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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28.

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CITY NEWS.

NOT ASCERTAINED.—The motion for a new trial in the Hughes' case was not argued yesterday morning, as was expected, owing to the pressure of criminal business. It will probably be argued to-day.

COURT ROOMS NOS. 2 AND 3.—Judges Foote and Gillmartry were not occupied yesterday afternoon. The latter was to hear, in the afternoon, the case of the State vs. butcher Leib, indicted for receiving stolen cattle.

FULL BANKS.—The recent heavy rains have drained into the river, and what with the floating masses of ice choking up the channel, it is running high and to the topmost edges of its banks.

EARED.—People who have been and are still much upon the routes of travel, or who constantly feel the pulse of the great traveling public, have now one evidence of the close of the war and the general wind-up of military rule, in this, that now it is extremely rare to see a soldier passing on the trains. All the passengers on cars, boats, and stages, wear citizen's clothes, and not once a day will a blue uniform meet the eye of a railroad man.

THE ISLAND TRADE.—The Ottawa County Union, of a late date, says that a merchant of Ottawa City, just returned from Cleveland, learned while here that "two new steamers are in course of construction, to run from Cleveland daily, touching the Islands, Ottawa City, and thence to Toledo. The fish and grape business are only in their infancy as yet, and if the steamers of the last year could not do the business, how can they by another year, when it will be almost double?"

CANDIDATE FOR THE STATE HOME.—The officers at the Soldiers' Home intended to send to the State Home, yesterday morning, Henry Westover, of Kingsville, Ashtabula county, formerly member of the 9th Vermont Infantry. For some reason he was not sent, but will leave this morning. As he is permanently disabled by disease, he promises to be a long-time inmate of the State Home, unless death shall cut short his life of misery.

TRIAL FOR GRAND LARCENY.—Robert F. Williamson, indicted for grand larceny, was on trial before Judge Bolton yesterday morning. He is one of the gang, it is alleged, who stole various articles, flour, wool, harnesses, buffalo robes, &c., in Sheffield, Avon and Ridgeville, Lorain county. S. E. Adams, Esq., prosecuted the case, and M. S. Castle and T. J. Carren, Esqrs., appeared for defendant. There would seem to be no doubt of the guilt of this Cleveland pimp.

A NEW SIGN.—A board about ten feet long and two wide has been recently tacked up just beneath the windows of Council Hall, bearing the words "City Hall." It indicates that in that building are the various city offices wherein sit the men who incubate the eggs laid by the City Council. The sign is too short, and looks somewhat bobbing. To give the greatest effect it should have been of a length corresponding with the average duration of the sessions of the Council. It strikes us, it would have been more appropriate had it read "City Cotton Hall." We can see no provision whereby this sign may be illuminated by night, like the "Academy of Music," "Varieties," &c. We can't help feeling that this is a grave oversight. For when strangers are seeking places of amusement, they will walk straight by the stairway leading to Council Hall, and go to destruction down to the "Varieties."

CHRISTMAS OF THE POOR.—Mr. A. E. Burlison, our excellent Infirmary Director, had a very busy and withal happy day, we learned, on Saturday last. He has under his care about three hundred poor of the city, the most of whom are widows having families of from three to ten children, each. They do what they can, washing, sewing, and the like of that, for their own support, but are compelled to look to the charity of the city for succor. These parties met at the office of Mr. Burlison, on Saturday, to receive their weekly charity, and were surprised and made exceedingly happy by the reception of an increased allowance, a Christmas benefaction, in the line of fuel, provisions, clothing, &c. Their gratitude was without bounds, and the expression thereof hearty and eloquent. We have no doubt that Mr. Burlison was on Saturday the most thoroughly blessed man in Cleveland.

