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Thermometer Record.

The following shows the range of the thermometer as observed at Schnepf's drug store, Opera House corner, yesterday: 7 A. M., 56°; 12 M., 65°; 3 P. M., 65°; 7 P. M., 63°.

INDICATIONS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—1 A. M.—For the Ohio Valley and Tennessee, cloudy weather and rain, generally followed by clearing weather, colder in the eastern portion, slightly warmer in the western portion, winds becoming northerly.

For Lower Lake Region, cloudy weather and rain, slightly colder in the eastern portion, nearly stationary temperature in the western portion, winds becoming variable.

A Big Land Sale.

Messrs. Miller & Martin have sold their lands on Big Clear creek, Monroe county, to Messrs. Harmar & Gardner, of Cleveland, Ohio. The amount paid for 6,000 acres of land with the improvements of five years and 4,000 acres of wild land was $30,000. The purchasers will use the lands for grazing as has been done by Messrs. Miller & Martin.

Fine Crayon Work.

One of the finest pieces of crayon portrait work ever shown in this city is to be seen at Nicoll's art store. It is a portrait of the late Master Dewey, son of Mr. J. D. Culbertson, and little sister, made from a photograph by Codezo, the famous New York crayon artist, whose work has a world wide reputation, and which French artists have vainly endeavored to produce. It is so life-like and at the same time so soft and delicate that one is charmed by it.

A Good Eagle Story.

Allen Smith, of Greenbrier county, while at work had his attention attracted by a loud outcry and commotion among a number of crows near his premises. Upon investigation he discovered that an eagle had swooped down upon one of his geese and was making away with it, pursued by the crows. The eagle and its prey became entangled in the tree tops and dropped to the ground where Mr. Smith dispatched it with a hoe. A most remarkable discovery was made after the eagle was killed—a No. 2 steel fox trap was hanging to one of his talons, and from indications had been attached to his eagleship for some time.

WE are prepared to supply our trade with a full line of Hats and Furnishing Goods. NOBLE BROS.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

MANY people moved yesterday in spite of the rain, but they did not seem to enjoy it.

WHEELING and Cyrene Commanderies, K. T., will drill this evening at Masonic hall, under instruction of Major J. M. Lee, of the Linsly Institute.

THE employing and journeymen plasterers of the city will meet together this evening at half-past seven o'clock at K. of L. hall, Beck's block, to form a joint protective union.

SERVICES will be held at the Third Presbyterian Church on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week, at 7:30 o'clock. Preaching by Rev. W. M. Eaton, of Washington, Pa.

THE Economy Building Association last night elected the following Directors: P. B. Dobbins, J. C. Hanes, F. Fallour, L. Hartung, D. G. Morgan, J. F. Miller, W. C. Handlan, J. R. Butts and Nicholas Schulz, the old Board with the exception of Mr. Schulz.

JOHN HENDERSON, a colored boy, and John Norman, will be arraigned before Squire Arkle to-day on a charge of assault. They were fighting, when a brick thrown by Henderson at Norman struck another boy, Frank Foster, who happened to be passing at the time. His head was badly hurt.

THE Royal Gas Company has commenced the work of ditching for its pipe line on the West Virginia side opposite Steubenville. Additional pipe is being delivered daily. Pipe will also be delivered at the other end of the line and a gang of men will shortly be put to work digging there.

WHILE it is seldom that one hears of roller skating any more, yet it may not be uninteresting to note that Jesse Burkett won the championship medal from Sheppard at the Chapline street rink on Saturday night. It entitles Burket to the palm as champion of West Virginia and the Ohio Valley.—*Steubenville Gazette.*

SIX deeds of trust were admitted to record yesterday, and a deed in fee made March 27, by Eliza Ann Dennis and Franklin Higgs to Ed. L. Dennis, in consideration of $3,500, for the livery stable buildings on the south side of Fourteenth street east of Market, together with the horses and vehicles in the establishment.

THE Board of Public Works have men employed in the laudable work of cleaning the mud off Sixteenth street. The Market street bridge and its approaches were also "bailed out" yesterday. The piles of mud left on the streets last night ready for carts to haul away will scarcely be visible this morning, however, after last night's long and drenching rain.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Board of County Commissioners has been called for to-day to attend to the routine committee work. The Committee on Public Building met yesterday and agreed upon some of the minor details of the fire-proof vaults, which they will recommend to the Board for adoption at its next meeting. The work of altering and repairing the county's half of the building is making good progress, the wreckage being nearly completed.

