## Lancaster Intelligence:

THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT. 14, 1882. The Cresson Band of Brethren.

The pig iron manufacturers turned out to be the most obstreperous section of the Cresson convention of iron and steel men; and for very natural reasons. They are making on the average less money than either the bar iron or the steel manufacturers; those who have well-made and well-situated furnaces have a very profitable business, but most of the iron furnaces in this section of the country are badly placed and poorly equipped; and as a consequence those who run them are not content with their profits. The Bessemen steel manufacturers, having started a new industry with large capital, possess ing a monopoly and enjoying a close corporation, are very amiable and exceedingly well satisfied. They did not make any trouble at Cresson at all. They agreed to let the other fellows cut down the duty on steel rails to a cent a pound, the same as on bar iron : and no doubt they would have been equally complacent if the bar iron manufacturers had been willing to reduce the duty on manufactured iron, taking steel along with it. The notorious fact is that the Bessemer manufacturers can conduct their business at a large profit at a much less duty upon foreign rails than a cent a pound. It would suft them well to have the duty on pig iron reduced and on foreign ores. They are in a position to go farther than any iron men in the reduction of duties all around. They made no fight upon any other interest at Cresson, being well content with the situation as it is and equally content with any variation in it that the iron men wanted. The latter had no chance to fight with them because they would not fight. They acceeded to the demand to a common level of duty on iron and steel rails, and were it would be ! just as lovely as they could be. But for the bilious pig iron people the Cresson convention would have been a picture of unanimity, barring a little disturbance made by the iron ore miners. When the excitement upon these topics was getting a little high the matters were referred to a committee, which got up a little compromise that patched up a truce between the belligerents. Pig iron was given a dollar a ton more duty. being raised from seven to eight dollars a ton, and iron ore got a sop in an increase from twenty per cent. ad valorem to eighty cents a ton specific duty. Then committees were appointed to appear before the tariff commission and the

gested. The proceedings at a superficial better than the still-born " pulpit racket." cation, and asking for a continuance of the glance appear as though they were those of a real Legislature. No doubt the delegates thought themselves very competent to do the work of making a tariff, and considered it a great mistake that they were not real legislators. The rest of the country will differ with them in opinion, and the honest truth no doubt is that no set of men could be less competent to make the duties on iron and steel products than the men who manufacture them. They did wisely in not inviting the tariff commision to attend their deliberations, where its members would clearly have seen how closely their views were bounded by the horizon of their self-interest and how showed to consider the general interest of the country before their own. They were wise in putting themselves in communication with the tariff commission through committees who could at least go cocked and primed and ready to unanimously aim at their bulls eve even though with a crooked gun. They may hit the commission with it, but it is safe to say that they will not reach the public affirmation of the correctness of the claim of the Cresson convention for a maintenance of the present rates of duty on iron and steel and much less for the

would-be legislators adjourned.

increase of any of them. It was very silly in the convention to concede to the demand of the pig iron delegates for an increase of duty, knowing as they did that the blast furnaces in the country, which are well planted and built, can continue to make pig iron at a less duty than is now imposed upon the foreign product. A tariff is not a justifiable one which seeks to protect manufacturers who are working in localities and with appliances that nat urally handicap them. Such manufacturers need to transfer their industries to more favorable localities, and to make their facilities equal to the cheapest result. It is not to the interest of the country to protect from foreign competition those who cannot or will not protect themselves from home competition. The time is coming when the interest of the iron industries in the sections of the country where iron can be made cheapest will demand free trade in iron; and then the interest of the whole country will unite in this demand. It is safe to conclude, wherever iron manufacturers, after the many years of protection they have had in this rapidly growing country, are found in need of increased protection, or even of the same that they have been enjoying, that their sphere of usefulness is over in the places that have so long known them, and that they should be abandoned to their fate as things that the public weal is no longer concerned in protecting. The course of duties upon iron should be in a steadily descending scale from now onward. The present duties will bear a moderate reduction all around. The process of reduction should be gradual and slow, testing at each step the capacity of the iron trade to prosper under it; but it should be certain, and now is a good time to commence it.

interview with Mr. Bigelow, an intimate friend of Mr. Tilden, who proclaims that Mr. Tilden is definitely out of publie life, and would not accept a nomina-A Circus Goes to ricces.

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prise, for we have never felt that we had any sufficient reason to doubt that Mr. Tilden was still taking an active interest in public affairs, and would be a candidate in 1884 for the presidency if there should seem to be any such demand for him as would warrant his candidacy. We are glad to have this apparently authoritative declaration from the Sun that Mr. Tilden withdraws himself as a factor in politics. It is a withdrawal in the line of the late recommendation of Horatio Seymour that old disturbing figures in politics should be eliminated and new and fresh flowers fill their places in the Democratic vases.

