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AND STILL THEY WAIT.

NO WORD FROM THE JURY. BROOKLYN, July 2.—There is no word from the Beecher jury. It is highly improbable that they will agree on a verdict. Judge Neilson intimated that he would not call them in, and said he would give information to the press and counsel one hour ahead of his sending for the jury, if he so decided.

IT IS REPORTED THAT A WARRANT IS OUT FOR THE ARREST OF MOUTON IN CONNECTION WITH LEADER AND PRICE AFFIDAVITS. DIDN'T MIND HIS OWN BUSINESS. It is also reported that Rev. Dr. Budington is in trouble with his church on account of his attitude in the Beecher case. Mr. Neville, mentioned by Leader as being with him at Tilton's house, has turned up and flatly contradicts Leader in every respect. Neville and Price will be witnesses for the people against Leader.

ON THE BORDER.

BROWNSVILLE, TEX., July 2.—The paragon chief, Gen. Cortina, was arrested by Federal forces yesterday, at his house in Matamoros, and will be sent to the city of Mexico. Several of his friends were arrested at the same time and the Matamoros police, which are devoted to him, were disarmed. The city is held by Federal troops, strongly posted, and it is thought no fighting will occur.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., July 2.—The following is another version of the arrest of Cortina, received here: Cortina has been arrested by Colonel Christie, of the Mexican army. A panic prevailed at Matamoros and Christie will hold Cortina unless overwhelmed by a superior force. Cortina's men are rallying to his rescue. A conflict is inevitable and fears are entertained that Christie will be crushed.

THE SCAFFOLD.

HORRIBLE SCENE AT A PENNSYLVANIA HANGING. TOWANDA, PA., July 2.—The execution of Albert Brown, yesterday, drew a large crowd together. A little after noon the one-legged prisoner entered the jail yard supported by churchmen and officers. He showed no fear, and smiled even after the noose was adjusted about his neck. He thanked the spectators, and confessed the murder, but claimed that he was not in a responsible condition. He forgave his enemies. He said if the Commonwealth had done its duty he would have been in a lunatic asylum a year ago. After prayer the black cap was adjusted, the limbs pinioned, and the drop fell. The body hung been perfectly adjusted, slipped, and the victim's contortions were terrible. His hands got free and he tore off his shirt front with one hand while the other grasped his lame leg. He died in thirteen minutes.

Preparing for the Races.

LONG BRANCH, July 2.—The arrivals at the principal hotels here last night were very large. They appear to be a preliminary influx of sporting men and Wall-street brokers, seemingly desirous of collecting all the points and dubious great race of Saturday and the subsequent days at Monmouth Park. Pools for the races will be sold this evening at the West End Hotel. All leading stables that are to take part in the contests have arrived and are in training daily. The weather is cool and pleasant.

The Blazing Chimney.

At quite a late hour last night a young man walked into a Fourth street restaurant, and asked for the proprietor. The clerk announced his inability to transact all matters not of a personal nature. "Oh, it's not at all personal," said the visitor. "It's only about your chimney. There are big sparks flying out of it, and I think it safe."

The clerk thanked his informant. "But," said he, "it makes no difference. The chimney is fire-proof; had it fixed only this afternoon."

"The young man left, and the clerk was about to advise the cook to put the damper on his furnace, when the door opened and three young men walked in. "Do you know," said the leader, "your chimney is safe?"

"Yes," said the second, "and the sparks are flying all over the other houses, and that's what shows to have a big fire in a couple of minutes if you don't look out," said the third.

"Gentlemen," said the clerk hotly, "might I ask if you own any property round here?"

"They didn't, of course."

"That so?" said the second, beginning to lose his temper, "you'd oblige me by taking a walk."

"They took the hint, and the clerk turned toward the kitchen."

"John," said he to the cook, "put out the fire just then there was a violent knocking at the door, and an excited old gentleman flew into the restaurant as if shot out of a mortar. "Where's the proprietor?" he gasped.

"He's in bed."

"Well, who represents him?"