GOING, GOING.—The Soldiers' Home in this city will cease to exist next week. Its inmates, most of whom are being treated for sore eyes, were notified a month since, of the approaching "dissolution," that they might make arrangements in advance. There are not now more than seven or eight men in all at the Home. They are departing, one by one, and the institution is tapering off finely, growing small by degrees and beautifully less, day by day, and in a few mornings will wake up and find itself collapsed into thin air and missing. It will go out like the spirit of Melesger on the smoke of the fatal burning brand. But we shall neither sing nor tell in homely phrase its exit. Its noble record is made up already, and wherever there are United States soldiers, there the knowledge of the Soldiers' Home in Cleveland penetrates. No institution of the kind, or of any charitable character, can show a more eloquent record. The ladies of the Sanitary Commission may well pause, now that the public necessity is past, and rest upon their labors.

All the effects and belongings to the Home, we understand, will be turned over to the State Home, and there continue the instrumentals of good.

PENICE COURT.—Judge Abbey disposed of the following docket yesterday morning:

Drunkenness—Lewis Henkey, Wm. Murphy, Lewis Behmer, Michael Kahler, James Knight, Benjamin Walker, James Clinton, Edwin Blade, John McGuire, and John Jameson, each fined $1 and costs; Thomas Dowd and John Phelps, $3 and costs; Margaret Quinn, (State law) $5 and costs; Arthur Fiernan, sent to the Work House thirty days.

Vagrancy—Rosanna Murray, sent to Work House six months or given twenty-four hours to leave the city.

Disturbance—Bridget Murray, case held open till the 29th; Charles Walker, Frank McCord, Henry Dangleison, P. J. Stribinger, J. G. Orth, Henry Wagner, Martin Kernes, John Koul and Daniel Doyle, each fined $2 and costs; Mrs. Hackett, case continued.

Fast Driving—Francis McDowell and Charles Burns, $5 and costs, each.

Destroying Property—Ann Cratty, case continued till the 27th; Patrick Haley, costs; Patrick Ward and Harrison Willis, discharged.

Petit Larceny—Thomas Conway, $10 and costs.

Assault and Battery—Peter Ankina, John Bohn, Nick Bohn, John Knirim and Pat Kally, costs; Isaac Abraham, $3 and costs. Several cases were continued.

Robbery—Wm. Bedford, case continued to the 29th. Bail $1,000.

THE C. & T. RAILROAD CONTRACTORS.—We noticed, last week, the fact of the skedaddle of the contractors for the construction of the road between Elyria and Oberlin. The Elyria Democrat says:

"Nothing has yet been learned respecting the whereabouts of Sage and Eaton, the absconding railroad contractors. It is generally thought they fled to Dixie, where they formerly resided. The officers of the Railroad Company are now engaged in ascertaining the extent of the liabilities of the contractors, the character of their indebtedness, &c., with the design of distributing the money in their hands, which, by the terms of the contract, was forfeited to the company, among the creditors, so far as they can in the most deserving manner. This liberality on the part of the company will be appreciated by all parties, whether creditors or not.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

Yesterday Afternoon's Report

Secretary Stanton's Reply to the Senate.

Salaries of Provisional Governors.

Senator Cragin's Constitutional Amendment.

Arrangements for the President's New Years' Reception.

From New York.

Dense Fog.

NEW YORK, December 27.—A dense fog envelopes the city and the water this morning, occasioning much hindrance to navigation, and it is with difficulty that even the ferry boats run at all.

Secretary Stanton's Reply to the Senate.

The Times Washington special says: Secretary Stanton in reply to the Senate resolution states that no one has been employed by the War Department who has not taken the oath prescribed by Congress except those who were appointed Provisional Governors of States recently who have received compensation for their services out of the contingent fund of the War Department at the same rate allowed Andrew Johnson when Military Governor of Tennessee, under his appointment of March 31st 1862, viz. three thousand dollars per annum. W. H. Holden, provisional Governor of North Carolina, $1,750; B. F. Perry, Provisional Governor of South Carolina, $750; Lewis E. Parsons, Provisional Governor of Alabama $1,000. James Johnson, provisional Governor of Georgia, $1,000.

Dr. Francis Lieber, chief of the Bureau of the rebel archives, is the only officer not authorized by law. It was the expectation that the necessity of this office would be recognized by Congress.