THE Steubenville *Gazette* says: The work on Sharp's new foundry is being pushed rapidly to completion and will be ready for occupation early next month. The new foundry is an improvement on the old one and the whole establishment will be a credit both to the owners and to the city. There is less building going on in this city and less in anticipation than at any time for a long while and carpenters and masons are contemplating seeking new fields of labor during the coming summer.

A VERY pleasant surprise was given Mr. James B. Mix at his home in the Eighth ward by the officers, teachers and other members of the Sabbath School of the Third Presbyterian Church, of which he has been the faithful and very efficient superintendent for the past year. The affair occurred about 9 o'clock on Monday evening. Although taken by surprise, from the genial and happy manner in which he received his guests he did not seem to be stunned. After a cordial exchange of greeting, Rev. W. M. Eaton presented him with an elegant traveler's writing case, with gold pen, stationery, stamps, etc., the whole a chaste, tasteful gift, expressive of the very high regard in which he is held by the church.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks Abroad.

John P. Davisson, of Jane Lew, is at the McLure house.

Mr. R. W. Moore, a traveling man from Chicago, is in the city.

Mr. R. J. Riley, of the St. Clairsville *Gazette*, was down yesterday.

Mr. H. U. Seamon, the Washington, Pa., jeweler, was in the city yesterday.

Rev. Dr. E. W. Alexander, of Hannadin, Persia, was among those who registered at the McLure house yesterday.

Mr. William Woodburn, of Cameron, and Mr. John Tomer and wife, of Long Reach, were registered at the Stamm House yesterday.

Mrs. Judge Paull, of Wellsburg, is in the city attending the missionary meeting at the Second Presbyterian church. She is at the St. James.

Col. George W. Thompson, Vice-President and General Superintendent of the Ohio River railroad, was up from Parkersburg again yesterday.

Prof. James Hammond, of the Fourth ward schools, and family, are spending the Easter holidays at their old home in Steubenville, the guests of Frank Ridgely.

Mrs. Carothers and Miss Carothers, of Holliday's Cove, Mrs. Hooker and Miss Campbell, of Paris, Pa., Miss Patterson, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Archers, of Burgettstown, delegates to the Missionary Convention, are at the McLure house.

Moving Day.

Subscribers to the INTELLIGENCER who move on April 1 should promptly leave their new address, as well as the old one, at the counting room, that there may be no delay in changing their papers.

GEO. R. TAYLOR is now in New York buying and shipping new goods home every day. The ladies should call and see the choice novelties as they appear on his counters.

BARKLEY'S INJUNCTION DENIED.

Sam and a Sheriff Leave to Serve Writs on all the Clubs.

The bill of equity in the Barkley case was presented to Judge Stowe yesterday, says the Pittsburgh *Commercial Gazette* of Tuesday. A preliminary injunction restraining the Association from interferring with Barkley in his contract with the Alleghenies was asked for. The court, however, refused to grant an injunction on *ex parte* evidence and fixed Friday next for a hearing of the case.

A Deputy Sheriff was sent away to serve legal processes on the Presidents of the Brooklyn, New York, Athletic, Baltimore, St. Louis, Louisville and Cincinnati clubs. Also, on the following Association Directors: Von dor Ahe, Phelps, Barnie and President Wickoff. Barkley will accompany the deputy sheriff and their friends hope that the long railroad ride before them will be enjoyed.

All the gentlemen named are expected to be here to attend court on Friday morning at 9:30.

SOME of our most prominent citizens have been cured of chronic rheumatism by that wonderful pain-banisher, Salvation Oil. Price 35 cents.

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FOREIGN MISSIONS.

THE NINTH ANNUAL CONVENTION

Of the Women's Presbyterial Mission Society of this Presbytery—Their Interesting Exercises Yesterday at the Second Presbyterian Church.

The ninth annual meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbytery of Washington, which embraces the Presbyterian churches of this city, commenced yesterday morning in the Second Presbyterian church, on the South Side. There was a good attendance both of ladies from the city societies and from the auxiliary societies and bands connected with churches in other places. The number from other places was not as large as had been anticipated, the cause doubtless being the very disagreeable weather and the bad condition of the roads in the country districts. It is expected that there will be several new arrivals at to-day's session.