This is the Jewish New Year's day,

DOCTOR BRADLEY has now editorially pinioned Congressman Scranton as "a constitutional political bummer." This, we suppose, is another way of saving that "Joe" can't help being "crooked."

SHOULD the Democrats of the Seventh district nominate Gen. Davis, of Doylestown, for Congress the gallant old soldier will give Dr. Evans a lively chase. The Democrat is doing yeoman success in

UNCLE JOHN CESSNA, who yearns to see Beaver elected, remarks: "I think the situation [in the Republican party of very careful management." Y-es. Mr. Cessna recalls Dr. Holmes' katydid, seeing The presentation of the report created that be

" . . . says an undisputed thing In such a solemn way."

Cooren might make five hundred dolars more for his robbers' "contribution" treasury by learning of Phipps' whereabouts and giving him away. But then the Stalwart chairman would gladly give ten times that amount rather than leave the fleeing " majah" return just now and tell the public all he knows. What a tale scrap iron increased from \$6 to \$8 per ton; it would be ' steel rails reduced from \$28 to \$22.40 per

A SILVER DOLLAR was sent to the New Orleans mint the other day and pronounced counterfeit. Its weight was slightly in access of that of the genuine dollar, and it failed before the acid test, but in all outward appearance it was an exact imitation On a more thorough test being made it was found to be a genuine dollar, which somebody in a sportive mood had heavily nickel-plated.

BEAVER'S undignified swing around the circle must be getting exceedingly unpleasant as well as unprofitable. At Erie the other evening he was conspicuously sunbbed by the leading Republicans, and at Pittsburgh only forty persons assembled to hear him address "the business men." Somehow "the business It is not to be forgotten that this convention did not make the tariff it sug- racket" don't seem to catch on any try has derived in the past from its appli-

> THE New York Times, referring to the renomination of Congressman Miles Ross in the New Brunswick (N. J.) district, savs : "There will evidently be a chance in the Third district of New Jersey for honest Democrats to vote for an honest Republican for Congress." And as Robeson is to be renominated there will cerhonest Republicans to vote for an honest Democrat; which will make things even.

THERE has been recently reported from Carlisle a decision of considerable interest to warehousemen. A commission merchant, having given storage receipts to farmers for grain, sold the grain, although little capacity and inclination they the price to be paid the farmers had not been agreed on, and the storage receipts had not been taken up. Last spring he made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, among whom were some of the farmers holding storage receipts. After the merchaut's failure he was indicted for violating the provision of the law forbidding the removal of grain for which storage receipts are still outstanding, and was pronounced guilty. The penalty is a fine not exceeding \$1,000 or imprisonment in the penitentiary for not more than five years, or both. It was urged in vain in the defendant's favor that it is the "common custom" for the warehousemen of the Cumberland valley to do precisely as tion of the board of his fidelity to its inhe did. Judge Rowe pronounced such a plea invalid.

## PERSONAL. GEN. HANCOCK attended a picnic in

Jersey city yesterday. REUBEN R. SPRINGER, of Cincinnatti, played more than 3,000 games of cuchre at Saratoga this season.

HON. SAMUEL J. TILDEN Was reported n a bogus sensational dispatch from Poughkeepsie by way of Boston dangerously ill of softening of the brain. Quite to the contrary, Mr. Tilden is in his usual health, and was out riding through the streets of Yonkers yesterday afternoon. Congressman Jorgensen has published a letter promising not to run for Congress in the Fourth Virginia district. Sahone beat him in the convention and for a time war was threatened, but things have been settled at last and Jorgensen meekly bows to the boss and buckles the Mahone collar about his neck.

GOVERNOR COLQUITT, of Georgia, has been thinking of appointing Mr. H. Hill, ir., to fill the unexpired term of his father the late Hon. Ben Hill, in the United States Senate. Mr. Hill has prepared a letter to be sent to Governor Colquitt. declining the prospective appointment, stating that the office is beyond his aspir-

HENRY H. FAXON is a Massachusetts advocate of total abstinence, and he is peculiar in being willing to spend money for the cause. Whenever he deems the time auspicious, he buys a page of advertising space in the Boston Herald, and fills it with whatever he desires to say to the public. He has in that way just published the record of every state Legislature on the liquor question.

SISTER MARY JOHN, who for fifty-two years has been matron of St. Joseph's Orphan asylum at Seventh and Spruce her age. Even in the community of Sis ters of Charity, of which she was a devo-THE New York Sun has published an minds and talents and of the most exalted possessed of rare gifts. Her family name before entering the order was Miss Rose Yealy. She was born in 1809, in Baden

THE IRON INTERESTS.

