Lancaster Intelligencer.

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 7, 1884.

Mr. Hoyt's Opportunity. Andrew H. Dill does not accept Wm. L. Scott's statement that Dill was the for governor. Mr. Dill ought to know te this matter whereof he speaks ; but he does not content himself with his own authority, referring Mr. Scott for partic ular information to his friend, Mr. A. J.

Now, it must be admitted that this is a particularly happy reference, not only cause Mr. Cassatt is known to be fully posted upon the political predilections of the Pennsylvania railroad at the time, being the head devil in its manipulations of that kind and having s particular interest in the one thing which it was then gunning for ; but also because Mr. Cassatt is now a very particular friend and financial chum of Mr. Scott. They are together in various en terprises, having lately been bearing Jersey Central and Reading; where their fingers were burnt, and having, therefore, the cohesion of comrades in suffering ; and being now engaged in building a railroad down the Peninsular Sounds, Missouri. from nowhere to nowhere, upon nothing but bonds, but expecting to be a link in a coast line extending to Charleston, and to find their sands golden and to make their water wine.

Now, it is clear, upon the mention of these circumstances, that Mr. Cassatt is is irresistible. just the man for Mr. Scott to ask whom he and the Pennsylvania railroad sup. ported for governor in 1878. In fact, it seems so peculiarly appropriate that Mr. Scott should seek this information from Mr. Cassatt, before stating that the we are almost persuaded that he did so.

But if he did, Mr. Cassatt must have told him that he and the Pennsylvania railroad were for Hoyt in the election. unless he lied to him, which he doubt less did not, since he would have no particular object in so doing.

But Mr. Cassatt may have told him also that he was for Dill for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination as against Hopkins, as that was doubtless the fact. It is, in truth, only this that Mr. Scott Pennsylvania railroad was for Hoyt, Mr. was the Pennsylvania railroad candidate.

And so to deny it; and to quote Cassatt bly fill the bill. in contradiction of it; and to refer him to Cassatt for information as to the narrow escape he had from being sent to the penitentiary for bribing the Legislature to pay the riot bill. Mr. Dill says Halls rearisen again from the dead that it was the consideration for the that it was the consideration for the Pennsylvania railroad's support of Hoyt that he should support the Naught illi the pulse in them bent love's riot bill. A consideration of this character has been generally understood, and now Mr. Hoyt has an excellent opportunity to correct it if it is not true. The ex governor, being a very reputable and clever gentleman, by long odds the ablest and decentest Republican politician in Pennsylvania, has a land in August. anding to maintain, which calls on him to correct the impression, if it is false, that he lapsed from grace and compromised his integrity by a bargain with Mr. Cassatt, which could not honorably be made.

We would have known all about this long ago if Mr. Kemble and his fellow prison ers had not so obligingly kept their mouths closed as to the fact of their em ployment by Mr. Cassatt; a politeness for which, however, they soon had their reward in their early release from imprisonment. The governor was kind, as they had been kind, and they came out of jail as Cassatt had kept out. By all means let Mr. Scott ask Mr. Cassatt about these things, and then tell what he hears. It will be decidedly more profitable than to be opening old sores in aulipas, Mexico. the Democratic family and seeking to set its members by the ears. We invite is living in retirement in New York. He Mr. Scott's attention to the Republican is without means and a few days ago told Mr. Scott's attention to the Republican party, and Gov. Hoyt's attention to him-

The County Tax

The Republican members of the present board of county commissioners deserve no credit whatever for their boasted reduction of the county debt on him when she leaves him. or about the first of April this year. In 1883, when they proposed to levy a three mill county tax, ex Commissioner Mont gomery demonstrated unmistakably through these columns that a two and a marriage took place at the Marie of Passy, half mill rate of tax would raise sufficient money to meet all the expenses of the county and pay off a large share of Pennsylvania asylam for the insane, made the debt, quite as much as was necessary to be paid in any single year. In he has declined the offer on account of his the face of this, the commissioners in sisted on the unnecessarily high tax levy. The county tax is paid in early in the summer and fall. Many of the collectors, in order to make the five per cent, abatement for themselves, pay the his service. He will formally tender his tax to the county before they themselves have gathered it in. The result is a great plethora of money in the county treasury from about August to April. It is not needed for public uses, and the fact that in the present cam- me .. the lean and pungent March, and paign the deposit and control of the Terry, I may say, is somehow wrapped in treasury balances are a great stake in the mellow mists of October, through the Republican contest gives force to frosts of winter." the suspicion that the extra tax levy of one half mill was imposed for the pur of the New York Staats Zeitung, who pose of raising money from the people died recently, was an able factor in New the body of her husband was resting, and for private benefits. Commissioners Summy and Myers cannot plead any er, and each did hard physical labor in the were shown at the outset of the year that | quently, her bookkeeper, Mr. Ottendorfer, their levy was inordinate. They must | who probably inherits this magnificent answer to the people for having collected property. She had a tremendous funeral a hundred thousand dollars from them for the benefit of those who have the use