Claim of a Union Refugee.

J. Morris, a Union refugee, while traveling from Texas to Missouri was robbed of $800 in gold by guerrillas. He subsequently has served as a Union scout and spy under Generals Curtis, Grant and Dodge, receiving for pay $100 per month. Afterwards he raised and commanded a company of cavalry, and was taken prisoner near Atlanta. He paid a rebel officer $700 to secure his release.

General Grant recommended that the claim be paid, but the Committee on Claims, after deliberating, made the following report:

It is apparent that neither claim presents any sufficient ground for relief. The first, if allowed, will afford a precedent for paying all the damages committed by depredations and robberies of guerrillas during the war, and the second, if sustained, will furnish an example for reimbursing prisoners of war for all sums expended to procure their release, and will embrace in its scope officers and privates. These rules, if adopted, may lead to the expenditure of immense sums, and possibly, in some cases, to the payment of heavy sums for the ransom of an officer or private, which may amount to considerably more than the services of the petitioner were worth to the Government. The Committee therefore recommend that the claims of W. J. Morris be rejected.

Washington News.

Chilian Minister.

NEW YORK, December 27.—The Herald's Washington special says the Chilian Minister has received information of the protest of his government against the recent Spanish decision to treat as pirates all persons on board Chilian privateers, who are not natives of that country. If the decision is carried into effect the severest retaliatory measures would be resorted to by the Chilian authorities.

Decision.

The World's special says the Second Comptroller of the Treasury yesterday rendered a decision addressed to the Second, Third and Fourth Auditors, to the effect that since the passage of the act of March 3d, 1865, stamps collecting the tax on salaries, &c., instead of being paid direct to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, must be deposited in the United States Treasury with the Assistant Treasurer or designated depository of public money. In settling the act counts of officers for tax withheld by them in making the payment the Auditor will accept certificates of deposit properly verified by the cashier of Internal Revenue as a good voucher, instead of a receipt from that officer as heretofore required.

Railroad Inspectors.

Col. J. H. Simpson, of the Engineer Corps U. S. A., Samuel R. Curtis of Iowa and Wm. M. White of Connecticut have been appointed by the President Commissioners to inspect and report upon the first section of the Union Pacific Railroad, completed west from Omaha, and were to have left upon their mission last night.

Semmes.

The Times' special says: The arrival of Semmes, the Alabama pirate, at Washington is daily expected. He will be tried by court martial for violating the laws of war in numerous instances.

Delegate from Arizona.

Hon. John M. Goodwin, Congressional Delegate from Arizona, telegraphs his arrival at San Francisco on the 19th inst., and will probably arrive in Washington on the 12th prox.

Items.

Arrangements are being made for the New Year's reception of the President. A new carpet in the East Room has been procured, and mechanics are erecting a platform from the north window of the East Room to the pavement, so that visitors may pass through the apartments without blockading the passage.

Dole, the Philadelphia substitute broker, who was sent to State prison for fraudulent enlistments, has been pardoned by the President.

A special says that the Surgeon-in-Chief of the Freedmen's Bureau has just received a report from the Chief Medical Officer of Texas, representing that the sanitary condition of the freedmen in that State are as good as can be expected.

The Times' special says: The following is the full text of the amendment to the Constitution of the United States introduced in the Senate by Senator Cragin, of New Hampshire, on the day of adjournment: Paramount sovereignty shall reside within the United States, and every citizen thereof, or of any State or Territory therein, shall be bound and primarily owe faith, loyalty and allegiance to the United States authority in constitution, laws or ordinance of any State to the contrary notwithstanding, and every State heretofore in the Union, or which may hereafter be admitted as a member thereof, shall forever remain and constitute a part of the United States, and shall not under any circumstances whatever have any right to secede or withdraw therefrom.

The Columbian Minister.

The World's special says the recently accredited minister of the Columbian government of the U. S. will be presented to the President by the Secretary of State to-day.

Matters in Congress.