CONVENTION AT CRESON SPRINGS.

Tariff Commission The convention of iron and steel manufacturers re-assembled at Cresson Springs on Wednesday morning and took up the first item of the recommendations of the pig iron manufacturers, an increase of the duty on iron in pigs from \$7 to \$9 per ton.

In the course of the debate a suggestion was repeated by several delegates that the convention should reconsider its recommendations in regard to iron ore, and confine itself to the correction of admitted again to be placed upon trial in his court. ambiguities and inequalities in the tariff. Mr. Ely, of Cleveland, moved the appointment of a committee of two member each section to consider and report a fixed | bail now is one of privilege; the question products and on iron ore.

Mr. Morrell favored this as the only

Mr. Brown objected that this would be a violation of the order of business. Mr. Moen, of Worcester replied that the pig iron men need not be frightened, as they would still have, after conference, all

the votes they now had. The motion-a resolution favoring a reduction of duties, where changes were made, except in correcting erroneous in-terpretations of tariff adverse to trade was referred to the committee and a recess taken until afternoon.

The committee appointed to prepare a

schedule of duties to be presented in behalf

of the convention to the tariff commission Pennsylvania] is grave enough to call for did not report until half-past seven o'clock p. m. The convention in the meanwhile djourned, and at that hour re-assembled. some little discussion, but finally passed unanimously with the exception of duty on pig iron, which had not been changed. The pig iron men advocated an increase strongly, and finally matter was settled by mutual the cessions, and the proceedings thereafter harmonious. The changes recommended by the convention are as follows: Irons are charged from 20 per cent. ad valorem to 85 cents per ton; pig iron increased from \$7 to \$3 per ton; cast ton; steel bloom changed from 40 per cent, ad valorem to \$20 per ton; steel wire rods increased from 30 per cent. ad valor-em to 50 per cent. ad valorem; steel in forms not otherwise provided changed from thirty per cent. ad valorem to three cents per pound. The other recommendations simply make clearer the provisions of the present tariff relating to iron and steel, and the ratification of erroneous interpretations of tariff by the treasury department and the courts and also for the creation of safeguards against future errors and interpretations. This work being completed, resolutions were then adopted providing for the appointment of three representatives from each branch of iron and steel industries of the country, to lay before the tariff commission a schedule of proposed duties adopted, and also requesting the American iron and steel association to prepare and submit to the tariff commission a report setting forth the benefits which the coun-

The convention after thanking officers

MR. CASSATT'S RESIGNATION.

its Acceptance by the Board of Director At the meeting of the board of directors of the Pennsylvania railroad company on Wednesday the secretary presented Mr. A. J. Cassatt's letter of resignation as tainly be a chance in the First district for first vice president of the company. Mr Cassatt asked that his resignation might take effect as soon as possible, and stated that his only object in taking this step was that he might have more time at his disposal. He declares his position to have been agreeable, and that if he again entered active railroad life he would not be willing to connect himself with any other company than the one in whose service more than twenty-one years of his life have been passed. President Roberts stated that it was with deep regret that he received the information of Mr. Cassatt's resignation, and he felt the same feeling would be shared by every member of the board and by all the officers and employees

of the company. A resolution was then passed accepting the resignation, which will take effect October 1. The resolution further expressed the warmest admiration of Mr. Cassatt's administration of his duties while with

the company.

The resignation of J. McC. Creighton, general freight agent, has been presented cepted. A resolution of regret at the ter-mination of his long connection with the service of the company and the appreciaterests was adopted. The board after being in session an hour and a half adjourned, and Secretary Sims gave to the public the following list of official

First Vice President-Edmund Smith. Second Vice President-Frank Thom-

Fourth Vice President-John P. Green. General Manager-Charles E. Pugh. General Superintendent .- S. M. Prevost. Superintendent Philadelphia Division enusylvania Railroad-W. J. Latta. SuperintendentAltoona Division-Jame

General Superintendent of Motive Power Lines east of Pittsburgh and Eric— Theodore N. Ely. Superintendent of Motivo Power Penn-

ylvania Railroad Division-Frank L

heppard. Superintendent Sunbury, Hazleton Wilkesbarre railroad-Alfred Walters. Principal Assistant Engineer Maintenance of Way Pennsylvania Railroad Dinsion-Robert L. Holliday.

