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LATEST NEWS.

Major General John A. Dix died in New York last night, in the 81st year of his age.

In the House, the session was opened with prayer by Rev. Gilbert De La Matyr, of Indiana. Under the call of States, 1385 bills and resolutions were introduced, an unprecedented number. The call of States was not finished until 6.15 p. m., and the Legislative Appropriation bill was discussed in a short night session.

Captain Brown, commander of the U. S. steamer Alaska, which returned to Victoria, B. C., last Thursday, reports to the Navy Department that he found everything peaceful at Sitka, and saw nothing to warrant any apprehension. The whole outlook was so peaceable that he felt warranted in returning after investigating the condition of affairs. To guard against any possible danger, the Secretary has directed Captain Brown to return to Sitka, and remain there until relieved by the Jamestown, which will leave San Francisco for that place early in May.

Our Consul at Bangkok, in a despatch to the State Department, says the project of sending an embassy from Siam to the United States has been finally agreed upon. The Consul also says that the letter of the Supreme King of Siam to General Grant, inviting the General to visit the Kingdom as the guest of the Government, was "encased in royal purple satin."

A large meeting was held in the Opera House at Topeka, Kansas, on Sunday night to consider what should be done with the colored immigrants from the South. Governor St. John presided. Resolutions were adopted asking citizens to contribute for the sustenance of the negroes coming from the South and for further transportation to other localities, where they may enjoy rights and privileges with all other citizens. Over $500 was subscribed on the spot. Judge McFarland was sent to Wyandotte yesterday to assist immigrants there.

A "Labor Convention of the Mississippi Valley" will meet in Vicksburg on the 5th of May, for the purpose of taking measures to check the emigration of laborers to Kansas. Colonel Murrell, colored, now attending the Louisiana Colored Convention, promises to be present with a large delegation from the river parishes of Louisiana.

At a citizens' meeting in Columbus, Ohio, last night, committees were appointed to perfect plans for soliciting contributions in aid of the colored emigrants.

All the Catholic Bishops of the Dominion of Canada have signed an address praying that the Queen, having formally granted a charter to the Catholic University of Quebec, may grant the same boon to the Dublin Catholic University.

In the New York Assembly, yesterday, the resolution for the appointment of a joint committee to offer the hospitalities of the State to General Grant on his return to the country, was adopted.

The Colored Convention of Louisiana adjourned finally yesterday. Mr. Ruby made a speech, saying that the colored men last year produced $35,000,000 of wealth, and now it is proposed to let white men raise sugar, cotton and rice. There was an organized movement of colonists, he said, and a negro exodus means the loss of thirty-five members of Congress to the South and the present Democratic majority. Mr. Turke, an agent of the Honduras Immigration Society was introduced and urged the emigration of colored men to Honduras. The matter was referred to a committee. Rev. Dr. Newman then spoke, advising the colored people "not to leave the State until the last minute, and not until the situation became unendurable, and then they should go in a body." The convention adjourned after singing three verses of "John Brown's body lies mouldering in the grave."

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, April 21.—The *Times'* correspondent at Newcastle-on-Tyne, commenting on the firmness shown by the Durham colliery strikers, says that in the great strike of 1874 the miners were less possessed of means even than they are now, yet, such was their determination, they were able to hold out for something like four months. The present is, in many respects, a parallel case. Now, as then, the battle will be fought out on moral rather than financial grounds, and when the worst passions are aroused and the strongest prejudices offended of a body numbering forty thousand to fifty thousand men, then the end is difficult, indeed, to forecast.

Mrs. Rousby, the actress, is dead.

LAHORE, April 21.—General Roberts is ready to start on the march through Shutargarden Pass at a moment's notice with two splendid brigades, with which he will be able to occupy Cabul, even unassisted by the other columns.

Germany.

BERLIN, April 21.—The *Post* declares that a widespread conspiracy exists between the Russian, French and German revolutionists, and suggests common defensive action.

Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 21.—Gen. Gourko, the newly appointed Governor General of St. Petersburg, has ordered all gunmakers to send lists of their stock to the city commandant, and to sell only to persons presenting special authorization under penalty of confiscation of stock and prohibition of trade. Private persons possessing arms can only retain them by special permissson. Porters must be kept at the doors of all houses, day and night, to prevent the pasting of placards and scattering explosives in the streets.

LONDON, April 22.—The *Standard's* correspondent at Berlin says: Simultaneously with Solovieoff's attempt on the Czar's life, three policemen were shot in Kazan. Among the assassins were an educated girl, aged seventeen, and a nobleman.

Italy.

ROME, April 21.—General Garibaldi, at the meeting of the Republicans, declared that Italy must be armed and ready to claim her unredeemed provinces.

A Morning Call from a Panther.

"I suppose you're wondering why I keep that ugly old chest," said Mrs. R——, "and I must own that it's not very ornamental; but it saved my life once, for all that. I see you think I'm making fun of you, but I am not, indeed; and when you hear the story, I think you will agree with me that I have good reason to value it, ugly as it looks.

"This was how it happened. When we first came out to India, my husband was sent to make the survey of the Nerbudda Valley, one of the wildest bits in all Central India; and we really were the only white people within forty or fifty miles, just at first. And such a time as we had of it! If my husband had not been as strong as he is, and a perfect miracle of patience as well, I do not know how he could have stood what he had to do. It was dreadful work for him, being up sometimes for a whole night together, or having to stand out in the burning sun, when the very ground itself was almost too hot to touch. And as for the native workmen, I never saw such a set,—always doing everything wrong, and never liking anybody to put them right. When the railway was being made they used to carry the earth on their heads in baskets; and when Mr. R—— served out wheelbarrows to them, they actually carried them on their heads in the same way! I could not help laughing at it, though it was terribly provoking, too. And that was just the way they all were; if there was a wrong way of using anything they'd be sure to find it out. Even our butler, or *khitmutgar*, who was much better than most of them, came one day and begged a pair of old decanter labels that my husband was going to throw away; and when the man came in next morning, he had positively turned them into ear rings, and went about quite gravely with 'Port' in one ear and 'Sherry' in the other!

"However, if the native men worried me, the native beasts were fifty times worse. It was no joke, I can assure you, to be awakened in the middle of the night by the roar of a tiger close under the window, or by an elephant crashing and trumpeting through the jungle with a noise like a mail-coach going full gallop into a hot-house. Well, as soon as that was over, the jackals would set up a squealing and whimpering like so many frightened children; and then a dreadful native bird, whose name I have never found out (I suppose because nobody could invent one bad enough for it), would break out in a succession of the most horrible cries,—just like somebody being murdered,—until the noise fairly drove me wild.

"And then the ants! but you have seen them for yourself, and I need not tell you about them. But all this while I am neglecting my story.

"One day (it will be long before I forget it) my husband was out as usual at his work, and the nurse had gone down to the other native servants at the end of the 'compound,' as we call this big enclosure; and I was left alone in the house with my little Minnie yonder, who was then just about a year old. By this time I had got over my first fears, and did not mind a bit being left by myself; indeed, all the lower windows having bars across them, I thought that I was safe enough; but I little dreamed of what was coming!

"I must have been sitting over my sewing nearly an hour, with the child playing about the floor beside me, when suddenly I heard a dull thump overhead, as if something had fallen upon the roof. I didn't think anything of it at the moment, for one soon gets used to all sorts of strange sounds in the Indian jungle; but, presently, I thought I could hear a heavy breathing in the next room but one, and then I began to feel frightened in earnest. I rose as softly as I could, and crept to the door-way between the rooms. This door-way was only closed by a curtain, and gently pulling aside the folds, I peeped through—and found myself within a few paces of the largest panther I had ever seen in my life!

"For one moment it was just as if I had been frozen stiff, and then the thought came to me just as if somebody had spoken it: 'The big chest!'

"I knew that this chest would hold me and my child easily, and that I could leave a chink of the lid open to let us breathe, for the overlapping edge would save my fingers from the panther. In a second I had it all clear before me; but had the brute not stopped short at sight of the curtain, I should never have had a chance of trying it. Luckily for me, the Indian panther, savage as he is, is a terrible coward, and suspicious as any detective. I've seen one go round and round a trap for more than half an hour, before he made up his mind to spring at the bait. So, while my friend was puzzling himself over the curtain, and wondering whether it was meant for a trap or not, I took up Minnie (who, poor little pet, seemed to know there was something wrong, and never uttered a sound) and into the chest I crept, making as little noise as I could.

"I was hardly settled there when I heard the 'sniff-sniff' of the panther coming right up to where I lay, and through the chink that I had left open, the hot, foul breath came steaming in upon my face, almost making me sick. It seemed to bring my heart into my mouth when I heard his great claws scraping the edge of the lid, and trying to lift it up; but, happily, the chink was too narrow for his paw to enter. But if the paw couldn't, the tongue could; and soon he began to lick my fingers, rasping them so that I hardly knew how to bear it. Still, the touch of Minnie's little arm around my neck seemed to give me courage.

"But there was far worse than this to come; for the panther suddenly leaped right on top of the chest, and his weight pressed down the heavy lid upon my fingers, until the pain was so terrible that, unable to stand it any longer, I screamed with all my might.

"The scream was answered by a shout, from just outside, in which I recognized my husband's voice. The panther heard it, too, and it seemed to scare him, for he made a dash for the window, either forgetting or not noticing the iron bars; but just as he reached it, there came the crack of a rifle, and I heard the heavy brute fall suddenly upon the floor. Then all the fright seemed to come back upon me at once, and I fainted outright.

"I heard afterward that Mr. R—— had happened to want some instrument which he had left at the house; and, not wishing to trust it in the hands of any of the natives he came back for it himself—luckily, just in time, for the bullet from his rifle killed the panther. But, as you see, my hand is pretty stiff yet."—*David Ker in St. Nicholas.*

Co-operation.

It is now ten years since some clerks in the London post-office found themselves unable to live on their pay. They asked for more, and were refused. The answer came on a foggy November afternoon, a day that was gloomy enough without bad tidings. Three of the men, talking over the dismal present and the dreary future, resolved to try what co-operation could do. They canvassed their fellows, and found a dozen who were willing to buy among them fifty pounds of tea. The money was paid in on the spot. The next morning, one of the original three, on his way to the office, bought at a wholesale store half a chest of tea. After office hours, the purchase was duly divided. The amount saved was twenty-five cents a pound. The story of this success speedily spread abroard. Within three days, the triumvirate had orders for another half chest. Soon they began to buy in somewhat larger quantities. They put the tea in an empty closet in the post-office, and hired the porter to weigh it out to the different purchasers, paying him for his trouble with the pound or so which each chest contained over its nominal weight. Little by little they added a few other staple articles to their stock. The old cupboard, their first store, was now too small. They hired a little room in the topmost story of a neighboring building for a few dollars a month. This was considered to be a most daring step. But their business speedily outgrew these narrow quarters. They were crowded out of room after room. Five years ago they moved into a building of their own, for which they paid $200,000. It is several stories high, with a frontage of perhaps a hundred feet on each of two streets; it is crowded with good clerks, and customers. The Civil Service Supply Association, as it is called, sells $5,000,000 worth of goods a year; moreover, it has arrangements with a great number of the best firms in London, by which its members can buy from these firms for cash at from twenty to forty per cent discount. The business done in this is estimated at $5,000,000 more. Nine years ago, the association began by selling half a chest of tea. Its growth is a most joyous fact. It has been, however, a most alarming fact to the retailers of London. Two years ago, they petitioned Parliament to forbid the government employees engaging in such enterprises. The petition was in vain, but the petitioners took their revenge by driving Mr. Thomas Hughes from his place in the Commons. When a number of the underpaid clergy of the Church of England undertook to imitate the civil service clerks, their proposed league was broken up, it is said, by the threat of an organized bolt of small tradesmen into the dissenting sects.—*May Atlantic.*

Curious Use of Photography.

The London *News* reports that the Bank of France has for some time past employed a photographic detective to examine suspicious documents; and more recently has placed an invisible studio in a gallery behind the cashiers. Hidden behind some heavy curtain the camera stands ready for work; at a signal from any of the cashiers the photographer secures the likeness of any suspected individual. It is reported that in the principal banking establishment in Paris several frauds have lately been detected by the camera, which under proper circumstances exercises a sharper vision than the human eye. Where an erasure has been made, for instance, the camera detects it at once, let the spot be ever so smoothly rubbed over, while a word or figure, that to the eye has been perfectly scratched out, is clearly reproduced in a photograph of the document.

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TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 1879.

THERE is a scheme before Congress to call in the trade dollars, exchanging them dollar for dollar, for legal tenders. Then they are to be recoined and given back to the country in genuine Bland dress. It would be a simpler solution for the difficulty, and all things considered quite as satisfactory, to make them a legal tender, subject to the same conditions which govern other legal tender silver coin. As it is, they are a consummate nuisance.

AT last spring has relented. Her wonted serenity returns. She has laid aside her robes of snow and jewelry of ice She trips by with a smile that is as genial and step that woos the buttercups and daisies as warmly as ever did her sisters of other years. This spring has been sadly out of humor and her ways have had a nipping, frosty air about them not at all winsome. But now that she has come to be the sweet spring we were all looking for let the past be forgotten, while, with a genuine Pinafore chorus, we sing "All hail to spring."

BEFORE and since the war Georgia has been prominent among all the Southern States for the thrift and intelligence of its citizens. We commend to the consideration of all whom it may concern the fact that in this prosperous commonwealth capital invested in the manufacture of cotton is for ten years exempt from taxation. The exemption applies to investments in machinery, factory buildings, or land for the uses of such buildings. Such a law is calculated to encourage manufacturing. We doubt not Chester would be greatly benefited if, by municipal enactment, exemption of this kind were offered to persons bringing their capital and enterprise into our midst.

THE United States Board of Army Equipment has submitted to army officers for their opinion the question of abolishing the use of the sabre and bayonet in our military service. Until within the last twenty-five years, these weapons were deemed of the first importance. And if history is reliable, many decisive battles have been won by them. Since breech-loading and magazine guns were brought into general use, the sabre and bayonet have lost favor, and it is hardly probable that they will ever regain their former popularity. The murderous and continued fire, which modern arms enable opposing armies to keep up, renders hand-to-hand conflict almost impossible.

IN some respects, one of the most disastrous duels on record is that of M. Poivre, President of the Council General of Algeria, with M. Feuillet, editor of the Zeramma. M. Poivre considered himself insulted by some remarks of the editor, and challenged him to mortal combat. M. Feuillet accepted the challenge, conditioned upon the sender of it signing an agreement that in case neither of them were wounded he was to be at liberty to continue his editorial comments unmolested. The proposition was accepted; the duel was fought. Nobody was hurt, and now the editor can say just what he pleases, without let or hindrance. Better be dead, Mr. President, several times over, than to have granted such a privilege to a man willing to peril his life to secure it.

THE municipal government of Paris has changed the names of two important streets in that city, and called them respectively Washington and Lincoln. In this country giving such names to streets would be a most insignificant event. We have already named up these worthies with score of whole towns. But that in one of the oldest and proudest capitols of the Old World they should have thus honored these men has more than usual meaning. There is no poverty of great men or great events in French history. That the names of Washington and Lincoln should have been preferred indicates very profoundly how far reaching has been the influence of our national life. Europe has given patterns to the world for palaces and cathedrals, but when it wants to build the temple of liberty looks to us for the model.

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A Farm of 55 acres, 3 miles from Newark and 14 miles from Wilmington, Delaware. 600 peach trees in bearing. Price $1650. Would exchange for Chester property.

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A very fine Farm of 70 acres, with good buildings, &c., in Chester township.

I have lots where all of the purchase-money may remain, if buildings are placed thereon.

WANTED.

A good Farm of 50 acres in Delaware co.

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A large new Brick House, Elm and Butler streets, South Ward. Will sell very cheap and on easy terms.

A fine Brick House, 2 stories, d Mansard roof, 10 rooms, with all the modern conveniences, situate on the north-corner of Fourth and Upland streets, Chester. Fine view of the Delaware river. I sell well worth the money.

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Oak and Cedar Grape Arbor Posts. White Pine Boards and Plank of different qualities.

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Churches, Sunday schools, and reputable societies contemplating having excursions the coming summer can now make arrangements, at low rates, to go to Cape May by the large and commodious steamer,

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Or to Sea Breeze, by the popular excursion steamer,

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☞THE BEST IN CHESTER.☜

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Orders for South Ward left at Rogers & Walker's feed store, Third and Parker streets, or Brandels' clothing store, corner of Penn and Market streets, will receive prompt attention. JOSEPH KESTNER, Proprietor.

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P. W. & B. R. R.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7. 7.30. 8, 8.40, 10.30-a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9 38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 2.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 1, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate statious at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Not yet time for straw hats.

"Come into the garden, Maud."

The circus was leaving at all hours of the night.

Many new buildings are being erected in Media.

The cricketers will play on their grounds to-morrow.

The power of the printed page transcends that of personal speech.

The Nebraska colonists we suppose, are tilling the soil by this time.

Fashionable gloves for the street are stitched on the back in black.

Saturday was the anniversary of the big tariff demonstration in Chester.

Now let the circus boards be taken down. They are an unsightly nuisance.

Mr. J. Elwood Black is the Chester agent of the Continental Life Insurance Company.

The arrest of eight pickpockets at the circus yesterday was an event not stated on the programme.

Peaches will be plentiful this year. Delaware papers estimate that there will be ten million basketfuls.

The grass started, the buds swelled, overcoats were discarded, the streets were thronged yesterday.

Horseback riding is growing daily in popular favor. It is capital exercise. Only a few can afford it, however.

On a clear day Chester can be distinctly seen from Billingsport, N. J. The Military Academy is especially prominent.

Seventh street bridge stood well the test of the heavy circus wagons, and we have more confidence in it than formerly.

It is thought that at least ten thousand people visited the circus yesterday. Almost two-thirds the number of the inhabitants of Chester.

The DAILY TIMES is an official paper now, but it is not going to brag about it much. Pinaforically, it will state things O-fficially.

A yacht race between the "Cohill" and "Barr," of Camden, is announced for May 2, from Cooper's Point around Chester buoy and return.

Warm sunshine and a clear, soft atmosphere combined to make yesterday very enjoyable to everybody, but especially so to the invalids.

The make-up of the various committees of Council, which were announced last evening, are excellent. President Wallace exercised much discretion.

Thieves have degenerated to a mighty mean standard when they rob church pews of their bibles. Such worthies ought to be sent to the penitentiary.

Every new industry that comes to Chester adds to our wealth and population. Every consistent inducement ought to be held out to capitalists to come here.

When the newspaper men in the State want anything done in the Legislature they always state their needs to Mr. Walter, and he attends to them promptly.

The square bounded by Fourth and Fifth streets and Market and Edgmont streets, furnished six out of the nine jurors from the Middle ward, who are to attend the next Court at Media.

A three-year-old, who was at the circus yesterday, on being asked what he liked the best, said that the elephant "grinding the organ with his tail" suited him more than any other trick.

Since January 1 there has been exported from Philadelphia 13,280,089 gallons of petroleum, an increase of 3,944,015 gallons compared with the corresponding period of the previous year.

There is hardly a day but that some large pattern comes by express to the Chester Steel Casting or the Eureka Companies, to be cast. Sometimes they come hundreds of miles. All these things tend to give our city renown.

Mr. M. Lewis, the Clerk of Council, is deservedly a favorite with all the members of Council. He possesses the faculty of despatching business in a rapid and satisfactory manner, and a better man for the position could not be found.

THE CIRCUS.—The street parade of the circus yesterday morning only had a tendency to create a desire in many people to go to the show in the afternoon, and as a consequence the show was larely attended. Three regular tents had been erected on the lot at Seventh street and Concord avenue, for the menagarie and circus. In the first there was nothing but a few chariots, the elephants, and the ponies, about twenty in number. In the second was the menagerie, all there was of it, and in the third the ring for the performance. Everybody took seats to witness the performance in the ring, on the trapeze and acrobatic feats. All the seats within the tent, except the reserved, were occupied, and there were three or four thousand persons present.

The performance did not differ from that given in any circus, such as bareback riding, leaping through a balloon from the horse, a woman walking slack wire, a woman holding a heavy brass cannon on her shoulders while it was discharged, a woman riding four horses at once, two women performing daring feats on the trapeze, three young men in their gymnastic attempts, and acrobatic in their numerous feats, the most wonderful of which was turning a double somersault over six elephants, the middle one of which stood on blocks, which made it fifteen feet high, and the distance over their backs thirty-two feet, besides some very interesting performances by the elephants in the ring. The performances were generally very good, especially Melvill's bareback riding.

After the performance was over the keepers performed with the lions and hyenas in their cages. They fired a pistol off in the cage, and not only scared the animals, but all the children.

The ticket wagon was rather long about opening for the sale of tickets, and the crowd around the entrance of the tents became immense about one o'clock. There was trouble crowding for tickets, and the living mass of humanity were surging to and fro, hallooing at the top of their voices for tickets. Some two or three persons lost their pocket books or watches, and the cry of pickpockets was raised, Everybody began to feel for their valuables, and many of those edging through the crowd to secure tickets were surprised to find that somebody had been in their pockets, which they had guarded so faithfully, or taken a treasured time-piece which they had chained so securely to their vests.

POCKETS PICKED.

Mr. Wm. DeKnight, of South Chester, had his pocket-book, containing fifty dollars, stolen. Mr. James Fulton, of Thurlow, was relieved of his gold watch and chain. Mr. J. B. Mace, of Sneath's Corner, was obliged to go home without his silver watch, and Dr. E. Harvey, of this city, had about six dollars in notes taken from his pocket. Mr. E. H. Engle, ex-County Commissioner, of this city, had his pocket book, containing about $4 in money, and papers, stolen while purchasing tickets. It is the first time Uncle Ned ever had his pocket picked, and how they did it is a mystery to him.

Accompanying every circus are a large number of pick-pockets and thieves, and that of yesterday was not an exception to this rule. When the procession was going through the streets eight or ten persons believed to be pick-pockets were noticed following the crowd, on the street corners, and going among them ...g their pockets. After the parade arrived at the ground these worthies were spotted by the police, the whole force being on duty, and eight of them arrested either for ticket scalping or on suspicion of being pick-pockets, and lodged in the lock-up.

James F. Young, Harry Updyke and George Poulson, three young men from Philadelphia who had come down here to sell tickets (according to their statement) outside the show, were arrested by officer J. Wilson. John Perry and John Quigley, of Philadelphia, were arrested by officer Barber, and John Welsh, of Delaware county, Thomas Martin and Philip Griffin of Philadelphia, were put away by officer Murray, all on suspicion of being pick-pockets.

A preliminary hearing was given the above parties by the Mayor last evening. When they were arrested, the officers searched them and found gold and silver watches, considerable money, tickets and other things, which are now in the possession of the Chief of Police. At the hearing were Messrs. De Knight, Fulton, Mace and Dr. Harvey, to see if they could identify either the thieves or the property, but this they were unable to do.

Mr. Matthew T. Clowney, of Upland, testified to seeing young Updyke and Poulson, in company with a colleague, going through the crowd on the streets in the morning, but nothing else could be obtained against them, and they were held in $300 for a further hearing this morning.

Wm. McIlwee, of Upland, testified to seeing Perry and Quigley going through the crowds in a peculiar way.

They were held in $500 for a further hearing this morning.

Welsh, Martin and Gr... were each held in $500 until this morn... Welsh, who represented himself to be ... Delaware county, was impudent, an... ed crooked, and the Mayor ordered ... down before he got a hearing.

HOUSES ROBBED.

During the afternoon the house of Mr. James Bowers, the shoddy manufacturer at Sixth and Madison streets, was entered in the absence of Mrs. Bowers, who was at the circus, and 194½ English sovereigns, equal to about $945, three silver watches, one gold watch, and a lot of jewelry belonging to a deceased daughter was taken. The value of the articles stolen will amount to nearly $1500. The thieves broke in the kitchen door and Thomas Ewing, an employee in the shoddy mill, thinks he saw the party.

Mr. Burns' house on Penn street was entered in the absence of the family and a lot of jewelry taken.

The house of Mr. Logan, at Seventh and Pusey streets, was entered by two men, and some jewelry and $25 in money taken. A gentleman was standing on the corner of the street talking to an accomplice of the thieves in the house, but he was not aware of it until after the deed was done

Somebody got into the house of Philip Smith on Fifth street, while the family were at the circus but nothing was taken.

There are doubtless others who have had things stolen and house entered, and have not reported it.

THE EVENING SHOW

was largely attended, it being estimated that there were from six to seven thousand people there to witness it. The performance was the same as that in the afternoon, and as soon as the performance ended the cage and paraphernalia were driven to the train, upon which they were loaded and taken to Wilmington, where they show to-day.

TAKES EXCEPTIONS. — A correspondent "learned in the law," takes exceptions to our court proceedings, as follows:

In chronicling the ejectment cases tried in Media last week before Justice Ludlow, your local reporter gave the public a daily synopsis of what was transpiring before the court and jury; but in his notation of Friday's proceedings your readers were misled. In these ejectments there was nothing in controversy between the parties litigant, except the rights of the plaintiff to recover one tenth of the lands and tenements, at Orterville, on the south side of Concord avenue, as one of the heirs-at-law of Edward Carter, deceased: and the final result thereof establishes nothing except the rights of the plaintiff to his portion of this particular property. In other words, in no event will these suits '*establish the validity of the will*' of Edward Carter, deceased.

In June, A. D. 1877, the same plaintiff before a jury, good and true, received his portion of the major portion of Edward Carter's landed note; but this verdict did not establish the validity of the will, nor may it by these suits be established, till twenty-one years after the youngest grandchild of the deceased parents thereof shall have become of age.

Nor did this trial "occupy the longest time of any that has been tried at Media for many years." Judge Clayton generally sits nine hours per day, Judge Ludlow sat five and a half hours, from eleven till five, having a recess of half an hour each day.

POLICE NEWS.—The Mayor's court was thronged with citizens this morning to see what disposition would be made of the prisoners confined in the lock-up.

The first brought before the Mayor were Young, Updyke and Poulson, the ticket scalpers. Nothing further was elicited against them, but to guard against trouble, and to better investigate their characters, the Mayor held them for the present. Perry, Quigley and Griffin were each recommitted until something further can be learned about them. Welsh and Martin were held in $500 bail each to answer at the next term of court, so as to find out more about them. Welsh was very unruly, and acted strangely.

Detective Taggart, of Philadelphia, was here yesterday, and believes the last five named to be professional pick-pockets. The Mayor feels it his duty to go as far as the law will permit in this case, so as to rid our city of these light fingered gentry.

Clarence Hooff and John Clay were disorderly about the circus last evening and were locked up by officer J. Wilson. The Mayor recommitted them for twenty-four hours.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—Between three and four o'clock yesterday afternoon, Evan Lutz, aged 52 years, employed by Mr. Moore at Moore's station, on the P. W. & B. Railroad, was driving two horses to a cart, and the animals took fright and ran away. Mr. Lutz in trying to stop the horses fell to the ground from where he was sitting on the front of the cart, and the wheel passed over his head and caused instant death. The deceased was a brother of ex alderman Lutz of Philadelphia, and brother-in-law to James L. Moore, the brewer at Fitzwater and Juniper streets, Philadelphia.

Coroner Fairlamb was notified of the accident, and proceeded to the place to hold an inquest late yesterday afternoon. After hearing the testimony of those who were near the scene of the accident, on the road near the station, the jury, consisting of Messrs. J. E. Thomas, David Harper, G. W. Shirley, James Reid, Ellwood Urian and Nathanial Urian, rendered a verdict of accidental death.

MATRIMONIAL.—Yesterday afternoon the younger of the Leotard brothers, acrobats in the circus, rushed into the Beale House and asked for a preacher, half out of breath as he was, from pacing the streets looking for one. He surprised the clerk, who thought the anxious inquirer was going to die right away. He soon let him into his secret, however, by stating that he wanted to get married and he wasn't a bit particular who tied the knot, so that it was as well performed as his feats are. An expounder of the Gospel was procured and the actor was married to a young lady with plenty of wealth, who had come from Germantown to take him for better or for worse. The ceremony was performed in the parlor of the Beale House.

GONE WITH THE CIRCUS.—Louis E. Kershaw, of this city, who served so faithfully on our police force under Mayor Forwood for two or three years prior to the spring of 1878, made arrangements with Cooper, Bailey & Co., proprietors of the circus that showed here yesterday, to go with them as a special officer. His duty will be to watch the company's property and post the policemen around the tents, a business for which he is well suited. The circus men are fortunate in securing his services. Mr. Kershaw will start to-day on his new vocation.

CENTURY CALENDAR.—John M. Broomall, Jr., of Media, has arranged a "Century Calendar," which for simpliciiy of construction and ease of management excels anything we have ever seen. The arrangement is entirely original and will be greatly appreciated by the business community when it becomes fully understood.

CAMP FIRE.—Post Wilde will have a camp fire to-night in their room, which all the members and their friends are invited to attend.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.—A regular meeting of City Council was held in Council Chamber last night, President Wallace in the chair.

The following members were present: Messrs. B. F. Baker, F. S. Baker, Black, Booth, Chadwick, Clough, Cutler, Fennell, Greenwood, Hinkson, Klotz, McCall and Young.

The minutes of last meeting of the old Council and the new body were read and approved.

A communication from Samuel Pennock, of Kennett Square, inviting the attention of Council to a machine for crushing stones on streets, was read and on motion referred to the Street Committee.

A petition from Samuel Greenwood asking for a settlement of the damages claimed by him in the widening of Upland street at Fifth, was read. The matter was referred to the City Solicitor to report at next meeting.

A communication from City Clerk, M. Lewis, in reference to the recent report of the Committee on Ways and Means was read and on motion filed.

A petition from property owners on Pennell street, asking for a lamp at Fourth and Pennell streets was received, and on motion referred to Committee on Gas.

The bill of the Penn Globe Light Company was on motion ordered paid when the proper deductions are made.

The clerk then read the following list of standing Committees as prepared by President Wallace:

Streets—Messrs. Klotz, Young and Chadwick.

Ways and Means — Messrs. Anderson, Black and Booth.

Ordinances—Messrs. Black, Cutler and F. S. Baker.

Accounts—Messrs. Hinkson, Booth and Anderson.

Gas—Messrs. Clough, B. F. Baker and Cutler.

Police—Messrs. Greenwood, McCall and Fennell.

Health—Messrs. B. F. Baker, Fennell and F. S. Baker.

Public Property—Messrs. Young, Clough and McCall.

Fire—Messrs. Chadwick, Hinkson and Greenwood.

The following bids were then opened, read and contracts awarded:

Gilead Carter bid 88 cents per cart load for gravel, and he being the only bidder the contract was awarded to him.

Daniel Robinson agreed to furnish brick at $6 per thousand, and the contract was awarded to him.

For sand, lime and lumber:

Mendenhall & Johnson, cement $1.70 per barrell, $1.22 per ton for sand.

C. D. Pennell, lime 28 cents per bushel, cement $1.70 per barrell, sand $1.22 per ton, and lumber $10.50 per 1000 feet.

On motion the contract was awarded to C. D. Pennell.

For curbing stone, Leiper & Lewis 36 cents per lineal foot.

A. ... J. O. De...ong, 42 cents per lineal foot.

The contract was awarded to Messrs. Leiper & Lewis.

For broken and rubble stone.

Clarence Deshong, broken stone, $1.79 per perch; rubble stone, $1,69 per perch.

Elias H. West, unbroken stone, $1 30 per perch, broken stone, $1.70 per perch; rubble stone, $1.70.

The contract for broken stone was awarded to Mr. West, and for the rubble stone to Mr. Deshong.

For lamp-posts, and setting thereof, Baker & Culbert, $11.50.

Barlette Lamp Company, $14.50.

Penn Globe Light Company, $13.86.

Matthew S. Hatton, $10.50.

Gartside & Turner, $13.50.

Blakeley & Marlor, $11.00.

Wm. Green, $12.50.

The contract was awarded to M. S. Hatton.

For paving city sidewalks:

	New curb per foot.	Resetting curb per foot.	New pavement per yard.	Relaying pavement per yard.	Grading per cu. yd.
Devers & Dolan,	47	9	65	19	16
Daniel McCurdy,	50	8	62	28	17
Pierce & Whalen,	50	12	65	28	16
Thomas Oliver,	48	10	68	27	19
Ebe. Johnson,	50	10	67½	15	22½
William Henry,	48	10	68	30	18

On motion the contract was awarded to Messrs. Devers & Dolan.

For city printing—The *Democrat* 3 cents per line.

DAILY TIMES and *Delaware County Advocate* 5 cents per line.

Evening News 5 cents per line.

Delaware County Republican 4 cents per line.

On motion the roll was called, and each member voted as follows:

DAILY TIMES and *Advocate*—Messrs. B. F. Baker, F. S. Baker, Black, Booth, Chadwick, Clough, Cutler, Fennell, Greenwood, McCall and Young—11.

Evening News — Messrs. B. F. Baker, Black, Booth, Chadwick, Cutler, Hinkson, Klotz, McCall and Wallace—9.

Republican—Messrs. F. S. Baker, Clough, Greenwood, Hinkson, Klotz and Wallace—6.

Democrat—Messrs. Fennell and Young—2.

The contract was declared awarded to the DAILY TIMES and *Advocate* and *Evening News*.

For repairing the city clock—P. Boylen, $35; Joseph Lamus, $40.

On motion, the contract was awarded to P. Boylen.

For fire plugs—Blakeley & Marlor, $73.50; and they being the only bidders, the contract was awarded to them.

For clearing cesspools—H. Chambers, $1 per hogshead.

The contract was on motion awarded to him.

For lighting the city where gas is not used—Penn Globe Light Company, $21.40 per lamp, and the contract was awarded them.

Mr. B. F. Baker moved to instruct the Ordinance Committee to prepare an ordinance compelling each night cart to take out a license. Passed.

On motion of Mr. Klotz, it was ordered to have the huckster license printed on a few cards for the use of the aldermen and police.

On motion, adjourned at nine o'clock.

VIGILANT.—Our Mayor and police force deserve great credit for their vigilance in so promptly bringing the number of professional thieves who followed the circus here to justice, and placing them where they can do no harm. The shysters swooped down on our city yesterday like a flock of crows, and that they were all caged or run off before three o'clock is highly commendable and shows our police system to be effective.

EUROPEAN TRIP FOILED.—Mrs. James Bowers had been saving the 194½ English sovereigns that were stolen from her yesterday for a long time past for the express purpose of taking a trip to Europe the coming summer. But the pleasure of visiting her mother country will have to be abandoned. She preferred to have English money, so there would be no trouble in changing it in that foreign land.

BILLS IN CONGRESS.—Congressman Ward introduced ten bills, all of a local character, to the House, under the call of States, yesterday. Among them was one granting a pension to wounded soldiers, or, if deceased, to their representatives. Mr Ward will push these bills through as quickly as possible. He deserves much credit for his activity in behalf of his constituents.

PERSONAL.—Capt. Wm. Duncan, of North Chester Borough, who left this city about nine months ago to visit Ireland, the country of his nativity, returned home last evening looking much the better for his trip. He reports things very slow over there though, as compared to this country.

DELEGATES TO THE DIOCESAN CONVENTION.—The vestry of St. Paul's church, last night, appointed Mr. Robert Hall, Mr. R. B. Pearson and Mr. Samuel A. Dyer to be delegates from this parish to the Diocesan Convention to be held in Philadelphia on the 13th of May.

LECTURE.—Attend the lecture of Mr. John Ford in Holly Tree Hall this evening, on "Life in the Geological Ages," and be benefited. Mr. Ford is a good lecturer and there should be a large audience.

MR. EDITOR:—A gentleman in yesterday's TIMES is quoted as saying that Chester is the best Sabbath observing place he had ever seen. Certainly our citizens will feel proud, and especially when the observation was made upon last Sunday—a day when our city was in an uproar on account of the entrance of a circus. If Sunday last was carefully observed as a day of rest and worship, our ordinary Sabbaths must be days of remarkable quiet, notwithstanding the fact that stores are kept open and worldly business transacted. SABBATH.

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In the bobac settlement a very industrious and restless life prevails through the summer. The young, which are born in April or May, are then nearly grown up and have acquired a fondness for play. At sunrise they leave the burrow and quench their thirst by licking the dew from the leaves of the surrounding plants. The forenoon is spent playing and grazing; the afternoon in sleeping in their burrows. Toward evening they appear again and graze previous to retiring for the night.

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In June they commence to gather their winter provisions, consisting of hay, roots, etc. As soon as the weather becomes cool in the fall they become sleepy and very slow in their motions. During the latter part of August they may be seen after a cool night coming out of their burrows, falling on one side and then on the other as if intoxicated, and they lose their playfulness.

During the month of September they retire for hibernation, and close the entrance to their burrows with stones, sand, grass, and their own excrements. From this time until winter sets in they lead a sort of automaton life.

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The Society will also exert its endeavors to influence those who retail liquors, to keep for the accommodation of men who drink nothing intoxicating, stimulating and nourishing beverages which contain no alchohol to be dispensed in some popular and convenient manner.

It will also encourage and exert its influence to promote free or cheap places of recreation and amusement, where no intoxicating beverages are allowed.

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Terror of the Frontier.

"The man with the gold tooth" is at present the terror of the frontier. His real name is Middleton. He began his career as an outlaw in 1877 at Sidney, Nebraska, where he killed a man in a dance house, and in the courts of which place he was convicted of murder. He escaped from Sidney, organized a band of robbers, plundered, burnt and murdered until the fall of 1877, when he was lodged in jail, only to tunnel himself out with a coal scuttle. Reorganizing with fifty men he stole 3,000 head of cattle from pursuit by a squad of horsemen. The trail was followed for three days. On the morning of the fourth day the Germans awoke to find their pickets murdered and every horse stolen. In firing at Sheriff Groner in Keith's ranch "the man with the gold tooth" shot off one of his own fingers, but escaped. He gets his name from a front upper tooth made entirely of gold. He is 34 years old, six feet tall and wears a fierce black moustache, under which the tooth shines like a grain of corn. Two needle guns, four revolvers and two dirks make up his armament.

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6 45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

J. E. WOOTTEN, Gen'l Manager.
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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

For Oxford at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Oxford and Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Leave Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Leave Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Saturdays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

HENRY WOOD: General Superintendent.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

For Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m , 5.15 p. m.

Wilmington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m. 5 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

For Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER. 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.46, 6.14, 9.05, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m. and 9.45 p. m.

WILKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Leave for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 5, 6.30 p. m.

WILKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal 3 and 7 p. m.

For time of trains for way stations, see Time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

Excursion tickets to all points West, South and West, may be procured at Ticket Office, 838 Chestnut street, where berths and parlor cars can be procured during the day. Persons purchasing tickets at these offices can have baggage checked at their residence by the Union Transfer Company.

H. F. KENNEY, Supt.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

On and after Nov 25th, 1878, trains leave Broad and Berks streets, Philadelphia

MAIN LINE.

Leave 5.40 p. m., Express for Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk.

Leave 8 p. m., Fast Line for Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Auburn, Ithaca, Rochester, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, and the West. Sleeping Cars 8 p. m. runs daily.

Leave 2.30 p. m. for Bethlehem, Easton, Mauch Chunk Wilkesbarre, Scranton.

Leave Bethlehem, Norristown, Allentown, Schooley's Mountain and points on Essex Railroad.

7.30 a. m., 3.45, 5.45 p. m. for Hartsville, and points on N. E. P. R. R.

8.00 a. m., 1.45, 3.30, 5.30 p. m., 12.00 night. Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne, Hatboro, Trenton, Pennington and Princeton.

7.30 a. m., 3.30 and 5.40 p. m. for Norristown.

8.00 a. m., 3.30 and 5 p. m., for Doylestown.

11.30 p. m. for Fort Washington.

8.05 11 a. m., 1.30, 3, 3.30, 3.45, 5, 5.45, 6.30 p. m. for Abington.

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MAIN LINE.

Fast Line, daily,	11.45 A. M.
Pittsburg Express, except Sunday,	6.30 P. M.
Cincinnati Express, daily,	9.10 P. M.
Pacific Express, daily,	11.55 P. M.
Niagara Exp , daily, except Sunday	7.20 A. M.
Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday,	11.45 A. M
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday,	11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday,	7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday,	11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday,	8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday,	11.45 A. M.
Mail { Daily, except Sunday,	8.00 A. M.
Train { On Sunday—Harrisburg only,	
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday,	7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday,	8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday,	11.45 A. M.

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renove, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily except Sunday.

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Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

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Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.12 and 4.00 P. M.

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LATEST NEWS.

In the U. S. Senate yesterday, Mr. Ingalls introduced a bill for the relief of the destitute colored persons now emigrating from the Southern States. It was referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

In the House, the subsidiary Silver Coin bill was passed without amendment, and goes to the Senate. The Legislative Appropriation bill was resumed, and the political debate continued, an evening session being held for speech making.

The titles and reference of the bills introduced in the House on Monday last fill forty pages of the *Congressional Record*.

Among the bills introduced in the House on Monday, was one by Representative Thomas Turner, of Kentucky, making it unlawful for the Pullman Palace Car Company to charge more than one dollar and a half for a day and a night's accommodation, and fixing the rate per day at one dollar.

Secretary Sherman has ordered Captain Bailey, commanding the U. S. revenue steamer Rush, to take on sufficient supplies for a five months' cruise, and leave San Francisco by the 15th of May for Alaska, to enforce the law for the protection of the Government interests in the Seal islands, the otter hunting grounds and in Alaska generally.

Mr. August Belmont met with a serious accident in New York yesterday morning. He was alighting from his carriage on Fifth avenue, when a grocer's wagon struck the carriage, crushing the wheel and overturning the vehicle. Mr. Belmont was knocked down, trodden upon by the horse and dragged fifteen or twenty feet along the roadway. His injuries are severe, but not, it is hoped, dangerous.

The drivers and runners at the Henry colliery, at Wilkesbarre, struck on Monday, and throw 400 miners and laborers out of employment, because of a dispute about the number of working hours. The strikers were discharged yesterday, and their places filled by new men.

Rev. George Bowers, for six years pastor of the Congregational church at Coonville, N. J., has been arrested in Boston for alleged forgeries, amounting to nearly $7000, committed while in charge of the Coonville Society. When arrested Bowers was accompanied by a married woman named Lecroft.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Alaska, which left San Francisco on March 6th, for Yokohama, was disabled on the 26th of that month in a hurricane, and put into Honolulu for repairs, which would cause a delay of ten days.

The St. Louis *Post* publishes crop reports from over fifty counties of Missouri, embracing all the principal grain growing sections, which indicate a full average yield of wheat, and large crops of corn and oats.

The body of Ella Ryder, a girl, was found with the head and feet tied, in the river near Independence, Mo., on Sunday. It is believed her father threw her into the river and then killed himself, because she persisted in keeping company with a young man of bad character.

The body of Henry Burrell, a wealthy cheese and butter buyer of Little Falls, N. Y., was stolen from the cemetery in that place yesterday morning. It is supposed the robbers expect a reward for its return.

As three children of Oliver Stout were going to bed, at Penobscot, near Wilkesbarre, on Monday night, a coal oil lamp exploded, setting fire to their clothing. Two of them died yesterday, and the other was not expected to recover.

FOREIGN NOTES.

The strike of the Belgian coal-miners has extended to the District of Borinage.

The Agricultural Society of the Gironde held a meeting at Bordeaux yesterday in favor of free trade.

In consequence of floods, traffic on the Moscow, Smolensk and Oretirtebsk railways has been suspended.

Several Russian rivers have overflowed, causing great loss of property, and rendering many families homeless.

The *Diario Official* denies the statement that the Mexican government is trying to negotiate a loan in the United States.

A Reuter's Berne dispatch says the statement that Russia and Germany have demanded the arrest of certain Nihilists in Switzerland is untrue.

At the session of the German Social Political Association yesterday a resolution was passed in favor of a moderate reform of the tariff in a protectionist sense.

The Frankfurter *Zeitung* will again be prosecuted for insulting Prince Bismarck by publishing a report of the last trial for the same offence, including speeches for the defence.

The cause of the resignation of Senor Romero from the Mexican Ministry of Finance is now said to be his opposition to the Exposition scheme. The Exposition is very popular, and preparations for it are being actively pushed.

The report of the arrival at Havana of an agent of the New York Custom House, and a chemist, to investigate the charges of fraudulent coloring of sugars, causes great satisfaction among the planters, giving them an opportunity to prove the absurdity of the accusations.

Bourbonism in France.

It was said of the Bourbons that they never learned or forgot anything. They are like chronic sufferers from kidney or liver distress who will not by experience learn that Kidney-Wort will cure them. It is the best remedy known for piles.

JEAN'S MONEY, AND WHAT IT BOUGHT.

The last recitation of the last day of the district school term was over, and the boys and girls shut their books and put away slates and pencils with a glad sense of liberty immediately at hand, which made it doubly hard to sit still for the few remaining moments. Jean Thompson, their teacher, was almost as impatient as they. She was but seventeen; scarcely older than her oldest scholar, and in her joy at getting through the term would doubtless have made short work of the closing exercises, had not Mr. Gillicraft been there. Mr. Gilligraft was the senior member of the school board;—a slow, formal man, who liked things done ceremoniously, so for his sake there had to be a little delay. He made a speech to the children, speaking at length and deliberately. They were all pleased to have vacation begin, no doubt, but he hoped, etc. He was sure they would join him in thanking their excellent teacher, Miss Thompson, for the judicious manner in which, etc. He trusted the moral discipline inculcated during the term would not, etc. And he hoped some at least of them would find time to study somewhat during the vacation, and thus redeem time which otherwise would be idly spent. The children fidgeted dreadfully during these remarks. The blue sky and bright air wooed and coaxed them through the open door; their feet were dancing with impatience; how could they attend to Mr. Gillicraft? At last the end came, the long-desired bell tinkled; and whooping, jumping, rioting, out they all rushed into their twelve weeks' freedom. One or two of the lesser girls waited to kiss "teacher" good-bye; then they followed the rest.

When the last child was gone, Mr. Gillicraft approached Jean, who was setting matters straight in her desk. His hand was in his pocket, from which he presently drew a fat leathern wallet.

"Ahem!" he said. "It is my duty and my privilege, too, as I may say, to hand you this, Miss Thompson." Mr. Gillicraft called her "Jean" usually, having known her all her life, but this was a formal occasion. "Nine—ten—eleven," he went on, counting the bills which he had drawn from his wallet,—"twelve. You will find that correct, I believe, $120, and I desire to say in the name of the board, that we are quite satisfied with the manner in which you have conducted the school, and gratified at your decision to continue with us during the ensuing year."

"Thank you sir," said Jean, most modestly.

"Count it," remarked Mr. Gillicraft, dropping the official and resuming the friend—"always count your money, Jean, it's business like. And don't put it loose in your pocket—that's a careless trick. You never had so much money at a time before in your life, did you? What are you going to do with it?"

"I don't quite know yet," replied Jean. "I shall have to talk with father about it. I'll lock the door now, Mr. Gillicraft, if you're ready, and give you the key."

"Have you got it?" whispered her brother James, as Mr. Gillicraft and the keys disappeared around the corner. "Have you got it, Jean?"

Jean nodded.

"How splendid!" said Elsie, a younger sister, coming to Jean's other side. "Show me. Oh, what a lot of money!"

"What will you get with it?" asked James. "Don't I wish it was mine! I know well enough what I would buy."

"So do I, chimed in Elsie."

"What?" asked Jean, with a pleasant smile.

"A piano! And the dearest little dog—just like Ruth Parsons' dog, if I could find one. And ever so many books. And a watch." And Elsie's list was interrupted by the necessity of taking breath.

"Hoo! Isn't that just like a girl? Why, you couldn't get half those things with that, you silly," put in her brother. "I'd get something quite different. I'd get a pony, a real strong, useful pony, which father could plow with when I wasn't riding him. That would be something like."

"Your pony would cost as much as Elsie's piano," remarked Jean.

"Well, what would you get?" said Elsie. "Will you get some nice new clothes?"

"Pshaw! Clothes! will you get a watch, Jean?"

"Or a breastpin and earrings?"

"Now, what use would earrings be to her when she hasn't any holes in her ears, Elsie? Do tell us, Jean—what will you get?"

Jane laughed. It seemed as if all the world was bound to find out what she meant to do with her money.

"I'll tell you by-and-by," she said. "I've made up my mind, I think, what I'd rather do, but I want to talk to father first." They reached the top of the hill as she spoke, and she pushed open the gate for the others to enter; paying no attention to Elsie's fretful—

"By-and-by. That's a long time. Tell us, Jean, please do."

After tea was the best time to catch farmer Thomas at leisure. At that hour he usually treated himself to half an hour's rest and a pipe in the porch, and there Jean found him on this particular night.

"Mr. Gillicraft paid me this to-day," she said, handing him the roll of bills.

"Ay. They are prompt with it, but that is but fair. Well, my lass—it is a good bit of money. What'll ye do with your gains."

"I'll tell you something I was thinking of, father—if you approve, that is. It is a great many years since mother and you came from Scotland here, and she's never been home, you know."

"Twenty-one years come October. 'Tis a long time, truly," replied her father, letting a curl of smoke escape from the corner of his mouth.

"Well—there was an advertisement in the paper, a while ago, about a steamboat line, the Anchor Line it is called, I think, which goes to Glasgow, and it said great reductions for this summer, and people could go and come back in the second cabin for forty-five dollars. Now if mother'd like to go, and I know she would, she and I could go for what I've got, and she could visit grandmother, and there'd be thirty dollars left for other things, such as going down to New York, and from Glasgow to Greenock. Grandmother lives in Greenock, doesn't she? Do you think it's a good plan, father?"

"Well, it depends on your mother. "If she likes to go, I'd say naught against it," replied her father. Then, his habitual Scotch caution relaxing, he added, "You're a good lass, Jean. A good, dutiful lass to think of this. Your grannie's an old woman by now, and I've known this long back that your mother was wearying to see her again before she dies, and I'd have sent her myself, only I never could see the way to do it. Scotland's a long travel, and money's none too plentiful now-a-days with any of us. I'll just smoke my pipe out, and then you and I will go in and talk it over with mother."

Mrs. Thompson heard the proposal with a tremulous mixture of bewilderment and joy. She was not a strong woman, and fever and ague, that insidious scourge of so many country districts, had struck at the hill farm the year before, and left her weakened and languid months afterward. The neighbors were told this new plan, and preparations set on foot at once, that Jean might lose as little as possible of her brief vacation time. Everybody was interested and excited. Mrs. Parsons brought warm knitted hoods to be worn at sea, Mrs. Wright a waterproof clothes-bag and a box of Ayer's pills, Mrs. Gillicraft two linen catch-alls for stateroom use, with pockets and pincushions, and pincushions well furnished with pins.

"I envy you," said Maria Parsons, who was Jean's special friend. "I always was wild to travel, but—there! I don't suppose I ever shall so long as I live. Some folks are born lucky. You'll have a splendid time, Jean."

"Do you think so?" replied Jean, rather dismally.

"Think so? Why, girl alive, don't you know it?"

"Well no, I don't. The fact is, Maria—the fact is—well—I hate traveling. I don't look forward to it one bit. I shall be horribly sick first, and then I shall be horribly homesick; I'm perfectly sure of it. Dear me—how I wish it was over, and we safely back!"

"Good gracious!" cried Maria, opening her eyes—"What on earth do you go for, Jean, if you feel that way?"

"Only to take mother. She wanted to go, and I always said she should, if ever I could earn any money to take her. Except for that I'd gladly give you the chance, and stay at home instead."

This was not a very bright beginning for so long a journey. But Jean did not think about that. She had the sturdy old Scotch blood in her, and having once put her hand to a task, did not look back.

Her expectations were realized so far as the voyage went, for they had a rough passage, and both she and her mother were sick for more than half the way over. It was dull work enough for a strong, active girl to lie day after day in a narrow berth, watching the curtains swing and the vessel rock, and very often Jean said to herself, "I can't imagine what people want to go to Europe for. It's horrid! I only wish Maria were in my place, since she wanted to come so much, and I at home instead. I am sure I would change in a minute, if I could."

Matters mended toward the last, and by the time the steamer entered the Firth of Clyde, Mrs. Thompson, as well as Jean, was able to be on deck. It was a fine day, and as they slowly steamed up the beautiful Firth, between richly cultivated shores, with wooded hills dotted with country seats rising behind, and purple mountain outlines still farther back, something new stirred in Jean's mind, a quite unlooked-for excitement and pleasure, which roused and woke her mind to the glad reception of fresh impressions. It was the first reward of her unselfishness; so it came with the zest of unexpectedness, and was doubly delightful.

"Mother, there's a castle!" she exclaimed. "I truly think it's a real castle. It looks just like the pictures of them."

"And what for no?" replied her mother, whose Scotch seemed to revive and broaden with the very aspect of her native shores—"what for should it na' be a castle? Mony's the castle I've seen in my childish time. Oh! there's the cathedral, Jean, and the Custom-house, and the bonny monument. I remember them a'weel lang as 'tis. And there—Jean, see by the pillar—I'm most sure that's your Uncle Andrew. I know him by the bonny shoulders, and the head above everybody else's; but dear, he's grown much older since—much older."

This was no unnatural result of twenty-one years of separation, but at that moment Mrs. Thompson did not remember this. "It's like a dream," she kept on repeating. "This is Glasgow, and that's my brother that I never looked to see again! It is like a dream, Jean."

If they had turned back then and there for thirteen more days of weary sea, Jean would have felt rewarded for her journey by the half tearful rapture which shone in her mother's face at that moment. But they did not turn back. They landed instead, and with Uncle Andrew's assistance, were soon in the train for Greenock. He and his sister plunged at once into conversation in

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 1879.

To those who are interested in western emigration the Baltimore depot in Philadelphia affords an instructive and curious spectacle when the emigrants that start from there are about commencing their long journey. This they do toward midnight. Every night for weeks they have been going in companies, varying in number from twenty to a hundred. It is a sad and yet a hopeful sight, this exodus. Sad, because it suggests the sundering of so many cherished family ties. Hopeful, because it is prophetic of new surroundings favorable to a larger and more prosperous life.

AN earnest effort is now being made by those specially interested, to have a definite path fixed for steamships crossing and recrossing the ocean from Europe to this country. Thousands of such voyages are made annually, and they are frequently attended by accidents which the assignment of a fixed route would avoid. Besides this, disabled ships would be much more likely to be seen and to receive any needed assistance. The wonder is that long before now the advantages of following a definite ocean path has not compelled its adoption. Sooner or later it is sure to be done, and the sooner the better.

A WASHINGTON correspondent reports that a large number of the Department clerks in that city are college graduates. Sixty-one are Yale men, thirty-five from Princeton, thirty from Dartmouth, with a proportional representation from other colleges. A college diploma represents at least ten years of study. Put this and that together, and the inference seems most natural that the right men have been in the wrong places either in the college or at the desk. More suggestive than the fact that these graduates are department clerks is the added fact that they are fit for nothing else. Those of us who have never enjoyed the classic shade of college halls would naturally expect better things from those who have. But after all, perhaps the printing office and the workshop give about as good "larnin'" as the college.

THE Chicago and St. Louis papers are tussling with each other over the merits of their respective cities as a market for pecan nuts. Whatever may be done by these cities in the pecan eating way, of one thing we are very sure, that we are ahead in eating peanuts. Taking them man for man, woman for woman, child for child, mouth for mouth, double-jointed Californ ia peanut for double-jointed California peanut, there is no town of its size in the Union that can hold a shell to Chester. This is one reason why our people are so contented and happy. There is, we are satisfied, no simple thing that affords so much cheap and lazy bliss as the busy idleness necessary to get outside of a five-cent quart of ground nuts. And then, the nuts themselves are a benediction upon the palate that combines in one sensation cigars and ice cream, beer and oranges, cake and all confections.

THE daughter of Mr. Wm. A. Townsend, of New York, the other day married Mr. James A. Weeks. Getting married is not an unusual thing with young people, and nothing would probably have been thought of the above incident had not Mr. Weeks been coachman to the bride's father. But what difference does that make? None, whatever, that we know of, except that in wedlock happiness is promoted by a similarity of tastes and habits. There can be no true marriage unless tastes and habits can be united. And it is a good deal more likely than not that in such a marriage as Miss Townsend's there will be no such union. The industrious, honest, poor man has a far better chance of finding a wife to his mind outside rather than inside that circle of artificial life in which the wealthy live. And the silly girls who have lived that life are apt to be, when they leave it, like the canary bird that loses itself from its cage.

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TIME TABLE.

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Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9 38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.46, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

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Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The shad nets dry quickly in these breezy days.

Hominy peg is the game with the boys just now.

The ladies look beautiful in their new spring dresses.

Open windows and doors have been pleasant this week.

There will be fewer headaches as ventilatson becomes better.

There is a fine crop of garlic in store for the butter producers.

There is nothing like a fine day for bringing out the promenaders.

Of all the juvenile magazines which we have seen, we prefer the *Wide Awake*.

Students at our various institutes of learning are making preparations for commencement.

Don't move that stove yet. We shall have some more cold weather before summer comes.

The past three days have been appreciated. A few more of the same kind will be welcome.

The steamer Republic is being painted, and put in proper order for next summer's trips to Cape May.

"Torrence's Art Galleries," the children call the bill boards since the circus posters have beenput up.

Trailing arbutus is here at last. Its fragrant presence is all the more welcome because of its tardiness.

Who sounded the fire alarm this morning? It was some time before any one could tell where the fire was.

The Market House, as the spring advances, is getting to be more attractive before breakfast on Wednesday and Saturday.

A West Chester hen laid three eggs in one day recently. Something wonderful is always being done up in that region.

Fishing is improving at Marcus Hook the past few days, and the shad are more numerous and larger than earlier in the season.

The *Advocate* still leads all other Chester papers in circulation. Between twenty-one and twenty-two hundred copies are printed weekly.

B. F. Baker has for sale a very valuable lot for building purposes opposite this office. It is one of the few now unimproved in the Middle Ward.

The passenger traffic on the Sarah K. Taggart is increasing. This is a Chester boat, owned by Chester men. Patronize it. It leaves for Philadelphia at 7.30 A. M.

It is over a year since the map agent borrowed our atlas "for a few minutes," and he hasn't yet returned it. We've forgotten his name. He takes a long time to study the geography of Delaware county.

Never leave your house unprotected when the circus comes. This may seem to many like locking the stable when the horse is stolen. Another circus is coming in a few weeks. This advice will do to be treasured up until then.

Our esteemed friend Adam C. Eckfeldt, Esq., left at this office this morning some of the most beautiful specimens of hyacinths we have seen for a long time, just to show what North Chester can do in the way of producing flowers.

The *Germantown Telegraph* says: "When our business engagements will admit of it, we shall pay a visit to the premises of the *Delaware County Republican*, to see the 'beautiful hedge' of hemlock spruce growing thereon!" What does it mean?

Have you been to the dog show? A friend of ours, who always attends these annual exhibitions of the canines, always comes home fully impressed with the belief that his dog would have taken the first prize if he had exhibited him. Pleasant regrets.

Mrs. Hammond, the milliner, at Seventh and Edgmont, states that she never had such a good opening as she had last Saturday, despite the disagreeable weather. She sold more hats and bonnets than on any previous occasion of the kind. She attributes her good fortune to her advertisement in the DAILY TIMES. Mrs. Hammond is a good milliner, and deserves all her success.

OLD SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES AROUND THE CAMP FIRE.—Post Wilde, No. 25, G. A. R., held a camp fire in their room last evening, and a big blaze it was, too. The members of the Post, their wives, children and friends, filled the Post room so full on this occasion that it was difficult to get any more people in the large and spacious apartment—third story of the Ward building. The attendance of ladies was large, and it would seem that the interest in their camp fires is on the increase, and we predict that ere long the present room will not accommodate all who will desire to attend. Probably the main feature of the evening was the presentation of silver spoons to some seven or eight fathers for their children that had been born to them within the last eighteen months. The meeting was called to order by Post Commander William Band, who presided, and the large number assembled were invited to sing "America," after which Rev. J. F. Crouch, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church, offered a fervent and earnest prayer. The Alpine Glee Club then sang a song entitled "All together," which was well received, and was followed by a speech from Major D. R. B. Nevin, of Ridley Park.

The Major said: I have no idea of making a speech, did not come with that intention, but in the absence of Dr. Crawford, who was appointed to fill this part of the bill, I will say something: Friends, I welcome you in the name of the Post Wilde. It is a good organization and one to which every old soldier ought to belong. I am glad to see so many pleasant countenances here to-night, and I trust you will be amused with the festivities. But we should remember in our festivities that the bones of thousands of our comrades lie on the field bleaching in the sun, and others in the grave. These occasions cannot but help call to our minds the many trying scenes of conflict through which we passed. I hope you will all enjoy this occasion and feel the better for being here.

The next thing on the programme was the presentation of a spoon to G. O. Yarnall of South Chester, who had a child born to him.

The speech was made by comrade Wm. B. Broomall, who said he had only been detailed a few minutes ago to perform a service which was new to him.

These camp fires, said he, are typical of the camp fires that were held during the war. They are on a smaller scale, but serve to remind one's memory of comrades that have passed away. In the army, things occurred, and we loved to sit around the camp fires and tell one another of them.

This particular feature we are now abont to bring into action did not exist in those camp fires in the army. It is the duty of every person, to the extent of his ability, to perpetuate the ranks of the Grand Army; and as a result of your exertions in that direction I present to you this spoon.

Mr. G. O. Yarnall received the spoon for his child, and said that he would have preferred this not to happen, but he could not prevent it.

This caused considerable laughter, and after order was restored Mr. Yarnall thanked the members of the Post and promised to give the spoon to his babe.

This spoon, like all others that have been presented, is solid silver, about the size of a dessert spoon, and on the handle is engraved the name of the child and of the donor, Post Wilde. These spoons are very nice mementoes for the members of what must some day become an extinct organization to hand down to their children.

Comrade Richard Leggett, the next fortunate—or unfortunate member, as Comrade Yarnall put it—was next called up, and Mr. Broomall was again asked to go through the ceremony.

He said, I am sorry the presentation of spoons does not go around. I am called upon to duplicate my speech in presenting to you for your child this spoon. These are what we might term expected occasions, but in the language of Josh Billings "twins are never expected." There seems to be a large number of candidates to-night, but I am not one of them.

Comrade Leggett received the spoon for his offspring, thanked the Post, and said he hoped at the next camp fire that Mr. Broomall would be the happy recipient of a spoon.

Rev. J. F. Crouch was then called upon to present the next spoon to comrade Willlam McClelland.

Mr. Crouch said he was glad that there is hope for the increase of the American army. It is fortunate there are so many sons who will grow up to protect our country. I believe the sons grow up in the way of the father. I do not know how I felt when I came in here and saw so many spoons lying on the table. My first thought was of General Butler. I hope, sir, that when your boy grows up you will teach him the meaning of the Grand Army of the Republic and the true spirit of American citizenship.

A spoon had been prepared for the little daughter of comrade James, but as he had moved away from the city he was absent, and Dr. S. Starr received the spoon in his stead, and promised to see that Mr. James received it. The doctor said it was not his spoon, and he would, therefore, be excused from making a speech.

This was followed by Major Nevin presenting one to Joseph F. Brewster for comrade James Morgan, in a neat speech, and Mr. Brewster received it with many thanks.

The Alpine Glee Club then sang the "Alphabet," which was applauded, and was followed by what proved to be as interesting part of the programme as any, namely, refreshments. Some time was consumed in eating cake and drinking lemonade, after which the company was again called to order, and "Marching Through Georgia" was sung with much spirit.

During the devouring of cake Rev. P. H. Mowry, Drs. Graham and Christ came in.

Rev. Mr. Mowry was then called upon to present a silver spoon to comrade J. Frank Bell.

Mr. Mowry said, Tthis is all new to me. You will have to pardon me until I get into the hang of it. A silver spoon is a very nice present and to you who are the father, I presume sir, I present this spoon, and hope you will carry it to your son.

I am reminded by this spoon of the progress of civilization. He explained how in older times the hands were used instead of spoons, and later the chop sticks. It will be an heirloom. It will go down to your children as a marked spoon. It will be held in remembrance of this pleasant meeting and a reminder of the great conflict of the past.

I can never forget the trials of that war, and now when I hear the tramp, tramp of soldiers' feet, it thrills me to the very heart. Last Sunday morning when I sat in my study and listened to the measured step of the old veterans coming up the church aisle, my eyes filled with tears as my mind went back to the scenes of conflict, and could not help thanking God for the manifold blessings he had bestowed on us.

These social privileges we owe to the boys in blue, and doubtless it brings their victorious march through Georgia to the minds of all here.

Mr. Bell received the spoon in behalf of his son in a neat little speech, in which he thanked the Post.

Dr. F. R. Graham was then selected to present a spoon to comrade John Brown.

The doctor said, I feel as though I were dished to-night. This is the first time I ever had the pleasure of visiting Post Wilde, and must say it is pleasant company. I have ofter heard of children being born with a silver spoon in their mouth, but I think it better to receive a spoon at the right time. I hope your boy will be able to ladle up good things with it, and your comrades would not object to his filling in with gold dollars.

Pervading every circle there is a deep sympathy felt for the boys in blue. I remember when the boys in blue left on truck cars at yonder street crossing to engage in the conflict, and how sorrowful the people felt to see them leave to lay their lives down for their country, but they were in good cheer. Many shed tears to see them leave for the field of battle and the place of carnage and then coming back maimed and scarred.

The doctor then told a story about meeting a large number of Methodist ministers, during the war, on their way to conference, on a railroad in the northwestern part of the country, and he eulogized the good work done by them for the soldiers. He continued at some length, and was attentively listened to. The recipient thanked the members of the Post.

The Alpine Glee Club favored the audience with a song, which was well received, and was followed by the presentation of a spoon to Comrade Lewis J. Smith by Rev. Mr. Mowry, who said: It is with very great pleasure that I present to you this spoon. Where are the mothers of all these children? They ought to be called out and show themselves. I am somewhat of a woman's rights man. The women had much to do with this—I mean with the formation of the Grand Army of the Republic. They were organized during the war, just as much as the boys at the front were, and performed good work. We shall never pay the debt of gratitude we owe the women for their faithful work in behalf of the boys in blue.

Comrade Smith received the spoon in behalf of his child, with many thanks.

Comrade Arthur Martin, on behalf of the lady friends of the Post, in a witty speech presented comrade Dransfield, a member of the spoon committee, with a large wooden spoon. This was the source of much laughter. Then Rev. Mr. Crouch on behalf of the ladies presented comrade Joseph F. Brewster, Chairman of the committee on spoons, with a very large wooden spoon, which caused hearty laughter.

Messrs. Brewster and Dransfield received the wooden ladles very good naturedly.

Comrade T. J. Bell would have been among the number to receive a silver spoon, but his little daughter died last summer, and in its place the members had secretly arranged to present comrade Bell with a beautiful gold pen and holder, which was very appropriate, he being adjutant or scribe of the Post. Captain W. A. Todd, who was present, was selected to present it to Mr. Bell.

Comrade Todd's speech was a good one. It was both sensible and humorous, and much enjoyed by those present.

Mr. Bell was taken by surprise and thanked the Post for its kindness.

Dr. Christ, a comrade who has been away from Chester for some time, was present, and being called upon made a few remarks.

"Tramp, Tramp, the Boys are Marching," was sung, after which comrade W. H. Martin, chairman of the Committee on Decoration, made a statement of the preparations that are being made for May 30.

Rev. Mr. Mowry dismissed the Camp Fire with the Benediction, and at half past ten o'clock all repaired to their homes, voting the affair a grand success.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—Many of the cadets have the spring fever.

Commencement is beginning to be talked about, and the first class are working hard on their orations.

The Grand Duke has taken his turn doing guard duty, notwithstanding his exalted title. He doesn't grumble, but performs it manfully.

Four cadets in the hospital yesterday afternoon. It was too bad, considering the beautiful weather outside.

The bass drum pounder, Cadet 4, has not yet returned. A long Easter.

Some of the cadets think the time and money spent on the circus was poorly applied, while others say it was really excellent. A mere difference of opinion.

The fourth class played a game of base ball yesterday afternoon. It was a first-class game, even if played by fourth class boys.

A POPULAR SONG.—The minstrel and concert troups are all singing Will L. Thompson's new song and chorus, "Golden Years are Passing By." There is now such a mania for this beautiful piece, that dealers can scarcely get them fast enough to supply the demand. Every lover of a pretty song will want this piece. Send 35 cents to the publishers, W. L. Thompson & Co., East Liverpool, Ohio.

"THE SECRET OF SUCCESS."—Mr. Clarence Larkin, of Marcus Hook, will lecture before the members of the Students' Union on Friday evening next on "The Secret of Success." There will doubtless be a large turn out of members and others on this occasion.

GRAVES OF DEAD HEROES, — The following is another supplementary list to those already published of the location of dead soldiers' graves in Delaware county, the company and regiment to which they belonged, and their age and date of death so far as could be learned by Post Wilde, which order has in charge the task of furnishing proper information to the Department at Washington, so as to secure headstones for them as provided by Act of Congress:

Chester Rural — John Wohnus, Co. O, 198th P.V., died April 29, 1875, aged 48 years; James B. Newill, Co. I, 9th P.V., died Nov. 8, 1872, aged 20 years; James L. Mills, Co. B, 203d P.V., died Sept. 29, 1865, aged 33 years; John Edgar Loughry, Co. F, Ind. Pa. Artillery, died 1864, aged 17 years; John H. Gibbons, Co. B, 5th P. Res., died Oct. 1865; Edward C. Murray, Co. G, 129th P.V., died Aug. 1877, aged 35 years; John Roebuck, Co. C, 1st P.V., died Jan. 3, 1870, aged 75; Joseph S. M. Houpt, Co. F, 1st P.V., died Nov. 6, 1873, aged 31; William Phillip, Co. K, 26th P.V., died 1866, aged 24 years; Phinehas P. Kelly, Co. E, 72d P.V., died Oct. 6th, 1865, aged 31; Jonas Boles, Co. I, 6th U. S. In., died May 20, 1872, aged 37; John O. Pike, Co. K, 198th P.V., died Feb.1872, aged 35; Benjamin H. Mason, Co. A, 197th P.V., died Aug. 20, 1873, aged 28.

St. Martin's, Marcus Hook— David Fryer, Co. A, 3d P. Cav., died Nov. 25, 1874, aged 41 years; Wm. S. Gutterson, Co. I, 97th P.V., died May 20, 1864, aged 24.

Mount Hope—Thomas Smith, Co. F, 1st P. Res.. died Sept. 12, 1867, aged 29 years; John McDaniel, Co. E, 1st P.V., died Oct. 2, 1876, aged 49; W. S. Howard, Co. F, 95th P.V., died April 3d, 1864, aged 28; John Ashworth, Co. B, 124th P.V., died Aug. 20, 1872.

Hinkson's Corner— George W. Loveland, 3d Pa. H. Artillery, died May 1st, 1874, aged 47 years; Wm. Farraday, U. S. N., under Admiral Farragut, died April 1866, aged 35; Thomas Vanzant, Co. C, 1st P.V., died May, 1864, aged 33.

St. Michael's, Chester — Anthony W. Quinn, Co. E, 72d P.V., died Nov. 29, 1878, aged 35.

Friends' Burying Ground, Concord—Capt. Edward Larkin, Co. C, 1st P.V., died Feb. 17, 1875, aged 39; Edward B. Fryer, 2d Del. V., died Jan. 17, 1865, aged 35.

Media—Jonathan S. Farra, Co. A, 97th P.V., died April 17, 1866; Oliver E. Farra, Co. I, 17th P. Cav., died June 30, 1863; Samuel C. Long, Co. I, 72d P.V., died Jan. 1, 1874, aged 42.

Baptist, Upland—Robert Newill, Co. A, 82d P.V., died May 14, 1865, aged 20.

Concordville—Alfred W. Hannum, Co. K, 214 P.V., died April 3, 1866.

K. of P., Frankford — Thomas J. Bolton, Co. A, 51st P.V., died Nov. 4, 1876, aged 36.

Mount Moriah—Chittick Verner, Surgeon U. S. N., died 1877, aged 69; Wm. L. Kitts, Co. B, 205th P.V., died Jan. 8, 1865.

Ivy Mills— James Gorman, Co. F, 1st P.V., died Sept. 17, 1863.

Fernwood — Morris O'Donnell, Co. I, 187th P.V., died March 17, 1876, aged 31.

Middletown— Robert M. Esbin, Co. F, 114th P.V., died Nov. 24, 1868, aged 26.

William Manning Rest, Co. K, 183d P.V., died April 14th, 1877, aged 37.

POLICE NEWS.—This was a busy morning in the Mayor's court, but the usual crowd of lookers-on were missing, owing probably, to the fire which was going on at the same time. The proceedings went on just as well without them.

John Welsh, of Delaware county, John Perry, John Quigley, Thomas Martin and Philip Griffin, of Philadelphia, the parties arrested on suspicion of being pick pockets, while here with the circus on Monday, were each held in $500 for their appearance at court to answer. In default of bail they were committed to prison, where they will remain, unless they procure $500 security, until next June term.

Samuel Sandom and wife, who keep a little shop in the last house of the brick row, at the foot of Market street, were arrested by officer John Keenan on a warrant, charging them with selling liquor without a license, and also for selling it on Sunday, and were arraigned before the Mayor. The parties plead not guilty, but William McKinney, of Upland, testified to having purchased liquor there, paid for it and drank it in the house on Sunday.

Sandom and wife were each held in $500 for their appearance at next term of Court to answer the charge.

John Gill and wife, who live at Second and Norris streets, South ward, arrested by officer Murray on a warrant charging them with selling liquor on Sunday, and selling without a license were given a hearing. "Not guilty" was their prompt reply to an interrogatory of he Mayor, and it would seem so from the story they told, but Thomas Houghton and Sarah Zimmer, neighbors to the prisoners, testified that they had heard that Gill sold liquor, in fact Gill had told Houghton he had sold the vile stuff, but he did not intend to do so any longer. Gill and his wife were held in $500 to answer the charge at Court.

Joseph Robinson, who keeps a candy, fruit, oyster and cigar store, on Third street, two doors from Fulton, was arrested by officer J. Wilson on a warrant, charging him with selling cigars on Sunday. He, too, plead not guilty, but two men, named Stringfellow and McCabe, said, on oath, that they had bought cigars and tonic beer in Robinson's place on Sunday. The Mayor fined him four dollars and costs.

Mary Gill, of the South ward, arrested by officer Murray, on a warrant charging her with using threatening language to Sarah Zimmers, her neighbor. Held in her own recognizance to keep the peace.

Jeremiah Dorsey, a former constable of North Chester borough, got drunk yesterday and became disorderly on the streets, when he was locked up by officer Ireland. After a hearing this morning he was fined costs and discharged.

P. M. A. COMMENCEMENT.—Hon. Geo. W. McCrary, Secretary of War, is to deliver the annual address this year, at the Academy. The cadets will be reviewed commencement Day by Senator Burnside.

THE FIRE.—This morning, a few minutes before 10 o'clock, an alarm of fire was rung out from the City Hall bell, and it was so irregularly sounded that nobody knew where the fire was, and it brought everybody to the street. The bell rang for some time in this random way, but finally—after sounding an alarm for each ward in the city—it settled down to the Middle ward, and it was soon learned the blaze was in one of the old frame houses on the triangular lot between Upland street, Morton avenue, Fifth street, and the P., W. & B. R. R. An immense crowd rushed to the scene and in a short time the fire apparatus was on the ground. The fire originated on the roof of a double frame house, two stories high, on the point next to Morton avenue, occupied by Robert White and John Robinson, two colored men, and was owned by the C. P. Morton estate. The cause of the conflagration was said to be a spark from a passing locomotive, as the eastern corner of the house was said to be on fire first. There was no fire in the house at the time, and the chimney runs up through the middle of the building. The fire had gained considerable headway before the engines got to work but they soon subdued it after a stream was put on. The roof was burned off, a portion of the gable ends, and the ceiling of the second story. The building was worth between six and eight hundred dollars. It is probable that the damage will not be repaired. The occupants saved all their effects. There was no insurance on the place.

The Hanley engine was located across the railroad from the fire, and two trains of cars were delayed some time because of it.

As soon as the fire at the above place was extinguished, a blaze was seen issuing from under the eaves of a frame house on the corner of Sixth and Upland streets, occupied by a colored family. The Hanley engine was located just across the street, and Assistant Engineer Bower directed the stream to be thrown upon it, which was done, and the fire was put out without any material loss. The latter was nearly half a square from the former fire.

"LIFE IN GEOLOGICAL AGES."—The lecture given on the above subject, in Holly Tree Hall last evening, by Mr. John Ford, of Philadelphia, formerly of this city, was not largely attended, there being not more than a hundred persons present. The lecture was a good one, well handled and tersely written. We will give a synopsis of the discourse in to-morrow's issue.

Additional Locals on Fourth Page.

MILDNESS conquers—and hence it is that the gentle yet positive influence of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup overcomes so quickly the disorders of babyhood.

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COULOMB.—On the 21st inst., of scarlet fever, Bessie, daughter of Henry R. and Annie C. Coulomb, in the 6th year of her age.

Funeral this (Wednesday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from her parents' residence, 731 South Tenth street, Philadelphia. §§

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BAPTIST ENTERTAINMENT.—The entertainment in the North Chester Baptist church, last evening, was a decided success. The chapel was filled to the extent of its seating capacity with an attentive and appreciative audience. The committee had prepared a good programme, which was carried through to the satisfaction of all, the performers doing themselves great credit. The recitation Little Nell, by Miss Sallie Gilton, and the Burial of Moses, by Miss Laura Trainor, were rendered clearly and distinctly. The solo Teddy the Bootblack, was well acted by Charlie Pepper, and John Long personated Brother Watkins. Three little girls, Misses Evans and Taintor, beautifully sang the duett Natalie. The readings of Mr. Fetter and Miss McHenry were fully up to the standard, and won much applause. The Choruses, by members of the Sunday school, and the songs by the Glee Club of the Seminary, were highly enjoyed. It is not always wise to make comparisons, but we cannot refrain from expressing our judgment that the song Days that are no More, by Messrs. Street, Lowry and Fielding, surpassed in its melody and rendition, all the other parts of the programme, though the song When Shall We Three Meet Again? by the same gentlemen, was but little below it. The closing piece, Huntsman's Chorus, was highly commended.

The entertainment was for the benefit of the Sunday school library, and we judge that soon a large number of new books will fill the shelves, and be eagerly sought after and read by the scholars.

CHESTER BUILDING ASSOCIATION.—The loans were sold at the above association last night: $1000 at 14¼ per cent., $800 at 14¾ per cent., $400 at 9 per cent. The Chester is an excellent association. It is well managed—has a very careful and painstaking secretary in Mr. George M. Booth, and its president, Mr. B. F. Baker, is at the top of building association officers. Mr. Edmund Jones is the solicitor. He is so well known among our citizens that nothing need be said of his many excellent qualifications. This association will issue a new series early in May.

THE FIRST OFFENSE.—The first case of violating the Sunday law since Mayor Forwood issued his proclamation on that subject was tried and punished this morning. This was the first one brought to the Mayor's notice, and he was prompt in having it arrested. Let it be a warning to all others, for the Mayor says he is bound to enforce the law, and that he will permit nothing but food, milk and the like to be sold on Sunday.

A GOOD STRING. — Calvin Beatty, John Parsons and Edward Rose, last night, in Simpson's canal, a branch of Ridley creek, caught 120 pounds of cat fish in twenty-five minutes. They were taken with a net. If these young men were to go a fishing every day, they would soon bring down the price of the catties. It took several hours to clean them, and the occupation wasn't near as pleasant as hauling them out of the water.

CONCERT.—A concert will be given at Holly Tree Hall, on Friday evening, May 2, by the Nassau Quartet of Princeton College, assisted by the best talent of the city of Chester. We bespeak for our visitors, and for our native amateurs, in whom we feel a just pride, an overflowing house.

THE NEW BUILDING ASSOCIATION.—Mr. Donaldson's new association is booming. Hardly a day passes without new shares being subscribed. It bids fair to be one of the strongest in the Chester. A few more shares left for those who want them. Apply early.

A LAUNCH.—It is proposed to launch the new side wheel steamer, being built at Roach's yard for the Amazon river trade, tomorrow afternoon, about half-past three o'clock. This is quite a small vessel.

A LARGE SHAD. — A fisherman named Downs caught the largest shad of the season at Marcus Hook, yesterday. It weighed 8 pounds.

LODGERS.—Last night there were 19 lodgers in the station house.

—A correspondent of the *Pall Mall Gazette* says that he remembers a story related by a friend of his who was traveling accidentally with one of the numerous Lilliputian Serene Highnesses with whom Germany is blessed: "It appears that on their arrival at some hotel on the Rhine they had to write their names in the visitors' book; and, to his astonishment, my friend saw his Serene companion put down, not his own, but my friend's name, condescendingly whispering; 'I suppose you won't mind—the truth is, I wish to travel incognito.' 'Not at all,' replied my friend; 'it is just what I mean doing myself;' and taking the pen, he wrote in the book, 'His Serene Highness the Prince of XXX,' the other's name, observing, with a smile, 'Now we are both incog.'"

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(*Continued from first page.*)

Scotch so much broader than Jean was used to, that she could hardly follow it. So she looked out of the window instead of talking, and there was plenty there to keep both eyes and mind happily busy. The trees, the buildings, the silver links and windings of the Firth, the pearl-gray, shimmering atmosphere which enveloped all—it was unlike anything she had ever seen, and gave her a pleasure which she had never seen, and gave her a pleasure which she had not expected to feel.

Grandmother's house, or flat, was in an old-fashioned street. It was rather barely furnished to American eyes, but very clean and orderly, and there was nothing bare in the greeting given by the sweet-faced old Scotch woman to her long unseen child and that child's child. Jean was amused to hear her mother spoken to as if she were still almost a baby, while to herself granny accorded a certain respect and distance as to a stranger and a woman grown. Her size and age seemed an entire surprise to her Scotch relations, who had apparently never realized a growth of which they had only heard in letters.

"She's a big, hearty lass, indeed, she's a very good lass!" granny kept on saying, "She's as large for a maiden as Sandy is for a lad. Aweel, I can't understand it, Maggie. Ye were always the last of my weans, always the wee one of the flock, and it's muckle strange that your lass should be bigger than any of her cousins, and your sisters all bigger than yoursel'. I'm clear puzzled about it."

But puzzlement was lost in pleasure when she understood that the whole journey was the gift of Jean, the earnings of a year's hard work. She took the girl into her arms, held her tight, and kissed her heartily.

"She who goes a mithering shall find violets in the lanes," she said, quoting the pretty old English proverb. Ye'll find it so, my dear lassie. You'll be the richer all your life for giving your mither and me the chance of meeting again once more this side of the grave, trust me, Jean, ye will."

"I'm richer already, Granny," whispered Jean, warmed through and through by the words and the embrace. There was no stiffness between her and grandmother after that. So granny's love was the first thing bought with Jean's money.

"Sandy" was Uncle Andrew's son. His mother had long been dead, and he and his father lived with granny in her flat. He was a manly young fellow, steady and cheery both, and doing well as clerk in one of the large Greenock shipping houses, with good chances of promotion. The advent of a cousin from America was an event in his life. He liked Jean at once, and Jean him, so they grew friends speedily.

Under his guidance, Jean's "violet" gathering went on prosperously. There were many interesting things to see and do in the neighborhood of Greenock, and of Glasgow, to which place they ran down more than once in a cheap train. There were rows on the Firth, and walks into the lovely hill country, and visits to the different aunts and cousins, all of whom wanted to see Mrs. Thompson and make acquaintance with Jean, and once they went as far as Edinburgh with third-class return tickets, and Jean saw the wonders of Holyrood, the Castle and Arthur's Seat. It seemed to put new color and life into history and all the past, this glimpse of the places where great things have happened. Jean's interest in books waked up, and as Sandy owned a share in the People's Library, she was able to get at various histories and fictions, which read on the spot, had a value and meaning, which they could not have had elsewhere. Her mind broadened, she took in more of the width and grasp of life, and this mental growth and stimulus was another thing—and a very good one—bought with Jean's money.

So the short two months sped swiftly away, and the time came to go back. It was a hard parting, as partings must be, where seas roll between and old age makes fresh meetings improbable. But with all its hardness, all of them felt that it had been blessed to meet. Sandy was even more cast down than granny, but he consoled himself by a long, whispered talk with Jean the last evening, in which he promised to come out to America in two years, from then; and Jean, I am inclined to think, half promised to go back again to Scotland with him. But this is neither here nor there in our story, and as we all know, it is not polite to listen when people whisper. So the travelers sailed again over the wide Atlantic, the journey not seeming half so long or so hard, now that their faces were set the other way; and in a few days after the home-coming, all they had seen and done began to recede into dream-like distance, and they found it almost impossible to realize that they had gone so far and achieved so much.

"I told you you would enjoy it," remarked Maria Parsons. "People always enjoy being able to say 'I told you so.'"

"And is your money really all gone?" said little Elsie, "every bit of it gone! And you haven't got one single thing of your own to keep out of it, Jean. What a pity!"

"Ah, but I have," replied Jean. But she made no answer to the further "What?"

"Elsie is sorry that I have spent all my money," she told her father that night. "She does not think I got much for it. But it seems to me no one else ever got so much as I have. I never thought I should learn to like traveling, father, but I did; I enjoyed it ever so much. Then I know granny now, and Uncle Andrew, and I have seen ever so much of Scotland, and mother is so much stronger, and we have so many nice things to remember and think about—that is a great, great deal to get with a hundred and twenty dollors, don't you think so, father? And besides—"

But here Jean stopped and blushed. I think that blush meant—Sandy.

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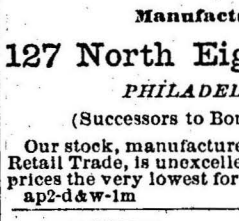
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OFFICE HOURS.—MISS A. M. MILLER, the Secretary of the Citizens' Building Association, will be at her office in Market Square, every Thur day, from 10 to 12 o'clock A. M., and all day during the fourth Saturday of each month, to transact any business of the Association. By order of the
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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 03	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street.	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6 45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.13, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

HENRY WOOD, General Superintendent.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m, 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER, 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 11.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞ For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

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H. F. KENNEY, Supt.

NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

On and after Nov 25th, 1878, trains leave Depot, Third and Berks streets, Philadelphia.

MAIN LINE.

7.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m., Express for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk.

8.15 a. m. and 8 p. m., Fast Line for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Auburn, Ithaca, Geneva, Rochester, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and the West. Sleeping Cars through to Niagara Falls. 8 p. m. runs daily.

9.45 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3.30 p. m., for Bethlehem, Norristown, Allentown, Easton, Schooley's Mountain and points on Morris and Essex Railroad.

7.25, 9.00 a. m., 3.45, 5.45 p. m. for Hartsville and points on N. E. P. R. R.

6.45, 9.30, 11.32 a. m., 1.45, 3.30, 5.30 p. m., 12.00 midnight for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne, Yardley, Trenton, Pennington and Hopewell.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5.40 p. m. for Norristown.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5 p. m., for Doylestown.

11 a. m. and 11 p. m. for Fort Washington.

5.30, 7, 7.25, 9, 11 a. m., 1.30, 3, 3.30, 3.45, 5, 5.45, 8.05, 9.30 and 11 p. m. for Abington.

6.30 p. m. accommodation for Lansdale.

12 midnight, for Jenkintown.

ON SUNDAYS.

9 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. for Hatboro and Hartsville.

9.30 a. m., and 8.00 p. m., for Bethlehem and Allentown.

9.30 a. m. and 2.00 p. m., for Doylestown.

9.00 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne Yardley and Trenton.

11 a. m. for Abington.

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MAIN LINE.

Fast Line, daily,.....11.45 A. M.
Pittsburg Express, except Sunday, 6.30 P. M
Cincinnati Express, daily,..... 9.10 P. M.
Pacific Express, daily,.....11.55 P. M.
Niagara Exp , daily, except Sunday 7.20 A. M.
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LATEST NEWS.

In the U. S. Senate yesterday, Mr. Wallace's appointment resolution was considered. The Army bill was discussed by Mr. Blaine and others, pending which the Senate adjourned.

In the House, a resolution was passed allowing the Committee on Labor to sit during the recess, and appropriating $3000 for its expenses. A resolution offered by Mr. Wood, of New York, was agreed to, requesting the President to consider the expediency of negotiating for a reciprocal treaty of commerce with France. Mr. Cox, of New York, introduced several bills, among them one to regulate commerce with Canada, and another to terminate the naturalization treaty with Prussia, which were referred.

President White delivered his farewell address to the students of Cornell University yesterday morning. He made no allusion to public matters or the duties connected with his mission. It is understood that Mr. White will go to Washington this week and sail for Europe early next month.

The Republican Congressional Campaign Committee met in Washington last night, and elected an Executive Committee of nine members, with Representative Hubbell, of Michigan, as Chairman. The Secretary is yet to be chosen. It is believed that the work of the next political campaign will be commenced at once.

The Secretary of the Treasury yesterday issued a call for the balance of the Five per Cents. of 1858, all registered bonds.

About 1200 coal miners are on a strike at Terre Haute, Indiana.

A Detroit telegram says work on the Vanderbilt tunnel at the Grosse Isle crossing of the Canada Southern Railroad was begun on Tuesday.

Edwin Booth, while performing in the last act of Richard II, at McVicker's Theatre, in Chicago, last night, was twice fired at by a man in the left upper gallery. When the second shot was fired, Mr. Booth started to the left wing of the stage, pointing out the assassin as he went. The man was seized, and but for the interference of the officers would have been roughly treated. He gave his name as Mark Gray, 23 years of age, said he was a dry goods clerk of St. Louis, had been three years preparing for the deed, and only regretted his failure to kill Booth.

The Catholic University of Notre Dame, near South Bend, Ind., was destroyed by fire yesterday. The college building, infirmary, Old Men's Home, Music Hall, and Minim's Mall, were all destroyed, and the loss is estimated at $200,000. No lives were lost, but a student named Dougherty was seriously injured by jumping from a window. A circulating library of 25,000 volumes, and all the instruments in Music Hall, including seventeen pianos, were burned. The University was founded by Rev. Father Sorin, of the Brotherhood of the Sacred Heart. Several fine presents were made to the college by the late Emperor Napoleon, among them a chime of bells. The Mount Carbon Rolling Mill, two miles south of Pottsville, was burned last evening. It cost, with the machinery, $250,000, but had been idle for two years. The fire was communicated by sparks from a passing locomotive.

Yesterday morning, about ten o'clock, the "night shift" men in No. 10 colliery of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company, at Sugar Notch, were warned by cracking and breaking noises that the mine or part of it was about to cave in. They immediately sent a boy, named John Clark, to the face of the east gangway, where six men were at work, to notify them of what was happening between their gangway and the opening. These men, however, with the messenger, were cut off by the caving in of the mine, all the others escaping. The names of the imprisoned men are Edward Price, Charles Hawkins, James Greene, Patrick Greene, Barney Riley, William Kinneo and the boy, John Clark. They were buried in the safest part of the mine, and two hundred men were at once set digging for their release, it being calculated that it would be necessary to dig to a depth of only 20 feet. Nothing further has been reported concerning the disaster.

W. M. Mansfield, formerly publisher of the *Gospel Banner*, of Augusta Me., committed suicide in San Francisco yesterday. He was sick and in want of money.

A remarkable counterfeit twenty dollar greenback was detected recently at the Sub-Treasury in New Orleans. It is entirely executed—figures, corners, heads, seal, fine scroll work, even the fibres of the paper—with pen and ink, and is almost perfect. The signatures of Register Allen and Treasurer New are also excellently counterfeited. The note is calculated to deceive even those accustomed to handling such bills.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, April 23.—The *Times* says there can be little doubt that the telegrams from St. Vincent to Messrs. Donald, Currie and Co., yesterday, announcing that Col. Wood's column had been attacked near Luneberg, by a large force of Zulus, who were repulsed, refers to affairs already known.

The *Times* scouts the rumor relative to the intention of the Boers to seize Sir Bartle Frere.

Telegrams announce that Lord Chelmsford will form a redoubt at Gingelova, which will fulfill the same purpose as that at Okowe would have done during the forthcoming advance.

The *Daily News* says: "A circular has been addressed to the various organizations of miners throughout the country, asking them to send representatives to a Congress in Yorkshire, in May, to decide upon the advisability of stopping all mining for four or five weeks, so as to lessen the output."

SPORTING MATTERS.

LONDON, April 23.—Only two horses—Parole and Castlereagh—ran in the race for the Great Metropolitan Stakes, at Epsom, to-day. Parole won the race.

LONDON, April 23, 11.30 p.m.—The score stands: Brown, 306½; Hazael, 295; Corkey, 287½; Weston, 266¼. This is the third day, and is regarded as the crucial test of the staying powers of the men. The accomplishment of 300 miles within three days is unprecedented. There is great interest in the struggle between Brown and Hazael. The latter has reduced Brown's lead by three miles since five o'clock. It is generally thought he will try to keep within a few miles of Brown and wipe off arrears by running on the last day, but his staunchness is doubted, as he forfeited the lead on Tuesday by a prolonged rest, taken despite the remonstrances of his trainer. Weston is walking gamely, but appears to be suffering internally.

Russia.

BERLIN, April 23.—Letters received here from Cracow announce that the Moderate Liberal party in Poland, apparently induced by Solovieff's attempt, now adopt a more conciliatory policy toward the Czar. An influential deputation is about to proceed to St. Petersburg to congratulate him on his escape.

LONDON, April 23.—The Berlin correspondent of the *Standard* says: "Lieut. Dubrovin has been arrested near Novgorod. He is suspected to be one of the chief members of the Revolutionary Committee. The assassination of another spy, who betrayed the whereabouts of a secret printing office at Toprovo, is reported. The Czar who until lately drove out unattended, now has his carriage surrounded by Cossacks."

ST. PETERSBURG, April 23.—Count Schouvaloff has started for Vienna, on his way back to London.

MOSCOW, April 23.—The flood in the river Moskva, in the Government of Moscow, which caused a suspension of railway traffic, has commenced to subside.

LONDON, April 23.—German newspapers have a report that the Tartars of Orsk fearing forcible baptism have burned the town and murdered the officials.

Two thousand persons have been arrested at St. Petersburg within the last few days. Persons suspected of complicity in the murder of Governor Krapotkini and the attempt on General Dreateim have been arrested in Warsaw and Plevsk, respectively.

The well-known novelist, Turguenieff, has been expelled from Russia.

Trousers Pockets.

One of the numerous and cruel devices conceived by women consists in sewing up the trousers pockets of boys who have a trick of putting their hands into them. Such a proceeding is doubly pleasing to women. First, it gratifies their instinctive love of inflicting petty punishment; and secondly it affords them the indescribable pleasure of depriving the opposite sex of a privilege and comfort exclusively its own. Trousers pockets may not constitute the most romantic part of what Americans call garmenture, but they not the less form a highly characteristic feature of the male costume of the period; and if poets have not yet immortalized them in verse, it is not from having failed to make much personal use of them.

In every nation, and in every stage of social progress some special attitude of semi-repose is adopted, which may perhaps best be described as a non-official "standing at ease." Thus the Neapolitan leans against a wall, the Spaniard folds his arms, the Eastern sits cross-legged, and the African squats. In the United States the fingers seems to derive rest and refreshment from whittling bits of sticks, and the old Quakers found repose in twirling their thumbs. The Cavalier rested his hand upon the hilt of his sword, and thrust his right hand into his doublet, and in the days of the Regency one hand found repose beneath the coat tails and the other recreation with an eye glass. The favorite position of the first Napoleon was with one hand within his waistcoat and the other behind his back, and less distinguished personages seem to find consolation in twirling their moustaches, biting their nails, or even scratching their faces. It will thus be perceived that, while some attitudes of temporary indolence are graceful, others are very much the reverse. It must, however, be remembered that the inspired Watts assures that the angel under whose patronage idle hands are placed is a fallen one. To enlarge upon the varieties of "mischief still" which she finds for them to do might not be easy, but it is less difficult to point out the places which he finds for them to put themselves in.

Sufficient Justification.

The almost universal practice among dairymen, of coloring all winter-made butter intended for market, sufficiently justifies the farmer in using the *best* color he can get. The Perfected Butter Color of Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt., is the purest and best; at the World's Dairy Fair it received the International Diploma. Druggists keep it.

—While it was thundering little May looked up and said: "I weckon Dodd is pounding on the floor to make the people behave."

Girls Who Grow Up to be Men.

When a young girl takes the affairs of this world into her own hands, as most young girls will do, and sets out on an eventful career on her own hook, there is hardly ever any nonsense about it. She generally gets her ideas from a novel, or a whole lot of novels, which are forever around in the way of young girls, and organizes herself by the adoption of a resolution that she is no ordinary kind of human being. An accompanying resolution usually is that she ought to have been a man, and she begins to make up her mind that if she were a man she'd show them how things ought to be done; that men as they run are outrageously poor sticks, and that if there were one thoroughly determined man in this world—and no young girl ever believed there was such—the earth would not be allowed to revolve another day in the same old humdrum way it has revolved for thousands of years, but it would be turned the other end up without any special preliminaries. You have seen that girl a great many times; she has been more or less in about every community on the face of the globe. She was in a little town in Kentucky the other day, and at the time had more than ordinary resolution, which, when coupled with the ambition to be a man, invariably leads to something desperate. It is too bad that we cannot offer the public anything romantic in the way of a name for this Kentucky young girl, but romance must be sacrificed for truth in all cases of fair dealing, and the truth is this young girl's name is Susan Johnson. The story about her is also true. She had read novels for want of something else to occupy her attention, as most young girls do, and the kind of literature she encountered was ably calculated to fire the feminine heart with the idea that everything is going wrong all over the world, and simply for one resolute character to grasp the universe by the coat collar and shake it into proper shape and behavior. It occurred to the Kentucky young girl that it was her duty to do this simple act of heroism for the benefit of human kind. It was right in the line of her ambition when she came to think about it. The only obstacle in the way, that she was not a man, was overcome by a timely display of true genius and a suit of masculine apparel, which, however, contrary to the law, doth oft become a girl.

Having got the clothes, Susan Johnson added to the accessories of heroism two pistols, and a dagger. She laid aside her hair-pins and pearl-powder and store frizzes and an assorted stock of pink bows, and then went out to search for some part of the universe that she could get a good grip on. Singularly ignorant of common school geography, as most novel readers of her kind are apt to be, she started for an Indian town which has never had the reputation of being the centre of anything in particular. She went on an Ohio river boat, with two pistols and her dagger, fully intending to be a terror and make every young girl feel more than ever sorry that she hadn't been born a man. This piratical and heroic kind of career met with no obstacle for a day or two, and the young girl was beginning to feel that it was a ridiculously simple thing to be a man after all. She was on a particular afternoon revolving some plans for disposing of the world after she had conquered it and watching the deck hands tumble some freight about. It didn't for a moment occur to her that there was a rat anywhere in the neighborhood, but there was, and when the roustabouts disturbed it, with all the recklessness of its kind it ran by direct line toward the young girl in boy's clothes and two pistols and a dagger. It was not a moment for hesitation or heroism. A woman never does but one thing when she sees a rat: she jumps up on something and screams. That is exactly what Susan Johnson did, and when they took her off the bale of tobacco and carried her to the ladies' cabin she gave up her two pistols and dagger and boy's clothes and concluded to release the world from any further menace at her hands. She has gone back home now and got out her ribbons and frizzes and has settled down to tatting work again. She can read novels with perfect safety now; she knows more about life than half the people who write novels, because she has seen a rat. Her advice to little girls is not to grow up to be men.—*Phila. Times.*

Bourbonism in France.

It was said of the Bourbons that they never learned or forgot anything. They are like chronic sufferers from kidney or liver distress who will not by experience learn that Kidney-Wort will cure them. It is the best remedy known for piles.

—"Have you given electricity a trial for your complaint, madam?" asked the minister, as he took tea with the old lady. "Electricity!" said she, "well, yes, I reckon I has. I was struck by lightning last summer and hove out of the window; but it didn't seem to do me no sort of good."

—The uncle of a Welsh minister being sorely offended, declared that he should never forgive the offender. The minister asked him if he knew what the Bible said. "No," said he; "what does it say?" "Anger resteth in the bosom of fools.'" "Well, Thomas," said he, "go instantly and tell the man that I forgive him all. I will not be a fool to please him or anybody else."

—The tongue will sometimes make the most awkward slips. It is told of a clergyman in one of the towns near Boston that he had given him to read from the pulpit an announcement that "the Bellingham praying band" would conduct the evening meeting, but by some strange perversity of the unruly member, the congregation were astounded with the announcement that there would be a service by the "Prayingham belly band!"

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JOHN SPENCER, *Proprietor.*

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THE time for planting trees has come and almost gone. Have you improved it, reader? A tree about your premises, if there is none, would be a great gain. If there is a tree, then one more could probably find a place profitably. But you are a tenant, and don't intend to improve another man's property? That is a poor excuse, so poor indeed that it is worse than none. If every tenant would feel just as you don't, and plant trees and shrubbery and fruits, in a little while they would all be profited. A refusal to do a good thing for fear of benefiting somebody is—you may say for yourself what.

THE next Presidential contest has already begun. Indeed, it began as soon as Mr. Hayes was inaugurated. As time progresses it will increase in intensity and violence. This is all for the advantage of politicians. The loaves and fishes of office are staked upon the result. We, the people, receive no benefit, and are indeed seriously harmed by this strife. And yet we mix up in it, and allow ourselves to be used as cat's paws in in the most unsophisticated way imaginable. Suppose that we all try to keep cool, and instead of allowing the office seekers to use us let us instruct them that we are the sovereigns.

THE Canadian government has proposed to aid a steamship line from Halifax to Brazil. Our government has refused to aid a steamship line from New York to Brazil. And yet there is a hundred fold more demand for our line than for the Canadian. Comment is hardly necessary. The supreme folly which prompted this refusal, it is to be supposed, is proof against any influence other than its own prejudices. The to-morrow is sure to come, when those who are responsible for such refusal will stoutly deny their evil work. Unfortunately, this will not recompense the country for what it has suffered at their hands.

THE Chicago *Tribune* is one of the leading newspapers in the Mississippi valley. Its editor, in repeated and most emphatic statements, claims that a physician of Chicago has discovered a positive and certain remedy for habitual drunkenness. It is the red Peruvian bark. Both the editor and the doctor assert that astonishing results follow the proper administration of this drug. And, indeed, they seem to think that it can scarcely fail to eradicate the thirst for liquor, however insatiable it has been. If half their statements are literally correct, the temperance reform is destined to make marvellous progress from this time onward.

DID you say that it could not be cured? That for months, nay for years, perhaps, you had been trying to cure it and vainly. Then, as the next best thing, patiently endure. Your case is not the only incurable one in this suffering world. You know your own sorrow, but you do not know that of your next door neighbor. His trial is as likely as not, like yours, one that can't be cured. He is trying, as best he can, to suffer and be strong. Help him by your example. There is something in every life that the owner of that life would have cured if he could. There is no good sense in keeping up a constant lament, nor any more in thinking that yon are the only victim of misfortune. The only difference between you and others is that you weep and wail less and they more, or perhaps they more and you less.

THERE is not much good to be taught by a circus. But the late show, whose wonders are still the gossip of the crowd, gave one lesson which might be wisely incorporated into every life. It is the advantage of system. It seems almost incredible that so complex a concern as that whose tents were last Monday stretched over by Concord avenue should move with so much apparent ease. Nor would it be possible without the most careful attention to every detail. Were these details neglected, everything would soon be in an inextricable tangle. What is true in the show business is as much true in all other business. Those who would have their affairs move smoothly and successfully must systematize. And in that system, as a prominent feature, losses and crosses must have a place. There are plenty of people whose system works admirably in prosperity, but who have made no account of possible adversity.

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TIME TABLE.

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Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 24, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The snow is knee-deep on the mountains.

The clatter of the lawn mowers can now be heard.

The ties of affection are stronger than the ties of blood.

The beautiful weather has had a revivifying effect on general business.

The Rose Tree Fox Hunting Club will have their first race on May 17th.

A milkmaid, who deals out the fluid from a wagon, is one of Chester's latest.

The willow has been known to be in full leaf as early as the last week in March.

It only costs four dollars to bring a large safe from Milwaukee, by rail, to Chester.

The *Evening Gazette*, of Germantown, is the name of a new daily paper. It has a clean, bright look.

This is potato planting week, and the farmers are hard at work getting in the tubers for an early crop.

Wm. Quinn's martin boxes, at Leiperville, are full of chattering, merry tenants. Mr. Quinn is very proud of these guests.

The river is very attractive now to the patient angler. If the day is warm he will sit on the logs all day with only an occasional bite.

The Punch and Judy tea party of Miss Laura Hard's Bible class should not be forgotten. The little folks will remember it for a long time.

Go and see the Punch and Judy show on the lot at Seventh and Edgmont avenue. A good deal of innocent fun can be had at a very low price.

This is yearly meeting week. A week later than usual, and if the Friends hadn't made the change what a drenching time they would have had.

The martins came in force yesterday. A few pioneers have been here for a week or so, arranging matters for the grand army, which arrived yesterday.

The other day the air brake of one of the trains were out of order, and it was funny to see the train slip by an eighth of a mile or so, before it would stop.

The annual meeting of the Enterprise Building Association will be held next Saturday evening. The "sands of life" of this association are nearly run out.

Media is beating Chester in the matter of new buildings. Chester will have to wake up, or else our little aristocratic neighbor will beat her in the race for progress.

Mr. Daniel Lees, of Leiperville, is plowing up the field on the north side of the turnpike at Crum Creek. It hasn't been turned over before within the memory of man.

Mr. H. B. Black, Fourth street, near Madison, has a bed of beautiful hyacinths on the western side of his residence, which stand out in bold contrast amid the emerald greenness of his large lawn.

Building is brisk in Media. Ten houses in course of erection. Mr. Flounders is building eight, Mr. Henderson one and Mr. Worrall one. Mr. Charles F. Hall, of the Chester Dock Sash Works, is doing the mill work.

Delaware County carried off four prizes at Philadelphia dog show. If that friend of , who is always talking about it but er does it, had entered his, it would have de five. A very respectable share of the oils.

The old Ward barn, which was the storehouse for one of the large farms from which Ridley Park was made, is being torn down. It had served its original purpose well, but it had become an eyesore to its elegant surroundings.

Nothing makes the Building Inspector so happy as the granting of a permit for a big building. One that involves thousands of dollars in its construction, and furnishes employment for hundreds of men for the whole summer.

The ticket scalpers, who were arrested at the circus on Monday under the suspicion of being pickpockets, and were released on Tuesday night, have turned the scales and intend suing the city or the circus people for false improvement.

"LIFE IN GEOLOGICAL AGES."—The following is a synopsis of the lecture on "Life in Geological Ages," delivered by Mr. John Ford, of Philadelphia, under the auspices of the Artisan Club, of this city, in Holly Tree Hall, on Tuesday evening:

I need hardly say that only the most salient points of my subject can be dwelt on in one evening. After referring to the formation of the earth from the Bible stand point, the lecturer said, in the lowest stratum of the silurian deposits, that earliest of sea formation, her first-born lived, and died, and was buried, while miles on miles of strata pressing upon it, are still teeming with the remains of her successive generations. Thousands of centuries had passed while "the earth was without form," and during these years vast changes were taking place. From a probable gaseous sphere spreading into space far beyond its present limit, it was being reduced to a more solid form. Its fiery surface was cooling, an atmosphere was forming about it, and the rising vapors condensing and returning in abundant and continuous showers.

At length a crust was formed on the surface, and convulsions followed which produced mountains. By chemical action particles of the rocks upheaved by volcanoes were broken and precipitated into the seas, and out of this thin layer of primeval soil the first life form lifted its head. From this time such conditions as were favorable to life increased rapidly, and we find the frail zoophyte, the first to push itself above the briny ooze, followed by numberless radiates, mollusks and crustaceans. A few fishes also appeared, the first representatives of the vertebrates. They were of the lowest order of vertebrates, and their skeletons were composed of cartilage similar to the modern sturgeon. Polyp-coral were among the most abundant of the radiates, and they must have been very numerous, as they were the chief builders of the limestone rock.

After the period of the trilobites Mr. Ford said thirty thousand feet of sediment torn from rocks and coral reefs had been laid beneath the waters, which was a fitting sepulchre for its unnumbered millions of dead forms.

Then physical changes took place and the almost boundless ocean was divided by volcanic action into several smaller, but deep seas, and thus a new epoch was born, that known as the Devonian or old red sand stone. In this period the fishes in countless numbers appeared, and at its close the batrachians, a sort of a frog-like reptile. Two orders of fish, the placoid and the ganoid so named from the form of their scales, existed at this time. The latter is one of the most abundant fossils of the period, and as characteristic of the old red sandstone as the trilobite is of the silurian rocks.

The carboniferous system, composed of alternations of marine and fresh water deposits, and next above the Devonian period, was treated now. This system is largely developed in the United States and Europe. Mountain limestone, the lower portion of the system, is the great repository of iron, copper, zinc and other minerals useful to man.

Plants and animals were both common to the system, the remains of the former being chiefly confined to the upper or coral formation, and those of the latter to mountain limestone. Many of the plants were flowerless and small, such as the sea-weed and mosses, though large cone-bearing trees were abundant, and form the greatest per centage of the coal.

The mollosks continued to increase during this age, both in species and numbers, as many of them were curious and gigantic in form.

The lecturer then referred to the ammonites a genius of cephalapods, that were wheel shape, and often as large as the driving wheels of a locomotive, insects, spiders and centipedes, which were common. These insects inhabited the low ground principally, and as a consolation to housekeepers he said the inevitable cockroach was there also.

He then referred to the prints made in rocks by different amphibious animals, and said the coal period was one of constant changes, yet they were slow, and the beds were thin compared with other rocks of the system. It necessarily took a long time for the formation of these coal beds, for all the vegetation now in existence, the growth of from twenty to a hundred years would not form one foot in depth of coal, over the extent known to be covered by coal beds.

He then turned his attention to the Mesozoic time or the new, red sandstone system, which followed the one just referred to. In this system we have an increase in the size and power of the zanoids, sea saurians and fishes, also plants of a higher order were added. A number of reptiles made their appearance, but only a few skeletons have been found, the most of which are known by their foot-prints, many of which are noticeable along the Connecticut river. There were also mammals in this period, as two jaw-bones found in North Carolina gave evidence of the fact, and these bones were similar to those of the opossum. The discovery of these first evidences in American rocks at least, of the presence of marsupials, is a matter of especial interest, not only to geologists, but to lovers of nature as well, for, however insignificant the animal may have been in itself, it was still the type of that mighty race of mammals which before the advent of man covered the whole earth with its living representatives.

The Jurassic period was the next to engage the attention of the speaker, and he divided it into three parts, the Liassic, signifying layers, the Oolitic, meaning eggs and stones, and the Wealden or forest. The Liassic is found in England, and is a marine deposit, extremely rich in fossils, principally the lizards. The oolite is likewise of marine origin, and is largely composed of carbonate of lime. The wealden had its origin in fresh water rivers. He then described some of the animals of this period; of the several given only two had teeth. Birds were numerous, and the mollusks had attained their highest development. Chief among the reptiles of this period were the swimming lizards, a class which included the ichthyosaurus and the plesiosaurus, probably two of the most remarkable animals that ever existed. The ichthyosaurus was large, had the shape of a fish, the head of a lizard, the teeth of a crocodile and in some instances a mouth with an opening of seven feet. But the most extraordinary feature was the eye, which in some specimens had an orbit of eighteen inches in diameter. The plesiosaurus attained the length of thirty feet, and was so constructed as to be able to fly, walk, climb and swim.

We next pass to the crustacean period, which in many parts is characterized by pure white chalk. Modern forest trees—such as oak, maple, hickory and fruit trees, of temperate regions, flourished in this period, also red wood and palm. The tribes of fish were largely increased, flying reptiles were common, and mammals were plentiful.

The next to claim the attention of the audience was the cenezoic time, which embraces two ages, the tertiary or age of mammals, and the quarternary or age of man. The tertiary age was divided into three parts, the eocene, nearing the dawn of the recent; the miocene, the less recent; and the plicene, the more recent. And these must be understood as referring to marine forms only, as nearly every other species became extinct with the cease of the third division. A series of tremendous physical changes took place during this age, and these were explained by the lecturer. The quarternary period includes three ages, the glacial or drift-wood, the champlain or mastodon, and the recent. The speaker here enumerated the different animals of this period, giving a minute description of each. It took nearly an hour and a half to deliver the lecture, which was illustrated by charts.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—The cadets had a half holiday yesterday and a portion of the time was spent in playing ball.

Pitching quoits is also a favorite amusement with the boys.

The trapeze and cross-bar furnish ample exercise, and many of the feats performed at the circus are attempted.

On May 1st the cadets will give a free athletic exhibition on their grounds at the Academy. The following is the programme, and it is presumed that some of the boys will perform some marvelous feats:

One hundred yard dash; throwing a base ball; standing and running high jump; running broad jump; hop, skip and jump; quarter mile run; one mile walk; five mile walk and five mile go-as-you-please, and a wrestling match.

The following entries have been made: Cadets Fatzinger, Thomason, Davis, Smith, Hersh, Urian, Powell, Chipman, Van Gorder, Hyatt, Stitler, Nichols, Henderson, Hill, Squire, Roberts, Woodhull, Schwenk, Harrison, Curtis, Poulson and others.

Emulous of the equestrians of the circus, one of the cadets rides at a furious rate along the roads and lanes of the country without saddle or bridle. His mustang can perform lots of tricks, and is worthy a prominent position in any circus. His comrades in arms have dubbed him the great "Mexican bare-back rider."

DEAD DRUNK.—About eight o'clock, last evening, officer McKinney found John Flinn lying on the sidewalk on Third street and he was so drunk that he could not get up, so pedestrians were compelled to step over him, and he was locked up. This morning the Mayor gave him a hearing and Flinn said he belonged in West Chester and came here for work, but when he was arrested he had in his pocket a small paper on which was written these words: "Small favors thankfully received and may the giver of all good reward you many fold. The bearer is poor, out of work, has a wife and three children, and a lame leg. Please give something." With this paper he had gone around, from house to house, collected money and devoted the proceeds to purchasing liquor, with which he got drunk. He had some money on him at the time but he disclaimed any knowledge of how he got it. He had been here before and the Mayor was up to his tricks, so in default of payment of $1 fine and costs, he was sent to Media jail for 30 days.

THE DELAWARE BAPTIST UNION.—The semi-annual meeting of the Delaware Baptist Union, an organization for the advancement of the Baptist work, which is composed of five delegates and the ministers of the churches of the State of Delaware and Delaware county, will hold its next meeting at Milford, Delaware, on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 13 and 14. On the programme we find the following persons from this county put down to take part: Revs. H. B. Harper, of South Chester; J. G. Wright, of Media; Alex. McArthur, of Brandywine Summit; H. G. Weston, D. D., President of Crozer Seminary, Upland; A. G. Thomas, Chester; Prof. G. D. B. Pepper, D. D., of Crozer Seminary; Mrs. Dr. Pepper, Upland; Prof. Downer, Ridley Park, and Dr. J. C. Long, of Crozer Seminary.

JUMPED THE LAW.—Samuel Sandom and wife, whom the Mayor held in $500 at the hearing yesterday morning for their appearance at court to answer the charge of selling liquor without a license and on Sunday, out of sympathy were allowed to go out on the street to hunt bail, but they failed to find any, in fact they did not care to, for they knew the evidence the Mayor had accumulated pointed too directly to their guilt and the best thing they could do was to leave town. The man went to the house on Market street, above Front, and began packing his goods to make an exit. It was not long before bag and baggage and whiskey manipulators boarded the train at Lamokin station for parts unknown. The authorities seem glad of it.

PERSONAL.—Dr. Wm. H. Forwood, surgeon in the U. S. A., formerly of this city, and brother of our Mayor, is stationed at McPherson Barracks, Atlanta, Ga.

J. B. Dunwoody, Deputy Collector of Internal Revenues for this district, is in town to-day.

LODGERS.—There were but ten lodgers in the station house last night.

BARN BURNED.—About eight o'clock Tuesday evening fire was discovered in the large barn on the farm of Mr. Milton S. Heyburn, at Paynter's cross roads, near Concordville. When it was first seen, the flames had gotten a good start. The neighborhood was aroused and all assisted in trying to subdue the fire, but it was futile, as the whole structure crumbled to ashes. Besides the barn, several tons of hay, a lot of grain, seven cows, one horse, all the farming utensils, wagons, harness and other articles, were burned. The loss is estimated to be between five and seven thousand dollars, and is partially insured in the Delaware County Mutual. The fire is supposed to be of incendiary origin.

HAD BEEN AT THE CIRCUS.—On Monday afternoon last, a young man returned from the circus to the office where he is employed, and the conversation of his fellow employees was concerning the pickpockets that had just been arrested. This young man had no sympathy for any one who had his pockets picked, and denounced all such as careless. He would not have his pockets picked, not he. A few moments after the conversation had closed, this young man had occasion to put his hand in his pocket and to his amazement there was nothing there; somebody had been there before him. He had been to the circus and was a victim. He is a sympathizer now.

