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Lost—Pocketbook—Fourth page.
Grand Rally of the Colored Republicans—Fourth page.
Attention, Plumed Knights—Fourth page.

Thermometer Record.

The following shows the range of the thermometer as observed at Schnepf's drugstore, Opera House corner, yesterday: 7 A. M., 52°; 12 M., 81; 3 P. M., 83; 7 P. M., 75°.

INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 16.—1:30 A. M.—For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, generally fair weather, southerly winds, and nearly stationary temperature.

For the Lower Lakes, partly cloudy weather and rain, south to west winds, and stationary temperature.

To-day's Election.

The superintendents and canvassers of the voting to-day on the City Loan ordinance met at the City Building last night and were sworn in by Mayor Miller. The election will be subject to the same rules as to hours of opening and closing the polls and places of voting, as the regular municipal elections.

Wanted to Shuffle Off.

A man named Cunningham, a huckster, living on Zane street, Island, was found by two men yesterday afternoon hanging to a tree out in Ohio. He was cut down, resuscitated and brought home. He said he had hanged himself. Last night he was resting easily. He had been drinking, which probably led to the act.

HEADACHE is overcome by St. Jacobs Oil, the lightning pain-cure. Price fifty cents.

CHEAP tickets to the West. See Louis C. Neidhardt, 1304 Market street.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

Two marriage liceses were issued yesterday.

LETTER LIST:—S. McClellan, John F. Kelly.

WORK was commenced yesterday on the boring of the La Belle mill company's gas well.

THE Veterans' Blaine and Logan club will have an important meeting to-morrow evening.

THE York, Pa., Overland Telephone, Telegraph and Electric Light Company was yesterday chartered by the Secretary of State.

THE fourteenth open air concert of the series being given under the auspices of the city will be given at Capitol Square this evening.

A LITTLE child of Mr. Herman Babcock was run over at the corner of Twenty-fourte and Chapline streets yesterday and severely hurt.

A RECEPTION will be tendered this evening at Bonenberger's hall to the Misses Hill, of Wellsville, Ohio, who are visiting Miss Roth, on the South Side.

THE case of the State against Jacob Eidemiller, on an appeal on a peace warrant, was yesterday dismissed by Judge Jacobs, in Part 1 of the circuit court. It came from Squire Peterman's court.

A GRAND Republican rally will be held at Moundsville on Thursday evening, the 18th inst. General Goff and Hon. John W. Mason will speak. This will be General Goff's first speech in the campaign.

CLERK HOOK yesterday admitted to record a deed made July 22, by Joseph H. Woodward and wife to Nis Jensen Schmidt, in consideration of $14,000, for 37 acres and 28.7 poles of land on the north fork of Caldwell's run.

THE employes of Mr. David Gore, the street paving contractor, gathered about him on Sixteenth street yesterday and through Mr. J. S. Collins, presented him with a handsome Masonic charm. Mr. Gore in receiving it made a very clever response.

GENERAL GOFF will address the citizens of Wellsburg Saturday evening. The intention is to make the occasion a great one. Brooke county Republicans do not propose being idle this fall and promise to give good accounts of themselves at both elections.

MR. ANTHONY LALLY, of this city, who made a very successful debut as a political orator at Steubenville Friday night, is already pressed with invitations to speak at other points. He will address a meeting at Mingo Thursday evening and another at Toronto Friday evening.

THE veterans of Company A, Forty-third Ohio Veterans, residing in Bridgeport, O., propose inviting all the other members of that company and regiment to meet in reunion in that place early in October. A committe has been appointed, and the details will be ready for announcement in a few days.

As Mr. Al. Pollack and a friend were driving up Market street last night, a rocket fired off in front of the Jefferson Club so scared his horse that it turned suddenly around and a wheel catching in the street car track was completely wrecked. A disastrous runaway was only prevented by persons running out and catching the animal.

THE engineers of the Mount Vernon, Coshocton & Wheeling railroad are at the mouth of Piny Fork. The Wheeling & Lake Erie has surveyed their line from this point to Wheeling. The two lines will practically be the same, though independent roads. There is some talk of a shorter line via Mount Pleasant to Martin's Ferry.

