

DR. PARKE'S FRIENDS ARE CONFIDENT

RESULT OF HIS COURT-MARTIAL WILL SOON BE KNOWN.

General Davis Has Reviewed the Findings—Chief Surgeon Girard Getting Ready for the Movement South—Vaccination of the Troops Will Begin Today—General Graham Anxious to Go Direct to Cuba. He Is Afraid of the Change from North to South and Then to Cuba.

Camp Meade, Middletown, Pa., Oct. 9.—General Davis has reviewed the findings of the general court-martial in the case of Major Charles R. Parke, of Scranton, who was tried for alleged refusal to receive descriptive lists of patients delivered to the Second division hospital when he was in charge, and will probably make them known tomorrow in general orders.

Parke's friends are confident he will be acquitted and restored to his position as surgeon of General Gobin's brigade. The major is on a thirty day leave and will not return to camp until after the findings of the court have been made public.

Chief Surgeon Girard is getting ready for the movement south of the Second corps. He will begin tomorrow vaccinating the troops to guard against an outbreak of small-pox. The colonel has arranged with the hospitals in Philadelphia and through the eastern end of the state to take care of the sick of the corps. As fast as the field hospitals fill up the invalids will be shipped away in a special hospital car provided by the Pennsylvania railroad.

The corps' reserve ambulance company is being recruited up to the latest army regulation and by the time the movement begins Colonel Girard expects to have a large staff of trained nurses.

Major General Graham has no definite information as to the movement of his command beyond the order of Quartermaster General Ludington to the chief quartermaster to commence the shipment of supplies to General Howard is arranging the details of the movement and expects to ship two regiments a day—one in the morning and the other in the afternoon.

The officers at corps headquarters believe it will be the middle of November before the corps will be ordered, and that the programs of the war department will not interfere with General Graham's plans to parade a provisional division at the Philadelphia Peace Jubilee.

Colonel Graham is opposed to taking his command south and has requested the war department to forward the corps as a unit to Cuba for duty as an army occupation.

He is afraid of an outbreak of sickness among his men if they are taken from the healthy climate in the north and dropped down in the south for a month and then shipped to the West Indies. The troops are in excellent condition and General Graham thinks if they are shipped direct across the water there will not be much sickness. Colonel Girard says the percentage of typhoid fever outside of the Two Hundred and Third New York regiment is very small.

The New Yorkers are still isolated in the Conewago hills and will not return to Camp Meade before the latter part of next week. The sick in the regiment that have not been sent to city hospitals are doing nicely and this morning over 500 reported for duty.

The Second West Virginia is scheduled to arrive tomorrow night from its march to Gettysburg to attend the dedication of a regimental monument. Colonel Casteel has asked permission to take his command to the peace jubilee. This is the only West Virginia regiment in the command and it is thought General Graham will make it a part of the provisional division.

CRUELTY IN AN INSANE ASYLUM

Cause of Dr. Wetmore's Resignation. A Shocking Tale of Depravity at Topeka.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 9.—A special from Topeka says: Dr. C. H. Wetmore has tendered his resignation as superintendent of the state insane asylum at Topeka to Governor Leedy and the state board of charities. Accompanying the resignation was a letter to the governor in which Dr. Wetmore gave his reasons for resigning. The letter tells an astounding story of alleged cruelties, inhumanity and debauchery at that institution under the present management. The doctor tells of the death of patients from neglect, speaks of alleged instances of "drunkards and incompetents" placed over the unfortunate inmates, charges that a "joint" exists at the asylum; accuses Chairman H. G. Jumper, of the state board of charities, of being on a continual debauch for the past fifteen months, and openly charges subordinate officials with attempting to ruin pure women.

These are only a few of the sensational charges made in the letter which is published in full. Dr. Wetmore declares he stands ready to prove every charge, and says he can prove even more. Dr. Wetmore is an appointee of the present Populist administration.

HALDEMAN CASE

Sensational Developments Expected from Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Oct. 9.—When the grand jury meets tomorrow sensational developments are expected in the case of W. J. Haldean, charged with killing his brother-in-law and business partner, ex-Senator J. G. Richardson, of Glendale. After they quarreled in their paper mill at Rockland, and the fatal shooting occurred, Sept. 22, Haldean remained in concealment. Richardson died a week later, and the day preceding his death Haldean left for Chicago. Learning that a warrant had been sworn out by Coroner Haer, charging murder in the first degree, Haldean returned last Tuesday night and early the next morning was bound over for manslaughter by his neighbor, the mayor of Rockland. He was admitted to bail and has not been seen since.