McIville and Berry Arrive at New York. The Cunard steamer Parthia, having on board Engineer Melville, of the lost Arctic steamer Jeannette, besides Norris and Ninderman, off the same vessel and Lieut. Berry, of the Rodgers, arrived at her wharf in New York on Monday. The vessel was met at Sandy Hook by the steamers and yachts having on board Melville and Berry's families and friends, as well as some friends of the two seamen accompanying them. Upon arrival the party. were escorted to the Hoffman House, where they were met by a committee from Philadelphia headed by Commander Rogers, U. S. N., chairman of the committee, who formally presented them the invitation to the Philadelphia reception. They were much pleased at this mark of esteem, and accepted the courtestreets, Philadelphia, died Wednesday sies tendered. Arrangements were made by which the committee will take them to Philadelphia in a special car on Friday afternoon; and the reception will be given ted and self sacrificing member, although at the Continental hotel in the evening. The seamen Noros and Ninderman will

accompany Melville.

That Stolen Bond. It was stated at the treasury department yesterday that the United States bonds stolen or lost from the register's office was "a \$5,000 blank 4 per cent. registered bond. It was not filled up to any body,

THE STAR MOUTE CASE.

A Metion for a New Trial for Recdell and

The excitement in the Star Route case has ended for a time. Wednesday has been one of mere routine in the court in connection with the motion for a new trial and for the admission of Miner and Rerdell to bail. A decision as to both points is postponed until Friday. The defence advances the ingenious theory that Judge Wylie will grant Rerdell and Miner a new trial, in order that their appeals to the court in bane shall not be heard, and Judge Wylie's rulings as to the whole case passed in review about the same time that the leading defendants are The defendants evidently do not yet un derstand Judge Wylie if they attribute any such motive to him. The question of schedule of duties on all iron and steel of a new trial is, in a great measure, one products and on iron ore. convinced that Judge Wylie is in earnest practicable means of securing harmony of and he indicated a desire to have the cases set for a rehearing as early as possible in the October term.

November 6 has been suggested as the day. Meanwhile the bribery charges are under consideration by the district attorney, Col. Corkhill having returned to his post. The Star Route counsel don't expect to take charge of the prosecution of these, but will furnish the local authorities the evidence in their possession Telegrams have been sent to Messra. Brewster and Campbell and to Bowen to return at once, and Mr. Ker, one of the government counsel, is reported as saying that, if the charge as to the approach to Dickson is sustained, the method of inquiry may be by indictment. Nothing not already published has been disclosed with regard to the charges of bribery. Foreman Dickson sent to the attorney

general the following letter: 222 Four-and-a half street, N. W. Washington, D. C., Sept. 13, 1882 -- Hon. Benj. H. Brewster, attorney general U S .- Sir :- During the progress of the Star Route trial at attempt was made to corrupt the jury empanneled in the case, and an officer of your department, named Henry A. Bowen, a special agent assigned to Arizona, is guilty of offering to bribe me to influence my judgment and verdiet. Λ sworn statement of the detailed facts has been filed with the district attorney of the District of Columbia, which is accessi-ble to you, and to which I respectfully call your attention.

As a citizen of the United States I de mand from you protection against the venomous, malicious and contemptible as saults upon my private character by your principal assistants and the officers of the lepartment of justice, for daring to perform a sworn duty according to my honest convictions of right and justice. Respectfully, WILLIAM DICKSON.

A LAWYER'S SUDDEN DEATH. Edward R. Worrell, the Prominent Dem

Edward R. Worrell, the lawver and prominent Democratic politician, died suddenly at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning at a dwelling at Eighth street and Columbia avenue, Philadelphia, where he was temporarily stopping. His death was caused by inflammation of the stomach. Mr. Worreil was a bachelor, in the 39th year of his age, and a native of Frankford II New Hampshire—George Carpenter,

graduated at the central high school in 1861, after taking the full four years course in that institution. He then studied law with the late James Ross Snowden. and was admitted to the bar in December, 1865. Since then he has been in the active practice of his profession. In October, 1872, he was elected a delegate the convention for revising the constitution of the state from the Fourth senatorial district, then embracing the Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second, twenty-third, Twentyfourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth wards of Philadelphia. In the convention he served on the committees on state institutions and buildings and on religious and charitable corpora tions and societies. In the year 1868 Mr. Worrell was the Democratic candidate for the Legislature in the old Seventeenth district, but was defeated by 500 votes, the district being strongly Republican. For a number of years past he took an active part in local politics, and frequently attended the state Democratic convention as a delegate from Philadelphia. Mr. Worrell was a caudidate for the Democratic nomination for city solicitor in 1874, again in 1877, being de feated in each convention by one vote, although his friends claimed that he was really the choice of the party on each oc casion. He was successful in a third canvass for the nomination, being named for the position of law officer of the city on the Democratic ticket in January, 1881. He received on the first ballot in the convention 111 votes to 25 scattering. He was defeated at the election, however, by W. Nelson West, the Republican candi

Other Notable Deaths Captain A. H. Burwell, of the steamship Kansas, died at sea last Saturday, of rheumatic fever. The Kansas arrived at Boston yesterday with her flag at half

