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Thermometer Record.

The following shows the range of the thermometer, as observed at Scnnepf's drug store, Opera House corner, yesterday:

SATURDAY, 17.

1882			1883				
7 A. M.	12 M.	3 P. M.	7 P. M.	7 A. M.	12 M.	3 P. M.	7 P. M.
42	50	52	49	34	51	54	50

SUNDAY, 18.

7 A. M.	12 M.	3 P. M.	7 P. M.	7 A. M.	12 M.	3 P. M.	7 P. M.
45	50	56	58	50	68	70	65

INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 19.—1 A. M.—For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, partly cloudy weather, local rains, changing to snow, much colder northerly winds and rapidly rising barometer.

For the Lake Region, partly cloudy weather, preceded by occasional light snows, colder northerly winds, backing to westerly, higher pressure.

WHEN Howard wrote: "I find a pity hangs upon this breast," the fellow had evidently a cold and had not yet been informed that Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup was the only safe remedy.

THOSE needing Furniture, Carpets, &c., this spring will save money by calling at Zink & Morehead's during their closing out sale this month. Goods must be sold by April 1st.

CITY MATTERS.

Brief Notes on Current Events of Minor Interest.

YESTERDAY was palm Sunday.

IT did not rain a drop Saturday.

"THE Battle of the 31" is already all the rage.

THERE will be a big docket at Police Court this morning.

THE Top Mill nail factory will be enlarged by the addition of twenty-five machines the coming summer.

THE Riverside Furniture Factory of this city is shipping large lots of their furniture to South America and the West Indies.

THE Pittsburgh, Wheeling & Kentucky extension now has the track completed to a point south of the Baltimore & Ohio shops.

SPECIAL OFFICER LAUCHLIN ran a man named Wilkie in to the Central Station Saturday night for disorderly conduct at Charlie Shay's theatre.

THE two alarms of fire about seven o'clock Saturday evening, were occasioned by a burning chimney in the Fifth ward. No damage was done.

ST. PAUL'S Literary Society, of the Eighth ward, celebrated St. Patrick's Day with a musical and literary entertainment at its hall Saturday night.

THE first base ball game of the season took place Saturday, the contestants being the "Juveniles" and "Mechanics." The former made 22 runs and the latter 12.

A THREE year convict named Butler was received at the Moundsville prison from Pleasants county, Saturday morning. That institution now contains 206 inmates.

JOHN W. Hasenauer was appointed administrator of the estate of Margaret Mountain, decessed, Saturday, giving bond in the sum of $800, with Adam Hasenauer as surety.

THE case of John Harris against the city, to recover $300 for damages received at the corner of Twenty fourth and Woods streets, was heard on Saturday, by Justice Caldwell, who reserved his decision.

ABOUT one o'clock this morning the police raided the houses of Nellie Campbell and Jennie Lee, on Eoff street arresting at the former place two men and two women, and at the latter six persons, evenly divided as to sex.

YESTERDAY as the Salvation Army was holding services at the Capitol, a crowd of boys gathered on the opposite corner, and one of them was shoved through a large pane of glass in the confectionery store on Chapline street.

MR. WILL HANDLAN has sold his bay mare Lady Forrest, to Bud Beatty, of Steubenville. He also brought in his stallion Mambrino Eagle from the country. An offer of $1 500 for Mambrino Eagle was refused by Mr. Handlan a few days ago.

A FRAME dwelling house at Benwood, belonging to the Shepherd McM-chen estate, and occupied by Professor Crago, of the Sixth ward schools caught fire yesterday afternoon, and considerable damage was done to the roof before the fire was extinguished.

ALL the nail mills resume operations today, but may shut down again after running three weeks. The next meeting of the Western Nail Association will be looked forward to with considerable interest, as at it the decision will be made, whether the mills will again shut down.

BISHOP PETERKIN and Rev. R. Rush Swope conducted religious services in Westwood's Hall, Eighth ward, last evening. A large congregation was present. It is intended, if sufficient encourgement is given by the people of the South End, to organize an Episcopalian church there.

JAMES RIDER and Joseph Bachman, of the South Side, engaged in a prize fight Saturday for $10 a side, on the river bank at the mouth of Alley 18. After seven very unscientific rounds Rider knocked Bachman out of time. "Spec" Kearns acted as ref ree. All the parties left town after the fight.

SHORTLY before dusk yesterday afternoon a stranger, a large, fine looking gentleman, was driving along McColloch street, when he drove too near the edge, and horse and buggy with its occupant rolled over the embankment. Strange to say, beyond a few scratches and bruises, no damage was done.

