DENOMINATIONAL DELIVERANCE ON THREE GREAT SOCIAL QUESTIONS.

THE PRESBYTERIANS.

The Evils of Divorce, Sabbath-Breaking as Intemperance-The General Assembly Speaks With no Uncertain Sound, Three Strong Committee Reports

In the general assembly of the Presby-terian church, in Cincinnati, the Friday session was largely occupied with reports on the theological seminaries, systematic beneficence, (the reports showing 70 per cent. in-ereased contributions since 1879), and freedmen's missions. The chief proceedings of the body, however, were the consideration and adoption of reports on three great social

questions:

The committee on the polity of the church reported upon the overture from the presbytery of Monroe, requesting that in view of the great evils resulting from the frequency of divorce and the ease with which it is obtained, ministers be enjoined to use great caution in performing the marriage ceremony. The committee says: "The assembly cannot too emphatically pronounce its condemnation upon the loose views and practices so alarmingly prevalent in our day on the subject of marriage and divorce, nor too tices so alarmingly prevalent in our day on the subject of marriage and divorce, nor too earnestly call upon its ministers and people to use their influence both by precept and example, for the promotion of a healthier moral sentiment in the community on this subject. The promotion of the marriage relation is attended with the graves, respon-sibility, and nothing but adultery or such wilful desertion as can in no way be remedied by the church or civil magistrates can warrant its rupture by any human an warrant its rupture by any human authority. Let, therefore, the pulpit and the authority. Let, therefore, the pulpit and the religious press as well as parents, teachers and others instruct and warn the young concerning these great evils and dangers, and our ministers are urged to the greatest possible care that they neither transgress the laws of God nor the laws of the community in marrying persons who have been divorced on grounds not warranted in the sacred Scripture, or any other persons whose lawful right may be justly called in question; nor may we, as conservators of public morals, omit to appeal to the legislature of our several states for the enactment of such laws of marriage license, registration and laws of marriage license, registration and other regulations as will at once protect the rights of ministers, parents and society, as well as guard against hasty and improper marriages and so, take a way, to a great ex-

marriages and so take away, to a great ex-tent, occasions for divorce." After some dis-cussion, the report was adopted. OBSERVANCE OF THE SABBATH. The committee also reported the following. in reply to an overture from presbytery of Newton, on the desecration of the Sabbath : "In view of frequent, explicit and emphatic deliverances on this subject heretofore, the assembly does not deem it necessary to make any extended declaration in regard to it at this time, but, in common with the presbytery which has presented the overture, and the other Christian people of this nation who regard the sacredness of the Lord's day, we ew with profound sorrow the increasing indencies to its desecration in many directendencies to its desceration in many directions, especially in some of our large cities,
along the public lines of travel and transportation, in some of the departments of our government, and in many other ways. We
would respectfully, therefore, again appeal to all our people in general, but
more particularly to the conductors
of public enterprise, for such example as may not offend the government
and corrupt the public morals. Most respectfully also would we remonstrate against
all transactions of business by our national
Congress on the day of holy rest, as well as all transactions of business by our national Congress on the day of holy rest, as well as all needless transportation of the mails and other secular work under the authority of any department of the government as having t injurious effect upon the conscience and habits of the people. In the nection we cannot withhold the

phatic condemnation of the publication, sale and reading of Sunday newspapers, filled, as they are, with most unprofitable matter and now exerting so wide-spread and injurious an influence, nor would we fail to lift up a warning voice against all those forms of worldly business and pleasure which so desecrate the Lord's day, and so alarmingly threaten to obliterate the sense of it obligation. And we call upon all our ministers and people to put forth their best personal and united efforts for its maintenance."

Adopted.

TEMPERANCE.

mittee on temperance, made the annual re-port upon the subject. After congratulating he assembly upon the good work done by First. That the entire extinction of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage is the goal to which the general assembly looks forward, and for the accom-plishment of which it expects the earnest, united, determined and persistent lators of all its ministers and people, in connection with the religious and sober citizens of our

with the religious and sober citizens of our common country.

Second. That, under God, the removal of intemperance must depend upon the forming of a wholesome public sentiment, the power of conscience, enlightened by the Word of God, and the strong arm of the civil law, wisely enacted and faithfully enforced. Third, That this assembly cordially approves the work of the permanent committee on temperance during the last year.

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Fourth. That the assembly rejoices in the fact that at least fourteen states in the Union have enacted laws requiring physiology and hygiene with specific reference to the influ-ence of intoxicating drinks upon the human system to be taught in the schools supported by the state. by the state.

Fifth. That the permanent committee is recommended to ascertain the nature of efforts being made by temperance people, and especially by the church, to promote the

tee on temperance, and to supervise the work within their bounds.

Seventh. That this assembly recognizes the year 1885 as the centennial year of the temperance reform, and recommends that syncds, presbyteries and church celebrate the centennial week, beginning Sunday, September 20th, in some suitable way.

to give special supervision to this important department of benevolent work in the church of Kansas and Iowa in their efforts upon the subject of temperance; also the board of publication for their publications on the sub-ject of temperance, and that ministers preach upon the subject, and exert their influence

upon the subject, and exert their for the spread of important principles of total

obligation is taken, and closed by saying, "We think it wise and proper to counsel the members of the United Presbyterian church to stand aloof from this and all similar organizations."

ganizations."