This year they reduced the tax rate to 2) mils, thereby admitting that last year's levy was excessive; but as Mr. leading citizen of Lewisburg. He has a year's levy was excessive; but as Mr. pretty wife and two children. Cora and Myers is a candidate for reelection it is Mary Ashers are handsome milliners of the them "Blessed Are the Departed." likely the reduction was made for cam same town. Paimer has been forcing un paign purposes; it is being used that welcome attention on the young ladies. way. But the burned child ought to avoid the fire. The policy which Mr. Miss Cora seized a stick of wood and with Myers has represented in office should a whip in the hands of Mary they polished receive emphatic condemnation. Treas off Palmer. He stood it long enough to ury surpluses and heavy taxes to raise feel blood trickling down his face and

eight months in the year, are the bane of good government and a temptation to official extravagance.

EDWIN STURGIS, of the Lititz school board, it is reported to us, says that he did not know what he was doing when he signed a petition that the county com missioners should award the collection of the county tax in Warwick township to the higher bidder. Perhaps not, but a man of such limited intelligence as that should step down and out of the school board.

THE King is dead-long live the King A CLEANER-BANDED city official never went out of office than the retiring Demo

THE secret of male success in London is to be stout, sonorous, and sentimental What wholesale havor our own David Davis would have made on Albion's shores before he was bound in Hymen's painless up the Maumee river and into the harbon

GEO. WM. CURTIS will likely go to the Republican national convention as a delegate from New York, for Edmunds and against Blaine and the unit rule. Hut then Chauncey I. Filley will be there from

A PROMINENT medical authority, who

has had much experience in treating all forms of mental disease, says of daucing "This is an amusement particularly adapted to the insane." The conclusion MARY ANDERSON flatly refused to play

in the Lyceum theatre, London, Saturday night, because it was the only play house open in London, the others being closed in memory of the dead Leopold. All London at the Vermillion doels, steamed out into attempt made to create the theory of Pennsylvania railroad was for Dill, that is now raving over her for her action in the lake. the premises. Cute Mary !

Much was promised by the temperance reformers of Ohio in the Scott law that placed the very highest tax on liquer were taken aboard the Telephone by her handred saloon keepers who did not pay killed outright or drowned and their bodies the tax under the Scott law last year were and injured are ; not molested. The Scott law is doomed.

THE Reading Times suggests to Con. gressman Ermentrout, of Berks, that he has an excellent opportunity to do himself clearly stated, though as he omitted to credit and to do honor to an illustrious mention that after the nomination the Pennsylvanian in making a speech on the merits of Gen. Peter Mublemberg, when Dill- is justified in construing him to the statue of the latter by Miss Blanche have intimated that he and not Hoyt Nevin is presented to the United States and placed in the gallery of the Federal capitol. Ermentrout would most accepta-

> spread.
> Lespe from Heaven, and the deep dawn's arch ott, small flames on rowan and laren

MAD MARCH'S BRIDE.

march But the heart-beat now in the lips rese-red Speaks life to the world, and the winds that

Bring April forth as a bride to well -Swinhing na.

PERSONAL. STANLEY will leave the Congo for Eng-Jours BROWN's souffold

to relic hunters for \$900. EMANUEL GRIBEL, the celebrated Ger man poet, is dead, aged 68 years.

REV. THOMAS A. CHECK, a well known colored preacher, died in Des Moines of Saturday, aged 43 years. D. W. PATTERON, jr., is home from

West Virginia for a brief sojourn amous Lancaster friends and relatives. PRINCE OF WALES disliked his dear brother Leopold, and his ostentations grief at the funeral is regarded as hypo critical.

Rose Cognian, the actress, sinck cigarettes, and is said to be the only woman in America who can puff rings of smoke from her mouth.

COLONEL BRECKENBIDGE, president of the First National bank of San Antonia Texas, has closed the purchase of 2 500, 000 acres of land in the state of Tam

BILLY BIRCH, the once popular mineric a reporter that he was " dead broke monster benefit will be given for him

shortly. MMB. Nilsson was entertained at dinne in Boston recently by Mr. Lydig Suydam, a rich bachelor triend, whose devotion to the fair singer has led to many matrimo nial jokes. She calls him papa, and kisses

MISS ELY GODDARD, an American gir was married in Paris, to Prince Poniatow ski, at the American church in the Ru-Bayard on Saturday and at the St Pierre church afterward. On Friday the civ

DR. JOHN C. HALL, superintendent of the Franklin asylum for the insane, has vacant by the death of Dr. Kirkbride, but

REV. DR J. P. NEWMAN occupied his pulpit yesterday in the Madison avenue Congregational church, New York, despite the notice which he received from a pe tion of his congregation dispensing wit resignation at a church meeting to be held on Tuesday evening next.

LANGTRY is always associated in Nym Crinkie's " mind " with June. "The pomp of incoming summer with all its languors is there. Bernhardt reminded whose golden glimmer glint the coming

MRS. OTTENDERFER, wife of the editor York journalism. Her former husband, Mr. Unl, and she began the paper togethcellar in common. Sue married, subso and left a very great property.

