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STATE elections will be held this year in the following order : Kentucky, August 4, State officers and Lesislature ; California, Sep. 3, State and Judicial officers, four Congressmen and Legislature; Maine, Sep. 8, State officers and Legislature ; Ohio and Iowa, Oct. 7, State officers in part and Legislature; Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippl, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia and Wisconsin, Nov. 3. Governors are elected in all the States named except Mississippi, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin.

THE officers of the Pennsylvania railroad give notice that hereafter no free transportation will be issued to persons attending political conventions, but instead therefore, tickets will be sold at excursion rates, but only to those persons who go as delegates or who are officially connected with the convention. This is a severe blow to the army of dead beats and bummers who usually flock to these conventions with free passes in their pockets. The railroad officials have acted wisely in this matter; and it will have the effect of keeping away from the conventions of both political parties the disreputable crowds usually found about such gatherings.

#### Democratic State Convention.

The Democratic State Convention met in Harrisburg on Wednesday last and nominated D. O. Barr, of Pittsburg, as candidate for State Treasurer. The foling is the platform in brief:

Resolved, first, That the Democratic party of Pennsylvania renews its vows of fidelity to free institutions. Second, That the rights of the States and the liberties of the people are vital parts of one harmonious system. Third, That the Federal administration has no right to keep on foot at the general expanses to keep on foot at the general expense an army to invade the States for political purposes. Fourth, That the way to the ballot-box must be kept open and free.— Fifth, That Rutherford B. Hayes is the representative of a conspiracy, and that his use of the veto is a menace to the country. Sixth, That the Democratic party as a whole favors a constitutional party as a whole favors a constitutional currency of gold and silver and of paper convertible into coin. Seventh, That the Democratic party is opposed to sub-sidies and in favor of economy. Eighth, That it is the friend of the laboring man. Ninth, That it looks with "alarm and apprehension" on the pretensions of the transmitted of the second apprenension" on the pretensions of the transportation companies. Tenth, That the recent attempt, under the personal direction of ruling Republican leaders, to debauch the Legislature by wholesale bribery and corruption, should receive the signal condemnation of the people at the polls. Eleventh, That the present condition of the State Treasury -aent condition of the State Treasury — a bankrupt general fund, and even schools and charities are unable to get the mon-ey long since appropriated to their sup-port—is a sufficient illustration of the reckless financial mismanagement of the Republican party.

such an occurrence, hastened to his relief and bore him to a sofa, where, after two or three efforts to articulate, both respiration and pulsation apparently censed.

The family physician was sent for, but being absent, word was left for him to call immediately on his return. Meanwhile no signs of life were visible in Mr. Bausch, and the family convinced of his death sent for an undertaker, who came and was also convinced of the death of Mr. Bausch. Before going back to his store for ice and box with which to preserve the body until the time for the funeral he attached the usual crape insignia of death to the front door bell.

He was gone an hour, and then when he reached the house and prepared to remove the body to the box the jar of removal startled the supposed corpse into life. Sneezing first, he gasped for breath, and in a very few moments circulation that had been temporarily suspended resumed its course, and, though weak, Mr. Bausch became once more a man among the living. The family rejoiced at the recovery, overwhelmed him with attention, and even the undertaker felt pleasure in the unusual termination of his services.

#### The Great Storm at Boston.

BOSTON, July 16 .- Soon after 4 o'clock this afternoon a storm of terrific violence burst over this city, lasting twenty-five minutes, and in that period great damage was done to life and property. Many small boats and yachts were capsized, but the most serious disaster yet reported is that of the small schooner Myrtle, of Charlestown, having on board six persons, four women and a man and boy. The schooner was cap-sized off Bird island, and all excepting the man, Thomas Dunham, who clung to the mast, were drowned. Their names were Margaret Dunham, wife of Thomas ; Mary Ann Dunham, and Susan Dunham, sisters; Lizzie Dunham, his neice, and Arthur Ryan. The bodies were recovered by a tug and brought to this city. A boy named Walter Hittenhame was also drowned by the capsizing of a boat off Hull .-The damage throughout the city can hardly be estimated at present but will probably amount to many thousands of dollars. In the southwestern part of the town it was particularly severe .-Along the wharves are many anxious people inquiring about the fate of friends who left the city to-day on excursions of various kinds. Breese & Noyes' planing and saw mill, on Wareham street, was struck by lightning and took fire, but was quickly extinguished. A fireman employed on the premises was buried in the ruins of a falling chimney .--Workmen are now digging for the body. On Washington street the Catholic cathedral, Madison block and Metropolitan hotel were damaged by hall and had windows broken. The storm seems to have come up from the southwest.

