

THE COUNTY BOARD

Holds Its Regular Monthly Meeting for Routine Work.

LARGE AMOUNT OF MONEY PAID

On Recommendation of the Committee, Mr. Irwin Wants to Have a United States Gunboat Named for Wheeling.

Nothing of a Specially Startling Character Turns Up at the Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of county commissioners was held yesterday. There was very little done out of the regular routine.

Resolved, That the secretary of the navy be, and he is hereby most earnestly and respectfully requested to name one of the new gun boats "Wheeling" in honor of our city.

Resolved, That the senators of the United States from West Virginia, the delegates in Congress from our state, and the Hon. William L. Wilson, postmaster general, be, and they are hereby requested to lend their aid to the accomplishment of the matter stated in the preceding resolution.

Resolved, That the president of this board shall transmit certified copies of the foregoing preamble and these resolutions to the secretary of the navy and the officials named in the last preceding resolution.

Bills recommended from the various committees were ordered paid, as follows: Court house and jail, \$30 65; France, \$779 95; poor house and farm, \$611 95; contingent poor fund, \$1,118 53; roads and bridges, \$720 70.

The sheriff was ordered to be credited with \$13,115 86, the amount paid out by him on county orders.

The court house and jail committee reported that the jail was secure and all right.

The superintendent of the infirmary reported 123 inmates in February, the largest number on record.

Bids were opened for services as physician at the county jail, including the furnishing of medicine, and the contract was awarded to Dr. W. P. McGrath.

A number of bonds of new road supervisors, constables and other officials were approved and the board was done.

WARSHIPS NEEDED

To Guard American Interests at Corinto, War is Sure.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, March 1, via Galveston, Texas.—Reports received here indicate that the presence of a war vessel of the United States at Corinto is very much needed.

The German minister to Guatemala, Herr V. Von Bergen, has sent a cable dispatch to United States Minister Lewis Baker, urging that peace be declared in Nicaragua and the differences which have led to the outbreak settled.

Mr. Baker has replied that diplomatic interference will not be accepted here, and that war alone can settle the differences that have arisen.

To Investigate Alabama.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 2.—The senate committee on privileges and elections by a strict party vote decided today to report a substitute for the resolution introduced by Senator Allen asking for an investigation into the election methods in Alabama.

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Special Dispatch to the Intelligencer. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 2.—J. H. Moore has been appointed postmaster at Montrose, Randolph county, vice J. G. Coherly, removed. The contract for carrying the United States mails from Canaan to Selbyville has been awarded to H. Riley, of Camden, Ky., and from Mayton, Annandale, to F. Shilling, of Washington, D. C.

Thanks for Sherman. PARIS, March 1.—The Cuban colony here has telegraphed its thanks to Senator John Sherman, chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations, for his speech in the senate in support of the concurrent resolution on the Cuban question.

SHERMAN CONFESSES

The Man who Assailed Little Lulu Wetherell Makes a Scene.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE INTELLIGENCER. PARKERSBURG, W. Va., March 2.—James Sherman, who was brought here from Uniontown, charged with assaulting little Lulu Wetherell, in this city in January, has confessed to Luther Hawkins, a fellow prisoner, that he is the man who did the deed.

Sherman cursed everybody. An immense crowd was attracted, but the doors to the office were locked. When the officers were fastening the rope around his neck, he yelled: "Put it to his neck!" The officers soon quelled such exciting speech and warned the crowd not to lay hands upon the prisoner. There is great feeling here now, as it is felt Sherman is the right man beyond a doubt.

No general uprising is feared, though such might occur.

King Made Receiver. PITTSBURGH, Pa., March 2.—Upon application of the Mercantile Trust Company, Thomas M. King, second vice president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad company, was appointed receiver of the Pittsburgh & Western Railroad.

The bill by Judge Buffington, of the United States circuit court, of the application for a receiver alleges that the defendant company has an outstanding indebtedness in bonds, mortgages, etc., of \$16,240,000.

The Pittsburgh & Western railway is a part of the Baltimore system running from Pittsburgh to Chicago. The receiver is required to give a bond of \$250,000.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES

Clarington...JEWEL, 3:30 p. m. Parkersburg...BEN HUR, 11 p. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY. Cincinnati...VIRGINIA, 8 a. m. Pittsburgh...H. K. BEDFORD, 8 a. m.

Parkersburg...LIBERTY, 11 a. m. Matamoros...LEXINGTON, 11 a. m. Clarington...JEWEL, 3:30 p. m.

BOATS LEAVING TO-MORROW. Pittsburgh...BEN HUR, 8 a. m. Charleston...RUTH, 8 a. m.

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Along the Landing. The Lexington arrived from Matamoros early in the evening with a good trip.

The Ruth will be here to-morrow morning for Charleston and Kanawha river points.

Ice caused the Charleston to go to the bank yesterday morning. She will resume to-day.

The marks at 6 p. m. showed 10 feet 3 inches and rising slowly. Weather colder and cloudy.

A force of men are at work on the Wheeling airport packet Evansville, at the public landing. She will enter her trade about the middle of next week.

The Zanesville packet Lorena, is to resume this week. She will be here Wednesday night for Pittsburgh, and will return for Muskingum river points on next Sunday morning.