The question being upon the adoption of the committee's report, Rev. John Gordon offered as a substitute the following:

Resolved, That it is the judgment of this assembly that it is unnecessary to take any action in reference to the G. A. R., leaving it to the conscience of each member what action to take in reference to the organization."

At the evening session the G. A. R. question was taken up again, and occupied the entire evening, and was at length laid on the table, with pending amendment to the substitute offered at the afternoon session.

The 61st annual meeting of the Baptist ublication society was held Friday at Sara-"Fearing a deficit the managers curtailed the expenses in every direction, and at the Mose of the year were without debt." The society has employed 86 missionaries and 48 colporteurs; also 4 special missionaries in Germany, Sweden, Turkey and Armenia,

Rev. T. E. Clapp, of Syracuse, Col. Chas. H. Banes, of Philadelphia, and Rev. T. H. Gessier, of Brooklyn, delivered addresses.

The Sweedenborgians.

The sixty-fifth general convention of the New Jerusalem church is in session in Cincinnati, Rev. Chauncey Giles, of Philadel-phia, presiding. A new society at Topeka, Kansas, has been received into full member-

THE LUTHERAN MINISTERIUM. Adjusting the Question of Interference in Church Troubles.

The Lutheran ministerium in Allentown elected the following officers: President, G. F. Krotel, of New York; treasurer Rev. J. B. Rath, of Bethlehem; English recording secretary, Rev. J. C. Cooper, of Bethlehem; German secretary, Rev. G. Bruegel, of Cherryville.
The revised constitution for the minis

terium, which was partly discussed last year was then taken up, and the words "of trouble" were stricken out of the article which reads that "in recommendations to vacant congregations, or in cases of trouble in congregations requiring official attention, the president of the conference shall give his

the president of the conference shall give his assistance and advice, but shall first confer with the president of the ministerium."

After further discussion the paragraph was adopted without additional amendment, as were also numbers 9, 12 and 13 with a slight addition. The question of adoption or approval being raised, it was settled that for the present the various parts of the new constitution could only be approved under the discussion of paragraph 14. An interesting discussion of paragraph 14. An interesting discussion was had in which it was firmly maintained that a church council represents the congregation acting in a certain way. Any other view af a church council is both unscriptural and un-Lutheran.

After repeated ballots Rev. F. Mayser, of

Lancaster, was elected German recording se-cretary. Rev. Schantz presented the report of the executive committee which stated that out of the funds of the ministerium aid was given to twenty students in the seminary at Philadelphia; fourteen in Muhlenberg college, at Allentown, and two at Thiel college, in Western Pennsylvania; that applications had been made for more funds this year than ever before; that twenty-nine mission stations had received superst, and that \$2.164. tions had received support, and that \$3,164 had been appropriated to the missions in Philadelphia.

Rev. B. M. Schmucker presented the re-Rev. B. M. Schmucker presented the report of the board of directors of the theological seminary at Philadelphia, in which it was stated that the library of Professor C. P. Krauth, deceased, had been placed in the second story front of the seminary building; that the whole number of students in the seminary was sixty-two, a larger number than in any previous year of the seminary's history, and that there has been raised for the new seminary buildings \$35,784, of which \$24,512 had been expended.

At 4:30 a ministerial session was held, at

At 4:30 a ministerial session was held, at which the examination committee presented the names of twenty candidates for ordination to the Christian ministry. In the evening a meeting was held in St. Michael's German Lutheran church in the interest of education, the ciaims of which on the church were im pressively presented before a large audience by Rev. S. Struntz in the German, and Rev. L. N. S. Erb in the English language.

The Lutheran Synod. In the general synod of the Lutheran church, at Harrisburg, the report of the board of home missions was read. It showed the receipts of the board for the two years to be \$54,311, the contributions of the churches falling short of the assessment by \$13,015.

The women's societies had contributed \$3,325, and and are now supporting missionaries at Free-port, Ill.; Lincoln, Nebraska, and Denver, Colorado. Eighty-seven missions have been aided and ninety-seven missionaries em ployed. The great need of the fields, it was stated, is more men, and the great need of the board more money.

Friday the Reformed classis, in session at Salem (Heller's)church convened at 8 o'clock a. m., opened with singing, and prayer by Rev. A. H. Stauffer. The morning session ports. The attention of the congregation was musually good, and much interest was manifested in the proceedings.

Dinner and supper were served by the ladies in the lecture room of the church. Classis adjourned at 4 o'clock, at which time the parochial reports were finished.

There was a meeting last night in the interest of Sunday schools.

## MURDERED IN THE ROADWAY.

ployes at the Schoenberger mines, on the Pennsylvania railroad, were at Warriors Mark, in the northwestern part of Huntingdon county. They spent the day together in a friendly manner. They drank some and in the evening were under the influence of liquor. About nine o'clock they started to Burket, a farmer, living in the same direction followed after them on his way home. When half a mile from the village he was startled to find a man lying in the road before him, He tried to arouse the prostrate form and ther to lift it from the highway into the edge o the woods adjoining. As he raised the body he saw by the moonlight a great gash in the throat, extending from ear to ear. The head and face had been crushed with a club or other heavy weapon. It was evident that the blow had first been given and that the throat had been cut immediatly after the vic-tim had fallen to the ground. When the face of the dead man was cleaned it was recog-nized as that of Irvin. nized as that of Irvin.