THE colored citizens of Wheeling and vicinity will have a meeting at Capitol Square Wednesday evening, which will be addressed by Col. William Murrell, a prominent colored orator and journalist of Washington, D. C., ex-member of the Louisiana Legislature and Manager of the Colored Associated Press of this country. Capt. Ham Davis and his nobby campaign club will turn out on this occasion.

A MEETING of the "Black Eagle" Club of the Fourth ward of special importance will be held to-night. Changing of the meeting nights and the selection of evenings on which to drill will be made. All members are earnestly requested to be present, also any others desiring to join the club. They expect their uniforms to arrive to-day or Wednesday and will march to Bridgeport to hear Gen. Gibson on Friday evening.

THE Academy of Music was well filled last night to witness the comedy of "Peck's Bad Boy," and a better pleased audience has seldom been seen. Phil. S. Griener as *Peck's Bad Boy* kept every body screaming with laughter. The play is full of fun from beginning to end. Some of the scenes are extremely comical, and the piece is a sure cure for the blues. The company is first-class in every respect and may count on crowded houses the rest of the week.

SOME years ago Brooke county gained considerable notoriety from prize fights, dog fights and cocking mains in the vicinity of Collier's Station, so much so that the county authorities were accused of neglect of duty in not punishing the participants, and a statute making prize fighting a felony passed the Legislature. The frequent occurrence of prize fights in the vicinity of Wheeling, as noticed in the daily papers of that city, leads to the reflection that the seat of government, with ample means at hand, is more culpable than Brooke county ever was in this respect.—*Wellsburg Local.*

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

Miss Virginia Gibson left last evening to attend school in Philadelphia.

Geo. H. Parks, Esq., of Chicago, a former well known citizen of this place, arrived in the city last evening.

Miss Pierrie Pierpont, daughter of Governor Pierpont, of Fairmont, is visiting friends in this city.

Hon. D. H. Leonord was in the city yesterday, accompanied by his daughter, who entered Mt. de Chantal as a pupil.

Miss Emma Stamm left last evening for Poughkeepsie, to visit her brother George, who is attending Eastman's Business College.

Rev. H. King Pendleton and wife, of Indiana, are visiting friends and relatives in Brooke county. Both are very popular in this city.

Miss Georgie Neale, of Parkersburg, who for the past week has been the guest of Miss Emma Stamm, returned home last evening.

Mr. Sam Miskelly, of New Cumberland, and his friend Mr. F. Cunningham, of Toronto, O., were in the city during fair week, the guests of Mr. Hugh Crockard, Sr., of Morrow street.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Hon. John A. Campbell and Miss Lou Connell, to take place in the Christian church, at New Cumberland, on the 17th inst.—*Hancock Courier.*

Mr. Daniel L. Heiskell, of this city, who for the past year has made Charleston his headquarters, where he has a responsible position, has been seriously ill and is now at his home on Chapline street recuperating. He is still unwell.

Mr. Charles B. Ott returned yesterday from a two months trip through the far West. A large portion of the time was spent in Montana with his friend, Mr. Ed. Tingle. He also visited Pike's Peak, Salt Lake City and numerous other points of interest.

The Brain and the Bottle.

Nobody can stand protracted indulgence in strong drink. The topers who seek continued stimulus in what they call their "bitters," have muddled brains, bloodshot eyes, unsteady gait, and ruined digestion. Just remember that the stuff they call "bitters," is not Brown's Iron Bitters. No toper wants it. It contains nothing that suits him for stimulus. It is a pure tonic, and the best preparation of iron in existence. Cures indigestion, malaria, kidney and liver diseases.

A VERY GOOD MEETING

AND TWO VERY POOR SPEECHES

At Capitol Square Last Night—E. W. Wilson Fulfils the Predictions of the Intelligencer and does the Republican Cause Good—Judge Brannon on Hand.

Not less than five thousand people listened to E. W. Wilson's tirade at Capitol Square last night. Clubs were present from nearly every ward in the city. Shortly before 8 o'clock, Dr. Thomas Lunsford, *Dr. J. R. L. Hardesty, Mr. Robert Simpson,* Elwood W. Shallcross, John S. Naylor, Colonel Robert White, Hon. C. W. Seabright, D. H. Leonard, Lewis Baker, Jacob Sweitzer and other influential and prominent Democrats appeared on the stand. Mr. Wilson came upon the platform upon the arm of Mr. Naylor. He *carried with him an overcoat, the Code of* West Virginia, and one or two other articles which he did not use during the evening.