HOWARD BROS., the patent solicitors of this city, have recently secured patents for the following persons: Robert B. McLain, improved gas scrubber and condenser. John M. Sweeney, improvement in steampipe connections. Edward H. Childs, of Bellaire, O., and Charles R. Powell, improvement in the manufacture of glassware.

MISS LIZZIE CALDENBAUGH, gave a very enjoyable party at her home on the South Side on Saturday evening, in honor of her brother Charles, who is visiting her from McKeesport, and who is one of McKeesport's young and prosperous merchants. There were twenty couples present, and all enjoyed themselves till a late hour.

THE Crescent Building Association, of Wheeling, has received a charter from the Secretary of State. It has paid in $75 on a stock subscription of $750 and has the privilege of increasing to $600,000 in all. The corporators, holding one share each, are Col. Thos. O'Brien, P. L. Kimberly, James McAdams, John J. Bayha and George G. Hannan.

YESTERDAY was a field day for the Salvation Army. It turned out early and worked late. The day was a favorable one for outdoor work and the Army made the most of it. There was hardly an hour that the singing of the crowds could not be heard in the central portion of the city. At night, the headquarters on Main street were so packed that an overflow meeting was held in Parker's Hall, South Side.

THE following conveyances were admitted to record at the clerk's office Saturday: A deed made the 10th day of March, 1883, by G. W. Steenrod and others to P. L. Kimberly, in consideration of $3,500, for 20 acres of coal near Mt. De Chantel. A deed made the 15th day of March, 1882, by R. Higgins and wife, of Benwood, Marshall county, to Geo. S. Pownall, in consideration of $1,500, for lot No. 112, in Richietown.

PERSONAL MENTION.

News and Gossip in Reference to Various People.

Mr. John R. Davenport spent yesterday with friends in Woodsfield.

Mr. A. A. Franzheim, returned Saturday evening from a business trip, East.

Mr. Alexander Warner, of Portsmouth, Ohio, is in the city on his way east.

Miss Blanche Murphy, of Parkersburg, who has been visiting friends in this city, left for her home on Saturday last.

Mr. Morris Wilson, of Cincinnati, spent yesterday in the city with friends. He is very popular with Wheeling society folks.

Mr. Charles Leach, a prominent business man of Tecumseh, Nebraska, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Marshall, at the St. James Hotel.

Mr. Martin Thornton received some shamrock from an uncle in Ireland Saturday. Its arrival was timely, and it looked as green as if just plucked.

U. S. Marshal Atkinson will deliver a lecture to the Young People's Working Association of the First Baptist church, at the church this evening.

Miss Lorena, the daughter of M. W. Smith, of the South Side, entertained her young friends, Miss Mattie Arrick, of Tiltonville, and Miss Loura Daub and Miss Reorey Eherwein, of the South Side, last week.

The Nicholas county *Chronicle* says: Hon. David McQueen arrived home from Wheeling Saturday last. Mr. McQueen looks like Wheeling bee—f agrees with him. He made us a faithful representative and was always at his post.

Mr. Charles R. Goetze, the East End druggist, and Mr. John Reed, leave to-day for Pittsburgh to attend the commencement of the College of Pharmacy. Mr. Reed is one of the graduates and took first honors of his class. His sister accompanies him.

Dr. George B. Morris, the dentist, writes the INTELLIGENCER from Morgantown that the report that he had had a severe paralytic stroke, was without foundation. He has been suffering severely from an attack of acute rheumatism, but is now convalescent.

Mr. Sam Barkeley, the catcher of the Standard base ball club last season, leaves to-day for Toledo, where he will play with the Toledo nine the coming season. Messrs. Joe Miller and Sam Moffat will follow late this week. Mr. Barkeley has sold his cigar store on Main street.

Hon. David Wagner is at his home in West Wheeling. He says that the Locke bill will probably not come up before Tuesday, March 27, and that there is no doubt that this bill will suffer a speedy defeat at the hands of the Legislature. He had the bill appropriating money to build a bridge over the B. & O. railroad at Bellaire passed in the House.

Reduction in Pianos.

Present stock of pianos, Steinway, Knabe Chickering, Hallet & Davis, Emerson, Hardman, Guild, &c., at the very lowest prices, and great reduction for cost. Call early and secure great bargains.

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1142 Main street.

MONASTICISM

FROM A CATHOLIC'S STANDPOINT.

Bishop Kain's Last Lenten Lecture at the Cathedral Yesterday—Some Ideas of a Church Institution on the Part of the Outside World Which He Says Are Wrong.

