THE CENTRE REPORTER.

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Gen. Drum who first advised the Presa Republican.

ture has fallen fifteen to twenty degrees inquiry generally is, what do they exall through the west, and it is expected | pect to make out of it? that the, ool wave will reach the Atlan-

the bill making it unlawful to sell, pay cause of the constant inquiries that were for or furnish cigars, cigarettes or tobac- made at his office as to flags in which co in any form to a minor under 16 years the people of various States were specof age, except on the written consent of ially interested. He says that when the parent or guardian. The measure goes list of flags returned and their histories into effect at once.

The Andover controversy on the doctrine of probation, is to go to the Massachusetts courts for decision. The lawyers will give a comfortable sort of theology in solution of the question. They will probably throw out probation as at fresh start with a clear record.

Statement of the business of the Pennsylvania Railroad company east of Pittsburg and Erie for May, 1887, as compared with the same month of 1886, shows an increase in the net earnings of \$368,-690. Five months of 1887 compared with he same period of 1886 shows an increase in the net earnings of \$904,482. All lines west of Pittsburg and Erie for five months of 1887 shows a surplus over all liabilities of \$465,568, being a gain as compared with the same period of 1886 of \$818,364.

Northampton county, met at Easton on Monday and adopted rules disqualifying the democratic kickers who were on the "mule" ticket last fall from being entit
The democratic continues of the regular army. This raised a howl at are opposed to the wholesale system of Eisenhuth, of Millhelm, is a nounce that Jacob singing of patriotic hymns and anthems by the time, and the Massachusetts legislators were on the United States to cease purchasing coffee Kimport, of Harris township, is a cannidate for Treasurer, subject to Democratic usages.

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of crop conditions collected from over and out of the Grand Army is of no acone thousand points in the north-west count. Some of these gentry are just Although wheat has been damaged by now talking of insulting the president the prolonged drought and intensely hot should be exercise the privileges of an weather in some localities, the general American citizen, and visit St. Louis prospects are very encouraging. There this fall. If it shall appear any substanis a largely increased acreage, especially tial grievance arises out of the flag order in Dakota, and the aggregate yield in we have no doubt it will be promptly the Northwest promises to be the largest remedied. ever known. The outlook for corn is very favorable. There will be short crops of timothy and flax and the bar- chatter about the returning of flags, comley crop also threatens to be a partial ing in, as it does, 25 years after the close der at large. He announces in terms failure.

Sheriff, to whose custody he dad been en- a confederate regiment came up to Bostrusted, would not take the responsibilty ton, and ate and slept with a regiment of purged of its unwholesome elements. of watching him at his home, and the Union veterans, just like they had been aged prisoner is having his first experi- old comrades. Gov. Beaver, very sensience behind prison bars. Probably no bly, thinks it is not worth his while for one who has followed the New York him to write about the matter and it is a boodle Aldermen cases will doubt for an pity some others did not think the same instant Sharp's guilt, and yet it is by no way, instead of going crazy over the cinnati has known, and so great was the means certain that he will be convicted matter. The mass of the soldiers will of bribery. He is old and infirm and a not froth about it, while the few that term in Sing Sing would doubtless prove fata!. This will have its effect on the risk of rendering themselves level and the few that ginning to be felt. But the greatest suffering that the Fidelity's fall will cause subject to Democratic usages.

We are authorized to announce that A. Sternberg, of Ballefonte, is a candidate for Recorder. fata!. This will have its effect on the risk of rendering themselves laughable. jury. Again these cases have been so Let the flags remain in the cellar of the long drawn out that they are losing the War Department, then. interest they once had. This ought not to be, but still the fact remains. Everything considered it is not improbable that Sharp, the greatest sinner of all. will escape the fate of Jaehne and Mc-Quade.

will not respond to the summons to ap- the strikers themselves amount to from pear at Rome. To do so within the pre- \$600,000 to \$800,000, about 11 per cent. of scribed time, he must start within the a year's earnings. This was lost on a defirst half of the present week; and if he mand for a 121/2 per cent. advance. Onshall not go, he will suffer expulsion and ly three thousand out of the twelve it is probable that a large number of his thousand strikers secured the advance. parishioners would follow him.

