AN ELECTION CONTEST SETTLED.

The House by a Vote of 116 to 63 Declares Mr. Baker to Have Been Illegally Elect-ed to Represent Montgomery County— Other Legislative News.

HARRISBURG, April 19 .- Another democrat, making four in all, has been unseated by the republican majority in the house, Charles I. Baker, from Montgomery county, giving way to Austin L. Taggart, who contested his seat on the ground that fifty-six students at St. Charles' Borromeo seminary, a Catholic institution where young men are prepared for the priesthood, voted illegally for Baker. The house agreed with this idea and voted to unseat that gentleman, the only incident of the roll-call being the fact that Mr. Butterfield, of Erie, a republican, voted with the democrats in favor of Baker.

There yet remain two contests to be acted upon. In the Lancaster county case the general belief is that Walter W. Franklin, republican, will be given the seat now held by his successful democratic opheld by his successful democratic op-ponent, Mr. Forrest, and that J. P. O'Kell will become a member from Lackawanna county in place of J. J. Quinnan, the democrat who apparently beat him at the polls last November. The other democrats who have been unseated are Wilbur P. Higby, of Crawford county, who gave way to ex-State Chairman Andrews, and Messrs. Waugaman and Barnhart, of Westmoreland, who were succeeded by Porter and Hunter.

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In departing from the house Mr. Baker takes with him the good will of nearly every member. His services during two sessions have earned for him a seat on the first row and a high place in the estimation of his associates. "Farmer" Taggart is also well thought of and was warmly welcomed back to the halls of legislation by those who were associates during previous sessions of the legislature.

The Niles tax bill is having hard sledding in the house. At a meeting of the ways

in the house. At a meeting of the ways and means committee, of which Henry K. Boyer is chairman, a formidable array of speakers pointed out the "inequalities and iniquities" of the measure.

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Among them were ex-Congressman Mortimer F. Elliot from Mr. Niles' own county of Tioga; Hen. Robert E. Wright, a member of the tax commission; Captain John P. Green, vice president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company; C. C. Kean, of Venango, organizer for the Farmers' Alliance, and George Stevenson, representing the Philadelphia Stock Exchange.

Only one week ago the governor signed the bill appropriating \$500,000 for a new state library building, and the board of public buildings and grounds has already begun the discussion of the necessary preliminaries for the erection of the building.

The new building will be built on the site of the rustic fountain, just south of the department of internal affairs, and will be finished before work is commenced on the improvements and alterations to

on the improvements and alterations to the capitol. The commissioners will make an inspection of the library buildings in Philadelphia, Boston and New York before conferring with an architect about the plans and specifications for the new build

The Internal Revenue Receipts.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Internal Revenue Commissioner Mason yesterday submitted his last monthly report of the operations of the internal revenue bureau, the new commissioner, Mr. Miller. relieving him to-day. It shows that for the nine months of the fiscal year ending March 31, the aggregate receipts from internal revenue sources were \$120,510,016, a gain over the corresponding period of 1892, of \$7,-

Despondency Drove Him to Suicide. and committed suicide by taking lauda-num. He stood at the corner of Van Buren and Franklin streets at 3:30 in the afternoon at the time and several persons saw him swallow the fatal drug. It is said that \$3,000 would pay his liabilities.

A Murder Conspiracy Unearthed. DENISON, Tex., April 19.—A conspiracy to assassinate several county officials has been discovered at Sherman. Six officers were to be killed at some date in the near future by friends of Carlisle, Luttrell, Smith and Hunt, all murderers sentenced to hang. The affair has caused the wildest

Didn't Invite the Colored Cycler. NEWARK, N. J., April 19.—The cyclers here are at loggerheads over the negroquestion. A club of this city was going to hold a run and invited a number of cyclying letter carriers. One of the carriers, a colored man, was not invited, and his fellowworkmen refused the invitation in conse-

Imprisonment Tells on Haves. Sino Sino, N. Y., April 18.—Col. W. B.

Rayes, who has been in prison here for two
weeks for perjury, has been taken to the
prison hospital upon the recommendation
of Prison Physician Civine. Hayes has
worried himself so much over his imprison
what he has completely broken down ment that he has completely broken down in health and spirits.

A Statue to Queen Isabella.

