THE NOTED RESCUE CASE.

POLICEMAN SPEECE COMPELLED TO SHOULDER THE COSTS.

A Number of Surety and Desertion Cases Grov ing Out of Family Troubles.—The Report of the Grand Jury-Condemning Multiplication of Cases.

Friday Afternoon .- Court met at 2:30 o'clock, and counsel argued the cases of comonwealth vs. C. C. Amwake, Geo. Breen and Henry Hughes, rescuing a prisoner from Officer Speece, The argument of counsel was spicy. The INTELLIGENCER was frequently quoted as having designated the policeman "Clubber Speece." One of the reporters of the INTELLIGENCER, J. M. Johnon, was a member of the jury, and in complimenting the jury on their intelligence, &c., the district attorney in eloquent words told how long he had known Mr. J., stating that he was among the first acquaintances he made when he came to this city. Counsellor Amwake, who represented one of the defendants went one better than the district attorbefore Mr. Eberly was born. This raised loud laugh, which the court finally suppressed. After silence had been restored the court gave the tipstaves a lecture and told them he would discharge them and get better men if they did not do their duty and bring men if they did not do their duty and bring before the court persons who laughed loud. The judge instructed the jury at length and after a half hour's deliberation they returned a verdict of not guilty and costs of prosecution to be paid by Policeman Speces. The verdict was received with applause which the court promptly suppressed. promptly suppressed.

A NEIGHBORS' QUARREL.

Frank Liebfried, residing on Manor street, was indicted for committing an assault and battery on Mrs. Anna Sheid, a neighbor. The testimony of the commonwealth's witnesses was that on the 18th of July Mrs. Sheid, who under her deed had a right to nesses was that on the 18th of July Mis. Sheid, who under her deed had a right to cross Liebfried's property to get water, was going for it when she had some words with the defendant, and he struck Mrs. Sheid on

The defense was that Liebfried was greatly annoyed by Mrs. Sheid sending children for water, and on that-day he refused to allow a neice of Mrs. Sheid to go through his yard. The prosecutrix then took the bucket from the child's hand and raised it in a threatening manner, as if she intended to strike him. The accused denied having struck Mrs. Sheid, and claimed that all that took place was a tongue fight.

The jury rendered a verdict of not guilty, and directed the accused to pay two-thirds and the prosecutrix one-third of the costs,

George J. Hildebrand, of Quarryville, was indicted for violating the liquor law in seliing liquor to minors. The case came into court in a constable's return. Eight young court in a constable's return. Eight young men, ranging in age from 16 to 19 years old, testified that they had bought and drank beer at the hotel of defendant.

For the defense the accused testified that he had never wilfully violated the liquor law

and that the young men examined by the committee told the bar keeper or defendant that they were of age, or they would not have been sold any beer. It was also shown that Mr. Hildebrand had specially instructed his son not to sell any beer or liquor to minors. On trial.

James H. Cummings plead guilty to obtaining a lot of leather from A. A. Myers & Co., by false and fraudulent representations, and was sentenced to undergo an imprisonment of six months.

Friday Frening. — Court met at 7:30 o'clock, and counset argued the Hildebrand

or case. The jury had not agreed up a verdict when court adjourned.

The next case called was that of Harry H. The next case called was that of harry In.

Hensel, a boy charged with malicious trespass in entering the premises of Mr. Bachler. The court would not allow the case to be tried, saying the boy was too young, and a repetition of the morning's scene was the result of the court directing the clerk to enter a nol pros. It was finally decided to hear

the testimony at some future time, and if it is shown that the boy is incorrigible he will be sent to the House of Refuge.

The boy, his lather says, is only ten years old, that he has always borne a good reputation, as he will be able to show whenever

tion, as he will be able to show whenever given an opportunity by the court.

Abraham Glasgow, colored, plead guilty to stealing a coat, pair of boots and suspenders from the premises of Thomas J. Baily, of Sadsbury township. Glasgow was in the employ of Mr. Baily when he committed the theft, after which he skipped out and was only arrested last week in Chester county. The court sentenced him to undergo an imprisonment of ten months.

Patrick Fallon and Henry Fisher plead guilty to an indictment charging them with the larceny of a coat. Fisher claimed that he was innocent notwithstanding his plea of guilty. The court sentenced each to two months in the county prison.

GRAND JURY RETURNS.