The officers of this city have never been able to serve their murder warrant, but the case will come before the grand jury for indictment for murder in the first degree and then it will be known whether Haldean has really disappeared. His attorneys promise that he will surrender if indicted. Owing to the prominence of both the

RICHARDSON and HALDEMAN families the case is attracting unusual attention.

KASAGI'S TRIP.

The New Japanese Cruiser in Good Working Order.

Philadelphia, Oct. 9.—The Japanese cruiser Kasagi returned to Cramp's ship yard today after a successful trip down the Delaware river and bay under the Japanese officers and crew who are to take the warship to England. The cruiser left Cramp's yesterday and the trip was for the purpose of giving her engineers and sailors an opportunity of handling her under steam. The cruiser maintained throughout the trip only ordinary cruising speed. The Mikado's subjects proved themselves very able and experienced in the working of the ship. The Kasagi is expected to sail for England in a few days.

ARMED CITIZENS GUARD A TOWN

An Indian Outbreak is Feared at Leech Lake—Friendly Indians Sign a Paper.

St. Paul, Oct. 9.—A special from Leech Lake, Minn., a small town north of Leech Lake, says: "A report reached here late this evening of the killing of a white man near Bear Island during the day. Settlers living near the Indian reservation are seeking shelter in towns along the railroad. A large band of Indians of about 150 were reported late this evening camped within two miles north of this town. Armed citizens are guarding the town, expecting an attack during the night or early morning. Indians professing to be friendly were at Graeland, one and a half miles west of here, this evening trying to purchase ammunition. Walker, Minn., Oct. 9.—There were 75 or 100 in the party, men, women and children. They went into camp about five miles from the agency and Mah-Gah-Bow called on General Bacon at once. He said that he had told the hostiles on the island that he could not go with them, that he and his friends were for peace with the white men, and that they were going to the agency. "All right," said the hostiles laconically, "tell them what we are doing," and they allowed Mah-Gah-Bow to depart in peace. He did say that so far as he knew none of the hostiles were killed in the fight, but they all say that. As to how many Indians were actually on the warpath, the agency Indians were disposed to hold the number down to something under 100, and many of them say that there are not more than twenty-five or thirty. Dr. Hart has prepared a paper which the Indians are being asked to sign as fast as they come into the agency. It is already signed by more than one hundred Indians, including a dozen or fifteen of the chiefs and head men from Flat Mouth down.

It reads as follows: "To the great father, Washington, We, the undersigned, the Chippewa-Pillager Indians of the Leech Lake reservation in Minnesota, deplore the outbreak of some of our brethren upon this reservation and believing you desire that justice shall be done in your dealings with us, we have, therefore, resolved in council assembled to remain loyal to the United States and friendly to our white brethren, and we agree to use our influence with our friends and relatives, the Bear Island Indians, to lay down their arms and quietly submit to the authorities of the United States."

NEGRO ODD FELLOWS.

National Convention in Session at St. Louis.

St. Louis, Oct. 9.—The negro Odd Fellows' national convention which has been in session here for several days, has defeated the proposition to move the national headquarters from Philadelphia to Washington, D. C., or New York city. National officers have been elected as follows: Grand master, Edward H. Morris, Chicago; deputy grand master, Andrew W. Lattimer, Boston; grand treasurer, J. E. Reed, Cleveland; grand secretary, Charles H. Brooks, Paducah, Ky.; directors, L. L. Lee, Atlanta, Ga.; George E. Temple, St. Louis; P. T. Thornton, Indianapolis; Thomas Jackson, Mobile, Ala.

Big Brewery Burned.

New York, Oct. 9.—Fire this morning in the brewery of Lembeck & Retz, Newark, destroyed the interior of the main building, six stories high, with the stock, \$100,000. The fire was caused by spontaneous combustion in the ammonia room.

Baseless Reports.

Cairo, Oct. 9.—The report that the treasure of the Khalifa, valued at \$10,000,000 (\$50,000,000) had been found and was being forwarded to Cairo, is without foundation. Equally baseless is the report that General Kitchener will resign the sirdarship.

