LETTER FROM PITTSBURG.

Journalistic—The Connellsville Railroad Again—The Western Trade—Soldiers' Fair—Murdoch's Reading, Etc.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE EVENING TELEGRAPH.]

PITTSBURG, March 1.

In my last, I mentioned that the *Evening Journal* had breathed its last. It now appears that

"It was not dead, but sleeping."

After two days had elapsed, the paper again made its appearance on the street, and it bids fair to occupy a place among the journals of Pittsburg for some time to come.

My brief mention of the feeling here in regard to the defeat of the Connellsville Railroad bill has created some stir among our business men, and the TELEGRAPH was in demand, with none on hand at any price. I speak simply the truth, when I say that the whole of the matter is laid at the hands of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company. This corporation, wielding such a tremendous influence as it does, absolutely governs the internal improvement, and commerce of the State, and what it says shall not be, or whatever interferes with the monopoly which they hold in their hands, generally comes to nothing.

Men frequently wonder how it is that the city of Philadelphia, year after year, gradually but surely loses the trade of the Western merchants. The solution is, that goods can be bought and forwarded to almost any point West for less money than they can be transported over the Pennsylvania Railroad. They regulate the prices, and do about as they please, and so far as Philadelphia is concerned, there is no hope for it.

You now have the Eastern travellers passing around your beautiful city without deigning to say so much as "How do you do?" And it will not be long ere you will have Western men doing the same thing. The Allegheny Valley Railroad is being extended over the mountains at a grade of twenty-five feet to the mile, and as soon as this is accomplished, Western men, instead of visiting Philadelphia via the Pennsylvania road, will go direct by the new route to the city of New York. There is a determination on the part of the business men in this section of the country to break up the Pennsylvania Central monopoly, and they will let no opportunity pass wherein there is a mite of substance that will assist in the consummation of their object. This all comes of the efforts of the Central against the Connellsville extension, a measure that was eminently just, and of the utmost importance to the business interests of the great Northwest.

The great Fair to be held at the City Hall, commencing on the 18th instant, is fast becoming a matter of considerable interest among the people. Contributions are being handed in, and a magnificent new hose carriage has been purchased at a cost of $2000, which will be presented to the company having the highest number of votes cast in its favor. The concern is styled "The Allegheny County Monument Association." The officers are:—President, Major-General James S. Negley; Vice-President, General A. L. Pearson; Secretary, Horace Snowden, Esq., of the Associated Press; Treasurer, James Park, Esq., Jr.

The day on which the great boat races are to come off is not yet definitely known. The first takes place between the celebrated oarsmen Hamill and Brown; the second between Messrs. Chambers and Kelley. As both parties are well known to the "sporting" community as gentlemen of considerable endurance and ability, I suppose the race will be an exciting one. Of course THE TELEGRAPH will know all about it in due time.

I attended Murdoch's first lecture last night. His subject was "Shakespeare and the Bible." The house was crowded to its greatest capacity by wealth and beauty, and the gentleman was listened to with the greatest attention. He insisted that the "immortal bard" obtained most of his beautiful ideas from the Bible, and quoted numerous passages from it and the plays of Shakespeare to bear him out in his assertions. The idea, although not a new one, was novel in this section, and numerous Church people, including ministers, were present. Many of them never having been inside of the walls of a theatre, appeared astonished at the lecturer's delineations of the different characters of Shakespeare's creation, and the passion and tenderness which he alternately threw into the different parts of his discourse, were marked by a sort of electricity which ran through the audience, and awoke a feeling of sympathy for the character which it was almost impossible to resist. In every particular the lecture was a success, and the thanks of the community are certainly due the Mercantile Library for these refining and delightful entertainments. To-night Mr. Murdoch gives "An Evening with Sir Walter Scott;" to-morrow night is devoted to "Prose and Poetry."

Business continues dull, and so does the weather.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE "JAPS" AT THE ACADEMY.—Risley & Maguire's great Imperial Japanese Troupe will begin a brief engagement to-morrow (Tuesday) evening. The performances of this troupe have been very successful in San Francisco, and the feats performed are said to be original, singular, and startling. Everybody should secure seats to-day to avoid the rush to-morrow. Tickets and seats can be purchased at Risley's News Exchange in the Continental Hotel.