GRAND JUNY BETURNS. True Bills-Abraham Glasgow, larceny, Patrick Fallon and Henry Fisher, larceny. Ignored Bills-J. Frank Pyle, malicious mischief, county for costs; Senet Miller, assault and battery, prosecutor Sarah Miller for costs; Elizabeth Miller, assault and battery, Senet Miller for costs; Mary Beamsderfer, assault and battery, county for costs Saturday Morning.—Court met at nine o'clock, and the jury in the Hildebrand liquor case rendered a verdict of not guilty, but directed the defendant to pay the costs.

The court granted rules to show cause why so much of the finding of the grand jury as imposed costs on Constable Kline, Coroner Honaman and Alderman Spurrier should

not be stricken of.

The district attorney stated that he had no cases this morning for jury trial, and the petit jurors were discharged with the thanks of the court.

SUBETY AND DESCRITION CASES.

Sarah Jacobs was charged by her daughter in-law, Lizzie, with having threatened to kill her. The accused denied the allegations, and the court directed the defendant to pay the costs and enter into recognizance to keep the peace.

In the next case called Benjamin Jacob

was the defendant and the prosecutor was his stepmother. The threat made was that he would not let her die in bed, for he would he would not let her die in bed, for he would kill her. An order similar to the one in the above case was made.

Reuben Hutton was charged by his di-vorced wife, Sallie F. Clark, with having on the 20th of June, since the divorce was grant-ed, threatened to kill him. The court dis-wissed the compalaint, but directed the dis-

ed, threatened of the control of the defendant to pay the costs.

Henry Sweigart was called for trial on a charge of deserting his wife. The district attorney called Susanna Sweigart, the prosecutor, and he was informed that she had died for the same while her bushand was in hill. a few days ago while her husband was in jail. The court dismissed the case with county for

Senet Miller was charged by her daughterin-law Lizzie Miller with having threatened
to put an end to her with a knife. The court
told the parties to go home and hereafter to
live in harmony and then dismissed the
complaint with county for costs.

The court took occasion at this point to say
that the magistrates should not return surely
of peace cases where assault and battery
cases were made at the same time, that it was
the duty of the magistrates only to bind the

es Henry Devine was charged with de-James Henry Devine was charged with un-serting and failing to provide for his wife and six children. The husband testified that he has been out of work since February, by reason of having been hurt in a rairoad wreck, but that he would get work in a ek or two, and was willing to provide for family. The court continued the case to

week or two, and was willing to provide for his family. The court continued the case to the October sessions.

Henry Hartman, eity, was cherged by his wife with desertion. The prosecutivit testified that she was driven from her home on the 5th of September. The defense was that Mrs. Hartman voluntarily left her home, and that Hartman did not desert his wife. When asked if he would support his wife he said she was not worth supporting. A large number of witnesses were examined, and some "spicy" testimony was developed. The court made an order directing Hartman

to pay his wife \$2 per week for the support of

his wife.

George Shay, of the Sixth ward, was heard on charges of desertion and surety of the peace preferred by his wife. Since the complaint was made for maintenance the accused has sworn off and is now maintaining her and the children. He also threatened to do her bodily harm. Both cases were continued to the adjourned quarter sessions court.

timed to the asjourned process.

John Craig, a colored bootblack, was charged with threatening to "brain" James M. Smith, a shoemaker, whose residence is in one of Cosgrove's cottages near the depot. The accused denied the threats. The court dismissed the case with county for costs, but the witnesses not to have fees.

The judgment docket was called at 10 o'clock and 18 judgments were entered for want of a plea, appearance and affidavit of

The tavern license of Christian Hagelgans, 4th ward city, was transferred to Philip

Dossinger.

B. F. Brooks, Marietta, was granted a renewal of his soldier's license.

A subpoena in divorce was issued in the suit of John F. Devert vs. Lizzie Devert, on GRAND JURY RETURN.

True Bills-William Davis, fornication and bastardy; Henry Boettner, assault and felony; Juo. E. Dennison, larceny as ballee and false pretense; L. R. Hacker, selling liquor without license. Ignored Bills—Andrew Hardnail, adul-tery; Samuel Smith, felonious assault and battery.

Grand Jury Report.

The following is the report of the grand

Quarter Sessions of Lancaster County, Pa.