obeyed by its worshippers, and the publing in return. Their idleness threw out lic support given to McGlynn by people of employment twenty thousand iron, of his own faith is certain to precipitate steel and other employes, whose loss in a dread conflict between the church au- wages reaches \$1,400,000. A total loss thority and many of its members in this in wages of \$2,000,000 is thus shown, the country. As the issue is one that goes only offset to which is the \$200,000 addirectly to the prerogatives of the Holy vance secured by the three thousand See, a middle ground for adjustment by Carnegie workmen. The strike seems concessions does not appear to be possi- to be an admirable device for making ble. The result of the revolt will be poor men still poorer. watched with general interest, not only in Catholic circles, but in all religious, political and industrial circles and the O., who have been locked out of the lesson will be an impressive one, what- Champion shops there for over a year ever may be the final outcome of this in- want to arbitrate now. It is unlikely dustrial and ecclesiastical evolution.

RETURNING THE TATTERED FLAGS.

General Drum, who is a Pennsylvantic states before Wednesday night, 22. ian, serving with distinction in the civil war, and is a Republican, it seems orig-Gov. Oglesby, of Illinois, has signed inated the idea to return the flags, be are given to the public, a letter from President Cleveland will accompany it which we suppose will explain the reawas never intended that flags taken in internecine strife should be treated like trophies captured from a foreign enemy. all essential and declare in favor of a It has never been done. It would serve no good purpose to treasure up these things and display them to a perpetual affront and insult to men who are now good, loyal American citizens. The Union, the object for which the men of the North fought so well, is now securely established. It is the desire of every patriot to see the last ray of sectional feeling extuinguished and obliterated as soon as possible.

It was with some such idea as this that Charles Sumner moved his famous resolution that the names of battles in the Knights of Labor, in view of the which American citizens were engaged against each other, as in the civil war, the legislature saw that Sumner was their use for three or four weeks and

When the full history of this affair apticket are to be served in the same way. Union veteran, and to talk of it as an insult is the merest bosh. The fuss and The Chicago Times publishes reports flurry raised by the political strikers in

of the war, and when hands are being

among their number who are good at deposits in the bank, and that means at figures and will tell their comrades the least 2,000 depositors. The corner in exact truth about the gains and losses of wheat is what broke the bank. the late strike, they will not be gratified It is now obvious that Dr. McGlynn at the showing. The wages sacrificed by The nine thousand have lost more than The Church of Rome is nothing if not one-tenth of a year's wages and got noth-

> The Knights of Labor at Springfield, that their wishes will be heeded.

EXTRA SESSION PROBABLE.

The general impression is that Goverit. When such men as Foraker and very much more comprehensive bill attempted in England. A cool wave was reported on its way Fairchild, blow their loud bazoos over than the one that was based by the legeast at the signal office. The tempera- any matter relating to the war, the first islature at its late session. The members who will turn out to do honor to the meanwhile Maxwell was on the Pacific, pay their expenses, clerk hire, &c.

> The Sunday's Times says the successful appears to combine both convenience twenty persons, \$1,000. and safety. With oil at twenty-five cents a barrel, the cost of the new fuel will be very trifling and the doing away with the cinders and soot attendant upbecome general as a result of this experi- Sam will be at all of them, of course. ment the traveling public will have occasion to bless cheap petroleum and the necessity which led to the finding a way to extend its use. Railway traveling will become a comparative delight if the irritating cinder can be gotten rid of.

One of the Harrisburg assemblies of adopted a resolution requesting "every robbers. Boycott coffee and salt pork, because the monopoly devil is in it. We subject to Democratic usages. and have the order to abstain from the use of these articles."

Mr. Powderly has at last unsealed his lips on the subject of the expulsion from the Knights of Labor of District Assembly No. 126, and states while he was not present at the meeting of the General Executive Board when the action was taken, he thoroughly endorses it. There was no personal animus in the movement. The leaders of the district assembly and many of the rank and file are violent men, strongly tainted with An-There is a great deal of nonsensical archism, and their expulsion as a body was necessary for the safety of the orerick, of Penn township, is a candidate for Com
missioner, subject to Democratic usages. which cannot be misunderstood that the shaken about once a year over the bloody Knights can have no sympathy or affilia-Jake Sharp spent Sunday in jail. The chasm. Why it was only last week that tion with such heresies and that the society must be at once and effectively Steps looking to this end are to be taken

Worse and worse grows the situation at the Fidelity bank, of Cincinnati. It cinnati has known, and so great was the shock of it that the effects are just besubject to Democratic usages.

