

**Right Kind of Staff.**  
The Shenandoah HERALD is made of the right kind of stuff. Although its entire plant was destroyed by fire, it bobs up serenely and appears to its readers telling of its own destruction and promising to appear regularly with all the news of the day. A modern newspaper is a mighty hard thing to cremate. — Williamsport Times.

**Views on the Council.**  
Andrew Meluskey, of the First ward of Shenandoah, resigned from Council on Thursday night last and immediately his irrepresible colleague, James Kane, of the same ward, moved to elect his neighbor, Tim O'Brien, to fill the vacancy. For this some of the members were not yet ready and four left the Council chamber, destroying a quorum, which prevented the election of Mr. O'Brien or any other business for that matter. Would not this be a good way for the opposers of a movement to block business right along? The Shenandoah Council is nothing if not sensational. — Miners' Journal.

**More sympathy.**  
The Morning Call extends its sympathies to Mr. Boyer, the publisher of the Shenandoah EVENING HERALD, in his loss through the fire on Saturday, during which his entire plant was destroyed. Notwithstanding this the HERALD came out as usual in the evening, which goes to show that even a fire can not knock out so enterprising a man like Mr. Boyer. — Alentown Morning Call.

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**THE BIG FISTIO BATTLE.**

According to a Court Decision It May Be Held In The City of Dallas.  
SAN ANTONIO, TEX., June 5.—Governor Culberson was asked what action, if any, he would take in case the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight was pulled off at Dallas. He declined to say anything further than that the law, whatever it may be, would be enforced.

Judge Hurt of the supreme court recently decided in a test tried in Dallas that Texas law on the subject of prize fighting was void, so far as possibility of enforcing is concerned.

DALLAS, June 5.—Dan A. Stewart, who has secured the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight for this city, runs a large fur exchange on Main street in this city. He is a sporting man with plenty of money and gets on the streets like a contest, Corbett, Fitzsimmons and Dan Stewart have been the almost exclusive topics of conversation. The great mass of talkers are pleased with the selection of Dallas, and Stewart is quite a lion among them.

In sporting circles the opinion is generally expressed that Corbett will do the bulk of his training at Ashbury Park, N. J., and Fitzsimmons at Galveston.

T. P. Roberts, commenting on the coming event, said:

"It will be the biggest event in the history of Dallas. It will bring a crowd of at least 5,000 people over and above the fair crowd. This crowd will remain a week, and, exclusively of about \$250,000 which it will pay for tickets in the several glove contests, the visitors will spend a good large sum. So you see this glove contest will be worth more to Dallas, from a financial standpoint, than the entire agricultural product for the year. An amphitheater with a seating capacity worth \$50,000, including a special department for 200 reporters, will be erected near the fair grounds. The ring will be in the center slightly elevated. The general plan will be after the great Chicago wigwam for the Democratic convention of 1892, but with only one incline and fully one-fourth larger and more expensive. The tickets will be \$5, \$10, \$25 and \$50, with possibly a few boxes for \$500 each. Subsequent details may change this materially, as nothing positive has been settled as to the price of admission."

**The Formosan Republic Collapses.**  
HONGKONG, June 5.—The republic of Formosa has collapsed, its president, Tang, has escaped from the island and the foreigners resident there are in safety. The Chinese forces in the northern part of the island became disorganized at the approach of the president of the republic joined the mob in rioting, looting and in burning the government buildings at Taipei-Fu and Hobe.

**TWO IRISH BOYS.**

**They Would Not Be Laughed Out of Their Purpose and Achieved Success.**

Thirty years ago two Irish immigrants employed as porters in New York warehouses undertook to study law. After working from morning until night packing goods, loading drays and making deliveries they sat up until 12 o'clock in their rooms in a boarding house reading lawbooks and discussing principles and cases. The ambitious young men were so deeply interested in their night work that they frequently argued points of law during leisure moments at the store and naturally exposed themselves to chaffing and ridicule. With Irish wit they parried every thrust and never lost their tempers. Their companions nicknamed them Judge and Lawyer John and asked them mockingly whether they thought that merchants would consult them as lawyers after employing them as porters.

"They may do it," answered Judge, "after we have worked up a fine criminal practice in keeping out of the penitentiary night brawlers like yourselves who ought to be in their beds and asleep."

"Instead of loading your drays," said an intemperate clerk, "you stand there arguing whether an injunction could not be brought against the firm for obstructing the sidewalk. You are your own lawyers, and you have fools for clients."

"Judgment may be affirmed," said Lawyer John, "but not with costs. We have borrowed our lawbooks, and we save money by keeping out of the saloons. It costs us less to fuel our brains with law than with drink. A detour over Blackstone leaves a better taste in the mouth than a night spent in carousing."

**FASHIONABLE COLORS.**

**Flame Color For Warm Weather Bodices and Skirts.**

Fawn and biscuit colors are great favorites for blouses, as they agree with all other colors, no matter how decided these may be. The newest of them is a most aggressive flame tint, partly orange, partly yellow and partly red. It is beautiful or the reverse according to the manner in which it is combined with other tints. A pronounced color is out of the question with it, but there are delicate dove tints, soft gray greens, cream and tones of coral and ivory, which, in their gentleness, form a pleasing contrast to the fiery flame color.