Laporte was not to be found, nor had he gone to the mines or returned to Warriors' Mark. Suspicion pointed to him as the murderer and the finding of the coroner's jury Friday was that Irvin had met death a Laporte's hands. Then came rumors tha Laporte's hands. Then came rumors that
Laporte had been seen in the neighborhood
of his fathers house, in Franklin township,
six miles from the place where the murder
was committed, and this afternoon he surprised his father and family, who had been
apprised of the crime, by entering the house.
As a result of the counsel that there prevailed
the accused man determined to surrender
himself to the authorities and accordingly he
came to Huntingdon and went directly to came to Huntingdon and went directly to

Laporte is a son of Associate Judge Laporte, one of the most prominent and intelligent citizens of the county and a leader in politics and in nearly every public movement. Irvin was the son of a widow living at Franklinville, within a few miles of Judge Laporte's farm. Both the men were unmarried and about the same are—25 years.

The funeral services over the remains of deutenant John Loomis Schock, of the United States navy, who committed suicide, church, Greenwich. The services were attended by a large assemblage of persons, among whom were the members of the American legation at London and several officers and students from the Royal Navy officers and students from the Royal Navy college, whence Lt. Schock was to have graduated this summer. The coffin was draped with the American flag and covered with floral wreaths. During the funeral services the organ rendered the "Dead March in Saul" and the hymns "Rock of Ages" and "Asleep in Jesus." After the religious rites the body of the young lieutenant was conveyed to the rooms of an undertaker to be encased for removal to the United States.

attended. While the dance was in progre the white men stepped in to cut out the the white incu stepped in to cut out the col-ored beaux. A general row followed, in which knives and pistols were drawn. Hun-ter Butt, a negro from Georgia, shot one of the white intruders through the heart, kil-ling him instantly. A strong effort was made to lynch Butt, and he was only saved by a strong guard organized by Mr. Thorpe. He is now in Greenville jail.

Found It Out.

DEAD IN A HORSE STALL.

TOO MUCH LIQUOR CAUSES THE DEATH OF FRANK SMITH.

A Young Confectioner, Who Went to a Ban quet in Bird-in-Hand, Drank More Than He Was Accustomed to and Was Found a Corpse in a Stable This Morning.

Frank Smith, aged 21 years, son of L. B. Smith, North Mulberry street, was found dead at 5 o'clock this morning in one of the horse stables in the rear of John C. Spaeth's confectionery, North Queen street.

The circumstances attending his death ap-

pear to be as follows: Yesterday Col. L. L. Bush, of Bird-in-Hand, gave a banquet to his friends, and Mr. Spaeth furnished the confections. He and six or eight of his employes were at Col. Bush's mansion during the day and evening. Mr. Spaeth and some of his men returned to Lancaster on the midnight train, leaving Frank Smith, who was his nephew, Silas Weaver, and Harry Lamparter to bring home the teams. After Mr. Spaeth left for home, the men above named, drove the teams over to the railroad station, where they were met by some of the Philadelphia guests and invited into a Pullman car that was standing on the siding man car that was standing on the siding awaiting to take them to Philadelphia. They were invited to drink, and Smith, who was unaccustomed to the use of liquor, became intoxicated. Weaver, his companion, tried to prevent him from drinking, and took the glass from his hands several times. Lamparter, who had charge of one of the wagons, soon left for Lancaster, and the other teams followed him for some distance without a driver. Weaver ran after the team and took it back to the station, and getting Smith into the wagon started for Lancaster. Smith soon fell asleep, and Weaver says he could not rouse him, and that he had to hold him to prevent his falling out of the wagon. They reached Lancaster about 2 o'clock this They reached Lancaster about 2 o'clock this stable. With difficulty he got Smith out of the wagon; partly dragged and partly carried him to one of the empty stalls, and left him there lying on his side, "to sleep his load off." About 5 o'clock this morning he was found dead. The Vacaday and Davis wage found dead. Drs. Yeagley and Davis were at once sent for, but of course their services were not needed. Coroner Honaman was notified and at 10 o'clock held an inquest.

notified and at 10 o'clock held an inquest. The testimony taken was substantially as given above. The verdict of the jury was that death resulted from apoplexy.

Mr. Spaeth says Smith was an industrious, steady young man, and had been in his employ five or six years. He became of age only a few days ago and in recognition of his good behavior and valuable services Mr. Spaeth presented him with a handsome gold good behavior and valuable services Mr. Spaeth presented him with a handsome gold badge. Mr. Spaeth says when he left the men at Bird-in Hand at midnight they were perfectly sober, and in this he is corroborated

### REINGRUBER'S SUICIDE.

The Artist's Lancaster Relatives Receive Con roboration of Their Fears.

The INTELLIGENCER yesterday noticed the sudden death in St. Louis, of Louis Reingruber, artist, formerly of this city. The manner of his death was then not known. the telegram announcing it stating that par ticulars would be forwarded by mail, and after stating that the body would arrive here Saturday evening concluded with the words "please do not open the coffin." Though these words were rather mysterious their import was not suspected by Mr. Geo. Kiehl, the brother-in-law of Mr. Reingruber, to whom they were addressed.