HANDSOME PRESENTS.—Mr. Jesse Rawcliff, who has been married within a fortnight, has received some very handsome and useful wedding presents from his friends. Among them is a very large organ, a chamber suite, a silver water pitcher, large and beautiful, a pretty silver castor, cake dish, knives, forks, spoons, butter knives, napkin rings, a bible, a large quantity of linen towels, napkins, bed clothing, floor mats, and many other useful articles for housekeeping.

FANCY STOCK.—Mr. Henry Palmer, of North Chester, has purchased a valuable cow at a sale of imported stock recently held in New York city. The price paid was four hundred dollars. Her name and pedigree is as follows: "Daisy, two years and nine months old, color lemon fawn, bred by Henry Le Tissier, Parish of the Catel, Isle of Guernsely. Dam, Buttercup, and sire Johnny." Every importation of this nature helps to improve the stock of the country.

THE FREE SHIPS.—The Free Ship advocates are at work in Congress already. Reagan, of Texas, has presented a bill to introduce foreign built ships free of duty and break down the navigation laws. This is an old dodge of the Free traders. Mr. Ward, of this district, is on their track and posting the Committee on Commerce of their crooked schemes.

THE PICKPOCKETS.—The Philadelphia pickpockets, arrested on Monday, are still in the lock-up, except Phillip Griffin, who procured bail. An attempt is being made to have another of them released on a habeas corpus. The others will doubtless be sent to prison in default of bail to-day.

CLOTH STOLEN.—Sometime during Tuesday, some person stole a piece of cloth from the merchant tailoring establishment of F. C. Torpey, on Third street. The piece contained several yards of fine cloth, and was valued at nearly fifty dollars. It was taken off a table in the store.

THE LAUNCH.—The launch of the new side wheel steamer, Elias, built at Roachs' for the Amazon river trade, has been postponed from this afternoon until Saturday afternoon at four o'clock. The vessel is 180 feet long, 42 feet beam over all and 10 feet depth of hold.

ON THE MUSCLE.—The Mayor of Philadelphia has put a stop to the very degrading sparring exhibitions in that city, and they are about to swoop down on Chester. Like Faro Banks, they should not be allowed quarters in the city.

A NEW INLET.—Street Commissioner Smith is making an inlet to the sewer at Third and Kerlin street. This is much needed as there is considerable water there to be carried off.

Review of the Policy of Class Legislation on the Sunday Law.

1st proposition. Man is a self-recuperating machine, requiring rest at stated intervals, for that purpose.

Experience teaches that this rest is best attained by resting twelve hours out of twenty-four, for six days, and the entire day on the seventh; and the Bible (which is generally supposed to have originated from the Author and Constructor of said machine) plainly teaches the same lesson.

2d proposition. In accordance with the facts stated in the proposition advanced the framers of the government of our State, for the benefit of the governed, have enacted that every seventh day shall be held as a day of rest, (a legal holiday), from all business, &c.

In view of the fact that a large majority of the citizens of the State were accustomed to observe the first day of the week, irrespective of the civil law, the legislators established that day as the legal day of rest, to be observed and respected by all men without reference to how they occupied their time during the six days that intervened.

3d proposition. That day being established as a legal day of rest, each and every man is bound to observe it, and is liable to all the pains and penalties attached to the violation of the law.

4th proposition. Special laws to exonerate a certain class from those penalties, on account of sectarian dogmas, are at variance with the spirit of our government, and cannot be tolerated.

5th proposition. The plea for exemption. Those that religiously observe any other day! Has it come to this, that the religious observance of one day shall exempt a privileged class from the pains and penalties attached to a violation of the next? Not only this, must the great body of the State who have learned to love and respect that day be annoyed and pained by being compelled to witness its desecration?

Again, who shall determine what constitutes a religious observance of any particular day? It would amount to a repeal of all laws in relation to the particular observance of any one day.

6th proposition. Viewed from a Christian standpoint. Christ taught this: Render unto Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's, and unto God the things that are God's.

Cæsar (the State) demands the first day of the week, which all Christians are bound to obey. Those who, for want of or through an excess of enlightenment, conscientiously believe that Christ requires the observance of the seventh day are bound by their duty to God to keep it holy, and by their duty to Cæsar to observe also the first day of the week; this is the teaching of Christ. X.

LETTER LIST.—The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Chester for the week ending April 24th, 1879:

Austin Alonza	Irvin Alex
Allen Mrs Anna R	Jobes Williams
Abbey A J	Johnson Wm
Annable Samuel	Keenan Jas
Blakebluff J	Lewis W H
Baird Robt	Logan Lida
Bell Wm	Morrison Jas
Bell Thos	Murdic Mrs H
Brierly T	McLae Mr
Calahan Jas	Noyes S A
Cassidy Chas	Newsome Dan
Cole Mrs Sarah	Petener R B
Coulter S	Radin Chas
Corson Wm	Senitz Mrs Sarah A
Darlington A M	Spence Eph
Dolby Michael	Smith Mrs Mattie
Duncan Wm	Stevens Mamie
Duffy Neal	Stock Alex
Evans Maggie	Verner Chas
Emery Solomon	Wallace Wm A
Hall J Calvin	West Leab
Hargan Robt A	

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PORTRAITS OF DECEASED RELATIVES.—Parties having photographs of deceased relatives or friends can have them enlarged and finely worked in crayon by

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BENTLEY—ROGERS.—In Kingsessing, Philadelphia, on February 9th, 1879, by Rev. Mr. Maison, George R. Bentley, of Upland, to Miss Lily M. Rogers, of this city.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROPOSALS FOR GUTTER STONE.

Sealed proposals, addressed "proposals for gutter stone," will be received by the undersigned Committee on Streets, of the city of Chester, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, May 5th, 1879, for 4,000 feet of gutter stone, 12 inches wide, not less than 3 feet in length, and not less than 2 inches thick. Stone to be delivered at any place designated by the Street Commissioner.

The Committee on behalf of the city reserve the right to reject any or all bids that may be offered.

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A New Eldorado.

California Gulch, in which or on which the new town of Leadville is growing up, lies at right angles to the Arkansas valley, and about twelve miles from the head waters of the Arkansas river. It was a wild gulch, its sides grown thick with spruce forests, and a little snow-fed creek making its way down among them. But the waters of the creek held gold, and men soon found it out, cut down the spruce forests, and began placer mining all along the sides of the gulch. They are torn up and riddled, to day, as if an earthquake had shaken them violently. All this while, in the stony mountains at the head of the gulch, lay stores untold of solid silver, of which the miners lower down, working for gold sands by the handful, never so much as dreamed. It is the old story of treasure biding the time of the man who knows its secret. One day, a man who knew one stone from another picked up a bit of mineral and handed it slyly and significantly to his comrade, saying nothing. The comrade, experienced in the ways of mines, took it, saying nothing, and pocketed it. The gulch was full of men; there were those working by their side to whom one word might be a hint. Later, alone, the two comrades conversed with each other on the subject of this bit of stone. They took cautious and secret rambles over the mountain side. They said not one word to anybody for two years, but quietly possessed themselves largely of lands. To day, in one mine which these two men own, you may see, it is said, six millions of dollars' worth of silver; not infer it, trust, hope, believe it, from the "dip," or "bearing," or "vein," as is usually the case in silver mines, but see it! The walls of the galleries are it! The miners simply chop the walls down, foot by foot, and wheel out the ore in barrows.

And the whole range is believed to be full of the precious metal. It is the western slope of the mountains lying back of Fair Play, on whose eastern slopes many profitable mines have been worked for years. It is odd that miners did not at once think that if one side of a mountain were made of silver the other was likely to be. But they did not; and so the Leadville silver bided its time.

The town is a marvel. In six months a tract of dense spruce forest has been converted into a bustling village. To be sure, the upturned roots and the freshly hacked stumps of many of the spruce trees are still in the streets of the town; fallen spruce trees, too, on which you can sit down to rest, and here and there clumps of superb tall ones standing, which afford a most grateful protection from Colorado's hot May sun.

Great spaces of scorched sage brush are to be seen, its gray stalks looking as twisted as if they had been wrung out wet and thrown down to dry. Great spaces covered with chips, also; nobody had time to pick up his chips, and they are handy to burn; the houses are all log cabins, or else plain, unpainted, board shanties. Some of the cabins seem to burrow in the ground, others are set up on posts, like roofed bedsteads. Tents; wigwams of boughs; wigwams of bare poles, with a blackened spot in front, where somebody slept last night, but will never sleep again: cabins wedged in between stumps; cabins built on stumps; cabins with chimneys made of flower-pots or bits of stove pipe—I am not sure but out of old hats; cabins half roofed; cabins with sail-cloth roofs; cabins with no roof at all—this represents the architecture of the Leadville homes. The Leadville places of business are another thing; there is one compact, straight street, running east and west, in the centre of this medley of sage brush, spruce stumps, cabins, and shanties. Here are shops, restaurants, billiard rooms, dance halls, banks, lawyers' offices, hotels, livery stables—all that a town needs. They are fairly built, wooden houses, principally of the battlement-front style, and one story high—a few of them two stories high—and not without some pretense of finish; the platforms and steps in front of them make one continuous line of lounging grounds for Leadville men. I counted forty-six at one time in a short distance, men either leaning against door-posts, or sitting with their elbows on their knees. The middle of the street was always filled with groups of men talking.

Wagons were driven up and down as fast as if the streets were clear. It looked all the time as if there had been a fire and the people were just about dispersing, or as if town-meeting were just over. Everybody was talking, nearly everybody gesticulating. All faces looked restless, eager, fierce. It was a Monaco gambling room emptied into a Colorado spruce clearing.—*May Atlantic.*

The Largest Southern Tree.

The "big tree" in Washington, Georgia, is probably the oldest and largest in the Southern States. The town of Washington has always been the home of culture and refinement, and Robert Toombs, Alexander Stephens and other Georgia celebrities have, from its borders, passed their names into history. In visiting various points of interest round the place, we walked a mile or so through the beautiful unbroken forest, crossed a valley meadow with its winding stream, and ascended an eminence, the footstool of the forest monarch. Some distance from the big tree is a giant brother, which, towering broad and high above its neighbors, and concealed at a distance by foliage, impresses you on its appearance as being the monarch himself; but when you reach the little knoll, with its open space, on which stands the compact mass of bark and timber, and gaze aloft on the huge limbs, themselves larger than surrounding trees, you stand before the largest representative of the vegetable kingdom in the Southern States. The "big tree," which is on the grounds of Mr. Adam Alexander, is a Tulip-bearing Poplar (Liriodendron Tulipifera), with a height of 155 feet, a diameter of 9 feet, a circumference of about 28 feet, and its lowest branches are 55 feet from the ground. Mr. Alexander told me that one day, while riding, he and Major Anthony Porter drew up their horses sidewise on opposite sides of the tree, and could not, around it, see even the tips of each other's horse's heads or tails.—*N. Y. Observer.*

An Epicure's End.

Mr. Rogerson, the son of a gentleman of large fortune in England, after receiving an excellent education, was sent abroad to make the grand tour. In this journey, young Rogerson attended to nothing but the various modes of cookery, and the methods of eating and drinking luxuriously. Before his return his father died, when he entered into the possession of a very large fortune. He was now able to look over his notes of epicurism, and to discover where the most exquisite dishes and best cooks were to be procured. He had no servants but men cooks. Footman, butler, housekeeper, coachman, and grooms were all cooks. Among those more professionally so were one from Florence, another from Sienna, and another from Viterbo, who was employed for the special purpose of dressing one particular dish only, the "docce picante," of Florence. He had also a German cook for dressing the livers of turkeys, and the rest were all French. Mr. Rogerson had a messenger constantly traveling between Brittany and London, to bring him the eggs of a certain sort of plover near St. Malo; and a single dinner, consisting of two dishes only, sometimes cost him upward of fifty guineas. He counted the minutes between his meals, and was wholly absorbed in devising means to indulge his appetite. In the course of nine years he found his table dreadfully abridged by the ruin of his fortune, and he was verging fast to poverty. When he had spent a fortune of a hundred and fifty thousand pounds, and was totally ruined, a friend gave him a guinea to keep him from starving; but a short time after he was found dressing an ortolan for himself. A few days later he died by his own hands.

—Physic is best given on an empty stomach.

—That mercy I to others show, that mercy show to me.

—At forty-seven feet below the surface the temperature is uniform throughout the year.

—If the laws of generation were as well understood as they should be, there would be less need of regeneration.

—What a beautiful idea of a child was it, when he said that he thought the stars were gimlet holes to let the glory through.

—In South Carolina a negro was on trial for burglary recently, but it was proved that he crawled into a mill through a hole in the wall, unfastened the door, let the flour out, fastened the door and crawled out through the same hole. The jury was instructed to acquit, as there was no breaking into the building, so they brought in the verdict: We find for the defendant, but we believe he stole the flour.

—Josh Billings says: If anybody has hard work of it to please most people, it is an editor. If he omits anything, he is lazy. If he speaks of things as they are, people get angry. If he glosses over or smooths down the rough points, he is bribed. If he calls things by their right names, he is declared unfit for his position. If he does not furnish his readers with jokes, he is a mullet. If he does, he is rattle-headed, and lacks stability. If he indulges in personalities, he is a blackguard. If he does not, his paper is dull and insipid.

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted. as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

J. E. WOOTTEN, Gen'l Manager.
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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

HENRY WOOD, General Superintendent.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.36, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER, 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

Through tickets to all points West, South and Southwest, may be procured at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, where berths in sleeping cars can be procured during the day. Persons purchasing tickets at these offices can have baggage checked at their residences by the Union Transfer Company.

H. F. KENNEY, Supt.

NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

On and after Nov 25th, 1878, trains leave Depot, Third and Berks streets, Philadelphia.

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LATEST NEWS.

In the U. S. Senate, yesterday, the Wallace appointment resolution was discussed in the morning hour. The Army Appropriation bill was resumed, and Mr. Conkling spoke for three hours against the sixth section. A motion of Mr. Blaine to strike out the section was defeated by a party vote. Amendments were offered by him and Mr. Windom and were rejected. Pending action on an amendment offered by Mr. Paddock, the Senate adjourned with the understanding that a vote should be taken on the section and pending amendment, at three o'clock this afternoon.

In the House the entire session, day and evening, of yesterday, was occupied by political debate on the Legislative Appropriation bill. Debate on the bill is to be closed at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

The House Committee on Claims met yesterday, and instructed its Chairman to report back to the House all claims growing out of the late war, and ask that the Committee be discharged from their consideration.

Chief Moses and the Umatilla Chiefs had a farewell interview with the Secretary of the Interior yesterday morning, and were each presented with a silver medal. They left for their homes later in the day.

The State Temperance Convention met in Harrisburg yesterday, about 200 delegates being present. One of the objects of the session is to urge the enactment of a local option law by the Legislature. The following officers were elected: President, Felix Brunot, of Pittsburg; Vice President, John Wear, of Philadelphia; Secretary, Rev. D. C. Babcock.

A meeting was held in Faneuil Hall, Boston, last evening, Governor Talbot presiding, at which steps were taken for the relief of the colored emigrants of Kansas.

The trial of Charles Drews, Frank Stichler, Israel Brandt, Isaiah Hummel, Henry F. Weiss and George Zechman, for killing Joseph Raber in December last, at Lebanon, Pa., resulted last night in a verdict of murder in the first degree. The jury was out five hours. Time was allowed counsel for defence to file reasons for a new trial.

Charles H. Hartwell, conductor of the Old Colony railroad, who is charged with having caused the Wollaston disaster some months ago, was convicted of manslaughter in Boston yesterday. Exceptions to the verdict were taken by his counsel.

The workmen engaged in trying to recover the buried coal miners at Sugar Notch, near Wilkesbarre, penetrated to the "breast" about three o'clock yesterday morning. They were then compelled to retire by the shaking of the mine, but soon resumed operations, and reached to within 300 feet of where the buried men are supposed to be. During the afternoon a miner entered a drift near the "fall" with a naked lamp, igniting the accumulated gas. A steam fire engine was sent from Wilkesbarre and after some time succeeded, it was thought, in controlling the flames. Opinions were divided last evening as to the safety of the imprisoned miners, some believing them to be smothered. It was not believed they could be reached last night, as a vein of solid coal, 30 feet thick, had to be cut through to reach them.

Charles Helping, foreman in a mill at Cohoes, N. Y., was caught in a shafting, yesterday morning, and whirled around sixty times, his feet striking the ceiling and floor with each revolution. He was seriously injured, but may recover.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, April 24.—The position of the Durham miners' strike is unchanged, and all is quiet.

This morning's *Times* says: Mr. F. Gretton has proposed to run his four-year old bay colt Isonamy against Mr. P. Lorrillard's Parole over the last mile and a half of the Cesarewitch course for £5000, with terms of weight for age and three pounds allowance to Isonamy. A telegram to this effect was sent to Mr. Lorrillard during the afternoon yesterday (Wednesday), and if he accepts, as is anticipated, the match will be run during the Newmarket second spring meeting, which begins on May 13th. The Chester Trades' Cup, which will be run for May 7th, at the Chester meeting, appears to be entirely at the mercy of Parole, as the turns in the course will be to the manifest benefit of his fine speed.

Parole may be looked forward to as a certain competitor for the Goodwood Cup, which race takes place on July 31st, for which, in addition to English horses, the French horse Kincsem may be expected to compete, rendering the race of immense interest.

France.

According to a Paris despatch to the *Times*, William Tell's chapel, near Lake Lucerne, has been demolished. The frescoes were removed tolerably successfully. A new building will be now commenced.

Austria-Hungary.

LONDON, April 24.—In Vienna every room in the hotels is crowded, in consequence of the festivities in honor of the Emperor's silver wedding, which takes place to-day. Many visitors are unable to obtain accommodation. The concourse exceeds that of the Exhibition year. The culminating day of the celebration will be Friday.

Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 24.—The High Court of Criminal Justice, created for the trial of Alexander Solovieff, who attempted the assassination of the Czar, will consist of six judges.

The Emperor and Empress have started for Livadia.

The Minister of Justice will conduct the prosecution of the assassin Solovieff.

PARIS, April 24.—The *Estafette* states that General Selirvestroff has arrived here seeking recruits for the Russian police force.

A telegram from St. Petersburg to the *Patrie* says sixteen professors in different Russian universaties have resigned.

Italy.

ROME, April 24.—The *Capitale* states that General Garibaldi, yesterday, replying to a deputation of the Italia Irridenta Committee, declared that he would sacrifice everything to accomplish the national task. Gen. Garibaldi has opened a subscription for the purchase of a million rifles to arm the nation, and has sent an address to the inhabitants of Istria, Trieste and Trent.

Heading off a Lawyer.

Rufus Choate, in an important marine assault-and-battery-at-sea case, had Dick Barton, chief mate of the clipper ship Challenge, on the stand and badgered him so for about an hour that at last Dick got his salt water up, and hauled by the wind to bring the keen Boston lawyer under his batteries.

At the beginning of the testimony Dick had said that the night was dark as the devil, and rained like seven bells.

Suddenly Mr. Choate asked him:

'Was there a moon that night?'

'Yes, sir.'

'Ah, yes! A moon—'

'Did you see it?'

'Not a mite.'

'Then how do you know there was a moon?'

'Nautical almanac said so, and I'll believe that sooner'n any lawyer in this world.'

'What was the principal luminary that night, sir?'

'Binnacle lamp on board the Challenge.'

'Ah, you are growing sharp, Mr. Barton.'

'What in blazes have you been grinding me this hour for—to make me dull?'

'Be civil, sir. And now tell me what latitude and longitude you crossed the equator in.'

'Sho, you're joking.'

'No, sir, I am in earnest.'

'I shan't.'

'Ah, you refuse to answer, do you?'

'Yes—I can't.'

'Indeed! You are a chief mate of a clipper ship, and unable to answer so simple a question.'

'Yes, 'tis the simplest question I ever was asked in my life. Why, I thought every fool of a lawyer knew that there ain't no latitude on the equator.'

That shot floored Rufus Choate.

Whitewash.

Following is the Germantown *Telegraph's* recipe for preparing whitewash:

Take the very best stone-lime, and slack it in a close tub, covered with a cloth to preserve the steam. Salt—as much as can be dissolved in the water used for slacking and reducing the lime—should be applied, and the whole mass carefully strained and thickened with a small quantity of sand, the purer and finer the better. A few pounds of wheat flour mixed as paste may be added and will give greater durability to the mass, especially when applied to the exterior of buildings. With pure lime, properly mixed with twice its weight of fine sand and sifted wood ashes, in equal proportions, almost any color may be made by the addition of pigments. Granite, slate, freestone and other shades may be imitated, and without any detriment to the durability of the wash. This covering is very often applied, and with good effect, to under-pinning, stone fences, roofs and the walls of barns and other outbuildings. Probably the pure whitewash is more healthy than the colored, as its alkalescent properties are more superior, and when used in cellars, kitchens and sleeping apartments, produces salutary results. No person who regards the health of his family, should neglect to apply a good coat of it every spring. Country places, especially farm out-houses, fences, &c., are greatly improved in appearance by an annual coat of good whitewash, and will add to their permanency much more than many would imagine. It is cheap and easily applied, so that neither expense nor labor can be pleaded against it.

A Snail that Would not Starve.

An Egyptian desert snail was received at the British Museum on March 25, 1846. The animal was not known to be alive, as it had withdrawn into its shell, and the specimen was accordingly gummed, mouth downward, on to a tablet, duly labeled and dated, and left to its fate. Instead of starving, this contented gasteropod simply went to sleep in a quiet way, and never woke up again for four years. The tablet was then placed in tepid water and the shell loosened, when the dormant snail suddenly resuscitated himself, began walking about the basin, and finally sat for his portrait, which may be seen of life-size in Mr. Woodward's "Manual of the Mollusca." Now, during those four years the snail had never eaten a mouthful of any food, yet he was quite as well and flourishing at the end of the period as he had been at its beginning.

Bourbonism in France.

It was said of the Bourbons that they never learned or forgot anything. They are like chronic sufferers from kidney or liver distress who will not by experience learn that Kidney-Wort will cure them. It is the best remedy known for piles.

TWO OF THEM.

In the farm-house porch the farmer sat,
With his daughter, having a cozy chat;
She was his only child, and he
Thought her as fair as a girl could be.
A wee bit jealous, the old man grew,
If he fancied any might come to woo;
His one pet lamb and her loving care
He wished with nobody else to share.

"There should be *two* of you, child," said he—
"There should be two to welcome me
When I come home from the field at night;
Two would make the old homestead bright.
There's Neighbor Gray, with his children four,
To be glad together. Had *I* one more,
A proud old father I'd be, my dear,
With two good children to greet me here."

Down by the gate, 'neath the old elm tree
Donald waited alone; and she
For whom he waited his love-call heard,
And on either cheek the blushes stirred.
"Father," she said, and knelt her down,
And kissed the hand that was old and brown—
"Father, there *may* be two, if you will,
And I—your only daughter still.

"Two to welcome you home at night;
Two to make the old homestead bright;
I—and somebody else." "I see,"
Said the farmer; "and whom may 'somebody' be?"
Oh, the dimples in Bessie's cheek,
That played with the blushes at hide-and-seek!
Away from his gaze she turned her head.
"One of Neighbor Gray's children," she said.

"H'm!" said the farmer; "make it plain;
Is it Susan, Alice or Mary Jane?"
Another kiss on the aged hand,
To help the farmer to understand (?)
"H'm!" said the farmer; "yes; I see;
It is *two for yourself* and *one for me*."
But Bessie said, "There can be but one
For me and my heart till life is done."

—*Harper's Weekly.*

English Country-House Life.

I believe that writers upon English country-house life always praise it—but one privately meets many persons in England who confess to you that they do not admire it as much as it is admired in books. A friend of mine, who is never content unless his own house is full, cannot abide going to the houses of other people. An old lady, excessively fond of society, assures me that country-houses are too social for her; and a young lady says that at the end of three days spent in one of them she is quite exhausted with the efforts to be agreeable. Energetic people are perhaps less apt to like them than quiet people. The number of English people—and very social people—who tell me that they do not commonly enjoy country-houses, would surprise me did I not know that nothing is so perfect that it will not be quarrelled with, and that half the grumbling is done to make conversation. The excuses of people to get away before the time appointed for their departure are among standing jokes. Yet it is doubtful if the most skillful excuses of guests ever deceive hosts who have been bored themselves and who are profound critics of boredom. I think that there is certainly one point upon which the admirers of country-houses have said too much. I refer to the vaunted liberty of country-houses. They are beautiful; they are charmingly appointed; they are anything else you like; but they are not, as a rule, as free as they are said to be. Things are made for you to do. There is rowing on the lake, there is lawn tennis, there is shooting at a mark, drives and walks to various water-falls and other wonders of the neighborhood. Of course it is open to you not to do these things, but you feel that it would be peculiar and unsocial not to do some of them. There is, indeed, a rigidity in those very customs which are supposed of themselves to mark the freedom of country houses. The life seems to be characterized by enforced freedom. For instance, you must wear a rough shooting-coat until dinner time; you must wear a "billy-cock" hat except at church on Sunday when you put on a black coat and a high hat. At breakfast, in some houses, you must pour out your own tea and help yourself from the sideboard. These are peculiarities of country-house life which make it irksome for you until you have got hold of the real meaning of this life, and have grasped it by the right handle. —*Scribner.*

Paragraphs that ought to be in the Bible.

Always tell the truth; you will find it easier than lying.

Always do a kind act in a kind way; to do it otherwise destroys its value.

Do a mean act in a mean way; so it will have a keener sting—for your own breast. But better not do it. He who laughs at cruelty sets his heel on religion, and shows that he has none.

Whatever you dislike in another correct in yourself.

Better be upright with poverty than wicked with plenty.

Time never sets heavily upon us when it is well employed.

Do your duty in that station of life in which God in His providence has placed you.

Mind your own business.

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Miserable men and women, prostrated by disorders of the liver and kidneys, can have a carnival of joy by using Kidney-Wort, and so restoring lost energy to their vital functions. For lame backs, costiveness and poor digestion, it constitutional effects For sale by all druggists.

—A Bourbon county, Kentucky, man has eaten fifteen hundred apples since last November.—*Ex.* This is considered something remarable for a Bourbon county man, because as a regular thing he absorbs the most of his grain and fruit in a liquid state—and to drink the juice of fifteen hundred apples converted into whiskey, inside of four months, is mere child's play— for a Kentuckian.—*Norr. Herald.*

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Chester, Pa.

JOHN SPENCER, *Proprietor.*

FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 1879.

WHAT has been gained by introducing silver into the currency of the country? This is a question which the average reader would find it hard to answer. What has been lost? A multitude of tongues are prompt with response to this query. The fact is that the remonetization of silver has been a great discomfort to the public, without any corresponding advantage. And we venture the assertion that if there had been no silver kings in the mining districts this remonetization would never have occurred. They had millions in it, and could well afford to pay handsomely to get those millions out.

WHETHER or not we admit the justice of England's war with the Zulus, all will rejoice that Col. Pearson and his brave little band have been rescued from their perilous position. And with similar unanimity of sentiment, all will be glad that Lord Chelmsford has redeemed something of the disgrace which lately befell his command. Barbarism must give way to civilization. It were better that this should be done peacefully. But whether accomplished by peace or war the world is a gainer in the long run. And perhaps the martial spirit common to our race is as well expended in advancing civilization as in any other way.

WHAT could we do without petroleum? In the family and in the arts it has gained an apparently indispensable position. As we consider the various purposes which petroleum serves it is a never-ceasing wonder how the world ever got along without it. And when we consider the probability that in the not very remote future it will be furnished in diminished supply, or perhaps disappear altogether from the market, we begin to wonder again. Our consolation is in the fact that as in the past something has always turned up to meet the world's wants, so it is always likely to be. When the supply of petroleum ends we shall have a substitute all ready.

A BILL has been introduced into Congress making it unlawful for the Pullman Palace Car Company to charge more than half their present rates. We heartily sanction the principle embodied in this bill. Where corporations owe their existence and prosperity to franchises, which they enjoy as a gift from the people, they should, if necessary be compelled to recognize their obligation. After having paid themselves a handsome profit for all risks, any remaining margin belongs to those by whose favor their business exists. In any enterprise based upon rights ceded by the public that public becomes by this cession a co-operative partner and is entitled to a fair proportion of the emoluments.

JUST now Seventh street bridge does not rattle to the step of every foot passenger, or when a wagon drives over it shake as if it had one of those break-bone agues that grow in the Dismal Swamp. Nor is the floor alternately a thin board and a thick one, with pieces of plank spiked down here and there to cover dangerous holes. Thanks to the late repairs, that bridge is at present in about as good condition as a thing that was always poor can be. Now let some attention be given to Third street bridge. It needs to be mended with one that is practically new. And then Ninth street needs what it has never had, but has long required, a bridge over Ridley creek. The bridge question has become a very important one to our city, and we respectfully ask for it the attention of the Commissioners.

WHETHER wisely or unwisely, the public mind is gradually reaching the conclusion that the children of the people are receiving too much education. Of course this statement needs to be qualified and explained. It simply means that it is too much because not of the right kind. The statistics of our prisons and reformatories show that a large proportion of their inmates have attended school and are tolerable text-book scholars. These statistics also show that comparatively few criminals have ever learned a trade. School children learn to despise manual labor, without learning enough to qualify them for any except the lower grades of brain work. These lower grades are overcrowded—wages in them are at starvation rates. As the result, rather than go to some handicraft these victims of faulty education go to the penitentiary.

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TIME TABLE.

P. W. & B. R. R.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10,15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.40, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 1, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 25, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Dusty.

New bonnets.

Croquet parties this moon.

Let your bed rooms be well aired.

We can do without rain a little longer.

Pinafore advertisements are now the fashion.

Use care in the selection of your garden seeds.

Lost time is never found. Don't fritter it away.

The *Scientific American* is a good paper for young mechanics.

The Wilmington *Every Evening* looks well in its new dress.

The fashion journals now have great attractions for the ladies.

The street sprinkler has entered on its regular summer duties.

Live within your income. This is a great source of happiness.

Good shad were selling in Wilmington yesterday for 15 cents each.

Nothing is "hardly ever" said now-a-days obout opening Welsh street.

The grounds about the Crozer Seminary are becoming very attractive.

A good week for the photographers. Bright and beautiful all the time.

All along the Delaware, from the Capes to Trenton, shad are being caught.

Pony phætons are the favorites of the ladies when taking a ride in the country.

Tan bark makes an excellent country sidewalk. Clean, soft, and easy to the feet.

This has been a week worth having. Let it continue until the end to be just as agreeable.

The ice cream season is nearly at hand, and strawberry festivals will soon be here.

It is hardly likely that our cricket club will visit England to play that match this summer.

The Punch and Judy show on the lot at Seventh and Edgmont did a good business last night.

Poor white potatoes are now selling at $1.75 per bushel. Just wait until the southern tubers get plentiful.

Encourage small industrial establishments to come to Chester, and let them be as diversified as possible.

Carpet shaking will soon be in order, and the greener the grass on which it is done, the better the housewife likes it.

The Zoological gardens in Fairmount Park are well worth a visit. New attractions are being added almost daily.

Blood on the moon, the wise ones say. It means war, and a disruption of things generally. Let your house be in order.

The *Advocate* will be issued this afternoon, and if you want to learn our opinion of a good paper buy one. It will make you wiser and happier.

This time last year the fishermen were averaging one hundred shad to a boat. If they secure one-fifth of that number now they think they are doing well.

Don't forget the sale of building lots and houses belonging to the estate of the late William Booth, which comes off on Saturday, May 10th. There are not many more Broad street lots in the market.

Friends in Maine write that on last Sunday there occurred one of the heaviest snow storms of the season. The neighbors turned out and broke the roads. Here it was balmy, bright, beautiful and spring-like.

The reporter, on making his rounds this morning in search of items, came across a gentleman who often has plenty. On asking him what was new, replied: "Nothing at all except a new baby, at our house, but don't say anything about that."

Yesterday a tramp entered the grounds of Ex-Mayor Larkin, and stole a coat belonging to one of the workmen. One of the neighbors saw him do it, and tried to call one of Mr. Larkin's family, but failed to do it, and the rascal got away with his booty.

GOODS RECOVERED. — Two young men, giving their names as George Kelly and George Guggenheim, were arrested Wednesday evening at Fifth and South streets, Philadelphia. They had in their possession a large valise containing a piece of fine black cloth and a roll of worsted goods. On searching them several dozen bogus rings, such as are used by confidence men in what is known as the "drop game," were found. Mr. F. C. Torpey, the merchant tailor on Third street, who had some cloth stolen from him on Tuesday, having heard of the above arrest, went to Philadelphia to see if they were the worthies who had visited his store. When he arrived at the Central Station yesterday, the thieves had been given a hearing and sent to jail, but the goods were there, and Mr. Torpey identified them as his. He brought the cloth home with him, and the shoplifters will be brought here for a further hearing.

HE FELL IN.—In a cellar of one of our hotels in the Middle Ward, by the way, is a barrel sunk into the ground so as to receive the rain water from the roof of the house. On the barrel is a lid, and yesterday the proprietor went into the cellar and removed the lid from the barrel, which was full of water. Of course there was nothing strange in that, but it was not long before he had occasion to go into the cellar again, and without thinking, into the rain barrel he dropped. In the cellar in a rain barrel, wet and miserable, and no one around to sympathize with him, he felt awful. He proceeded to drag himself out of that barrel, put on a dry rig and resolved never to go into that corner again. A neighbor, who is also a hotel keeper, fell into a soft soap mine in his yard only a short time ago, and the two now sympathize with each other.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—Mr. Newbury, of the class of '77, drilled the battalion yesterday. He hadn't forgotten his old tricks, and he put the boys through their evolutions with the accuracy of an old vet. Mr. Armstrong kindly loaned him his uniform.

A game of base ball was indulged in by the boys after drill and after supper yesterday. It was enjoyed by all.

Two cadets in the hospital this morning. They will try to get out by Saturday afternoon if the weather is fine. 'Twas ever thus.

Cadet 19, the bare back rider, and the captain of the bass drum have returned.

The "artistic renovator" has settled down to his duties again, and will work hard until vacation.

A SUPPOSED PICKPOCKET RELEASED.—J. Newton Shanafelt, Esq., counsel for John A Quigley, one of the supposed pickpockets, who was arrested on Monday last during the sale of tickets for the circus, procured a writ of *habeas corpus*, which was served on the Chief of Police yesterday, and the prisoner was taken before His Honor Judge Clayton for a hearing this morning. After the Judge had heard the evidence in the case, he discharged Quigley from further custody.

Young Quigley was apparently a respectable man of good family connections, in Philadelphia, and had an account in a savings bank. Doubtless his imprisonment was humiliating, but then, he was in bad company.

WELL MATED. — Two more enterprising men than Headley & Mahon can not be found. Their express business has grown from small beginnings to one requiring a good deal of care in the management of the details. Their teams can be seen going backwards and forwards on our streets at all hours of the day, and any one entrusting them with orders can feel assured that the work will be well and satisfactorily done. The livery business, which they recently purchased from David Quinn, will be carried on with the same energy and enterprise that has characterized their express business, and we believe they will make their mark in the former as they have done in the latter.

THE BELGENLAND.—The Red Star Line Steamer Belgenland passed down the river yesterday afternoon at 4.40 o'clock. This is the new four-mast steamer which passed up the river more than a week ago to Philadelphia, where she has been visited and admired by thousands of people. She is a sister ship to the Rhineland, a new ship now being built for Captain Randle, of the same Line, and when completed it is said she will be the handsomest vessel in the service. The Belgenland is the largest ship that ever passed up the river.

A SLIGHT FIRE.—Yesterday morning, about eleven o'clock, the study of Rev. Geo. C. Moore, on Second street, took fire from a gas burner which had been left burning all night. It created some confusion for a time, but was extinguished before a great deal of damage was done. The hands of the servant and nurse were burned in trying to extinguish the fire, and an old family Bible, printed in 1616 and quite a relic, a secretary, and the paper on the wall were more or less injured. There was no alarm. Mr. Moore was fortunate in putting it out so easily.

AN EMBEZZLER SENTENCED.—John N. Pierson, the young man of Darby, who was arrested some time ago on the charge of embezzling funds from his employers, Messrs. J. B. Lippincott & Co., of Philadelphia, was given a hearing on Wednesday, when he plead guilty to the charge and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment in the penitentiary. He acknowledged having embezzled $4000 from Lippincott & Co., and $1600 from another party.

PUT THEM IN A REFORMATORY.—The boys of Tinder Box, after a few days of moderately good conduct, have broken out again, and last night they made themselves a perfect nuisance by insulting people who were so unfortunate as to have to pass by them. They ought to be given ten years in a reformatory.

POLICE NEWS. — George Boyd, W. H. Stuart, John Howard and George Wilson were arrested last evening by officer F. Wilson for begging along the streets. After a hearing this morning the Mayor committed them for 24 hours.

Charles Magee was arrested by officer Keenan on the charge of being drunk and begging along the streets. He was sent up for 30 days.

THE WATER FILTERER.—The South ward water filterer is still filled with water at high tide. The sluice under the wharf has been opened, and is now being puddled with clay, which will make a better piece of work than it ever was. All unsafe places in the wharf will be repaired, a new row of piling has been driven on the river side, and every effort is being made to guard against further breaking.

A CHEAP STORE.—Messrs. Gerstley & Bro's. Philadelphia one price store, No. 402 Market street, is stocked with a complete line of gentlemen's and ladies' furnishing goods, notions and trimmings, which they are disposing of at prices in many cases less than those paid in Philadelphia for the same article. The attention of our readers is called to their advertisement in another column.

A QUEER HEN.—Mr. E. W. Taylor, of Thorntonville, Delaware county, has a hen which has stepped beyond the limits of her species by taking unto herself a litter of kittens, and in the most maternal way is bringing them up in the way they should go. It will be ungrateful on the part of these cats if after awhile they declare war upon the hen creation.—*Local News.*

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?—This morning a box came by express directed to an Eddystone man. It contained a game cock, ready for battle. Its comb and wattles were cut, and the feathers about its neck and tail were trimmed as short as possible. It was fully panoplied for the contest, except in the matter of steel gaffs. Are they going to have a main at Eddystone?

THE DIRECTORY.—Mr. W. S. Webb, of Webb & Co., who canvassed our city for a directory some time ago, arrived in this city this morning with a stack of books which he is delivering to customers. It is a good sized and well gotten up directory, but owing to a lack of time we are obliged to forego giving it an extended notice until tomorrow.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.—A birthday party was given to Miss Lizzie Birtwell last evening, at her father's house at Eighth and Madison streets. The party was a large one composed of young ladies and gentlemen, and a most enjoyable time was had. After partaking of a substantial feast, the evening was spent in social conversation and games.

SPRING GOODS.—Last evening was a beautiful one, and the streets were pretty well filled with people. Fine weather brings our citizens out more than anything else, and it has a tendency to help business. The advertisers in this paper, who are always energetic, have laid in their spring goods, which are worthy an inspection.

THE SHAD CATCH.—The catch of shad off this city was much larger yesterday than any day so far this season. This morning the boats came in with fifty, sixty, eighty, one hundred, and one hundred and twenty. At this rate shad fishing will be more profitable than it has been, and the fishermen can work with more energy.

PERSONAL.—M. Maxson, a former citizen, who left here to open a mill near Tyrone, this State, is on a short visit to Chester.

Alderman Joseph Holt, of the North Ward, has sufficiently recovered from his recent sickness to be upon the street again.

A FOX THIEF.—Last evening, before Jerry Stevenson closed up his saloon at Fourth and Market streets, somebody carried off a pretty little baby fox, which was only two weeks old, and had been sent to him by a friend in Maryland. It will not be healthy for the thief if he turns up.

THE CRICKETERS.—The grounds of the Chester City Cricket Club, on Seventh street, have become too rough for bowling purposes, and will have to be newly sodded, so as to make it more even. A match game is to be played soon by the club, and then the fun will commence.

MORE OF THEIR SPOILS.—Officer McKinney found an empty pocket book near the circus grounds last night. It was doubtless one that had been snatched by the pickpockets during the sale of tickets, its contents rifled, and the wallet thrown away to escape detection.

A POCKET BOOK FOUND.—A number of men were working around E. Seiders' hotel on Concord avenue, yesterday, and they found a very pretty leather pocket book in a pile of bricks. It is supposed to be a part of the spoils of the thieves here the day of the circus.

ALDERMANIC BUSINESS DULL. — The Aldermen of this city are doing no business, practically. No criminal cases have been before them for a long time, and were it not for the little bit of civil business they transact they might as well close up shop.

LODGERS.—There were twenty lodgers in the station house last night.

BASE BALL.—The first game of base ball that has been played in this city this season was played yesterday afternoon between the Hayward nine and the High School Athletics. The former was victorious by a score of 25 runs over the latter.

A STURGEON.—Wm. Blizzard, Sr., captured a two hundred pound sturgeon in his shad net last night. He brought it in to the wharf and prepared it for shipping to Philadelphia. Those monster fish are beginning to come up the river.

DOGS STOLEN.—Wednesday night, some person stole a very valuable bird dog and pup from Mr. H. C. Greenfield, of the Chester House. Mr. Greenfield prized his dog very highly, and feels the loss of it severely.

MILK WAGON BROKEN DOWN.—At Third and Ulrich streets this morning the axle of a milk wagon broke down, and not only caused a fall in the fluid, but a suspension of business for the day.

ARRIVED.—Sloop U. S. Grant, Captain Delaware George, steward, Delaware Joe, arrived in the creek this morning with West Shore osyters.

ON DUTY AT CHESTER.—Civil Engineer Harry S. Caven has been ordered by the Department to special temporary duty at Chester.

HELD FOR PERJURY.— Alderman Allen held a woman named Coombs for court this morning, to answer the charge of perjury.

UPLAND ITEMS.—The anniversary services of the Upland M. E. Church, last Sunday, were of a very interesting character. The congregation in the morning and evening was so large that it was difficult to seat them. Reverends Yerkes, Buckley and Mack each preached very impressive sermons to the edification and comfort of their hearers, many of whom said it had done them good to be there.

The flower-beds in John Pretty's garden are arrayed in all their glory once more, and the sight is beautiful to behold. The hyacinths and daffodils have been standing around the borders of the beds for more than a week, dressed in purple, gold, pink and yellow, waiting the rising of those resplendent tulips, that are just now beginning to show their gorgeously painted cups, much to the gratification of lookers on.

The members of the Upland M. E. Church are out with subscription books soliciting aid for the erection of a parsonage, to be located on their church lot on Eighth street. The Crozer Brothers have gladdened the hearts of those asking for money by contributing liberally to this object. Building operations will begin as soon as five hundred dollars are raised.

We hear that Mr. James Draper has bought a lot on Eighth or Ninth streets, and intends to build a dwelling house for himself soon.

The addition to Mr. Morris' dwelling is roofed in.

The Chester city policemen have been busy in our borough lately, arresting several of our young men, or boys, who are implicated in the beating of a colored man who lives on the Forty Acres. We feel sad to hear of such brutal conduct, and hope the guilty ones may receive such punishment as will make them behave themselves properly in society. We know the cause is drink, but that will not excuse anybody for beating a fellow-creature almost to death.

UPLAND.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23, 1879.

From the Republican standpoint, the speech of Mr. Frye, of Me., on the Army bill was a perfect success. He handled the subject of the election laws in a way that was refreshing from its novelty, charging that the Democrats wanted to repeal all the laws bearing on the protection of the ballot. He called New York city to witness that this demand was in the interest of fraud, false naturalization and mob violence. For many years, until the election laws had done their work, he said, these offences upon the ballot had carried the city and the State of New York, and now, fearing that they may lose power there in 1880, they want to destroy the Federal power over elections. The Democrats reply to Mr. Frye that they do not approve the frauds that have been committed. In fact they admit them, but disagree with him as to the proper methods to use in their prevention. The fact that Mr. Frye's speech is regarded as a strong partisan appeal is shown in the demand for it as a campaign document to be used in New York and elsewhere. And in connection with the Democratic quarrels going on in New York now, and which have their influence here, it is anticipated by many that this discussion will turn out to be an ugly matter to handle. It is a singular fact that some of the Democratic foes of Tilden rather encourage than discourage the criticism as it opens up to view the iniquities which are supposed to have given Tilden his advantage over other candidates for President, and especially those in the West.

The death of no man of public renown, not actually in public life, has caused so universal sorrow as that of General John A. Dix. Washington is not often disturbed except in the demise of an official in practical control of patronage, but it is in mourning for this late useful and exemplary public man. The President has ordered that due respect be paid to his memory and accordingly the War and Treasury Departments be closed to public business on the day of his funeral, and be draped in mourning for 30 days.

Fernando Wood, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, is in hot water, owing to his difference with a majority of his party as to the advisability of tinkering the tariff at this session. Many Western and Southern members have tried to get him deposed as chairman of that important Committee. Mr. Wood is a Conservative, representing a commercial district, and is opposed to financial agitation of any kind that is likely to disturb trade at the present time. The quarrel is an unfortunate one for the Democrats, but Mr. Wood seems to be confident of final success, and thinks there are enough conservative Democrats to enable him to hold his position, and to restrain the aggressive men of his party who are determined to revolutionize the Republican legislation of the last 20 years at once.

Ex-Senator Patterson, of South Carolina, never having any reputation to spare, has gone out of official life with a new stench adhering to him. He was chairman of the Committee to investigate the affairs of the Indian Territory, and as such ran up a bill against the Government of $17,000 for a short sojourn in that wilderness. The items are published, showing that the greater part of this money stuck to unworthy fingers. The whole thing was a big job, and will be ventilated by a new investigating committee, probably. KNOX.

IF functional torpor of the Liver exists, the elements of the bile will remain in the blood, vitiating that fluid and inducing many skin diseases. Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills are a most reliable Liver Regulator. Sold everywhere, price 25 cents.

PORTRAITS OF DECEASED RELATIVES.—Parties having photographs of deceased relatives or friends can have them enlarged and finely worked in crayon by

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DIED.

JAMES.—On the 25th inst., Wilmer James, M.D.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, Nor h Chester, Pa., on Sunday morning next, the 27th inst., at 11 o'clock, without further notice. §§

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING.

Sealed proposals, addressed "proposals for grading," will be received by the undersigned Committee on Streets, of the city of Chester, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, May 5th, 1879, for the grading of Gerhard street, from Second to Mary street, and Mary street, from Norris to Tilghman street.

Plans and specifications and any information relating thereto can be obtained at the office of the City Surveyor.

The Committee, on behalf of the city, reserve the right to reject any or all bids that may be offered.

PAUL KLOTZ,
JOHN YOUNG,
ROBERT CHADWICK,
ap25-28-m3 Committee on Streets.

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About Bats.

There are perhaps a dozen species of bats respectively designed to act their part in different parts of the world, but they are all winged quadrupeds, various in size, corresponding to the duties they have to perform, and to the climates in which they are located. Of whatever species, the bat is mammiferous. It suckles its young, of which it has one or two at a birth, and its mouth is provided with teeth. It has four legs, but two of them resemble arms, and it has a tail extended from the vertebræ. Each arm consists of two long bones with an elbow-joint. At the outer extremity of the arm, as with a human hand, there are four fingers and a thumb. The fingers are long thin bones attached lengthwise to the membranous wing, which they expand like the slender whalebones of an umbrella—a most beautiful and effective arrangement. The thumb projects, and is an interesting member. It resembles a claw or hook. By means of its two hooked thumbs the creature can suspend itself from branches of trees or other projections, and is enabled to draw itself forward on the ground. The legs are short, with knee-joints, and the claws of the toes help the thumbs in the matter of suspension. Arms, legs, and tail are all united with membrane of the wings, and materially aid in propulsion through the air. Every thing in the general structure of the animal is subsidiary to the function of flying. The wings, however, are inferior to the wings of birds, such as those of the swallow. But they perfectly fulfill their purpose. Consisting of a membrane which wraps the body like a cloak, these bat wings are powerful in darting swiftly in a series of jerks and zigzags in pursuit of moths and other insects. Beside relying on its eyesight, the bat possesses the advantage of an extremely delicate susceptibility in its thin membranous wings which reveals the pressence of any insect it happens to touch in its flight. Had the wings been of feathers like those of birds, this important quality of detecting insects by the slighest touch would have been lost.

Numerous fanciful notions are entertained regarding bats. They are said to be able to see in the dark, and that they are bloody and vengeful in their nature. As concerns seeing in the dark, that is quite erroneous. Their power of avoiding obstacles when flying in darkened places is not due to their eyes, but to that keen sensibility in their wings that has been just alluded to. The thin leathery wings of bats are their antennæ, or feelers. Darting about in all directions in utter darkness, they are never by any chance impeded or injured by obstacles that happen to be in their way. Experiments have been made by stretching strings across darkened places in which a number of them are confined, and no string is ever disturbed in their flight. The exquisitely radiated system of nerves in a bat's wing offers one of the finest studies in animal physiology, or, we might say, in natural theology. Shall a creature so ingeniously formed be spoken of with sentiments of hostility or derision? On the contrary, it should excite our warmest admiration. Artists from time immemorial have been in the habit of depicting malevolent demons with wings on the pattern of those of the bat—a piece of conventionality wholly at variance with what is learned from a contemplation of the actual facts in nature. The bat is no more fiendish than the swallaw or any other bird which has been appointed to rid the atmosphere of superfluous and destructive insects.

Only one species, chiefly inhabiting the dense forests of South America, and designated the vampire-bat, is known to have a taste for blood. This appetite, like that of the gadfly, is demonstrated principally in settling on the shoulders and flanks of quadrupeds, and with their teeth inflicting wounds that are apt to be troublesome. In the absence of animals to be attacked, natives sleeping in the open air are said occasionally to suffer from incisions in their feet or toes. Waterton, in his South American rambles, was exceedingly anxious to be bitten by the vampire bats, and slung his hammock in an open loft for the purpose, without effect. The bats that fluttered about all night declined to meddle with him, but a native Indian lying near at hand suffered by the abstraction of blood from his toes. Fowls were likewise attacked, and an unfortunate donkey came in for a large share of attention. Vampire-bats, wherever found, are provided with sharp-pointed incisors, so arranged as to make a triple puncture like that of a leech, and as in the case of leeches, these bats might possibly be rendered medically available as phlebotomists. Their habits seem to have originated the Eastern superstition of the vampire—a troubled spirit that with carnivorous appetites preyed on living beings by sucking their blood during sleep, and which, under the name of ghoul, figures in the *Arabian Nights' Entertainments*. Perhaps it would be more correct to say that the designation vampire, given to the poor bats, was derived from the vampire of legendary superstition. Anyway, the bats are guiltless of the hideous revelries we hear of in the old legends.

Viewed as strange creatures, neither exactly one thing nor another, bats possess strong characteristics of their own. For one thing, bats do not live gloomily aloof from each other, but form communities in which, we may suppose, they derive much mutual comfort. Some species are more gregarious than others; but on the whole they indulge in the pleasure of living together in places away from other animals. They are to be found in garrets, church spires, and caverns, where during winter they can socially suspend themselves by their claws to rafters or to the clefts of rocks. If the place be particularly suitable for their hibernating habits, they may be seen hanging in myriads with their heads downward, yet not so dormant as they seem, for upon any noisy intrusion they will burst away like a cloud overhead.

Besides being companionable in their seclusion, bats may challenge any living creatures for the care of their young. They show immense parental solicitude. The female carries her infant bats about with her, covering them the best way she can in her cloak-like wings, and from time to time resting to suckle them. On these occasions the papa bat lends a helping hand. He watches over the mother and her charge, tending them assiduously, and nestling close to them to impart warmth and protection. In some respects, therefore, the good conduct of bats might afford a lesson to beings of much higher pretension. Facts like these, acting on the higher emotions, should materially qualify the ordinary ideas about bats. From their retiring and crepuscular habits, they can hardly be made pets of, like dogs or canaries. Nevertheless, as observed in their aerial flights, they are gentle and amusing, and instead of being pelted, abused, and shot at, they invite our interest, compassion, and gratitude. As auxiliary to certain birds, they are of much service to the agriculturist and gardener by keeping down the numbers of noxious winged insects.

—God helps the man who helps himself.

—What is that which if once lost can never be found? Time.

—A young man of Teutonic parentage got a marriage license at the court house a few days since, and remarked as he turned to go: "By Shorge, this is the moss handiest gourt house in the guntry. You gits your marriage license in dis room, und den you can shtep right into Shudge Yades's room and get married, und den you can yoost go right up shtairs in the zircuit gourt und get a divorce!"—*Peoria Call.*

—When Sir Walter Scott was in Ireland in 1825 he paid a visit to Lord Plunkett at Old Connaught Bray. Thence host and guest made an excursion to Glendalough, and Sir Walter would not be satisfied to come away without first climbing to St. Kiven's Bed. When about to leave the place, Lord Plunkett gave Kathleen, the guide, to understand that the lame, but adventurous and active visitor was a poet.

"Poet!" said she incredulously. "Not a bit of him! He's a raal dacent gentleman! He gave me half-a-crown."

—A prisoner, an old offender, was tried before Chief Baron O'Grady on the last day of the Assizes for County Clare, Ireland. He was charged with robbing on the highway, effected with considerable violence. To the surprise of his Lordship, who considered the case clearly proved, the verdict was "Not guilty." The Judge, determined to let the jury know what he thought of their decision, turning to the Crown Solicitor, inquired: "Is there any other indictment against this *innocent* man?" "No, my Lord." "Then tell the jailer not to let him loose till I get *half an hour's start* of him, for I'd rather not *meet him on the road.*"

—A New Hampshire editor was made the subject of a distressing story. It appears that while traveling he was so unfortunate as to be robbed of his wallet. The thief, after examining the contents, went to the trouble to return the wallet by express to the address written on the inside, accompanied by the following note: "You miserable skunk, hears your pocketbook. For a man dressed as well as you was to go round with a wallet with nuthin in but a lot of newspaper scraps, a ivory tuthcom, two newspaper stamps and a pas from a ralerod directur, is a contemptirbul imposishun on the public. As I heare yure an editor, I return yure trash. I never robs any only gentlemen."

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NOTICE.—The tenth annual meeting of the stockholders of the

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will be held in the rooms of the association, corner of Broad and Upland streets, Chester, on Saturday evening, April 26th, 1879, at 7½ o'clock. An election for nine directors and a treasurer will be held at the same time and place. H. L. DONALDSON,

ap21-eod-3t Secretary.

OFFICE HOURS.—MISS A. M. MILLER, the Secretary of the Citizens' Building Association, will be at her office in Market Square, every Thursday, from 10 to 12 o'clock A. M., and all day during the fourth Saturday of each month, to transact any business of the Association. By order of the

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m.
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

HENRY WOOD, General Superintendent.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER. 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

Through tickets to all points West, South and Southwest, may be procured at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, where berths in sleeping cars can be procured during the day. Persons purchasing tickets at these offices can have baggage checked at their residences by the Union Transfer Company.

H. F. KENNEY, Supt.

NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

On and after Nov 25th, 1878, trains leave Depot, Third and Berks streets, Philadelphia.

MAIN LINE.

7.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m., Express for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk.

8.15 a. m. and 8 p. m., Fast Line for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Auburn, Ithaca, Geneva, Rochester, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and the West. Sleeping Cars through to Niagara Falls. 8 p. m. runs daily.

9.45 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3.30 p. m., for Bethlehem, Norristown, Allentown, Easton, Schooley's Mountain and points on Morris and Essex Railroad.

7.25, 9.00 a. m., 3.45, 5.45 p. m. for Hartsville and points on N. E. P. R. R.

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7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5.40 p. m. for Norristown.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5 p. m., for Doylestown.

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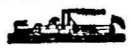
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LATEST NEWS.

In the U. S. Senate, yesterday, Mr. Harris, from the Committee on Epidemic Diseases, reported a National Health bill, and gave notice that he would call it up when the Army bill should have been disposed of. The Wallace appointment resolution was passed. The Army Appropriation bill was considered and passed, as it came from the House, by a party vote. It now goes to the President. After an executive session, the Senate adjourned until Monday.

The Attorney General of New York has given an opinion that personal estate must be within that State to be liable to taxation there. Personal estate out of that State, but owned by a resident, if the securities are held by agents out of the State, is not liable to taxation. If, however, securities for moneys lent out of the State are held within the State by the owner, or an agent or trustee they are liable to taxation.

Great preparations have been made for the celebration of Confederate Memorial Day in Atlanta, Ga., to day. There will be a large turnout of military, and Gen. Fitzhugh Lee will deliver the oration.

Rev. Edward R. Ames, D. D., Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church, died yesterday morning, at his residence, in Baltimore, in the 74th year of his age.

Search for the buried miners at Sugar Notch, near Wilkesbarre, continued yesterday, without result, owing to the nature of the obstructions to be overcome. At one time the rescuing party were cut off from communication with the surface by a fall of fire clay, and had to dig their way through to escape suffocation. It is generally believed that the buried miners are dead, from falling fire clay, black damp or lack of air.

The jury in the case of John E. Poindexter, who killed C. C. Curtis, in Richmond, Va., rendered a verdict yesterday morning of "voluntary manslaughter," and fixed the punishment at two years' imprisonment in the penitentiary. It is said that a majority of the jury are willing to sign an appeal for Executive clemency if a new trial is not obtained.

Colonel John Groesbeck, brother of Hon. W. S. Groesbeck, of Ohio, disappeared from the Fifth Avenue Hotel in New York about two weeks ago. As he was pecuniarily embarrassed, it is feared that he has committed suicide.

The Laconia National Bank at Laconia, N. H., was robbed between two and three o'clock yesterday morning. The safe was blown open with gunpowder, and the noise of the explosion aroused the town, but too late to capture the robbers, who are supposed to be making their escape on foot through the woods, the railroads being on the watch for them. The President of the bank says the loss amounts to $4178 in cash, $120,000 in notes and $7200 in coupon bonds which had been lodged as collateral for some of the notes. A record of all these notes is in possession of the bank, and the loss, he says, cannot exceed 4 per cent of its capital. He thinks five men were engaged in the robbery, and that they arrived at Laconia on Thursday evening, three getting off there and two at Lake Village.

Henry Smith, colored, night watchman of the Mint at San Francisco, was arrested yesterday for stealing gold bullion. A small smelting furnace and $6000 worth of gold ingots were found buried in his garden, and the sum of $1000 in gold was found concealed in another place on his premises. His stealings have been going on for three years, and are believed to aggregate $20,000.

The American ship Mary E. Riggs, with a cargo of cotton, from New Orleans for Bremen, went ashore on the French Reef, on the coast of Florida, on the 21st instant. Assistance was sent to her from Key West on Thursday night.

The Lachine Canal will be opened on May 5th.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, April 25.—In the House of Commons to-day Sir Stafford Northcote, Chancellor of the Exchequer, replying to an inquiry, said the Government was considering the advisability of issuing a proclamation of neutrality in the South American war. He said that 202 cases of cartridges from America had been landed at Glasgow on the way to Liverpool addressed to parties in Valparaiso. He believed that the seizure of these munitions of war was not in his power.

The Arrow Iron Works were temporarily stopped yesterday for lack of fuel because of the Durham colleries strike. Those on the spot think that a majority of the furnaces of the Middlesborough district must cease work if the strike continues.

The decision, rendered yesterday, in the English Chancery Court, in the suit between the Bolivian bondholders and the contractors for building the Madeira and Mamore Railway, involving the sum of £800,000, deposited in the Bank of England, is not exactly in favor of the contractors, though it tends in that direction. The Court of Chancery simply declined to order the Trustees of the fund to apply it for the benefit of the bondholders. The Master of the Rolls has heretofore similarly rejected an application of the contractors to order the trustee to pay certain of their claims. The matter is still open for extended litigation. Yesterday's decision, which was by a single judge, will probably be appealed from. The decision caused a decline of £6 (from £27 to £21) in Bolivian bonds. Chilian bonds also fell 3½ on an official announcement that the sinking fund had been suspended.

LONDON, April 26.—At 3 o'clock this morning the contestants in the walking match at Agricultural Hall, had made the following score: Brown, 480 miles; Hazael 454; Corkey, 438; and Weston 400. There is level betting on Corkey for the second place. Hazael is suffering from sickness.

Germany.

LONDON, April 25.—A Berlin despatch to the *Times* says the Emperor William's health is excellent. He takes long walks and drives daily, and receives visitors at Weisbaden.

Russia.

ST PETERSBURG, April 25.—A military tribunal assembled to-day to pass judgment on an officer of the Russian Army for firing at a gendarme who had been ordered to search the officer's house. Three Russian students will be tried to-morrow for high treason.

LONDON, April 25.—The *Standard's* correspondent at Berlin says: "In St. Petersburg one house after another is searched at night, and every one whose passport is found irregular is arrested. It is said that Prince Lobanoff, the Russian Ambassador at Constantinople, has asked permission to open all letters leaving Constantinople for Russia."

South America.

LONDON, April 25.—A private telegram received at Glasgow says: Pisagua, Peru, has been bombarded. The guano loading appliances at Huanillos and Pobellon de Pica have been destroyed. Iquique is still blockaded, and all sailing vessels have left The workmen have fled. Business in the interior is entirely disorganized.

Housekeeping Money.

If every man would pay his wife a weekly sum for housekeeping, clothing etc., he would find that in nine cases out of ten her management of the fund would increase not only his comfort, but that of the whole house. If she is equal to the task of being a wife and a mother, she is also equal to the task of supplying and paying for the daily necessities of the home. If she is head manager, she will take pride and pleasure in making 100 cents go a great way—much further than a man could make 150 go. She will also make calculations about the expenditure of the weekly sum, will lay by a certain amount toward buying such and such supplies in quantities; will learn that there is no economy in buying soap by the bar, starch or sugar by the pound. She will systemize her affairs, keep her books—a day book and a ledger—and exhibit her well-kept accounts with pride and delight. The very fact that the expenditure of the money belongs to her will sweeten her life, give new zest to her occupations, and make her a happy and more contented wife. To most women, the idea of asking for money is abhorrent. They put it off from day to day, the dread of it is so great. They will wear expensive clothes in the kitchen rather than ask for the money needful for the purchase of a plain calico dress.

Shrug your shoulders, if you choose, you unbelieving husband, and say, "I never knew such a woman." I beg your pardon, but I must contradict you. The woman you call wife, I do believe, would rather go with toothache than ask you for money. This is no false statement; most women do shrink from asking the head of the family for money needful for boots, clothing and the common necessities of life; it is neither agreeable nor pleasant to them, and they should not be forced to do it. If they do their appointed work, the money to carry it on should be freely offered, monthly or weekly, as may be desired. Some husbands have seen how much their mothers suffered for the want of money, even when their fathers were rich, and they profit by the fact, and give to their wives a generous supply, never forcing them to become applicants for it, and by so doing they greatly increase their domestic happiness. Place confidence in a woman's ability to act, and she will fully repay it; doubt her executive powers, refuse her responsibility, and you may rue it.

The subject of money supplies in the home opens a wide field of thought to the husband. Will he cultivate it? Many wives of the middle class have been accustomed to earn their own support, to purchase their own wardrobes before they were married. But after marriage all is changed; they must ask for what they require rather than have it paid to them quarterly. At first their wants are few, or all supplied, but one or two years alters their outlook, and it becomes very dreary. Can the husband understand this? I trow not. He will tell you, "My wife has all she asks for," never dreaming how many days it requires to summon her courage to ask for necessities. 'An utterly false statement,' exclaims some one; 'there's no woman afraid to ask for what one needs!' May I ask you to inquire of your wife how she feels on such occasions? *Unless she is afraid to speak the truth your eyes may be opened somewhat.—Country Gentleman.*

Exploring Expeditions.

Half the medicine taken by the sick is simply sent on exploring expeditions. Kidney-Wort has a specific and understood effect in curing bad cases of kidney and liver trouble, with constipation. It is a noble remedy for the piles. Druggists keep it.

—"Moral insanity" means that a person may have mind enough to know what is right, but not will-power to do it—knowledge that an act is wrong and power to refrain from it are essential to responsibility. No doubt many are morally insane.

—"Cider may be a good temperance drink, but I can manage to get so drunk on it that I kant tell one ov the 10 commandments from the by-law ov a base ball klub. —*Josh Billings.*

A Reminiscence.

My dinner table was laid for invited guests, and everything was ready for them to be summoned into the dining-room. I gave a parting glance at my well-arranged table, and felt proud and pleased. I knew that the dinner was well cooked, and the feeling of satisfaction which possessed my soul more than compensated me for the extra labor and care I had had in preparing it. I seated my little girl, five years old, fresh and sweet in her clean starched dress, in her high chair, and was about to turn to go into the parlor to call them to dinner, when a sudden cry from her made me look back. She had, by some accident, overturned a tureen of gravy, and the greasy liquid was rapidly spreading itself over the table. My temper rose in a twinkling, and an angry exclamation rose to my lips. I was overwrought with work and excitement, for a dinner party was not a common occurrence in our quiet household, and our guests were those of whom, to tell the truth, I stood somewhat in awe. A minute before every thing was so auspicious, and now, what should I do! It seemed a drop too much for my tired nerves—many drops too much for my tablecloth. I was about to jerk my child down angrily from the table, when a blessed influence held me. I caught the expression on her face. Such a sorry, frightened, appealing look I never saw, and suddenly a picture of the past came, and stood out vividly before my mind's eye. My child's face revealed feelings which I had experienced twenty years before.

I saw myself a little nervous girl, about eight years old, in the happy home of my childhood. It was a stormy afternoon in winter. It was when coal oil lamps were first introduced, and father had bought a very handsome one. The snow had drifted up against the kitchen window, so, although it was not yet night, the lamp was lighted. Mother was sick in bed, up stairs, and we children were gathered in the kitchen, to keep the noise and confusion away from her. I was feeling very important, helping get supper; at any rate, I imagined I was helping, and, in my officiousness, I seized that lamp, and went down cellar for some butter. I tried to set it on the hanging shelf, but alas! I didn't give it room enough, and down it fell on the cemented floor.

I never shall forget the shock that it gave me. I seemed almost paralyzed. I did not dare to go up stairs, and I was afraid to stay down there, and, to make it worse, I heard father's voice in the kitchen. He had cautioned us all, again and again, to be careful of that lamp, and now, there it lay, smashed to pieces! But his voice seemed to give me the impetus I needed to go up, and meet the scolding or whipping, or both, which I felt sure awaited me, and which I knew I deserved. So I crept up over the dark stairway, and as I entered the kitchen, I met father with such a stern look upon his face that I was frightened. I saw there was no need to tell him what had happened. He had heard the crash, and if he had not, I guess my face would have told the story. The children stood silently around waiting to see what father would do, and I saw by their faces that they were horror struck, for that lamp had been the subject of too much talk and wonder to be smashed without a sensation.

As for me, I felt so frightened, so confused and sorry, that I couldn't speak. But upon glancing again at father I saw the angry look die out of his eyes, and one of tenderest pity take its place. I doubt not that he saw the same look in my face then that I saw in my child's face to-day. In a minute he had lifted me in his arms and was hugging me close to his breast. Then he whispered, oh, so kindly, "Never mind, little daughter, we all know 'twas an accident, but I hope you will take the small lamp when you go down in the cellar again." Oh, what a revolution of feeling I experienced! It was such a surprise to me that I was overwhelmed with feelings of love and gratitude, and burying my face, I sobbed as if my heart were breaking. No punishment could have affected me half so much, and nothing can ever efface the memory of it from my mind.

How I loved my father to-day, as the sight of my little girl's face brought it all so freshly before me! Will she love me as dearly, I wonder, twenty years or more from now, because, moved by the same God-given impulse that stirred my father's heart in that long ago time, I was able to press the little frightened thing to my heart, and tell her kindly that I knew she didn't mean to spill the gravy, and that I knew she would be more careful another time? Will she be helped by it, when she is a mother, as I have been helped to-day? Oh, how impossible for parents to estimate the effect of these seemingly little events.

If it had taken as long for this to pass through my mind as it has for me to tell it, my dinner would surely have been cold, and my guests tired of waiting. But it was all done in a twinkling, and buoyed up by a new and sudden strength, I quickly wiped off the soiled cloth, spread a thickly folded clean one over the place, and called my company to dinner. Strange to say, the awe I had been feeling for my guests was gone. I felt easy and tranquil, and such a remarkable spirit of happiness and sociality prevailed, and everything passed off so smoothly, that I couldn't help feeling as if unseen hands and an unseen presence had helped me through it all.—*Christian Weekly.*

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DAILY TIMES,
Chester, Pa.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 1879.

INTERNATIONAL exhibitions are being overdone. They reached perfection at our centennial. Even the French, with their wealth and wisdom, their ambition and proverbial good taste, hardly maintained their reputation. Public sentiment evidently cries halt, in these international displays. Or, as the boys would express it, is ready to say "Give us a rest." This is a fact rather against the hopes of the aspiring Knickerbockers. But it is a fact, nevertheless, and one which they will be wise to heed.

SHOULD no other good result from the extra session of Congress the country will be treated to some choice specimens of high debate. If there are any intellectual giants in the land they are met now at Washington. And each is vying with his peers for the championship. Those who, when this carnival of talk is finished, do not understand all about what will save and what will destroy the nation, need have no hope of ever learning. Still, we deem the extra session a nuisance, and hold those who are responsible for its continuance as highly criminal.

IT is a pleasure to know that the Mechanics' Library at Holly Tree Hall is well patronized. Not only the works of fiction on its shelves, but also the volumes of history, science, travel and biography are largely read, and that too by just the class for whom the library was founded. Each year adds to the usefulness and popularity of this library, and shows a handsome addition to books on its catalogue. Success to it, and a blessing upon those who planned it. In connection with the library is a free reading room, well supplied with newspapers and magazines. We are sorry to notice that so few, comparatively, avail themselves of its privileges.

PROBABLY one of the most wretched men in Europe at this moment is the Russian Czar. He knows doubtless, what is an open secret with all the world, that his life is a target at which a legion of bullets are aimed. It is all very nice to be a sovereign in peaceful times. But when a widespread spirit of disaffection exists, and the sovereign's life is constantly endangered, the thing ceases to be pleasant. The humblest citizen would hardly wish to change places with the monarch upon whose path the assassin was forever lying in wait. Of course nothing remains for the Czar but to bear the perils that environ him as best he may. But they are a skeleton always before his eyes.

THE Socialist excitement has somewhat subsided in this country. Those who were not a little disturbed by those riots which culminated at Pittsburg are ready now to jest about "the great scare." And yet the element which gave so much trouble there still exists, and is still plotting mischief. In Chicago, the communists are an armed military organization, ready to die in defense of their liberties. So at least they affirm, and we credit them with meaning what they say. Impartial thinkers need only a moment's reflection to recognize the absurdity of such a defiant attitude. In the North, at least, what class have their liberties so imperilled as to require for defense a resort to arms?

ENGLISHMEN think that the sun shines on no country that rivals their native land. Frenchmen are very sure that France easily excels, and woe betide the unlucky wight who, to a pipe-smoking German, calls in question the merits of that empire which William and Bismarck have fashioned. And yet neither one nor all of these nations combined have shown such recuperative power as these States. Indeed, it is without a parallel in universal history. Those who will be at the pains, with impartial judgment, to consider all the facts, must, we are sure, endorse this statement. In another decade, if allowed to fulfill its destiny unhindered, this country will have attained a position of prosperity surpassing all precedent.

OFFICE HOURS.—MISS A. M. MILLER, the Secretary of the Citizens' Building Association, will be at her office in Market Square, every Thursday, from 10 to 12 o'clock A. M., and all day during the fourth Saturday of each month, to transact any business of the Association. By order of the
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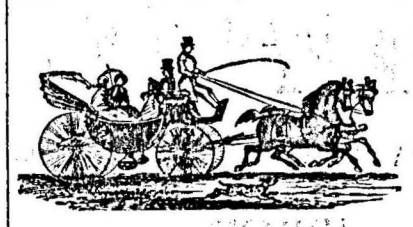
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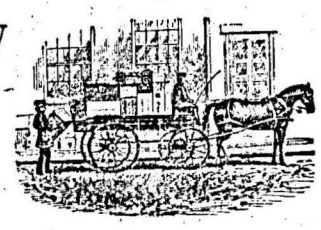
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DAILY TIMES.

TIME TABLE.

P. W. & B. R. R.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7. 7.30. 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m.. 12.30. 2.30. 3.00, 4, 4.30. 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45. 10.45. 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47; 9.23, 9 38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m.. 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6 47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29. 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30. 4. 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09. 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m.. 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.40, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07. 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a.m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Is this summer?

The peach trees bloomed yesterday.

Farmers are in good spirits and hard at work.

The clover and the winter grain are looking well.

Tidy housekeepers will soon be scolding at the dust.

Neatness is absolutely essential in dressing becomingly.

You can almost see the grass and the trees grow to-day.

The sixtieth anniversary of Odd Fellowship comes off to-day.

European novelties are being extensively adopted in the large cities.

To-day the willow is the greenest tree that grows in Delaware county.

You may bring out your straw hats and dusters to-day without danger.

Nothing will hurry strawberry festivals along like such weather as this.

The annual camp meeting at Chester Heights will begin on July 15th.

The boys are shouldering their fishing rods and going for the finny tribe.

If to-morrow is like to-day new bonnets and parasols will be very numerous.

No danger in clipping your horses this month. The sign is in the right quarter.

Men who have no occupation are usually classed under the head of gentleman, by the assessors.

The yellow jessamine is in full bloom, and the pyrus japonica will soon hang out its scarlet banners.

Observe the Sunday law to morrow. Remember the punishment of those who violated it last week.

There are many of our citizens who come down in the owl train, and they have no recognized business in Philadelphia.

The Rural Cemetery serves as a park to many of our people. It is just a pleasant walk from the centre of the city.

Encourage the Mechanics' Reading Room and Library by your presence and support. It is doing and has done a good thing for Chester.

If you have a horse and carriage don't forget to hitch it up one of these days and take your wife or sweetheart out for a drive in the country.

A tent twelve by sixteen feet can be rented at the Chester Heights camp meeting grounds for 75 cents per day, or three dollars per week.

Every week or so some new industry is started in Chester. This is what we want. The more the merrier, and the greater the variety the less danger there is of dull times.

Excursion parties of 250 can go from Chester to Chester Heights camp-meeting grounds and return for twenty cents per head. This cheap rate will tend to popularize this favorite resort.

They are making fine doeskins at Shaw, Esrey & Company's new mill, and are putting in machinery from which they expect to turn out cloths good enough for a millionaire's Sunday best.

The south borough is improving its streets and sidewalks, and its citizens are grading and sodding their front yards. It has been a busy place hitherto, and now it is becoming pretty as well as busy.

Along our river front, from Eddystone to the rolling mill, a distance of about three miles, there is almost an unbroken succession of industrial establishments, and what is more, they are all busy.

The new directory is winning golden opinions, and the subscribers are paying for them without the customary grumbling. One competent to judge says that it is as good a one as could be gotten out.

A North ward Republican informs us that the martins have arrived on his grounds in great numbers, while a Democratic neighbor, who has every convenience for them, is given the cold shoulder; and he also states that this is the case in a number of instances in his neighborhood. Can it be possible that even the birds have their political preferences?

STUDENTS' UNION.—A most interesting meeting of this association was held in Chester Academy last evening. President Powell occupied the chair. and conducted the exercises in his usual able manner. Miss M. L. Clancy delivered a reading entitled "For Better or Worse," and a dialogue was given by Messrs. C. B. and M. Ross and Wm. Hall, entitled "The Reward of Benevolence." The general exercises were hurried through with in order to allow time for a lecture by Mr. Clarence Larkin, entitled, "The Secret of Success." Quite a number of visitors were present, and the lecture, which was a most able and logical one, was listened to attentively. We publish below a brief synopsis of the lecture, knowing that it will prove interesting. Said Mr. Larkin:

The first condition necessary to successful mental or bodily labor is health, the properties of which are strength, energy, agility, graceful carriage and action, mental and manual dexterity, and endurance. That person cannot be called an intelligent workman who has no care for the state or condition of the instruments with which he works. If the sword be blunt, or made of inferior steel, it will do little execution; if the engines are in a bad condition, the steamship will make little headway against the wind and billows. The professional or business man, if he wishes to possess all his powers, must look to his health: He must be regular at his meals and in his times of retiring and getting up. If you spend half the night in work, you will pay for it the next day. If you wish to be clear-headed, to be able to sit down calmly and calculate and plan for the future, your body must be healthy, or your mind will be clouded.

The mind is the instrument with which we perform our labors, and the stronger and more highly finished the instrument is the better will be its work. No man has ever found his education to be a disadvantage. An educated man can do what an illiterate man cannot. There is no incompatibility between business or practical talents and scholarship. The Damascus blade will not lose its edge by being polished.

We believe that a liberal education, which is only another name for intelligence, promotes success in any honest calling, even though that calling be to cut cheese or open oysters; or, even lower still, to make political speeches for Congress.

Let every one, then, who would get on in the world, study his aptitudes, and see for what calling he is naturally fit. Why should he be spending his last years handling the yardstick, when lawyer, or minister, or doctor is written on his face? Never desert your true sphere, your own line of talent.

Many parents think they know what is best for their children, and what they would like to have them be, is of greater weight in their choice of a profession for them than what they are fitted to become. No man will work with heart and energy while he is haunted by the idea that in some other vocation he might do better.

A vacillating man, no matter what his abilities, is invariably pushed to the wall in the race of life by a want of determination. It is he who resolves to succeed, and who, at every fresh rebuff begins resolutely again, that reaches his goal.

The profession once chosen, the next thing necessary is concentration, or oneness of aim. He will be the successful man in his calling, be it literary, scientific or business, who can say with the Apostle Paul, "This one thing I do."

Whatever you do, do with your might, work at your profession or calling, early and late, in season and out of season, not leaving a stone unturned, nor any plan that promises success untried. Do all that you can for yourself, and trust the rest to Providence. "It is the struggle that ennobles us and not the prize."

Be hopeful. Your business will not be any more successful because you worry, and by so doing you unfit yourself for business by sickness of mind and heart that will lead to sickness of body.

Be self-reliant, depend on your own powers as you can. It is not by the aid of corks, bladders, or life preservers, that you can best learn how to swim, but in courageously striking out in water over our head. "Our greatest glory is not in never falling, but in rising when we fall." Kites rise against, not with the wind. So, many a man's success has depended upon his failures.

You may not possess talents, but if you have tact, you have that which will serve you better.

In conclusion, said he: "I trust that the lives of every one present may be filled with high resolves and holy purposes—that the true end of life may be our aim; considering the greatest good to all the object to be attained; that with firmness we may possess gentleness, and with the love of mankind in our hearts we shall ever remember the words of our Master—"He that would be greatest among you, let him be your servant,"—and then if temporal success is not vouchsafed to us, we shall have an abundant entrance into our Heavenly Father's house, where we shall comprehend the Fatherhood of God and the Sonship of Christ; for I believe no more in a beginning without God, than an ending without Christ.

At the conclusion of the lecture, Dr. Ulrich, who was present, delivered a short address, which was both appropriate and good, and much enjoyed.

A LIQUOR DEALER IN TROUBLE.—J. C. Williams, the liquor dealer at the northeast corner of Market square, was arrested yesterday afternoon on a warrant charging him with selling liquor in small quantities to a woman, and making her drunk. He was given a hearing before Alderman Welser, and after the evidence was heard the Alderman held him in $500 bail for his appearance at Court, to answer the charge. The accused entered his own bail, and the case will rest there until Court. This makes two charges Mr. Williams will have to answer at the next term of Court.

PERSONAL.—Mr. W. S. Webb, of Webb & Co., Directory publishers, who is now delivering the Chester book, has just finished canvassing Wilmington, Del., for a similar volume. He thinks our Chester people just as social and kind to canvassers as they are in Wilmington.

EDUCATIONAL.—Scholars in the High School whose general average is 95 per cent. and upward, for the month ending April 25:

CLASS OF '79.

Mary B. Leiper,	Eliza S. Muir,
Laura E. Reaney,	Maggie Stewart,
Annie Anderson,	Alice H. Lilley,
Jennie E. Finegan,	Mary J. McClelland.

CLASS OF '80.

Evelina D. Caldwell,	Maggie McClelland,
Lizzie T. Doherty,	Lizzie Bartow,
Ella P. Smith,	Annie E. Rhodes.
Annie E. Doyle,	

CLASS OF '81.

Laura Cloud,	Mary S. Pennell,
Nellie A. Birtwell,	Ida J. Johnson.
Lizzie C. Morgan,	Jessie B. Clark.

CLASS OF '82.

Marion L. Emlen,	Emma J. Provost.
Bella P. McCurdy,	

The names of the scholars of Middle ward Grammar School, who have made an average of ninety per cent and upwards, month ending April 25th, 1879, are as follows:

Fourth Division.—May Shields, 96.7; Lizzie Davidson, 96.4; Elva Thompson, 96.3; Emily Trainer, 95.3; Inez Smith, 94.9; Mamie Beaver, 94.7; Lulu Johnson, 94.3; Nannie Hinkson, 93.8; Ida Brown, 93.7; John Black, 91.5; Anna Harpur, 90.8; Fannie Ross, 90.1.

Third Division.—Mattie Doyle, 97.2; Gertrude Haas, 96.3; Jennie Cullis, 95.3; Etta Kelly, 94.5; Sallie Mullen, 94.4; Mary Massey, 90.7.

Second Division.—Emily Brady, 93.7; Fannie Weidner, 92.7.

First Division.—Emma Doherty, 93.9.

The following named pupils of the Middle Ward Secondary school, No. 1, have made an average of 90 and upwards for the month ending April 25th: Lillian Brady, 96.0, Rebecca Wilde, 92.0; Willie Hinkson, 92.0; Mary Robinson, 90.

CHESTER CITY DIRECTORY.—Several attempts have been recently made by different parties to bring out a respectable Directory of this city, but each was a total failure until the book which was gotten up and is now being delivered by Messrs. Webb & Co. was compiled. This Directory, which contains 152 pages, is strongly and neatly bound in heavy board of a convenient size, and shows good workmanship. Besides the 3,972 names of our citizens, their vocation and place of residence, which are correctly given in the main, it contains a list of all the streets, wharves, principal business places, an historic sketch, health, population, state of society, gas and water supply, finances, government, fire department, public schools, churches, banks, insurance companies, incorporated companies, newspapers, secret societies, political and religious organizations, post-office, military companies, building associations, libraries, telegraph companies, transportation companies, halls, manufactures and other useful information of the city of Chester which is not often found in one volume, which makes it especially valuable to all our citizens, particularly the business portion of the community. There are but few advertisements in it, and after a careful examination of its pages, we can say, candidly, that it is very accurate. No city, the size of Chester, can well afford to do without a directory, and we are fortunate in getting so reliable a book, which reflects credit alike on its publishers and our city. Of course perfection cannot be attained in the compilation of a directory, but what few errors do occur, and they are very few, are principally due to the fault of the information given. These books are for sale at the different stationery stores at $2.50 per copy, and all who can should procure one.

THE FIRST STEAM ENGINE IN CHESTER.—In making room for the improvements which are now being made in Major Coates' morocco factory on Edgmont avenue above Third street, the first steam boiler and engine that was built and erected in this city was torn out of the old tannery of Mr. F. J. Hinkson, a few days ago. This boiler and engine were built about 1840, by Messrs. Kitts & Kerlin, who operated a machine shop and foundry on the old Weidner property opposite this office.

For nearly forty years this boiler and engine did good service, and when removed one day this week each was in good order and apparently in a condition to run many more years, where a light pressure of steam is necessary. Messrs. Kitts & Kerlin had a boiler and engine in their machine shop at the time the one above referred to was built, but neither was made in this city, so that the one just thrown out of service was the second one ever operated and the first one built in Chester. A few years ago, when Judge Hinkson was having this old boiler repaired, the boiler makers, after cutting into it to patch it, remarked, "that the boilers made now-a-days do not contain the good quality of iron that we find in this old fellow." The engine does not look different from those built at the present time, but of course it does not compare with the beautiful Corliss engine, or others of that kind, for beauty and finish.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—The *Reveille*—the P. M. A. paper—will be out in a few days. The copy is in the hands of the printer, and gives evidence of being fully up to the standard of any college journal.

The bass drum is laid up for repairs.

There was a dress parade yesterday at the Academy. It was the best drill they have had since the Easter vacation. There were not very many visitors present, but what were there, were unusually select.

Cadet 94 gave a little "picnic," yesterday, to his bosom friends in the first class. It was highly enjoyed by those present. Mrs. Major furnished viands.

The drum corps went through their manœuvres in front of the battalion in a becoming manner, yesterday.

Cadet Bailey took Sergeant Thomason's place, yesterday, at the head of the column, owing to the indisposition of the latter.

A grand game of base ball was played yesterday. Mr. Harrie R. Newberry, of '77, showed that he hadn't forgotten how to use the bat.

LODGERS.—There were twelve lodgers in the station house last night.

DECAMPED TO ESCAPE PUNISHMENT.—On Wednesday last, Samuel Sandom and wife were given a hearing before the Mayor on the charge of selling liquor without a license and of selling on Sunday, for which each was held in $500 for his and her appearance at Court to answer. The two were allowed to go out to hunt bail, but neither returned. Sandom, it is said, secreted himself about the house, and the wife undertook to drink all the liquor in the house, but before this was accomplished she got drunk. Yesterday morning the Mayor sent for the woman, and informed her that unless bail was forthcoming, he would be compelled to commit her. She promised to procure bail, and went out presumedly to look for it, but instead of that she went into the house on Market street, above Front, and began selling what articles of furniture she could. Last night she decamped with the family and the remainder of her household goods to parts unknown. Behind her was left a two gallon demijohn full of whiskey, and a half barrel full of ale. The Mayor ordered the contents of the vessels to be thrown out. The town is well rid of them.

AN UNWARRANTED ASSAULT.—About eleven o'clock last evening, Constable Chas. Sharpless, of the North ward, was going up Edgmont avenue on his way home, and when opposite Taylor's saloon, above Tenth street, a man unknown to him and without cause, rushed out of the saloon towards him. The assailant had a knife, or some sharp instrument in his hand, with which he made a blow at the constable and cut him severely across the back of the left hand. It was done so quickly that Constable Sharpless did not know he was cut. The villain made one more dash at him, and this time cut him across the fingers on the same hand. The wounds are both painful and ugly, and what could have induced the man to make such an assault on him is more than the constable can imagine. He escaped without being arrested.

THE NASSAU QUARTET.—The above quartet, composed of students of Princton College, will give a concert in Holly Tree Hall next Friday evening. They come to our city highly recommended by those who have heard them, and doubtless a full house will greet them. A number of Chester ladies will also take part, among whom are Mrs. Starr, Miss Dollie Dyer, Miss Sallie Crozer, Miss McKeever and Miss Morris. The concert is for the benefit of the Ridley Park Presbyterian Church.

A WOMAN PUTS OUT A FIRE.—A few days ago, by some means a fire broke out in a loom in one of our mills, and as soon as the weavers saw it all except one made haste to leave the room. This one, with the presence of mind of a true heroine, ran for a bucket of water and dashed it upon the loom. Thus the flames were extinguished and the place saved from a serious conflagration. She was voted a fire medal, and was made chief of the fire fiends of the establishment.

DEMOCRATIC BALL.—The first annual ball of the South Chester Democratic Club was held in National Hall, last night. There were over 40 couples on the grand march, and the tripping of the light fantastic to the strains of Oglesby's orchestra was kept up until about four o'clock this morning. The attendance was unusually large. Among the number present was Mayor Forwood, who made a speech during the evening, which was well received.

IN THE MARKET.—There were lots of green things in the Farmers' Market this morning, including asparagus, at thirty cents per bunch. The stalls are becoming more attractive and the number of visitors is increasing as the weather grows more pleasant. Mr. Bell had two pairs of capon chickens, which weighed sixteen pounds a pair, and were sold at forty cents per pound.

SOUTH CHESTER SUNDAY LAW.—Desirous of passing a quiet Sunday in South Chester, Burgess Houston has issued a proclamation declaring his intentions of enforcing the Sunday law, henceforth. This is very proper and will accrue to the credit of the good burgess. Many of our citizens went down to South Chester on Sunday for their cigars, and this will block that game now.

AT ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—The Easter music will be repeated at the Service of Song at St. Luke's Episcopal Church, corner of Third and Broomall streets, at half-past two o'clock to-morrow afternoon, for the benefit of those who were unable to procure seats at the Easter anniversary. Seats are free and all are invited.

THE LAUNCH AT ROACH'S.—At four o'clock this afternoon, the side-wheel steamer Elias, built at Roach's for the Amazon river trade, will be launched. She is the smallest boat built at Roach's for some time and it is probable the interest in the affair will not be so great as on previous occasions.

NO CASES.—There were no hearings before the Mayor this morning. This has been a week of considerable activity in the Mayor's court, and a cessation of business is not regretted.

CHURCH TO BE DEDICATED.—The Lutheran church will be dedicated on the 18th of May, by the Rev. C. W. Schaffer, D. D., President of the Lutheran College of Pennsylvania.

SLOOP ASHORE.—There were two sloops ashore, one on the upper end of the bar and the other on the flats off Morton & Black's, this morning.

Y. M. C. A.—At Holly Tree Hall, tomorrow afternoon, Professor Foster will have charge of the devotional exercises.

HIGH BOAT.—The catch of shad last night was not so good as the one previous. This morning 30 was high boat.

THE average American kitchen and Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills both know dyspepsia; the one creates it, the other destroys it. Price 25 cents.

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PORTRAITS OF DECEASED RELATIVES.—Parties having photographs of deceased relatives or friends can have them enlarged and finely worked in crayon by
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3t 514 Market St., Chester.

EVERYBODY goes to the Original Boston 99c. Store, 45 North Eighth street, Philadelphia. Beautiful tables, 99c.; Rogers & Bro.'s spoons and forks, 99c. a set; steel knives and forks, leather bags, trunks, lamps, and a store filled with useful articles. Nothing over 99c. a9-d&w-3m

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DIED.

JAMES.—On the 25th inst., Wilmer James, M. D.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, North Chester, Pa., on Sunday morning next, the 27th inst., at 11 o'clock, without further notice. §§

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.—A STOUT BOY, 16 YEARS of age, to learn carriage painting.
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NOTICE.—The tenth annual meeting of the stockholders of the

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will be held in the rooms of the association, corner of Broad and Upland streets, Chester, on Saturday evening, April 26th, 1879, at 7½ o'clock. An election for nine directors and a treasurer will be held at the same time and place.
H. L. DONALDSON,
ap21-eod-3t Secretary.

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ROLL OF HONOR.

Pupils of the North Ward schools, whose names have been on the "Roll of Honor" for the past week are as follows:

Morton Avenue, No. 1.

STAR ROLL.

Emma Arment	Maggie Gorbey
Ella Beacham	Mary Hickey
Thomas Cowan	Ella Hinkle
Hannah Drain	Maggie Park
John Lear	Marian Kennedy
Mary Ledward	James Cassady
Nellie Malloy	Harry Davidson
Mary Simpson	Beckie McBride
Mary Wheaton	Clara Senatz
Bennie Fox	Julia O'Brien
Anna Ledward	

ROLL OF HONOR.

Rollie Evans	John McDade
Lewis Gregg	Tillie Hinkle
Mary Hamilton	Daisy Manning
Emma Wilkinson	Chas Foley

F. A. CAMPBELL, Teacher.

Eleventh Street, No. 4.

STAR ROLL.

Mary Duffy	Frank Donaldson
Mary Stewart	Frank Williams
Sadie Bergen	Zebulon Scott
Florence Williams	Thomas Bray
Maggie Laurie	George Diggins
Emma Davis	James Kelley
Ella Branin	James McDermott
Martha McDougall	Nicholas Edge
Katie Weaver	

ROLL OF HONOR.

Mary McCarey	Lottie Mudford
Annie Armstrong	Mary Humes
Helen Fahnestock	Willie Wills
Harriet Brierly	George McGinnis
Clara Blizzard	Bernard Biggins
Kate Gallagher	

L. K. BROUGHTON, Teacher.

Eleventh Street, No. 5.

STAR ROLL

Rosa Biggins	Sadie Walker
Josephine Gallagher	John Gallagher
Ida Mills	Mitchell Prince
Ellena Shields	Willie Pierce
Florence Shoemaker	Willie Scott
Josie Williams	

ROLL OF HONOR.

Annie Burns	Evelyn Tinney
Maggie Honan	Thomas Mudford
Nellie Moore	Marion Pilling
Rebecca Parker	Richard Robinson
Kate Tinney	

TILLIE SIMPSON, Teacher.

Morton Avenue, No. 2.

GOLDEN STAR ROLL.

Lizzie Clark	Mary Cross
Eveline Beacham	Tillie Lear
Minnie Gary	Mary Dougherty
Maude Maxson	Francis Boyle
Lillie Dannaker	Anna Mooney
Laura Hinkle	Clark Manning

STAR ROLL.

Rose Ball	Beckie Senatz
Mary Crowther	Mattie McKain

EMMA A. COTTON, Teacher.

Morton Avenue, No. 3.

STAR ROLL.

Carrie Denney	Celia Duffy
Myra Davis	Martha Edge
Willie Gregg	Annie Lamey
Mamie Martin	Bertie Ogden
Mary Riley	Samuel Walker
Jennie Nolan	

ROLL OF HONOR.

Beulah Arment	Nellie Brooks
Joseph Dougherty	Charlie Gregg
Eddie Green	Tillie Litzenburg
Bella McKain	Harry Magee
Fritz Schupp	

REBECCA WILDE, Teacher.

Morton Avenue, No. 4.

STAR ROLL.

Annie Matthews	Tillie Jones
Viola Howard	Jennie McCabe
Annie Swann	Sallie Ball
Mamie Kipple	Nettie Young
Joseph Kelley	George Hinkle
Harry Gary	

ROLL OF HONOR.

Bertie Maxson	Blanch Clark
Mary Hagan	Annie Edge
Annie Green	Kate Packwood
Bertha Saunders	Hannah Dougherty
Nellie Dougherty	John Kelley
Willie Downing	Howard Johnson

LIZZIE LONG, Teacher.

Eleventh Street, No. 3.

HONOR ROLL.

Dosy Hinkson	Ella Meredith
Lizzie Wanamaker	Mabel Sharpless
Mary Gallagher	Mary Schaffer

STAR ROLL

Lizzie Brooks	Emma Wilson
Mary Burk	Willie Wilson
May Cheetham	Beckie Barger
Ella Fildes	Louisa Boon
Lucy Fildes	Susie Ballantine
Barbara Giltinan	Kate Cregan
Wadsworth Jenkins	Millard Martin
Lottie Long	Sarah Pullen
Anna Parker	Annie Shepherd
Willie Reed	George Sill
Emma Scott	James McGee

LYNIE JOHNSON, Teacher.

Napoleon's Mother.

Letitia, the wife of Carlo Bonaparte, was married at seventeen, and became the mother of thirteen children, of whom five died in infancy. She was only nineteen when her second child, the wonderful Napoleon, was born. At the age of thirty-five she was left a widow, with eight children, of whom three were girls. Joseph, the oldest, and Napoleon were then at school, and the remainder of the family were soon compelled to remove from Corsica to Marseilles to escape the dangers of war. Within two years from that time Letitia Bonaparte saw her second son the first general in Europe. When he became Emperor she removed to Paris and was appointed protectress of charitable institutions; she was then fifty-four, and her intense anxiety concerning Napoleon rendered her life one of constant distress. The rejection of Josephine, the retreat from Moscow, the exile to Elba, and Waterloo were among her sad memories. She was in her sixty-fifth year when he was banished to St. Helena, and six years afterward she heard of his death. After his fall she retired to Rome, where she died in 1836, being then eighty-six. She had lived in widowhood fifty-one years, and had survived not only Napoleon, but also two of her daughters, Marie and Pauline. No other woman in the world was the mother of so many monarchs, for while Napoleon was Emperor, her oldest son, Joseph, was King of Spain; her youngest, Jerome, was King of Westphalia, at the same time that Louis was King of Holland, and Lucien, Prince of Cairo. The three daughters were also, through marriage, each raised to the dignity of a princess. A record of family honors to match the foregoing is nowhere found in history.

Snakes as Pets.

Of all ungrateful, ill-conditioned, disagreeable reptiles, the black snake takes the lead, and, with the exception of the common water snake, is the most pugnacious of all serpents I ever handled; it would bite fiercely when caught, and, further, it would bite in captivity whenever the temptation offered. We could not tame it to any extent until, by beating it smartly and repeatedly, we at length succeeded in getting it to a state of sullen, reluctant decency. Its bite caused some blood to flow, but otherwise amounted to nothing. The water snake (*Nerodia sipedon*), was as snappish and unappreciative of kindness as the black snake; would bite when first captured and also afterward during captivity, though in this latter state not always, but as caprice seized it. The copper-head (*Ancistrodon contortrix*) we had only in two instances. One was brought to us half dead, and died the same evening. The other we captured alive by placing the foot (well booted) on the reptile's neck, and inserting the snake by degrees into a box. It was always an uncivil, untamable animal, utterly indifferent to the comforts and allurements of civilized life. We contented ourselves with letting him alone and looking at him through the wire gauze front of his box. A large rattlesnake (*Crotalus durissus*) was sent to us from the Blue Mountains, but it had been so long in captivity before reaching us that all the spirit was out of it. It had large fangs, but never showed any disposition to use them, and though we took it from its box a dozen times a day and handled it, sometimes not over-delicately, still it never resented any of these liberties. Twenty-five years have since passed away, yet when I now think of our temerity in this instance, it is never without a shudder. What I did then with impunity and without thought, I would not now repeat for a million of money.—*Science News.*

A Warning to Western Farmers.

The *Colorado Farmer* counsels the agriculturists of his State to stick to their farms, and not be induced to leave their comfortable homes for the mining regions, where so much discomfort and uncertainty are in store for them.

We are told, says the editor, that farmers are quitting their farms or are letting their fields lie idle to rush to Leadville, or to haul freight from the railroad termini to the mining camps.

We have not a word of fault to find with them for striving to earn money, for all know how bravely they have struggled through two years of the locust plague, and two years of very low prices. But at this time to abandon their farms or fields to weeds and idleness, is suicidal.

There are pouring into Colorado 500 people every day, and this number will be increased twofold in less than month, and will be kept up well into the summer. At least 50,000 will be added to the population of the State. These people must be fed, and the bread and meat to feed them should be supplied by our farmers. To do so will take much more breadstuffs and feed than all our farmers can, under the most favorable circumstances, supply. Raise as much as you may, it will all bring a fair price, even if Kansas and other Western States raise as large a crop as last year, which we do not expect them to do.

More money can be made this summer on Colorado farms than in any one year for the past six, and it is the height of folly to quit a certainty for the very, very uncertainty of mining.

Farmers of Colorado, stick to your farms; don't let the *ignis fatuus* of mining camps lead you from the solid ground of your farms to the bogs and quagmires that are in and through and all around the camps and cities that are created by the excited crowd in the rush and struggle for wealth that is got by accident or luck.

—A quarrel requires two, and both are to blame.

—When a man dies people inquire what property he has left behind him. Angels will ask what good deeds he has sent before him.

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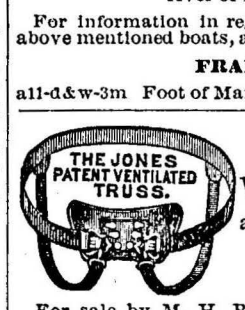
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NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5.10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

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PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER, 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.11, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞ For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

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9.45 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3.30 p. m., for Bethlehem, Norristown, Allentown, Easton, Schooley's Mountain and points on Morris and Essex Railroad.

7.25, 9.00 a. m., 3.45, 5.45 p. m. for Hartsville and points on N. E. P. R. R.

6.45, 9.30, 11.32 a. m., 1.45, 3.30, 5.30 p. m., 12.00 midnight for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne, Yardley, Trenton, Pennington and Hopewell.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5.40 p. m. for Norristown.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5 p. m., for Doylestown.

11 a. m. and 11 p. m. for Fort Washington.

5.30, 7, 7.25, 9, 11 a. m., 1.30, 3, 3.30, 3.45, 5, 5.45, 8.05, 9.30 and 11 p. m. for Abington.

6.30 p. m. accommodation for Lansdale.

12 midnight, for Jenkintown.

ON SUNDAYS.

9 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. for Hatboro and Hartsville.

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LATEST NEWS.

The Legislative Appropriation bill, which passed the United States House of Representatives on Saturday, with the political riders, by a party vote—140 to 118—will be presented in the Senate to-day and referred to the Committee on Appropriations. It will probably be reported back to the Senate to-morrow.

It is believed in Washington that the President will return the Army Appropriation bill to the House to-morrow or Wednesday with a veto message.

The sixtieth anniversary of Odd Fellowship in the United States was celebrated in the First Baptist Church in Washington yesterday afternoon. The President and Mrs. Hayes were present.

The force of men engaged in digging for the rescue of the buried miners at Sugar Notch have not yet reached the gangway where the unfortunate men were imprisoned. It is believed there is at least four feet of water in this gangway, and pumps are constantly at work.

The jury in the case of Peter E. Stevens, on trial in Chicago for killing his wife, returned a verdict yesterday of manslaughter, and fixed the penalty at fourteen years' imprisonment in the Penitentiary. As Stevens was being taken from the court room to his cell, his mother-in-law, Mrs. Young, stepped up behind him, put the pistol to his head, and pulled the trigger. Fortunately for him, a handkerchief in which the pistol had been concealed, caught the hammer, and the pistol missed fire. A warrant has been issued for the woman's arrest.

The President issued a proclamation on Saturday warning all trespassers from the Indian Territory.

The *Alta*, of San Francisco, publishes a letter from Samoa, saying that General Bartlett has been gazetted Premier, under protest from the German Consul.

The Sunday law in Newark, N. J., was enforced yesterday with more strictness than heretofore. Most of the cigar stores were closed, but those which kept open all day did a large business. The saloons were so closely watched that few of them had even their side doors open. Even the sale of the New York papers was stopped in the morning, and some people guilty of traveling for pleasure, were complained of to a magistrate.

A despatch from Vidalia, Concordia Parish, La., received in New Orleans on Saturday, reported that 3000 negroes were on the river banks, awaiting transportation to Kansas.

Two hundred colored refugees have arrived at Manhattan, Kansas. The citizens are giving them food and shelter, and trying to procure work for them on farms and in families.

Richards, the murderer of nine persons, was hanged at Minden, Nebraska, on Saturday. A crowd of twenty-five thousand persons gathered and tore down the fence which had been erected to conceal the execution from public view. Richards addressed the crowd, denying his guilt, and making profession of piety, even going so far as to lead in singing two verses of a hymn before he was sprung into eternity.

A tramp entered the house of G. H. Kitchen, near New Lebanon, Ohio, on Friday morning, during the absence of the family, and began to search a bureau. Carrie Roberts, a young servant girl, stole unobserved upon the robber, suddenly clutched him by the hair with one hand, and tried to wrench a box of jewelry from his grasp with the other. Failing in this, the brave girl sprang upon a chair, took a revolver from the top of a clock, and fired several shots at the tramp. The latter dropped the box, ran into the yard, and escaped over the fence.

Jesse Pomeroy, the boy murderer, attempted to escape from the State Prison at Concord, Mass., on the 18th instant. By means of a case knife, the edge and point of which were toothed like a saw, he cut one of the iron bars of the cell asunder at the bottom and nearly asunder at the top. The cast-iron fittings were also sawed apart and replaced with sawdust and soap, which acted as a cement to keep them in place. In replacing the cast-iron parts, Pomeroy failed to restore them in line, and the deviation caused the discovery.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, April 26.—Further adhesions of Durham colliery owners to the proposed arbitration on the whole case are announced to-day. The men are resuming work on that basis, and it is believed that the strike is practically ended.

The spectators at the walking match yesterday numbered 11,000. Corkey, the previous champion, last night, at nine o'clock, handed Brown the key of the champion belt, which the latter carried around the hall in triumph. At ten o'clock this morning the scores were as follows: Brown, 503 miles; Hazel, 472; Corkey, 454; and Weston 427. Brown was fresh, and going well; Hazel was going wearily; Corkey was very stiff and sore; and Weston was resting. At six o'clock this afternoon, the scores of the pedestrians were as follows:—Brown, 532 miles; Hazel, 485; Corkey, 467; and Weston, 437. Weston was playing monkey tricks around the track. Brown was leading around his child. The match terminated at 9.30 o'clock to-night. The score stood:—Brown, 542; Hazel, 492; Corkey, 473; and Weston, 450. Brown has beaten the fastest record by 21 miles. Corkey stopped a short time before eight o'clock, and Hazel shortly after. Fourteen thousand persons were present at the finish.

Shakespeare's Early Married Life.

The Hathaways had lived in Shottery for forty years prior to Shakespeare's marriage. The poet, then wholly undistinguished, had just turned eighteen, while his bride was nearly twenty-six, and it is often said now that she did very wrong to wed this boy-lover. They were married in November, 1582, and their first child, Susanna, came in the following May. Anne Hathaway must have been a wonderfully fascinating woman or Shakespeare would not so have loved her; and she must have loved him dearly—as what woman, indeed, could help it?—or she would not thus have yielded to his passion. There is direct testimony to the beauty of his person; and in the light afforded by his writings it requires no extraordinary penetration to conjecture that his brilliant mind, sparkling humor, tender fancy, and impetuous spirit must have made him in his youth the very paragon of enchanters. It is not known where they lived during the first years after their marriage. Perhaps in this cottage at Shottery. Perhaps with Hamnet and Judith Sadler, for whom their twins, born in 1585, were named Hamnet and Judith. Her father's house assuredly would have been chosen for Anne's refuge, when presently, in 1586, Shakespeare was obliged to leave his wife and children, and go away to London to seek his fortune. He did not buy New Place until 1597, but it is known that in the mean time he came to his native country once every year. It was in Stratford that his son Hamnet died, in 1596. Anne and her children probably had never left the town. They show her bedstead and other bits of her furniture, together with certain homespun sheets of everlasting linen, that are kept as heirlooms to this day, in the garret of the Shottery cottage. Here is the room that must often have welcomed the poet when he came home from his labors in the great city. It is a very homely and humble place, but the sight of it makes the heart thrill with a strange and incommunicable awe. You can not wish to speak when you are standing there. You are scarcely conscious of the low rustling of the leaves outside, the far-off sleepy murmuring of the brook, or the faint fragrance of woodbine and maiden's-blush that is wafted in at the open casement, and that swathes in nature's incense a memory sweeter than itself. —*Harper's.*

"Gander Parties."

Washington dinners are described by a correspondent of the Boston *Post*: "It is a fact capable of proof by history, according to this authority, that no man ever became very influential in Congress who did not give good dinners, or 'gander parties,' as the possibly jealous ladies term them. From the same source we learn that a knowledge of how to give good dinners made Colfax Speaker; that Blaine uses the same seductive means of success; that Simon Cameron was a peer of the great Sam Ward himself; that Henry Wilson rose by dinners, and at last physically succumbed to too much eating; and that Sumner did not despise to reach men's heads through their stomachs. The most frequent and best giver of dinners in the last Congress was said to have been Mr. Hewitt, of whom a writer says: 'His own stomach surrendered to his artistic palate years ago, but his science is still in its prime. There is hardly a day in seven that a dozen knees are not knocking neighborly under his mahogany. Fernando Wood is set down as a liberal entertainer, but his dinners are too much like grand banquets, and the guests too numerous. Nevada Jones' dinners were elaborate feasts. Thurman's are quiet and enjoyable, and Bayard's are eaten mostly by Western members. Of Butler it was said: 'The mantle of Simon Cameron seems to have alighted upon Ben Butler. Those seductive little champagne lunches which earned the Foreign Affairs Committee room the soubriquet of "Cameron's pantry," are spread now in the stone palace across the way. Until I learned the mystery of those lunches, and saw how easy it was to slip a member or a Senator out while an important bill was pending, I never understood, why Butler built his house where it stands—two miles nearly from the fashionable quarter of the city.'"

Miss Catharine Beecher.

Miss Catharine Beecher was the most learned and the most sensible of the remarkable family to which she belonged. She had not the genius of her more distinguished brother or sister, but her talents were of a high order, and her resources much greater than those of either. She had strong controversial powers, and such varied information, that she was panoplied like Minerva, from head to heel, for a fight at a moment's warning. Her theological conflict with Dr. Woods, the great Andover Professor, will be remembered. She wrote to me, saying that she had just got through with Leonard Woods, and now proposed to take hold of Leonard Bacon. Dr. Bacon had incurred her displeasure, and she regarded it her duty to reform him, as Dr. Cox would say, into necessary righteousness. She was a woman to be feared. At a large dinner party it was my pleasure to take her in to the table; she was lame and used one crutch; as I happened to be on the left of her, she said, "You will have to go upon my right." To which it was very natural to reply, "I wish to be always on the right side of you, Miss Beecher."—*Irenæus in N. Y. Observer.*

"Let Them Talk."

The remark of Mrs. Harrison, a handsome widow, has sense in it: "Let them talk about where I get my new clothes: so long as I can get for a trifle, Leamon's Dyes, made by Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt., I can always dress well."

VARIETY COLUMN.

—Children have more need of models than of critics.

—Every dog has his day; but the nights belong to the cats.

—There never would have been any milk in the cocoanut if some dairymen had had the construction of it.

—An old negro cook says: "Sass is powerful good in everything but children. Dey need some oder kind of dressin'."

—Bonnets are not worn in heathen lands. Hence churches are not popular there. It requires a new spring bonnet to develop the latent Christianity in a woman.—*Norr. Herald.*

—Detroit *Free Press*: "Never deceive your children," says Professor Swing. No, don't do it. Many a child has been ruined for life by a pill hidden under a spoonful of preserves.

—An exchange contains the marriage notice of a Mr. and Miss Carr. We notice it merely as an instance of Carr coupling by a clergyman, which is something unusual.—*Boston Transcript.*

—Joining in the amusements of others is, in our social state, the next thing to sympathy in their distresses, and even the slenderest bond that holds society together should rather be strengthened than snapt.—*Landor.*

—It is a great and marvellous thing to be a Christian, and God lays more stress on that than on the sacrament. For the Christian is not made for the sake of the sacrament, but the sacrament was instituted for the Christian.—*Luther.*

—"Can dogs find their way home from a long distance?" asks an exchange. It is according to the dog. If it is one you want to get rid of, he can find his way back home from California. If it is a good one, he is apt to get lost if he goes round the corner.

—A gentleman was talking to a friend, in the presence of his attorney, about the value of honesty. "Honesty!" said the attorney; "what is honesty?" "What is that to you?" retorted the gentleman; "don't meddle with things which do not concern you."

—A little girl was asked by her mother on her return from church how she liked the preacher. "Didn't like him at all," was the reply. "Why?" asked the mother. "Cause he preached until he made me sleepy and then hollered so loud he wouldn't let me go to sleep."

—"Now isn't he an angel?" said the fond mother as she seated the little fellow in his high chair at the table for the first time. "A sort of destroying angel," remarked the cynical father as he saw the five-dollar castor go spinning to the floor with a crash.—*New Haven Register.*

—A Russian woman of Wratshevo, Novgoroid, has been burned for witchery! Witches are very common in Russia; in fact, almost every family keeps a private witch tacked to the end of its name. Others, of course, prefer a pulmonary complaint. —*N. Y. Com. Adv.*

—A farmer in Norfolk county, Virginia, on the 9th inst., while plowing in a field that had not been under cultivation for several years, unearthed an iron chest containing several thousand dollars in American gold coin of dates as far back as 1830. The treasure is believed to have been buried during the last war.

—Two men walked into the office of the Illinois state treasurer, the other day, while the clerks were eating dinner, and with a cane having a fish-hook on the end of it, captured an envelope containing $,5000 in money. Illinois has a law against fishing with hooks in April, and if caught the men will be prosecuted.—*Milwaukee Sun.*

—An English physician says the idea that early rising promotes health and longevity is all foolishness. We discovered this fact some years ago. We got up before daylight to run to a fire, when we went down the stairs in too much of a suddenness, and if we didn't knock ten years off our longevity, we at least felt very unhealthy for about two weeks.—*Norr. Herald.*

—One of the best investments ever made by a large sign painting firm in New York many years ago, was to pay a man in Jersey City $600 for his secret preparation, by which he applied gold leaf in some kind of gilding. The man received the $600, took up a piece of glass, licked it with his tongue, and the gold leaf adhered beautifully. This was his secret, and it proved worth the sum to the others to know it.

—Ben Wade was the most original presiding officer of the United States Senate. It is related that one warm spring day, when he occupied the chair and his colleague was absent, dinner time drew nigh and he wanted to leave. Garrett Davis, of Kentucky had the floor, and at last Mr. Wade could stand it no longer. Giving a rap with his gavel, he said: "The Senator from Kentucky will suspend his remarks for a moment. The Senator from Ohio moves that the Senate now adjourn. Those in favor will say aye—contrary minded, no—and the Senate stands adjourned until to-morrow at 12 o'clock." The presiding officer was the only Senator from Ohio present, and he not only put his own motion, but cast the only vote on it and then announced the result.

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DAILY TIMES,
Chester, Pa.

JOHN SPENCER, *Proprietor.*

MONDAY, APRIL 28, 1879.

THOSE boys who whoop and halloo about our public halls and stamp up and down the stairways, or in some other wicked way disturb the audiences assembled in these halls, ought to be punished. We have a profound sympathy for boys, and rejoice in all their innocent fun. But such outrages as those we have mentioned are such sport as might with great wisdom and justice be completed in the lock-up. Two or three arrests would probably end the trouble. And these arrests should be made if to do it required the whole police force of the city.

ABOUT this time the stir of out of door work is heard. Those that during the long, dreary weeks of cold weather gathered around the stove or ventured out shivering and in dread are anxious now to breathe the pure air and enjoy the sunshine. The flower beds and shrubbery are being put in order, and the vines, loosened by winter storms, fastened to the trellis. One word in the ear of these amateur reformers. Don't neglect the whitewash brush. Use it freely and wisely. In diligent hands, and applied in the right way, this brush will work transformations almost magical.

WE recognize the good work accomplished by His Honor the Mayor, in having the Sunday law enforced. That this law is universally obeyed throughout the city is hardly possible. To accomplish so sweeping a reform requires time, and the Mayor can go no further nor faster than public opinion authorizes. We recognize the Mayor's sincerity in the matter, and hope sometime that the results will satisfy all judicious Sabbatarians. In no event is there anything to be gained by nagging. Those who resort to it presumably are either personally hostile to the Mayor or to the Sabbath, or else most unwise.

LONDON and Paris—especially the last—are among the best governed cities in the world, and at very small comparative cost to their citizens. This may seem strange to those who groan under the municipal burdens of these United States. But it is a fact, and one secret of it is that in London and Paris they collect a rent for almost every kind of street occupation. Railroads, telegraph poles, water and gas pipes, news and business stands, all pay to the city a consideration for their privileges. By this indirect taxation, the justice of which few will deny, ample revenues are collected to meet those expenditures which are requisite in every well managed municipality.

COOKING and sewing schools are a well-timed departure. Since sewing machines have had such widespread introduction hand sewing is becoming one of the lost arts. Since making hideous caricatures with the crayon or burlesqueing music with the piano has become fashionable, a knowledge of baking and roasting have rapidly disappeared. With things going as they have been for a few years longer our girls will be as innocent of our boys of all knowledge of those domestic economies which once stimulated feminine ambition. Somebody must cook and darn. If fashionable folly has decreed that these utilities must be foresworn by women, all the more need for schools where boys may be taught the mysteries of the oven and needle.

THE Suez canal was once ridiculed as a gigantic folly. Nor was this done by the unlearned alone. Experts who claimed to know all engineering mysteries and possibilities proclaimed absurd the attempt to connect by a water way the Mediterranean and Red seas. Nevertheless, the canal was built, and its success has fully equalled the hopes of its originators. There remains another canal to be made, at even a greater cost of skill and capital than that which bisected the Isthmus of Suez. It is a ship canal through Panama to unite the Atlantic and Pacific oceans. Whether it will be commenced this year or next, or when, we do not know. But this we do know, that the commercial facilities of the world will never be satisfactorily adjusted until this canal is completed.

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Any person wishing to subscribe for stock in the new series, will please call on either of the undersigned.
BENJ. F. BAKER, President.
GEO. M. BOOTH, Secretary.
S. GREENWOOD.
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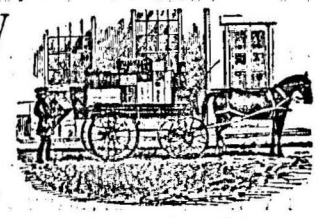
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OF
Chester & Surrounding Country.
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of undiminished success with the people of Chester, and a steady increase of sales, is the result. We publicly thank our friends for the past, and invite your attention to our display, the LARGEST, HANDSOMEST & CHEAPEST stock of
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DAILY TIMES.

TIME TABLE.

P. W. & B. R. R.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

MONDAY, APRIL 28, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Strawberries are ripe and dainty.

Not many capons in our market.

Some people always have to run for the train.