"Well, sir, you do it—a badly. Your chimney is safe, and as a property holder, I say so."

"You'd better say good night," roared the clerk, and the excited property holder retired in advance of a broom handle.

During the next five minutes four old ladies, and six nervous gentlemen of different ages, and two negroes interviewed the clerk. Then there was a momentary pause, and the unhappy man wiped the perspiration from his brow, and was about to thank Providence for the welcome cessation, when a stout party, bootless and coatless, with a stubby mustache, and closely cropped hair, entered, followed by a bull pup.

"You want to see the proprietor?" said the clerk, before the man could speak.

"I do."

"I'll tell him the 'chimney is safe'?"

They smashed each other and the furniture and the crockery for fifteen minutes, and then retired. Half an hour later the clerk, with torn shirt, disheveled hair and swollen eyes, was seen passing a bill of fare on the window, on the back of which was inscribed: "No informant wanted of the chimney that's safe."

SPORTING NEWS.

THE TURF. BOSTON, July 2.—At the Mystic Park races to-day the 2:40 race was won by Carrollton in 2:31 1/2, 2:33, and 2:34 1/2. In the 2:24 race six heats were run, but the race was still undecided, and it was postponed until to-morrow afternoon.

CANTON, July 2.—The first day's races of the Canton Trotting Association were called promptly at 1:30 P. M., and a start was made at two o'clock, for purses of \$150, \$75, \$35, \$25 and \$15 for the 2:45 and 2:30 trots. The following entries were made for the 2:45 trot: A. Spellman, Rootstown, br. s. Fire-Clay; N. Harold, Canton, g. g. Judge Waite; F. Reynolds, Minerva, g. g. Davy Wood, C. O. O'Connor, by Boy Dier, Wm. Hurst, by M. Hibbelwaite; Berlin Heights, Ohio, c. s. Dan O'Hara by Woodstock, dam Waxey by imp. Crusler; by Ira Platner, Council Bluffs, Iowa, b. m. Lottie Moon by imp. Australian, dam Lexington; by J. D. Cronse, Chillicothe, b. s. Buckleberry, dam second, by M. Piquet by Wagner; by M. Jordan & Co., Baltimore, Maryland, b. g. Brookland by Lexington, dam imp. Carrigorm, by Robert Scott, Louisville, Ky., c. s. King Pin by imp. Australian, dam Gennaro by Lexington.

Buckleberry won easily in 2:42; Lottie Moon second, in 2:43; Dan O'Hara, in fourth, Brookland fifth, and Dan O'Hara sixth.

In the pacing race, free for all, \$450 to the first, \$250 to the second, and \$100 to the third.

For the trotting in the 2:35 class, \$650 to the first, \$350 to second, and \$200 to third, the entries were as follows: By W. T. Bell, Middletown, O., b. g. Dan Howell; by C. B. Harvey, New Philadelphia, O., b. g. Lew. Scott; by Robert Lundeley, b. m. Mollie, by Whirlwind; by Wm. Sanderson, Jr., Mt. Vernon, b. s. Joe Hooper, by Eve Abdallah; by Dan Cronse, Chillicothe, b. s. Buckleberry, Taylor, by John W. Harries, b. w. Alice; by C. H. Olmstead, Columbus, Kentucky, b. g. Lowenski, by Mambri; by Tom Kimball; by E. H. Vanmeter, b. m. Indian, by Independence, by young Andrew Jackson; by J. W. Browning, b. g. John B.

Liquor Excitement—New Pastor, etc. Special to the Star.

COLUMBUS, July 2.—H. H. Corbin, of Westerville, this county, recently opened a saloon in this village, where there is a strong anti-whisky feeling, the traffic having never been permitted within its limits. Night before last Corbin's place was entered by some unknown parties who poured out all the liquors. He has laid in a fresh stock and says he will defend it with arms if necessary.

Mr. J. C. Acton is still in a very critical condition.

