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THE MOREY LETTER.

Opinion of Judge Noah Davis—The Chinese Letter Proves a Forgery and the Circumstances Thereof Justly Secured by the Court.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—The fact that Chief Justice Noah Davis was to deliver his opinion to-day in the case of Kenward Philp, charged with criminal libel on General Garfield, drew a crowd of spectators this morning to the Supreme Court in which a decision was to be announced.

The following is the opinion: In this State the liberty of speech and press are declared protected, and to some extent restricted by the constitution of the State and in certain specified cases by the laws of the State.

It is not necessary to repeat the facts of the case, as they are set forth in the letter of the defendant, and the opinion of the court. The defendant's letter is a forgery, and the circumstances thereof are set forth in the opinion of the court.

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RIVER COMMERCE OF PITTSBURGH.

Aside from her great industries, Pittsburgh, as the leader of navigation on the Ohio, claims attention, and extends her influence along the 18,000 miles of navigable streams attainable by her river steamers.

This coal is mined along the Monongahela Valley and up the valley of Jaw-rackling Younghubeny. The coal seams lie in most cases far above the level of the river, and the distance to the coal has been removed for a distance of three miles from the water's edge.

For half a century this undermining of these everlasting hills has been going on, until they rest their strata upon thousands of columns of coal in the abandoned mines beneath.

From coal it is but a short step to coke, to the south-west of Pittsburgh there lie boundless beds of a peculiar soft coal, in strata eleven feet thick, easily mined, and generally easy access.

Another of the party reached for his valve and said: "I will go you one better. I have got a corn that I picked while I was at Mentor."

The third made a dive into a overcoat pocket, and pulled out two turnips, three apples, an ear of corn, and three large onions, which he said he obtained at the Mentor man's farm while he was over there paying his respects (?) to Gen. Genfield.

It is said of the Oberlin students who were the first to visit General Garfield after his election, that they carried away everything they could get their hands on; but they replied to this that there was no chance to carry away anything, as the visitors before they had stripped the farm and flower beds.

A REMARKABLE RAILWAY ACCIDENT.—An almost incredible explanation is given of the cause of a recent accident to the Scotch express, near Leicester, England. It is said that the train was stopped a little beyond the town of Kibworth, the engineer thinking something was the matter with his engine.

It may be that this long expected rise is an affair of a single day, or of forty-eight hours' duration at best. The rivers of Pittsburgh rise and fall like a jack-in-the-box. There may be three feet of water on Saturday, thirteen on Sunday, and Monday's sunset will reduce "six feet scant" in the channel.

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From the fact that the Citizen is the oldest established and most extensively circulated newspaper in Butler county, a large circulation it must be apparent to business men that it is the medium they should use in advertising their business.

men, are features in a scene only to be witnessed, even in Pittsburgh, when there comes a sudden rise after a long season of low water. But at least the rear-most craft gets through, and joins the unimpeded through of boats that are slowly steaming down the winding Ohio.

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