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KISNER'S MILLINERY OPENING

Continued until this evening on account of bad weather yesterday. All are invited to attend. KISNER'S, 1071 Main Street.

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We take pleasure in announcing our opening of Pattern Hats and Bonnets takes place on Wednesday next, 7th inst.

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WE have now on exhibit our Fall and Winter stock of Woolens, being a complete line of Suitings, Pantaloonings and Overcoatings, which we shall get up in first-class style and fit, and at lowest prices. Also, a full line of Furnishing Goods always on hand.
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Thermometer Record.

The following shows the range of the thermometer as observed at Schnepf's drug store, 1218 Market street, yesterday: 7 A. M., 66°; 12 M., 65°; 3 P. M., 66°; 7 P. M., 64°.

INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 3.—1 A. M.—For the Ohio Valley and Tennessee, local showers, followed by fair weather, winds shifting to southwest and northwest, rising, preceded in northeast portion by falling barometer, cooler in western portion, generally higher temperature in eastern portion.

For the Lower Lake region, light showers, followed by fair weather, southerly winds shifting to westerly, rising, preceded in east portion by falling barometer, nearly stationary temperature, followed by cooler weather Sunday morning.

At Rest.

The funeral of Capt. Otho W. Heiskell took place yesterday from his late residence on Chapline street. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends. The casket was covered with flowers. The service was conducted by Rev. Dr. D. A. Cunningham, of the First Presbyterian Church, assisted by Capt. Heiskell's friend and neighbor, Rev. Dr. J. E. Smith, of the Fourth Street M. E. Church. The pall bearers were James Cummins, Samuel Laughlin, A. W. Paull, H. W. List, H. O. Ott and M. L. Ott, all connections of the deceased. The remains were laid at rest in Greenwood Cemetery.

A New Coal and Coke Company.

Secretary of State H. S. Walker has issued a certificate of incorporation to the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke Company of West Virginia, formed for the purpose of mining and shipping coal, and for manufacturing coal into coke and shipping same, and to do all such business as pertains to the same; which corporation shall keep its principal office, or place of business, in Oakvale, Mercer county, West Virginia; the charter to expire on the 15th day of August, 1935. For the purpose of forming such corporation the sum of $900 has been subscribed, of which amount $90 has been paid in, with the privilege of increasing to $100,000.

SPECIAL DELIVERY

And General Delivery of Mail Matter in this City.

Several special delivery letters were received at the postoffice yesterday and promptly and satisfactorily delivered by the bright messenger boys that were appointed to the positions. Postmaster Sterling is under the impression that the service, locally, will not amount to much. His reason for this is that there are over 400 telephones in use in the city, and what messages may be sent in the city by one business man to another will be sent over the wire. Of course the service will be used after people become familiar with it, for transmitting notes, invitations and the like between society people.

Postmaster Sterling has been re-arranging the routes of the carriers in the business part of the city and the schedule will go into effect Monday. By it, inside of twenty-five minutes after the Hempfield, O. I. & W. and No. 2 B. & O. mails are in, that part destined for the business section will be in the hands of the persons to whom it is directed. This arrangement will doubtless be a great convenience to business men.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

ONE marriage license was issued yesterday.

BILLY MAYER's orchestra went down to Powhatan last evening to play for a large party.

THERE is a camp of four wagon loads of Gypsies at the mouth of Whisky Run, over the river.

YESTERDAY's rain was needed in the country, but was scarcely heavy enough to do much good.

WORK on the Government dam in the Back river is being pushed rapidly while this fine weather and low water lasts.

THE Mingo keg factory will start up tomorrow, giving employment to ten men, for the purpose of making kegs for the Martin's Ferry nail mill.—*Steubenville Press.*

OFFICER BEN DUNLAP of the police force, is once more on his beat in North Wheeling, after having been laid up for several days on account of the old wound in his shoulder.

THE case of Peter Heiser, who recently broke jail, was called in Part I of the Circuit Court yesterday, and the defendant not responding, it was postponed till the next term.