Another large audience gathered at the Cathedral yesterday to hear the last of Bishop Kain's course of Lenten lectures.

In introducing his third lecture on Monasticism, the Bishop stated that his purpose in this lecture was to correct certain false impressions entertained by some persons concerning monastic institutions and their inmates. Many of the popular objections, he considered, had been sufficiently answered in his two former lectures on the subject; those to which he would here confine his explanations might be summed up in the following questions:

First—Have not even such religious men and women as engage in active works, very much unemployed time on their hands? and does not therefore community life engender habits of indolence, malancholy, etc?

Second—But are there not religious—monks and nuns—who never leave their monastries at all, and who spend all their time in spiritual exercises? Are not these useless, selfish members of society?

Third—Even if Religious serve God most fervently and practice virtue most assiduously, and even promote the spiritual and temporal good of very many of their fellow-beings, by the works of charity to which they consecrate their lives, could not all these results be achieved quite as successfully, without their imprisoning themselves within the gloomy walls of a convent?

Fourth—Finally, do not the inmates of monastries and convents surrender their personal liberty, and thereby divest themselves of one of the noblest attributes of every reasonable being? Is not such a system opposed to the genius of American institutions, and to the spirit of christianity?

To the first query, the Bishop replied by giving an outline of the daily duties of Religious—showing how every moment of time is employed; how the clock work precision of community life provides for the duties of every hour; and how the fixed hours of rest and relaxation are profitably spent, so that recreation itself, while encouraging cheerfulness of spirit, does not encourage indolence.

In answer to the second question, the Bishop explained that the chief object of the contemplative orders was indeed prayer, vocal and mental, and he laid great stress on the efficacy of intercessory prayer, illustrating and supporting his argument by reference to Holy Writ. "Though the Israelites battled bravely under the valiant Joshua, in the plain," said the Bishop, "it was Moses, with hands uplifted in prayer on the mountain top, who gained the victory. Is this materialistic age, few practice, as they should, this great Christian duty of prayer. Should we not then rejoice to know that there are some few spots on earth, where holy souls emulate the burning fervor of the angel-hosts in their incessant homages of praise and supplication to the Divine Majesty? Better for the world, were there more such favored sanctuaries."

The Bishop then explained how through the rapacity of governments, many such holy retreats had been destroyed, or their inmates compelled to modify ther primitive rules and resort to the work of education or other means to support themselves. He alluded to the part nuns had taken and were taking in the glorious work of christain education, and declared that their influence for good in their office of christain education, was incomparably greater than it could possibly have been had they remained in the world.

To the third objection, the Bishop replied that the convent walls were not meant to imprison monks and nuns, but on the contrary to shut out the world and its spirit. He showed how absurd was the impression that a nun could not escape, if she wished; and then explained how necessary to the very life of the Monastic system was the exclusion of the outer world, and how impossible it would be to carry on the work whether of prayer or benevolence, accomplished by religious, without a thorough organization and the discipline of silence and retirement.

Finally, the question of robbing the inmates of convents of their liberty was discussed at considerable length, the Bishop entering into an explanation of the nature of freedom in a Christian sense, and showing that he only is free who is subject to law; he is the freest who obeys most perfectly the will of God. He applied these principles to religious, who hear God's voice at all times in the requirements of their rule and the legitimate commands of their superiors. Then, with a few words of commendation of the monastic or conventual life, the Bishop closed this interesting subject.

EVENING NEWSPAPERS.

A Subject which is Attracting Attention Just Now.

For several weeks past people, especially in journalistic and typographic circles, have heard much of contemplated afternoon daily newspapers. The penny evening edition of Mr. Colnar's *Deutsche Zeitung*, recently started, seems to be meeting with a fair share of success, and it is possibly this fact that has attracted attention to the field.

The project for the publication of an evening English paper with which Hon. G. W. Atkinson, Messrs. Andrew Halstead, Elwood Shallcross, John W. Armstrong and other gentlemen are connected, has already been referred to in these columns. The gentlemen interested expect to issue the initial number shortly after April 1.

A rumor has been in circulation for several weeks that the Taney Brothers intended, in connection with the State printing, to issue an evening paper, and that Mr. Bernard Peters, of the Brooklyn daily *Times*, would be associated with them. The Messrs. Taney laughed when asked about this rumor Saturday, saying that they had thought some time ago of starting a daily paper, but had never concluded to do so.

Supreme Court of Appeals.

The following decisions were announced in this Court Saturday

Jones vs. Lemon et al., from Preston county; appeal and supersedeas allowed; bond $200.

