

RELIGIOUS DIRECTORY.

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LOST.

LOST--MINIATURE--In the streets of Cincinnati, or on a railroad car, a small miniature, in brown morocco case, about two inches square. Any person finding the same, by leaving it at the STAR OFFICE, or with any citizen of Delhi, who will readily recognize the picture, will be amply rewarded for the same. [au5-30-41f]

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From Chicago.

Looking After the Railroads--Lost in a Yacht--By the Flood, &c. &c. CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, August 7.

The Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners will visit Chicago next week to look into the reported irregularity of the delivering of freight by the railroads centering in this city.

Lloyd McFarland, who left the city the night of the 25th, intending to sail a few miles for pleasure. They were found washed to the mast of the yacht, which had capsized during the gale, and Miller was dead, while Fish is scarcely more than alive.

The amount of damage wrought by the recent flood will never be estimated with any degree of accuracy. It is thought the losses in Missouri will figure up \$12,000,000. Much depends, however, upon the weather yet to come.

LAST EDITION.

Terrible Explosion.

About Forty Lives Lost, and the Building Literally Torn to Atoms.

PHILADELPHIA, August 7.--A dreadful calamity occurred at Bridesburg Arsenal this morning at 9:30 o'clock. A terrible explosion occurred which was heard for a considerable distance.

The building in which the explosion occurred was literally blown to pieces. Between thirty and forty lives were lost. The greatest excitement prevails over the accident, the cause of which is yet unknown.

Bridesburg, where the explosion occurred, is located four or five miles out of town in the Twenty-third ward, on Frankfort creek, near the mouth of the Delaware. The explosion created a terrible excitement in the neighborhood. Most of the people reside on the opposite side of the creek. The arsenal was in command of Col. A. J. Treadwell.

The explosion occurred in the laboratory of the arsenal. There were twenty-five persons in the room at the time, all of whom were badly injured.

LATER. PHILADELPHIA, 2 P. M.--The indications that the first results of the explosion were greatly exaggerated. There were twenty-five persons in the laboratory at the time, all boys, and of these three were killed and the others wounded, some of them probably fatally.

From the Metropolis.

Cardinal McCloskey--Hanged--Mr. Beecher.

NEW YORK, August 7.--Cardinal McCloskey left for Europe at 9 A. M. to-day. All the priests and Archbishops of his diocese accompanied him to the steamer to bid him adieu.

He expects to return about the middle of November. When he arrives in Rome he will present the Pope twenty thousand dollars in gold, the gift of the Catholics of the Diocese of New York.

A special from Elcho Court-house, Charleston, S. C., says Alfred Walker, the notorious desperado, was hanged there, yesterday, for the murder of Rev. J. H. Miller, a Methodist preacher, in April last. Walker confessed to having committed the murder.

A dispatch from the White Mountains says there is a rumor in circulation in the hotel in which Mr. Beecher is stopping, that Francis D. Moulton has been in consultation with General Butler, and that the result of their consultation is a partially perfected plan to bring action against Beecher in that country for perjury, in swearing to his reply to the Elliot suit last year at Middletown. Mr. Beecher has introduced in the hotel the feature of morning prayers, which will be continued during the time he remains.

News.

ALBANY, N. Y., August 7.--A fire on Delaware avenue burned a dwelling house owned by Michael J. Darlin, causing a loss of about \$2,500. Insurance, \$15,000. There was also a slight damage caused by fire last evening at Woodruff & Co.'s lime and cement manufactory, 183 Broadway.

TRENTON, N. J., August 7.--The barn of Frank Hunt, at North Branch, N. J., was struck by lightning and the building and contents burned. Loss, \$6,000. No insurance.

Rain Where it was Needed.

MADISON, Wis., August 7.--The protracted drought in this section was broken by copious rain yesterday, extending all over the country and doing great good to vegetation and not injuring the crops. Harvesting is progressing finely in this part of the country, being about half completed. In the southern part considerable damage has been done by chinch bugs, but in the northern part the yield is abundant.

Patriotic Sons of America.

SHARON, Pa., August 7.--The eighteenth convention of the Patriotic Order Sons of America will convene in the Opera-house, in this place, next week. Over three hundred delegates, representing nearly every county in the State, will be present during the session. A parade of the district camps will take place, and on the last day a promenade concert will be given in honor of the delegates. Definite action regarding the representation at the Centennial Celebration will be taken by the convention.

Base-Ball.

COMCORD, N. H., August 7.--The Boston team played the Blue Stockings, an amateur club of this city, at the fair grounds yesterday, which resulted in a score of 28 for the Bostonians and 4 for the Blues.

MANSFIELD, O., August 7.--The Union, of Urbana, played their return game with our Athletics yesterday afternoon, winning again by a score of 17 to 14. There was good order preserved on the grounds to-day, which it is the design of the club always to maintain.

MILFORD, O., August 7.--The Milfords played their third game with the Buckeyes yesterday, and were defeated and defeated them. Score, 5 to 3.