Shoes are becoming irksome to a good many boys.

Try the compressed yeast if you want good bread.

Yesterday was not all that could be desired for spring bonnets.

Be sure and give your chickens a dust heap to tumble about in.

Don't spend more than you earn. If you do, ruin will soon overtake you.

May parties this week. Unless the weather becomes warmer the flowers will be scarce.

The choir of the First Presbyterian church is quite small, but the singing is equal to any.

Try the fountain pen. It is the best invention of modern times for those who write much.

The steamer Thomas Clyde will commence making her trips down the bay in a few weeks.

The P. W. & B. R. R. is held in high esteem by the railroad men of the country. It is called a model road.

Read Ex-President Grant's brother-in-law's letter to Mr. W. W. Amos, the photographer. It speaks well of his work.

Don't imagine you are indispensable to this world. It lived and prospered before you came, and will do so after you leave.

Wilmington has issued four-and-a-half per cent bonds to pay off its floating debt. How is it that Chester has to pay five per cent?

Alderman Holt, who has been sick for many months, was on the streets this morning. His many friends were glad to see him.

Don't forget the concert of the Princeton Quartet, in Holly Tree Hall, on Friday evening next. They come highly recommended.

Mr. Donaldson's new building association will doubtless organize and elect officers next Thursday evening, May 1st. A few more shares left.

Walk up Madison street and take a look at Mr. Samuel Black's tulip bed. It will pay you. The garden contains many other beautiful flowers.

Old army saddles, that once did good service at the front, are now having a very pleasant time on the backs of peaceful and mettlesome steeds.

Some of our citizens always make it a point to go to funerals, and the longer the free ride the better they like it. Sometimes they will attend two in one day.

The Media *Record* was enlarged to a nine column paper last Saturday. It is a goed paper, and is being pushed with a good deal of vigor—a characteristic which is always sure to succeed.

The Students' Union will give an entertainment for the benefit of the Ladies' Union Benevolent Society, on Thursday evening, May 8th, in Holly Tree Hall. For such a worthy object the house should be crowded.

The Chester building association will issue a new series at its first meeting in May, which occurs on the fourth Tuesday in the month. This is a carefully managed association, all the officers being experienced men.

Another of those pleasant affairs—the annual supper of the Enterprise building association which the salaried officers tender to the directors—took place at Mrs. Morrison's, on Saturday evening last. It was highly enjoyed. This is the last supper this association will have, as it is about to terminate.

H. F. Kenney, Esq., superintendent of the P., W. & B. R. R. Co., has petitioned Court of Common Pleas No. 1, of Philadelphia, to make an order authorizing the company to sell a lot of goods which are now stored in the Southwark depot. at Washington and Swanson street, to pay claims which the company has for freights and other charges. Judge Allison granted the order.

LODGERS.—Since our last report, there have been 17 lodgers in the station house.

THE LAUNCH OF THE ELIAS.—Saturday afternoon at three minutes past four o'clock the little iron sidewheel steamer Elias, built at Roachs' for the Amazon river, was successfully launched from the ways, where, from ushapely pieces of iron and wood, it had been made a beautiful boat. Notwithstanding that the vessel was a small one, and that launches are of frequent occurrence in this city, the spectators numbered several hundred. There were a great many people on the boat when she went overboard, and standing on the ground about the ways, where a good view of the little steamer could be had. The vessel was universally admired as she sat on the ways ready to be shoved into the Delaware, and she might be, for she is a model of neatness, and the beauty of her form is seldom seen in iron vessels.

At about twenty minutes before four o'clock, the ship carpenters began taking the shores down and driving the wedges under the ways from stem to stern. This is a pretty sight—to see a number of good mechanics on either side of the ship, driving in a long line of nicely prepared wedges, so as to give the ship a proper elevation. About four o'clock this work was finished, and after a careful inspection of every part by Mr. John Fountain, under whose superintendence the launch was so successful, orders were given to saw the planks which hold the timbers on which the vessel rests. This was done at three minutes past four o'clock, and by the aid of the pump at the bow she started down the track at a rapid rate. She was not long reaching the water, and as her stern dipped into the troubled Delaware Miss Georgiana Faron, little daughter of Edward Faron, the architect at the yard, reached out over the rail, broke the bottle of wine which was neatly decorated with pretty colored ribbons, over the bow and named her Elias. The vessel slid very gracefully down the ways, and it was accorded one of the most successful launches ever had at the yard. She did not go far out into the river, and the tug George E. Weed towed her to the wharf, where those aboard were landed.

The vessel is 180 feet in length, 44 feet width over guards, 34 feet width of beam, and 10 feet depth of hold. She will have two masts, schooner-rigged, and her seven bulkheads are watertight, so that if accident happens to one part the rest will be dry. The iron on her is extra heavy for so small a boat, and it is calculated she will draw six feet of water.

The Elias is for Captain Burrows & Co., to carry freight and a few passengers on the Amazon river, between Para and San Antonio, a distance of 2500 miles. She was built with a view to great speed, and it is thought she will make as good time as the S. M. Felton on our river. As soon as she is completed the Messrs. Roach will deliver her in Brazil.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an alias venditioni exponas, issued at the instance of members of the corporation of the "Tinicum Fishing Company," of Philadelphia,, one John F. Smith, being the plaintiff, a judgment creditor in the sum of $277; the real estate of the corporation was sold by Sheriff Rowland on the premises west of the hospital grounds, at the Lazaretto, Tinicum township, on the 26th instant. The property was originally purchased in three tracts at sundry times, and it was so advertised and sold. The day was beautiful, but apart from creditors, lawyers and some two or three contignous neighbors, the sale was very poorly attended. The property is very advantageously situated, is valuably improved, and in an excellent state of cultivation, and it is said that within three or four years the corporation, the owners thereof, was offered $15,000 in cash, guaranteeing to the purchaser the title to low water mark.

The original purchase of the "Fishing Association" was a farm of 18 acres, and upon this tract all the buildings and improvements have been erected, houses, barn, wagon house, ice house, &c., at the cost of thousands of dollars. This property was struck off to Mr. Philip Hamilton, one of Philadelphia's ex-City Commissioners, for the sum of $1775.

The second tract put up, running Northeast, from Darby creek up the Delaware river, partly bounding the farm, containing 3½ acres of land, was purchased, or struck off to Wm. H. Kern, Esquire, ex-sheriff of Philadelphia, an active member of the corporation and a judgment creditor thereof, for the sum of $175.

The third parcel, or piece of land, lying north of the farm and southeast of the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad, was more recently purchased by the corporation for the sum of $1000. It contains 5 acres, 2 roods and 5 perches, and has the railroad for its northern boundary. This property was sold on Saturday to Wm. H. Kern, Esq., for the sum of $325.

If these several sales stand, the amount realized therefrom will fall far short of paying the judgment creditors of the company corporation. Individually they are gentlemen of means and influence, and their losses as corporators will in no way affect their pecuniary status, as business men. But some of the members of the Fishing Company have entered judgments against the lands.

Saturday afternoon Sheriff Rowland sold the following properties at the City Hall:

House and lot on Morton avenue belonging to William J. Harvey, to John B. Hannum, for $50.

House and lot on Fifth street, between Crosby and Madison, the property of Frank Winslow, to John B. Hannum, for $125.

SWALLOWS REBUILDING THEIR NESTS.—On Thursday last, Mr. H. B. Davis, the painter, was engaged in painting Goff's hotel, and when the painters came to the cornice of the house, there were three or four nests of English sparrows built thereto, and they took them down, threw them on the ground and did the painting. There happened to be young sparrows in some of the nests, in others, eggs. Saturday, the painters had occasion to go over the work again, and to their surprise they found the same nests fastened to the cornice. In the mean time the old sparrows had taken their nests from the ground, repaired the breaks and fastened them to the boards. The painters did not take them down a second time.

THE FOUNTAIN PEN.—One of the best devices of modern times for lawyers, bookkeepers, doctors, ministers or others who write a great deal is the fountain pen. We have been using one for over two weeks, and every thing that the inventor claims for it has been verified. It has all the convenience and smoothness of a lead pencil, with the permanency and clearness of ink. With ordinary writing enough ink can be carried in it to last a week, and it is always ready for use. The agent, Mr. Spiller, will probably canvass our city during the coming week. Receive him kindly. He has something which you will appreciate and prize highly after a few days' trial.

We publish the following letter from Lancaster, Pa., in which city Mr. Spiller was canvassing previous to his visit to Chester. Many of our readers will recognize the names of some of Lancaster County's most prominent citizens:—

LANCASTER, PA., April 9, 1879.

We, the undersigned, have been using "The MacKinnon Pen," from one to three months, and cheerfully acknowledge it to be all the agent (Mr. F. A. Spiller) can possibly claim for it.

We would, under no circumstances, part with our pens; the pen combines ink, inkstand, pen and pencil; is perfectly clean; can be carried in the vest pocket; always ready for use; it economizes time, and more work can be done with it, with less labor, than ever has been done since the invention of writing instruments; in fact, we consider it one of the greatest inventions for every person who has writing to do. Mr. F. A. Spiller is the authorized agent and the only person in this county from whom the pen can be purchased, and we advise all on whom he may call to purchase one, as a better investment for the money cannot be made.

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J. L. STEINMETZ,
J. B. LIVINGSTON,
President Judge.
OWEN P. BRICKER,
E. D. NORTH,
H. C. BRUBAKER,
JOHN S. BURSK,
D. S. BURSK,
G. C. KENNEDY,
J. L. LYTE.

EDUCATIONAL.—South Ward Secondary School No. 2, month ending April 25th, 1879:

First Division.—Sarah Lamb, 95.8; Lulu Hanbey, 94.8; Mary Dilley, 93.5; Lou. McWilliams, 92.9; Sarah Rowan, 92.8; Lizzie Madgin, 91.5; Agnes Burke, 88.9; Cora Walls, 87.9; Paxson Lewis, 88.7; Blanche Lewis, 86.9; Jennie Soppin, 86.9; Howard Stokley, 86.4.

Second Division.—Lilly Buck, 85.4.

Names of pupils in Patterson street school who made an average of 80 or more during the month ending April 25:

Seventh Grade—Eliza Russell, 87.4; Silas Long, 84; Wm. Colwell, 81.1; Clara Laws, 80.

Sixth Grade—Wm. Richardson, 88; Jos. Barrett, 86.5; Frank Watson, 85.5; Alex. Barrett, 86; Peter Williams, 84.4.

The following pupils of the Patterson street school No. 2 have made an average of 80 or more for the month ending April 25:

First Class—George Horsey, 89.1; Bertha Long, 89; Mary Hull, 86.1; Maggie Morris 83; Anna Jenkins, 83; Eugene Robinson, 82.

Second Class—Daniel Irons, 87; Samuel Brown, 86.3; Lizzie Taylor, 82; Priscilla Hayman, 80.

The following are the names of the scholars in Welsh street school No. 6 who have made an average of 85 or over, for the month ending April 25, 1879:

First Class—Ellie T. Creamer, 97; John J. Gildea, 95.6; Marion L. Chestnut, 95.4; Ella Hooff, 93.2; Mary Messick, 92.8; James B. Wise, 91.8; Lizzie M. Minshall, 88.6; Ella L. Dutton, 88.2; Laurance N. Deering, 88; Charlie N. Mullen, 88; George T. Bolton, 87.6; Sarah M. Brown, 86.2; May M. Mitchell, 85.6; Fannie Kugler, 85.

Second Class—Theresa Gildea, 93.2; Jakie Bauer, 91.7; Lettie B. Sheaff, 91.5; C. Mottie Wilke, 90.7. James F. Techton, 88.5; George T. Pierce, 85.7; Willie Cullingworth, 85.

A MAN STEALS FROM HIS FRIEND.—Sullivan Schofield, a colored man, was given a hearing before the Mayor this morning on the charge of stealing a coat, a silver watch, and four or five dollars from Wm. Davis, who had given Schofield a home for a few days at his house, in the Ninth ward, Wilmington, Del. Davis not only gave Schofield a home, but procured work for him to go to this morning. Early this morning Schofield decamped with the above named articles. When Davis got up, he missed man, money and his meeting coat. He immediately boarded a train at Wilmington, and overtook Schofield at Linwood station, this county, just as the latter was getting on a train. He arrested Schofield after a long run, which he said exhausted his wind, and got his valuables. Just as Davis was taking the coat off the thief, the latter boarded a passing train, and the former jumped on after him, brought him to Chester, and handed him to officer Hooff.

After the hearing the Mayor said it would require a requisition from the Governor of Delaware to get the prisoner back, unless he (Davis) chose to take the responsibility and take him himself. Davis said he would take him back, and give him to Mayor Allmond. Schofield was handcuffed, and Davis started off with him to the train, and doubtless succeeded in getting him to Wilmington. Davis recovered nearly all of his goods.

AN OLD BOOK.—While tearing down the old house of Mr. Gardener on Market street above Third, a few days ago, a number of pages of an old ledger bearing the date of 1786, was found in one of the recesses of the walls. The accounts were kept in pounds, shillings and pence, and it was a quaint affair. None of the names therein corresponded with those who live in Chester at this day. The part of the old book is now in the possession of Mr. G. W. Weaver.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.—The committee appointed at the last Democratic Convention to get up suitable rules for the government of the party in this city, have completed their labors and are now ready to report. A meeting of the Democratic citizens will be held to-morrow evening in the City Hall, to hear the rules read and to adopt the same.

WANTED TO SEE HER CORPSE.—Saturday morning a young lady living in the North ward, while going about doing her usual forenoon work, thinking how nice her new spring hat would look on Sunday, accidentally ran a long splinter under one of her finger nails. After she pulled it out, she almost fainted, and as there was no one home but herself she could not send for the family physician. It was an ugly wound and painful, and caused her more serious thought than all the spring bonnets or new dresses in creation. She had often heard of people dying from lock jaw caused by wounds about the finger nails, and this worried her not a little. To know just what kind of a corpse she would make were she to die then worried her more than death itself. Of course she was young and did not want to die, but in case lock-jaw and death followed she desired to see how she would look when a corpse. She knew she could not see herself after she died, so she went to bed, closed her eyes and lay down as if in death She held a looking-glass in front of her, and by squinting out from under one eye-lid, she managed to see herself in a manner. Her finger is all right now, and she is just as able to do her work as ever.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—The cadets had another good game of ball on Saturday. It was warm work. Hot or cold base ball is a pleasant medicine for the young men.

The following is the programme of the athletic contest, and for which prizes will be offered:

Throwing base ball.
Mile run.
Hop, step and jump.
Mile walk.
Five-mile walk.
Five mile. Go-as-you-please.
One hundred yards dash.
Standing high jump.
Running broad jump.
Quarter mile run.
Wrestling.
Running high jump.

This important event takes place next Thursday afternoon, and will doubtless attract a large concourse.

A SPARRING EXHIBITION.—A sparring exhibition was given in National Hall, this city, Saturday evening, as a benefit for Harry Hicken, who was second to John Clark in his recent fight with Chambers, in Canada, but it was not much of a benefit. There were very few people there. Chester does not take to pugilistic encounters, and consequently the gate money did not pay the expenses. There was some sparring, but it lacked interest. The principal match was between Harry Hicken and Frank Gormley, of Philadelphia, who made a grand assault upon each other. A few Chester men parried around the stage for a while, and then sat down for want of wind. One party made a jump backwards a distance of 9½ feet, and after a little music from the concertina the affair adjourned.

A BURGLARY IN WILMINGTON.—Yesterday morning Chief of Police Litzenberg received a telegram from Chief Maxwell, of Wilmington, Del., requesting him to look out for a large amount of goods, consisting of silks, fine hosiery and the like, that had been stolen from Mr. Granville Worrell's store under Masonic Hall, there on Saturday night. The value of the silk was about $3000, and a reward of $300 is offered for the capture of the thief and recovery of the goods. Chief Maxwell stopped in Chester last evening while on his way to Philadelphia. The authorities of Wilmington believe that Chester parties were implicated in the burglary. Dispatches have been sent to all the principal cities, and it is probable that the robbers will be captured.

POLICE NEWS.—The Mayor disposed of the following cases yesterday morning:

Thomos Lindsay and Patrick Dalton were arrested by officers Frank Wilson and Hooff, on the charge of being drunk and disorderly. Each was fined one dollar and costs, and in default they were committed.

John McDevitt, arrested by officer John Keenan, for a like offence to the above, was fined one dollar and costs, and in default committed.

Zol and Jacob Kelly were arrested yesterday afternoon by officers Stewart and Ireland for corner lounging, and were given a hearing before the Mayor, but they were discharged.

PERSONAL.—Rev. DeWitt Clinton Bylles-by, of Roselle, N. J., has accepted a call to Christ Church, at Media, this county.

Hon. Nathan Garrett, Representative in the State Legislature from this county, was taken with a severe attack of pneumonia, while at Harrisburg last week, and was obliged to go home on a leave of absence. We wish for his speedy recovery.

Dr. W. H. Forwood, surgeon in U. S. A., and brother to our Mayor, has been added to the number of medical officers who are to represent the Army at the annual meeting of the American Medical Association at Atlanta, Ga., May 6th. Dr. W. H. Forwood is a native of Delaware county.

COULD NOT ROW.—On Saturday, two young men came from Media and hired a row boat from Mrs. Mason to row to Philadelphia and return. They started out all right, and reached the City of Brotherly Love after considerable hard work. They were unused to rowing, and on the return trip became completely exhausted. At Eddystone they were too weak to pull an oar, and were compelled to run ashore, land and walk to Chester. The young men acted honorably, however. They told Mrs. Mason what they had done, and paid her to send a man after the boat.

GOT CUT HIMSELF.—It is asserted that the man who cut Constable Shapless on the hand, Friday evening, had not proceeded far on his way when he assaulted some one else, but got worsted. He had his head severely cut. His name could not be learned.

SHAD NET CUT.—This morning when Jacob Kline, who is fishing for Mr. Wilson, started to take up his net, which was about 450 fathoms long, he found that somebody had cut about 100 fathoms of it off, and either carried it away or allowed it to float away. It is quite a loss, but the seine is sufficiently long enough to fish with yet. It was very dark, and Mr. Kline could not tell when it was done.

LARGE CATCH OF SHAD.—The famous shad came up the Delaware river in great schools last night, and the boats came in this morning loaded with the scaly tribe. One boat had 280, which was high, and others ranged as low as 100. The large number coming in the market this morning brought the prices down. They sold slowly for $15 per hundred. Anybody can now have a good shad.

A NEW SHODDY MILL.—We understand that Messrs. Jeremiah Wallworth & Son propose erecting and operating a new shoddy mill on Eighth street, in the borough of Upland. Operations will be started very soon.

THE CONTESTED ELECTION.—This afternoon, at two o'clock, the contested election case of Engle vs. Brooks, will be heard before H. G. Ashmead, Examiner.

Additional Locals on Fourth Page.

THE bad effect of imprudence in eating and drinking are speedily removed, and the depressions following eating are quickly banished by the use of Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills. Price 25 cents.

LOOK HERE!—A man's good working shoe for $1. DERRICKSON,
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Letter from Ex-President Grant's Brother-in-Law.

ST. LOUIS, MO., April 24th, 1879.

MR. W. W. AMOS, Chester, Pa.:

Dear Sir: Since the receipt of yours of March 31st, I have had so much business to attend to that I have delayed answering until to-day. My people are much pleased with your production and think it better than any I have had taken heretofore. You will please send me one dozen, and half a dozen of my son—the large size. I send P. O. Order for the amount.

Yours, truly,
2t JNO. C. DENT.

JUST received, another lot of those ladies' fine kid fox button shoes at $1.25. New York Shoe Store. §

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DIED.

HOOPES.—On the 25th inst., Pascal J. Hoopes, M. D., in the 52d year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, No. 7123 Woodland avenue, Philadelphia, (Paschalville), on Tuesday next, the 29th inst., at 1 o'clock P. M. Interment at Media Cemetery. §

JACKSON.—In this city, on the 25th inst., James Jackson, aged 73 years.

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CHESTER, PA. ap28-tf

CITIZENS' BUILDING ASSOCIATION.—The regular meeting of the Citizens' Building Association was held on Saturday evening last. A loan of $1000 was sold for 15 per cent. premium.

At the South Chester Building Association, the following loans were made: $500, at 2¼ per cent. and $3000 at par.

ROBBERY AT NEW CASTLE.—Two gentlemen visited this city from New Castle, Del., yesterday, to look for burglars who had committed a robbery in that town, Friday evening. A number of pairs of boots and shoes, and other articles of value were stolen. No clue of the thieves was obtained here, but they are supposed to be Chester parties.

DISCHARGING A GUN ON SUNDAY.—Yesterday morning about two o'clock, there was heard the report of a gun in the vicinity of Eleventh and Madison streets. Why a gun should be discharged on Sunday morning, in the built up portion of the city, is more than we are able to learn. The police should investigate such matters.

SENT BACK TO JAIL.—John Welsh, who was arrested on Monday last by officer Joshua Wilson, on the supposition of being a pickpocket, was given a hearing before Judge Clayton, on Saturday, on a writ of *habeas corpus*, but after the Judge heard the evidence he remanded the prisoner back to jail to await a hearing.

AN ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY.—About two o'clock this morning, an attempt was made to rob the grocery store of Mrs. S. W. Pusey, at Fourth street and Morton avenue. They tried one of the store windows, but were frightened off by the dog. A pane of glass was broken, but no other damage was done.

SERENADED.—Saturday evening, the Friendship band of this city went to Kelleyville in States' express wagon and serenaded the Kelleyville band. The Friendship boys were well received and discoursed some lively music.

Trousers Pockets.

The use of the trousers pockets as a depository for the hands is a custom which savors both of vulgarity and impudence. Under certain circumstances it both implies a slight and suggests defiance, and is almost more offensive than any other attitude that a man can take. On the other hand, it may be urged that there are times when it is perfectly admissable, as being suggestive of familiarity and friendship. There are occasions when the act of lying upon a sofa would be an unwarrantable breach of decorum, and there are others when it would be consistent with the strictest etiquette. So, likewise, may the thrusting of one's hands into one's pockets be a deliberate insult or allowable proceeding, according to surroundings and circumstances. There are various ways of indulging in this habit, including many gradations between vulgarity and refinement; and we do not think that the most copious letter-press, accompanied by numerous illustrations, could define them exhaustively. It would be hard to say when this practice first became general.

Warnings to be learned by Heart about Kerosene.

Always fill a lamp by daylight and never while lighted. If obliged to fill them at night, have the light a few feet distant.

Lamps should be filled daily and never lighted when partly empty.

Select lamps which have the burner considerably elevated above the body of the lamp.

Trim the wick square across to get the best light.

A lamp with the wick turned far down is more likely to explode.

If burning oil gets upon the floor, smother it with a rug or blanket.

If your clothes take fire do the same and *lie down.*

Never pour oil on a fire from a can—*never.*

The observance of these rules *may save* many a life.

Treating the Cattle Disease.

A correspondent of the Philadelphia *Ledger*, living in Montgomery county, says that he had of cattle were afflicted with pleuro-pneumonia some years ago. Out of a herd of four-teen but one died, after which he used his usual remedy in any case of cattle sickness, that is flaxseed oil. He gave to each cow about three doses. About half the number were so bad that his neighbors advised him to kill them, but he disregarded their advice and kept on with his remedy. Every cow in a short time recovered her former good health and came to her milking as usual.

A Petrified Printer.

The Harrisburg *Patriot* states that when the remains of Mr. Benjamin Singerly, formerly State printer of Pennsylvania, were disinterred at Pittsburg a short time ago, for the purpose of removal to Philadelphia, they were found to have undergone petrification. The entire face and form seemed as if chiseled in marble, every feature and lineament being as perfect as in life. Mr. Singerly weighed, at the time of his death, some two years ago, nearly 200 pounds, but the petrified corpse weiged 980 pounds, and a block and tackle were found necessary to raise it from the grave.

—A teacher in one of the Westfield (Mass.) public schools was startled the other day at the answer she got from one bright little scholar. On the blackboard was the picture of an ostrich, and the teacher described its great strength and power of endurance, closing by saying it was the only bird upon which a man could ride. "I know another," spoke up a little chap. "Well, what is it?" "A lark." Unsuspectingly, the teacher asked, "How can you prove that, Johnny?" "All I know about it," said the boy, "is that mother every little while says father's off on a lark, and when he comes home he looks as if he had rode awful fast."

—The *Gartner-Zeitung*, speaking of a reminiscence of the tulip mania, says that two houses in the main street of Hoorn, near Amsterdam, were offered for sale for demolition. The houses were purchased during the tulip trade which flourished in the 17th century, with the proceeds of three tulip bulbs. The record of this purchase was preserved in a stone inserted in the gable of one of the houses.

—I would rather dissent from the opinions of ten men than call in question the infallibility of one woman. When ten men or ten thousand, are on the wrong side of a question, it is not with me a matter of numbers or strength; but thinking of the promise about one man chasing a thousand, and that proverb of him who is doubly armed, because his quarrel is just, I press onward with perfect confidence of the result. Not so when a woman is on the other side. Then caution, gentleness, patience and forbearance are required, and with all these, and right also, one is not sure of coming out first best.—*Irenæus.*

—There is a rabbinical story which tells the value in which pearls were held in the early ages, only one object in nature being thought to be placed above them: "On approaching Egypt Abraham locked Sarah in a chest, that none might behold her dangerous beauty. But when he came to the place of paying the customs the collector said, "Pay us the custom;" and he said, "I will pay the custom." They said to him, "Thou caeriest clothes;" and he said, "I will pay for clothes." They said to him, "Thou carriest gold;" and he answered, "I will pay for my gold." On this they further said to him, "Surely it must be the finest silk;" he replied, "I will pay the custom for the finest silk." Then said they, "Surely it must be pearls that thou takest with thee;" and he only answered, "I will pay for pearls." Seeing that they could name nothing of value for which the patriarch was not willing to pay customs they said, "It cannot be—but open thou the box, and let us see what is within." So they opened the box and the whole land of Egypt was illuminated by the luster of Sarah's beauty, far exceeding even that of pearls."

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PROPOSALS FOR GUTTER STONE.

Sealed proposals, addressed "proposals for gutter stone," will be received by the undersigned Committee on Streets, of the city of Chester, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, May 5th, 1879, for 4,000 feet of gutter stone, 12 inches wide, not less than 3 feet in length, and not less than 2 inches thick. Stone to be delivered at any place designated by the Street Commissioner.

The Committee on behalf of the city reserve the right to reject any or all bids that may be offered.

PAUL KLOTZ,
JOHN YOUNG,
ROBERT CHADWICK,
a24-28-m3 Committee on Streets.

PROPOSALS FOR GRADING.

Sealed proposals, addressed "proposals for grading," will be received by the undersigned Committee on Streets, of the city of Chester, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, May 5th, 1879, for the grading of Gerhard street, from Second to Mary street, and Mary street, from Norris to Tilghman street.

Plans and specifications and any information relating thereto can be obtained at the office of the City Surveyor.

The Committee, on behalf of the city, reserve the right to reject any or all bids that may be offered.

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Pittsburg Express, except Sunday,	6.30 P. M.
Cincinnati Express, daily,	9.10 P. M.
Pacific Express, daily,	11.55 P. M.
Niagara Exp, daily, except Sunday	7.20 A. M.
Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday,	11.45 A. M.
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday,	11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday,	7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday,	11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday,	8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday,	11.45 A. M.
Mail Train { Daily, except Sunday,	8.00 A. M.
{ On Sunday—Harrisburg only,	8.00 A. M.
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday,	7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday,	8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday,	11.45 A. M.

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renove, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily except Sunday.

NEW YORK DIVISION.

Trains leave Depot, Thirty-second and Market streets.

Express for New York, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 7, 7.35, 8, 8.30, and 11 A. M. (Limited Express, 1.30 P. M.) 2, 4, 5.30, 7 and 7.35 P. M.

Sunday Trains, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 8, 8.30 A. M., 4, and 7.35 P. M.

For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

From Boston, 7.05 A. M., daily, except Monday, and 9.10 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets.

Express for New York, 7.00 and 8.35 A. M.

Train arrives:—From New York, 7.42 P. M

BELVIDERE DIVISION.

Trains leave Depot, Thirty-second and Market streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.40 and 10.15 A. M., and 4.10 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, Flemington, &c., 10.40 P. M.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.12 and 4.00 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, &c., 4.55 and 9.50 P. M. From Scranton and Water Gap &c., 4.55 and 9.50 P. M.

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

HENRY WOOD, General Superintendent.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878.

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER, 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞ For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

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7.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m., Express for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk.

8.15 a. m. and 8 p. m., Fast Line for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Auburn, Ithaca, Geneva, Rochester, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and the West. Sleeping Cars through to Niagara Falls. 8 p. m. runs daily.

9.45 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3.30 p. m., for Bethlehem, Norristown, Allentown, Easton, Schooley's Mountain and points on Morris and Essex Railroad.

7.25, 9.00 a. m., 3.45, 5.45 p. m. for Hartsville and points on N. E. P. R. R.

6.45, 9.30, 11.30 a. m., 1.45, 3.30, 5.30 p. m., 12.00 midnight for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne, Yardley, Trenton, Pennington and Hopewell.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5.40 p. m. for Norristown.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5 p. m., for Doylestown.

11 a. m. and 11 p. m. for Fort Washington.

5.30, 7, 7.25, 9, 11 a. m., 1.30, 3, 3.30, 3.45, 5, 5.45, 8.05, 9.30 and 11 p. m. for Abington.

6.30 p. m. accommodation for Lansdale.

12 midnight, for Jenkintown.

ON SUNDAYS.

9 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. for Hatboro and Hartsville.

9.30 a. m., and 8.00 p. m., for Bethlehem and Allentown.

9.30 a. m. and 2.00 p. m., for Doylestown.

9.00 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne Yardley and Trenton.

11 a. m. for Abington.

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Leave Chester Depot at 7.45 A. M., 3.11 P. M.

Leave Media at 10 A. M., and 5 P. M.

During Court leave Media at 1 P. M., instead of 10 A. M.

SUNDAY TRIPS.

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LATEST NEWS.

In the U. S. Senate, yesterday, Mr. Williams introduced a bill to regulate the legal value of metal money, and provide for the free and unlimited coinage of gold and silver. The Legislative Appropriation bill was received from the House and referred to the Committee on Appropriations. Mr. Pendleton, of Ohio, spoke in support of his bill allowing Cabinet officers to sit in Congress. Mr. Morrill spoke in opposition to the bill, after which it was laid on the table, to be called up hereafter. The bill to prevent the introduction of epidemic diseases into the United States was taken up, pending which the Senate went into executive session, and afterwards adjourned.

The Legislative Appropriation bill will be considered to-day by a sub-committee of the Senate Committee on Appropriations, and may not be acted upon by the full Committee before Thursday. In this bill the House has renewed its attempt, made in several preceding Congresses, to regulate the number and pay of the employees of the Senate. The Senate will no doubt again refuse to consent to the reductions proposed by the House, and the bill will, therefore, go back to the House with amendments.

Rush Clark, Congressman from Iowa, died suddenly in Washington yesterday, after twelve hours' illness of meningitis. He was in his seat in the House of Representatives on Saturday, and seemed in good health on Sunday. He was taken sick at three o'clock yesterday morning, and died about three o'clock in the afternoon.

Commodore Beaumont will leave Washington to-day to assume command of the Portsmouth Navy Yard. Captain Clark Wells, who succeeds him as Chief Signal Officer of the Navy, will enter upon the duties of that position on the 1st of May.

It is said the American Print Works at Fall River, Mass., have completed arrangements for securing the desired extension for two years.

The steamer Albert arrived at Pictou, N. S., yesterday, from the Magdalen Islands, with the first mail of the season. The winter at the Islands was moderate, the field ice disappeared early, and the seal hunting on shore was very good. Provisions of all kinds were very scarce.

The buried miners at Sugar Notch, near Wilkesbarre, were rescued yesterday morning, after having been entombed five and a half days. They had subsisted for three days on steaks cut from a mule which they killed on the second day of their confinement. They say they could have lived for two weeks longer on their supply of mule meat.

The Union Veterans, of Chicago, at a meeting held last evening, adopted a resolution approving the "manly moral courage" of Senator Logan, "in declining to accept the code duello as a means of refuting a vile calumny which needs no refutation, and thus setting at defiance a barbarous custom by one whose personal courage has so often been demonstrated in defence of his country."

At St. Louis, yesterday, Judge Cody, of the Crimihal Court, fined about fifty lottery vendors from $500 to $800 each for selling tickets of the Missouri State Lottery, and committed them to jail pending payment of the fine.

The safe of the Foxboro' Savings Bank, at Foxboro', Mass., was attached yesterday morning for $1000. A keeper was appointed, with instructions to allow no money to be paid out.

A fight occurred among colored roustabouts on the steamer Holliday, at New Orleans, yesterday, in which two men were killed. Another jumped overboard and was drowned.

Three colored women and a child were poisoned at Potter's Grove, near Savannah, Ga., last Saturday night. Two of the women have died, and the other woman and child are not expected to recover. A colored woman has been arrested for the crime.

Counsel for John E. Poindexter, convicted of manslaughter, in killing C. C. Curtis, at Richmond, Va., yesterday submitted a motion for a new trial. After a long argument, the matter was postponed until Thursday.

The managers of most of the ocean steamship lines at New York have given notice that, on and after Thursday next, they will not pay for loading or discharging vessels more than 25 cents per hour, day and night alike. The companies now pay 36 cents per hour for day work, and special rates at night.

W. F. Cassebohem, First Assistant City Treasurer of New Orleans, committed suicide yesterday afternoon. He left a note to the Coroner, saying that he had been led into stock speculation by Alexander Austin, late Tax Collector (who also committed suicide); that he had lost $35,000 in speculation, and used $20,000 of the city's money to cover margins, and, being unable to make it good, saw no resort but to follow Austin's example. He had always borne a good name, and could not bear the disgrace of public exposure and prosecution. Deceased was 50 years of age.

The wife of Postmaster Pearce, of Bristol, R. I., made two attempts to commit suicide yesterday morning. It will be remembered that her husband was mysteriously shot while in bed one morning last week. He is expected to recover.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, April 28.—The meeting of the association of master coal miners, at Newcastle, on Saturday, adjourned *sine die*, without taking any action. The owners who accepted the proposal for an open arbitration do not belong to the Masters' Association.

Hanlan is progressing satisfactorily in his daily practice for the race on the Tyne. Hawdon has a severe cold and cough. The weather continues to be very trying. Six to four on Hanlan is now freely offered, and as freely taken.

The McHenry party has issued a scheme for reconstructing the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad without foreclosure or lease to the Erie Company. The circular embodies a requisition to Sir Henry Tyler, Sir Charles Young and Captain Douglass Galton to act as a committee for carrying out the scheme.

The *Times* says: "Mr. P. Lorillard's bay colt, Uncas, has gone amiss, and may not run on Wednesday for the 2000 Guinea Stakes at the Newmarket spring meeting."

Russia.

LONDON, April 28.—The Cologne *Gazette* says, "The Czar no longer goes out without a military escort, and many high dignitaries who have been threatened also have escorts."

LONDON, April 28.—The trial of the three medical students who were convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for disturbing public order and maintaining secret connections, mentioned in these despatches on the 26th inst., took place in Berlin, and not in St. Petersburg. Their names are Gerewitz, Arohnson and Liebermann—all Jews. Liebermann, under the alias of Arthur Freeman, is connected with leading Socialists in Europe and America, and was on his way to Switzerland, from Vienna, whence he had been expelled after a month's imprisonment, when he was seized and taken to Berlin on account of his communications with Gerewitz and Arohnson. His letters showed a plan for establishing in Berlin a section of Nihilists to act as a sort of way station for communications between the London and St. Petersburg revolutionists.

The Man With Two Graves.

Gen. Anthony Wayne is one of the few famous men who have had two graves, each equally entitled to commemoration. He died of gout at Erie, Pa., then Fort Presque Isle, in 1796, when he was on his return from the successful Indian campaign in the Northwest. He was buried at the foot of the flag staff in the fort, and there lay undisturbed for nearly twenty years. Then there came through the woods from the other end of the State, in a sulky, his son, Isaac Wayne, in search of his father's bones. He engaged Dr. John G. Wallace, who had been through the Indian wars with Gen. Wayne, to exhume his bones, and pack them in a box, that they might be strapped to the sulky, and taken through the woods and over the mountains to the family residence in Chester county. When Dr. Wallace opened the grave he found to his great surprise the body in an almost perfect state of preservation. The flesh had not decayed. But it was impossible for young Wayne to carry the coffin and contents in his sulky. So Dr. Wallace, who seems to have been as devoid of feeling as one of the Indians whom he fought, decided on his motion, and without consulting Mr. Wayne, to separate the General's bones from their enveloping flesh, and thus enable them to be removed. To accomplish this boiling had to be resorted to, and the bones were then denuded of the flesh by the use of knives, and were packed and carried away by young Wayne, and buried near the homestead in which General Wayne was born and in which his descendants still live.

This account of the ghoul like proceedings of Dr. Wallace has an incredible sound, but it is literally true, and will be corroborated by an old citizen of Erie. Young Mr. Wayne knew nothing of Dr. Wallace's operations until many years after. He was then greatly shocked, and declared that he would never have permitted such treatment of his father's remains, but postponed their removal to a more convenient season. Yet there is no reason to doubt that Dr. Wallace, who was a useful and prominent man in his day, thought he was doing everything for the best, and meant no disrespect to the mortal part of his old friend and patient and army comrade, Gen. Wayne.

Over the General's bones, in Chester county, a monument was raised. But his flesh was returned to its grave at the foot of the flag staff, Fort Presque Isle, by Dr. Wallace, and forgotten. The fort—a mere stockade—crumbled away, the flag staff decayed, and the precise location of the grave was lost.

Some four years ago, however, a digger for relics on the site of the old fort, unearthed a cover into which brass headed nails had been driven as to form the initials "A. W.," with the figures of Wayne's age, date of his death, &c. This determined the location of the grave, and there has since been in Erie a feeling that it should be marked by a monument of some sort. It has, in fact, been surrounded by chains, supported by four pieces of superannuated artillery, and also marked by a flag staff, but something more prominent is desired, and will doubtless be built—if not by legislative aid, then by local subscription.

Deficient Energy.

Kidney-Wort, by its gentle cathartic action on the bowels, creates a sort of energy, enabling the system to throw off obstructing cause of kidney and liver disorders. For chronic and severe piles it is an admirable specific. Sold by Druggists.

—A courteous old gentleman being told a very tough story, said: Since you were an eye witness I suppose I must believe you, but I don't think I'd believed it if I'd seen it myself.

The Sugar Notch Miners Rescued.

WILKESBARRE, April 28.—The entombed miners at Sugar Notch were rescued at 8 o'clock this morning. Yesterday the rescuing party succeeded in drilling a hole to the lower part of the mine, thus showing that it was only necessary to drive a few feet further to effect an opening into the gangway. Work was then necessarily performed slowly and carefully, as there were indications of firedamp, which necessitated the driving and cutting of the coal with the pick alone. The opening was effected at 8 o'clock, and Mine Superintendent Smith was the first to enter. He found a portion of the men cooking breakfast of mule steaks, cut from the mule which the boy who was sent to warn them of the impending danger had fortunately taken with him, and which was killed on the second day of their confinement. The balance of the party was engaged in changing the direction of an air course. Very little was said, and the entire party used all possible despatch in getting out of the mine, reaching the surface shortly after 9 o'clock. The crowd that had assembled was very enthusiastic, and repeatedly cheered the rescued men and their plucky deliverers. The men were then sent to their homes. They state that during Saturday and Sunday they could hear the rescuing party firing blasts, and when the blasting ceased they believed that the work had been stopped, and that they were abandoned to their fate. They also say they could have subsisted at least two weeks longer, had it been necessary, upon their supply of jerked mule meat. Too much praise cannot be awarded to the brave men who accomplished the great work of driving and timbering a passage-way of 1,200 feet, through rock, slate and coal in the space of four days and nights; to the bosses directing the work and to the engineering skill displayed in locating and directing the openings. The men when released had been confined five and a half days. They stood the long confinement very well. The boy upon reaching the surface leaped over the enclosure at the mouth of the opening and ran rapidly homeward.

One hundred dollars was presented to each of the rescued miners to-day by the stockholders of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company through President Charles Parrish. A concert for the benefit of the men will be given at Music Hall to-morrow. Chas. Hawkins, one of their number, will relate the story of their captivity. The total receipts will be given to them, as all expenses have been paid.

Bric-a-Brac.

The present rage for bric-a-brac is rather a passion than a taste, and has a good deal of the extravagance of a fashion that sets taste at defiance. It is full of wretched shams and impostures. The movement in favor of decorative art—which persons of "culchaw" pronounce de-*cor*-ative art—is well enough in aim, but it sometimes gets into bad hands, and then it does more harm than good. If there be one imperious canon of art in all its branches, it is that it must not fall into routine and run in grooves, repeat itself and make imitations, and be pursued in any particular direction because it happens to be considered "the correct thing" in society. Yet this is all that a large part of "society" is capable of doing. They have no ideas, no original conceptions, don't really know whether an object is beautiful or not until some other person of perfect taste tells them the reverse, and then their condition of uncertainty is pitiable indeed. There is something truly saddening in looking on the pictures which are hung on the walls of some people of good sense and good education. How anybody could consider them ornamental, poor engravings, chromos, and hideous paintings—all the worse if these be in handsome pretentious frames! Pure taste is known by what it discards. We know of a house of refinement and elegance in which the parlor walls are entirely bare. The inmates cannot afford costly works of art, and they cannot endure shams. Their parlor is, however, most attractive in its purity and repose. It is made to live and to be happy in. On the other hand, we know of a parlor of a lady of fashion that is truly exasperating. It is choke-full of bric-a-brac, common stuff and shams, prismatic glass, placques, Dresden monstrosities, chromos, imitation ebony and gold tables littered all over with bric-a-brac. You have to walk around edgewise to keep from knocking over some of the fashionable junk, and nothing like rest and calm is possible in that room. To do the family justice they never sit there except to entertain company, yet they pass for people of taste. They don't really admire these things, but they think that it is the "correct thing" to have bric-a-brac.—*Baltimore Every Saturday.*

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DAILY TIMES,
Chester, Pa.

JOHN SPENCER, *Proprietor.*

TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 1879.

THE walking mania has notably subsided. Of course under certain special circumstances a walking match may arouse some interest. But never enthusiasm. By common consent the thing is, in slang language, "played." Now that we can dispassionately consider the matter is it not strange that there ever was any mania about it? How supremely foolish the whole thing was? And yet a few weeks ago an important part of the current news was how many miles were made in a given time by this or that champion. If all foolish things were under the same doom with these walking matches what a changed place the world would be. And what a splendid crop of wise men and women the next generation would produce.

A STRAW showing which way the wind blows, is the fact that large numbers of the most popular children's toys are now made in the United States. Especially is this true of mechanical toys, the increased number and variety of which must have been noticed by even the careless observer. A few years ago these were almost exclusively made abroad. But the same ingenuity which has regulated the world's time by the American watch, has changed all this. Of all the toy walkers, dancers or prancers, the toys that are the most cute and curious, and which to the childish imagination seem instinct with life, the most and the best are American made. Thus, thanks to wise protection, even in our playthings, we are rapidly crowding out foreign competitors.

THE Duke of Devonshire is said to have spent $5000 in removing one tree to his gardens at Chatsworth. This, measured by ordinary standards, was a sad waste of money. But it is no waste for a citizen of Chester to spend the small amount necessary to plant a tree in his yard or before his front door. Trees, when fairly grown, praise themselves, and that in so gracious a way that even the most confirmed faultfinder has no opportunity to criticise. While this growth is coming, they praise the thoughtful hand that patiently cares for and watches over their immaturity. The tree-planting season has not yet passed, and as before, so once again we counsel those who would build a monument sure to be gratefully appreciated—plant a tree.

THOSE who take the trouble to remember will note the fact that in war times one of the last things to be affected by the change of values was real estate. There is a specific gravity about this kind of property which makes it hard to lift under ordinary conditions. But the hour came, during the war, when real estate began to advance, and then away it went to fabulous prices. Again, when the special influences which caused its appreciation passed, it dropped, dropped, dropped, until it reached prices lower than have been known for years. As the appreciation was unnatural, so is this depreciation. Hence there can be no doubt but that, with the return of general prosperity, real estate will recover. Never in our time to bring the fancy prices which it commanded a decade ago, but to be what it was once—a safe and fairly profitable investment.

THE selection of White, of Cornell University, to represent our government at Berlin, was a happy thought. Berlin is the most important European centre. No move on the political chess board is made by any of the nations, without being discussed at Berlin, and oftentimes determined there. Russia has a profound respect for the Berlin Court, based more, perhaps, on fear than affection. Austria retains its autonomy practically by permission from Berlin. Scandinavia breathes freely when Berlin smiles and trembles when it frowns. Nor is it in statecraft alone that Berlin is supreme. Literature, science and art are studiously cultivated there. And it is eminently proper that our minister should be a man whose learning will make him the peer of those to whom official position may introduce him. We are glad that no mere politician was sent to Berlin, but that the honor has been given to one who is likely to be a worthy successor of Bancroft and Bayard Taylor.

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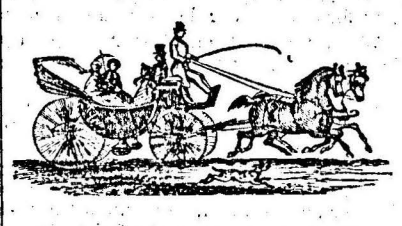
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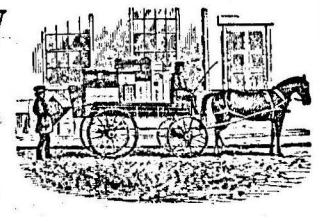
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DAILY TIMES.

TIME TABLE.

P. W. & B. R. R.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10,15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.16, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Don't circulate evil reports.

Plenty of April showers yesterday.

Fishing is good at Atlantic City. Let's go.

Last Saturday was a good day for the ice men.

Photographer Amos' work wins warm praises.

Get ready for Decoration day. Get all the flowers you can.

To thoroughly clean a room the carpet should be taken up.

Not many of our citizens are going to Europe this summer.

Carncross' Minstrels will appear in Chester in about two weeks.

The Democrats meet in the City Hall tonight to adopt new rules.

The heavy showers of last evening cleaned the streets quite effectively.

Mr. Samuel H. Seeds represents some good insurance companies.

Read the advertisement of Jonathan Pennell, the lumber and coal dealer.

The country roads between here and Media are muddy this morning.

Many bargains can be made by buying up building association stock.

The shad are not so plentiful this morning. Too stormy yesterday.

The newsboys are anxiously inquiring when that next circus is coming.

Those fishermen who went out yesterday laid in a nice crop of rheumatism.

The American Line steamer Illinois passed up the river this morning.

If you try the fountain pen you will use no other. It is the handiest thing we know of.

We do all kinds of job printing in the neatest possible manner, and at a reasonable price.

The teachers are studying hard this week Next Saturday the examinations will commence.

The Agricultural Society stock will have an upward tendency again, if the location is at all central.

The first quarter of the moon came this morning, a few minutes after eight o'clock. Did you see it?

The logwood mill improvements on the river front are progressing rapidly. A large force of men is engaged.

Bituminous coal is on the decline in price. This is usually the case when you do not have need to use so much.

Most of our business men prefer to carry their money home with them at night instead of trusting it in their safes.

The tearing down of the old building until lately owned by Dennis Clark, has revived many early recollections of our old citizens.

The swallows and martins have come to spend the summer. They have gone to housekeeping in good earnest, and will soon have the cares of a family.

To-morrow will be the 90th anniversary of the inauguration of George Washington as first President of the United States. The ceremonies took place in New York city.

The Punch and Judy tea party at Holly Tree Hall next Saturday afternoon and evening will be a fine treat for the little folks. Let the old folks go and help them enjoy it.

Go to the Second Presbyterian Church this evening and see Professor Stark's cyclorama of Pompeii. To the student this will be an excellent opportunity to acquire valuable information.

In the great peach year, the P. W. & B. R. R. carried four millions of baskets during the season. This year they expect to carry ten millions at least, if the crop pans out as well as it now promises.

It is a grand good thing that the Delaware County Agricultural Society cannot purchase the Fairlamb property, near the Black Horse. It will have a tendency to save its life, which was as surely doomed as any thing could be. Now let the stockholders get together and select some site near the center of population, and bury all sectional jealousies so deep down that resurrection will be impossible. This is the only way to a successful issue.

ENTERPRISE BUILDING ASSOCIATION.—The tenth annual meeting of the Enterprise Building Association was held in the association's office Saturday evening, This is probably the last annual meeting this association will hold, owing to the fact of its being nearly run out, and for this reason it was of unusual importance. The Secretary, H. L. Donaldson, Esq., submitted the following report, which was favorably received:

RECEIPTS.

Received from Dues,	$215,498 81
" " Interest,	85,857 73
" " Fines,	2,208 74
" " Premiums,	34,665 57
" " Insurance,	467 71
Advance on stock sold,	82 54
	$338,781 10

DISBURSEMENTS.

Loans,	$258,000 00
Insurance Advanced,	607 57
Expenses and Taxes,	4,573 88
Real Estate and Safe,	8,368 26
Shares Cancelled,	65,795 85
Profit and Loss,	502 00
Balance in Treasury,	933 54
	$338,781 10

ASSETS.

Loans,	$258,000 00
Installments due,	7,302 62
Interest "	4,321 80
Fines "	661 67
Insurance "	139 86
Real Estate and Safe,	8,368 26
Balance in Treasury,	933 54
	$279,727 75

Number of Shares, 1473½.

Value of a Share,	$189 84
Number of Payments, 120.	
Gain on each Share,	69 84
Gain for last month,	1 00
Gain on a Share—First Year,	$5 10
" " " Second "	5 60
" " " Third "	6 45
" " " Fourth "	6 39
" " " Fifth "	6 46
" " " Sixth "	6 40
" " " Seventh "	6 78
" " " Eighth "	7 28
" " " Ninth "	8 54
" " " Tenth "	10 84

The following officers and directors were then re-elected:

President—John Larkin, Jr.
Solicitor—George M. Booth.
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It will be seen by the above report that the value of each share is $89.84, and as $10.16 only remain to be made, the Association will run out in about nine months.

THE DELAWARE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—THE GREENWOOD LOCATION FALLEN THROUGH.—A meeting of the directors was held yesterday, at which all of the Fairlambs who are interested in the property bargained for were present. There was some disagreement about the dower of the widow, and the contracting parties could not come to terms. The result is that the Society now has no place to hold its exhibitions, and the business of obtaining one has to be entered upon again from the beginning. The Directors will call a meeting of the stockholders, of which due notice will be given through the papers, to obtain suggestions and instructions. This course is certainly a prudent one, though the directors have power to act in such matters without consultation with the stockholders. The last meeting of stockholders, in which a vote by chances was taken to determine the choice of a property for purchase, was not necessary, as the directors had power to act without instruction from stockholders, and were not in the least degree bound by the action of that meeting.

If the result of the present failure to effect a purchase should be the selection of a site nearer to the center of population, it will be a good thing. About one-half of the people of the country could reach the exhibition by the Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore, the Chester Creek, and the Philadelphia and Baltimore Central railroads, if a place should be obtained somewhere on the line of the Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore road, and those who would be thus accommodated are mostly citizens of towns and villages who do not keep horses, but depend on the railroads for all their travel. To farmers, who do keep horses, and who would have to drive a part of the way to the exhibition, no matter where it is held, it would make very little difference. If the interests of the Society and of the people of the county are considered, a central place will be selected; but if the choice is determined by local interests and prejudice, the society will probably continue to be a cause of much unpleasant feeling among the citizens of the county.

The people of Chester seem to be quite indifferent about what becomes of the Society in the future, and to have resolved to have very little to do with it. This is to be greatly regretted, as the society should be made a means of uniting our people in bonds of stronger interest and closer sympathy.

DORSEY FOR COSTS.—A few days ago Perry Morris, restaurant keeper, had exconstable Dorsey arrested for drunken and disorderly conduct in his saloon. Yesterday Dorsey sued Morris before 'Squire Fields, of South Chester, for false imprisonment and illegally taking ten cents, and summoned officers Ireland and Joshua Wilson as witnesses. Morris was frightened almost out of his boots, for he thought Dorsey knew all about law and would get the better of him. After the 'Squire heard the evidence in the case he acquitted Morris and put the costs, $6.30, on Dorsey. He had it to pay, and thinks he will let the law business alone hereafter.

MUDDY WATER.—The water in the creek and river was very muddy this morning, caused by the heavy rains of last night.

NAMES IN THE DIRECTORY.—In looking over our new directory, just issued, we find among the names some peculiar ones, which we give.

The following occupations are represented by the names of citizens: 16 Bakers, 2 Barbers, 8 Carters, 9 Coopers, 2 Drivers, 1 Farmer, 4 Gardeners, 11 Hunters, 2 Masons, 18 Millers, 4 Moulders, 1 Saddler, 1 Seaman, 3 Shoemakers, 1 Slater, 2 Stewards, 1 Trainer, 12 Turners, 1 Usher, 7 Walkers, 6 Weavers and 36 Smiths. The last named trade is represented much the oftenest..

In colors we find 24 Browns, 5 Grays, 10 Greens and 11 Whites.

In 3 Fields and 1 Greenfield are 2 Lambs. There is one Mann drinking with a Glass from 4 Fountains.

Among the feathered creation we have 1 Chippy, 11 Martins, 2 Peacocks, 1 Swan, and from them all but 1 Egg is had.

We also learn that 7 Bells ring for 2 Bishops and 1 Pope, who occupy 4 Temples in which there is but 1 Sleeper.

There is 1 Gale that blows 8 Clouds through the branches of 2 Chestnuts, 1 Hollywood and 8 Greenwoods, in 11 Woods.

Six Kings rule over 2 Irelands, that have had but 1 Fight, after which they visited Paris and spoke 2 Tongues.

Among them we find 8 Armstrongs, 3 Cains, 2 Cottons, 2 Coates, 5 Fords, 4 Garrets in one Flaghouse with 23 Halls, 4 Lanes, 8 Mills, 2 Moulds, 3 Pikes, 3 Rices, 3 Roses, 3 Whiteheads, 3 Roachs, 2 States, 3 Berrys and 1 Ball, 1 French, 1 Page, 1 Stone, 1 Toy, 1 Turnpenny, 1 Wheeler, 1 Wolf, and 11 Blacks. Two Majors command 39 Doughertys and 51 Taylors, and there is 1 Leach and 1 Gosling.

AS OTHERS SEE US.—Hon. Charles Francis Adams, Jr., President of the Board of Railroad Commissioners of Massachusetts, who made a tour of inspection over the P. W. & B. R. R. last summer, in making up his annual report, refers to the high state of efficiency of the P. W. & B. R. R., whose "mechanical standards are generally recognized as the highest known to the railway system of the country." This is the exact language of Mr. Adams, and, coming from such high authority and so disinterested a source, is a fine tribute to Chief Engineer Fuller, and the other gentlemen who have the management. We quote a portion of the article:

"In regard to safety switches, as most other railroad appliances, great division of opinion exists among railroad men. The Tyler switch has stood the test of many years' constant use in New England, and is here considered, upon the whole, the best of the safety switches. The Wharton switch, on the contrary, has, in more than one instance under the observation of this Board, been tried in Massachusetts and discarded. This same switch is, however, in universal use on both the Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore, and the Pennsylvania, two roads whose mechanical standards are generally recognized as the highest known to the railroad system of the country."

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—Cadets 85 and 7 indulged in a quoit match yesterday afternoon for the first strawberries of the season, and the former won.

No ball yesterday, but in its stead the boys amused themselves in the drill hall.

Two cadets in the hospital yesterday afternoon.

The Athletic sports set down for Thursday afternoon next will afford great amusement for the participants as well as the spectators.

Cadet Fatzinger's painting of the scene of the bleaching bones of men in Brazil, which frightened Corporal Shorty and the blighted Marine, in "The Two Rivals," is lying in the drill hall. It does not affect their feelings now, however.

The grounds around the Academy building present a beautiful appearance. The shrubbery has been trimmed, and the green grass has started, which gives it an attractive air.

POMPEII ILLUSTRATED.—A cyclorama of Ancient Pompeii will be exhibited in the Second Presbyterian church this evening, for the benefit of the church by Mr. Stark. The pictures are brilliant realastic representations of life and art 1800 years ago, embracing views of the Forum, Temple of Venus, Temple of Mercury, the Mosaic fountains, the Custom house, the streets of the tombs, the Temple of Fortune, a comic theatrical scene, the barracks of the gladiators, interior of the great amphitheatre and numerous others, which will conclude the grand spectacle of the last days of Pompeii. The admission is 25 and 15 cents, and it should be largely attended. Doors open at 7.30 o'clock and exhibition commences at 8.

DISORDERLY CONDUCT.—On Saturday last, after considerable trouble, officer Jones succeeded in arresting John Moulder, of Chad's Ford, Delaware county, on the charge of disorderly conduct and using unbecoming language on the streets. Officer Jones tried in every way to soothe and pacify Moulder and persuade him to leave the town, when he, Moulder, grabbed Jones around the neck, and a lively tussle ensued. The officer in the meantime was compelled to use his mace in order to conquer and get control of his prisoner. Chief Burgess Wood committed Moulder to prison for 30 hours.—*Village Record.*

BOYS SIXTY YEARS AGO.—Sixty years ago a man named Davis Bevan owned the stores on Market street which are now in the possession of Mr. Gardner, and which are being rebuilt, and those now living here who were then boys, say that Mr. Bevan was a wicked man. He kept store there, and had a bench on which he sat, and when the boys would come past on the street he would cut them with a switch which he held in his hand. He had an antipathy for boys, and they soon learned to give that side of the street a wide berth.

PICTURES TAKEN.—Yesterday Mr. Frank Monroe, the artist, took a picture of Dr. I. T. Coates' house on Fifth street. He obtained a good negative.

THE FIRST THUNDER STORM.—Soon after noon, yesterday, this locality was visited by a light thunder storm, which was the first of the season. It used to be said that the first thunder aroused the snakes from their dormant condition of the winter, into activity. The showers of yesterday made vegetation look much brighter. Last evening some of the showers were exceedingly heavy and the dust was well laid this morning.

HEMLOCK RAFTS.—Mr. Jonathan Pennell, the lumber and coal merchant, on Edgmont avenue above Third street, received two large rafts of good Delaware hemlock, a day or two ago. There are 200,000 feet in the two rafts, and the lumber is dry and excellent for building purposes. They are said to be as large rafts as have come up the creek for a long time, and they stand high out of the water.

NO CLUE YET.—Mr. James Bowers, from whose house the 194½ English sovereigns, the silver watches, and one gold one, beside a lot of jewelry that were stolen the day the circus was here, informed us last evening that he had received no information yet concerning the stolen goods, that would throw any light on the subject. He does not entertain any idea of getting them.

THE NEBRASKA COLONISTS.—From letters received by the friends of the Nebraska colonists, who left this city a short time ago, it is learned that they are all in good health and busy at work. They seem well contented and like the place. Their sod houses are completed, and they are at work in the soil.

THREE AT A BIRTH.—As one of the wonders of recent date, we mention that Mr. McGinley, residing at 52d and Walnut streets, Philadelphia, is the possessor of a cow, which, on Sunday, gave birth to three heifer calves, two of which are almost precisely alike. Both calves and mother are doing well.

POLICE HATS.—The new hats to be worn by the policemen during the spring and summer have arrived, and pretty ones they are. Instead of the usual light shade, they are black, high crown, curled brim, and stiff, with a gold and black cord. About May 1st they will decorate the heads of the officers.

HAS NOT SERVED.—Thomas Lane, who was elected constable in the South Ward at the last spring election, was sworn in by the Court in March last, and was to have commenced operations the first of April; but he has never shown himself at the alderman's office since his commission was operative.

SALE OF CLOTHING.—Messrs. Mitchell Bros., have a large assortment of ready made clothing for sale at No. 34, west Third street, which they are selling at astonishingly low prices. Their stock is very large, and as it must be sold in a short time, purchasers may expect bargains.

CRIES OF MURDER.—There was quite a fight on Second street last night between some of the residents of Lamokin row, and frequent cries of murder were heard, but when the police arrived on the ground all was quietness.

DOLTON'S IMPROVEMENT.—Mr. William Dolton is putting stone sills in the front of his property on Third street, west of the bridge, and the change will add much to the appearance of his store.

FALLING OFF IN SHAD.—It was so stormy last night that very few fishermen ventured out on the river, and as a result there was a falling off in the quantity of shad this morning.

NEW PAVEMENTS.—Mr. Thomas Moore has had a new pavement laid in front of his property, on Third street between Market and Edgmont, which very much improves the same.

YEARLY MEETING.—A large number of the Society of Friends of this city are attending the yearly meeting in Wilmington to-day.

BALL AT MEDIA.—Some of our young gentleman attended a grand ball given in the Chestnut Grove House, Media, last night.

LODGERS.—There were ten lodgers in the station house last night.

THE healthy growth of the baby is dependent upon its freedom from the pernicious effects of opium. Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup is the best remedy known for the diseases of early childhood.

DAYTON, N. J., Feby. 20, 1879.

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Letter from Ex-President Grant's Brother-in-Law.

ST. LOUIS, MO., April 24th, 1879.

MR. W. W. AMOS, Chester, Pa.:

Dear Sir: Since the receipt of yours o March 31st, I have had so much business to attend to that I have delayed answering until to-day. My people are much pleased with your production and think it better than any I have had taken heretofore. You will please send me one dozen, and half a dozen of my son—the large size. I send P. O. Order for the amount.

Yours, truly,
2t JNO. C. DENT.

NEW STORE, NEW GOODS, low prices and better bargains. Come and see the stock and prices.

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SALE.

An immense stock of clothing has just arrived; and is now open at

34 West Third Street.

The stock is from a large wholesale clothing manufactory in New York that has failed, and the entire stock will be sold at 50 per cent. less than actual cost, as it is ordered that the estate must positively be closed up within the next

TWO WEEKS.

The Goods are all new and perfect, first quality, and made up in the latest style, we have only space to mention a few of the extraordinary bargains that are being offered.

READ THIS.

Men's Stylish Cloth Pants for $1.45, price before firm failed was $3.75. Every pair sold warranted to wear well or money refunded. Just think of it! A pair of Men's Stylish Cloth Pants for $1.45, that will wear as well as $3.75 Pants.

Such a bargain was never before known. Call and see them before they are Sold. A whole suit of Men's Clothes for $3.50. This suit is made of Stylish Suiting, and is cheap at $11.50. Men's Fine Dress Suits for $6.37. This suit before firm failed was sold at $13.75. A First-Class Youth's Suit for

$2.62!

a real good article that cost to manufacture in large quantities, $5 75, and is therefore an extraordinary bargain. CALL AND SEE THEM. Our lot of fine all wool Boy's and Youths' Suits which will be sold for mere cost of making. Also, a very large quantity of imported fine goods, which will be sold equally as cheap in proportion, at above mentioned prices. An examination of the immense stock of goods will prove that the above are positive facts. These garments are made of Legitimate Cassimeres and cloths, from the best mills in the country and have been consigned to us to sell at prices that WILL POSITIVELY NEVER OCCUR AGAIN. Come early and secure bargains.

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WANTED.—A STOUT BOY, 16 YEARS of age, to learn carriage painting.
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ap26 Sixth street.

Motley's Boyhood.

John Lothrop Motley was born in Dorchester, Massachusetts, on April 15, 1814. His biographer tells us that the historian's life was saved a hundred years before he was born. One of his maternal ancestors, a child living in Haverhill, Massachusetts, was hidden by a house-maid under a washtub in the cellar of her father's house when it was assailed by Indians in 1708. The savages missed their prey by this comical contrivance, and Motley thus became a possible human being a hundred and six years before entering life. His father was a prosperous Boston merchant who had Irish blood in his veins, and his mother was a daughter of that race of Lothrop which has given so many excellent Protestant clergymen to New England churches. Thomas Motley, the father, is still remembered in Boston as one of the finest of that old school of commercial men who were prominent in society as well as in commerce, and in whom the sagacity of the merchant was combined with the manners and the sentiments of the accomplished and genial gentleman. The mother, by the testimony of all who knew her, was remarkable for her somewhat regal beauty, for "the charm of her serene and noble presence," and for the admirable way in which she performed all the duties of a matron. The son was one of those pre-eminently handsome boys who, as the world goes, seemed doomed to be ruined because fortune has saved them from laboring for a living, and nature has been prodigal in lavishing upon them physical beauty. When Motley had grown to man's estate, Lady Byron declared that he more resembled her husband than any person she had ever met; but Wendell Phillips, his playmate and classmate, objects to this opinion on the ground that Motley was handsomer than Byron. And here it may be well to state that Mr. Phillips, though the greatest iconoclast of institutions and reputations that modern New England has ever seen, has always been exceedingly tender to Motley, though Motley must have often offended him by the course he took in political affairs. It may also be said that Motley never said a harsh word of Phillips. The affection between them was so close that though they took widely divergent roads, which led eventually, however, to the same goal, each instinctively recognized the integrity of the other, while they seemed diametrically opposed in methods as well as aims. There can be no stronger evidence than this of Motley's strong hold on the hearts of all his classmates during the "ups and downs" of his subsequent career.

The beautiful boy was saved from being spoiled by a combination in his nature of an immense intellectual ambition with a corresponding self-distrust. To the end of his life he was consumed with a desire to perform great things, and to the end of his life he was painfully sensible that he had not come up to his lofty ideal. Like many other young men of genius, he was desultory in his studies, and in school and college never reached the standard of "the good boy" or the diligent student. His intellect developed by a process of intellectual irritation. A certain swiftness of mind, catching quickly at the spirit of what he studied, but neglecting the orderly technicalities which denote the progress of a student in his class, distinguished his course through school and college. All his schoolmates and classmates had immense confidence in the brilliancy of his talents, but his "grade" did not correspond to his reputation. His fellow-students were also sometimes offended by the almost cynical haughtiness of his behavior. Still his reserve would so often give way to a hilarious sympathy with their pursuits that he never lost popularity amid all the eccentricities of seclusion in which he indulged. His great distinction, in which he excelled all his playmates and classmates, was his knowledge of foreign languages. His early familiarity with German impressed even George Bancroft while Motley was a boy in his school at Round Hill; and afterward, when Motley was a student in Harvard College, an address by him on Goethe in one of the college exhibitions was so good as to induce such a trained scholar as Joseph Cogswell to send it to Madame Goethe. Her reply was significant. "I wish," she said, "to see the first book that young man will write."
—*Harper's Magazine for May.*

Making English Mutton.

Dr. Stuart, a Scotch gentleman, the other day really thought he was eating English mutton while dining with us. When I told him the roast mutton was "to the manor born" he would scarcely believe it, as the flavor was so excellent. The mutton was essentially English, as it was fattened on turnips. It was carefully butchered, so that there should be no wool taint to it, which is always the case when the wool touches the flesh, or when the butcher handles the meat without washing his hands after handling the pelt. We tried the experiment this winter of fattening a few sheep on turnips for family use, and we are very much gratified with our success. English mutton, eh! that is going to the top shelf on the start. Our pen of sheep were old ewes, all but one, a yearling wether. We began with about four quarts each of turnips sliced in the machine, and in a week increased the quantity to as many as they would eat, which was about a peck each. A quart of buckwheat bran for the first few weeks was given with the turnips each day, and they had besides all the clover hay they wanted. They got no water. They were small sheep—a cross of Merinos and Southdowns. They began to gain rapidly from the start, and never missed a feed, showing they were in perfect health all of the time, for when a sheep is sick it will not eat. Larger sheep would have eaten more turnips, and would have done equally as well. The rule should be, after the first week, to give them all the turnips they will eat. There is no danger of sheep eating too many turnips in winter if the stable is warm.—*F. D. Curtis.*

"Let Them Talk."

The remark of Mrs. Harrison, a handsome widow, has sense in it: "Let them talk about where I get my new clothes: so long as I can get for a trifle, Leamon's Dyes, made by Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt., I can always dress well."

Utility of Toads.

In our last issue we published an appeal all the way from India, for the crow, which our farmers a little later will strive to annihilate, and, failing in that, will contrive all sorts of devices for scaring them from their fields. Now comes an appeal from our own land in behalf of the toad.

A writer in the New York *Tribune* notices the fact that many gardeners already appreciate the valuable services of the common toad for their insect-destroying propensities, and afford them protection, while as many more, perhaps, are ignorant of their usefulness. To the latter class it should be known that toads live almost wholly upon slugs, caterpillars, beetles and other insects, making their rounds at night when the farmer is asleep—and the birds too—and the insects are supposed to be having it all their own way. English gardeners understand these facts so well that toads are purchased at so much a dozen and turned loose, and the best of it is the toads generally stay at home, so the gardener is not troubled with buying his own toads over again every few days.

The toad can be tamed, and will even learn to know its master, and come when called; the writer has not only had such himself, but could give other instances of toad-taming that have come under his observation. Toads can be made very useful about the house, and will do not a little good in destroying coskroackes, flies and other household pests. They are sometimes known to eat worms, which they grasp by the middle with their jaws, cramming in the writhing ends of the unfortunate articulates by means of their front feet. Insects are seized and conveyed to the mouth by means of the rapidly darting tongue, which always secures the victim as it is about to fly or run away.—*Scientific American.*

Good Lace.

One of the most singular mechanical operations imaginable is the making of gold wire for what is known as gold lace. The refiner first prepares a solid rod of silver about an inch in thickness; he heats this rod, applies upon the surface a sheet of gold leaf, burnishes this down—and so on, until the gold is about one-hundredth part the thickness of the silver. The rod is then subjected to a train of processes which brings it down to the state of fine wire, when it is passed through holes in a steel plate lessening step by step in diameter. The gold never deserts the silver, but adheres closely to it, and shares all its mutations; it is one-hundredth part the thickness of the silver at the beginning, and it maintains the same ratio to the end. As to the thinness to which the gold-coated rod of silver can be brought, the limit depends on the delicacy of human skill. It has been calculated, however, that the gold actually placed on the very finest silver wire for gold lace is not more than one third of one-millionth of an inch in thickness; that is, not above one-tenth the thickness of ordinary gold leaf.

The Coliseum Drained.

The stagnant water which has been suffered for years to accumulate and breed fevers and frogs in the Coliseum at Rome, has been drained off at last. An ancient sewer, extending from the *meta sudans* to the Tiber, was discovered, and was connected with a drain from the Coliseum. The water was admitted into this ancient sewer on the 3d of March, and the flood which filled the basement story of the amphitheater of Flavius was gradually drawn off. In cleansing the sewer there were found a quantity of ancient lamps with gladiatorial ornamentation, human skulls and bones of animals. Much of the old Roman road in the Foro Romane is now exposed to view, and the ruins of the shops of the goldsmiths and silversmiths are visible.

—He who eats mince pie in a restaurant affords beautiful and touching evidence of child like faith in his fellow man.

—There is nothing that so takes the starch out of a young married man, who has been wedded about a year, as to have to go to a store where there is a girl clerk that he used to keep compaey with, and inquire for those large sized safety pins.

—In frying anything the fat should never be allowed to boil. Its proper heat for frying may be known by observation. When it reaches 375 degrees of heat a faint blue smoke arises which tells us that it is ready for use. If, however, it smokes before the things to be fried are ready to go in it, its tendency to boil may be checked by throwing in a raw potato or a piece of bread, which gives its something to work on.

A dull, heavy pain in the sides, sleepiness, want of energy, no continuity of thought or labor, these all indicate disease of the Liver, and should be removed by the use of Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills, which will surely accomplish the object sought.

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Pacific Express, daily, ... 11.55 P. M.
Niagara Exp , daily, except Sunday 7.20 A. M.
Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday, ... 11.45 A. M
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday, ... 11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday, ... 7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday, ... 11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday, ... 8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday, ... 11.45 A. M.
Mail Train { Daily, except Sunday, ... 8.00 A. M. / On Sunday—Harrisburg only, ... 8.00 A. M.
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday, ... 7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday, ... 8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday, ... 11.45 A. M.

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renovo, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

NEW YORK DIVISION.

Trains leave Depot, Thirty-second and Market streets.

Express for New York, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 7, 7.35, 8, 8.30, and 11 A. M. (Limited Express, 1.30 P. M.) 2, 4, 5.30, 7 and 7.35 P. M.

Sunday Trains, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 8, 8.30 A. M., 4, and 7.35 P. M.

For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

From Boston, 7.05 A. M., daily, except Monday, and 9.10 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets.

Express for New York, 7.00 and 8.35 A. M.

Train arrives:—From New York, 7.42 P. M

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Trains leave Depot, Thirty-second and Market streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.40 and 10.15 A. M., and 4.10 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, Flemington, &c., 10.40 P. M.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.12 and 4.00 P. M.

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PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

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PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,*7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER, 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞ For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

Through tickets to all points West, South and Southwest, may be procured at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, where berths in sleeping cars can be procured during the day. Persons purchasing tickets at these offices can have baggage checked at their residences by the Union Transfer Company.

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NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

On and after Nov 25th, 1878, trains leave Depot, Third and Berks streets, Philadelphia.

MAIN LINE.

7.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m., Express for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk.

8.15 a. m. and 8 p. m., Fast Line for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Auburn, Ithaca, Geneva, Rochester, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and the West. Sleeping Cars through to Niagara Falls. 8 p. m. runs daily.

9.45 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3.30 p. m., for Bethlehem, Norristown, Allentown, Easton, Schooley's Mountain and points on Morris and Essex Railroad.

7.25, 9.00 a. m., 3.45, 5.45 p. m. for Hartsville and points on N. E. P. R. R.

6.45, 9.30, 11.30 a. m., 1.45, 3.30, 5.30 p. m., 12.00 midnight for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne, Yardley, Trenton, Pennington and Hopewell.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5.40 p. m. for Norristown.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5 p. m., for Doylestown.

11 a. m. and 11 p. m. for Fort Washington.

5.30, 7, 7.25, 9, 11 a. m., 1.30, 3, 3.30, 3.45, 5, 5.45, 8.05, 9.30 and 11 p. m. for Abington.

6.30 p. m. accommodation for Lansdale.

12 midnight, for Jenkintown.

ON SUNDAYS.

9 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. for Hatboro and Hartsville.

9.30 a. m., and 8.00 p. m., for Bethlehem and Allentown.

9.30 a. m. and 2.00 p. m., for Doylestown.

9.00 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne Yardley and Trenton.

11 a. m. for Abington.

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Leave Media at 10 A. M., and 5 P. M.
During Court leave Media at 1 P. M., instead of 10 A. M.
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LATEST NEWS.

The striking laborers on the Lachine canal resumed work yesterday, the contractors having agreed to pay them $1.50 per day.

Newlin Porter, a colored incendiary, was hanged by lynchers near Memphis, Tenn., yesterday, after confessing his crime and implicating others.

A salute of 38 guns was fired by the Republicans in Chicago yesterday afternoon in approval of the President's veto of the Army Appropriation bill.

The trial of Thomas Buford, who assassinated Judge Elliott, at Frankfort, Ky., has been postponed until the third Monday of May, to enable certain witnesses to attend.

The Senate Committee on Finance yesterday considered the House bill providing for the exchange of subsidiary silver coins for lawful money and making them legal tender to the amount of $20. No action was taken.

The telegraph cable between St. Thomas and St. Kitts, West Indies, is interrupted, cutting off St. Kitts, Antigua, Guadeloupe and Dominica. A fast sailing vessel will carry messages from Martinique to the above named stations.

There are various speculations in Washington as to the probable course of the Democratic majority in Congress on the veto message. It is supposed that a caucus will be held to night, at which a definite expression of views will be promulgated.

In the Dominion House of Commons, yesterday, a bill amendatory of the act to incorporate the Detroit River Tunnel Company was read a first time. A bill amendatory to the act incorporating the Canada and Detroit Bridge Company was read a second time.

In the U. S. Senate yesterday, several bills were introduced and referred, and the House bill providing for certain expenses of the present session of Congress was considered. The death of Congressman Clark, of Iowa, was announced, and the Senate, as a mark of respect, adjourned.

In the House, prior to the reading of the journal, a message (the veto of the Army Appropriation bill) was received from the President. The journal having been read, Mr. Price, of Iowa, announced the death of his colleague, Rush Clark, and, after the customary resolutions of respect, the House adjourned, without the President's message having been read.

The lighting of the Monumental Park, in Cleveland, Ohio, with the Brush electric light, was commenced last evening. It is said that twelve electric burners employed gave an illumination three times more brilliant than has been given by 110 gas burners. Under the contract, this light will cost the city $100 per year less than the gas formerly used.

The trial of Cox, the murderer of Colonel Alston, at Atlanta, began yesterday. His counsel attempted to have the trial postponed until next term, but this was refused. All the day was consumed in getting six jurors out of a panel of 144, but it is hoped the jury will be completed to-day. Cox is defended by 13 lawyers, while the State has 8 counsel on its side.

The house of John L. Keogh, at Carbon Hill, near Pittston, Pa., was destroyed by fire at one o'clock yesterday morning. Two of Mr. Keogh's children—a daughter aged 13 years, and a son aged 11—were burned to death. Another child was burned so badly that its recovery is doubtful, and Keogh was terribly burned in the head and face while trying to save his children.

At a meeting of the Select Committee of the House on Labor Depression, held yesterday, the members generally expressed themselves in favor of a trip to San Francisco to take testimony, if sufficient funds could be obtained for the journey. After the adjournment of Congress the members of the Committee expect to visit Boston, Philadelphia, New York and the mining regions of Pennsylvania, in pursuit of their investigations.

The Court of Appeals at St. Louis, yesterday, denied the application of O. H. Brown, Manager of the Western Union Telegraph office in that city, for a writ of habeas corpus to release him from the custody of the City Marshal for refusing to produce certain telegrams before the Grand Jury. The court decides that the similarity between letters and telegrams is not sufficient to give telegrams the same immunity from a *subpœna duces tecum* in the hands of the Company as is given to letters in the mail. Application for a writ of habeas corpus will now be made to the Supreme Court.

FOREIGN NOTES.

Herr Martin Gimson has been appointed President of the Supreme Court of Justice of Germany.

A German and an Italian have been expelled from Switzerland for abusing the right of asylum.

A large hill in the province of Jaen, Spain, has caved in, demolishing five houses. Thirty persons were killed and fourteen injured.

Sir Garnet Wolseley, High Commissioner of Cyprus, returns to England at the request of the War Office, to serve upon a military commission.

The revenue of Switzerland in 1878 exceeded the expenditure by 66,585 francs, instead of leaving the estimated deficit of 2,376,000 francs.

The remains of Princess Christina will be placed near those of the Queen in the Escurial. The Spanish Court will go into mourning for three months.

A Berlin dispatch says: "Prince Waldemar's candidate for the Bulgarian throne was supported by England, but Russia determinedly opposed it."

The Bulgarian assembly of notables yesterday unanimously elected Prince Alexander, of Battenberg, to the throne of Bulgaria, with the title of Alexander the First.

Mr. Schultz, member of the Dominion Parliament for Manitoba, will ask to-day whether the government has any knowledge of the fact that Sitting Bull is a British subject.

The Paris *Rappel* says: "After recess the Cabinet will itself propose the return of the Chambers to Paris, at the same time submitting bills guaranteeing freedom of debate."

The London *Times'* correspondent at Preston says there are no signs of amelioration in the cotton trade there. Several mills are working on short time, and others intend to close soon.

An official report to the Persian government concerning the recent earthquake at Mianeh says that twenty-one villages were totally destroyed, together with 922 persons and several thousand domestic animals.

Negotiations with Yakoob Khan are progressing favorably, and his decisive answer is expected in a few days. The British have asked the cession of the Khyber and Kuram Passes, and permission to retain a residence at Cabul.

The report that Aleko Pasha is intriguing at Vienna to further his candidacy to the Bulgarian throne is denied. He fully understands the impossibility of vesting the Bulgarian sovereignty and the Governorship of Roumelia in the same individual.

THE DEACON'S HASTY PROPOSAL.

"I wonder he didn't take the parson," mused the deacon's housekeeper, as the deacon drove off alone to the Annual Conference. "He's commonly master-thoughtful about lookin' out for folks. What a husband he was!"

Yes, Asa Phœnix had been a good husband. All the neighbors agreed with Mrs. Dubbs in that particular. He had waited upon his fussy invalid wife, dying by inches for thirty years, making her as happy as she would let him; and when her summons came, he had closed her dying eyes tenderly, saying, even with tears:

"Poor sufferer, she is better off!"

That he was better off he never hinted by word or look. He wore his widower's weeds with sad decorum: he reared in memory of the departed Lucinda a monument which the most fastidious deceased might have envied; he grieved for the full allotted year of mourning. If, now, from the ashes of the funeral pyre, like his feathered namesake of fable, he was springing up with renewed youth and freshness, was it not well?

In truth, though he had not seen fit to confide this fact to Mrs. Dubbs, Deacon Phœnix had slighted the minister deliberately and with malice aforethought.

Nor was it of the conference he was thinking that fragrant June morning as he whirled away, tucking the lap-robe well about his glossy new broad-cloth. For once in his hitherto blameless life he was essaying to hide the secular underneath the spiritual. He did not mean to go straight to meeting; it was his wily intention to make a wide circuit and call on Miss Olive Wayne in the town of Chester. He had a question to ask her, did and not want the parson with him; he hoped he might want him later.

Pretty, cheerful Olive! How fond he had been of her, years ago, when she attended school. If he had not then been in love with Lucinda, he was sure he should have fallen in love with her, mere child though she was. He had never lost sight of her, and he thanked Providence that he had been enabled by money and influence to help her family over some hard places. Please God, the dear girl should henceforth have an easier life. Girl! Why, little Olive must be fifty.

The good deacon laughed at the amusing recollections. Well, she would always seem young to him. And as for himself, at sixty odd he was a hale man yet; he could jump a five rail fence as well as ever he could—give him time. His thoughts continually reverted to Olive, so patiently devoted to her invalid father. She would bring the old gentleman to his house if she wished, or he would provide for his maintenance at her brother Reuben's. He was inclined to consider that the better plan. The money would be an object to Reuben.

In these cogitations the morning passed, and noon found Deacon Phœnix at the little hotel in Chester. Impatient of delay, after a hasty dinner he set out almost immediately for the Wayne homestead.

Arrived at the gate, he spied Miss Olive at the window, and alighted with a youthful agility not altogether prudent in a man who had twinges of sciatics. And yet—strange inconsistency of human nature! he dallied at the hitching post, and afterwards, with his hand on the very knocker, he paused to scan the distant horizon, as though he came mainly for a view of the mountains. Miss Olive opened the door, her cheeks flushed like late October peaches. She would not have been a woman had she not divined the deacon's tender mission, proclaimed by every detail of his immaculate toilette, by the grasp of his hand, by his nervous, expectant air. And, moreover, Miss Olive, was an attractive woman, not unversed in lovers' ways.

"Happy to see you, Mr. Phœnix. Walk in," said she, flurriedly, ushering him into the sitting room, where her aged father dozed in his armchair.

"Who is it, Olive?" said the old gentleman, waking with a bewildered stare.

"Mr. Phœnix, father. You remember Mr. Phœnix, I'm sure."

"I don't know as I do," said he, querulously, fumbling with the guest's outstretched hand. "What's he come for, Olive?"

The deacon looked as if he were suddenly feeling the hot weather; Miss Olive was positively feverish, but she deftly avoided the troublesome question by diverting her father's attention. His peppermint tea was ready—would he not drink it? As she hovered about the invalid, straightening his footstool, arranging his pillows, steadying the cup while he drank, Mr. Phœnix regarded her admiringly. How young she seemed still. Not a gray thread in her golden hair; scarcely a wrinkle in her face. That was because of her excellent disposition. He waited till she had soothed the old man into slumber, then in a direct, manly way introduced the subject that lay next his heart.

Miss Olive interrupted him by an eloquent glance toward her father.

"He is very childish and dependent. He cannot do without me."

"Let me help care for him, Miss Olive; my house is large, my means are ample."

"I couldn't, Mr. Phœnix—it is like your generosity to propose such a thing; but I couldn't have him a burden on you."

"Why, bless your soul, Olive, do you suppose I should consider a friend of yours a burden?"

"You don't know how trying poor father would be to any body but his own daughter, and I think he is likely to live a great age, as grandfather did."

"For that very reason then—"

"Besides it would make him wretched to take him from the old homestead."

"But, Olive—"

"So, you see, I'm engaged, Mr. Phœnix," said Miss Olive, playfully, while she whisked away a tear. "I'm engaged. You must marry some lady who isn't. And I hope you'll be as happy as you deserve to be," she added, with a little tremor, springing up to adjust the curtain.

In vain he tried to bend her to his wishes, she remained outwardly firm as the hearthstone at her feet, till at length he arrived at the unwelcome conviction that she had no liking for him, or she would have listened to his pleadings. She had interposed the old gentleman merely as a sort of cushion to soften the blow of her rejection.

If he took a smiling leave, it was because pride tugged at his facial muscles, for, to tell the truth, he had never been more disappointed and chagrined in his life.

Of what avail the stylish equipage upon which he had plumed himself? Was it not bearing him on to the tomb? And why should he wish to prolong this earthly pilgrimage? What further attractions had life for him, a lonely old man nearing seventy?"

Hardly conscious of the reins, he had driven some miles at an unsanctified pace, when he almost ran over Mr. Torrey, brother of the deceased Lucinda, who was walking behind his carriage up a long ascent.

"Going to Conference?" asked that gentleman, after an exchange of greetings. "Didn't you come a roundabout way?"

"I'm inclined to think I did," assented the deacon, with a prodigious show of candor. "A roundabout way and a hard way. Is your wife with you?"

"Yes, and the widow Vance. I have to foot it up hill, you see. Horse stepped on a rolling stone back apiece and lamed himself."

"Your load is too heavy; let Sister Torrey ride with me."

But Sister Torrey being nervous, like Lucinda before her, and mortally afraid of the deacon's spirited steed, it was in the end Mrs. Vance who nestled into the vacant seat. She was a gushing young widow whose mitigated grief manifested itself in certain coquettish bows of pale lavender. She protested that she felt already acquainted with Mr. Phœnix through her late husband, to whom he had been so kind. She was so glad of this opportunity to thank him. She would never cease to be grateful for the many favors he had conferred upon her dear Charles, etc.

In the morning the worthy deacon would have smiled inwardly at this effusive panegyric. This afternoon he hugged it like a poultice to his aching heart. It soothed his wounded self-love, and inclined him toward his fair eulogist, to whom he recounted pleasant anecdotes of her husband's boyhood. Indeed, he made himself so agreeable that she was rather sorry to reach Churchville, where the whole party were cordially welcomed at the house of Mr. Zenas Torry.

A proud man was Mr. Phœnix. He would not for the world have had his recent disappointment suspected by his wife's relatives, and during those three days of Conference he carried himself with a resolute cheerfulness that same times—out of meeting, of course, verged on friskiness. Mrs. Vance told Mrs. Zenas Torrey that he was just splendid, which compliment Mrs. Torrey repeated to him with a significant smile, hinting that if he thought of marrying again, he need not search for a wife. He looked confused and hotly disclaimed any matrimonial intentions. As to the young widow, was he not double her age? Would June join hands with December?

Alas! what an insignificant trifle can turn the scale of human destiny! But for a horse's right fore-foot Deacon Phœnix might have returned to his home on the morrow as he had left it—a free man. It was the lame horse that kicked the beam and decided his fate. On Friday morning, that meddling quadruped having been found lamer than ever, the deacon could do no less than offer to escort Mrs. Vance home. She could do no less than to accept the offer gladly. By some mysterious law of sequences, this led to a second offer and a second acceptance, and almost before he knew it Deacon Phœnix had pledged himself to escort the widow for life.

When, after gallantly depositing his promised bride at her own door, he was alone

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 1879.

A NEW railway switch lock has been introduced which makes it impossible for the switch tender to withdraw his key until the lock is fastened. The lock, by an ingenious automatic arrangement, also records which of the tenders was at it last. This is only one of a thousand different devices by which American mechanics haue studied the comfort and safety of those who trade or travel. While the old world railroads are more massive in their structure and more costly in their appointments than ours, they are far less than ours witnesses to skill in applied science. And we can proudly point in proof of this statement to the introduction on European railroads, as popular novelties, of appliances which long ago ceased to be new with us. In no country has the general management of railroads reached such perfection as in ours. Nor is this fact surprising when we remember that in no country have railroads been so extensively built and in none are in such general use.

LYING before us is a number of the Atlantic City *Review*, which contains testimonials to the admirable sanitary qualities of that city. These testimonials are from several hundred of the most eminent Philadelphia physicians, and are based upon their experience, both personal and professional. Doctor Levis says: "I prefer Atlantic City to all other seaside resorts." Doctor Leidy says: I know of no place better adapted to invalids." Doctor Hartshoone: "I have found Atlantic City remarkably beneficial to my patients and myself during the winter and spring and early summer months." These are a very few out of many equally emphatic statements. Though charming at all seasons, it is in its winter, spring, and early summer climate that Atlantic City excels. We do not know that it has ever been satisfactorily explained, but it is an assured fact that during these seasons there is a surprising salubrity in Atlantic City air. Judging from the long lists of hotel arrivals, this fact is an open secret which multitudes of people are turning to good account.

POPULAR opinion supposes that railroad building was practically suspended last year in the United States. Contradictory of this it is safe to say that more than three thousand miles of new track were laid during that time in this country. This is more than has been laid in any other year since the panic, and is a significant indication of business revival. The prospects are that during the current twelve months these figures will be nearly or quite doubled. Another encouraging fact is that within a few years the cost of railroad building has decreased nearly fifty per cent. Railroads can now be graded, bridged and ironed for from $4000 to $12,000 per mile, according to the quality of the work and the character of the country. Cheap roads mean cheap transportation; cheap transportation means cheap freights; cheap freights mean prosperity for the farmer and lower prices for produce. The changed conditions may not be a benediction to old railroads burdened with watered stock or costly construction, but to the people at large they are an inestimable blessing.

WILLIAM VANDERBILT, the favored son of the old Commodore, is one of the phenomena of our social life. His father commenced as thousands have done before—penniless. The son is reputed to have today an income of one thousand dollars an hour with the almost certainty that this day next year it will be largely increased. Unless by the most insane folly, he cannot help getting richer and richer. He owns bridges, telegraphs, towns, railroads, we might almost add—States. There is one thing which he does not own and in possessing which many men have found great comfort. He does not own himself. His business owns him and exercises rigorous mastery. At the dinner table, in the library, on the bed, that business demands and receives his constant service. He has plenty of gold, but it is forged into chains and Vanderbilt is neither so free nor so happy as multitudes of men who earn their living by daily toil. Nor can he perpetuate his colossal fortune. His children or theirs will scatter it to the winds. The coming Vanderbilt will patch and darn and maybe beg.

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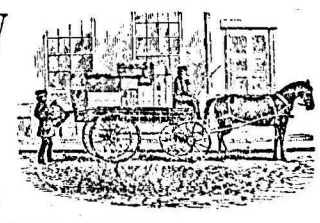
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TIME TABLE.

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Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7. 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9 38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 5.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a.m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Rhubarb pies are now in order.

The golden dandelion decks the lawn.

No holiday for the cadets this afternoon.

Hundreds of people are transplanting sod.

Keep the memory of the dead soldier green.

The trees are beginning to make a nice shade.

Congressman Ward is preparing a speech on the veto.

Clean the by ways and alleys before hot weather comes.

A new rich plumbago mine has been found in Chester county.

The cedar hedges show the severe winter they have passed through.

The creek waters are muddy to-day, with a good deal of floating drift wood therein.

Mr. Black's mountain pinks are only one of the numerous pretty things in his garden.

The new building association meets in Mr. Donaldson's office to-morrow evening.

The cherry, plum and peach trees are now in bloom, and an abundant crop is promised.

If your milk man's cows get into a garlic patch you must expect flavored milk the next morning.

Right on the heels of the thunder storm the lightning rod men made their appearance in Chester.

It is a luxury to watch the sweet-breathed kine enjoying their first mouthfuls of the spring herbage.

Market Square has attractions for many people, if we may judge from the number that lounge there.

The Lazaretto appointment is still in abeyance, and the candidates for the position are quite active.

Don't forget the first meeting of the new building association to-morrow evening in Mr. Donaldson's office.

The new suits of the policemen—hats, coats, vests, pants and boots—will make their appearance to-morrow.

School Tax Collector Morrow has been an invalid for several days. He hobbles around after the taxes as assiduously as ever.

The want of money caused the stoppage of the Commissioners' contested election suit. It takes money to make anything.

There was a man died in Chester a short time ago who was supposed to have had no heirs, and yet the 208th claimant has appeared.

Preparations are being made in Chester for the members of the Medical Convention, who meet here next month. Let us put on our best appearance.

Some children while playing in a hedge-row near Leiperville, yesterday, discovered an elegant silver plated call bell, a number of lead pencils and some silver chains.

The backwardness of the season will not be perceptible in the latter part of May and the beginning of June. Time makes all things even and the harvest will come in due season.

In the English and American steel rails that were laid side by side several years ago on the Darby Improvement of the P. W. & B. R., none of the English have been taken out, and only eight of the American rails. This slight percentage is not worth the difference in price asked by our English cousins.

A common occurrence is a dog chasing a cat. Yesterday on Penn street, near the Delaware House the order was reversed. A cat chased a dog and caught him, and hung on him for half a square, punishing him severely if the yells he uttered were any criterion. The women in the neighborhood clapped their hands and enjoyed it immensely. Their sympathies were with the feline.

The members of the Students' Union have kindly consented to give an entertainment for the benefit of the Ladies' Union Benevolent Society, who are, as most of our readers know, banded together for the relief of the suffering poor of Chester. For such a worthy object the walls of Holly Tree Hall should crack with the immense throng who will be anxious to contribute their mite. It takes place on Thursday, May 8th.

THE CYCLORAMA.—At the Chester City Presbyterian church last evening, Prof. Barnwell exhibited "Stark's cyclorama of Pompeii," now famous not only in America, but likewise in England. The representation began at the port of Rome, and after showing several of the most important parts and buildings of the city, it was passed, and scenes in Naples were produced; after leaving Naples, Pompeii was next thrown on the canvas. For upwards of an hour, representation after representation of places in this old town were produced with great distinctness, accuracy and grandeur.

During the progress of the entertainment the following pictures were shown:

Panoramic view of Pompeii, the Civil Forum from the north, view of the Forum from the south, the Forum from the east, west view of the Forum and triumphal arches, temple of Venus, the throne of Venus, general view of the Basilica, arches of triumph and streets of the Forum, the edifice of Eumachia, temple of Mercury, the Pantheon, house of Pansa, the house of the tragic poet, the mosaic fountains, aqueduct and bridge, the house of Meleagar, mansion of the musician, the bakery, house of the Quæstor or Treasurer, the Custom house at city gate, gate of Marine, the house of Sallust, house of the Vestal Virgins, the public baths, the city walls, gate of Herculaneum, a Pompeian inn, outside of the Herculaneum gate, the suburbs of Pompeii, street of the tombs, funeral of a Pompeian nobleman, the mausoleum of Mamia the Priestess, villa of Cicero, state chamber of a Pompeian mansion, the villa of Arrius Diomedes, panoramic view of the streets of the Tombs, the street of Fortune, house of the Faun, the house of Ariadne, the Nola gate, temple of Fortune, street of Stabiæ and the public baths, house of Marcus Lucretius, the hanging balconies, fountain in the house of the Balcony, the hot baths of Stabinc, house of Cornelius Rufus, street of Abundance, garden in the house of Actæon, the triangular Forum, the tragic theatre, behind the scenes in a Pompeian theatre, interior of the Odeon or smaller theatre, comic theatrical scene, interior of the temple of Isis, the worship of Isis, temple of Hercules, the barracks of the Gladiators, entrance to the Amphitheatre, interior of the great Amphitheatre, chariot races in the Amphitheatre, contest of Gladiators in the Arena. The exhibition closed with a view of Pompeii at the beginning of the fall of lava from Vesuvius on the fatal night. The whole thing was a complete success.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—Everybody is invited to the athletic exhibition to-morrow afternoon.

On account of some misunderstanding between some of the members of the corps, the entries for the athletic sports will remain open until this evening at seven o'clock, when they will positively close.

The performance begins at 2.30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon by throwing the base ball.

There will be a whole holiday to-morrow instead of a half holiday to-day.

The ground is all staked out for the five mile go-as-you-please race.

The Committee on Athletic Sports, consisting of Cadets McCormick, Wren and Schwenk, have exerted themselves to have the affair a grand success and if we mistake not their efforts will be crowned by the hearty approval of all interested.

Cadet 94, who is a pleasant and genial fellow, has been sick, but we are pleased to state that he is now convalescent.

The rat tat tat from the drum of Cadet 23, who is learning to beat the sheepskin, astonishes the natives.

The short corridor gang amuse themselves every afternoon by throwing sand bags at their fellow cadets. It is no fun for those who get one over the head.

STOLEN GOODS IDENTIFIED.—A few days ago George Kelly and Joseph Gougenheimer were arrested in Philadelphia on suspicion of having stolen a piece of cassimere, which Kelly claimed, and said he had bought. Yesterday, on a hearing of the accused, F. C. Torpey, a merchant tailor of this city, identified the cassimere as his property, and recognized Kelly as a person he had seen with the suspected thief, who had visited complainant's store in company with a young woman, on Monday, April 21. Policeman Alexander testified that he had heard from a reliable source that Gougenheimer was in Philadelphia at the time of the theft. He was thereupon discharged, and Kelly was committed to answer the charge of theft in this county.

George Kelly, the man above referred to, was given a hearing before the Mayor this morning. Mr. Torpey appeared against the accused, and testified as above, and Kelly was held in $1500 for his appearance at court to answer. He could not furnish bail, and he was remanded back to prison. Officer Barber, of this city, brought the thief to this city yesterday.

THE BONES OF A DEAD MAN.—Yesterday afternoon while the workmen at the new logwood works, at the foot of Howell street, South ward, were excavating for a cellar of one of the buildings, they exhumed a wooden box, which was about four feet beneath the surface, and contained the remains of a human body. The men were somewhat surprised when they struck into the box with their picks, and doubtless some of them thought they had run across some valuable treasure, as it was so close to the river, but when they opened it they beheld the remains of a man. There was also the remains of the particles of clothing in the box, and this was the only means that those who found it had of telling it had been a man's corpse. It was enclosed in a common pine box. No one seems to have any knowledge of anyone having been buried there, and it is supposed to have been put there many years ago by sailors off some ship passing up or down the Delaware. The idea that it is the remains of a dead sailor seems to be the most probable. After an examination it was buried again.

ARRIVED.—Sloop Rio Grande arrived in the creek last night with sand for Messrs. Dutton & Anderson.

DELAWARE COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL SOCIETY.—A LOST OPPORTUNITY.—Since our issue of yesterday, we learn that the Fairlamb heirs have acceded to their original proposition with this Society, by which it looks as if the purchase of the property would now go through. At the meeting of the Board, on Monday, a committee was appointed to report to the stockholders that in view of the change of terms made by the Fairlambs the purchase of the property was impracticable, and that the Board of Directors would not proceed without further instruction from the stockholders. Yesterday the Fairlamb heirs decided to adhere to their former proposition. Nothing now remains to be done but to carry out the sale, which, we understand, will be entirely consummated during the early part of next week. It was a glorious opportunity to slip honorably out of one of the worst bargains that any set of men ever made. Alas! they let it go by. "'Tis true, 'tis pity; and pity 'tis 'tis true."

MINOR'S ROOFING PAINT.—Messrs. Longbotham & Kendig, of this city, have secured the right to use Minor's Elastic Cement Roofing Paint on the roofs in Chester and neighborhood, and are prepared to do any work given in their charge at short notice and on the most reasonable terms. A number of our citizens have had their leaky roofs painted with Minor's preparation, and in every case it has given entire satisfaction and they are all willing to testify to its quality. It adheres to the tin with a tenacity like cement, and gives a smooth even finish to the parts painted. It can be applied any time and is warranted to last ten years. It will stand the extreme heat and cold temperatures and not crack, and is said to be a sure preventive for leaky roofs.

ADOPTING RULES.—A number of the Democrats of this city met in the City Hall last evening for the purpose of adopting rules for the government of the party here. The meeting was organized by electing Mr. John Sanville Chairman, and Edward McCarey Secretary. A number of rules prepared by a committee of nine persons, appointed by the last Democratic county convention, were read. They are similar to those in use by the Republican party. An effort was made to adopt them by sections. A number of them were so agreed to, but some of them as gotten up by the committee, did not just suit the minds of some, and they finally agreed to adjourn to meet in the room of the Baxter Club on Friday evehing, May 9th, to revise and adopt them.

PUNCH AND JUDY TEA PARTY. — Miss Laura Hard's Bible Class will give a Punch and Judy Tea Party in Holly Tree Hall, Saturday afternoon and evening. Various attractions will be provided for young and old, such as Punch and Judy, music, Egyptian magic, etc. A side table will be provided for adults, where a cup of tea or coffee and a sandwich can be procured, and fancy articles, aprons and confectionery will be for sale. The entertainment will be first class, and is gotten up in the interest of the Mechanics' Library. Tickets for adults 25 and children 15 cents. It will doubtless be largely attended.

PREPARING FOR DECORATION DAY.—At a meeting of Post Wilde, held last evening, Mr. William Ranier was appointed Chief Marshal to take charge of the procession on Decoration day.

The Sunday school children are taking a great interest in the affair, and Prof. Sweney expects to have at least 2000 voices in the chorus. Every effort is being made to have a grand turn-out on that day, and everything seems to indicate that it will be one of the grandest ceremonies that Post Wilde has ever had.

CONTESTED ELECTION CASE.—The contested election case of Engle vs. Brooke, for the office of County Commissioner of Delaware county terminated yesterday afternoon. H. G. Ashmead, who was appointed Examiner in the matter by the court, met the attorneys two weeks ago to dispose of the case, but by their request a hearing was postponed until yesterday. The examiner met them according to agreement, but the lawyers, before taking any deposition, dropped the case, and Mr. Brooke remains Commissioner.

THE PATENT SCRAPER.—A patent street scraper, manufactured by Mr. Samuel Pennock, of Kennett Square, Chester county, was given a trial on Seventh street, near Kerlin, this morning, in the presence of the Street Commissioner, Street Committee and others, as per resolution of City Council. It is similar in appearance to the scrapers used on the roads in Delaware and New Jersey, is operated by three horses, and seems to do its work very satisfactorily.

ATTEMPTED TO BREAK JAIL.—George Kelly, the man incarcerated in the city lockup on the charge of stealing a piece of cloth from F. C. Torpey, the tailor, made an attempt to escape this morning by tearing up the floor. In this act he was detected and he was placed in such a position as to do no further injury. Kelly thought if he had any kind of a knife he could have torn up the whole floor.

IMPROVEMENT.—Ex-Councilman S. D. Danfield has made some very noticeable improvements in his property on Twelfth street, North ward. He has made connections with the Upland street sewer, and arranged it so that all surplus water and offal is carried into it. Ere long he will commence putting on a fine Mansard roof, and his residence will then compare favorably with any in the city.

NEARLY DROWNED.—Yesterday afternoon, a boy named Sullivan was playing around the new logwood works wharf, at the foot of Howell street, and accidentally fell into the river. He could not swim and would have been drowned had it not been for a companion named Taylor, who jumped in and rescued him.

BECOMING A NUISANCE.—The boys are becoming a source of considerable annoyance to Mr. Palmer at the new logwood works, in the South Ward. They play around the premises, and as there is great danger of their getting hurt he would rather they would stay away.

MUDDY WATER.—This morning something was wrong with the hydrants on Madison street above Eleventh, and for a while they would not run. After a stoppage of nearly an hour they started again, but only a stream of thick muddy water flowed through them.

GRAND OFFICERS.—The Grand Officers of the Order of Free Masons of the State will visit Chester Lodge to-morrow evening. While they are here they will be treated to a first-class planked shad supper, a thing which is not bad to take.

A PARTY.—A party was given in one of our McIlvaine street residences last night. There were about twenty couples present, and the light fantastic toe was tripped until the wee small hours this morning.

A LARGE CATCH.—Two boys caught two buckets full of catfish in the creek, at the Front street railroad bridge yesterday afternoon in a very short time, and it was not a good day for fishing, either.

GARDEN SEEDS GIVEN AWAY.—Mr. D. P. Paiste, the enterprising hardware merchant at Fourth and Market streets is giving away to every purchaser of garden tools a package of fresh seeds.

A LARGE STURGEON.—This morning one of the fishermen brought into Muir's wharf a large sturgeon which weighed about 250 pounds. It was caught in a gill seine just below this city.

LODGERS.—Last night there were nineteen lodgers in the station house. Among the number were three women.

OUR HOOK LETTER.

MARCUS HOOK, April 30, 1879.

FRIEND SPENCER:—Spring truly is upon us, and the country is putting on a beautiful appearance. The recent heavy rain has washed the roads some, but they will soon be repaired, and be in condition for pleasant driving. The new Supervisors have come into office, but have not yet fairly got to work.

The township Auditors have not yet audited the township accounts, owing to one of their number not having complied with the requirements of the law. They expect to meet shortly.

The Rev. Dr. Parker has finally declined the call to the Baptist church, on account of his wife's not very good health, she wishing to remain near her family in Brooklyn. The pulpit is at present supplied from Crozer.

The M. E. Church Sunday school expects to hold an entertainment on Saturday evening, May 10th, and to go on an excursion to Creedmoor on May 29th. Mr. Smith, their new minister, is much liked among them.

The Government engineers are busy along our front, and the piers are rapidly approaching completion. The job will be a good one when done.

The addition to the graveyard of St. Martin's has been fenced in, and makes the yard look twice as large.

The Vestrymen appointed to represent the parish at the Diocesan Convention in May, were David and Newlin Trainer, and Clarence Larkin.

The fishing is somewhat better this week, but not as good as it should be. The season is half over and but little has been done.

Mr. Burton expects to haul out a vessel this week that will give him a month's work.

Mr. Blessing has completed a fine double-seated carriage for Ex-Mayor Larkin. It is very strongly built, and easy to get in and out of. We expect it will shortly be seen upon the streets of Chester.

The Y. M. C. A. continues to prosper. Last Tuesday evening we were visited by Mr. C. C. Larkin, President of the Chester Y. M. C. A., who told us much that was interesting about association work. Next Tuesday evening, the 6th, we will have a free lecture in our rooms, on the "Secret of Success."

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BABIES cry because they suffer, and the most reliable remedy for the relief of their discomfort is Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Only 25 cents a bottle.

GAITERS.—If you are in need of a first-class pair of gaiters or walking shoes, leave your order at Harkins', the practical shoemaker, No. 525 Market street. §

CHESTER, PA., August 10th, 1877.

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Very truly yours,
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1 quire (24 sheets,) good note paper, 5 cents.
1 package (25) good envelopes, 5 cents.
4 doz. gold plated pencils, 85 cents each.
3 " " toothpicks, 60 cents each.
3 " " " and earspoons combined, 90 cents.
10 doz. gold-plated watch chains, 50c. each,
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with his thoughts, he felt a little surprised at his own precipitancy; but he told himself over and over again what a fortunate man he was, how happy he ought to be.

Contrary to the usual custom he had acted from impulse, and the result was highly satisfactory. "Highly satisfactory," he repeated to himself as he passed the entrance of the cross-road which led to Miss Olive's. Somehow his reflections were less cheerful after that. Perhaps the chilly rain-storm just setting in depressed him, or perhaps it was the empty hearse that he met face to face—for the best of us have our superstitions. Certain it is, that as he alighted from his buggy that evening with weariness of limb and limpness of linen, his countenance led Mrs. Dubbs to fear the meeting had not been profitable.

Next morning, thanks to the ungracious weather, he was aroused by sciatic tortures. To an elderly gentleman, newly betrothed to a blooming lady greatly his junior, such an awakening was peculiarly trying. He thought ruefully of the early visit he had promised Mrs. Vance.

Should these pains increase, he must defer it indefinitely, or limp into her presence on crutches—an alternate too suggestive of advancing age. Flattered as he was by the widow's acceptance, he could not deny that it placed him in a position in some respects irksome. It admonished him that he had no further right to imfirmities; that henceforth it was his bounden duty to be as young as he could.

The reflection wearied him, the clutching pain wearied him. Mrs. Dubbs afterward said she had never seen him so out of sorts as on that evening when she took in his mail. Among the letters was one that caught his eye at once; it was as follows:

"DEAR FRIEND:—My poor, dear father is at rest. He was seized with paralysis the morning after you left us, and passed away painlessly in a few hours. How little I expected this event when we talked together! My hands were full then; now they are very empty. My work here is done. If you still think I could make happy the kind friend who has always been our benefactor, I should be glad to see you.

Yours, sincerely,
OLIVE WAYNE.

Mr. Phœnix read this missive, re-read it, shut it into the Book of Job safe from the prying eyes of Mrs. Dubbs, and drummed uneasily on the closed Bible. What a predicament! Must he thrust back upon Olive this gift for which he had so lately sued? Must he thus humble her? He writhed at the thought. Must he thus humble himself? Bitterer than all, must he relinquish this tried friend of a lifetime? Having reached life's autumn, must he reject its mature and appropriate fruits for the rhubarb and greens of spring time? Alas! yes; he must fulfill his engagement, for was he not an honorable man? He would write at once to Olive a candid statement of the case.

But while he idled at his desk on the morrow Mr. Torrey came to ask the loan of a horse till his own should be in running order, and the deacon laid down his pen with a sigh of relief.

Feeling that he ought to tell his brother-in-law of his contemplated marriage, at dinner he led the conversation back to the conference and Mrs. Vance.

"By-the-way, I met the widow this morning riding with John Vance," remarked Mr. Torrey, casually. "You remember him—the brother next to Charles? He's just come home from California with his pockets full."

"Ah?"

"Yes. Shouldn't wonder if he took the widow. Some say they're engaged already."

Of course the deacon knew better than that; nevertheless, he delayed his tender confession. And he did not write the letter. Time enough for that after he had paid Mrs. Vance the promised visit. The latter lady had certainly the first claim upon his attentions.

Unfortunately, several days of tormenting pain ensued, during which the deacon's patience was put to a pretty severe test; but he was at last able to seek the object of his hasty choice.

He found her in the door-yard playing croquet with a tall, well-dressed gentleman.

"So happy to see you, Deacon Phœnix!" cried she, with voluble embarrassment, "and so glad to introduce Mr. Vance, dear Charles' brother. Do come in."

"I hope my tardy coming does not seem discourteous, Mrs. Vance," said he, with affable formality, while the stranger hastened to a suddenly recalled engagement. "I have not—"

"No—oh, no," broke in the widow, nervously.

"I have not been well. Otherwise, our present interesting relation—"

"Oh, Mr. Phœnix!" interrupted she, throwing herself upon a cricket at his feet. "Do you know, I am so afraid I am not the one to make you happy? And my friends say that the discrepancy in our ages is too great. Ought I to marry against their wishes?"

"You must decide that question, dear madam," responded the deacon, with suppressed eagerness. The finger of Providence was in this. He held his breath to make sure which way it pointed.

"Then, if you don't mind very much, Deacon Phœnix, perhaps it would be better for us to part as friends. Oh, dear! I hope you'll forgive me if I have done anything wrong."

The deacon was greatly pleased with the turn that affairs were taking, but did not make any expression that showed his satisfaction.

He simply replied, "Madam, perhaps we ought not to refuse the guidance of Providence, and it seems as though the way was made clear to us just in time to prevent our stepping into the wrong path. I therefore accept your decision, and we will part as you say, friends."

It is needless to say how promptly the deacon acted upon the suggestion in Olive Wayne's letter, because every masculine reader knows how quickly he would have presented himself too, had he been in a similar situation; but it might be gratifying to our lady readers to know that in proper time Olive took up new duties under the deacon's roof, and the deacon never ceased to congratulate himself on his escape from the consequences of his "hasty proposal."

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—A young gentleman was accusing another of having a big mouth. "Yes," said the other, "but the Lord had to make yours small so as to give you plenty of cheek."

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Niagara Exp, daily, except Sunday	7.20 A. M.
Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday,	11.45 A. M
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday,	11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday,	7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday,	11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday,	8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday,	11.45 A. M.
Mail Train { Daily, except Sunday,	8.00 A. M.
Mail Train { On Sunday—Harrisburg only,	8.00 A. M.
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday,	7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday,	8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday,	11.45 A. M

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renove, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily except Sunday.

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Sunday Trains, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 8, 8.30 A. M., 4. and 7.35 P. M.

For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

From Boston, 7.05 A. M., daily, except Monday, and 9.10 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets.

Express for New York, 7.00 and 8.35 A. M.

Train arrives:—From New York, 7.42 P. M

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Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.40 and 10.15 A. M., and 4.10 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, Flemington, &c., 10.40 P. M.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.12 and 4.00 P M.

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 49	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6 45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue.

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

HENRY WOOD, General Superintendent.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER, 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.33, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.43, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

Through tickets to all points West, South and Southwest, may be procured at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, where berths in sleeping cars can be procured during the day. Persons purchasing tickets at these offices can have baggage checked at their residences by the Union Transfer Company.

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NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

On and after Nov 25th, 1878, trains leave Depot, Third and Berks streets, Philadelphia.

MAIN LINE.

7.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m., Express for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk.

8.15 a. m. and 8 p. m., Fast Line for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Auburn, Ithaca, Geneva, Rochester, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and the West. Sleeping Cars through to Niagara Falls. 8 p. m. runs daily.

9.45 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3.30 p. m., for Bethlehem, Norristown, Allentown, Easton, Schooley's Mountain and points on Morris and Essex Railroad.

7.25, 9.00 a. m., 3.45, 5.45 p. m. for Hartsville and points on N. E. P. R. R.

6.45, 9.30, 11.32 a. m., 1.45, 3.30, 5.30 p. m., 12.00 midnight for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne, Yardley, Trenton, Pennington and Hopewell.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5.40 p. m. for Norristown.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5 p. m., for Doylestown.

11 a. m. and 11 p. m. for Fort Washington.

5.30, 7, 7.25, 9, 11 a. m., 1.30, 3, 3.30, 3.45, 5, 5.45, 8.05, 9.30 and 11 p. m. for Abington.

6.30 p. m. accommodation for Lansdale.

12 midnight, for Jenkintown.

ON SUNDAYS.

9 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. for Hatboro and Hartsville.

9.30 a. m., and 8.00 p. m., for Bethlehem and Allentown.

9.30 a. m. and 2.00 p. m., for Doylestown.

9.00 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne Yardley and Trenton.

11 a. m. for Abington.

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Leave Media at 10 A. M., and 5 P. M.
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LATEST NEWS.

Mrs. Sarah Josepha Hale, long and widely known as the editor of Godey's *Lady's Book*, died at a late hour last night, in the 91st year of her age.

There is a freshet in the Hudson river at Albany. Yesterday the water at the steamboat landing was nearly up to Broadway, and business along the river was seriously interfered with.

A bill permitting posts of the Grand Army of the Republic to parade at funerals on Sundays was passed by the New York Assembly yesterday, over the Governor's veto—yeas 89, nays 18.

In the House, the Veto message was read, and it was ordered that it be considered to-day. Several bills were passed, among them the bill making an appropriation to pay Captain Eads for work done on the Mississippi jetties.

All the life saving stations on the Atlantic coast were closed for the season at 12 o'clock last night. The apparatus will remain in the stations under charge of keepers living near by, who have orders to summon the crews in case of wrecks.

In the U. S. Senate yesterday, the bill to provide for certain expenses of the present session of Congress was passed. The bill to prevent the introduction of epidemic diseases was considered. After an Executive session the Senate adjourned.

A convention of representatives of the State Boards of Health of Michigan, Illinois, Kentucky, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas and Tennessee met in Memphis, yesterday, to take concerted action to prevent the introduction and spread of yellow fever in the United States.

The House Committee on Banking and Currency, yesterday, discussed Mr. Buckner's bill requiring the reserves of National Banks to be kept in standard gold and silver coin. It is believed the bill will be formally acted upon at the next meeting of the Committee.

The Secretary of War has ordered General Pope to furnish such troops as may be needed to enforce the President's proclamation warning intruders from the Indian Territory. It is said the force in General Pope's department is ample for the purpose of enforcing the President's proclamation.

At a caucus of the Democratic Representatives, held yesterday afternoon, it was resolved that the Army Appropriation bill should pass, notwithstanding the President's objections, and that the vote should be taken to-day without debate. The subject of future action was referred to the joint caucus committee of the Senate and House.

A bold attempt was made yesterday to rob the Working Men's Savings Bank in Allegheny City, Pa. The bookkeeper having gone to dinner, leaving the cashier, George L. Walter, alone, two men entered the bank and one of them, going to the rear counter, asked silver for a dollar bill. When the cashier advanced with the change he was confronted with a cocked revolver and told he would be shot if he made a noise. He succeeded in clutching the revolver and wrenching it from the robber's grasp. The robber then got over the counter, and was reaching for money, when Walter fired two shots at him, and also at his confederate, who had climbed over the front counter. The robbers then turned and fled, and escaped across the river to Pittsburg, where all trace of them was lost. They succeeded in carrying off $2300, but in their flight dropped a package of $700 in the street which was recovered.