Among those present as delegates and visitors from outside the city were the following:

Washington, Pa.—Mesdames Eaton, Davis, E. W. Day, Margaret Woods, Speer, J. L. Brownson, Hamilton, Johnson and Kirk, and Misses Speer, M. Grayson, Jennie Baird, N. Sherrard, Graham, Wilson, Brown, Christman, Kirk and Thompson.

Mt. Pleasant, Pa.—Mrs. Dr. Reynolds and Miss Sue Smith.

West Alexander, Pa.—Mrs. Dr. Woods and Miss Annie Bonar.

Elm Grove, W. Va.—Mrs. A. Davis, Mrs. R. Carter and Vice Presidents Mrs. Dr. Storer and Mrs. L. Grier.

West Liberty, W. Va.—Misses Jennie Rodgers, Hannah Eagleson and Hettie Curtis.

Holliday's Cove, W. Va.—Mrs. J. Orr, Mrs. W. F. Lee and Miss Lucy McConnell.

Buffalo, Pa.—Miss Dell Herron, Miss Belle M. Work and Miss Scott.

Wellsburg, W. Va.—Mrs. Braddock, Mrs. Scott and Mrs. E. Paull.

Claysville, Pa.—Miss Fannie Noble, Mrs. T. B. Craigh and Mrs. John Gourley.

Moundsville, W. Va.—Mrs. J. L. Parkinson and Mrs. Holliday.

Prosperity, Upper Ten Mile, Pa.—Mrs. McDonald, Misses Sadie Minton, Annie McVay and Wier.

New Cumberland, W. Va.—Mrs. Smith Greer and Miss Bertha McClane.

Paris Pa.—Mrs. J. R. Hooker and Miss Mary Campbell.

Upper Buffalo, Pa.—Mrs. Norton, Miss Clark, Mrs. Truschel.

Waynesburg, Pa.—Mrs. Brooks.

THE MORNING SESSION.

Mrs. D. A. Cunningham, of this city, President of the Society, presided at the morning session, which was opened at 11 o'clock with devotional exercises, led by Mrs. J. L. Brownson, of Washington. An Address of Welcome, written by Mrs. Samuel Laughlin, of this city, was read by Mrs. E. J. Paull, of Wellsburg, and Mrs. H. Woods, of Washington, responded to the warm and hearty sentiments it contained. The report of the Treasurer, Miss Jennie Baird, of Washington, Pa., was then read. The first year the Society was in existence $1,647 45 was contributed to the cause; during the year just past over $4,191 was contributed, showing a very gratifying increase financially. The report of Miss M. Grayson, the Presbyterial Secretary, showed over thirty-five auxiliary societies and forty children's bands in active operation at this time. The Presbyterial Society was started with only twenty auxiliaries. The bands during the past year have contributed over $1,000. Miss Grayson's report gave information concerning every auxiliary society and band.

The report of the foreign work of the Society, written by Mrs. W. H. Lester, of West Alexander, who was unable to be present, was read by Mrs. Dr. Woods. The Society is assisting missionaries in India, China and Syria, and doing some work in Africa and Persia. The report was a very interesting one. The committees on Nominations, Resolutions and Place of Meeting were appointed; the chairmen are Miss Sherrard, Mrs. Eaton and Mrs. Brownson, respectively, all of Washington. These committees will report to-day.

THE AFTERNOON.

The afternoon session was called to order at 2:15 o'clock, Mrs. L. Greer, Vice-President, of Elm Grove, presiding. Miss Fannie M. Noble, of Claysville, a recent graduate of the Woman's Medical College, who intends going abroad as a missionary, read a very entertaining report about the medical mission work of the Society. Mrs. C. L. Williams' address was entitled, "What Shall I Read?" and had a bearing on missionary literature.

Mrs. E. D. Ledyard, of Steubenville, read a paper—"Encouragement from the 'Word' and 'Field'"—that was very highly spoken of by every one who had the good fortune to listen to it.

Addresses by Missionaries closed the session. Mrs. Johnson spoke in a very interesting manner about India. Mrs. Alexander was not able to be present, but her husband read a letter from her and told of the work in Persia, from whence he has recently returned. He is a medical missionary and his talk was a splendid one. He is at present visiting relatives at Roney's Point. Miss Fannie Corbett was to have told about China, but deferred speaking until to-day. Miss J. R. Carleton was down for an address on India, but was not present, being engaged in hospital study at Staten Island.