THE passenger brakemen, police and other employes of the B. & O. R. R., who wear the uniform of the company, are now distinguished by the silver letters, "B. & O.," which ornament their shoulders.

THE case of Andy Mertz, under indictment for grand larceny, was yesterday postponed in the Circuit Court till the next term, and Mertz was admitted to bail in the sum of $1,000, gave bond and was released.

THE Centralia, Ills., nail works, which is running on the 21 cent scale, recently broke a roll, and is buying its nail plate at Bellaire. The nailers point to this as answering the statement that the mills cannot afford to run on the 21 cent scale.

TOMATOES are coming in faster than at any other time this season. Prices are low, and it is a good time for the housewife to do her canning of this vegetable. Some have been sold at twenty-five cents a bushel this week. Pumpkins are also plenty.

THE sixteenth annual session of the Grand Lodge, K. of P. of West Virginia, will be held in Piedmont, October 20 and 21. Great preparations are making for the affair, features of which will be a parade and a banquet at the Opera House on the 20th.

DR. HARDESTY made a successful operation yesterday on the eyes of Mr. Albert Horton, of Lee county, Illinois. The operation was entirely painless, having been made with the new anesthetic cocaine. Mr. Horton has been partially blind from birth.

"HOOSIERS" was given at the Opera House again last evening to a small but delighted audience. Mr. Seabrooke and Miss Fiebach's imitations are worth the price of admission, and the rest of the performance is worthy of better patronage than it received here.

THE North End band will give a grand carnival at the North End rink this evening. The band will furnish the music. The rink should be crowded, as every citizen of North Wheeling should take pride in the band and should rejoice at the opportunity to assist it.

THE Chambers girl, whose mysterious disappearance from her home has been chronicled, was found Thursday night at Martin's Ferry at the house of her aunt. The police of this city had hunted for her in vain for several days, after a search by her family of two or three days had been found to have no result.

THE Webster Wagon Company's famous "Sun-Flower Band" of colored singers, dancers and jokers, which amused such large crowds at the State Fair in 1884, has been engaged to be present at the fair to be held this month at Hagerstown, Md. Mr. Webster was in the city yesterday arranging with some members of the band.

NEXT Tuesday and Wednesday, October 6 and 7, the P., W. & Ky. division of the Pan Handle road will sell round trip excursion tickets to Pittsburgh for $1 50, good to return till October 9. These days will witness the various exercises attendant upon the formal opening of the Davis Island Dam, including the G. A. R. display.

AT a late hour Thursday night there was a general row at the old South Wheeling house in the Eighth ward. John and "Bub" Speidel were the leaders and they were arrested and locked up by Officer Carney. More arrests were made yesterday and there will be a goodly number of interested parties before this morning's police court. The Speidels, according to all accounts, were doing some grand slugging.

CLERK HOOK yesterday admitted to record three deeds of trust and the following transfers of real estate: Deed made September 29 by Benjamin F. Zoeckler and wife to John L. Zoeckler, in consideration of $1,384 44, for all the real estate of which John Zoeckler died seized. Also a deed made February 2, 1882, by James A. Brown and wife to John R. Doyle, in consideration of $2,000, for the northwest square in the town of West Liberty.

MR. EDWARD W. REID, the great berry raiser, who lives two miles west of Bridgeport, exhibited in this office last evening Cuthbert raspberries picked from the vine. This is unusual as the raspberry season does not last longer than the middle of July. Mr. Reid cannot account for the growth at this time of the year. He says if frost does not interfere he can pick a number of basketsful next week. The berries will be on exhibition in the windows of I. G. Dillon's jewelry store to-day.

LAST evening Officer West ordered a crowd of young men, who were obstructing the sidewalk at the corner of Market and Sixteenth streets, to move on. They did so slowly, and two of them used improper language towards the officer, who very properly arrested them. Officer West has numerous cases of obstructing and loitering on the pavements on his beat and making an example of the two he arrested last night may have its effect. It is to be hoped it will. On a Saturday night it keeps West traveling to keep the sidewalk clear.