The ice from the Allegheny is now passing Wheeling. It is not very thick but is unusually heavy. The packets that passed up on Sunday went through the worst of it before reaching Pittsburgh.

On account of the ice the Ben Hur did not leave Pittsburgh until 11 o'clock yesterday morning. She reached Wheeling last night at 11 o'clock and departed half an hour later for Parkersburg with a good trip.

From the present indications it appears that the congressional committee will see the river when it is rather high. It was thought desirable to have the statements here when the stream was lower. It is a desire that will not be gratified.

The Keystone State will be up on Thursday and down on Saturday; the Hudson up on Sunday and down on Tuesday. The Virginia will lay over at Cincinnati to get on her regular day. As soon as possible the other boats will be on their scheduled.

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NEW ORLEANS RACES.

Prince Imperial Won the Louisiana Handicap by a Length.

NEW ORLEANS, March 2.—Eighty-sixth day racing. Weather fair; track fast. Summaries: First, purse \$250, for four-year-olds and upwards, selling; mile and a half—Rosmore won riding out, by a length; Nicolini second; Terrapin third. Time, 1:48.

Second, purse \$200, for three-year-olds and upwards, selling; one mile—Mopsey won driving, by a neck; Black Ball second; Equinox third. Time, 1:43.

Third, purse \$250, for four-year-olds and upwards, selling; six furlongs—Hi Henry won cleverly, by a length and a half; Cossack second; Howling Green third. Time, 1:13 1/4.

Fourth, the Louisiana handicap, purse \$500, for three-year-olds and upwards, selling; Prince Imperial won driving, by a length; Jim Flood second; David third. Time, 1:27 1/4.

Fifth, purse \$250, selling; seven furlongs—Masonic Home won handily, by a length; Queen Bess second; Midstar third. Time, 1:28 1/4.

Sixth, purse \$250, for four-year-olds and upwards, selling; mile and sixteenth—Panway won driving, by a head; Master Fred second; Spendoline third. Time, 1:48 1/4.

To-day's Entries. Three-fourth mile, selling—Mary Nanoe 9; Bon Solr, Twelve Fifty, Raffie Boy, Fiddler, Billy Kenny 10; Maxima 10; Pent, Waterman, Fondest, Cochina 10; Honor 10.

One-half mile and two yards—Able H., Masquerade, Clematis, Substitution 9; Bonnie Belle, Dot C., Embryo 10; Merry Not, Ironstone, Doc Turberville, Rottaler 10.

Three-fourth mile, handicap—Romance 10; Elsie Ferguson 9; George Smith 9; Winchester 9; Bloomer 11; Mame G. 10; Gladia 8; Sarcine 10; Judge Dubose 10; Fritzie 10; Pan-out 10.

One-fourth mile, handicap—Wedgfield 10; Cynthia 9; Terrapin, Four Knight 9; Midstar 10; Clarus 10; Uncle Jim 9; Dockstader, Le Banjo 10.

Five—Sedena 8; Trine C. 9; Al Miles 8; Bright 9; Bet 10; Lady Unde 10; Jimmie, Tamerlang, Bankrupt, Jubilee 10; Play or Pay 12; Weaverman 12.

Three-fourth mile, selling—Bessie Stebbins, Mainroad, Society, Coranda, Belle Groves 9; Charles Daly, Hilary Riggs, Taylor Banks, Ferryman II, Ed Dandridge, On Seabrook 10; E. Ball 11.

HOUSEHOLD DEMONS.

That is the Name a Man G v s I is Wife's Plithora of Brics-a-brac.

"I wonder if you women realize how many of your household gods are household demons?" remarked a man proppos of a conversation on rest cures.

"It is my idea that the American housewife is fairly hurried to her grave by an overdose of brics-a-brac.

"I have a genuine love for the artistic and the ornamental," continued the masculine speaker, "but I would far rather live within four ungarlished walls than see my wife forever on the warpath after the dust with a whisk broom in one hand and a polishing cloth in the other. Rest cures! I should think they were needed. I don't pretend to be up in household lore, but I do know that the average housekeeper, with the average means for aid, must be on the jump from morning till night looking after her belongings.

"You are right," was a woman's reply. "Why, the mere fittings of the gullees-looking little tea table which had such a rage for awhile were enough to keep one woman busy most of her time putting them in order. China to free from dust, cracker jar, bonbonniere, tea caddies, kettle to burnish, spoons to be rubbed!

"And this is just an item. The use of ruged floors, calling for a daily polish; our cozy corners with the draughts; the cushions; plants that must have a daily grooming; bibelot shells and china presses laden with display ware must have a watchful housekeeper's eye turned upon them every day in the week if they would be in perfect trim.

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A Sore

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Foot

is now well and I have been greatly benefited otherwise. I have increased in weight and am in better health. I cannot say enough in praise of Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. H. BLAKE, So. Berwick, Me. This and other similar cures prove that

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CEO. W. ROBINSON ANNOUNCES HIMSELF AS A CANDIDATE FOR Clerk of the Circuit Court of Ohio Co. Subject to Republican Primary Election. Your support is solicited. Feb 28

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