Cheap Fuel.

An Oil City manufacturer is thoroughly satisfied after a month's trial that crude petroleum is the cheapest and most simple fuel that can be found for generating steam. His apparatus for the oil being allowed to run from a barrel through a pipe into the furnace at a regulated speed. The expense of a fireman is thus dispensed with, and the burning oil deposits no soot in the flues, as coal fires do. At the rate of six cents per bushel, the expense of running the engine used to be about \$36 per month, but during the past month, the manufacturer says, while the same amount of work has been done, only sixteen barrels of oil have been consumed in the furnaces, which, selling at seventy cents per barrel, leaves a clear profit of about sixty per cent.

known as men's socks. The bride was ever so much obliged, and waltzed up and was married.

#### The Yellow Fever Scare Ended.

MEMPHIS, July 16 .- The city remains very quiet. No new cases have been reported, and in a few days it is anticipated all quarantine restrictions now in force against Memphis will be removed. Norkfolk, Virginia, took the initiative, and through cars went to that city last night. The State Board of Health announces that the present quarantine regulations will be discontinued Monday, if no new cases develop. Judge Ray's son was better last evening.

JULY 18. - Later news report new cases and another stampede has taken place.

#### OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 16, 1879. It is a fortunate thing for members of Congress that the "amiable obstinacy" of the President did not cause him to call another extra session, for the heat here is intolerable. The whole city, one may say, is out of town. The dozen or more of down-the-river-Potomac summer resorts are full of Washingtonians. The one solitary Congressman who remains is Senator Kellogg, and a few more days of heat will drive him away. December, which here is something like early October in Maine or Minnesota, will see Congress again assembled, and comfortable, and let us hope, disposed to go on with the public business.

The American Banking Association, by the way, shows wisdom-in calling its next meeting at Saratoga in the early days-the 6th, 7th, and 8th of August, almost any one, who could, would go to Saratoga in August. Let us hope the same wisdom will be shown in the transaction of the business of the association as the selection of a meeting. The convention, if it may be called a convention, will not be limited to those connected with National Banks, but is expected to embrace a large representation of all financial and commercial interests.

General Ewing and Charles Foster, of Ohio, are both very confident of their election to the Governorship of that State, and so are their friends. I have never known a political contest in which both sides expressed greater confidence. Both candidates have recently been East, and left behind them wherever they went all manner of assurances of success. May the best man win.

Wm. E. Chandler, Secretary of the Republican Congressional Committee, has been tarrying for a short time here, and expressed himself freely on political subjects. He thinks that Blaine has better chances than any one else for the Republican nomination, and Hancock for the Democratic. He thinks Grant will have more friends than any one else in the Republican Convention, but that he will not accept a nomination save in the apparently impossible

event of a unanimous preference for him. Capt. Eads, in finishing his labors in con-structing the jetties at the South Pass of the Mississippi reports that an uncertain channel, in which 16 feet of water could not be counted on, has been changed into one in which there is absolute certainty of 20 fort. If here maintain that don'th 30 feet. If he can maintain that depthwhich he must do, under his contract, for a series of years—he will be known hereafter as one of the chief benefactors of the country. OLIVE.

A fearful explosion followed. Mrs. Wil liams' clothing caught fire, and despite her cries, she was literally burned to death before any one came to her assistance.

IT The New York "Sun" says : On Saturday thirty-four girls, while stripping tobacco in a Jersey City factory, were seized with pain in the side, followed in almost every case by unconsciousness, convulsions, and finally hysteria and colic. Physicians could not account for the attack.

