

WEATHER FACTS.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Ohio threatening weather, light local rains, except in Western Ohio, fair weather, slightly warmer.

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 27, 1887.

CLEANING HOUSE.

"Gabrielle" Tells the Story of His Thralldom in Homely Language, but Powerful and Convincing Truth.

A Dining-Room Carpet That Was Simply a Mountain—Taking up the Furniture, and Swallowing Tacks in a Hurst of Moment—Loss of White-Washing.

We have had not through celebrating that absorbing and strictly domestic event known as house-cleaning. It was just a little family affair and I don't want those who didn't receive invitations, to feel hurt because they were not asked to be present.

THE WOLF IN SHEEP'S CLOTHING.

A wolf, tired of waiting for an invitation from the sheep to visit their fold, obtained a suit of the most fashionable sheep's clothing and rang for admission one evening when a dance was going on.

MORAL.—This fable teaches the advantage of buying clothing at

THE WHEN, 25 and 27 West Main Street.

SPECULATION

Has driven Rio Coffees to double the amount they were 6 months ago; Javas have advanced but very little. We can sell you the best Old Government Java, roasted, for 30 cents a pound; the best Golden Rio for 25c per pound, also, good for 25c and 23c.

TEAS

Have not advanced. We are selling the best value Young Hyson and Black in this market at 50c per pound.

When in want of good and strictly pure and unadulterated groceries, TRY THE ARCADE GROCERY J. M. NIUFFER.

MAY MISCELLANY.

What the Week Past Has Presented in a Social Way—A Number of Pleasant Companies.

The Phi Kappa Lawn Fete—Progressive Exercise and What Mrs. Black's Brilliant Reception—Notes and Comments—About People.

There has been a slight rise in the temperature of social activity for the past week, and the seven days that have elapsed since this column was last put into cold, reluctant type, have shown rather a marked improvement over their septette of predecessors.

Miss Susie Ballard gave a whist party Thursday evening in honor of her sister, Miss Costello, of New York city, which was a model of a small company.

PROBABLY FATAL ACCIDENT.

Joseph Baker Has His Left Leg Terribly Crushed at the Superior Drill Works.

At 10 o'clock this morning a terrible accident, which may terminate fatally, occurred at the Superior Drill Works, one of the workmen, Joseph Baker, aged 34, being the victim.

A very powerful machine is used in the works for bending iron and steel bars into various shapes. The machine was being operated this morning by C. C. Colcher, and he was at the time of the accident bending a bar.

This morning Baker took to the machine a lot of drag bars to be bent, and while standing near the machine, he was struck by a bar which fell from the top of the machine and struck him on the head.

Prof. Geiger's beautiful lawn on Fernhill avenue, which has been occupied during the season by the Phi Psi tennis club of Wittenberg, is a beautiful lawn.

THE SITE PURCHASED.

New Third English Lutheran Church to be Located on the Corner of Center and Liberty Streets.

A joint meeting of the congregations of the First and Second English Lutheran churches was held last night in the First church, to hear a report from the committee appointed at a previous meeting to select a site for the proposed new Third church.

The Rev. E. Lee Fleck, chairman, reported that the committee had selected the lot on the southwestern corner of Center and Liberty streets as the site for the new church.

The property belongs to Mrs. W. A. Stevens, one of the Clark heirs and her heirs.

She told the committee, however, that she would sell to the church for \$1,000, and the remaining \$900 in equity terms. Dr. Gotwald moved that the report of the committee be accepted and adopted.

The chapel on west North street is to be sold, and the money thus realized will be applied to the erection of a chapel on the new lot.

LEO SOLD.

Dr. Patterson Tells His Fine English Mastiff for \$200.

For a year or more Dr. W. T. Patterson has been the proud possessor of a fine English mastiff, which he purchased in Canada. The dog, which is now fifteen months old, was only a few weeks old when the doctor got him, but even then he was larger than the average dog of his name.

Arrested for Perjury. Jacob Overstreet, colored, mentioned yesterday as wanted for perjury in procuring a marriage license, was arrested at Clinton yesterday by Constable Parsons and lodged in jail.

lunchroom of two courses was served. The tables were very prettily laid, and some rare old family plate and Dresden china added dignity to the repast.