Mr. Naylor called the meeting to order, and called upon Mr. Simpson to preside. Mr. Simpson without any prefatory remarks launched Mr. Wilson upon the "senof up-turned faces."

THE IMPORTANT INTELLIGENCER.

He began by saying: "I wonder whether the Wheeling INTELLIGENCER will report that there was anybody here to-night? There are almost enough here to give us fifteen thousand or eighteen thousand and some to spare. The editors of the Republican papers in this State, if we can judge from their papers, appear to think that my special mission should be to make Republican speeches. The Republicans have throughout misrepresented the State officers and myself. I will now read from the Wheeling INTELLIGENCER of this morning:

"'There was a conspicuous absence of those Democrats worth "over ten thousand dollars" from the little levee for a cent held by Windy Wilson in the McLure House lobby last night. They probably recollect his famous utterance at Grafton. "The day is not far distant when organized labor will take up arms against aggregated wealth. I do not mean fortunes of ten thousand dollars, for I might come under the head myself." Wilson comes high but he can't be dispensed with.'

Now, fellow citizens, I denounce the man who wrote that and the editor who gave it *space as absolute falsifiers.* I never made that or any such statement. I never said any such thing." Here that labor-soiled citizen Jeff Davis yelled: "We know you didn't," while the contingent which was heading for the nearest refreshment stand cried "so do we." "Yes, they are doing all they can to injure me with the laboring men of this State, and at the same time to injure me in the eyes of capitalists and men in easy circumstances. I deny that they have the right to misrepresent me and then deny to me the right to call them misrepresenters and liars. When Mr. Hart said a few days ago something like this, "The law firm of St. Clair & Wilson works a very fine game down in the Kanawha Valley. St. Clair looks after the interests of the coal operators and Willis Wilson steps in at the right time to get the miners out of trouble. St. Clair throws the men in the water and Wilson pulls them out," he knew that he was writing an abominable falsehood.

Mr. Wilson then proceeded to give a five minutes' verbal advertisement of the somewhat famous firm of St. Clair & Wilson, explaining where they "divied" and where they didn't. The meat of the explanation was that no man who came into their office ever went out without hiring one of them, no difference if the other one should be on the other side, and further that he (Wilson, not St. Clair) had never prosecuted any one in the name of the State even when the chrome had sometimes been several thousand dollars.

THE SINGLE CLOG ACT.

"So much for one of their statements," chuckled the speaker, "and when I come to the tariff I will make them dance Jim Crow." Again Colonel Davis went into convulsions, which only a reproving glance from Colonel Sweitzer prevented from becoming fatal,

Mr. Wilson than at great length attempted to show that under Democratic rule the expenses of running the State had been thirty-three percent cheaper than under Republican administration. The levy had been kept down, he claimed, in the face of the fact that $822,291 84 had been expended in the erection of public buildings of all kinds in all sections of the State. Criminal charges had been increased in the last ten years, but they can be explained by the great increase in the population of the State.

Mr. Wilson next turned his attention to Mr. John Ronan, of Charleston: "This Ronan says he is an Irishman. Several years ago Mr. Warren was nominated against him for City Sergeant of Charleston. Ronan did everything to beat him and did succeed in defeating him. To-day he is engaged in trying to to defeat Mr. Delaney, candidate for Sheriff. Delaney is an Irishman and a true Democrat. This is Ronan. He was a strong adherent of mine for some time. He asked me to appoint him janitor of the Capitol in the event of my election. I told him I was not making any pledges. He then went to work to beat me. I beat him at every point. He came to the State Convention held in this city to beat me, but with the assistance of the Ohio county delegates I was nominated, and as long as I live I will feel grateful to them. You men of Ohio county nominated me. Ronan turned up at Parkersburg at the Republican State Convention, and told numerous falsehoods about me. These lies have all been refuted. Ronan was in this city for several days, and while here showed a roll as thick as a man's arm. He is now traveling around the State poisoning the people with Republican money."

The Irreducible school fund in the hands of both parties came in for its dissection. The difference between the regular and Irreducible funds was explained in a manner that only served to involve the complications involving each of them to a greater extent.