A Lawyer Whipped by milliners. North Lewisburg, Ohio, is excited over a horsewhipping case. A. D. Palmer. Friday afternoon he met them on the street, and, as they claim, insulted them. BURST HER BOILER.

STEAM TOO EXPLOSION ON LARE SELE. hree Men Hown Into Eternity and Three

Others Wounded More or Less Serlouely-Other Accidents. News of a terrible boiler explosion on Lake Erie reached Cieveland at noon on Sunday. A lake tug with a tow of barges sound for Toledo burst ber boiler near fatal fit of that epilopsy from which he Vermillion. The details of the catastrophe are these :

Between S and 9 o'clock Sanday night the tug Peter Smith left on her first trip of the season. She was bound for Toledo and had in tow two barges, both lighters, belonging to Patrick Smith, a well-known vessel owner of Cleveland and also owner of the tug. The tug was manned by a touble crew of six men, consisting of Captain John Hobson. Assistant Captain Fom Daweyer, First Engineer John Pe rew, Second Engineer James Katom, and Dennis and John Sullivan, deck hands. Captain Smith, who is the master of the chooner Sherman, accompanied the crew to aid them in piloting their craft safely of Toledo.

The take was rather justined to be heavy and a strong breeze was blowing from the southwest, which sent the lighters along amout fr. About midnight, when the tug and her tow reached a point six miles out and a short distance this side of Black iver, her cogines began working badty and her boilers were evidently suffering from some undiscovered injury. The first rew, cons sting of Perew, Katom and Captain Smith, were on duty, while the other four men were asleep on the forward deck. The tug from this time onward proceeded slowly and by daylight had advanced but a few miles. At 7 o'clock she sion was heard by the residents of Black River and Vermition. A cloud of black the fact that the man could not have

what remained of the tug P. Smith was reached. On the wreck were discovered four men, three of them injured They liceuses. It now transpires that three crew. The other three men were either could not be found. The names of the lost

Killed-John Perew, first engineer, or Cleveland. He was thirty six years of age. married and leaves a wife and one child; Captain Smith, who acted as pilot, former of Buffalo, fifty years of age, store James Katom, second engineer, of Circe land, aged twenty two and single.

Injured-Captain Tom Daweyer, banky ruised and scalded; Dennis Sallivan, of Cleveland, slightly hurt : John Salliyan of leveland, slightly scalded. The P. Smith was one of a balf dozen

ings owned by Patrick Smith, of Cleveland the was valued at right thousand dollars and was rebuilt and new boilers placed to er only last summer, at a cost of three housand dollars. She was equipped with louble engines and was pronounced one of Smith's tugs was sent to the scone of the deaster at one o'clock Sunday after soon and returned late in the night; bringing back the injured, all of whom will recover. Smith, the owner of the vessel, will provide for the family of John Perew, who live in Cleveland. Other Fatal Accidents.

Braidwood, Illimois, was flooded on Saturday while two bundred men were in the mine. All escaped except five Italians, who worked in a remote part of the mine and are supposed to be drowned. Three boys, aged from 12 to 14 years, sons of C. W. Mackelfresh, J. Hoppie and John O. Moore, were struck and killed by a train while driving across the ratiroad at Spring Grove cometery, near Cincinnati, on Saturday afternoon.

A west bound Texas Pacific passenger rain was derailed eleven miles west of Baird, Texas, Saturday morning, and a baggage car and three coaches ran down an embankment fourteen feet in height, making a fearful wreck. Twenty five persons were injured, six very seriously, and one has since died.

A. T. STEWART'S BUDY

A story from Calcago That Looks Like a

The Chicago Inter Ocean publishes an nterview with an nanamed detective, who simed that in the summer and fall of 882 Chief of Police McGarigle, of Chicago, and two or three detectives held egotiations with the notorious crook, Lewis C. Sweigels, then serving a term for obbery in the Chester, Ills , penitentiary

inder an assumed name. Sweigels, who was known to be a profesional grave robber, and was concerned in he attempt to rob the grave of President abcoin, told a very complete, circumstantal and consistent story of the robbery of A. T. Stewart's grave by himself, Larry lavin and a man named Koffe, keeper of a aloon in Fourteenth street, New York.

Sweigels promised to restore the body mly on condition of his pardon from the enitentiary and receiving part of the re-His pardon was secured, and, acording to the detective's story, a syndiate, with a capital of \$10,000, was irmed, which included McGarigie, De ctives Chapin and Lansing and E. J. chman, all of Chicago, for the purpose working up the case.

The remains were finally returned upon he payment of \$25,000 by Judge Hilton, is no evidence of which Sweigels had denty of money about that time. Interviews with McGarigle and the etectives are also published. They deny he formation of a syndicate to work on

McGarigle admits the general details of he at my, including Sweigels' pardon and he subsequent negotiations in New York. out says that they floally became disgusted with Sweigels because he trifled with them, and McGarigie says that he became convinced that this was merely a trick of sweigels to secure a pardon, and that the negotiations were broken off before the omains were returned, and never re-

LEOPOLU'S PUNERAL.