This is a season of curious color combinations. Violet and gemanium are often seen together, mauve and turquoise forgotten, green and yellow are placed in conjunction, and blue and green are one of the very latest fancies.

Basques are not seen on round bodices this summer. The bodices are gathered at the waist under a draped girdle, a ribbon belt or a corselet of a color contrasting with that of the gown. Short vests, similar to the Eton jacket, but reaching under the belt and opening in front in a manner to show a full chemise in plain surah, Indian foulard or mousseline de soie, are



HOUSE TOILET.

much worn and are seen not only in the same goods as the rest of the gown, but in applications of guipure. Antique guipure is a favorite trimming for skirts and bodices and is arranged in very fine ornamented forms—incrustations, quilles and insertion, besides shaped pieces for bodice accessories. This guipure is worn on house dresses as well as on formal toilets, and on reception gowns as well as on wraps. It may be had in black, brown, yellow and white and is always elegant and appropriate.

The sketch shows a house gown of campanula blue surah. The back is loose fitting, with round plaits starting downward from the waist. The front is full, the edges of the close portion being adorned with a border of silk embroidery. The tight sleeve is partly covered by two accordion plaited flounces and has a sort of shaped epaulet adorned with embroidery. The collar is of cream ribbon, which forms a cravat bow and is then carried down to the waist, where it is fastened in two loops with long ends.

**The Duke of Aosta Visits His Flances.**  
LONDON, June 7.—The Duke of Aosta arrived at Stowe House today, where he was received by his fiancée, Princess Helene of Orleans.

**SEASONABLE NOVELTIES.**

**Durability of Spun Glass as a Dress Material.**  
Among the novelties announced is a cloth of glass, one kind made entirely from the filaments of spun glass and another with a wrap of glass and a web of silk. The inventor, a Frenchman, anticipates a great future for this material, but its weight and its cost are both against it. The price of the pure glass cloth is \$30 a yard, but it is so durable that it will last a lifetime and can be cleaned by merely wiping it with a damp cloth. This would seem to be an ideal fabric for a rainy day gown for a busy woman; but, then, busy women who have to be out in all weathers cannot afford to pay \$20 a yard for their best



BACK COSTUME.

gowns, much less for their rough and ready ones, and women who can afford to pay that price do not care to have their dresses last after the novelty is off them.

One great improvement in artificial floral decorations now noticeable is that the various blossoms are accompanied by their appropriate foliage, instead of being either destitute of any at all or grouped with strange and wonderful productions hitherto unknown in the annals of botany.

Now that hoopskirts are being worn in sleeves it is not inapt to quote a maxim from a late Parisian paper. "The authority of fashion is so nearly absolute that it compels us to be ridiculous in order to avoid appearing so." Boots with small, square toes are preferred by women who keep up with the latest fancy of fashion. They have been seen here for some time, but do not seem to have gained particular favor. An illustration is given of a race toilet of black satin and satin grosgrain. The black gilet skirt is plain. The corsage of satin grosgrain is covered with full black mousseline de soie and has a swish girdle of black satin edged with jet. A band of satin edged with jet is fastened across the bosom in a large bow held by a silver buckle. The sleeves have a balloon puff, with a close epaulet trimmed with jet, and deep, tight cuffs.

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**THE CUBAN REBELLION**

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**CAMPOS BECOMING ALARMED**

He Is Said to Be Eager to Get Away From Cuba Before the Coming of the Great Disaster to Spain Which He Is Alleged to Foresee.

FERNANDINA, Fla., June 7.—The master stroke of the Cuban revolutionary movement in this country will occur within 30 days. The principal leaders of this party in the United States gathered at Jacksonville a few days ago, but later quietly slipped over here, took carriages and went to Ocean Beach, where they stopped at the Strathmore hotel. From an adjoining room a correspondent overheard the whole of the deliberations, which began at 8 p. m. and lasted until a late hour. The six men who composed this revolutionary board were Carlos M. Becerra, Gonzalo de Quesada, Colonel Enrique Collazo, Lieutenant Thomas Collazo and two prominent citizens of Fernandina, who have appeared conspicuously before the public on former occasions in connection with the Cuban cause. The party gathered around a large table on which were spread numerous charts of Cuba, the adjacent territory and the United States coast line from Charleston to a point far down the peninsula of Florida. As appeared from the conversation, most of the expeditions heretofore had gone from Santo Domingo, but the board decided that the best big effort must be from the United States coast south of Charleston, not only because of the necessary character and strength of the expedition, but because of innumerable bays, sounds and rivers in which a fleet could with ease hide or repel a much stronger force.