Moses Williams, for many years a whole sale liquor dealer of Boston, died in that in that city on Tuesday night at the age of 92 years. He had held many offices of trust. He leaves an estate estimated at

Frank Shanley, a well known civil engineer, who with his brother constructed the Hoosae tunuel, died yesterday morning on a railroad train near Brockville, On-

Election Frauds in Philadelphia. Warrants were issued yesterday for the arrest of Frank Johnson, Republican, and Edward Lonergan, Democrat, United States supervisers of the 1st division, Fourth ward, of Philadelphia, on the charge of violating Section 5,512 revised in carriages to the city hall, where they statutes, in knowingly and wilfully registering persons not entitled to vote. The former was arrested and given a hearing before United States Commissioner Gibbons, but Lonergan was not found yesterthis division is 373, and it is believed that of this number not more than 150 are legal voters. Four keepers of boarding houses were examined, their testimony showing that their houses were credited with men who did not live in them. Johnson was held in \$1,500 for a further hearing. Two other divisions of the same ward and one in the Fifth ward are being looked after

by the United States officials. The Strike Nearly Ended. At a meeting of the iron finishers held Wednesday, in Pittsburgh, 200 delegates representing 35 mills and 5,000 men, being present, it was decined that "the time had arrived to terminate the strike. The sentiment was nearly unanimous that, if the puddlers did not agree to accept the old scale, the finishers would withdraw from the Amalgamated association and form a society of their own." President

the finishers. A Candidate for Governor Arrested. PHASES IN POLITICS.

THE ARTI-MONOPOLY CONVENTION Cornell's Name Received With Mingled Cheers and Hisses-The New Hamp-

shire Democrats-General Notes. At Saratoga the anti-Monopoly state convention, consisting of about one hundred and fifty delegates. was called to order by Hon. Emerson O. Davis, chairman of the state committee, who, without any formality, proposed the name of Gen. Henry E. Tremain, of New York, for temporary chairman. The motion was carried with applause, and General Tremain was conducted to the chair. At the conclusion of his address a roll call showed one hundred and eighty-two delegates

The Kings county delegation presented resolution praising Governor Cornell and asking for his renomination as an incorruptible man. The resolution was received with mingled cheers and hisses. The convention made no nominations

and adjourned, subject to the call of the chairman. The proceedings were at times animated over state politics, Governor Cornell finding many friends and supporters among the well known and life-long

New Hampshire's Democratic Convent The Democratic state convention of New Hampshire met yesterday in Concord and organized, with Stilson Hutchins as chairman. Mr. Hutchins addressed the convention, saying that "the establishment of correct princples was more important than the selection of a few office holders." Martin V. B. Edgerly was nominated for governor on the first ballot. The resolutions adopted declare for civil service reform, the reduction of tariff, the application of the surplus revenue to the payment of the public debt, and "the abolishment of the 800 suservisors election officers appointed by the Republicans," Political Conlition in South Carolina.

In the South Carolina Republican state convention, the following resolution, of fered by Congressman Mackey, was adopted : "That the convention of the Union Republican party of South Carolina, while repudiating the financial principles advocated by the Greenback party, and reaffirming the princi-ples of the Union Republican party do recommend that, at the next general election the voters of the state, in the interest of a free ballot and fair count, cast their ballot as Republicans for the state ticket nominated by the Greenback-Labor convention on the 6th inst." A Republicans to support B. S. Cash, Independent candidate for Congress in the Fifth district. E. M. Mackey was reelected chairman of the state committee.

Nominations for Congress. III Missouri-J. It. Burrows, Green X Michigan-Andrew C. Maxwell, Dem-

VIII Wisconsin-W. F. Baily, Democrat. III Illinois-George R. Davis, Repub-VIII Illinois-William Callen, Repub

VI Wisconsin-Richard Guenther, Re-I New Hampshire-Dr. Lafayette Ches

where he had his residence when he died. Greenbacker; Jewett D. Harsley, Demo-I Georgia-James Atkins, Republican. VI Louisiana-Louis J. Sauer, Repub-

XI Illinois-William H. Neece, Demo-I Arkansas-Poindexter Dunn, Demo

VIII Michigan - Charles J. Willets, Democratic Greenbacker. II Wisconsin-E. W. Chafie, Prohibi-

Democratic Nominations in Dauphin The Dauphin county Democratic convention has nominated the following ticket: A. C. Landis, of Steelton, and F. M. Loomis, of Halifax ; register of wills. George Overdeer ; county solicitor, Benj. Reichert; coroner, Amos A. Beaver; jury commissioner, Bailey Kennedy. No nomination was made for prothonotary. A resolution was read to the effect that the judicial conferees select a candidate for judge and not leave the nomination open. The chair ruled that, as conferees were ap pointed at the first convention without instructions, the resolution was out of order. B. F. Meyers, L. S. Bent and H. K. Meyers were appointed congressional conferees. They will press the name of conference. S. L. Yetter, of Middletown, was elected chairman of the county com-