We are authorized to announce that John S. Gray, of Philipsburg, is a candidate for Recorder, subject to Democratic usages. will probably never be made public.

We are authorized to announce that W. Galer Morrison, of Port Matilda, is a candidate for Redundreds of poor depositors had their corder, subject to Democratic usages. all in the bank; they will bear their loss | We are authorized to announce that D. L. Zer-by, of Millheim, is a candidate for Recorder, subin silence. It is the only thing they can ject to Democratic usages. If the coke strikers have any men do. There were \$2,500,000 of individual

Detective John Westbrook last night arrested Thomas Galbraith, of Mt. Union as the third party connected with the as the third party connected with the Hawn robbery on Thursday last. He is a brother of John Galbraith, who was captured on Friday. He was lodged in jail this morning. Anker, the wounded cloths in all colors, visit Lyon & Co. farmer, is still improving, and his recovery is expected.

Democratic candidates are now looking after their interests throughout the county, which is right, and we think goods, best assortment ever brought to there is an unusual good feeling among Centre county, and at a bargain, at S. & rival candidates, which we trust will be A. Loebs. preserved to the end. Let no scheming, plotting, or setting up be attempted, and most of all, keep out the most distaste- and up. ful of all, church matters, which some who have no regard for the good of sammer silk and China silk, go to Lyon church or party, would drag into party. & Co. Above all avoid the latter abomination

Sam Josephs says he will run against Sam Randall for Congress.

FIFTY YEARS A QUEEN.

London, June 20.—The Queen in all Heis the Perpetrator of the Famons St. The Pittsburg Post on Wednesday nor Beaver will call an extra session of her glory this morning drove from the morning printed the circular of the ad- the legislature to act on the revenue castle at Windsor to the railway station utant general of the army, to be sent to bill. This, however, will not be done un- and came to London on a special train. the governors of the various States in til after the revenue commission provid- She drove from the station here to Buckident to send the captured flags south, is relation to the return to the States of ed for by the late assembly has made its ingham Palace. Crowds of people lined murder case. The judgment of the St the flags, representing their organiza- report. Commission is expected to pro- the entire route in town and displayed Louis criminal court will be affirmed and tions, deposited in the war office, as cap- ceed to work at once, and to make a re- the greatest enthusiasm. Her Majesty the prisoner will be sentenced to be Mr. O'Brien entered the lord mayor's car-Rev. Charles Stowe, son of Mrs. Har- tured or otherwise There was nothing port before the 1st of October next. appeared delighted at the loyalty they judge riet Beecher Stowe, who filled the pulpit in this to excite the sensitiveness of Speaker Boyer says he thinks that when exhibited, and bowed and smiled in of the late Henry Ward Beecher, on grand army men or any other men. But the report shall be read the governor every direction. The decorations with Maxwell, made the acquaintance of C. Ar Sunday, will probably be appointed per- a good deal of a fuss has been picked up will issue a call for an extra session of banners, mottoes and flags are increasing thur Preller, a young English commercial traveler, on an ocean steamer. He decoyed manent pastor of Plymouth church, New abour it, on second thought, we sup- the legislature to consider the measure. enormously, and when done promise to Preller to this city on April 5, 1885. He pose, that there was political capital in The commission will probably make a eclipse anything of the kind ever before chloroformed him to death at the Southern

of the commission will receive no. com- Queen to-morrow it is estimated that at bound for Aukland, New Zealand. He pensation for their services, but an ap- least a million strangers will behold or was arrested on his arrival and returnpropriation of \$10,000 has been made to try to get a glimpse of the state pageant death was due to accident, but the along the route from Buckingham Palace state introduced a detective into the jail,

to Westminster A bbey. trip of a mail train from Altoona to from which to view the procession is still this point. The case was one of 'he most Pittsburg day before yesterday drawn by as great as ever, but there are few places sensational that ever occurred in this an engine on the tender of which not a remaining, and these are held at fabulous country, and attracted considerable attention of wood or a bucket fall of coal was stick of wood or a bucket fall of coal was prices. In respect of paying enormous and was for a time quite a lion with morbid carried, the fuel used being crude petro-sums for seats, windows and other ad-women. leum, gives promise of a speedy solution vantageous positions, the Americans are of the problem of finding a market for the most extravagant, as many of them the cheap Ohio rock oil. The method have paid without a murmur \$50 each adopted by the Pennsylvania Railroad for single balcony seats, and for the exsons for the action taken. General Drum in the successful experiment of Friday clusive use of a balconyt accommodaing sembly No. 178, knights of labor. It was an