It is understood that the recommendation of the Comptroller of the Currency for extending the capital of National Banks to $400,000,000 will be brought up for the approval of Congress that the banks in the Southern States may have their quotas under the law.

The Herald's special says Mr. Shenck, Chairman of the House Military Committee left for Ohio last night to be present at the opening of the Legislature to press his claim for U. S. Senatorship.

Interview.

Mrs. C. C. Clay had an interview with the President yesterday endeavoring to expedite the trial of her husband if he cannot effect his release on parole.

From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 26.—The overland mail from New York on the 26th of November arrived here on the 24th inst.

PROPOSALS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Board of City Improvements until Tuesday at 2 o'clock P. M., January 2d, 1866, for removing the "contents of privy vaults," for one year from said date, in accordance with the ordinance of Dec. 5th, 1865; said bids to state the price per load of one cubic yard.

By order of the Board.
G. S. WHEATON, Clerk.
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2000	" Castors	15	do
2000	" Fruit Card & Cake Baskets	20	do
5000	Delton Silver Tea Spoons	10	do
10000	do do Table Spoons	20	do
250	Gents' Gold Hunting Case Watches	50	100 each
250	Ladies' Gold and Enameled Hunting Case Watches	35	70 do
500	Gents' Hunting Case Silver Watches	35	70 do
200	Diamond Rings	50	100 do
500	Gold Vest and Neck Chains	4	20 do
2000	Gold Oval Band Bracelets	4	8 do
5000	Jet and Gold Bracelets	4	10 do
2000	Chatelaine Chains and Guard Chains	5	20 do
7000	Solitaire and Gold Brooches	4	10 do
5000	Opal and Emerald Brooches	4	8 do
5000	Mosaic, Jet, Lava and Filigree Ear Drops	4	8 do
7500	Coral, Opal and Emerald Ear drops	4	6 do
4000	California Diamond Breastpins	2,50	10 do
3000	Gold Fob and Vest Watch-keys	2,50	8 do
6000	Fob and Vest Ribbon-sliders	3	10 do
1000	Sets Solitaire Sleeve-buttons, Studs, &c.	3	8 do
2000	Gold Thimbles, Pencils, &c.	3	8 do
10000	Miniature Lockets	4,25	10 do
4000	" Magic Spring	10	20 do
3000	Gold Toothpicks, Crosses, &c.	5	11 do
5000	Plain Gold Rings	4	10 do
10000	Stone Set and Signet Rings	2,50	10 do
5000	Chased Gold Rings	4	11 do
10000	California Diamond Rings	3	10 do
1000	Sets Ladies' Jewelry, Jet Gold Cameo, Pearl	5	15 do
6000	Opal and other stones	4	15 do
10000	Gold Pens, Silver Extension Holders and Pencils	4	10 do
10000	Gold, Pens and Gold Mounted Extension Holders	6	10 do
5000	Gold Pens and Gold Mounted Extension Holders	15	25 do
5000	Ladies' Gilt and Jet Buckles and Belts	5	15 do
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150 Diamond Rings, Cluster, &c.	50.00 to 200.00
200 Gold Watches	60.00 to 100.00
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2d Train—2:45 P. M.—NEW YORK AND WESTERN EXPRESS, stopping at Berea, Grafton, Wellington, New London, and all stations south of New London, arriving at Columbus at 9:25 P. M., Cincinnati, 4:00 A. M., Chicago, via Crestline, 6:40 A. M.

3d Train—4.15 P. M.—GALION PASSENGER, stops at all stations, arriving at Galion at 8:00 P. M.

4th Train—9:50 P. M.—NIGHT EXPRESS, stopping at Grafton, Wellington, New London, Shelby, Crestline, Galion, Gilead, Cardington, and Delaware, arriving at Columbus at 3:45 A. M., Cincinnati 9:40 A. M., Indianapolis 10:00 A.M., Chicago via Crestline, 12:00 P. M.

Trains leave Columbus at 10:20 A. M., 2:40 P. M., and 11:35