Political Notes. The Arkansas Senate will stand : Democrats, 28, out of 31, and the House, Democrats, 73, out of 91. Chairman Hensel will not request the ssistance of speakers outside of the state to aid in the election of the Democratic

candidates. He says this is a state Senator Stewart and Charles S. Wolfe will discuss the issues of the campaign at the Independent Republican meeting at Easton, preached the destrinal sermon, Horticultural hall to-morrow night.

Gen. W. W. H. Davis, of Doylestown, will be supported by the Bucks county conferees to the Seventh district Democratic congressional convention. The Sullivan county Democratic con-

vention made the following nominations Senator, James Deegan, of Laporte representative, B. S. Collins, of Dunshore; district attorney, A. Logan Grime, of their cotes in Philadelphia safely. The Laporte; jury commissioner, John Mullan, of Ekland.

The Baltimore Origie Wednesday, the second day of the Oriole celebration in Baltimore, was marked by a procession of tug boats in the harbor. representing the landing of Lord Baltimore. The party, after landing, proceeded were introduced to the mayor, who offered "Lord Baltimore" the freedom of the city. "Lord Baltimore" and his party were attired in the court costume of their time. A large number of civic societies then joined the parade, which resumed its march from the mayor's office. The proceedings at the city hall, although dignified, were the cause of much merriment and jest. There is a great throng of visitors in Baltimore, many of them from New Orleans, Mobile and other Southern cities.

Retirement of Dr. Norvin Green Dr. Norvin Green, president of the Western Union telegraph company, at the meeting of the directors announced that the purpose of hearing a lunacy case he will resign his office at the meeting of the stockholders on the 11th of October next. He said he had promised his family that he would not attempt the responsibl and wearing duties of the office longer than five years, and on the 11th of October it will be just five years since he assumed the presidency. Dr. Green has a large fortune, and, it is said, that he intends going West and retiring from active business. Jay Gould, the largest stock- Mainey with the larceny of \$40, had a ders to day, to consider the attitude of holder of the company, is spoken of as a hearing before Alderman McConomy yes-

Fraud on an Insurance Company Major S. J. McQuiddy, Greenback candidate for governor of California, was arrested by the United States Marshal in Providence, is now said to have "person-San Francisco, yesterdey on the charge of having "conspired to obstruct United States Marshal Poole in the performance insured for \$5,000 under the name of Harry of his duties during the Mussel Slough O'Neil. O'Neil died and the agent has THE HAY PEVER ASSUCIATION.

Convention in The closing session of the United States Hay Fever association for the season of 1882, was held on Wednesday in the parlor of the Sinclair house, at Bethlehem, N. H. The meeting was opened by the president. Besides a number of letters from victims residing in various parts of the Union, relating their experience and giving localities where they have found partial relief, considerable time was occu pied by a number of those assembled, giv-ing their personal experiences and the remedies used in their endeavors to rid

The annual election resulted in the unanimous re-election of Colonel M. Richards Muckle, of Philadelphia, as president, with twenty-seven vice presidents, distributed throughout the states. An advisory board of thirteen members and a committee on proposed remedies, consist ing of two persons, were elected, beside a committee on scientific facts, upon which is placed Dr. A. Holbrook, of Milwaukee Dr. M. Wayman, of Cambridge, author of a work on hay fever; Prof. R. Woodward of Worcester; Dr. Marsh, of Paterson; Prof. Parker, of Middlebury; and Dr. George B. Orr, of Cincinnati. The newly elected recording and corresponding secre-tary and treasurer is Dr. C. E. Bushee, of East Boston.

The meeting was well attended by per sons of both sexes, all of whom appeared to take the utmost interest in the proceed ings, which was of considerable interest to the sufferers.

Crime and Bloodshed.

A. A. Stephens was run over and killed by a yard engine at Norfolk, Virginia, on Thesday night.
Nellie Pines, 14 years of age, was fatally injured by a switch engine at Rochester,

yesterday morning.

John Neihause, a farmer, was murdered and robbed by masked men, near Troy. New York, early yesterday morning. His wife escaped by jumping from a second story window and hiding in a cornfield. Pearl Warren and and Mary Anderson, inmates of a house of vile repute, in Ashland, Wisconsin, quarreled on Tuesday night, and Mary was stabbed to death by the other. It is said that the murderess was "a society belle" of New York a few years ago.