Injuries to Belgenland.

Southampton, Oct. 9.—The steamer Belgenland, which sailed for New York yesterday and later was reported at anchor in Totland bay with the loss of a blade of her propeller, returned to port today. Three blades of her propeller are gone.

A Thoughtful Fiance.

Jack—"Suppose I teach you to play cards now, and then you'll know all about it after we're married." "Marie—"Won't that be lovely! What game will you teach me?" "Solitaire."—Life.

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TWO BOLD BURGLARIES.

W. J. Davis' Tailoring Establishment and Dogostina's Barber Shop Entered Some Time Saturday Night—The Way They Entered.

Two burglaries with peculiar incidents attached occurred Saturday night. W. J. Davis' tailoring establishment, in the Arcade, on Wyoming avenue, and Dogostina's barber shop, under Koons' hotel, 103 Lackawanna avenue, were the scenes of the depredations.

The thief at the tailor shop gained entrance by climbing through a transom over a side door connecting with the corner of the Lyceum. He opened the side door, which is always left unlocked, smashed the money drawer and pocketed the few dollars in small change that had been left there.

A suit of clothes which had been selected by the burglar from among two dozen that were hanging in a row was found on a table partly wrapped up. It is supposed he was frightened off before he could finish making up the bundle. Mr. Davis did not know for certain yesterday whether or not any cloth had been taken.

The barber shop thief got away with eight razors and two clippers. They belonged to one of the two barbers, Romeo Grataglia. The other barber, Tony Mastantunawanna, a recent importation from New York, had thirteen razors at the shop, but for some reason or other took them home with him Saturday night.

The entrance to the shop was evidently made by some one familiar with the premises. A window, reached through the coal bin, had a pane of glass missing. By inserting the arm through this opening the catch could be readily removed. A letter from the window and coal bin door behind him.

A suggestive feature of the case is that the one broken razor in Grataglia's lot was the handle. The razor was defective except on a close examination.

AN EX-MAYOR OF NEW YORK.

His Death Leaves a Former Scranton Woman a Widow.

Ex-Mayor A. Oakley Hall, of New York city, whose death occurred Friday night of heart failure at his residence on West Sixty-eighth street in that city, reminds many residents of Scranton, particularly those on the West Side, that he married Mrs. John G. Noakes, widow of John G. Noakes, of this city.

Several years ago she left here and took up her residence in New York. Soon afterward the announcement of her marriage to Mr. Hall was announced. The Noakes family in Scranton is a valuable one, consisting of the property at the easterly intersection of Spruce street and Franklin avenue, and several properties on the West Side and in other parts of the city. To the older generation the name of Noakes's hall is familiar.

Two children came of her first union, Mrs. Alexander, of Wilkes-Barre, and J. Gordon Noakes, a young man now living with her in New York. Before her marriage to Mr. Noakes she was a Methodist, but her family was prominent in the early history of the West Side.

Ex-Mayor Hall was very wealthy and of striking characteristics. A year ago he and she became Roman Catholics. One of the terms of his will is that his estate in Scranton is to return to live in Scranton. He was mayor of New York two terms, which was many years ago. At his death he was 72 years old.

MR. McDONALD'S POSITION.

Is Willing to Pave for North End Property Owners.

Contractor George McDonald returned yesterday from Troy, N. Y., where he has just completed a large street paving job, and he defined his position on the North Main avenue paving subject by saying that he is in a position to start work at short notice and thoroughly equipped to complete the Providence contract within a reasonable time. He is putting down paving on streets in Paterson and Newark, New Jersey, at present.

Concerning the North Main avenue contract, he said he is willing to do the work by private agreement with the property owners, provided a major part of it can be done in that way and a sufficient guarantee given to him that it will be paid for when completed. It makes no difference one way or the other whether he is employed by the city or the property owners; all he wants to be sure about is his money when it is due.

He proposes to do the work according to the same specifications as are incorporated in his contract with the city if he does it by private contract.

PARADE AT WILKES-BARRE.

Father Mathew Societies Will Have a Demonstration There.

The societies of the Catholic Total Abstinence union of the diocese of Scranton will parade at Wilkes-Barre in honor of the birth of Rev. Theobald Mathew. The parade will be divided into four divisions and will move at 10:45 o'clock a. m. Afterwards there will be a picnic in the grove at East End and in the evening there will be a ball in the armory by the St. Aloysius society.

