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How Will This Suit?

The Okolona (Miss.) States says: "It may become the imperative duty of President Davis to accept the United States Senatorship, whether he wants it or not. These Yankees must be taught a lesson."

Officials Returns of the Michigan Election.

DETROIT, Mich., April 16.—The official returns of the recent State election, though not complete, are sufficient so as to make sure a republican majority of about four thousand.

Hail Storm in New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, April 16.—This evening a hail storm began, lasting fifteen minutes. The ground was literally covered with large hailstones. One picked up in front of the Associated Press office measured three and three-fourth inches in circumference.

Desperate Robbers.

BULGER, Pan Handle Railway, April 16.—This morning about three o'clock, four masked burglars forced an entrance into the store of Mr. J. R. Russell, at this place, and blew open the safe, securing a small sum of money.

The Tables Turned.

It is not many years since the freight, age of Atlantic steamers was almost wholly this way. We were importing heavily from Europe, and with the exception of cotton we sent little or nothing in return.

A Deathbed Confession.

In 1862 a man by the name of Englett, from Pennsylvania and having in his possession from \$2,000 to \$4,000, went to Versailles, Ind., for the purpose of purchasing a farm.

quarrying rock near the old Mahoney home-stand, came across the skeleton of a human being. It was at once suspected the skeleton was that of Englett.

On last Wednesday a man by the name of Henry Preble, died at his home near the town, and was buried on Thursday. On his deathbed he stated that the skeleton exhumed at the quarry was Englett's; that himself and the Mahoney boys had murdered Englett for his money, and had concealed the body under the rock; and they got \$4,000 from his person, which was given to William Mahoney, now living in Kentucky, for safe keeping and that the Mahoney boys had afterward refused to give him any portion of the money.

Miscellaneous News Items.

D. J. Williams, a merchant at Laurensburg, N. C., was shot and killed by H. Oglesby on Saturday night a week.

Madam Bertha Berger, convicted in New York of malpractice, was sentenced to twelve years' imprisonment.

Anna Roddigan, a miss of fifteen, while passing through a street of Altoona, caught her clothes in a bonfire and was so badly burned that she died the next day.

Two tramps made an attack upon Mr. Carr, of Allegheny county, while counting some money, and undertook to rob him. He proved the better man, and the rascals are in jail.

A cyclone passed over the town of Collinsville, Mo., Tuesday, demolishing ten buildings and more or less damaging about a hundred others. A little girl was killed and some others badly injured.

WHITE HALL, N. Y., April 11.—A severe snow storm has been prevailing here since yesterday afternoon. Also, at Post Henry, Ausable Forks, Plattsburg and other points north about eight inches have already fallen.

General Beauregard wants to see the Democrats nominate Bayard or Thurman in the first place, and Lamar or Hampton in the second place on the ticket. He says the south fears Tilden would play the fool and coward again if elected.

A correspondent of the Cincinnati Gazette sends a ridiculous and improbable story from Carlisle, Ky., of the organization of a secret society in that State looking to the assassination of General Grant in the event of his election to the Presidency.

St. PETERSBURG, April 14.—While the Czar was taking his usual morning walk early to-day, near the palace, four shots from a revolver were fired at him. The Czar was unhurt. The man who fired the shots was arrested by the crowd which the firing attracted. The city is now being decorated in token of thankfulness for the Czar's escape.

A Miss Redmond of New York, inserted a matrimonial advertisement in the columns of a daily paper, and got into an amatory correspondence with a Hawkinsville (Ga.) farmer, who finally bade her come on from New York and be his bride. Taking her mother and brother along, the fair damsel hastened to the man she had found, only to discover on reaching her destination that he was a broken-down gray-beard, living in a log cabin and too poor to buy his salt.

CINCINNATI, April 11.—A special to the Commercial from New Albany, Ind., says that David Mauck, of Harrison county, Ind., on Wednesday night murdered his wife by blows with a pole axe, while she was asleep in bed. Sarah Vaughn, a young woman living in the family, hearing the shrieks of Mrs. Mauck, rushed to the room, whereupon Mauck struck her four or five blows, inflicting injuries that will probably prove fatal. He then fled. A large body of men are scouting the country for the criminal. The motive of the deed is not stated.

Some time during Monday night some parties entered the hot room used in the cultivation of flowers by Mrs. Davison on Twelfth street, near Sixth avenue, and stole a lot of beautiful flowers. This is the third time that flowers have been stolen from these premises this season. The parties entered by the back windows. For the present a reward is offered for the detection of these parties, but the next time they visit the premises punishment in a different way will be offered to the thieves. —Altoona Tribune.