Thompson's administrator vs. Callett, from Greenbrier county; appeal allowed, no bond being required.

Forrest vs. Stephens, from Mason county; certiorari awarded to bring up omitted portions of the record.

Core vs. Faupel, from Doddridge county; writ of error and supersedeas allowed; bond $500.

State vs. Yates, from Taylor county; opinion by Judge Snyder; judgment of Circuit Court affirmed.

Ward vs. Ward et al., from Randolph county; opinion by Judge Snyder; decree of Circuit Court reversed and cause remanded.

Mitchel vs. Carder, from Jackson county. opinion by Judge Green; judgment of Circuit Court reversed and Judgment rendered in favor of defendant.

The Court adjourned until next Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

The Grant Co., Murderer Writes a Card.

Jailer Davis has received a postal card from William Douglass, the Grant county murderer and mail robber, who was taken from the jail here to Petersburg, by Sheriff A. C. Scherr several weeks ago. Douglass thanks the Jailer and his family for their numerous acts of kindness to him while confined here, and says he will always cherish a grateful feeling for them. He expresses a hope that he may see them again. The information is also conveyed by the card that Sheriff Scherr arrived home just in time as a prisoner confined in the Grant county jail, had nearly worked his way out in his absence, and had his arrival been delayed another day he would probably have found the bird flown.

—Two Fowl Stories.

Noble County Republican.

Joseph Caldwell, Jr., tells a chicken story, that shows what remarkable vitality the fowl possesses. Mr. Caldwell filled his barn with hay in July and accidently covered up a hen. In the following February, taking out the hay, the hen was found sitting in a nest on two eggs. The chicken weighed but a half pound, and died in a few minutes after being brought to light.

The old goose belonging to Joseph Calland, Sr., that we have noticed in years past, is still living. It is now seventy years of age, blind of an eye, lame in a limb, and the web of its feet worn into holes; but the old goose is still able to quack and hisses with as much vigor as did those geese that by their noise saved the city of Rome from capture when the Carthagenians encompassed its walls.

A lame old lady at Keyser,
Had no one to advise her,
'Till Doctor John Boyle,
Tried St. Jacobs Oil,
Its action did simply surprise her.

Ladies, Do Not Forget

That for pure sweet bread, rolls and hot cake use Phoenix Compressed Yeast. It is always ready and never fails. All first class grocers keep it.

FACTS ABOUT FURNITURE.

Growth of the Business and Improvement of the Public Taste.

AN INTELLIGENCER reporter met a furniture dealer Saturday, and after the usual introductory comments on the absence of rain or snow, propounded the novel conundrum, "How is business?"

"First rate," was the reply, "seldom better lately. This is our brisk season, you know, or the eve of our brisk season, rather. I mean to say it is about to become first rate. It has showed signs of picking up for a week or two past. People who expect to move put off buying new furniture till the first, and people who are not going to move wait till 'house cleaning.'"

"Is there as much demand for costly furniture as usual in the spring?"

"Yes; and more. The taste of people in our line improves every year. There is the greatest difference in the world in the furniture business. Our territory extends over all the little towns around, more or less, but we really sell less furniture direct to people who use it in Claysville and St. Clairsville and Moundsville and such towns as those than we did ten or fifteen years ago. Now every little town has its own furniture store, and while of course they do not keep as extensive a stock as dealers here, they sell nearly as fine furniture and as much of a variety. We sell one man as good furniture as we sell out of our own store.

"You wouldn't believe what a difference there is in the past ten years. Furniture which was considered elegant then is antiquated now. The fact is that there was scarcely any change in styles from the earliest period I can remember till within a dozen years or so. Within that time there has been such an impetus in original designs of furniture that even the most extensive stock in the city can scarcely contain more than a line of samples. Now look at that window," indicating a window elegantly fitted up to show, in the most attractive way, fine furniture and small ornamental articles for decorating and fitting up a parlor or drawing room. "Ten years ago that would have paralyzed the community. Now, I know several private houses in Wheeling that can discount it.

"The increasing demand for articles of a merely ornamental nature, such as those ebony brackets, shelves for bric-a-brac, small stands for card receivers or flower pots, parlor easels and all such attractive additions to the furniture of a household, show that we are in an era of culture which from a furniture dealer's standpoint is to be encouraged."

"Is the change as marked in regard to carpets?"