Last evening a popular meeting was held, at which Rev. Dr. W. H. Cooke, pastor of the Second church, presided. The exercises opened with a voluntary by a selected choir. Dr. Cooke read the Scriptures, and Rev. Dr. Cunningham, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, offered prayer.

ADDRESSES LAST NIGHT.

The first speaker was Rev. Dr. W. Speer of Washington, Pa., a former missionary to China and ex-Secretary of the Board of Education of the Foreign Missionary Society. He spoke of the lessons to be learned from seeds and drew many pleasing illustrations and parallels. Rev. Dr. J. D. Moffat, president of the Washington-Jefferson College, spoke of the place woman's work for woman has in the missionary field. Dr. Moffat, as he is at all times, was practical and pointed in his remarks and held the close attention of the audience, that comfortably filled the edifice. While comparing the time, thought and money devoted to the causes and showing by the comparison how little the missionary cause received, he did not underestimate the great work the ladies were doing and paid them a deserved tribute.

To-day's session will commence at 9:30 o'clock. An hour, from 11 to 12 o'clock, will be devoted to the young people, and in connection with interesting talks about foreign lands many curios will be shown. Officers will be elected and the meeting concluded. All are cordially invited to be present.

WHY, Jones, what a ho(a)rse you have in your throat?" "Yes, I raised it from a col(d)t in my head. I've too much live stock." "Well, like cures like, Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup will cure you. The Bull will quickly scare the ho(a)rse away."

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THINGS THEATRICAL.

Miss Olcott's Company here—Minstrels Home—The Florences.

The sale of reserved seats will begin at Baumer's music store this morning for the engagement of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Florence at the Opera House Friday and Saturday evenings and Saturday afternoon. On Friday evening Mr. Florence's great play, "Our Governor," will be presented. This is an American political satire, and is generally conceded to be the equal of "The Mighty Dollar," which will be presented Saturday afternoon with Florence as *Bardwell Slote* and Mrs. Florence as *Mrs. Gilflory*. Saturday night John Brougham's version of Dickens's "Dombey & Son" will be the play, Mr. Florence being *Capt. Cuttle*.

A QUIET PLACE TO REST.

Miss Lillian Olcott, who appears next Monday and Tuesday evenings at the Opera House, was obliged to be in New York on business this week, and so the company is resting. They arrived yesterday and are at the McLure house. They made a wise choice of a resting place, for if there is a duller, sleepier place in the country than Wheeling is now, it must be a graveyard.

Bella Moore, supported by Frank Hennig and a stronger company than when she was here before, will be at the Opera House April 14.

THE MINSTRELS HOME.

The minstrel company which was organized here and took the road a few weeks ago returned to the city yesterday. A report was in circulation that they walked from Fairmont, but this the boys deny. They say they came home to secure a better band, and have secured the Academy of Music to give a performance Saturday night, after which they will take the road again, stronger than before. Tip O'Keefe, the star of the company, who was one of the end men of the "Chestnuts," was tendered an informal reception in the McLure lobby, where he had the hardihood to appear last night, and everybody cracked on him such chestnuts as, "Are your feet sore?" "How many ties are there between here and Fairmont?" "Where are your diamonds?"

WEST VIRGINIA TOBACCO.

The Best Bright Leaf in the Country grown in Fayette County.

West Virginia lumber, West Virginia wool, West Virginia coal, West Virginia nails, are known far and wide. The importance of West Virginia as a tobacco growing State is not, however, generally known. Said a local dealer to an INTELLIGENCER reporter the other day: "Do you know that the best bright tobacco grown on this continent is raised in this State?"

The reporter, taken by surprise, admitted he did not.

"Here are some facts that may interest you," said the dealer, and he showed a copy of the *Western Tobacco Journal*. A correspondent of that journal sets up the claim that Fayette county, W. Va., all things considered, has no superior in the United States for the production of tobacco, and that, too, of the finest and best qualities. To establish this claim he quotes from market quotations for other bright tobaccos, and gives some sales of last year's crop by Fayette growers. Maryland tobacco, fancy grade, is quoted at $11 to $14 per hundred pounds; Ohio, best, $11 to $18; Kentucky, choice, $10 to $12; Virginia, selected lots, $10 to $15; Wisconsin "Havana," $10 to $12.

The flue-cured crop of Fayette county, now being sold, will average nearer $20 than any other figures. One or two crops went at from $26 to $27, and one crop made an average of nearly $30. Fayette growers raise of such tobacco from 800 to 1,200 pounds per acre.