Rev. W. S. Ralph will on next Sunday assume the duties of pastor of the Universalist Church, this city, vice Dr. Eckford, lately removed to California.

Gov. Allen—Inquests During the Year—Convicted of Arson. Special to the Star.

DAYTON, O., July 2.—Gov. Allen is expected to arrive here this afternoon. He will stop at the Beekel House as the guest of the city during his stay.

There were thirty-two deaths in the city during June.

Coroner Kreuz has sent in his report to the State Auditor. During the year ending June 24 he held forty inquests. In seventeen of these a verdict of death from intoxication was rendered.

Charles Britton was yesterday convicted of arson in the Court of Common Pleas. He set fire to several buildings in Miamisburg two years ago.

Items. Special to the Star.

SPRINGFIELD, O., July 2.—The following named parties left for the penitentiary under the Sheriff's care this morning: George Simpson, three years; Jas. Dudley, one year; James Gillen, three years; Michael Collins, two years; Fred. Beiler, two years.

The Centennial Commission held a meeting yesterday, Ex-Governor Noyes presiding. Nothing of special interest was done. The prospects of Ohio's part in the Exposition are very favorable.

The jury in the McGuire case rendered a verdict of guilty of shooting with intent.

The U. M. A. celebrate the Fourth at Dayton to-morrow.

Rev. J. C. Carey has resigned his pastorate of the Second Baptist Church. The Executive Board of the Ohio Sabbath-school Union meets in this city July 27.

NEWS FROM THE OLD WORLD.

LONDON, July 2.—A special dispatch from Vienna to the Standard reports that the peasants of Dova and vicinity, in Transylvania, have revolted against the nobles and defeated a battalion of militia. Many persons have been killed, including two Judges. Regular troops have been sent to the scene of the outbreak.

Advices received to-day from Fiji report that there is no diminution in the violence of the measles and typhoid fever on the islands. The mortality from the disease is great. It is probable that medical assistance will be sent from Australia to the afflicted people.

The report that the King of Burmah refused to allow the British troops to pass through his territory is officially confirmed.

MADRID, July 2.—Official dispatches announce that the Alfontist batteries have opened a heavy cannonade against Santa Barbara, Ciragni, Maneru, Oilla, Puerta, Artaza and Estella. Eighteen shells have fallen within the latter town. The Carlists have abandoned Maneru.

FROM THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

THE GRANGE COMMITTEE. WASHINGTON, July 2.—The Executive Committee of the National Grange Patrons of Husbandry met here yesterday to consider and decide several points affecting the Order, and will probably be in session a week or ten days. The Committee consists of Wm. Sanders, of D. C., Chairman; E. Shankland, of Iowa; John T. Jones, of Arkansas; D. Wyatt, of Aiken, S. C., and W. T. Chase, of New Hampshire.

Among the subjects to be considered is the removal of the headquarters from Washington to some agricultural center, and a proposition for an exchange between the co-operative societies of Great Britain and the United States.

Mr. Worrell, Manager and Director of the Mississippi Trading Company, which it is proposed, shall be the medium of exchange, is in this city with a delegation from co-operative societies of Great Britain, to explain details of the proposed plan. Col. J. M. McDowell, of Wayne county, N. Y., one of the early friends of the Order, and at present Treasurer, will arrive this evening.

The headquarters of the Grangers will be at the National Hotel, which was closed to the public this morning for general repairs. But Mr. Tenney, proprietor, being a Granger, makes an exception to members of the Order, and receives them rather as private guests. The action of the Committee will not be made public till after their adjournment.

DISMISSED. A rough estimate of the number of persons dismissed from the Treasury since the 1st of January is as follows: All clerks heretofore on the temporary rolls were dismissed.

CONTRACTS AWARDED. Bids were opened at the Treasury Department for the construction of nine life-saving stations on the lakes, and five houses of refuge on the eastern coast of Florida. The bids for life-saving stations ranged all the way from \$5,000 to \$7,400, while the bids for the houses of refuge range from \$12,700 to \$22,000 for the five. The contract for the life-saving stations was awarded to W. T. Bushnell, of Evanston, Ill., and for the houses of refuge to J. O. Goodall & Co., of Fernandina, Florida, formerly of Bucksport, Maine.