Frank Keener, a young man residing on Ninth street, Sheepley town, reached his home late on Saturday night with his face and head badly cut. He told the story that between ten and eleven o'clock, he was walking down the railroad track on his way home. When near Tippet's boiler works, two men stepped from behind Sauto's sand-bin and demanded his pocket-book, and on his refusal to hand it over they assaulted him and beat him terribly. The parties must have been scared off before they had time to rob their victim, as his money and watch were left untouched. Keener was under the care of a physician yesterday. —Harrisburg Telegraph.

Reported by Chas. H. Smiley, Esq.

Annals of the Court.—An immense amount of business was threatening the April term of Court for some time past, and as a consequence last Monday witnessed a large collection of the yeomen of the county at the opening business. Subsequent developments, however, resulted in a postponement of some of the most important criminal cases and a large number of witnesses in attendance were discharged; but, notwithstanding, a goodly number were retained in cases which were to be tried, and until Friday evening a large audience could be found in the Court-room at all times while Court was in session. At the ringing of the bell on Monday afternoon, Judge Junkin, with his Associate Judges Bair and Noss, were on the bench, and all the officers of the Court were in readiness for the week's work.

The list of Jurors was called, the Grand Jury was impaneled and sworn, and after the usual charge from the Court, was set to work. The Constables were called, sworn and their records, and the Constables elected for the ensuing year were duly inaugurated. In Madison twp., where a tie vote was had, Levi Trostle was appointed, and the same thing having occurred in New Buffalo Borough, E. D. Wells was appointed. The Constable elect of Marysville Borough, J. W. Clendinning, having declined to serve, Henry Gamber was appointed in his stead. J. C. Umholtz, Geo. W. Shoemaker and James Flynn were the Constables selected to attend the Court. The balance of Monday afternoon was taken up with the work which always precedes the jury trials, and of which the most important appear in this report of the proceedings.

On Tuesday morning the civil list was taken up and the first and only case upon it which was tried was Isaac Neilson vs. Levi L. Gring & Co. Defendants were extensively engaged in the lumbering business in the western end of the county, and among other assistants they had engaged the services of the plaintiff in a general way, and the dispute arose as to the amount they owed him for his services. The parties could not reconcile their accounts and the jury to which the case was submitted gave a verdict for \$110.45. A motion was made and reasons filed for a new trial by the defendants. This case was concluded on Wednesday morning, and the criminal calendar which occupied the remainder of the week was taken up. Much interest was manifested in the indictment against Charles Murray and Bradley for arson, but public expectation was dampened by an application of the counsel for defendants, for a continuance of the case on the grounds of the illness of Simon S. Charles. The testimony of his physician, Dr. Thompson, was received, and the Court being satisfied of his inability to be present for trial, the case was continued until the next term.

Amos Henderson, of Carroll twp., against whom an indictment was pending for larceny, was in attendance at the Court in Cumberland Co., on a similar indictment and his case was continued.

The first trial was that of the Com. vs. Martha Henderson, indicted for larceny and receiving stolen goods. Martha was a spinster who had reached the age of respectability, and although hitherto unknown to fame, was not born to blush unseen and waste her sweetness, &c. It was alleged that she belonged to an organized gang of thieves whose headquarters was located at the foot of the Blue Mountain, in Carroll twp. For a long time these midnight mechanics worked with an industry worthy of a better cause. Like Love, they laughed at locksmiths, and in their nocturnal predatory excursions they visited spring-houses, granaries, hen-roosts, wash-lines, and any place that was accessible, and anything that could be found from a barrel of flour to a kettle of soft soap was appropriated. Sometime since the wagon of Roger Harkinson & Co., which hauled for the night in that vicinity was robbed of a portion of its contents, consisting of blankets, cloths, &c. A search warrant was taken out, and the premises of Amos Henderson, Lewis Morrison, and the home of Martha was searched for the stolen goods. At the latter place Martha was discovered carrying the goods stolen from Harkinson's wagon to the woods for concealment. She was promptly arrested, but in the meantime her partners escaped. When she came into Court, her comely appearance was marred by her left eye, which was draped in mourning, as the result of a pugilistic encounter with a fellow prisoner a day or two previous. Having no counsel, Messrs. Barnett and Markel were assigned for her defense. Although in the performance of their duty they made an able defense, yet the evidence was overwhelming and the jury found her guilty. On Saturday morning after a serious admonition by Judge Junkin, she was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the Eastern Penitentiary.

Com. vs. Philip Hoffman was an indictment for fornication and bastardy, on the charge of Sarah Seabolt. Philip had been there, and frankly admitted the charge by pleading guilty, when he received the usual sentence.

Com. vs. Thos. Quay was a charge of incestuous fornication and bastardy. Deft. had been living with a woman in Piontz's Valley, who, it is alleged, was his step-sister, and after two or three children began to play about their door-step, they were forced to take up their abode in the Poor House, where the Directors of the Poor deemed it their duty in defense of morality to have the matter investigated. The genealogical tree, however, was so hard to climb that they failed to establish the alleged relationship, and the paternity of the children was also left in doubt. Thomas was therefore acquitted and permitted to depart in peace.