A firm of Richmond dealers send the following: The Exchange auction books show (January 21, 1886) J. S. Hawkins' crop of five packages of tobacco from Oak Hill, Fayette county, as bringing the following prices: No. 3 at $26 50 to Allen & Ginter; No. 1 at $22 50 to W. H. Jones; No. 4 at $36 00 to Straus & Raab; No. 2 at $39 00 to Straus & Raab; No. 5 at $53 00 to J. B. Pace Company, and averaged $33 60 crop round.

This comparison of figures must strike the average reader very hard. West Virginia is a small State, but she has some strong points.

Nail Mill Notes.

Secretary Chew, of the United Nailers, says all the talk about conferences between mills here and their old workmen are without foundation so far as he knows. Of course if the nailers sought a conference the manufacturers would not try to keep it from the public, and the converse is equally true.

A roll was broken at the Mingo works Monday. The Brilliant nail works will start up to-day on steel nails.

The Jefferson iron works have their forge, blasting furnaces and forty-two machines in operation, and are making about nineteen hundred kegs of steel nails per week. They report that they have not had a complaint concerning the quality of the nails manufactured since they began on the seventeen-cent scale. A nailer and son from Illinois started to work at the Jefferson Monday.

"Said Aaron to Moses
Let's cut off our noses."

Aaron must have been suffering from catarrh. The desperation which catarrh produces is often sufficient to make people say and do many rash things and many continue suffering just as if no such cure as Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy existed. It cures every case from the simplest to the most complicated, and all the consequences of catarrh. A person once cured by Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will not be apt to take cold again, as it leaves the mucous membranes healthy and strong. By druggists.

A LARGE variety of good and cheap trunks, satchels and harness at J. H. Hall's, 1133 Main street.

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Medical examinations made at the office free of charge. For further information enquire at the office, second floor front, Reilly block, entrance No. 1321 Market street.

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THE stock of Hats, Caps and Gents' Furnishing Goods at Noble Bros.' new store, in the McLure House building, is complete.

Dame Fortune Favors Poor Annie Smith

who is a colored cook and washer, at 113 Liberty street, was the lucky holder of one-fifth of the ticket in The Louisiana State Lottery which drew the first capital prize of $75,000 on Tuesday, Feb. 9. In a quiet way, she said: "My name is Annie Smith. I am 40 years of age and a widow; borne at Monroe, La. My attention was attracted to a ticket—No. 57,705. The combination pleased me, I purchased one-fifth for the sum of $1. I called at the office of the company and was told that I had won $15,000." She has no children living and is alone in the world.—*New Orleans (La.) Picayune*, Feb. 13. DAW

EDWARD L. ROSE & Co. having purchased the interests of the Howe S. M. Co. and secured the State agency for the Standard Sewing Machine, will keep a full line of Howes and the elegant, swift easy running Standard, with its perfect attachments and handsome woodwork. Dont fail to see the the Standard. See advertisement on another page.

THIEVES CAPTURED.

A PRECIOUS ZANESVILLE PAIR

Run in at Bellaire After Several Days Sojourn Here—A Colored Burglar's White Companion—A West Liberty Chicken Thief Jailed in Numerous Cases.

Last Sunday there arrived in this city a couple who quickly attracted attention. The man was a young darkey, tall and slim, and the woman white and about thirty years old, not bad looking, and pretty well dressed. Their manner aroused suspicion, but nothing was known about them till yesterday, when Deputy Marshal Welsh, of Zanesville, Ohio, arrived in Wheeling, looking for a young colored man named James H. Coleman, who was wanted at Zanesville for burglary. Coleman's description answered that of the man who had been seen here, and when the white woman was referred to, Welsh was positive this was his man. Officer Dunlap learned that the couple had gone over to Bellaire, and Coleman's pursuer followed. Yesterday afternoon a telephone message was received from Marshal Burke, of Bellaire, to the effect that Coleman had been captured.

Coleman is accused of entering the residence of a prominent citizen of Zanesville and stealing several hundred dollars worth of clothing and household articles. The woman who accompanied him here is said to be a married woman of Zanesville, respectably connected in that neighborhood.

SHEPHERD COMES BACK.

Wholesale Thieving near West Liberty Charged to him.