The Prince's Death Due to His Golog Alone ou a Spree.

The Duchess of Albany Saturday morn ng visited the Memorial chapel, where remained a short time alone. The funeral services took place at 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon, in St. George's chapel. The queen, rincess of Wales and the Princesses bristian, Louise and Beatrice went from the castle through the Deanery to the chapel. The Prince of Wales, the Crown Prince Frederick William of Prussia, and other royal personages, assembled in the Memorial chapel and marched in procession to St. George's chapel. The Prince of

Wales followed the coffin as chief mourner, The dean began the service as the coffin was brought in. The choir sang 'O God, our Help in Ages Past," and Spohr's ancoffin was then lowered into the vault the queen retired the choir sang "Lead Kindly Light." Chopin's "Funeral March" was played as the other royal personness withdrew.

The queen sat during the service weeping bitterly. All the young princes were sobbing. The Prince of Wales was pale. money for balances to be kept on deposit then fled. There is much talk over the After the service the Seaforth Highlanders sobbing.

(the duke's regiment) played "He will Re turn to Lochaber no More." It is now universally acknowledged that the prince is dead because he was allowed for the first time in his life to go out alone on a spree. Intoxicated with his unusual freedom, and accustomed all his life to revolt against the idea that he was an invalid, he lived as fast as he could,

suffered all his life. THE WORLD'S DANKER SIDE.

danced fuciously, stopped up all night,

drank pretty freely, and an brought on a

Man's Inhumanity to Man Sern in Various Four robbers entered the store of T sichberger, as Newelltown, Limisiana. on Wednesday night, for the purpose of obbery. Being discovered they killed Reichberger's cook, an old colored woman, and shot and severely wounded Reichberger. The rufflans were arrested. The leader of the gang, Charles Davis, had

een a clerk in the store. The house of Carl Schultz in Harrisville, Michigan, was entered on Friday night by three masked men, who beat Schultz, his wife and daughter into luseus sibility, mardered his son, and ropbed his

house of \$3 000 in German gold. Thomas A. Fitzgera'd, a lawyer of Baavia, N. Y., shot himself in his office on Saturday afternoon, and is not expected o recover. He had been guilty of several forgeries, which he had confessed, and is supposed to have shot himself to escape the pontentiary Pazgerald is only years of age. He has a wife and two chil lien, the younger born last we k-

A Corpse in a Lonely Copie. Santhered ories were heard issuing from a lonely copie a inde south of Erre reached Black river and headed towards passing through the thicket came upon the body of a man standing against a free made. Shortly after this a terrible explo | having a noose around his neck and the end thrown loosely over a limb. From smoke could be seen on the lake, about stranged in such a position, and that the three miles out, and with this as an objective point the Telephone, which was lying believes the man was murdered and an suicide. The body was well dressed. The two barges were met drifting valuables were found A letter in his towards the shore and shortly afterwards pocket bears the address of "J C, Knoll, Bonfalo.

Productial Preferences.

Grant is enthusiastic for Logan. Conkling asserts that Logan is the least it of all the candidates except Joe Haw

Galusha A. Grow puts on record his be of that Blaine is the man the Republicau voters want.

Nearly 20 Republican county conventions were hold on Saturday in Illinois. In all but one of them, as far as known, Logar delegates were chosen. Tioga, Chester, Centre, Butter, Indiana. Montgomery, Berks, Bedtord, Vanango, Bradford, Mifflin, Northamberland and

Dauphin counties declared for Blaine on Saturday. Emory A Storrs, who ranks as the Demosthenes of the Illiquis bar, has become a suiden convert to Logau; he will present the latter's name at the Chicago sevention

BROUGHT TO LANUASTER.

Franklin Beigart's Fody Burled in Wood ward Hill Cemetery. The 2:20 train from Harrisburg this afternoon brought to this city for inter-ment in Woodward H li cemetery the renains of J. Franklin Reigart, formerly a tizen of Lancaster and who died recently. a Harrisburg. The funeral proceeded immediate'y from the station to the seme tery, Jno. R. Russell, C. M. Howell, D. W. Patterson and A. W. Russell, per-forming the offices of pall bearers. Mr. An old shalt of the Albright mine at Reigart was an old citizen of Lancaster, a civil engineer by profession and aided in the location of the Mt. Joy. Portsmouth & Lancaster railroad. He published an early map of Lancaster, was one of the project and served as clerk of quarter sessions, alderman and city recorder. His most elaborate literary performance-for he was a prolific writer-was the lavishly illustrated life of Robert Fulton which he published some years ago. many years more recently he has been engaged as a solicitor of patents in Wash. ington, D. C. He was 72 years old at the time of his death, and among his children are Rev. S. W. Reigart, of Mechanicsburg, and the wife of Rev. George W. Soyder. of Harrisburg.