> vals are fixed on for nearly all points, in tors not members of the organization. The cluding Centre Hall, Bellefonte, Mill- parade at noon was a mile and a half long, leum as a fuel for passenger trains should will know where to put it in. Uncle numbering 400 ladies. Ralph Beaumont,

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSION ER.

We are authorized to announce that John D. Decker, of Potter township, is a candidate for commissioner, subject to Republican usages.

TREASURER. We are authorized to announce that Joshua T. The democratic county committee of should not be inscribed on the flags of working man and woman and all who for Treasurer, subject to Democratic usages. you will effectually ruin these heartless for Treasurer, subject to Democratic usages. We are authorized to announce that Joseph Smith, of Penn Hall, is a candidate for Treasurer

SHERIFF.

Holt, of Burnside township, is a candidate for west, and as it is fit and proper that names Sheriff, subject to Democratic usages. We are authorized to announce that Joseph o Democratic usages.

asel of Spring township, is a candidate neriff, subject to Democratic usages. We are authorized to announce that J. P. Con-lo, of Spring Mills, is a candidate for Sheriff, sub-ect to Democratic usages. We are authorized to announce that John Q Miles, of Martha Furnace, is a candidate for Sher

iff, subject to Democratic usages. We are authorized to announce that W. A. 1shler, of Benner township, will be a candidate Sheriff, subject to Democratic usages. COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce that A. J. Gries of Fleming, is a candidate for Commissioner, subject to Democratic usages. f Milesburg, is a candidate for ubject to Democratic usages.

We are authorized to announce that John M. Furey, of Pleasant Gap, is a candidate for Commissioner, subject to Democratic usages. We are authorized to announce that Michael S eidler, of Haines township, is a candidate for mmissioner, subject to Democratic usages

We are authorized to announce that Joseph Gates, of Ferguson twp., is a candidate for Com-missioner, subject to Democratic usages. RECORDER.

REGISTER.

We are authorized to announce that G. W. Rumberger, of Unionville, is a candidate for Register, subject to Democratic usages.

-Men's working shoes as low as 85c LYON & Co. -For tricotes, ottomans and canvass

-Sulky plow, advertised in REPOR-TER, can be bought at a bargain by applying at this office. -- Children's suits, \$1.25 to \$1.50 and Lyon & Co. -All kinds of house furnishing

-Ladies' and misses' spring wraps

and jackets in endless variety, at Lyon's. --- Men's black diagonal suits, \$7.50 --- For summer silks, satin rhadimaes,

-Knee pants from 25c up to the LYON & Co.

Centre Hall.

MAXWELL LIKELY TO HANG.

Louis Trunk Mystery-Decision To-Day, St. Louis, June 19-A special from Jefferson city says it is semi-officially given out that the supreme court will on Monday hand down the decision in the Maxwell

Augh M. Broks, alias Dr. Walter Lenox hotel. He robbed the remains of \$1,000 and ed here. He maintained that Prelier's who, under the guise of a prisoner, claimed The rush for seats and standing room well. The defense hoped for a reversal on

Labor Demonstratin in Ohlo.

Springfield, Ohio, June 19 .- A great organized labor demonstration was given immense affair and marked an era in organized labor in the state of Ohio. Fully ten Fourth of July celebrations and festi from all parts of Ohio, besides many visithousand visiting knights were present on the use of coal will prove a grateful heim, Philipsburg, Howard, and other feature of the parade was delegation of the relief to passengers. If the use of petro- points, so that such as want a good time Hannah Powderly assembly of Cincinnati, chairman of the national legislative committee of the knights of labor, and J. M. Blummen, Ohio state organizer, delivered addresses.

Historic Valley Forge.

READING, Penn., June 19 .- About 8,000 persons participated on the historic ground of Vally Forge in the celebration at the place of the Patriotic order of sons of America. Washington's old headquarters the Knights of Labor, in view of the speculation in salt meats and coffee, has subject to Democratic usages.