Gentlemen!

Go and see Stacy, Adams & Co.'s hand made Waukenphast, best fitting shoe made, at J. W. AMICK'S, 1143 Main street.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

Mr. W. H. Webster, of Moundsville, was in the city yesterday.

Hon. Lewis Baker, editor of the St. Paul, Minn., *Globe*, is in the city, the guest of Mr. John Frew.

Mr. Hardesty, of Wheeling, has accepted a position in the B. & O. freight office at this place.—*Bellaire Independent.*

Warner Miller, Esq., of Jackson county, was yesterday admitted to practice at the bar of the Ohio county Circuit Court.

Miss Katie A. Murphy, formerly with Mrs. M. L. Atkinson, returned yesterday from New York, where she has attended openings.

Messrs. A. H. Brown and J. A. Minnich, representatives of *The Catholic Mirror*, of Baltimore, are in the city on business for the paper.

"SHALL our girls whistle?" Of course if they strengthen their lungs by taking Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

Ladies!

Go and see the common sense Opera slipper, for house wear, at 75c.
J. W. AMICK, 1143 Main street.

At North End Rink To-night.

Grand Skating Carnival, Wheel-barrow race, and other attractions. Admission 15 cents, skates 10 cents. Music by Hughes' rink band.

IT WOULDN'T WORK.

A VERY NEAT LITTLE SCHEME

To Spike the Guns of the Prosecution in the Police Inquiry—Burns Attempts to Save his Chief from Merited Exposure by Sacrificing Himself.

Dearly beloved Councilmen, isn't it so,
When the INTELLIGENCER investigates, the police must go?
Isn't it a fact that our scalps number two?
Now, dearly beloved Councilmen, isn't this true?

A very neat scheme was concocted by Porter Smith's advisers Thursday night to save the Chief and his force from the disgrace of threatened exposures. It was fixed up that Burns should resign, and this was expected to satisfy a committee instructed by Council to make a thorough investigation of the police force. It did not satisfy the committee, nor did it ward off the dreaded publicity of the faults and misdemeanors of the Chief and certain of his men.

Clerk Galligan, Chairman Myles and others bent every energy to secure the desired end, the stopping of the investigation, which had already had such damaging effect. The testimony given before the committee Thursday night, substantiating as it did every charge made by the INTELLIGENCER, fell like a bomb in the camp of Chief Smith and his followers. The Chief thought his policy toward the witnesses, as illustrated by his remark at the Holliday house ("If you go to talking, I'll make it hot for your") had prevented the prosecution from establishing its case. When this hope was blasted, he and his friends were struck with dismay. In their desperation they devised a scheme. Burns should resign and stop the damaging exposures.

BURNS RESIGNS.

Thursday night after the adjournment of the Police Committee, Officer Burns handed the following document to Chief of Police Smith:

WHEELING, W. VA., Oct. 1, 1885.

To Porter Smith, Esq., Sergeant of the City of Wheeling:

I hereby resign my appointment as a Deputy Sergeant of the City of Wheeling, and cordially thank you for your kindness and fair treatment while a member of your force. With great respect, I am yours very truly, JAMES BURNS.

The resignation was accepted. In fact, it was requested by Capt. Smith, he himself says, "half an hour before." This must have been before the committee adjourned. Yet Capt. Smith did not have manliness enough to tell the members of the committee of his change of purpose. He treated the committee in the most contemptuous manner, saying nothing of the resignation or the demand for it, so far as can be learned, until it was published exclusively in the *Register*, Capt. Smith's personal organ.

If it was unwise to let the investigation commence, it was still more unwise to attempt to stop it now by such a step as this. Yesterday the sole expression on the street was that Burns and Smith had been playing a bluff game; they assumed their air of confidence believing that none of the witnesses would appear before the committee, and when the witnesses did appear, they realized that the game was up, and to prevent further exposure, Burns agreed to step down and out.

THE COMMITTEE MEETS.