A correspondent of the Harrisburg Putriot recalls this reminiscence of his ex-perience as an alderman: "It was during his incumbency in 1851 of the last named position, that the famous slave riot took place in the village of Christiana, in Lan caster county, and in which Mr. Gorsuch, of Maryland, the owner of the escaped slaves, lost his life. C. Hanway and Elijah Lewis, two well known abolitionists, and a score of colored men were arrested. brought before Alderman Reigart, and committed to the Lancaster county prison on a charge of murder and high treason the latter for having resisted the officers of the government in the discharge of their My recollection of the matter is -for I was then but a boythat they were brought before the late Judge Ellis Lewi , afterward chief justice of Pennsylvania on a writ of habeas corpus. At the hearing, which excited intense interest, the prosecution was represented by the late John L. Thompson, then district attorney, who subsequently became a gifted and popular minister of the Presbyterian church, and

whose son is now mayor of Datroit, Mich. Hon. Henry May and Hon. Blent, of Baltimore, and John M. Scott, who was mayor of Philadelphia during the celebrated native American riots of 1844. For the defense were such eminent lawyers as Hon. Thaddees Stevens, Hon. William M. Meredith and George Ford, esq. The result was they were remanded custody of the United States officials and "Colonel Reigart was an artist and

were subsequently tried in the United States district court at Philadelphia, before the late Judge Kane, and acquitted draughtsman of no mean repute, having painted a picture of Washington, depicting his entry into New York to be inaugurated president in 1789, and which is a rare ketch at the present day."

List of Unclaimed Letters. Following is a list of unclaimed letters remaining in the postoffice at Lancaster, for the week ending April 7, 1884:

Ladies' List-Lizzie Brubzker, Mrs. Sue Crowfort, Mamie Doromart, Annie Evans, Mrs. Sarah D. Garber, Mrs. Sarah Gable, Mrs. Mary Goldsmith, Etta Gravett, Mrs. Emma Kempf, Annie Moquotts,

Mrs. L. S. Schinnell, Sue Shank (2).

Gents' List-H. L. Bowman, Mathias
Buckeler, John Dochterman, L. Feldsor (2), Milton Grove, Frank Heenan, Victor Kasser, Jacob Kline, Jacob H. Kreider, Henry Leipply, George Lichty, David E. Mayer, Isadore Piffer, Mr. Ruth, Ezra Ruhl, Jacob Schuitz, C. R. Smiley, N.

Paim Sunday.

Ulmer.

Palm Sunday, so called, from the triimphal entry of the Savior into Jerusalem and his greeting by the citizens with victorious palm branches, was appropriately observed in the Catholic copalian and other churches yesterday. In the former churches the blessing and distribution of the palms took place at the late mass. The day marks the begin-ning of the solemn Holy Week, into which the church is now entering and which has for its different acts in the sorrowful tragedy of the passion, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and Easter

NEW CITY GOVERNMENT.

ORGANIZATION OF THE COUNCILS. Isangaration of Mayor Rosenmiller-Bis Inaugural Address-the Election of the City Officers.

The new administration elected by the people on the 19 a of February last, went sto office to-day. Both branches of the city councils organized at 10 a. m., elected their respective presiding officers and clerks, and afterwards met in joint con vention for the election of city officers and the hearing of the new mayor's inaugural The proceedings in detail will be found below

SELECT COUNCIL. Select council met in their chamber at 10 o'clock for organization, all the mem-

bers being present as follows : Messrs, Borger, Demuth, Diller, Doerr Evans, Riddle, Urban, Wise and Zecher. On motion of Mr. Evans, Mr. Borger the retiring president, was chosen tem perary president.

The retiring secretary, J. B. Lichty. read the returns of the late election, after which the newly elected members signed the official oath. A permanent organization was effected

by unanimously electing Robert A. Evans president and George B. Keller clerk. The official oath was administered t

the president elect by Mr. Borger. In a brief speech Mr. Evans thanked counci for the honor conferred and pledged himself to fulfil the duties of the office impar tially and to the best of his ability. then administered the official oath to the secretary elect

Messes. Diller and Borger were appoint ed a committee to notify common council that select conneil was organized and ready to go into joint convention for the election of city officers. The returns of the election for mayor

were read, from which it appeared that D.

P. Resentabler had been duly elected. Messrs. Hurst, Dinkleberg and Beard, f common council being introduced, informed select council that common conneil was ready to go into joint conven-

tion to elect city officers. COMMON COUNCIL

The new common council were called ogether by Clerk Deen and Hervey N. Hurst, of the Second ward was chosen president pro. tem. and when taking the hair he thanked the members.

The first business in order was the clee tion of a permanent president. Dr. R. M. Bolemus was nominated by Mr. Cormeny, and as there were co other nominations he was unaminously elected after which he made a short speech of thanks, and was sworn in by Mr. Hurst.