A letter received by Mr. Kiehl this morn ing from Wm. E. Hess, who is also a brotherin-law, (he and Mr. Reingruber having married Mr. Kiehl's sisters,) states that Mr. Reingruber committed suicide on the 27th and that his wife, children and other relatives strated by the horribl circumstances of the suicide. All that is the following letter which has found its way to the newspapers. It was addressed to a St. Louis undertaking firm and shows the

George Lynch, Ezq.

DEAR SIR: Please call at the morgue is DEAR SIR: Please call at the morgue in the morning at your earliest convenience. I desire that you take charge of a corpse brought in during the night, and retain at your room until further orders. Mr. William E. Hess, of Hess & Merser, northwest corner Fourth and Pine, and Mr. A. Redheffer, of Redheffer & Koch, will be kind enough to identify the corpse. By all means I would beg that the wife and children should not be shown the body of the deceased,

Respectfully yours, Respectfully your

LOUIS REINGRUBER. THE REMAINS COMING TO LANCASTER. arrive in this city on the day express at 4:45 this afternoon. They will be met by friends on the arrival of the train and taken at once to Zion cemetery for interment.

Mr. Reingruber's suicide is attributed to temporary insanity and recalls the fact that his brother many years ago became insane and was for a long time confined in an insane asylum, if indeed, he is not now thus con fined.

## ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Ten Thousand Dollars to Be Spent in Making Needed Repairs. Pursuant to notices sent to the pew-holder of St. Mary's Catholic church, a number me at the church last evening to take into consideration proposed repairs to the building. Rev. Dr. McCullagh, presided, and John A. Rev. Dr. McCullagh, presided, and John A. Coyle acted as secretary. The president stated the repairs that are considered necessary, which substantially are as follows: Painting of the outside of the church, lowering the galleries in the rear of the church, erecting suitable vestibules, new windows on the sides, removal of the sacristies on the sides of the main altar, the building of sacristies on the south end of the church, the erection of a building at that end to be used as a meeting room for Catholic societies and sodalities; the interior of the church to be frescoed, a new altar rail to be built, and the removal of the stained glass windows in the rear of the church. It was stated that the estimated cost

church. It was stated that the estimated cost of the repairs would be \$10,000.

A resolution was unanimously adopted that the repairs are a necessity and should be made at once.

After a discussion as to the proper method of raising the means to pay the expense, it was decided to defer action until Sunday evening, at which time there will be a congregational meeting.

action in reference to the rent, provisions and fuel for Prison-Keeper Burkholder and family. Under the law as it stands, (the governor having vetoed the act proposed for the keeper's relief), the keeper will get a salary of \$1,200. Out of that sum he will have to keep his family and heat and light that part of the prison occupied by him as a residence. This he claims is too expensive, and was not contemplated by the salary law, but the question is, what is to be done about it? There is some talk of the keeper moving his family inte less expensive quarters, but that will hardly answer the purpose of the law, which contemplates that the keeper shall reside at the prison.

"From D. A. & V. K. Frey's York Pennsylvanias GENGER under the title of "Sindbad," picked York does a flourishing ice cream, milk, cigar, tobacco and newspaper trade on Sunday, but there is no drinking. As people pass to morning church, ice cream wagons can be seen delivaring to dealers. We suppose this is what the crime-ladened Lancaster INTELLIGENCES approves.

Last night at 11 o'clock, Joseph, William and Jack Knight, sons of J. P. Knight, formerly of the City hotel, and more recently of Reading, left for Omaha, Nets., where they intend to least.

HONORING A BRAVE SOLDIER. THE NATION'S DEAD. ssive Scenes at the Unveiling of the

Mulligan Monument in Chicago. CHICAGO, May 30.—Over 3,000 people, Grand Army of the Republic were gathered at noon to-day around a handsome specimer of memorial sculpture in Calvary cemetery. The event was the unveiling and dedication of the monument raised by the state and the citizens to the gallant James Mulligan, colonel of the 23rd Illinois infantry, who fell at the battle of Kernstown, Va., while in com-mand of a division, on July 24,1834, and whose memorable exclamation "Lay Me Down and Save the Flag" has been perpetuated in the war literature of the county. Of the many observances of Decoration Day in different parts of the city, none was more touching than this, and the scene presented during the dedication exercises, when the wife and children of the deceased soldier, 40 of his surviving comrades, and the great concourse of spectators stood bareheaded, while a quar-tette sung "Lay Me Down and Save the Flag," was effecting in the extreme. The exercises were opened by Mr. John R. Walsh, chairman of the monument board. He introduced Rev. P. J. Conway, vicar general of the diocese, who delivered the dedi catory prayer. A hymn was then rendered by a male quartette. Miss Eliza A. Starr read an 'Ode to Col. Mulligan" written for the occasion; and the oration of the day was delivered by Wm. J. Onahan, who took for his subject the life, character and services of Col. Mulligan. At the conclusion of the exercises

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the remnant of the 23d Illinois were escorted back to the city by the Hibernian rifles. The monument is a beautiful specimen of the sculptor's art. The material is Eastern grey granite and the design is Gothic or mediaval in treatment. The base is 9 feet square and rises in three receding stages from which arises a group of four dies on a richly moulded base, surmounted by Gothic gables are beautifully wrought designs. Two of them are devoted to recording the virtues front bears an artistic and stricking likeness in relief of the deceased, and the rear is lecorated with a richly carved wreath of laurels. From the centre of the massive bas a shaft arises surmounted by an elaborate cross of the ancient Celtic type. The cost of the monument was \$5,000, one half of which was contributed by the state, the remainder by friends of the deceased soldier.