There was a rather general expectation yesterday that the resignation of Officer Burns would accomplish its object, and that the investigation would fall flat for want of anything to investigate further. The uncertainty as to what effect the new turn of affairs would have on the work of the committee was sufficient, however, to draw another large crowd to the City Building last night, and the committee room was crowded to the railing long before the hour of meeting. A large proportion of members of both branches of Council were among the lookers on. The interest was greater than at any previous time since the charges were printed.

The committeemen were not slow in gathering. Chairman Myles, Messrs. List, Caldwell, Jaeger and Weir were present at half past seven, and Mr. McGregor, Mr. Happy and Mr. Shanley came in sharp on the half-hour.

Mr. Myles announced when the committee came to order that at the hour of adjournment the night before, the testimony against Mr. Burns was not concluded; he saw by one of the morning papers that Officer Burns had tendered his resignation and it had been accepted. He desired that the committee might be notified if this was true. He asked:

"Is the Chief of Police present?"

He was not. Officer Junkins appeared, however, and Mr. Myles asked him if he could give the committee any definite information as to the truth of the report that Burns had resigned.

Junkins—"I know nothing about it, Mr. Myles."

THE CLERK'S HAND EXPOSED.

Mr. McGregor—"I move that we proceed with the investigation of Officer Burns."

Mr. List—"I second the motion. We have no official information that Burns has resigned."

Other members concurred.

Mr. Galligan—"I will say to the Committee that I saw Burns sign his resignation last night and hand it to Capt. Smith, and I heard Capt. Smith say it was accepted. Is that official enough?"

Mayor Grubb asked if the witnesses had been resummoned. Clerk Galligan said no; they were supposed to be in attendance during this entire investigation.

Mr. Grubb said he had told Wharfmaster Crockard at 10 o'clock in the morning to summon all the witnesses. Mr. Crockard said he had so informed Mr. Galligan, and the latter said he had no orders to write any summonses.

Mr. Galligan to Mr. Grubb—"I had no such order."

Mr. Grubb—"Did not this committee adjourn to meet this evening?"

Galligan—"It did."

The Mayor—"Well, what was it to meet for? For fun?"

Galligan—"I think I know enough about the practice in courts to know my duty as clerk."

Mayor Grubb asked Mr. Crockard if Clerk Galligan told him that the investigation was over, and that no witnesses would be needed.

"No," Mr. Crockard said, "he merely said he had no orders to issue summonses."

"Well," said the Mayor, "Mr. Galligan told me that Burns had resigned, and that would end the matter, and there was no use summoning witnesses."

NOTHING TO INVESTIGATE!

Mr. Myles ruled that there was nothing before the committee. Did it desire to proceed to investigate Officer Burns, or to wait and get definite information?

Mayor Grubb—"How can you proceed with the investigation with no witnesses?"

The Chairman—"It is for that reason that I rule that there is nothing before us."

A motion was made to adjourn till tonight.

Mr. McGregor objected; he thought the committee ought to do as instructed—investigate the whole force.

Mr. Myles insisted that there were no charges, except against Burns.

Mayor Grubb had his communication to Council and the minute of Council's action on the matter read. It calls for a thorough investigation of the force.

Mr. Myles said the charges were not specific and could not be investigated.

Mr. McGregor appealed from the decision of the chair.

Mr. Caldwell made a clear and very forcible argument in support of the position of the Mayor and Mr McGregor.

Mr. Caldwell held that the section of the ordinance requiring the Mayor to report all violations of duty by other city officials, gave it into the Mayor's discretion how the charges should be made. The Mayor had charged that the police department was shamefully mismanaged, and his communication had been referred to the committee with instructions to investigate it. Mr. Caldwell could not see what this meant unless it meant that the investigation should be made as requested by the Mayor. He had come to this conclusion reluctantly, for this was a duty he would gladly have avoided if he could conscientiously do it. He would have been glad to have felt that Burns' resignation ended the matter and removed a load from his shoulders and those of the committee. But he could not see it so. The duty entrusted to the committee by Council had not been discharged.