The clerk of councils, Jacob M Chillis, was nominated by David E. Long, of the Ninth ward. There were no other nomina. tions and he was unanimously chosen and

The returns of the late election for conneilmen, as certified to by the clerk o quarter sessions, were read by the clerk. According to return the following persons were found to be elected, and all answered to their names when the roll was called B. F. Adams, Joseph Adams, Auxer, Bare, Beard, Bertzfield, Bolemus, Backius Cormony, Dinkelberg, Eby, Eberman, Evarts, Goodell, Hershey, Huber, Hurst, Kendig, Lichty, Lippold, E. David Long, J. B. Long, Mayer, McLaughlin, Schum, Shirk, Spaeth.

The members were sworn in by the president. The chair appointed a committee con sisting of Messrs. Hurst, Dinkelberg and Beard, to notify salect council that they

were ready to meet in joint conventio to select city officers. The Juist Convention. In pursuance of the official notification elect council then proceeded to common

sound! chamber to meet that body in joint Mr. Evaus, of select council, called the convention to order and the clerks called The same members as above

iven were present. On motion of Mr. Hurst the convention proceeded to elect city officers for the en-

The following were placed in nomination and elected by acclamation : City Treasurer-C. F. Myers. Superintendent of Water Works-Jacob

Halbach. Street Commissioner-David L. Deen. City Solicitor-H. R. Fulton, esq. City Regulator-Allan A. Herr.

Assistant Regulators-Frederick Miller, Robert Albright. Messenger to Councils-John H. Loucks President Evans declared the above amed officers elected for the ensuing year, and on motion the convention ad-

ourned to reassemble at 11:45 a. m. t tness the inauguration of the mayor. Routine Matters in Both Branches. Select council returned to their cham

per. The roll was again called. Same members present. On motion of Mr. Diller, the rules for the government of select council, for the appointment of standing committees and for intercourse between conneils, heretofore in force, were adopted for the ensuing

The rule for the appointment of committee on executive appointments, to onsist of three members of select council was also reenacted.

The official bond of Mayor Rosenmiller the sum of \$15,000, with B. F. Eshle an and Philip Lebzelter as sureties, was read and approved. The president named as the committee

n ex coutive appointments Messrs. Diller, Borger and Riddle. On motion select council took a recess until 11:30 a. m.

Common council reassembled at 11:45 and concurred in the action of select coun cil in re-enacting the rules of intercourse and the appointment of standing commit tees and the approval of the mayor's

The New Mayor Installed At 12 noon the joint convention reas

sembled. Same members present. On motion of Mr. Hurst a committee consisting of Messrs. Riddle and Hurst was appointed to wait upon the mayorelect and notify him that the convention was ready to inaugurate him.

Mayor Rosenmiller accompanied b Mayor MacGonigle, being introduced by the committee, was duly qualified by Councilman Evans and read the following address :

The Lunugural Address. Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the oint Convention :

In assuming the office of mayor of Lan caster city, I feel conflent that I will receive your cordial cooperation in the lischarge of my official duties. Having full confidence in your honest

intentions and legislative wisdom, our united efforts should prove advantageous to the affairs of the municipality which we now have in charge. Constituted as our city government now is, both the executive and legislative

branches being of the same political com-Soronsky (for.), Stewart Taggart, George plexion, there will be no escaping the responsibility should bad government prevail. The important interest of a city ike ours requires careful supervision. A population of 25,000 persons will look to us to so regulate their municipal affairs that they will peaceably enjoy their rights as citizens; and that the taxes they pay

will be economically expended, and that they will receive substantial value there-To give them an efficient and economical administration I believe will be the honest effort of us all.

The citizens are to be congratulated that there will not hereafter be any danger of a water famine, one of the greatest calamities that could befall any community.

The new 6,000,000 gallons Worthington pump is now nearly completed, and but for want of connection with the twenty-

four leeb main pipe, would to day be pumping water. This pump, in addition pumping water. to the present 3,000,000 gallon pump of the same make, will furnish all the water required for years to come.

List Saturday I accepted the kind invi-tation of Hon. John T. MacGonigle and the water committee to accompany them on their last official visit to the water works, and had the pleasure of witnessing the movement of this beautiful and powerful piece of mechanism.

those through whose efforts the city has come into possession of this pump. I hope, however, that it will not be taken amiss if I here mention that the pump has not been paid for, nor has any provision been made for its payment by any appropriation out of the anticipated receipts for this year. In justice to ourselves and without intending any reflection upon the former administration it is but right that the citizens should understand that we are encumbered by heavy debts left unpaid by the former administration and that if the negotiation of a new loan or an increase of the tax rate becomes necessary it is not by reason of any expenditure on our part. I simply wish that the responsibility should be placed where it properly belongs, With your permission I will further state that I find that real estate consisting of four engine houses, purchased by the late administration, are to to be paid for by us. I know that you may answer me that they have been provided for by appropriations out of our expected receipts for this year. That is so; but it has necessitated the cutting down of the appropriation for repairs of streets and other appropriations to such an extent that the necessary work cannot be done.