**A Shrewd Plan.**

A fleet of light draft could go unnoticed through Bahama channels and then at night make short runs for the northern coast of Cuba, where there are many bays easy of access for an expedition and poorly guarded. Such an expedition was recently conducted by the yacht Corona, which sailed from Satilla river, Georgia, some weeks ago, and made a landing in a bay near Gibara. All this was preliminary. Then came plans, and so far as complete at that sitting they were as follows: That whereas all plans for carrying forward the insurrection had hitherto worked most satisfactorily, the western half of the island had risen, the western half was ripe for rebellion and the Spanish opposition was growing weaker owing to the terrific ravages of yellow fever and to disease from bad food supplied the Spanish army, therefore now had come the time for a tremendous effort which should carry a great expedition from the United States to Cuba.

The consulting board decided the expedition should be made ready at once; that it should sail from some point between Brunswick, Ga., and Mayport, Fla.; that it should be commanded by Colonel Enrique Collazo, the war scarred veteran of 1895 and 1896, and that the fleet should be guarded by three newly built torpedo boats of the latest pattern and of great speed and manned by experienced seamen.

**Where the Army Will Come From.**

Lieutenant Thomas Collazo is to be the staff officer, and Colonel Collazo's small army is to be recruited from the Cubans in the United States and picked up from Americans from southern states last mentioned. Men already collected by Henry Brooks, who is to accompany the expedition as a member of Collazo's staff, are also to be enrolled. Collazo is to land the expedition at some point in the province of Puerto Principe, where forces connected by Gomez and Marti will co-operate. The expedition is to land in Cuba within 30 days.

In addition to this plan of operation, the following general information was gleaned during the deliberations: That the province of Pinar del Rio has risen and that the insurgents have made more progress in the present rising of three months' duration than was made in seven years commencing 1895. That it is believed that within a month the whole island will be in arms for the Cuban cause, and that Captain General Campos, commanding the Spanish forces, is exerting every effort to be recalled to Madrid before the arrival of the disaster which he believes is sure to overwhelm Spanish arms in Cuba very soon. Moreover, that Jose Marti will be in Florida within the next ten days.

**The Alleged "Thunderer" View.**

LONDON, June 7.—The Times in an editorial leader upon the subject of the extension of the Cuban insurrection and the reported movements of the American filibusters says that the attitude of the American government is diplomatically correct, but that much sympathy with the Cuban rebels is daily noticeable among the American people. Probably the retention of Cuba by Spain is a mere question of justifiable pride and sentiment. It is a pity, however, that Spain makes no attempt to harmonize the interests of the population of Cuba with those of its rulers. The result is chronic discontent and ever recurring revolts. This is the real explanation of the fact that the insurgents have the sympathy and the financial help of the industrial population at large on the island.

**The South Carolina Middle.**

RICHMOND, June 7.—The hearing in the South Carolina registration case was begun in the United States circuit court of appeals before Chief Justice Fuller, Judges Seymour and Hughes today. Attorney General Barber opened the argument for the state of South Carolina and was followed by Mr. Douglas for the petitioners. Speeches were confined chiefly to the law itself.

**The President Pardons Crow.**

WASHINGTON, June 7.—The president today granted a pardon in the case of Meredith Crow, convicted of murder in Indian Territory and first sentenced to death, but in 1886 commuted to life imprisonment and in 1892 to ten years' imprisonment. The prisoner has about ten months to serve, and the president says his good conduct entitles him to citizenship.

**New York's New Game Laws.**

ALBANY, June 7.—The bill of Senator Donaldson, generally amending the game laws, which was signed by the governor today, improves greatly their codification by simplifying phraseology, grouping penalties, regulating inconsistencies, etc. The deer and bird laws remain unchanged. The trout law is made uniform throughout the state, the season to open April 15.

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**SUNDAY TRAINS.**  
Trains leave for Raven Run, Centralia, Mt. Carmel and Shamokin, 6:45 a. m., 2:40 p. m., and arrive at Shamokin at 7:40 a. m. and 3:45 p. m. Trains leave Shamokin for Shenandoah at 7:05 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., and arrive at Shenandoah at 8:40 a. m. and 4:55 p. m. Trains leave for Hazleton, 6:04, 7:38, 9:15, 11:45 a. m., 12:30 p. m. For Hazleton, Black Creek Junction, Penn Haven Junction, Mauch Chunk, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton and New York, 8:40 a. m., 12:30, 2:55 p. m. For Philadelphia, 12:30, 2:55 p. m. For Yatesville, Park Place, Mahanoy City and Delano, 5:49, 11:25 a. m., 12:30, 2:55, 4:58, 6:03 p. m. Leave Hazleton for Shenandoah, 3:30 11:30 a. m., 1:05, 5:30 p. m. Leave Shenandoah for Pottsville, 5:55, 8:49, 9:32 a. m., 2:40 p. m. Leave Pottsville for Shenandoah, 8:30, 10:40 a. m., 1:35, 5:15 p. m. ROLLIN H. WILLYER, Genl. Supt., South Bethlehem, Pa. CHARLES S. LEE, Genl. Pass. Agt., Philadelphia. A. W. NONNEMACHER, Asst. G. P. A., South Bethlehem, Pa.

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