We are authorized to announce that J. F. Krebs ing was held at which Henry J. Stager, of Philadelphia, presided and addresses were made by Congressmen Brumm and Curtin was fired and the ceremonies included the

Rocky Mountain Names.

OTTAWA, Ont., June 19 .- An order in council has been passed declaring that unauthorized and inappropriate names have We are authorized to announce that Oscar been given to natural features in the northof persons more intimately connected with We are authorized to announce that Joseph L. the inception and execution of the Canadian national highway should be perpetuated in this manner the names of five of the Rocky mountains are changed as follows: Bounthe inception and execution of the Canadian dary Peak to Pope's Peak, after the Minis We are authorized to announce that J. Adam ter of Finance; Mount Carroll to Mount Macdonald, after the premier: Mount Cunningham to Mount Mackenzie, after the ex-premier, and an unnamed mountain to oe called Mount Macpherson.

Chicago Boodlers Convicted.

CHICAGO, June 18 - William J. McGarigle of the Cook county hospital, and Ed ward S. McDonald, engineer of the same institution and brother of "Mike" Mc-We are authorized to announce that Jacob Em- Donald, the notorious gambler, were convicted in the criminal court of conspiracy to defraud the county. Their punishment was fixed at three years' imprisonment in the state penitentiary, the severest pen We are authorized to announce that J. C. Shope aly allowed by the law for the offense charged. The verdict was anticipated by all who closely read tue overwhelming testimony a gainst the accused men.

Notes from the Dominion.

MONTREAL, June 16 .- Mr. A. C. Duquett, agent of the New York life insurance ompany, was arrested on a charge of forging the signature of Mr. Edward Gauvreau to a note of \$400. The company say that the note is a genuine one, and that Gauvreau handed it over in payment of his policy. The merchant who is charged with defrauding the revenue and the shipping lines is an American named Baird, who runs a large business here. All the coal cousigned to him, some twelve or fifteen cargoes, has been seized.

Gen. Fairchild Entertained.

HARTFORD, Conn., June 19 .- Gen. Lucius We are authorized to announce that John. A. Rupp, of College twp., is a candidate for Register, subject to Democratic usages.

Hartford, Conn., June 19.—Gen. Lucius Fairchild, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, was given a reception by Robert O. Tyler post, of this Gen. Fairchild was introduced by H. R. Morley, commander of the post, and spoke briefly, confining his remarks to matters directly related to the benefit of the order. A general reception followed. Later a private reception was given at the a married man, about 25 years of age, and and better goods at slightly higher prices, house of Department Commander Henry E. Taintor, whose guest Gen. Fairchild is

> The People All Love the Queen. LONDON, June 20.-Cardinal Manning in a letter to the clergy read in the Catholic churches, said: "No sovereign in our long annals has been more loved or has so wor the love of the people as her majesty Queen Victoria. She has shown the heart not only of queen, but also of a mother of those who mourn. Herhome and her court have been a bright and spotless example for all who reign, and a pattern for all her

Cheaper Than Natural Gas. CLEVELAND, June 19 .- The board of in

people."

dustry, after careful in estigation, has eached the conclusion that fuel gas may be manufactured cheaper than natural gas can be procured, either by by sinking wells or piping, and will probably begin experiments at once to ascertain whether the - Fly nets at Boozer's harness shop best results can be obtained from petroleum or coal slack.

EDITOR O'BRIEN AT HOME.

Received with the Greatest Ovation Witnessed in Many Years.

DUBLIN, June 20 .- Mr. William O'Brien arrived here last evening, and was received with the greatest ovation witnessed here in many years. He was met at the railway station by the lord mayor and corporation, and by Messrs. Davitt, Kenney, and others, riage which was then dragged along by a crowd of citizens, the horses having been detached. A procession followed, composed of thousands of citizens, with bands, banners, &c. A deputation from the Gaelic Athletic society, comprising hundreds of members, all dressed in costume, joined the procession.

The route of the procession extending two miles, was densely packed with people, and all the windows along the line were crowded. Having arrived at the hotel, the lord mayor from the balcony on Sackville street proposed three cheers for O'Brien, Davitt, the Bodyke tenants and Gladstone, and groans for Lansdowne, all rack-renting landlords and Salisbury. The responses were lusty. Mr. O'Brien spoke briefly, his voice failing to reach more than a small part of the assembage. The crush of people was enormous. Many persons Tainted.