LANCASTER, August 7.--The Lancaster Joint Stock Base Ball Company is getting along finely, and the Leather Stockings are getting themselves in splendid condition.

PHILADELPHIA, August 7.--Chicago, 11; Athletics, 7. Ten innings played.

NEW YORK, August 7.--Hartford, 18; Atlanta, 0.

FLASHES.

Daniel P. Rhodes, a prominent and wealthy citizen of Cleveland, died last night.

The Tiffin Light Guards took the first prize at Upper Sandusky, at the military prize drill.

Joshua A. Young, eldest son of Brigham Young, died at Mantu, Utah, very suddenly last night--supposed heart disease.

Election returns from North Carolina leave the result still in doubt. It is thought that the majority in the Convention can not exceed three or four either way.

A meeting of the Union College Alumni was held at Detroit yesterday, and a State organization formed, with Ex-Governor Blair as President, and J. R. Grant as Vice President.

The schooner Rosa Belle, loaded with lumber, from Muskegon for Chicago, went ashore at Grand Haven yesterday, vessel and cargo a total loss. The steward, a Swede, named Peter Johnston, was drowned.

A prize-light took place a few days ago at Webb's Summit. The combatants were James H. Hedges, of this city, and John A. Roberts, a Welshman, and the purse was two hundred dollars. Thirty-three rounds were fought. Erskine won.

The night express on the Cin., Sandusky and Cleveland Road ran into a large hickory tree, that had fallen across the track one mile south of Tiffin, Ohio, yesterday, tearing the smoke-stack and box car from the engine and smashing the front end of the baggage car. Fortunately nobody was hurt.

The Fifteenth Session of the American Dental Association, held at Niagara Falls, has adjourned. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. A. L. Northrop, New York; First Vice President, H. S. McKilloper, St. Louis; Second Vice President, H. A. Smith, Cincinnati; Secretary, J. H. McQuillen, Philadelphia; Treasurer, W. H. Grand, Louisville. The Convention will meet next year at Philadelphia.

William McAfee, a young man about twenty-two years of age, living three miles west of Wooster, was struck by lightning yesterday and instantly killed. He had been moving around a field of oats prior to starting the machine. When the storm came on he started for the house, and had gone about ten rods when, passing near a large pear-tree, he was struck, tearing the clothes and shoes off his body. The tree has no marks of lightning upon it.

Three Democratic newspapers in California are edited by women.

The attendance at the National Sunday-school Convention at Fairport was about four thousand.

This year the southern counties of California have sent to San Francisco, 5,380,000 oranges, 620,000 lemons and 83,000 limes.

Clairvoyance Extraordinary.

One day last week, a lady seated in the dry-goods store of John Harrington & Co., that she had lost her wallet in that establishment. Lost wallets are rare things in the store, and the rules to pass them to the cashier's desk as soon as found. Nothing had been seen of the wallet in question, and after careful search the lady was politely informed that it could not be found and might possibly have been mislaid elsewhere. But she was positive, and so sought the office of a neighboring clairvoyant. The obliging investigator of two or three weeks at once located the wallet in the pocket of a clerk in the store of John Harrington & Co., and with her visitor sought that establishment. Taking the clerk to one side, the clairvoyant very generously informed him that he had better confess and restore the wallet to its rightful owner, or not cause any trouble. The clerk stoutly insisted that he had nothing to confess and no property of a stolen nature to restore, and quite a warm argument followed between the two parties. Meanwhile, the lady who had lost the wallet, had been searching in other stores, had found her property returned, and returned to the office to debate still in progress. She announced its recovery, and that clairvoyant wished she was enjoying a clam-bake at Downer's, or a fish dinner at Nahant, ere she had made her wonderful discovery. The clerk suggested to the clairvoyant that if she had been a type of Adam in a box of a type of Eve, she should have taken a special delight in following Humpty Dumpty's theory of "putting a head" on the cause of such an insult, with the added ornament of a couple of "tin ears," if that shining metal was to be had at reasonable prices in the markets of the Hub. The moral for a lady who happens to lose wallets is plain--Boston Globe.

THE GREAT RIVER FALLING.

Interesting Notes from All Local Points.

The great river has reached its highest point, and is now gradually receding. It reached the height of 55 feet 8 inches yesterday at four o'clock, and in the succeeding two hours fell two inches, standing at 53 feet 4 inches by the Water-works marks at 6 P. M.

Up to midnight it fell only an inch and a half, or at the rate of a quarter of an inch per hour; and up to six o'clock this morning three inches, and is now at a standstill, with a height of fifty-five feet and one inch by the Water-works marks. Considerable damage is reported along the landing, and especially to the buildings occupied for manufacturing purposes. In these the cellars are mostly used for the motor machinery, and the damage incurred by repairing them is estimated altogether at not less than \$10,000.

The large boats are still unable to pass the bridge, and are unloading their freight at the Little Miami depot, above the Newport railroad bridge, and at the foot of Vine and Race streets, below the Suspension bridge.