NEW YORK, April 18.—A movement to erect a statue to Queen Isabella, of Spain, has been started by several well-known sohas been started by several well-known so-clety ladies, Readed by Mrs. C. Van Etten Mack. The intention is that the statue thall stand at the Eighth avenue entrance to Central Park, facing the statue of Co-

Fined 81 for Boxing His Servant's Ears New York, April 18.—Professor John B. Thomas, who teaches French in the fash-ionable Lakewood Heights school for young men, at Lakewood, pleaded guilty to boxears of his former domestic, Josephine Kraft, before Justice Low, at Tom's River, N. J., and was fined \$1 and costs.

Will be Lynched if Caught.

CLINTON, Wis., April 15.—Mat Bitner not his wife and Mrs. Arthur Hurne, the wife of a prominent farmer, near here, and threw their bodies in the cellar and burned the house. Sheriff Barr and 300 men are now in pursuit of Bitner and he will prob-ably be lynched when captured.

Two Killed in a Wreck,

FARWELL, Mich., April 18.—A collision occurred on the Toledo, Ann Arbor and North Michigan about four miles north of sice yesterday between a work train and a north bound passenger train. Two men were killed and several badly injured.

HAZELTON, April 17.—The trouble which has been brewing between the Hungarians and Italians of Milnesville and vicinity for some time Saturday night terminated in a bloody battle. As a result two men are dead, two missing, supposed to be lying at the bottom of a mine hole, and three others seriously injured.

Mike Bortz was shot in the mouth, the ball coming out back of his neck. He was taken to Hollywood, where he died shortly after. Another man who was engaged in the battle dropped his pay check on the road. It was known as "No. 408." Search at boarding houses failed to reveal anything of him. His hat was found later on the edge of a deep mine hole full of water. He is supposed to be at the bottom of the hole. Another Hungarian is also missing and he is supposed to have met the same fate. In the several boarding houses in Harleigh, Lattimer and Hollywood wounded men are now lying, but it is impossible to obtain the exact result of their injuries or names.

PHILADELPHIA, April 18.—George L. Crawford, special master in the Philadelphia and Reading railroad receivership, yesterday filed his first two reports in the United States circuit court. The first report was under the petition of John Lornies and others helders of one 200 0000 nie and others, holders of over \$300,000 of Reading proference bonds in which leve was asked to intervene in the foreclosure suit of Thomas C. Platt.

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The application was for the purpose of having the coupons of 1892 and 1893 on the first and second preference bonds cashed upon depositing all prior coupons in the registry of the court instead of surrendering them to the company, so that the rights of the complainants would be protected in the pending literation.

tected in the pending litigation.

The master says the petitioners are entitled to payment of their coupons maturing February 1, 1892, and also the coupons maturing February 1, 1893, upon deposit of their coupons in the court, pending the determination of proceedings upon their original bill, without enforced abandonment of their claim therein and surrender of prior coupons.

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The master further says that the application for a mandatory preliminary injunction compelling payment by the receivers of the '92 and '93 coupens and the issue of slip receipts should be denied.

The second report of Mr. Crawford upon the petition of the receivers asking authority to settle the suit of the Philadelphia Trust. Safe Deposit and Insurance Company, trustee under the will of William Richardson and others against the Reading Coal and Iron Company, pending in the common pleas court, and purchase the Leonard Reed tract of land on the terms proposed. Regarding this the master says proposed. Regarding this the master says that settlement should be consummated.

WILKES-BARRE, April 17 .- A bloody riot took place at Plymouth, about four miles from here, at an early house yesterday morning. The mob engaged in the fracas were all Huns and Polanders who were under the influence of liquor. Revolvers, stones and clubs were freely used upon each other's head until the relice made and other's head until the police made a raid upon them. Six of the combatants were arrested and several made their escape.

One man known as Stanislaus Jacob-fosky, formerly a member of company A, United States Army, was found lying on the ground unconscious. He was carried into a house near by and physicians were sent for. They found that his skull had been crushed in with a club. Everything was done to relieve the injured man, but he died in a few hours. The persons under nrest were sent to the county prison until this evening when they will have a hearing on the charge of murder. The coroner will investigate the case in the meantime.