OUR NATIONAL BLESSING. The following is a recapitulation of the public debt statement for June: Debt bearing interest in coin bonds at six per cent., \$1,100,865,550; bonds at five per cent., \$907,132,780; total principal, \$1,707,998,330; total interest, \$38,177,593; debt bearing interest in lawful money, certificates of indebtedness at four per cent., \$678,000; navy pension fund at three per cent., \$14,000,000; total principal, \$14,678,000; total interest, \$219,000; on which interest has ceased since maturity; principal, \$11,425,820; interest, \$227,316; debt bearing no interest, old demand and legal-tender notes, \$37,684,168,750; certificates of indebtedness at annual currency, \$4,212,942,419; coin certificates, \$21,798,800; total principal, \$49,318,241,169; total interest, \$238,494; total, \$49,556,739,663; cash in Treasury, coin, \$1,985,414,044; currency, \$3,973,861,368; special deposits held for the redemption of certificates of deposit, as provided by law, \$38,415,000; total, \$142,243,261.82. Debt less cash in the Treasury June 1, 1875, \$212,306,872,638; debt less cash in the Treasury July 1, 1875, \$2,130,119,975.88; decrease of debt during the month, \$1,430,249.50; decrease of debt since June 30, \$14,869,314.84.

Coal Oil Did It. BALTIMORE, July 2.—Lizzie Walkington, aged 19, was burned almost to a crisp by the explosion of a coal oil lamp. Death is hourly expected.

WHAT THE WIRES WHISPER. The new Massachusetts liquor law went into effect yesterday.

An Inter-State Educational Convention was organized at Chattanooga, Tenn., yesterday.

The Baltimore City Council expelled one of its members, W. T. Browning, at its meeting yesterday.

Michael McKernan, of Sandusky, was drowned at Put-In-Bay Island last night by falling off the dock while taking in a line from the tug Golden Eagle.

Gov. Leslie, of Kentucky, in his speech at Glasgow yesterday, announced himself as a candidate for United States Senator.

Thos. Woods, of Wilkesburg, Penn., was run over by an express train, on the Pennsylvania Railroad yesterday, and instantly killed.

Mrs. Cynthia Swarthout, an old resident of Grandville, Mich., was found dead in her bed. She went to bed in good health the night before. Death was caused by paralysis.

The United States men-of-war Franklin and Alaska left Kiel yesterday for Stockholm. Admiral Worden publicly expressed his thanks for the reception that had been given him.

Alexander Irvin, the confidential clerk of Henry G. Morris, proprietor of the Southwalk Iron Company, has been arrested, charged with embezzling \$142,000 from the company's capital stock.

At Baggs town, Shelby county, Ind., James Parish was severely beaten by one Baker, receiving two cuts on the head. Parish is in a dangerous condition. Baker is not yet arrested.

The tobacco manufacturer of John A. Wheeler & Co., No. 128 River street, Cleveland, was burned yesterday. Estimated loss on building, stock and machinery, \$10,000; insured for about \$8,000.

A number of Boston insurance companies having refused to exhibit their books to the Supervising Agent, the National Board of Underwriters have decided to make an example by expelling them.

Martin Myers committed suicide at Uniontown, near Akron, yesterday afternoon, by hanging. He was a painter by trade, of temperate habits, and his domestic relations were happy. No cause is assigned.

As the steamer Tokio, for Hong-Kong, was leaving San Francisco yesterday, a salute was fired in honor of Commodore Maury, and a sailor, named Patrick Langan, was blown from the mouth of a cannon and instantly killed.

Colonel E. B. Carling, Quartermaster at Fort Sanders, Wyoming Territory, committed suicide last night by cutting his throat from ear to ear. Financial embarrassment and complications of his official affairs are assigned as the cause.