FOREIGN NOTES.

The Russian village of Gratchevska, on the Volga, has been burned.

Count Schouvaloff has left Vienna without obtaining the consent of Austria to a prolongation of the Russian occupation of Bulgaria and Roumelia until August 3.

A dispatch from Rome to the London *Times* says there is no truth in the report that General Garibaldi has opened a subscription for the purchase of 1,000,000 rifles.

It is reported in London that the Durham coal owners have arranged for a conference with the Miners' Union, which is expected to lead to a settlement of existing difficulties.

The St. Thomas Lloyds of April 16 says that no British authority has in any manner sanctioned the engagement of British subjects for service in Cuba by speculating immigration agents.

The Vatican has instructed its delegates to Chili, Peru and Bolivia to interpose their good offices with a view to ending the war, or at least causing it to be waged with the least possible cruelty.

The Berlin government has agreed to pay to the ex-Queen of Hanover the value of her settlement and private property from the Guelph fund, but adheres to the previous refusal to permit her to reside in the Castle of Marienburg.

A Russian general passed through Odessa yesterday, bearing a letter from the Czar to the Sultan and a proclamation of the Czar to the Bulgarians, calling upon them to abstain from disorders, and to conform to the stipulations of the treaty of Berlin.

The most remarkable precautions were taken during the Czar's recent journey to Livadia. Sentinels were placed the whole length of the line. Traffic was stopped and all access to the line prohibited for twenty-four hours before the departure of the royal train.

A telegram from Constantinople states that the Khedive emissary has informed the Porte that the Khedive has refused to assent to the appointment of foreigners as Ministers of Finance and Public Works, but would make other commissions to meet the wishes of France and England.

The race for the Two Thousand Guineas Stakes, for three-year-olds, at the Newmarket First Spring Meeting yesterday, was won by Charlbert, Cadogan being second, and Rayon d'Or third. Mr. Lorillard's Uncas contested, but did not gain a place, being evidently off. Parole is the favorite for the Chester Trades Cup, which will take place at the Chester Meeting on Wednesday, May 7.

Beer Drinking in the United States.

For some years past a decided inclination has been apparent all over the country to give up the use of whiskey and other strong alcohols, using as a substitute, beer and bitters and other compounds. This is evidently founded on the idea that beer is not harmful and contains a large amount of nutriment; also that bitters have some medical quality, which will neutralize the alcohol it contains, etc. These theories are without confirmation in the observations of physicians and chemists where either has been used for any length of time. The constant use of beer is found to produce a species of degeneration of all the organisms profound and deceptive. Fatty deposits, diminished circulation, conditions of congestion, and perversion of functional activities, local inflammation with both the liver and the kidneys, are constantly present. Intellectually, a stupor amounting almost to paralysis arrests the season, precipitating all the higher faculties into a mere animalism; sensual, sluggish, selfish, varied only with paroxysms of anger, that are senseless and brutal; in appearance the beer drinker may be a picture of health, but in reality he is most incapable of resisting disease. A slight injury, severe cold, or shock to the body or mind, will commonly provoke acute disease, ending fatally. Compared with inebriates, who use different forms of alcohol, he is more incurable, and more generally diseased. The constant use of beer every day gives the system no time for recuperation, but steadily lowers the vital forces. It is our observation that beer drinking in this country produces the very lowest forms of inebriety, closely allied to criminal insanity. The most dangerous class of tramps and ruffians in our large cities are beer drinkers. It is asserted by competent authority that the evils of heredity are more positive in this class than from alcoholics. If these facts are well founded, the recourse to beer as a substitute for alcohol, merely increases the danger and fatality following.

In bitters we have a drink which can never become general, but its chief danger will be in strengthening the disordered cravings, which later will develop a positive disease. Public sentiment and legislation should comprehend that all forms of alcohol are more or less dangerous when used steadily; and all persons who use them in this way should come under sanitary and legislative control.—*Quarterly Journal of Inebriety.*

A Hearty Amen.

The prayer for the President of the United States was read without interruption during the whole of the war, in the little Episcopal Church at Key West. In 1861 things were squally there and the chaplain's position was anything but a bed of roses.

When he came to the prayer, up came the bowed heads and amens were not. Finally he was told that he would be dragged by his vestry and congregation from the chancel on the following Sunday, if he persisted in reading the prayer. Replying that he should certainly do so, he awaited the next Sunday without pleasurable feelings.

On Saturday came the Pawnee to anchor in the harbor, and the Captain to call on the chaplain.

"Well, Parson, how are you?" was his cheery greeting.

"I am not well, Captain Rowan," was the reply. "I am to be dragged from the church to-morrow for persisting in reading the prayer for the President."

Captain Rowen asked a few questions and then remarked with the deliberate manner which his friends knew so well:

"Parson, I have on my ship a set of as pious marines as I ever saw. The poor fellows have been longing for a chance to go to church, and they shall have it to-morrow. Parson, have you any vacant front pews?"

The next day, just as the belligerent congregation, with purpose in every look, had taken their seats, in marched the entire marine guard of the Pawnee, and took their seats. To the prayer for the President succeeded an amen from twenty or thirty stalwart throats which shook the roof, and that was the last time the rector had any trouble.

Deficient Energy.

Kidney-Wort, by its gentle cathartic action on the bowels, creates a sort of energy, enabling the system to throw off obstructing cause of kidney and liver disorders. For chronic and severe piles it is an admirable specific. Sold by Druggists.

—Quite a number of new animals have been added to the collection at the Zoo during the past week. Among them are a red monkey, a green monkey, and a pair of ostriches.

—At a charity ball in Paris a very well-dressed young man addressed a lady by saying: "This is the second time to-day I have had the pleasure of seeing you." "And where was the first time?" asked the lady. "Oh, I had the pleasure of dressing your hair a few hours since."

An Alpine Dairy.

We had counted largely upon milk for our food in this excursion, and we made our next halt at the hut of a Sennerin who combines the entertainment of chance travellers with her dairying industry. We took seats on a porch at the shady side of the house, and at a table where two cowherds sat facing each other, eating "Schmarn" and milk from the same earthen basin. A similar basin of milk was set between us, and two iron spoons were furnished us. Preceding writers on Tyrolean travel had emphasized the badness of the food, and a thoughtful friend in New England had kindly urged on our acceptance a dyspeptic preparation of parched and sweetened white meal with which to supplement our insufficient provender. This had lain unused and unneeded in our satchel all the way from home. Its time had now come, and we soaked it according to prescription, in our milk.

The cowherds, finishing their meal, rose from the table, crossed themselves, stood facing the east, and devoutly repeated the long prayer, with due genuflection and bowing of the head, and then trudged away to their work. The woman of the house showed us her simple summer dairy and her loom, inspected our novel outfit, and sent us on our way rejoicing. She could spare no hay for our horses, and we marched on to the hut of a bald and bare-footed little old man, who made us welcome, and stood in blue-eyed wonder as we told him we had come from beyond the great sea. His loft not only fed our beasts, it furnished Jane a fragrant couch, where for two hours she slept away the weariness of her saddle, and awoke refreshed for her further ride.

This was my first Alpine dairy, and a very good example it was of the summer home of the mountain cow-tender, with an open hearth in the smoky front-room, and a comfortable looking bed in the milk-room. The old man makes both butter and cheese from a herd of a dozen cows, and his employer sends regularly from Castelruth to fetch the produce to market. For five months the cows are kept here in the mountains, and during the haymaking season the whole vast alp is gay with throngs of young men and women, with work and music and dancing. When we saw it the harvest was over, and only the cattle-tenders were left. In another month it would be quite deserted, its great elevation—from 5000 to 7000 feet—subjecting it to early killing frosts. It is a compact rolling plateau of the richest grass land, varied by occasional woods, thirty-six miles in circuit, and belongs mainly to the neighboring communes of Seiss and Kastelruth.—*Harper's Magazine.*

What is the Bedroom?

If two persons are to occupy a bedroom during a night, let them step upon weighing scales as they retire and then again in the morning, and they will find their actual weight is at least a pound less in the morning. Frequently there will be a loss of two or more pounds, and the average loss throughout the year will be more than one pound—that is, during the night there is a loss of a pound of matter which has gone off from their bodies, partly from the lungs and partly through the pores of the skin. The escaped material is carbonic acid, and decayed animal matter or poisonous exhalations. This is diffused through the air in part and in part absorbed by the bed clothes. If a single ounce of wool or cotton be burned in a room, it will so completely saturate the air with smoke that one can hardly breathe though there can only be an ounce of foreign matter in the air. If an ounce of cotton be burned every half hour during the night, the air will be kept continually saturated with the smoke unless there be an open door or window for it to escape. Now the sixteen ounces of smoke thus formed is far less poisonous than the sixteen ounces of exhalations from the lungs and bodies of the two persons who have lost a pound in weight during the eight hours of sleeping, for while the dry smoke is mainly taken into the lungs the damp odors from the body are absorbed into the lungs and into the pores of the whole body. Need more be said to show the importance of having bedrooms well ventilated and thoroughly airing the sheets, coverlets and mattresses in the morning, before packing them up in the form of a neatly made bed?

Sheep-Raising and Mutton.

It is claimed that sheep fattened on turnips and bran make the best mutton, and equal to the famous English article where this food is exclusively given to sheep fattened for the highest price market. We have eaten mutton right here in Germantown equal to English Southdown, set upon the table side by side. Indeed, the common verdict was that our mutton, though a little coarser grained, was sweeter and better-flavored. In England the turnip is the great sheep food, to which the English say it owes its excellence. And why should we not adopt it here? There is really no branch of farming more profitable than sheep-raising, and we have many times wondered why it was not more generally pursued. In Eastern Pennsylvania most of our farms are too small for this purpose; but there are tens of thousands of acres in the Northern, Western and Southwestern portions peculiarly adapted to sheep raising.

The English butchers say that in killing sheep, when the pelt is removed, the hands should be washed, in order to remove all danger of making the meat taste "wooly." This is a hint that it is well for our own butchers to take. Many persons, who raise sheep and annually slaughter many, do not eat the meat simply on account of this wooly flavor, and yet they never imagined the reason of it.—*Germantown Telegraph.*

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DAILY TIMES,
Chester, Pa.

JOHN SPENCER, *Proprietor.*

THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1879.

THE catch of shad in the Delaware the present season will be watched with more than usual interest. Special efforts during the last two or three years have been made by those interested in fish culture to restock the river with this splendid fish. The fishing laws, upon which much of the success of these efforts depend, have not been enforced as strictly as could have been wished. Notwithstanding this neglect, enough has been done to justify the hope that there will be more fish caught and of a better quality than usual. If this hope should be realized the people will have very satisfactory proof that these fishing laws are a strictly democratic measure—intended to benefit all classes and the poorer classes most. As the friend of those to whom good, cheap food is of the first importance, we have always advocated the fishing laws. And we are entirely willing to have the worth of our advocacy determined by the result.

THE bumpkin who, when the clergyman asked him, "Are you willing to take this woman as your wedded wife?" replied, "Yes, but I'd a much sight rather have her sister;" is a representative man. He represents that large class who, whatever they have, would prefer something else. Never content, looking with an evil eye on what others have, and with a discontented one on what is their own, this class is as wretched as it is large. With such a habit of mind, happiness is impossible. The secret of happiness is contentment. Blessed with a satisfied disposition, there are multitudes of people who are happy with very few actual possessions. Cursed with a dissatisfied disposition, there are still larger multitudes who are wretched, and yet have everything that earth can give to make them happy. It is supreme folly to wait to enjoy life in the future. We must enjoy it now, and the only rational way to do it is by patiently and pleasantly accepting the situation.

"THAT was the mercy of the Lord, sure," was the comment of a good negro after hearing of the rescue of the Sugar Notch miners. "Amen—the mercy of the Lord," is the universal response. And yet, without the willing hearts and stout arms of those men who, for four days and nights, toiled unceasingly to open through rock and drift that twelve hundred feet of passage way, even the mule meat and the mercy of the Lord together would hardly have saved those entombed men. The divine mercy usually selects human instrumentalities. All honor to those who were in this instance chosen to bring such great deliverance. Nor can our readers fail to mingle their congratulations for the saved. What hours of agony those must have been which these men passed in their living grave, buried a quarter of a mile deep in the mountain. What exquisite joy was in the moment when through that mountain the last barrier was cut away, and they walked out unharmed.

SENATOR LOGAN deserves high praise for the silent contempt with which he has treated the Alabama Congressman Lowe's challenge to fight a duel. Nobody doubts Logan's physical courage. He established this by the bravery with which, on so many battlefields, he won the stars of a general. And now he proves himself to have that rarer quality of moral courage which can defy public opinion for a principle. Lowe made certain charges which Logan declared utterly false. If, according to the code, Lowe were to shoot Logan or Logan shoot Lowe, the status of those charges would remain unchanged. We suppose Mr. Lowe's life to be of some account, and we are sure that Gen. Logan's is. To sacrifice either of them so inconclusively would be supreme folly. Beside, we are frank to say that we think the southern politicians have brought back to Washington enough badness without being allowed to re-establish the duel as an argument for determining facts. The pistol reasons very badly and that is a wretched cause for which it is the best argument.

OFFICE HOURS.—MISS A. M. MILLER, the Secretary of the Citizens' Building Association, will be at her office in Market Square, every Thursday, from 10 to 12 o'clock A. M., and all day during the fourth Saturday of each month, to transact any business of the Association. By order of the
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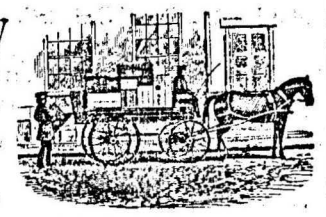
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TIME TABLE.

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Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Cat fishing is in season.

A nipping air this morning.

Who will be the May Queen?

The peach trees are safe as yet.

Did we have a frost last night?

Never swap old friends for new ones.

Shad fishing is at its height about this time.

The house-cleaning uproar has commenced.

What next? They are now making paper from Timothy hay.

The "dyspepsia killers" is the name of a new patent medicine.

There used to be a dam across Crum Creek at Leiperville.

Pennsylvania horses are much sought after by residents in other States.

Encourage all public enterprises. They add wealth and population to our city.

Nearly all the churches in Chester hold their prayer meetings on Wednesday evening.

Interesting exercises at the P. M. A. this afternoon. Athletic contests are something new in Chester.

The *Advocate* will be out to-morrow, containing many good things, and all the news of the city and county.

Atlantic City is a favorite with the physicians. Hundreds in Philadelphia send their patients there to recuperate.

The new building association will hold its first meeting to-night in Mr. H. L. Donaldson's office in Market Square.

Leaky tin roofs are the rule, not the exception. Paint them often, and fill up the little holes that the tin smith overlooked.

The Punch and Judy tea party in Holly Tree Hall on Saturday afternoon and evening next. Whatever else you do, don't forget it.

Our banks are never left with only one person therein during business hours. A wise precaution in these days of bold bank robberies.

The office of this paper has been so crowded with job work that it has been necessary to work until nearly midnight every day this week.

There is a man in Chester who never went to the Centennial, although he was born and lived here all his days. It is rather late to trot out this wonder.

Alderman Allen is a good official, and transacts his business in a prompt and satisfactory manner to those who put their little unpleasantnesses in his charge.

Col. Hankins' Church Choir Pinafore troupe is playing at the Eleventh street Opera House, in Philadelphia. It is an excellent troupe and worth hearing.

Next Monday will be an eventful day at Media. A number of Chester persons are subpœned as witnesses in a case that they had rather would not appear in the newspapers.

The shad were a glut in the Philadelphia market yesterday. Some of the fishermen only realized five dollars per hundred. At this price fishing does not pay, except to the purchaser.

The boroughs of North Chester and Upland are not only out of debt, but have money in their treasuries. These places are managed judiciously, and well governed. Happy people. Wise officials.

The cricketers met yesterday. One of the members invariably goes to Philadelphia on that day. "Because," he says, "if I stayed at home, I might get a black eye or a broken rib." His name will doubtless be left out in making up an eleven to play a match.

Yesterday a book agent called at one of our stores, and wanted to sell a work entitled "The Constitution of the United States." The proprietor stated that he had no use for it, but referred him to a gentleman sitting in the rear of the store, who said that he knew the Constitution by heart. On being asked to repeat it, he commenced, in a confident manner: "When in the course of human events it becomes necessary," etc. A loud laugh interrupted him, and it was some time before he found out he was reciting the Declaration of Independence.

BUILDING INSPECTOR'S REPORT.—Building Inspector E. E. Hinkson makes the following report of permits taken out during the month of April:

North ward—A. W. Lear, to make alterations on dwelling.

John Armitage, 1 two story frame stable.

James Morgan, 1 three-story brick dwelling.

Middle ward—Philadelphia and Chester Steamboat Company, to remove store house.

Joseph Coates, to rebuild a frame building.

James Gardner, 1 three-story brick store and dwelling.

South ward—M. J. Nelson, to put story on kitchen.

J. M. Sharpless & Co., 3 four-story brick mills.

J. M. Sharpless & Co., to remove two frame dwellings.

Geo. Horning, 1 two-story brick kitchen.

Wm. D. Smith, 1 two-story brick dwelling.

John Whitehead, 1 two-story brick store.

TEA PARTY.—The Punch and Judy Tea Party in Holly Tree Hall, Saturday afternoon and evening, under the auspices of Miss Laura Hard's Bible class, promises to be an unusually interesting affair. The plan of this entertainment is not properly understood. We will try to make it plain. The children's ticket, costing 15 cents, includes the supper for *them*, but the adults who wish to take tea there can purchase a sandwich or coffee or tea for five cents. The orchestra of the P. M. A., under the leadership of Prof. Sweney, has kindly volunteered to furnish the music, which will add much to its attractiveness. The entertainment will be a very informal one, the hall being arranged so that parties can promenade, if they wish, after the children's tea is over. Small tables will be provided where two or more can have a little social ice cream party, or sandwiches and coffee, as they may prefer. Punch and Judy will be on hand all the time, from two o'clock, to furnish amusement for both young and old.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—Attend the athlete contests this afternoon at the P. M. A. Commencing at half-past two. Everybody is invited.

Cadet 7 wants to pitch another game of quoits with 85, he not being satisfied with the last game.

Cadet 84 threw a base ball yesterday 108 yards. Who can do better?

Cadet 80 says that 13 will have to make five miles in thirty-five minutes if he intends to beat him this afternoon.

Another good game of base ball was played yesterday afternoon, after the drill and dress parade were over. A number of friends were present, who expressed themselves pleased with their proficiency.

Cadet 13 cannot *hocus pocus* the news boys.

Notwithstanding the sore hands of cadets 56 and 97, they manage to play ball almost every day. They all do it.

A good day for the athletic sports this afternoon. We hope no casualties will occur.

A FLOATING STURGEON PEN.—Mr. Myers, the proprietor of the sturgeon business, in which many Chester boats are engaged, has had built at Jonathan Pennell's lumber yard, a large pen, for the purpose of keeping the sturgeon alive in while they are being taken from the place of capture to the hole at the rear of Chester Island, where they are kept until the fall of the year, when they command a better price. This pen is almost 16 feet long, 10 feet wide, and 4½ feet high, and has a sail in it so as to sail up or down the river. In one end is a sliding door through which the sturgeon are put in or taken out. Sturgeon do not live a great while out of the water and very often they die in the boats on the way to the hole, so that this new floating cage will obviate that difficulty, for they will be in their element—the water—all the time. Two of these wooden cages have been built, one for the flood and the other for the ebb tide. They were taken down the river this morning.

A LAWLESS ELEMENT.—During the week, and especially on Sundays, the otherwise quiet inhabitants of the peaceful little village of Leiperville are considerably disturbed by crowds of young men and boys who congregate there from Chester, Shoemakerville, Avondale, Ridley, Carey's Bank and Crum Lynne, for the purpose of playing cards, pitching quoits, jumping, sparring and wrestling. They collect on the bridge and back of Daniel Lees' mill by the score, and indulge in the above exhibitions to the disgust of those who may have to pass by. Worse than this they insult the citizens, and their disregard for law and order has become a grievance almost too great to be borne. The authorities of the township should investigate these charges, and break up the nefarious practices of the motley gang.

A CHILD ON THE RAILROAD.—Yesterday afternoon Officer Hooff was standing at the Welsh street crossing when the 4.38 south bound train was coming in, and happening to look up the track he noticed a little child not more than two years old, coming down the north bound track. He ran up and rescued the little thing and brought it to the depot. It was so young that it could not tell him where it lived, but after considerable effort he found its home was on Seventh street. It is very dangerous to allow children so young to wander so far from the house, especially near the railroad, for a child so insensible to danger would just as likely get before the train as anywhere else.

THE POLICEMEN'S NEW SUITS.—The policemen turned out this morning in their new suits and hats, and many of them looked as prim as if they had just jumped from a bandbox. Their dark blue coats, pants and vests, and black, stiff hats, with gold and blue cord and tassel, look handsome. We think there is no force in the State that is more genteel or respectable looking than that of Chester. They deserve much credit for their very commendable pride in their personal appearance.

COWED OR COWARDLY?—Messrs. Howard & Bro.'s horse was standing in front of their store at Sixth and Welsh streets, this morning, when a cow was being driven along and the old equine, that has passed many a herd of kine, flipped up his ears and took fright at her approach. The horse started up Welsh street, followed by the bovine, at a high rate of speed, but when he got two squares away he thought better of his foolishness and stopped.

ENTERTAINMET FOR THE POOR.—The members of the Students' Union have kindly consented to give an entertainment for the benefit of the Ladies' Union Benevolent Society in Holly Tree Hall on Thursday evening May 8th. The exercises will consist of vocal and instrumental music, readings, recitations, and concluding with a laughable comedietta. It should be largely attended.

SERVING SUBPŒNAS.—Constable Sharpless, of the North Ward, is busy serving subpœnas in the Cooper license case. Upwards of fifty witnesses will be summoned, and the case bids fair to make a lively one before the next term of Court. Many whose names were supposed to be on the list are not receiving notices to be present, and some of them feel slighted.

MR. BAKER TAKES POSSESSION.—Mr. J. Morgan Baker, of this city, who was elected prison keeper a short time ago, takes possession of that institution to-day, and will remove his household effects and family there. Mr. Baker says he will use any of Chester's gentry who may take boarding with him first rate, and try to make their stay there pleasant.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—Mrs. Laura Allen, a resident of Front street, South ward, was given a hearing before Alderman Welser, this morning, on the charge of committing an assault and battery on John Malcolm, a neighbor. The accused was held in $300 bail for her appearance at court to answer the charge.

A GRAND CONCERT.—Prof. Sweney will wind up the entertainment season by giving a grand concert in Holly Tree Hall some time this month for the benefit of St. Luke's Free Episcopal church. He proposes to secure the best talent attainable, and to make the concert excel any ever attempted in the city.

THE WAIF DEAD.—The little waif that was left at the front door of Mr. George Johnson's house on Welsh street below Third, about four months ago, died yesterday. Mr. Johnson, who has kept the little thing most of the time will give it a respectable burial. It is about four months old.

A NEW LIVERY STABLE.—We understand that there is to be a new livery stable on Mr. Harry Hinkson's property on Third street west of the bridge. The shedding for the stables has been erected and the business will be started in a short time. A gentleman from Maryland is the proprietor.

FIRES AND FROST.—It was so cold this morning—the first day of May—that many of our storekeepers had to build fires in their places of business. By some it was said that there was frost in the valleys early in the morning. Fires and frost are not the usual accompaniments of May.

PICTURE PRESENTED. — At a regular meeting of the Hanley Hose Company, held last evening, Mr. W. P. Ladomus presented to the company a very handsome crayon portrait of Mr. C. A. Story, Jr., recently a member of the company, but now in Nebraska tilling the soil.

WAGON BROKEN.—The body bolt of the large logwood wagon of Messrs. J. M. Sharpless & Co., while being driven up Edgmont avenue, above Eleventh street, broke, and the wagon had to be pushed over to Eleventh street, where it was left all night.

ATTEMPTED ROBBERIES.—On Tuesday night an attempt was made to break into the houses of Edward Crowther and Mr. Duffy, on Esrey street, North Chester Borough. The burglars were frightened off before they did any damage to the premises.

THE ROAD SCRAPER.—The trial of Pennock's patent road scraper, on the streets of the South ward, yesterday, was all that was claimed for it, and its working was so easy and simple that the Street Committee may recommend the purchase of one by the city.

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS.—The Masonic Grand Lodge officers are expected to reach this city by the middle of this afternoon, when they will become the guests of Chester Lodge, and will be treated to a first rate planked shad supper at the Beale House.

STURGEON FISHING. — Sturgeon were never more plentiful in the river than yesterday. The boats caught from 100 to 175 each, down at Hope creek, and the Philadelphia market was so thronged that many of them had to be thrown overboard.

POLICE NEWS.—John Cartwright was arrested last evening by officer Philip Dougherty, on the charge of being drunk and disorderly. He was taken before the Mayor this morning, but his case was postponed until to-morrow.

HIGH BOAT.—The catch of shad was very fair last night, on the river. This morning, when the fishermen came in, Wm. Stewart had high boat, which was 96 fine shad. They were wholesaling at $20 per hundred.

PERSONAL.—Dr. C. C. V. Crawford, of Village Green, this county, who is an applicant for the Quarantine Mastership at the Lazaretto, was in this city last evening.

LARGE SALE.—Mr. O. F. Bullard, of Media, sold thirty-two copies of the "Annals of the War" in Chester. He is delivering them to-day.

PROBABLY WILL TURN OUT.— It is probable that the Hanley Hose Company will turn out with Post Wilde on Decoration Day.

SURVEYING.—The cadets are surveying for practice in the field between Fourteenth street and Morton avenue.

LODGERS.—There were a dozen lodgers in the station house last night.

LETTER LIST.—The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Chester for the week ending May 1st, 1879:

Alnon Wm	Jackson Mrs Mintie
Berry Geo T	Johnson Mrs Annie
Bennett Elias	Johnson Janie V
Boyrom Elizabeth	Kirk S A
Bottrill Mary A	Kerns Andrew
Boyle Mary A	Lamb Joseph
Bolden Sarah E	Lamb Maggie
Burke Julia	Lewis Mary A
Buckley J	Miller Jos
Camp C	McCarter Andrew
Cross Annie	McCabe Mrs
Collins Thos	McCullough D H
Davis John	McGraw Richard
Dunent Mrs E	Pierce Wm
Frazier John	Pratt F
Franklin Mrs Mary	Roy Mrs Rebecker
Garan Thos	Smith Wm C
Gorby Richard	Saunders Ella
Gibs Hester A	Stewart Thos
Green Sallie	Thomas E F
Habbersett Isaac	Tongue Wm
Halloran Ellen	Walls Capt John
Hare Mrs	

W. H. MARTIN, P. M.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 30, 1879.

The town talk is the President's message. From the Republican stand point it is an admirable document, able, logical and truthful. From the Democratic stand point, it is sophistical and a mere special plea. Both sides are surprised at its emphasis in standing upon the Republican ground. The Republicans who feared the President would waver and offer some weak point for compromise, are highly elated, while the Democrats, who did not believe that the President would burn his bridge against them, are apparently very deeply disappointed. The more conservative of them say that the thing for them to do now is to pass a resolution extending the provisions of the last appropriation acts to next winter, and go home to their constituents for justification, but it looks as if they might be powerless to control the caucus, which seems inclined to fight to the bitter end.

The President, by his language, indicates that he is opposed to the repeal of the laws objected to by the Democrats, whether upon appropriation bills or otherwise. Some excitement has been created in political circles by reports from different parts of the country that Secretary Sherman is laboring, through revenue officers and others, to work up the Sherman movement looking towards the Presidency. His ambition is well known, and he has been considerably flattered of late. But this movement does not take well even among Republicans, and certainly the radical men of the party do not take to it. In fact, they feel very bitter towards the Secretary. In talking with a prominent radical, I learned that the hostility was not to Sherman alone, but, to use his language, to "any one who had anything to do with the sale of Louisiana to the Nichols white livers." This man declared that the Republicans would not support any man who had a hand in the "policy" of Hayes.

Besides this, it is not likely that the "Sherman movement" can gain any hold in the South. Only two men at present seem to have any hold there. They are Windom and Grant. Senator Windom's staunch Republicanism is known everywhere and his popularity among colored voters would give him nearly the solid Southern vote in the National Convention to-day, were Gen. Grant out of the way. As it is, he is believed to be the favorite there, and certainly he has a support in the Northwest, which John Sherman cannot take away from him.

One of the Greenback-Labor Congressmen has been slopping over and got himself into trouble. A meeting of laboring men here last night soundly denounced Congressman Murch, of Me., as a fraud, he having made great promises and never fulfilled them. They desire his constituents to understand that he is not what he pretends, but that all he cares for is his salary and perquisites.

Mr. Tilden's enemies are pretty busy now hunting up evidence against him—his Democratic enemies, I mean, for his Republican enemies are disposed to let him go on and capture the Democratic nomination if he can. They have gone away back to 1848 to find that he was a free soiler and helped to nominate Van Buren at Buffalo. A good deal of ugliness is also manifested on account of charges that he is determined to rule or ruin the party, and many Democrats threaten not to submit to that kind of talk any longer.

It is finally settled I hear that HON. Geo. C. Gorham will be Sec'y of the Republican Congressional Committee. He is an able political manager and his services could not well be dispensed with. The Committee will go to work at once with a view to strengthening the party in California and elsewhere, in the States having early elections. The Democrats don't appear to be moving in the same work yet.

Commissioner LeDuc is considerably exercised because Congress is disposed to take from him the authority to investigate the cattle disease, and the patronage that goes with it. The feeling in favor of giving that work to the National Health Board is growing, and there seems to be no reason why that Board cannot attend to it without great additional expense. KNOX.

EVERYBODY goes to the Original Boston 99c. Store, 45 North Eighth street, Philadelphia. Beautiful tables, 99c.; Rogers & Bro.'s spoons and forks, 99c. a set; steel knives and forks, leather bags, trunks, lamps, and a store filled with useful articles. Nothing over 99c. a9-d&w-3m

—If there is anything in the survival of the fittest Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills must be counted in; they have lived long and do better work than ever.

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BLACK—INNIS.—At 353 Kerlin street, this city, by the Rev. James Roberts, of Coatesville, on April 13th, John W. Black and Miss Mary J. Innis, both of Chester.

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Eye-glasses, rubber rims, 30 cents pair.
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Watch keys, 4 cents each.
1 quire (24 sheets,) good note paper, 5 cents.
1 package (25) good envelopes, 5 cents.
4 doz. gold-plated pencils, 35 cents each.
3 " " toothpicks, 60 cents each.
3 " " " and earspoons combined, 90 cents.
10 doz. gold-plated watch chains, 50c. each,
6 gilt watch chains, 10c. each.
Fishing tackle, base balls and bats, toys, scrap pictures, &c., at equally low prices.
A quantity of real Whitby jet brooches, earrings, necklaces, &c., will be sold cheap, wholesale and retail. ap30-1w

NEW SERIES OF STOCK IN THE CHESTER BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

The above Association will issue its sixth series of stock on Tuesday, May 27th, 1879.

This Association has been an exceedingly prosperous one, the first series having run five years without having to foreclose but one of its mortgages, the gain per share has been large, and the arrearages small. The Association has been carefully managed since its commencement.

Any person wishing to subscribe for stock in the new series, will please call on either of the undersigned.

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ap26 Sixth street.

A Lost Inheritance.

The train from Paris to Lyons stopped at the station of Joigny, a town upon the route, and after leaving a few passengers again went on. The station, for a moment crowded with railroad porters and lookers-on, was soon deserted by all but two individuals. One of them was an old man, dressed in the garb of a well-to-do farmer; the other a youth about five and twenty, who seemed to be waiting for some one to come out and meet him. To this person the old man presently addressed himself.

"May I presume, sir," said he, "to inquire if you are Clement B.?"

"Yes, my good man," replied the youth, with a haughtiness of manner; "and I have no doubt you are Mr. Martin."

"At your service, sir," replied the other.

"Well, Mr. Martin," continued Clement, in the same tone, "I began to imagine you intended to keep me waiting. That would not have been the best manner in which to insinuate yourself into my good graces."

The old man, instead of replying, let his head fall upon his breast, as if in deep affliction, and conducted the new comer toward a large old-fashioned carriage, to which a very rough-looking horse was harnessed.

"Here is your carriage, sir," said Mr. Martin. "If you will be good enough to get in, I will have the honor of conducting you to the Hermitage."

"That my carriage, sir," cried Clement. "Why, I shall be taken for a traveling pedlar."

But a few days before, Mr. Clement B., who now puts on so many fine airs, was a simple clerk in a crockery warehouse in Paris, and possessed the reputation of being a quiet, unpretending little fellow. What, then, had brought about this sudden and radical transformation? He had become, since the previous day, a rich man, and it may be well understood that the possessor of an income of 20,000 francs a year finds it difficult to retain the modest demeanor of a poor clerk. On the previous day, while dusting the large piles of crockery under his charge, a letter arrived for him by the post, conveying to him the startling intelligence that one of his uncles, of whom he had often heard as an eccentric and wealthy old man, but whom he had never seen, had just died at his residence in Burgundy, leaving his nephew, Clement, sole heir to his estates, to the exclusion of many other heirs.

The letter was from a notary in the province, who desired him to leave Paris immediately for Joigny, the town near which this uncle had resided, where he would be met by Mr. Martin, an old confidential servant of the deceased, and conducted from the railroad to the "Hermitage," the name which the deceased had given to the estate.

Almost driven out of his senses by such an unexpected stroke of fortune, Clement hastened to obey the notary's directions, and on his arrival at Joigny, joined Martin, as we have seen.

On jolted the queer vehicle in which our hero had so contemptuously taken a place, until, after a ride of several miles, the occupants arrived at their destination. Martin offered the honors of the Hermitage to the new proprietor, called all the servants and introduced them to their future master, and then conducted the latter to his own apartments.

"This was the sleeping-chamber of your uncle," said Martin, as they entered a large apartment furnished in old-fashioned style. "It was in this room that he died, ten days ago."

But the nephew, instead of evincing any emotion upon being shown the chamber of his benefactor, threw upon all around him a look of scorn, and cried:

"Upon my word, I can't say I think much of the old boy's taste! I never saw anything so very ugly in all my life."

"Notwithstanding, sir," replied Martin, "it is the best we have here; and, if you cannot content yourself, I really don't know where you will find other lodgings."

"I live here!" exclaimed the young man. "You do not imagine I am such a donkey, I hope! For us young fellows, you see, Paris is the only place; so I shall sell this old crazy rookery at once, and then be off."

"Sell the old Hermitage!" exclaimed Martin, "your uncle's favorite place of residence. Impossible! And we servants who hoped to end our days under this roof, what is to become of us?"

"Mr. Martin," retorted the young man, "let me have none of your complaints, I beg. Get me some dinner, and afterwards you will drive me to the notary's."

And having eaten an early meal, notwithstanding he found the meats insipid and the wines sour, the legatee, accompanied by Martin, re-entered the carriage, and the two started off.

"If I am not mistaken," observed Mr. Clement, after an hour's ride, "we passed this spot this morning; and that," pointing to a building, "is the railroad station. Do we take the train there?"

"You alone will do so," responded his companion, speaking very gravely, and in a manner which caused the young man to tremble in spite of himself. "I, sir, am your uncle, and happily I am not dead! Having heard good accounts of your conduct I had resolved to make you heir of all I possess; but before doing so, I wished to ascertain if you were really deserving of my generosity, and I had recourse to stratagem, which has thoroughly exposed your true character to me. Good-bye, Mr. Clement; return to your business, and remember that your arrogance and ingratitude have lost you that which will never again be placed within your reach."

The old man then gave his foolish nephew sufficient to idemnify him for the expenses of his trip, took leave of him at the station, and returned home. The feelings of the young man may be imagined, but, as the yellow-colored novels say, "they cannot be described."

This is a true story, and an apt illustration of the maxim, "Never halloo until you are out of the wood."

"Let Them Talk."

The remark of Mrs. Harrison, a handsome widow, has sense in it: "Let them talk about where I get my new clothes: so long

The Servant Question.

The true inwardness of the the servant question would appear to be that the servants themselves have only to do their work honestly to be always secure of a good home, while employers need on their part to make strict inquiries into the character of the servants they engage and to treat them with fairness and consideration while in their employ. Beyond doubt discrimination should be made between good and bad servants, and they should be paid according to the nature of their work and the manner in which they do it. It is always easier to keep peace and have the work properly done when one servant can do it all. Servants' quarrels are a fruitful source of domestic trouble, and a mistress is often at her wits' end between a perfect cook and an expert laundress who refuse to speak to each other, or an accomplished seamstress and a stylish footman who are at daggers' points between themselves. Many servants increase the labor of housekeeping almost as much as they lighten it, and there was much keen satire in the story of the New England farmer who, after a visit to a rich cousin in New York, who employed a dozen colored servants in his elegant establishment, went home and reported that Tom was keeping a "nigger boarding house" on Fifth Avenue.

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—A Dutchman was about to make a journey to his fatherland, and wishing to say good-bye to a friend, extended his hand and said: "Vell, off I don't come back, hullo."

—Dr. James Freeman Clarke recently delivered a discourse on the Chinese question, in which he very quaintly and truly said that in America, if a man is black we enslave him; if he is red we steal his lands and massacre his wife and children, and if he is yellow we won't let him come here at all.

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Pittsburg Express, except Sunday	6.30 P. M.
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Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday	11.45 A. M.
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday	11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday	7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday	11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday	8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday	11.45 A. M.
Mail Train { Daily, except Sunday	8.00 A. M.
Mail Train { On Sunday—Harrisburg only	8.00 A. M.
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday	7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday	8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday	11.45 A. M.

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renove, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily except Sunday.

NEW YORK DIVISION.

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Express for New York, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 7, 7.35, 8, 8.30, and 11 A. M. (Limited Express, 1.30 P. M.) 2, 4, 5.30, 7 and 7.35 P. M.

Sunday Trains, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 8, 8.30 A. M., 4, and 7.35 P. M.

For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

From Boston, 7.05 A. M., daily, except Monday, and 9.10 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

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Express for New York, 7.00 and 8.35 A. M.

Train arrives:—From New York, 7.42 P. M

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Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.40 and 10.15 A. M., and 4.10 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, Flemington, &c., 10.40 P. M.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.12 and 4.00 P M.

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NEW TIME TABLE.

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SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

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PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.39, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER, 5.43, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.43, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

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7.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m., Express for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk.

8.15 a. m. and 8 p. m., Fast Line for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Auburn, Ithaca, Geneva, Rochester, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and the West. Sleeping Cars through to Niagara Falls. 8 p. m. runs daily.

9.45 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3.30 p. m., for Bethlehem, Norristown, Allentown, Easton, Schooley's Mountain and points on Morris and Essex Railroad.

7.25, 9.00 a. m., 3.45, 5.45 p. m. for Hartsville and points on N. E. P. R. R.

6.45, 9.30, 11.32 a. m., 1.45, 3.30, 5.30 p. m., 12.00 midnight for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne, Yardley, Trenton, Pennington and Hopewell.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5.40 p. m. for Norristown.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5 p. m., for Doylestown.

11 a. m. and 11 p. m. for Fort Washington.

5.30, 7, 7.25, 9, 11 a. m., 1.30, 3, 3.30, 3.45, 5, 5.45, 8.05, 9.30 and 11 p. m. for Abington.

6.30 p. m. accommodation for Lansdale.

12 midnight, for Jenkintown.

ON SUNDAYS.

9 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. for Hatboro and Hartsville.

9.30 a. m., and 8.00 p. m., for Bethlehem and Allentown.

9.30 a. m. and 2.00 p. m., for Doylestown.

9.00 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne Yardley and Trenton.

11 a. m. for Abington.

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LATEST NEWS.

At a meeting of the Democratic Caucus Committees of the Senate and House held yesterday, it is understood that it was decided to repass the Army Appropriation bill with the 6th section amended so as to apply only to officers of the Army and Navy and not to "civil officers" of the United States; thus obviating what appears to be the President's principal objection to the section.

In the House the resolution of Wednesday, making the bill in relation to coinage and bullion certificates the order for Saturday, was adopted. The question was taken on the passage of the Army Appropriation bill over the President's veto, and the vote stood, yeas, 120; nays, 110—so the bill failed for want of the necessary two-thirds. Several new rules were adopted, and the membership of the Committee on Mississippi Levees was increased from 11 to 13. Adjourned until Saturday.

The House Committee on Presidental Elections has authorized Mr. Lousenberry of New York, to report to the House and ask leave to print, for recommittal, his views as submitted to the committee relative to the regulation of the Electoral count.

A mass meeting of citizens of Trenton, New Jersey, was held last evening, to form an association "to further the repeal of laws that encourage and reward spies and informers against liquor dealers, and for the repeal of all sumptuary laws." Resolutions were adopted favoring the repeal of such laws, and the granting of liberty to all persons "to enjoy themselves as they please, and follow any business in any manner they please, so long as they keep within the bounds of propriety;" also declaring that "they do not propose in Trenton to interfere with milkmen or horse cars, nor are they anxious to open an indiscriminate and unrestricted sale of beer on Sunday."

The public debt statement issued yesterday shows an increase of $19,952.

The San Francisco mint coined $2,540,000 in double eagles, and 1,000,000 standard dollars during the month of April.

The debt of the city of Boston decreased $97,704 during the year ending April 30th, and is now $42,359,318.

Three hundred and forty operatives of two cotton yarn and thread warp mills in East Hampton, Mass., owned by the Williston Mills Corporation, struck yesterday against a reduction of five per cent in their wages.

Many of the principal bar-rooms and saloons in Norfolk, Va., were closed yesterday, the Judge of Hustings Court refusing to renew their licenses because they "did not properly ring the Moffat register." It is thought, however, that the licenses will be renewed at the next term of Court.

An unpleasant report is telegraphed from York, Pa., that a Brazilian Jaguar—a ferocious beast—escaped from a circus train on the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad, thirty miles north of Washington, on Wednesday night, and is now at large in the woods. It is said the animal was released from its cage by a tramp, in revenge for being put off the train.

The rivers of New England are swollen by a thaw and rain, but no serious damage is yet reported. At Manchester, N. H., the mills have been stopped by the high water in the Merrimac river, and 2000 operatives are temporarily idle.

"A blustering snow storm," with cold weather, prevailed in the Ottawa Valley region of Canada yesterday.

The ocean pier at Long Branch has been extended beyond the breakers, and will probably be completed by the 1st of June.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

CAPETOWN, April 15.—There is no news of importance from Natal. Lord Chelmsford has arrived at Durban, and starts for Pietermaritzburg on the 17th, whence he will go to Dundee.

Sir Bartle Frere arrived at Pretoria on April 10th, after a satisfactory interview with the Boers on April 8th. The Colonial forces unsuccessfully assaulted the stronghold of the Basuto Chief Moirosi. They lose two officers and a friendly native chief killed, and an officer and twenty-two men wounded.

LONDON, May 2.—At Newmarket to-day, Mr. Lorillard's horse Papoose, a sister of Parole, won the First Spring Two-Year-Old Stakes, a dash of five furlongs; entrance, 10 sovereigns each, with 100 sovereigns added. There were twenty-five subscribers. The race was contested by Mr. E. Tattersall's bay colt Home Rule, Mr. J. T. McKenzie's brown filly The Wave and Khabara.

France.

PARIS, May 1.—A meeting of delegates from 58 Protectionist Chambers of Commerce was held to-day. Among the cities represented were Amiens, Caen, Orleans, Rouen, Tours and Valenciennes. M. Pouyer Quertier presided. In his address he declared that free trade merely played into the hands of England, who was in danger of losing her European and American markets. The meeting adopted a petition demanding the establishment of retaliatory tariffs which would insure the existence of native industry.

Germany.

BERLIN, May 1.—The Emperor William will return to this city on the 8th of May. The grand spring military review has been postponed to the 28th inst. The Czar of Russia will come here to attend the Emperor's golden wedding, direct from Livadia, by the way of Warsaw. He will return to St. Petersburg on the 18th of June. He will pass the summer at Peterhof, the imperial residence, and return to Livadia in the autumn.

BERLIN, May 1.—The Industrial Exhibition was formally opened here to-day in the presence of the Ministers and other distinguished personages, together with the principal municipal authorities and a large number of the leading inhabitants.

Austria-Hungary.

VIENNA, May 1.—Owing to the late heavy rains in Hungary and the flood consequent upon the melting of the snows in the mountains, the waters have everywhere risen. The work of closing the gaps in the dykes at Szegedin not yet being finished, the waters have likewise risen in that town, re-occupying some of the ground which had already become dry.

Movements of General Grant.

HONG KONG, May 1—General Grant has arrived here, in good health.

Mexican Water Carriers.

A Mexican water carrier is always an oddly-dressed fellow. He looks something like the man some one met "one misty, moisty morning," who was all clothed in leather. He has a leather cap, jacket and trousers, the last reaching only to his knees, and held aside with bright buttons of silver, so as to show the white cotton drawers beneath. Down the front of his jacket, too, and around the rim of his cap, are bright buttons. Fastened at his side is a leather wallet holding his money. On his feet are leather sandals. Over his head are two stout leather straps, holding two jugs of earthenware, one resting on his back and the other hanging in front.

He begins work early in the morning. If you go into any of the public squares in the city of Mexico, you will then see a great many of them all seated around the stone basin and busy preparing for the day's work. They reach far over the edge and, dipping up the water, fill their large jug. Throwing that on their backs they reach down once more and fill the smaller one, and then trot off and visit the different houses of the city, and sell the families what water they want.

You would say, perhaps, it was a heavy load to carry by the head and neck, but the carrier does not seem to mind it, for he is very strong, and the jugs just balance each other. It is said an Englishman was once told of this balance, and to see if it were so, he waited until a carrier came along and then with his cane he broke one of the jugs. Alas! down came the man, jugs and all; his balance surely was gone.

Water has to be brought about in this manner because none runs into the houses by lead pipes, as with us. It all comes from near the old castle of Chapultepec, three or four miles from the city.

It runs over great stone aqueducts, built by Cortes, and when it reaches the public square falls into stone basins of the city So, you see, it makes these carriers almost like our milkmen, only they do not come with a fine horse and carriage, and do not make nearly as much money. They only get a few cents each day. How hard they work, too! Busy from morn till eve, always earnest, hardly ever smiling, always on a little Indian trot, they go about from house to house, and then, when the day's work is over, what a life they lead!

They have no home to go to, either; they live in the streets, sleep in the gutter or on the cathedral stone steps, and often, I fear, get so befogged on "pulque," the national drink, that they care not whether they have a home and good bed or not.

Think what a miserable existence, not knowing how to read, dressing as those before them did three hundred years ago, and doing nothing but carrying water about the city. Every day they will go into the great cathedral and say their prayers. They put their jugs down beside them, clasp their hands, raise their eyes to the image of their patron saint, and mumble their requests or their thanks, and then taking a last look at the golden candlesticks and rich ornaments, will hurry away and continue their hard, uninteresting daily labors.—*Wide Awake.*

Discipline of Children.

One of the most imprudent things that woman can admit of her little child is the fact that she has outgrown parental authority. "I can do nothing with Emma," says a weak mother; "she does not pretend to obey me." And Emma is eight years old. Nothing is more certain than that a girl who has outgrown maternal authority at eight years old will never again in the ordinary course of things be subjected to it. Some great moral change may take place, either in the mother or in the daughter or in both, but this cannot be counted on. The child is, practically, free to follow her own wayward impulses. All healthy children are boisterous, and all children take advantage consciously or unconsciously, of distractions attendant upon the presence of company to assert themselves more vigorously than usual. No observing parent is discouraged by anything of this sort. However vigorous, however demonstrative the child may be, if it is to be governed at all by parental authority or held fast by parental love, the parent's hold must be like an anchor's hold; if the anchor drags a yard the chances are that it will drag a mile.

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That bliss we feel shall yet be given—
Somehow, in some far realm divine,
Some marvelous state we name a heaven—

Is not the bliss of languorous hours,
A glory of calm measured range,
But life which feeds our noblest powers
On wonders of eternal change;

A heaven of action freed from strife,
With ampler ether for the scope
Of an immeasurable life,
And an unbaffled, boundless hope;

A heaven wherein all discords cease,
Self-torment, doubt, distress, turmoil,
The core of whose majestic peace
Is God-like power of tireless toil—

Toil without tumult, strain, or jar,
With grandest reach of range endued,
Unchecked by even the farthest star
That trembles through infinitude,

In which to soar to higher heights
Through widening ethers stretched abroad,
Till in our onward, upward flights,
We touch, at last, the feet of God!

Time swallowed in Eternity!
No future evermore, no past,
But one unending Now to be
A boundless circle round us cast.

—*Harper's Magazine.*

About Treating.

The *Catholic Standard* says that "treating" constitutes one of the chief perils attaching to the custom of imbibing spirituous liquors, and there are few persons who could not, if free from its shackles, restrict the indulgence of their thirst to a decent moderation. A man meeting a group of his friends just as he is bent on obtaining his afternoon allowance of "sherry and bitters" must, if he does not violate usage and if he wishes to do what is expected of him, ask them all to join him. Suppose the whole party to number seven. Seven drinks are poured down seven throats, willing or unwilling. What is the immediate result of this hospitality? Six other individuals feel themselves mortgaged with an obligation to equal it. There may be a little chat, and then some one says: "Ah, let's have another drink!" Then seven more drinks are poured down seven throats. More talk. Another happy thought by another member of the party. Seven more drinks descend the seven throats. More talk. A fourth inspiration by a fourth participant. Some one who has done his fated duty tries to beg off: has business to transact; ought not to drink any more. His objection is vetoed by the asking party, who is already slightly stimulated perhaps. "No shirking, ole fellow; come on!" Repetition of the gulping act by seven performers. Every one feels the mellowing influence by this time. "Charley," says No. 6 affectionately, to the genius of the bar, "giv's 'nother! All hands round!" Encore the feat of seven men swallowing seven drinks. No. 7's turn has arrived. The happy relief is near. He happens to be the least experienced of the party. He is already full of bliss. His words are few but expressive. "Set 'em up again, hic!" Up they go, and then down they go—seven more drinks. Let me see. Seven times seven are forty-nine. And all because one man felt like taking a little "sherry and bitters." Perhaps he goes home to his dinner. Perhaps he fails to see his wife and mother-in-law until the next day. Such is life in a country where "treating" is the custom.

Gapes in Chickens.

A writer in the *Rural New Yorker* says: After trying various remedies for the gapes in my little chickens, I bethought me of the insect smiters, lime, sulphur and carbolic acid. I slaked a barrel full of lime wash to about the thickness of paint. Into this I stirred from ten to twelve pounds of sulphur flour. Into each pailful used, I mixed a tablespoonful of carbolic acid. With this on a broom or brush I slashed over every part of my hennery, roost, floor and walls, as well as every chicken coop, outside and in. Particularly over the floors of the latter a heavy coating was flushed. In the chicken coops this regimen was renewed again and again, especially with each new brood in the breeding season. The work is done very quickly. When Patrick finds out that he has not a job of delicate and artistic white-washing on hand, he soon learns to despise economy of materials. The result is that the gapes have left. I have not lost a chick from it in more than two years; nor have I seen a symptom of its life in any of my broods.

"Let Them Talk."

The remark of Mrs. Harrison, a handsome widow, has sense in it: "Let them talk about where I get my new clothes: so long as I can get for a trifle, Leamon's Dyes, made by Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt., I can always dress well."

—Lady (to French governess:) "I am shocked to find that my daughter has been receiving letters from a young man." Governess: "Pardon, madame. It is only my little ruse to cheat mam'selle into study. When she would reply to an unknown lover—a Frenchman,—mon Dieu! how quickly she will learn my language!"

—The kitchen should be the sunniest, cheeriest spot in all the house, for there the best hours of many women's lives are spent, and the few glimpses of the out-door world they get seem a bit of fairy land to be treasured and dreamed over. To them the word kitchen brings a weary sigh, and is synonymous with labor and toil that amounts to drudgeey. There are others who look upon "our kitchen" with a lingering fondness for the very word. It is to them a place of real enjoyment, where cluster the busiest and most useful hours of the day.

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Chester, Pa.

JOHN SPENCER, *Proprietor.*

FRIDAY, MAY 2, 1879.

THE fiftieth annual exhibition of the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts is now open. It is held in the Academy's new and splendid building on Broad street, Philadelphia. Those who can admire works of art will find themselves amply repaid for a visit to this exhibition. And those who would like to admire, but cannot, will find here unusual facilities for cultivating their neglected taste. That these exhibitions have been continued for fifty years is high endorsement of their merit. And that which was good half a century ago is very much better now.

THE cable report is the Khedive is in an obstinate mood. He positively refuses to do what France and England wish in the appointment of his ministers. And is ready, we suppose, to fight it out on this line if it takes all Egypt and the last Khedive. Obstinacy is an oriental habit, and the Khedive would be less of an Egyptian than he is if he were not something of a mule. Stubbornness will, however, be of little avail if the powers whose wishes have been indicated to him insist that the Khedive shall acquiesce. This they will probably do. Their polite request was merely a diplomatic way of stating a command. And when England and France command they expect and intend to be obeyed.

WONDER of wonders. That Keeley motor which, like some gigantic iron clad we supposed had turned topsy turvey, and gone down into the ocean of oblivion, has re-appeared. And not only re-appeared, but brought back with it the promise of accomplishing all its past pledges. After all, it may be that its old friends will be rewarded, and their purses be refilled by that same motor which once so ruthlessly depleted them. We base this conjecture upon a report made in one of the Philadelphia papers that the motor is in actual working order. Nay, more; that it works with a vigor and persistency which excels the hopes of its most sanguine friends. What with the motor which an American lady in Rome has discovered, and the motor which an American gentleman in Philadelphia has discovered, the world is bound to go on.

IT is not long since the wisdom of sending coal from Pennsylvania mines to Europe was first talked about. The suggestion was received with an incredulous smile by many and very few had very strong faith in the scheme as feasible. But here was the coal, and there was a possible market, and with most encouraging success Yankee enterprise has been busy. An Italian firm is reported to have engaged a hundred thousand tons of Anthracite, to be delivered at once. Nor is this to be by any means the first shipment. Many cargoes of coal have been already sent from the United States to different Mediterranean ports, and wherever landed this coal has been received with marked favor. If the troubles in the English coal region continue and increase, as they threaten, American coals will be sold more extensively abroad than even the most sanguine anticipated.

THE four-in-hand fancy—Tally Ho is the other name—continues. A line of these coaches is to run during the coming season from a central point in Philadelphia along the Wissahickon to Indian Rock. Doubtless they will afford multitudes a pleasant relief from the brick walls and sweltering heats of the city. The guard and grooms, and horn and liveries, and dash and glitter generally, will make a Tally Ho ride quite eventful. But, after all, this is not the way to do it for those who really enjoy fresh air, smiling landscape, and the sweet serenity of the country. There is too much here that smacks of the artificial life of the town—and must touch to discord the sympathies of those who are in love with nature. One's own team, one's own friends, stoppings and startings according to one's own fancy, a going and returning by one's own time table—this is the better. Even if there are no lackeys to bow, or guard to defend, or bugle to proclaim your coming.

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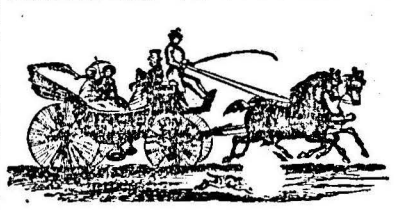
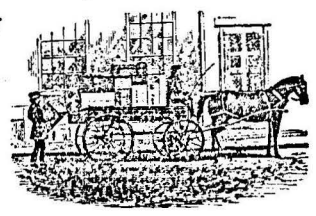
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$2.62!
a real good article that cost to manufacture in large quantities, $5.75, and is therefore an extraordinary bargain. CALL AND SEE THEM. Our lot of fine all wool Boy's and Youths' Suits which will be sold for mere cost of making. Also, a very large quantity of imported fine goods, which will be sold equally as cheap in proportion, at above mentioned prices. An examination of the immense stock of goods will prove that the above are positive facts. These garments are made of Legitimate Cassimeres and cloths, from the best mills in the country and have been consigned to us to sell at prices that WILL POSITIVELY NEVER OCCUR AGAIN. Come early and secure bargains.
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TIME TABLE.

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Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7. 7.30. 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9 38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a.m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

FRIDAY, MAY 2, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Don't walk on the railroad tracks.

The number of newsboys is increasing.

Who's going on the Harvest Home excursion?

The wrens and song sparrows have arrived.

Backward seasons sometimes yield abundant harvests.

It always pays to take special pains in doing everything.

The Seventh street bridge is not near as rickety as it was.

The *Reveille*—the P. M. A. paper—will be out to-morrow.

The school children flock into the schools like bees into a hive.

How is it we have no ten dollar government bonds in Chester?

Frost again last night, and this morning fires were very necessary.

The longer you use the Mackinnon fountain pen the better you like it.

Red clover tea is said to be a sure cure for cancer. Certainly an easy remedy.

Now the ice man comes to see you. In three or four weeks you will be hunting him.

More dogs around the market house on Wednesday and Saturday than any other days.

The county correspondence in the *Advocate* this week is alone worth the price of the paper.

Plant trees, and you will be able to sit under your own shade in two or three years.

Butter-and-eggs will soon be plenty along the country roads and in the fields of Delaware county.

Make your ferneries now, and make them in shady places. In summer they are just as pretty as a flower bed.

That the new President of Council, Mr. Wallace, will make a good presiding officer is the opinion of every body.

Stock can be still taken in the new building association. The first payments will be made on the second Saturday in June.

Mr. McCracken, of Chelsea, has one of the best poultry yards in Delaware County, and his chickens are among the finest to be seen anywhere.

Adams Express Company, when they cannot find any owner for goods that come by their line, mark the package O. H. Old horse, we suppose it means.

Chester people have been slighted. No opportunity has been presented in this city for our people to invest in that new four per cent loan of Uncle Sam.

"The Fidelity Building and Loan" is the name of the new association which was started last night in Mr. H. L. Donaldson's office, in Market square.

Remember the Punch and Judy tea party to-morrow afternoon and evening in Holly Tree Hall. It is for the benefit of Miss Laura Hard's Bible class.

Last year at this time they were shipping strawberries from Delaware. They are only blooming now, and we needn't expect any berries for the next fortnight.

The *Advocate* will be issued this afternoon. Get a copy, and send it to your friends in the West or wherever they are. It will be as welcome as two or three letters.

There is no man in Chester who gives so much of his time and talents to charitable entertainments, and the like, as Prof. John R. Sweney. There is this about it, he has made himself decidedly indispensable to our community.

Third street bridge is one of the busiest places in Chester. From now until October hundreds will visit there daily. It is the shad now. Later on in the season it will be watermelons, canteloupes, sweet potatoes and other Jersey productions.

The Athletic contests at the P. M. A. were so successfully carried out yesterday, that it is quite probable there will be more of the same kind in the future. All were in the best of humor, and everything passed off pleasantly. That's the way to do it.

ATHLETIC DAY AT THE P. M. A.—Yesterday was a gala day at the Pennsylvania Military Academy, and the cadets enjoyed it. The members of the Athletic Association connected with the institution had arranged for an exhibiton of athletic skill on the grounds of the Academy in the afternoon, and it was quite largely attended by the citizens of Chester, including many ladies, and great interest was manifested in part of the programme, which was varied. With a cloudless sky and a cool wind blowing from the northwest, the weather was all that could be desired for such an occasion, and the participants were in first-rate trim. The exercises were commenced a little before three o'clock with 100 yards dash, in which cadets Morton, of class '81, Lewis, of class '80, and Sage, of class '79 entered. The race was won by Lewis in 11½ seconds, Morton coming in second and Sage third.

The next thing on the programme was throwing a base ball, in which Sage, of '79, and Paulson, Thomas, Thompson and Lewis, of '81 participated, and after each threw the ball and the distance was measured off, it showed the following result:

Lewis, 328 feet 8 inches; Sage, 328 feet 6½ inches; and Paulson, Thomas and Thompson, each 300 feet. The prize for this was a very handsome silver ball, presented by the staff, and it was awarded to Lewis.

A running high jump was next, and Morton and Lewis, of '81, entered. It was won by Lewis jumping 4 feet 6 inches. This was followed by a standing high jump, for which Lewis and Morton of '81 entered, and Lewis was again declared the victor by jumping a height of 4 feet 7 inches.

Then followed a running broad jump by Schwenk, of '79, Stiles, of '81, and Lewis, of '81. Lewis won by jumping 16 feet, 11 inches, though the other two did not fall far short of this distance.

Cadet VanGorder, of '79, Stiles, of '81, and Morton, of '81, made a hop, step and jump, which was won by the latter covering 34 feet, 16¼ inches.

Now came what they termed the tug of war, and it seemed to interest the boys as much, or more than anything else on the programme. Six representatives of two classes, the first and third, were pitted against each other to see which was the stronger. The arrangement was a strong rope, the middle of which was on the ground the six stoutest men in each class took hold of their respective ends of the rope, in order to pull against each other. From the Third class, cadets Poulson, Curtis, Thomas, Kennerdell, Martin and Lewis were chosen, while cadets Wren, Armstrong, McCormick, Sutton, Schwenk and VanGorder were selected from the First class for the contest. Great preparation was made, each one put rosin on his hands, made holes in the ground for his heels and set back ready for the command, which was given by Capt. Carter firing off a pistol, and the tug began.

It was a mighty pull, for the strength of the class was at stake, and to lose it would be mortifying. From appearances the first classmen had the most avoirdupois, but from the start the third classmen got the better of them, and as soon as they pulled the former off their center it was all up. The first classmen had to go. They failed to regain their purchase, and when the middle of the rope was 47 inches past the mark on the ground another pistol was fired again, and the two dozen of hands loosened their hold of the rope amid rounds of applause.

A quarter of a mile run was then indulged in by cadets Harrison, of '81, and Duke, of '82. In going around the track Duke fell down, and Harrison won the race in 1 minute and 13½ seconds.

Then came a one mile run, participated in by Thompson, of '81, and McKimm, of '81. Both started off on very fast time on the quarter mile track, forgetting that they had to go four times around it and at the speed they started their wind would be gone before the mile was run. When half way round the last lap McKimm gave up, but some of his friends cheered him on, and he continued but lost the race. Thompson, who had led, made the mile in 7 minutes and 30¾ seconds. Both were about ready to give up when they came in.

Five-mile walk, heel and toe, was started with Wren of '79 and Thomas of '81 on the one-eighth mile track. Wren completed his 40 laps in 58 minutes 24½ seconds, while Thomas was 1 hour 2 minutes and 6½ seconds.

At the time the above race was started, a one-mile heel and toe was commenced which was entered by Hersh of '80, Smith of '80, Morton of '81, and Lentz of '82. Smith stood 6 feet 4 inches, and Morton 6 feet 3 inches, while Hersh and Lentz were both little fellows. They got a good start, with Morton on the lead, which he kept during the eight laps, which he made in 9 minutes and 55¾ seconds. Smith came in second, Hersh third, and Lentz fourth. The first three named kept pretty close together all the time, and walked well.

While the five mile walking match was in progress another race—the five mile go-as-you-please—was started on the same course. There were entered for this race Fatzinger of '79, Van Gorder of '79, Nichols of '81, Stiles of '81, Henderson of '82, McGinley of 82, and Hyatt of '82, but three started—Henderson, Van Gorder and Stiles. All three started on a run, and kept it up with great regularity. When Stiles completed two miles he had lost about two laps, and gave up, having made that distance in fifteen minutes. Henderson and Van Gorder kept close together, and were often cheered. After about two and a half miles had been completed, Van Gorder struck his left foot against one of the stakes used for marking out the track, and injured his great toe so badly that he had to slow up his speed. He suffered so much that he would have left the track, but his friends urged him to keep on, which he did. Notwithstanding he was in such misery, he lost but one lap in the whole five-mile course. Henderson ran every step of the forty laps, and won the race in 35 minutes and 35¾ seconds, which was considered very good time. He won the prize—a silver cup, presented by Mr. P. Boylen, of this city. At the close of the race Van Gorder's toe nail was perfectly black, and it is feared he will lose the nail. He did not know it was so bad, or he would not have continued. It was a closely contested race, and great interest was manifested in it by all. Henderson was loudly cheered.

The next and last was a wrestling match catch as catch can, between Paulson and Morton, of '81, and Curtis, of '80, and Schwenk, of '79. The spectators formed a large circle in the field, and the contestants, having chosen their referees, took the arena for the combat. Paulson, a stout, heavy-set fellow, and Morton, a tall, slender man, were the first to meet each other and compete for the match, which was best two in three falls. The first fall was awarded to Paulson in 1½ minutes, the second to Morton in 2 minutes, and the third and match to Paulson in 1½ minutes. They were both good wrestlers, conducted themselves very nicely, and made an interesting match.

Curtis, a small but wiry little fellow, and Schwenk, somewhat larger than his competitor, met each other. Schwenck threw Curtis the first time in 6 minutes, and the second time in 2½ minutes, which gave him the match. There was some very good wrestling done in this match.

Poulson and Schwenk, the victors in the above contest, then wrestled the match off, and in this there was great interest among the cadets, for it was First class against Third. The first fall was given in favor of Poulson, in two minutes, the second to Schwenk, in one minute, and the third and champion to Poulson, in 1¼ minutes.

The sports of the afternoon ended about 5.45 o'clock, and those present dispersed to their homes after having spent an enjoyable time.

Red ribbons, on which were printed "First Prize," and "Second Prize," were given in all the contests.

The referees for the afternoon were Capt. Carter and Mr. B. F. Morley, and the time keepers were cadets Thomason and Pardee.

Cadets McCormick, Wren and Schwenk, the Committee on Arrangements of the Association, deserve much praise for their excellent management, and for bringing the affair to so successful a termination. The amusement was innocent and highly appreciated by the public, as well as the staff and cadets of the Academy. Yesterday was the first time the cadets ever gave a public exhibition of Athletic sports, and it will doubtless grow in favor each year.

NEW BUILDING ASSOCIATION.—A number of persons met in the office of Mr. H. L. Donaldson, in Market square, last evening, for the purpose of taking steps toward the organization of a new building association. Mr. Jonathan R. Johnson was made president, and Mr. H. L. Donaldson, secretary.

Mr. Geo. M. Booth moved that a committee of three be appointed to draft constitution and by-laws. The president appointed Geo. M. Booth, H. L. Donaldson and John Spencer.

Mr. D. M. Johnson moved that a committee be appointed to take steps looking to the incorporation of the association, and the following committee were appointed for that purpose: D. M. Johnson, John B. Hannum, and Joseph D. Oliver.

After some discussion about the name it should bear, a number were proposed and a vote was taken, which resulted in the selection of "Fidelity."

Mr. Booth moved that it should be called the Fidelity Building and Loan Association.

Mr. Geo. B. Lindsay moved that the secretary be instructed to advertise, in both daily papers, a meeting of the stockholders, for the purpose of organizing and electing officers of the Association, on Saturday, May 10th, at half-past seven in the evening.

The meeting then adjourned.

Eight hundred and thirty-six shares have been subscribed.

A PARLOR ENTERTAINMENT.—For two or three months past the congregation of the Third Presbyterian Church have been holding entertainments in the parlor of different members' houses, so that the people can become better acquainted with each other, and these evening gatherings have become very popular. Last evening over a hundred persons assembled at the church parsonage, where the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. McCauley, made everyone feel pleasant.

After all were comfortably seated, Miss Agie Morris delighted those present with a piana solo in her usual good style, and this was followed by a lecture on "Calcutta," by Capt. C. E. Hyatt, who spoke for more than an hour. His remarks were interesting, and well received.

While these exercises were going on Messrs. Ellwood Black and Frank Beatty were busy in the kitchen wrestling with the ice cream cans and slaying pound, fruit and jelly cake, and making the best of coffee for the hungry company. These refreshments were served around in good style, and were heartily partaken of by all present. After this Prof. Sweney sang a couple of comic songs, and at about 10.30 o'clock the merry company repaired to their homes. The evening was very pleasantly spent.

FRATERNAL.—Last evening the hall of Fountain Lodge was crowded with delegations from various lodges of the order of Good Templars. Among them were representatives of Charles Cooke, Liberty and America lodges, of Philadelphia, Oak Grove, Siloam and Star of Chester lodges, of this county. W. D. Platt, P. W. C. T., presided, and the evening was profitably spent in very interesting temperance addresses, by Charles Green, Miss Huntsman, E. Compton and others of Siloam lodge, Mr. Mills, of New York, Messrs. Ring and Bitting, of Philadelphia, Dr. Ridgely and E. S. McKeever, of this city. Miss Abbie Hinkle, G. W. S., read a beautiful poem, by Miss Ella Wheeler, of Wisconsin, entitled, "Objections to the Good Templars." During the evening Miss Sallie Williams, of Siloam lodge, and Mr. McGinley, of Philadelphia, favored the meeting with a song each.

A CHESTERIAN DEAD.—An Associated Press dispatch in the morning papers says that Cyrus Osborne, aged eighty-one, a resident of Chester, Pa., died suddenly yesterday in Cincinnati.

SENT UP.—James Cartwright, who was before the Mayor yesterday morning on the charge of being drunk and disorderly, was sent to Media jail this morning for 30 days.

GRAND LODGE OFFICERS.—The Masonic Grand Lodge Officers, consisting of G. M., Michael Nesbit, G. S. W., Conrad B. Day, J. G. W., E. Coppie Mitchell, P. G. M., Richard Vaux, P. G. M., Potter, P. G. M., Clark, G. W., Richard Wood, and others came to Chester yesterday afternoon, and were treated to a planked shad supper at the Beale House, in Mr. Morris' best style. In the evening they visited Chester Lodge, where they took part in the exercises, and left for Philadelphia on the 10.18 train.

MATRIMONIAL.—Mr. David P. O'Connor, of this city, a calico printer at Eddystone, has left the state of single blessedness and joined his fortunes with that of Miss Jennie A. Collins, of Haverstraw, N. Y. The happy twain have taken up their residence on East Fourth street, this city, where they were tendered a serenade last evening by the Friendship Band.

A CAVE.—This morning the ground under one of the crossing stones at Market Square caved in. Street Commissioner Smith put a man to work digging to find the cause, but he has been unable to find any bottom yet, and he is a little curious to know just what the bed of that street is made of.

WOODS BURNED.—Tyler's woods in Middletown, Delaware county, were on fire on Tuesday of last week, and about ten acres of timber burned. It is supposed to have the work of an incendiary. A reward of $100 is offered for information that will lead to the detection of the party that fired the premises.

WATCH BOXES IMPROVED.—The P. W. & B. Railroad Company are having the watch boxes along their road, in this city, much improved. The buildings are being painted, the grounds around them beautified by flower plots, and these are being encircled by neat wire fences.

INSTALLATION.—Oak Grove Lodge, No. 495, I. O. G. T., will have a public installation of officers at the Eighteenth street school house, North Chester, this evening, at 8 o'clock. Rev. J. F. Crouch, of Trinity M. E. Church, and others will make addresses.

OFF FOR ENGLAND.—Mr. H. H. Buckley, of South Chester, left for New York this morning, where he intends taking a steamer for England. His health has been poor of late, and he thinks the trip will do him good. He expects to be gone several months.

BASE BALL.—The Regulation nine of the Third class of the P. M. A. will play a match game of base ball with Our Boys nine of Wilmington, Del., on the grounds of the former on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

A LARGE ROCK FISH.—A rock fish weighing 91 pounds was caught at Marcus Hook, yesterday, and this morning was purchased by Mr. James Buckley, of the Morton House, North ward.

ANOTHER BREAK.—It was reported on the streets this morning that another break in the banks of the water filterer occurred last night.

LODGERS.—There were 17 lodgers in the station house last night.

UPLAND ITEMS.—Last Sunday Rev. Dr. Pendleton, of the Upland Baptist church, was sufficiently recovered from a severe illness which has kept him in his room for several weeks, as to be able to preach to his people. We know that it is cause for rejoicing on the part of the members of this congregation to hear his convincing reasoning again.

Mrs. Stewart, of Peoria, Illinois, is visiting Mrs. John P. Crozer at this time. A many years ago, say more than thirty, she was a domestic in Mrs. Crozer's family, and nursed several of the gentlemen who to-day she finds with families growing up around them as their father's family was when she lived with them.

Jeremiah Walworth & Sons have purchased a lot of ground from Mr. Maris, in Upland, on which they propose to erect a dwelling house and a waste warehouse. They are at present residents of Chester, and have a warehouse located on Lancaster avenue, West Philadelphia.

Our neighbor, Robert Wolfenden, left his native town, the bright little village of Upland, to seek work and build up a business and a home in the State of Kansas, last Monday. Robert is a good blacksmith at carriage and wagon work, and he is thrifty and energetic at every kind of work. We feel certain that he is the right sort of a young man to go West, and that he will fill an honorable place there.

The shade trees in our streets have very suddenly appeared in full dress, with such a bountiful supply of leaves that they look more like strangers in our midst than the bare-faced, familiar old trees we have been looking upon for six months past.

In Tuesday's issue of the *Evening News*, the name of Thomas Lindsay was published in connection with some other names from Upland, who had been in a drunken scrape in the city of Chester. We rejoice in the fact that the *News* on Wednesday set its readers right by saying that the Thomas Lindsay spoken of was not a resident of Upland. This was brought about by our T. Lindsay informing the editor that he wasnot the man alluded to. It would be well for every one of our young men to be jealous of their good name, not only when others assail them, but also when temptation comes in the form of invitation to drink, or in any other way.

William Newton is devoting all his time and energy to the grocery business on Eighth street, which he has had in hand several years, but to which he has only been giving his attention at nights, after the work of the day had been ended in the mill.

UPLAND.

Pupils making upward of 90 in the Upland Grammar School for the month of April are as follows:

A Division—Annie Band, Ella Rodeback, Carrie Wyatt, Sarah Sharp, Thomas Gilston, Lincoln Castle, Alex Crooks, John Crowther.

B Division—Lizzie Castle, Mary Makin, Annie Howard, Mary Downes, Mary Bell, Eva Grindrod, Emma Wolfenden, Sallie Pretty, Sherman Howard, Clifton Pretty, Harry Ramsden, James Crowther, Harry Vanzant.

C Division—Robert Carroll, Joseph Lord, James Bell.

Faithful in Attendance—Annie Band, Eva Grindrod, Mary Makin, Mary Bell, Annie Howard, Nellie Wolfenden, Lincoln Castle, John Crowther, Joseph Lord, Clifton Pretty, Sherman Howard.

Per cent. of attendance—Boys, 94; Girls, 90.

Visitor—D. G. Compton, Esq.

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Letter from Mr. Gartside.

CHESTER, May 2, 1879.

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Very Respectfully,
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CHESTER, April 30, 1879.

MR. LAMPLUGH:

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MARRIED.

O'CONNOR—COLLINS.—On the 27th ult., at St. Peter's church, Haverstraw, N. Y., by the Rev. Father Baxter, David P. O'Connor, of this city, to Miss Jennie A. Collins, of Haverstraw.

DIED.

KEPNER.—In this city, on the 2d inst., Walter R. Kepner, aged 4 months and 10 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his father, J. C. Kepner, Corner Third and Franklin streets, on Sunday afternoon, the 4th inst., to meet at the house at 2 o'clock. To proceed to the Chester Rural Cemetery. §§

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Fishing tackle, base balls and bats, toys, scrap pictures, &c., at equally low prices.
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NEW SERIES OF STOCK IN THE CHESTER BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

The above Association will issue its sixth series of stock on Tuesday, May 27th, 1879.

This Association has been an exceedingly prosperous one, the first series having run five years without having to foreclose but one of its mortgages, the gain per share has been large, and the arrearages small. The Association has been carefully managed since its commencement.

Any person wishing to subscribe for stock in the new series, will please call on either of the undersigned.

BENJ. F. BAKER,
President.
GEO. M. BOOTH,
Secretary.
ap10-d&w-tf S. GREENWOOD.

OFFICE HOURS.—MISS A. M. MILLER, the Secretary of the Citizens' Building Association, will be at her office in Market Square, every Thursday, from 10 to 12 o'clock A. M., and all day during the fourth Saturday of each month, to transact any business of the Association. By order of the
ap4-tf BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Something About Giving.

I have been deeply interested lately in the work that women are doing for missions in our own and in heathen lands. Their methods of raising money are laudable and beautiful: their appeals are tender and eloquent, and their success delightful. But,—and I come along up to it reluctantly, lest I get into trouble by venturing to take exception to anything said or done by these sisters of charity whose praise is in all the churches, and whose work will live as a memorial of them:—but there is one principle taught and one practice encouraged, the wisdom and right of which I am trying to screw up my courage to examine. The point which I am disposed to criticise is seen in the words which I will copy from one of the latest of these touching appeals:

"We must go deeper, fellow Christians. We have not yet, most of us, given till we feel it. We must cut off some luxury that we love, some indulgence that we secretly cherish: not give a dollar as the cost of the indulgence, and then go and get it all the same. If we can do that, then it shows that we are not doing all that we should. We must come down closer to the point of real sacrifice. You *know* where the self-denial can be made. In your secret heart it will not take you long to settle just where there is something that you can give up, which it will cost you a pang or an annoyance to go without, but the giving up of it will enable you to put something in the Lord's treasury."

This is very beautiful in its expression, and well fitted to draw deeply on the fountains of a pious heart. But is it scriptural? Is it the principle which the Lord Jesus taught? Is it the rule by which Christians must be guided in giving to the cause of Christ?

I cannot recollect a text, or a parable, or a fact, in the Bible that teaches this doctrine and duty. If I have not the means to give to the various objects of Christian benevolence, without curtailing my daily expenditures, it is my duty to reduce them, and to live within my income so that I may have something to give. But *that* is totally different from selecting some one thing to do without so that it may cost me a "pang" or be an "annoyance" to go without it. There is no merit in the "pang." Jesus Christ suffered all the pangs that are needed to win the favor of God, and the life of the Christian is not advanced by pangs of his own choosing. If he sins, and needs chastisement he will have pangs. Afflictions in mercy may bring pangs. But he must not select his own pangs, and suppose that God is well pleased by his suffering.

We may be called upon to *give* even to the extent of great self-denial. The first money that I ever earned by the pen was paid to me by a publisher in one sum—a $50 bill. It was all the money I had, and just then I was called on for a donation to Foreign Missions, and with great cheerfulness I gave it all. It did not cost me a pang, though it left me penniless. And I never regretted it for a moment. The Lord loveth a cheerful giver; not one who feels "annoyance" on giving up something for his sake. Penance may exact suffering; self-righteousness may prescribe a hair shirt instead of linen; but God has said there is nothing better than that a man should eat and drink and enjoy the good there is under the sun. Thanksgiving makes alms-giving. The heart rejoicing in the good gifts of God rejoices in giving to God according to the abundance wherewith he has crowned our lives. Scrimping in order to give shrivels the heart. The liberal soul is made fat. The more we learn the right use of money, the more we will enjoy, as one of the highest luxuries of existence, the privilege of giving. It is better than getting.

Some parents teach their children to deny themselves butter, or sugar, and to give the saving to the Lord. That is not the sacrifice with which God is well pleased. Children should be taught to deny themselves ungodliness and every worldly lust, or unholy desire. But they, and all God's children, may enjoy the good things of this life, consecrating themselves and all they have, to Him who, though he was rich, became poor for them.

Mrs. Robinson called on Mrs. Jones to remonstrate with her for worldliness in wearing a feather in her hat. "And where," asked Mrs. Jones, "do you draw the line in the matter of dress?" "Well," Mrs. R. replied, "we must draw it somewhere, and I draw it on feathers."

But this is no rule or line. It is the privilege and the duty of Christians to live and dress and enjoy as they have the means, doing all in the fear and to the glory of God, giving the more to him as they have the more abundant means. And this they will do if grace abounds.

A few days ago I asked a rich man to give a thousand dollars to a good cause. "Why not give it yourself?" he asked. I answered: "I give more than you do in proportion to my ability, and I cannot do more at present." He asked again, "Do you give nine-tenths of your income, as I do?" This is a staggering question, but I came up to it: "No, but if I give only one-tenth of my income, I give more in proportion than you do; for when you have given nine-tenths, the one-tenth that is left is more than you want to spend, or to lay up; so that you never can feel the want of what you give."

"You are right," he said; "what I call mine is not my own, and giving is only one way of using it for Him to whom it all belongs."

These noble women who are doing a noble work for Christ are not called upon to expend one cent less upon themselves or their children, unless they are now spending more than is good for their children and becoming for themselves. But they are called upon, and so are all who love God and profess his name, to put their property freely at his service; to give liberally according as we are prospered; rejoicing to spend and to be spent; not measuring our benevolence by that of others; nor depriving ourselves of whatever is right and proper for us to buy, in our circumstances, and bearing in mind always that what is in our hands is only for use that it may serve God and our fellowmen.—*Irenæus in N. Y. Observer.*

—Religion is the highest moral authority in human society.

Poultry.

Our domestic animals, derived as they are from wild ancestors, require a certain amount of exercise to keep them in sound and vigorous health. Poultry can not be kept in large numbers in confined areas without detriment to their constitution. Col. Taggart, of Pennsylvania, provides food and exercise for his fowls at the same time. The editor found in his poultry yard several beds about thirty feet square each, in which Col. Taggart buries oats, several bushels to the bed. The grains begin, of course, at once to swell and germinate, and the fowls have free access, scratching and eating the tender sprouts to their hearts' content. While the fowls are thus busy on one bed, a new one is prepared, which is in readiness for them by the time it is required. The idea is a good one and we are glad to call attention to it. In our own yards we have found the benefit of it, and we are glad to learn that we are not alone in the practice.—*Fancier's Journal.*

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MAIN LINE.

Fast Line, daily,.....11.45 A. M.
Pittsburg Express, except Sunday, 6.30 P. M
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Pacific Express, daily,.....11.55 P. M.
Niagara Exp., daily, except Sunday 7.20 A. M.
Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday,.....11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Mail Train { Daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M. / On Sunday—Harrisburg only,..... 8.00 A. M.
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renova, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily except Sunday.

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Trains leave Depot, Thirty-second and Market streets.

Express for New York, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 7, 7.35, 8, 8.30, and 11 A. M. (Limited Express, 1.30 P. M.) 2, 4, 5.30, 7 and 7.35 P. M.

Sunday Trains, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 8, 8.30 A. M., 4, and 7.35 P. M.

For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

From Boston, 7.05 A. M., daily, except Monday, and 9.10 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets.

Express for New York, 7.00 and 8.35 A. M.

Train arrives:—From New York, 7.42 P. M

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Trains leave Depot, Thirty-second and Market streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.40 and 10.15 A. M., and 4.10 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, Flemington, &c., 10.40 P. M.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.12 and 4.00 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, &c., 4.55 and 9.50 P. M. From Scranton and Water Gap &c., 4.55 and 9.50 P. M.

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NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

J. E. WOOTTEN, Gen'l Manager.
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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

HENRY WOOD, General Superintendent.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER, 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 12.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

Through tickets to all points West, South and Southwest, may be procured at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, where berths in sleeping cars can be procured during the day. Persons purchasing tickets at these offices can have baggage checked at their residences by the Union Transfer Company.

H. F. KENNEY, Supt.

NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

On and after Nov 25th, 1878, trains leave Depot, Third and Berks streets, Philadelphia.

MAIN LINE.

7.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m., Express for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk.

8.15 a. m. and 8 p. m., Fast Line for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Auburn, Ithaca, Geneva, Rochester, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and the West. Sleeping Cars through to Niagara Falls. 8 p. m. runs daily.

9.45 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3.30 p. m., for Bethlehem, Norristown, Allentown, Easton, Schooley's Mountain and points on Morris and Essex Railroad.

7.25, 9.00 a. m., 3.45, 5.45 p. m. for Hartsville and points on N. E. P. R. R.

6.45, 9.30, 11.32 a. m., 1.45, 3.30, 5.30 p. m., 12.00 midnight for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne, Yardley, Trenton, Pennington and Hopewell.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5.40 p. m. for Norristown.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5 p. m., for Doylestown.

11 a. m. and 11 p. m. for Fort Washington.

5.30, 7, 7.25, 9, 11 a. m., 1.30, 3, 3.30, 3.45, 5, 5.45, 8.05, 9.30 and 11 p. m. for Abington.

6.30 p. m. accommodation for Lansdale.

12 midnight, for Jenkintown.

ON SUNDAYS.

9 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. for Hatboro and Hartsville.

9.30 a. m., and 8.00 p. m., for Bethlehem and Allentown.

9.30 a. m. and 2.00 p. m., for Doylestown.

9.00 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne Yardley and Trenton.

11 a. m. for Abington.

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Leave Chester Depot at 7.45 A. M., 3.11 P. M.
Leave Media at 10 A. M., and 5 P. M.
During Court leave Media at 1 P. M., instead of 10 A. M.
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LATEST NEWS.

At the Cabinet meeting yesterday, the principal subject of consideration was the threatened invasion of the Indian Territory by colonizing parties of whites. The Secretary of the Interior has information that the movement is more formidable than was at first supposed. It was determined by the Cabinet that the irruption should be prevented as far as practicable.

Over 300 colored emigrants from the South arrived in Atchison, Kansas, yesterday, most of them in a destitute condition. They were housed in colored churches and their immediate wants provided for. Much suffering is expected if the influx continues, as there is little demand for unskilled labor in that section.

In the U. S Senate, yesterday, Mr. Johnson introduced a bill granting aid to the Texas Pacific Railroad scheme. It was referred to the Committee on Railroads. The resolution authorizing the Committee on Privileges and Elections to take testimony on the Spofford claim came up in order, and Mr. Edmonds offered a substitute declaring the Senate decision heretofore, that Mr. Kellogg was entitled to the seat on the merits of the case, to be final and conclusive. The matter went over. The National Health bill was considered, the question being on a motion to recommit, with instructions to report a code of regulations. It was agreed to take the question on Monday, and the Senate, after an executive session, adjourned until that day.

Charles F. Freeman, a mail carrier, aged 35 years, slaughtered his five-year-old daughter, Edith, in a fit of religious frenzy, at Pocasset, Mass., on Thursday morning. He woke up his wife about half-past three o'clock and told her he must make a sacrifice to the Lord of his youngest daughter. He then arose, took the little girl from her bed, and plunged a butcher knife into her side, causing death in a minute. It is reported that the wife said: "It was all right; Abraham would raise her up next Sunday." Freeman carried the mail on Thursday, as usual, showing no signs of his insanity. He appears to have been crazed by Second Adventist meetings, and to have imagined that the Lord had ordered the sacrifice of his daughter. He seems to be sane on other points. Freeman remained in his house yesterday in charge of an officer and a physician.

The strike of the Williston mill operatives at East Hampton, Mass., continued yesterday. The Company had notified some of the leading strikers to leave its tenements within forty-eight hours, but the strikers, acting upon legal advice, it is said, refused to quit. The principal grievance of the operatives is that they have to work sixty-three hours per week, which is three hours more than the legal time. They say the Company gets families into six-room tenements, and furnishes barely enough work to get back the rent. The mills helpng almost entirely to the estate of Samuel Williston, and the proceeds of their sale go to the Amherst College, as residuary legatee. A tape factory at Northampton, dependent upon the Williston Mills for its stock, has shut down. Some of the higher-priced machinists of the Williston mills have resumed work.

The suit of Ex-Governor Washburne, of Wisconsin, in the U. S. Court at Cincinnati, to recover $2100 from the Western Insurance Company, resulted yesterday in a verdict for the plaintiff after ten minutes' deliberation by the jury. It is the first of eight cases, pending in the same court, growing out of the mill explosion and fire in Minneapolis, a year ago.

A man, giving the name of W. H. Michaels, and representing himself to be a fruit and commission merchant of Philadelphia, was arrested in Richmond, Va., yesterday, and committed on the charge of forgery. He is accused of forging a draft for $2000 on the Girard National Bank of Philadelphia, and a check for $1000 on the State Bank of Virginia, and giving them to certain parties in making pretended purchases of lands. In these transactions he represented himself as James C. Virtue, a retired naval officer.

An inmate of the Columbus county, Wis., jail, charged with burglary, escaped early yesterday morning, and the Sheriff's daughter, sixteen years of age, is also missing. The Sheriff, who offers a reward for the capture of the prisoner, thinks he forced the girl away, but the general opinion is that she went because she was willing.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

A despatch to the *Daily Telegraph* from Cape Town, dated April 15th, says: "Dubalmanzi, who led the attack on Ginglelova on the 3d inst., and other chiefs with a large armed force following, have proffered submission. Lord Chelmsford promised them personal safety and possession of their cattle, but said, pending the termination of the war that they should be settled on Brittish territory. John Dunn, formerly Cetywayo's adviser, having pledged his word for their safety, the chiefs are expected in at once.

"The head of the Intelligence Department bas moved forward from Greytown to meet the representatives from Cetywayo, but the sincerity of his proposals is suspected. John Dunn has gone to Durban. His presence at headquarters is thought necessary to secure the submission of the chiefs. Everything portends an early peace. Meanwhile war operations are actively proceeding, and an advance on the King's Kraal seems certain from Col. Wood's direction, whether peace is offered or not.

A despatch from Lord Chelmsford announces the transfer of the headquarters staff to Utrecht. Col. Crealock commands the division of the army on Lower Tugela river. General Newdegate supersedes Colonel Wood. Colonels Pearson and Wood will command independent flying columns.

Sir Bartle Frere telegraphs that with the exception of a small, but very violent minority, the Boer leaders appear generally open to reason.

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, May 2.—The final deposit in the Hawdon-Hanlan match has been paid. It has also been agreed that the men should be in the boats to start at 1.15 P. M. on Monday morning.

Both Hanlan and Hawdon had good practice this morning and afternoon, Hawdon on his return journey in the morning keeping up a stroke of 37 to the minute. Hanlan did not exceed 32 whilst in sight. In the afternoon Hawdon practiced starting against Higgins. They made about five of such spurts of 50 or 60 yards each, Higgins always managing to get a yard or two ahead. Dr. Armstrong, President of the Tyne Amateur Rowing Club, has been appointed referee, and Mr. Swaddle, of Scotswood, distance judge. Three steamers have been engaged to follow the race. The police have received regulations for the maintenance of order.

Working Monkeys.

It is one of the curious things in nature that the animals nearest to man in the order of development are of little or no use to him industrially. There has never been a time when strong races of men have not compelled their weaker brethers to work for them. But, barring the showman and the organ grinder, the meanest of men have not been able to subjugate or enslave their simian relatives. An ancient Arabic proverb accounts for the freedom of apes by the fact that they shrewdly refuse to talk: "Well they know that were they to speak they would be made to work; so they wisely hold their tongues."

The proverbial prudence of the monkey appears to fail in a measure, however, in the land of the white elephant. An Austrian resident at the Court of Siam reports that in that country the monkey is trained to fish for crabs with his tail, as comical a pursuit as can well be imagined, except, perhaps, for the worthy and intelligent ape engaged in it, who sometimes gets a "bite" from a monster crab that he is totally unable to land, and falls a victim to the superior weight of his Cancer Ferox, who drags him into the water, drowns, and finally devours him.

The Siamese ape is also stated to be in great request among native merchants as a cashier in their counting houses. Vast quantities of base coin obtain circulation in Siam, and the faculty of discrimination between good money and bad would appear to be possessed by these gifted monkeys in such an extraordinary degree of development that no mere human being, however carefully trained, can compete with them. The cashier ape meditatively puts into his mouth each coin presented to him in business payments, and tests it with grave deliberation. If it be genuine he hands it over to his master. If it be counterfeit, he sets it down on the counter before him with a solemn grimace of displeasure. His method of testing is regarded in commercial circles as infallible; and, as a matter of fact, his decision is uniformly accepted by all parties interested in the transaction. But, though a true and invaluable servant to his own particular master, it seems that his moral character is not altogether irreproachable. His deplorable passion for fruit, renders him the terror of Siamese market gardeners, who find brute force inadequate to restrain him from visiting their orchards, and therefore have recourse to divers and sundry stratagems, one of which is reported to be as successful as it is certainly ingenious. A specially active and enterprising ape is captured and carefully sewed up in the skin of a tiger cat. He is then turned loose in the orchard of his predilection, and straightway clambers, as well as he may, incumbered by an unfamiliar garment, into the branches of a fruit tree among his unclothed fellows. Scarcely do these latter set eyes upon him with all his feline terrors thick upon him, when a dreadful panic strikes them, and they scramble away with piercing screeches and agonized chatterings. Never more do they return to an orchard which they believe to be infested by the deadliest enemy of their race. The startling intelligence is rapidly disseminated throughout the monkey society of the neighborhood, and the wily gardener enjoys an absolute immunity from depredation forever afterward, for the very thought of a tiger cat appals the simian soul, and doubtless the tale of "the awful apparition in Ting-tse's orchard" is handed down in quadrumanous families from generation to generation.—*Sci. Am.*

The Beauty of Neatness.

A woman may be handsome, or remarkably active in various ways; but if she is not personally neat, she cannot hope to win admiration. Fine clothes will not conceal the slattern. A young woman with her hair always in disorder, and her clothes hanging about her as if suspended from a prop, is always repulsive. Slattern is written upon her person from the crown of her head to the soles of her feet, and if she wins a husband he turns out, in all probability, either to be an idle fool or a drunken ruffian. The bringing up of daughters to be able to work, talk, and act like honest, sensible young women, is the special task of all mothers, and in the industrial ranks there is imposed also the prime obligations of learning to respect household work for its own sake, and the comfort and happiness it will bring in the future. Housework is drudgery; but it must be done by somebody, and had better be well than ill done.

Learn to Cook.

With a view, then, to their own comfort hereafter, as well as with a regard to the right and fitting, we would have all our young girl graduates tie on their calico overalls, and familiarize themselves with braising pans, banes-marie, larding needles, egg whisks, steak tongs, gridirons, bread boards, and all the rest of that armory of utensils with which civilization has surrounded the simple acts of eating and drinking. At the same time we would have them attend to the marketing with their mothers, or with whomsoever it is that goes to market, and learn how to buy beef, bright red well mingled with fine white fat; veal, small-boned and white, with kidneys imbedded in fat; lamb, pink and fat; mutton, dark, and with a bunch of fat on the upper part of the leg; pork, firm, the lean, white, skin smooth and without kernels; turkeys with a short spur and full eye, supple feet and yielding breast bone; fish, with bright eyes, red gills, and stiff body; vegetables crisp, eggs translucent, fruit dry, and all the rest of the best. And having learned how to buy the best, it would be a shame if they did not learn how to dress and cook it, even though they never expected to be called upon to do so as a frequent thing.

No idle fine-lady reading of a cookery-book will ever teach them how to do this. They may learn languages theoretically from books, rebuild ancient empires and systems, discover the hidden ways of creation in the universe, but they can not learn how to make puff paste from the written word, however valuable that may be as an assistant, it is like a general without an army, unless experience go with it hand in hand. From nothing but experience can they learn exactly in this little matter of puff paste, for example, how to mix, when to cease rolling, or just how cool to keep one's hands. Nor can they even learn to do so simple a thing as broil a steak by book, but will be pretty certain either to blacken it or to lose all its juices, till two or three failures or an accidental and shining success have given the proper standard and the way of reaching it. It is something merely to stand by and watch another minutely going through the motions, but even that is not enough when more can be had. They may be driven along a devious road twenty times, and be unable to take the right turn the first time that the reins are in one's own hands; while if one has to shoulder the responsibility of taking that right turn, one will hardly go amiss the second time. They can not truss a fowl by direction of any painted picture; it needs the sleight of hand which practice yields to give the right twist to the little joint and bring it into traditional shape. Even a gravy is better for their having made it before, and the plainest porridge is more likely than not to be bitter, or burned and stick to the pan, on its first trial.—*Bazar.*

A Novel Bed.

The latest fashion in bed-clothes is that which an Illinois man is trying to set to his neighbors. His lodgings are on the cold ground in the back yard attached to his house. When bed time comes he lies down on the ground alongside of a big pile of earth. From this pile his faithful man-servant shovels earth over him until nothing but his head remains exposed. In this condition the infatuated remains until the man-servant comes along in the morning to dig him out. Nothing more truly rural has been known in the way of beds and bedding since Nebuchadnezzar went to grass. That unhappy monarch slept without cever and was wet with the dew. The Illinois man's device is a great improvement on Neb's way of roughing it. Yet the new fashion has its objections. The man who is thus put to bed would be at a great disadvantage in case of an alarm of fire, especially if the firemen ran their engines through the premises where he sleeps, or undertake to carry a hose over the back fences. And then what if dogs or pigs should attempt to scratch up or root in the ground adjacent to his head? Or suppose the midnight cats take their stand on the mound of which he is a part, and carry on their customary nocturnal controversies? Or if he slumber till after the neighboring hens awaken from their repose and is aroused by the clawing of those industrious birds around his ears and nose? The Illinois enthusiast may guard against disease, but cats, pigs, dogs and alarms of fire are worse than some of the diseases he may avoid. Give us a good bed, in a comfortable room, with coverlets of the old style, and the Illinois man may sleep where he pleases. We suspect that his fashion will not be extensively followed.—*Phila. Times.*

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SATURDAY, MAY 3, 1879.

THAT a sufficient fund has been secured to purchase Washington's winter quarters, at Valley Forge, is pleasant intelligence. It is eminently fitting that spots connected so intimately as this with the early history of our country should be preserved to the nation. Hardly less than Mount Vernon is Valley Forge dear to Americans. Indeed, more than Mount Vernon is it associated with the men of the revolution, and is linked beyond almost any other place with the heroes and founders of our republic. Whilstever men cherish the past, and honor the men who have made it illustrious, so long will Valley Forge be a name of renown, whither the patriots of the whole world will come as pilgrims to a shrine.

SOME of the finest sheep walks in the world are to be found in the northern tier of the Southern States. But the dogs, large and small, brindle and brown, are so many and so murderous that the poor sheep run the risk of being comparatively exterminated. For instance: In a lately published hand book of North Carolina, carefully prepared by a citizen of the State, it is stated that North Carolina dogs annually destroy 34,000 sheep, and that in one way and another these dogs are a yearly expense to the State of $6,000,000. As the dog tax is one proverbially difficult to collect, the writer suggests a premium upon dog skins as a certain way of diminishing their number and removing one of the most serious hindrances to sheep growing.

THE people are, to a large extent, weary of savings banks. It is a sad statement to make, but a very true one. And this weariness results from a variety of causes, not one of which is an indisposition on the part of the people to save. Outside the improvident multitude, so large and so reckless, there is a numerous company of those who desire to accumulate their hard won earnings. But not in those winningly named and wickedly managed institutions called savings banks. Too many poor men and women have been defrauded by these banks to make their popularity possible. Hence the ten dollar government certificates meet a felt want, and are being rapidly purchased by those who have a few dollars to put away for a rainy day. Rainy days are sure to come and those are wisest who in times of relative prosperity prepare for them.

FREE QUININE.—We are glad to notice that the Southern congressmen are earnestly asking that the duty on quinine may be repealed. There are only one or two firms in this country which make quinine. These have secured what is literally an immense duty placed on foreign quinine. Being wealthy, they have stamped out all domestic competition, and for years have charged what they pleased for this drug. In the malarial districts of the South and Southwest, where quinine is almost a necessity, this has proved an oppressive grievance. In all other sections of the country it has been a great injustice. There is no good reason why the quinine tariff should be continued, and we wish all success to those congressmen who are demanding that it be abolished. Everybody ought to demand quinine duty free, and they will when they know, as we do, that quinine-making is the best protected and most profitable monopoly in the land.

THERE are many causes which combine to insure success to the Agricultural and Industrial Association of this county. For instance: The interests which this Association represents are more prosperous in this than in most sections of the State. Our people are largely devoted to manufacturing, and our farmers in intelligence, wealth, and thorough culture of the soil are superior to their class elsewhere. The fabrications and farm products of this county are varied and superior. And these conditions which would presumably secure prosperity to an Agricultural and Industrial Association. There is only one obstacle, but this is of paramount importance. It is discord among the stockholders. If want of harmony among these continues there is no waiting for the Society to die. It is dead already. Earnestly do we hope that past differences may be healed and that wherever the Society's grounds may be located there the stockholders will locate their preferences and unite their efforts.

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DAILY TIMES.

TIME TABLE.

P. W. & B. R. R.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.35, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9 38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.05, 5.46, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

SATURDAY, MAY 3, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Buy the *Advocate* of to-day.

Bad weather for lightning rod men.

Buy every thing at home that you can.

The Excelsior Building Association meets this evening.

The best corner stone of the republic is the hearthstone.

The hydrant water is hardly fit to drink, unless mud is healthy.

A good many free lunches to-night. Fine times in store for the brigade.

Remember that the biggest strawberries are always at the top of the box.

A little paint will cover a multitude of deformities around your dwelling.

Green peas, string beans, new potatoes and cucumbers in the market this morning.

The Chester cricket club will have a match game on the 17th and 30th of this month.

A good deal of interest is manifested in the Court on Monday, and Media will be crowded.

Wrap your furs up in old newspapers. Printers' ink is a good thing to keep the moths away.

Edgmont avenue, above the railroad, is getting to be as business-like and populous as Market street.

Buy your cigars to-day, and respect the recent order of the Mayor, closing places of business on Sunday.

The Wilmington *Every Evening* issued a supplement yesterday, and printed an edition of 10,000 copies.

The boys were not half so troublesome around the doors of Holly Tree Hall last evening as on previous occasions.

There is a gift that is almost a blow, and there is a kind word that is munificence; so much is there in the way we do things.

The St. Michael's church roof is nearly finished. It is the largest in Chester, and can be seen for miles down the Delaware.

Read the Nebraska letter. The colonists have got down to hard work, and rather like it. A little money will go a great way out there.

The Mackinnon pen agent is meeting with great success. Those who buy them will like them more and more the longer they use them.

We have had many good concerts in Chester this season, and that of last night was one of the best. Pity it wasn't better attended.

Our young friend "Benny" Allen is quite busy calcimining the residences of some of our citizens. He is an adept, and does his work neatly.

The new Fidelity Building Association starts off with a greater number of shares than many of the most successful had when they commenced.

Carncross' minstrels will appear at Holly Tree hall next week. Although the prices are fifty and seventy-five cents admission, there will be a full house.

A game of base ball was played at the Academy this morning between the Energetics and the High School nine, which resulted in 29 to 1 in favor of the former.

The production of Butter and cheese in this country is said to be four times greater in value than the total yield of our gold and silver mines, and exceeds that of the wheat crop.

The Punch and Judy tea party this afternoon in Holly Tree Hall. Go and help the little folks enjoy themselves, and you will come away feeling that the evening has been well spent.

The young preachers at Crozer are enthusiastic ball players. Suppose they try conclusions with the Energetics of the P. M. A. We think the faculty would give its permission.

The directors of the Farmers' Market decided this morning to allow Longbotham & Kendig to paint the roof of the market with their preparation. It has been in a leaky condition for some time.

The examinations of the teachers of the public schools commenced in the High School building this morning. It is a season of anxiety to the young ladies, and they will send up a sigh of relief when it is all over—especially if they get a certificate.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.—The entertainment given in Holly Tree Hall last evening, by the Nassau Quartet and others, for the benefit of the Ridley Park Presbyterian church, was not so largely attended as the merit of the affair demanded. The hall was not more than half filled, but the audience was an appreciative one, and they were treated to an excellent performance. On the stage stood two large urns filled with choice calla lillies and other beautiful flowers.

The exercises were opened by the Nassau quartet, composed of Messrs. C. C. Cuyler, first tenor, C. H. McCormick, second tenor; F. C. Hall, baritone; and E. P. Davis, basso; students of Princeton College, New Jersey, who sang a song entitled To all you Ladies, which was very well rendered and warmly applauded.

Prof. Sweney and Mr. Wm. J. Morris then came upon the stage to play a duetto cornet, and they were received with applause. The selection played by those two gentlemen is known as Marie de Rudenz, and it was most admirably performed. The audience was pleased with it and applauded so loudly that the cornet players were obliged to perform a second time, which met with equally as much applause as the first.

This was followed by Messrs. John C. Sims, James P. Sims, and George E. Peabody, of the Orpheus club, of Philadelphia, singing Ye Shepherds Tell Me, in a praiseworthy manner, and it elicited hearty applause.

The Nassau quartet sang a song entitled Ching-a-Ling Chang, very commendably, and pleased the audience very much, judging from the warm applause given.

The ever popular Miss Sallie Crozer, of Upland, appeared on the stage, and the audience received her with applause. She sang a solo entitled The Message, in her pleasant way, and so sweetly that her hearers scarcely knew they were breathing, so quiet was everybody, and at its conclusion she was rapturously encored, and answered it by singing another pretty little selection.

The Nassau Quartette appeared again and sang Hark, I hear a Voice, very nicely, and responded to an encore by singing a melody which was warmly received.

The Flower Gatherers, a very pretty selection, was sung by Mrs. Dr. Starr and Miss Dollie Dyer, accompanied by Mrs. John R. Sweney at the piano. These ladies, so well known in Chester, acquitted themselves admirably. Each possesses a clear, sweet voice, and the notes were given with much ease, making their rendition very enchanting. They merited a long applause, and were compelled to appear a second time, when they sang, O, Wert thou in the Cold Blast, with as much sweetness as the first, and retired amid much applause.

This was followed by the Nassau Quartette singing The Soldier's Farewell, in good time, and justly meriting a hearty applause.

The interval between part first and part second of the programme was occupied by Prof. Fred T. Baker, of Philadelphia, playing a piano solo with extraordinary skill; he was loudly encored, and responded by playing a galop very beautifully.

Part second was opened by the Nassau Quartette singing the Bull Dog, which was laughable, and highly amusing. It was very much liked by those present, and they were so loudly applauded that they had to favor the audience with a short comic song.

Miss Sallie Crozer and Mr. John C. Sims sang a duet entitled There's a Sigh in the Heart, with marvellous precision and sweetness. This was a very excellent selection, admirably rendered and received with rounds of applause.

The Nassau Quartette was put down to sing Pea Nuts, but this was omitted, and Mr. George Peabody sang Where is Another Sweet as My Sweet, in very good style, and was loudly applauded.

A song entitled Betrubniss, was sung by the Nassau Quartette, and it was amusing. In its rendition one of them imitated the dog, cat and pig, and, of course, that made everybody laugh. They received an encore, and responded by singing a short selection.

The next on the programme was a violin solo, entitled, Playful Rockets, a schottische caprice, by Mr. D. H. Cunningham, of Ridley Park. He handled the bow and strings very artistically in the rendition of the selection, and merited much applause. For an encore he played another pretty selection. He is master of the violin, and plays with as much ease and grace as any one we have ever seen in Holly Tree Hall.

Miss Sallie Crozer appeared on the stage to sing another solo, and she was welcomed with continued applause. She never fails to interest a Chester audience. This time she sang a selection entitled Looking Back, for which she received the highest encomiums. She never appeared to a better advantage, or controlled her voice more perfectly than last evening, and she certainly stands in the front rank of singers in Chester. Her beautiful rendition of Looking Back captivated everybody, and she left the stage amid prolonged applause. After she retired the applause was deafening, and she was obliged to make her appearance again, when she sang Five o'clock in the Morning.

The entertainment was concluded by the Nassau Quartette singing a song entitled Schultz, for which they were applauded.

The audience dispersed highly pleased with the evening's amusement, and all will agree in saying that it ranks among the best entertainments given in Chester this season.

TIME TO PUT UP HERRING.—This is the season for putting up herring, that is, salting them down, in other words, the right "run" of this species of the piscatorial family is now on, and the fishermen have turned out in force to catch them. They are selling for fifty cents per hundred, and those who usually salt herring are busy preparing them for summer provender. The first run of herring will not keep, and people have to wait for those that come when the dogwoods are in bloom.

NAMED.—The new iron steamship, No. 186, that was launched at Roachs' a couple of weeks ago, without a name, has been christened "Colorado." Work is being pushed forward on this ship with great rapidity.

STUDENTS' UNION.—A meeting of the Students' Union was held last evening at Chester Academy. Although the attendance was unusually small, the meeting lacked none of its interest. In the absence of the President Wm. H. Patterson occupied the Chair. Among the readings for the evening was an interesting article on "Somebody's Mother," delivered by Miss Harpur. W. H. Patterson entertained those present with a humorous selection, "I'm not a Single Man," and Miss Brewer recited that beautiful and impressive poem, "The Face Against the Pane." Miss Clancy also gave an excellent recitation entitled "An Ode to Hope." The *Star* sparkles with its accustomed brilliancy under the excellent management of its editor. Among the amusing things of the evening was the debate. The question—*Resolved*, "That Country Girls make Better Wives than City Girls,"—will answer for itself. The affirmative was well sustained by Prof. Gilbert, F. E. Powell and Wm. Whittaker. They had some little advantage of the opposing side as they "spoke from experience," and presented such a beautiful picture of the virtues and attractions of the country lass that the defenders of the city girls were almost converted themselves. The negative side of the question was supported by Messrs. C. B. Ross and Wm. Hall. They had expected to receive some assistance from the ladies present in defence of this side of the question, but not one of them—all city girls, too,—gave them the least encouragement.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—The Third class are jubilant over their success in winning nearly all the prizes at the late athletic contest.

Another game of ball was played yesterday.

A match game of base ball will be played this afternoon between "Our Boys," of Wilmington, and the Regulars, of the P. M. A. To commence at half-past two.

The organization of the Energetic Base Ball club is as follows:

W. J. McCormick, '79, President; H. D. Thomason, '79, Secretary. Players, Van Gorder, '79, (Capt.;) Sage, '79, Thomas, '81, Sweney, '76, Kitts, '72, Sutton, '79, Lewis, '81, Poulson, '81, Fatzinger, '79. All the positions have not yet been fully determined, but probably will be nearly the same as last year.

Cadet Lewis is in the private hospital.

Cadet 13, who won the five mile-go-as-you-please race on Thursday, was out on the track yesterday.

Cadet Van Gorder will soon be about again.

A COMPLIMENTARY SOCIABLE. — The grand march at "Ivy Hall," on Sixth street, last evening, on the occasion of the complimentary sociable tendered the Chester members by the five gentlemen members of the "Ivy" from Wilmington, was witnessed by a large number of visitors and indulged in by about 28 couples in full evening dress. Square and round dances were participated in until about midnight, when the affair came to a successful termination and the occasion was pronounced by all to be the most enjoyable one of the season. The music was furnished by an Italian band of Philadelphia, and Mr. D. E. Saylor, the caterer, furnished the refreshments.

A SLIGHT FIRE.—This morning, about ten o'clock, fire was discovered in the loft over the grocery store of James Murphy, No. 229 Penn street, but before it was necessary to sound the alarm the flames were subdued. There was fire in the stove and the pipe runs up through this loft to the roof, and it is supposed to have caught from this pipe. The clerk in the store heard a cracking noise and saw some sparks fall to the floor. He ran out and got a number of men to go on the roof with buckets and extinguish the fire, after it had burnt a hole about five feet square in the roof. The building is a frame one and they were fortunate in saving it. The loss is trifling.

A DANGEROUS PRACTICE.—A few evenings ago Mrs. S. L. Armour and a lady friend were sitting in the parlor of the former's house, corner Fourth and Penn streets, South ward, and some of the boys who loaf around that corner threw a brick into the front window, and had it not struck against the blind, which was down, it might have done some serious injury. The large pane of glass was broken to pieces. The boys ran in all directions, but they were identified and their parents had the pleasure of paying for a new light. It is a dangerous practice, and the participants should be severely dealt with.

A LOON CAUGHT. — Mr. Wm. Davis, a fisherman, while hauling up his net this morning was surprised at a peculiar kind of fish therein. It had feathers on it, and after an examination it was found to be a loon, a species of the feathered tribe that can not walk properly, but swims, flies and dives. It was a little smaller than a goose, and was given to Mr. Paul Klotz, who sent it to a taxidermist. It usually inhabits the Northern regions and why it should come to the Delaware is a mystery, unless it was hungry for shad.

PERSONAL.—Our young friend, Mr. Jas. A. Campbell, the efficient clerk in Messrs. Dutton & Anderson's lumber and coal office, left this city, last evening, for a trip to Baltimore, Washington, and other points, to visit friends. Mr. C. is an industrious and gentlemanly young man, and we are pleased to know that he has been given a vacation for recuperation and pleasure.

We are sorry to learn that Hon. Nathan Garrett, Representative from this county, is very ill at his home, in fact not expected to live.

GEESE AND DUCKS. — Notwithstanding that there is an ordinance against allowing ducks and geese to run at large in the city limits, they can be seen in any ward of the city, having full sway of the streets. The most effective way to get rid of this nuisance is to give Scull authority to impound all he can capture. They would soon become scarce.

Y. M. C. A.—A gospel temperance meeting of the above association will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, in their room at Holly Tree Hall. At this meeting there will be a Bible reading, subject, "The Direct Teaching of Scripture upon the subject of Total Abstinance." It has been arranged to hold an open air meeting at the corner of Seventh and Edgmont avenue, at 3.30 sharp. The public are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION.—The public installation of officers of Oak Grove Lodge, of the Order of Good Templars, held in the Eighteenth street school house, last evening, was largely attended, and a good time was had. After the installation ceremonies had been gone through with, Rev. J. F. Crouch, of Trinity M. E. Church, made a stirring speech which was listened to with great interest, and was followed by singing and other addresses from the members.

KEEL LAID.—On Monday, the workmen will have finished laying the keel for the new Cromwell steamer, which is to be the seventh largest vessel built at Roach's yard. Everything for the new boat will be built in Chester, except the machinery, which is now being made in New York, to save time, and will be shipped to Chester, put in here and the boat finished up. No time will be lost in the construction of this vessel.

PUNCH AND JUDY TEA PARTY.—The Punch and Judy Tea Party, under the auspices of Miss Laura Hard's Bible class, in Holly Tree Hall this evening, gives promise of being one of the most pleasing entertainments of the season, and will be largely attended. There will be numerous attractions, among them Prof. Sweney and Mr. Frank G. Sweney will sing, besides a good cup of coffee or tea will be attainable.

A CRICKET MATCH.—The Chester City Cricket Club will play a match game of cricket with the Continental Cricket Club of Philadelphia, on May 17th, on the ground of the former club. The Chester club will go into practice now, and propose to excel the visiting club, which is also a new one. Our club expects to be victorious, of course.

POLICE NEWS.—Clara Bound, Thomas Milburn and Robert Wilson, three drunken and disorderly persons, were arrested by officer John Keenan, last evening, and given a hearing before the Mayor this morning, when they were fined one dollar and costs and in default of payment they were committed for 30 days.

VISITATION.—The members of Chester and L. H. Scott Lodges of Masons of this city, propose visiting Ionic Lodge of Camden, N. J., on Monday evening. They will go by boat, leaving the foot of Market street at six o'clock, and those who intend going must be at the wharf at that time promptly.

ANOTHER CAVE.—In the language of the citizens on Welsh street, below Third street, "What am de matter wid dis yar city, it am all cavin' in!" Daily we hear of breaks in the streets, and now there is a large one in the sidewalk below Second, on Welsh, and it is said to de a dangerous one.

ANNIVERSARY.—Larkin Lodge, No. 76, K. of P., will celebrate the tenth anniversary of its existence on Monday evening next, with an entertainment consisting of recitations, dialogues and vocal and instrumental music, in Fountain Lodge Room, Penn Buildings, Market Square.

MUDDY WATER.—For two or three days past the hydrant water of Chester has been more impure than we ever remember seeing it before. Either the water in the river must be very muddy, or there must be a number of whales at the end of the pipe stirring up the mud.

ARGUMENT COURT. — Argument court will be held in Media on Monday, and among other business the evidence in the Harrison Cooper case, to show cause why his license should not be revoked, will be heard. It will doubtless be an interesting occasion.

SEWER CAVED IN. — Some time during last night a large portion of the sewer on Sixth street between Crosby and Madison streets caved in.

REMOVAL.—Mr. P. Boylen, the jeweler, at 524 Market street, is about to remove his business and residence to No. 24 W. Third street.

BREAK REPAIRED. — The break in the sewer at Market square reported yesterday has been repaired and is safe once more.

CHURCH NOTES.—On the 18th instant the German Lutheran Church will be dedicated with appropriate ceremonies.

LODGERS. — Last night there were 11 lodgers in the station house.

THE NEBRASKA COLONISTS.

KEARNEY, April 28, 1879.

After a week of hard labor, I once more take the pen to give your readers some further facts in regard to life in Nebraska.

The party that left Chester for this far western State are somewhat scattered, four having settled at Plum Creek, five near Kearney, and three have returned home. I notice by a recent copy of the *Democrat* that Mr. McCartney—who was one of the original party—speaks in terms anything but complimentary of the State of Nebraska. I think friend George did not tarry long enough to form a very reliable opinion of the State. He says that the revolver settles all difficulties here, and intimates that a man's life is not safe unless he goes around armed with a rifle and bowie knife. Now the fact is just the reverse. In the short time we have resided here we have not had a very extended field of observation, but I never saw a more orderly, hospitable and law-abiding class of citizens anywhere than can be found here, and I think there is less crime here than in the older States.