AN INQUISITION!

Mr. Myles defended his ruling, calling attention to the specifications against Officer Burns, and the absence of specifications in articles on other officers' actions. He was willing to do his whole duty, but he did not propose to be dictated to by the press or the Mayor or anybody else.

Mr. Myles said this was an inquisitorial proceeding; it was going back to the dark ages. If charges were referred to the committee they would be in duty bound to inquire into their truth, but with no formulated charges it was random work. He entered his protest.

The question, Shall the decision of the Chair stand? was then put, and Messrs. McGregor, List, Shanley, Jaeger and Caldwell voted to reverse the decision, and Messrs. Weir and Happy to sustain it.

Mr. McGregor moved to adjourn until 7:30 this evening, the Mayor to name the witnesses to be summoned.

Mr. Happy moved to amend by making the time Monday evening at 7:30, and this amendment was accepted and carried.

So the investigation will proceed Monday evening, and the Committee will do its duty thoroughly and regardless of the attempts to switch it off.

The Committee and the large audience present did not fail to note the very prominent role essayed in this matter by the clerk to the Committee, and the comment was that the clerk might have awaited the action of the Committee before he decided to close the case.

People who were disposed to be friendly to the accused and who had been deceived into believing Burns and Smith innocent, were very indignant at the way their confidence had been abused, and did not hesitate to denounce the duplicity of the two men.

Talked Like an Innocent Man.

Sunday Register, September 27.

Officer Burns is out in a card this morning which explains itself. Burns talks like an innocent man, and we trust the investigation which he demands will be prompt, thorough and decisive, so that the officer may have his dues, whatever they be, at the earliest possible day.

No Doubt Now.

Bellaire Independent.

Officer Burns, of Wheeling, who put on a bold front and stuck until the expose of his conduct came, finally resigned under pressure of testimony, and now retires in shame, whereas he might have retired with still some question of doubt as to his conduct had he taken the INTELLIGENCER's advice. There is no doubt now.

Tony Hart's Play.

The sale of reserved seats for the performance of "Buttons" at the Opera House next Monday night is in progress at Baumer's music store. Tony Hart as *Tommy Buttons*, aged 12, "and the charming Gerty" as *Tilly Buttons*, aged 11, with their pranks and antics, prove the old proverb that children should be seen and not heard a fallacy, as they insist upon being both *seen* and *heard*. The new play "Buttons" is bound to be a success in Mr. and Mrs. Hart's hands, for in it they will reproduce all the chararterizations that have made the name of Hart a household word so many years. It is safe to say that the new play "Buttons," with Mr. and Mrs. Hart, a clever company, new music, dances and costumes, will be witnessed by a large audience when presented here. Of Mr. Hart's abilities as an actor it is not necessary to speak. Harrigan & Hart were household words when they were together, and by their separation the public has gained two good shows instead of one.

Montefiore Memorial.

Columbia Lodge No. 201, O. K. S. B., will hold memorial exercises in the Jewish Synagogue in honor of the late Sir Moses Montefiore, the Jewish philanthropist and centennarian, to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The following committee has the services in charge: B. Rosenstein, President, Simon Klein, Vice President, Jos. Emsheimer, Secretary, T. Van Bergh, F. Secretary, Edw. M. Brasch, Treasurer.

Following is the

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

Solo.....Miss Bella Emsheimer
Prayer.....Past Pres. Rev. Dr. M. Sessler
Solo.....Miss Hattie Horkheimer
Address.....Jos. Emsheimer
Solo.....Mrs. Bertha Baer
Oration.....Past Pres. Victor Rosenberg
Solo.....Miss A. V. Hupp
Address.....Mayor J. W. Grubb
Solo.....Miss Hannah Heyman
Address.....Chas. H. Collier
Solo.....Miss Sara Klein
Benediction.....Past Pres. Rev. Dr. Sealer.

Skating Carnival To-night.