G, April 18.—Augustus Dry, of staring him in the face, L. H. Hasse, a this city, in company with several companies dealer of Elgin, came to Chicago panions, started on a fishing trip to Mill-mont, several miles down the Schuykill. where they expected to spend Standay. They built a fire, the air being raw and chilly. As Dry was feeling tired, he laid down to sleep near the fire, and during the absence of his companions the wind drove the blaze towards him and ignited his clothing, burning him in a horrible manner. Several of his toes were burned off, while the skin on his legs and body hung in shreds. The man was brought to the Reading hospital in a wagon, but died several hours after being admitted to that institution. Hs was 42 years of age, and had been married three times. His third wife and seven children survive him.

HARRISBURG, April 18 .- In the matter of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania vs. the city and county of Philadelphia, Judge Simonton yesterday rendered an opinion in which the defense will pay over to the state the sum of \$887,893.55. This is a closing of litigation growing out of the malfeasance of John Bardsley while he was city treasurer, he having as the fiscal agent of that city collected this money, but failed to pay it into the treasury of the state. On the principal well established in law that the principal in a transaction is responsible for the action of an agent Philadelphia is held to age this mosaction. held to pay this money into the state treas-ury which its agent, John Bardsley, pur loined from its treasury.

HAZLETON, April 18 .- Late last night the fire in the Crystal Ridge mine had burned out the slope timbers, and that opening caved in near the surface. The entrance to the slope was gained yesterday afternoon through Cranberry mine and all the miners were taken out in safety. Another fall oc-The fire now extends clear to the third lift. The work of flooding the mine will be begun at once.

Berwick, April 17.—Breedbuder's block was burned Saturday. Those whose business was damaged are: Mrs. Breetbuder, Joseph Eyerly, Mr. Frantz, A. J. Burler, D. Waldridge, F. K. Smoyer and James Fenstermacher. The total loss is \$21,500, and the insurance about \$9,500.

WILKES-BARRE, April 17 .- At the home of her daughter, Mrs. Salmon Lewis, in Exeter township, Mrs. Lucretia Perrin, Saturday, celebrated the rare event of rounding out a century of life. She was born April 15, 1793. She has descendants

to the fifth generation. Easton, April 15.—John L. Snyder, mail carrier between the post office and the station at Riegelsville, died suddenly while seated on a truck at the depot. He was late in meeting the train, which prompted him to burry and became over-exerted. He

was 76 years old. Woods' Run, April 17.—By the falling of part of the roof in the T. J. Woods coal mine, James Wilburn and Dell Butler were killed. William Carson, William Hart and Charles Butler were badly hurt.

THROUGHOUT THE STATE

News from all Sections of the Commonwealth.

HAPPENINGS IN MANY LOCALITIES

All of the Miners Resented from the Crystal Ridge Colliery—Italians and Hum Engage in a Bloody Riot Near Milnes wille—Other State News.

POINT PLEASANT, April 19.—Suicide, and not murder, now appears to have been at the bottom of the mystery surrounding the death of bay mernhant Samuel W. Leidy, whose bones were found in the ashes of the hay house April 2. False entries have been found in his books, and it is now thought that he dreaded the approaching settlement with his partner, John D. Hunsburger. Large book accounts of nearly \$5,000 were standing open. His persona account books, always kept at his home, cannot be found. The footprints on the ledger have been identified as Leidy's own, owing to the marks of the two rows of owing to the marks of the two rows of nails in the heels. John Sutter, his fore man, declares that for a week he had acted strangely.

READING, April 19.—Peter Jones, one of the first iron founders of this county, died in this city of a pulmonary affection, inciin this city of a pulmonary affection, inci-dant to an attack of the grip, aged 84 years. He was engaged in the iron busi-ness for many years, having operated fur-naces and mills in Berks and Schuylkill counties. He was born in Berks and was a member of the eighth generation of his family in this country.

Elias Frantz, a wealthy retired farmer of Bethel township, died after a short illness, aged 85 years. He was the oldest citizen in the northeastern end of Berks country

in the northeastern end of Berks county.

ALLENTOWN, April 19.-Mrs. Charles V. Shoemaker, made a ghastly discovery yes-terday morning. Joseph Gangairere, a silk weaver, aged 17, occupied a small room on the second floor of her house. Monday night when he retired he blew out the gos and was found dead in bed, having been usphyxiated. The young man was in the habit of using a lamp. Several members of the family in an adjoining room had a narrow escape.