Of course, a man when he comes here has to work, and work hard, as this is no place for drones; but if he will put the same amount of energy in the work as he would be compelled to do East, he is sure of a good living and in time something better.

The soil here is rich, and easily cultivated, and if a man cannot do well here he will not anywhere else. The only drawback I have so far noticed is the high winds. It has blown a gale nearly every day since we have been here; but the older residents say that this has been an unusual spring for high winds.

Where we have located we will have to go some hundred and fifty to two hundred feet for water, as we are on what is termed the divide—that is the highest ground between the Wood and Loup rivers, but the view is

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WE all have our preferences; but no one prefers to hear a crying baby when the fact is so well known that Dr. Bull's Bayb Syrup would at once quiet it.

SATISFIED.—Those of our citizens who go to John Harkins', No. 524 Market street, for their boots and shoes are always satisfied.

FINE WALNUT and cottage sets, at prices to suit the times, at Messick's furniture warerooms, Nos. 621 and 623 Edgmont avenue. §

NEW goods received daily, prices lower than ever at the great bargain depot of
P. P. Derrickson,
3t 619 Edgmont ave.

NEW STORE, NEW GOODS, low prices and better bargains. Come and see the stock and prices.
At N. F. MOYER'S,
ap18-tf 723 Edgmont avenue.

EVERYBODY goes to the Original Boston 99c. Store, 45 North Eighth street, Philadelphia. Beautiful tables, 99c.; Rogers & Bro.'s spoons and forks, 99c. a set; steel knives and forks, leather bags, trunks, lamps, and a store filled with useful articles. Nothing over 99c. a9-d&w-3m

Frivolous Counsel.

The idle talk of unscientific people who know nothing of the invisible action of medicine, should not be heeded by those who have kidney or liver troubles. One package of Kidney-Wort is then the reasonable thing to have. Your druggist has it.

CHEW Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

MARRIED.

JOUIN—ROBERTS.—On the 29th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, in this city, by the Rev. Henry Brown, Eugene Jouin, of Philadelphia, to Miss Emily F. Roberts, daughter of Howard Roberts, of this city.

DIED.

DEMPSTER.—On the 29th ult., Christiana, wife of James T. Dempster, aged 41 years.

GRUBB.—On May 1st, Jane Grubb, wife of John W. Grubb, aged 33 years.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GRAND LUNCH FROM 8 TO 10 O'CLOCK this evening, at the Tuscarora House, 608 Morton avenue. A. W. LEAR,
my3-1t Proprietor.

FOR RENT.—A PORTION OF STORE NO. 525 Market street, formerly occupied by Headley & Mahon as an express office.
Apply on the premises.
my3-3t JOHN HARKIN.

REMOVAL.

P. BOYLEN,
THE JEWELER,
Will remove his store from No. 532 Market street, to
No. 24 West Third Street,
Where he will reside, and carry on the jewelry business in all its branches. my3-tf

A GRAND CONCERT,
INTERSPERSED WITH
Choice Readings and Recitations,
WILL BE GIVEN AT THE
Leiperville Baptist Chapel,
ON TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 6th.
Conductor, Mr. Jones, assisted by Messrs. Lowry, Street and others, of Chester.
Concert to commence at eight o'clock.
Tickets—Adults, 25 cents; Children, 15 cents.
Proceeds for the benefit of the Mission. 3-3t

HOLLY TREE HALL.
ONE NIGHT ONLY.
Friday, May 9,
THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY
CARNCROSS MINSTRELS
(From Eleventh Street Opera House, Philadelphia.)
John L. Carncross, - Prop'r and Manager.
Will appear as above, in a chaste, novel and pleasing programme, introducing all the favorite artists in an elegant minstrel melange and specialties.
Admission, - - - - 50 Cents.
Reserved Seats, - - - 75 Cents.
Seats can be secured at Zook's News Depot, 506 Market street.
For particulars see bills.
my3-6t CHAS. B. GRISTE, Agent.

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grand and compensates for the great depth we are forced to go for water. The water is hard and has a peculiar taste, and I am just beginning to get accustomed to it. I have a sod stable almost completed, large enough for four horses and two cows, a sod house to live in, 8x10, and barely high enough to stand upright in, and I am putting up a one story and a half frame building, twenty-six by eighteen feet.

Stock is not very high here, a good team of horses can be obtained for from one hundred and fifty to two hundred dollars. I have a fine team that I paid one hundred and sixty-five dollars for, that I refused to sell for two hundred and fifty dollars, three days after buying them. Cows can be had for twenty-five to forty dollars, pigs at almost any price, chickens forty cents a pair. Eggs retail at seven cents per dozen, butter at twenty cents per pound, granulated sugar ten cents, flour four dollars and fifty cents per barrel, hay five dollars a ton. Dry goods are as cheap here as in Chester, so taking all things into consideration, Nebraska is not such a bad place to live in after all.

I remember reading last winter in Chester of a farmer coming into Kearney with a novel team—an ox and buffalo geared up together. At the time I read the paragraph alluded to, I had very little idea that I should ever see it, but one day last week when in Kearney the same team drove into town, and created quite as much interest in the minds of the citizens, as a circus would in Chester.

A great many people at home are under the impression that Nebraska is intensely destitute of trees. Such is not the case. The banks of the Wood river and the Loup river are lined with trees, some of which have attained a great size. I drove to the Loup river—ten miles from here, by direct road—after a load of fuel, and was surprised to see such large trees.

Nebraska would delight the hearts of some of our Chester sportsmen. Wild ducks and geese fly over my house, night and morning, in immense flocks, and several deer linger around here yet. Last week an antelope walked up within a hundred yards of our barn to see what we were doing, but as we were hard at work we missed a good shot. Prairie chickens surround us on all sides, and jack rabbits hop over the ground in all directions.

In conclusion, I would say for the benefit of those at home who contemplate emigrating to this State, not to come with less than five hundred dollars, but with that amount of money and plenty of determination to stick and put up with at least a year of hardship, no man need fail to secure for himself and family a comfortable home, and in a few years have plenty of everything in the way of stock, grain and provisions to render him contented.

In regard to the climate, there is none finer in the world. The air is bracing and dry, and produces the keenest kind of an appetite. The amount of food we each one consume is fearful to contemplate, and should our appetites continue to improve, we are liable to create a famine in Buffalo county. Should any of our friends desire any special information not given in my letters, let them address Mr. Wilmer S. Kirk, Kearney, Neb. —enclosing stamp—and we shall be pleased to give the desired information. I will state that there are several quarter sections—160 acres—right around us, that are not yet taken, and the soil is as rich as any in the State. Any citizen, over twenty-one years of age, is entitled to file a claim for a quarter section, upon condition that he reside upon and cultivate it.

He is also entitled to another 160 acres as a timber claim, upon condition that he plant ten acres in trees and keeps them in good growing condition for eight years.

As it is near the dinner hour, and as it would not be safe to wait for the second table, I shall close. MAX.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Pupils of the North Ward schools, whose names have been on the "Roll of Honor" for the past week are as follows:

Morton Avenue, No. 1.

STAR ROLL.

Emma Arment	Maggie Gorbey
Ella Beacham	Mary Hickey
Thomas Cowan	Ella Hinkle
John Lear	Maggie Park
Mary Ledward	Marian Kennedy
Nellie Malloy	James Cassady
Mary Simpson	Harry Davidson
Mary Wheaton	Beckie McBride
Bennie Fox	Clara Senatz
Anna Ledward	Julia O'Brien

ROLL OF HONOR.

Rollie Evans	James Campbell
Lewis Gregg	John McDonald
Mary Hamilton	Harry Ross
Lucy Lee	Daisy Manning
Emma Wilkinson	Chas Foley
Walter Boulden	Hannah Drain

F. A. CAMPBELL, Teacher.

Morton Avenue, No. 2.

GOLDEN STAR ROLL.

Lizzie Clark	Clark Manning
Eveline Beacham	Maude Maxson
Minnie Gary	Tillie Lear
Laura Hinkle	Lillie Dannaker
Francis Boyle	Mary Dougherty
Anna Mooney	Mary Cross

STAR ROLL.

James Gregg	Rose Ball
Horace Birtwell	Beckie Senatz

EMMA A. COTTON, Teacher.

Morton Avenue, No. 3.

STAR ROLL.

Carrie Denney	Celia Duffy
Myra Davis	Willie Gregg
Annie Lamey	Bella McKain
Mamie Martin	Samuel Walker

ROLL OF HONOR.

Nellie Cowan	Ella Crowther
Charlie Gregg	Eddie Green
Mamie McCabe	Francis McCarey
Mary Riley	

REBECCA WILDE, Teacher.

Morton Avenue, No. 4.

STAR ROLL.

Annie Matthews	Tillie Jones
Sallie Ball	Viola Howard
Annie Swann	Blanch Clark
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The Committee on behalf of the city reserve the right to reject any or all bids that may be offered.

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a24-28-m3 Committee on Streets.

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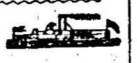
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SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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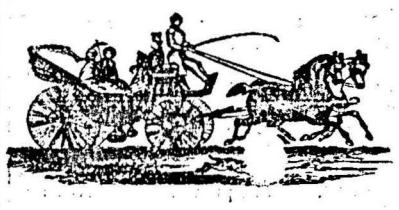
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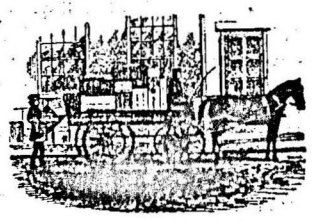
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LATEST NEWS.

Among the bills to be introduced in the U. S. House of Representatives to-day is one by Representative Murch, of Maine, establishing a Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The Republican Congressional Campaign Committee, in Washington, completed its organization on Saturday by electing Wm. E. Chandler, of New Hampshire, as secretary.

The "Mississippi Valley Labor Convention," to meet in Vicksburg to-day, is expected to be well attended. Some of the delegates are colored men. There is a divergence of views among delegates as to what will or ought to be done by the Convention. Some favor measures looking towards a better understanding between employers and employed, both as to wages and political rights; while others intend to introduce resolutions for the replacement of the emigrating blacks by Chinese and white immigrants. A lively dispute is expected if a resolution, already prepared, be introduced, asserting that the cause of the present exodus is not attributable to restriction of the political rights of colored men.

It is said by a telegram from Bostom that half the striking operatives of the Williston Mills, at East Hampton, Mass., are willing to resume work, but are prevented by intimidation. The reduction of wages was from $1.45 to $1.37½ per day, and the company offered to pay $1.40 in preference to employing new hands. The offer is rejected by the operatives, but the company professes to feel no concern about the matter, claiming to have made money by the stoppage of work.

It was decided at a meeting of the spinners in Fall River, Mass., on Saturday night to begin a strike in five of the mills, after certain preliminaries have been arranged. The strike is not expected to occur for about three weeks.

Milton Ritter, brakeman on a Perkiomen Railroad train, entered the private saloon of a car to light the gas, on Saturday night, when an explosion took place, which knocked him down and burned him severely. The car caught fire and was destroyed, but all the passengers were got out safely.

The caucus of Democratic members of the House, on Saturday, agreed finally upon a bill, to be passed separately, in lieu of the sixth section of the vetoed Army Appropriation bill, under the title of "a bill to prevent interference by the army at elections." It is modified so as to avoid what is presumed to be the President's chief objection to the vetoed measure.

A delegation of the Universal Peace Union, which had just closed its sessions in Washington, called upon the President on Saturday morning. Mr. Alfred Love, of Philadelphia, president of the Peace Union, made an address, to which the President responded. Mr. Love presented the President with a photograph of a plough made out of swords used in the late war.

The funeral of little Edith Freeman, victim of her father's superstitious frenzy at Pocasset, Mass., took place yesterday from the Methodist church in that village. The body was taken to the church by Alden P. Davis, a sympathizer with Freeman. After laying down the casket Davis attempted to address the audience, but was prevented by threats of arrest. Short services were then held by Rev. Mr. Williams, pastor of the church. The Adventists were greatly disappointed and mortified to find that the dead girl was not resuscitated or translated bodily to Heaven as they had predicted.

One hundred and fifty negroes, on the way to Kansas, encamped near Leoto Landing, on the Mississippi river, seventy miles above Vicksburg, on Saturday, and picketed the roads leading to their camp. No conflicts between them and the whites are reported.

The Cincinnati *Gazette* publishes crop reports from a large number of places in Ohio and Indiana showing that the acreage of wheat is from 10 to 25 per cent. greater than last year and the crop is in good condition. Oats look well, and the usual amount of corn will be planted. The season is backward for all spring crops.

A heavy rain throughout Minnesota and Northern Iowa on Saturday morning removed all the apprehensions which were beginning to be felt of a drought.

At Salt Lake City on Saturday, Judge Emmerson sentenced Daniel H. Wells, "First Counsellor to the Twelve Apostles of the Mormon Church," to $100 fine and two days' imprisonment for contempt, in refusing to answer questions relative to polygamous marriages in the Endowment House.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, May 3.—In addition to the announcement that Sir Henry Tyler, Sir Charles Young, and Capt. Douglas Galton, have consented to act on the committee to carry out the scheme of opposition to the proposed lease of the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad to the Erie Railway Company, it is stated that the first two will leave here on May 10 for the United States, to put themselves in communication with the officers of the Atlantic and Great Western Railroad.

It is stated that the London and Westminster Bank yesterday took $5,000,000 of the United States 4 per cent. bonds at 4½ per cent., making in all $35,000,000 United States securities that this bank has recently purchased. The old syndicate has about concluded its operations and the probability is (though it is not settled yet) that the headquarters of Mr. Conant, the Special Treasury Agent, will be transferred to the office of the Barings, to accommodate the recent heavy subscriptions through the Bank of Commerce and the First National Bank in New York for foreign markets.

SUNDERLAND, May 3.—Three thousand persons connected with the export trade here are now idle in consequence of the coal miners' strike. About 60 vessels have left this port to load coal elsewhere, and 144 large vessels are awaiting cargoes. The Northumberland miners are seeking an advance of wages in consequence of the overflow of trade to the Northumberland collieries.

A serious riot has been going on in Cork for the last two days, arising out of a difference between rival bands. Several houses were wrecked on Saturday. The disturbances were renewed to-day (Sunday.) The rioters were dispersed by the police. Forty of them were treated for scalp wounds in the infirmary. A policeman's skull was fractured.

LONDON, May 5.—The *Times'* despatch from Calcutta says: Nearly a million pilgrims, who assembled at Hurdwar fair, have carried the cholera in various directions. Outbreaks of the disease are reported from Delhi, Wrumitsen, Rawulpindee and elsewhere. Some cases have occurred among European troops.

LONDON, May 4.—Caution money has been deposited in the rowing match of Elliott against an unknown, which is to take place on June 16th. The unknown is to be named after Monday's race. The betting on Friday was level between Elliott and the unknown, but it is by no means certain that the race will be rowed, as now contemplated—that is, between Elliott and the unknown—in to-morrow's race. It may be remembered that the Tyne Championship Cup, which was donated by the *Sportsman* (newspaper), has been won twice by Elliott. If he wins it a third time, the cup becomes his property.

At the meeting, which will be held Monday night to arrange terms for the championship match, the proprietors of the *Sportsman* and trustees of the cup will probably insist that Elliott shall row the best man offering before he can acquire the cup. Whether Hanlon or Hawdon wins there is a strong opinion among experts here that Wallace Ross is really the best man, and he will be put forward to row the winner of Monday's race, and will be heavily backed by English sportsmen. Until his claims are disposed of, the championship is likely to remain in abeyance.

"Greenings."

A youth living on Bagg street rolled an apple barrel to the curbstone the other afternoon, filled it with cobblestones, headed it up, and marked the barrel: "Greenings—handle carefully." The youth retired to await further developments, and they soon came. A sawdust wagon came along, and the driver jumped down and took a long look at the barrel. He probably reasoned that it had been delivered by a grocer, and he doubtless wondered why it had not been rolled into the cellar. Dusk was coming on and the man drove off. In a quarter of an hour he returned. "Greenings," were there yet, and he drove around the square, took the tail board out of his wagon, and at length drove up close to the barrel. No one was in sight, and he made a dash for the prize. He probably expected a rather heavy lift, but when he felt the weight of those cobblestones his surprise must have been great. He gave one awful lurch, lifted the barrel about an inch, and as his fingers raked over the hoops, he groaned in agony and leaped into his wagon as if a dog had been reaching for his coat-tails. At various times during the night vehicles were heard halting and driving suddenly away, but when day broke the "greenings" were still there, though only two hoops were left on the barrel.

Dull Children.

The teacher of a large school had a little girl under her care who was exceedingly backward. She was at the bottom of her class and seemed to care little what passed in it. During the school singing was sometimes employed as a relaxation, and noticing that this little girl had a clear, sweet voice, her teacher said to her:

"Mollie, you have a good voice, and may lead the singing."

She brightened up, and from that time her mind seemed more active. Her lessons were attended to, and she made steady progress. One day as the teacher was going home she overtook Mollie and one of her schoolmates.

"Well, Mollie," said she, "you are getting on very well now, how is it that you do so much better now than at the beginning of the half year?"

"I do not know why it is," replied the child.

"I know what she told me the other day," said her companion.

"And what was that?" asked the teacher.

"Why, she said she was *encouraged*."

Yes, there was the secret—she was encouraged. She felt she was not dull in everything. She had learned self-respect and thus was she encouraged to self-improvement.

Cast-Iron Fellows.

Men of endurance have healthy kidneys and liver. No aches in the back, no piles or spinal pains. The remedy for these distresses is undoubtedly Kidney-Wort, a vegetable preparation, which harmonizes all the internal forces of the body.

—One of the saddest and most vexatious trials that come to a girl when she marries is that she has to discharge her mother and depend upon a servant girl.

VARIETY COLUMN.

—Pedestrianism is not "played out," but a great many pedestrians are. — *Norristown Herald.*

—If the whole world should agree to speak the truth, what an abridgment it would make of speech.

—"Jane," said he, "I think if you lifted your feet away from the fire, we might have some heat in the room." And they hadn't been married two years either.

"Is that dog of yours a cross breed?" asked a gentleman recently of a countryman. "No, sir," was his reply. "His mother was a gentle, affectionate creetur."

—An engineer of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company dragged a drunken man off the track, in Cumberland, Md., a day or two ago, and was cursed for disturbing his slumbers.

—"My dear," said a gentleman to his wife, "our club is going to have all the home comforts." "Indeed," replied the wife; "and when, pray, is our home to have all the club comforts?"

—Love rules the court, the camp, the grove, and earth below and heaven above, but it never sewed a gray patch in the seat of your husband's black trousers. That isn't love. That's revenge.

—The man who walks a thousand times around the room in a thousand different nights, carrying a squalling baby, may not be the happiest but he is certainly the most useful pedestrian.—*Trenton American.*

—Jeems: I see, Robin, that the paper says we're tae hae anither storm next Monday.

Robin: Man, it's terrible! Since thae Yankees hae gotten the weather intae their keepin' we've a storm every ither day.

—A little Connecticut girl said her prayers as usual, but, happening to remember that there was another girl of the same name in town, added her own street and number, so that no mistakes should be made.

—*Puck:* In a street car. Lady in shabby dress to animated tailor's model standing in front of her: "Will you please ring the bell, sir?" "Pawdon, madam, I'm not the conductaw—ah." "Indeed? What are you?" He gives it up.

—The Maharajah Dhuleep Singh is writing music for an opera. Did any one ever hear the Maharajah Dhuleep Singh?—*N. Y. Mail.* Now, Mr. *Mail* man, in future Dhuleep over such awful temptations to make a pun.—*Norr. Herald.*

—Yesterday when an organ grinder appeared on the streets wearing a gold watch chain, twelve mechanics quit work and resolved to become musicians. It's just such little things as this that demoralizes labor.—Philadelphia *Chronicle.*

—The Rockland *Courier* thinks that a good name is more to be chosen than an Indian agency. But there is more money in an Indian agency. And if a man has money he can buy a good name, we've been told.—*Norristown Herald.*

—A tramp applied to a lady for something to eat. "Why don't you go to work?" asked she. "There's nothing doing at my trade just now." "What is your business? "Holding election tickets at the corners.' He got a lemon pie.—*Ex.*

—A good colored man once said in a class meeting: "Bredren, when I was a boy, I took a hatchet and went into de woods. When I found a tree dat was straight, big, and solid, I didn't touch dat tree; but when I found one leaning a little and hollow inside, I soon had him down. So when de debbil goes after Christians, he don't touch dem dat stand straight and true; but dem dat lean a little and are hollow inside."

—In Pennsylvania there are 78,800 rum sellers at a cost to the State of $800,000,000 for liquor. The income tax from this sale amounts to 317,000 a year. Of the 24,000 criminals in the State, four-fifths are incarcerated through the effects of drink, at a cost of $2,260,000, or an average of $6 per year to each voter. In Philadelphia liquor alone costs each voter $50 a year. The amount of money spent in the country in fifty years exceeds the entire wealth of the Union.

—A small boy in town had seen his mother's fur muff that had been badly eaten with moths. Shortly afterwards he was in his father's stable watching the process of currying his pet pony. The animal was shedding its coat, and consequently large bunches of hair came out with each application of the comb. With tears in his eyes the little fellow rushed into the house and exclaimed, "Oh, mamma! mamma! the moths have got into my pony, and I'm afraid he's ruined!"—*Norristown Herald.*

—An art critic, who has an unfortunate habit of occasionally indulging in more wine than his health demands, recently determined, one day after luncheon, to pay a professional visit to a private art collection. Arrived in the first room, found himself opposite a large mirror. Mechanically he drew out his pocket book and therein wrote: "No. 1. Study of a head; unnamed; an old toper. Fuddled condition excellently rendered; most likely a portrait. Seem to be acquainted with the original."

—The corner-stone of a monument to the confederate dead was laid in Columbus, S. C., recently. Among the articles deposited therein was confederate money from the denomination of $5000 down to five cents, and several thousand dollars in confederate bonds. This money proved a very weak corner-stone for the Southern Confederacy, but it is very appropriate for a monument. No thief will waste five minutes valuable time in prying out a corner-stone to recover $10,000 worth only three cents. The price wouldn't pay him for his pries.—*Norr. Herald.*

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DAILY TIMES,
Chester, Pa.

JOHN SPENCER, *Proprietor.*

MONDAY, MAY 5, 1879.

IN the judgment of certain persons, whatever is done to check or control the sale and use of intoxicants, it always happens to be the wrong thing. Human ingenuity may exhaust itself in such efforts, but each new effort provokes a new series of dissatisfied grunts and growls. For instance, the Maine prohibitory law, which is one of the most successful and salutary laws on the statute book of that State, these persons are ready to declare a profound failure. For instance again, the Moffat Register, which last year netted to Virginia nearly $300,000, these same persons sneer at as good for nothing. Singular, is it not? Nevertheless, Texas has adopted the Moffet Punch as a "Lone Star" institution, and in Georgia they are seriously considering the propriety of giving their citizens the benefits of its use. There must be some good in the Moffet Punch or else it would never have met with such favor.

ONE of the first, and certainly for many years one of the most popular, journals of its kind published in this country, was *Godey's Lady's Book.* In 1877, Mrs. Sarah J. Hale retired from the editorship of this magazine, after having occupied that position fifty years, and last week she died in Philadelphia, at the advanced age of 91. This brief statement records a very unusual fact. Few persons live so long as Mrs. Hale did, and none, scarcely, retain their mental power, even approximately. But in this case not only was that power retained, but its flexibility and versatility continued in such a degree that to the last Mrs. Hale wrote with vigor and effect. Like the century plant, her powers remained fruitful and fresh to the very last. She was born at a time when the literary world gave no recognition to American authors. She died at a time when American authors are an acknowledged power all over the world.

IT is a familiar saying that Chester is the best advertised town in the State. Perhaps that is so. We are sure, however, that those who are tempted to remove by these advertisements will get the worth of their money back here if they can anywhere. Let it be called by whatever name, the statement is correct that Chester is a thriving little city. By late and reliable data our population is shown to be 16,000. When the census of 1870 was taken we were not quite 10,000. If the boroughs of North and South Chester and Upland, with Eddystone, were included, instead of 16,000, we would report a population of at least 20,000. These suburbs are so contiguous that the eye of a stranger could not determine the boundaries between them and the city proper. And they have largely come into existence since the 1870 census was taken. So that we are justly entitled to claim that Chester has grown from a population of less than 10,000 in 1870 to more than 20,000 in 1878. If the same ratio of progress continues—and it is bound to increase—ten years hence this city and adjacent boroughs will have a population of 50,000.

OUR Max letters, from Nebraska, are sure to have many interested readers. Some will read to regret that they are not among the colonists. Some will shrug their shoulders, look with greater complacency than ever upon their present surroundings, and more or less audibly say "No sod houses for me." And yet sod houses are not the worst thing, by any means. Thousands of the best citizens of this country began life in sod houses or their equivalent—log huts. Those who have force of character sufficient to endure the first few years of hardship, which pioneer life compels, are sure, eventually, to make life a success. And if their days attain to the usual average, find themselves at last in an enviable condition of comfort. While others—the present being more to them than any possible future—who stay at home until gray hairs and the grave come to them are engaged every hour in a hand-to-hand fight with the wolf that beleaguers their door. The difference between these colonists and those stay-at-homes is, less now, with a great deal more afterward; and something more now, and a great deal less afterward.

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TIME TABLE.

P. W. & B. R. R.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 2.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

MONDAY, MAY 5, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The ice cream season is backward.

The Coroner's office is quiet at present.

Media looks beautiful in her spring garb.

The county roads are pleasant for driving now.

The birds can take care of themselves now.

The next regatta will have a good many entries.

They have two good base ball clubs at the P. M. A.

The soda water fountains have not been brought out yet.

That railroad track on Ulrich street isn't used much now.

There are but four steam yachts in Chester this season as yet.

A new school house will be built in the North ward this summer.

The Lutherans held religious services in their new church yesterday.

The commencement of the P. M. A. takes place on the 15th of next month.

Pleasant fish stories are coming from the summer resorts. They want visitors.

Headley & Mahon's four-in-hand took a live crowd up to Media this morning.

Fine growing weather, and the prospect for a good hay crop is unusually promising.

The Sunday law is very well observed in Chester, and there are very few if any violations.

The tax collectors will soon receive their duplicates for 1879. Have you paid last year's tax?

Never buy what you don't need. This was Ben Franklin's advice, and there was none wiser.

A good servant girl can always find a good home. There are always plenty who want to engage her.

Bright and beautiful this morning, and the housewife's heart is glad. She can dry clothes to-day.

The views from the Crozer Seminary and Military Academy always attract strangers by their loveliness.

Corrugated iron awnings are getting popular in Chester. They will remain up both winter and summer.

Weather vanes, if accurate and kept in order, are useful and ornamental. There ought to be more of them.

The emigration fever still rages, and Kansas and Nebraska are adding thousands to their population every week.

Seventh street, west of the bridge, is a fine place for new residences. It has the air of the country, and yet it is near the center of the city.

Remember the entertainment by the members of the Students' Union for the benefit of the Ladies' Benevolent Society next Thursday.

The public sale of the estate of the late William Booth will take place next Saturday. It is not often an opportunity of this kind is offered.

Yesterday was not of a kind to please those who had new clothes to show off. Some of the churches were slimly attended in the morning.

The masonic lodges of Chester will pay a friendly visit to their Camden brethren to-night. They will have a pleasant moonlight ride both going and returning.

Building improvements are not so numerous as in some former years. Some people always wait until frost comes before they make up their minds to build.

The Wilmington boys beat the cadets on Saturday, in a game of base ball; but we will venture the assertion that a different tale will be told the next time they play.

Hundreds of people visited Media this morning, drawn thither by the trial which will be held there sometime to-day, full particulars of which will be given in to-morrow's paper.

Mr. Thomas Higgins is the Chester agent for the smoothing, fluting and polishing iron, a remarkably handy thing to have about the house. When he calls to see you, buy one. You will like it.

GIRLS ONCE BOUGHT IM CHESTER.—In a recent number of Col. Forney's *Progress*, is a sketch of the life of Mr. Abraham Peters, who is now living and enjoying a competency at the advanced age of 88 years, near Millersville, Lancaster county, which contains an incident which took place in Chester about seventy years ago. In those times the poor Germans who wanted to come to this country but had no money to pay their passage, contracted with the captain of a vessel, so that he was allowed to sell them into servitude for their passage money, and these people were called Redemptioners. At the time above referred to, Abraham Peters' father was in the habit of hauling grain from Lancaeter county to Wilmington, Del., and on one occasion, as he was going there, his sister, Mrs. Bausman, requested him to buy a small German girl from a vessel for her. The vessels stopped at Chester. So after he had disposed of his grain he mounted one of his horses and rode to Chester. He went on board an emigrant vessel, and as he spoke German he was soon surrounded by a crowd, each one requesting to be bought, as they preferred to get into families where German was spoken. He called the captain and made known his errand. The captain told him he had two small orphan girls on board, their mother having died on the voyage. He asked forty dollars for the two; but as Mr. Peters only wanted one, and could take but one on horseback with him, the captain said he would charge him twenty-five dollars for one, and if he sent him a purchaser for the other he would give her for fifteen dollars.

He describes the scene when these two orphan girls were parted as most affecting, but he assured the remaining one that he would try and find her a good home. Before parting the girls were going to divide their dead mother's effects, but Mr. Peters would not allow this, as he assured them that Katy the girl he was taking with him, would find plenty, and therefore insisted on the other keeping all except the clothes that Katy, was wearing. Again assuring the Captain that he would try and find another purchaser he started for Wilmington, and was soon on his way home. He had proceeded but a short distance from Wilmington when he met a fine old Quaker gentleman and his wife driving to town. The lady saw the girl, and admiring her, stopped and wanted to buy her. But Mr. Peters told her that he had bought the girl for his sister, and therefore could not sell her, but told her of the little sister that was left behind on the vessel, and requested them to go to Chester and buy her. He gave the gentleman a few lines to the Captain, and reminded him of the fifteen dollars he had agreed to take.

The Quaker promised to go and buy the sister. They gave each other their addresses, and promised to write and keep the girls in communication with each other. Katy was installed in her new home, and under the kind motherly treatment of Mrs. Bausman grew up to be a fine woman. Her sister also found a good home with the Quaker family. Correspondence was kept up between the families, and yearly visits were made alternately with the girls, and very friendly relations sprung up between the families, which were kept up long after the girls were free. When Katy had served out her time and arrived at a proper age, she was married to a worthy baker in Philadelphia. These incidents illustrate how some of our early settlers came to this country, too poor to pay their passage; but they were honest, industrious, and of good habits, and their offspring are scattered through the eastern counties of this State, composing some of our most prosperous and respectable families.

BASE BALL.—Saturday afternoon, an interesting game of Base ball was played between the Regulation nine of the Third class of the P. M. A. and "Our Boys" nine of Wilmington, Del. This was the first match game of the season at the P. M. A., and it was largely attended by our citizens. The game began at 2.30 o'clock and lasted until 5.15, in which time it required ten innings to be played to decide the game. At the end of the ninth inning the score stood 14 to 14, and after the tenth inning was played it showed the game belonged to Our Boys by a score of 16 to 15. The score stood as follows:

REGULATION.	R.	O.	OUR BOYS.	R.	O.
Zinn, p	3	3	Weller, 3d b	4	1
Newitt, 1st b	2	4	Ellison, s s	3	1
Roberts, 3d b	2	3	Heston, p	2	4
Dent, s s	2	2	Curlie, c	1	4
Willock, 2d b	2	2	Mitchell, 1st b	0	5
Harrison, l f	1	5	Tatnall, 2d b	1	4
Thompson, c f	0	5	Weldie, c f	2	3
Sweney, c	1	4	Weir, l f	1	4
Poulson, r f	2	2	Curlett, r f	2	3
	15	30		16	30

INNINGS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Regulation	1	0	1	1	3	0	6	2	0		1—15
Our Boys	1	0	2	0	6	0	0	0	5		2—16

Base hits.—Regulation: Zinn, 2; Hewitt, 1; Roberts, 1; Dent, 3; Willock, 4; Poulson, 3;—14.

Our Boys.—Weller, 3; Ellison, 2; Heston, 1; Curlie, 1; Mitchell, 2; Tatwall, 2; Curlett, 1;—12.

Umpire, Kane, of Wilmington. Scorer, F. A. Daggett, of the P. M. A.

The Regulation nine propose going to Wilmington to play a return game on the last day of school.

OFF FOR COURT.—A large number of our citizens took passage for Media this morning, principal among whom were the witnesses in the Cooper case, and if some of them don't get hooped in before night it will not be the fault of the District Attorney. A number of them slid around the back streets to catch the stage, while others met it away up town. A celebrated case is that, which makes men tremble and wish they were sailors on the high sea. Harrison Cooper procured Headly & Mahon's big band wagon and gave his witnesses a free ride, while those of the Commonwealth had to take the stage. There are forty-eight witnesses in the case, and a queer tale is that to be told in this paper to-morrow.

NEW GUTTER STONE.—A new gutter stone has been placed on Fulton street, between Front and Second. It will greatly benefit that thoroughfare.

THE PUNCH AND JUDY TEA PARTY.—The Punch and Judy Tea Party given in Holly Tree Hall Saturday afternoon and evening, under the auspices of Miss Laura Hard's Bible Class, for the benefit of the Mechanics' Library, was a grand success. The attendance in the evening, especially of children, was very large, the hall being thronged and the interest manifested in the affair was great. There were a number of tables around the room, on which were arranged numerous articles for sale, which were purchased quite freely. On a side table were sandwiches, hot coffee and tea, which sold very readily. An exhibition of the famous Punch and Judy was given to the delight of all present, and the P. M. A. orchestra was in attendance. This discoursed some excellent music and was loudly applauded. Supper was prepared at six o'clock and heartily partaken of. All present enjoyed themselves hugely, besides contributing to a good cause, and all went home highly pleased with the affair.

WHAT HE WAS.—One of our young citizens, who is a typo by profession, thought to visit Philadelphia yesterday and see the sights, and accordingly went. When he had done the city and was almost ready to take the train for home, he passed four young men on Washington street, and one of these just as he was passing, asked in a loud voice "What is it?" The young typo had on his best $7.50 suit, besides he swung a ten cent cane, and was not going to be insulted on the street in any such way. He replied to the curious one to come back and find out. He went back and the two hitched. A lively tussle ensued, and the young Philadelphia upstart after receiving a pair of black eyes and a terribly bruised nose was glad to cry enough, and felt sure he had found out to his satisfaction that he had met a solid young man from Chester, who did not intend to be insulted.

A WATCH STOLEN. — Saturday evening Arthur Mullen, of Bridgewater, and Patrick Smith and a man named Clowney, from Upland, and two other unknown men were in Taylor's saloon on Edgmont avenue, above Tenth street, drinking, and during the hilarity Hugh McPherson had a silver watch stolen. He was unable to tell who took it, but suspected the above parties, and when they started home, about 11.30 o'clock, Mr. McPherson procured officer Philip Dougherty, and pursued them out the Upland road. He overtook them at Ship Creek and began searching them. The officer was not long searching them when he happened to look on the ground a short distance from them, and saw a watch lying there. One of them had doubtless thrown it there. The officer picked it up and secured the accused pickpockets in the lockup.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—Franklin P. Ash, Recorder of Deeds, received a letter yesterday from George J. Luckey, Pittsburg, who desires to know if there is anybody living in Chester county by the name of Luckey or Luckie, and if so requests Mr. A. to write and inform him the name and address. He does not state the object of his inquiry. Mr. A. does not at the present writing know of any person of the above name in this county, although there are plenty of *lucky* ones. There is, however, a Doctor Luckey, in Chester, Delaware county, who formerly lived in this county, who may be the man who is sought for.— *West Chester American Republican.*

HORSE AND CART STOLEN.—Philip Logue left his horse and cart standing at Eleventh street and Edgmont avenue Saturday evening about eight o'clock, when some unknown person came along and drove it off. Officer Philip Dougherty's attention was called to the party's boldness, and he pursued him. He had gotten a considerable distance up Providence avenue with his booty before the officer overtook him. He was getting all the speed out of the animal there was in it, but when he saw the officer he jumped from the cart and made good his escape. The property was returned to its owner.

POLICE NEWS.—Robert Colman was disorderly Saturday night, and for this officer Keenan locked him up. Yesterday morning he was given a hearing by the Mayor and fined one dollar and costs. In default of payment he was recommitted.

Patrick Smith was arrested by officer Philip Dougherty, on the charge of larceny of a watch, the property of Hugh McPherson, and at the hearing yesterday morning the Mayor held him in $500 to answer the charge at court.

ENTERTAINMENT.—On Thursday evening next the Students' Union will give an entertainment consisting of vocal and instrumental music, readings, recitations and short comedies in Holly Tree Hall, for the benefit of the Ladies' Union Benevolent Society, a most worthy object, and it is hoped there will be a liberal purchase of tickets. The entertainment will be a good one, and the attendance should be large. The price of admission is only 25 cents.

A NUISANCE.—Saturday afternoon, there were two or three young colored men gayly dressed in red suits, all bespangled with advertisements, distributing circulars, to which there is no objection, but they stopped every body to give them a circular, whether they wanted it or not, and such familiarity was greatly complained of by those thus hailed. They would get in front of the promenaders to hand out the printed slips, and it was a great nuisance.

A MISSION.—The Lazarus Fathers began a two weeks' mission at St. Michael's church, yesterday. They will hold services at 5 and 8 o'clock in the morning, and 7.30 o'clock in the evening, of each day. There will be preaching at each of the above services, and it is expected that their stay here will result in much good.

LODGERS.—There were only six lodgers in the station house since our last report. This is quite a falling off.

BEFORE THE ALDERMAN. — Joseph Clowney and Arthur Mullen, two of the young men charged with being implicated with Patrick Smith in stealing the watch from Hugh McPherson in Taylor's saloon Saturday night, were given a hearing before Alderman Allen this morning. The evidence was not sufficient to hold them as accessories to the crime, so they were held in $100 each for their appearance as witnesses in the case.

"RIVERVIEW HOUSE."—The large boarding house, recently named "Riverview House," erected by John F. Young, Esq., near Leiperville, during the early part of the Centennial year, and which has never been occupied, remaining in a partially finished condition, has just been leased by Mrs. A. Andrews and Mrs. Margaret L. Shepley, of Philadelphia, who design opening a summer boarding house about the 15th of May.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE. — By order of the Orphans' Court of this county the property of Wm. Windle, deceased, late of this city, was sold on the premises Saturday afternoon.

A two and a half story brick house with seven rooms and lot at 1117 Madison street was sold for $1100. No encumbrances.

A lot 25 feet front on Kerlin street above Third brought $470.

THREE VESSELS TO LEAVE.—It is expected that three vessels will leave Roach's ship yard this month, which will be a greater number than has left this yard in one month for a long time. On the 15th, the Santiago is expected to go, on the 23d, the Colorado, and on the 25th, the Elias. It is hoped new orders will come in soon, so that there will be no cessation in the present activity at the yard.

THE FILTERER.—Work on the new filterer in the South Ward progresses slowly, and when completed, which will not be for some time yet, it is hoped the excavation of so many yards of earth and so much expense will not have been for nothing. Nearly every one would like to see it a success, as it is for their interest, and disappointment would be a sore thing.

MINSTREL PERFORMANCE.—The old and well-known Carncross' Minstrel troupe will appear in Holly Tree Hall on Friday evening next. The programme will be novel and pleasing, and all lovers of the burnt cork shows will doubtless be amused. The prices of admission will be 50 and 75 cents. Tickets for sale at Zook's bookstore.

A MATCH.—Articles of agreement have been legally drawn up for a match between two of our most prominent citizens for a contest at hop, step, jump, best two in three. The stakes are $100 a side, and the time is next Thursday afternoon between four and five o'clock. The place has not been fully decided on as yet.

PRAISE SERVICE.—A praise service was held in Leiperville Baptist church last evening, and it proved a very interesting affair. The exercises consisted of an essay by Mr. Pierce, of Crozer Seminary, a select reading by Miss Anderson, and several recitations by the children of the school, interspersed by singing.

A PAINFUL CUT.—Lizzie McGowen, a woman who stitches goat skins in Pierce's Morocco factory, South Chester, while using a butcher's knife Friday afternoon, accidentally ran it into the palm of her right hand, inflicting a severe and painful gash. A physician was called and dressed the wound.

CROWDED STREETS.—The streets were crowded with promenaders on Saturday evening, and a very good business was done in most of the stores. The people flowed in from the surrounding boroughs, and made Market and Third streets almost impassable.

A CONCERT.—A grand concert, interspersed with readings and recitations, will be given at the Ridley Baptist chapel, on Tuesday evening, May 6th. The proceeds are for the benefit of the mission.

NEW POST OFFICE.—The Department at Washington established a new Post Office at Darlington, this county, during the past week.

A DEAD DOG.—There is a dead dog lying on Second street, below Pennell, and it is a source of much annoyance to the neighbors.

LOAN.—At a meeting of the Excelsior Building Association held Saturday evening, $1000 was sold at 10¼ per cent.

MOTHERS will grow weary and sigh over the baby's troubles when Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup would relieve the child and thereby give the mother rest.

WINDOW SHADES, all the latest spring styles. AT KNOTT'S,
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LEMONS AND BUTTER.—A large stock of fine lemons very cheap, also a good lot of Bradford county butter at reasonable prices, by G. K. Miller, west end of Farmers' Market. §

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Frivolous Counsel.

The idle talk of unscientific people who know nothing of the invisible action of medicine, should not be heeded by those who have kidney or liver troubles. One package of Kidney-Wort is then the reasonable thing to have. Your druggist has it.

CHEW Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.—AN ADJOURNED MEETING of the stockholders of the Fidelity Building and Loan Assaciation, of Chester, will be held in the office of H. L. Donaldson, Market square, on Saturday evening next, May 10, at 7½ o'clock, to receive the report of the Committee on By-Laws, and to elect officers for the ensuing year. H. L. DONALDSON.
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Plenty of Sleep.

A writer in *Scribner*, considering "The Relations of Insanity to Modern Civilization," speaks of the loss of sleep as a prominent cause of insanity. He says:

"During every moment of consciousness the brain is in activity. The peculiar process of cerebration, whatever that may consist of, is taking place; and thought after thought comes forth, nor can we help it. It is only when the peculiar connection or chain of connection of one brain-cell with another is broken, and consciousness fades away into the dreamless land of perfect sleep, that the brain is at rest. In this state it recuperates its exhausted energy and power, and stores them up for future need. The period of wakefulness is one of constant wear. Every thought is generated at the expense of brain-cells, which can be fully replaced only by periods of properly regulated repose. If, therefore, these are not secured by sleep; if the brain, through overstimulation, is not left to recuperate, its energy becomes exhausted—debility, disease, and, finally, disintegration supervene. Hence the story is almost always the same; for weeks and months before the indications of active insanity appear, the patient has been anxious, worried and wakeful, not sleeping more than four or five hours out of the twenty-four. The poor brain, unable to do its constant work, begins to waver, to show signs of weakness or aberration; hallucinations or delusions hover around like floating shadows in the air."

The Supply of Walnut Lumber.

There is a general impression that the supply of walnut is rapidly fading out, and that we shall soon be required to look for some substantial imitation of the walnut for furniture and ornamental wood-work. This is far from being the case. This city is one of the most important centers for walnut lumber, and, although the demand from every quarter during the past three years has been unprecedented, the supply far exceeds the demand, and walnut was never offered at lower figures than at present. True, the walnut on all old lines of railway is pretty well thinned out, and the price has not been regarded as sufficient inducement to cull it any great distance from railroads.

The three lines of railway which have within the past year or two branched out from this city, pass through forests of this timber, and the Cincinnati Southern Railway alone has been the means of pouring an abundance of the material to supply all home demands, and that at ruinously low figures. One operator, with whom we are acquainted, has lately shipped to this city over 400,000 feet, and much of this was sold at $18.00 per thousand feet. For this same quality he received four years ago $40.

It is estimated that over 3,000,000 feet of walnut lumber is now lying in this section awaiting shipment as soon as prices will justify. No fears need be entertained that the supply of this valuable wood will fall short of the demand yet for many years to come. —*American Inventor.*

A Frightful Scene.

During an exhibition of some wild beasts a few days ago, at the theatre of a small town in Thuringia, a frightful scene occurred. A leopard was not nearly so submissive to the tamer as usual, and dashed wildly about the cage. Suddenly two of the bars gave way, and the animal sprang with a tremendous bound among the spectators in the pit. The terrified people rushed pell-mell to the door, but the beast attacked the hindermost of them furiously with teeth and claws, and in four minutes had killed a woman and a child and fearfully lacerated four other persons about the face and neck. The moment the leopard escaped from its cage the beast tamer and his assistants hurried after it, armed with spears, but were unable to overcome it until it dropped dead from its wounds. On examining the broken bars of the cage it was discovered that they had been filed. An attendant, lately dismissed for drunkenness, has been arrested on suspicion of being the author of this atrocious deed.

Nantucket Chowder.

Take a fresh cod, haddock, blue fish, or any other good, firm fish, weighing four or five pounds, two very small sized onions and two or three very thin slices of salt pork. Cut the pork into thin strips, leaving out the rind and fry it slowly to a crisp in the bottom of the kettle, taking great care not to let it burn. After the pork is fried, add the onions, sliced thin, and let them cook about five minutes. Then turn out the fat, onions and pork upon a plate and put a layer of fish upon the bottom of the kettle; sprinkle salt and pepper over it, and add a little of the pork and onions, filling up the kettle in this manner. Turn in two quarts of hot water, and lay Boston crackers or hard tack over the top. Cover the whole and let it boil fifteen minutes longer. Serve in a tureen as soup. A few oysters added a few minutes before the chowder is dished, will be an improvement to it.

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—Near Chapman's station, Lehigh county, lives a family by the name of Eisenhard. They have fourteen children, all living, ten of whom are girls. The names are as follows: Emma Angelina Adiet, Lovina Serena Cornelia, Alice Ellen Amanda, Torvillia Susanna Corrilla, Francina Telars Concillia, Perlinia Sybilia Agnes, Christianna Effibulia Eliza, Annie Olivia Virginia, Ida Cora Jorine and Mary Anna Alecia.

—The peanut crop this year is estimated at 1,290,000 bushels. Will some one of our readers, who is good at mathematics, estimate for us how long it will take the young men of this country to exhaust this crop if they were to carry a pint of peanuts in their pockets every time they went to see their girls?—*Norr. Herald.*

Vegetables Cooked With Salt.

Vegetables which are boiled in clear water are quite different in taste and smell, and particularly in their degree of tenderness, from what they are when cooked in water and salt. This may be especially remarked in the case of onions, which, when cooked in pure distilled water are comparatively tasteless and odorless, but which, when cooked in salted water, possess a quite different, somewhat sugary flavor and a decided onion smell. The reason of the difference is that salt diminishes the solvent qualities of water so that more of the soluble substances of vegetables are retained through cooking them in salt water. Vegetables are also rendered more tender by the salt, and their proper taste is often improved. Water containing 1,423 of its weight of salt is much better adapted for boiling vegetables than clear water.

The Rich California Banker.

When it became known that one of the richest California bankers had left the Pacific Coast and transferred his base of operations to the New York Stock Exchange, all the shrewd financiers watched his course with keen interest to see how he would succeed. The result has emphatically proved the wealthy banker's sagacity. Besides having a much larger and more promising field to operate in, he is known to have been in several stock combinations that paid immense profits. By the combination method of operating in stocks Messrs. Lawrence & Co., Bankers, N. Y., unite orders of thousands of customers, in different sums, into one vast capital, and operate them as a mighty whole, dividing profits *pro rata* among shareholders every 30 days. Capital in any amount from $10 to $100,000 can be used with great success in these pools. $25 would pay $100 profit. $500 would make $5,000 or 10 per cent. on the stock during the month. Messrs. Lawrence & Co.'s new circular (mailed free) gives "two unerring rules for success," and full particulars, so that any one can operate in stocks, and make money. Stocks and bonds wanted. Government bonds supplied. Apply to Lawrence & Co., Bankers, 57 Exchange Place, N. Y.

—"Here," said a farmer in Syracuse, as he exhibited a broken jar to the manufacturer, "I packed this jar full of butter, and the jar split from top to bottom. Perhaps you can explain the phenomenon." "Oh, yes, I can," was the ready reply, "the butter was stronger than the jar."

—The game laws of Europe don't worry the birds of that country to any alarming extent. When a sportsman can't hit a monarch weighing one hundred and seventy-five pounds and measuring forty-three inches around the waist, the birds have nothing to fear.—*Norr. Herald.*

—A wise moderation in all things is the only rule of success. Do not attempt too much. Be satisfied to leave something for the morrow. Let the day bring you a resting time as well as a working time. Be moderate. Work is a necessity in one way or another to all of us. Overwork is of our own making, and, like all self-imposed burdens, is beyond our strength.

—The recent marriage of Miss Smith, of Glastonbury, aged 86, is now explained. She held aloof from matrimony for so many years for fear that if she were to change her appellation the name of Smith might eventually die out; but a few weeks ago she learned that a man in Wisconsin had his name changed from Gumbadden to Smith, and this decided her to take the long-delayed step.—*Norr. Herald.*

Too much regard cannot be given to the fact that Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills have no superior as a family medicine. For headache, flatulency, dyspepsia, liver and blood diseases, nervousness, etc., they stand unexcelled. Price, 25 cents.

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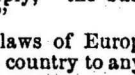
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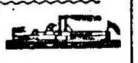
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Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday,.....11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Mail Train { Daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
On Sunday—Harrisburg only,..... 8.00 A. M.
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renovo, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily except Sunday.

NEW YORK DIVISION.

Trains leave Depot, Thirty-second and Market streets.

Express for New York, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 7, 7.35, 8, 6.30, and 11 A. M. (Limited Express, 1.30 P. M.) 2, 4, 5.30, 7 and 7.35 P. M.

Sunday Trains, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 8, 8.30 A. M., 4, and 7.35 P. M.

For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

From Boston, 7.05 A. M., daily, except Monday, and 9.10 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets.

Express for New York, 7.00 and 8.35 A. M.

Train arrives:—From New York, 7.42 P. M

BELVIDERE DIVISION.

Trains leave Depot, Thirty-second and Market streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.40 and 10.15 A. M., and 4.10 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, Flemington, &c., 10.40 P. M.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.12 and 4.00 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, &c., 4.55 and 9.50 P. M. From Scranton and Water Gap &c., 4.55 and 9.50 P. M.

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PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

J. E. WOOTTEN, Gen'l Manager.
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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

HENRY WOOD, General Superintendent.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER, 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

Through tickets to all points West, South and Southwest, may be procured at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, where berths in sleeping cars can be procured during the day. Persons purchasing tickets at these offices can have baggage checked at their residences by the Union Transfer Company.

H. F. KENNEY, Supt.

NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.

On and after Nov 25th, 1878, trains leave Depot, Third and Berks streets, Philadelphia.

MAIN LINE.

7.00 a. m. and 5.40 p. m., Express for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk.

8.15 a. m. and 8 p. m., Fast Line for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, Wilkesbarre, Pittston, Auburn, Ithaca, Geneva, Rochester, Elmira, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and the West. Sleeping Cars through to Niagara Falls. 8 p. m. runs daily.

9.45 a. m. and 2.30 p. m. for Bethlehem, Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

3.30 p. m., for Bethlehem, Norristown, Allentown, Easton, Schooley's Mountain and points on Morris and Essex Railroad.

7.25, 9.00 a. m., 3.45, 5.45 p. m. for Hartsville and points on N. E. P. R. R.

6.45, 9.30, 11.30 a. m., 1.45, 3.30, 5.30 p. m., 12.00 midnight for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne, Yardley, Trenton, Pennington and Hopewell.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5.40 p. m. for Norristown.

7 and 9.45 a. m., 3.30 and 5 p. m., for Doylestown.

11 a. m. and 11 p. m. for Fort Washington.

5.30, 7, 7.25, 9, 11 a. m., 1.30, 3, 3.30, 3.45, 5, 5.45, 8.05, 9.30 and 11 p. m. for Abington.

6.30 p. m. accommodation for Lansdale.

12 midnight, for Jenkintown.

ON SUNDAYS.

9 a. m. and 6.30 p. m. for Hatboro and Hartsville.

9.30 a. m., and 8.00 p. m., for Bethlehem and Allentown.

9.30 a. m. and 2.00 p. m., for Doylestown.

9.00 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. for Bethayres, Somerton, Langhorne Yardley and Trenton.

11 a. m. for Abington.

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Leave Chester Depot at 7.45 A. M., 3.11 P. M.
Leave Media at 10 A. M., and 5 P. M.
During Court leave Media at 1 P. M., instead of 10 A. M.
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LATEST NEWS.

In the House a large number of bills were introduced under the call of States, the first being the caucus bill to prevent military interference at elections. This bill was introduced by Mr. Ladd, of Maine. Pending consideration of District of Columbia business the House adjourned.

The House Committee on Post-offices yesterday ordered an adverse report on a bill extending the franking privilege to Congressmen on "letters written in their official capacity."

The Post-Office Department is about to issue a circular calling the attention of postmasters to a regulation of the Department requiring carriers' stamps to be put on the faces and not on the backs of postal cards.

The Treasury Department is advised that the Norwegian Government has prohibited the importation from the United States of live cattle, sheep and goats. This is done because of the cattle diseases in the United States.

In the Dominion House of Commons yesterday Sir John A. MacDonald said the reported decision of the Cabinet officers in Washington regarding the status of Sitting Bull was a canard; "neither the Secretary of State, the Secretary of War, nor the Secretary of the Interior at Washington can decide who is a British subject."

A meeting in aid of the colored emigration from the South was held last evening in Washington. Speeches were made by Senator Windom, ex-Secretary of the Senate Gorham, and Bishop Campbell, (colored) of Mississippi. One hundred and twenty dollars were contributed for the movement, and a check for $100 was received from Robert Ingersoll, and a committee was appointed to solicit subscriptions.

The Association of American Medical Colleges, in session at Atlanta, adjourned yesterday, after electing the following officers: President, Dr. Gross, of Philadelphia; Vice President, Dr. Davis, of Chicago; Secretary, L. Connor, of Detroit.

Mr. Langston, our Minister to Hayti, telegraphs to Surgeon-General Hamilton that the yellow fever appeared at Port au Prince on the 30th ult., and the steamer Andes left that port for New York on the 1st inst.

It is reported from Southeastern Kansas that two thousand men have gone into the Indian Territory within a week, that rich silver mines have been discovered just south of the Kansas line, and that claims in large numbers are registered daily in the "squatters' registry office," two miles from Baxter Springs, Kansas.

Several hundred emigrating negroes encamped near Carolina and Leoto Landings, Miss., are reported to have armed themselves. It is supposed that they intend to seize a steamer and compel it to take them to Kansas.

At Pocasset, Mass., yesterday, the selectmen, after hearing evidence in regard to the Freeman tragedy, decided to arrest the following persons as accessories to the deed: Aldin P. Davis, Charles F. Howard, Nathaniel Wing, Alvin Wing, Walter H. Wing, Phineas Gibbs, Jr., Harriet N. Swift and Ann Louis Howard.

In Indianapolis, on Sunday evening, Geo. C. Harding, editor of the *Herald*, entered the house of Calvin A. Light, editor of the *Democrat*, and attempted to shoot Light, because of certain publications in his paper. Harding was locked up until yesterday morning, when he was released on bail. He soon afterwards went to Light's office, and fired at him several times, but missed him, hitting a workman named Lipsius, inflicting a serious wound. Another workman of Light's, named Walters, jumped from a window during the fusillade and broke both ankles. Harding is in jail.

A railroad car loaded with dynamite blew up at the Grand Trunk freight yard, in Stratford, Ontario, yesterday morning, with tremendous effect. The whole town was shaken as by an earthquake. The freight shed, the houses around it, and about fifty freight cars, were blown into splinters. About fifty other cars were damaged and the window glass in the business section of the town, nearly a mile distant, was shattered. Underneath the dynamite car a hole was scooped out by the blast several feet in depth. Two men were killed and four badly injured. The damage to property is estimated at $250,000.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, May 5.—A despatch from Consett says: All the Consett Iron Company's men and some others have resumed work, the masters withdrawing their demand for a reduction of wages.

The *Daily News* says: A cargo of hogs from Philadelphia was slaughtered at Liverpool last week, in consequence of typhoid fever. Some apprehension is felt lest this may lead to restrictive action by the Privy Council.

The *Daily News* has reason to believe that the Prince of Wales will visit the Australian International Exhibition.

CAPE TOWN, April 16.—There is no military news. Preparations for a general advance are proceeding. Sir Bartle Frere met with an excellent reception from the Boers, and it is believed that everything will be satisfactorily arranged.

DUBLIN, MAY 5.—Dr. Isaac Butt, member of Parliament for Limerick City, died at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

THE GREAT BOAT RACE—HANLAN THE WINNER.

LONDON, May 5.—The *Standard's* report of the race says Hanlan won the toss for position and took the North side, which gave him shelter for the first half mile. Before the start 5 to 2 was offered and taken on Hanlan, but only to a limited extent. At a little before 2 o'clock the men took their positions at the stake boat.

The race was from the very first a one-sided affair, notwithstanding Hawdon rowed gamely. More than once Hanlan allowed the Tyne-sider to draw up, but with the greatest ease quickly resumed the lead, while every few strokes he looked around to see his course. Near the top of Kings Meadows the men were both in very rough water. Hanlan ceased rowing, and Hawdon, with half a dozen strokes, pulled up on a level with him. Hanlan smiled and nodded to his pilot, who was following in a cutter, and at once drew away. A little further on Hanlan, to the amusement and astonishment of many, stopped rowing, sponged the water out of his boat, and then setting quietly to work again drew away with ease, and this he did two or three times. He eventually went in, the easiest of winners, by five lengths, and could have won by any distance he liked. His time was 22 minutes 5 seconds. Such a race was never seen on the Tyne. Hawdon is acknowledged to be a capital sculler, and his easy defeat shows what the Canadian can do."

A meeting relative to the championship of England was held at Newcastle to-night. Colonel Shaw, Hanlan's Canadian supporters, Wallace Ross, Plaisted and others were present. The editor of the *Sportsman* presided. He congratulated the Canadians on their brilliant victory. The race, he said, had been characterized by the greatest fairness. The chairman then explained the circumstances in regard to the challenge for a match between Elliott and an unknown. The challenge had been made public, as it was considered only right that Elliott, the present champion, should dispose of all antagonists at home, before he visited Australia, to try conclusions with Tuckett, the champion of the world. Richard Renwick then declared the unknown, whose name was to be announced after to-day's race, to be Hanlan. [Loud applause.]

How to Train a Colt to Harness.

A writer in the English *Agricultural Gazette* gives the following as an easy and practical method of accustoming young colts to the restraints of the harness:

"Put on him an easy collar, having a pair of reins attached, or add two pieces, to lengthen the traces, and let a strong man walk behind him, holding these. After a few minutes the leader may order the man to pull the traces very gently, so as to press the collar but slightly at first. In a little time he may pull tighter, while the leader keeps his eye on the colt; and, if he shows any signs of flinching, let him order the traces to be slackened and then gradually drawn again, until the colt is seen to lean on his collar, when the man who holds the traces may use his whole force for a short time only. The traces must now be slackened again, and the same course gone over repeatedly; but stopping the colt occasionally to gentle him, taking care, however, to slack the traces just as he stops, and to turn a little to one side when starting each time, while the man pulls the opposite trace. After this exercise, let him be taken to the cart or other vehicle for which he is intended; allow him to smell and examine it; then push it away, and draw it up to him several times, raising and lowering the shafts, until he takes no notice of its noise or of the different appearances when raised and lowered. Now turn him round, and put him between the shafts; rub them against his sides; push back and draw up the cart, striking him behind and on the sides with it, until he allows himself to be 'knocked about by it,' so to speak. This will do for one day's lesson. Next day let all this harness be put on, leaving chains or straps to hang or strike against him, while the whole of the previous day's lesson is gone through step by step. Same on third and fourth days. He may then be yoked or hitched to the cart; and should have at least one hour's exercise at going up and down hill, turning, etc. First start on level ground. If these directions be carried out, the colt learns that the vehicle he draws is not meant to hurt him, and he will never try to 'kick it away' or 'run off' from it.

Rules for training. 1. Never try to beat a colt into doing a thing; or, if nervous, he may turn out a vicious horse, and if stupid, he may become stubborn. Remember that by patience and gentleness he can be got to do anything that will not hurt him.

2. When a horse shows signs of shying at any object, do not beat him; but lead him up to it, allowing him to stand and look, as he comes closer. And after he examines it a few times he will not fear anything of the kind again. In passing by hedges with a colt, throw in stones, and stop him until he takes no notice of the noise.

3. Before putting on any article of harness let your colt smell it, and then rub it against his neck, head and body.

4. Always start a horse with the voice; never with the cut of a whip. In starting, turn a little to one side; and in stopping, when going up a hill, do the same."

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The Robin.

I have a pet robin nearly eight years old which fell from its nest before it was fledged. It never has been known to beat against the wires of its cage in any way. On the contrary, when allowed to fly out, it is ill at ease, permitting itself to be caught without difficulty, and seems as glad to get back as a child to return home from boarding-school. At first we fed him on spiders, earth-worms, and such larvæ as could be obtained, but very soon he manifested a marked preference for beef steak, and took very kindly to bread, crackers, bread and milk, cake, etc. For the last seven years, his "living" has been anything ordinarily found upon the family table, he having become altogether too aristocratic to stoop to common robins' food. During his first winter, whenever the cook was frying doughnuts, we noticed a peculiar, teasing note, uttered only when he was specially anxious for some new kind of food. This led us to try his taste for *hot* doughnuts, when we found they exactly suited him, and the hotter the cake, the more voraciously did he eat it. As a further test of his power of scent and peculiar taste, we found that as soon as a paper of raisins or any such fruit was brought into the room, though it had not been opened, he began teasing, just as a cat perceives the arrival of fresh meat while it is still wrapped in the paper. For any kind of meat, fresh or salt, boiled or fried (save mutton), he shows evident pleasure, and though retaining his regard for flies and spiders, he is not at all anxious for them. In the summer, when his cake becomes too dry to suit his palate, he dips the whole bit into his bathing dish to moisten it; nor is this merely accidental, for the dish stands at the farther side of the cage, and it is a custom with him to carry it and dip it in. As a result of his soft diet and peculiar life his bill has a projection upon its point at least three-sixteenths of an inch long, and the nails of his hind toes, if straightened, would be considerably more than an inch long.

During the hot weather, it is no unusual thing for him to bathe thoroughly five or six times daily, often as late as after tea, and very generally his good-night song is sung by gaslight; indeed, during the early winter months he often sings till 10 p.m. During January and February his notes are very soft and sweet, becoming louder and louder as the season advances, until the first or middle of July, when, during the process of moulting, he is silent—save the welcoming chirp which is ever ready—until the middle or last of September. During this time there are many days when he has no perceptible tail or wing feathers, and not more than half a dozen on his head and neck. Whether or not this shedding of so many at once is due to his food and surroundings, I cannot say, but it has ever been so.

As regards his notes, never having been with other robins, and frequently hearing the tones of the piano, his song is so much of a medley that persons passing very often exclaim, "What kind of a bird is that, a mocking bird or a parrot?" and will hardly believe only a common redbreast. When hung out of doors during the summer, other robins are attracted to his cage, frequently alighting upon it, but he never seems to pay the least attention to them. If, at any hour of the night, be it never so dark or light, a member of the family passes through the room, he always greets the footstep with a cheery welcome; but let a stranger do the same, he gives no sign of recognition. For persons, also, he has a marked preference—seldom changing his first impressions, even upon acquaintance, and upon being courted to do so by many tempting morsels. His dislike is manifested by a peculiarly sharp *quip, quip*, and by running into the farthest corner of the cage and turning his back upon the interloper—not in a manner indicating fear, but rather defiance. Moreover, if he is singing never so merrily, the entrance of the person he dislikes checks it all, and he even refuses to eat, unless starved to it, until he leaves the room.—*Science News.*

Choking.

When a particle of food, or any other body becomes lodged in the throat, go upon all-fours, and cough. If it is not expelled, the patient should be seized by the heels and suspended head downwards, while his back is percussed by another person. If the body can be seen by drawing the tongue well forward, seize it with a pair of forceps, or a hook made by bending the end of a wire or a hairpin which has been straightened. Sometimes it may be elevated from its position by means of a spoon handle. If it is ought of sight, and all efforts to expel it are unavailing, press it down with the finger or a smooth rod with a rounded end, throwing the head back as far as possible while doing so. A body which has lodged part way down the esophagus may sometimes be pressed down into the stomach by pressing hard upon each side of the neck close to the windpipe.—*Health and Home.*

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JOHN SPENCER, *Proprietor.*

TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1879.

ENGLAND has sent twenty thousand troops to Southern Africa since the Zulu war began. It may be that she will have to send twenty thousand more before that war is ended. As it costs $100 apiece simply to transport these men to their destination our readers can easily understand that it is an expensive business. With the soldiers must be sent that material which is to make them efficient. This entails a large additional expense. If the Zulus, as they seem disposed, should, after the fashion of our Indians, keep up the strife indefinitely, stranger things have happened than that they should for years successfully defy the arms of the mightiest nation on earth.

THAT $400,000,000 indemnity bill, which for so long and so seriously disturbed the repose of our Legislators at Harrisburg, continues to be a cause of offence. Whether the secret history of this bill will ever be completely unearthed we very much doubt. It has too much history to make the attempt at all popular or perhaps at all possible. Enough, however, has been brought to light to make it altogether probable that many members of the Legislature sold their votes. The riot losses of the city of Pittsburg are now to be supplemented by the costs of an abortive attempt to purchase the Pennsylvania Legislature. We have had some sympathy for our neighbors of the smoky city, but if there is as much crookedness in their claims for indemnity as there appears to be in their way of urging them then they deserved their defeat.

To those that read between the lines, the house-cleaning season is one of the most agreeable in the whole course of domestic life. Don't let our readers of the male persuasion at this point jump to their feet and with an emphatic "I don't believe any such nonsense," throw down their papers in disgust. What would the house be without this semi-annual outbreak of brooms and scrubbing brushes? What a prophecy is it of cleanliness and comfort through all the rest of the year. Let the brethren reason together concerning this matter. And resolve that, instead of growling at the transient trouble which it entails, they will, if necessary, eat cold dinners submissively, sit patiently in the topsy turvy library, retire meekly to bare and damp chambers, and never by word, look, or gesture, add to those weighty burdens under which the house cleaners are struggling.

FRED DOUGLASS, the distinguished freedman, in a late address at Baltimore gave some admirable advice to the colored people of this country. Mr. Douglass is a man of rare ability, and what he says is well deserving of serious consideration. He heartily disapproves of the exodus of the colored people to the West. Their lot in the Southern States, he says, is confessedly a hard one. but going to Kansas will not improve it. "The colored race must measure their condition not by what they hope to be, but by what they have been." The position of Mr. Douglass qualifies him to speak without any suspicion of prejudice attaching to what he says. And his sentiments, according as they do with those of many other well-known and judicious friends of the negro, are at this juncture important. Before there can be any marked change, North or South, in the status of the colored people, they must acquire an education and become property owners.

THE Washington police have been "going for" the contents of the bakers' wagons in that capital city. Rumor was bold enough to report that the bread-makers of the District were vending light-weight loaves. And a carefully managed test weighing proved that for once, at least, Rumor was reliable. As the penalty in Washington for this offence is a fine of two dollars for each deficient loaf, and as there were several wagon loads of such loaves, the reader can imagine how the offending bakers felt. This leads us to call attention to the various ways in which the food supply of the people is vitiated. Sometimes by light weight, sometimes by short measure, sometimes by adulteration. In one fashion or another the consumer is victimized. Reports submitted by experts who have carefully studied all the facts show that the rogueries practiced in this matter of food are something startling. And yet, very few persons are ever punished for them.

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NOTICE—AN ADJOURNED MEETING of the stockholders of the Fidelity Building and Loan Association, of Chester, will be held in the office of H. L. Donaldson, Market square, on Saturday evening next, May 10, at 7½ o'clock, to receive the report of the Committee on By-Laws, and to elect officers for the ensuing year. H. L. DONALDSON,
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Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10,15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.46, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Fort Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

River excursions will soon be popular.

Don't read a newspaper you haven't paid for.

West Chester has a one legged base ball player.

We may expect garlic tainted butter at any time now.

A very pleasant session of Council last evening.

Asparagus and radishes are among the early vegetables.

It would be a hard matter to do without postal cards now.

Fourth of July, with its turmoil and trouble, will soon be here.

Coal ashes, when well packed, make an excellent walk for gardens.

When you go to Philadelphia visit Wanamaker's dining rooms, 823 Market street.

The fishing with hook and line is not at its height just yet. Hardly warm enough.

Builders should not take more than half of the street with their mortar boxes and brick.

There is a good deal of free advertising done from the pulpits of the various churches in Chester.

They are still pegging away at the aqueduct of the water works, and hope to get done some time.

That ash heap at the southwest corner of Second and Market should be removed. It is unsightly where it is.

The Fidelity Building Association is receiving new shares daily. It will start on its mission with a strong force.

The Chester Building Association will issue a new series of stock at its next meeting—the fourth Thursday in May.

The fishermen are not so busy as they would like to be. They have as much work as they want, but not so many fish.

Nearly all the witnesses in the Cooper case told the same story; and there is, of necessity, a great deal of repetition.

Visits to the woods are frequently made at this season for the purpose of gathering soil and plants for the new ferneries.

Decoration day this year will be as attractive as any that have passed. Prof. Sweney, with his Sunday school scholars, will make it so.

If the old adage be true, that the first Sunday in the month rules the remainder in that month, we shall have some unpleasant Sundays in May.

The agent of the Mackinnon fountain pen has sold nearly twenty in Chester. When they become properly known they will be in greater demand.

In doing your ironing to-day, try one of Dean's smoothing and polishing irons, for which Mr. Higgins is the agent. Those who use them speak well of them.

The incessant pounding of the trip hammers at the axe factory, on Second street, indicates that a good deal of work is being turned out of that establishment.

Sunday schools and societies should put themselves in communication with Capt. F. S. Baker if they intend chartering steamboats for river excursions the coming season.

There are many old stone houses in Delaware that look as if they would still last for centuries. When first put up they were well built. A fashion they had in the olden time.

The Sunday schools are thinking about their strawberry festivals, and there is an increased attendance in the number of scholars. This is always the case a little before these festive occasions.

No county in the State can exceed Delaware in the beauty and diversity of its scenery. In a few weeks it will be at its best, and then will be the proper time to enjoy a drive over its hills and through the valleys and woodlands and along its historic streams.

Of what use is that old building just east of the railroad bridge? It might be made picturesque by training vines around it, and make it resemble one of those ruined castles that Oliver Cromwell liked to batter down some two or three hundreds years ago in England.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.—A regular meeting of City Council was held in Council Chamber last evening with President Wallace in the Chair.

Members present—Messrs. Anderson, B. F. Baker, F. S. Baker, Fennell, Greenwood, Klotz, McCall, Young, Black, Booth, Chadwick, Clough, Hinkson and Cutler.

The minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

The report of the Auditing Committee in the matter of the accounts of the Mayor, showing a balance of $140.70 due the city from last quarter, was read.

Mr. B. F. Baker moved that the report be accepted, and the balance be placed in the hands of the City Solicitor for collection.

Mr. Anderson thought it an abrupt way of proceeding, and moved to amend, so as to refer the matter to the City Clerk to collect the balance.

Mr. Baker accepted the amendment.

Mr. Greenwood thought it impolite to pass such a resolution. It was not a case where a party was going to leave the city, but the debtor was our Mayor, and was going to stay here, and we should not take any such action.

Mr. B. F. Baker, in way of explanation, said, I have no ill feelings against the Mayor, but made the motion because I believed it right, and the Mayor himself told me upon one occasion that he believed all officials ought to be made to pay balances due the city at the end of each year.

Mr. Anderson's amendment prevailed.

The report of the Chief of Police, showing 45 arrests made during the month of April, was read, and on motion received and filed.

A communication from the City Auditors, asking that they be paid $10 for their services as heretofore, was read, but on motion laid over until the Committee on Accounts made their report.

A petition, asking for a lamp at Concord avenue and Franklin street, and one at Sixth street and Concord avenue, was read.

Mr. Anderson moved that the petition be referred to the Gas Committee with power to act. Agreed to.

A petition from Rev. Thomas J. McGlynn asking permission to erect a frame stable on Second street, near the Immaculate Heart Church, was read and on motion referred to the Building Inspector with the power to act.

A communication from Post Wilde, No. 25, G. A. R., inviting the City Council to participate in the Decoration Day ceremonies of May 30th, was read, and Mr. Chadwick moved it be received, and the chair appoint a committee to make the necessary arrangements. Adopted.

The report of the Street Commissioner, showing 11 men and two horses and carts employed during the week, was received and on motion filed.

Mr. Klotz, of the Street Committee, reported favorably on curbing and paving Hinkson street from the railroad to Eighth street, and recommended that the Pennock Road Scraper be purchased for use in the city, also that the men employed on the streets be paid every week, and that the sewer on Welsh street below Second be repaired.

The report was adopted and the recommendations ordered to be carried out.

The recommendation of the Street Commtttee to purchase one of Pennock's Patent Street Scrapers was the source of some remarks by Messrs. Greenwood, Chadwick, Klotz, B. F. Baker, Young and others, as also was the recommendation to repair the Welsh street sewer.

The bond of Messrs. Devers & Dolan, City pavers, with Messrs. Robert Semple and John Volkhart as security, was approved.

The following proposals were then received for furnishing 4000 feet of gutter stone:

Henry W. Cullis @ 13½ cents per lineal foot, delivered on Government pier, or 14¼ cents, delivered any place within the city limits.

G. W. Vanholsen, of Philadelphia, agreed to deliver stone on the wharf for $520.

Mr. Hinkson moved that the contract be awarded to H. W. Cullis at 14¼ cents, delivered in any part of the city.

The following proposals for grading Gerhard and Mary streets, South ward, were read:

Joseph Powell, 13½ cents per cubic foot.

Michael McWilliams, 14½ cents per cubic yard.

John McKinney, 14¼ cents per cubic yard.

Wm. Lewis agreed to grade them for nothing, providing the city would give him the dirt and pay for the surveying.

Woodward & Reynolds for 14 cents per cubic yard.

Mr. B. F. Baker said it was a question whether Mr. Lewis' or Mr. Powell's bid was the cheaper. If the city needs dirt, and cannot get it for less than 13½ cents per cubic yard, it would be cheaper to pay for the grading, and the city keep the dirt.

Mr. Chadwick said he had paid 15 and 20 cents per cubic yard for dirt in the same locality, and considered it cheaper for the city to pay for grading.

Mr. E. C. Smith, Street Commissioner, who was present, was asked for his opinion, and said it would be cheaper for the city to pay for grading and keep the dirt.

On motion, the contract was awarded to Joseph Powell at his bid.

Mr. Anderson, of the Ways and Means Committee, submitted the Treasurer's report for April, which showed cash in bank, $4,899.76; cash in sinking fund, $1,385.35.

The report was received and filed.

Mr. Anderson said there were a few bonds coming due in July, September and October, and that there were still some call bonds outstanding, bearing interest at six per cent., and he thought the whole amount—$180,000—could be refunded at 5 per cent. instead of 6, and thereby save the city 1 per cent. on a considerable sum. He recommended that bonds to the amount of $180,000, bearing interest at 6 per cent., be cancelled, and new 5 per cent. bonds be issued in their stead.

Mr. B. F. Baker agreed with the chairman of the Ways and Means Committee and thought the bonds at 5 per cent. would sell well. He moved that the recommendation of the Committee be carried out.

Mr. Greenwood thought if Wilmington could sell bonds at 4½ per cent., which it did the other day, Chester—whose credit was just as good—also ought to be able to do the same. He favored advertising for 4½ per cent. bonds and see if they could not be sold, then if they cannot be sold give them for 5.

Mr. Anderson thought it might be possible to make the bonds 4½ per cent.

Mr. B. F. Baker did not like to try this experiment and fail, for he thought it would injure the standing of the city if the 4½ per cent. bonds did not sell. He thought if any other way could be done by which a bond bearing a low rate of interest could be sold at par it would be well to do it.

Mr. Black moved to amend Mr. B. F. Baker's motion so as to leave the rate of interest open in the advertisement. Adopted.

Mr. Black, of the Committee on Ordinances, reported an amendment to the ordinance licensing wagons. It was read a second time and laid over until next meeting.

Mr. Hinkson, of the Committee on Accounts, reported bills amounting to $505.81, which were ordered paid.

The amount of the bills of the auditors, as reported by the Committee on Accounts, was ordered paid.

A bill of Mr. W. A. Todd of $159.45 for city printing was read and on motion referred to Committee on Accounts, to see if correct.

Mr. Clough, of the Committee on Gas, reported several bills which were ordered paid.

Mr. Chadwick, of the Committee on Fire, reported bills which were ordered paid, also that there were six plugs out of order, and he asked that two new fire plugs be located. The latter recommendation was referred to the Committee with power to act, and the plugs now out of repair were ordered to be put in good condition.

Mr. Greenwood, of the Special Committee on Resolutions of Respect to the Late Member from the North Ward, Samuel Palmer, reported that he had proper resolutions neatly engrossed, and asked that the bill of $10 for the same be paid. So ordered. He also asked how Council desired them to be presented to the family.

Mr. Chadwick moved that Mr. Greenwood, accompanied by the rest of the committee, call on the family of the deceased and present them with the resolutions. Agreed to.

The Ways and Means Committee were instructed to call in the $180,000 of six per cent bonds, and issue in their stead new bonds bearing five per cent interest.

The Street Committee were ordered to give the necessary notice to curb and pave both sides of Fulton street, between Third and Fourth, South ward.

Mr. Anderson moved that the Committee on Public Property be empowered to endeavor to rent a place for a dog pound, as the present location was a source of much annoyance to the inhabitants near it.

Mr. Greenwood said it required a good deal of money to repair the street lamps in a year, and as a matter of economy he moved that the Committee on Gas be instructed to advertise proposals to keep the gas lamps in repair until next April. So ordered.

Mr. Anderson moved that the Ordinance Committee be instructed to prepare an ordinance making the annual appropriations for the different departments of the city for the current year. It was so ordered.

Mr. Greenwood said it had been the custom of the different departments and city officials to order whatever they wanted for the city without giving an order for the same, and the bills come into Council without a voucher. This, he believed, to be wrong, and thought every official ordering anything for the city should give a written order.

He moved that the proper committee, in conjunction with the clerk, procure the proper blank forms for the different departments, to use in ordering goods.

Agreed to.

On motion adjourned.

A PIGEON HATCHES CHICKENS.—Chas. Sweeney, living on Pine street between Sixth and Seventh streets, North ward, has a pet pigeon which he prizes very highly, and three weeks ago the bird laid two eggs. Mr. Sweeney concluded to give the bird a more profitable occupation than hatching young pigeons, so he removed the pigeon eggs from under her and put two hen eggs in their place. It takes but two weeks to hatch pigeons, while it requires three for chickens, and the poor old pigeon sat for three long weeks on the hen eggs. At the end of this time, after great endurance, she brought out one chicken. This was a peculiar offspring for her and she had a great time feeding it. It would not hold up its mouth, which is much smaller than a pigeon's, and take its food like one of her own kind, and she did not know how to feed it. But she seems content with her lot and makes the best of it.

POOR HOUSE CONTRACT.—At a meeting of the Directors of the Poor, held in the almshouse, Lima, yesterday afternoon, the following contracts for supplies for the month were given:

Hinkson & Smedley, Chester, 4 pieces furniture check, 21 cents per yard.

Haldeman & Brother, Media, 1 bbl. coal oil, 11 cts. per gallon; 25 lbs. coffee @ 12½ cents per lb.; 1 chest tea, @ 18½ cents per pound; 2 doz. brushes, @ $3 per dozen; 2 lbs. thread, @ $1.25 per lb.

Hough, Media, 100 lbs. coffee, @ 11½ cents per pound.

Wm. M. Thomas, Lima, 1 cheese, @ 8½ cts. per lb.; 2 sacks salt, @ $1.50 per sack; 1 ton bran, @ $1.75.

Geo. G. Dutton, 25 bbls. flour, @ $3.50.

TENTH ANNIVERSARY.—Larkin Lodge, No. 76, K. of P., celebrated its Tenth anniversary last evening at its regular place of meeting, Fountain Lodge room, in an appropriate manner. The attendance on this occasion was large, and the exercises consisted of speeches, singing, recitations, vocal and instrumental music. All present enjoyed themselves and at its close voted the affair a decided success.

AFRAID TO FACE IT.—Several witnesses in the Cooper case, now on trial at Media, failed to attend this morning, and Judge Clay on dispatched a constable armed with bench warrants, to this city, after them. We understand some of them have cleared out.

THE COOPER CASE.

The Court was occupied most of yesterday in hearing the case of Commonwealth vs. Harrison Cooper, which was a rule directed by Judge Clayton to show cause why his license should not be revoked, the charge being for keeping a disorderly house and selling liquor without license. The following is a synopsis of the testimony taken:

Edmund Whildey sworn—I live at 334 Pennell street, Chester; know Harrison Cooper; I purchased liquor at his place; it was whisky; this was in last September; don't know whether I paid or the company I was with; we had two or three drinks; don't know what day of week; think it was Monday evening; the second time we were there we called for whisky; we got it in response to this call; I saw one girl there; never had any conversation with her.

Cross-Ex.—I went there expressly for the purpose of buying whisky; Cooper owed me a bill, and I couldn't get it in any other way; I got the money; did it to catch him; I did not hear that sherry was asked for; I made a charge against Cooper, but afterwards withdrew it; I told the two persons who went with me that my object was to catch him (Cooper).

Re-Ex.—The reason I did not prosecute was because the claim was paid; the amount was $75.

John Dickson sworn—I never bought any liqur at Cooper's; I drank beer; saw a couple of girls there two or three times; they were working; saw one of them helping with washing and ironing; saw them on the street; never stopped to talk to them; they were behaving properly; I was in parlor once; this was after it was fitted up; I was asked to go in and see it; I had no suspicions.

John McCabe sworn—I live in South Chester; bought beer at Cooper's; never bought anything stronger there; I never saw the girls there; the first time was last August; went there to sell a ticket for a pic nic; never saw these girls on the street.

Henry C. Neidt sworn—I know Cooper; have bought ale and beer there; never got anything else; don't know of any being sold; have seen these girls there; the first time I saw the girls there was less than a year ago; I spoke to Mrs. Cooper and the two girls; when I spoke to one of the girls she was working in the back room; I was not introduced to them; merely passed the time of day; there was nothing said about playing a game of euchre; I played there with a young man from Wilmington; never had either of them as partner; never saw anything wrong about the house.

Lewis E. Hinkson sworn—I know Cooper; never bought anything there except beer; I don't know of liquor being sold there; never drank any there; I saw the girl with white feather in her hat; don't know how I came to see her; saw her wash the front windows; I never spoke to her nor she to me; I never saw any improper conduct; I was there in morning and afternoon; never saw anything wrong about the house; I went with a young man.

Geo. Baker, Jr., sworn—I got beer at Cooper's—nothing else; saw the lady with white feather in her hat; she was in the kitchen cooking; I was there to get a meal; we ate in the kitchen; this was in January last; it was early in the morning—about five o'clock; I went in once about half-past ten o'clock at night to get a drink; the front door was closed; had company with me; I refuse to tell who they are; don't know of any improper conduct by the girls.

P. E. Wilson, sworn.—I got beer and ale at Cooper's; nothing else; saw the two girls there; don't know their names; saw one of them in back room; could see them from the bar room; we went into the sitting room; I don't know of any improper conduct by the girls either inside of the house or out; I was never asked to go there to see them; I had heard some talk about the girls, and was there after that time; this was no more than I had heard of others.

John Hinkson, sworn.—I got beer at Cooper's; never got liquor; saw the girls; went into the house at the request of Mrs. Cooper; she wanted to have alteration made in the stairs; went there on business; never had conversation with girls.

Job Wheaton, sworn.—I am an officer of the Middle Ward, Chester; don't know anything about Cooper selling liquor; I never spoke to either of these girls; heard some one call one of the girls by the name of Annie; I don't remember telling you (the District Attorney) that the Whildey suit was a set up job.

Andrew H. Wheaton, sworn.—I know Cooper; never drank liquor there except ale and beer; have only been in the house once; was not there since these girls came there; I heard the talk, but never saw anything wrong about the house; I live about eighty feet from Mr. Cooper.

Charles Ladomus, sworn.—I have been at Cooper's; was in the parlor with gentlemen friends; would rather not tell who they are; they are not witnesses here; there were four men with me; when we went in the girl (sitting on the right of Mrs. Cooper,) told us to sit down; this was at half-past ten at night; I was there one time when some of the party left, and the others remained; it was twelve when I left; they were then drinking; at that time none of the girls were present; I had heard something previous to this time about these girls; Mrs. Cooper never said anything to me, except that one of the girls was a relative; have heard the talk but never saw anything improper in their conduct.

George Gœltz, sworn.—I got ale and sherry at Cooper's; never drank whisky; saw these girls; was invited into the parlor by Mrs. Cooper; this was about four months ago about 8 o'clock; she wanted to show me how the house was fixed; I remained a few minutes; Mrs. Cooper introduced me to one of the girls as her niece; never saw anything improper about the house.

Frederick Fisher, sworn.—I was formerly bar tender for Cooper; went there November 6, 1878, left there in January, 1879; left because they couldn't afford to keep me; Annie was there first, then Mary came; never sold whisky; I know what sherry is; think it is a domestic wine; when I went after sherry I asked for it; bought it at McCay's; sold sherry, blackberry and port; I never sold whisky by the name of wine; won't swear whether it was whisky or not; one of the girls was a niece; she did the work till the servant girl came; never heard any one asked to come there; I now tend bar at Mr. Green's, North 9th Street, Philadelphia.

Gilead Carter sworn—Have been in Cooper's frequently and drank ale, beer and cider; I was under the impression that they had a hotel license; I saw one of the girls there (Annie); had a talk with her; I don't think it would be right for me to tell what the conversation was; this was before Christmas; it was simply a private conversation.

Howard Matthews sworn—I saw Annie in Chester and Media; had conversation with her in Media; had met her at Fourth and Market; was introduced by a friend; I don't want to tell what his name is; saw her once or twice afterwards in Media; I saw her other times on the street in Chester.

Cross Ex.—The young lady gave me the name of ———; the young man who introduced me is William Cooper.

William Cooper sworn—I never saw these girls before; the one I introduced him to was not this girl; don't know where she lived; Matthews is mistaken in the person.

Thomas Coulter sworn—I bought malt liquor at Cooper's; never had any spirituous liquors; saw the girls; never spoke to them; don't know of anything improper about the house.

Mrs. Zilla Firth sworn—I never was in Mrs. Cooper's but once, about ten months ago; don't know why I was subpœned.

Robert Marlor sworn—I had some port wine at Cooper's; saw Annie and Mary; I was introduced to Annie as Mrs. Cooper's niece; never heard any improper talk there.

John Goff sworn—I never got liquor at Cooper's; I saw one of the girls; was introduced to the girl; she was introduced as the niece of Mr. Cooper; never heard anything improper.

Thomas Moore, Jr., sworn—I know Cooper; got ale and porter, also whisky; John Rumford asked me to go in; he called for sherry wine; I said give me the same; he paid for it; it was whisky; I saw one of the girls there (Annie); never saw anything improper about the place; I don't know anything against these girls.

Cross Ex.—I am not twenty-one till July, suppose anyone would think I was twenty-one.

John Rumford sworn—I got ale, porter and beer at Cooper's; was there he day that Moore was there; I asked for sherry wine.

John Keenan sworn—Don't know of any liquor being sold at Cooper's; saw the girls outside the saloon; saw nothing improper about the place.

William Long sworn—Live next door to Cooper's; sometimes it is quiet, sometimes it is very noisy; heard singing once or twice all night; often heard singing till 12 p. m.

Cross Ex.—The noise was no greater than that which you generally hear around hotels and restaurants.

David Gwynn sworn—I don't know anything about selling liquor at Cooper's; have seen the girls; never had any conversation with them except once; saw nothing improper about the house.

Officer Joshua Wilson sworn—Don't know about any liquor being sold at Cooper's; know the girls; never saw any improper conduct.

Officer Ireland sworn—I never knew of liquor being sold at Cooper's; never knew of any improper conduct about the place; I am on duty in the day time; officer Keenan is on the night force.

Officer Keenan recalled—Sometimes the place is orderly, at other times it is very disorderly; there have been a good many complaints made; I don't care about bringing out the names of those who made the complaints.

F. Boden sworn.—I never got liquor at Cooper's; saw these girls one night that I went there from the ball; I was introduced to them in the ball-room; never saw anything improper in their conduct.

Bart. Hannum sworn.—I got ale and beer at Cooper's; there was a young friend of mine with me.

Joseph Frost sworn.—Never had any liquor at Cooper's.

Samuel Long sworn.—Drank ale and porter there; was at Cooper's ten days before the application for license; it was no more noisy than other beer saloons; it did not annoy me.

Frederick Bradley sworn.—Got beer, ale and blackberry brandy at Cooper's; got the brandy on Christmas; I paid for it; don't know anything about the girls; never had any conversation with them except comlog up in the stage; am not certain whether it was blackberry wine or brandy I got.

Charles Campbell sworn.—I got malt liquors at Cooper's; I worked at Cooper's papering the house; saw the girls there; never saw anything improper.

George Brown sworn.—Never bought liquor except ale; I saw the girls; worked at the place.

Richard Hussler sworn—Never got anything at Cooper's except ale, porter and beer; I got sherry about six months ago; I saw one of the girls there.

Joshua Long sworn—I don't know of anything except ale and porter being drank there; I never saw any impropriety about the house.

George Hall sworn—Don't know anything about Cooper selling liquor; I threatened to prosecute her on account of a bill she owed me; I gave the bill to Alderman Allen to collect.

Cross-Ex.—I mean I threatened to bring suit to collect the bill.

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CULLIN.—On the 5th inst., Margaret Cullin, aged 19 years.

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John Watterson sworn—Never got anything but one glass of beer; don't know the girls; never saw them.

John C. Williams sworn—I never got liquor at Cooper's; I got beer and ale; saw these girls there; this was about four months ago; Mrs. Cooper got a little port wine and blackberry wine for me.

Hugh Hatton sworn—Don't know of any liquor being sold except beer; never had any conversation with the girls.

John Watterson recalled—It was last fall when I got the glass of beer; I was twenty-one last mo th.

Charles Campbell recalled—I was born September 8th, 1858.

John O'Neil sworn.—I never got any liquor at Cooper's except beer and ale.

Samuel Logan sworn.—Will be twenty next March; got beer at Cooper's; Mrs. Cooper asked me if I was of age; I told her I was old enough to drink beer.

This closed the testimony for the rule. The defence then opened.

Dr. J. L. Forwood.—I am the Mayor of Chester; I have made some experiments with liquors so far as is necessary for the purpose of prescription; I don't know how the sherry wine is manufactured; the reports made by the officers are that there is no more disorder there (at Cooper's) than at many other places in Chester.

I had heard reports about the house, and had the place watched, and from their report I was satisfied that the rumor was unfounded. The public got excited until it has culminated in this huge joke. I have known Mr. and Mrs. Cooper fifteen years; reputation is good; I told three of the neighbors that if they had any objection to the house they should remonstrate; this was before the license was granted; I didn't hear of the Whildey case until after the license was granted.

Harrison Cooper sworn.—I remember Mr. Whildey being in the bar; he called for sherry, and he got it; this is domestic sherry I bought from Mr. McCay; I paid Mr. Whildey because I was advised to do so, and because I owed the bill.

One of the girls is a niece of mine, the other is hired at $2.50 per week to do house work; the charges brought against me are not true; we had a party last winter; they staid late; that is the time spoken of by Mr. Long.

Isaiah Mirkil, sworn.—I am owner of property occupied by Cooper; at the time of the Whildey prosecution I advised them to settle the bill; some time after this Mr. Hall, who testified here to-day, came up to me and said that he had got liquor at Cooper's and would prosecute if he didn't pay; told him to go ahead, and said, "You are trying to come the Whildey game."

Mary Ann Cooper, sworn.—There are myself, husband and daughter aged thirteen living in the house, also Miss Annie Walker, who is a niece of my husband; the other girl is hired by us; I remember Watterson got a glass of beer; when he asked for it I asked him if he was twenty-one; he said he was; have often refused liquor; once a young man asked me for beer; refused him; he then asked me what kind of a house I kept; told him it was none of his business, that if he was not twenty-one he could have nothing to drink; have had as many as thirty-five at my table for meals; I have done nothing to violate the law; I thought I had a right to sell sherry wine, thought it was a domestic wine; Mary Foyle is the hired girl; she is the cook; I pay no wages to Miss Annie Walker; I never knew anything wrong about the girls; heard the rumor; Annie was living in Philadelphia at $2 per week; she and Mary never drove up to Media together; Campbell was working as a journeyman, papering the house; I made the contract with himself; thought he was of age when I sold to him.

Annie Walker sworn—I am the niece that was spoken of; my mother was the sister of Mr Cooper; my mother died April 4th, 1878; I conduct myself as the niece of Mr. Cooper; I know that there were men who stayed there all night; they were lodgers; know Mr. Carter by name; he used language I didn't like, and I refused to speak to him; this conversation was in the yard; I was not introduced to young men; I was introduced to Mr. Baker and Mr. Goeltz.

Mary Maxfalk sworn—I came down to Cooper's December 12th last; I am cook; heard the talk; none of it is true; I cook, wash and iron; Annie helps me; I never sit down in the parlor with the young men; I saw Mr. Ladomus; was not speaking to him; I never was treated; the reports apout Annie and I are not true; I was never in Media only once with Mrs. Cooper; that was three or four Sundays ago; before I came to Chester I worked in Philpdelphia; Mrs. Cooper hired me from the Temperance Home, in Philadelphia; I was there two weeks after leaving my place; worked for Mrs. Heller.

Mrs. Emily Long sworn—I am wife of Ellwood Long; I never knew anything improper about the house; I live near Cooper's.

At this point the case was postponed until this morning, so as to get the testimony of two witnesses who had been subpœnaed.

The miscellaneous business will be published to-morrow.

REPAIRING THIRD STREET BRIDGE.—Third street bridge has needed new joists for some time, because it has been very shaky, and we are glad to state that Mr. J. W. Barnes is busy making the repairs today. He is taking out the old joists, putting in new and re-laying the old floor. This will make the structure stronger. The repairs will be completed in a day or two. The foot path, which is a very bad condition, should be repaired, but the carpenter has no instructions to do anything to it. We heard one taxpayer, who travels over the foot path considerably, say that he would be willing to pay for a plank to fix it if the commissioners would put it in position.

THE COOPER CASE.—The Cooper case was resumed this morning, the only witness examined was Wm. McCay, wholesale liquor dealer, Chester, who testified that he had sold to Cooper whiskey in quantities of one or two gallons, at a time.

A bench warrant was sent for some of the witnesses who failed to attend. The case was continued until their arrival.

A HEAVY WEIGHT.—One reason why Third street bridge is being repaired now is that in a few days Messrs. R. Wetherill & Co., engine and boiler makers, propose sending to Wilmington a piece of machinery which will weigh eleven or twelve tons, and it will go over the bridge. While it is being hauled over Mr. Barnes will put temporary supports under the structure.

A MASON VISIT.—Last evening forty-six members of L. H. Scott and Chester Lodges of Masons, of this city, boarded the steamer Sarah K. Taggart at the foot of Market street, and steamed up the river to Camden, N. J., on a visit to Ionic Lodge, of that place. A pleasant evening was spent, and at 12.45 this morning the Taggart landed them safely in our city.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. C. A. Story, Jr., and three children left this city this morning for her new home, which her husband has been preparing for her at Kearney, Nebraska. Mr. Story will meet her at Council Bluffs, and accompany her to her new residence.

Hon. Nathan Garrett, who is sick at his home, continues about the same.

EPISCOPAL CONVENTION.—The Episcopal Convention of the Diocese of Pennsylvania meets this afternoon in the Church of the Epiphany, Philadelphia. Revs. Henry Brown, Geo. C. Moore, and some half-dozen delegates from the two churches of this city will attend. Bishop Stevens will preside.

NEW SERIES OF STOCK.—At a meeting of the Directors of the Delaware County Building Association, held last evening, it was decided to issue a new, the tenth, series of the association. The stock can now be subscribed, and the series will commence the first Monday in June.

PASSED UP.—The steamship Switzerland passed up the river from Antwerp yesterday afternoon.

LODGERS.—There were eleven lodgers in the station house last night.

A Change of Programme.

The much-tickled public has of late been admitted to a perfect circus of elopements in which the daughter of Cœsus and the coachman of the same have figured; but not until a few days ago was there a case of wealthy groom and lowly bride. No less a person than W. F. Dickinson, a grandson of Governor Bishop, of Ohio, relieved the monotony. It appears that in the house of young Dickinson's father there lived a beautiful girl whose only faults were that circumstances chained her to the dish-cloth and scrub-broom and that she bore the rasping name of Miss Kate Braser. When the Dickinsons got an inkling of what was in the wind—that the son had fallen head over heels in love with the domestic—they determined to send him to Europe. Young Dickinson pocketed the funds that were to support him on his tour, took an affectionate leave and started. But mark the sacrifice for true love's sake! Instead of steaming eastward the youth slipped around to the back door, hurried Katie over to old Kentuck and there married her. With the European money they set up housekeeping in Covington and are now quietly settled.

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On and after MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 33	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6 45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

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PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.
TIME TABLE.
Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER. 5.43, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.43, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

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Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday, ... 11.45 A. M
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday, ... 11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday, ... 7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday, ... 11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday, ... 8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday, ... 11.45 A. M.
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York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday, ... 7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday, ... 8.00 A. M.
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Sunday Trains, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 8, 8.30 A. M., 4, and 7.35 P. M.

For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

From Boston, 7.05 A. M., daily, except Monday, and 9.10 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets.

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BELVIDERE DIVISION.

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Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, Flemington, &c., 10.40 P. M.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

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LATEST NEWS.

In the House a number of bills and resolutions were introduced under the call of States, unfinished on Monday. The Senate amendments to the bill for payment of certain expenses of the session were concurred in. Mr. Knott, from the Judiciary Committee, reported back the bill to prevent troops from interfering at elections. Mr. Robeson offered a substitute, which was rejected, one Greenbacker voting with the Republicans and eight with the Democrats. Mr. Conger attempted to get in an amendment to the original bill, and being unable to do so, resorted to filibustering. The Republicans abstained from voting, making a call of the House necessary, but after a second call, the minority gave up filibustering, and the bill was passed—yeas 124, nays 90, all the Greenbackers who voted, 11 in number, voting with the Democrats. The House then adjourned.

The Ways and Means Committee yesterday appointed a sub-committee, with Mr. Carlisle as Chairman, to consider all the bills now pending in relation to internal revenue.

The invasion of the Indian Territory was discussed in the Cabinet meeting yesterday, end it was agreed that every effort should be made to prevent white squatters from settling on the Indian lands.

The election to ratify or reject the new Constitution in California will take place to-day. The canvass has been unusually excited, and a large vote will be polled. The business classes are solid against the measure. It is supported by the Working Men's party, while the farmers are divided. Its friends and antagonists alike seem confident of carrying the election.

In the New York Asssembly, yesterday, the bill authorizing savings banks to invest in District of Columbia bonds was lost, and a motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

The Governor of New York has signed a bill regulating the deposit of stocks in the Bank Department, which authorizes the superintendent to receive U. S. Four Per Cents on deposit.

One hundred and forty of the Southern emigrants to Kansas—men, women and children—passed through St. Louis yesterday on their return to their former homes in Warren county, Mississippi. They were not pleased with their reception in Kansas, and were glad to be able to get back to the South.

In the Mississippi Valley Labor Convention yesterday, the Committee on Resolutions submitted a long report. It declares the causes of the colored exodus to be the low price of cotton and partial failure of last year's crop, the bad system of planting and bad management in some sections, a vicious system of credits permitting laborers and tenants to mortgage crops in advance, and the circulation of insidious reports that the civil and political rights of the negroes are endangered or likely to be. The report, after setting forth the abundance of public land remaining open to homestead entries in the South—5,000,000 acres in Mississppi alone—recommends such State legislation as will foster habits of industry among the colored people, elevate social morals and preserve the common school system, etc. It concludes with a set of resolutions affirming the community of interests of the planter and laborer; recognizing the social and political rights of the colored people; pledging the members of the Convention to use their influence towards securing the freedom of the polls; calling upon the colored people present to contradict the false reports circulated among the ignorant and credulous; asking the colored people to fulfill their labor contracts before emigrating, and declaring that if they shall then desire to emigrate, every assistance will be afforded them, and their places supplied with "other contented labor." Ex-Governor Foote, of Tennessee, offered a substitue for the resolutions, providing for the appointment of a general committee and also of local committees to watch over the interests of the colored people, and adopt such legal measures for the redress of their injuries as they shall deem necessary. After a lively discussion, the original resolutions were adopted and the Convention adjourned.

The National Colored Conference met in Nashville, yesterday, representatives being present from Tennessee, Kentucky, Mississippi, Arkansas, Missouri, South Carolina, Georgia, Louisiana, Alabama, Ohio, Oregon, Nebraska, Pennsylvania, Indiana and Illinois. John R. Lynch, of Mississippi, was chosen President. He said the Conference was called, not in the interest of any party, but to present the grievances of the colored people to the country. The afternoon session was devoted to the adoption of rules for the government of the Conference.

The American Medical Convention met in Atlanta, yesterday, and was joined by the National Board of Health, also sitting in the same city. Dr. Seguin, of New York City, presented a paper on the metric system, which will be considered to-day. In the afternoon the Association divided into five sections, and papers on various subjects were read by eminent physicians in each. The Sanitary Council of the Mississippi Valley was in session last night.

There was no trouble at the mines in Clay county, Ind., yesterday, the operators and non-Union miners having refrained from any attempt to resume work in the morning. The operators continued to engage non-Union men, and it is believed all the mines will be resumed again in a few days.

A meeting of the committee of the Spinners' Union, of Fall River, Mass., appointed to select five mills in which to begin their contemplated strike, was held last evening, with closed doors. Another meeting will be held on Saturday, when their action will be announced. If a strike is begun, all the mills in Fall River will be shut down.

At Chicago, yesterday, the propeller Fletcher and consort Ironsides took a charter for 80,000 bushels of corn to Buffalo at 3 cents per bushel, a cut of 1 cent below the established rates. There is great excitement among the vessel owners, who say this is "a step in the direction of ultimate ruin to their business."

A strike and riot were reported yesterday at Section 15 of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and the Winnepeg volunteers were ordered to the scene.

The jury in the Miles polygamy case, at Salt Lake City, yesterday returned a verdict of guilty, after being out five minutes. A procession of ten thousand Mormons marched through the streets in honor of Wells, who refused to answer questions regarding the marriage ceremony.

An attempt was made to assassinate William Bell, State Railroad Commissioner, in Columbus, Ohio, yesterday, a shot being fired at him as he was seated in his office. At the instance of Mr. Bell, George B. Lyon, vice president of the State Mutual Aid Association, was arrested for the crime, but he denies all knowledge of the shooting. Bell is president of the Mutual Aid Association, and on Monday night had a quarrel with Lyon which came to blows.

Hundreds of acres of timber on the high hills in Union Township, Berks county, have been devastated by fire, and the conflagration is rapidly extending eastward.

Hon. J. Randolph Tucker, Congressman from Virginia, whose eyesight has been for some time seriously impaired, was operated upon for cataract of the right eye, by a physician of Baltimore, yesterday. Should no inflammation supervene, it is believed that his sight will be almost entirely restored.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, May 6.—Sub-Lieutenant Coyte, of the Royal Navy, who was arrested early last month in Cork, on suspicion of being the author of the hoax about a pirate ship off Fastnet Light, Ireland, alongside of its capture, on the 16th of January last, has been convicted of the offence and dismissed the service. This was the story that sent the gunboat Goshawk to sea on a fruitless chase. Sub-Lieutenant Coyte was serving on board the Goshawk at the time.

Robert Barrett, a cotton mill owner at Bolton and Manchester, has failed for £80,000.

LONDON, May 7.—The *Daily News'* correspondent at Capetown, under date of the 22d of April, writes that he has reason to believe that Lord Chelmsford will ask for another complete infantry brigade from home, and that operations await its arrival. This would entail another campaign. Meanwhile, the frontier lies uncovered. Not a single company is available as reserve. Because of the weakness of the horses, cavalry marches have been reduced to seven miles a day.

Another correspondent telegraphs that reports of the interviews between the Boers and Sir Bartle Frere are unsatisfactory.

The foregoing is in conflict with the general tener of the intelligence from the Cape. The *Daily News*, it should be remembered, is bitterly opposed to Frere and Chelmsford.

France.

PARIS, May 6.—It is said that M. Lapere, Minister of the Interior, is preparing a bill to abolish nearly all the penalties for press offences. It will, however, maintain severe pnnishments for defamation of character.

Germany.

BERLIN, May 6.—The Committee on Standing Orders of the Reichstag has resolved to move for authorization to prosecute the Socialist Deputy, Herr Hasselmann.

"Not in my Line, Socially."

Sport levels rank—for the time being. Devotees of the turf will "talk horse" with anyone at a race, however particular they may be about their associates in everyday life. But they miss it sometimes. Not long since a well-known Boston minister and editor, famed quite as much for his love of horses and out-door sports as for "mildness, peace, and prayer," was trying one of his pet nags on the Brighton road, when a gentleman came along with his pet nag, evidently ready for a "brush." He got all he wanted—the minister disappeared in a cloud of dust. Next day the two chanced to meet in the street. "How are you?" said the horse-loving divine, heartily. "You have the advantage of me, sir," answered the other. "You can't have forgotten that little race we had yesterday," continued the minister. "No, of course not; but a 'brush' on the road is one thing, and subsequent acquaintance quite another. You must excuse me; horse-trainers are not in my line, socially," and he bowed, as if to close the interview. "You'll at least take my card," said the clergyman, who had to pucker his mouth to keep from laughing. His lofty highness condescended to take the paste board, and—come down.

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Strawberry Cultivation.

A correspondent of the *Country Gentleman* gives the following information in regard to setting out and cultivating strawberry plants:

For the last twelve years I have cultivated strawberries for market in a small way, usually from one to two acres, and my experience agrees with that of cultivators generally, in the Northern States, that the best time to set them is as soon as the ground will do to work in the spring; say the last of April or the first of May. My way has usually been to set the plants two feet in the row, and the rows three feet apart, using only strong, well-rooted plants, and to cultivate and hoe often, generally six times, the first season. I do not clip the runners, only in places where they are likely to become too thick, but let them make all the plants they will, so as to insure a large crop (sometimes a full one) the second season. If they are thoroughly cultivated and kept clean the first season, they will need no cultivation the second season until after the fruit is gathered. Then a plow instead of a cultivator (as the space between the rows has become narrower) is run through, and they are hoed the same as before, usually three times, after which they receive no cultivation.

The beds are always covered about an inch deep during winter with old hay and straw, which is put on late in the fall, and when the ground is frozen hard enough to hold a team and load. The covering is taken off some time in April, usually about the middle, unless it is desirable to delay the ripening of the fruit, when it is left on until May 1st. Protection during winter in this latitude is very essential; it usually makes half difference and sometimes saves the entire crop. Strawberries cultivated in this way on good strong soil will yield from 100 to 125 bushels per acre in favorable seasons for the first crop, and about 75 bushels for the second crop, after which the beds are turned under. My soil is a heavy loam, strong, and has natural drainage. Almost any good corn land will grow strawberries, if it is only *rich*. My beds are made on land that will grow 100 bushels of corn to the acre, and usually follow corn or potatoes. The large corn roots and stalks are always cleared from the land, as they are a hindrance to thorough cultivation. I use ordinary barn-yard manure; prefer to have it well rotted, but do not always have it so. I sometimes scatter wood ashes over the beds in spring, at the rate of 15 or 20 bushels to the acre.

A Good Sermon to a Small Audience.

A good story is told of Lyman Beecher that is worth recording, as illustrating the truth that we can never tell what may result from an apparently insignificant action. The Doctor once engaged to preach for a country minister, on exchange, and the Sabbath proved to be excessively stormy, cold and uncomfortable. It was in midwinter, and the snow was piled up in heaps all along the road, so as to make the passage very difficult. Still the minister urged his horse through the drifts till he reached the church, put the animal into a shed, and went in. As yet there was nobody in the church. After looking about, the old gentleman, then young, took his seat in the pulpit. Soon the door opened, and a single person walked up the aisle, looked about and took a seat. The hour came for cammencing the service, but no more hearers. Whether to preach to such an audience or not was now the question; and it was one that Lyman Beecher was not long in deciding. He felt that he had a duty to perform, and he had no right to refuse to do it, because only one man could reap the benefit of it; and accordingly he went through all the services—praying, singing, preaching and the benediction—with only one hearer. And when all was over he hastened down from the desk to speak to his "congregation" but he had departed.

A circumstance so rare was referred to occasionally, but twenty years after it was brought to the Doctor's mind quite strangely. Traveling somewhere in Ohio, the Doctor alighted from the stage, in a pleasant village, when a gentleman stepped up to him, familiarly calling him by name.

"I do not remember you," said the Doctor.

"I suppose not," said the stranger, "but we once spent two hours together in a house alone, in a storm."

"I do not recall it, sir," added the old man; "pray, when was it?"

"Do you remember preaching twenty years ago, in such a place to a single person?"

"Yes, sir," said the doctor, grasping his hand, "I do indeed; and if you are the man I have been wishing to see you ever since."

"I am the man, sir; and that sermon saved my soul, made a minister of me, and yonder is my church. The converts of that sermon, sir, are all over Ohio."

—Rev. Mr. ——— had traveled far to preach to a congregation at ——. After the sermon he waited very patiently, evidently expecting some of his brethren to invite him to dinner. In this he was disappointed. One after another departed, until the house was almost as empty as the minister's stomach. Summoning resolution, however, he walked up to an elderly-looking gentleman, and gravely said: "Will you go home to dinner with me, to-day, brother?"

"Where do you live?"

"About twenty miles from this, sir."

"No," said the man, coloring; "but you must go with me."

"Thank you—I will cheerfully."

After that time the minister was no more troubled about his dinner.

DAILY TIMES.

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1879.

OUR older readers well remember Jenny Lind's visit to the United States. How she sang as no mortal under an American sky ever sang either before or since. And how the people came in troops to hear her, making long journeys, and paying fabulous prices for those little pieces of pasteboard which were to admit them to her presence. Those same readers remember also how afterward Jenny Lind married, and in the very height of her popularity retired forever from public notice. It may interest them, as well as others, to know that now, as Madame Goldschmidt, Jenny Lind is living quietly in London. The angelic face of yore is pale and careworn; those once golden tresses, now threaded thick with gray, are gathered under a queer-looking cap, and in her many odd ways Jenny is said to afford another illustration that genius is eccentric. Saddest of all, scarcely a trace remains of that marvellous voice which has made her name immortal.

THE die is cast—the Rubicon has been crossed. With the immortal words supposedly upon their lips, "Sink or swim, live or die, survive or perish," the managers of the Delaware County Agricultural and Industrial Society have located the location of the locality where their annual exhibition is to be held. We are sorry and we are glad. Sorry because the selection causes bad feeling among those who ought to be in perfect harmony. Glad because the selection will probably secure for the association the earnest support of men who are quite capable of taking entire care of it. We believe the choice to be a mistake, and shall so think until results demonstrate the contrary. But we nevertheless earnestly desire that this choice may not prove a mistake. If the south and the north ends of the county will now bury the hatchet, smoke the calumet, shake hands, combine their purses and their wisdom and their efforts, then, despite obstacles, the association will flourish.

A FEW years ago when the manufacture and use of chemical manures was becoming popular it used to be jocosely said that a man could carry in his vest pocket all the fertilizer required for a ten acre lot. Since then the adulteration of these fertilizers has been so largely practiced that, in some cases, wagon loads of them would produce no effect. It is in view of these facts that some of the States have passed stringent laws, requiring that every package of such fertilizers should be plainly stamped with the name of its constituents and their proportions. Then, should a purchaser think he has been imposed on as to quality, he can readily refer to a chemist and ascertain the fact. These laws are eminently just in their purpose. The farmer's lot is one of hard work and too often of poor pay, and every possible safeguard should be thrown around his interests. Above all, he should not be left to the mercy of men who would impose upon him if they could.

A FASHION more honored in the breach than the observance is that of giving distinguished names to children. Parents have, probably, a two-fold notion in doing this. One is to pay a deserved tribute to illustrious virtue. The other is to make their names a stimulus to their children to emulate those excellencies which confer honor and influence. But—as often happens—suppose that the children are not influenced by their names to do as those for whom they are named did. That the George Washingtons don't have a hatchet and speak the truth, nor the Benjamin Franklins become wise and prosperous; then their names are a burden and stigma from which they might well pray to be delivered. With such an abundance of good, plain, unpretentious names in the market, call your son by one of them. If he honors it, well. If he dishonors it, that is better than if he brought shame to a name of some one who was an ornament to his race and time.

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TIME TABLE.

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Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7. 7.30. 8, 8.40, 10.30-a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9 38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.40, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 8, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 7, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Cool, this morning.

That spring suit is nobby.

Spring chickens are scarce.

Put your rockeries in order.

Sailor straw hats are all the rage with the youngsters.

It will soon be time to lay in your next winter's coal.

Apples are getting scarce and dear, and potatoes ditto.

The travel to the seaside increases as the days get warmer.

If blossoms are reliable, fruit will be abundant this season.

"Hop over my hat" is a new game with the Chester youngsters.

Mr. Copple understands the art of raising early vegetables to perfection.

Oh, dear! when shall we bid a long, last farewell to fires and overcoats?

The spectabilis is in bloom. It is one of the earliest and prettiest of flowers.

The steamer Illinois passed down the river this morning, bound for Liverpool.

The Cooper case is still the topic of conversation, and some bad blood has been engendered.

The Chester birds are a musical race. Some of them sing as sweetly through the night as in the morning.

Ten cents is a good deal to pay for a glass of soda water, when the principal ingredients are wind and water.

The entertainment for the benefit of the poor at Holly Tree Hall to-morrow evening, will be worth attending.

Our boys are restocking their aquariums with tadpoles, shiners and catties, which they seine up from the meadow ditches.

The boys were swimming yesterday in the Schuylkill. We hope our Chester boys will postpone their aquatic sports for at least a month.

The appointment of Dr. C. C. V. Crawford as quarantine master settles the contest, and puts the other applicants somewhat at rest. Something they haven't had for two or three months.

The total exports of cheese from this country to Great Britain for the year 1878 amounted to 110,000,000 pounds, valued at $13,000,000, while butter to the amount of $14,000,000 was exported.

Every township in the county should possess a road scraper. They keep the country roads in excellent condition, and are very generally used in the Eastern States, where the roads are in much better condition than with us.

Mr. Herford Cooper, living in Nether Providence, has a calf that at birth weighed 105 pounds. At four weeks old he weighs 190 pounds, having made the enormous gain of 21¼ pounds per week. This is the heaviest calf we have heard of. Mr. Cooper proposes to raise him.

The managers of the Punch and Judy tea party met last night to settle up their affairs. A nice little sum was the result of their efforts. This tea party was entirely the contribution of Miss Hard's Bible Class towards removing the floating debt of the Association, and they deserve much credit.

The public sale of the building lots and houses of the estate of the late William Booth is one of the most desirable that has taken place in this city for a great number of years. The property is all situated in the most rapidly improving parts of the city, and cannot fail to be a good investment. It takes place next Saturday afternoon. Read the advertisement.

QUARANTINE MASTER APPOINTED.—Dr. C. C. V. Crawford, of Village Green, this county, was appointed Quarantine Master at Lazaretto and confirmed by the Senate yesterday. The selection is a good one, as we believe the doctor will make a good, faithful officer. The position pays about $2,000 per year, for about four months' services. Mr. E. C. Smith, street commissioner of this city, was a formidable applicant for the place.

NEW BUILDING.—Mr. Joel Lane has commenced the erection of a brick house on Kerlin street above Third, in the south ward.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

The Cooper case was resumed yesterday morning.

William McCay, liquor dealer at Fourth and Market streets, testified that he had sold liquor to Mr. Cooper; sold him liquor and blackberry wine, which is bought and sold as wine, but is brandy; I buy them in Philadelphia, as sherry, port and blackberry wine, and they are so labeled; suppose from the price paid that they are domestic wines.