Malvin Fuller, who, together with his father, murdered Wilson Fong, near Holland, Mich., was captured Friday north of Holland, about a mile from the scene of the murder. He has been at large over a week. He made no resistance when overtaken.

Rocky Mountain Sheep.

A correspondent of the N. Y. Herald, who is accompanying the Hayden Expedition, in Southern Colorado, says: Getting up by seven o'clock the next morning we had hardly traveled three miles when a rare sight met our eyes, the like of which, in all probability, shall never see again. Several of us had been riding in the rear of the train, watching old "Jake," one of the largest pack mules, who at every opportunity would get to some secluded clump of bushes by the axons and there quietly observe. This he had already done several times, and once or twice we had been on the verge of losing him. As we rode through a narrow canyon, walled on one side by a steep bank covering with perpendicular rock, happening to glance upward, we saw standing on one of the narrow ledges of the latter a flock of sheep, which some of us at first took for antelope, which was a ridiculous error. Every one observed them at the same time, and for an instant, so great was our surprise, not a man stirred in his saddle, not a hand raised, until the flock, unobserved by us, were seven or eight hundred feet above us, were seven Rocky Mountain sheep, five of them full grown and two of them small lambs. In our excitement we did not determine how many were rams and how many ewes, but as both sexes are endowed with horns, this oversight may have been excusable. At the same second, as if at a given signal, each man leaped from his seat, and bending one knee to the ground, picked out his animal and fired. There was a quick movement among the animals, and almost instantaneously both sexes were scattered out of sight. The two little lambs, however, appeared again in a perpendicular crevice near the summit of the rock, and bleating piteously, skipped over such seemingly inaccessible places that they were almost gliding rapidly up a wall. This was the signal for numerous wild shots; for, although most of the boys were good marksmen, the sudden unlooked for appearance of this noble game unnerved them and they shot wide of the mark. Thus it came about that we had no tender wild mutton for our dinner.

A few words in this place relative to the animals may be of interest. A full grown ram is as large a good-sized domesticated calf. Its coat of hair resembles in texture and color that of a deer, being coarse and of a gray color. The horns are stout and curved backward, as in a domestic sheep, with the exception that they are much larger. The female possesses them also, being straighter and shorter. Hunters say that in descending from a rocky cliff they throw themselves sometimes over fifty feet, alighting on their horns, which are so elastic that the animal bounds into the air and alights on its feet. This is very plausible, as the Indians use these horns for bows, possessing some means of straightening them for this purpose. An ordinary sheep will weigh 300 or 600 pounds.

The excitement being over (who can blame a man for becoming excited on such an occasion, when it is known that these animals are becoming so rare even in these mountains?) there was nothing left to do but resume our journey, regretting the haste with which we had ascended. But not a mile was to be seen. After a few moments' search we discovered them in a little hollow surrounded by a dense thicket, in which they had unwittingly corralled themselves, all standing in a circle with their long, solemn noses touching, seeming to be consulting among themselves which way to proceed to get away from their persecutors.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL. Collector Merk surrendered by His Bondsman. Mr. O. H. Kenkie, the bondsman of W. Merk, one of the indicted Water rent Collectors, yesterday withdrew from his bond and surrendered Merk to the custody of the Sheriff. The reason seems to be that Mr. Kenkie had gone off Merk's bond without the knowledge of his wife.

Day before yesterday Mrs. Kenkie obtained a clue to this fact, and in order to be sure, borrowed a daily paper from one of the neighbors. The result was that she persuaded her husband to go to Court and take his name off the bond, which he did.

Mr. Merk was then taken to Court, and failing to get another bondsman he passed last night in one of the antechambers of the hotel where a bed had been prepared for him.

Up to 1:30 o'clock last night he and Sheriff Springreiter were out looking for a bondsman. Mayor Johnston, Frank Limberg, Julius Reis, President of the Board of Aldermen, and a few others, were sought, but without success.