Com. vs. John Snyder alias Aaron Peters was another charge of larceny. A short time since deft. came to Duncannon, where he hired a horse and buggy from the general and accommodating liverman and jeweler, James P. Cromleigh, with the avowed intention of going to Bloomfield and returning the same evening. The day waned, evening came, the curtain of night was dropped down and pinned with a star (as the fellows who make poetry say) and the stranger had not returned. Mr. Cromleigh became uneasy and drove to Bloomfield about midnight, where he learned that the gentleman with the alias had stopped that day at the hotel of Mr. Newcomer. He was in a state of intoxication when he arrived, and in the evening he departed for Newport, after having pawned the lap-robe for his hotel bill. Mr. Cromleigh followed him on to Newport and found him safely ensconced in the Ganit Hotel, where he had him arrested at 2 o'clock in the morning. The deft. claimed that he was on a drunken spree, but had no intention of committing larceny, but that he would have returned to Duncannon the next day via Bloomfield, where he would have redeemed the robe. The verdict of the jury was not guilty.

The next case was the Com. vs. Daniel Hinton. For several days a dusky group was gathered in one portion of the Court-room, and when this case was called, it began to show signs of extraordinary animation. Elizabeth Crawford, a young girl with a complexion of the color of muddy water, brought a little yellow plectanulny into the witness-box, and swore

that Daniel Hinton, who was a tenant of the days of slavery, and blacker than a black cat in a dark cellar at midnight, was his father.—Elizabeth's mother, who was a contraband from Virginia, substantiated part of the story, and declared she had "too much aristocratic blood in her" to tell anything else. The defense alleged that the child was the progeny of its stepfather. Two ministers who watched over the spiritual wants of that corner of the moral vineyard were drawn into the controversy. Daniel emphatically denied the charge, and in his defense to the Court stated that he was the father of four children, with a lively prospect of a fifth, and that rather than be guilty of such an offence, he would live upon a diet that could hardly be palatable or easily digested, and certainly would be neither blood-creating nor bone-producing. The recital of the witnesses produced a degree of laughter and amusement in the audience that the vigorous rapping of the tip-staves could not suppress. At all this time the little plectanulny chuckled, crowed and winked approvingly at counselor Markel, as though his vigorous prosecution of the Commonwealth's interests met his hearty approval. After a summing of the evidence by the counsel, the jury retired and brought in a verdict of not guilty. The announcement was too much for the emotional nature of Dan, who loudly blessed the Lord for delivering him from the "lions den" and announced his intention of continuing praying the balance of his life time, since his prayers in this instance had been so signally answered.

Com. vs. Elizabeth Crawford. This was an indictment against the prosecutrix in the above case found a former session of the Court upon the return of the Constable of Marysville, where the parties resided. The charge was fornication, which originated from the birth of the plectanulny. The jury, under instructions from the Court, and by consent of counsel, rendered a verdict of not guilty, in the box, and the county to pay the costs.

Com. vs. W. W. Frymier was a Surety of the Peace. Upon a hearing of the case the complaint was dismissed and the county directed to pay costs.

Smith vs. Nelson Mendinghall, charge—larceny and receiving stolen goods. This deft. was alleged to be a member of the gang mentioned in the first case tried in the Quarter Sessions. He was a brother-in-law of Amos Henderson at the time of the search above stated, portions of a leather belt soles from the mill of Samuel Rehart were found concealed in his bed. He was found guilty of receiving stolen goods and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Com'th vs. Abraham Burd. This deft. might be ornithologically classed as a "jail bird." He was arrested upon a charge of assault and battery made by his father-in-law Mr. Bostdorf. It seems there has been bad blood for some time between the families, which about seven months ago culminated in a fight at the home of the father-in-law. Burd was found guilty and sentenced to six days in the County jail and pay costs.

Commonwealth vs. same, was a charge of Perjury growing out of an information made before Justice Holland by the defendant, in which he swore falsely it was alleged against the Bostdorf's prosecutrix in the above case, verdict—not guilty. Commonwealth vs. same, surety of the peace was the third case which sprung out of the above mentioned fight. Deft. was directed to pay costs and enter into recognizance for good behavior in the sum of \$100.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Order of sale granted to John Hemperly commits of Michael Peters, a lunatic, to sell a tract of land in Waits township, containing 63 acres.

Order of sale to Wm. B. Bin, assignee of James Buckley, to sell a tract of land in Juniata township containing 45 acres.

To J. W. Kell, assignee of Jacob L. Kistler, to sell a tract of land in Spring township, containing 75 acres.

To Hon. Samuel Noss, assignee of Samuel Rife and John G. Hertzler, assignee of Wm. Musgrove, to sell a property known as Fennell's Hall, in Duncannon.