NEW CHESNUT STREET THEATRE.—This evening Miss Kate Reignolds, a very pleasing actress, commences an engagement, and she will produce a new play translated and arranged from the Italian expressly for her, called *The Queen of the Silver Ivy*. She will be supported by Mr. Frank Lawler, the new "leading man" of this establishment, and also by the entire company.

WALNUT STREET THEATRE.—*True to the Core* was produced on Saturday night to a very fine house, and it was observed with great attention. The piece is one of considerable merit, being carefully and pleasantly written; is full of bright and beautiful thoughts and fine situations, and has a very explicit plot. The only regret expressed was that the "prize drama" should have been produced without new and appropriate scenery. *True to the Core* is an historical picture of the failure of the Spanish Amada to conquer England. It is founded on very respectable probabilities, but not upon fact. The bluff bravery of "Lord Howard," of "Effingham," and the gracious toleration of "Queen Bess," are strikingly portrayed in the play, and the stubborn patriotism of an English coast and river pilot is truthfully and strikingly drawn. Mr. Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Walcot, Mr. Chapman, Mr. Ben. Young, Miss Graham, and Miss Leonie Arlington are all admirable in their *roles*, and with a little better acquaintance with the new piece, will make it entirely acceptable.

True to the Core will be repeated to-night. Mr. Davenport will also appear as "Sir Edward Mortimer" in the *Iron Chest*, a *role* that Edmund Kean has made immortal.

ARCH STREET THEATRE.—*Ours* has been very successful during the past week, and will be performed every evening this week. It is one of the most popular novelties that Mrs. John Drew has ever brought out. Mrs. Drew plays the arduous part of "Mary Netley," assisted by all the favorites of the company.

AMERICAN THEATRE.—Mad'lle La Rose, Mad'lle Louise, "The Drummer Girl of the Army of the Potomac," appear for the first time to-night, with the great Variety Troupe.

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WASHINGTON.

[SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE EVENING TELEGRAPH.]

WASHINGTON, March 4.

The Organization.

At 12:15 Mr. Wilson, of Iowa, moved to go into an election for Speaker.

Mr. Brooks objected, as sixteen States were unrepresented, and he said we were in the midst of a revolution, perhaps bloodless. Too little notice was given of this meeting. He would not call it a Rump Congress, but its acts would be the very "rump of rumps."

Mr. Dawes asked if President Pierce had not called Congress together at three days' notice.

Mr. Bromwell suggested that we had better organize, as the previous Congress had provided.

Mr. Brooks read a protest of the Democrats against the organization, and asked that it be put on the journal.

The Clerk declined to entertain any motion, or accept any paper before the organization.

Mr. Brooks then subsided.

Mr. F. Wood was anxious to get the floor, but failed.

Mr. Wilson replied to Mr. Brooks, and demanded the previous question.

Mr. Wilson then nominated Schuyler Colfax for Speaker. (General applause.) The Democrats nominated Mr. Marshall, of Illinois.

Mr. Brooks (N. Y.) protested against the exclusion of the Southern members from the House, declaring that they had the right to participate in the organization.

Mr. Colfax was then elected Speaker by a *viva voce* vote. The vote stood:—

Election of Speaker.

Schuyler Colfax 120
Samuel S. Marshall 39

The result was loudly cheered when announced.

The Latest Rumors.

It is now stated that the President has signed the Bankrupt bill and the Woollen Tariff bill, and will sign the Army Appropriation bill.

Bills Killed, and How.

Quite a number of Senate bills, amended by the House, have been killed which it was expected would have been passed. Ten minutes, open session would have sufficed for their adoption by the Senate, but the last half hour was consumed in executive session in a debate on the confirmation of General Bartlett, of New York, as Minister to Stockholm. When it was noon by Mr. Wade's watch he declared the Senate adjourned, ignoring the fact that the clock had been stopped, as is the custom.

Indian Affairs.