137" Miss Ella Kuhn, a young girl whose parents live at Greensburg, came to a terrible death on Tuesday by her clothes taking fire from a low bonfire of shavings in the middle of a Pittsburg street. She was burned so severely that all the physicians could do was to alleviate her terrible suffering until death ensued.

IT A span of fine black horses, owned by Mr. A. S. Shimer, Redington, took fright while on the road Tuesday, and dashed over a sixty-foot cliff, falling on the track of the Lehigh and Susquehanna Railroad. Both animals were killed, and a light carriage to which they were harnessed was broken into the smallest fragments.

13 People who went up Mount Washington last week were surprised to find the Summit House windows, on the exposed side, all snowed up and frozen and the promenade platform, like the rocks about it, still almost over shoes in snow, and every post and northwest facing rock still covered to a depth of nearly half a foot.

13 According to observations made during an attempt to sink an artesian well at Cape May, the ocean has, at three different periods, covered that locality. The lowest point at which deposits of regular sea-sand were found was over one hundred feet. Solid cedar logs were encountered and bored through at a depth of eightyseven feet.

13 Robert Culbertson and Wm. Truax, two boys hailing from Philadelphia, arrived at Harrisburg on the Cincinnati express early Thursday morning and were arrested for stealing rides on said train from Philadelphia to Harrisburg. When searched new six shooters were found on each of them. They were held for carrying concealed weapons.

1 A school-house in Pitcher, Ia., was torn to pieces by lightning the other day .--It occurred in the morning before school opened. A few of the children had arrived and, seeing the storm coming, crawled into the school house through the window. Afterward for some cause they came out again and nestled up in the coal house close by. This latter move saved their lives. As it was, they were badly shocked.

IT A severe rain- and wind-storm, accompanied by much lightning, visited Binghamton, New York, Tuesday. A cigarmaker named James W. Stephens, while standing under a tree in the outskirts of the city, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. A dwelling just outside of town was also struck and burned. Many trees were blown down and considerable damage was done to corn and other crops in that vicinity.

WELLS RIVER, Vt., July 14 .-- A terrific storm and hurricane passed over here at 5.45 this morning lasting 15 minutes, followed by a thunder storm. Some hail stones were two inches in diameter. Crops and vegetation was destroyed and torn to shreds. A third of the glass in the place were broken. Large trees were torn up, fences destroyed, houses unroofed and a barn blown over. It was the most severe storm ever known here. The people were very much alarmed.

his hand into the hollow to pull it out. Ashe did so he felt something like a stinging sensation on his palm and drew it out. A few moments later he put his hand back in the hollow and received a bits upon it sosevere that the pain caused him to hastily withdraw his hand. As he did so he drew with it a moccasin snake. The reptile glided back into the hollow as soon as released, and the boy seeing that he had been bitten started for home. It was only a short distance, but before he reached there his arm was swollen to twice its natural size and his body was covered with black spots. A doctor happened to be near and administered the usual remedies. His body turned black, and when he breathed he emitted a sound like the hiss of a snake. The boy is in his thirteenth year.



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#### Peter Herdie Arrested.

HARRISBURG, July 15. - A hearing took place to-day before Governor Hoyt and Deputy Attorney General Gilbert in the matter of a requisition issued by Governor Robinson, of New York, directed to Governor Hoyt, for the surrender of Peter Herdie, of Williamsport .-The charges set forth in the indictment accompanying the requisition are that Herdic in 1876 obtained \$25,000 from an Elmira bank, and deposited as collateral security one thousand shares of stock of the Williamsport Gas Company and three hundred and ninety-five shares of the stock of the Lycoming Gas and Water Company, of which he claimed to be the owner. It is alleged that he falsely represented the capital stock of these companies, thereby giving to the shares deposited as security an appearance of greater value than they had, and thus obtained the loan of \$25,000 under false pretences. The requisition was honored, and a warrant was issued to the proper officer of Lycoming county.

A Case of Suspended Animation.