"More so. At the commencement of the rage for artistic furniture, and the reproduction of the Eastlake and Queen Anne patterns, the taste for fine and pretty coverings for the floors took a start, too. Prices have more to do with that than the furniture boom, though. It used to be a Brussels carpet cost a small fortune. Now it is as cheap as a really good three-ply so far as first cost is concerned. It wears out quicker, though, and looks shabby when a good all wool is as fresh looking as the day it was put down.

"The same state of affairs prevails in regard to paper hangings, and if you will look through the house furnishing hardware stores you will notice the same improvement. People now justly consider that their homes are not perfect unless they gratify the love of the beautiful as well as provide some place to sleep and eat. It's a change for the better, and it is affecting all classes of people more and more every day."

DRAMATIC DOINGS.

The Benefit to-night—Kate Claxton—"Hazel Kirke"—Notes.

Kate Claxton as *Louise* in "The Two Orphans" had a very large audience at the matinee Saturday, and a fair house in the evening, when she played *Gilberte* in "Frou Frou." She gave a very good rendition of the spoiled girl, showing the varying emotions so skilfully that one could not help wondering why she presists in inflicting "The Two Orphans" on a long suffering public. Her company is a strong one.

"HEARTS OF OAK."

James A. Herne's popular melodrama, "Hearts of Oak," will be presented at the Opera House this evening and to-morrow evening. The performance to-night is for the benefit of the widow of the late James Hamilton, of this city, who was connected with the company in a business capacity when he died. It is gratifying to note that although the reserved seats were first put on sale at Wilson & Baumer's music store, Saturday morning, nearly all the seats down stairs are already taken, and the gallery will be put on sale this morning. All the indications point to a success beyond the most ardent hopes of the committee which has the benefit in charge. The advance sale of seats for to-morrow night is also good.

"HAZEL KIRKE."

Reserved seats will be put on sale this morning at Wilson & Baumer's for the engagement of the Madison Square Theatre "Hazel Kirke" Company at the Opera House Wednesday and Thursday nights. The popularity of the play is well established here as elsewhere, and the auspices under which it is given guarantee a fine performance. Mr. Couldock's *Dunstan Kirke* is vouched for by competent critics as an almost faultless piece of character acting, and Miss Herron's impersonation of *Hazel* is also very fine. The piece has attained the extraordinary "age" of over two thousand consecutive performances, and public interest in the play does not show the least sign of abatement.

The "Hearts of Oak" company, including "that blessed baby," arrived in the city last evening, and registered at the St. James Hotel, excepting Mr. Herne and Miss Corcoran, who are at the McLure.

Miss Eleanor Morretti, the daughter of Miss Katherine Rogers, who won many friends while playing here with her mother, visited Wheeling for the third time this season as a member of Kate Claxton's company, and deepened the good impression previously made on Wheeling theatre-goers.

At Charlie Shay's theatre this week the prime Wheeling favorites, Gibbons and Davenport, are the stars of a fine company. Their names are sufficient to draw good houses. Nobody ever "caught on" here stronger than this team, and their visit has already been anticipated with pleasure several weeks by the habitues of the theatre.

COL. JOHN W. HOLLIDAY POST

Of the Grand Army of the Republic Organized.

Another meeting of soldiers in the late war was held at the Knights of Labor hall, Beck's Block, yesterday afternoon, to perfect the preliminary arrangements for the organization of a local Post of the Grand Army of the Republic. Thirty-four names were reported by the committee as signed to the muster roll, and a meeting was announced for next Saturday night to muster the Post, at the same hall. The mustering officer will be Gen. I. H. Duval, Senior Vice Commandant of the State. The members were informed that the local posts at Bellaire, Martin's Ferry and Bridgeport would pay the new post a fraternal visit on the evening set for the muster.

It was resolved to name the organization the Colonel John W. Holliday Post. Its number has not yet been assigned. The name is bestowed in accordance with a rule of the Grand Army which requires all posts to be named after deceased officers of the army, and is taken not only in honor of the brave man who bore it worthily, but also as a mark of appreciation of the great service rendered by his mother to the boys in blue.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ST. JAMES HOTEL.