PHILADELPHIA, April 19.—Despondent from long continued ill health, Edward Hamilton walked into Carrigan's cigar store at the corner of Twenty-Sixth and Oxford streets, and before Mrs. Carrigan, who was tending store, could realize his in-tention, pulled out a revolver and shot himself in the breast. He was removed to the German hospital. Hamilton is an ice man and lived at No. 2142 Ridge avenue.

BETHLEHEM, April 19.—Abraham R Wright, aged 50 years, a farmer of Hillton township, was drowned Monday night. He sauntered along a small creek, a branch of the Wissahickon, which runs through his premises, to cut willow boughs. While washing the willow shoots he fell into the reck. It is thought he was attacked with an epileptic fit. His wife, who searched for him, found the body yesterday.

Myenstown, April 19.—The large bank barn on the farm of Adam Baney, near this place, was destroyed by fire with its con-tents. The live stock was saved. The loss is \$5,500. Incendiarism is suspected. Sev eral weeks ago an attempt was made to burn the stables attached to the Baney house here, owned by the same party.

HAZLETON, April 19.—The coroner's jury appointed to inquire into the Laurel Hill disaster, by which three miners were drowned, rendered a verdict that William Trembath, Richard J. Williams and Thomas Hodgson came to their deaths through the gross negligence of the operators, A. Par-

Easton, April 19.—David Amey, a wealthy resident of Upper Harmony, and his wife, drove here yesterday to visit friends. Their horses ran away. Mr. Amey was dragged two squares and killed and Mrs. Amey badly hurt. Deceased was 70 years of age.

Shamokin, April 19.—Alexander Maxwell was awarded \$2,400 damages yesterday by a jury in a case against the Philadelphia and Reading railroad for \$10,000 damages for injuries caused by an engine colliding with his carriage seven months

Harrisbung, April 17.—Dominick F. Sweeney, of the Hazleton Plain Speaker, died at Hazleton Saturday. He was well known in this city, having been connected with the Harrisburg Burial Case Company for several years past. He was a graduate of West Point. His death was caused by consumption.

Homestead, April 17.—Although it has been denied that the men in Carnegie's mill contemplated another strike, it is befleved that they will strike on July 1.

ARKANSAS VISITED BY A CYCLONE. A Whole Town Demolished and Seven People Killed.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 19.-News was received here yesterday of a fearful cyclone in Fourche Valley, Scott county. The town of Boles was almost entirely destroyed. Seven persons were killed and a large number injured.

The path of the storm was half a mile wide and everything was swept before it. The bodies of a number of the killed were carried over half a mile by the storm. It is impossible to get full particulars, but it is known that at least seven persons were killed and the number may be larger.

THE DUKE CALLED ON THE MAYOR And Was Tendered the Freedom of New York City.

New York, April 19.-The Duke of Verogrua and party yesterday afternoon visited the city hall and met Mayor Gilroy. The mayor welcomed the duke and formally tendered him the freedom of the

The duke made an appropriate reply, expressing his thanks for the honor done him and then the doors were opened and the duke held a reception and shook hands with a large number of citizens.

At the conclusion of the reception the lucal party returned to their hotel.

Three Killed in an Explosion.

LEADVILLE, Col., April 19.—Word has reached here that a terrible explosion occurred on the Ivanhoe side of the Buck-Ivanhoe tunnel and that three men were killed and others injured. Particulars can not be obtained.

Bloomington Went Republican. BLOOMINGTON, Ill., April 19.—A com-plete canvass of the votes cast in the mu nicipal election shows that the republicans swept the vice president's home. Danie' Foster, republican, is elected mayor for th

Authorized to Acquire Control. Bosron, April 19.—The house yesterday passed the bill authorizing the Boston and Maine ratiroad to acquire the Concord and Montreal road. An effort will be made to day to secure the re-consideration of the

Ministers to Oppose Home Rule. London, April 18 .- More than two hundred Methodist ministers in Ireland have signed an appeal to Methodist ministers in England that they oppose home rule both on religious and commercial grounds.

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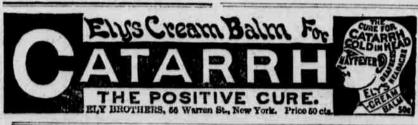
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ı	Beaver Peter, laborer
۱	Biddle Ambrose, farmer Madison
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ı	Kinlan Thomas, laborer
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