### BASE BALL BRIEFS. The Latest Local and General Notes of the Diamond Field.

Games played yesterday.— At Philadelphia: Philadelphia 6, Buffalo 4; at Trenton: Trenton 8, Wilmington 4; at Jersey City: Jersey City 15, Norfolk 1: at Brooklyn: Brooklyn 12, Virginia 1.

Rain prevented the game here yesterday and it is doubtful whether the ground will be in fit condition to play to-day.

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The Trentons were outbatted by the Wilmingtons yesterday.

Twenty-three games are scheduled for the three associations to day.

Daily pitched a great game for the Philadelphia yesterday, and the Bisons had but three hits.

three hits.

Barnie, of Baltimore, and Sharsing, of the Athletic, are for war against the league. They want some players who are now in the old

No game was played by the Lancaster and National this morning, but at a late hour this afternoon it was announced that a game would be played at four o'clock.

Henry, who was expelled by the Norfolk club, has had numerous offers from league and association clubs, and he would accept an engagement if he would be reinstated The games of ball played this morning resulted as follows:

Base hits-Allegheny, 9; Metropolitans, 15 Errors-Allegheny, 3; Metropolitan, 2. Pitchers-Meegan and Caruthers. Umpire-Kelly. -Meegan and Caruthers. Umpire-Kelly.

There is considerable feeling between the Brooklyn and Virginia clubs, as the latter have a number of players who belonged to the former last year. When the clubs met in Virginia, the home team won. Yesterday the clubs played in Brooklyn in the presence of 1,200 people. The Brooklyn club had five hits off Pyle and three errors, while the Virginias had six hits and two errors. Notwithstanding this, the Brooklyns won Notwithstanding this, the Brooklyns won the game, because Ed. West, the umpire, called seven balks on Pyle, and his decisions were all favorable to the home team. The result created great dissatisfaction and West was condemned everywhere. West was

Last evening the young men who were engaged in the rumpus at the Lancaster ball ground on Tuesday, were heard before Al-derman Spurrier. There was a large crowd at the hearing and a great many witnesses were examined. The evidence against some of the young was strong. David Smeltz, George Dommel and Harry Hartman were fined \$2 and made pay the costs. Milton Weidler got off with costs alone and George The alderman gave the young men a severe reprinand and warned them not to come before him again on similar charges.

Col. and Mrs. L. L. Bush gave their eighth annual dinner on Friday, at their elegan mansion at Bird-in-Hand, eight miles east of Lancaster. Indeed there were two dinners, as Col. and Mrs. Bush gave a banquet in the afternoon to the party that had recently ac companied them on their Southern pleasure tour, and another and more elaborate one in the evening to about one hundred guests from Lancaster, Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Reading, and other places. Like the preced-ing annual dinners given by Col. and Mrs. Bush, the cighth was in all resucces admirable. ing annual dinners given by Col. and Bush, the eighth was in all respects admirable. The guests were at once made to feel perfectly at home and their entertainment was generous.

The company numbers in the extreme. The company numbered many Lancastrians well known for their good judgment in such matters, and they bear testing to the pleasure afforded them. As one of themaxpressed it, "there is only one Col. Busho in the county." The afternoon entertainment lasted from 3 to 6 p. m. and the evening one from 9 to midnight.

A Réporter's Enterprise Causes Trouble. Marion M. Ogden, a reporter for the Pitts-burg *Dispatch*, was arrested Friday evening burg Dispatch, was arrested Friday evening on a charge of conspiracy preferred by City Assessor Hayes. Ogden, it is charged, entered the city assessor's office surreptitously, got access to the safe with the assistance of one John Brown, and copied from the records the list of returns made by business men showing the amount of business transacted by them during the year. The Dispatch published the returns Friday morning, which created a great sensation in business circles.

The lawyer-editor of the Columbia Spy thinks that "what really was needed was an

The practice of hurling documents and pa per wads across the House is becoming so common that Dr. McClelland, of Pittsburg, was struck in the eye Thursday morning by a big wad fired by some schoolboy legis-lator on the floor of the House.

MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCES IN LAN-CANTER AND BLAEWHERE.

Decorating the Graves of the Soldiers-Th Street Parade-How the Day Was Observed in New York-A Sad Accident at Monongahela City.

Decoration Day being a legal holiday, the banks, county offices, and United States revenue office were closed, and Sunday ours were observed at the postoffice. Some other places of business were closed, but, the day falling on Saturday, there was not so general a closing of the stores and shops as on some former occasions.

During the morning the graves in the outide cemeteries were decorated by commitside cemeteries were decorated by commit-tees appointed for the purpose, and at 2 o'clock p. m., the members of Geo. H. Thomas post and Admiral Reynolds post, G. A. R., assembled in their headquarters, formed line and marched to East King and Duke streets where they met the city fire department and other organizations that in-tended to take part in the parade, THE PARADE.