The examination of witnesses in the case of John H. Johnston, mayor of Danville, Va., charged with the murder of John E. Hatcher, late chief of police, was concludesolution was adopted recommending ed last evening, and pleading will begin to-day. Johnston has been admitted to bail from day to day since Monday for \$10,000.

The Princess Louise in a Collision. The special train with the Marquis of Lorne and the Princess Louise on board was run into at Porta Costa, California, Wednesday morning by a yard engine. The collision was very violent and the engine of the special train was badly damaged. The Princess Louise, who was making her toilet at the time of the colision, was thrown down, but received no injury beyond the most trifling bruises, None of the passengers were injured. Another engine was furnished and the train proceeded. On arriving at the Palace hotel, San Francisco the vice regal party to day in Lancaster. went immediately to their rooms and journey the day was passed in seclusion.

Oil Still Going Up in Price. Wednesday was another field day for th pulls in the oil market, the price of oil continuing steadily on its upward march. Opening at 62] cents, values declined to 623 cents, advanced under enormous pressure to 641 cents, declined to 631 cents, advanced to 65g cents, dropped back to 63g cents, advanced to 64g cents and closed at 64 cents bid. The sales footed np 5,404,000 barrols. Thus far no failures have been reported among the speculators, but there have been rumors affecting the standing of several of the heaviest of them in the oil region. The losses of the bear element have been enormous. The L. Forster; director of the poor, Harry feeling last night was much more bullish

than the preceding night. Reading Baptist Association. Wednesday morning's session of the onvention of the Reading Baptist associ ation, in Reading, was opened with devo tional exercises led by Rev. Frayne, of Lancaster, and the report of the missionary committee was heard. The discussion upon the missionary cause which followed was participated in by laymen and ministers. W. D. Skinner then opened Colonel Harry McCormick at the district a discussion on the subject, "How we as Baptists can best advance our denominational tenets," after which Rev. J. S. James read the Allentown church his-

At the afternoon's session the hour from 1:45 to 2:45 was occupied with ten minutes speeches on temperance work by Revs. Peck, Ellis, Thomas and others. which the ladies missionary society received attention.

In the evening Rev. Edwin McMinn, of closing conference meeting was held.

The sessions of the associations have been well attended and were interesting. About Pigeons.

The young carrier pigeons which were started from here on Saturday, arrived at fastest time made was one hour and fif was three hours.

Thomas Humphreyville, of this city, shipped seven fine young birds to Phila-delphia this morning for a fly. One of them a pretty blue chequer has made the trip from Altoona to this city, a distance of 125 miles in two hours and ten min-

Finger Crushed. Maj. C. M. Howell met with a painful ecident yesterday. While assisting in loading on the cars a heavy piece of marble, weighing about one thousand pounds the stone slipped back about two inches and the middle finger of Maj. Howell's right hand was caught under the roller upon which the stone was resting and very badly crushed, being split open from the tip of the finger to the middle joint. The ones were not crushed but the tendons were badly bruised and sprained.

Court of Common Pleas This morning court met at 10 o'clock for Some current business was transact Rules for new trials were granted in the following cases, in all of which the verdicts were for the plaintiffs: Reineer & Bro. vs. W. D. Sprecher & Son, Peter Fackmyer vs. the city of Lancaster, John

Girvin vs. Benjamin F. Mussleman.

Bridget Marrow, charged by Martin lie-EDS INT. terday afternoon, and was discharg there being no evidence to substantiate the complaint against her. Martin no doubt lost his money, and it was shown that he had been on a bender and had many opportunities of losing it.

having "conspired to obstruct United States Marshal Poole in the performance of his duties during the "Mussel Slough frouble," two years ago. Qui'ldy was released on bail.

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## COLUMBIA NEWS.

REGULAR CORESPONDENCE Interest to and Around the Borough

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Picked Up by the Intelligencer's Hoports The Columbia school board will meet this evening.

The Columbia fire company is holding its picnic in Heise's woods to day.

crowd was expected to be present.

Those who have not lately visited the stove works would be surprised if they went out and saw the great progress that has been made in erecting thom. At the procent-rapid rate they will toon to linished.

ordered by the paving committee of counoil, is still going on. A new pavement has just been laid in front of Mr. Samuel Schock's residence on Locust street. John W. Rose, who is employed at the Susquehanna rolling mill, fell on a rusty rail on Tuesday and gave his hand an ugly, ragged gash, from which he is suf-

fering greatly now.

John L. Filbert, one of the oldest engi neers on the Pennsylvania railroad, left the service of the company this morning. His last trip was made yesterday evening. He goes to Philadelphia with his family to reside, in about two weeks.