At this point in the case, by order of the Court, a subpœna was issued for John C. Williams, wholesale liquor dealer, of Chester, to again appear and bring his books and a sample of the blackberry wine which he stated yesterday that he had sold to Cooper. The subpœna was given to Constable Hoopes, of Media, who repaired to Chester in company with Mr. Thompson. After some time they returned and testified that after going to Mr. Williams' store they were informed that Mr. W. had just left for Mr. Gwynne's, and upon going there they were informed that he had left about five minutes before; they went to the place directed by Mr. Gwynne, and were told he had just left; they then returned to the store, and were informed that Mr. Williams had gone to Philadelphia. Mr. Hoopes stated that at the time they first went there Mr. Cooper was in Williams' store.

Harrison Cooper sworn—I went to see Mr. Williams to get my receipts; didn't tell Williams there was a subpœna for him.

Judge Clayton stated that there was sufficient evidence to justify him in revoking the license, but that he would give Mr. Cooper the choice of this or otherwise to enter bail in $800 for his appearance at the June term of Court, and stand a jury trial. After consultation, his counsel, Mr. Dickinson, announced that they would prefer that the license should be cancelled, with the understanding that no further proceedings should be taken in the matter, and that a proportion of the license fee, which had been paid for the entire year, should be returned. The county to pay costs.

District attorney for the Rule, W. H. Dickinson for defendant.

The following miscellaneous business was disposed of at the present term of Argument Court since the commencement of the session, on Monday morning:

Dearborn & Co. vs. Robert S. Bentley.—Motion for new trial. This case was tried at the March term, and resulted in a verdict for plaintiffs for goods furnished to his son, Geo. Bentley, who kept a music store in Chester. The plaintiffs allege that Robert agreed to be responsible for goods furnished after a certain date, while the defendant denies all liability for his son's debts. The new trial was asked for upon the ground of evidence discovered since the trial. The Judge refused to grant it.

Estate of Chittick Vernon, M. D., dec'd.—In 1875 Mr. Vernon was declared a lunatic, and J. V. McGeoghegan, Esq., was appointed committee. At the time of Mr. Vernon's death, in 1877, there was a fund in the hands of the committee; there were debts due by the lunatic, and the question in this case was whether the debts of the decedent should be first paid by the committee, and the balance, if any, paid to the administrator for the purpose of paying funeral expenses. The Judge decided that the administrator was entitled to the fund after paying the auditor's fee.

Joseph A. Hunter vs. Reading R. R. At the March term Mrs. Hunter brought an action against the Rail Road Company for injuries sustained by him while coupling cars on the Front street division of the road. It appeared upon the trial that the negligence, if any, was caused by a co-employee, and therefore the company is not liable. The Judge had directed a non suit, and the present notice was to take off the non suit and let the question go to jury. Motion refused.

Mrs. O. F. Bullard vs. Second Media B. A. This was an application to the Court for a jury trial to try the validity of a certain mortgage given by Mrs. Bullerd to the association, there being no sufficient consideration for the execution of the mortgage, which she alleges was given by her upon condition that her husband would not be prosecuted for the deficiency in his accounts as an officer of the association. The association admits that no such an arrangement was made by them, that as a matter of fact it did not prosecute, that whatever was done was outside of the association, and that they had no control over others. The Judge took this view and refused to grant the trial.

Grubb vs. Serrill.—Rule on plaintiff's attorney to fill power of attorney. The question in this case was whether an attorney-at-law is required to file his warrant of attorney under seal. The Judge decided that while it was the better practice to do so, yet a judgment taken without objection would be sustained even upon verbal authority.

Estate of Anna M. Baker.—Exceptions to auditor's report. One of the exceptions was sustained and the report referred back to distribute accordingly.

St. Michael's Beneficial Society vs. Ellen Brennan.—New trial refused,

Bickley vs. City of Chester.—Motion for a new trial. In March the jury gave Mr. Bickley a verdict of $200 damages for opening Ninth street through his property; his claim, being for a much larger sum, he asked for a new trial, which the Court refused.

Thornbury School District vs. Pyle and others, School Directors in 1876. Upon a trial of this case a verdict had been given for the defendants, and the only question was who should pay costs and counsel fees. The Judge placed them upon the District.

Bonsall vs. Andrews.—Rule to strike off mechanic's lien, upon the ground that it was not sufficiently definite in stating where the work was done and materials furnished as required by law. Rule absolute.

Estate of J. J. Rowland.—Exceptions to the report of auditor. It appears that before the incorporation of the Media Building Association, Mr. Rowland borrowed money, for which he gave a mortgage to H. Jones Brooke, trustee for the Association, which was then in process of incorporation. Sometime ago Mr. Rowland made an assignment for the benefit of creditors, and one of the assignees takes the ground that the payment of a bonus, before the Association was actually incorporated, was usurious and cannot be collected by it. Referred back to distribute according to this decree.

Petition of Thomas Gaynor to withdraw the application made by him some time ago for a transfer to him of the license of W. B. Evans. Granted.

The Sheriff acknowledged deeds to the following persons:

W. B. Broomall, Chas. Horne; Timothy Whealan, trustee; Shaw, Esrey & Co., (limited) J. Gibson McIlvaine, Alfred Tyson, Hugh Shaw, Wm. H. Kerns, Lydia M. Causler, Chalkley Harvey, W. V. Black, Mary Edwards Beale, John M. Broomall and Mary Ann Regester, Zook & Fairlamb *et al.*

Judgment for plaintiff upon point reserved.

Assigned estate of Chas. J. Esrey. Report of Auditor filed and confirmed.

Estate of H. J. Lombaert, a lunatic. Return of sale filed and confirmed.

Petition for amendment of Mt. Pleasant M. E. Church presented, and publication of notice ordered.

Register vs. Muir & Schureman.—George B. Lindsay appointed Auditor.

Assigned estate of B. F. McVey. John Hibberd, Esq., appointed Auditor.

Assigned estate of John J. Rowland.

Amended report of H. G. Ashmead, Esq., filed and confirmed.

Assigned estate of George Paschall and wife. Jesse Brooks and Wm. Rhodes were appointed appraisers.

Huddleson et al. vs. Supervisors of Thornbury, bill in equity—Injunction dissolved without prejudice to plaintiffs' right to proceed with the suit to final hearing and decree. Upon bond being given plaintiff has leave to amend.

Assigned estate of Wm. Eves, Jr.—return of sale filed and confirmed.

Building Association vs. John Quinn—Auditor's report filed.

Assigned Estate of John H. Stroud & Co.—Auditor's report filed. Decree of distribution made.

Sharpless vs. Frick—Auditors' report filed and confirmed. Decree of distribution filed.

Lewis vs. Lewis, divorce, subpoena to be issued.

Assigned estate of B. F. McVey, account of Levi G. James, Assignee, confirmed.

Wood to the use of Dryfoss vs. Wunderlick. Rule to show cause why money collected should not be paid over.

Application of Peter Morton, Aston, for restaurant license, which had been held over from the regular day on account of informality in the application, was granted.

Commonwealth vs. Cliniff boys.—Defendants are from Chester and have been in jail upon the charge of petty larceny in Chester. The Judge directed that they be taken before a Justice of the Peace, and if sufficient evidence be presented that these boys are vagrants they shall be taken to the Alms House to be bound out by the Directors of the Poor.

ORPHANS' COURT.

The following accounts were confirmed:

Account of George H. Huddell, Jr., guardian of Marian Woodward, a minor.

Estate of Annie M. Baker, deceased.—Exception sustained and report referred back to Auditor.

Estate of Chittick Verner, deceased.—Report recommitted to Auditor to restate the report in accordance with the views expressed by the court. Exceptions to Auditor's fee dismissed.

Estate of Mary B. Pemberton, deceased.—Refunding bond. Edward L. Pearson, et. al., to Alice A. Pearson, administratrix of decedent, filed.

Estate of Ann Sellers, deceased.—Returns to order for private sale of real estate filed and confirmed,

Estate of Thomas Hecker, deceased.—Application filed. H. G. Ashmead, Esq., appointed Auditor.

Estate of Robert Buggy, deceased.—Report of Wm. H. Dickinson, Esq., Auditor.

Estate of James S. Tyson, deceased.—Widow's inventory and petition for approval filed. To be advertised in *Record*.

Estate of Andrew S. Buchanan, deceased.—Return of order to mortgage filed and confirmed.

Estate of Robert Adams, deceased.—Petition for order of sale of real estate filed. Order granted. Bond, $100. John B. Holland and Wm. Quinn Trustees.

On petition, R. Crosby Fairlamb was appointed guardian of Samuel A. and John H. B. Williamson minors, over 14 years of age, and also of Mary A. and Sallie E. Williamson, minors, under the age of 14 years, children of Gideon Williamson, deceased. Bond in the sum of $4000. Elias Baker and Lewis Smith Williamson sureties.

Estate of Elizabeth Kerlin, deceased.—Petition for Commissioners to divide and value real estate.—Filed, order granted, and B. F. Baker, Frederick J. Hinkson and H. L. Donaldson appointed.

Estate of William Cobourn, dec'd.—Petition for permission to bid at sale filed and prayer of petitioner granted.

Estate of Jonathan Kershaw, dec'd.—Widow's inventory and petition filed. Advertisement in *Record*.

Estate of Thomas D. Johnson, dec'd.—Widow's inventory and petition filed. Advertisement in *Record*.

Estate of Duncan Williamson, dec'd.—Return to order of sale filed and confirmed *nisi*.

Estate of Thomas Hicken, dec'd.—Account filed and order to auditor withheld for the present.

Estate of Reese Perkins, dec'd.—Petition for order of sale of real estate filed. Order granted. Bond $6000.

Estate of Duncan Williamson, de'd.—Exceptions to confirmation of sale filed.

PERSONAL.—In the Montreal *Herald* of last week, we notice that a complimentary concert was given to Dr. W. H. Burland, brother of Dr. S. C. Burland, of our city, upon his retiring from the position of House Surgeon of the general hospital of that place, which position he has held for five years. A very handsome piece of plate appropriately inscribed, was presented to him. Dr. Burland, of this city, was connected with the same institution prior to his coming here.

Mr. Walter E. Hall, editor and proprietor of the West Chester *Republican*, was in this city yesterday afternoon, and made a short call at this office. We are glad to have met brother Hall.

The condition of Nathan Garrett, State Representative, is somewhat improved today.

Misses Annie and Kate McKendrick, who left here last week for Sacramento, Cal., arrived safely at Omaha, on the 3d of May, in good health and spirits. This will be good news to their many friends in this city.

TEN DOLLAR CERTIFICATES.—Postmaster Martin filed a bond of $5000 at headquarters in Washington yesterday for the 4 per cent certificates, the new Government loan that has become so popular all over the country, because it is in ten dollar denominations and within the reach of everybody. In a day or two Mr. Martin will have $5000 worth of these pretty little bonds for sale at the Post-Office, and our citizens will then have an opportunity to invest in Government securities. In selling these bonds the percentage, one eighth of one per cent, does not near repay for the trouble, but with that obliging spirit that has ever characterized the man, Mr. Martin procured signers to his new bonds, and sent for the certificates, so that the citizens of Chester could put a ten dollar note in as good security as ever was made, as well as the richer could invest in larger bonds at very little higher rate of interest. These certificates have sold very rapidly in cities around us, and it is probable that they will here.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—The second class cadets, composed of the following Nos. 26, 34, 111, 3, 67, 27, 51, 54, 61, will play the Fourth class, whose Nos. are 21, 4, 46, 22, 13, 30, 25, 43, 35, a game of ball. The class that wins will play the Regulation nine.

The cadets have received an invitation to visit Washington on Decoration Day. If they go Cadet Bailey's father will dispense the hospitalities.

Cadet Cox was initiating the other cadets into the mysteries of the bicycle yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Kitts is determined to become proficient as a bicycle rider. He is often practicing. This will add another to his many accomplishments.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—Charles Williams, an old man living on Third street, near Fulton, South ward, attempted to commit suicide last evening while laboring under a fit of temporary insanity. He dug a hole in the back yard, filled it with water and then got down on his hands and knees and stuck his head under the water. In this position he was found by members of the family. He would have drowned himself in this way had he not been seen just when he was.

LODGERS.—Last night there were eight lodgers in the station house. As the weather becomes warmer the number diminishes.

CONCERT AT THE LEIPERVILLE CHAPEL.—The people of Leiperville and vicinity enjoyed a rich treat last evening in the shape of a concert, conducted by Mr. F. James, of Chester. The affair was pleasant from beginning to end. The house was well filled, as was also "the bill." Space forbids our speaking of each performer separately. Each and all executed their parts well. Mr. Lowry's solo, "Man the Life Boat," and Miss Norton's recitation, "Reveries in Church," were especially well received by the audience.

The thanks of the Leiperville Mission are justly due to Mr. James, and those who assisted him, for their generous efforts in behalf of the mission, and for the unusually fine entertainment furnished.

COMMENCEMENT AT THE P. M. A.—The programme for the commencement season of 1879 at the Pennsylvania Military Academy has been arranged, and is as follows:

Sunday morning, June 8th, Baccalaureate Address. Tuesday evening, June 10th, Annual Address, Hon. Geo. W. McCrary, Secretary of War. Wednesday morning, June 11th, Commencement Literary Exercises.

The annual meeting of the Alumni Association will be held in the parlors of the Colonnade Hotel, of Philadelphia, corner of Fifteenth and Chestnut streets, on Wednesday evening. Hour of meeting, 7.45 o'clock; Address by C. K. Kloman, C. E., 8.15; Collation, 8.45.

GRAND CONCERT.—The music loving citizens of Chester are to have a grand treat on the twentieth of this month. The occasion is the Masonic Concert. It will be under the direction of Mr. E. B. Spencer, of Philadelphia, assisted by his Masonic quartet, Messrs. Wm. A. Briscoe, Jno. Graff, George Roden and George Ford, with Madam Everest, soprano, Miss Mary S. Johnstone, prima donna, and the "Josephine," of the Children's Pinafore Company. Messrs. Charles D. Pennell, Wm. J. Sharpless, Thomas Lees, Robert E. Ross and Robert Chadwick, Committee of Arrangements.

DECORATION DAY.—As matters now stand, it looks as if the festivities of the approaching Decoration Day would surpass anything ever before attempted in this city. A meeting of the committee of Post Wilde was held last evening, and reports were very favorable. Besides the City Council, the Hanley Hose, and about 2000 Sunday school children, who have signified their intention of participating, the different lodges of Red Men have decided to turn out, and there are yet other organizations that will take part.

YOU CANNOT ALWAYS TELL.—Since the Cooper case has come to a close for the present, not unfrequently do we hear those who were at court as witnesses say, "Well, if that person had squealed on me, or had the other one given me away on the stand, I would have had the District Attorney recall me, and the tale I would have told would have taken Mary Ann's license from her before sunrise the next morning." But then, there was no squealing, and one cannot always tell how the cat is going to jump.

BOOTH'S SALE.—Booth's sale of Real Estate, which takes place on the 10th, embraces much properth that is more valuable and better situated than any that has been offered at public sale in Chester for a long time. Some of the property is improved and will make nice homes, while some of it will make desirable building lots in a fast improving part of the city, and always worth the money paid for them. The sale will be positive, and it should be largely attended. See the advertisement and handbills.

CONCLUDED TO TURN OUT.—At a meeting of the Franklin Fire Company held last night, it was decided to turn out on Decoration Day, per invitation from Post Wilde, to participate in the exercises. It was agreed to procure a band of music. The display to be made by this company in the line of procession will be imposing. Mr. Edward Kershaw was appointed Chief Marshal, and Alexander Phillips and Charles Sykes assistants.

A LOST CHILD.—This morning, while J. Crystal, the milkman, was in the vicinity of Second and Welsh streets, some of the citizens called his attention to a little girl who was lost. She gave her name as Bessie Payne, said she was three years old but could not tell where she lived. Mr. Crystal put her in his wagon and took her to the office of the Chief of Police, where her parents can get her.

SALE OF BUILDING ASSOCIATION STOCK.—This morning, at ten o'clock, Mr. B. F. Baker, auctioneer, sold at Market Square 8½ shares of the capital stock of the Enterprise Building Association, the estate of John McAlevey, deceased. The stock was struck off to Wm. P. Broomall at $325, subject to a loan of $1,700. The sale was largely attended.

JOURNALISTIC.—We are in receipt of the *Chester Academy Record*, published at regular intervals by Prof. Gilbert, in the interest of Chester Academy, an institution of learning, located at Broad and Potter streets, of which Chester can justly be proud. It is tastefully gotten up and speaks well for the institution.

COMMITTEE ON THE WHOLE.—At the adjournment of the City Council on Monday evening it was decided that the members should meet in Council Chamber on Monday evening as a Committee of the Whole, to discuss the matter of appropriations to the different departments for the ensuing year.

FOR THE POOR.—The entertainment to be given in Holly Tree Hall, to-morrow evening, by the members of the Students' Union, for the benefit of the Ladies' Union Benevolent Society, should receive the hearty support of our citizens, for the object is a most commendable one.

TRYING THE ENGINES.—Steam was gotten up on the government monitor Miantonomah, at Roachs', yesterday, and the engines run a short time. It is proposed to fire up her boilers to-day and run the engines for six days for trial. The vessel is nearing completion.

SODDING THEIR GROUND.—The cricket club are having their play-ground leveled up and nicely sodded, so that it will be in good condition for the match to come off on the 17th inst.

AT ROACH'S.—The first frame of ship 189 was raised yesterday, and all the keel of 190, the Cromwell ship, has been laid.

Additional Locals on Fourth Page.

PRUDENT people always have Dr. Bull's Baltimore Pills convenient. They often take the place of a doctor, and cost only 25 cents. For sale everywhere.

NEW STORE, NEW GOODS, low prices and better bargains. Come and see the stock and prices.

At N. F. MOYER'S,
ap18-tf 723 Edgmont avenue.

EVERYBODY goes to the Original Boston 99c. Store, 45 North Eighth street, Philadelphia. Beautiful tables, 99c.; Rogers & Bro.'s spoons and forks, 99c. a set; steel knives and forks, leather bags, trunks, lamps, and a store filled with useful articles. Nothing over 99c. a9-d&w-3m

Frivolous Counsel.

The idle talk of unscientific people who know nothing of the invisible action of medicine, should not be heeded by those who have kidney or liver troubles. One package of Kidney-Wort is then the reasonable thing to have. Your druggist has it.

CHEW Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

MARRIED.

RHODES—BROWN.—On the 3d inst., at the parsonage of the Salem M. E. church, Philadelphia, by the Rev. Joseph Welch, John S. Rhodes, of Chester, Pa., to Mrs. Annie M. Brown, daughter of the late R. D. Hicks, Esq., of Wilmington, Del.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY OF PLEASing address to engage in a light canvassing business. Profits large. Address, Box 254, Chester P. O. my7-1t

NEW SERIES OF STOCK.

The Delaware County Building Association will, by order of the Board of Directors, issue its Tenth Series of Stock on the first Monday in June, 1879. The number of Shares will be limited to two hundred.

Persons desiring to subscribe for this Stock can leave their names with

WILLIAM DOLTON, President,
Third street, West of the Bridge,
Or, ORLANDO HARVEY, Sec.,
my7-eod-12t—w4t 506 Market street.

PUBLIC SALE OF THE CONTENTS OF a Grocery and Provision Store, No. 220 East Ninth street, city of Chester, on MONDAY, MAY 12th, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., consisting of sugars, teas, coffee, molasses, spices, hams and shoulders, pickels, pork, vinegar, flour, soap and candles, brushes, brooms, crockery and other wares, refrigerator, in good order; oil tank, about five barrels of headlight oil, scales and weights, coffee mill, together with a variety of articles not enumerated.

The sale will positively commence at ten o'clock. Conditions, cash.

B. F. BAKER.
my7-4t Auctioneer.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF

Valuable Real Estate.

By virtue of the power under the will of William Booth, deceased, the undersigned will sell at public sale, on the premises, in the City of Chester, Delaware county, Pa., on SATURDAY, MAY 10, 1879, at 2 o'clock P. M., the following described properties:—

The Brick Mansion and Lot of Ground 68 by 140 feet, on the northeast corner of Broad and Madison streets. The dwelling contains 14 rooms, is well built and in good order.

Lot of Ground, 53 by 140 feet, on the north side of Broad street, east of Madison street.

Brick House and Lot of Ground, 19 by 140 feet, adjoining the above on the east.

Brick House and Lot of Ground, 16 by 140 feet, adjoining the last above on the east.

These houses each contain 7 rooms.

Lot of Ground, 126 feet 8 inches by 100 feet, on the east side of Madison street, above Broad street.

Two Brick Dwellings, of 7 rooms, each with lots, each 20 by 100 feet, on the east side of Madison street, above Broad street.

Lot of Ground, 36 by 100 feet, at the southeast corner of Tenth and Madison streets.

Lot of Ground, 81 feet 3 inches by 100 feet, on the south side of Tenth street, east of Madison street.

Lot of Ground, 102 feet 8 inches front, on the east side of a 10 feet wide alley opening into Tenth street.

Lot of Ground, at southwest corner of Broad and McIlvain streets, 85 feet 2 inches by 117 feet 8¼ inches to an alley.

Lot of Ground, on the north side of Green street, between Morton avenue and McIlvain streets, 78 by 105 feet to an alley.

The attention of purchasers of real estate is directed to the fact that these properties are situated in a closely built-up portion of the city, with all the improvements of gas, water, sewer, and all are curbed and paved streets. The lots on Broad street are the most desirable in the city for private residences, many thousand dollars having been expended on this street during the last three years in permanent improvements, while both Madison and Tenth streets, being thoroughfares, make the lots fronting on them desirable either for business or residences.

The sale will be positive and the terms accommodating to purchasers, as a large portion of the purchase money may remain on mortgage.

Also at the same time and place, a two-story FRAME STABLE, 20 by 20 feet, with a frame addition 16 by 20 feet, will be sold, the purchaser to remove the same within thirty days.

The sale will begin upon the Madison street lots. The lots at Broad and McIlvain will be sold last.

For plan of lots see handbills. Persons desiring to examine the properties can do so by calling on GEO. M. BOOTH, Executor.

B. F. BAKER, Auctioneer. my7-3t

COMPLETED.— Mr. J. W. Barnes has finished putting new joists under the floor of Third street bridge, and a good piece of work he has made of it. The way he worked did not interfere with travel much, nor was he long about it.

APPROPRIATION PASSED.—An act making an appropriation to the Pennsylvania Training School at Media, for feeble minded children, reducing the amount from sixty-five to forty thousand dollars, was passed finally.

Not a Niece of Mr. Cooper.

CHESTER, May 7, 1879.

Mr. Editor:—I notice in the columns of yesterday's issue, in the Court proceedings, that Mrs. Cooper and one Annie Walker, testify, that she, Annie Walker is a niece of Mr. Cooper, and the daughter of Mr. Harrison Cooper's sister, whom she says died in 1878. Now, as brother of Mr. Harrison Cooper, I wish to brand all the foregoing as a malicious falsehood, and that she is no relative of ours, whatever, to the best of my knowledge.

WILLIAM H. COOPER,
408 East Seventh Street.

Incorrect Testimony.

MR. EDITOR:—The testimony of Isaiah Mirkel on the Cooper case in Court on Monday, in regard to my telling him that I got liquor at Cooper's, is incorrect. I never got any liquor at the house, and if I had I should have prosecuted and gotten my bill, or would have endeavored to have the license revoked. The testimony I gave in Court was correct. Nothing more or less.

GEO. HALL.

Advice to a New Choir-Singer.

DEAR MISS—This is an important epock into your life. The 1st thing to make a good quire singer is to giggle a little.

Put up your hair in cirl papers every Friday nite soze to have it in good shape Sunday morning. If your daddy is rich you can buy some store hair. If he is very rich buy some more and build it up high onto your head; then git a high-priced bunnet that runs up very high, at the high part of it, and git the milliner to plant some high grown artafishels onto the highest part of it. This will help you sing high, as soprahno is the highest part.

When the tune is giv out don't pay attention to it, and then giggle. Giggle a good eel.

Whisper to the girl next you that Em Jones, which sets on the 2d seet from the front on the left-hand side, has her bunnet with the same color exact she had last year, and then put up your book to your face and g'ggle.

Object to every tune unless there is a solow into it for the soprahno. Coff and ham a good eel before you begin to sing.

When you sing a solow shake the artafishels off your bunnit, and when you come to a high tone brace yourself back a little, twist your head to one side and open your mouth the widest on that side, shet the eye on the same side, jest a triphle, and then put in for dear life.

When the preacher gits under hed way with his preachin, write a note onto the blank leaf into the fourth part of your notebook. That's what the blank leaf was made for: Git sumbody to pass the note to sumbody else, and you watch them while they read it, and then giggle.

If anybody talks or laffs in the congregashun and the preacher takes notis of it, that's a good chants for you to giggle, and you ought to giggle a great eel. The preacher darsent say anything to you bekaus you are in the quire, and he can't run the meetin'-house at both ends without the quire. If you had a bow before you went into the quire—you ought to have sumbody better now.

Don't forget to giggle.—*Josh Billings.*

Neglect of Rest a Cause of Drunkenness.

In the opinion of Dr. Jackson, "the refusal to take proper physical rest, when tired from labor, is one of the most important and powerful in inducing a love for and an indulgence in the use of ardent spirits. Men work till they get so tired that they cannot wait to feel sensibly rested by processes of change going on in their systems from suspension of labor. They either want to work more hours than they are able to do; or when they have done as much as they feel themselves at liberty to do, they are so tired that they cannot rest. They get rest, therefore, in artificial ways, by resorting to eating and drinking. Some get rested by drinking tea, others by drinking coffee, others by chewing and smoking tobacco; but the great majority of tired people in this country—and the larger share of our people are tired—drink ardent spirits in some or other of its forms or preparations. They fall back on stimulants instead of the intrinsic vitalities of their bodies. They therefore are lifted up into false conditions. Accepting these as true, they keep on working till they become so functionally impaired as to induce positive inability to work longer, or they become so constitutionally depreciated as to be smitten with incurable disease."

There can be no doubt that the neglect of physical rest is, as Dr. Jackson asserts, the occasion of much over-frequent resorting to alcoholic or other stimulants; but it is not by any means apparent that too-long continued work is the only or the main cause of the deficient rest which results so disastrously. Whether workers or not, those who stimulate too much do so not because they have no opportunity to rest, but because they spend in dissipation the hours they should and could devote to sleep.—*Sci. American.*

—One afternoon, while a tight-rope walker was going through his performance, a boy about twelve years old turned to an acquaintance of the same age, and remarked, "Tom, don't you wish you could do that?" "Yes, I do," sadly replied Tom; "but my folks make me go to school, and are determined that I sha'n't never be anybody."

How a Toad Undresses.

A gentleman sends to an agricultural paper an amusing description of "How a Toad Takes off His Coat and Pants." He says he has seen one do it, and a friend has seen another do the same thing in the same way. His account is:

"About the middle of July I found a toad on a hill of melons, and not wanting him to leave, I hoed around him. He appeared sluggish and not inclined to move. Presently I observed him pressing his elbows against his sides and rubbing downward. It appeared so singular that I watched to see what he was up to. After a few smart rubs his skin began to burst open straight along his back. Now, said I, old fellow, you have done it; but he appeared to be unconcerned, and kept on rubbing until he had worked all his skin into folds on his sides and hips; then, grasping one hind leg with both his hands, he hauled off one leg of his pants the same as anybody would, then stripped the other hind leg in the same way. He then took his cast-off cuticle forward between his fore legs into his mouth and swallowed it; then by raising and lowering his head, swallowing as his head came down, he stripped off the skin underneath until it came to his fore legs, and then grasping one of these with the opposite hand, by considerable pulling, stripped off the skin; changing hands, he stripped the other, and by a slight motion of the head, and all the while swallowing, he he drew it from the neck and swallowed the whole. The operation seemed an agreeable one and occupied but a short time."

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—The Emperor of Brazil takes constant interest in scientific, artistic, and literary matters in other countries. When any notable work appears he asks for a copy, compensating the donors in return with jewels, etc. In this way he has secured a large collection of books and pictures.

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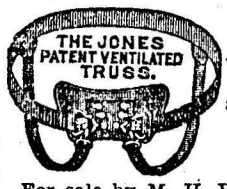
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NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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CHANGE OF HOURS.

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Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m.. and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA, WILMINGTON AND BALTIMORE RAILROAD.

TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Sunday, Nov. 10th, 1878

TRAINS FROM PHILADELPHIA will leave depot, corner of Broad street and Washington avenue, as follows, for

CHESTER, 7, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 10.30, a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

WILMINGTON, 7.30, 8.00, 10.30, 11.45 a. m. 3, 4, 5.15, 6, 6.15, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Trains for Delaware Division and all connections at 8.00, 11.45 a. m.

New Castle, 8, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

Harrington and Way Stations, 8.00, 11.45 a. m., 5.15 p. m.

For Fortress Monroe and Norfolk, 4 p. m.

Trains for Philadelphia, will leave Baltimore (Charles street,) as follows: 10.52* (Limited Express,) a. m., 12.00* p. m.

Baltimore, 6.50, 10,* a. m., 3,* 7,* 11.10* p. m.

CHESTER, 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Trains from PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: For

WILMINGTON and Way Stations, 8.30 a. m., 6 and 9.45 p. m.

LAMOKIN and Way Stations, 1 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the principal stations, 7.30 a. m. and 11.30 p. m.

Trains for PHILADELPHIA will leave as follows: From

WILMINGTON, stopping at Way Stations, 8.10 a. m., 5, 6.30 p. m.

LAMOKIN, stopping at Way Stations, 5.00 p. m.

BALTIMORE, stopping at the Principal Stations, 3 and 7 p. m.

☞For time of trains for way stations, see posters and time tables at Ticket Offices, 700 and 838 Chestnut street, and at the Depot.

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Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday,.....11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
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Sunday Trains, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 8, 8.30 A. M., 4, and 7.35 P. M.

For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

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Express for New York, 7.00 and 8.35 A. M.

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Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.12 and 4.00 P. M.

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LATEST NEWS.

There arrived at New York during April 11,601 immigrants, against 8529 during April of last year.

It is believed in Washington that the President will sign the new bill to prevent military interference at the polls.

The Democratic State Central Committee met in Harrisburg yesterday, and decided to hold the State Convention in Harrisburg on July 16th.

In the National Conference at Nashville yesterday, a resolution was adopted denouncing a Tennessee railroad for having compelled Jubilee Singers to ride in a smoking car after they had paid first class fare. All the committees are expected to report to-day.

In the House, Mr. Chalmers called up his resolution for an investigation of his conduct at Fort Pillow, and made a statement. After some remarks by Messrs. Hawley and Garfield, the subject was laid on the table. The bill to carry out the Eight Hour law was considered. Pending debate on the Warner Coinage bill, the House adjourned.

The National Woman Suffrage Association met in St. Louis yesterday. There was a large attendance, including many veterans in the cause. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Stanton; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. S. A. Spencer, of Washington; Treasurer, Mrs. J. C. Spofford, of Washington.

In the U. S. Senate yesterday, the House bill increasing the number of apprentices in the navy was reported favorably. On motion of Mr. Ingalls, the President was requested to communicate information regarding the alleged invasion of part of the Indian Territory, and the action taken to prevent it. The House bill to prevent military interference with elections was read a second time.

On Tuesday night, a slight explosion of gas occurred in the Stanton Shaft of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company, at Wilkesbarre, severely burning Martin Kerrigan. An hour afterwards, while the men were "brushing out" accumulated gas in the lower vein, a terrific explosion occurred, seriously burning eight men, named William Smith, Lavi Gibbons, Sam. Lloyd, John A. Davis, Richard Froull, John Richards, David Morgan, and William Watkins. Smith and Davis died of their injuries last evening, and most of the others were in a precarious condition. The mine caught fire from the explosion and 600 feet of solid coal burned furiously, compelling the flooding of the mine.

The jury in the Cox case at Atlanta, after being out all night, came into Court at noon yesterday, to be recharged in full. They returned at a quarter before four o'clock with a verdict of guilty, and a recommendation that the prisoner be punished by imprisonment in the penitentiary for life. Cox received the verdict calmly, but his wife's emotion was heartrending. She attempted to throw herself out of the window, but being caught by her husband clung to him, shrieking loudly for some time. When she was pacified, the Judge sentenced Cox according to the recommendation of the jury. A stay of execution for twenty days was granted, counsel for defence giving notice of a motion for a new trial. The last Legislature of Georgia passed an act allowing juries to recommend imprisonment for life in all cases of murder, as they should see fit, and of this law, which was championed by Alston, Cox is the first to receive the benefit.

FOREIGN NOTES.

Hanlan, the oarsman, proposes to rest for a fortnight before commencing to practice for the match with Elliott.

A majority of the Durham coal miners are in favor of submitting the questions at issue to committees of conference.

Yakoob Khan is on his way to the British camp with an infantry escort. He was expected to arrive at the camp to-day.

The weather throughout England yesterday was unusually cold for the season. At London showers of hail and snow fell.

A Congress of German municipalities will shortly assemble in Berlin to protest against the imposition of duties on corn, cattle and provisions.

M. Leon Say, the French Minister of Finance, reports that receipts for the first four months of 1879 have exceeded the estimates by 30,000,000 francs.

At the request of the relatives, the funeral of the late Dr. Butt will be private. The remains will be interred in the family tomb at Siranorlar, county Donegal.

A St. Petersburg journal contradicts the statements published about the state of affairs in that city. It says that traffic is free and unimpeded, and the city lives and walks as heretofore, without unusual excitement.

In the House of Commons yesterday a bill was read a second time authorizing the establishment of volunteer regiments in Ireland. It originated with the Home Rule members, and will probably pass in a modified form.

A dispatch from Winnipeg, Manitoba, says that the strike on the Canada Pacific Railway continues, about 1000 men being engaged in it. No violence has occurred, but measures were taken to prevent a possible disturbance.

The race for the Chester Trades Cup came off yesterday at the Chester meeting, and brought out a field of ten starters. Mr. P. Lorillard's Parole was the favorite for this race, but failed to get a place, the winner being Lord Dufferin's Reefer, while Lord Roseberry's Tonchit came in second, and Ridalto third.

Advices from Panama give particulars of a naval encounter between Chilian and Peruvian war vessels, in which little damage was inflicted, the Chilian vessel being overmatched in metal, but escaping easily by superior speed. The loading apparatus of the Guano-Loading Company at Huanillos and elsewhere have been destroyed by the Chilian squadron.

In the House of Lords on Tuesday night the Prince of Wales presented a petition in favor of the bill legalizing marriage with a deceased wife's sister. The Prince and the Duke of Edinburgh favored and voted for the measure, but the government opposed it, and the second reading was defeated by a vote of 101 to 81. In the Commons a resolution was carried in favor of abolishing action for breach of promise of marriage, except in cases where actual pecuniary loss has been incurred.

THE SECRET OF THE WHITE CHEST.

It was just the house I wanted. In size and situation it suited me exactly, as the phrase goes, literally down to the ground. Facing Hyde Park, and placed back from the high road, with nothing in front of it but the broad high strip of garden belonging to the terrace in which it stood, and the open stretch of turf and trees, it was the very abode for a London season. Its rent, too, was extremely low, it was in sound repair. Drainage without a flaw, fixtures, furniture and decorations in the best taste; the owner only desired to let it occasionally, because he went away from town each spring. Why then did I hesitate to take it? Why did everybody hesitate to take it? For the last seven years and more it had never been let. All the house agents in West End had it in hand one after another. The terms had been reduced each season that it came into the market, and still there was no finding a tenant for it. Everybody who went over the house was charmed with it. The entrance being in the rear, all the best rooms had a delightful southern aspect; and going up from floor to floor on their first visit of inspection, everybody grew more delighted the higher they got. The apartments increased in cheerfulness, if not in size, the outlook of the windows became more extensive and airy, while, when one reached the top story, and ascended by a narrow stair on to a leaded flat roof, with a high baluster running around it, the view was, as the house agent expressed it, "quite unique."

Nevertheless, everybody having reached the roof, and having looked round for a minute or two, descended with a firm determination not to take the house. Now what was the reason? It was not haunted, no ghosts had ever been seen, nor mysterious noises heard—such things were never hinted at. There was nothing about it in appearance like the gloomy forbidding mansion in Severn Square, concerning which so many queer stories are told, and which, like the house in question, no one will take. No, it was the very reverse, in all respects, of that long (and still) untenanted abode. I had heard the rumors about the Hyde Park house often when I had been in London, and my curiosity had always been piqued, so that now, when I wanted just such a house for the season, I determined to go and look at it myself.

Finding all satisfactory, and just as I expected from bottom to top, I was stepping out on the roof with Mr. Crumble, the agent, and was saying to him,

"Well, I can't conceive why people won't live here," when my eye fell upon a curious object erected upon the leads at the rear, and surrounded by a high railing. It looked like a huge sky-light, or glass lantern, about ten feet long, three high and three broad. But instead of forming a light for a staircase or a room beneath, it seemed to have been built for the purpose of covering another curious object, which, occupying nearly the whole of the space under the glass, was plainly visible through it. This was a long white box, resembling a seaman's chest more than anything, only much larger. It rested upon four legs or feet, which raised it about a foot from the flat surface of the roof. It was painted a creamy white and varnished, and, apparently not being intended to open, any more than its glass covering, had no hinges or lock to its top or lid.

"What the deuce is that?" said I to Mr. Crumble.

"Ah!" replied that functionary with an odd expression in his face, "that's it, sir!"

"What's it, pray?"

"Why, the secret, sir."

"The secret? how is it a secret? what do you mean?"

"Well, sir, what it is, what it's meant for, what's inside of it."

"Don't you know?"

"No, sir."

"Doesn't any one know?"

"I suppose somebody does, sir, but we don't; we are forbidden to inquire, or to attempt to find out; if we knew we should be able to let the house, perhaps."

"How long has it been there?"

"A long while, I believe, sir—ten or twelve years. Before my time."

"But who put it up?"

"Well, Mr. Gayling, we suppose; nobody seems to know exactly when it first appeared there."

"But the servants," I protested, "they must know."

"Oh, I have heard that there were none in the house at the time; they were all dismissed just before it was put up. Mr. Gayling never keeps many servants, sometimes he has only one, sometimes none. Nobody lives in the house when he's away, but he always leaves the keys with us. He is always changing his servants, Mr. Gayling is; I have often heard him say that he likes new brooms."

"What is he, or what was he?"

"A gentleman in the naval line, I believe, sir: they are rather rum 'uns, I'm told.

"Humph!" I said, "very odd. But do you mean to tell me that nobody will live here because they don't know what's in that box?"

"That is partly the reason, sir."

"Absurd," I was going on when the man continued:

"But there's a clause in the agreement about it; that's what does it, sir."

"Explain," I said.

"Well, sir, here is the clause," and he produced the document; "perhaps you would like to read it yourself?"

Thus it ran:

"And in taking the house, at the rental, and for the term specified as above, I hereby solemnly pledge my oath never directly, or indirectly, through my own agency, or that of others, to attempt to meddle with, to disturb the white chest under the glass case of the roof, or to seek in any way to discover for what purpose it has been placed there, or what it contains; and I further guarantee that no person in my employ, nor any one entering the house during my tenancy thereof, shall make any such attempt, and I hereby undertake that in the event of their being detected in doing so, or of my doing so, to forfeit the sum of one thousand pounds, and in accordance with this agreement have, in proper legal form, lodged the said sum with the bankers of Thomas Gayling, Esq., the lessor, as a guaranty of my good faith."

"But for that clause," went on the agent, as I finished reading it with some surprise, "we should have no difficulty in letting the house."

"Pray, is the owner out of his mind?" I asked in a minute.

"Not that I am aware of, sir; he is a very pleasant, affable gentleman, Mr. Gayling is, only, as I say, a little rum on some points; nothing will induce him to strike out that clause, for instance. Lor' bless you, sir, parties never entertain it for a moment when they come to that part of the business, they drop it like a hot potato."

"Humph!" said I again. "It's queer, certainly, but I don't see why one shouldn't acquiesce; it doesn't matter a rap to me what's inside the chest, I should never want to meddle with or disturb it, and I'd take good care no one else did; I would padlock the trap door on to the roof, and that would settle that. Ah!" I continued, after walking round the structure and looking about me a bit—"ah! I see; precautions have been taken to prevent any access to this roof from others on either side, by this iron chevaux-de-frise; yes, no one can get over this. Well, it's an odd freak, but I am not sure that I am going to be balked by it; I'll think about it, Mr. Crumble."

And the result of my thinking was, that I signed the agreement two days afterward, having conformed to the peculiar stipulation regarding the deposit. I had no fear of losing the thousand pounds; the interest on it was a mere addition of the rent, and the house was so exactly what I wanted that it would even then be cheap to me, with my large family of motherless children.

Nevertheless, I do not deny, that after all was signed, sealed and settled, I was conscious of a lurking curiosity and suspicion regarding that mysterious erection. What could it be? What could it contain? I was constantly saying to myself. What strange freak could possess the man to take such strong measures to guard against my penetration into the secret—measures, by-the-by, which in themselves were rather calculated to provoke investigation, to draw attention to the very thing he wished one to overlook? Was Mr. Gayling a miser, hoarding up some unknown treasure in this strange fashion? Probably that was it. Well if it was, it was no business of mine after all. My parliamentary duties would be too urgent, I hoped, to let me dwell upon much else, so I would dismiss it, and beyond putting the padlock on the trap door of the roof as threatened, I took no measures to prevent any of my household indulging in speculations. I at least would not direct attention to the matter, as Mr. Gayling did, and contented my family and domestics by saying that I didn't consider it safe for people to go on the roof.

Now, in spite of my resolution, I found myself perpetually returning to the strange chest. For the sake of quiet and air, I had appropriated the two large back and front rooms at the top of the house for my bedroom and study, and thus slept every night just beneath the white chest.

Before I had been in the house a month, it began to act as a nightmare on me, an incubus I could not shake off. I was oppressed and depressed by it, in a way quite unaccountable. I was puzzled at myself, I could not have believed four weeks before that I should ever become so affected by such contemptible restlessness, disquiet and distrust. These feelings at last reached such a pitch that I finally changed my bedroom, I would not sleep any longer directly underneath this accursed mysterious fabric.

Another month passed, during which more than once, I was tempted to go secretly on to the roof and look at the thing again; there was no harm in that, that was not forbidden in the bond, and I need hardly say, I saw nothing to provoke any new comment.

About a week after my last visit to the roof, a lengthy debate kept me late at the House of Commons and walking home for the sake of fresh air, I found the midsummer dawn breaking, as I struck the Park Lane. Reaching Oxford street I was startled by observing in the western sky a strong light, not due to reflected sunrise. At the moment I

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THURSDAY, MAY 8, 1879.

No good can result from alarm, but neither can any good result from concealing the fact that a return of the yellow fever during the coming summer is strongly indicated. It may not come. We sincerely hope that it may not. But the probability that it will suggests the necessity for guarding against it in all possible ways. Living as we do, under the very shadow of the Lazaretto, Chester and the adjoining country are specially exposed. This Lazaretto is a menace to the good health of the second largest centre of population in the United States, which long ago should have been removed. That this has not been done is another illustration of the unhappy facility which our Legislature have for "not doing it."

JUDGE TWIGGS, in the Cox-Alston murder trial, Atlanta, said "that the time had come when every interest of humanity, of civil law, and of State character, demanded a more rigid enforcement of the law." This is practically true everywhere, but especially in the South, where to carry, and on the slightest provocation use pistol or bowie-knife is so common. Judge Twiggs suggests one remedy for this condition of things—enforcement of the law. There is, however, another remedy, without which, as its complement, the Twiggs plan will certainly fail. This is the education of public opinion to correct views concerning the sacredness of human life. The duel as a means of determining difficulties must be by common counsel abandoned. And the unprovoked killing of a negro be branded as murder.

WITH thinking men it is rapidly coming to be a matter of doubt whether or not in her war with France Germany really won any very substantial victory. To be sure she pocketed Alsace and Lorraine with several milliards of dollars beside. But, as all the world knows, her business interests have suffered the most serious reverses from results which that war produced. While, unless it be in Russia, nowhere in Europe is the social condition of the people so disturbed, or their attitude toward the established order of things so threatening as in Germany. This, too, may be legitimately traced back as an outgrowth of that war. Meantime France since the war has enjoyed liberty, prosperity, and peace to an extent almost unparalleled in her past history, and is to-day a richer and a happier nation than when Louis Napoleon led out her legions to battle.

THE late repairs on the Seventh street bridge, and those making on the Third street bridge, show that the County Commissioners have not forgotten to remember Chester. This is well—we would like to say very well. But regard for the truth and the reputation of the commissioners forbid. Tinkering at and patching up those miserable bridges is not very well. It is better than allowing them to tumble down, leaving us without any, and that is all. They are both of them among the poorest bridges in the county, while, being the most used of all, they ought to be models of excellence. We would like to say something commendatory of our Commissioners in connection with Chester bridges. But it is impossible. When they build the Ninth street bridge, and thus supply a pressing public necessity, it may be practicable to compliment them. But not now.

WE are all interested in our own Industrial and Agricultural Society and its annual exhibition. Before the time for this exhibition comes we hope and expect that mutual compromises will settle all misunderstandings and the exhibition be a grand success. There is another event in this same line of which it is very desirable that the farmers and fabricators of Delaware county should recognize the importance. We refer to the State Agricultural Fair to be held next September in Philadelphia. Pennsylvania has such deserved pre-eminence by virtue of its large mining interests and the industries which grow out of these that the value of its other productions are apt to be overlooked. An occasion like this Fair affords an admirable opportunity to demonstrate properly their very prominent place in our State's wealth. And also an admirable opportunity for the farmers and manufacturers of this county to show how fairly they are qualified to compete with any other section of the Commonwealth.

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TIME TABLE.

P. W. & B. R. R.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10,15, 10.36 a. m.., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 5.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 2.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Fort Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

THURSDAY, MAY 8, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Shad are scarce this morning.

These beautiful evenings bring out the girls.

Trailing arbutus is very scarce about Chester.

Daily excursions will soon be the rule at Glen Olden.

If that big fourteen ton boiler had tried to pass over Seventh street bridge!

The sixth anniversary of the Madison Street Church will be held next Sunday.

In Philadelphia, bananas are about half the price they are in Chester. How is it?

The Mackinnon fountain pen agent adds many names to his list in the course of the day.

There are 1300 men employed at Roachs' shipyard, and they are still taking on workmen.

There are several excellent concerts to be given in Chester for the next two or three weeks.

The railroad companies are making preparations to issue their summer excursion tickets.

Station agent Miller, at Norwood, is putting up what promises to be a neat frame cottage.

The First Presbyterian Church used to be called the Clinton Street Presbyterian Church.

No stone masons have been at work at the new aqueduct in the South ward for over three weeks.

The grandest concert that ever took place in Chester, Prof. Sweney says, will be held on May 29th.

Give the outside of the old Town Hall a new coat of paint. It will look none the less antique by it.

Among the many beautiful stations along the P. W. & B. R. R. there are none more attractive than Eddystone.

Throw physic to the dogs, and take plenty of exercise. Go into the country often, and study the beauties of nature.

The Chester delegates will attend the Presbyterian General Assembly, which meets at Saratoga next week.

Almost any fine day it is not uncommon to meet at least twenty people from Chester on Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

Effinger's woods, the former home of the cranes, and the El Dorado of all the boys in the neighborhood, are getting very attractively shady.

The steamer Major Reybold was two hours behind time this morning, and the Philadelphia passengers were nervous and irritated at the delay.

Between the extreme eastern and western boundaries of our city is a long distance for the pedestrian, but the locomotive can travel it in two or three minutes.

The juveniles wonder why their teachers don't tell them when the picnic will take place, and the teachers are wondering if there is to be a picnic this year.

Carncross' minstrels will make their appearance in Holly Tree Hall to-morrow evening. Next to the circus, a good minstrel entertainment draws the largest audience.

The First National Bank of West Chester has declared a semi-annual dividend of five per cent. The days of high dividends do not seem to be on the wane in our sister town.

Expend a quarter to-night for the benefit of the poor. The members of the Students' Union will give an entertainment at Holly Tree Hall, for the benefit of the Ladies' Union Benevolent Society.

Capt. F. S. Baker can make satisfactory arrangements with churches, Sunday schools and societies for excursions down the bay. He is the agent for the best boats on the river, and will make good terms.

Wetherill's big boiler passed over the Third street bridge safely. There was a large crowd there, half hoping and half fearing that it would go through. Mr. Barnes' presence underneath worked wonders.

Some people put off paying their bills until an officer of the law notifies them that they will be required to pay, and yet these same persons expect to buy as cheaply as the man who pays monthly. The cash buyer can always purchase for less than the long-winded fellows.

NORTH CHESTER COUNCIL.—A regular stated meeting of North Chester Borough Council was held last Monday evening, Burgess H. Greenwood presiding.

Members present.—Messrs. Martin, Parsons, Shaw, Evans and Hunter.

Minutes of last stated meeting were read and approved.

An invitation from Post Wilde, G. A. R., to attend the Memorial ceremonies on Friday, May 30th, 1879, was received, and on motion accepted and placed on file.

Committee on Streets reported the streets in a very fair conditon, except a trunk on 24th street, which was broken through, and which they recommended being replaced with stone, and Edgmont avenue, from Dyer's to the cemetery gates, which was getting rather rutty. They also reported complaints of 24th street being rather wet in winter time. They have one man at present cleaning out and opening up gutters at a recompense of $1.25 per day, and have adopted a rule to pay him no more except when overseeing a number of workmen on the streets. They do not think it necessary for a heavy rate of tax for purposes except for new work, and they don't see any necessity for new work at present. They also asked instructions as to the purchase of stone for needed repairs.

On motion of Mr. Martin the Street Committee was instructed to purchase such stone and at such prices as they might deem most advantageous for the interests of the Borough for any repairs needed.

Committee on Accounts reported the following bills with their approval, which were ordered paid:

Bill of C. W. Andrews for Treasurer's commission,	$19 72
" " J. Spencer for advertising borough statement,	5 60
" " Borough Auditors	5 00
" " Com. of Penna., State tax on bond,	15 00
Total,	$45 32

On motion of Mr. Martin that the Auditors' fees be $1 per day was so ordered.

Ways and Means Committee report the Borough Treasury in good condition, and not being able to cancel the borough bond until such time it is due, would ask further instructions as to investing the surplus money. On motion of Mr. Martin, the Committee on Ways and Means were authorized to invest it securely in such way that it could be obtained to cancel borough bond when due.

On motion the Ordinance Committee was instructed to frame an ordinance preventing corner lounging.

The Building Committee reported John Bailey as erecting a building contrary to borough ordinances.

On motion of Mr. Shaw the Clerk was authorized to notify John Bailey to take down said building within 30 days, or the Council would have it done.

On motion adjourned.

There being two bonds overlooked, the motion was reconsidered.

The bond of C. W. Andrews, as Borough Treasurer, was then read and accepted.

The bond of C. W. Ladomus, Borough Surveyor, was also read, and on motion the Clerk was authorized to refer it back to him for correction.

On motion adjourned.

A LARGE BOILER SENT FROM CHESTER.—For some weeks past Messrs. R. Wetherill & Co., engine and boiler makers, have been busily engaged at their Works, on Sixth street this city, in the construction of an immense boiler, weighing 14 tons, for the St. Augustine Paper Mills of Messrs. Jessup & Moore, about one mile up the Brandywine creek from Wilmington. The boiler was finished a few days ago, and this morning by seven o'clock the company for whom the boiler was constructed sent fourteen large mules to this city to haul it to their place. The boiler was mounted on wheels, and a little before ten o'clock the mules were attached and started with it down the street towards Third street as though the mass of iron was not half so heavy. It excited considerable curiosity, as it passed along the street and at Third street bridge, over which it had to pass. Here a large crowd of citizens congregated to see the bridge go down under the great weight. The street, on both sides of the bridge, was lined with people, as were the wharves below, but no one ventured upon it. The great load passed over without an accident, but the structure got an awful shaking. Precaution had been taken to prevent accident by anchoring a raft of lumber under the bridge and erecting props for its support. It is thought it would have gone down had this not been done.

Following the boiler was a four-mule wagon, loaded with jacks, props, planks and other means for supporting other bridges on the road between here and Wilmington, so as to prevent accident.

This boiler will be used for boiling rags for making paper, and will be placed in position in a short time.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—A game of base ball was played at the P. M. A., yesterday afternoon, between the first and third and second and fourth classes. The score of the first and third was 9 to 6 in favor of the first, and the score of the second and fourth was 24 to 15 in favor of the fourth class.

The cadets were learning to ride on the bycicle yesterday afternoon, as they had a half holiday.

The fourth class are going to play the second for a base ball on Saturday morning.

It is rumored that the Ross nine will play the Energetics on Saturday.

A whole holiday on Saturday next.

Five weeks from yesterday, and it will be all over.

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY.—On Sunday next Madison Street M. E. Church will celebrate its sixth anniversary, and appropriate exercises will be held. At nine o'clock in the morning there will be Love Feast, and at 10.30 preaching by the Presiding Elder, Rev. W. J. Paxson. The Sabbath school will hold interesting exercises in the afternoon, and at night Rev. Jos. Welch, the former pastor, will preach. Rev. Mr. Robinson, the pastor, is desirous that there should be a large turnout of members.

ATTEMPT AT BURGLARY.—Some of the "gentry" of this city, who little fear locks and bars, made attempts to break into the jewelry store of Mr. P. Boylen, No. 524 Market street, last night. As Mr. Boylen is about removing his stock of jewelry to No. 24 West Third street, the would-be burglars doubtless thought it would be a good opportunity to make a raise. They, for it is believed there was more than one, began operation by attempting to cut a panel out of the back door with a pocket knife. Considerable whittling was done, but after cutting a small hole through the door they gave up the task. There were three heavy iron bars on the door. The burglars doubtless got in through the adjoining back yard.

Between twelve and one o'clock this morning, officer Frank Wilson was patrolling Market street near the railroad, and he noticed a boy fourteen or fifteen years of age come around the corner of McGeohegan's cigar store, from Edgmont avenue. He hailed him and thought it a late hour for him to be out, so he put him in the lock up. In searching the boy, a heavy, two-bladed knife was found. This morning, when the officer heard of the cutting at Mr. Boylen's store, they took the knife there and tried it in the impressions in the door, and found the point of the knife to exactly correspond to those indentations. All the cutting and marks in the door looked as though it had been done with that knife. It was of course then thought that this boy was the would be burglar, and he was given a hearing before the Mayor this morning, when the testimony of officer Frank Wilson and Mr. Boylen was heard, and the boy was held in $500 bail to appear, to answer the charge of attempted burglary. The boy was not a citizen of Chester. He was recommitted.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE POOR.—The entertainment in Holly Tree Hall this evening, by the Students' Union, for the benefit of the poor, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, of this city, should be largely attended, as the object is a most worthy one. The society has alleviated much suffering in our midst the past winter, and is now in debt, and needs some solid encouragement. By this method of giving an entertainment a large number can contribute something. Let there be a large turnout, to-night, so that the ladies as well as the young people who contribute to the amusement, may know that their labor is appreciated.

Part I. Piano Duet, Misses Laura and Marion McKeever; Reading, Miss Florence P. Carter; Duet, Prof. J. R. and F. G. Sweney; Second Sight, Messrs. F. E. and E. L. Powell.

Part II. Soprano Solo, Miss Minnie Hinkson; Reading, Miss Emma Brewer; Duet, Misses Minnie Hinkson and Florence P. Carter; Duet, (cornet and flute,) Prof. J. R. Swenew and Capt. R. K. Carter.

Part III. Comedietta, entitled "Engagements," with the following cast of characters: Mr. Samuel Jordon, J. N. Shanafelt; Geo. Jordon, his son, F. E. Powell; Marcus Brass, E. L. Powell; Helen Jordon, Miss Tillie Simpson; Clarinda Hastings, Miss E. Howard; Lucy, Miss M. L. Clancy.

The price of admission is only twenty-five cents. No reserved seats.

IMPORTANT TO CIGAR MANUFACTURERS.—As is well known, since the 1st of May, all cigars removed from the factory or place where they were made were required by the revenue laws to be branded by having the factory number, the district and State, and the number of cigars in each box stamped, indented, burned, or impressed by an instrument which would burn or sink the letters into the box in a legible and durable manner. A mere printed or stencilled impression on the box would not satisfy the requirements of the law.

The Commissioner in reply to a letter from a manufacturer states that, "Where manufacturers have in their factories boxes of cigars which were packed prior to May 1st, with the manufacturer's name, factory, number, etc., burned into the box with a branding iron, and so branded as to render it impracticable to remove the name of the manufacturer, this office will permit the sale and removal of such cigars without changing the brand; but all other boxes must be branded according to the amended law. Manufacturers having cigars packed and branded as aforesaid, and having the labels or caution notices heretofore in use attached, will be required to remove such labels or caution notices before removing the cigars, and to attach the label or caution notice prescribed in the amended law."

SUPREME COURT CASES.—The following Delaware county cases were disposed of by the Supreme Court at Harrisburg, this week:

Township of Concord's appeal. Decree affirmed.

Borough of Media's appeal. Proceedings affirmed.

Fairlamb vs. Hampshire. Judgment affirmed.

Johnson vs. Lewis. Judgment affirmed.

Trustees of the Burd Orphan Asylum of St. Stephen's Church vs. The School District of Upper Darby. Judgment affirmed.

Trunkey, Justice. Justices Sharwood, C. J., Marcus and Paxson dissenting.

DELAWARE COUNTY OFFICIALS IN WEST CHESTER.—O. W. Yarnall, A. P. Lukens and Jesse Brooke, Commissioners of this county, visited West Chester on Tuesday, for the purpose of viewing the county prison. New cooking arrangements are about to be placed in the Delaware County Prison, and the object of their visit was to see the plan of that department in that institution, which is the one they propose to adopt. They were cordially received by Mr. Hagerty and shown through the institution. The visitors were accompanied by Mr. Howarth, a machinist of Media, and it is proposed to begin the work immediately.

CHESTER REGATTA.—Commodore Paul Klotz's Chester regatta will take place on the Delaware, June 16th. This promises to be one of the largest regattas that has ever been held in this city. Preparations are now being made for it.

MAKING A RENDEZVOUS OF A BARN.—For some time past a number of large boys have been breaking into a barn on East Fourth street and making a rendezvous of it. Mr. Cochran, who is agent for the property, became tired of its being put to this use, and had a warrant issued for a suspected party. It was placed in the hands of officers Ireland and John Dougherty, who made the arrest early this morning while the boy was in bed. He was given a hearing before Alderman Allen. The testimony pointed to him as one of the guilty parties, and he was held for court. In default of bail he was committed to the lock-up.

RIDLEY BAPTIST CHURCH.—On Tuesday, May 12, the Ridley Park Baptist Church will give a musical and literary entertainment in the church. Miss Mary McCurdy, teacher of elocution in the Girls' Normal School, of Philadelphia, and who is said to be almost equal to Helen Potter, will give select readings. The musical quartet will be under the direction of Prof. John R. Sweney, and is composed of our best local talent. Miss Sallie Hinton, of Philadelphia, will also be present. The proceeds will be devoted towards paying off the debt occasioned by repairs to the roof, caused by the late storm.

A HOUSEBREAKER AND HIS TOOLS.—William H. Bennett, who came out of a saloon at Third and South streets, Philadelphia, about eleven o'clock on Tuesday evening with a package under his arm, was halted by a policman, who examined the bundle. He found that it contained a large jimmy. Bennett was arrested, and on being searched was found equipped with a revolver and large knife. This is one of the party arrested by officer Frank Wilson one night in this city last winter. The arrest was made about the P. W. & B. depot, and the Mayor bound him and his two companions over for Court.

TEARING DOWN ANOTHER PERSON'S FENCE.—John Carr was given a hearing before Alderman Allen this morning, charged by Michael Casey with tearing down the fence where he lived, on the property of Joseph Gibbons; also with threatening to do bodily harm to Casey. After hearing the evidence Carr agreed to put up the fence, and the alderman fined him costs, and held him in $100 to keep the peace.

A BOY THROWN FROM A HORSE.—Yesterday morning, about ten o'clock, a boy was riding a horse along Market street, and the animal concluded to run away with the little fellow on his back. He held on to the equine with all the power he had, but when he come to Headley & Mahon's stables the horse ran in there, and in turning short around the corner it threw the rider off, but he escaped accident.

A SUPPOSED COCK FIGHT.—Word was received by the Chief of Police yesterday that there was to be a cock fight somewhere in the North ward last night, and he instructed the officers to be on the look-out for it, but after a faithful watch in the eastern part of the ward, where it was supposed it would take place, they failed to find anything of the kind, and it is believed there was no such fight.

A HOD OF BRICKS FALL.—A hod carrier was ascending a ladder with a hod full of bricks, at Mr. Gardener's new building on Market street, above Third, yesterday afternoon, and when about two-thirds of the way up, the hod slipped, precipitating the bricks to the pavement below. They made quite a commotion, and a number of persons standing close by thought the scaffolding had given way.

THE PHILOSOPHICAL APPARATUS.—The philosophical apparatus for the High School, for the purchase of which the pupils gave an entertainment in Holly Tree Hall to raise funds, has been purchased by Prof. Foster, principal of the High School, and placed in a plain cabinet. It has been used some and gives entire satisfaction.

RIVERVIEW WORKS.—The foundation walls of the new logwood works at the foot of Howell street, South ward, are nearly completed, even with the surface. A large quantity of heavy timber for joists is being unloaded near one of the new buildings, and work on all the structures is being pushed rapidly forward.

READY FOR BUSINESS.—Alderman Holt, who has recovered from a severe attack of sickness, is now ready to transact business, and can be found at his office on Broad street.

THE SHAD.—The catch of shad does not seem to increase any. This morning 108 was high boat, and the retail price is also unchanged.

LODGERS.—Last night there were nine lodgers in the station house.

LETTER LIST.—The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Chester for the week ending May 8th, 1879:

Anderson Miss L	Lewis Mrs Lizzie
Barber Mrs Harry	Lowe Capt Benj W
Bair Mrs Mary A	Lofland Mrs Mary
Barclay Capt	Miles Edward
Bell Robt	Morgan Jas
Brown Sarah	McMunn Anthony W
Cafferty Maggie W	O'Neil Dennis
Carter Mrs Wm T	Paul Jennie L
Carlon Celia	Paxson Mrs Harriet N
Collins Eliza	Pesenti Massinniliano
Conroy Philip	Pierce Katie
Desmond Thos	Rhoads Nettie B
Dougherty Mrs	Reynolds Jas
Fassett Hester	Robinson Isaac
Garretson C J	Spear Jas
Gorman Katie	Stephens Ellen
Greenman Mrs Harry	Townsend Margaret
Green Rebecca	Willis Capt Isaac
Holland Adeline	Wilcock Henry
Jones Miss L J	

W. H. MARTIN, P. M.

No child can sleep soundly while suffering with colic or from teething. Remove the cause by using Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Only 25 cents a bottle.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 7, 1879.

The passage by the House of the new bill for keeping the troops away from the poles, whether as an adjunct of civil or military power, was rather unexpected by the Republicans, and indeed by the public generally, who judged that the Democratic caucuses had been so inharmonious as to make such summary action impossible. It shows to the country that the Democrats are well disciplined and are determined upon bringing their views to the front and engrafting them upon the Government if possible. It cannot be denied, however, that, in substance, if not in form, the new bill is essentially the same as the troops provision in the old bill, and that therefore the Democrats could not afford to open up a general discussion in the House upon it, since that fact would be exposed. The Senate is ruled by a different code, and will probably discuss it at length. Indeed, it is said that the Republicans are preparing some very strong speeches against the new measure, and feel confident that the President will stand by them in vetoing it. His message on the appropriation bill seems to indicate that he will, for his objections to that apply to this one in almost every particular.

The debate in the Senate yesterday on the Louisianna Senatorship had a good deal of political significance. The Democrats now have a majority in that body of 10, the number being 43 to 33. But it is barely possible, indeed the Republicans boast that it is probable almost to a certainty, that in '81 the changes in the North may be such that this showing may be reversed, since only six gains would have to be made to do it. The term of Senator Kellogg, of Louisiana, does not expire until 1883. Therefore, if he can be ousted to give place to his competitor, Spofford, the Democrats will have one more majority for the Republicans to overcome. The debate seems to indicate that the majority have determined to strengthen themselves by this expedient, and that Kellogg must go. If this is done there will be but one Republican Senator left in all the South, Bruce, of Miss.

The diplomatic and hesitating denials of Secretary Sherman in Ohio as to his designs politically, are discounted here very generally. It is the general impression that he is there to feel the public pulse, and if there is a chance of success he will consent to be the spontaneous choice of the Ohio Republicans for Governor, that he may use that office to promote his aspirations for the Presidency. I find also among Republicans, except those in office immediately under Mr. Sherman, a feeling against him and largely in favor of Judge Taft for Governor. And as to the Presidency, there is not a large following for Mr. Sherman that I can see. Probably whatever there is of the movement, if it may be so dignified, comes from the desire of some Republicans to offset the Thurman Presidental race on the Democratic side, which appears to be making real headway against Mr. Tilden. But many Republicans say that Judge Taft would be a stronger candidate against Thurman than Sherman would, since there is so strong a prejudice against the latter on account of his connection with the Louisiana business in 1876.

The Senate Judiciary Committee's report adversely to D. T. Corbin's nomination for Chief Justice of Utah, appears to be based upon a mistake. Never until now have there been charges of a serious character in a moral point of view against him, and he alleges that the charges now made are simply to gratify the spite of his political foes in South Carolina, who want to drive him from the State in disgrace. He is best known by the country as the man who was elected by the Republican Legislature to be U. S. Senator, when Butler, at present holding the seat, was elected by the Democratic Legislature.

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At N. F. MOYER'S,
ap18-tf 723 Edgmont avenue.

Frivolous Counsel.

The idle talk of unscientific people who know nothing of the invisible action of medicine, should not be heeded by those who have kidney or liver troubles. One package of Kidney-Wort is then the reasonable thing to have. Your druggist has it.

CHEW Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

MARRIED.

TAYLOR—MCAVOY.—On the 7th inst., by Rev. W. C. Robinson, No. 515 Welsh street, Frank A. Taylor to Miss Laura D. McAvoy, all of Chester.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

CHESTER, PA., May 8, 1879.

On account of my increased professional duties I am entirely unable to spare any time from my patients for the collection of bills, and for that purpose have employed Mr. William S. Sykes as my agent. He will have entire charge of my books, and make out, present, and collect all bills, thus enabling me to devote all my time to my profession.

Yours, very truly,
my8-d&w-2t C. A. KISH, M. D.

RESOLUTION RELATING TO CURBing and Paving.

Resolved, That the property owners on Hinkson street, from P. W. & B. Railroad to Eighth street, and Fulton street, from Third to Fifth street, be, and they are hereby directed to curb and pave the sidewalks in front of their respective properties within thirty days from and after the publication of this resolution, in accordance with the lines and grades given by the City Surveyor, otherwise the curbing and paving will be done by the City Council at the expense of the holders of property along the streets ordered curbed and paved, and a lien entered against said property for the collection of the money so expended, together with the expense of the same as required by law. By order of Council,

MORDECAI LEWIS,
my8 10-2t Clerk.

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saw a fire engine pass me at full speed, and presently the first sign of the commotion which conflagration causes in the street became evident. No man undergoes this experience, when he has been away from home many hours, and sees the red glare rising in the direction of his own house, without a pang of anxiety, if not of terror. How well-founded was this sensation in the present case was made evident ere I had walked another two hundred yards; yes, merciful powers! it was my house that was on fire!

I can scarcely record what followed; I only know that somehow I found myself in the midst of the police and firemen. That I explained to the superintendent who I was, and that under his escort I soon ascertained that all the inmates of my house, my children, their governess, and the servants, were in safety, and had been taken into a neighbor's at the rear; that as soon as I found this to be the case, I, accompanied still by the superintendent, mounted to the top of an adjacent residence, whence the firemen were directing the hose upon the flames.

Once on this vantage point my mind reverted to the white chest. Was it still there? Yes; the flames, though bursting out from all the windows of the upper stories, back and front, had not yet done more than wrench and crack portions of the glass case. For a time it seemed as if this would be the most that might happen. The water seemed to be getting the upper hand, and as it fell in torrents on the hot roof, such clouds of steam were thrown up with the smoke as would have completely hidden everything from view, but that our position had been skillfully selected, and was well to windward of the burning mass. But presently, amid the roar of the flames, there came a dull, heavy rumble for a moment, and then with a tremendous crash the roof fell in. With it of course went the fragment and frame work of the glass case, and the charred and blackened chest itself. I had my eyes upon it at the moment, and down it went deep into the utter obscurity of the dense smoke and steam which always succeeds to this climax of a conflagration. For several minutes nothing was to be discerned through the overwhelming wreaths of black-gray fumes. But presently, though the light from the fire had been quenched, there began to be visible, by the aid of the increasing light of the morning, the depths of this pit of Acheron. Yet it was not so very deep after all, for the fire having originated on the second floor, the falling roof had only crushed down as yet as far as the drawing room, and there when my eyes had become accustomed to the spectacle of the indiscribable debris, I plainly beheld, resting slantways across a stubborn remnant of wall, what had been the White Chest; it was now split and smashed, and its contents were revealed.

Good heavens! what was it that I looked down upon? I turned my face away for a moment with a shudder, for there, protruding through the splintered fragments of its once creamy white wooden case, was a huge leaden coffin, which in its turn melting and bursting with the heat, displayed within the unmistakable form of a shrouded corpse! I was in the act of drawing my companion's attention to it in horror, when suddenly there flew up around it with redoubled fury, such a mass of flame and smoke, that it was entirely hidden, and soon the fire had so spread and burst out again, that the horrible spectacle of this unintentional cremation was shut from sight, and the house was finally burned to the ground.

I pass over what immediately followed after I had made my way back to the friendly abode where the members of my family were sheltered. In a few days they were snugly settled again in another home, fortunately not very much worse for the terrible scare. In due course the time arrived for looking into my losses, and as I was doing so I received a letter from Mr. Gayling, who had come to town requesting an interview. I was glad of this, for I foresaw it must lead to some explanation of the strange circumstances surrounding the agreement I had signed. My curiosity as to the contents of the white chest had been rudely satisfied, it was, true, but what had been the reason for placing such an object in such a place? and this I was determined to find out. Unexpectedly Mr. Gayling disclosed it to me immediately we met. "I have asked for this interview, sir," he said abruptly, "because I am a ruined man."

"But," I interposed, "I am told you were fully insured."

"That's nothing to do with it," he answered; "no insurance can restore the three thousand a year which I lose by what has happened. I am simply going to tell you certain facts; because, when you have heard them, I shall put it to you whether you will not out of your ample means, feel that some compensation is due to me. The fact is, that it has been during your tenancy of my house, and through accident or negligence, on the part of some one for whom you are responsible, that my ruin has been brought about.

"I don't understand you."

"Listen, sir," he went on, and you will; I was brought up to the sea and followed it till mid-life, for I was entirely dependent on my own earnings. My only relative at this time was an old uncle, also a sailor, and a most eccentric man, as you will presently see. Fifteen years ago he suddenly came into a large sum of money; I never knew how, but he retired and took that house. He had only been in it three years when a mortal sickness overtook him; he sent for me.

"'Tom,' said he, 'I am dying, and don't like it; I am terrified, not so much at the thought of death, as at the thought of burial; a sailor's grave I would not mind, but to be boxed up and thrust into the earth, no, Tom, I won't stand it. I look to you to see that it doesn't happen, and I have taken measures to make sure that it doesn't happen. I've made my will, Tom, and left you all I possess, but on one condition, and it is that you are my heir so long as I am well above ground, and no longer—mark my words, well above ground. Directly I am buried, or my remains are allowed to mingle with Mother Earth, as she is called—she was no mother to me, the sea was my mother, for I was born at sea—all my money, mind, goes straight to the Seamen's Hospital, every penny of it.'

"'But what am I to do?' I asked of my uncle; 'how shall I be able to carry out such a strange condition? Have you so expressed it in your will?'

"'Yes, indeed I have,' he answered; 'and legal and binding you'll find it, as expressed in the words, so long as I am well above ground.'

"'But what am I to do with you?' I again asked.

"'Oh, run me up aloft, mainmast me, anything you like, but don't bury me.'"

"Well," went on Mr. Gayling, "to make a long story short, I found that the conditions of the old man's will were binding, and his executors and myself hit upon the plan of hoisting the coffin on the roof of the the house. Under certain conditions we found that it was possible for us legally to do this. So I dismissed my three servants, employed a country undertaker, my old ship's carpenter, and a foreign glazier, in order that the matter should not be talked of in the neighborhood, and personally saw the arrangements carried out. You can understand my reasons for not having it meddled with; yes, sir, and you can now understand that the condition of the will must now take effect. No sign of the coffin or the body even was discovered in the ruins of the house. I have had a rigid search made, to no purpose; the old gentleman's remains have been consumed, have mingled with mother-earth, and the money passes, as a matter of course, to the Seamen's Hospital. I have not a penny in the world. What can you do for me?"

It is not necessary for me to say what I did for Mr. Gayling, but finding by a visit to Doctors' Commons, and by other evidence, I felt his case was a hard one, and I acted, I hope, not ungenerously toward him.—*All the Year Round.*

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SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
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For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

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LATEST NEWS.

The latest returns of the election in California indicate a majority for the new Constitution in the State of from 6000 to 10,000. San Francisco gave 1215 majority against the Constitution, but the agricultural counties seem to have voted largely in its favor.

In the United States Senate, yesterday, the House bill to authorize the annual enlistment of 750 boys in the navy was passed. The House bill to prevent military interference at the polls was discussed. After an Executive session the Senate adjourned.

In the House, the bill to enforce the Eight-hour law was laid on the table by a vote of 103 to 52, and a motion to reconsider the vote was also tabled, 127 to 87, thus killing the bill. The Warner Coinage bill was discussed. Adjourned.

The Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company's mines, Nos. 9 and 10, at Sugar Notch, which have been idle nearly two years, resumed yesterday. The Diamond mines, of the same company, will start in about ten days, thus giving employment to all Mr. Parrish's men.

The socialist leaders in Chicago say they are organizing in concert with the trades' unions, a strike, to begin on the 5th of July, and extend throughout the country. They will "demand the universal adoption of the eight-hour system, and settle the matter of wages after their demands on that point are acceded to." The object of the Socialists is said to be political, that of the working men's unions to secure better wages.

The strike on the Canadian Pacific Railway in Manitoba continues, but no breach of the peace has yet occurred. Mr. Whitehead, the contractor for Section 15, where the strike is going on, has telegraphed from Ottawa to his agent to pay off and dismiss the strikers. He intends to employ other men. The strikers will be paid off and the new men employed under military protection.

Mark Gray, who shot at Edwin Booth, in Chicago, has been pronounced insane by a commission of medical experts.

In the Custom House cases at Chicago, yesterday, Judge Dyer overruled the motion to quash the indictment, and also the motion for a bill of particulars. A jury was then empanelled and the trial begun.

The jury in the case of ex-State Senator Cornish, at Belvidere, N. J., yesterday, rendered a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to mercy.

Edward Linier, one of two brothers engaged in check "raising" at Newark, N. J., was arrested yesterday in Boston on a requisition from Governor McClellan. The pair had opened an office in Boston, it is supposed for the purpose of attempting to swindle Boston banks.

In the Woman Suffrage Association at St. Louis, yesterday, long reports from Indiana and Louisiana were read, showing the progress of woman's work in those States. A declaration of principles was read, and addresses were made by Rev. Olympia Brown, Mrs. Collins of Louisiana and Mrs. Spencer of Washington.

The Southern Baptist Convention met in Atlanta yesterday, with three hundred delegates in attendance. Rev. J. P. Boyce, of Kentucky, was re-elected President. Rev. J. T. Ticknor, Alabama, offered a resolution which was referred, for the appointment of five members to bear to the Baptists of the North, at their approaching anniversary, a message of fraternal regard and co-operation in mission work.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, May 8.—In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Stanley, Secretary of State for War, replying to an inquiry, said a despatch from Lord Chemlsford, Commander-in-Chief of the South African forces, says that the garrisons in the Transvaal and in Natal might require reinforcement, and that Lord Chelmsford also asked for stores. The telegram, however, he said, was so obscure that the Government had deferred action on it till the receipt of further news.

Right Hon. Lord George F. Hamilton, Vice President of the Council, replying to an inquiry, stated that swine from the United States having been discovered suffering from the trachina worm, an order in Council would be issued enacting that swine from the United States must be slaughtered at the pert of landing. The order will take effect on the 1st of June.

The Durham miners have decided, by a vote of 18,446 against 6362, in favor of the formation of a committee to meet a committee of the masters for a conference. As the votes of twenty collieries were not received within the prescribed time they will not be counted. The above numbers, therefore, are final.

Mr. Whistler, the artist, has been declared a bankrupt. His liabilities are $4500.

The old-established bank of Swann, Claugh & Co., in Cork, Ireland, known as the Cork Bank, has suspended. The amount of the note circulation of the bank is £46,387.

SIMLA, May 8.—The Ameer of Afghanistan has arrived at Gundamuk to-day. He was met at the frontier by Major Cavagnari and a detachment of the Tenth Hussars and guides. British troops of all arms lined the route to the camp, a distance of two and one-half miles. General Browne and staff received the Ameer on his arrival at the end of the line, when a salute of twenty-one guns were fired. The Ameer has announced his arrival to the Viceroy of India, and expressed a desire for the establishment of friendly relations between India and Afghanistan.

Mr. Lorillard's Parole retrieved his loss of the race for the Chester Trades' Cup, yesterday, by winning that for the great Chester Handicap Stakes, to-day. Lord Dupplin's four-year-old chestnut gelding Reefer, who won the race for the Chester Trades' Cup, got in second, and Mr. Legh's four-year-old colt Sir Joseph, third. There were eight starters. Parole carried 134 pounds, Reefer 118 pounds and Sir Joseph 118 pounds. The distance of the course is nearly one mile and a quarter, and the race was for three-year-olds and upwards. Parole came through outside the distance, and won by three lengths. There was a neck between Reefer and Sir Joseph.

Vulgarity in Fiction and on the Stage.

The average playwright has a fixed opinion that certain definite appeals must be made to the groundlings, in order to produce a successful play. There must be coarseness or profanity, or the half-disguised obscenity that can be put forth in a *double entente*, or else the great multitude will not be satisfied. As a consequence of this, many ladies do not dare to go to the theatre, or to take their children there. There is no question that these objectionable elements in plays have kept many more people out of the theatre than they ever attracted thither. People—even vulgar people—are not pleased with vulgarity, and it is quite worth while to call attention to the things that the people are pleased with, both in the fictions of the book and of the stage.

We have had a lyrical comedy running in all the theatres of the country during the last season—"Her Majesty's Ship Pinafore"—which will illustrate a part of what we mean. Since we began to observe theatres at all, nothing has had such a run of popularity as this. Young and old, rich and poor, have been amused by it, and there is not a word in it, from beginning to end, that can wound any sensibility. It is a piece of delicious absurdity all through, and a man can enjoy two hours of jollity in witnessing it, which will not leave a stain upon him anywhere. It is simply delightful,—pure fun,—and the most popular thing that has appeared on the stage for the last ten years. We call attention to it specially to show that fun, when it is pure, is more popular a thousand times than when it is not. Nothing can be more evident to any man of common sense than that any admixture of unworthy elements in this play would damage its popularity. What is true of this play is true of any and every play. There is no apology whatever for making the stage impure. Even vulgar people do not seek the stage for impurity. They seek it for pleasure, and they find the purest plays the most satisfactory, provided only that the pleasure-giving element is in them. A playwright who is obliged to resort to coarse means to win the applause of coarse men, convicts himself of a lack of capacity for writing a good play.—*Scribner.*

A Queer Case.

When Abby Smith got married, the connection of that not unfamiliar family name with the fight against what was deemed to be unjust taxation threatened to be broken, but another Smith has come opportunely to the rescue. Dr. John Brown Smith lies in the Northampton (Mass.) jail because he will not pay a poll tax of two dollars which the town of Belchertown demands of him. Dr. Brown is a native of London, Ontario, went to Minnesota in his youth and served three years in one of that State's regiments during the war. Then he studied medicine and began practice, but he soon became interested in phonography, and finally moved to Belchertown, where his wife's family live, and devoted his time to devising a new system, the features of which he has developed in two books recently published. The first year he was in town he was not called upon to pay any tax. The second year he was asked for the poll tax of two dollars, to which, by the Massachusetts law, every resident of a town, whether native or alien, is liable, and paid it under protest. Last fall when he received a similar bill he refused to pay, setting forth his reasons in a letter to the Collector, which aired some rather novel doctrines, as for instance, that the right to the use of the soil ought to be as free as the right to air and sunlight. The Collector refused to be convinced, and as Dr. Smith continued obstinate, he was taken to the county jail on the 8th of April, and notified that he must stay there till the tax was paid. Nearly a month has passed, and there the doctor still stays, and there he says he shall continue to stay as long as he can only be released on condition of paying that tax, which he cannot conscientiously do, because he holds that the State has no right to require it of him. The hardy Grangers of Belchertown rather enjoyed the spectacle of the doctor's being carried off to jail, but now that he manifests a disposition to stay there indefinitely while the town is forced to pay for his support, they are beginning to wonder whether the Canadian hasn't got the better of the Yankees after all.—*Phila. Times.*

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THROUGH A WINDOW.

I lie here at rest in my chamber.
And look through the window again,
With eyes that are changed since the old time,
And the sting of an exquisite pain.

'Tis not much that I see for a picture,
Thro' the boughs that are green with spring,
A barn, with its roof green and mossy,
And above it a bird on the wing.

Or, lifting my head a thought higher,
Some hills and a village below,
And over it all the blue heaven,
With a white cloud floating below.

Ah! once the roof was a prison,
My mind and the sky were free,
My thoughts with birds went flying,
And my hopes were a heaven to me.

Now I come from the limitless distance,
Where I followed my youth's wild will,
Where they press the wine of delusion,
That you drink and are thirsty still.

And I know why the bird with the springtime
To the gnarled old tree comes back—
He has tried the south and the summer
He has felt what the sweet things lack.

So I come with a sad contentment,
With eyes that are changed I see;
The roof means peace, not a prison,
And heaven smiles down on me.

The Century Plant.

A correspondent of the New York *Observer* writing from Texas, gives the following account of the century plant:

Some years ago, I read a statement in a New York paper that only four century plants had ever bloomed in the United States. I suspect that it is not everywhere known that this singular plant is a spontaneous growth of a considerable region in Southwestern Texas, between the Nueces and Rio Grande rivers. There may be seen the century plant in all of its phases, from the little sprout that starts from the base of its mother plant to those which hold aloft their great clusters of white waxy flowers. Then here and there, like lonely sentinels, stand the old dry trunks of those which have bloomed in former years, while scattered around lie those that have fallen from the decay of age.

My best information is that the century plant, when confined to the narrow quarters of the green house pot, and the unnatural atmosphere of a Northern conservatory, requires an age of from seventy to one hundred years to produce its blooms. But when it has its roots spread freely out in a warm Southern soil, and receives the full force of a hot Southern sun, it will bloom in from twelve to fifteen years. People from Mexico tell me that in some parts of that country it will bloom in from four to six years. As soon as its seeds are ripe the plant has reached its complete maturity and dies.

I have a plant in my yard which is now seven years old. It stands about eight feet high, is about ten feet tip to tip of the leaves and has leaves that I think would weigh a hundred pounds. From this plant I have raised plants so abundantly that, besides what I have sold to my nursery customers and given away, I yet have a border about one hundred and twenty-five yards long, and expect to plant a defensive hedge this season about two hundred yards in length.

It grows in any soil. No situation is too dry for it. It will flourish in the dryest chalk hills as well as in a rich alluvial soil. It not only defies drought, but glories in the hottest sunshine of our climate, and, in fact, is hardy against everything but cold. A plant may lie with roots exposed for a month to *our* August sun without a drop of rain, and then grow rankly if planted.

The century plant is known as the *agave*, in the conservatories of the North and East. We here call it by its Mexican name, *maguey*, (pronounced *ma-gay*). The fibre of the leaf is made into ropes, and the Mexicans sometimes use it as a shoe thread. From the sap is made the muscal, a substitute for wine all over Mexico; also distilled spirits in large quantities are made from the maguey, or century plant.

Henry Clay and the Goat.

The following anecdote of Henry Clay has just been published for the first time. As he came out of the Capitol at Washington, one day, seeing a frightened woman in the street, vainly striving to ward off the attacks of a sportive goat, he gallantly, in spite of his years and office, seized the goat by the horns. The woman thanked him warmly and sped hurriedly on. Mr. Clay would have liked to move on also, but the goat had its own views about the interference with his innocent amusement. As soon as the woman's deliverer loosed his hold on the two horns, the animal rose majestically on his hind legs and prepared for a charge. In his own defence Mr. Clay now took the animal as before by the horns, and thus for a time they stood, while a crowd of street boys gathered about, immensely amused at the unusual spectacle of a senator and a goat pitted the one against the other in a public street. As long as Mr. Clay held the goat by the horns, all was well enough. But the moment the quadruped was free came a fresh preparation for a charge. Not a boy offered assistance, but after a while one ventured to suggest, "Throw the Billy down, sir." Mr. Clay at once accepted and adopted the report of that committee, and tripping the goat up essayed to pass on. Before he could fairly turn away, however, the goat was up in lofty preparation for a new charge. Mr. Clay gave his enemy the floor of the pavement once more, and, keeping him there, turned to his new adviser with the question, "And what shall I do now?" "Cut and run, sir," replied the lad.

—Like as a master ought to pay the whole wages, so likewise the servant ought to do his whole work.

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FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1879.

THERE was a Rump Parliament once. We are not sure but that henceforth Pennsylvania can boast a rump Legislature. When a member, the other day, proposed that a day for adjourning should be fixed, he was hooted down. Strange as it may seem, if this Legislature had never convened the commonwealth would have been better off. And the day when they disband to go home will be the most profitably employed time of the whole session. There should be a reduction of from one-third to one-half in the membership of our Legislature. Then the pay of members should be stopped after a term sufficient for all necessary business. There is little doubt but that these measures would prove of incalculable public benefit.

THE Mississippi Valley Labor Convention is now in session at Vicksburg. A number of delegates are present, representing a large area of territory and the interest of the colored as well as of the white races. All political discussion is forbidden, and if the questions involved are frankly investigate d we may expect some valuable information concerning those causes which have resulted in the exodus. A convention like this ought to be competent to suggest measures which will measurably remedy the most serious evils. More than this cannot be hoped until time has accustomed both the late master and the late slave to those changed conditions, which are inevitable. The ex-master must learn from experience the wisdom of conciliation, and the late slave in the same way learn what are the true privileges of freemen.

A YEAR ago the 10th of May was made memorable in Chester by the public school picnic. When first talked of, this picnic was opposed by many, and many more, without directly opposing, condemned it, by faintly approving. Some of the teachers were so very modest that they shrank from making a spectacle of themselves by walking along the streets at the head of their respective schools. Some of the parents were so very anxious that they shrank from having their children exposed to the perils of such an occasion. Some of the citizens were so very frugal that they shrank from the costs incident to the plan. Eventually, the modest teachers were relieved by finding that it was the children, not themselves, that attracted attention; the parents were comforted by their children coming home unharmed, while the frugal citizens relented when they learned that, after all, there was not much of a bill to pay. Now teachers, parents, and most of all, the children, are anxiously questioning, "Is there to be a school picnic this year?"

PREJUDICES. — Prejudices of opinions formed without due examination of the facts are among the most troublesome of mental freaks. As man is a rational animal, and every man a little more rational than every other man, however troublesome prejudices may be they are presumably so scarce as in either their individual or aggregate influence to very slightly affect the happiness of our race. This is the theoretical aspect of the matter. Practically, prejudices are as thick as the flakes of a three-feet snow storm, and unlike these they rarely melt away. Reader, allow the suggestion, made in a very urbane way, that you have some prejudices. Almost everybody has them, and, curious to tell, the more absolute the prejudice the more obstinate is apt to be the defence by which it is justified. Reason does not afford much ammunition for such a defence, but rage does. And were it not so disgraceful it would certainly be very amusing to witness the way in which the average man stands by his prejudices. The roar of the lion and the venom of the serpent are upon his tongue; he hurls at his antagonist, without stint, noisy words and biting thoughts. And if he happens to be on his muscle, the coat comes off and the fist doubles up with a rapidity that is urgent just in proportion as the prompting cause is stupid. Men are slow to fight about a matter that permits of good reasons on both sides. But, reader, we have wandered from the suggestion intended to be most delicately made, that you have some prejudices. If you have, they are not worth having, and the sooner that you hunt them out and suppress them the better. Have reasons for your opinions. Opinions that are worth having can easily be protected by something better than a brute-like affirmation or denial.

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DAILY TIMES.

TIME TABLE.

P. W. & B. R. R.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9 38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.40, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Read Mr. Walter's explanation.

The farmers have commenced corn planting.

Great truths like great men are always simple.

Nature is content with little grace, lust with nothing.

A bumble bee came buzzing into our office this morning.

There is no disease without a dozen advertised remedies.

Scull, the D. C., has two aids. Business must be looking up.

People who help themselves soon find others to aid them.

Most men employ their first years so as to make their last miserable.

Great passions necessarily expose their possessor to great sacrifices.

There should always be fresh air in the sick room, and profound quiet.

Women are to be measured, not by their beauties, but by their virtues.

To the poor man, poverty greater than his own never appeals in vain.

He who follows in the footsteps of another, will always remain behind.

The funny man of the Philadelphia *Record* gets off some bright sayings.

The tickets for the grand masonic concert on the 20th, will be issued to-night.

Take your rod and line and go a-fishing. It is a pleasant way to put in an afternoon.

Cucumbers, two for a quarter, are in the market. Stomach ache costs too much, as yet.

"Josephine," of the Juvenile Pinafore Troupe will sing at the Masonic concert on the 20th.

The number of fine teams is increasing in Chester, and pleasure driving is getting very popular.

A strawberry festival is advertised in the Wilmington papers. Who will start the ball in Chester.

A three-masted schooner laden with 228 tons of logwood, arrived at Sharpless' wharf this morning.

If the Lord Harris cricketers should come to Chester and play our home club, we know who would win.

In sending your communications to the papers, don't let your personal prejudices crop out. They are easily seen.

Mr. Pancoast will move into his new store in a few days, where he will have more room and a better opportunity to display his goods.

Holly Tree Hall should have held a larger audience than it did last night, when the merits of the entertainment and its object is taken into consideration.

A "department of model homes" is a new feature at the Permanent Exhibition at Fairmount Park. The grand exhibition promises to be more successful than ever before.

Some scoundrels, who dislike work, stole some of the sods that the cricketers had taken up for the purpose of leveling the space between the wickets, and which they intended to put down again.

The county correspondence of the *Advocate* is unusually good this week, and when all the other excellent things it contains are taken into consideration, it is without a peer as a county newspaper. Get a copy.

Edward Queen, a colored man of Marcus Hook, while whitewashing a stable on an alley in the South ward, fell from a ladder, a distance of about twenty feet, through a shed. He was considerably bruised about the shoulder.

"Pass the fodder down so that the lambs can reach it," were the words of a good old Marcus Hook Methodist brother, many years ago, as he gave some instructions to a high-flown city preacher, who came as an exchange one Sunday.

Green's Grove, Upland, appears to be the popular resort for picnics this season. Although it is early in the season, about four are already advertised to come off there within the next month. Mr. Garrett Dalton is a good manager, and sees that everything is done decently and in order.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE POOR.—The entertainment given in Holly Tree Hall last evening by the Students' Union for the benefit of the poor, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of this city, was a grand success both financially and otherwise. The Students' Union has some very good talent in it. The entertainment last evening was deserving of much credit, and we are pleased to know the people appreciate their efforts. The hall was about three-fourths filled with a cheerful and intelligent audience.

The exercises began at eight o'clock with a piano duett, by Misses Laura and Marion McKeever, both of which have a reputation as performers, and they did not let that fair name, so justly won, be sullied last evening. Their rendition of Jennesse Doree was charming, and they were encored. Their reappearance was welcomed by a burst of applause and they played another very pretty duett, which merited continued applause.

A reading by Miss Florence P. Carter was next on the programme, and it was most admirably rendered. Miss Carter possesses good elocutionary powers, which are well cultivated, and she always interests an audience. She appeared to good advantage last evening. At the conclusion of her selection she was loudly applauded, and in response to an encore she read another very pretty selection, for which she received applause. Her pronounciation and emphasis are very correct.

Prof. John R. Sweney and Mr. Frank G. Sweney then sang a duett entitled the Brave Pilot, in their usual good style, and in answer to an encore they sang a selection from "Pinafore," known as the Merry Maiden and the Tar. This they sang very well and greatly pleased the audience. They demanded another piece, and Master and Pupil was then sung, which made all laugh.

Part first of the programme was concluded by Messrs. F. E. and E. L. Powell, of this city, illustrating the second sight. Mr. Edward Powell sat in a chair on the stage, and was blindfolded, while his brother Fred. went among the audience and gathered up such things as fans, handkerchiefs, coins, Indians' darts and such other things as he could get. These he would hold up and ask Edward what they were. The latter did not fail in describing every article minutely. He would tell the denomination of a coin and the date it bore when his brother was several yards away. To be sure that he did not get his information from the questioner, Prof. Gilbert asked him to tell the denomination and date of a coin which he held in his hand. This he did quickly, and then another person in the audience asked for the description of another coin, a foreign one. He gave it correctly, and was loudly applauded.

The handkerchief was then taken from Edward's eyes, and Fred. gave an example of foresight, which was even more strange than the second sight. He put a book of proverbs in the hands of one of the audience, Edward wrote one of the proverbs on a card and Fred., without touching it, gave it from a holder to another in the audience. Then a person drew a number on a slip of paper from a small bag containing as many slips as there were pages in the book, and Fred. shook a dice in a box, which, when thrown, indicated one. The number on the slip of paper was then given, and it indicated the page in the book, and the one on the die told the proverb, which corresponded exactly to the one written on the card. This occasioned much applause.

Part second of the programme was introduced by Miss Minnie Hinkson singing a soprano solo entitled By the Blue Sea. Many thought she sang better last night than on any previous occasion.

Her effort was well received, and in answer to an encore she sang another very entertaining selection, with which the audience were apparently delighted.

Miss Emma Brewer read a selection entitled Josiah Allen's Wife, which was very well done. This lady enters into her subject and brings out the true meaning of the it, beside having a well cultivated voice, which she controls admirably. She received an encore and then read the pretty little selection known as Katie Lee and Willie Gray, which merited much applause.

A duet, O, Wert Thou in the Cauld Blast? was sung by Misses Florence P. Carter and Minnie Hinkson. They sing very sweetly together, and Miss Carter, who always sings well, maintained her good reputation as a songstress. The selection was a very pretty one from Mendelsshon, and the singers merited warm applause.

Then followed a duet on the cornet and flute by Prof. John R. Sweney and Capt. R. K. Carter. This was one of the prettiest things of the evening, and was warmly appreciated. Capt. Carter's flute was in excellent tune, and so was the Captain, so the two together played their part well. Prof. Sweney's cornet was very well behaved, and he commanded it nobly. The serenade was good, and it was highly appreciated by those present.

The entertainment was concluded by the presentation of an amusing comedietta, entitled "Engagements," and most ably sustained by the following ladies and gentlemen: Misses Tillie Simpson, Esther Howard, M. L. Clancy, and Messrs. J. N. Shanafelt, F. E. Powell and E. L. Powell. All of these persons acquitted themselves most creditably, and performed their parts well. Mr. E. L. Powell's impersonation of Marcus Brass was especially good. It was a first-class piece, and seemed to take well with the audience. Its rendition occupied a little more time than was anticipated, which, with one or two other unexpected delays, made the programme a long one; but every one seemed to enjoy the entertainment, and expressed themselves well pleased.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—Dr. Griffin, an ex-cadet of the P. M. A. visited the Academy yesterday.

Cadet 4 met with a casualty while astride of the bicycle yesterday afternoon. He is bound to learn or bust, he says. He is not in the hospital.

The Fourth class will play the Second class to-morrow morning.

The cadets say they will play the Ross nine, if the gang of bad boys who usually follow them can be kept away or in abeyance.

SUPREME COURT. — THE SALE OF LIQUORS ON ELECTION DAY.—THE RIGHTS OF A JURY.—The case of Francis M. Kane, plaintiff-in-error against the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, defendant-in-error, carried from the Quarter Sessions of Montgomery county into the Supreme Court of this Commonwealth, is destined to become one of the most noted upon our books of State reports. For many years there has been a conflict between the bench and the bar touching their respective rights before a jury, in the trial of criminal cases. George N. Corson, Esq., the leading counsel in the case at this trial, and before the Supreme Court in banc, was an honored member of the Constitutional Convention, and there discussed and advocated an enlargement of this great charter of human liberty, the right of trial by jury, and a verdict given or rendered by twelve men. Mr. Corson was therefore armed in defence of his client's rights, and His Honor Judge Ross was equally zealous in sustaining the dignity and prerogative of the bench. In this the law was unsettled, and in the indictment before the Court for selling liquor on election day had never been adjudicated. No case had been tried under it. All the tavern keepers of the county opened their houses after the closing of the polls on election day as the law did not designate the hours.

The opinion filed by Mr. Chief Justice, in the above case, settles the question in Pennsylvania for all time, the rights of the jury in criminal cases, and that the word "day," in the 11th Section of the Act of April 12, 1875, includes the whole twenty-four hours of the day upon which an election is held.

Francis M. Kane kept a licensed tavern at Norristown. At the June sessions of Montgomery county of 1877, he was indicted for selling liquor on the preceding election day, and was convicted. On a motion in arrest of judgment, and for a new trial, the Court below set aside the verdict and granted a new trial, for radical defects appearing upon the face of the bill of indictment, now printed in the paper books, of the argument before the Supreme Court. It nevertheless happened that the learned District Attorney, after the new trial was granted on the first bill, drew a new bill, sent it before the Grand Jury, had it found, and then tried the defendant on it, without entering a *nol pros* on the first. The case was tried June 3, 1878. The defendant was convicted under the charge of the Court; after motion for a new trial, was sentenced, and then a writ of error taken out.

The learned Judge, Henry P. Ross, charged the jury: "You are the exclusive judges of the facts; they are for you alone. The law is for the court, and you will be governed by it, or you will not, as you have sworn to do, try the case by the law and the evidence. I do not assert that I am infallible. It is human to err, but it is not for you to declare my error. If I err, I am glad to know that I can be corrected, and the defendant protected in a higher tribunal. If, then, you believe the defendant sold liquor during the twenty-four hours of the day upon which the election was held, though not in progress at the time of the sale. your verdict should be 'guilty.' If you believe he did not sell, or have a reasonable doubt whether he did or not, your verdict will be 'not guilty.'"

The errors assigned were as follows: The Court erred in refusing to charge the jury: 1. That the Act of March 13, 1872, P. L. 24, is not repealed by implication. 2. That the Act of April 12, 1875, P. L. 42, no where repeals the Act of March 13, 1872, P. L. 24, in terms, does not propose to repeal it in its title, and if it does repeal it by section 11, that section is unconstitutional and void. 3. That the jury are the judges of the law and the fact. 4. That if the jury believe, from the evidence, that the defendant kept a hotel, and had license according to law, to sell the kind of liquors mentioned in the indictment, he cannot be convicted unless the jury find that his violation of the statute was willful and with knowledge that it was against the law. 5. That under the apparent unsettled condition of the law, and before any adjudication under the statutes conflicting and unrepealed, if the defendant believed he had a right to sell, he cannot be convicted. All these points the learned Judge failed to affirm.

The learned Court of last resort, Mr. Chief Justice Sharswood preparing and delivering the opinion, sustained the Court below, in that the 11th section of the Act of April 12, 1875, included the whole twenty-four hours of the day, upon which the election is held. But in a most learned and elaborate research and examination of the right of trial by jury, which he declares he "finds done to his hand in the very learned and exhaustive opinion of Mr. Justice Hall, of the Supreme Court of Vermont;" that the jury in the case were the judges of the law and the fact. Hence the *venire de noves*.

CEMETERY LOTS ENCLOSED.—Mr. D. H. Burns, the marble dealer, on Third street, below Parker, South ward, has just completed enclosing a lot 54x16 feet, in Cumberland cemetery, for Mr. Henry C. Walter and Mr. Minshall P. Sharpless. This is the largest, and said to be the most beautifully enclosed lot in the cemetery. The posts are large and cut from granite, and tubing which is very heavy. He has also built two brick vaults in Chester Rural cemetery, one for Mr. Thomas Brooks and one for Mr. Wm. Slemmons. A lot 36x20 feet, belonging to Mr. Wm. H. Brooks, has been enclosed by Mr. Burns. There are seventeen posts and very heavy tubing around this lot, and it is thought by many to be the prettiest fence of its kind in the cemetery. Within a short time he has completed two handsome cradles in Chester Rural cemetery for Mr. W. H. Trout, foreman in Messrs. Worthington & Whittingten's Iron works. Mr. Burns has considerable work for Cumberland, Mount Hope and Rockdale cemeteries.

A RUNAWAY AND SMASH UP.—This morning, a horse attached to the bread wagon of Mr. Traub, the baker, ran away on Second street, South ward, and when at Ulrich street the wagon was broken to pieces. The wheels were separated from the body, and the vehicle was a total wreck. The bread flew in all directions, and another wagon had to be procured.

A RAVENOUS DOG KILLED.—This morning about seven o'clock, Patrick McCormick was down on the wharf looking at the hucksters loading their wagons with fish, and a dog, belonging to a colored trader of West Chester, bit him on the knee, inflicting a deep, painful gash, and tearing his clothes. Had not the ravenous canine been beaten off he would have inflicted worse injuries. The dog then jumped at Mr. Paul Klotz who was standing by, but failed to get hold of him. Mr. McCormick and Mr. Klotz, then demanded that the dog be shot. The owner gave his consent, and officer Ireland was sent for. He put four bullets in the dog. This made him jump around the wharf at a lively rate. Officer Ireland had no more balls in his pistol, and Thomas Moore, who was standing by, fired the fifth bullet at him and he keeled over. A half-dozen other colored men then gathered around the owner of the dog and wanted him to prosecute the officer for killing it.

Acting under the advice of his colleagues, the owner of the dog, Theodore Harmon, brother to Matt. Harmon of this city, proceeded to Alderman Welser's and swore out a warrant, charging officer Ireland and Thomas Moore with shooting his dog, valued at $50. Constable Lane served the warrant, and a hearing in the case was had immediately. The testimony of Theodore Harmon and another man named Reed, who was with Harmon, and the well-known West India Joe, showed that Mr. McCormick went to the wagon loaded with fish, under which the dog was chained, and as McCormick came near the wagon the vicious dog bit him on the knee; that the dog was then removed to the City Hotel stable, and while on the way snapped at Councilman Klotz. The owner of the dog, to prevent arrest for keeping a vicious dog on the streets of Chester, gave the officer above referred to permission to shoot the dog, and that after officer Ireland had discharged all the bullets in his pistol he (the officer) gave Thomas Moore permission to put the dog out of its misery, for it was already dying.

There was great disorder in the Alderman's court, no respect was shown counsel in the case, and everybody was allowed to say something. After considerable vexation, officer Ireland and Mr. Moore were held in $100 each for their appearance at court to answer, and the plaintiff and his witness were each held in $50 for their appearance to prosecute the case. Security was entered by the defendants, and the plaintiffs were held in their own recognizance.

After this case was settled, Mr. Patrick McCormick appeared before Alderman Allen and took out a warrant, charging Theodore Harmon with keeping a vicious and dangerous dog, and after Harmon was arrested a hearing was given him. The testimony of Mr. McCormick and Mr. Klotz clearly showed the dog to be a dangerous one and too vicious to allow on public property. Alderman Allen demanded $200 bail for Harmon's appearance at court to answer, and in default he was locked up.

There was great interest manifested in the cases and the Aldermen's offices were filled and crowds gathered around the doors.

MR WALTER'S EXPLANATION.—We copy the following from the Philadelphia *Times* of to-day. To those who think that an editor has no right to receive an advertisement in advocacy of some bill about to come before the Legislature, simply because he is a member of that body, it may put a different phase on the question, but he did just as we would have done if placed in a similar position:

"In the House, Mr. Walter, member from Delaware county, and also editor of the Delaware county *Republican*, said he had been informed that during the investigation of the riot bill last evening his name had been mentioned in connection with a check for forty-six dollars, received by him from Mr. Magee, of Pittsburg, for advertising an article descriptive of the riot bill. He desired to say that the original article for publication had been sent by Mr. Magee, had been received by the business agent of the paper and inserted in the Delaware county *Republican* during the editor's absence at Harrisburg. He never saw the check referred to, nor did the advertisement or pay therefor influence his action on the bill in the slightest degree."

FELL IN THE CREEK.—Yesterday afternoon about three o'clock, a young man who was drunk and appeared to belong to a tug boat, was walking along the Front street railroad, and when he came to the bridge he could not walk so straight on the single plank as he should to insure safety, so down under the bridge he dropped. Mr. Charles Errickson, the bridge tender, was on the opposite side from him and did not see him until he was about to fall, or he would not have permitted the man to attempt to cross. When he saw him fall he ran to his assistance, and fortunately there was a couple of small boys in a row boat close by when the man fell, and they grabbed for him two or three times, but could not bring him up. Mr. Errickson got into the boat, caught the man by the shirt and pulled him into the boat. He was considerably exhausted, but after being resuscitated he started off up the street as if he had not been under the water at all. It was a very narrow escape for him.

DETECTIVE KERSHAW AT HOME.—Mr. Lewis E. Kershaw, who left this city on the 21st of April last with the Great London Circus as special officer, returned home this morning looking as well as usual. The circus has showed every day since it left here, and to-day is in Norristown. Mr. Kershaw says it was all a hoax about the jaguar getting away as reported a short time ago, but yesterday, while showing at Phœnixville, one of the lions got out of the cage and created a panic in the tent. There were five or six hundred in the animal tent, and after the lion had frightened them out, and several fainted, the keeper succeeded in getting him back to the cage. A day or two ago the celebrated lady rider fell from her horse and sustained a fracture of a leg. Nearly every day there is an accident of some kind. Mr. Kershaw will join the show to-morrow again, when they start for the West.

BOOTH'S SALE.—The public sale of the real estate, in this city, of the late William Booth, which will take place to-morrow afternoon on the premises, gives promise of being one of the largest sales that has taken place in this city for a long time. It includes building lots, both improved and unimproved, situated in the best part of Chester, and they will afford an opportunity for investors. The lots are located on Broad, Madison and Eleventh streets—an improving portion of the town—and those wishing to secure a home in a good neighborhood will not soon have another such opportunity. The sale will commence at two o'clock, and persons desiring to bid should be in time. For particulars, see advertisement in another column.

ATTEMPT AT HOUSE BREAKING.—Yesterday afternoon a tramp came to the house of Mr. Philip Smith on East Fifth street, and in the absence of the family he began to break into the house. He had out the front window of the cellar and had crawled half way in when he was advised to get out of that, and so decamed. When asked what he wanted, he replied, "Something to eat." Mr. Smith's house was entered by burglars the day the circus was here, but nothing of value was taken.

THE ROSS NINE ORGANIZED.—The Ross Base Ball Club, of this city, that did such good work these last two years, has reorganized and will put the following nine in the field: Messrs. Hannum, Streets, Glennon, Hargraves, News, H. Lutton, A. Lutton, Lambert and Birch, with Taylor as the tenth man. This club is now ready to receive challenges from any base ball club. Letters should be addressed to Charles F. Worrilow, Yeadon Mills, Chester.

DINING ROOMS.—The ladies of Chester and the county, when shopping in Philadelphia, will find the dining rooms of George Wanamaker at 823 Market street, (above Strawbridge & Clothier's,) and 42 South Second street. Here a first class meal may be had at a very reasonable price. The rooms are elegantly furnished and the politest of waiters are always in attendance. See advertisement in another column.

WHOSE WATCH WAS IT?—After detective Kershaw left this city with the circus he succeeded in getting hold of a pawn ticket, which called for a gold, open-faced watch, and he supposed the time-piece might belong to some one in or around Chester, so he sent a dispatch to the Chief of Police concerning the watch, but never heard from it.

INQUEST.—Coroner Fairlamb was summoned this morning to hold an inquest on the body of a little boy about four years old, who died quite mysteriously at his home near Howellville, this county.

A BAND OF GYPSIES.—This morning, a few minutes past ten o'clock, a band of gypsies passed through this city on their way into the country. There were four wagons, followed by several horses.

SLOOP SOLD.—Sloop S. L. Casperson was sold at U. S. Marshal's sale yesterday, at Mr. N. Pennell's ship yard, South ward, for $150.

LODGERS.—Last night there were eight lodgers in the station house.

MEDICAL men often puzzle themselves over the large sale that Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup enjoys. Its great popularity is due only to the excellent qualities possessed by this household medicine. Price 25 cents a bottle.

PARLOR suits in fine black walnut, upholstered in any style at very reasonable prices at Messick's furniture warerooms, Nos. 621 and 623 Edgmont avenue. §

THE CHEAPEST.—A good pair of boots or shoes is always the cheapest, and Harkin makes them at 524 Market street. §

NEW STORE, NEW GOODS, low prices and better bargains. Come and see the stock and prices.

At N. F. MOYER'S,
ap18-tf 723 Edgmont avenue.

EVERYBODY goes to the Original Boston 99c. Store, 45 North Eighth street, Philadelphia. Beautiful tables, 99c.; Rogers & Bro.'s spoons and forks, 99c. a set; steel knives and forks, leather bags, trunks, lamps, and a store filled with useful articles. Nothing over 99c. a9-d&w-3m

FROM THE CHAMPION WRESTLER. — I know of no remedy that will so quickly remove the discolorations of the skin resulting from injuries, soreness and pains of the joints, muscles and bones, the result of violent and continued exercise, as Giles' Liniment Iodide Ammonia. I have used it myself and have seen it used by others and recommend its use to all athletes. HARRY HILL,
No. 26 East Houston street, N. Y.
Sold by M. H. Bickley. Send for pamphlet.
DR. GILES,
120 West Broadway, N. Y.
Trial size, 25 cents.

Frivolous Counsel.

The idle talk of unscientific people who know nothing of the invisible action of medicine, should not be heeded by those who have kidney or liver troubles. One package of Kidney-Wort is then the reasonable thing to have. Your druggist has it.

CHEW Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

MARRIED.

DAVIS—CRIPPS.—On the 8th inst., by Rev. J F. Crouch, No. 330 Kerlin street, this city, Charles E. Davis, Esq., and Miss Hannah A Cripps, both of Wilmington, Del. [Wilmington papers please copy.]

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.—A SITUATION AS WATCHman. Apply to
J. E. BLACK & BRO,
my9-2t* Market street, Chester.

UPLAND ITEMS.—D. G. Pretty has been at some expense and considerable labor in building places in his father's garden and covering them with glass, making hot beds for growing early plants, and now he is prepared to sell lettuce, tomato and other plants of large and strong growth at reasonable prices.

On Main street John Rea and John L. Sanders are both preparing to sell ice cream to their over-heated neighbors this summer.

Louis Albrand has established himself on Second street in the rag business. Over a wooden shanty on said street may be seen his shingle with the words "Cash paid for rags."

Mr. James H. Moore has got his name painted in very large letters on the sign board in front of his store.

A number of the front yards in our village are now offering lovely sights of rare flowers to the passer-by, as well as to those who planted them.

Mr. S. A. Crozer has put up several new fences, and is painting the yard gates. He has done the right thing in the right way. The uniformity of the painting will cause the general appearance of the fences to be far more agreeable than the blue, brown, black, red and yellow gates that used to be.

The whitewashing of fences is beginning to make our streets look cheerful and light, and the homes of our people tidy and neat.

The members of the Baptist and Methodist Sunday schools are invited to participate in the service of song, on Decoration Day.

The bleach house erected by J. P. Crozer's Sons, at No. 1 mill, is now roofed in, and three large tanks are ready to take their places therein.

Mr. McLaughlin, the Borough workman on our streets, is shoveling out the gutters, and making them both look and smell better than they have been doing for some time past.

The funeral of John Ainsworth, last Tuesday, was attended by an escort of the members of Upland Louge, Knights of Pythias, to Frankford. He was a member of a lodge in that place. UPLAND.

Remedy for Carpet Beetles, Moths, etc.

At this season we are frequently besieged by inquiries in relation to the carpet beetle, moth, etc. Many of your readers may be glad to know of the following simple remedies:

First.—Steep one quarter of a pound of Cayenne pepper in a gallon of water, add two drachms of strychnia powder. Strain and pour this tea into a shallow vessel, such as a large tinned iron milk pan. Before unrolling a new carpet, set the roll on each end alternately in this poisoned tea for ten minutes, or long enough to insure the saturation of its edges for at least an inch. After beating an old carpet, roll and treat all its seams and edges to the same bath. Let the carpet dry thoroughly before tacking it to the floor, in order to avoid the accidental poisoning of the tacker's fingers by the liquid. It is perhaps unnecessary to state that the residue of the liquid should be thrown out where it will not be drunk by any domestic animal, or if preserved for future use, carefully labelled "poison."

This preparation will not stain or disfigure carpets nor corrode metals in contact with the carpet, as will most preparations of corrosive sublimate.

Second.—One pound of quassia chips, one quarter of a pound of Cayenne pepper steeped in two gallons of water. Strain and use as above. This preparation, although irritating to the human skin, especially on cut surfaces, has the advantage of not being poisonous.

To either of these teas from one quarter to one half more boiling water may be added at the time of first using, if greater depth of the liquid in the vessel be required. When it is desirable to treat carpets that are not to be taken up, either of the above preparations may be applied by means of any of the common atomizers to every seam and margin, with good results, although a second, and even third, application may be needed.—*Correspondent Scientific American.*

Early Grass.

Very many farmers, and many otherwise good dairymen, seem to think that they may save money by turning their cows upon the pastures on the first appearance of grass, and that thereafter all the feed given at home is thrown away. There is nothing more fallacious. If you have plenty of pasture and it will not poach under foot, give the stock a chance at it by all means, but do not fail to give the usual feed night and morning so long as they will eat. The young grass will tend to clear the system of humor, and act as an alternate to the other food given. It will also quickly improve the color and flavor of butter. If pasture is not plenty, it is far better to keep them in the yards until the grass grows to a fair bite. It is the worst possible policy to try and save hay and grain in the spring between fodder and grass. Such stock will show this false economy all through the season.

Another mistake is in supposing that cattle stabled all winter may be turned out in the spring and exposed to cold storms and wind and rain. Pull off your winter flannels the first of April, and see how it is yourself. Stock, especially dairy stock, and all animals giving milk, should be carefully protected from storms in the spring until the days and nights are warm. A cold storm will not only distress a milking animal severely, but the milk will shrink from a single exposure, often to such a degree that it will not be regained during the whole summer. It is far easier to bring the milk to yield up to a maximum, than, once lost, to recover it. Therefore give plenty of good feed and good shelter all through the spring. —*Prairie Farmer.*

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A Very Easy Thing to Die.

Is death painless? The best medical authorities have about agreed that the last moments of a dying man are comparatively free from pain, and William Hunter, the greatest of English physiologists, upon his deathbed, as he felt his end approaching, said: "If I could grasp a pen I would write how easy a thing it is to die." But the last gasps, the stiffening of the muscles, the death rattle—are they painless? Is death really a cessation of pain? These are questions that are yet unanswered. No man has ever taken the fatal step to come back and relate his experience. Death from strychnine poisoning is generally supposed to be the most painful of all deaths. The agonies of the terrible tetanic spasms have been pictured as most horrible.

But the poisoning is not always attended by suffering. C. C. Cook, the special State House policeman and night watchman, it will be remembered, took a dose of strychnine by mistake a short time ago. He was found in the State Library, lying upon the reading table, perfectly unconscious, his back arched, and his head almost reaching his heels, in a violent tetanic convulsion. Medical aid was summoned, and after three hours of pumping and rubbing, during which time he was knotted in spasms, he recovered. His first request was for a chew of tobacco, and in an hour's time he was apparently in his customary health, and with the exception of a feeling of soreness in his muscles, he felt comparatively well. He slept remarkably sound that night, and got up in the morning none the worse for the evening's blunder.

He thus described his sensations to a *News* reporter: "After I had taken the stuff I walked down the street to the Metropolitan Theatre and took a seat. I had hardly settled myself when I felt strangely. I was hot all over; grew dizzy and light-headed; everything turned white, and I felt so queer that I got up and walked down stairs. I went to the State Library and lay down on the reading table. That was the last I knew until I was brought to. I didn't suffer a particle of pain. After I came to I asked for some tobacco, got up and walked around, and if I hadn't been a little weak and sore, I should have felt better than I do now. It is an experience I don't want to have again, though. There is too much danger in it to suit me." A prominent physician and a professor in the medical college was talked to about the case, and gave it as his opinion that it was very remarkable. The absence of pain does not occur more than once in a thousand cases.—*Indianapolis News.*

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—Almost as much feeling exists among carriage builders at the present time, on the subject of "shoddy carriages," says the Boston *Commercial Bulletin*, as was created among the boys in blue during the rebellion by shoddy army clothing. Only the finest and strongest materials can be employed with safety in light vehicles for city use, where a few hours' tumultuous agitation over cobble stone pavements, and half a dozen lurches against the rails of the horse car tracks, are liable to cause the spokes to fly from the wheel of a shoddy carriage as readily as the mud flies from its tires—in which case the fate of the occupants is seldom satisfactory.