Information has been received at the Indian Bureau, positively contradicting the reported massacre at Fort Dodge.

New York Naval Officer.

No Naval Officer was nominated for New York.

Morrissey in the House.

At roll-call there was a sensation and laughter when Morrissey answered to his name.

Senate Confirmations.

The Senate has confirmed the following appointments:—Collector of Customs at Boston, Thomas Russell; Appraiser of Merchandise at Philadelphia, Chas. M. Hurley; Assessor of Internal Revenue of the Seventh District of Pennsylvania, J. Lee Englehart; and Robert A. Gilmore, Postmaster at Chicago.

Senate Rejections.

The Senate rejected Frank McLaughlin as Postmaster at Philadelphia, and William B. Hurley, Surveyor-General at Nevada.

Senate.

Continued from Third Edition.

When the hour of 12 o'clock arrived, the Senate was still in executive session. The doors were not opened until 12:15. The Thirty-ninth Congress had then been declared by the presiding officer adjourned *sine die*.

The Senate of the Fortieth Congress was called to order at 12:20 o'clock. Mr. Wade (Ohio), President *pro tem.*, in the chair.

After prayer by the Chaplain, the first business in order was declared to be the qualifying of new Senators. They were sworn in in the following order:—Simon Cameron, Henry W. Corbett, Roscoe Conkling, James Harlan, Garrett Davis, Charles D. Drake, Timothy O. Howe, Oliver P. Morton, Justin S. Morrill, James W. Nye, James W. Patterson, Samuel C. Pomeroy, John Sherman, and Lyman Trumbull.

The Clerk called the name of Thomas Swann, but he was not present to respond.

Mr. Trumbull (Ill.) said if all the Senators had been qualified he would present the credentials of the Senators elect from Nebraska.

John M. Thayer and T. W. Tipton then came forward and were sworn in as Senators from the State of Nebraska.

On motion of Mr. Trumbull, the Senate proceeded to classify the Senators from Nebraska. It was done by placing three slips of paper in a ballot-box, numbered 1, 2, and 3. The Senators drawing No. 1 to be classified with Senators going out March 4, 1869; No. 2, with those going out March 4, 1871, and No. 3 with those going out March 4, 1873.

Mr. Thayer drew class No. 2, and goes out in 1871. Mr. Tipton drew class No. 1, and goes out in 1869.

On motion it was ordered that the hour of the meeting of the Senate until otherwise ordered, shall be 12 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Trumbull, a Committee, consisting of Mr. Trumbull and Mr. Buckalew, was appointed to wait upon the President and inquire if he had any communication to make to the Senate.

Ordered, that the Secretary of the Senate inform the House that the Senate is ready to proceed with business; and then, on motion of Mr. Trumbull, the Senate at 2 o'clock adjourned.

House of Representatives.

Continued from Third Edition.

Mr. Colfax was elected Speaker, and was sworn into office by Mr. Dawes.

The Speaker then proceeded to administer the oath to members by States.

Mr. McPherson was elected Clerk.

The Speaker announced that the President had signed the bill in reference to wool and woollens; also, the Army Appropriation bill, with a protest. The message on that subject was read and laid on the table, and the House at 2 P. M. adjourned.

EUROPE THIS P.M.

Capture of Colonel O'Conner, the Fenian Chief.

Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc., Etc.

By the Atlantic Cable.

Movements of Steamships.

QUEENSTOWN, March 4—Noon.—The steamship Australasian, from New York February 20, arrived here to-day.

The Fenians—Capture of Col. O'Conner, the Chief.

LONDON, March 4—Noon.—A despatch has been received here from Dublin, which announces the capture of the famous Colonel O'Conner, the leader of the late Fenian revolt in Ireland. He was overhauled by the authorities at Athlone, West Meath county, nearly two hundred miles from the scene of the insurrection.

France—Tradesmen's Strikes.

PARIS, March 4.—Strikes for higher wages among the operatives of France are very frequent. The cause is traceable to the increased price of food.

The Cretans—Garibaldi Going to Help Them.

FLORENCE, March 4.—Garibaldi, having sent his sons to Crete, promises now to go himself and take an army to aid Crete.