Mayor Johnston and Julius Reis were willing to give the required bond of \$10,000, but were refused by Judge Cox on account of the fact that they were city officials. This morning Merk, accompanied by a Deputy Sheriff, continued the attempt to find a friend to give the bond at the time of our going to press no one had been obtained.

Mr. Merk intimates that Kenkie was prejudiced by some of his enemies and told to resign as bondsman for the purpose of throwing him (Merk) into jail, that the people might believe that he was guilty. At the trial, however, which is set for July 7, he states he is sure of being acquitted.

Latest from De Haven. The news from Mr. De Haven, this morning, are highly favorable, and it is probable, as stated in the later editions of THE STAR yesterday, that he will recover.

The stabbing was done by Hugh Ferguson, one of the employes of the circus. The knife penetrated Mr. DeHaven's right lung, and it was thought at first that he would live but a very short time.

Popular indignation ran very high at Ogdensburg, and Ferguson would have been lynched by the people had he not been got out of the way by the authorities. As it was he was slightly out in the breast by some one in the crowd. He is now in jail in an adjoining town.

Building Permits. The following permits were issued since our last report: J. McDevitt, one-story frame, at 47 Boal street; estimated cost, \$700.

Jas. Griffith & Son, two-story brick, on Walker Mill road, near the river; estimated cost, \$1,000.

Geo. Drott, two two-story frames, on Delhi pike, near Lower River road; estimated cost, \$8,000.

THE GRANGE HEADQUARTERS.

Mr. Kirby Retires from the Committee. The Committee appointed by the Board of Trade to act in connection with a similar Committee from the Chamber of Commerce to take action regarding the location of the National Grange in this city, met at the rooms at 10 o'clock to-day.

A communication was received from the Committee appointed by the Chamber of Commerce stating that they would act independently and present their own report upon the matter.

After some discussion the Committee proceeded to prepare their report upon the matter. Mr. H. H. Mack stated that he was opposed to anything looking toward wholesale dealing with the National Grange.

It would destroy the trade of our wholesale merchants, because the retail dealers all over the country would withdraw their patronage. If we take away the greater part of the trade of the country merchant, we can not expect him to patronize us in buying goods to supply what is left. He did not believe that the Order of Patrons of Husbandry would exist two years longer.

It was an effort to check the flow of the natural channels of trade, and such efforts were always failures. Besides, patrons who were in the reach of Cincinnati trade would deal here anyhow if it was to their interest to do so, and the location of headquarters here would not bring us the trade of Missouri which naturally belonged to St. Louis, or of Illinois which belonged to Chicago.

He thought the Grangers should be allowed to locate where they pleased. He was opposed to holding out any inducements for the location of the National Headquarters in this city.

The Grange movement was in itself unwarranted by any law of trade or commerce.

Mr. Kirby favored the location of the headquarters here. He knew that the great majority of the merchants here favored the movement.

The Committee was to draft a report setting forth the advantages of Cincinnati as a location, and distributing point, and not to discuss the merits of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry.

Mr. George McAlpin thought that the majority of the committee was opposed to extending any inducements to the National Grange to locate here. He moved that the committee present a report to the Board declining to take any action in the matter, or extending such an invitation as was expected.

Mr. Simpson seconded the motion. Mr. Kirby, hereupon, arose and said that if such was the feeling of the committee, he would withdraw from it. He did not want to remain in a committee that would take action in direct opposition to the instructions given. An effort was made to keep Mr. Kirby on the committee, but he retired. The Committee then drew up the following report, to be presented to the Board of Trade:

The undersigned, members of the Committee not fully in accord with the resolutions offered in your Board, beg that you will appoint other persons as such Committee.

Geo. W. McALPIN, HENRY MACK, H. H. SIMPSON.

NEWS FROM POINTS AROUND.

[REPORTED SPECIALLY FOR THE STAR.] NICHOLASVILLE, KY.—The banks at Danville are under guard in anticipation of an attack from the James boys and Younger Brothers, who have been, it is said, seen in the neighborhood of Mackville.