E Crossp a w, Clarington	Mrs Wells a d, Clarington
Miss Sims, Clarington	Mrs Alexander, Woodsf'd
J P Duschart, Baltimore	J Bolan, Philadelphia
S F Cohen, New York	W Baer, New York
Rev Taxtell, Pittsburgh	J H Hoe, Philadelphia
J W Murdaugh, Morris'wn	J Ramsey, Pittsburgh
K K Giffin, city	E J Francis, B & O R R
T F Heskett, B & O R R	T H Samson, Cleveland
B B Baer, city	Harry Pelyon, Steu'ville
Harry S Hoffer, Steu'ville	Frank L Jones, Steu'ville
Levi Cassell, city	J Handlan, city
H H DeCamp, city	Miss Kessell, city
W Brieeland, city	M W Grubble, city
F B Gillega, city	T Doyle, city
E S Norton, city	D Bliss, Detroit
L J Miller, city	L M Smith, city
S F Argus, Toledo	W T Hood, Sistersville
K L Bassett, city	W T Rice, Columbus
T B Frye, Keyser	M F Prince, New York
R E Morris, Dayton	J P Pittman, Baltimore
J Jackson, St Louis	V Stanese, Philadelphia
S A Greathouse, Pitts	C C Sellers, Waynesburg
J Mathews, Wellsburg	C Muehlhomer, Pitts
J Stone, Mannington	T E W Pohl, Pittsburgh
J E Landaneg, Bello	W T Nicholls, Wellsburg
H W West, St Clairsville	E S Miller, Zanesville
Mrs McAdams, Mansfield	H Carter, Baltimore
A Hoover, Mansfield	J G Wyman, Allegheny
W Taylor, city	Mrs Hoover, Mansfield
	W Ward, Portland Station
	L Twachtman, Cincinnati

HEARTS OF OAK, OPERA HOUSE, MARCH 19 AND 20.

J V Farrar,	F Chippendale,
Mrs Sapbore,	Mrs Kilngler,
Chas A Stedman,	Robert A Trumeer,
B Raymond,	R Cowen.

HALE'S Honey of Horehound and Tar will arrest every ailment of the lungs, throat or chest. Pike's Toothache drops cure in one minute. For the skin—Glenn's Sulphur Soap. NW7&W.

THE HOME FIELD.

THE NEWS FROM NEAR NEIGHBORS.

Mysterious Death of a Prominent Belmont Countian—Washington Lead Works Burned—Narrow Escape of a Glass House—A Conductor Killed—Two Republican Primaries.

The Wellsburg coal shaft has attained a depth of eighty feet.

One of the Spaulding Iron Works' buildings at Brilliant is ready for the roof.

Wolves have been quite destructive on sheep in Pocahontas lately. One man had eleven killed in one night.

The citizens of Grafton elect a Mayor, members of Council and members of the Board of Education, to-day.

The Democrats of Mercer county have enthusiastically endorsed Col. James M. French, of that county, for the Congressional nomination in the Third District.

Messrs. Habermehl & Upman's flour mill, at Clarington, Ohio, was broken into on last Thursday night by some unknown parties, but nothing of any value was taken.

In Hinton, the good people are soon to give a theatrical performance for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church at that place, which has just been completed, but not furnished.

Persons who have never known the value of Pocahontas county lands, have recently had their intellects brightened on this subject, and titles to thousands of acres are coming in and being recorded.

The Chesapeake & Ohio railway company will issue about the 1st of April, a pamphlet giving a list of those persons located on or near the line of the Chesapeake & Ohio, who can accommodate summer boarders.

Judge Ferguson and Harry Camden, of Charleston, will open a law office in Parkersburg in a few weeks, so says report. It has been stated also, that the firm will be the regular attorneys for the Ohio River Railroad.

The Prohibitionists of Guernsey county have decided to hold a county convention at Cambridge on the 8th of July. Delegates were also appointed to the State Convention. They decided to put a full ticket in the field.

The Harrison county, Ohio, poor house is described by the Cadis editors, as a disgrace to civilization and humanity. From their description, it rivals the pens of Greene county, Pennsylvania, and Jefferson county, Ohio.

The cadet corps at the State University has decided to camp for several days at Mountain Lake Park, during July. Maj Lee, commandant, will have the boys in charge. They will have a healthy, invigorating recreation.

The West Alexander correspondent of the Washington *Reporter* says: "J. D. Whitham, ex-treasurer and manager of the Steubenville wool house, will have all of his property sold by his bondsmen, Pollock and Chambers, on the 29th instant, to satisfy deeds of trust. He has fine blooded stock, and there will be a big crowd in attendance."

An exchange, in reference to the Paul-Marquis murder trial, that has been in progress at Parkersburg, says: "A remarkable circumstance in connection with this trial and verdict, is the fact that it was known that the seducer (Marquis) had entered the families of three of the members of the jury and robbed their fair daughters of their virtue."

A few evenings since Mr. Levi Brady, a young man of Braxton county, went out hunting, and a few hours afterwards was found lying on the ground with a bullet hole through his head. It was supposed he had tried firing his gun, and falling, he placed the muzzle of the gun in his mouth, and putting his foot on the trigger was blowing in it when the charge exploded with the above result.