Mr. Wilson then turned his attention to the discussion of the tariff. As usual in introducing his topics he took his inspiration from the INTELLIGENCER. He said: "Mr. Hart has quite an article in his paper this morning on *my tariff record.* I will show you his bald-faced attempt to deceive the people of this city. I will refute him out of his own paper. I have here the platform of the Republican party, cut from the *Register* of June 6th, and also that of the INTELLIGENCER of the same date.

AN INTERESTING EPISODE.

"Hart says I descend to tricks that should disbar me. I say that he has made such misstatements in his paper as should cause him to be kicked out of this community."

Referring to the editorial on the second page of the INTELLIGENCER yesterday morning, he said: "Hart either wilfully falsified the matter or he didn't know what he was talking about when he wrote it. Is Mr. Hart in the audience?"

Mr. Hart—"*Yes, sir; I am here.*"

Mr. Wilson—"Come to the platform."

Hundreds of voices—"Yes, go to the platform, Mr. Hart."

Mr. Hart made his way to the platform, and Wilson continued: "I say this article is untrue, and your paper falsified it when it went in there."

Mr. Hart; "You put me upon my defense, and yet refuse to allow me to make a defense. You invited me to the platform to make a statement. I am here to make it. It will not consume much of your time." Here Chairman Simpson suggested to Mr. Hart that this was a Democratic meeting and evinced considerable nervous anxiety in the premises.

"Yes," replied Mr. Hart. "I am aware of that and I cannot force you to allow me to accept in full the invitation that Mr. Wilson has extended to me publicly. He ought to have thought of this being a meeting for Democratic speakers exclusively before he challenged me to take the stand.

"Oh, you want to make a speech," said Mr. Simpson, "and we are not going to allow that."

"No," said Mr. Hart, "I simply am ready to accept Mr. Wilson's invitation, and it is very plain that you are not going to allow that." During this colloquy there was a great commotion in the crowd, in which were hundreds of Republicans of rank and influence, who at once took an interest in the matter. Democrats too, fair minded and honest ones, disgusted at the treatment of Mr. Hart at the hands of Mr. Wilson, after having asked Mr. Hart to the stand, said, "Hart! Hart! Give him a chance!" The sensation at this moment in the crowd was very marked. The vast concourse of people began to wedge in toward the little stand. Everybody was on his feet and all eyes were riveted on the three central figures on it. Mr. Hart waved his hand in a deprecating way toward the crowd and silence was thus obtained. Seeing that no opportunity would be given him to say anything Mr. Hart left the stand. Wilson began again: "This man has abused me ever since this campaign began. He should either put up or shut up. I will make him do it and don't you forgit it."

HIS OLD TRICKS.

Mr. Wilson then took up the Republican National platform and reviewed it in a partisan and unfair manner, quoting parts of planks and distorting to meet his ideas. He said, "They have a tariff which makes the rich richer, and keeps the poor man down to his dollar or so a day. The result is in Wheeling you are suffering. In the last two years and a half or three years business has been becoming duller and duller until here and all over the country we are on the verge of another financial wreck, and all the result of the beauties of this protective system. The Republican tariff system has made more millionaires in ten or twenty years than the Democrats could have made in five centuries. It has made men rich in the twinkling of an eye. How? Why, by creating monopolies.

Never until the Republican *regime* was there any favor shown to labor imported from the shores of Europe. The Republican party is in favor of a high tariff, *while it keeps down wages.*

Mr. Wilson in an illogical and incoherent manner thoroughly colored by rant and "fusilade" went on to give his ideas of protection. He then passed on to the Flick amendment and to the discussion of other matters.

DOESN'T LIKE TO BE CALLED NAMES.

He complained that the INTELLIGENCER and other bad Republicans called him a proscriptionist. With his glorious record as a friend of the ex-confederates, "this man Hart, knowing well the truth about my record in this matter, tries to make you believe that I was an enemy of the enfranchisement of the people. Furthermore, they have called me a demagogue and a communist, and I have a right to call them, and I do call them all here publicly, and I include this man Hart and every Republican manager and every fellow who says it—I call them all d-i-a-bolical l-i-a-r-s." These words were strung out and spat forth piece at a time. He said he was orthodox; he believed in the doctrine, "if a man smite thee on one cheek turn to him the other also," but he was not good enough to practice it, and he did not propose to submit to this kind of treatment and not strike back.