Recently Henry Shepherd, who lives at or near West Liberty, completed a term of imprisonment in the county jail for the offense of unlawful shooting, he having filled the person of a cousin, with whom he was not on friendly terms, pretty full of shot from a fowling piece. Yesterday Shepherd was again lodged in jail, with eight or ten commitments to keep him there. He was arraigned before one of the justices of Liberty district on the charge of stealing chickens from about all of his neighbors who had chickens to steal. He was committed in default of bail in each case.

The residents of West Liberty and the country around have been annoyed constantly by chicken stealing for some time past, and they believe that Shepherd was guilty of most of it.

Maurice Cohn's Defense.

Maurice Cohn, who attempted to kill J. M. Warthen, and failing, tried to take his own life, has entirely recovered from his suicidal shot, except an occasional pain in his head and trouble with his left eye. He is still in the county jail, but it is probable that he will soon demand and receive a preliminary hearing at the hands of Squire Caldwell, the justice who committed him. The members of a Hebrew benevolent society to which he belongs have raised a purse and retained Col. Arnett to defend Cohn. He has never yet said anything as to his motives.

MRS. HENRY WARD BEECHER uses and gives away over three hundred Allcock's Porous Plasters every year. She writes that she has found them a "genuine relief for most of the aches and pains which flesh is heir to." Hon. Samuel A. Randall said that they cured him of inflammation of the kidneys when everything else failed, and cured him of a severe cold that threatened to run into pneumonia. Hon. James W. Husted writes that they cured his son of chronic rheumatism and relieved him of serious pulmonary troubles. MWFAW

Mr. Parnell is said to be the personification of patriotism and patience.

Very Remarkable Recovery.

Mr. Geo. V. Willing, of Manchester, Mich., writes: "My wife has been almost helpless for five years, so helpless that she could not turn over in bed alone. She used two Bottles of Electric Bitters, and is so much improved, that she is able now to do her own work."

Electric Bitters will do all that is claimed for them. Hundreds of testimonials attest their great curative powers. Only fifty cents a bottle at Logan & Co.'s. MWFAW

Use the surest remedy for catarrh—Dr. Sage.

The girl who is an expert bowler is not afraid to shake hands with a dude.

"How are we ever going to get through our spring and summer's work? We are all run down, tired out before it begins." So say many a farmer's family. We answer, go to your druggist, and pay five dollars for six bottles of Ayre's Sarsaparilla. This is just the medicine you need, and will pay compound interest on the investment. DAW

Baltimore & Ohio Limited.

Every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday an extra section of the Baltimore & Ohio limited express, sleeper attached, will run from Wheeling to Chicago without change.

RIVER NEWS.

Stage of the Water and Movements of the Steamboats.

Capt. William Oaks, of Wellsburg, is standing a watch at the wheel of the Jim Brown on her way up with empties.

The Andes got away at late hour last evening. She had on board a big lot of freight and quite a list of passengers.

The Katie Stockdale passed down yesterday and the General Pike up. The Pike was several hours behind time, not having recovered all the time lost on her last trip. Both packets had all the freight they could handle.

Capt. Dode Berry has sold the little steamer T. D. Dale to Capt. Ossie Stowe, who will place her in the Marietta and Beverly trade, in the place of the George Stricker, which boat was badly damaged recently by fire, and came near going up in smoke. The Stricker is being repaired at Marietta and will soon be ready for business again.

The boats of the coal fleet continue to pass every day. Those that got out first on the recent rise have managed to reach home and are passing with more coal and the others are making their way up with all speed. The lower markets have been stocked with enough coal, counting in what is yet to go down on this water, to keep them supplied for several months to come.

The new ferry boat for the upper ferry is about completed and if the inspector arrives to-day steam will be raised to-morrow. The boat has been built here in this city and will be run by A. Flaherty. The starting up of the ferry will be glad news to the people across the river who have been obliged to come down along one of the worst roads in existence to the middle ferry to get to the city.—*Steubenville Gazette.*

The W. N. Chancellor is due up to-day, enroute from Charleston to Pittsburgh. This popular packet will pass here on her return trip at an early hour Friday morning, and shippers are requested to have their freight for her on the levee by to-morrow evening. The Chancellor is a good reliable packet and has become a fixed necessity in her trade. Capt. Ed Chancellor is as courteous a master, and Ira Huntington as obliging a clerk, as there are to be found on the upper Ohio.