The fire department of our city is offisient. The city is not, as under the old system, being constantly thrown into excitement by false alarms of fire and the promptness and discipline displayed when fire actually does occur entitles this department to our support and commendation. There can be no room for doubt that there is almost universal complaint of our citizens against the present method of lighting the streets with the Maxim electric light. The failure of so many of the lamps to burn when they are most needed and the high figure that is being paid for this light is sufficient cause.

The division of some of our largest wards into voting precincts is being spoken of, and if some of them continue growing in size as they have within the last few years it will become a meccessity. The Sixth and Eighth wards for instance have in the neighborhood of one thousand voters living to each, and the polling of that large vote besides being too laborious for one board of election officers, often times costs the citizans the privilege of voting by reason of the throng around the polls.

In reference to the police force I would respectfully suggest that it is impossible to properly police the city with the pres cut small force. There are but nine officers on duty at one time and they are supposed to be on continuous duty for twenty-four hours. I have no hesitation in saying that the duty required of them is entirely too operous and they are unable to faithfully perform all that is required of them, and the citizens therefore do not receive the protection to which they are entitled.

I have but briefly alluded to a few of the important matters which will be more particularly called to your honorable bodies. I shall always be glad to cooperate with councils and assist you in any way in my power. I wish to publicly express my thanks to

Hon John T. MacGongle, my predecessor for his courtesy and kindness shown me while seeking information in reference to the duties of my office. At the conclusion of the reading of

the address the mayor and ex-mayor re-Mr. Riddle made a motion of thanks be extended to Hon. Inc. T MacGonigle for the efficient and faithful manner in which he has fulfilled the duties of his office. The motion was

unanimously adopted.

Police Appointments Confirmed After the inauguration of the mayor select council returned to their chamber and was again called to order. A communication from Mayor Rosenmiller was read, removing from office all the policemen of the city under Mayor MacGonigle's administration and

appointment of the following officers : Captain of Police-Joel L. Haines. First Ward-Samuel Swenk, Winfield Second Ward-George Cramer, John B. Bushong.

Third Ward-Chas J. Stormfeltz, Samuel Musketnuss Fourth Ward-Audrew Eicholtz, Philip Fifth Ward-Geo. V. Winower, Levins

Heisse Sixth Ward-Edw. Barohold, Samuel H. Roadman. Seventh Ward-John Merringer, Hiester M. Messenkop

Eighth Ward-George Shay, Peter Ritchie. Ward-Jacob Boas, Alfred Ninth On motion the removal of the old officers was approved and the appointment of at e new ones unanimously confirmed. Ad-

Councils' Next Mosting. After the joint convention common counoil again held a meeting. On motion of Mr. Hurst it was resolved to hold a meeting on Wednesday evening to approve the city treasurer's bond, name the standing committees and transact any other busi ness that may come up. Select council

concurred. Mayor MacGonigle's Last Court. Mayor MacGonigle held his last police court this morning. It was graced by over a dozen customers, who had volun tarily sought a night's lodging in the lookup. All were discharged except three, two of whom were drunk and disorderly, and were committed for ten and fifteen days respectively; and one old bummer, who had been there a few nights before and who disregarded the caution

for five days. During the six years, five months and twenty one days of Mayor MacGonigle's administration he disposed of 9,863 police cases, and all the fees arising from them directly into the city treasury, instead of into the pockets of the mayor.

given him to not come again, was sent up

Another "Drawing." E. A. Locke's "Lottery of Life " com-

pany were in Harrisburg on Friday even

ing and the Independent of that town has

the same opinion of them as the INTELLI

GENCER

They published our rather

uncomplimentary notice of the party word for word on Saturday, and with much truth add: "Any strolling company can secure an engagement in this city and be announced in flaming posters and ornate programmes as first class. People go to see such performances only to be disappointed, and the imposi tion has been so often practiced as now t involve the good with the bad. This city has been so largely imposed upon by number of troupes of this character during the season about closing, that our people hardly know when they are safe in patrouizing a troupe that is not universally known by a reputation honestly earned and established. It is, therefore, high time that theatrical managers learn the charac ter of troupes and the merits of their performances before placing them before the community.

BASEBALL NEWS.

OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST ot reather Lems Concerning the Great

Sport-wont the Various Clubs are Delog. Patterson, of the Keystone Union club

played third with the Somers last summer. The Baltimore association club defeated picked ning on Saturday, score 16 to 10. The New York league club defeated the Metropolitans on Saturday, Score 7 to 3. Annis, of last year's Anthracites, is playing third base for the Boston He-Too much credit cannot be given to

serves. Joe Simmons, of the Wilmington club, has engaged the "only" Nolan to pitch this season. Allentown will have two good clubs this

season, the Allentown (Eastern league) and Blue Stockings. Nearly all the players of Manage." Dif enderfer's nine have arrived and they are

good looking set of men. In to-day's game between the Athletic and Philadelphia the batteries are Hilsey and Rowen and Coleman and Ringo. Harry Boyle, the popular first baseman

of the Reading Actives, received quite an

ovation on his return to Reading a few days ago.

The Athletics play the Bay City club to morrow and the western boys will try their luck with the Philadelphia on Thursday and Friday.