He explained that the reason he was called a demagogue and a communist was that he introduced and had passed a law forbidding the issuing of orders on company stores in part payment of miners' wages. He had also proposed a bill compelling mine owners to ventilate their mines. True, it was not passed, but had he had the co-operation of the Republican members it would have been. Afterwards a similar bill was introduced by a Democrat, passed by a Democratic Legislature and signed by a Democratic Governor. [Applause.] He had opposed the bill erecting the City Board of Public Works here, because he regarded it as undemocratic to deprive the people of the right to elect their city officers.

THE NATIONAL STANDARD BEARER.

"Because of these things," he continued, "they ask you to defeat me and elect a proscriptive radical; they call me a demagogue and a communist. Why, my friends, don't you see that when they condemn me they condemn all these measures which I supported?"

The speaker referred to Tilden, and looked about over the rapidly diminishing audience for enthusiasm, but there was a painful silence. Then he mentioned Cleveland, calling him an athlete for physical proportions, and there was a little applause. He said he made a good Sheriff, just as Hanlan is going to, and there was considerable applause. As Sheriff he performed his duties well, and the people of that Sodom, that Gomorrah of Republicanism, the city of Buffalo, said to him, "Come up higher!" From that *position he was again called by the people* of the great Empire State, who said: "Thou hast been faithful over few things, we will make thee ruler over many things." He was made Governor; and now again the fraud ridden country cries out, "Help us, Cassius, or we sink!" West Virginia would go Democratic by from fifteen to twenty thousand dollars. [Laughter.]

"We will strike 'em on the diaphragm,
And they'll curl up on the floor,
And the subsequent proceedings
Will interest them no more."

From this he passed into a biblical figure, likening the Democracy to the children of Israel in the Wilderness, but declaring they stood on Jordan's strand.

After he sat down the band played, and Mr. Simpson presented Judge John Brannon, Democratic candidate for Congress.

JUDGE BRANNON'S SPEECH.

Owing to the lateness of the hour, Judge Brannon spoke but briefly. He alluded early in his remarks to the "fool of '76," and used his favorite figure of the devil reproving sin, applying it to the Republican platform as usual.

Unfortunately for himself several hundred men remained in the audience when *the speaker reached the subject of the* tariff. In the course of his remarks he frankly admitted his ignorance of the practical workings of the tariff, but said he would come to the men interested in the subject for information if elected. The tariff might be one of the most important subjects brought before the Congress of which he would be a member if elected. He asked why the Republicans made so prominent an issue of it. Had they not had control of the subject for twenty-one years? If it was not correctly adjusted, whose fault was it? What do you mean by protection? Do you mean four months' work and eight months' idleness? He charged that the Republican policy of protection was responsible for so many iron furnaces being out of blast; it had paralyzed the brawny arm of the workingman and shut the doors of the shop against him. Who brought this about? The speaker did not. The Democratic party did not.

Another effect of this Republican system of protection is piling up mountains of the fruits of toil in the treasury. There is now a surplus of $172,000,000 there. Can you not see that all taxation should be adjusted to the needs of the Government economically administered? To go beyond that is confiscation, and this is just what the Republicans have been doing. This system has reduced you to penury and your children to want.

HIS TARIFF IDEAS.

But, he continued, do not infer that I have any difficulty about the doctrine of protection. I have not and never did have. I object to the processes employed. The Democratic party proposes to change *the system; they will afford protection by* reducing the number of articles on which duties are to be collected, and they will put sufficient duty on those articles which need protection, and on luxuries, to raise the revenue required. We will admit the necessities of life free, and we will stop this internal revenue; we will do away with it and its army of office holders and dependents.

He called attention to the excess of exports over imports, the balance varying from fifty to two hundred million of dollars per annum. The Democrats, "if we get success," propose to erect a barrier around the country by protection to keep out the products of foreign labor and continue the stream of money that has been pouring into this country.

He alluded briefly to imported labor, asked who imported it, and answered certainly not the Democratic party. He finished speaking shortly after 11 o'clock.

B. & L. REGIMENTAL NOTES.

Last Night's Meeting—The Moundsville and Bridgeport Meetings.