—Shun the inquisitive, for thou wilt be sure to find him leaky; open ears do not keep conscientiously what has been entrusted to them, and a word once spoken flies never to be recalled.

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NEW SERIES OF STOCK.

The Delaware County Building Association will, by order of the Board of Directors, issue its Tenth Series of Stock on the first Monday in June, 1879. The number of Shares will be limited to two hundred.

Persons desiring to subscribe for this Stock can leave their names with

WILLIAM DOLTON, President, Third street, West of the Bridge,
Or, ORLANDO HARVEY, Sec.,
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NOTICE—AN ADJOURNED MEETING of the stockholders of the Fidelity Building and Loan Assaciation, of Chester, will be held in the office of H. L. Donaldson, Market square, on Saturday evening next, May 10, at 7½ o'clock, to receive the report of the Committee on By-Laws, and to elect officers for the ensuing year. H. L. DONALDSON, Secretary.
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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6 45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

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Leave Media at 10 A. M., and 5 P. M.
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LATEST NEWS.

In the U. S. Senate, yesterday, Mr. Harris, from the Committee on Epidemic Diseases, reported a substitute for the National Health bill. The House bill for the payment of Captain Eads for work done on the jetties was passed. The bill to prevent military interference at elections was also passed—yeas, 33; nays, 23. The Legislative Appropriation bill was taken up and the Senate adjourned.

The Board of Naval Engineers, appointed to decide upon a plan for a refrigerating ship, or refrigerating machinery for disinfecting purposes, began its deliberations yesterday. Four different systems of refrigeration were submitted by fourteen inventors. The object is to secure a method which will reduce the temperature of the air throughout the interior of a fifteen-hundred ton ship to zero of Fahrenheit, at New Orleans, in July; and this, it is believed, can be obtained.

The latest reports of the invasion of the Indian Territory received by the Secretary of the Interior, and presented by him to the Cabinet meeting yesterday, "indicate that the movement has not been exaggerated."

In the Southern Baptist Convention, at Atlanta, yesterday, the special committee on co-operation with Northern Baptists unanimously reported in favor of sending five fraternal messages North, and suggested the holding of a meeting of representative men from all sections to propose plans of co-operation. It was made the order for to-day. S. M. Marston was received as messenger from the American Baptist Home Mission Board.

Canal boat owners and captains in Buffalo were excited yesterday by a demand, made without previous intimation, for a rebate of $10 per boat on wheat and $5 on corn. No explanation, it is said, was offered, only the alternative being given of paying the rebate or unloading their boats.

The manufacturers of Fall River, Mass., have signed an agreement to close their mills in the event of a strike at one or more of the mills, and to keep them closed until the strike is over.

William Nathans, another of the injured by the Stanton shaft disaster, at Wilkesbarre, died yesterday. Immense quantities of black damp issue from the mouth of the mine, indicating that the fire covers a large area in its depths. It is predicted that when the water with which the mine is being flooded rises high enough to shut off the air, a tremendous explosion will take place. The water is now ten feet deep; it will probably be necessary to flood the mine to a depth of 300 feet in order to extinguish the fire.

At Nyack, N. Y., yesterday, the suit of Receiver Green against Samuel W. Canfield and others, trustees of the Rockland Savings Bank, for moneys misappropriated or wasted by them, resulted in a verdict for $36,530, with allowance of cost and interest, making in all about $92,000. The verdict is against Samuel W. Canfield, President, and Richard P. Ellis, Secretary of the Bank, the jury finding in favor of the other defendants. Indictments against Canfield and Ellis for perjury and embezzlement will be tried on the 27th.

The first steamer that ever plowed the water of the Delaware river as high up as Delaware, N. J., passed that place yesterday afternoon. She is a small side-wheeler, 60 feet in length, named the Kittatinny; will carry about 75 passengers, and ply between the Delaware Water Gap and Port Jervis, N. Y.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, May 9—Lord George F. Hamilton, Vice President of the Council, was incorrectly reported as having said in the House of Commons, yesterday, in reply to a question, that swine from the United States had been discovered suffering from the trichina worm. But what he did say, in reply to a specific question, was, that he had not heard of trichina in these American swine. The order of the Council alluded to, requiring that swine from the United States shall be slaughtered at the port of landing after the first of June, is in consequence of typhus having been discovered in swine from the United States.

Five hundred head of cattle from South America, were slaughtered at Glasgow yesterday, in consequence of disease.

In the House of Lords last night there was read a second time, without a division, the bill, which had previously passed the House of Commons, to allow the establishment of "retreats," in which habitual drunkards may be shut up and subjected to special treatment. It is left to their own choice to enter the retreat or not. The candidate for admission must appear before a justice of the peace, signify in writing his wish to be admitted, and state the time during which he is willing to continue an inmate. This done he is no longer a free agent. He must stay out the time for which he has bound himself, and conform to the regulations of the establishment, however distasteful they may be to him.

The Metropolitan Board of Works, after the recent experiment on the Thames embankment, find that the electricity costs 2¼ pence an hour per lamp more than the best gas giving equal light. The report declares that the defects connected with the electric lighting must prevent its general adoption.

The British iron-clad Iron Duke is ashore at Shanghai. The Iron Duke is a double screw iron ship, armor plated, 6034 tons burthen, and 4208 horse power. She carried fourteen guns.

LONDON, May 10.—A despatch to the *Standard* from Lahore announces that Yakoob Khan has accepted all the British proposals. These advance the British frontier line so as to give the British the Kojuk Pass, Pishien Valley; the Kurum Valley as far as Shutardan Pass, and the Khyber Pass as far as Loargi. The British also gain the right to keep an agent at Candahar, but the correspondent is not informed as to whether they are to have agents at Cabul and Herat. It is not known whether the treaty will be signed immediately at Gundamuk or later at Cabul. Major Cavagnari will return as envoy to Cabul with Yakoob Khan.

The cholera is decreasing in India.

LONDON, May 9.—The Press Association announces that the War Office has issued circulars asking for 1200 volunteers from the regular army for the Cape. Bounties are also offered to men in the militia and to reserves who volunteer.

The transports Serapis and Crocodile are ordered to be in readiness for the embarkation of the troops.

Keep the Streets Clean.

A little incident which to American ears may sound strange, but which we believe to be strictly true, is related by an editor of an exchange. We give briefly the substance: An American gentleman who spent some months in Paris not long ago, while taking his morning promenade in the Rue de Rivoli, soon after his arrival, bought some grapes at a fruit shop and ate them as he walked along. He then wrapped the stalks, etc., in the paper and hesitated what to do with the little parcel. In New York it could be thrown any where—into the street, on the sidewalk, or into one of the ash barrels which generally stands, sentinel-like, before each door. But the pavement of the Rue de Rivoli was too scrupulously clean for him to think of soiling it. Continuing his walk, no ash barrel appeared; and turning into a side street in the hope of seeing some place where, with a clear conscience, he might throw his parcel, he found every street looking like a well-washed floor. So he put his package in his pocket, and took it with him to his hotel.

There is a moral to this little story which citizens of New York, as well as of other towns, may well search out and apply. Our streets will never be kept clean until law and custom combine to prevent them from constantly getting dirty. Sweeping is necessary, of course, as within the streets there are sources of uncleanliness; but why should the streets of a great city be made a general debris box for all sorts of refuse swept from shops, yards and sidewalks? Why should every body be allowed to toss into the street almost any thing he pleases, or uncovered ash barrels and garbage boxes be left to the mercy of the wind, the rag-picker, and the mischievous small boy? If every householder and every shopkeeper were compelled by law to take proper care of dirt and debris originating on his own premises, instead of daily sweeping them into the thoroughfares, a new era would dawn.—*Bazar.*

Anecdote of Webster.

As a boy clinging to my father's arm, I stood on Bunker Hill, where stood at the same time most of Massachusetts—in fact most of the American nation, if reckoned by quality—and listened to Daniel Webster when the top stone of the monument was laid. The experience was in the power of a single sentence, and a sentence which does not, probably, appear in Mr. Webster's works. The oration had not yet begun, and the vast crowd pressing to get nearer the orator, finally, in their impetuosity pushed back the lines of military, and as, in my vicinity, the guards held their muskets horizontally pressed against the breast of the people, they were swept away by the crowd, who knocked up their muskets, hitting breech and bayonet right and left, and pouring forward in such masses as threatened to trample those in front to death. In vain the master of ceremonies entreated them to fall back, for there was an oceanic swell behind that fairly flung those in advance toward the stand. At last he begged Mr. Webster himself to come forward and plead with the tumultous crowd. He arose, advanced a step or two toward us, and said, "Gentlemen, you must fall back!" "Mr. Webster, it is impossible! It is impossible, Mr. Webster," shouted a thousand voices at once. Then the Jupiter burst forth. Raising his arm, and his voice, as his burning eye flashed over the excited multitude before him, he exclaimed, "Gentlemen, nothing is impossible to Americans on Bunker Hill!" A great shout thundered through those thronging thousands, and they surged back like waves from the shore. That was eloquence, or rather, to use Webster's language, it was "something higher and nobler than all eloquence—action, noble, sublime, godlike action."—*Zion's Herald.*

Brightest and Best.

Superintendent Carter, of the Pennsylvania Experimental Farm, endorses heartily the Perfected Butter Color of Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt. It gives the brightest and best color to butter of any preparation in the world. Druggists keep it.

—In the penitentiary, John S. Morton is at shoemaking, Huhn at cane seating, Flowers, the Custom House officer, at the manufacture of cigars.

—Debating clubs are anxiously worrying themselves over the problem, which has the most bones, a two dollar corset, or a fifty cent shad.—Syracuse *Times.*

—Dennis Kearney will be disfranchised by the new constitution of California. It provides that no idiot or insane person shall ever exercise privileges of an elector in that State.—Boston *Com. Advertiser.*

GOOD NIGHT.

God keep you safe, my little love,
All through the night;
Rest close in His encircling arms
Until the light.
My heart is with you, as I kneel to pray,
Good Night! God keep you in his care alway!

Thick shadows creep, like ghosts,
Above my head;
I lose myself in tender dreams,
While overhead
The moon comes stealing through the window bars,
A silver sickle gleaming 'mid the stars.

For I, though I am far away,
Feel safe and strong
To trust you thus, dear love, and yet
The night is long.
I say, with sobbing breath, the old fond prayer,
"Good Night! Sweet dreams! God keep you everywhere!"

Plant Trees.

Spring-time has come again. This is the season when every one begins to make some improvements. There are but few farms that contain enough ornamental trees about the buildings.

What trees shall the owner plant? For deciduous trees, select from open places young Elms, Maples, Lindens, Ashes, White-woods. For evergreens, get from the nursery stock trees about two feet high. Unless the planter is an expert, let him begin with well-tried sorts, such as Norway Spruce, Hemlock Spruce, White Pine, Australian Pine, Scotch Pine, Arbor-vitæ, Savin, Irish Juniper, and the like.

Where shall he plant? Seldom in straight rows, or within thirty feet or more of a building. Rows of deciduous trees may extend along the margins of the highways. Plant them thirty or forty feet apart; protect them from cattle and mulch heavily, or keep them cultivated. In the direction of the prevailing cold winds plant evergreens for protection. Here and there about the grounds put in groups, with now and then isolated specimens. Leave some broad, open lawn without any trees or shrubs. Take up the trees well; keep the roots from the sun and wind; keep them damp till they are well planted. Now mulch at once, before dry summer comes on; or, instead of this, cultivate every week or ten days until September. It is a good plan to plant thickly, if the proprietor can remember to thin in the proper time before any of the trees are injured by crowding. Keep up the mulch, or better, keep up the thorough cultivation for four or five years. Besides this, the trees will need but little care. With good cultivation, the tops will run up and the limbs spread out; the owner will be gratified and surprised to see how fast his trees grow. To keep the evergreens stocky, with thick tops, they should be trimmed. They may be sheared, or, better still, some of the limbs should be cut back to where they leave other limbs. This may be done at any time of the year. Have no fears of cutting off the leader. Cut away anywhere you desire and watch the result. The more they are cut back, the thicker they will grow. From year to year a few new choice kinds can be added as the farmer becomes satisfied that he wants them.

Trees increase the value of a place, whether the owner wishes to sell or to use it for a home. Trees shelter the dwelling and the barns from piercing winds; they add comfort and joy to man and beast; they economize the food of animals; they save fuel in the sitting-room; they harbor birds; they afford shade in summer. Plant trees for yourself, for your wife, for your children and grandchildren. Plant trees as a good example to your neighbor and the stranger who passes by your farm.

We know a pleasant old man who has a large family. All of them have settled near him, and have not deserted country life. He is cheerful, and makes everybody about him happy. At a public meeting, the other day, he made a remark that impressed itself on the mind of every person present. We cannot give his exact words, but he substantially said: "Several years ago I planted a lot of evergreens about my house. I took good care of them. People laughed at me and thought I was wasting time. They said I would never live to enjoy them. The trees are already the admiration of all who see them. I feel that I have set a good example for all to follow. Some neighbors have done so. I am an old man, and my body will soon be laid in the country cemetery. A tombstone will be erected, on which, now and then, some one will read my name. Far better than this: the evergreens I have planted will last for many years and serve as a landmark. Neighbors, as they ride by, will say to strangers and their friends, 'Old Mr. ——— planted those evergreens.'"—*Rural New Yorker.*

Soot vs. Wireworms.

A correspondent of the London *Land and Water* found the wireworm so abundant in every part of the garden he was set to cultivate, that he could scarcely grow a potato or carrot without its being rendered useless by it; and among the various things he was led to adopt as preventives, soot appeared to be the only effectual remedy. This he applied to potato crops in the following manner: The drills were got ready in their usual way, and the sets laid in at the bottom of each drill; the soot was then put down upon them, in quantity sufficient to cause the drills to assume quite a black appearance. This being done, the drills were closed in the ordinary way to the natural level, and work was finished. Whenever soot was applied the crops turned out clean and good, scarcely a trace of the wireworm's ravages was to be seen, while those from rows not dressed with soot were quite the reverse—the potatoes being pierced through in every direction, and fit only for feeding to the pigs.

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SATURDAY, MAY 10, 1879.

As a class, the railroad Presidents of the United States are well paid. Some wicked people say overpaid. For instance, there is Scott, the Pennsylvania railroad President. He is President, Vice President and Director in a score or more of roads, and his aggregate salary is $100,000. Jewett, of the Erie railroad, is paid $40,000. There are several other railroad Presidents, whose names we refrain from mentioning, with incomes to be counted in tens of thousands of dollars. All of which leads us to express the opinion that among stockholders there would be more satisfaction and among railroad employees more contentment if wages at the top and at the bottom and along the whole line of railroad positions were more evenly distributed.

CHESTER city bonds are just as safe an investment as government bonds. The government four per cents are taken as fast as offered, and speculators are buying the ten-dollar certificates to use them in securing these four per cents. If these facts are worth anything, they suggest the strong probability that our city bonds of the same denomination would find a ready market, especially if they were sufficiently advertised. Suppose they did not, nobody would be hurt. The conclusion would be that investors did not wish these bonds. No more, no less. The municipal credit rests upon altogether a different basis than the failure or the success of an attempt to negotiate its paper. It is the municipal credit which gives value to the paper. Not the paper which determines the credit.

THE bicycle is coming into use among the country physicians in England. Instead of trudging off afoot or mounting the traditional gig, these gentlemen leap on to their bicycles, and without either whip or spur dash away at the rate of eight or ten miles an hour. Tolerably rough roads or quite steep grades offer no serious obstacle, as after a little practice the riders are able to move at satisfactory speed, notwithstanding such trifles. With the aid of that new motor whose power still lies undeveloped in the brain of some live Yankee, who dare affirm that the bicycle will not yet become the popular road wagon of America? This generation may not live to see it. But it is no more wonderful that this should be the destiny of the bicycle than are many other things that have happened.

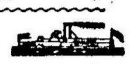
"THE veil, which in former days was the point about which the neighborhood gossip used to circle, wondering why 'she' didn't have it a little longer or a little shorter, or with a deeper or narrower hem, is now usually about two yards and a quarter in length, and is fastened very closely around the back of the bonnet, falling over the face."

We clip from an exchange this interesting item of information for the benefit of those of our readers who don't know the most approved way to tell their sorrows to the world. Grief would lose half its luxury—in some cases, indeed, would cease to be a luxury at all—if an opportunity to parade it were not offered. As it is, who would not rather rejoice if somebody very near and dear to them would drop off, so that they might look sweet in a long black veil? It is a little queer, though, that broken hearts always melt into such punctilious attention to the toilet.

IN old times nations went to war when they felt the stirrings of ambition within them. And sought by arms to make themselves great. They have, however, gradually learned something of the truth that peace also has her victories, and by International exhibitions strive to win those laurels which crown success. The sword has qualifiedly surrendered to the hammer and the loom. How much longer such International competitions will serve the purpose is every year becoming a matter of increasing doubt. The nations are getting tired of them. There is to be one next year, however, which, with the United States, at least, should find special favor. We refer to that which is to grace the City of Mexico. If President Diaz should remain in office until then and be able to fulfil all the fair promises which he has made, our merchants and manufacturers should be careful to put their best foot foremost. Mexico ought to be what it is not, an excellent market for the productions of this country.

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MORDECAI LEWIS,
my8 10-2t Clerk.

PUBLIC SALE OF THE CONTENTS OF a Grocery and Provision Store, No. 220 East Ninth street, city of Chester, on MONDAY, MAY 12th, commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., consisting of sugars, teas, coffee, molasses, spices, hams and shoulders, pickels, pork, vinegar, flour, soap and candles, brushes, brooms, crockery and other wares, refrigerator, in good order; oil tank, about five barrels of headlight oil, scales and weights, coffee mill, together with a variety of articles not enumerated.

The sale will positively commence at ten o'clock. Conditions, cash.

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my7-4t Auctioneer.

NOTICE.—AN ADJOURNED MEETING of the stockholders of the Fidelity Building and Loan Assaciation, of Chester, will be held in the office of H. L. Donaldson, Market square, on Saturday evening next, May 10, at 7½ o'clock, to receive the report of the Committee on By-Laws, and to elect officers for the ensuing year. H. L. DONALDSON,
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SPRING FOREIGN COTTONS.
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We are showing all the newest styles in Silk, Camel's Hair, Diagonals, Drap d'Ete, &c.; Sacques in Corduroy, Camel's Hair, Mottled, Plaid and Plain Cloths. Circulars, Ulsters, and Mantles in every conceivable kind of light weight goods.

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SPRING STAPLE GOODS.
Our stock of those goods, including Calicoes, Percales, Ginghams, Muslins, Sheetings, Flannels, etc., we are distributing to customers at one small uniform profit above first cost as lessened by prompt cash purchases in large lots.

SPRING MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.
Although this department has been increased to more than four times its former size, it is now scarcely large enough to accommodate its many patrons. No such stock can be found elsewhere. The department is situated in our retired second story parlors, easily accessible by elevator.

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SPRING QUILTS AND BLANKETS.
We have in stock all grades of Jacquard, Honeycomb and Marseilles Spreads, in sizes for cradles, cribs, ship berths, single and double beds. We are offering large size SUMMER BLANKETS at $4.00 per pair, which is lower than such excellent quality of goods has ever before been sold.

SPRING CLOAKINGS.
Our assortment is complete in all the newest styles and colorings. The newest thing for Ladies' and Children's Coats is soft-finish Corduroy. We have it in all the popular shades.

SPRING PARASOLS AND UMBRELLAS.
The newest styles of Parasols are an entire departure from those in vogue last year. We were confident that they would meet with popular favor, and laid in a large stock of the choicest shapes, styles and handles. Though the prices have been advanced because of scarcity, we shall offer ours as originally intended, at a small increase on the manufacturers' prices.

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Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9 38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.40, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

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Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

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Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

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SATURDAY, MAY 10, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Subscribe for the new four per cents.

The face of nature is growing more and more beautiful every day.

The Coroner has another case in Media this morning, that of a dead infant.

It is said that twelve millions of tons of coal will be mined more than last year.

Button-hole bouquets on a well-dressed man are a happy combination of nature and art.

Frost was so heavy last night that the farmers are a little dubious about their fruit crop.

Attending to the details of the business will command success more than anything else.

Observe the Sunday law to-morrow, and purchase everything this evening that you will need.

The public school picnic takes place this year on Friday, June 13th. The last day of the session.

There is no fragrance sweeter than that of the apple blossom, unless it be the fragrance of a sweet disposition.

Not much probability there will be any more skating before next winter, even if we do have frost every night or two.

If this is going to be a hot summer, as some of the prophets predict, it is time some of the fine work should be put in now.

The High School commencement will take place in Holly Tree Hall next month. The graduates have their theses in preparation.

The Mackinnon fountain pen agent is making sales every day. We like ours more and more the longer we use it. This is the experience of all who have tred it.

The steamer Richard Stockton, which ran from Philadelphia to Cape May last season, is now plying between New York and Rockaway.

The Third street bridge shakes a good deal since the heavy boilers passed over, but it shook a good deal before, and probably that is the reason.

Lots of Southern vegetables in the market this morning. Wait a little longer, and Delaware county vegetables will be here, and a great deal cheaper.

Read Wanamaker & Brown's advertisement. It will pay those who want a spring suit to visit the establishment at Sixth and Market streets, Philadelphia.

Tomatoes, 80 cents per quart, cucumbers five cents apiece, and spring chickens forty-five cents per pound, are among the specialties in the market this morning.

Post Wilde, in conjunction with Professor Sweney, are perfecting arrangements to make Decoration day one of the most imposing ever held in Chester.

The Fidelity Building Association will hold its first meeting to-night for the purpose of electing officers and receiving subscriptions to steck. A great number of shares have been taken.

The side yard of the new Lutheran church has been newly sodded, and the entrance to the lecture room very much improved. Until further notice the services will be held in the basement.

The Boroughs of Upland and North Chester are out of debt. The latter has a small bonded debt, but it can pay it off when the bonds mature. The holder refuses to relinquish the eight per cent.

Mr. Amos, the photographer, has made some very attractive pictures of the Crozer Theological Seminary and its students. They will form pleasant souvenirs, in after years, of their college life, and will doubtless be highly prized as such by these young preachers.

Postmaster Martin commences the sale of the new four per cent government bonds to-day. He expects to dispose of at least one hundred thousand dollars' worth in Chester. They will be a capital investment for the working class, on account of their safety.

Strawbridge & Clothier's establishment, in Philadelphia, is the leading dry goods house in that city, and everything belonging to a lady's wardrobe can be purchased there at a reasonable price. A customer once secured is always retained. Our readers know how it is done.

MEETING OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.—A regular meeting of the School Board of public instruction was held last evening in the Council Chamber, with President Hinkson in the chair.

Members present—Messrs. Donaldson, Seeds, Fountain, Roberts, Johnson, Thompson, Price and Dr. Graham.

The first business called was the report of the special committee appointed at last meeting for the purpose of conferring with Mr. Taylor, the tax collector's bondsmen for 1877, of which Mr. Johnson was chairman. Mr. Johnson said the committee met Mr. Tayler's security, but the power of the committee was so limited in the matter, that they were unable to make a report, but that Mr. Washabaugh, the collector's attorney, would submit something to the Board during the evening.

Bills amounting to $127.57 were read and ordered paid.

A communication from Mr. John McClure stating that property belonging to him in North Chester had been assessed in Chester city, the taxes for which were paid to the Board's collector, and he asked that the amount be refunded.

On motion of Mr. Fountain, the matter was referred to the Secretary, with the power, if he found it an erroneous assessment, to refund the money.

An application for the position of teacher in one of the primary schools was received from Miss Laura S. Parsons, of Iowa, and read.

On motion of Mr. Roberts the communication was received and filed.

A communication from Wilde Post, No. 25, G. A. R., inviting the Board to participate in the Decoration ceremonies on May 30th, was read.

On motion of Mr. Fountain, the communication was accepted.

Dr. Graham said he noticed among the bills read this evening one for $75 for rent of Superintendent's office on Market street. This he thought a large sum for such a small, dark, back room. He was of the opinion that one more suitable could be built on the ground adjoining the High School, just as centrally located, for about $300. He thought it would be money saved to erect a new building. The Council Chamber, in which the Board meets, costs $20 a year, and a room for the Superintendent could be made into a suitable meeting room for the Board as well as an office. He moved that a committee be appointed whose duty it will be to inquire into the feasibility of providing a more suitable building for the Superintendent and for the meeting of the Board. The committee to report at the next meeting.

The Chair appointed Dr. Graham, Roberts and Johnson on the above committee.

Mr. Johnson presented a list of names of delinquent taxes for 1877 amounting to $2000, and a communication from Alfred Taylor, the tax collector for that year. On the list of delinquents were many names of persons who were dead, removed, blind, destitute, or who for other reasons he asked to have exonerated.

It was thought best to look over the list as presented, but as it would take the whole Board all night, the members favored referring it back to the committee for investigation.

Most of the Board thought the collector did wrong in allowing it go so long before he tried to collect it. He had already had an examination.

Mr. Fountain moved that the list of delinquents be referred back to the committee with instructions to examine the list to see how many, if any, exonerations can be made, and this committee to report at a special meeting of the Board, called for that purpose.

Mr. Roberts said: I am a member of that committee, and have no objections to serving, but as I will be absent from the city for nearly two weeks from Monday night, and as the matter needs immediate attention, I would like to be excused from serving on that committee.

The Chair granted the request.

Mr. Price suggested that the committee be increased by adding another member from each ward to it, so that it may be more efficient. It will require a great deal of work to look into each case. Mr. Price thought the best thing for the committee to do, was for the list to be divided into wards, and then the members from the wards take the list from that ward, for they would know better than any other persons the condition of the delinquent.

This idea was considered a good one, and it was accepted by Mr. Fountain and became part of his motion, which was passed, and Messrs. Fountain, Donaldson and Hinkson added to the committee, and the chairman, Mr. Hinkson, the other member from the Middle ward, was put on in Mr. Roberts' place.

Mr. Seeds said it was now time to appoint the auditors to audit the accounts of the Treasurer and Tax Collectors of the Board. Carried.

Fountain, Roberts and Donaldson were appointed on the above committee.

Mr. Seeds called attention to the law requiring the accounts of the Treasurer not only to be audited by the committee just appointed but also by the City Auditors, and he thought it ought to be done.

Some member asked who paid for it, for if the Board has it to pay, and they charge as much as they did for the city accounts it would be on expensive operation.

Mr. Seeds read the law, which provides that the city shall pay for it, that the compensation shall be $1 per day, and that the audit be placed in the hands of the city clerk.

Mr. Seeds was then ordered to have it done.

Mr. Hinkson said the High School Commencement would occur within a week after the next meeting, and Prof. Foster had suggested to him the propriety of appointing a committee to confer with the Superintendent in reference to the matter.

Dr. Graham made a few remarks, in which he referred to the crowded condition of Holly Tree Hall at last commencement exercises, and he favored the idea of charging an admittance fee.

Mr. Fountain disapproved of the whole matter relative to charging for admission, and favored free admission.

Dr. Graham said he thought that an admission fee to the High School Commencement of twenty-five cents be charged, the proceeds to be devoted to purchasing apparatus for use in the High School.

The Doctor said in support of his motion, the High School commencement, was not a part of the curriculum of study prescribed, and he could see no impropriety in charging. It was an exercise given by the graduates, and it was not necessarily a free exhibition. There was no comfort at the last commencement, and to charge an entrance fee will in a measure prevent this.

Mr. Fountain said he was opposed to charging for admission to the commencement. The people have a right to go, and see any exercises in the public schools.

Their money supports them, and it is not in our province to deny them such a right. The greater the crowd the greater the interest, and the more popular will the High School become. Let it become more popular, encourage them, give the public an opportunity to see what is being done, and thereby increase the interest. If the High School needs anything necessary in the regular curriculum prescribed by the Board, buy it for them, and foster the interest of education in every way, but don't tax the people at a high rate for maintaining the schools and then charge them admission fee for attending the exercises. They are free in other cities, and our citizens should have the same opportunity as other places.

Dr. Graham said the commencemen exercises are a distinct thing from the curriculum. It is a matter altogether with the scholars, and I believe the public expect to pay. I am democratic from the top of my head to the sole of my feet, and believe in a government for the people and by the people. I don't believe in denying the people any of their rights. I imagine the interest in the exercises will be increased by charging a fee. The scholars want a fee charged, and I believe the affair will be more successful than if it were free.

Mr. Fountain made a few more remarks in opposition to the motion, and argued strongly against charging a fee.

Mr. Seeds also disapproved of the idea of charging the people to see a thing that they have the right to attend.

The question was then called for, and Mr. Fountain asked for the yeas and nays.

The vote stood as follows:

For admission fee—Messrs. Donaldson, Hinkson, Graham, Roberts, Johnson and Thompson—6.

Against charging admission — Messrs. Seeds, Fountain and Price—3.

The motion to charge twenty-five cents prevailed.

A motion was made that a Committee on Commencement be appointed, to confer with the Superintendent on the matter.

Mr. Seeds said he questioned the right of the Board to appoint such a committee, since it has been asserted here that it is a matter entirely with the High school scholars.

The motion prevailed, and Messrs. Graham, Hinkson and Thompson were appointed on the committee.

Mr. Roberts moved that a committee be appointed to make arrangements for a public school picnic to be held on June 13th.

Passed, and Messrs. Roberts, Graham and Price were made the committee.

Mr. Seeds said the next regular meeting of the Board would not occur until the second Friday in June, and as the old Board expired the first Monday in that month he would suggest that the next regular meeting of the Board be on the first Monday in June at the office of the Superintendent, for the purpose of hearing the reports of the committees and transacting such other business as may come before it. Passed.

Mr. Donaldson called the attention of the Board to the fact of there being a large number of scholars in the North ward that needed room, and he was of the opinion that something should be done to accommodate them.

Prof. Foster thought there were at least fifty children in the North ward that needed school accommodations.

Some general remarks were made by different members in relation to providing new school accommodations. Some of the Board thought they could get along by renting the Larkintown Sunday school room for a primary school. Others opposed this and favored building a new school.

Dr. Graham moved that a committee be appointed to take into consideration the matter of providing more room in the North ward. Carried.

The North ward Directors were appointed on the above committee.

Mr. Seeds, the Treasurer, said that Mr. Morrow, Collector, had paid him $34,000 during the year, and there still remained due from him a balance of $5259.75, out of which his exonerations and commissions are to be taken, which would reduce it to something over $3000. The Board has not yet received the State appropriation, which will amount to about $3700; but as the State is about a year and a half behind in the appropriations, that is, the school fund is short $1,500,000, it may be a long time before any funds are received from that source. The Collector for 1877 owes the Board about $2500, and it is difficult to tell how much may be gotten from that quarter. The Board will require about $9000 to carry it through the year, and the only one we have to depend on for money is Mr. Morrow, and he will soon be able to pay up if the people do their duty. So you see we will need $9000, and only can expect to get $3000 to pay it with. The Board therefore need all the money that can be raised.

On motion the Board adjourned.

A MYSTERIOUS CASE.—Coroner Fairlamb was called to Media this morning to hold an inquest on the remains of a very young child that was found yesterday lying on the rafters of a house, where it is supposed it was put by its mother, last October. The body was decomposed, and it so impregnated the air that the family occupying the house instituted a search for the cause with the above result. The supposed guilty parties have been arrested.

LODGERS.— Last night there were 15 lodgers in the station house.

LODGE ENTERTAINMENT.—A select musical and literary entertainment was given last evening by Chester Lodge, No. 76, K. of P., in their lodge room, in Dickinson's building, and the attendance on this occasion was very large. Mr. Mordecai Lewis presided. The following is the programme carried out:

Song and Chorus, - - Zula Zong,
Miss Evans, Messrs. Campbell, Farrar, and Fielding.
Speech, - - England and America,
J. H. Browning.
Recitation, - - - Miss Alice Lilley.
Song and Chorus, Beyond the Golden Door,
Misses Wright, Evans, Messrs. Fielding and Farrar.
Dutch Song, - - Charles Mandler.
Sleight-of-Hand Performance, Prof. Nichols.
Song, 'Tis Evening Brings my Heart to Thee,
Miss Fielding.
Reading by a young lady who read very well and greatly pleased the audience.
Comic Song, Things I Don't Like to See,
J. H. Browning.
Comic Sketch, McCullough, Robinson, Sigel.
Comic Song, - - Venomous Serpent,
J. H. Browning.
Sleight-of-Hand Performance, Prof. Nichols.
Comic Song, - - Darling Old Stick,
James Rice.
Dutch Song, - - Charles Mandler.
Specialties and Burlesque, Amos and Rice.
Banjo Solo, - - - L. McCullough.
Darkey Song, Dear Old Home Again,
H. Sigel.
Comic Song, - Jim, the Carter Lad,
James Rice.
Bloodless Duel, Campbell, Rice, Sigel, Amos, Mackey, McCray.
Good-Night, - - - By the Company.

There was a band present, and some excellent music was discoursed.

A FAMILY POISONED.—David Hull, colored, residing on Fulton street, near Fifth, and his family, consisting of eight persons, were poisoned yesterday by eating poke root. The root was ploughed up on the farm of Mr. Walter Lytle, and presented to Mr. Hull by Gilbert Monk, among some horse radish. The wife prepared some for dinner, and the family partook heartily of it, and about an hour after they all became suddenly sick, said sickness was accompanied by violent pains and vomiting. Mr. Hull, who was absent at the time, and sick also was lying in the shade, when his son came for him. Dr. Johnson was sent for, and examined the veal they had for dinner, but concluded it was the horse radish.

After further examination, the doctor found among the roots some poke, and he soon knew the cause of so much sickness. The family, with the exception of Mr. and Mrs. Hull and the eldest son's wife, have almost recovered from the effects of the poisonous weed.

This should be a warning to people who make palatable dishes out of all kinds of roots and weeds. Be sure what kind of roots you have before you eat them, especially if they grow near poke.

DEATH FROM CARELESS NEGLECT.—Yesterday morning Coroner Fairlamb held an inquest on the body of Eddie Green, a four-year-old son of Edward Green, of Howellville, this county. From the evidence, it appears that Eddie had a severe attack of whooping cough, and his parents, both mother and father, were away from home on Thursday at work. The boy with the other children remained at home, and during the afternoon he was seized with violent fit of coughing and lay on the bed. A woman who lived just back of Green's house, which is on the public road, went over to watch for a fish wagon to pass. While she was standing on the road, some of the children called her attention to Eddie. She went to where he lay on the bed, and found him strangling and his face purple. She did all she knew to relieve him, but he died soon after. The jury, consisting of Messrs. W. A. Baldwin, Jesse Griswold, Mark Griswold, George L. Green, Richard Chew and Thomas Armstrong, rendered a verdict of death from strangulation through careless neglect of parents.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—The next number of the *Reveille* will probably be a double one, and the best number of the term.

Dress drill parade yesterday. Friends of the cadets from Philadelphia and elsewhere were present, and were highly entertained.

The drum major of the drum corps, Mr. Sweney, is not able to be out yet. His injuries are yet quite painful.

Cadet Pardee's sword was a flowery one yesterday after drill. The ladies decorated it, which proves very conclusively that he is a favorite with the fair sex.

The drum corps performed their part creditably yesterday.

Bicycle riding is very popular. The great trouble is there is but one bicycle to the whole Academy. Cadets Cox and Hyatt are the most perfect riders.

The cadets attended Holly Tree Hall last evening.

A whole holiday to-day.

CHURCH NOTES.—Trinity M. E. church—special services to-morrow. Love feast at 9 a. m. Preaching by the pastor at 10.30—at 7.30 by Rev. W. J. Paxson, P. E., of Philadelphia.

The Sixth anniversary of Madison street M. E. church will be held to morrow. Special religious services will be held throughout the day. A love feast at 9. a. m. At 10.30, preaching by Rev. W. J. Paxson, P. E. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Rev. Joseph Welch at 7.30 p. m. Revs. J. B. Maddux, Dr. James Cunningham and H. E. Gilroy are expected to be present. The public are cordially invited to attend all these services.

Rev. A. G. Thomas, pastor of the First Baptist church, will exchange pulpits with Rev. Dr. Long, of the North Chester Baptist church to-morrow morning. In the evening each pastor will occupy his own pulpit.

REORGANIZED.—Last night Jos. G. Cummins, D. D. of the eastern district of this county, reorganized Media Lodge, No. 478. The lodge starts out with a large membership, among whom stands Rev. Dr. Dale, the veteran temperance worker of our county. Media Lodge in the past was a powerful organization, and its reorganizing speaks well for the temperance work in our county.

SUITS WITHDRAWN.—Theodore Harmon, who had so much trouble around the Alderman's office yesterday because officer Ireland shot his dog for having bitten Patrick McCormick on the knee, and snapping at Councilman Klotz, concluded to withdraw his suit before Alderman Welser, providing they would let him out of the lock-up. This the officer consented to do, with the understanding that Harmon was to pay the costs in both cases as far as they had gone. He could not stand the idea of being in the lock-up, so he paid $8 for costs and went on his way home.

REAL ESTATE SALE.—This afternoon at two o'clock, George M. Booth, Esq., will sell at public sale seven large lots of ground nicely situated on Broad, Madison and Eleventh streets, North ward, in a fast improving portion of the city, and any of them will make excellent investments either for speculation or for persons desiring places to build houses. There are four lots with brick dwellings, beside the mansion house and grounds. The terms of the sale will be made easy, and purchasers should be on the ground early.

THE TEN DOLLAR BONDS.—Postmaster Martin received by express this morning $5000 of the new ten dollar government four per cent bonds. He will commence to sell them to-day at half-past one and continue until three o'clock. After to-day the hours at which they can be purchased will be from half-past nine until eleven o'clock, a. m., and from one until three p. m. Next week he will receive another installment of several thousand dollars' worth.

CARNCROSS' MINSTRELS.—This celebrated troupe played very acceptably to a good house in Holly Tree Hall last evening. The singing of Mr. Carncross and Mr. Braman, and the funny sayings of Hughey Dougherty and Matt Wheeler were heartily enjoyed. The entertainment was good throughout, and the jokes were new and not offensive. They left a good name behind them.

Y. M. C. A.—Gospel meeting of the above association to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock, p. m. at their rooms in Holly Tree Inn building. The public are cordially invited. There will also be an open air meeting at 3.30 o'clock sharp, corner of Seventh street and Edgmont avenue, near the hall.

Additional Locals on Fourth Page.

LARGE sales indicate the merits of all good articles. Druggists sell more of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup than of all other remedies for the cure of Baby Disorders.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.—There is only one genuine roofing paint which has been thoroughly tested, and that is Minor's Elastic Cement Roofing Paint. It is acknowledged to be the best now in use, and the only paint that will last for ten years.
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The notorious depredator, Kate-Arrh, who has for so many years eluded the most accomplished and skillful detectives, has been caught at last in Buffalo, N. Y. For further particulars, ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, admitted to be the best remedy for catarrh yet compounded.

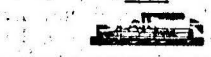
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DEHART—DIXSON.—On the 3d inst., by Rev. J. F. Crouch, No. 330 Kerlin street, this city, Harry E. Dehart, of New York, and Miss Jennie H. Dixson, of Chester.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SPECIAL NOTICE.



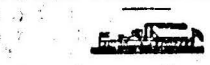
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PEDESTRIANISM EXTRAORDINARY.—Two Philadelphia newspaper carriers started to walk from Gray's Ferry to this city yesterday, after having finished serving their routes. One of them gave out at Darby, while the other reached the P. W. & B. depot in one hour and forty minutes after starting. He appeared in good trim, and soon started to walk back again.

NEW WAGON.—Mr. C. D. Pennell, the enterprising lumber and coal dealer at the foot of Concord avenue, South ward, has procured a very handsome and convenient coal wagon for delivering the black diamonds to his customers. The wagon is nicely painted and lettered, and speaks well for Mr. Pennell's enterprise.

EGGS SMASHED.—Mr. Webster, one of the marketmen, in driving down Edgmont avenue early this morning, had a quantity of eggs smashed on account of the wretched condition of that thoroughfare. Even if eggs are cheap he does not care about disposing of them in that manner.

PAINTING ROOFS.—A great many persons who have houses in this city are having their roofs painted by Messrs. Longbotham & Kendig, who are the sole agents in this county for Minor's patent elastic paint, which seems to be very popular.

BUILDING ASSOCIATION MEETING.—A meeting of the Fidelity Building and Loan Association will be held in the office of H. L. Donaldson, Esq., this evening, for the purpose of electing directors to serve the ensuing year.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Pupils of the North Ward schools, whose names have been on the "Roll of Honor" for the past week are as follows:

Morton Avenue, No. 1.

STAR ROLL.

Emma Arment	Maggie Gorbey
Ella Beacham	Mary Hickey
Thomas Cowan	Ella Hinkle
Mary Hamilton	Maggie Park
John Lear	Marian Kennedy
Mary Ledward	James Cassady
Mary Simpson	Harry Davidson
Mary Wheaton	Beckie McBride
Bennie Fox	Clara Senatz
Anna Ledward	Julia O'Brien

ROLL OF HONOR.

Rollie Evans	John McDonald
Emma Wilkinson	Chas Foley
Walter Boulden	Jno Coster
James Campbell	Walter Reid
Robt McNamee	

F. A. CAMPBELL, Teacher.

Morton Avenue, No. 2.

GOLDEN STAR ROLL.

Eveline Beachant	Francis Boyle
Lizzie Clark	Laura Hinkle
Minnie Gary	Mary Dougherty
Maude Maxson	Lillie Dannaker
Mary Cross	Clark Manning
Tillie Lear	

STAR ROLL.

James Gregg	Horace Birtwell
Mary Crowther	Beckie Senatz
Rose Ball	

EMMA A. COTTON, Teacher.

Morton Avenue, No. 3.

STAR ROLL.

Carrie Denney	Celia Duffy
Myra Davis	Willie Cress
Annie Lamey	Mamie Martin
Samuel Walker	Eddie Green

ROLL OF HONOR.

Beulah Arment	Nellie Cowan
Ella Crowther	Charlie Gregg
Mamie Pullen	Mary Riley
Samuel Waterhouse	

REBECCA WILDE, Teacher.

Morton Avenue, No. 4.

STAR ROLL.

Annie Matthews	Sallie Ball
Viola Howard	Annie Swann
Alice Broomhead	Mary Hagan
Harry Gary	Joseph Kelley
George Hinkle	Elwood Park

ROLL OF HONOR.

Blanch Clark	Mary Hagan
Ella May Dannaker	Annie Edge
Hannah Dougherty	Martha McFate
Nettie Young	Willie Downing
John Kelley	

LIZZIE LONG, Teacher.

Eleventh Street, No. 5.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Rose Biggins	Rebecca Parker
Mamie Burns	Josie Williams
Mamie Dickson	Sadie Walker
Josephine Gallagher	John Gallagher
Maggie Honan	John McFadden
Nellie Moore	Thomas Mudford
Ida Mills	Mitchell Prince
Sallie Richardson	Willie Pierce
Ellena Shields	Marion Pilling
Mamie Shields	Richard Robinson
Sallie Shepherd	Willie Scott
Florence Shoemaker	Albert Shepley
Kate Tinney	George Waters

TILLIE SIMPSON, Teacher.

A Good Reason.

He was a regular dandy in appearance. He wore kid gloves, plug hat, gaiters with cloth uppers, a natty cut-away coat hidden beneath a checkered ulster, and a pair of mouse-colored linen pantaloons. Everybody noticed his summer trowsers as he walked down the street. "Ho, Mister!" shouted one boy, "shoot the pants." Still he paid no attention. "There goes a Hesquimaux," shrieked another gamin. Then he sought refuge in a sample-room, where one man took the liberty of inquiring: "Why don't you wear cloth trowsers? You'll kill yourself going around that way in this kind of weather." The man didn't reply, but got near the stove. "Guess he's a poet trying to come the eccentric," suggested another. After a few moments of silence, another man bawled: "If I were you, I'd drive my legs into the sleeves of my ulster and tie the skirts around my neck." After several more had quizzed him on the absurdity of wearing summer pantaloons in midwinter, he got up and shouted: "Would you all like to know why I wear summer trowsers now?" "Yes, yes!" they answered, unanimously. "Well, it's because they're all I've got!" His reply was satisfactory.

—The new style spring hats are so tall that they entirely obstruct the view of the sermon on Sunday.—Meriden *Recorder*.

Idle Tears.

Although there are not many objects in nature more beautiful than a tear on the cheek of beauty, there are few that need to be handled with more delicacy and skill in order not to become disfiguring. When the eye brims, and the liquid glow for one moment sparkles and overflows in soft suffusion, and the crystal falls and lingers one moment like the dew drop on the rose, the charm is perfect. But let it be followed by another and another, and then the eyelids redden, the drops forsake the cheek and take to trickling down the nose, which reddens at the tip, the lips are distorted, and presently it is no longer a beauty, but a fright that enchains the gaze.

The old saying that a lovely woman is never lovelier than when in tears needs thus to be read in the singular, since where one tear charms, as we see, a multitude of tears repels. Nor is it the sense of beauty only that is repelled, it is the love of pleasure too. The world is not so overburdened with agreeable things to many that they like to have trouble intruded on them; and unless the grief and trouble are those that really demand sympathy and effort, and kindle pity, it does the crying parties no good to disturb the equanimity of their neighbors. Nor are men, in especial after the age of gallantry, moved by tears as some are wont to think; they are more frequently simply teased and annoyed by them.

Tears are something, on the whole, that one should keep to one's self as much as possible, like one's good resolutions and one's prayers. Shed in secret, they relieve the heavy heart, how much! They clear the clouded brain, they open the way to remedy; unshed, their scalding source seems to sear the very soul and paralyze all endeavor. —*Bazar*.

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 41	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

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For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

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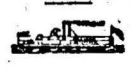
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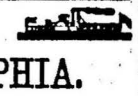
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LATEST NEWS.

The President will veto the bill to prevent military interference at the polls.

The twenty-first annual meeting of the North German Sangerbund will begin in the Music Hall, at Cincinnati, on the 11th of June, and continue four days. There will be a chorus of 2000 trained voices and an orchestra of 100 pieces, under the leadership of Prof. Carl Barus. Eminent soloists are engaged.

The Earl of Caithness and his son, Lord Berriedale, arrived in the Indiana on Sunday and will spend some days in Philadelphia.

Under an order of Mayor Tyson nearly all the cigar stores, ice cream saloons, confectionery stores, barber shops, eating houses, and drinking saloons in Reading, Pa., were closed yesterday. The few which remained open did so because they can afford to pay the fine of four dollars out of the profits. The beer saloons kept their back doors open. Newsboys were forbidden to cry their papers on the streets.

The trouble on Section 14 of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in Manitoba, is at an end. The strikers are being paid off and the militia will return home to-day. No disturbance of any kind was made by the strikers, but four-fifths of them will not resume work at the reduction in wages.

There was a thinly-attended meeting of Adventists in Pocassett, Mass., yesterday, but no disturbance took place. Reporters and strangers were excluded, and it is not known, therefore, whether anything was said in relation to the Freeman matter.

Extensive forest fires are burning in various parts of the Middle and Eastern States, owing to prevailing drought. Great damage has been done in the vicinity of Scranton, Pa., and Tobyhanna, twenty miles from that place, was surrounded by flames yesterday afternoon. The people turned out, and after great exertions beat back the encircling fire. Forest fires are also raging on the mountains near Wilkesbarre. In Pike county the flames are approaching Lackawaxen and creating some apprehension there. St. Mary's Catholic Church at Constableville, near Watertown, N. Y., yesterday, was destroyed by sparks from a forest fire in the neighborhood. A fire in the woods near Exeter, R. I., destroyed three dwellings yesterday, and a man was fatally burned in one of them. Fires are also reported on the Hancock Mountains, in Western Massachusetts.

The members of the Woman Suffrage Association visited the Merchants' Exchange, in St. Louis, on Saturday, and were received with cheers. After short addresses by several of the ladies, which were warmly applauded, Miss Anthony put the question of a sixteenth amendment to the Federal Constitution, granting women the privilege of suffrage, and it was carried by a large majority.

The Southern Baptist Convention on Saturday, the resolution for the appointment of fraternal messengers to the Northern Church was adopted after a long discussion, by a vote of 174 to 68. Most of the negative votes were cast not because of the substance, but the form of the resolution. The messengers were appointed as follows: H. H. Tucker, of Georgia; J. B. Jeter, H. H. Tupper and G. B. Taylor, of Virginia; R. M. Dudley, of Kentucky.

Crop reports from Michigan indicate a yield of wheat about equal to that of last year. Reports from Nebraska show that the eastern section of the State suffers from drought, but the western has been favored with an abundance of moisture.

Suit for $30,000 has been enrered by the town of Plymouth, Mass., against the bondsmen of ex-Town Treasurer Bradford, who embezzled $4000, and their property has been attached.

James Kearney, an auctioneer, was sentenced to seven years' imprisonment in Montreal, on Saturday, for receiving stolen goods. His partner, Tighe, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment. Before going to prison, Tighe informed the detectives of the whereabouts of a concealed safe belonging to Kearney. The safe was opened, and found to contain jewelry, silverware, and gold pens valued at $2000, beside $250 in money. Most of the valuables were indentified by persons from whom they had been stolen.

While Baldwin and Victor, tight rope performers, were giving a public exhibition in Columbus, Ind., on Saturday, the rope, which was stretched across one of the streets gave way, and both fell to the ground from a height of fifty feet. Baldwin was slightly and Victor seriously injured.

The U. S. steamship Plymouth is pronounced infected by yellow fever germs, and it is declared that she will continue so until rebuilt.

Francis E. Hayden was arrested in Fitchburg, Mass., on Saturday, on the charge of having poisoned his sister, Sarah E. Hayden, by mixing arsenic with her food. He was committed for an examination on the 19th inst. Hayden's father and mother both died a few weeks ago after short illnesses, and their bodies, as well as that of Sarah, will be exhumed. The father left property valued at $8500, but his sister held notes against it for money advanced to pay Hayden's expenses at the Boston University, which would reduce his share to $2000.

FOREIGN NOTES.

Italy has ordered a man-of-war to the coast of Peru.

The Khedive still refuses to appoint the European Ministers.

The order against the possession or bearing of arms has been extended to Moscow.

The Mahometans at Adrianople are plundering the shops on account of hunger.

The strike on the Canada Pacific Railroad is at an end, according to advices from Winnipeg.

The Reichstag has adopted Herr Loewe's motion referring the brewers' tax to a special committee.

A German gunboat will be dispatched immediately to protect German shipping in Chilian waters.

The London *Times* says editorially that the government has no intention of dissolving Parliament this year.

Prince Alexander, of Battenberg has arrived at Odessa en route for Livadia. He was enthusiastically received by the Bulgarian residents.

Lord Chelmsford and staff have gone to Utrecht. Magnezu, a brother of King Cetywayo, with a few followers, has surrendered to the British.

A mail train running between Madrid and Cadiz was thrown off the track and the van containing the mails for Cuba smashed. Six persons were killed and several injured.

The International Congress will open at the Grand Hotel, Paris, on the 15th instant, under the Presidency of M. Ferdinand de Lesseps, to discuss the subject of a canal across the Isthmus of Panama.

A Chinese Legation will be permanently established in Madrid. The new Chinese Consul at Havana will go to Madrid before proceeding to Cuba, in order to come to an understanding with Spain on the coolie question.

A Poor Girl's Hair.

A young and poorly clad girl entered a barber shop in Vienna, and told the proprietor that he must "buy her head." The friseur examined her long, glossy chestnut locks and began to bargain. He could give eight florins, and no more. Hair was plentiful this year, the price had fallen, there was no demand, and other phrases of the kind. The little maiden's eyes filled with tears, and she hesitated a moment while threading her fingers through her chestnut locks. She finally threw herself into a chair, and said:

"Then take it quickly."

The barber, satisfied with his bargain, was about to clinch it with his shears, when a gentleman, who sat half shaved looking on, told him to stop.

"My child," said he, "why do you sell your beautiful hair?"

"My mother has been nearly five months ill. I cannot work enough to support us; everything has been sold or pawned, and there is not a penny in the house"

"No, no, my child; if that is the case I will buy your hair, and give you one hundred florins for it."

He gave the poor girl the note, the sight of which dried her tears, and he took up the barber's shears. Taking the locks in his hand he took the longest hair, cut it off and put it carefully in his pocket book, thus paying one hundred florins for a single hair. He took the poor girl's address, in case he should want to buy another at the same rate. He is only designated as the chief of a great industrial enterprise within the city.

Collection of Meteoric Specimens.

Mr. Charles B. Shepard, of New Haven, Conn., has accumulated, it is believed, the largest collection of meteoric stones in the United States, if not in the world. The collection embraces more than five hundred meteoric stones and meteoric irons. The total weight of the collection is about twelve hundred pounds. The largest iron, procured from Colorado, weighs 436 lbs., and the smallest, from Otsego county, N. Y., weighs half an ounce. The largest entire stone, procured from Muskingum county, Ohio, weighs fifty-six lbs., and the smallest one, from Sweden, weighs less than fifty grains. The specimens have been gathered from all parts of the world. The catalogue begins with one which fell November 7, 1492, in Alsace, and ends with one which fell February 12, 1875, in Iowa county, Iowa. There are none between 1492 and 1753, but most of the years since the latter date are represented, and some years by several specimens. Nearly every country in the known world is represented in the list. The entire collection is in one of the buildings in Amherst College. Mr. Shepard makes one statement which will surprise most persons. He says: "There have been several instances of death occasioned by meteoric stones. Two monks in different places were thus killed in Italy, and two sailors on shipboard in Sweden."—*Scientific American.*

A Pretty Experiment.

That common air which we breathe is a substance having weight, can be shown by filling a glass goblet full, or partly full of water, and then placing over it a piece of firm paper or cardboard. If the hnad is held firmly upon the paper, the glass may be turned bottom upward and the hand removed without any water being lost. That is, the paper rests upon the air and prevents the water from falling out of the glass. A bowl or cup of china will, of course, serve for the purpose, but the experiment appears to better advantage with a tumbler or glass vessel that permits the water to be seen supported by the air.

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VARIETY COLUMN.

—What sort of a drum is that which is best when it cannot be beaten?—Why, a conun-*drum* of course.

—Walking against time—colliding with a hall clock when getting up stairs in the small hours.—*N. Y. Mail.*

—We fancy that distillers are not very good at repartee, because they always pay something for making their retorts.

—A live turkey would seem to be less noisy than a dead one, for one makes only a din, while a dead one makes a dinner.

—A young man whose girl lives some distance out of town says his Sunday night walk includes "two miles and one lap."

—Question for a debating society: If a man has a tiger by his tail, which would be best for his personal safety, to hold on or let go?

—Sir John Lubbock is a great authority on the habits of ants. His views on sisters and cousins have not yet been given to the public.

—The lady who orders the clerk to send home that spool of thread, can generally carry a scuttle of coal up three flights of stairs. —*Meriden Recorder.*

—First swell: Look here, Fred, you shouldn't wear so many big diamonds. It's awfully bad taste. Second swell: Bless your soul, dear boy, they aren't real.

—The correct thing in shoes this season will be stockings.—*N. Y. News.* Now you've put your foot in it,—and two feet are the correct thing in shoes.—*Norr. Herald.*

—The wisest man we ever knew was a Jew who remarked: "I tell you vat it ish young man, I buys my egsberience vresh ef ry day."—Baltimore *Every Saturday.*

—Lord Bacon said: If a man be gracious to strangers, it shows he is a citizen of the world, and that his heart is no island cut off from other lands, but a continent that joins them.

—A busy father was annoyed with the ceaseless prattle of his little six-year old, and looking meaningly at his child and then at his wife, impatiently remarked, "Mother will out!"

—"It may be," said Heffelspin, "it may be that a man and his wife are one, but I notice that when I come to pay the weekly board bill the landlord don't think so."—Rome *Sentinel.*

—Premiums will soon be offered for certain positions which hitherto have not been more than ordinarily popular. For example, the position of coachman to a wealthy man with grown-up daughters.

—An honest Hibernian in recommending a cow, said she would give milk year after year without having calves. "Because," said he, "it runs in the brade; for she came of a cow that never had a calf."

—Party (who doesn't know much about 'osses), "And what do you call the horse on the left-hand side, driver. He looks a good sort." Driver—"Oh, that's the off un." Party—"Is it indeed? Dear me! Lost both his parents, I s'pose!"

—We have been asked to solicit contributions from our subscribers for the poor in Hungary, and send to Mayor Cooper. We cannot, however, as the poor and hungry at home need just as much assistance as the poor in Hungary, abroad.—Turners Falls *Reporter.*

—Harper's *Bazar* prints a column "About Old Maids." Very few men will be found about them, nor do they appear to have a "winning" way about them. And yet we dare say the old maid is happier than the woman who can boast of having a husband and five children to earn food for.—*Norr. Herald.*

—The principal thing we have to rejoice over on Fourth of July, is the encouraging fact that the day doesn't come oftener than once a year. We always cherish the memory of our forefathers with a deeper affection when we think of this. We entertained an entirely different opinion when we were a boy.—*Norr. Herald.*

—Houses are now built of paper. It probably never occurred to the Delewareans that if they were to build their prisons of paper they would be much stronger, and fewer prisoners would escape. About two thicknesses of an ordinary newspaper would make jails much more impregnable than those at present in use in Delaware.—*Norr. Herald.*

—Wilhelmj, whose wonderful musical skill has been a delight to so many ears, began to use the violin at the age of four years. When only seven he exhibited his accomplishments for the entertainment of Henrietta Sontag, who was on a visit to his family, and she was so charmed with the exactness of his execution and the purity and beauty of his tone that she embraced him, and predicted for him a splendid future.

—It was finely said by Socrates that the shortest and most direct road to popularity is "for a man to be the same that he wishes to be taken for." People are egregiously mistaken if they think they can ever attain to permanent popularity by hypocrisy, by mere outside appearances, and by disguising not only their language but their looks. True popularity takes deep root, and spreads itself wide; but the false falls away like blossoms; for nothing that is false can be lasting.

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MONDAY, MAY 12, 1879.

AT last the balloon seems to have put on its working clothes and devoted itself to usefulness. In its military service the British government has given them a place, the permanence of which depends solely on good behavior. Three have been sent to the South African army. When in use, these balloons are, by a strong cable, to be kept from going over to the enemy. Each is supplied with signal mirrors, and it is thought probable that the telephone may be made a means of cummunication between the balloon lookout and the eaath. Wiley as the Zulu warriors may be they will hardly be prepared for these ærial enemies. And we fancy will look with awe upon a foe who float like threatening clouds in the heavens above them.

THE people have been crowding into the cities and towns. The farms have been deserted. This is one of the score of causes by which the hard times have been plausibly explained. Presuming that those who spoke so oracularly knew, the people have taken the clue indicated and by tens of thousands gone to the country. For the most part to that remote country trans-Mississippi. Now the question is dimly suggesting itself: May not farming be overdone? The wheat and corn products of our country are increasing with a rapidity out of all proportion to the demands of either home or foreign markets. Prairies which never, until within the last decade, since the world began, had been tickled with a plow, are now having an annual laugh that yields millions of bushels of grain. And still the tickling increases, and still the laugh redoubles. Where is it to end and what shall be done with these harvests, must become a serious question. We are each eating all we can now. Who will help consume this ever-augmenting surplus?

THE present condition of Germany is a painful and yet if wisely looked at a most profitable spectacle for American eyes. With her finances embarrassed, her trade interests demoralized, the masses of her people unemployed and sullen, Germany offers to the statesmen of every nation an instructive study. And especially to those pseudo-statesmen, who in this country find in inflation of the circulating medium a panacea for business stagnation. Five milliards of French money were at the war's end poured into the coffers of Germany. And those five milliards were poured out again upon the German people just as inflationists would have our government pour out greenbacks upon our people. As the result, every business interest was quickened; the stimulus of marvellous life was everywhere felt, and never did a nation seem more prosperous than Germany. But the five milliards being exhausted, the nation was exhausted with it. And all this marvellous life became marvellous desolation. We may have here the same unnatural life and the same terrible depression, if we prefer. The way to it is by inflation.

THE story is an old one, of the young lady who told her father that she was in love with a certain gentleman, and asked for his approval of her choice. And who, when the father gracefully assented, burst into tears, broken-hearted that she would have no excuse for eloping. Judged by late events, there is more truth than poetry in this story. A mania for eloping seems to have possessed the girls. So that no fond parent can be assured but that to-morrow morning he will find the light and life of his heart and home vamosed with some plausible adventurer. The last case of the kind publicly announced is that of a jailor's daughter, at Portage, Wisconsin, who released one of the prisoners in her father's charge and eloped with him. All of which induces us to say: Girls, don't. Don't be so superfluously foolish. Many of you make a very poor choice, and do a very silly thing when you get married at home, and by your own parson. But then, this is wisdom itself compared with the most of runaway matches. Look around you, and see how such matrimonial ventures have ended in other cases. Then, if you must run, run to instead of away from home.

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Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a.m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

MONDAY, MAY 12, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Many of the Chesterians dabble in stock.

The bird that wouldn't sing yesterday couldn't sing.

A tasteful show window attracts people inside, remember.

The music of the wash board is heard in almost every house to day.

Lady clerks are now employed in the court offices in Chester County.

Chester Chapter, on May 20th, will have a grand concert in Holly Tree Hall.

Yesterday was bright and beautiful, and just the day to bring out new toggery.

Special meeting of council to-night to fix the appropriations for the current year.

Take a ride in the country; and be sure that your wife and family accompany you.

Some new buildings will be erected on Seventh street, west of the creek, the coming summer.

It must be a remarkably good entertainment that will fill one of our public halls now-a-days.

Rev. Mr. Jester, of Middletown Presbyterian church, will occupy Rev. Mr. Mowry's pulpit in his absence.

Many of the Seminary students leave that institution on Saturdays to preach in different places on Sunday.

An assistant secretary of one of the new religious organizations in the South ward has skipped with $12.50.

In the DAILY TIMES of to-morrow we shall publish another interesting letter from Mr. Charles A. Story, Jr.

The sale of the real estate of the late Wm. Booth on Saturday last, netted nearly $22,000. Fair prices were realized.

The school tax collector is receiving money for taxes. Only a few more delinquents left. Don't try to be the last one to pay.

Kalsomine your house walls. It is almost equal to paint, and ever so much cheaper. Hudson, Sparks & Co. sell a good quality.

The Trinity Church will have a strawberry festival on the 30th and 31st of May. It will be held in a tent in the rear of the chapel.

The usual Sunday gamblers were in Ship Creek woods yesterday. It is a pity such a beautiful spot should be desecrated by these outlaws.

The Fidelity Building Association starts out with over 1000 shares. We believe that at least a thousand more will be added by the next meeting.

Postmaster Martin sold $5000 of the new four per cents before three o'clock on Saturday last. They are a popular loan, and he will have more of them in a few days.

The Rural Cemetery was visited by a large concourse of people yesterday. As were the other promenades—Broad street to the canal, Edgmont avenue, and the river front.

Those Mackinnon fountain pens are becoming more popular every day. To those who write a great deal there is nothing like them for economizing time. They will soon save their price.

Rev. Mr. Crouch, of Trinity Church, will preach on the "Tongue" next Sunday evening in his church. We do not hesitate to say that this subject will be well handled, and we advise a large attendance.

The Presbyterian delegates to the General Assembly, which meets at Saratoga on Wednesday next, will leave Chester this evening. We hope they will have a pleasant season. If they had deferred their trip for two or three weeks, Saratoga would have been more presentable.

It is often very irksome to serve on a coroner's jury, and the cause of serious inconvenience to business men. Mr. Samuel Hawkins, of Media, will bear us out in this. He had on his best clothes on Saturday last, and was just starting for Philadelphia, when Coroner Fairlamb arrived and subpœnaed him to serve as one of the jurors on the child murder case. On his expostulating about having no time, the Coroner said: "It will only take a few minutes." This was before dinner. They finished about seven o'clock in the evening. "Next time you want any jurors," Mr. Hawkins savagely said at the close, "I don't want you to come for me."

A LARGE SALE OF PROPERTY. — The real estate, the property of the late Wm. Booth, located in the North ward, was offered at public sale Saturday afternoon by the Executor, Geo. M. Booth, Esq., and the prices obtained were low considered with the cost of property a few years ago. The attendance was very large, especially at the first part of the sale, but there were not so many purchasers of property as it was expected there would be. At times the bidding was lively. Following is a list of property sold, the price obtained and name of purchaser:

The first property put up was the mansion house and lot of ground 68 feet on Broad, and 140 feet deep on Madison street was sold to Mrs. Booth for $7000.

A lot adjoining the residence of Geo. M. Booth, on Broad street, 113 feet below Madison, 53x140 feet, to James Harvey for $50 per foot; $2650.

A three story brick house and lot, 19x140 feet, adjoining the above, to Allen Flitcraft for $1885.

A three-story brick house and lot, 16x140 feet, adjoining the above, to Allen Flitcraft for $1501.

All the above lots run back to a 20 feet wide alley.

A lot 26 feet 7½ inches on Madison street in the rear of the mansion house, and 100 feet deep on a 20 feet wide alley, to John Booth for $16 per foot; $426.

A lot 20x100 feet, adjoining the above, to John Booth at $16 per foot; $320.

A lot 20x100 feet, adjoining the above, to Ellwood Harvey at $15.25 per foot; $305.

A lot same size as above, and adjoining, to Allen Flitcraft at $15.50 per foot, $310; and another of same dimensions, and adjoining, to the same purchaser at $15 per foot; $300.

A lot 20x100 feet, adjoining the above, to Isaac S. Miller at $13.50 per foot; $279.

A three-story brick house, and lot 20x100 feet, adjoining the above, to Isaac S. Miller for $1405.

A house and lot same as the above, and adjoining, to Ellwood Harvey, Jr., for $1400.

A lot 20x100 feet, adjoining the adove, to Allen Flitcraft at $13.75 per foot; $275.

A lot 16x100 feet, adjoining the above, and on the corner of Tenth and Madison streets, to E. Harvey, Jr., at $15.75 per foot; $252.

All the above lots run back to a 20 feet wide alley.

A lot 20 feet on Tenth street, and 100 feet deep on an alley 20 feet wide, to Isaac S. Miller at $10.75 per foot; $215.

A lot 20x100 feet, adjoining the above, to E. Harvey, Jr., at $10.25 per foot; $205.

Lot 20x100 feet, adjoining the above, to John Booth at $11 per foot; $220.

Lot 21¼x100 feet, adjoining the above to John B. Hinkson at $12.75 per foot; $270.94.

Lot 20x120⅓ feet on a 20 feet wide alley, and 100 feet from Tenth street, to John Booth at $8.55 per foot; $171.

Lot 20x120½ feet, adjoining the above, to John Booth at $8.65 per foot; $173.

Two lots 20x80½ feet, and one 22 feet 10½ inches by 80½ feet, next to the above, to Jno. Booth at $7 per foot; $439.88.

A lot of ground 85x117 feet, on Broad and McIlvaine streets, to John Booth at $10.45 per foot: $889.25.

Lot 39x105 feet on Green street near McIlvaine, to John Booth at $6.50 per foot; $253.50.

Lot 39x105 feet, on Green street, adjoining the above, to John Booth at $7 per foot, $273.

The sale aggregated $21,409.57, which makes it one of the largest public sales that has been held in this city for a long time.

THE PHILADELPHIA AND SALEM LINE OF STEAMERS.—The Philadelphia and Salem Steamboat Company is the oldest upon the western waters of the Delaware river and bay. For more than fifty years this Company have had an active organization, by the use and employment of packets, and sloops for the carriage of passengers and merchandise between the two cities. The enterprising Messrs. Reybold, who introduced the extensive peach growing along the western shore of our beautiful river and bay in the counties of Kent and New Castle, were soon enabled to employ barges, steamers, and little by little their stock in trade increasing, till for the past quarter of a century this family of fruit growers, farmers, merchants and steamboat proprietors, have classed as the lords of the mercantile navigation of the lower waters of the Delaware river and bay shores. At the present time the Philadelphia and Salem line of steamers have over two hundred thousand dollars' worth of employed floating capital, and have expended large sums of money in erecting piers, landings and dikes along the line of these fertile and now prolific shores.

Prominent among the Company's steamers are the Perry, Major Reybold and Thomas Clyde. The Perry and Major Reybold generally run the regular daily passenger trips between Philadelphia and Salem, the one or the other leaving each of those cities in the morning of each day in the week, and returning the same day. The Thomas Clyde, not yet one year old, was built by this company to take the place of the Ariel, which was not of sufficient capacity to accommodate the passengers to the Delaware Bay salt water bathing grounds. This new iron steamer is palace finished and parlor furnished, with a capacity and equipment for 1500 persons. The Major Reybold having received her spring and summer equipments, is making her regular trips between Salem and Philadelphia, stopping at Chester, going and returning. She is commanded by Capt. George A. Cleaver, who was promoted at the time Capt. W. E. Reybold was elected to the command of the Clyde. The Perry, under her old commander, Capt. Johnson, has been put in complete order, and will soon be on her accustomed route.

HORSE FELL.—Last evening, a young man riding a gray horse down Market street, narrowly escaped a broken leg. He turned into the stable yard of H. Abbott, Jr. and just as the animal was passing over the Belgian blocks between the curbs, he spurred the horse, which made him jump and fall. The young man was fortunate enough to get his feet out of the stirrups before the horse went down, which prevented a broken limb.

THE FIDELITY BUILDING ASSOCIATION MEETING.—An adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the Fidelity Building and Loan Association was held Saturday evening in the office of Geo. M. Booth, Esq., Market square, for the purpose of adopting a constitution and by-laws and electing a Board of Directors. The attendance was quite large upon this occasion, and considerable interest was manifested.

Mr. Jonathan Jonhson was called to preside, and Mr. H. L. Donaldson acted as secretary.

The first business was the report of the committee, consisting of D. M. Johnson, J. B. Hannum and Joseph D. Oliver, appointed at last meeting to take steps looking to the incorporation of the Association.

Mr. Johnson reported that the preliminary work of the committee had been completed, and that in three or four weeks a charter could be procured.

This was satisfactory, and the members were ready to wrestle with the proposed constitution as prepared by a committee consisting of Geo. M. Booth, H. L. Donaldson and John Spencer, appointed at last meeting for that purpose. Owing to the length of the paper, it was first decided that the constitution could be adopted by sections as Mr. Booth read it, which was very satisfactory until the third section was reached, when it was considered entirely too heavy a matter to be disposed of so easily, and on motion of Mr. Lindsay, the members requested Mr. Booth to read it all through first, so that each could get an understanding of what was to come after, and then adopt it seriatim. This was done, and then it was adopted as a whole.

The constitution contains much that is new to Building Associations of Chester, and is considered a good one.

The election of Directors, around which hung much interest, because the fate of some of the officers rested therewith, was the next thing in order according to a motion to that effect. The following persons were elected to serve as Directors for one year:

Samuel Black, Thomas Lees, John Spencer, Henry Greenwood, Joseph F. Brewster, Jonathan Pennell, Joseph D. Oliver, J. J. Ledward and Albert D. Brown.

The stockholders meeting was then adjourned, and the Directors were called together to hold their first meeting.

They organized by electing the following officers:

President—Jonathan Pennell.
Treasurer—Jonathan R. Johnson.
Secretary—H. L. Donaldson.
Solicitor—John B. Hannum.

This Association starts out remarkably well, almost as large as any of its predecessors, having over one thousand shares of stock subscribed, and it bids fair to be a very prosperous society. The money will be required to be paid in on the second Saturday of June.

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY.—The congregation of the Madison street M. E. Church celebrated the Sixth anniversary of the erection of their church edifice, yesterday, in appropriate exercises, which were interesting and instructive. At nine o'clock in the morning there was Love Feast, well attended and full of interest. The sermon at 10.30 a. m. was largely attended, and an interesting sermon was preached by Rev. W. J. Paxson, P. E. The subject: "The Sacredness of the Church," was well handled, and was based on the text taken from Psalms lxxxiv, 1–2: "How amiable are thy tabernacles, O Lord of hosts! My soul longeth, yea, even fainteth for the courts of the Lord; my heart and my flesh crieth out for the living God."

The church was nicely decorated with flowers. On the wall, to the left of the pulpit, was an evergreen wreath, in the center of which were the figures 1830 in gilt, indicating that the first church of the society was built in that year.

This was on Second street, and is now used by the colored Methodists. To the right of the pulpit hung another wreath with 1846, representing the time of the next building erected for this fast increasing congregation, which was on West Fifth street. The Society became too large for this building in 1863, and then the erection of the present fine edifice on Madison street, at Seventh, was dedicated to the worship of God. There was also a wreath indicating the above date hanging in front of the pulpit. After the Fifth street building passed out of the hands of this society, it was devoted to purposes other than it was erected for, but we are glad to state that a society of Christians have purchased it, the German Lutherans, and it will be rededicated to God at an early date.

In the pulpit sat Rev. J. B. Maddux, Dr. James Cunningham, and Rev. H. E. Gilroy, who took part in the exercises.

In the afternoon, the Sunday school held extra exercises in the main auditorium of the church, which was thronged with visitors. The children sang several pretty selections, and addresses were made by Reverends Maddux, Gilroy, Cunningham and Robinson. A very pleasant afternoon was spent.

In the evening the Rev. Joseph Welch preached a very able and exhortive sermon, upon which occasion the church was crowded. The exercises throughout the day were of an enjoyable nature. There was a debt of $600 on the building, and an effort was made to raise a sufficient amount to liquidate this, which was easily done and some to spare.

THE LILAC.—The lilac made its first appearance upon the New Jersey steamers on Friday. This flower is a native of Persia, quite beautiful and fragrant, but short lived. This season, as compared with last, is about two weeks behind time.

POLICE NEWS.—Woodbridge Miller was given a hearing before the Mayor yesterday on the charge of committing an assault and battery on John Miller. He was held in his own recognizance to keep the peace.

LODGERS.—Since our last report there were nine lodgers in the station house.

CORONER'S INQUEST.—Coroner Fairlamb held an inquest at the office of George H. Rigby, undertaker, at Media, on Saturday, on the body of a young baby, found on the rafters in a garret of a two-story brick house at Fifth and Olive streets, in that borough, by Nathan Lockwood, a colored man, who has occupied the house since April 1st. On Sunday, May 4th, Mr. Lockwood had occasion to go up in the garret for a coat, and when up there he found a bundle of what he supposed to be old clothes, which he carried down and put in the back yard. On Friday Lockwood's wife examined the bundle and in it found a baby which was considerably decomposed, but it could be identified as a white child. This occasioned considerable excitement and was the source of much town talk. The Coroner was sent for to hold an inquest. When the Coroner saw the corpse he thought there was no use in holding an inquest, because the child had been there so long that it would be almost an impossibility to place the blame on anybody, but after listening to different persons relate circumstances which seemed to point to a solution of the mystery, he summoned the necessary witnesses and empanelled the following jury:

T. J. Haldeman, S. W. Hawley, George H. Rigby, H. P. Green, Gideon Maylin and George E. Adams.

The hearing of witnesses began at eleven o'clock and continued until about six, with only a half an hour's intermission. From the testimony it appears that the child was born on the 16th of last October and the mother is thought to be Maggie Suter, a young girl who lived as a domestic in the house of Napoleon Cooper. At the time the child was born Maggie was a single woman named Jamison, but was since married to a man named Suter, and has been housekeeping since April 1st. A day or two after the 16th of October she was removed from Cooper's house to the one where the corpse was found, then occupied by a Mrs. Fox, who rented out rooms. With her she took a trunk, and it is supposed that in this the baby was stowed and afterwards put in the loft.

Maggie and her mother swore that they knew nothing about the baby, that Maggie was sick with the dropsy and an abscess last fall, and had physicians to prescribe for those diseases, and was innocent of the charge.

Some fifteen witnesses were examined, and the evidence seemed to point so directly to Mrs. Suter's being the mother, that the jury, after careful deliberation, rendered a verdict that the child came to its death by causes unknown to them, and that they believe Maggie Jamison, now Suter, to be the mother of said child.

Under the verdict the Coroner could not commit the woman, and she was allowed to go free.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC SPORTS.—Saturday was a field day among the High School scholars, and was much enjoyed by the participators as well as a large assemblage of persons who had gathered to witness the feats of the school.

The Chester High School Athletic Association gave an exhibition of athletic sports Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, in Price's brick yard on Kerlin street, South ward.

The following is the programme as carried out:

A seventy-five yard dash, for which Harry E. Wilson and Ralph Lilley had entered. This race was won by Wilson in 8 seconds.

Standing broad jump, the honors of which were contested for by M. H. Bickley, Jr., and Harry Wilson, resulted in favor of Bickley, who made a bound of 11 feet.

Running high jump by Harry Wilson and John Fountain, was won by Wilson making 4 feet 3 inches.

The next was a running broad jump, indulged in by Harry Wilson and L. A. Clyde, with Wilson winning by leaping 15 feet 4½ inches.

A standing hop, step and jump, by L. A. Clyde, who was the only contestant, made 23 feet 10 inches.

A standing jump restricted to the smaller boys followed, and Isaiah Mirkil, Jr., and David McClure entered. This was won by Mirkil making 9 feet 3 inches.

Running hop, step and jump, also restricted, was participated in by I. Mirkil, Jr., and D. Deakyne. The former won, making 30 feet 4½ inches.

Running hop, step and jump by L. A. Clyde, who was the only entry, and who made 32½ feet.

H. Cochran and W. Rowan then had a mile run, and Cochran came in first, making it in 6½ minutes.

Half-mile walk, in which Frank Evans, Harry Wilson and L. A. Clyde entered. It was won by Evans in 4 minutes and 7 seconds.

Seventy-five yards dash, restricted, was contested for by D. McClure, John Fountain, and D. Deakyne. The race was won by McClure in 10 seconds.

A half-mile run by W. Rowan and H. Cochran was won by the former, who made it in 2 minutes and 43 seconds.

The sports of the afternoon concluded with a five mile "go as you please" race in which Samuel Price was the only contestant. He made it in 30 minutes and 6 seconds. This is unusually quick time, besides having no competition, which would make a person a little careless.

All the contestants were of the class of '82, and they are a remarkably spry set of young men.

PERSONAL.—Hon. Y. S. Walter, State Representative from this city, is lying at his home very ill with lumbago. Hon. Nathan Garrett is also at home sick, so that Delaware county is not represented.

Our fellow citizen, Thomas Moore, Sr., is spending a few days gunning at Beezley's Point, N. J.

Police officer A. Barber, of the South ward, is sick and off duty.

Mr. H. F. Morrow, our efficient school tax collector is spending to-day in Wilmington, Del., his native town.

John Moseley, of the South ward, returned this morning from a pleasure trip through New Jersey, New York and Vermont. He speaks highly of Lake George, Saratoga and Niagara Falls, and thinks this is the best time of the year to vist the above places.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—Some of the first class are in town this morning making preparations to go to New York on Thursday, to inspect the bridges in and around that city.

Cadet Cox rode on his iron horse—the bicycle—on Saturday. He came into the city so rapidly that he had passed people before they could think what the outlandish steed was.

The Ross nine, we understand, are about to challenge the cadets.

On Saturday next, the Energetics will play a club from Philadelphia.

On Saturday last, a match game of base ball was played between the Second and Fourth classes, which resulted in a victory for the latter. The following is the score:

FOURTH CLASS.	O.	R.	SECOND CLASS.	O.	R.
Stiles	1	2	Webb	0	4
Lee	2	1	Curtis	2	1
Duke	2	1	Smith	3	0
Easter	1	2	Young	2	1
Daggett	1	2	Mott	2	1
Jones	1	1	Powell	2	0
Lentz	3	0	Squier	2	0
Fletcher	3	0	Hersh	2	0
Young	1	2	Dawson	0	2
	15	11		15	8

PRESBYTERIANS IN COUNCIL.—The general assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the United States holds its annual meeting at Saratoga, this week, and the clerical delegates to the same from the Presbytery of Chester are Rev. P. H. Mowry, of the First Presbyterian Church, of this city, and Rev. W. B. Noble, of Fagg's Manor; and the lay delegates are Mr. Charles Roberts, of this city, and Mr. Esler. These gentlemen start to-night for the scene of action and will be accompanied by Dr. Mowry, delegate from Allegheny Presbytery, father of Rev. P. H. Mowry; and Rev. Dr. Pepper, of Crozer Theological Seminary. The latter goes principally for the benefit of his health, which has become considerably impaired of late, but as the Missionary Board of the Baptist Church meet there in about one week after the Presbyterians he will be on hand for a Baptist dessert after taking a dose of Presbyterianism.

Additional Locals on Fourth Page.

IF you want your baby to look bright do not put it to sleep with laudanum when restless, but use Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. 25 cents a bottle.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.—There is only one genuine roofing paint which has been thoroughly tested, and that is Minor's Elastic Cement Roofing Paint. It is acknowledged to be the best now in use, and the only paint that will last for ten years.
§ LONGBOTHAM & KENDIG.

EVERYBODY goes to the Original Boston 99c. Store, 45 North Eighth street, Philadelphia. Beautiful tables, 99c.; Rogers & Bro.'s spoons and forks, 99c. a set; steel knives and forks, leather bags, trunks, lamps, and a store filled with useful articles. Nothing over 99c. a9-d&w-3m

Caught at Last.

The notorious depredator, Kate-Arrh, who has for so many years eluded the most accomplished and skillful detectives, has been caught at last in Buffalo, N. Y. For further particulars, ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, admitted to be the best remedy for catarrh yet compounded.

CHEW Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

MARRIED.

BOOTH—NEAL.—On the 5th inst., by Rev. J. F. Crouch, No. 330 Kerlin street, John R. Booth, of this city, and Miss Maggie R. Neal, of South Chester.

WOODINGTON—MILLER.—On the 11th inst., at North Chester, by Prof. G. D. B. Pepper, Fred Woodington, of Frankford, Phila., and Miss Lizzie E. Miller, of North Chester.

DIED.

KENWORTHY.—In this city, on the 9th inst., Frances Ann, wife of Jonathan Kenworthy, aged 51 years.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

These Goods Need no Sizing as they are Ready for Use.

JOHNSON'S
Patent Standard
DRY SIZED
Kalsomine,
FOR SALE BY

These Goods Need no Sizing as they are Ready for Use.

Hudson, Sparks & Co.,

103 WEST THIRD STREET.

The only direct agency for Chester, Pa.,

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We have also on hand the largest stock of

PURE PREPARED PAINTS,

Ready for use, in the city, put up in One and Two Pound Packages, Pints, Quarts, Gallons, &c., so as to accommodate all.

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THE REFUNDING CERTIFICATES.—The United States four per cent Refunding Certificates are just as popular in Chester as elsewhere if the sale of Saturday afternoon be taken as a criterion. Postmaster Martin, had procured $5000 worth of these on Saturday morning, and announced that they would be ready by 1.30 o'clock. As soon as that hour arrived a number of persons were at the money order window ready for them. Some took ten, while others only one, but the most of the people took four and five, and in less than the time allotted to their sale, the whole five hundred were sold, showing they are just the thing for the people, and that they are the best security ever offered. No one can obtain more than ten of them at one time.

They are a little wider than a ten dollar bill and about as long. Along the top, in large type, similar to that on most Government notes, are the words: "United States Refunding Certificate Ten Dollars." Then follows in smaller type: "April 1st, 1879. This certifies that the sum of ten dollars has been deposited with the treasurer of the United States, under act of February 26th, 1879. Jas. Gilfillin, Treasurer, Geo. W. Schofield, Register.

In a foot note they say this certificate is convertible into U. S. Bonds, bearing four per cent interest. On the back is a table of the computation of the interest they bear for a year and the fraction thereof.

Postmaster Martin will send for $25,000 more of them to-day. He expects to have disposed of upwards of $200,000 by the time the citizens of Chester and vicinity are supplied.

A GREAT LITERARY WORK.—A work that every lover of good literature wants at constant command, because while it is superlatively attractive and interesting in itself, it is also a key and index to all other good English literature, enabling one to see and judge for himself what authors and books are most desirable for him to read—such is the new Acme edition of Chambers' Cyclopædia of English literature. In its nearly 3,500 pages it gives biographies of all noted British and American authors from earliest times to the present, with choice and characteristic selections from their writings, thus being a concentration of the best productions of modern intellect. It is published in eight handy and beautiful 16mo volumes, at prices so low as to seem really astonishing to most book buyers, viz.: in paper, complete, $2.00; cloth, $3.00; half morocco, $4.75; half morocco, the four volume edition, $3.75. From these low rates a discount of 10 per cent is allowed to those ordering before June 1, and a further discount of 10 per cent when ordered in clubs of five or more. It is not sold by dealers or agents, but only to buyers direct, by the publishers, the American Book Exchange, 55 Beekman street, New York, who will send specimen pages, &c., free, on request.

A Laughable Incident.

The Queen of England is having a quiet but most enjoyable holiday in Italy, free from the restraints and conventionalities of royalty, and amusing herself making pencil sketches of the scenery along the shores of Lake Maggiore. A few days since she slipped out of the chateau at Baveno unobserved, and accompanied only by the Princess Beatrice. The two ladies were dressed in black walking costumes of the simplest style, and succeeded in enjoying themselves on foot and in the open air without the embarrassments of court etiquette. Nobody recognized them, and they strolled along for an hour, chatting with the washer-women who were at work on the shore. The Queen speaks Italian well, and was delighted to find she could understand the dialect of the Lombardy peasants. Before returning to their apartments they visited the stables, and her Majesty tried her Italian on a tall coachman whom she supposed to be a native. The poor man was in fact an Englishman, who did not understand a word of any language but his own, and he was as silent and stiff as a telegraph pole while the Queen was talking to him. Finding her mistake at last, her Majesty burst into a hearty laugh, and returned to the chateau, greatly pleased with the success of her incognita.

As to Treating One's Friends.

The *Methodist* says kind words for the "moderation" reform movement which aims at stopping the habit of treating to drinks. But it would go further and stop the practice of treating to car fares. "It is desirable, we think, to get under the principle of good will and manliness that supports treating. We beg leave, therefore, to say that it is not manly and courteous, but just the reverse, to pay another's bill without being asked to do so, or when there is no reason to believe that the other is unable to pay for himself. The man who pays his neighbor's car fare, lunch ticket or concert ticket, without express permission, does an ungentlemanly thing, a vulgar thing, which a well-bred man will never do without a sense of personal humiliation. The well-bred man may do these things because he knows that they are the custom of the imperfectly-civilized people among whom he lives, but he will feel that he degrades himself by doing them. The principle is a very simple one; when you pay another man's car fare without his request, spoken or implied, you assume the right to create an obligation, and this assumption is bad manners."

How Cetywayo Counts.

Cetywayo numbers his troops in novel fashion—putting pegs into the ground to measure off his men according to his own standard of length. On a recent occasion, when two regiments returned from battle, they did not come up to the original measure by a considerable space, whereupon the leaders were put to death for having lost too many men. At another time, after a defeat, the Zulu leaders complained to the king that although they could face cannon and cavalry, they could do nothing against the "running fire" of the white men. Cetywayo, unable to understand the details of the engines of destruction which they described, put them to death for "frightening the rest of the soldiery by their stories."

President Polk's Cocktails.

Judge Carpenter, of California, tells this anecdote of James K. Polk's term of the Presidency: Polk was a temperate, but not abstinent man, of very regular habits. He rose early at the White House, and had his servants to bring punctually a very large cocktail, in a tall glass, of which he drank just one-half and left the other half for his return from his morning walk. On this walk he required the company of Marshal Polk, his nephew. Young Polk was so fond of a cocktail, though his uncle did not know it and would not countenance it. However, they would hardly have left the house on the daily occasion, when Marshall, pretending he had forgotten something, would slip back and drink nearly all the remaining half of the cocktail and pour in some water. After returning from the walk, President Polk repaired to his chamber in a brown political study, and seizing the tumbler gulped down the water and sediment, and then exclaimed "Paugh!" This continued with regularity, and the cheat was never found out. Polk now lies before his dwelling in Nashville, interred in his yard, and Marshall Polk has not been heard from since the beginning of the war.

Let the Child be Joyful.

A child's mirth is easily aroused. How still is the house when the little ones are all fast asleep and their pattering feet are silent. How easily the fun of a child bubbles forth. Take even those poor, prematurely-aged little ones bred in the gutter, cramped in unhealthy homes, and ill-used, it may be, by drunken parents, and you find the child-nature is not all crushed out of them. They are children still, albeit they look so haggard and wan. Try to excite their mirthfulness, and ere long a laugh rings out as wild and free as if there was no such thing as sorrow in the world. Let the little ones laugh then,—too soon, alas! they will find cause to weep. Do not try to silence them, but let their gleefulness ring out a gladsome peal, reminding us of the days when we, too, could laugh without a sigh.

—Artificial pearls are more common than the real things, for diver's reasons.

—So close is the sympathy between night and day that after one falls the other breaks.

—Most of the shadows that cross our path through life are caused by our standing in our own light.

The hum of a tea-kettle paid for is more beautiful than the most splendid air on a piano that is not.

—We are never so inclined to believe in a stroke of good fortune as when one has just been dealt to us.

—A flame is in her glassy eye, a broom is in her eager hand, aloft she lifts a sudden cry that echos like a new brass band; her dress is reefed about her knees, as through her house she cuts a path, and in her every stranger sees a being of majestic wrath. Step ladders scale the papered height, and tubs of water flood the floor, her voice is heard from morn till night rising above the awful roar. Fly from her presence, dog and cat. Fly from her presence, man and mouse; it is the vernal frenzy that possesses her—she's cleaning house.—*Saginaw Courier.*

—A set of furniture is mentioned in Massachusetts papers that became infested with hundreds of moths. The seven pieces were put in a room by themselves, and three gallons of benzine, costing ninety cents, thrown over them, out of a small watering-pot with a fine rose, "saturating them through and through." In a few hours they were dry; all odor disappeared in three or four days; no injury was done to varnish, wood, fabric or hair-stuffing, and now, months after, not a sign of moth has since been seen. The carpet was also sprinkled all around the sides of the room with equally good effect. This is said to be a sort of trade secret among upholsterers.

—Baltimore is the champion city of America for the manufacture of cheap jellies. It is well understood that the jelly is an animal rather than a vegetable product, being simply gelatine, colored and flavored according to the fruit that is to be represented. Boston jelly is chiefly made of apples, also flavored and colored in imitation of other fruits, and the imposition is discovered by very few. It costs fourteen cents a pound, which is but about half what the genuine fruits represented can be supplied for. Boston is also a great raspberry jam mart, and the eight firms manufacturing it produce an aggregate of five hundred tons a year. It sells at eighteen cents a pound, and is made from dried raspberries.

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	3 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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CHANGE OF HOURS.

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Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

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Niagara Exp, daily, except Sunday 7.20 A. M.
Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday,.....11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Mail Train { Daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M. / On Sunday—Harrisburg only,..... 8.00 A. M.
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renove, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

NEW YORK DIVISION.

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For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

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Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

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Leave Media at 10 A. M., and 5 P. M.
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LATEST NEWS.

The official vote of San Francisco shows the majority against the new Constitution of California in that city to be 1542.

At a meeting of the Evangelical Ministers' Association of Boston yesterday, it was resolved to call a convention of churches of all denominations in that city and ten miles around, to meet on the 26th inst., for the purpose of taking measures to enforce the Sunday laws.

A delegation of six Northern Cheyennes, under Little Chief, and accompanied by Agent Mills and Interpreter Clark, arrived at St. Louis yesterday on the way to Washington. The band they represent desire to return to their northern homes, being greatly dissatisfied with the country to which they have been sent.

The steamship Amite and the iron-clad Canonicus, both from New Orleans, have been quarantined at Pensacola. The crew of the Canonicus will be sent North and the vessel scaled and left at quarantine until frost, to prevent the danger of another case like that of the Plymouth. It is said the quarantining of the Amite was a mistake.

The Grand Jury of Essex county, N. J., has indicted thirty saloon keepers among some of the principal saloon keepers of Newark for keeping disorderly houses. About twenty of those indicted were arraigned yesterday and pleaded not guilty.

Charles Reed, in jail at Sidney, Neb., for the murder of Henry Loomis, was taken out by a mob of 400 lynchers on Saturday night, and hanged from a telegraph pole.

Freeman and his wife were committed at Barnstable, Mass., yesterday, for the killing of their child. Freeman, who is as crazy as ever, promises an astonishing revelation on May 21st. His wife is beginning to realize that she has been guilty of a crime.

The jail at Cochran, Ga., was burned yesterday, and George Long, colored, the only inmate, was burned to death. It is supposed he fired the building to get out.

Two insane men, named Zink and Sutherland, perished by the burning of the county Infirmary at Greencastle, Ind., on Saturday night.

Three men were burned to death, and a fourth was severely injured, by the burning of a house in which they were sleeping off the effects of a drunken spree, in Buffalo, on Sunday night.

Two children of Frank Carroll, a farmer living near Vandalia, Ill., perished yesterday by the burning of a crib filled with corn husks, in which they were playing.

The body of Daniel Capwell, aged 35 years, was found in the Pawtucket river, Rhode Island, on Sunday. He disappeared a week ago, and is supposed to have committed suicide while insane.

A new counterfeit $5 note, on the National Bank of Pawling, N. Y., appeared in New York city yesterday. It is altered from the Tamaqua and Hanover (Pa.) plate issues, which circulated largely a few months ago.

The forest fires in Luzerne, Lackawana, Wayne and Pike counties in this State, continued yesterday, and an extensive conflagration on Pocono Mountain is reported, in addition to the previous fires. Near Pittston and Moosic, powder mills were threatened by the surrounding flames. In Pike county the fire penetrated Blooming Grove Park, devastating fifty acres of timber and destroying some deer. Fires are also burning on the mountains in Lebanon and Berks counties. Immense fires are raging in the Catskill Mountains, in New York, the flames being visible from the Hudson river at night. The burned district covers 7000 acres.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.

Great Britain.

LONDON, May 12.—Lord George F. Hamilton, Vice President of the Council, to-day stated in the House of Commons, in reply to a question submitted by Mr. Mundella, that various cattle cargoes recently arrived from America were found to be suffering with pleuro-pneumonia.

LONDON, May 12.—A despatch from Simon's Bay, Cape of Good Hope, dated April 28th, says there has been no fresh fighting. Lord Chelmsford and Prince Louis Napoleon have gone to Kambula. Nuguwanda, Cetewayo's youngest brother, has surrendered. The death of Umbelino, one of the King's brothers, is confirmed. The news from the Transvaal is encouraging. The Boers have broken up their camp and returned home.

France.

LONDON, May 12.—The Paris correspondent of the Manchester *Guardian* says: "The differences in the French Cabinet are exaggerated. There is undoubtedly a difficulty, but no crisis. The subject of the difference, although of secondary importance, is peculiarly delicate. Before the Parliamentary recess, the Cabinet proposed, in order to furnish guarantees to those Senators who fear the return of the Chambers to Paris, to frame a law withdrawing the administration of the Prefecture of Police from the Municipal Council and placing it in the hands of the Government.

Germany.

BERLIN, May 12.—The Reichstag has adopted the motion of Herr Loewe to refer the tobacco bill to a special committee.

Russia.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 12.—The principal part of the town of Irbit, on the eastern border of the Government of Perm, at the confluence of the Irbit and Nisa rivers, was destroyed by fire on Friday. The population of Irbit is about 3500.

Intelligence has been received from Tiflis that a disease, with terrible mortality, is raging in ten villages in the Caucasus. A solemn procession of holy pictures has been held in the district of Gori, and prayers offered for the preservation of the inhabitants.

LONDON, May 13.—A Berlin despatch to the *Standard* says political murders in Russia have been recently confined to the provinces. The stringent measures adopted against them seem to have cowed the conspirators in St. Petersburg. The Czar has decreed that prisoners tried by court-martial must be doomed or acquitted within twenty-four hours from the time they are pronounced.

LONDON, May 13.—The St. Petersburg *Gazette* reports that the losses by the conflagration at Irbit are enormous. The Treasury, Post-office and Town Hall were saved. The fire raged all day Saturday and Sunday.

The *Standard's* Berlin despatch points out that Irbit is largely used as a place of exile.

A Wife's Devotion.

It was during the progress of the war of 1750 that the incident I am about to relate occurred.

The Count de Brimont, a young nobleman scarcely five and twenty years of age, had, with his wife, his bride of a week, been taken prisoner and held in close custody in a town of Burgundy.

De Brimont belonging to one of the oldest families in France, was accomplished, enthusiastic and exceedingly handsome, and his wife was all that the wife of such a man should be; in fact, her hand had been solicited by no less than five princes, but undazzled by the brilliant future she might have secured, she chose to ally her fortunes to her heart's first choice.

Though prisoners, the young people were treated with every courtesy, and surrounded by every luxury, debarred only of their liberty. About a month after they had been taken captive, and when in fact a treaty depended on their safe-keeping until its conclusion, news reached De Brimont that his beloved mother was lying at the point of death, eager to see him once more before she departed. He presented the state of things to the commander of the city, and besought him by the affection he entertained for his own mother, to send him, accompanied by suitable guard, to his parent's deathbed. In vain, however, were his pleadings; too much depended upon retaining him at present in captivity, and the commander courteously but firmly refused his prayer. De Brimont was in despair; he felt as though willing to give the best years of his life to prison walls, so he could now spend an hour with his so-dearly-loved mother ere she went hence and was no more.

Nearly heart-broken, he once more renewed his entreaties, and once more received a refusal, when suddenly his young wife appeared, and threw herself before the feet of the commander. "Let him go to his mother," said she, "and keep me here; fix upon a day for his return, and if he is not here at the very hour, let me die."

"Upon these terms I permit you to depart unattended," the commander said.

At first De Brimont absolutely refused to accept the order, but upon the eager persuasions of his wife, and the absolute certainty of being able to return long before the day fixed, he at last consented, and with many embraces he bade adieu to his devoted wife.

He was obliged to travel many leagues, but the horse he rode was a good one, and by nightfall of the day he set out, he reached his ancestral home. He found the countess, his mother, very low indeed, but the sight of her idolized son appeared to revive her somewhat and she lingered on until the evening of the day immediately preceding the one appointed for his return.

De Brimont had only time to kiss her cold lips and give hasty orders concerning the funeral, and then leaving her to be followed to the grave by every relative save the nearest and dearest, he set forth on his return, having ample time to accomplish the distance.

He had proceeded about half way on his journey, his mind absorbed in grief on the one side at the loss of his parent, and joy on the other at once more beholding his bride, when suddenly he was set upon by a furious wolf of extraordinary size, which darted out from a wood that skirted one side of the highway. The ferocious beast first seized the horse, and tore and mangled the poor animal so terribly that De Brimont was forced to dismount.

No sooner had he touched the ground, and before he had even time for thought, the wolf left his first prey and sprung upon him, and would certainly have torn him limb from limb had he not with great presence of mind seized the animal by the tongue with one hand, and with the other laid hold of his paws.

After strugglihg awhile with the terrible creature, the tongue slipped from his hold, and his right hand was terribly mangled by the beast; but, notwithstanding the pain he was in, he leaped upon the wolf's back, and pressing his knees hard into the sides, called aloud for succor. It was not for his own life he fought, but for his poor wife's. Who can realize the terrible thoughts that rushed through his mind during those frightful moments?

To his own fate he gave not a thought, save as far as it affected that of his wife; he would perish miserably on the road; the world would say that he had purposely fled to some other land, leaving a lovely and loving wife to die for his cowardice and treachery. At length, however, to his great joy his cries were answered, and some peasants soon appeared; but none of them dared to advance.

"Well, then," De Brimont cried, seeing that entreaties were useless, "fire; if you hit me I forgive you, only swear to me that one of you will hasten to B——— and tell how I died."

They all, with one voice, made the required promise, and then one of them fired, but so terrified was he that he only succeeded in sending three bullets through the brave young nobleman's coat, without injuring either him or the beast.

Another then, bolder than his comrades, seeing the intrepidity of the cavalier, and how firm a hold he kept upon the wolf, approached somewhat nearer, and taking deliberate and careful aim, fired. The wolf was mortally wounded by the shot, and almost instantly expired.

Never pausing to dress his wounds, which were very severe, De Brimont distributed a sum of money among the peasants, and offered a large amount to any one who first brought him a horse, for his own was entirely disabled. In an incredibly short space of time a horse was brought him, and, mounting it, the count hastened on his way.

But the story is told; of course he arrived at the appointed time, and threw himself, covered with blood and dust, into his wife's arms.

The account of what he had undergone soon spread far and wide, and when, within a week thereafter, the treaty was concluded, he was escorted to the city gates by the population of the entire city, and departed with his lovely bride amid a torrent of cheers and blessings, to say nothing of presents so rich and weighty that it required several mules, well packed, to carry them away.

Writing.

Good penmanship is as necessary for a lady or gentleman as a good style of talking or reading. If a man is owner of a large estate, with servants, money and influence at command, we wonder all the more if he writes a mean, cramped, or illiterate hand. We take up his letter with a feeling of surprise, and say, "What! is this the production of So-and-so?—it looks like the wretched scraping of some poor laborer, with a scarcity of ink to boot." Bad writing has the same effect upon the eye that discordant tones of music have upon the ear.

Much has been said about judging character by handwriting. In many cases, however, we should feel far from justified in reading an individual's habits or disposition in the writing he or she may produce. The manner of writing is often a matter of imitation, but it is often also a result of a whim, without regard to what is neat, tasteful or intelligible. Perhaps it might be as correct to say that it is a result of carelessness. We know a clergyman of distinction whose letters are next thing to unreadable. Consisting of irregular scratchings, their meaning is barely guessed at, except by some one skilled in deciphering them. Is not such writing very like an indignity toward the person addressed. We entertain an utter detestation of this eccentricity in letter-writing, whether caused by sheer carelessness or perverse oddity. We say the same thing of confused unintelligible signatures. No one is entitled to torment correspondents by these eccentricities.—*Bazar.*

Be Gentlemen at Home.

There are few families, we imagine, anywhere, in which love is not abused as furnishing a license for impoliteness. A husband, or father, or brother, will speak harsh words to those that he loves the best and to those that love him the best, simply because the security of love and family pride keeps him from getting his head broken. It is a shame that a man will speak more impolitely at times to his wife or sister than he would dare to any other female except a low and vicious one. It is thus that the holiest affections of a man's nature prove to be a weaker protection to a woman in the family circle than the restraints of society, and that a woman is usually indebted for the kindest politeness of life to those not belonging to her own household. This ought not to be so. The man who, because it will not be resented, inflicts his spleen and bad temper upon those of his hearthstone, is a small coward and a very mean man. Kind words are the circulating medium between true gentlemen and true ladies at home, and no polish exhibited in society can atone for the harsh language and disrespectful treatment too often indulged in between those bound together by God's own ties of blood, and the still more sacred bonds of conjugal love.

Be Sure of Death.

Occasionally an event occurs which shows the need of peculiar care before the burial of those who are supposed to be dead. The following case is mentioned in the Portland *Oregonian:* A lady living near Portland was taken violently ill, and to all appearances died. Preparations were made for the interment, and after the usual interval friends met for funeral services at the residence of the bereaved family. Suddenly a slight moan was heard to issue from the coffin. This greatly startled the assembled neighbors, and the people were about to rush from the room, when the husband of the lady approached the coffin, and was astonished to find the body moist and warm. A closer examination disclosed the fact that the woman was breathing. Restoratives were applied, and the supposed dead came back to life, and was soon able to sit up and converse.

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TUESDAY, MAY 13, 1879.

IT is pleasant to know that the ten-dollar funding certificates have been on sale in Chester. Nothing, scarcely, more improves the moral tone of a community than to have its citizens industrious and frugal. While nothing scarcely more promotes this industry and frugality than to have safe and convenient opportunities for investing small savings. The special province of these certificates is to afford such opportunities. In other places thousands of dollars' worth of them have been sold just as rapidly as purchase money could be handed in and certificates handed out. And history has repeated itself here. These bonds went like hot rolls at breakfast. Happy is that nation whose citizens are diligent in their business, and happy those citizens whose diligence accumulates for them something against a rainy day.

THE arrest, a few days since, of one of the supposed Manhattan Bank robbers, affords another illustration of how certainly crime is overtaken. Criminals may escape for a time, but in the very hour of apparent security Justice lays its hand upon them. Very few noted offenders escape. And even when they seem to have eluded observation a constant sense of insecurity robs their lives of its repose. A fearful looking forward haunts them. Nor is it without occasion that they thus become their own formentors, for, as the arrest alluded to shows, danger of detection is always imminent. Conspicuous criminals, as conspicuous men in more honest walks of life, have in their work certain easily recognized characteristics. This fact, connected with the facilities which the telegraph and detective agencies afford, environ them with a network of dangers which not one of them escapes. Sooner or later, they all come to their just doom.

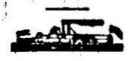
A SERIO-COMIC incident of New York life is the publication by Mr. Kiddle, the superintendent of public schools in that city, of a book purporting to relate conversations with Shakespeare, Byron, Horace Greeley, and other worthies now in the spirit world. These conversations are so far below the mundane standard of these distinguished men as to suggest very naturally a suspicion that they have been sadly deteriorating since they joined the majority on the other side, or else that Mr. Kiddle has been victimized. Just which we do not presume to determine. It is, however, a noticeable fact in revelations of this kind—and there have been a number—that the supposed authors never send to their terrestrial cotemporaries communications which are at all equal to the standard they established for themselves while in the flesh. Maybe, after all, the flower and perfection of life is here, and even genius is doomed when it goes out into the infinite.

THE bicycle mania which some years since agitated the country is a matter of history; but the bicycle itself is a present reality. The furore long since subsided, and those who most went crazy with it have so entirely recovered that they probably never think of bicycles without disgust. Thus the pendulum which swings farthest to the right is sure to swing again farthest to the left. But apart from these there is a goodly company who know that the bicycle has capacity for doing excellent work, and many of whom, to their great comfort, are daily getting such work out of it. For instance, in several Western cities newspaper reporters and carriers use bicycles constantly in the discharge of their duties. This leads us to suggest the value of the bicycle to many citizens of Chester. If half that is said of the bicycle by those accustomed to it be true, a trip on it to Eddystone, Upland or South Chester, could be made with little more fatigue and much more speed than in an ordinary vehicle. We venture to guess that there is more than one person in our city who would like to put the bicycle to a practical test, were it not that the novelty of the thing would make them unpleasantly conspicuous. Suppose that we have a bicycle club. Maybe its members might become so skillful as to win some prizes next autumn at the Industrial Exhibition.

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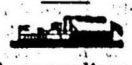
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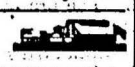
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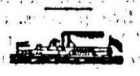
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DAILY TIMES.

TIME TABLE.

P. W. & B. R. R.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10.15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 2.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

TUESDAY, MAY 13, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Lilacs are in their glory now.

Remarkably pleasant evenings of late.

Mr. Y. S. Walter it still confined to his room.

Oiled floors are neater and more healthy than carpets.

Chester pays $20,500 interest on her borrowed money.

The Pennsylvania Railroad has issued its summer excursion books.

None of our citizens know as much about South America as Dr. Coates.

The view from the railroad bridge, looking toward Upland, is very beautiful.

Councilman Klotz seems determined to make the city live within its means.

Mr. Hugh Shaw has a bed of very fine tulips at his residence in North Chester.

Holly Tree Hall cleared $600 last year, over and above expenses. A good showing.

Shad sold for eleven dollars per hundred yesterday. Cheap enough for everybody but the fishermen.

A good many catfish lately have been trying the experiment of living on land, but they find they can not.

A doctor says that people who go off on excursions run more risk of life and limb than a soldier in the army.

It is time to agitate that ferry to Bridgeport and the Media "narrow guage." Both of which would benefit Chester.

The school tax collector is still ready to receive taxes. It is important that they should be paid at a very early day.

Post Wilde meets to-night. As Decoration Day approaches business increases with this excellent and patriotic organization.

Atmospheric wonders always occur away from home. How is it we never see any of those large meteors in this neighborhood?

The Chester Building Association, and the Delaware County Building Association will issue new series of stock at their next meetings.

The Gifford Nine, of Philadelphia, and the Athletics, of the P. M. A., will cross bats to-morrow afternoon, on the grounds of the latter.

The counrty lanes are lined with blossoming trees, and an air of peaceful content pervades all the farm yards of Delaware county.

If the way the new four per cents were bought up by our citizens is any criterion, the new loan will be as popular in Chester as elsewhere.

The various departments of the city are to be run more systematically than heretofore. This is one of the results of putting good men in office.

Now that it has been definitely settled that the public school picnic is to take place, the next thing that agitates the minds of the children and teachers is, where shall it be held.

The doctors of Pennsylvania will hold their annual meeting in Chester on Wednesday, and will continue in session at intervals until Friday. Let us extend to them a hearty welcome.

At last it is definitely settled that the Delaware County Agricultural and Industrial Society will hold its next fair at Greenwood. Now let us all pull together, and endeavor to make it a success.

The usual western real estate journals are being sent east, filled with glowing accounts of the fruitfulness of the prairie lands. It requires work to make a living out there as well as in Delaware county.

The Mackinnon fountain pen agent says that he never met with such a town as Chester. The delivery of one pen usually sells another a short time afterward. A good article will always sell in Chester.

Twenty-five new locomotives are being built at Allentown for the Pennsylvania Railroad. This means additional work for not only Altoona, but for hundreds of others in different portions of the State.

The excursion season, and the putting on of the summer pleasure steamers has made our river much more attractive. The arrival and departure of the steamers is always watched with interest by many of our citizens.

THE CITY COUNCIL ON APPROPRIATIONS.—The members of City Council met in Council Chamber last evening at 8 o'clock, as a committee of the whole for the purpose of conferring on the matter of appropriations, after which a special meeting of Council was held.

Members present—Messrs. B. F. Baker, Black, F. S. Baker, Chadwick, Clough, Hinkson, Klotz, Young, Fennell, Cutler, McCall, Greenwood and Anderson.

On motion of Mr. Chadwick, B. F. Baker was called to the chair.

The clerk then stated the object of the meeting, after which the Chair called on the different committees to state the amount necessary to carry on their department for the current year.

Mr. Klotz, of the Street Committee, was of the opinion that that department could get along with $8000. On motion this amount was allowed.

The Police Committee was next called, and in the absence of Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Fennell said he thought they would require $8560 for the year. On motion this was given them.

The Lamp Department, Mr. Clough Chairman, was fixed at $5000.

Mr. Chadwick, on the Fire Committee, asked for $4350 for the year. On motion this amount was given him.

Mr. Chadwick thought the Water Department would need $2500 and on motion this amount was allowed.

Mr. Young asked for $500 for Public Property, which, on motion was conceded.

Mr. Lewis, Clerk, stated on behalf of the contingent fund that that department would need about as much as last year, which was $3000. On motion allowed.

Mr. Anderson, who at this point came in, said he was sorry he could not get here earlier. There were several important points to be considered in passing on these amounts. The tax to be collected would amount to about $51,000, while the discounts, commissions and exonerations would reduce it about $11,000, making a net receipt from taxes of something less than $40,000. Upon this we must base our calculations. If it is our purpose to expend about $20,000 more than we receive, as we did last year, we can go on making large appropriations; but if we design to shape our expenditures to suit our income, then we must reduce our appropriations and stick to the reduction. Our interest account is now $20,500 a year, and it should not get any larger. Let us see if we cannot save this year the $20,000 over-expended last year. Stop the wholesale expenditure of money.

Mr. Chadwick.—I have only a little longer to remain in Council, and there are certain improvements I desire to have done before I go out. Some members of this body have had all the improvements to streets they care about and now cry halt. They expended $20,000 on Kerlin street, and they wish to stop all other improvements of the city. The amount the city fell short last year is the amount the city spent on Kerlin street.

Mr. Anderson said: The gentleman from the South ward is a poor advocate of the opposition to Kerlin street when he voted for it and for Edgmont avenue. If Kerlin street came up now, or any time within the last year, I would have voted against it. The taxpayers demand retrenchment, and it is our duty to curtail in every department that is possible.

Chairman Baker here ruled the debate out of order, as they had passed the street appropriation, and were now ready to consider the interest account.

Mr. Anderson, as chairman on Ways and Means, asked for $20,500 to pay the interest for the year. This was allowed.

It was decided that the different departments would be taken up again, and see if something could not be taken off of some of them.

Mr. Greenwood said Mr. Anderson has in his remarks struck the keynote on which I wish to say something.

Mr. Anderson.—Excuse me. I did not intend to.

Mr. Greenwood resumed, and said, we fall short each year of what we appropriate. I was glad when I found that the council had concluded to do as I wanted them to do last year: to come and reason together, and see what is the least amount each department can get along with. The Legislature is now considering a bill, the purport of which is to compel cities to make an approximation of their expenses before any money is appropriated. I propose to ask for the appointment of a committee to see just how much money will be actually needed, and then up on their recommendations make the appropriations. Put the committees down as low as possible, and run them on that. If they are not, kick the committee out. I know there are some departments that can be run for a good bit less without any injury to the city. We are the servants of the people; they ask for a reduction of expenses, and if any department suffers, put the blame on them.

Chairman Baker said it was all very well to talk about economy and to practice it too, but there are certain improvements that must go on, there are departments that must have money, we cannot run the city on wind. The streets must be kept in repair and the police must be paid, and to do this there must be sufficient appropriation made. We do not want to build a fence around the city, whitewash it and leave it. Mr. Baker's remarks were suggestive and to the point.

Mr. Clough said the city must have water, or in a time of conflagration burn down.

Mr. Chadwick said we do not expect to pay off the debt in a short time, in fact I don't care about doing it. Let our children pay their portion of it. I want low taxes as much as anybody, and there are improvements that I want to see made too.

Mr. Klotz said the bonded and floating debt was now about $375,000, and our limit is $400,000, we only have a margin of $25,000. If we increase our debt $20,000 in the next year, we will put on our children as much debt as they want to stand. We must contract, or in a couple of years we will find ourselves at the limit of our indebtedness.

Mr. Greenwood—The question for us to decide, is whether we will go in debt or not.

Mr. Black—I should like to see the council live within in its revenue. I am much pleased to see the Street Committee ask for a less appropriation than they received last year. Some of the departments cannot do with less, while others can very well afford to be cut down without injury to the city. There is too much money required to run the Police department, considerably over $8000 was spent in this department alone last year. I am not one to advocate the reduction of wages, but here we could make a reduction of wages. We can reduce the wages or the number of policeman. Those of us who carry on business know that to compete with others we had to reduce the wages of our employees, no matter how disagreeable to us it was. The police do not work as hard as many others who work for less.

Mr. Young said that if the Street Committee did one half that was asked on the streets it would require twice the appropriation.

The street department was again taken up and on motion of Mr. Anderson the appropriation was made $7,500.

Mr. Greenwood, of the Committee on Police, said he had made no calculation for that department yet, did not know how many policemen there were, and wanted the matter referred to a committee to find out how much his department could live on.

Some of the members said there was no use in trying to evade the question that way. If the department could do on less cut it down.

Mr. Black said by giving the day officers $10 and the night officers $12 per week, or by cutting down the force the department could be run on $7,500. On motion this amount was allowed.

Mr. Clough thought the lamp department could not do on any less than was previously fixed—$5000.

Mr. Hinkson moved that the Fire Department be given $4000.

Mr. Black said he had heard from a member of the committee appointed some time ago to find out the relative cost of running a steamer and a hose company, that the former could be run on $500 and the latter on $250 per year. If this could be done without stinting the companies too much it should be considered. I am in favor of giving the fire department all that is necessary to keep them in good running order.

Mr. Chadwick was of the opinion that the Fire Department was run as economically as possible, and favored making it the same as last year.

Mr. Klotz said it is true the committee in question found a steamer could be run on $500 and a hose on $250 per year, but not calculating for keep of horses, and many other little expenditures necessary to the running of a volunteer department. The fire department of Chester is run on less money than anywhere that I know of, and it is just as efficient.

He spoke in complimentary terms of how the Franklin had managed their affairs. He said this company had received subscriptions from citizens equal to the amount of their appropriation every year, and deserve much credit. They need a pair of horses, for it is hard work to pull the steamer by hand. If their appropriation is cut down they cannot get their steeds.

Mr. Anderson thought this department could not be reduced, and spoke in complimentary terms of the department.

Mr. Black said he did not wish to be understood to be opposing the Fire Department. He was a friend to the firemen, and always contributed to them when asked. If the department cannot be run on less, then we must give them ample funds. I believe we have an efficient Fire Department, and could not do without it.

On motion $4000 was allowed this department.

The water appropriation was made $2500.

On motion of Mr. Young $350 was given to the Public Property Committee.

The contingent fund was put down at $2750.

The Interest department was made the same, $20,500, as nothing less could be gotten along with.

The work of the Committee on the Whole was now completed, and Mr. Anderson moved that it now rise and report its action to a special meeting of Council. Agreed to.