To-night at the Alhambra Palace Rink Local Union, No. 9, A. F. G. W., will give a grand skating carnival for the benefit of the glass workers who are still out on account of several of the factories not starting. The Union offers several fine prizes. A fine water set will be presented to the most graceful lady skater, a polo cap to the winner of a race between the boys at Hobb's, Brockunier & Co.'s and those of the Central Glass works, and a handsome wine set to the winner of a two-mile dash, open to all. For this race John Pipes, Robert Dovener and John Dixon have already entered. Entries will be received till 8 o'clock this evening. The entertainment, it is safe to say in advance, will be enjoyable and successful.

"WHEN headache joins neuralgia, then comes the tug of war." A wise general marshals his forces, charges with a bottle of Salvation Oil, and the doughty foe lies cringing in the dust.

Kisner's Millinery Opening

Continued until this evening on account of bad weather yesterday. All are invited to attend. KISNER'S, 1071 Main street.

VERY neat styles in hat racks, also many elegant attractions in center tables, small stands, &c. FREW & BERTSCHY, Furniture, Carpets and Undertaking, 1117 Main street.

DON'T fail to go to the North End Rink to-night.

An Unfailing Safeguard Against all Infectious Diseases.

Use Camphorine Soap freely in washing bed clothes and all clothes worn closest to the body. See the big reward we offer on wrapper. S. STRUNZ, Originator of "Wax Soap."

Grand Army Day—Opening Davis Island Dam, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Tuesday and Wednesday, October 6 and 7, the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis railway will sell cheap excursion tickets to the opening of the Davis Island dam by the G. A. R. Round trip, $1 50. For full particulars see bills and posters.

THE cheapest goods sold for cash at John Roemer's, ag't, Nos. 2019 and 2021 Main street. Carpets at 15 cents, Oil Cloths 25 cents, Rugs and Mats at all prices. Window shades made up ready to hang for 35 cents, Comforts for 90 cents, Wall Papers for 7 cents. The finest Brussels Carpets at 75 cents. Call soon if you wish to make money.

Cheap Excursion to Pittsburgh via the B. & O.

The Baltimore & Ohio will sell excursion tickets to Pittsburgh and return Tuesday and Wednesday, October 6 and 7, at the low rate of $1 50, to those who desire to attend the G. A. R. Reunion and the opening ceremonies of Davis Island Dam. Tickets good to return October 9 inclusive.

Baltimore & Ohio.

For the laying of the corner stone of the Catholic church at Newark, Ohio, October 11, 1885, the Baltimore & Ohio will sell excursion tickets from Wheeling to Newark and return for $2 40. Tickets good returning until the 13th inclusive.

PLANT'S STATEMENT.

HE SWEARS TO IT THIS TIME

Before the Mayor of Mingo—The Intelligencer Interview Corroborated by an Affidavit, and the Question is, Which Time did Plant Tell the Truth?

James Plant, late boss roller at the Laughlin mill, Martin's Ferry, made another statement at Mingo on Thursday, to which he made affidavit before Mayor Simpson, of that town. The statement, taken in connection with the one at Martin's Ferry the same day, and printed yesterday is, to say the least, very peculiar. A copy of the statement is appended:

MINGO JUNCTION, O., Oct. 1, 1885.

This is to certify that Major Burt came to me three times at McKeesport the week previous to our starting down here, and he said to me, "If you come down we will give you a set of rolls." He also asked me if I could get any men to come with me; everything was square, according to Pittsburgh prices. So I agreed to go with him and took six men with me, Major Burt furnishing transportation. First, when I agreed with Major Burt I was innocent of anything being wrong, but when getting to Martin's Ferry, and finding that my home was in the warehouse I thought there was something wrong. Major Burt also led me to believe the mill was a new one just about to start up. That is the reason I gave up my job and came with him.

Question—Why did you quit?