Mr. Joseph A. Close, of St. Clairsville, was in Cambridge Thursday, delivering a flock of sheep which he had sold to J. A. Johnson, of that place. There were eleven ewes in the flock, all thoroughbred Merino yearlings. Good judges estimate that they will average seventeen pounds of shearing wool each. Ten of them cost Mr. Johnson just a thousand dollars. Mr. Close has forty more of them at his farm near St. Clairsville, all registered.

Friday night the wood work of the floor of the furnace department of the Riverside Glass Works, at Wellsburg, was discovered to be on fire. An alarm was given and the fire soon put out by means of the Babcock fire extinguisher and the bucket brigade. The fire originated underneath one of the furnaces in which the "glory holes" are constructed. The damage to the property is but trifling. The furnace will be reconstructed and in a manner to prevent a like occurrence.

H. T. Talbot, a 16-year old son of Mr. H. G. Talbot, one of Morgantown's well known citizens, has left the University without money and without giving notice. Saturday his father traced him as far as Pittsburgh, where it was discovered that he had registered at two hotels. Nothing more could be learned of him. Detectives were sent out in all directions. The boy was injured some time ago by being struck on the head with a stone, and it is thought that mentally he is not all right.

The past ten days a band of very filthy, wretched vagabonds have been traveling through the interior of the State. The gang is composed of about a dozen men, women and children. The babies are bundled up in rags and carried on the backs of the women. They have several bony horses, five half starved bears and two monkeys. They begged for anything and everything. They claimed to be Turks, and spoke very poor English. Taken altogether, they were a sorrowful and forlorn set.

A prize-fight, not exactly according to rules, took place at Bridgeport Saturday, but was broken up after the second round by the appearance of the police. George McKarihan, a notorious "tough," from Bellaire, and John Sullivan, of Pittsburgh, were the participants. Both were arrested, though McKarihan showed fight, and was only captured by the aid of a revolver. Numerous other parties, present at the fight, were taken in for disorderly conduct, and altogether Saturday was as busy a day for the Bridgeport police as it seems to have been for the Bellaire officers.

Friday night last, a dance by the colored folks was in progress near the Enterprise Coal Works, two miles from Washington, Pa., when a drunken row took place. Dick McDonald and John Cuff, alias Bolden, both of Washington, were shot in the fracas, but neither of them was seriously injured. McDonald received a bullet in the front part of the body. The ball did not enter the intestines but glanced around into the back. Cuff was shot in the back, the bullet lodging against the shoulder blade. The shooting was done by John Bryant, who resides a short distance from the shaft.

About half past nine Saturday evening, at Little Washington, the White Lead Works were discovered to be on fire. The works being on the edge of the town the engines were late getting upon the ground and the fire gained complete headway the building being completely destroyed except the office. The President, Samuel P. Shriver, resides in Pittsburgh, but James Stokes, the Secretary, estimated the loss at from fifty to sixty thousand dollars. Insurance thirty thousand dollars. The loss is greater on account of a large amount of material for the market. All the heavy shipments were made during the past week, one amounting to forty-two thousand pounds. The company is limited and scattered, but the members say they will rebuild immediately.

Another of those fatal accidents for which Lore City, on the C. O., is becoming noted, occurred at that station Friday. P. H. Kinnilley, of Newark, was conductor of freight No. 3, an oyster train. The unfortunate man was riding in the caboose, with his head and a part of his body out of the window, looking at a hot box, and as the train passed at a high rate of speed he was caught by the mail frame and jerked out of the car window, alighting on his head. The train was stopped and Kinnilley was picked up. He was insensible and never spoke. When the train arrived at Cambridge he was dead. The remains were taken on to his home in Newark. Kinnilley is the conductor who was running the wild freight train when the collision occurred in Franklin tunnel, near Bellaire, about three weeks ago, in which his engineer, fireman and one brakeman were killed.

BELLAIRE.

William Price spent Sunday visiting relatives at Zanesville.

J. A. Greenfield, of East Liverpool, spent Sunday here with his mother.

The evening accommodation from Bridgeport and Martin's Ferry now brings down a mail pouch.

J. A. Crouse has bought the L. R. Lockwood property, near the South Bellaire M. E. Church. He paid $1,131.

The Young Men's Christian Association starts off with a membership of twenty-one. The following officers were elected Friday night. President, J. R. Anderson; Vice-President, Robert Ambler; Secretary, John Lomond; Assistant Secretary, Charles Brand; Treasurer, Will J. Morrison. All who sign the constitution before the next meeting will be members.