Shortly before 2 o'clock the Grand Army tosts marched from their respective head-quarters to the corner of East King and Duke streets, where the line was formed, and at 2 o'clock sharp moved in the following order:

Police Force.
Adamstown band.
Chief Marshall R. C. McDonnell and aids.
Company C. commanded by Capt. Bowers.
George H. Thomas Post, No. 84, G. A. R.
nen, H. R. Brennemen, commander.
Metropolitan drawscreen. men, H. R. Brennemen, commander.

Metropolitan drum corps.

Admiral Reynolds Post, No. 405, G. A. R.,

Wash. F. Hambright, commander.

Delegation of the Sons of Veterans,

Carriages containing orator, committee and

ilsabled soldiers.

Large wagon containing flowers.

The fire department, commanded by H. B.

Vondersmith, chief.

The Woodward Hill cemetery was first

The Woodward Hill cemetery was first visited and there exercises were held at the grave of Capt. George Musser, by George H. Thomas Post. The next cemetery was the Lancaster, and there the ceremonies were held at the grave of the late Andrew McGinnes, by Admiral Reynolds Post.

The tribute of Gen. Reynolds Post, of Philadelphia, for the grave of Gen. John F. Reynolds, at the Lancaster cemetery, arrived this morning, was taken to the cemetery and placed on his grave. It is a handsome design and made of immortelles of many colors. At the base we crossed cannons, surmounted by a shield, above which are flags and four muskets with bayonets.

The oration will be delivered in Fulton opera house this evening by Col. H. E. Turner, of Lowville, New York.

### THE DAY KLAEWHERE.

Troops, Surrounded by Cabinet Members, NEW YORK, May 30.

Various Grand Army posts started early to the various suburban cemeteries and deco-rated the graves of their fallen comrades. The weather was threatening all morning and at noon a drizzling rain set in which still continues. The feature of the day was the parade of the the Grand Army posts, headed by several of the crack regiments of the state militia. The procession formed as early as 8:30 o'clock at 42nd street and Fifth avenue, the various divisions filling the side far north as Fifty-eighth street. The start was made at 9 o'clock sharp and with martial music the various divisions of the G. A. R. swung into line and marched down Fifth avenue to Fourteenth street and around Union square and down Broadway to Eighth street. At the Worth monument the procession was reviewed by President Cleveland, as it passed the grand stand. The president was surrounded by the members his cabin Major Gen. Hancock and staff, and Mayor Grace. While passing the Farragut, Worth, Square parks, the soldiers uncovered and drooped the colors amid the roll of muffled drums. The procession was dismissed at 8th street where Grand Army Posts went by the nearest route to the place selected by them

statues of Washington and Lincoln, Lafayette and Seward were handsome decorated with The Day in Brooklyn.

Brooklyn, May 30.—Decoration Day was nore generally observed in this city to-day than usual. The flags on all the public build

ings were at haif mast and private decoraions were profuse. The militia and Grand WASHINGTON, D. C., May 30.—The day devoted to the decoration of the graves of those who sacrificed their lives in the late

nies appropriate to the occasion, and in a manner demonstrating that interest is not and significance of the day.

In Pittsburg PITTSBURG, Pa., May 30.—The weather to-day is all that could be desired. The obser-

vance of the Memorial Day is general. Decorations are tasteful and profuse. Business in of the G. A. R. Sons of Veterans, and militia was very imposing.

Killed While Firing a Salute. PITTSBURG, Pa., May 30.—About four o'clock this morning, while firing salutes at

Monongahela City, Pa., the cannon burst, instantly killing a young man named James

Written for the Intelligencer. The tide of contention that surging swept Tween the North and the South has at last seen stem'd; and the tears both their people

Have washed out the stains of the past. from the heart of the fair, sunny South cometh

Warm proffers of friendship once u Their symbolic palm, and the pine of the North Now mingle their sprays as of yore. And the white wings of Peace are shelteringly

spread Over all the bright land of the free Then why should brave Freemen to Malice wed,

'Neath oblivion's shade " let us bury for aye, The rancor we cherished too long, and under the odorous blossoms of May tribute of lilles we scatter to-day

O'er the brave ones who fell in the fight— Nor ask we "which wore they, the blue or the Since each battled for that they deemed right.

—May Morrow.

John Robinson, the tramp arrested on Senator Mylin's premises, a few days ago, was given a hearing by Alderman Barr, yesterday, and committed to the county prison for fifteen days for disorderly conduct. The charge of being a tramp could not be sustained and was dismissed.

In the department of women's work in the Pennsylvania exhibit at New \*Orleans, the only piece of statuary in the collection is by Miss Blanche Nevin—a figure of Maud Muller as she appeared immediately before that momentous encounter with "the Judge."

Frank B. Keneagy, one of the agents of Hi Henry's minstrels, is stopping at the Grape. He is an old Lancaster boy and has many friends here.

GRANTS BAPTISM.

A Touching Scene Which Occurred When the Soldier Was Supposed to be Dying. From the New York Herald.

A story is told by the friends of General Grant of the scene which took place on the Thursday morning when it was thought he was dying. The weeping family were grouped around the bed where the old soldier ay wearily and painfully breathing. His thin white hands clutched the counterpane and his eyes were closed. Suddenly Dr. Douglas placed his ear to the sick man's breast and strode from the room hastily. An instant later he returned with Dr. Shrady.
Mrs. Grant, weeping, reached out her hand
and said: "Ulysses, do you know me?"
The general's chin was resting upon his
breast. He slowly raised his head and said:
"Yes."