Answer by Plant—I quit because I knew I was doing wrong. They paid me Pittsburgh prices. We made six heats a day for two days. That was the best two days we had. They gave me a revolver and one to my rougher, but when settling up they charged me six dollars for them. They also charged me $10 60 for board. Mr. Laughlin paid me all the money coming to me when I quit. I have seen a good many of the so-called "strikers," and find them all to be gentlemen, and received treatment like a gentleman at their hands.

[Signed] JAMES PLANT.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this first day of October, 1885.

[Signed] DAVID SIMPSON, Mayor.

Concerning the story of the beating of Plant, printed yesterday, the Steubenville *Herald* says there is no foundation for the report. Gentlemen who have had opportunities to investigate, however, say Plant was assaulted, but it was the outgrowth of a personal difficulty, Plant having called a man an opprobrious name. He was not so badly hurt but that he went on to McKeesport the same evening.

Bellaire Notes.

Wm. Campbell will travel the coming winter for Curran & Meck.

A. H. Marsh has built a large delivery wagon for a Wheeling firm.

A child of Rev. J. M. Monroe died yesterday morning, and will be buried Sunday.

Quite a number of members of the Salvation Army went away from here yesterday on various expeditions.

R. J. Purcell, of Cincinnati, traveling freight agent of the Cincinnati Southern railroad, was in town yesterday.

Miss Jessie Sharp entertained a party of friends last night, Killmyer's orchestra furnished the music for the dancers.

A great many Quakers were in town yesterday on their way to their homes from the Yearly Meeting at Barnesville.

Jack Baugh won a suit for $19 against the Baltimore & Ohio railroad company yesterday. It was a question of insurance dues.

The societies of the South Bellaire M. E. Church have arranged a social reception for their new pastor Rev. J. C. Smith and his family on Monday evening.

Mrs. Mason and Mrs. Roach, both of whom sold their houses to the city on the opening of Union street, are building two new houses in the First ward, west of Belmont street.

Wm. Oliver was arrested for threatening Street Commissioner Louis Long with bodily harm. Mr. Oliver has a wire fence built across the road to the cemetery, claiming his ground extends across the road, and he has given a great deal of trouble to many people. It is almost impossible to even get into the cemetery at all. The City Council and Township Trustees are trying to arrange the matter temporarily, and the courts will have it to settle soon. A funeral procession had to take the body over the fence with it the other day.

Kisner's Millinery Opening

Continued until this evening on account of bad weather yesterday. All are invited to attend. KISNER'S, 1071 Main street.

Cheap Excursion to Pittsburgh from Down River Points.

Cheap excursion tickets will be sold from all points between Parkersburg and Wheeling by the Ohio River Railroad Company, Tuesday and Wednesday, October 6 and 7, to the opening of the Davis Island dam by the G. A. R. Fare from Parkersburg and Marietta will be $1. Tickets good to return until October 9.

GRAND Skating Carnival and good music at the North End Rink to-night.

Two Big Days at Pittsburgh, Pa., October 6 and 7, 1885.

Grand Army Day, October 6, and the celebration of the opening of Davis Island Dam, October 7, promise to be two days of an instructive and interesting character. For both of these days, men distinguished in the civil and military departments of the government will be present, prominent among the latter will be Generals Sherman, Sheridan and Logan. A fitting finale of these brilliant occasions will be the exhibition of Natural Gas on Thursday evening, October 8, by the Philadelphia Natural Gas Company. These attractions will draw thousands of people to Pittsburgh and to accommodate all who may desire to go the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis railway and the Cleveland & Pittsburgh railroad have arranged to sell special cheap excursion tickets to Pittsburgh on October 6 and 7—with limit of return passage by any regular train stopping at the destination of return ticket, until Friday, October 9, inclusive.

For time of trains see small bills. Fare for the round trip $1 50.

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THE ARK'S CORNER STONE.

The Venerable Monument Found by Workmen Yesterday.

Two or three days since when the workmen engaged in tearing down the old City Building reached the foundation at the northeast corner of the building an active search was made for the corner stone containing the customary box of papers and other articles, said to have been placed at that point, but the search was fruitless, and it was supposed that the old residents who claimed to have been present in the capacity of ever present and noisy small boys when the stone was laid, were either on their bases as to the location or else that the stone had been mysteriously spirited away or never laid at all.