The games that will attract crowds this week in Philadelphia will be between the Athletics and Philadelphias to day Wed nesday and Saturday. Hyland of the Lancaster and Healy of

the Ironsides, were both engaged by the Philadelphia's this year, but were released at their own requests.

For, of the Allegheny team, it is said, will scoure \$500 extra this season if he

does not drink. The management intend keeping an eye on him. The sympathies of Philadelphians are now about equally divided between the League and Athletic, Harry Wright's

management of the former has given its admirers more confidence. The Trenton Times seems to think they have a stronger team than last season, which is very doubtful, as the latter part of last year they played fine ball. The "Reds" or reserve nin

The "Reds" or reserve nine of the Philadelphia league club will play the new Lancaster team, in this city, on Saturday. The Princton college club defeated the m on Saturday by 9 to 3 Fifteen thousand people were present at the opening game at Sa Louis on Sun-

day between the regular Union nine of that city and a team of Union reserves. I'e ormer won by 11 to 2 The directors of the York club are moving slowly in selecting a nine, as they think better players at lower salaries can probably be procured in a short time, as many of the League clubs are now release

ir g players whom they had signed.

the tronsides' players will be here by to-morrow, and they will play their first game with the Harrisburg Eastern league olub on Thursday afternoon in this city. The club has very handsome lith granhs and posters, with which they are billing the game. The Somers club of Philadelphia open their season with the West Philadelphis Athletic association next Saturday.

taken for games with professional and semi-professional clubs. Cleveland and Geroher, late of the Clearfield club, will form one of their batteries. The Foley club played the Keystone, of the Union association, on the grounds of the latter in Philadelphia on Saturday and were defeated by the score of 12 to 4. Fergy Malone umpired the game. The Foleys will not be allowed to play any

club that has signed the National agree-

have almost every date in April and May

ment in the future for the reason that they played a union club. Hughey Kelly, the plucky little left fielder of last year's Ironsides, whose only fault was his bad throwing on account of n injured arm, will play with the Arthur Mallon club of Philadelphia this season Hammit, who played one game here last year, and Kugler, of the Hartvilles, will e members of the same nine. They can

be addressed corner of Cedar and Sargeut streets. The Hartville team will be strong this season. The names of the players are as follows : Donnelly, Stephens, Avery, Betz and Cooke, of last seasou's team, H. . Bradley, of the Mantua ; A. Weidel, of West Philadelphia Athletic association, John Clements, of Werntz, and George Fisher, of the Siddom. All of these men

played with different clubs in this city Of last year's Ironsides players the folowing have been engaged this season : Oldfield, Ironsides ; Hoffort and Sixsmith, Franklin, of Oil and Iron league Sweitzer and Zeoher, Littlestown, of Key tone association; Spence, Rittenhouse and Hanna, Monumentals, of Baltimere; Knowles (who played here two weelts), with Allegheny; Kelley, Arthur Mallor club of Philadelphia; Schiller, Reilly and

Hyndman in all probability will not play. The Trentons played with the Philadelphia league team on the grounds of the latter on Saturday and were defeated by the score of 18 to 2. The New Jersey boys are weaker than last season. Of the old team they have Quinton, Williams and Smith, Shetzline of the old Harrisburg plays first and Myers at second, Brouthers the left fielder is a brother of the champion batter of the league and he and Quinton distinguished themselves by making

splendid running catches in Saturday's game. "Shetz" got in a two bagger. In Philadelphia on Saturday a number of games were played, notwithstanding the cool and blustery weather. The Athleties played the Yalos defeating them by the score of 10 to 5, Atkinson and Mil ligan were the battery of the home team. The former did effective work but seemed to loose his head at critical points in the game. The few errors credited to the club were made by him. Hilsey and Mil igan two new men in the team surprised ill by their good work at the bat. former had three singles and each secured

School Book Swindles, "J. R. B." from Lititz, this county,

two runs.

writes as follows to the American, Phila "The school book business has delphia: grown to be a gigantic swindle as at pre-sent conducted. Agents prevail upon school boards to adopt a new book, in some instances resorting to bribery to attain their ends, offering to replace the old ones with new books without any cost to the pupils. When once introduced, they have sure and no mean revenue from a district hus manipulated, for a number of years. Pupils are compelled to pay an exorbitant price for books. The compiler and publisher levy a tax upon the scholar, and poor parents are often put to much discomfort n providing books for a large family. The books are poorly bound and printed on poor paper, and sold at immense profits. Last Christmas I bought a school book got up in the shoddy style, for a beginner, paying for it forty five cauts; at the same time I bought a holiday book, nearly printed on fine paper, substantially bound and at only about half the cost.

Lancuter Wins & Cottag Main.

York Tribune. Late on Saturday night a oor king main was held just outside of York, by birds owned by private parties in Lancaster and York. \$20 was put up on each battle a d \$100 on the match. In the first round the Lancaster bird got away with the York rooster in about four minutes. York took the second tight, and Laucaster the third