The New York Herald says: Emil Bausch, of Floyd street, near Thoop avenue, Williamsburg, who has been suffering for some time from heart disease, sat down to his dinner table yesterday seemingly in his usual health. After partaking heartily of the viands placed before him he rose from the table, but was taken with what he thought a fainting fit and said he felt sick, then, throwing up his hands, he fell to the floor. The family, thoroughly startled, though they had long been expecting Tried by Negroes.

George Lewis, a negro aged nineteen years, who, in January last murdered his grandmother in Chesterfield, Va., and was subsequently sentenced to be hanged, having obtained a new trial, was again arraigned on Monday at Richmond, Va. The jury, much against the prisoner's wish and the earnest protest of his counsel, was composed entirely of negroes. The trial lasted until near midnight, when the case was given to the jury, who, after an hour's deliberation, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree, and fixed the penalty at eighteen years' imprisonment in the penitentiary.

#### Bound to Marry.

A pair of Kentucky lovers recently walked forty miles in order to be married. Before they reached New Albany the bride was sorely troubled on account of walking so great a distance, and had taken off her shoes during part of the journey, which caused her stockings to wear out. When she arrived in the county court house at Jeffersonville she stepped into the office of Recorder Mc-Gonnigal, who, noticing her bare feet, gave her a pair of low-neck hose-better

Miscellaneous News Items.

There were eleven cases of sunstroke in Baltimore Wednesday-one fatal.

Four persons were struck by lightning at Shelby, Conn., Wednesday afternoon.

The persons were drowned at Boston Wednesday by the capsizing of a small schooner.

EF" Lucius Weaver, who committed'a rape on Mrs. Howell, a white woman near Strawberry Plains, Tenn., was killed by a mob on Tuesday.

John B. R. Spaulding, who went to Memphis last year during the plague as a volunteer telegraph operator, died last Monday from sunstroke.

and A mulatto named John Breckenridge was hung by a mob at Carlisle, Ky., Monday for committing a brutal assault upon Miss King, a white lady.

To An attempt was made on Tuesday last to set fire to a row of houses known Brown's row, Margaretta and Edmond Sts., Philadelphia. The perpetrator was not discovered.

Sr. Louis, July 14 .- Wm. J. Lewis, a prominent merchant and banker and largely interested in the Bigmuddy coal mines in southern Illinois, was overcome by heat at Carondelet, this morning, and died in twenty minutes.

Charles Barth, a baggage master on the Mail train north on Bedford and Bridgeport R. R. fell from his car Tuesday morning, while the train was going at full speed and was almost instantly killed. He had only been running on the road about one month.

1 Mrs. Thomas Williams, who lived on Bellevue Heights, near Scranton, attempted to put out a kerosene lamp on Saturday by blowing down the chimney. | day, says the Richmond "State," and put

By During the shower that passed over Titusville on Friday, several boys crawled under some freight cars standing on the Pittsburgh, Titusville and Buffalo railroad track to escape from the rain. Before the end of the shower a locomotive moved up the track and bumped against the cars. All the boys except one scrambled from their dangerous position. Peter Rounds, a crippled youth, was not as active as the rest, and just as his body was laid across the track the wheel struck it, and the unfortunate boy was instantly killed.

1 Two fishermen found, on the bank of Taylortown creek, a trout stream in Pike county, a few days ago, a long, low pile of stones, whose curious shape and inappropriateness in the middle of a green field, at once attracted their attention. Pulling a few rocks away, they discovered the skeleton of a man. Several years ago a pack-peddler mysteriously disappeared from this neighborhood, and it is now believed by the towns people that these are his remains.

ter Henry Hertzel, the German who almost succeeded in committing suicide in Reading the other evening, has been an inmate of the poorhouse for the past four or five years. A few months ago, when it became known that the old man was the possessor of property at Reading of considerable value, he was made to pay his board at the almshouse. This seemed to make Hertzel very miserable, and preyed upon his mind until life became intolerable.

the little son of Mr. Eugene Clem-mens, who lives near Brandywine, King William county, Va., chased a hare to the hollow of an old cherry tree, last WednesSTORE-ROOM!

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