The regimental and line officers of the Blaine and Logan regiment of this county, met at the Lincoln Club last night for the purpose of ascertaining just what the strength of the organization was. Over 400 uniformed men were reported ready for a turnout, and about that many more men are on the various company rolls but not yet uniformed. An invitation was received from Moundsville asking the regiment to assist in the demonstration to be held there Thursday evening, at which Gen. Goff and Hon. John W. Mason are announced to speak. The question was carefully discussed and the acceptance of the invitation lost by a tie vote. The reason for this was, that as all the clubs were not uniformed the regiment would not make the imposing appearance it should, and that it would be better to wait and make a proper turnout on the 25th, when Gen. Logan will be here.

The Plumed Knights, however, will probably go to Moundsville. It is the second time they have been invited, and they feel that it is due to their Moundsville friends, who are making a good fight, to accept and go down in force. A large number of the Knights desire to go to Bridgeport in a body on Friday night and hear that prince of orators, General Bill Gibson. The Knights were invited over there through the INTELLIGENCER yesterday morning. A meeting of the Knights has been called for this evening, when both of these invitations will be considered, also several other important matters connected with coming events. This will be a highly important meeting and every member should make an effort to be present. It will be followed by a drill. In case the Knights go to Moundsville and Bridgeport, all other uniformed clubs and Republican friends generally will be invited to accompany them.

The regimental officers have selected as a uniform a white duck sack coat, double-breasted, with military buttons and regulation shoulder straps designating the rank of the wearer, black slouch hat with gold cord, wreath and insignia and long black leather leggings. They will also wear gauntlet gloves.

All the reports from the companies last night were encouraging. The men are enthused and are doing all in their power to further the Republican cause all the time.

Nobby Campaign Clubs.

The Young Men's Blaine and Logan Club of Steubenville has decided to discard its present uniform, consisting of a pearl plug, linen duster and lantern and has adopted a new one consisting of a red beaver helmet with spear top, navy blue sack coat with white trimmings and three rows of brass buttons down the front, white duck pants, white belt and canes. The dress will be neat and at the same time bright and pretty, and the boys will no doubt present a very handsome appearance. The suits will be ordered immediately, *and no time will be lost in getting them.* It is to be hoped that the club will have them in time to appear in Wheeling on the 25th, to take part in the big Logan demonstration. The Wheeling Knights will give the club a warm reception when it does come. The Steubenville boys, after seeing the nobby appearance the Wheeling Knights made last week at the wigwam dedication, decided *then and there to "shoot" the plugs and* dusters.

A Blaine and Logan club numbering over 100 has been formed among the students at Washington-Jefferson college, Blaine's *Alma Mater.* It is quite probable that the Plumed Knights will invite the members to be their guests on the 25th and take part in the Logan demonstration. The Washington club is said to be splendidly drilled and equipped.

TO STEAL an umbrella is at least a crime. But if a man steals a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup to cure his cough, can it be called a crime?

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CUT rates to the West. For tickets see L. C. Neidhardt.

HON. FRED DOUGLASS, the eloquent colored orator and champion of his race will address the citizens of Martin's Ferry and vicinity, at Walnut Grove, on Monday afternoon, September 22, at 2 o'clock, being the occasion of the celebration of the Emancipation Proclamation by the lamented Lincoln. An admission fee will be charged.

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WHEELING, September 15, 1884.

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RIVER INTELLIGENCE.

Movements of Boats and the Stage of Water Here and Elsewhere.

The marks last evening indicated a depth in the channel of 1 foot 11 inches and falling.

It is expected that the hull of the new Steubenville and Wheeling packet will be ready to launch to-day.

The Luella was taken on the docks at Point Pleasant last week, where she will be lengthened and widened.

Al. Slaven will resume his position as chief clerk of the Cincinnati packet Emma Graham, when she comes out.

During the past few days several parties have been in the city negotiating for the purchase of the Jennie Campbell. It is probable that she will be sold to the Evansville Transportation Company to take the place of the Belmont, the steamer that recently sunk, which was owned by that company. If not sold to this company she will probably be sold to Louisville parties for use in and about that city.

PARKER, PA., September 15.—River 6 inches and rising; weather clear and pleasant.

PITTSBURGH, September 15.—River 2 feet 5 inches and on a stand; clear and pleasant.

RICE'S LANDING, September 15.—River 2 feet 9 inches; weather clear; thermometer 80°.