To be Called the Volunteer.

Boston, June 17 .- Gen. Paine has at last decided upon a name for his new steel yacht, now building in Deleware. She is to be called the Volunteer. Designer Burgess said this was a name doubly appropriate, and as Gen. Paine was a volunteer in the war of the rebellion and he wrote a letter to the New York yacht club during the winter just passed volunteering to build a new sloop to defend the cup against the new Scotch cutter.

Kentucky Labor Candidates

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 16 .- At Lagrange, after much squabbling, the union labor party of Kentucky placed a full state ticket in nomination, as follows: For Governor-A. H. Cargin, of Crittenden; for Lieutenant-Governor-O. N. Bradburn, of Louisville; for Attorney-General-John P. Newman, of Campbell; for Treasurer-George Smith, of Hancock; for Auditor-John McMurtry, of Fayette; for Superin tendent of Public Instruction-R. M. McBeath, of Marion.

The Counters Eloped.

Paris, June 19 .- The man with whom the Countess Campos left France is the Viscount De letour Garboeuf. The couple went to Antwerp and will go down from there to England, where they will be married. The countess has written to the prpers saying that her object in running off with the viscount was to secure her release from her oppressors and to regain her liberty. The fortune of the countess is estimated at \$7,500,000.

Chicago Bricklayers Firmty Hold Out.

CHICAGO, June 19 .- At a meeting of the bricklayers' union one of the leaders said: 'We have no thought of giving up the fight. The majority of our men are at work, and the assessment of \$1 a week from them is fully enough to keep the idle ones in fighting trim. But many of those employed do not confine themselves to the \$1 contribution, and some give as high as \$5. If more money is needed, we know where to get it."

Three Doctors Held for Manslaughter.

NEWARK, N. J., June 18 .- The court this morning held in bail for \$1,000 each, Drs. Vodey, Watkins and McPherson, who were found guilty of manslaughter by the coroner's inquest in the case of Frank Sullivan. who died recently at the city hospital.

Of Interest to Laborers.

Denver, Col., is becoming an important manufacturing centre, and will produce \$30,000.000 worth of products this year. The builders in the small towns all over

the country are reporting an increasing demand for small houses. The building and loan association fever is spreading in the West. It was reported in Pittsburg that the

Amalgamated association convention would pass a resolution prohibiting members of the association from becoming knights of At a meeting of the building trades coun-

cil in Philadelphia a committee from the central labor union was admitted and urged the necessity of taking steps to secure rapid transit. The treasurer of the board of trustees of

the Childs-Drexel fund deposited \$1,108.21, the sum received from the union printers east of the Mississippi river on Childs's birthday, May 12. The lockout at the Valencia cigar factory in Chicago has ended, the mawager conser

ing to pay the union price for scrap cigars or bunches made by the machine. The girls employed on the machine will join the The general executive board of the knights of labor has in preparation a statement giving a correct history of the diffi-

culties which finally resulted in the revo-cation of the charter of district assembly 126 and the local assemblies attached to

A London paper says that there is not one corner in Europe where American small cost hardware is not for saie. Krupp, of Germany, Armstrong, of England, and Hotchkiss, of France, with all their resources, are unable to produce a monkey or a screw-bar wren ch equal to the American wrenches. Four railroads are now being built in

Georgia to centre in Atlanta. A will then be the greatest railroad centre in the south. These roads will run through coal, lumber and agricultural sections, and already syndicates are operating along the projected lines, securing the control of the most desirable lands.

New England textile manufacturers are generally improving their capacity and putting in better machinery to decrease cost. A New Hampshire firm has ordered Cape Horn on account of high freights.

The Pepperell mill in Maine has just divided \$200,000 in dividends and has

2,700,000 lett.

Several letters have been received by a section of the Central labor union from the hog butchers' bosses, namely: Ch. Roth, 1621 First avenue; A. Buchshaum, at Ninth avenue and Thirty-ninth street, and Voss Bros., 829 Second avenue, stating that they did not handle pork from Crane & Davis's. A special committee has been appointed to investigate the truth of these statements.