The council was called to order with the same members present, and Mr. B. F. Baker was made President pro tem in the absence of Mr. Wallace.

On motion the clerk reported the work of the Committee on the Whole to Council, and Mr. Chadwick moved that it be received and that the Ordinance Committee be instructed to prepare an ordinance carrying out the orders of the Committee. Adopted.

Mr. Klotz moved that the Committee on Police be instructed to arrange the expenditures of the Police department to conform to the appropriation, and have the Ordinance Committee prepare an ordinance carrying out their suggestions. Mr. Chadwick thought Council ought to do it, as there was considerable odium attached to it.

Messrs. Anderson and Black both thought it was more properly the work of the Committee on Police. They could consult with the Mayor, and since the spirit of reform is abroad in every department, he would throw no barrier in the way. Both were of the opinion that Council would sustain any just and honorable action of the Committee, looking to the reduction of the expenditures under this head. The motion prevailed.

A communication was received from Mr. Mat. Hatton, the gentleman to whom the contract for furnishing gas lamps was awarded a short time ago. He desired to have the contract annulled if it was the desire of Council to take from him the work of repairing the lamps.

On motion the contract was annulled.

Mr. Greenwood spoke on the matter of asking for bids for keeping lamps in repair. He was called to order by the Chair stating that there was nothing before the house.

Mr. Chadwick moved that the contract for furnishing lamps be awarded to the next highest bidder.

Mr. Black thought this would not be fair, as all the plumbers had bid with a view of getting the repairing.

Mr. Greenwood took the floor again, and was interrupted.

Mr. Chadwick said let him speak his piece.

Mr. Black moved to let him speak to save his life. Carried.

Mr. Greenwood spoke at some length concerning the repair of lamps. He said that $400 was expended on this alone last year, and thought it could be done for less. He reflected on the action of the Committee on Lamps, and said they did not want it done by contract. We have nothing to show for the $400 spent, and thought a vast amount could be saved here.

As it was a kind of free and easy meeting, Mr. Klotz moved that the members be allowed to smoke, but none of them indulged.

Mr. Greenwood moved that proposals be asked for putting in new gas lamps, and also for keeping them in repair until the end of the year.

Mr. Clough, chairman of Gas Committee, explained his position on the committee, his experience in having repairs made, and thought it foolishness to ask bids for something that no one could determine. The lamps are in good condition now and will not need much next year.

Mr. Black said the heavy storm of last fall played havoc with street lamps, which cost considerable to repair, that the past was an unusually severe winter and a number of them froze up. It is child's play for us to ask for proposals to repair the lamps. It is a game of chance and somebody has to lose. It may be the city or it may be the bidder. It is not business. A man would be foolish indeed to bid on it. Last year is not a fair criterion. The lamps are in good repair now and it will not need so much next year.

Mr. Greenwood's motion was lost by a standing vote of 8 to 5.

Mr. Black thought it better to give the contract to Mr. Hatton, and let the repairing be done as heretofore.

Mr. Greenwood found further fault with the expenditures for repairing lamps.

Mr. Black desired an explanation of the expenses.

Mr. Greenwood had a list of figures but no items and could not give the desired information.

Mr. Clough thought so long as he could not give an itemized statement he had better keep quiet on a subject he knew nothing about.

The Chair thought it about time Council was resolving itself into something higher than a "free and easy," and proceed to business.

Mr. Cutler moved that the Gas Committee advertise for proposals for furnishing lamps.

Mr. Greenwood moved to amend so as to include keeping in repair.

The amendment was lost by a vote of 5 to 8, and Mr. Cutler's motion prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Cutler the Committee on Gas was instructed to advertise for bids for keeping the lamps in repair. Passed.

Mr. Anderson thought the instruction the Committee on Ways and Means had received in reference to advertising for proposals for the new loan of $180,000 was not business like, and asked that a rate of interest be fixed.

Mr. Greenwood moved that they be made five per cent bonds, and that they run for twenty years. Passed.

Mr. B. F. Baker called the attention of Council to a city bond in the possession of Frederick Fairlamb. There was no coupon attached, but Mr. Fairlamb claimed interest.

The Clerk said the Treasurer had offered to pay Mr. Fairlamb the interest if he would give an indemnifying bond. This he refused to do.

Messrs. Black and Anderson were of the opinion that the interest could not be allowed.

On motion of Mr. Hinkson the matter was referred to Committee on Accounts in conjunction with the City Solicitor, and Council adjourned.

SOUTH CHESTER COUNCIL. — A regular meeting of the Borough Council of South Chester was held last evening in Council Chamber at Thurlow station, with Burgess Houston in the chair.

Members present—Messrs. Yarnall, Honan, Nowland, Doyle, Reilley and Green.

After the reading of the minutes of last meeting, which were approved, the regular business was taken up and disposed of.

Several bills were read and ordered paid.

A petition to have Highland Avenue curbed, paved and Macadamized from the P. W. & B. R. R. to Ninth street was read. On motion the request of the petitioners was granted, except only 20 feet of the street be Macadamized.

The election of officers to serve the ensuing year was next taken up, with the following result:

For Treasurer.—N. L. Yarnall and Michael Honan were nominated. The former received two votes, and the latter three.

For Surveyor.—W. H. Flavill received five votes and E. H. Roberts two.

For Building Inspector.—W. C. Boatwright received five votes and Michael McCabe two.

Arrangements were made to make payments to Mr. Montgomery, contractor for the lockup, as he progresses with the building. Adjourned.

CARTER VS. THE FISHING CO.—Judge Paxson has sent his opinion in the Carter vs. the Tinicum Fishing Company case to the Prothonotary of the Supreme Court, in Philadelphia. The case went up from here on a writ of error by the fishing company on the original judgment in favor of Mr. Carter for $420. It was decided by the Supreme Court that the fishing company had the right to erect the piers in front of their property, even though they did interfere with the fishery. The main question in the case, which was not decided before, was whether or not the meadow banks erected by the company did not stand upon the same footing as the piers. Judge Paxson decided that they do, and has reversed the decision of our Court here, and ordered a *veniri facias de novo*. Upon this decision numerous other suits depended, and they all fall.

BEING PAINTED.—Messrs. Longbotham & Kendig, sole agents for this county for Minor's patent elastic roofing paint, are engaged in giving the roof of the Farmers' Market a coat of this preparation to-day. This is not before it is needed, and it is believed will stop the many leaks.

ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS.—A meeting of the stockholders of the Mechanics' Library and Reading Room Association was held in the Holly Tree Hall building yesterday afternoon.

An election for seven Directors to serve for the ensuing year was ordered, which resulted in the choice of the old board, consisting of the following persons:

Mrs. S. A. Crozer, Miss L. J. Hard, Messrs. J. L. Crozer, J. W. Lewis, Hugh Shaw, Col. Theo. Hyatt and George B. Lindsay.

The Treasurer submitted a report for the year, which made a favorable showing. The receipts exceeded the expenditures by about $600, and this was very satisfactory.

The stockholders' meeting then adjourned and the Directors convened, when the following officers were elected:

President—Hugh Shaw.

Treasurer—Miss L. J. Hard.

Secretary—George B. Lindsay.

Among other business it was decided to fix a schedule of prices to be charged for the hall, as the same has existed heretofore, and that this schedule shall not be deviated from in any case except by action of the Board.

They also agreed to replenish the library with new books.

A LARGE LOT OF GOODS.—It is astonishing to witness the large amount of goods unloaded at Paiste's hardware store, Fourth and Market streets, every day. If this be an indication, and it surely is, Mr. Paiste must be doing a very extensive business. This morning several tons of nails were discharged there, and each day a new invoice of different articles of hardware is received, which makes it one of the best places to buy at in this city, for you get the benefit of quick sales and small profits.

A TRIAL TRIP.—The owners of the new yacht Rambler, built by Mr. John P. Kirk, gave the pretty little boat a trial trip yesterday afternoon on the Delaware. She sailed beautifully, made good time, and pleased the owners very much. She carries ninety yards of sail, is nicely trimmed in copper and brass, and is without doubt one of the prettiest boats of her class on the river.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—Buckley Bros., 127 North Eighth street, have one of the largest and finest stocks of boots and shoes in Philadelphia. Manufactured for the retail trade only, their goods are unsurpassed in quality, and their prices are very reasonable. Give them a call at their handsome store, and you will find that all we have said is true.

CLASS EXAMINATION.—The class of '82, of the High School, are now passing through an examination in grammar, in charge of Miss Jennie McLaren. The class examinations of this year differ from previous years, inasmuch as they extend over a longer period, by which means more thoroughness is attained.

Additional Locals on Fourth Page.

AN ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure. A dose of Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup will assist your baby in teething, and prevent it from being attacked by Cholera Infantum, Colic or other diseases with which babies suffer.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12, 1879.

Know all men by these presents, that I, S. B. Minor, have sold to Longbotham & Kendig the exclusive right of Delaware County to use my Elastic Cement roofing paint. All other persons representing to use my paint are frauds.

§§§ S. B. MINOR.

EVERYBODY goes to the Original Boston 99c. Store, 45 North Eighth street, Philadelphia. Beautiful tables, 99c.; Rogers & Bro.'s spoons and forks, 99c. a set; steel knives and forks, leather bags, trunks, lamps, and a store filled with useful articles. Nothing over 99c. a9-d&w-3m

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BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.—There is only one genuine roofing paint which has been thoroughly tested, and that is Minor's Elastic Cement Roofing Paint. It is acknowledged to be the best now in use, and the only paint that will last for ten years.

§ LONGBOTHAM & KENDIG.

Caught at Last.

The notorious depredator, Kate-Arrh, who has for so many years eluded the most accomplished and skillful detectives, has been caught at last in Buffalo, N. Y. For further particulars, ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, admitted to be the best remedy for catarrh yet compounded.

CHEW Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STONE MASONS WANTED.—10 FIRST-class stone masons wanted at Swarthmore station. Apply to R. KERR,
my13 1t* On the Premises.
None but first-class workmen need apply.

PROPOSALS FOR LAMPS AND LAMP Posts.

Sealed proposals, addressed "proposals for lamps," will be received by the undersigned Committee on Gas, of the city of Chester, until 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, May 19th, 1879, for furnishing the city with lamps, lamp posts, and the setting thereof, complete, without any repairs. Lamps to be the same as those now in use. Contract to expire on the first Monday in April, 1880.

The Committee, on behalf of the city, reserve the right to reject any or all bids that may be offered.

THOMAS CLOUGH,
B. F. BAKER,
WM. F. CUTLER,
my13 15-2t Committee on Gas.

PROPOSALS FOR KEEPING STREET lamps in repair.

Sealed proposals, addressed "proposals for keeping street lamps in repair," will be received by the undersigned Committee on Gas, of the city of Chester, until 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, May 19th, 1880, for keeping the city gas lamps in proper repair. Contract to expire on the first Monday in April, 1880.

The Committee, on behalf of the city, reserve the right to reject any or all bids that may be offered.

THOMAS CLOUGH,
B. F. BAKER,
WM. F. CUTLER,
my13 15-2t Committee on Gas.

CYCLOPÆDIA OF LITERATURE.—It will be welcome news to all lovers of good literature that the new, beautiful and marvellously cheap Acme edition of Chambers' Cyclopædia of English Literature is to be completed on June 1st. Volume IV. is just issued and the remaining four volumes are to be issued and delivered at one time on the date stated. The work richly deserves the sale it has obtained of nearly 100,000 volumes already, and ought to attain, as it probably will, to a round million. The price, which has varied at different times, increasing as the publication has progressed, has now been permanently fixed at $2.00 for the paper (8 volumes complete, nearly 3,500 pages), $3.00 for cloth, $4.75 for half morocco, gilt top, and $3.75 for the 4 volume edition in half mo occo, gilt top binding. A discount of 10 per cent. from these prices is allowed to those whose orders are received before June 1, and a further discount of 10 per cent. to those ordering in clubs of five or more sets at one time. Postage, if by mail, 48 cents extra. Orders will be filled in the order of receipt. Specimen pages and full particulars will be sent free on request. American Book Exchange, 55 Beekman street, New York, Publishers. Sold only direct to purchasers, and not through dealers or agents.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?—A day or two since a bloody shirt was found in the rear of Third and Howell streets, South ward, and the people of that vicinity are unable to fathom the mystery.

FESTIVAL.—The Ladies' Aid of Trinity M. E. church intend holding a strawberry festival on the evenings of the 29th, 30th, and 31st of this month.

PERSONAL.—Mr. John A. Wallace, President of City Council, is away from home recuperating for a few days.

LODGERS.—Only four lodgers in the station house last night.

The Farmer's Garden.

The garden is not a luxury only, but a necessity to the farmer who wishes to have an attractive and healthful bill of fare; and it seems very strange, indeed, why it is so badly neglected by many farmers. One reason, however, I think is, that it is usually in some corner near the house, and so small, and planted in such a manner, that all the labor of weeding and hoeing has to be done by the hand. Now, I believe in a large garden and in planting the rows the whole length, leaving space enough between the rows to work a cultivator. By this method most of the work can be done by the horse, and in such a garden it is a pleasure to work, while in the old-fashioned one of one or two rods square, it is a back-aching, disagreeable job, and no wonder it is left to grow up to weeds.

The location of the garden is of great importance. I prefer a gentle slope to the east or south, so that the young plants may receive the sun early in the morning. It should not be very steep, for if it is, much damage will be done by the rains of summer; and it should always be protected from the north and west winds, by a high fence, or evergreens set along the border.

Many people never know the luxury of a good vegetable garden. They live from youth to old age without learning how to manage one. They never taste the best products except at the tables of others. People are too apt to forget to plant a succession of vegetables. The soil must be rich, the land well cultivated every week or oftener. We need not here repeat the special directions for the time of sowing and treatment of each vegetable. Every seed catalogue gives these directions; and a catalogue can be had for a postal card. Plants which thrive only in warm weather must not be put out too early. Wait till the sun comes out hot. Tomatoes, squashes, sweet potates, corn, egg plants, &c., will grow then as if by magic.—*Rural New Yorker.*

The Odor of Human Hair.

In *Le Progres Medical* M. Galippe calls attention to the medico-legal value of the oder of the human hair. He asserts that from the simple smell of a lock of hair he can tell whether the lock has been cut from the living subject or whether it has been composed of hair that has fallen out. Hair dressers have acquired this art, which is said never to fail them. Hair which has fallen out has a dull appearance, attributable to disease, and is not easily made up; it has no peculiar smell. The hair of the Chinese has a characteristic odor of musk, which is so persistent that it cannot be concealed by cosmetics, for it cannot be destroyed by washing with potash. The hair of the Chinese has also a reddish tinge, and is polyhedral in section. Hair of hysterical patients has a peculiar and distinguishing odor which is most perceptible at the approach of a crisis. Certain hair is electrical, the electricity being developed more readily after rubbing. M. Bert states that hair which is turned white from age begins to change color rather at the apex than at the base.

—Not long ago a man was run over and killed by the cars at Evanston, near Chicago. The body was indentified as that of Josiah Hill of South Bend, Ind., who had been at work on a farm. The coroner's inquest found that Josiah Hill came accidentally to his death. The widow and daughter were quite broken down, but several days later Mrs. Hill went to the farm for her late husband's effects. When she approached the farmhouse there was her husband quietly at work in the barnyard. She fainted and could with difficulty be induced to believe that it was only a very strange case of mistaken identity. As for Hill himself, this was the first he had heard of his death.

An Entailed Expense.

The cost of sickness is an annoying entail for the invalid who has suffered for years with kidney trouble, lumbago and rheumatic pains. Kidney-Wort radically cures these, and is also a wonderful remedy for all forms of piles. Sold by druggists.

Potatoes in Kentucky Style.

The potatoes are sliced thin, as for frying, and allowed to remain in cold water for half an hour. The slices are then put in a pudding dish, with salt, pepper, and some milk—about half a pint to an ordinary pudding dish. They are then put into the oven and baked for an hour. When taken out a lump of butter half the size of a hen's egg is cut into small bits and scattered over the top. Those who have never eaten potatoes cooked thus do not know all the capabilities of that excellent esculent tuber. The slicing allows the interior of each potato to be examined, hence its value where potatoes are doubtful, though poor ones are not of necessity required. The soaking in cold water hardens the slices, so that they will hold their shape. The milk serves to cook them through, and to make a nice brown on the top; the quantity can only be learned by experience; if just a little is left as a rich gravy moistening all the slices, then it is right. In this year of small and poor potatoes, this method of serving them will be very welcome to many a housekeeper. The only trouble about it is that every one will eat twice as many as when the potatoes are cooked in the ordinary way.

Success in the Stock Market.

Few people understand how large fortunes are amassed so rapidly in stock operations. Messrs. Lawrence & Co., Bankers, N. Y., have just published "two unerring rules for success," and full details, so that any one can operate. Mailed free. Their new combination system of dealing in stocks is wonderfully profitable. By this method thousands of orders, in various sums, are pooled into one immense capital, and co-operated as a mighty whole, thus securing to each shareholder all the advantages of vast capital and best skill. Provided every 30 days. $15 would make $75 profit, $100 would return $1,000, or 10 per cent. on the stock in the month, and so on, according to the market. A New York Fashion Editress and prominent newspaper correspondent, made over 375 per cent. profit on an investment, Oct. 5th, 1878. Many others are doing as well or better. Large or small amounts can be used with equal proportionate success by this system. All kinds of stocks and bonds wanted. Government bonds supplied. Apply to Lawrence & Co., Bankers, 57 Exchange Place, N. Y. city.

—A quickwitted rogue has recently managed to rob the director of a London banking establishment of a traveling bag, containing $4000 in gold, while on his way from London to Paris. Having remarked that a man seemed to follow him with suspicious persistency when he arrived on board the Calais boat, the director took the precaution to place the precious bag on one of the seats in the cabin, and to use it as a pillow. In this position he fell asleep, but was suddenly awoke by a tug at the bag. He jumped up, but as the man he found near him simulated drunkenness he kept his suspicions to himself. On reaching Calais, the traveler placed the bag on the seat of a first-class carriage, and, as he was its only occupant, stood as sentinel at the door. But the ingenious thief was not to be outdone. Slipping round behind the train, he entered by the opposite door and possessed himself of the treasure, while the bank director was looking for him among the crowd on the platform. The police were immediately informed of tha affair, but no trace of the thief could be found.

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

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Pacific Express, daily,.....11.55 P. M.
Niagara Exp., daily, except Sunday 7.20 A. M.
Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday.....11.45 A. M
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday,.....11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Mail Train { Daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M. / On Sunday—Harrisburg only,..... 8.00 A. M.
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renove, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily except Sunday.

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LATEST NEWS.

The weather was unprecedentedly hot for the season in northern New England yesterday. At many points in New Hampshire the thermometers marked 100 degrees in the shade.

In the House, after several "personal explanations" of a disedifying character, Mr. Knott called up the bill to prevent military interference at elections, and on the question of its passage over the President's veto the yeas were 127, the nays 97. So the bill failed for want of a two-thirds vote in the affirmative. The Warner Silver bill was considered, pending which the House adjourned. Before adjourning, Mr. Warner gave notice that he would move the previous question on the bill this afternoon.

Mrs. Merrihew, living near Watertown, N. Y., now confesses that she poisoned her brother-in-law, David Merrihew, who died on March 31st. She put the poison, which was furnished by Winthrop Merrihew, in whisky and in preserves. Winthrop has been arrested.

At Watertown, N. Y., yesterday, Louis Barron, a machinist, went home from work sick and fell fainting in his yard, after saying to his wife, "I am dying." This gave Mrs. Barron such a fright that she died soon afterward.

The mountain fires around Pittston continued yesterday, but a large clearing having been made about the Laflin Powder Mills, they were considered out of danger. Fires which had been burning for several days on the Broad mountains, in Schuylkill county, began to die out yesterday, for want of further fuel. The town of Shenandoah was seriously endangered for a time on Monday by showers of sparks from the flaming forest. In the western portions of Schuylkill county, the woods were burning fiercely yesterday, and men were fighting the fires to save the coal breakers from destruction.

The President has signed the bill authorizing the annual enlistment of 750 boys for the navy; also, the bill to pay Captain Eads for work done on the Mississippi jetties.

It is understood that Secretary Evarts will reopen negotiations with foreign governments for the adoption of a dual money standard.

For the past ten days the weather throughout Minnesota, Northern Iowa and Northwestern Wisconsin has been very favorable for the growth of the wheat crop. It has been cool and moist, with almost daily rains. This region annually sends 30,000,000 to 40,000,000 bushels of wheat to market.

The case of Edward Kinney, colored, and Mary Susan Hall, white, now in the Virginia Penitentiary for becoming husband and wife, in violation of a State law forbidding the intermarriage of white and colored citizens, was before the U. S. Circuit Court at Richmond, Va., yesterday, Judge Hughes presiding. The petition set forth that Kinney is unlawfully deprived of liberty, in violation of the Constitution and laws of the United States, by virtue of the pretended sentence of the County Court of Hanover county, of Virginia, pronounced against him and the woman, they having gone to Washington to be married, and then returned to Virginia, where they lived together as man and wife until their arrest, conviction and sentence to five years' imprisonment in the penitentiary each. It is alleged that Kinney and his wife are entitled to the immunities and privileges of citizens of the United States, guaranteed against hostile State legislation, and that one of those rights is the right to freely contract marriages among themselves, irrespective of race or color. The Court reserved its decision until to-day.

FOREIGN NOTES.

General Grant and party have sailed for Japan.

Professor Grisebach, the distinguished botanist, is dead.

Pere Hyacinthe denies that he has petitioned for the recognition of his sect by the State.

It is said that the Spanish government contemplates re-establishing the state of siege in the Basque provinces.

Since January, six cargoes of American cattle landed at British ports have been found infected with pleuro-pneumonia.

Another party of one hundred emigrants left Ottawa yesterday for Manitoba, making a total of over one thousand who have emigrated since the first of January.

The communal elections throughout Spain largely favor the government. Senor Martinez, leader of the Centralists, has announced his intention to support the government.

The Indian government has offered for subscription a loan of £5,000,000 at 4½ per cent. interest. Nine-tenths of the loan has been taken at 94, principally by Indian bankers.

The Pope yesterday presented the beretta to the newly-appointed cadinals. He said he felt that in appointing Dr. Newman he rendered a signal service to the Church, to the Sacred College and to society.

Dr. John Newman, on the occasion of his elevation to the Cardinalate, made a speech in which he declared his intention of resisting with all his powers hereafter, as he had in the past, the spirit of liberalism in religion—the doctrine that there is no positive truth in religion, that one creed is as good as another: and that is the teaching which is gaining substance and force daily. It is inconsistent with the recognition of any religion as true. While there is much in the theory that is good and noble in itself, it is evil because intended to supersede religion.

A GOOD NIGHT'S REST.

It is perfectly true that I am the cowardliest coward that ever drew a palpitating breath. I wouldn't for the world have it known, and I only tell it in the strictest sort of confidence, for where people are poorest they are apt to be proudest. In my day-dreams I am always doing the most heroic actions, and ask no favors of any; but let night come, and I am the abject slave of the next person that can answer for a companion. You can imagine, then, whether it was well with me or not when Reuben came in and proclaimed that he was obliged to run over to New York in half an hour from that time and he might be detained several days, and so would take his hand-bag; and he might leave for home next noon—he hoped he should.

"And what is to become of me?" I cried.

"You?" said Reuben. "Why, you'll go to the matinee, and you'll dine with Cousin Teresa, and as you are always complaining of my waking you up too early in the morning, you'll go to sleep and get a good night's rest."

"A good night's rest!" But there was no time for argument; the carriage was at the door, and time, tide, and the train wait for no man. Reuben kissed me, and was gone. And I—I was very much provoked. Such an utter disregard of my welfare, such a total indifference to my comfort, when he knew I had never slept alone in my life, when he knew what a night of terror it would be to me, when he knew what my horror of the dark was, and all my fear of thieves, of fire, of rats! It was a mighty cool good-by kiss I gave him—I was sorry I had given him any at all. I wished I was at home with all the multitudinous household there, the dogs, and cats, and birds, and servants, and burglar-alarms. But it was useless wishing: here I was in this great boarding-house, in the drawing-room on the first floor, using the back parlor for our bedroom, and with windows opening to the ground in front and rear, the rooms over us empty, the bells ringing out in regions where at night there were none to attend, and with nobody to hear me far or near should I scream myself hoarse. Well, it was not a very cheerful outlook; and what aggravated it all was that the street itself was a lonely one, and my bedroom windows opened on a little area connected with a dark back alley haunted by a singular sort of beggars that came out only after dark, like the roaches and beetles of the human race, and the gate of the area opening on the alley was fastened by nothing but a chip.

Well, I went to the matinee, and because such things always come together coincidently, the play was laid with scenes shifting from costly villas to theives's quarters; and I dined with Cousin Teresa, who sent me home after a few hours' recital of the burglarious experiences of all her guests. You can imagine that when I entered my parlors and turned up the gas in the front room, I was ready to see a vile wretch in every shadow.

The first thing I did was to look behind all the doors and under the piano. I even lifted the lid of the piano, for I never feel at all sure that a burglar may not have taken out the works and put himself in their place. I gave every curtain a lift and a shake, thrust Reuben's cane under the sofas and lounges, and into the dark corners, and under the bed, which stood in a partly curtained alcove, and on which I had thrown my polonaise and skirts when I went out in a hurry; but I was determined not to be frightened by those things. Having then explored the inside of the big wardrobe and the bureau drawers by the light from the front room—there was no gas in that room and either the house maid or the rats had borrowed my candle and kept it—I felt as sure as a doubtful person could that there was nobody hiding in the rooms, and so locked the door at last. Yet, nevertheless, I found myself walking on tiptoe and holding my breath as if I were afraid I should be heard. I suppose I was afraid that some noise would be made that I should not hear. I then proceeded to investigate the window fastenings. I always felt so secure with Reuben, throwing all responsibility on him, that I had never thought of looking at them before. There were none. Great goodness! what was I to do?

All that I could do was to wrench down a couple of nails from the wardrobe, and by means of the poker drive them in over the sashes of the two front windows. Going for some more for the back windows, I found that the rest were hooks, and it was in vain to try and get those out that I had already driven, so as to use them on the back windows; they wouldn't come out. Very well, I said to myself, I shan't go to bed to-night; and I prepared myself for sitting up. If Reuben didn't come back for two or three days, I could sleep in the day-time, and sit up ready to meet the foe in the nights. To be sure, I should be all worn out, but what would he care? I had a grim idea of satisfaction in thinking it was his fault I was undergoing so much, anyway. He might at least have left me a pistol, I said; but what good would it have done if he had? I was as much afraid of a pistol as of a housebreaker. And it wasn't only the customary house-breaker in question now: the town was full of contrabands that had come in to work on the improvements, and failing to find work were starving; and images of some stalwart, brutal black wretch rose before me every time I put my fingers on my eyes. In the day the colored people had no stancher friend than I, but somehow they always figured in my nightmares.

It was not a very inviting prospect, this of sitting up all night, already tired out as I was. Still, I had a novel, I could read away part of the time, and as soon as the servants began to stir at five o'clock in the morning, I could go to bed and get three or four hours' sleep anyway. It was idle: after I had made myself comfortable, and opened my book, the words ran together, and it was impossible to attach any sense to them, and what the book was all about I haven't the least idea. There was a will, and a love affair, and a murder, and a changing of children in the cradle, but I couldn't imagine how people could write and expect one to be interested in these trifling things when such real trouble as mine was in the world. I heard the clock strike the slow quarters, and then strike twelve. I put the book away, and got my sewing. But that was no better, for after a few stitches it occurred to me that my light streaming through the open folding doors and out of those shutterless back windows with only the lace curtains for a screen, was a direct invitation to those strolling beggars of the back alley, and I tossed down my work and turned down the gas, and thought I would go and sit by the glimmer of the Latrobe in the back room. How still the night was! I listened, and listened, and listened, till my ears were strained. Now and then some street singer wandered along their way, far off, and seemed to be the only people in the universe; now and then the slow and heavy foot of a policeman sounded in some other square, I thought; now and then some straggler hurried home with ringing steps; but all that was comfort, and not at all suspicious.

At last, however, I heard it—what I had been listening for, of course; a thumping and bumping to which my heart beat an echo; and then a hurrying and scurrying that told me the rats were stealing the potatoes in the cellar. I breathed more freely; it was actually something agreeable to feel even the rats alive in the neighborhood, as long as they did not forsake the cellar for any other place. Cats then; the rattle of window-sashes; soot falling down the chimney; the starting of some timber or some spike, with all the noises without source that one hears at night, as if they were part of the stirring of the springs in the earth, came along after that in slow succession, and the clock struck one.

I was wretchedly sleepy now. Even sitting bolt-upright in my chair and palpitating with fear, it was all I could do to keep awake, when suddenly I started as if there had never been such a thing as sleep in the world. There it was—a stealthy, muffled movement at the cellar grating at the front of the old house, a lifting of the iron, a rattling of the glass, a leap, a fall, a smothered curse—there was somebody in the cellar! My heart stood still; my voice was utterly gone; if my life had depended on it, I could not have spoken. Death and destruction, in the shape of that burglar, were stealing nearer every minute. I was sure that there was an accomplice in the house, in my room. I expected he would presently pounce on me and pinion me. I half rose to escape through one of the front windows, but remembered that I had nailed them down—and if that were not so, I could not have left the chair into which I fell back. It seemed to me that I heard the low regular breathing of the accomplice; and then, all at once, I was sure I heard something very different, something that set the blood bubbling in my veins as music never did before—the subdued whistling of a familiar strain beneath my feet, and I recognized that it was Tom, the scullion, who had been belated, and was now keeping his courage alive. But before I could speak to Tom he had crept up the stairs and was beyond my reach; and I was too proud, after all, to seek any one in the house and let the torture I was suffering be known.

All was still again. The distant clock struck two. But in the silence itself it seemed to me I heard that breath go on, as one hears a sound in the hollow of one's hand. I was absolutely sure of it. I had that vague sense of the presence of somebody in the room which everybody has known. I remembered a story I had once read of a person waking to find a madman in the room, and hearing his fingers feel along the wall-paper, the sound drawing nearer. It grew so real to me, as I dwelt on it with this sense that troubled me, that I felt I must scream or die, and I couldn't have screamed if I had died.

I suppose that I must have fallen asleep in my chair in spite of myself then; I hardly could have fainted, I think, for when I awoke with a start it was striking three; and the gas, although I had turned it down, was burning more brightly, perhaps because turned off nearly everywhere else in town. Involuntarily I turned my head, and there at one of the long back windows stood a great shadow, the thing that had awakened me, a great black outline, a huge man, a negro, looking in on me. Whether it was a housebreaker, who, seeing me, decided that I was sitting up for my husband, and he would be too soon interrupted to make his venture, or whether it was one of the colored policemen who had come to warn us that the alley door, with all its cracks, was fastened only by a chip, I never knew; for, this time, I fainted in reality, and the whole world slipped away from me into dead blackness.

When I came to myself, as the saying is, I was lying back among the cushions of the arm-chair, and as my eyes opened on that dreadful window I saw that it was vacant, and nothing had been disturbed. I sat up for a moment, feeling deathly sick. It was of no use to struggle, I saw; let the worst happen, I must go to bed. I turned the gas down still lower, undressed myself as best I could, got my night dress from the wardrobe where it hung, and pinned inside it all the money that Reuben had left me, being in too great a hurry himself to go to the bank and deposit it. That money made one of the justifications I gave myself in excusing

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A STRIKING illustration of radical changes possible to the human mind is afforded in the sad condition of Paul Morphy. His name will live in history as that of a prodigy of skill in the most intellectual of all games, chess. Many of our readers remember the renown which he achieved, and the feats by which he surprised and surpassed all competitors. Now he is hopelessly insane, and denies that he ever knew how to play chess. He employs his time in imaginary lawsuits for imaginary clients, is always busy, and works as hard as if his delusions were realities. "Thank God for your reason, for I have lost mine," was the salutation with which a lunatic accosted a stranger whom he passed on the street. Badly as many of us use the inestimable gift of intelligence, let us nevertheless gratefully recognize that supreme mercy by which it is given.

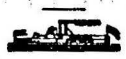
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QUADRUMANA is the name under which naturalists classify those animals which, in general structure, most resemble man. The ape, baboon, chimpanzee, gorilla, and indeed all the monkey tribe are thus included. Shrewd observers have called attention to the fact that these "next of kin" are of no use to us industrially. They know nothing of the burdens involved in earning a living by the sweat of the face. An Arabic proverb is quoted by such as have written on this subject which runs thus: "Apes know that were they to speak they would be made to work; so they wisely hold their tongues." Proverbs are called the wit of one and the wisdom of many. But for the life of us, we cannot see the wisdom of this old saw. Everybody knows that men separate into those who talk and those who work as naturally as apples do into sweet fruit and sour. The silent man is the man of historic deeds. Not that we altogether condemn the talkers. Every army has its trumpeters as well as those that carry the musket. Windwork is essential sometimes to stir the sluggish pulses of those who do the hard work. But after all, we affirm that apes must have some other reason than dread of work for their taciturnity. Or else all the signs have signally failed.

"WE can't most always tell" whether what those city editors—we mean the editors of the metropolitan journals—say is true or not. Editors in country towns and smaller cities are, of course, always reliable. But as everybody knows, large cities are hotbeds of corruption, and even the editors there sometimes fall victims to the evil tendencies that environ them. Hence a certain doubtfulness perplexes us as we read the glowing statements which these editors are scattering broadcast about the future of telegraphy in the United States. They represent that a new telegraph company—the Central Union Telegraph Company—has been organized in New York which intends to extends its lines all over the country. They intend to use an entirely new instrument of marvellous capacity, in sending their messages, and will reduce their rates two-thirds below present charges. By the same authority this company is accredited with having plenty of the sinews of success, in the way of capital. Acknowledging that all of those rose-colored reports are trustworthy, what a blessing this new company will prove. The use of the telegraph has become a necessity of modern life—not only to the business man but also in the social and family circle. It is only the expensiveness of the thing that prevents a thousand messages being sent where ten are now. Cheap telegraphing would work a revolution similar to that which cheap postage did.

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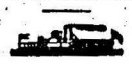
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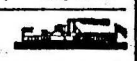
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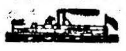
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TIME TABLE.

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Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10,15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.15, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

PHIL. & B. C. R. R.

Leave Chester for Fort Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Cherry pie soon.

Advertise your summer excursions.

You may put away your overcoat now.

Fruit eaten before breakfast is healthful.

Shall we have yellow fever at the Lazaretto?

Plenty of work in the agricultural districts just now.

Trade dollars are still not taken at the post office.

Days like yesterday gladden the heart of the ice man.

At this time last year gooseberries were in the market.

Boating is popular now, and swimming soon will be.

Two straw hats on Market street yesterday afternoon.

The tide is now setting toward the sea and mountains.

A package not exceeding four pounds can be sent by mail.

How many High School graduates will there be this term?

Bring your job printing to this office if you want it well done.

Those Presbyterian delegates are quaffing Sarotoga's healing waters.

Put in your winter's coal. No better time than now. Coal is cheap.

When is the Front street railroad to be pushed as far as Marcus Hook?

Summer boarding is being looked for by the denizens of the large cities.

Green fields and babbling brooks are pleasant features in a landscape now.

The school children are looking forward to vacation and their annual picnic.

The shad will soon give place to Jersey vegetables at the Third street bridge.

Advertise liberally at this season of the year. It will improve your business.

Don't wait until the summer is over before you commence that new building.

Mrs. Roberts has had a neat iron fence placed around her residence on Kerlin street.

The boys will soon be amphibious, and about half their time will be spent in the water.

A press of matter crowded out the excellent letter of Mr. Charles A. Story from yesday's issue.

If there ever was a time when cleanliness was necessary in our public streets and alleys, that time is now.

Patronize the street sprinkler. It only costs 25 cents per week, and for comfort alone it is worth more than that.

As the days grow warmer slimmer and slimmer will become the audiences at the entertainments in our public halls.

A good many early risers now. The birds sing their sweetest songs in the early morning, and that is a great inducement.

It is not always a sign of dull times to see idlers on the street. There are plenty of men who will not work when it can be had for the asking.

The Fire Department received many encomiums at the Council meeting on Monday night. Credit, where credit is due, is always appreciated.

The politicians do not want the Lazaretto moved out of the jurisdiction of Pennsylvania. It would rob them of a few offices within their gift.

Philadelphia parties are now producing a quality of calf-skin so near that of the French that many shoe manufacturers are using the stock in preference to the imported article.

The Buell Family will hold a concert in the Prospect Park new M. E. church on Saturday evening next. The proceeds to be devoted towards paying off the debt of the church.

On Monday next the stockholders of the Delaware County Agricultural and Industrial Society will meet in the Court House at Media, at 3½ o'clock, "for the purpose of an interchange of views on the contemplated improvements." More money will be needed, and the directors hope that the stockholders will not be backward in coming forward with additional subscriptions.

COLLINS' BEACH.—This well-known watering place, with over one huudred acres of land, has recently been purchased by Mr. E. B. Taggart, and it is his intention to make it the best and most attractive summer resort ever seen on the Delaware river or bay, above Cape May. Plans are projected which will render it very complete both as a summer hotel and as an excursion place for churches, schools, societies, &c. The hotel will be renovated, enlarged and modernized, and it is believed will be managed in such manner that the most fastidious will have but little occasion for complaint. There will be no annoyance from excursionists, as the excursion house with its amusements, &c., will be over 400 feet away to the north of the pier. This will insure its privacy to a much greater extent than heretofore. A reading room will be added to the hotel, where every paper published in the Peninsula, as well as leading New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore dailies, magazines, illustrated periodicals, &c., will be furnished for the free use of guests. Cheap communication will be made between the beach and the railroad at Smyrna, a fine stage making close connection with arriving and departing trains, and the mail matter belonging to guests will have two deliveries daily. Telephonic connection with the rest of the world will be provided, connection being made with the Western Union Company at Smyrna. A small steam yacht, with row and sail boats, light carriages, &c., will be provided for the use of visitors, at reasonable prices. A large garden, close by, will furnish pretty much all the vegetables for the table. Chickens, milk and eggs will also be produced on the premises. Oysters, clams, fish and crabs will be found in plentiful supply. A large excursion house, with a capacity for thousands of people, with billiard tables, ten-pin alleys, shuffle boards, and other proper amusements, with a fine restaurant, where no spirituous liquors will be sold, will be commenced immediately. On Sundays, instead of the ordinary week-day games, &c., sacred concerts will be given by competent musicians. A large number of bathing houses will be also built close to the beach, the latter having greatly improved since the heavy storm of last October. For children, a large space will be arranged, not too close to the hotel or the excursion house, where will be found flying horses, swings, archery, croquet, donkey and goat carts, &c., and such other unexceptionable games as may suggest themselves. No undue charges will be allowed, and everything will be done to make all comers, whether "transient" or "permanent," glad to repeat their visits. Uniformed officers, who shall also be invested with the right to make arrests, if necessary, will compel a respect for order on the part of all visitors. The management will rest with Mr. Charles Walton, an energetic and capable man, and one who will make it his business to provide for the pleasure and comfort of all who may visit the beach. The excursion grounds will be open to visitors early in June. Societies, churches, &c., wishing to make charters would do well to address the subscriber at an early date. About June 20th, the hotel will be open for guests, and previous to July 1st, the rates will be from $7 to $10 per week; after July 1st, from $8 to $11 per week. Access to the beach, previous to June 20th, by the steamer Artisan, leaving Pier 11 North Wharves, Phila., on Tuesdays and Fridays at 1 P. M. After June 20th, in addition to the Artisan, Daily trips will be made by the splendid new steamer, Thomas Clyde, with a capacity of 1200 persons, leaving Arch Street Wharf daily, Sundays included, at 8 A. M., touching at Chester, New Castle, Pennsgrove and Port Penn, and arriving at the Beach by noon. Returning will leave the Beach at 3 P. M., stopping at the above landings going up, reaching Philadelphia between 7 and 7.30 P. M. For further particulars either as to the hotel or excursion grounds, address E. B. Taggart, 104 North Delaware Avenue.

THE REFUNDING CERTIFICATES.—A large placard announcing that the sale of the Ten Dollar Refunding Certificates would commence at 9.30 and close at 11 o'clock this morning, hung upon the outer wall of the Post Office, and its lines were scanned by many. When the hour arrived for the money order window to open, so that the Certificates could be passed out to purchasers, and the five, ten, twenty, fifty and one hundred dollar bills be handed in to pay for the same, quite a crowd arrived eager to get their hands on one or more. As only one person can be served at a time, the applicants formed themselves into line, like at a crowded depot ticket office, and then they all were quickly served. In eight minutes, the whole amount, $5000 worth, were disposed of, and there were several that did not get any, so numerous were the purchasers.

It does not take long to dispose of that amount when everybody has their money ready and in proper denominations. There was one Philadelphia party who bought ten of them this morning, but he would not have gotten them had the post-office officials known it at the time.

Postmaster Martin ordered $25,000 worth of certificates, and expected to have them on sale, but the treasury department is so rushed, as the following order issued yesterday will show, that he received but one-fifth of his order:

"The demand for the 10 dollar refunding certificates has been so great, that notwithstanding every effort of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, the supply of certificates does not equal the demand for them. At present the Bureau is delivering them at the rate of about $800,000 per diem. By Thursday the delivery will reach about $1,000,000 per diem, and by the first of next week $2,000,000 per diem. The certificates will be distributed in proper proportions among the different officers authorized to sell them, to be sold strictly only upon the terms stated in the circular of April 28th. The whole amount authorized is about $40,000,000, and no more than that amount can or will be issued."

About $13,000,000 have already been sold. Mr. Martin will have more in a few days.

QUOIT MATCH.—There will be a quoit match at the Steamboat hotel, foot of Market street, to-morrow afternoon, and some good pitching is expected.

STRAWS FROM THE BARRACKS.—The satellites, faith, hope and charity, as they term themselves, the three members of the astronomy class who have completed that study, had a funeral burial of the work last night, which was a pretentious and highly enjoyable affair. While the cadets were at supper, Swartz, Schwenk and Fatzinger, the three above referred to were up stairs arranging the funeral habiliments. This was finished before the boys had gotten up from tea and then waited until the practice game of base ball had commenced so that the cadets were attracted thereto. By surprise, the three, one dressed as a clown, another as a fisherman and the third as a "What is it," marched from the drill hall with slow step and muffled drum around the campus. Swartz, the bearer, had a volume of the astronomy strapped around his shoulders, and as they passed the flag staff the colors were put at half mast, out of respect to the occasion.

Then they passed around to the grave in the rear of the academy, where a circle of tearful humanity, with uncovered head and bent form, was made, while they lowered the remains into the hole. It was covered deep and well. The boys concluded that if any snatchers wanted that corpse for dissection they were welcome to it, for they desired nothing more to do with it.

The Regulation nine of the P. M. A. and Our Boys, of Wilmington, will have a second game of base ball Saturday afternoon, on the grounds of the former. All are invited. Reserved seats for ladies.

The catcher of the Energetic has procured a mask for his face, so as to prevent accident while playing the Gifford nine this afternoon.

Goodby to the First class men who leave for New York to-morrow morning for a bridge inspection in that city.

THE PERMANENT EXHIBITION.—Saturday was the third anniversary of the opening of the Centennial Exhibition, at Fairmount Park, Philadelphia. During the morning hours caravans of music paraded the principal streets, and the occasion was otherwise extensively advertised that Gov. Hoyt, of Pennsylvania, and Gov. McClellan, of New Jersey, would be present to take part in the opening ceremonies, which took place in the great auditorium, beginning at 2.30 p.m.

Thousands of persons were present, among whom were not a few of mark and distinction. Gov. Hoyt was to have presided, but after some waiting, Dr. Paxson, President of the Exhibition Company, received a telegram announcing that business of public importance rendered his presence impracticable. Neither did Gov. McClellan appear on the scene.

The ceremonies were opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. Furness, and subsequently consisted of addresses and music. Dr. Paxson made the opening speach, after which he introduced Col. John W. Forney. Mr. Eaton, the National Commissioner of Education, read an elaborate paper in which he declared that the Permanent Exhibition was obeying the injunction to gather up the fragments of the Centennial, that nothing might be lost. He was followed by Professors Wickersham and Cope.

The entire proceedings were a grand and intellectual treat, and in the evening the building was most brilliantly illuminated, and one of Philadelphia's gayest throngs participated in a promenade and dress hop.

A LITERARY AVALANCHE.—An enviable fame among people who love good books is being achieved by the American Book Exchange, 55 Beekman street, New York. Simultaneously with the completion of their wonderfully cheap and successful Acme edition of Chambers' Cyclopædia of English Literature, they announce the publication of six other standard and popular books, all choice editions, at prices heretofore unheard of. They are Rollin's Ancient History, 1,192 very large double-column pages, large type, price in cloth, $2.25, in sheep, $2.75; Josephus' Complete Works, 1,042 pages, uniform with Rollin, but still larger type, price, cloth, $2.00, sheep, $2.50; Arabian Nights, large type, cloth, 55 cents; Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress, very large type, cloth, 50 cents; Robinson Crusoe, large type, cloth, 55 cents; and Baron Munchausen, extra large type, cloth, 50 cents. A discount of 10 per cent from these prices is allowed to all whose orders are received before June 1, and an additional discount of 10 per cent when ordered in clubs of five or more of either book, or to the amount of $10.00 or more selected from the list at one time. Circulars giving full particulars, specimens of type, &c., will be sent free on request. Sold only to buyers direct, and not through dealers or agents.

CHURCH ENTERTAINMENT.—The entertainment given in Ridley Park Baptist Church, last evening, for the benefit of the same, was largely attended and a highly enjoyable affair. The programme, which embraced recitations, readings and music, was well sustained, and drew forth much applause. It was as follows:

Part I. Quartette, Dancing Over the Waves, Misses Hinkson and Carter, Prof. Sweney, Mr. Frank G. Sweney; Reading, The Pearl of the Phillipines, Miss Mary McCurdy; Solo. Maggie's Secret, Miss Dollie Dyer; Reading, The Little Hatchet Story, Miss Mary McCurdy; Duett, A, B, C, Miss Hinkson and Prof. Sweney; Recitation, Miss Sallie Hinton; Duett, (flute and cornet), Serenade, Capt. R. K. Carter and Prof. Sweney; Reading, part of the Court Scene from the Merchant of Venice, Miss Mary McCurdy.

Part 2. quartette, medley, Miss Hinkson, Miss Carter, Prof. Sweney, Mr. Frank G. Sweney; reading, Cuddle Doon, Miss Mary McCurdy; solo, Blue Alsatian Mountains, Miss Minnie Hinkson; recitation, Miss Sallie Hinton; duett, Flower Gatherers, Mrs. Starr and Miss Dyer; reading, The Serenade, Miss M. McCurdy; duett, Singing Lesson, Prof. Sweney and Mr. Frank G. Sweney.

REMOVED.—Mr. P. Boylen, the jeweler, has removed to No. 24 West Third street, and is now ready for business. Anybody wanting anything in his line can always find a large and well selected stock to choose from.

A CURIOUS SUPPOSED BURGLARY.—The curious burglarious occurrence that was reported to have taken place a few evenings ago, at a house on Fourth street, Middle ward, in which a young man and his sweetheart and the whole family remained up all night with pistols, guns and blackjacks, watching for the supposed burglars, turns out to be even more curious than was at first supposed. The suspected burglars were a couple of police officers who were going down that street putting out the gas lamps, and they noticed a bright light, which suddenly grew dim, through the bay window. It is an unusual occurrence to see a light in this window at that time of the night, and the policemen suspected the twain talking love were burglars. They tried some of the shutters, held a short consultation on the outside, and concluded to come back. Each party thought the other burglars, but those within were the most frightened, and they summoned every member of the household to the seige. Each party, the one within and the other without, guarded the domicil until daylight in the morning, and an explanation of affairs was very embarrassing.

A GRAND CONCERT.—One of the pleasantest affairs of the season will be the concert on Tuesday evening next, the 20th inst., if we are to judge by the names of those who are to take part in it. Mr. E. B. Spencer's Masonic Quartet will sing, also the "Josephine" of the Juvenile Pinafore Company, and Miss M. S. Johnstone, who so ably sustained the part of the "Daughter of the Regiment," at the Academy of Music on last Friday evening. Mr. W. J. Oglesby will also add to the interest by a cornet solo. Tickets may still be had of the committee: Chas. D. Pennell, Wm. I. Sharpless, R. E. Ross, Thos. Lees and Robert Chadwick, also of W. W. Miles, and at Todd's bookstore. Tickets, 35 cents; reserved seats, 50 cents.

A NEW PAVEMENT.—We are glad to note that a new pavement is being laid by Messrs. Devers & Dolan, city pavers, in front of the vacant lot, at the corner of Eleventh street and Edgmont avenue. The old narrow pavement that did good service many years ago, became the source of much complaint, and many of our citizens have wanted a new one there for some time past. The one now being laid is full width, and to do that the embankment had to be cut away, and with it an old hedge tree that has poisoned several persons living in that vicinity, so that two evils have been removed.

KNOCKED DOWN.—Saturday evening when George Schofield was going to his home on Fifth street, he was approached by two men as he neared his house, and when on his own pavement one struck bim a blow which felled him to the ground. Mr. Schofield did not tarry there long, but arose quickly and succeeded in getting into the house before another blow could be given. He did not recognize them. He was considerably stunned, but not enough to render him helpless or unconscious. It was a daring piece of work, and the parties should have been roughly handled.

PREPARING FOR DECORATION DAY.—A meeting of the committee on making arrangements for Decoration day was held at the room of Post Wilde, and reports were very satisfactory. It is expected that there will be over 3000 Sunday school children participating in the exercises. It will be almost impossible to accommodate this great number with seats, and instead they will provide large tents for them around the speakers' stand in the cemetery. The procession and exercises, on May 30th, will be the most imposing that has been held yet.

MCLEVY GONE.—It was developed in the Coroner's inquest in the case of Joseph McLevy, fifty-six years of age, the inmate of the House of Correction, Philadelphia, who was found drowned in Pennypack creek, that he had paid the penalty of his life in an attempt to gain his liberty by swimming the creek. This was the same McLevy who formerly lived in Chester and frequented our Mayor's court so much, and was the source of so much annoyance to the officers.

THE EXHIBITION GROUNDS.—George M. Booth, Esq., attorney for the Delaware County Agricultural and Industrial Society, has prepared the papers for the sale of the Fairlamb property at Greenwood station, to the Society, and on Monday the deed was passed. The Society will soon commence improving the place so as to adapt it to their purposes.

PERSONAL.—Rev. J. Gould, pastor of Bethel A. M. E. church, and Rev. William Murphy, left here on Monday last to attend a session of conference now being held in Reading, this State. They are expected to return to-day.

Dr. Frank M. Eccles, of Baltimore, is visiting relatives in the North ward.

THE DROUGHT.—The drought of the last two weeks has allowed the dust to become very deep, and the tidy housewives are always scolding about it. Several wells on the higher ground of the city have gone dry. A shower of rain would be a welcome visitor just now, as vegetation, especially grass, stands very much in need of it.

HEARD FROM.—Mr. McClelland, son of the shoe dealer on Third street, who went to Nebraska a couple of weeks ago to join the Chester colonists there, has written home. He thinks it a good place for farmers, but no place for mechanics; and unless he gets a situation in a few days he will turn his face homeward.

THE SANTIAGO.—The new iron steamer Santiago, built at Roach's ship yard, has received the last coat of paint and is now ready to leave for New York. It is expected that she will start to-morrow. She is a beautiful ship and will compare favorably with any on the waters.

SURPRISE PARTY.—About 15 couples surprised an Eighth street (South ward) lady last evening. Prof. Oglesby was on hand, and furnished excellent music. Dancing was kept up until midnight.

SWENEY'S LAST AND GRANDEST CONCERT.—Mr. George K. Crozer, of Upland, has consented to sing for the benefit of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, on the 29th of May, at Holly Tree Hall.

PAINTING UP. Mr. Joseph Ladomus is improving the exterior of his jewelry store, on Market street, by the application of a coat of paint. Nothing beautifies property at so small a cost as this.

NO CASES.—Last night was a very quiet one on the streets, and the policemen had nothing to report this morning, so that the Mayor had no occasion to deal with unruly citizens.

LODGERS.—Last night thirteen homeless persons rested their weary bones on the hard floor of the station house.

[Communicated.]

Supreme Court.

The Tinicum Fishing Company vs. Paul B. Carter, reported in your paper of yesterday as Carter vs. the Fishing Company, recently delivered by Mr. Justice Paxson of the Supreme Court, is causing some particular persons to throw up their hats. At a more convenient season, the public will be put into the possession of the facts, by the publication of some of the facts in the cause, without the ifs and ands contained therein. The pop-gun report in yesterday's issue of the TIMES is calculated to mislead rather than enlighten the readers of your journal; but such reports are *damnum absque injuria*. A distinguished jurist defined law to be a "rule of civil conduct established by an independent State or nation, commanding what is right and prohibiting what is wrong." And that it is a *rule*, not a transient, sudden order, from a superior to or concerning a particular person, but something permanent, uniform and universal, therefore a particular act of the legislature in reference to the individual rights of a citizen, does not enter into the idea of a municipal law. His Honor Justice Paxson, however, says, "The Darby Meadow Company has the right, under its charter, to protect the meadows by the erection of walls to keep back the water, and if, in doing so, the plaintiff's rights of fishery are interfered with, or even destroyed, he is without remedy. His damage, if any, is merely consequential, and the constitutional provision that compensation shall be made to the owner of property taken for public use does not apply to such damages. Monongahela Navigation Company vs. Koons 6 W. & S. 101."

Just here one might naturally ask, as the case of the Navigation Company vs. Coons, in B. W. & S., now rules the Fishing Company vs. Carter, how comes it that the judges, courts and lawyers have been so long in making this important discovery. And then it might be suggested by another, that if the Legislature protects the Meadow Company in the enjoyment of its property, and gives no protection to Carter in his, because they are "consequential," what becomes of the Meadow Company's property after the "sea wall" shall have been demolished? Will not its damages be *damnun obsque injuria?*

"A POSITIVE benefit to young children and infants" is the popular verdict for Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle.

COTTAGE SUITS.—Cottage chamber suits, in any color, beautiful and unique, at Messick's furniture warerooms, 621 and 623, Edgmont avenue. §

SATISFACTORY.—When in need of a pair of good fine boots, gaiters or shoes, go to Harkins', 524 Market street, and get a pair that will give you satisfaction. §

MORE PERFECT LIKENESSES or finer executed portraits cannot be found than those that leave the studio of M. E. Bordine, Crayon Artist, 514 Market St., Chester. 4t

PHILADELPHIA, May 12, 1879.

Know all men by these presents, that I, S. B. Minor, have sold to Longbotham & Kendig the exclusive right of Delaware County to use my Elastic Cement roofing paint. All other persons representing to use my paint are frauds.

§§§ S. B. MINOR.

EVERYBODY goes to the Original Boston 99c. Store, 45 North Eighth street, Philadelphia. Beautiful tables, 99c.; Rogers & Bro.'s spoons and forks, 99c. a set; steel knives and forks, leather bags, trunks, lamps, and a store filled with useful articles. Nothing over 99c. a9-d&w-3m

Caught at Last.

The notorious depredator, Kate-Arrh, who has for so many years eluded the most accomplished and skillful detectives, has been caught at last in Buffalo, N. Y. For further particulars, ask your druggist for a bottle of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, admitted to be the best remedy for catarrh yet compounded.

CHEW Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—AT ONCE—PAINTERS AND blacksmiths on carriage work. M. OCHELTREE, 508 Edgmont avenue. my14-2t

A GRAND QUOIT MATCH WILL COME off at Steamboat Hotel, on Thursday, (tomorrow) May 15th, 1879. All are invited. my14-1t* JOHN GOFF.

NOTICE.

MRS. STETSER,

Fashionable Milliner and Dressmaker, No. 302 East Fifth street, Chester. Ladies' and children's suits made in the latest New York styles, at prices to suit the times. fe18-tf

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my fears; the fact of my holding so many hundred dollars in my possession might be known to others—very likely was.

Being thus made ready, I sought the newspaper pile, and took out the *Tribunes* and *Suns*, on account of their greater crackling powers, feeling for them rather than seeing them in the dimness. Then I carpeted the floor of the back room in every direction with the outspread sheets, so that no step could be made on them without awakening me if I fell asleep, which now I was certain I should do. That done, I unlocked my trunk, and taking out all my jewelry and ornaments, I spread them on the tables as if just used in some extraordinary toilette, my watch and chain, my string of pearls and diamond solitaires, my necklace of pink topaz and brilliants, and in fact all I had in the world, with my shawl and my one lace flounce, spread them out in full sight, that a thief seeing them, might snatch and run, and leave me alone and safe with Reuben's money: my jewelry was all my own before I married him. Then, tiptoeing over the crackling *Tribunes* and *Suns*, I got hold of the fire poker, the scissors, the sharp steel eraser, and the open penknife, and slipping the poker under the edge of the bedside, where I could reach it for defense at any moment, and the scissors under the pillow, and with the keen steel things in either hand I drew aside the curtains altogether from the alcove, and putting in my hand to pull off the skirts and things I had so carelessly tossed there in my haste, I touched with my own, which was stone cold, a large warm hand. "Ah, great heavens! great heavens!" I shrieked at the top of my lungs, without staying to think whether I could scream or not. "There is a man in the bed!"

"Good gracious, Sally what's the matter? Do you mean to bring down the house?" came a sleepy voice. "Just got home? What's the clock? Heigho! My train broke down, and we had to come back. What—what in the deuce does this mean? What are those knives in your hand for? Do you mean to murder me? Have you lost your wits?" And shaking off a spray of skirts and things that he had never noticed there when he retired, Reuben sat up and stared at me. And he declares that, more than once in the gray dawn, I half woke and cried out sobbingly, although in his protecting arms, "Oh, Reuben! Reuben! there's a a man in the bed!"—*Harper's Bazar.*

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THE NEBRASKA COLONISTS.

OMAHA, Nebraska, May 8, 1879.

Once more in Omaha. I left Kearney early on the morning of the 7th, in the midst of a heavy rain storm, to come this far east over the Union Pacific Railroad, that I might obtain some idea of the lands for sale along this route, owned by the U. P. R. R. Co.

Of course, the scenery along the line did not present the beautiful appearance it would on a bright sunshiny day, but the character of the land—the rolling country, the vast number of trees, many of noble size, the farmhouses and farms fenced in—all tended to make up a scene pleasing to the eye.

The soil along the route of the U. P. road is certainly very rich, and while all the Government land has been taken up as far west as Kearney, yet railroad lands can be obtained from Omaha westward, at prices averaging $4 per acre.

The numerous towns along the road had a thriving appearance, and some—embosomed in trees—looked quite attractive. At 8 o'clock we reached Grand Island, where we stopped thirty minutes for breakfast, and I never sat down to a better breakfast anywhere, nor ever paid a higher price for it. I had the pleasure of sitting at the table with a party of English tourists, whom I afterward learned were Lord and Lady Harris, *en route* home from Australia. Of course they appreciated the honor. Grand Island is 60 miles east of Kearney, and is a place of considerale importance. Melville B. Hoxie, an old schoolmate of Mr. Stephen C. Hall, of Chester, is a resident here, and fills the position of Register in the U. S. Land Office.

After breakfast, upon taking train again and entering the smoking car for the purpose of indulging in a "weed," I noticed three men in irons seated together, and evidently prisoners, and in charge of a man who sat with them. It appears the last mentioned man was the Sheriff of Lawrence county, Dakota, and had brought these prisoners from Deadwood, where they had been tried and convicted, and was taking them East to Detroit, Mich., where they were to be confined in jail for fifteen, two and a half and one and a half years respectively. The man sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment had killed a man in Deadwood, a short time ago. The one sentenced for two years and a half was a road agent and cattle thief, and the third man was convicted of assault and battery with intent to kill. Among the passengers in the smoking car were the part owners of several mines among the Black Hills, who were on their way East with specimens of ore to have assayed at the mints in Chicago and New York. One of these gentlemen presented me with a specimen from the Marango mine, rich with gold, and he thought the rock would yield five thousand dollars to the ton.

After a pleasant ride of nine hours we reached Omaha, a distance of ninety-six miles from Kearney.

During the afternoon I called upon Leavitt Burnham, Esq., Land Commissioner U. P. R. R., for further facts relative to lands, which he courteously furnished. I am under many obligations to Mr. Burnham for the courtesies received at his hands the several times I have had the pleasure of meeting him, and should any of my Chester friends come west and have occasion to call upon Mr. Burnham, I feel assured they will entertain the same opinion of his gentlemanly qualities.

After supper I called upon Mr. M. Hellman—an old friend of Mr. Simon Brandeis—and met with a kind reception. Mr. Hellman is engaged in the wholesale and retail clothing business and has an immense building, and he is in fact the Wanamaker of Omaha.

I started out to tell you of the country, the colonists, and the appearance of the crops, but I have wandered wide of the mark.

We have every indication so far that the wheat crop will be bountiful, and that is the main stay of this part of the country.

The "boys" are busy breaking ground, and planting corn as fast as they break. They are all as brown as gypsies, in the best of spirits, and hopeful for the future.

I have no doubt that we shall have some more Chesterians among us e'er the summer is over, and I say let them come. We will welcome them with open arms and endeavor to make them feel at home. MAX.

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

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On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 05	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 00	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 28	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

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MAIN LINE.

Fast Line, daily,.....11.45 A. M.
Pittsburg Express, except Sunday, 6.30 P. M
Cincinnati Express, daily,..... 9.10 P. M.
Pacific Express, daily,.....11.55 P. M.
Niagara Exp, daily, except Sunday 7.20 A. M.
Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday,.....11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Mail Train { Daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
On Sunday—Harrisburg only,..... 8.00 A. M.
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renovo, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

NEW YORK DIVISION.

Trains leave Depot, Thirty-second and Market streets.

Express for New York, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 7, 7.35, 8, 8.30, and 11 A. M. (Limited Express, 1.30 P. M.) 2, 4, 5.30, 7 and 7.35 P. M.

Sunday Trains, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 8, 8.30 A. M., 4. and 7.35 P. M.

For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

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LATEST NEWS.

Her Majesty's ship Zephyr has left Halifax for Newfoundland, to protect the fisheries. The Druid will follow her to-day.

The Secretary of the Treasury yesterday accepted bids for 100,000 ounces of silver bullion for the New Orleans Mint, and a somewhat larger quantity for the San Francisco mint.

In Reading, Pa., yesterday the proprietors of all the stores usually kept open on Sunday were notified by the police that they "must positively close on Sundey next." The Mayor says he is determined to enforce the Sunday laws.

Chief Moses and his party, recently returned to Oregon from Washington, are about to start with their tribe for the new reservation on the Columbia River. General Howard will establish a new military post between the reservation and the white settlements.

The forest fires around the coal breakers in Schuylkill county increased in fierceness yesterday. At the William Penn colliery a large force of men was kept busy fighting away the flames, and the Shenandoah fire department was called out. At night the breaker was considered out of danger.

Secretary McCrary, in conformity with the opinion of Judge Dundy at Omaha, has ordered the Ponca Indians to be released. The decision is regarded in Washington as a heavy blow to the present Indian system, and fraught with danger to whites and Indians alike. The matter will be appealed to a higher court.

The officers of the Mississippi steamboat companies having their headquarters in St. Louis deny that transportation has been refused to colored refugees when the latter have had money to pay their passage. They also deny that merchants and planters have expressed a disposition to withdraw patronage from boats which carry immigrants; and say, further, the exodus excitement is dying out, and will cease altogether in a short time.

A sub-committee of the Senate Judiciary Committee yesterday heard three witnesses in support of an affidavit that R. Stockett Matthews, nominated for U. S. District Judge of Eastern Maryland, took a large fee, several years ago, for services which he never performed. The Senate, in executive session, adopted a resolution authorizing the Judiciary Committee to send for persons and papers, and administer oaths in furtherance of their investigation of the charges against Mr. Matthews.

Two years ago, Daniel Edmunds, living in Livingston county, Ky., abandoned his wife and children, and fled with a neighbor's daughter into Arkansas. A short time ago he started back for his old home, with the woman and her child, born in Arkansas, and when near the Mississippi river, murdered and buried both. Edmunds then resumed his abode with his wife until a few days ago, the bodies of his victims were discovered and identified. He was arrested on Tuesday and taken back to Arkansas.

In the United States Circuit Court, at Richmond, Va,, yesterday, Judge Hughes refused the writ of habeas corpus in the case of Kinney and his wife, confined in the Penitentiary for violation of the law prohibiting the intermarriage of the white and colored people. The Judge decided that the United States Courts have no jurisdiction over questions of marriage; that the marriage laws are under the control of each State unaffected by any provision of the Constitution of the United States; that, admitting marriage to be a contract, the privilege of enforcing it extends only to lawful marriages, and, that "if a citizen of Virginia went to the District of Columbia or to the Territory of Utah, and was there married in accordance with the local law, he could not return with his consort or consorts to Virginia and expect to subordinate her laws of marriage to the laws of the other jurisdiction." The case will probably be appealed to the Supreme Court of the United States.

FOREIGN NOTES.

The cable between Pernambuco and Bahia, South America, is interrupted.

Lord and Lady Dufferin arrived in London last night from St. Petersburg for a month's holiday.

Floods have destroyed 300 houses in Kottori, Hungary. The harvest prospects in that district are ruined.

The Porte is about to send a commission of softas to tranquillize the Albanians, who, it is thought, contemplate revolt.

The town of Halas, seventy-five miles south-southeast of Pesth, Hungary, on the Lake Halasto, has been inundated in consequence of continuous rains.

A daughter has been born to the Princess Charlotte of Prussia, the wife of Prince Bernhard of Saxe-Meiningen, daughter of the Crown Prince of Germany and granddaughter of Queen Victoria.

The Pope will to-day nominate Rev. John Vertin to be Bishop of Marquette and Sault Ste. Marie, and Very Rev. Lawrence S. McMahon, Vicar General of Providence, to be Bishop of Hartford.

Maritius was visited on the 21st of March last by a cyclone, which caused great damage to the growing sugar crop. Many vessels, among them the Sarah Hobart, of Boston, lost their masts, etc.

Several deaths have occurred of late at Portau-Prince from is supposed to be yellow fever. As the streets are in a neglected condition, and no precautions are being taken, an epidemic is feared.

The order of the British Privy Council requiring that swine from the United States shall be slaughtered at the port of landing has been so modified as to take effect on the 15th of the present month, instead of the first of June, as originally designed.

Very stringent regulations have been adopted in Russia as to passports. Every one coming into Russia must be provided with a passport, duly verified by the Russian Consul; he must be registered at the Police, and must comply with the regulations imposed, or be subject to fine or imprisonment.

There was a great conflagration on Tuesday night at Poonah, an important government and military center, eighty miles southeast of Bombay. The government school, the Boodwar Palace, the law courts, the post-office, the police office and fifty houses were completely destroyed.

That Awful Cow.

There probably isn't a woman in North America who isn't afraid of cows, and there is not a cow in North America which would harm one hair of any woman's head if it had the best chance in the world and no other job on hand. Wednesday forenoon a stray cow, perhaps from the country for a taste of baled hay, found a gate open and entered a yard on Second street. The woman came to the front door dressed to go out, but seeing the cow she uttered a scream and hurried back. There wasn't a thing in the yard for the cow to damage or eat, and being tired she raised her cud, lay down and began to chew as if she had got home from a long visit to Europe. The woman next appeared at a side window and called upon the cow to "git out." A dog might have "got," but the cow didn't. Then the woman threw a rag at the cow and called for the dog. The dog didn't come and the rag didn't scare. Then the woman shook a pillow at the cow and peremptorily ordered her off the premises, but the bovine half closed her eyes and let her thoughts run ahead to fly time. As the cow wouldn't go, and as the woman couldn't go till the cow did, sterner measures were resorted to. A tin pan was held out of the window and beaten with a spoon, but that cow couldn't be fooled into believing that Fourth of July had come. Then the woman went into the back yard to throw clubs over the fence and knock the horns off. The first one hit the window and the next one banged the blinds on the next house, and the cow's horns stuck much tighter than ever. Cries of "git out!" were again resorted to without effect, and then the woman watched at the front door till she saw a boy come along and she opened it and cried out, "O boy! there's a horrible cow in our yard! Prop the gate open and call all the boys and police you can and drive her out and I'll give you a quarter of a dollar! Hurry up, for she looks if she was getting ready to come right in here!" The boy "humped" the dangerous animal out in thirty seconds, received his pay and the woman gave up going down town for fear she would have a "nervous spell."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Schools for Girls.

At the Iowa Agricultural College every girl in the junior class has learned how to make good bread, weighing and measuring her ingredients, mixing, kneading and baking, and regulating her fire. Each has been taught to make her yeast and make biscuit, puddings, pies and cakes of various kinds; how to cook a roast, broil a steak and make a fragrant cup of coffee; how to stuff and roast a turkey, make oyster soup, prepare stock for other soups, steam and mash potatoes so that they will melt in the mouth, and, in short, to get up a first-class meal, combining both substantial and fancy dishes in good style. English classic and mathematical studies are not neglected. It is reported that the teaching of sewing in the Boston schools is very successful. Although instruction is given to each girl only two hours each week, those pupils who came into the school not even knowing how to hold a needle are able to hem nicely and sew overseams at the end of the first term. The special teacher prepares the work at home, so that it can be put promptly into the hands of the pupils without wasting a moment.—*New Bloomfield Times.*

Herr Krupp.

Herr Krupp, the manufacturer of great guns in Germany, had his little love romance and marriage, as many another great man has had. One day, being in the theatre at Cologne, he was struck by a girlish face in the box opposite; he begged one of his friends, who was acquainted with the family, to introduce him. Next day he was engaged, and in the following week the wedding took place. This marriage, concluded so hastily, has proved a most happy one, Frau Krupp being esteemed and beloved far and near. A kind, polite hostess, and a most generous benefactress of the poor, there is not a person in the whole place who does not brighten up at the sight of her face, unless he be a Socialist of the lewest degree; for Socialism has penetrated even to Essen. Herr Krupp's visits to the *fabrique* are now few and far between, sometimes not twice in a twelvemonth, because, as he says, "I am getting old now, and they must learn to get on without me." The work is carried on by a committee, at the head of which are his son and brother-in-law; the former, although not yet twenty-five, is a worthy follower of his father.

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Superintendent Carter, of the Pennsylvania Experimental Farm, endorses heartily the Perfected Butter Color of Wells, Richardson & Co., Burlington, Vt. It gives the brightest and best color to butter of any preparation in the world. Druggists keep it.

The Kanchil, or Pygmy Musk.

Last winter while we New Yorkers were bringing into requisiton all modern appliances within our reach to ward off the cold waves that came rolling over us from the mountains and plains of solid ice of the northen frozen regions, while our ears and nose, our fingers and toes, were tingling in the frosty air of midwinter, the crew of the good ship Janet Furguson were sweltering under the burning rays of a tropical sun. The ship was on her return trip from Singapore to New York with a cargo of pepper and spices. When passing through the Straits of Sunda she was met and surrounded by the usual fleet of native bum boats laden with fruits and curiosities. Among the miscellaneous cargo of these sea peddlers' boats one had aboard some of the most graceful, beautiful little creatures one could well imagine—five full grown live deer, not larger than small rabbits. The captain of our Janet Furguson after some parley succeeded in purchasing them, giving in exchange an old silver watch. The ship's carpenter soon built for them a convenient little house, about the dimensions of a small dog house, with "Deer Lodge" neatly painted over the door, and in these comfortable quarters the little midgets made in safety a voyage of 136 days, becoming great favorites with the crew. One fawn was born during the trip, but when discovered by the mate of the vessel the buck had eaten off its legs and it was dead.

Arriving off Sandy Hook the Janet Furguson encountered a cold wintry gale, all hands were kept busy, and during the confusion three of the little creatures that had managed to escape from their snug little house perished with the cold. Immediately after arriving at port the fourth, a fine buck, fell a victim to our (to them) inhospitable climate. The only survivor, a beautiful doe, came into my possession; but she only lived about a week. In spite of all my care she too expired, killed by the cold breath of our New York winter.

She was a timid little creature, and although perfectly tame objected to being handled, but she would take food from my hand and allow me to stroke her back. She had the pose and action of our ordinary deer. When watching her when leaping over a footstool, or stood, head erect, with one four foot gracefully poised, in an eager, listening attitude, or crept timidly or stealthily close to the wall and behind the articles of furniture, it was as difficult to realize that it was a real live deer as it is to believe that the midget General Mite is actually a living specimen of the genus *homo*.

The pygmy musk is common in the peninsula of Malacca and the neighboring islands, frequenting the thickets. They are nocturnal in their habits, and are often surprised by the natives in the act of making a raid upon the sweet potato patches, and captured by throwing sticks at their legs or caught in nooses; in the latter case they frequently escape by feigning death.

The Maylays prize them both as articles of food and as domestic pets. It is of this species that a rather doubtful story is told to the effect that when closely pursued by the hounds they will leap into the overhanging branches of some friendly tree, and hang suspended by their large canine teeth until the too eager foe rushes by, then dropping to the ground they will calmly retrace their steps. It is said that the creatures can make most extraordinary leaps, and that they display great cunning. They have no musk bag, and like the rest of the family are destitute of horns. The antlers we see upon stuffed specimens in the windows of the taxidermist are artificial.

The doe in my possession measured 15 inches in length; the head rather large, being 4½ inches from point behind the ears to tip of its nose; nose movable, always wet and cold like a pointer dog, and like the dog she possessed a keen scent. The round, short ears gave the animal the appearance of a mouse. The canine teeth were short, slender, and sharp, and, unlike the buck's, did not extend below the lips. The ten inch mark upon the rule came above the highest part of her back. The legs were extremely delicate: a Faber lead pencil looked thick and clumsy beside them. The tiny hoofs only measured two-eighths of an inch at the broadest part, where the cloven parts united. The color is a general reddish brown, darker upon the back, where the hairs are tipped with black; an indistinct dark band runs from a point between the ears to the nose; rather stiff gray hairs upon the sides and back of neck; fawn colored sides; three white streaks under part of neck; soft white hair upon belly and the anterior upper part of hind legs and the posterior upper part of fore limbs; the lower jaw is also white.

These animals could in all probability be acclimated in our Southern States, especially in Florida, abounding as that State does in swamps and thickets, where the animals could secure coverts and breed.—*Scientific American.*

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—"Bulls are but inflated frogs," sings Little Buttercup; but don't believe it, unless there is a high fence between you and the bellowing brutes.—*Hackensack Republican.*

—"Can a clergyman marry himself?" asks an exchange. We suppose he can, but we are afraid he would not be a happy couple.—*Meriden Recorder.*

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JOHN SPENCER, *Proprietor.*

THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1879.

PRIZE fighting is again in order. The bruisers do not mind, it seems, being brutally pounded at the hands of an antagonist. But they have a mortal dread of the inside of prison walls. There is, to their taste, a vast difference between being handcuffed and taken by the Sheriff to the State's prison, and returning home to receive an ovation from admiring friends. The arrests that were made a few years since and the punishment that the captured pugilists received had a most excellent effect. A repetition of the experience, in a little larger quantity if possible, would doubtless improve the sporting gentry. They are evidently forgetting the lesson of the shaved head and striped suit, and it is the only lesson which they seem to heed.

QUEEN VICTORIA doesn't believe in bangs. Prior to her son's wedding, a few weeks since, she requested the young ladies who were to officiate as bridesmaids on that auspicious occasion not to bang. And of course these ladies brushed their hair back in the sweetest way possible. To all loyal English lassies a request from their queen is equivalent to a command. We mention this incident with the hope—a very faint one, it is true—that the future brides and bridesmaids of America may be induced to refrain from bangs. There may be some unfortunate faces of which the less that is seen the better, and for these bangs may perhaps be permissible. But it is simply absurd that the average girl should thus disfigure herself.

"BEWARE of rashness, beware of rashness, but with energy and sleepless vigilance go forward and give us victories." These are the closing words of the letter in which Abraham Lincoln assigned General Hooker to the command of the Army of the Potomac. Old Abe never seemed at a loss for just the right words at the right time. There are a great many things which he may not have been, but better than almost everything beside, he was full of common sense. His advice to Hooker illustrates this, and we commend that advice to every reader who needs counsel as to the management of his affairs. "Beware of rashness, but with energy and sleepless vigilance go forward." The philosophy of success is here condensed into a single sentence.

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CHICAGO appears to be the center of socialism in this country. There the socialists go into convention with their guns by their sides, and boldly proclaim their intention to enforce their demands at the point of the bayonet. This is putting too fine a point altogether on their ways. Let them recall the sand lots orator, or with native born Chicago eloquence of foreign extraction discuss their wrongs and the methods of remedy. But as they value their own happiness, never let them by arms attempt to coerce into co-operation a people who are too intelligent not to discriminate between license and liberty. Public school education may not develop all the virtues, but it does teach men to know that if we are, as a nation, to be self-governed, it must be according to law. When law is dethroned, then social chaos follows. And the outgrowth of this chaos must be despotism.

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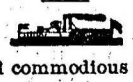
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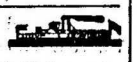
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TIME TABLE.

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Leave Philadelphia for Chester at 7, 7.30, 8, 8.40, 10.30 a. m., 12.30, 2.30, 3.00, 4, 4.30, 5.15, 5.30, 6.15, 6.50, 9.45, 10.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 5.48, 6.48, 7.55, 8.23, 8.47, 9.23, 9.38, 10,15, 10.36 a. m., 1.09, 1.55, 3.08, 4.38, 5.48, 6.14, 6.47, 8.07, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 8.29, 11.13 a. m., 3.41, 4.38, 5.46, 6.56, 10.29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 7.05, 8.10, 9.47, 10 a m., 2.30, 4, 5.46, 7.20, 9.46 p. m.

Leave Chester for New York at 3.03, 10.15, m., 1.09, 6.14 p. m.

Leave Chester for Baltimore at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Washington at 8.07 a. m., 12.20, 4.38 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Delaware Railroad at 8.29 a m., 12.20 noon, 5.46 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Leave Philadelphia for Chester 7.30, 8.30 a. m., 1, 6, 9.45, 11.30 p. m.

Leave Chester for Philadelphia at 8.53 a. m., 5.03, 5.49, 6.14, 7.13, 10.18 p. m.

Leave Chester for Wilmington at 8.07, 9.21 a. m., 6.48, 10,29 p. m., 12.10 midnight.

Leave Chester for Baltimore and Washington at 8.07, 12.10 midnight.

Leave Wilmington for Chester at 8.10 a. m., 5, 5.46, 6.30, 9.46 p. m.

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Leave Chester for Port Deposit at 7.47 a. m., 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Chadd's Ford at 7.47 a. m., 3.11, 4.59 p. m.

Leave Chester for Oxford, Saturday's only, at 7.32 p. m.

On Sundays, leave Philadelphia for Oxford and all intermediate stations at 8.30 a. m.

Leave Oxford for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations at 6.30 a. m., and 3.15 p. m.

THURSDAY, MAY 15, 1879.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Oil the axle of your baby carriage occasionally.

It is a great deal easier to get in debt than out of it.

A quoit match this afternoon at the Steamboat hotel.

Subscribe for some of Postmaster Martin's "baby bonds."

A ramble in the valleys and woodlands is appreciated now.

Strawberries were moderately plentiful this time last year.

The Legislature will not adjourn before the first week in June.

If Uncle Sam can borrow money at four per cent., why cannot Chester?

From five o'clock to seven in the morning is the most pleasant part of the day.

The milliners and dressmakers have hardly time to eat, owing to the rush of work.

It is to your interest to read the advertisements. Money can often be saved by doing so.

Bay parties and camping out excursions will soon be popular. Both are healthful.

The wife bears her share of the burdens, and is entitled to her share of the common funds.

Now is a good time to salt shad. It is hardly probable they will be much cheaper this season.

Congress appears to be doing nothing toward making the trade dollar a legal tender. They ought to.

Damp cellars are injurious to health, and it is the duty of Council to sewer all streets where they abound.

Will the school picnic be held at Chester Heights or Glen Olden? Last year it was held on the 10th of May.

The Mackinnon fountain pen is becoming universally popular in Chester with our business and professional men.

Whenever the husband grumbles about the household expenses, it is always best to quietly tell him to do the marketing.

Hon. Thos. V. Cooper is one of the Senate Committee of this State to receive General Grant on his entry into California.

The street sprinkler has put up his umbrella. This is "confirmation strong as holy writ" that warm weather is here.

The shady side of the street is being more frequented than formerly. As the Fourth of July approaches this is always the case.

It is criminal negligence to throw banana or orange peel on the sidewalks, and those who do it ought to be severely punished.

Five thousand dollars' worth of bonds bought yesterday in eight minutes at the post office. Talk about a scarcity of money?

The salmon have not put in an appearance in the Delaware river this season as yet. We have heard of none being caught by our fishermen since last year.

The June number of *Harper's Magazine* is pleasantly suggestive of the happy days in store for those who can afford it of summer trips to seaside and mountains.

Thousands of dollars from Chester are yearly spent in Philadelphia for clothing. A little enterprise on the part of our merchant tailors would keep a good deal of this at home.

Baggage-master Pyewell is an invaluable man about the depot. He is on hand early and late, and can always be found when wanted. In this respect he differs from many officials.

The *Advocate* will be out to-morrow, and will be a number worth buying. It will contain a great amount of local news of the county and city, and a good deal of other interesting matter.

In the woods near Garretford, in Upper Darby township, this county, there is quite an encampment of tramps—men and women, with occasionally a child or two, seemingly permanently established.

Pleasant times in store for the editors of New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania in the latter part of June. The managers had their preliminary meeting at Cape May last week, and mapped out a good programme.

THE TINICUM FISHING COMPANY.—The following is the opinion of Judge Paxson rendered on the above case:

In the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, Eastern District, the Tinicum Fishing Company vs. Paul B. Carter: opinion of the Court by Paxson, J.—This case has been so thoroughly discussed in 11 P. F. S. 21, 27, that little now remains to be said; while the main point now raised, was not expressly decided by either of the former cases, the principles by which it must be disposed of were clearly pointed out. It was held in Tinicum Fishing Co. vs. Carter, 11 P. F. S. 21 that the plaintiff below was not entitled to recover damages for the injury to his fishery resulting from the construction of a pier out into the river under a license from the Port Wardens of the city, as the State, says Justice Sharswood, might itself have erected, or caused to be erected the wharf and pier built by the defendants below without any responsibility to the plaintiff for any consequential damages to his easement or right of drawing his seine on the shore; so neither is the grantee or licensee of the State liable for such damage, as to him it is *damnum absque injuria*. This ruling is equally applicable to the erection and maintenance of the stone wall which is the chief ground of the plaintiff's complaint. The Darby Meadow Company has the right under its charter to protect the meadows by the erection of walls to keep back the water, and if in doing so the plaintiff's rights of fishing are interfered with, or even destroyed he is without remedy, his damages are merely consequential, and the Constitutional provision that compensation shall be made to the owner of property taken for public use does not apply to such damages.

Monongahela Navigation Co. vs. Coons, 6 W. & S. 101. The Meadow Company having the right under its charter to construct the wall it follows that if said wall had been constructed under the authority of, or license from the Company as a part of its system the defendant would have a right to avail themselves of such authority for license, as a defence to this action. Further, if the Meadow Company neither built nor authorized its construction, yet, if after the wall had been erected, they adopted and maintained it, and had continued to maintain it for more than six years prior to the commencement of this suit it would be a complete answer to any claim for damages growing out of its construction.

It was certainly error to exclude from the Jury evidence to shew that in 1868 the Fishery was utterly worthless, this error was cured to some extent subsequently by the admission of testimony of a similar character and is referred to now to avoid misapprehension in the future.

The Court below was called upon by the defendants 6th & 7th points to say that if either by the erection of the pier or from natural causes, the plaintiff's fishery had been destroyed a verdict must be for the defendant. The learned Judge affirmed these points with the qualification that the plaintiff's right must be absolutely obliterated, and that the destruction of the fishery must be full and complete, not partial. Herein we think the learned Judge fell into error. There was no question of the obliteration of plaintiff's right that might continue long after its exercise had become impracticable or unprofitable, nor was it a question of the absolute destruction of the fishery, it was certainly sufficient to shew that it was worthless. The plaintiff was suing for damages, and the destruction of a worthless thing could have done him no injury. If the fishery could no longer be fished to profit or advantage, it was worthless. The fact that a few stray shad could be caught there occasionally amounts to nothing.

The 1st, 2d, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 11th, 12th, and 16th assignments of error are sustained. The judgment is reversed and a "*Venira Facias de Novo*" awarded.

A BREAK DOWN AND A BROKEN LEG.—Yesterday, about half-past five o'clock, Mr. C. D. Pennell, lumber and coal dealer, at the foot of Concord avenue, South ward, started with his horse and buggy from the yard for a short drive. In the no-top buggy was Mr. John Gamble, who intended to accompany Mr. Pennell. The horse, a small bay, was going along at a moderate rate of speed, and when on Third street, about in front of Messrs. Dutton & Anderson's lumber and coal office, the pretty little buggy, like the famous "one-horse shay," fell to pieces. The wheels gave way, that is, the spokes seemed to pull out of the hub and let the body down on the ground. The occupants of the wagon felt it going down and both jumped out. Mr. Pennell alighted heavily on the right foot, and which snapped the bone off like a pipe stem. He being a heavy man drove the bone through the flesh. The bone was fractured just above the ankle, a point of the bone projected through the skin, and there was considerable blood in his boot when it was pulled off. Not many thought his leg was broken at first and he was carried into Dutton & Anderson's office, where his boot was taken off. A settee was procured and Mr. Pennell was taken home on it. There appeared to be no physicians at home, so that four or five had to be sent for before one could be procured.

Dr. Mercer arrived and reduced the fracture, soon after which Drs. J. F. M. Forwood, Johnson and Harvey came, they all having been sent for, but could not be found at the time. The break is considered a bad one and great care will have to be taken with it.

As soon as the body of the wagon dropped down at the heels of the horse he began to kick and then started to run. He ran to the stables at the yard and was secured.

Mr. Gamble, who also jumped out of the wagon, sustained a slight bruise or two, but nothing of any importance.

It was reported that the horse ran away and caused the accident; but such was not the case. The buggy was a very light one, and possibly not strongly made, and the spokes in the wheels gave way without much warning. Everybody expresses great sympathy for Mr. Pennell, who will now be laid up for a month or two, as he had just started in business for himself and will be unable to attend to it.

Since writing the above, we learn that in turning the corner of Third and Penn streets, one wheel of the buggy "dished," and caused the horse to be a little unmanageable. Mr. Gamble sustained a wound on the right thigh, but it is not a serious one. Dr. E. Harvey assisted in setting the broken limb, which was a compound fracture. Mr. Pennell is doing as well as can be expected this morning.

LADIES' UNION BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.—This organization held its regular monthly meeting yesterday. There was a fair attendance.

The Entertainment Committee reported that they had cleared, after paying expenses, eighty dollars, which enabled them to pay all bills and have a small balance in the treasury for contingencies.

A vote of thanks was tendered the members of the Students' Union for their late entertainment for the benefit of the society, and also to the *Evening News* and DAILY TIMES for gratuitous advertising.

BASE BALL.—As was previously announced, the Energetics of the P. M. A. and the Gifford nine of Philadelphia, crossed bats on the grounds of the former yesterday afternoon. A very excellent game was played, the score standing at the end of the ninth inning 8 to 6, in favor of the Energetics, which speaks well for their ability as ball tossers, since the opposing club has somewhat of a professional reputation. The attendance was not very large, owing probably to the heat of the day. There was beautiful playing and great interest was taken in the game throughout.

The score stood as follows:

ENERGETICS.	R.	O.	GIFFORDS.	R.	O.
Fatzinger, 3d b.	1	4	Moore, c f.	1	4
Kitts, 1st b.	1	3	Leffords, c.	1	4
McCloskey, s s.	3	1	Schell, 1st b.	0	3
Sage, p.	0	5	Gessmire, p.	0	4
Sweney, 2d b.	1	3	Kennedy, 3d b.	0	3
Sutton, c f.	1	2	Riley, s s.	1	2
VanGorder, l f.	1	2	Burns, l f.	0	3
Thomas, c.	0	3	Reynolds, 2d b.	2	2
Poulson, r f.	0	4	Hess, r f.	1	2
	8	27		6	27

INNINGS.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Energetics	3	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	1	—8
Giffords	1	0	1	0	2	0	2	1	0	—6

Base hits, Energetics—Kitts, 1; McClosky, 1; Sweney, 1; Sutton, 1; Thomas, 1;—5. Gifford—Moore, 1; Riley, 1; Burns, 1; Hess, 1;—4.

Struck out, Energetics—Fatzinger, 2; Poulson, 1;—3. Gifford, 0.

Umpire, A. Benezett, of Philadelphia; scorers, Pardee and Daggett; time of game, one hour and forty-five minutes.

The Giffords think if the Energetics always play as well they will have no trouble in beating the Athletics, of Philadelphia.

ATTEMPT AT ARSON.—This morning, about two o'clock, an attempt was made to burn the residence of Mr. Oliver C. Armstrong, at the corner of Sixth street and Greenway avenue, in the borough of Darby. The villains entered the cellar through the window, breaking out the sash for that purpose, and then carefully ignited fire in a pile of dry wood immediately under the door leading from the dining room to the kitchen. The fire soon got under good headway, and had not the smoke forced its way into the chambers and awakening the family, there is no doubt but that the entire block of houses would have been destroyed, and perhaps some life with it. The family, however, were awakened in time to bring the flames under control, and finally extinguished them. The cause of the dastardly act is unknown. Mr. Armstrong is a quiet, law-abiding citizen, and neither he nor his friends can conceive why such cowardly attempts are made upon his life and property.

CAUGHT ON THE SPRINKLER.—Yesterday afternoon there were two or three horses attached to dearborns and wagons being watered at the public fountain, in Market square, and just at that time the street sprinkler came along, and the distributor, which has a curve at each end, hooked into the rim of the hind wheel of one of the wagons. The horse attached to this wagon was drinking, and when the sprinkler took hold the animal was suddenly jerked from the trough. He straightened himself for a pull, and soon his harness gave way. Simultaneously the wheel of the wagon broke, and the old man sat in the vehicle, with his horse out of the shafts and one hind wheel off, wondering what was the matter. The sprinkler made so much noise that its driver knew nothing about the affair. It was a comical sight to see the owner of the wagon lay the good on his old horse, to free himself from the hooked distributor.

THE COMMISSIONERS' AND THE PRISONERS.—For some time past the County Commissioners have withheld the "commitment money" from the officer of this city whose special duty it is to take prisoners to Media jail, and it causes no little anxiety. Formerly the county allowed $3.50 for each prisoner, no matter for what he was committed, and at times when three or four were taken up it was a pretty good pull. The Commissioners came to the conclusion some time ago that they had no right to pay this price to get prisoners from Chester to Media, and so they shut down on it. They had a conference with the Mayor on the matter, but to no purpose. The commissioners of Lancaster county took the same stand about four months ago, and if we mistake not they were sustained. The Delaware County Commissioners think if anything more than the horse hire is paid, the city ought to pay it.

PEN OF FOXES.—Jas. Neal, hotel keeper at Concord, Delaware county, is the owner of thirteen young foxes, which were dug out of a hole on the Bullock farm on the Brandywine. Two foxes were first found, and the hole was afterwards visited and eleven more dug out. From this fact it is supposed that the old foxes had been killed, else they had removed the remaining young ones after the first two had been taken. Mr. Neil is domesticating his pets by penning them up with chickens and teaching them not to molest them. In other words, he is training them in the ways they should go, so that in their old age they will not depart from it. —*West Chester Republican.*

THE HIGH SCHOOL BOTANY CLASS.—The members of the class of '82 of the High School who are now pursuing the study of Botany were given a walk through the green fields and woods yesterday afternoon, so as to get a knowledge of some of the plants as they grow. It was a very instructive ramble to them, and their teacher took great delight in explaining the different properties of the plant kingdom.

OFF FOR NEW YORK.—The first class of the P. M. A. started on the 7.55 train for New York, this morning, where they will inspect the East River bridge under direction of Col. Patton, one of their instructors. They were in high glee and will be gone until Saturday. The cadets think that if the structure meets their approval, the work will go on.

PERSONAL.—The condition of Hon. Y. S. Walter is improving.

ANNOYING.—The business portion of Third street was annoyed beyond endurance this morning by a crowd of drunken men, who begged from passers-by and blocked up the sidewalk. The citizens are well-nigh tired of such conduct, and think it time these parties, who belong here, were looked after by the police, as well as tramps who are here one day and go away the next.

NARROW ESCAPE.—Joseph Sleeper, a lad residing on Howell street, while "holding on" to a coal wagon, had one of his legs caught in the spokes of the wheel, drawing him around between the wheel and the body of the wagon, breaking his right leg and narrowly escaping with his life. Dr. Johnson was called in and reduced the fracture.

A COAT STOLEN.—J. Strahan, a shoemaker of the North ward, had a coat which he said came from England, and was valued at $10, stolen from him at the Steamboat wharf last evening. Mr. Strahan had his coat on the seat of a wagon, which was backed up to the freight house, and some person put their light fingers on it.

A PRETTY PLACE.—Councilman Greenwood, of the North ward, is having the yard around his residence on Edgmont avenue fixed up in a tasty manner. It is being resodded, a number of choice flowers planted, and other improvements, which will add much to the already pretty premises, are being made.

BOAT ROBBED.—About nine o'clock last evening the cabin door of Messrs. Mendenhall & Johnson's sloop, Captain Alex McCain, was broken open and the cabin robbed of a couple of pairs of pants and drawers and three bed quilts. Some of the articles were afterwards found in a quarry hole.

A SWEET SCENTED THIEF.—Sometime during last night, some person jumped the fence around the back yard of P. Goff's hotel at Front and Fulton streets, and stole the prettiest and most costly rose therein. The rose was of a choice variety and one which Mr. Goff prized very highly.

THE CRICKETERS.—The grounds of the Chester Cricket Club have been put in first rate condition, and the match with the Centennial Club, of Philadelphia, will take place there Saturday afternoon. An interesting game is expected, and there should be a large attendance.

TOOK SUPPER WITH THE BOYS.—After the Energetic nine of the P. M. A. beat the Gifford nine yesterday afternoon, they did the handsome thing by them. They treated them to a good supper, which was very commendable.

OUT IN THE STREAM.—The new steamer was lying out in the middle of the river, in front of Roach's, this morning, waiting for orders to sail for New York. A tug was alongside of her, and her engines were being tried.

PIPE BURST.—Some time during yesterday morning the water pipe on Upland street at Seventh burst and the street was overflowed. Repairs will be made as soon as possible.

ARRESTED.—Officer John Dougherty, of the North ward, arrested West India Joe for selling fish along the street this morning, without a license.

PASSED DOWN.—The Red Star Line Steamer Switzerland passed down the river this morning, en route for Europe.

GOOD BOOKS FOR THE PEOPLE.—People who delight in good books are rejoicing in the good work being done by the American Book Exchange, 55 Beekman street, N. Y. By introducing the plan of publishing and selling books direct to purchasers, instead of giving the large discounts usually allowed to dealers and agents to sell for them; by working on the basis of the present cost of making books, which is about one-half what it was a few years ago, and by printing very large editions, which also greatly reduces the cost as compared with small editions, they are able to furnish books at prices which, to most people, seem truly astonishing, but which they say are only reasonable. They publish as follows: Chambers' Cyclopedia of English Literature, 8 vols, 16mo. Price, complete, paper, $2.00; cloth, $3.00; half morocco, $4.75; half morocco, bound in 4 vols., $3.75. Rollin's Ancient History, 1,192 double-column pages, large type, 8vo cloth, $2.25; library sheep, $2.75. Josephus' Works, translated by Whiston, 1,042 double-column pages, very large type, 8vo cloth, $2.00; library sheep, $2.50. Arabian Nights, large type, 12mo cloth, 55 cents. Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress, very large type, 12mo cloth, 50 cents. Robinson Crusoe, large type, 12mo cloth, 55 cents. Baron Munchausen, very large type, 12mo cloth, 50 cents. From the above remarkably low prices a discount of 10 per cent. is allowed to those ordering before June 1st, and an additional discount of 10 per cent. when ordered in clubs of five or more copies, of either book, or to the amount of $10.00 or more selected from the list. Pages giving specimens of type and full particulars, are sent free on request.

THE April number of the *Library Magazine* comes freighted with a choice collection of reprints from foreign magazines and periodicals. "The Defence of Lucknow," by Alfred Tennyson, leads the table of contents, followed by selections from the writings of John Stuart Mill, London Society, Frederick Harrison, Francis Eleanor Trollope, Archibald Forbes, W. S. Dallas, Herman C. Merivale and others. All tastes are catered to in this number, some of the articles being weighty with close thinking and reasoning, others being on live subjects treated in a very pleasant style, and still others which are of a humorous character. Prose and poetry according to the reader's wishes. The low price of subscription, $1.00 per year, recommends this magazine to people desirous of reading the best literature current abroad. Published by the American Book Exchange, 55 Beekman street, New York.

LETTER LIST.—The following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Chester for the week ending May 15th, 1879:

Baker Wm	Lord Sallie
Brogan Saml	Lord John C
Bruce Dr	Marckus Joseph
Bradley Katie L	Mitchell Erwin L (2)
Blenting Philip S	Morgan Mrs R
Carter Mahala	Munger Mrs Lucy
Cole Chas N	McCabe Miss M E
Cludley Mr	McCallion Peter
Ford Jesse	McGowan Elizabeth
Ford Sidney	O'Brien John
Granban Wm J	O'Donnell Thos
Graper Lizzie	Philips Tesy
Haney Della A	Pyle Victor
Healey Jane	Porter Jas
Jackson John	Reed Mrs Rebecca
Johnson Mary	Smith Sadie
Jones Elizabeth	Watt Katie S
Leatherbury Lillie	Wilson W H

W. H. MARTIN, P. M.

LODGERS.—There were eleven lodgers in the station house last night.

IT is questionable at least to allow the baby to exhaust itself and annoy the household with its continual crying when that tried remedy, Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup will quiet it at once. Price 25 cents.

E. F. Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron.

A sure cure for Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Weak Stomach, General Debility, Diseases of the Nervous System, Constipation, Acidity of the Stomach, and for all cases requiring a Tonic. Every bottle guaranteed, or the money refunded. Price, $1. Get the genuine. Ask for **E. F. Kunkel's Bitter Wine of Iron**, and take no other. Price, $1, or six bottles for $5. If your druggist does not have it send to proprietor, 259 N. Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Advice free; enclose three-cent stamp.

WORMS. WORMS. WORMS.

E. F. Kunkel's Worm Syrup never fails to destroy Pin, Seat and Stomach Worms. Dr. Kunkel, the only successful physician, who removes Tape Worm in two hours, alive, with head, and no fee until removed. Common sense teaches if Tape Worms be removed all other worms can be readily destroyed. Advice at office and store, free. The doctor can tell whether or not the patient has worms. Thousands are dying daily, with worms, and do not know it. Fits, spasms, cramps, choking and suffocation, sallow complexion, circles around the eyes, swellings and pain in the stomach, restless at night, grinding of the teeth, picking at the nose, cough, fever, itching at the seat, headache, foul breath, the patient grows pale and thin, tickling and irritation in the anus, all these symptoms, and more, come from worms. E. F. KUNKEL'S WORM SYRUP never fails to remove them. Price, $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. (For Tape Worm write and consult the Doctor.) For all others, buy of your druggist the Worm Syrup, and if he has it not, send to DR. E. F. KUNKEL, 259 N. Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Advice by mail, free; send three-cent stamp.

Kunkel's Wine of Iron is for sale in Chester by M. H. Bickley, Robert Howarth, Edward G. Jay, Third and Penn streets, and by the drug trade generally. my15-1m

MORE PERFECT LIKENESSES or finer executed portraits cannot be found than those that leave the studio of M. E. Bordine, Crayon Artist, 514 Market St., Chester. 4t

PHILADELPHIA, May 12, 1879.

Know all men by these presents, that I, S. B. Minor, have sold to Longbotham & Kendig the exclusive right of Delaware County to use my Elastic Cement roofing paint. All other persons representing to use my paint are frauds.

§§§ S. B. MINOR.

EVERYBODY goes to the Original Boston 99c. Store, 45 North Eighth street, Philadelphia. Beautiful tables, 99c.; Rogers & Bro.'s spoons and forks, 99c. a set; steel knives and forks, leather bags, trunks, lamps, and a store filled with useful articles. Nothing over 99c. a9-d&w-3m

Demoralizing Disease.

With kidney trouble a man is utterly demoralized. Restoration to perfect health can be attained by the use of Kidney-Wort. It cures the dull distress in the back and side, and removes gravelly deposits. It is cathartic but does not debilitate.

CHEW Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco.

MARRIED.

PENNINGTON—NEAL.—On the 13th inst., by Rev. A. Howard, Samuel B. Pennington to Miss Emma E. Neal, all of South Chester.

WEAVER—HAMILTON.—On the 13th inst., by the same, Aaron B. Weaver to Miss Annie E. Hamilton, both of Wilmington, Del.

DIED.

YOUNG.—In this city, on the 13th inst., Nelson, son of Robert and Mary A. Young.

CLARK.—On the 13th inst., William W., son of S. B. and Jane Clark, and grandson of the late Isaiah Pike, aged 8 years and 4 months.

EYRE—Henry C., youngest son of Henry C. and Mary Eyre, aged 18 months.

PROPOSALS FOR LAMPS AND LAMP Posts.

Sealed proposals, addressed "proposals for lamps," will be received by the undersigned Committee on Gas, of the city of Chester, until 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, May 19th, 1879, for furnishing the city with lamps, lamp posts, and the setting thereof, complete, without any repairs. Lamps to be the same as those now in use. Contract to expire on the first Monday in April, 1880.

The Committee, on behalf of the city, reserve the right to reject any or all bids that may be offered.

THOMAS CLOUGH,
B. F. BAKER,
WM. F. CUTLER,
my13 15-2t Committee on Gas.

PROPOSALS FOR KEEPING STREET lamps in repair.

Sealed proposals, addressed "proposals for keeping street lamps in repair," will be received by the undersigned Committee on Gas, of the city of Chester, until 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, May 19th, 1880, for keeping the city gas lamps in proper repair. Contract to expire on the first Monday in April, 1880.

The Committee, on behalf of the city, reserve the right to reject any or all bids that may be offered.

THOMAS CLOUGH,
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my13 15-2t Committee on Gas.

WANTED—AT ONCE—PAINTERS AND blacksmiths on carriage work. M. OCHELTREE, 508 Edgmont avenue. my14-2t

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Fashionable Milliner and Dressmaker, No. 302 East Fifth street, Chester. Ladies' and children's suits made in the latest New York styles, at prices to suit the times. fe10-tf

R. W. Elliston.

A genial, pleasant face is that of Elliston, and a very amusing creature he must have been. "Magnificent were thy capriccios on this globe of earth, Robert William Elliston!" apostrophizes Charles Lamb. For the most part these capriccios took the shape of extraordinary hoaxes of the public, perpetrated doubtless quite as much in the hope of drawing money as of obtaining a laugh. Elliston had a perfect mania for management, and at one time had no less than five provincial theatres on his hands at once. Business was generally bad in all of them, as it is apt to be in provincial theatres in England to this day, and how to "pull a house" was the problem ever disturbing the mind of the jovial manager. Many times he succeeded by devices which not even the inventive genius of contemporary showmen can excel. He startled the public in one of his tours by announcing that on his benefit night he would show them in the theatre the most splendid pyrotechnic display ever attempted in England. The seats went off like fireworks themselves. Meantime, day by day, Elliston was himself working on the fears of the landlord about the danger of such an exhibition in the theatre—a mere box of a place. Finally the owner forbade it; but never a word of this did Elliston breathe to the public. The expected great house gathered, and between the pieces on walked Elliston, handkerchief in hand, and in one of his speeches—very marvels of verbosity—explained that the most extraordinary expenditure had been lavished on the fireworks, as advertised, but just before the rise of the curtain occurred to him for the first time the vital question, What of the danger? These lovely maidens, these noble mothers, these proud fathers, and hopeful sons, who had gathered in such numbers to do him honor on his benefit night, were these valuable lives to be jeopardized by a dazzling display the cost of which he would himself defray a thousand times over rather than that a hair of one head should be injured? And, indeed, the landlord had forbade it. Here he appealed to the landlord—a bashful man, who hid behind the curtains of his box, ready to die with shame at being thus addressed—to publicly confirm his statement that he had forbidden the fire-works on account of the danger. Thankful for having so narrowly escaped "the danger," the relieved audience applauded him to the echo for his thoughtfulness.

In 1819 Elliston achieved his highest ambition. He became lessee of Drury Lane. Lamb gives a humorous account of Elliston's announcement to him of this new glory on the morning after his accession to that high office.

Elliston's great trump card, while manager of the Surrey, was the production of Jerrold's *Black eyed Susan*. He himself "created" the part of the hero, and played it 221 times, realizing large sums by the performance.

Almost his last words, when the hand of death lay heavy on him, were humorous and characteristic. He objected to taking some medicine, and in order to induce him to do so he was promised brandy and water to follow it. A faint smile stole over his face, the old roguish look gleamed for a moment in his fast glazing eyes as he murmured: "Bribery and *corruption*."—*Olive Logan in Harper's for June.*

How They Return From Leadville.

"Why is it," asks a correspondent, "that if Leadville is as bad a place as you describe it, we never see any of the people who go there come back?" Oh, well, that is easily enough explained. When a young man sets out for Leadville he arrays himself conspicuously for a day or two prior to his departure, then he has the fact of his going and the train he will take announced in the village paper, and at the appointed time he goes rattling down to the depot in an open carriage two hours before the train time, and swaggers up and down the platform while he waits, and as the train goes off he leans out of the window and yells a personal good-bye to everybody on the platform. But when he comes back he times his return so as to strike his native town by a back road, after dark, then he sneaks home through the alleys, climbs over the back fence, taps at the kitchen window and begs, under his breath, to be let in, and when he gets in he stays in bed three or four days, while his new clothes are being made and the doctor is trying to count the blisters on his feet. Oh, it's easy to explain why we never see them come back; but they do come back all the same.

One Week in Wall Street.

October 7th, 1878, Western Union Telegraph stock sold at the New York Stock Exchange for 96.1-8 per share; October 14th, 1878, it sold at 86.3-4, a fluctuation of 9.3-8 per cent in seven days; 12,500 shares sold on a margin of one per cent. required an actual capital of $12,500. The same stock delivered at 86.3-4 gave a profit of 9.3-8 per cent. on the stock, or $937.50 per 100 shares. On the whole 12,500 the actual profit was $117,187.50, or 9.3-8 times the capital used, in one week. This is a single case taken from the official record of the Stock Exchange, and shows how money is made so rapidly in stocks. Few people, however, have the necessary cash to put up in order to realize such immense profits as these, but capital in any amount from $10 to $50,000 can be used with equal success by the new combination system of operating in stocks which Messrs. Lawrence & Co., Bankers, New York, have established. By this method of pooling thousands of orders in various sums and operating them as one immense capital, shareholders realize large profits which are divided *pro rata* monthly. New circular contains two unerring rules for success, and full information, so that any one can operate profitably. Stocks and Bonds wanted. Government Bonds supplied. Apply to Lawrence & Co., Bankers, 57 Exchange Place, N. Y. city.

A Tough Story.

An Ohio farmer was lately annoyed by the inroads of sheep upon his grain field, and raised the height of his fence. A ram was the only one of the flock that could then leap it, but he enabled his companions to do so by placing himself alongside and offering his back for them to jump on before clearing it.

—No one knows how much comfort a person can take smoking in bed until they have tried it and called out the fire department.—*Detroit Free Press.*

New Cure for Rheumatism.

We supposed that every possible "cure" for rheumatism had been suggested ere this, but a German paper announces the discovery of a new one. A woman near Prague suffered so severely from gout in the arm that she could not obtain rest or sleep, and the limb in which the disease had settled was rendered entirely useless. Her husband, having heard of a countryman who had been completely cured of rheumatism after being accidentally stung by a bee, persuaded her to try this disagreeable remedy, which, as he pointed out, could hardly prove so painful as the disease. She consented, and allowed three bees to be placed on her arm, and to sting her in several places. Surprising results ensued: the patient soon afterward fell into a deep sleep, the first real sleep she had enjoyed for six months, after which the acute pain disappeared; and when the swelling produced by the stings subsided, the arm recovered the power of motion, and the gout has not since reappeared.

Uses of the Lemon.

A piece of lemon upon a corn will relieve it in a day or so. It should be renewed night and morning. The free use of lemon and sugar will always relieve a cough. A lemon eaten before breakfast every day for a week or two will entirely prevent the feeling of lassitude peculiar to the approach of spring. Perhaps the most valuable property is its absolute power of detecting any of the injurious and even dangerous ingredients entering into the composition of the cosmetics and face powders in the market. Every lady should subject her toilet powder to the test. Place a teaspoonful of this powder in a glass and add the juice of a lemon. If effervescence takes place it is an infallible proof that the powder is dangerous, and its use should be avoided, as it will ultimately injure the skin and destroy the beauty of the complexion.

—Instead of putting lead into Booth's body, Gray has put silver into the actor's pocket.—*Chicago Journal.*

—The Americans had to pay Rowell here, but the Englishmen have had to Parole well over there.—*N. Y. Com. Adv.*

—A Steubenville woman calls her cow "Wedge," because she always has to drive her in.—*Steubenville Herald.*

—There is an innocent abroad here in Toledo. He asked a friend what was the best bait for fish. "Try angle worms," said the friend, and may we be hornswogled if that man hadn't every boy in the city trying to find him triangle worms.—*Toledo Commercial.*

—A little girl scrambled up into her uncle's lap, and rubbing her velvety hands over his two or three days' growth of beard, exclaimed in much surprise, "Oh, mamma, unky's got splinters all over his face."—*Andrews' Bazar.*

—Scene at a wedding breakfast—company all seated about the table. A pause in the general conversation. Happy husband to his wife's little sister at the other end of the room: "Well, Julie, you have a new brother now."

Julie: "Yes; but mother said to papa the other day that she was afraid you would never amount to much, but it seemed to be Sarah's last chance."

—A Rip Van Winkle in real life, equal to Jefferson's fictitious character in regard to drinking up his property and reducing himself to vagrancy and disgrace, was found dead by the roadside near Westtown, New York recently. This man, whose name was Ira S. Renney, had been possessed of considerable property, and was a prosperous farmer not long ago, but he dissipated the whole of his substance in whisky and in treating tavern companions, leaving his wife and children to poverty and hardship just as the imaginary Rip did with his estate and family. But this man in real life has gone to a sleep from which there can be no reawakening in this world—and here the truth surpasses the fiction in the sorrowful tragedy of the closing scene.

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NEW SERIES OF STOCK IN THE CHESTER BUILDING ASSOCIATION.

The above Association will issue its sixth series of stock on Tuesday, May 27th, 1879.

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Any person wishing to subscribe for stock in the new series, will please call on either of the undersigned.

BENJ. F. BAKER, President.
GEO. M. BOOTH, Secretary.
ap10-d&w-tf S. GREENWOOD.

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The Delaware County Building Association will, by order of the Board of Directors, issue its Tenth Series of Stock on the first Monday in June, 1879. The number of Shares will be limited to two hundred.

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Men's good cheviot suits, all wool, $7.25, worth $12
Boys' suits, from 9 to 15 years old, $2.75, worth $4.
Children's suits, from 3 to 9 years, $1.15, worth $3.

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RAILROADS.

PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAILROAD.

NEW TIME TABLE.

On and after, MARCH 17th, 1879, passenger trains will be run on the Philadelphia and Chester Branch, daily, (Sunday excepted, as follows:

SOUTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.	p. m
Eddystone,	6 55	9 50	11 30	4 40	5 50
Morton's,	6 09	9 54	11 34	4 44	5 54
Chester,	6 14	9 59	11 39	4 49	5 59
Penn Street,	6 19	10 04	11 44	4 54	6 04
Roach's,	6 24	10 09	11 49	4 59	6 09
S. Chester,	6 31	10 16	11 56	5 06	6 16
Arrive at Thurlow,	6 34	10 19	11 59	5 09	6 19

NORTHWARD.

Leave	a. m.	a. m.	noon.	p. m.	p. m
Thurlow,	6 35	10 20	12 09	5 10	6 20
S. Chester,	6 38	10 23	12 03	5 13	6 23
Roach's,	6.45	10 30	12 10	5 20	6 30
Penn street,	6 50	10 35	12 15	5 25	6 35
Chester,	6 55	10 40	12 20	5 30	6 40
Morton's,	7 00	10 45	12 25	5 35	6 45
Arrive at Eddystone,	7 04	10 49	12 29	5 39	6 49

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PHILADELPHIA & BALTIMORE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

CHANGE OF HOURS.

On and after Friday, Nov. 22d, 1878, trains will run as follows;

Leave Philadelphia, from depot of P. W. & B. R. R., corner of Broad street and Washington avenue,

For Port Deposit, at 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.

For Oxford, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

For Chadd's Ford and Chester Creek Railroad, at 7 a. m., 2.30 and 4.30 p. m. Saturdays only, at 6.50 p. m.

Train leaving Philadelphia at 7 a. m. connects at Port Deposit with train for Baltimore. 7 a. m. and 4.30 p. m. connects at Oxford with Peach Bottom Railway. 4.30 p. m. connects at Chadd's Ford with Wilmington and Northern Railroad.

Trains for Philadelphia leave Port Deposit at 10 a. m. and 4.25 p. m., and these trains connect with train for Baltimore.

Oxford 6 and 11.07 a. m., 5.30 p. m. Fridays only, at 10.45 a. m.

Chadd's Ford, 7.18, a. m., 12.35 and 6.49 p. m. Fridays only at 1.06 p. m.

ON SUNDAYS.—Train leaves Philadelphia at 8.30 a. m. for Oxford and all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Oxford at 3.15 p. m., Chadd's Ford at 4.31 p. m., for Philadelphia and all intermediate stations.

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Chester passengers take P. W. & B. trains leaving Chester at 5.48, 7.55, 9.38 A. M., connect via Union Line street cars, direct to depot in Philadelphia, arriving in New York at 9.45 A. M., 12.15 and 2.05 P. M. Returning, leave New York for Chester at 1.30, 4.00 and 5.30 P. M.

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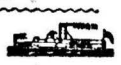
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MAIN LINE.

Fast Line, daily,.....11.45 A. M.
Pittsburg Express, except Sunday, 6.30 P. M
Cincinnati Express, daily,..... 9.10 P. M.
Pacific Express, daily,.....11.55 P. M.
Niagara Exp., daily, except Sunday 7.20 A. M.
Elmira and Watkins' Express, daily except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M
Erie Mail and Buffalo Express, daily except Saturday,.....11.55 P. M.
Renova and Kane Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
Lock Haven Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Hagerstown and Martinsburg Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
Chambersburg Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.
Mail Train { Daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M. / On Sunday—Harrisburg only,..... 8.00 A. M.
York and Hanover Express, daily, except Sunday,..... 7.20 A. M.
York and Littlestown Mail, daily, except Sunday,..... 8.00 A. M.
York, Hanover and Frederick Express, daily, except Sunday,.....11.45 A. M.

Trains arrive:—From Pittsburg, 3, 7.35 A. M., and 7.20 P. M., daily, 7 A. M. and 3.45 P. M., daily, except Monday. From Erie and Williamsport, 7 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 7.35 A. M., daily, except Monday. From Lock Haven, 3.45 P. M., daily, except Sunday. From Kane, Renove, Watkins', Elmira and Williamsport, 7.20 P. M., daily except Sunday.

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Sunday Trains, 12.01, 3.45, 3.55, 8, 8.30 A. M., 4, and 7.35 P. M.

For Boston, without change, 7 P. M. On Sunday, 7.35 P. M.

Trains arrive:—From New York, 10.10, 11.20, 11.30 A. M., (Limited Express 12.10), 2.15, 3.55, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, 9, 10, 10.40, 11.40 and 11.50 P. M.

On Sunday, 12.45, 4.38 and 11.15 A. M., 7.50, 8.40, 8.50, 10.40 and 11.40 P. M.

From Boston, 7.05 A. M., daily, except Monday, and 9.10 P. M., daily, except Sunday.

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Express for New York, 7.00 and 8.35 A. M.

Train arrives:—From New York, 7.42 P. M

BELVIDERE DIVISION.

Trains leave Depot, Thirty-second and Market streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.40 and 10.15 A. M., and 4.10 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, Flemington, &c., 10.40 P. M.

Trains leave Kensington Depot, Front and Berks streets, daily, except Sunday:

Express for Flemington, Phillipsburg, Easton, Delaware Water Gap, &c., 7.12 and 4.00 P. M.

Trains arrive, daily, except Sunday:—From Belvidere, Easton, Phillipsburg, &c., 4.55 and 9.50 P. M. From Scranton and Water Gap &c., 4.55 and 9.50 P. M.

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