The back-water has invaded the cellars of mercantile establishments as far up as Pearl street. Engine No. 3, of the Fire Department, was this morning engaged in pumping the water out of the premises No. 15 Vine street, where it had reached about five feet in depth, and Engine No. 1 was used for the same purpose at the houses Nos. 24 and 26 Main street.

At the landing at the foot of Main street an enterprising photographer was this morning taking a limited number of the great river for stereoscopic views. The back-water in the White-water canal is

The Republican Executive Committee.

The Republican Executive Committee met at Mozart Hall, at 10 o'clock this morning, for the purpose of fixing the day of holding the County Convention. The attendance was very large, and the meeting was called to order by electing Mr. Anzi McGill as Chairman, but the President, Mr. Ransome, arriving soon after, took the chair. Mr. H. B. Turrell acted as Secretary.

The object of the meeting was then stated, whereupon Mr. Richard Smith moved that the Convention be held on August 18th. After some discussion a motion to adjourn until 2 o'clock, and a subsequent motion to adjourn until next Saturday, was lost. An amendment to Mr. Smith's motion to hold the Convention on the 10th of September was lost. A subsequent amendment to fix the day on August 25th was carried. The Convention, accordingly, is held Wednesday, August 25th, at 10 A. M.

A motion that a Committee on Apportionment be created, and that the same consist of five members, was carried. An amendment to the above motion was then made and carried, that the committee be instructed to select one delegate from each ward and precinct where there were more than one delegate, and one additional delegate for every 100 voters, and one for every fraction over fifty.

On motion the Chair appointed Messrs. Anzi McGill, Richard Smith, F. Seiglema, Thos. H. Metcubin and Amos Smith, to act as the Committee on Apportionment. Mr. E. B. Smith, however, withdrew, and Mr. F. Seiglema was appointed in his stead.

After some discussion it was decided that the primary elections be held on the evening before the Convention, from 4 to 10 o'clock in the country, and from 6 to 8 o'clock in the city, in every ward, precinct and township of the county.

A motion was then carried that the next Executive Committee be composed of a member from each ward, precinct and township, to be elected at the primary election.

On motion Dr. Dunbar was appointed to fill the vacancy as an Executive Committeeman at the sixth ward.

Messrs. J. Benzer, Jacob Grotius and H. J. Patton were then appointed to act as the selection of a Hall, after which the meeting adjourned.

The Democratic County Executive Committee.

The Democratic County Executive Committee met at the Grand Hotel this morning at eleven o'clock, in pursuance of call, to make preparations for the fall campaign. Twenty-one members answered to their names.

Mr. G. B. Campbell, of the Twenty-fourth ward, offered a motion in favor of setting the day for the County Convention on the 25th of August.

Mr. C. W. Overaker moved to amend the motion by setting the day as the 7th of September. Mr. Sawyer being called upon for his opinion, spoke in favor of a short campaign, above all things, and in support of Mr. Sawyer in his opinion.

Mr. Smith then urged upon the consideration of all present the urgency of the occasion, being in favor of an early date.

Mr. Wm. O'Neil, Committeeman of the State Central Committee of the First District, was strongly in favor of a short campaign.

News was here brought to hand, above all things, that the Republicans had decided to hold the Convention on the 7th of August.

General Jennings being called upon for his views stated that he had no objection to be advised he might say that he had no opinion on this subject, but if urged for an opinion he was in favor of and a strong believer in short campaigns.

At the close of Mr. Jennings' remarks, Mr. E. K. Cox, Jr., moved an amendment to the amendment setting the day as the 27th of August.

Mr. Campbell withdrew the original motion, substituting, upon the suggestion of Mr. E. A. Johnston, the 1st day of September for the day of the Convention.

Col. Harris being called upon, urged an early campaign, citing the example of the Democratic State Convention, saying that although there was no danger from the stump speeches of the Republicans there was serious danger in allowing the Republicans to hold the field alone in the organization of the State.

Motion was here offered by C. W. Overaker that a committee of five be appointed by the chair on appropriations. The motion was carried.

The committee appointed by the chair is as follows: C. W. Overaker, George Campbell, Phil Purpin, Geo. A. Peter and Mr. Dammehold.

It was further agreed, upon motion, that the primary meetings should be held in the city under the Baber Law.

A committee of five was appointed to wait upon Mr. A. T. Walling, Chairman of the State Central Executive Committee and Congressional from the Twelfth District, who addressed the meeting briefly, urging to hasten above all things, such men be put upon the ticket that people might vote for them not alone as Democrats, but vote for them cheerfully as honest men.

A motion to appoint a committee of three to proportion the number of Executive Committees of each ward was adopted.

Wm. W. West, business before the Committee, the meeting adjourned to meet at the same place upon Saturday next at eleven o'clock.

POLICE COURT.

Drunk and Disorderly--Mary A. Owen, continued to 9th inst.; Mary Welsh and Louis Lewis, dismissed; John Harrison and Daniel Martin, each to 5 costs.