Dr. Newman exclaimed: "It is all over Dr. Newman exclaimed: "It is all over: I will baptize him." He went quickly into another room, got a silver bowl, filled it with water, came back, dipped his hand into it, and said: I baptize thee, Ulysses Simpson Grant in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost."

The general slowly raised his head and remarked: "I thank you." Then turning to his family, he raised one hand and uttered the words: "I bless you all."

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To Dr. Newman he observed: "Doctor, I intended to attend to this myself."

Meanwhile Drs. Shrady and Douglas were consulting with each other in the corner. The strain was intense.

Dr. Douglas said: "He will die sure. He has gone; the pulse has left the wrist."

Dr. Shrady, as if struck by inspiration, replied: "I will give him brandy."

"You cannot do it; he cannot swallow," said Dr. Douglas.

I will give it to him hypodermically," answered Dr. Shrady.

"How much?" asked Dr. Douglas.

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Dr. Shrady rushed into another room.
"Harrison," said he to the man-servant,
"have you any brandy?" Harrison answered "Yes," and handed him some. Dr. Shrady rushed bleek, and gave Grant a syringe full in each arm. The general revived, the pulse returned to his wrist and his life was saved.
Dr. Newman walked into an adjoining room with Dr. Shrady, and asked: "Doctor, how is he?" "I don't think he will die," said the doc

"Our prayers have been answered," said Dr. Newman,
"I think it was the brandy," responded

"I think it was the brandy," responded Dr. Shrady.

The general rallied for a few days, and there was no other severe attack until the night when the spells of choking came on. Then he was convinced that he would soon die. He went about the room on his hands and knees, and coughed with great effort.

"Be quiet, be quiet, you won't, said Shrady; "it will be ever in a moment."

"I am choking to death," he said, in a feeble voice.

At a recent consultation the physicians expressed opinions as to the time that the general would live. Dr. Sands thinks it is a matter of three months, while Dr. Shrady thinks it is a matter of six months. The discusse is progressing very slowly, but very surely.

Testimenial to Wilmington Knights of Pythias.

In the window of Rosenstein's clothing store, on North Queen street, there is now on exhibition a testimonial which is to be presented to Wilmington Division No. 1, Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias, by Inland City Division No. 7, of Lancaster. It a tre-mendous horse shoe in which are photographs of the members of Inland Division in full uniform, which was taken by Hubley. The whole is enclosed in a large frame with the whole is enclosed in a large frame with the copy of resolutions adopted by the Inland Division. The present is to be made to the Wilmington people as a token of esteem for the kindness shown the Lancastrians on their visit to that town.

Is It to Be a Duel? The editor of the Landisville Vigil printed In last week's Vigil we inserted the fol-

ble paper. You will have to make suitable an ample apology to me within 10 days, or sufferfurther proceedings. Fair warning and 1 quarter.

May 22, 1885,

Landisville, Pa. Up to the hour of going to press no written or printed apology has been extended us.

commission broker office in the building a No. 15 Centre Square, formerly occupied by Bair & Shenk, bankers. Numerous im-Bair & Shenk, bankers. Numerous improvements have been made in the fine room and two large blackboards for the stock quotations, have been put up. Wires to Chicago and New York run into the office and will be used exclusively by the firm. They will deal in stocks, bonds, grain, provisions, oil, &c. The large vaults will be used for the purpose of storing away valuables and the boxes will be rented.

failed to imprison the chief of the Buzzard gang, some of the good men and women in the neighborhood of Pleasant Grove have un-dertaken to convert the outlaws through the agency of a Sunday school. There is this to encourage them—they cannot make a worse failure than the detectives.

William Mackinson, the boy committed for ten days for trespassing on the cars of the Pennsylvania railroad company, was taken before Judge Patterson on a writ of habeas corpus at 11 o'clock to-day. There was no opposition to his discharge on the part of the alderman or railroad/company and he was released from prison.

Jumping Over a Precipice at Niagara Falls twenty-seven years, of Welland, Ont., Fri-day morning jumped over the precipice just below the new suspension bridge, at Niagara Falls, and was instantly killed.

A MARYLAND TRAGEDY.

PORT DEPOSIT, Md., May 30 .- A horrible tragedy occurred at Woodlawn, Cecil county, this morning. Charles P. Barnes shot and instantly killed his brother-in-law, Thomas E. Barnes, and his 12-year-old son. Another son, Arthur E. Barnes, is reported eriously wounded. The murderer is crazed by drink and has intrenched himself in his the officers of the law. The sheriff and a posse are preparing to capture Barnes by storming the house,

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 30.—The Republic Iron works, limited, signed the scale this morning at the workmen's terms. This victory for the Amalgamated association is especially important from the fact that the product of this mill is almost ex-clusively that on which the present difficulty

this morning in the fur store of Albert Herzig & Son, and before arrival of the firemen

the first floor and basement, had their stock camaged \$1,000 by water. The loss on the building is \$3,000.

AURURN, N. Y., May 30.—A fire caught mysteriously near midnight last night in the dry goods store of M. & J. Madden. The building was not damaged, but the stock was nearly ruined. The insurance was \$13,500.

