate at Private Sale.

The undersigned offers for sale, a tract of One Hundred Acres, of land more or less, on which there is a large STONE-DWELLING, 180x100 feet, good repair and good BANK-BARN and out buildings, and a GRIST-MILL three stories high, and the two lower stories of which are stone, and the third floor, with three runs of good french burrs, one new overboard wheel, one new iron wheel, and gearing nearly new throughout, with excellent water power. The land is a good farm land, and in a good state of cultivation. The mill has an excellent county trade. This is a very desirable property and is situated one mile and one-fourth north-west of McAlisterville Juniata Co., Pa., and will be sold on easy terms. For further particulars please call on or address Jacob Smith, McAlisterville Pa., Jeremiah Lyons, Mifflintown, Pa., or John K. Smith, Chester Springs, Chester county Pa.

Valuable Grist Mill and Saw Mill at Private Sale.

The undersigned offers for sale a GRIST MILL and SAW MILL, situated in Old Port Royal, Juniata county, Pa., with 100 ACRES of land, more or less, with mill dam, and a large brick dwelling house, one story of stone, and two of frame, containing 3 runs of stone, two pair of burrs, and one sand stone, chopper and corn breaker, and a good running order, also an separating machine, two flour bolts 20 feet long, two flour packers, all driven by the water of Hunter's creek on a 17 feet overboard wheel. The mill has a good run of water, work and is in a good well growing country, and is in good running order. The saw mill is driven by a Rose water wheel, and is in good running order, also a large amount of sawing in the season. FRAME HOUSE, Spring of water, Cistern, Frame Stable, hog house, an orchard of thirty trees, choice fruit in bearing, also a large amount of sawing in the season, and any person wishing to view the property can do so by calling on the premises, and any person wishing to learn the particulars can do so by calling on or addressing, JOHN HERTZLER, Sr., Port Royal, Juniata Co., Pa.

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