LOVELAND.—A celebration of the Patrons of Husbandry of Hamilton, Clermont and Warren counties occurs at Hanna's Grove, near Loveland, on Saturday, July 3. Waldo F. Brown, of Oxford, Ohio, and Wm. J. Howe, of New Castle, Ind., will be the speakers.

CALIFORNIA, O.—A grand shooting match under the auspices of the "California Shooting Club," comes off to-day at 1 P. M. A large attendance is expected.

St. Louis Van Rensselaer is having quite a run of legal business just now. The litigation seems to be among the farmers.

A great balloon ascension is to take place at Parker's Grove July 5th. The first jury trial in Anderson township since the new law takes place before Judge Van Rensselaer next Saturday. There will be twelve jurors instead of six. It is the case of Hawkins vs. Lindsey. W. H. Mathews for plaintiff; Hon. C. C. Archer, for defendant.

GREENFIELD, O.—When this place gets the narrow-gauge railroad just think what a model town it will be.

THE CINCINNATI DAILY STAR arrives two hours earlier than usual. The carrier delivers it to subscribers in a fine barouche drawn by a span of blooded horses, with silver-mounted harness, driven by a colored gentleman in a blue coat, with gold buttons.

For the past few weeks almost every day there has been very heavy rains, which we understand has done much damage to the corn and wheat crops.

Work is progressing slowly but surely on the new town hall. The foundation is still very high and has done much damage to the fences along its banks.

LAWRENCEBURG, IND.—Mr. John Isherwood is in the city, and will remain several days looking after business affairs.

Mrs. Hannah Savage will sell three brick buildings at auction on Thursday next, July 5.

The new Y. M. C. A. rooms over Moore & Spooner's are handsomely fitted up and present a tasteful appearance.

Ben Marshall received a serious cut over his right eye and had his right hand seriously injured by a fall from a large tub at Marshall's distillery.

CLEVELAND, O.—On Sabbath, the 4th inst., at 8 o'clock P. M., Rev. B. W. Chidlaw will deliver an appropriate address in the Presbyterian Church. Subject: "The Elements of National Prosperity and Decay." The public are invited to attend.

HAMILTON.—Dr. Beauchamp is improving.

The Butler County Medical Association met in the Court-house yesterday. Mr. Frank H. Myers was married to Miss Julia E. Sullivan, at the residence of the bride's father, Wednesday evening. The colored Freemasons of Hamilton

and the ladies of the Central Star Chapter of the American Adoptive Rite, give a picnic at the Fair-grounds to-day. Rev. Dr. Tolliver will speak of the necessities of the colored people, and there will be a festival in the evening over Mark's drug store.

Yesterday, Hon. L. D. Campbell had suspended on High and Second streets, two flags, upon which were pinned "Family Centennial: On July 1, 1776, Andrew Small, aged eighteen years, known to us better in the Arm of the American Revolution, in Cumberland County, Pa., and served six years therein until 1781. In 1786 he emigrated to and settled on the Great Miami River, where the town of Franklin, Warren County, now stands."

The O. S. of A. cordially welcomes all ladies of the Children's Home, and elsewhere to participate in their exercises.

Mr. Delacourt has received the following: "CINCINNATI, July 1, 1875. "L. B. Delacourt, Esq.—Dear Sir: You ask your letter of the 29th inst., my personal views on the temperance question. I have been a temperance man, abstaining from all alcoholic liquors as a beverage, for more than forty years. No earthly consideration would induce me to return to the use of strong drink. I know that you are better off without it, and I believe that you would be crusading and other violent means to promote a reform I strongly condemn. The Democratic State platform meets my approval. Truly yours, &c."

"S. F. CARY." The case of the citizens of Oxford against the Oxford Board of Education to restrain them from the purchase of certain school property, was on trial yesterday. About forty witnesses were sworn.

Walter Stewart, formerly of Hamilton died in Cincinnati night before last. His will will be taken to Ogdensburg, New York.

The County Commissioners have increased the value of taxable property about \$153,000 over that of last year.

Internal Revenue collections during