LOUISVILLE, KY., September 15.—Depth in the canal 2 feet 1 inch; on the falls, 1 foot and falling.

BROWNSVILLE, PA., September 15.—River 2 feet 6 inches and on a stand; weather clear; thermometer 80°.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA., September 15.—River 6 inches and stationary; weather clear. Thermometer 80°.

THE BOILERS' BREAK.

SECRETARY MARTIN'S VIEWS.

Disbanding Belmont Lodge will not Affect the Association at Large—The Nailers in the Wrong—The Action of the Boilers Here a Surprise at Other Points.

The announcement in yesterday's *Dispatch* of the withdrawal of Belmont Lodge of the Amalgamated Association located at Wheeling from the National Association, caused no little surprise among members of the A. A. of I. S. W. in this city, says yesterday's Pittsburg *Dispatch.* It was the subject of general comment, as such an action was little expected, and consequently rather puzzled even the officials to account for such a step. The Amalgamated Association has long enjoyed the reputation of being one of the strongest and most consistent labor organizations in this country, and this is the first instance in their history when such an action has been taken without it being known before.

"It is as much a surprise to me as it can be to any one," said Secretary William Martin yesterday when spoken to about it. "I had not the slightest intimation that anything was wrong in that lodge or that they contemplated leaving the Association. I knew nothing of it until I saw it in the *Dispatch this morning. Had it been Virginia* Lodge down there I would not have been so astonished, as I knew there was dissatisfaction concerning the discharge of those men at the LaBelle works. But even there I do not know that they are dissatisfied with the Association. I have no official notice that the announcement made is true, but am inclined to think there is something in it, as the resolutions seem to be straight enough.

THE NAILERS IN THE WRONG.

"The difficulty or rather the cause of the action was the refusal of the nailers to make a demand for the 20 percent additional allowed by the scale for cutting steel nails. There is no question about the fact that steel is much harder to cut than iron according to the testimony of those who have worked both, and I think the nailers had a right to demand the extra price, and had they done so they would have gotten it. The boilers, I suppose in revenge for the nailers' refusal to to make the demand, decided to break up the lodge."

NO EFFECT ON THE ASSOCIATION.

"Will their action have any effect on the association?" was asked?

"None whatever. We *regret to see* them take such action, if they have done so, but it will not affect the association in the least."

"How many members belonged to the Belmont lodge?"

"I am not positive. Something over one hundred, I think. Possibly 125. I cannot tell exactly without looking at the books in the office."

"Does the majority rule in such a case?"

"If you have reference to the adoption of the resolution, I will answer yes; but ten members can hold the charter and continue the lodge if they so desire."

"How about the charge that the association had something to do with forcing the action?"

"Well, that could not be. As I have told you, I knew of no trouble between the two classes at that mill, as the boilers had not asked that the nailers be compelled to make the demand for the higher rate allowed for cutting steel. Probably we will hear more about the matter tomorrow."

THE Republican ladies of the Seventh ward will hold a meeting at the wigwam on the old fair ground, Tuesday evening, September 16th, at half past 7 P. M. Every lady is requested to attend.

Bellaire Notes.

The new pavement from Indian Run to Gravel Hill is almost finished.

Rev. Mr. Hench preached at the Disciples' Church on Sunday evening.

The Benwood ferryboat is still lying dismantled, in the hands of repairers.

A number of Bellaire people have arranged to go to hear Fred. Douglass.

Robert Anderson taught Miss Emma Gill's room at the Fourth ward school yesterday, Miss Gill being sick.

The First ward Republicans will meet this evening at Anshutz's shop to complete the organization already begun.

So far only one marching club has appeared in uniform, but several Republican clubs of Bellaire will have uniforms ready for a number of big meetings.

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

The Features of the Money and Stock Markets.

NEW YORK September 15.—Money easy at 1@2 percent, closed offered at 1 percent. Prime mercantile paper 5½@6½ percent. Sterling Exchange bankers' bills steady at $4 83; demand $4 85.

GOVERNMENTS—Steady.

RAILWAYS—Lower.

STATE SECURITIES—Quiet.