The reception party was Mrs. A. C. Black, who wore a graceful costume of black silk, with maroon velvet roses, Miss Anna Black, attired in white satin silk, elaborately embroidered; Mrs. Dr. W. W. Hall, in her bridal dress of white plush and lace; Mrs. John L. Conable, in her bridal toilet of white tulle; Mrs. Herbert H. Moore, in black silk, with black embroidery over a yellow gown; Mrs. Workman, in black silk; Mrs. T. E. McGrew, in cream colored tulle, with scarlet silk; Miss Workman, in black lace over black satin; Mrs. E. K. Black, in black silk with orange bouquet. The latter two ladies served the champagne and coffee respectively. The tables, throughout, were much more elaborate than one often sees at an afternoon entertainment. Among the guests were:

Messdames S. F. McGrew, Joe Little, M. Guggenheim, Elizabeth Ludlow, B. P. Whitcomb, Charles Habbitt, William Black, William Rice, Bart. C. Black, Harry Hank, J. S. Crowell, W. T. Stowell, Ed. Kelly, Oliver S. Kelly, H. L. Beckhold, Benjamin Holloway, E. P. Christie, Will Murphy, Thaddeus, E. H. B. Black, Isaac Caldwell, Will Hamilton, E. S. Eason, Judge Miller, Dr. Blount, Dr. Lewis, Dr. Van Norman, Marshall Steele, E. W. Plaster, P. M. Mast, Charles Walters, Dr. Falconer, Gustavus Foster, Fuller Young, Jacob Phillips, E. W. Ross, Captain Stewart, W. C. Downey, Ralph Hunt, Horatio Bradlee, J. W. Gunn, Babington McGrew, T. E. Metcalf, E. F. senior, Leonard, Thayer, Frederick, Summings, Fred Farmer, Baker, Warren Lottel, Frank Bookwalter, Edward Buchwalter, Robert Johnson, James Carson, John S. Hart, C. M. Nichols, Dr. Moore, Parsons, Dr. Vance, Dr. Casper, Benjamin Beale, Dr. Seys, Alden Gillett, Fanny Ward, Coblenz, Walter Mills, Daisy Harrison, Grace, Bart. Whiteley, Sol. Hoock, Harry Sturgeon, Sturgeon, Uniontown, Pa.; Harry Phillips, Muzzy, Major White, George Driscoll, Ed. Torbert, Lou Christie, Furness, Frank Furness, Cumbach, Will, Cumbach, L. Kiddle, Conklin, Wm. Grant, Wm. Grant, Jm. W. Seir, John Shipman, Col. Kipatrik, Ed. Loffel, Harshman, Fred, W. S. Hoffman, Cumbach, Elyza Biss, Humphreys, Z. H. Phillips, Lon Phillips, James Deane, Kyle, Lewis, Frank Grove, Tom Bean, Stewart, Harger, Wm. Coles, Henry Coles, Wm. Ward, Fred, Smithers, J. W. Gunn, Messdames G. W. Frankum, Frankum, Lamar Coleman, Dudley, Will Scott, Misses Johnson, Dow, Aquarone, Ballard, Helen Ballard, Costello of New York, Cassily, Frances, Foley, Alice Gray, Steele, Wm. J. Jeffrey, William, Flynn, Anna Baldwin, White, Sadie Phelps, Hattie Phelps, Habbitt, Bart, King, Fessler, Ella Miller, Miller, Bart, Thatcher, B. M. Moore, Ann Chapman, Smith, Smith, Communes, Burlington Bowman, May Bowman, Dunlap, Lasley, Leibold, Emma Torbert, Lena Lewis, Sarah Beattie, Jessie Fried, Anna Dial, Anna Showers, Mary Linn, Kate Shepherd.

For the benefit of the shoeing minority who do not read the daily issues of the Republic, the statement is made that the following officers of the shoeing minority are: President, Miss Frances Rodgers, vice-president, Miss Mary Cassidy, secretary, Miss Mary Phelps, treasurer, Miss Fannie Foley. The shoeing minority will meet on Thursday evening, during the summer, at room 4, Black's opera house, where flowers may be left for distribution. The young ladies of the shoeing minority are entertaining at the Grand opera house some evening in early June, to raise money for their charitable work.

TERRIBLE MINE EXPLOSION.

Score of Men Buried and Many Killed Outside.

GLASGOW, May 28.—A terrible explosion has occurred in the Union colliery at Blantyre village in Lanarkshire, eight miles from the city. Two hundred and twenty miners are entombed in the pit and it is feared all have perished. The shaft is blocked with debris caused by the explosion.

Memorial Day at Washington.

WASHINGTON, May 28.—Arrangements for the observance of Decoration Day are being made by the Grand Army of the Republic, the department of the Potomac. Exercises will be held in each of the different churches about the city, although the services at Arlington will be the most elaborate. The troops now in camp for the national drill have been invited to act as escorts the Grand Army of the Republic to the cemetery, but this arrangement is being reconsidered, as the Potomac River and the Michigan Cade's have accepted the invitation. There will be orations by Congressman Matson and Anderson, of Ohio, at the Soldiers' home, General Sheridan, of the Third artillery, will be present, General Wager Swaine, of New York, will deliver the oration at Rock Creek cemetery, where the remains of General Logan are entombed. Special services of a similar character to those at the grave of General Grant last year will be held. The Logan Guard of Honor, forty-five men, will have charge of the oration, and will be escorted to the cemetery by the Citizens' Corps, of Saratoga. The Logan club, of Baltimore, will also participate.

Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, May 28.—Reserve, increase, \$1,172,400; loans, decrease, \$1,780,100; specie, decrease, \$683,400; legal tenders, increase, \$1,007,200; deposits, decrease, \$5,195,200; circulation, increase, \$1,290,000; banks' non-paid, \$5,779,600 in excess of the 25 per cent. rule.

Socialist Demonstration.

BRUSSELS, May 28.—The socialists have taken advantage of the strikes in Belgium to make demonstrations at various places. They have held several meetings, at which violent speeches were made the red flag, was displayed and the "Marseillaise" sung.

Seventy-Five Corpses.

PARIS, May 28.—It is officially announced this afternoon that seventy-five corpses have been recovered from the ruins of the Opera Comique. It is expected that 100 toward the end of the reception a formal

TERRIBLE CATASTROPHE.

Mine Explosion Near Glasgow—Two Hundred and Twenty Scotch Miners

The Red Flag Displayed in Belgium—Eight Persons Killed and Six Badly Wounded at the Horse-shoe Bend on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

By the Associated Press. ALTOONA, Pa., May 28.—One of the most terrible accidents in the history of the Pennsylvania railroad occurred at twenty-five minutes after 8 o'clock last evening, at a point about half a mile east of the Horse-shoe curve. The fast line west pulled out from Altoona at twenty minutes after 8 o'clock, and was bounding merrily on with increasing speed, headed by two locomotives, for the steep grades on this side of the famous tunnel. The passengers crowded to the left side of the car, and were straining their eyes to catch a glimpse of the beautiful mountain scenery, when the view was obstructed for a moment by the rushing by of a freight train. Involuntarily they drew their heads back from the open windows, and waited for the freight to pass, when all at once there was a sudden jar.

The smoothly running cars began to reel and tremble. There was a loud crash of splintering timbers and breaking glass, and in an instant the huge body of a heavily loaded coal car forced its way through two of the coaches and marked its pathway with a score of dead and dying.

A moment after the first shock the shattered cars came to a stand, and those passengers who were unhurt first hastened to the doors, the women screaming and shrieking and the men assuring them that the danger was over. The body of the coal car had torn the side out of the third passenger coach from the front, and nestled its huge body directly across the front portion of the fourth coach of the train. "Help, help," "Oh, God, save me," Cries like this, mingled with groans, arrested the fleeing passengers of the rear coach, and turning around they saw four people pinioned under the coal car, and held fast between the ragged, jagged timbers. "Come back, men; we must help these people out," somebody shouted, and a score of men responded.

PITTSBURG, May 28.—The latest reports from the scene of the accident at Horse-shoe bend, in the Pennsylvania railroad, last night, state that eight were killed and six badly wounded. Four were killed outright and others have since died. The ill-fated train arrived at the Union depot in this city at 4:30 this morning with some ninety passengers aboard. For four long hours groups of anxious mortals paced up and down the passageways, lingering impatiently and in awful suspense as to the fate of their friends who had taken passage on the fast line and were expected to arrive at 11:35 last night. The first person to step from the train was Miss McMahon, a school teacher in Florida, who was on her way to her home in Beaver Falls, this state. Miss McMahon furnished a thrilling account of the awful accident which overtook the fast line. She said: "I was sitting about the middle of the second coach from the engine. The train was running at a high rate of speed when the accident happened. The shock was terrific. I was thrown violently against a seat in front. The train stopped suddenly. In a minute all was confusion and I was at a loss to know what had happened. I soon heard shrieks from the passengers in the coach in the rear of the one I was in. I raised a window and looked out. The inside sides of the two coaches immediately in the rear were crushed in. I could see passengers climbing out over the coal cars lying on an adjoining track. The passengers who were not injured assisted in removing the killed and wounded. Several women in my car swooned away when they saw what had happened." Mr. J. Peach, of Belleville, Michigan county, this state, was a passenger in the third coach from the smoker. "I was sitting," said he, "about four seats in the rear of Dale Graham. When the trains collided the entire side of our coach was crushed in, and young Graham was literally buried in the ruins. But one moon escaped his lips and he must have died instantly. The side of the car was crushed down upon him and this, with a large quantity of coal from the freight car, had crushed the young man's life out before any assistance could be rendered. We must have been running at the rate of about thirty miles an hour and the freight train, I judge, about twelve miles. The freight train was heavily loaded and the terrible crash caused a panic among the passengers. I am surprised that three times as many were not crushed into eternity."

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