SALES OF REAL ESTATE CONFIRMED.

John S. Weaver, assignee of John Harrold, a lot of ground in Marysville borough, sold to Geo. L. Fisher for \$800.

A lot of ground in Rye township, containing 1 1/2 acres to Elias B. Leiby for \$73.

A lot of ground in Marysville borough to John Billinger for \$200.

S. M. Shuler, assignee of Isaac Rowe, a lot of ground known as the Lebkicker tract to Wm. Wallace for \$10.

Henry Christ was appointed supervisor of Rye township, by reason of a tie vote at the Spring election between himself and Henry Billow.

The proceeds of sale of real estate of John Kroh were ruled into Court for appropriation.

A writ of habeas corpus was made authorizing Matilda Wilkinson of Duncannon, a married woman to execute a mortgage or deed of conveyance of her separate real estate without her husband joining therein.

A writ of habere factis possessionem was awarded, to deliver over the possession of certain real estate in Duncannon to the assignees of Samuel Rife and Wm. Musgrove.

Fifa issued by Abraham Evans vs. John W. Weisley was stayed to June 1879.

In the matter of the bridge across Little Juniata creek at Market street, crossing Duncannon, and across Little Juniata creek at Newport, the views reported in favor of bridges to be erected by the county. The reports were concerned in by the grand jury and court, and directed to be certified to the County Commissioners for their consideration.

A. S. Klinepeter, J. F. Hollenbaugh and F. M. McKeelhan, were appointed viewers to view and lay out a road from point at Noelate Run to 4th street in Newport. George B. Shaeffer, Nicholas Hench and David O'Neil, to view and vacate road near Irvine school house to point in public road near dwelling house of Wm. S. Irvine, Jr., in Saville township, and to view and lay out a new road in lieu thereof.

Report of viewers granting private road on line of lands between Elizabeth Dewees, and Jacob's heirs to land of John Yohn in Tuscarora township, confirmed n. s. Report of viewers vacating a road from point of Seidel's Forge in Marysville borough to Hartman's mill, in Rye township, confirmed n. s.

Report of viewers changing and laying out in part a new road from Sandy Hill to Mohlers in Madison township, confirmed absolutely. Report of viewers granting a public road from residence of Samuel Bear to road on Billman's ridge in Saville township.

Rule granted on C. A. Rippman, J. W. Gasti, Philip Peters and H. H. Bechtel, to show cause why a foreign attachment against W. A. Zinn should not be dissolved.

Rule granted on George F. Ensminger to show cause why judgment vs. Dr. D. Fugel should not be set aside.

George Jacobs appointed assignee of Wm. Hench in lieu of Isaac Wright, deceased.

Writ de lunatico awarded on Jacob Clouser of Jackson township, and J. E. Junkin, Esq., appointed commissioner.

Writ de lunatico awarded on John M. Ziegler, of Madison township, and Charles H. Smiley, Esq., appointed commissioner.

Subpoena in Divorce awarded against Samuel Brown at suit of Elizabeth Brown.

Andrew Loy Trustee of a fund bequeathed to the Presbyterian church at Centre by Mollie Laughlin dec'd.

SALES OF REAL ESTATE CONFIRMED.

Sale confirmed and deed acknowledged in open court of the interest of the minor children of Jacob Bair dec'd in a tract of land situate in Buffalo twp., sold by Josiah Bair, their guardian to David Bair for ten dollars.

A tract of land containing 100 acres, situate in Watts twp., sold by John D. Pinnicle Adm' of Wm. Pinnicle dec'd to Jos. Hammaker for one hundred and seventy-two dollars.

A tract of land situate in Rye twp., containing 10 acres, sold by Chas. Hershinger Adm' of Adam Power dec'd, to Daniel Power for three hundred and fifty dollars.

ORDERS OF SALE AWARDED.

To the administration of Jos. Ensminger to sell a tract of real estate in Carroll twp., containing 70 acres to Abm' Fry Esq' of John Linn dec'd, to sell a tract of land in Tuscarora twp., containing 50 acres.

To John D. Shearer Adm' of George Shearer dec'd, to sell a tract of land in Carroll twp., containing 75 acres. Also a lot of ground in same twp., containing 14 acres.

To Frank D. Yost Adm' of George Yost dec'd to sell a tract of land lying in Spring and Carroll twps., containing 54 acres.

INQUEST AWARDED.

Inquest in partition awarded in estate of Daniel Ebert late of Tyrone twp., dec'd.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Rule granted upon Geo. D. Robinson Adm' of Jas. H. Davor dec'd to show cause why the real estate of the decedent should not be sold for payment of debts. Rule granted on Executors of Daniel Ritter dec'd to show cause why certain money should not be paid to Catherine Minich in accordance with the will of said decedent.

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