Yesterday Daniel D. Ingraham and John O'Neill, both well known residents of the North End, determined to make another search for the missing stone. They poked about in the rubbish for some time, and carefully examined the stones of the foundation. At last they discovered what might be called an inner wall, and in this they found the corner-stone. This inner wall was in reality the main foundation wall of the "Ark," but when the addition to it was built, that part occupied in late years by the lieutenant of police, the foundation for it covered the face of the corner-stone.

Opening the stone they found an oblong lead box about six inches deep and four inches in dimension in both other directions. It was still sealed as it was when put away long, long years ago. The color had changed to a reddish-gray and there were incrustations on a portion of the box. Underneath the box was an old fashioned, large copper cent bearing the date 1825, that being the year in which the stone was laid. The coin was black with age and the mould of time. Both it and the box were turned over by the gentlemen who found them to Mayor Grubb, who placed them in the window of his jewelry store, where they were looked at by a large number of people. In the near future it is the purpose to have a joint session of the two branches of Council, and at that time, in the presence of the city dads, open the curious old box.

SOME OLD DOCUMENTS.

A Find in the Debris of the Old Ark—Some Interesting Papers.

In poking about the rubbish left by the demolition of the old City Building, that ubiquitous colored individual "Jeff" Davis found a number of old papers that he disposed of to those in search of the curious and ancient, for a quarter or a half dollar. One of these papers he handed to an INTELLIGENCER man.

It is a commission dated at Richmond, Va., May 25 1807, issued by Governor Wm. A. Cabell to William Irwin of this county, and reads as follows.

The Commonwealth of Virginia, to William Irwin, Greeting:

KNOW YOU, that from the special trust and confidence reposed in your fidelity, courage, activity and good conduct our Governor, on the recommendation of the court of Ohio county, and in pursuance of the act intitulated, "An Act to amend and reduce to one the several acts of the General Assembly for regulating the militia of the Commonwealth," doth appoint you, the said William Irwin, Captain of a company of light infantry in the Fourth Regiment, Tenth Brigade and Third Division of the militia to rank as such agreeably to the number and date thereof.

The paper is duly sealed and attested to by Samuel Coleman. The commission is on parchment like paper and the printing is old fashioned. Capt. Irwin was the father of Isaac Irwin, Esq., the well known real estate agent, who is believed to be the oldest resident of the city. The company he commanded was according to the traditions handed down a crack one, and showed up in great shape on general muster days.

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HUGHES' full band at the North End Rink to-night.

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Charles Zayre Hinkle, Jersey City Heights, N. J., writes: "My son, aged twelve years, was completely cured of a terrible case of Eczema by the Cuticura Remedies. From the top of his head to the soles of his feet was one mass of scabs." Every other remedy and physicians had been tried in vain.

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Religious Notices.

ST. MATHEW'S CHURCH—SERVICES Sunday at 10:40 A. M. and 4:00 P. M.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. T. McClure, D.D., pastor. Services to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath School at 2 P. M. All are invited.

ZANE STREET M. E. CHURCH—Rev. J. Henry Hess, pastor. Services by the pastor to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 2 P. M. All are invited.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. Wm. H. Cooke, D.D., pastor. Services to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath School at 9 A. M. All are welcome.

CHAPLINE STREET M. E. CHURCH—Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. J. C. Wall, at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 2 o'clock P. M. All are invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—The pastor, Rev. D. A. Cunningham, D.D., will preach in the Academy of Music, to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Seats free. All invited. Sabbath school in McLean's Hall at 9 A. M.

FIRST ENGLISH EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH—Rev. E. H. Dornblaser, pastor. Services to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Strangers are welcome.

FOURTH STREET M. E. CHURCH. Preaching Sunday at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. R. F. Randolph. Sunday School at 2 P. M. Young peoples' meeting Monday at 7:30 P. M.

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