The Army Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, March 4.—The President signed the Army Appropriation bill under protest, owing to an objectionable clause.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

SUPREME COURT—Chief-Justice Woodward, and Judges Thompson, Strong, and Agnew.—Kirk vs. Carr et al. Judgment affirmed. Opinion by Thompson, J.

Hughes vs. Hughes. Judgment affirmed. Opinion by Thompson, J.

Wistar vs. McManus et al. Decree reversed, demurrer overruled, and defendant ordered to answer interrogatories.

Bacon's appeal. Submitted.

Hartman and wife vs. Osborn et al. Error to District Court of Philadelphia. The opinion of the Court was delivered by Chief Justice Woodward.

Mrs. Hartman executed a bond and mortgage in her maiden name of Mary Ann Coleman, five days after her marriage to Hartman, and that these instruments were void is not to be questioned. The disability of a married woman to encumber her separate estate for the debt of another has been declared in many cases, and was repeated in respect of this very bond in Keene vs. Coleman, 3 Wr., 297.

But the question upon the record has respect to the judgment upon the mortgage rather than to the mortgage itself. The judgment was founded upon *nihils* returned to two *scire facias*es, an original and *alias* writ which issued against the mortgagor and true tenants. A *levari facias* was then issued upon the judgment, and the premises were sold, and conveyed by the Sheriff, not to the mortgagee, but to a purchaser who had no notice that the mortgagor was a married woman. Neither the judgment nor the proceedings under it have been questioned by a writ of error, a motion to open or set them aside, or in any other manner whatever, and the question upon the trial of this cause was whether they could be impeached collaterally; not only is it a general doctrine of law that the judgments of Courts having jurisdiction of the subject matter cannot be inquired into in a collateral proceeding except for fraud in the manner of obtaining the judgment writ, several points have been noted that are specially applicable to judgments upon scire facias sur mortgage. For example, in Nace vs. Hallenback, 7 S. & R., 340, the assignee of a mortgage having obtained judgment against the mortgagor and terre tenants in a suit by scire facias, and afterwards become the purchaser of the premises at the Sheriff's sale, brought ejectment against a terre tenant who offered on the trial to prove that the mortgage had been satisfied before the judgment, but his evidence was held to be inadmissible. In Blythe v. Richards, 10 S. & R. 261, which was ejectment by a mortgagee who had purchased at the Sheriff's sale, the defendent was not permitted to show that the scire facias had not been served, nor that the mortgage money for which judgment had been recovered by default had been paid.

In Cassey vs. Latimer 5 S. & R. 211, we have the point directly ruled, that the validity of a judgment founded upon two *nihils* to successive scire faciases sur mortgage cannot be impeached on a subsequent ejectment. The offer there was to show that the mortgagor was in possession of the premises when the scire faciases issued, and therefore was entitled to personal service; but, said this Court, if the judgment of the Court of Common Pleas was erroneous, it should have been reversed, on a writ of error, but remaining in full force that Court cannot now inquire into any errors which are alleged to exist. The act of 1705 which gives the *scire facias* does not fix the effect of two *nihils*, but in practice they are considered equivalent to a garnishment or a *return of scire feci* by the Sheriff; and in Warder vs. Tainter, 4 Watts, 270, a mortgagor, dead before the first *scire facias* issued, was held to be alive for the purposes of the judgment, and well secured after two *nihils* and judgment thereupon.

These cases are all striking illustrations of the conclusive effect of the proceedings upon mortgages under the act of 1705. The *scire facias* is no further a proceeding *in personam* than as it is directed against the mortgagor or others claiming under him, which entities them to the notice prescribed by the act of Assembly or its equivalent, which two *nihils* are, and for the rest it is a proceeding in rem to foreclose the equity of redemption, and to convert the pledge into money. And the effect of the proceeding says the act shall be that the purchaser "shall and may hold and enjoy the lands, with their appurtenances, for such estate or estates as they were sold, clearly discharged and freed from all equity and benefit of redemption, and all other incumbrances made or suffered by the mortgagors, or their heirs or assignees." The writ must issue against the mortgagor, or his heirs, executors, or administrators, and its effect when followed out to a sale, is to extinguish the equity of redemption, and to transfer to the purchaser as fully as it existed in the mortgagor at the date of the mortgage. And this transfer, be it observed, is made by the judgment and the sale thereon, and not by virtue of the mortgage. What avails the objection then, that the mortgage was null and void, or for any reason was inadequate as an instrument of transfer? The inadequacy of the mortgage might well have been argued by the suit by *scire facias*, but after that has been permitted to rise into an unquestioned judgment, the mortgage is merged into it, and is no longer open to attack.