STOCKS—This was a field day for the bears at the Stock Exchange. From the opening until the close of business the market was depressed, and under sales for both accounts prices dropped from ½ to 5 percent with coalers and grangers as the weakest shares. Various unfavorable rumors were used to bring about the decline. It was stated that three prominent banks were in trouble, and that one million dollars of Clearing House certificates had been issued by one institution in question. Upon investigation these reports were pronounced false. Coal shares were affected by the statements that the combination was in danger, but after business President Sloan, of Lackawanna, announced that representatives of the coal companies had agreed to restrict the production the first week in October.

Another rumor, which exerted adverse influence, was the report that the St. Paul dividend would be reduced to 3 percent. These unfavorable reports had the effect of bringing out considerable long stock, which added materially to the depression. *Delaware & Hudson broke 5 percent to 87,* Lackawanna 4½ to 103, Reading 1½ to 35, Jersey Central 1½ to 55, Northwestern 2½ to 94½, preferred 2½ to 139, St. Paul 2½ to 81½, Omaha 1½ to 31½, Canada Southern 2 to 52, Canada Pacific 1 to 43½, Chicago, Burlington & Quincy 2 to 120½, Lake Shore 1½ to 70½, Union Pacific 1½ to 47½, and Western Union 1½ percent to 61½. Northern Pacific preferred and Louisville & Nashville were comparatively steady, but there was a difference of ½@¾ percent in cash and regular in Lackawanna & Western, Union Pacific, St. Paul and Lake Shore, and ½@¾ seller 3, in Lackawanna. Compared with Saturday's closing prices are ½@1½ percent lower.

Transactions 224,000 shares.

U. S. 4s, 109½; U. S. 4½s, 112½; U. S. new 4s, 120½; Pacific 6s of '95 127; Central Pacific, 111½; Erie 56; Lehigh & Wilkes, 24; Louisiana consols, 70; Missouri 6s, 102½; St. Joseph, 108; St. P. & S. C. firsts, 117½; Tennessee 6s, old, 39½; do new, 39½; Texas Pacific Land Grants, 37; do Rio Grande, 27½; Union Pacific firsts, 110½; do Land Grants, 107½; do sinking fund, 107½; Virginia 6s, 37; Virginia consols, extra matured coupons, 33; do deferred, 4; Adams Express, 139; American Express, 92; Canada Southern, 52½; Central Pacific, 40½; Chesapeake & Ohio, 1½; do first preferred, 13½; do 2d preferred, 8½; C., C., C. & I., 38; Denver & Rio Grande, 11½; Erie, 14½; preferred, 29½; Fort Wayne, 130; Hannibal & St. Joseph, 38; do preferred, 88½; Kansas & Texas, 17½; Lake Erie & Western 12; Lake Shore, 74½; Louisville & Nashville, 29½; Louisville, New Albany & Chicago, 17½; Memphis & Charleston 1st preferred, 10; do 2d preferred, 5; Memphis & Charleston, 26½; Michigan Central, 67; Missouri Pacific, 90½; Nashville & Chattanooga, 86; New Jersey Central, 55; Northern Pacific, 20½; do preferred, 48; Northwestern, 95; do preferred, 129½; New York Central, 99 ex-div. Ohio Central, 3; Ohio & Mississippi, 21; do preferred, 45; Pacific Mail, 48½; Pittsburgh, 137; Reading, 35½; St. Louis & San Francisco, 21½; do preferred, 40½; St. Paul, 81½; do preferred, 106½; Texas Pacific, 11½; Union Pacific, 47½; United States Express, 54; W., St. L. & P., 5½; do preferred, 13½; Wells, Fargo Express, 105; Western Union, 64½.

Breadstuffs and Provisions.

NEW YORK, September 15.—Flour easy; receipts 29,000 barrels; exports 11,000 barrels; St. Louis $2 85@5 60. Wheat, spot grades opened ½@¾c lower, later stronger and advanced ¾@1c, closing firm; options declined ½@¾c, later reacted ½@¾c, closing near the best figures; receipts 289,000 bushels; exports 181,000 bushels; No. 2 spring 82c; ungraded red 68@87c; No. 3 red 80½c; No. 3 red steamer 63c; No. 2 red 84½@86½c; ungraded white 81½@84c; No. 1 white, sales 5,000 bushels at 82½c; No. 2 red October, sales 1,160,000 bushels at 84½@85½c, closing at 85½c; November, sales 1