# MURDEROUS RED MEN.

THE HORRIBLE ATROCITIES COMMIT. TED BY THE APACHE INDIANS.

The Dreadful Condition of the Bodies of the Phillips Family-Citizens Frantic at the Unchecked Outrages-Seventeen U. S.

Companies in the Field.

Tucson, Arizona, May 30.—A Silver City special says : The bodies of Col. Phillips and amily, murdered by the Apaches, have been brought in. They are all horribly mutilated. Col. Phillips' daughter had been hung up alive with a meat hook stuck through the back of her head. Mrs. Phillips' eyes were gouged out; her ears and breasts were ent off and she was otherwise brutally mangled. The citizens are frantic at such outrages being perpetrated unchecked.

NOT ONE INDIAN TAKEN. SILVER CITY, N. M., May 30.-The Indians are rapidly leaving this section, moving south, probably heading for the Black Range. Seventeen companies of troops are in the field, and there has not been one Indian taken in

by them.
SIXTY PERSONS KILLED THUS PAR. DEMING, N. M., May 30 .- A band of A paches has passed South 7 miles from here, eading for Mexico. Three companies of cavalry and sixty scouts are on their trail, but several hours behind. A company of volunteers well armed and mounted, left here Thursday afternoon in pursuit of the Indians. Sixty persons have been killed so

SCATTERING INTO SMALL BANDS. TOMBSTONE, Ariz., May 30.-Latest advices report that the Indians have scattered and are now in small bands in different parts of Southwestern New Mexico and mostly in the vicinity of the Black Range. More than thirty citizens are reported killed and many of them mangled beyond recognition. The Indians are reported to be near Cook's peak, 15 miles from Deming. The greatest excitement prevails in the settlements on Gila. Gen. Crook is on the way here. The miners and ranchmen are coming in from all quar-ters for safety. A band of about 30 renegades was seen near Fleming. They were divided into two parties, one going into the Burro mountains and the other to Cook's canon. Yesterday four bodies of whites were brought into Silver City. The greatest excitement prevails.

Russin and England Agree to Settle Their The London Daily News announced Friday morning on the highest authority that Russia's reply to Engiand's counter-propos-als has been received in London. The reply,

als has been received in London. The reply, it says, involves the acceptance of the proposals and practically settles in a satisfactory manner the whole question of the Afgh in boundary. Both Maruchak and Zuiflear remain features of the work of delimitation are been finally fixed, and the boundary commissary will settle the details. The negotiations have been conducted in a most friendly spirit on both saics.

The Daily Nees, in an additional, says: Mr. Gladstone has crowned his ministrous career by again rendering the country 2 signal service. We must not forget, now that peace is secured, how near we came to a war such as this generation has not seen. Neither mere obstimacy nor skill in diplomacy could have averted it. The task acquired a combination of the highest qualities which go to make up the complex war such as

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Nearly a Post at Sea. Steamer advices state the Yokohama was the scene of an extraordinary occurance on non, Sapphire and Swift steamed into port Russian war ship Vladimir Mononakh, manded by Admiral Crown, commande chief of the Russian squadron in these piped to quarters manned the guns and m every preparation for immediate action. is stated that had so much as a rifle best fired from the Russian vessel the Agament

non would have rammed her. No explana-tion of the affair was made by the Russ at WHY RUSSIA ACCEPTED THE PROPOSA LONDON, May 30.-A dispatch from Petersburg says that the acceptance by R sia of England's counter-proposals for settlement of the Russia-Afghan frontier Zuifikar to Afghanistan is due wholly to stand taken by the czar. It is stated that ezar insisted that Maruchak and Zulfikar eded to Afghanistan, giving a reason that and prevent a Tory success in the parliam natury elections, in England in November.

The czar, it is asserted, contended the a Tory success in the coming elections could only be viewed as a mistortune, and as vthing but favorable to a continuance of ami

St. Petersburg, May 30.-It is : nounced that the czar will visit the King

Denmark during the coming summer. The New Archbishop of Dublin.

DUBLIN, May 30.—The Freeman's Journ its issue of to-day contains an article which it states in most positive terms ti the pope has decided to appoint the Rev. Wm. Walsh, president of Maynooth colle as archbishop of Dublin, and successor to late Cardinal McCabe. The paper furth declares that it has the best of authority asserting that the pope has not seen Errington, the reputed semi-official repres tative of Great Britain to the papal court, determined to have no further dealings w

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 30.—The nation executive committee of the coal mine preventive of further reduction in mine wages which are at present threatened reckless competition among operators of co city on June 13. This meeting will be ! lowed by an inter-state convention in Ju at which representatives from every bitun

# WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 30.—For Middle Atlantic states, cloudy weather a rain, variable winds, shifting to souther lower barometer, stationary temperature. The storm which was yesterday in the U

per Mississippi valley has moved eastwate to the Lake regions, accompanied by rain all districts east of the Rocky mountains cept New England, and the West G at states, where fair weather continues. The weather has cleared in the Missouri valley. The winds have shifted to northwesterly the Upper Mississippi and Missouri valley in in other districts they are variable. The temperature has remained about stationary

For NUNDAY—Fair weather is indicated for the Upper Mississippi, Missourt and Ohio valleys, Tennessee, the Upper Lake region and the West Gulf states, and cloudy weather and rain for New England and the Northern portion of the Middle Atlantic states.