The grand marshal of the parade will be M. J. McLaughlin, of Wilkes-Barre, and his aids will be: Chief of staff, H. C. Gallagher, Wilkes-Barre; T. M. Dillard, David Hackett, John Mulhern, A. Dougherty and James Lally, Wilkes-Barre; Frank McLean, James Regan, John O'Malley, James J. May, Peter J. Mahon, Jr., M. J. McHugh and James J. Mahon, Scranton; Michael Melvin, Plymouth; James Logue, Grand Turnout; John Kenney and Patrick Conahan, Harwood; M. F. Sheridan, Hyde Park; John Smith, Warrior Run; Henry Sweeney, Hazleton; John J. McManaman, Freeland; Michael Gaughan, Archbald; John Meehan, Jersey.

QUARTER SESSIONS COURT.

Two Murder Cases Are Set Down for Trial.

A two weeks term of criminal court begins this morning. There are 385 cases on the list, among them the Keller and Kenny murder cases, the first of which is to be called today and the second on next Monday.

Judges Gunster, Archbald and McClure will preside during the first week, and Judges Archbald, Love and McClure the second week.

JERMYN AND MAYFIELD.

A. M. Place and David Mendelson have a case of nice York state potatoes on the Delaware and Hudson switch at Mayfield.

It is reported that Editor Thomas Boundy, E. C. Wheeler and Frank Belcher are on their way home from Klondike. Mr. Belcher has been in that country for several years and it is said that he is now worth over \$100,000. The other men left with a party from here last spring.

Frank and Mrs. Benjamin Layman and family have moved into one of J. D. Stocker's houses on Bacon street. Mrs. W. C. Nicholson represented the Women's Home Mission society at the place at the convention held last week in Hawley.

Mrs. Theodore Townsend is visiting friends in Elk Lake. The officers of Rushbrook lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, installed by District Deputy Wyland were Joseph E. Roberts, noble grand; Thomas Solomon, vice grand; E. B. Nicholson, financial secretary; John Mason, treasurer. Two candidates were initiated. After the regular business had been transacted refreshments were served. There were visitors present from all parts of the county and a pleasant social time was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. James H. A. Willman, Thomas Bray, John Mellow, C. D. Winter, W. S. Baker, C. C. Baker, H. D. Swick, Burton Parkes, S. D. Davis, of the Magazine club, and Miss Maudie Rymer spent last Friday at Lake Chapman.

Frank Stocker returned Friday night from New York, where he had been purchasing goods for J. D. Stocker & Son. The borough council held their regular monthly meeting last Friday night. A committee from Artesian Hose company was present and asked the council to purchase a hose at the upper end of a street, East Side, because there were eighteen buildings which they could not reach with their hose from any other body of water.

The matter of a chief of the fire department was acted upon and they wanted the council to appoint a chief. The water company, and they had agreed to make the price of hydrants \$5 per each. A letter from the water company was read to that effect. The hydrant at the corner of Third and Bacon street was to be taken out because it is too good. The other hydrants will be retained. The Traction company was severely scored for not having planked their road as their franchise provides, and a motion was passed giving them five days in which to begin the work of planking their road. Dr. Davis was present in behalf of the board of health to report on some parties using the little stream that runs through the cellar of David Phillips for a sewer. The board of health was instructed to act promptly on this matter and remove the cause of the nuisance.

The fire alarm was ordered to be put in repair at once by the committee on the water works. The following bills were ordered paid: Chief McGinley, \$46; L. Hoffecker, \$24; Jermyn Light company, \$10; G. S. Dunn, 50 cents; H. A. Willman, \$16.91; P. E. Chitt, \$1; Martin McAndrew, \$2.18; John Solomon, \$15.15; Thomas Davis, \$1.50; Joseph Morone, \$15.25; James Edmunds, \$7.50; Lewis Pizer, \$5.25.

Mrs. Frank Welch and Miss Cora Davis were shopping in Scranton on Saturday.

Miss Eliza Osborne spent Sunday in Carbondale with her friend, Miss Mary Kilpatrick.

There will be special evangelistic services in the Methodist Episcopal church tonight and every night this week except Saturday.

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