The river rose about three feet at this point yesterday. The marks last evening indicated a depth in the channel of over 16 feet, and was still rising. At Pittsburgh last evening there was a depth reported of 11 feet 6 inches. The indications are that last night's steady rain was a general one, and if this was so another good sized rise may be looked for, which will enable more coal to go down. Already over 2,000,000 bushels are loaded at Pittsburgh waiting for the steamers to return and take it out.

THROUGH THE STATE.

Accidents and Incidents in West Virginia and Vicinity.

The nomination of A. N. Williams to be postmaster at Parkersburg has been confirmed by the Senate.

Hon. Henry S. Walker has accepted the invitation of the students of Marshall College to deliver the annual oration at their commencement in June.

Jeff Irwin, of Steubenville, who has held a position on the Capitol police force at Washington for some years, has been requested to resign. He is a Republican.

The Ten-Mile Oil and Gas Company, of Washington, Pa., has located its first well near Johnson station, on the Waynesburg and Washington road, in an entirely new territory.

Parkersburg and her Board of Improvement have evinced a strong desire to secure the new Marine Hospital designed for Gallipolis and which Point Pleasant is anxious to have located there.

Mr. Clarence L. Smith, of Fairmont, a well known Democratic politician, has been appointed by Governor Wilson a Regent of the State University to fill an unexpired term, commencing July 25.

The co-partnership in the business management and proprietorship of the Greenbrier *Independent* which has existed for nearly thirteen years between B. F. Harlow and George T. Argabrite is to be dissolved.

The citizens of New Cumberland and vicinity are preparing to render material assistance to W. A. Atkinson Post No. 18, G. A. R. in entertaining visiting comrades at the dedication of the soldiers monument to take place there May 29.

The Mason County *Gazette* printing office has been sold by Mr. James Menager, trustee, to Lon T. Pritchard, a rising young attorney of Clifton, for $425. It will be conducted by him, and its politics will be as heretofore, Republican.

Elmer Clark, lodged in jail at Washington, Pa., Friday night for an assault upon two colored girls while on their way to church, one of whom was shot in the groin, was yesterday held in the sum of $2,000 bail, in default of which he was remanded to jail.

At the sale of personal property of the late Edmund Thomas, deceased, in Charters township, on the 25th inst, 10,000 pounds of wool, embracing eleven clips, sold at 26½ cents, straight; cattle averaged $20; sheep, $2 50a3 00; wheat, $1; oats, 50 cents.—*Washington Reporter.*

Mrs. Tallman Hooker, living in Hancock county, was terribly gored by a vicious steer. The animal attacked her while she was on her way to the dairy, threw her to the ground and bruised her terribly with his horns. The woman was insensible when rescued, and is in a precarious condition.

The stockholders of the Barnsville District Fair Association have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, George E. Hilles; Vice-President, H. Brady; Treasurer, E. S. Ely; Secretary, Dr. George H. Kemp. August 24th, 25th, 26th and 27th was set as the time for the next fair.

The Parkersburg *State Journal* says: "The blackmailer is abroad in the city again, and this time it is a prominent and aged citizen who is the recipient of the attentions. It is more than likely that some one will pay a protracted visit to the State Hotel at Moundsville before this nefarious business is closed up."

Hugh Graham, of Point Pleasant, had J. G. Stortz discount for him a draft on the Sheriff amounting to $20. Stortz left it on his desk and some one stole it. Having Graham's indorsement, it was of course negotiable. Monday a youth appeared in the office of J. S. Whitten, a young attorney, and disposed of it. Whitten having purchased several drafts from Graham, took it for granted that everything was regular until Stortz made known his loss, and Whitten found he had been taken in.

Martin's Ferry.

The Masons will have a special meeting in their hall this evening.

Joseph Baily, of Flushing, an infirmary director, was in town yesterday.

Dr. Hobensack and the McCue Bros. will have telephones put in this week.

J. W. Phoebus has purchased a bycicle and was experimenting with it last evening.

J. H. Drennen has sued this city for $2,500, the amount of damages he claims for dirt being graded away from his lot.

Dr. W. E. Hervey has been appointed by the infirmary directors as the physician for Martin's Ferry and vicinity.

Mr. A. J. Van Pelt, the efficient telegraph operator, is on the sick list. His place is being filled by K. M. Rine, of Brilliant.

A literary entertainment will be given at Lancaster Chapel to-morrow evening. The Fairview full orchestra will furnish the music on this occasion.

The masquerade ball at A. C. Cochran's, west of town, Monday night, was a grand success. It was given in honor of the fifteenth birthday of his daughter.