Three short-horn Durham bulls were brought here Saturday, for some of the farmers. A. W. King gets one of them.

An empty car jumped the track at the blast furnace Saturday, and snapped off a telegraph pole, bringing down the wires.

The work of laying steel rails instead of the iron rails on this end of the Cleveland & Pittsburgh railroad will be begun the first of this week, if the weather remains good.

Andrew Rederer has been made a policeman by commission of the Governor. He will especially look after order about the Cleveland & Pittsburgh premises, where he has the position of baggage master.

James Patterson was presented with a fine gold breast pin Friday evening, by his fellow workmen at the nail works. Ernest Bentfield made the remarks on the occasion, and Charles Janke replied for the recipient.

Thomas F. Winthrop, of Massachusetts, a special examiner for the Pension Department, was in town Saturday, and will be in this neighborhood some days. He has a district of several counties, Belmont being one of them.

The Sistersville *Independent* says: Miss Mollie Marsh, who has taught the intermediate department of our public school so efficaciously during the past winter, left for her home at Bellaire, Ohio, on Saturday. Miss Marsh leaves many friends in our town, especially among her scholars, who were very much attached to her.

The Black Prince Lodge, Knights of Pythias, has appointed a number of committees for its approaching festival and fair, and has things in a state of forwardness that insures success. Among those who have made donations are Christian Hess and the Sonneborns, suits of clothes; Jacob Grubb, a silver water pitcher; Charles Seabright, a water set of silver. The festival will be held March 26—31, at City Hall.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Benwood, came over Saturday, headed by the Benwood band, and, after joining the Bellaire society, paraded the principal streets. At the Globe House the procession drew up while the band serenaded Rev. G. W. Peppers, the orator of the evening. He responded with a few remarks that roused considerable enthusiasm. In the evening the day was celebrated by a large gathering at City Hall, where the Young Men's Catholic Union presented "Among the Breakers;" Father Cull made an address on St. Patrick, and some solos and choruses were given. At Zilch's another audience listened to Mr. Peppers.

Jack Conners, about 9 o'clock Saturday evening, created the wildest excitement on Guernsey street, below the Square, by attacking a number of ladies and gentlemen in quick succession. The loud screaming of the ladies attracted a large crowd, as many were on the streets. Mrs. Hopewell was the most severely used, as Conners shoved her against the fence, choking her and threatening to shoot her. She screamed "murder" several times. Several ladies were very seriously frightened and one man had his eye blacked in trying to stop Conners. The man would have been roughly handled had he been caught by the crowd; but he was followed by only a few, and was hurried to the lockup. This affair was over by the commencement. The police were kept in a continual alarm all night, by all sorts of disturbances, and report the worst night they ever experienced.

The Republican primaries were held Saturday evening. As usual in most of the wards very few attended. The following are the nominees and appointments: First ward—Councilman, V. T. Morgan; Assessor, Elias Lomond; Committeeman, Sol. Love; Delegates to city convention, S. H. Lee, J. F. Francis, E. McElhany, E. B. Lomond. Second ward—Councilman, C. L. Poorman; Assessor, (none named); Committeeman, A. T. Stewart; Delegates, A. Schick, J. B. Shannafelt, Mel. Blackburn, A. T. Stewart. Third ward—Councilman, Wm. J. McClain; Assessor, C. H. Lewis; Committeeman, S. C. Garrard; Delegates, W. J. McClain, W. H. Little, S. C. Garrard, J. E. Dobler. Fourth ward—Councilman, J. B. Barnhill; Assessor, J. J. Rowell; Committeeman, J. W. Sanders; Delegates, P. T. King, Herman Roemer, Wm. Gorby, J. B. Barnhill. Fifth ward—Councilman, George Harper; Assessor, Jas. Johnson; Committeeman, John Weir; Delegates, S. R. Wells, John Baker, Wm. Sharp, P. Criswell. The city convention, Saturday evening, is to nominate three members of the School Board, and one Water Works Trustee. These are both more important things than usual, owing to the questions that will come up in the next year. The delegates will number a majority of the best citizens. The method of making nominations generally secures better men as nominees of the convention than the ward nominations.

ST. CLAIRSVILLE.

The Teachers' examination was held here Saturday.

Rev. Joseph Tuoby, of Martin's Ferry, was in town Friday.

Mr. John Dubois, of Bellaire, paid St. Clairsville, a visit on Saturday.

Mr. Charles Baker is very low with consumption