Troublesome Trampe. The attention of the police was called to the gang of tramps who are making them-selves at home above the tunnel, near Columbia. Last evening an attempt was made to capture some of them, but when the police arrived they found that the birds had flown. The gang numbers over a dozen, and are a hard, desperate lot of men. Every one of them is an able bodied man, their ages ranging from twenty years

to forty. Trains Delayed. The Columbia accommodation train was loomed to be delayed twice this morning. The first was at Shock's station, and was caused by the track being obstructed by telegraph poles which had fallest across it. The other delay was caused by the baggage car jumping the rails east of Bridge street a short distance. It was caused by a warped railroad "frog." The pas-sengers for Columbia disembarked at this point. Great alarm was at first caused to the passengers on board the train. The car was again placed on the rails with but slight delay.

Mr. Wm. Benner, of flarrisburg, was in town to-day.

Mrs. F. L. Hagman, of Philadelphia is a guest of Mrs. L. W. May, on Walnut

Miss Lillie Newcomer, of Rochester, New York, is visiting friends on Cherry

Miss Jenny Lundy returned home last evening from a pleasant trip to New Hol-Miss Mary Scott, of Reading, who has been visiting friend on 3d street, left for

her home this afternoon.

Mr. Charles Jeffries and family have gone to Glen Hope, Clearfield county, where they have gone to visit friends. Mr. W. F. Manlick has been attending the meeting of the Lancaster county phar-maceutical association, of which body he is vice president, which began its session

The Columbia wrecking crew will be Sunday to get the freight cars out of the river which were thrown there by the late

Mr. Frederick Miller left last evening for Kansas City. He has gone on a pro pecting tour and intends staying if he likes the place and its people.

Mr. P. H. McWilliams, superintendent of construction of the Keely stove works, of construction of the Keely stove works, returned to this place last evening, after a pleasant two weeks visit to his family in Detroit, Mich. During his visit he was presented with a hadsome pair of twins. In compliment to this place, one is to receive the name of "Columbia."

## GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Melivain Colebrate their Golden Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. McIlvain celeorated their fiftieth welding anniversary at their residence in Williamstown yesterlay afternoon. They were married in September, 1832, by Rev. Mr. Barr, who was then pastor of Leacock Presbyterian church. Mis. Mcllvain's maiden name was Anna B. Eckert, daughter of George They have four children living, Albert P ...

James P. jr., Anna M. and Sue P., all of whom were present. Among the relatives and guests present

were the following: R. S. McIlvain and Mrs. Nath, E. Slaymaker, brother and sister of "the groom" Henry Eckert and Mrs. Sarah Himes. brother and sister of "the bride;" N. E. Slaymaker, Miss Celie Slaymaker, Mr. and society was followed by an excellent missionary sermon by Rev. S. P. Lewey, after which the ladies missionary and Mrs. C. Himes, Miss Ande Him Mrs. N. M. W. od, Mrs. Robt. S. McIlvain Martha Hunes, Mr. and Mrs. S. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Buyers, Mrs. John. H. Groff, Mrs M. L. Eckert, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. M. Staymaker, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kepler, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Stauffer New Orleans : Mrs. Geo. Mclivain, Peoria, III.; Miss Maria Melivain, Geo. Melivain, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Timlow, Mrs. J. P. Mellvain, Miss Callie Slaymaker, Wm. M. Slaymaker, P. E. Slaymaker, Rev. and Mrs. Gaylord, Mrs. A. P. McIlvain, Mr. and Mrs. II. Leaman, Dr. B. Leaman. There were also fifteen grandchildren, all of whom were present. Of the guests who were present at the wedding in 1832 teen minutes, and the time of the longest but five are living and were present on

this occasion. After the congratulations of the company, they were invited to the dining room, where a table was bountifully spread with all the delicacies the season

offered. The happy couple were the recipients of many valuable and costly presents. In taking their departure all felt that the event was one to be long remembered from the pleasant associations and recollections of the day.

An Old Paper.

The Manheim Sentinel says : I " A few lays ago we received through the hands of Mrs Uhler a copy of the Lancaster Jour. nal, printed in that city, and bearing the date June, 26, 1807, making it 75 years old. The paper was found among effects of the late David May, esq., of this borough, and is a curiosity in journalism compared with the papers of the present day. It contains a portion of the trial of Aaron Burr for treason, news from Europe, and other in-

cidents of that t'me." [A copy of the same issue of the Journal may be found among the musty old files of the papers in the INTLLIGENCER office. where old newspapers are not considered so much of a rarity, as our files go way back to the true of Washington's adminstration and the early days of the repub-

A Pretty Bueto

A very pretty little steam engine made by Thomas Anderson, engineer of the stevens cotton mill, may be seen at Kepler and Slaymaker's hardware store North Queen street. It is very compactly built being searcely more than a foot in diameter and about four feet in height, occupy