The suit J. M. Kislow against N. Schulz, for the recovery of a small amount of money on cigars, was tried before Squire Mitchell yesterday. The case was so complicated that the Squire reserved his decision until to-day.

Yesterday afternoon a good-sized dog undertook to outrun a Cleveland & Pittsburgh engine, and the result was that a canine corpse lay in front of the postoffice building, after a contest of two hundred yards. A vote of thanks was extended the engineer, with a recommendation that the company present him with a chromo.

Queen Victoria's yacht Osborne is to be given $20,000 worth of repairs.

Baltimore Live Stock Market.

OFFICE OF THE CALVERTON LIVE STOCK YARDS, MONDAY, March 29, 1886.

RECEIPTS OF THE WEEK.

Beeves	885
Sheep and lambs	1,940
Swine	4,579
Total	7,404

[The quotations given in our live stock reports are those of the retail market, except when otherwise stated.]

PRICES OF BEEF CATTLE AT THE MARKET THIS WEEK.

Very best on sale to-day	5¼a5¾c
Those generally rated first quality	4½a5 c
Medium or good fair quality	4 a4½c
Ordinary thin steers, oxen and cows	2 a3½c
Extreme range of prices	2 a5¾c
Most of the sales were from	4 a5½c

REMARKS ON BEEF CATTLE.

The arrivals during the week amounted to 885 head, against 985 last week and 1,297 head the corresponding week of last year, and the sales were 786 head, against 650 last week and 812 head the same period last year.

The offerings were rather more numerous than they were last Monday, though the receipts were less than they were then. Their average quality was quite as good, if not better, there being a few more and better tops. Prices ranged at 2a5¾c, at which latter figure Meyers & Houteman sold a very superior bunch to Adam Appel. Most sales were made at 4a5½c, and few under 3c.

THE SWINE MARKET.

Arrivals this week	4,579
Arrivals last week	4,185
Arrivals one year ago	5,402

REMARKS.

There is a slight increase in the number of the offerings over the record of last week, and an improvement in the general quality as compared with the offerings then. Prices are higher than they were last week, as anticipated in our report last Thursday, being an actual advance in values, considering the improved quality of the receipts. Quotations range from 5¾ to 6½c for rough hogs, and the better grades 6¼a6½c, with few sales under 6c, most sales ranging from 6¼ to 6½c net. Same time last year hogs sold at 6¼c net.

THE SHEEP MARKET.

Arrivals this week	1,940
Arrivals last week	2,824
Arrivals one year ago	4,288

REMARKS.

Trade was fair this week for the better grades and very dull for those of a common order. The tops were of a better average grade than they were last week. The offerings were not quite as numerous as they were last week and about equal to the needs of the butchers. We quote wool sheep at 2¼a3½c, and a few extra at 4½c; the balance of the lot for which the latter sale were made were reshipped East. Sheared sheep sold at 3½a4c. Same time last year sheep sold at 3a5½c gross.

ARRIVALS OF LIVE STOCK.

At Claremont Stock Yards, on Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, for week ending March 28.

93 cars, containing 885 cattle, 27 calves, 810 sheep, 4,579 hogs, 111 mules, 192 horses. Shipments to New York, Philadelphia, &c., 285 cattle, 3 calves, 104 sheep, 118 hogs, 46 mules, 77 horses. Sales for the week to butchers and dealers, 116 cattle, 109 hogs and 5 calves.

BELLAIRE.

Industrial, Personal, Church and other Newsy Notes.

P. T. King is in the East.

The debate on baptism seems not likely to take place.

Mrs. DeWitt Danford left yesterday for a visit to relatives in Kansas.

The safe of the Crystal window glass company is being raised to a car.

Will Feeley has gone to Wisconsin to work in the Bay View nail works.

Two emigrant trains went west yesterday over the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

A two-story frame addition is being built to the Erie house, in the Second ward.

Guy Walling, telegraph operator of the C. & P., will be transferred to Earlville station.

The work of unloading cross-ties for the Pennsylvania company has begun here for the season.

Miss Bessie Miller was seized with a fainting spell while reciting a lesson with the graduating class of the school Monday evening.

John W. Campbell, shipping clerk at the Bottle Works, has been appointed chief clerk under D. W. Cooper, at the Postoffice.

Dr. J. Park West has been given the year's contract for furnishing medicine and his professional services to the poor of this township