These proceedings upon mortgages under the act of 1705 are to be distinguished from judgments on bond against married women, which was the case of Donahue vs. Scott, 3 Wharton, 309, and of Caldwell vs. Walters, 6 H., 79, and also from cases of which Knox vs. Flach, 10 H., 337, is a type.

These were proceedings purely *in personam*, where the disability appeared of record, and in Caldwell vs. Walters the purchaser had notice of the disability, but here the proceeding was principally *in rem*, and the record imputed no disability of the only person sued. Mary Ann Coleman was the mortgager, and the purchaser had no notice that she was a married woman when she made the mortgage. She was properly sued, because she was the mortgagor. The process was according to the act of Assembly, and the effect of two *nihils* was to subject her estate to Sheriff's sale. As to this record she is Mary Ann Coleman still—unmarried and *sui juris*, just as the dead mortgagor in Tainter vs. Warden was made alive for the purposes of their writ.

A writ of error to the judgment on the mortgage would have made the death in the one instance, and the marriage in the other, an unavailable defect, but without that the judgment stands as it was rendered.

The judgment is affirmed.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—Judge Cadwalader.—The United States vs. Distilling Machinery, in which John McCullen was claimant. Before reported. Verdict for claimant.

The United States vs. McNichols and McBride. The defendants are charged with keeping an illicit distillery, that is carrying on the business without having paid the required tax. On trial.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS—Allison, P. J.—Desertion cases were heard in the old court-room to-day.

City vs. Robert Green. Ordered to pay $5 per week for the support of his wife and child.

City vs. Thomas Conyers. Ordered to pay $5 per week for the support of his wife and two children.

City vs. Nathan Bramleer. Dismissed.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS—Judges Brewster and Pierce.—Motions for new trials were argued this morning.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Judge Ludlow.—As might have been expected, the new Court House was very much crowded this morning. Every seat was filled in those parts of the room that are intended for spectators and witnesses, and the bar, literally speaking, was jammed. Every member of the bar entered with a smile of satisfaction, showing plainly that he appreciated the change from the old Quarter Sessions to this large and commodious room.

Before proceeding with the business, Judge Ludlow requested every one to be silent, saying at the same time that an officer had been directed to enforce and preserve strict order throughout the room.

THE FIRST CASE OF AN ACQUITTAL.

James C. McElroy and Thomas McManus, were acquitted of a charge of the larceny of a ham belonging to Sellers & Co. The two boys when arraigned plead guilty. But they afterwards withdrew their plea, and the District Attorney, saying that the prosecutors had expressed a wish that the boys should not be prosecuted, submitted the bill without evidence. The boys were not seen to commit the theft, but were arrested on suspicion.

Mary McGinnis was charged with the larceny of belonging to Patrick McGinnis. The defendant, who was not formerly Mrs. McGinnis, kept a grocery store in Melvin street, and did a very pretty, neat little business. Mr. McGinnis, an old gentleman, was a good customer of the grocery store. He got his groceries from her, and would by weekly instalments give her money, until finally he had placed in her hands $162. But he was still in her debt. About this time the defendant married Mr. McGinnis' son; and the old gentleman, thinking the grocer had also married in the family, said that as it was all in the family, he should not be charged for his groceries, and therefore demanded his money back again. But the money was gone. The lady had considered that the money was paid for the goods she had let the old gentleman have; and, as her own, she had used as her business or pleasure required. But the prosecution said he did not owe the defendants, having paid for every item of goods as he received it. On trial.

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