The grand inquest of the commonwealth of
Pennsylvania, empannelled to inquire into
and for the county of Lancaster, at the August
session of 1885, do respectfully report as fol-

lows:

That they have acted upon all the bills of indictment presented to them by the district attorney, one hundred and seventy-nine in number, of which one hundred and fifteen were returned as true bills, and sixty-four ignored. Among the indictments submitted we find a great many for offenses of a very trivial observation of the property of the statement was presented. we find a great many for onenses of a very trivial character, and we protest against some of our committing magistrates for returning such petty cases to court. We also notice such cases have, with few exceptions, the largest number of witnesses, many of them knowing nothing about the case. We examined in all four hundred and forty-five witnesses.

witnesses.

We protest against the custom of preparing two or more indictments against a single defendant on charges arising out of a single arrest, when they might be properly indicated the single control of the single arrest, when they might be properly in-cluded in a single one.

This custom has been condemned by several former grand inquests, and we re-

great to say still continues.

On Friday afternoon, August 21st, we visited the public institutions.

At the Children's Home, under the management of the matron, Mrs. Hamaker, we found one hundred and ten children, seventy-eight being male and thirty-two tenders of these eleven male and there females. male; of these, eleven male and three females are colored. All the children were enjoying good health and gave evidence of being well cared for and happy. The home in all its departments is clean and appar-ently well conducted, reflecting great credit upon the matron and managers of the insti-

We next visited the county almshouse where we were met by the steward, Mr. Worst, who reported one hundred and eighty seven inmates; of whom one hundred and twenty-one are male, forty-nine females and seventeen children, of whom six are males and eleven females. All the departments were examined, and with pleasure we report the institution to be under an exellent system—good order and cleanliness prevailing in every department. At the barn we found the following live stock in good condition viz. Four borses, four mules. fifteen cows, one bull, five head of young cat-tile and thirty-three hogs.

The system of bookkeeping introduced by Mr. Worst is worthy of our mention with appropriation. condition, viz: Four hor

approbation.
The hospital and insane asylum were next visited. Dr. MacCreary, in charge of these institutions, conducted us through the differ-ent wards where we found everything neat and clean, and the inmates well cared for under the supervision of such an efficient su-perintendent as the resident physician in charge, who reports the inmates as tollows Hospital, thirty-nine males, twenty-two fe-males, five male and two female children.

Insane department, forty males and thirty-nine females. nine females.

Colored department, four male, two female, two male and three female children.

We next visited the county prison where we were kindly received by the keeper Mr.

Burkholder who conducted us through the

Burkholder who conducted us through the jail. The prison contains at present 91 males and 5 females convicts. For drunken and disorderly conduct 13 males and 3 females and for trial 24 males—total inmates 130.

"Bummer's hall," to which our attention was called, contains only seven or eight inmates at present, but should it at any time be occupied as it has been and in the event of such a disease as cholera or any other disease of a virulent type making its appearance, "Bummer's hall" would likely be the hot-bed of the disease, in this locality—measures of sanitation should be taken in consequence. We next visited the reseption room where we were met by the solicitor, G. C. Kennedy, who in connection with the keeper called our attention to the dilapidated condition of the prison and defective system of heating, ventilation, drainage, etc., and also the necessity of building a new prison.

The grand inquest after due consideration.

fully concur in regard to the dilapidated con-dition of the prison, but, owing to the de-pressed condition of trade and financial affairs, we decline to recommend a new at present. tender our thanks to the honorable

We tender our thanks to the honorable court, the district attorney, sheriff and subordinate officers for kind attention shown us, all of which is respectfully submitted.

Wm. C. Beecher, foreman: H. E. Steinmetz, secretary; A. M. Brubaker, Elias Becker, C. G. Herr, O. B. Shertzer, Franklin Clark, Theodore Eyds, Samuel L. Kauffman, Nicholas Danner, J. W. Elslager, John Wetubel, Benj. Workman, John A. Charles, C. L. Nissiey, J. B. Brubaker, John Rose, Jacob Eby, D. B. Landis, George Bard, John S. Wolfe, George W. Notey.

The court thanked the grand inquest for the cilicient manner in which they discharged their duties. As to the multiplication of cases, the court said there was a law to prevent such multiplication, and hereafter the court would not allow costs to magistrates who multiplied cases.

From the Evangelical Messenger.
It is not to sweep the house, make the bed, darn the socks and cook the meals, chiefly, that a man wants a wife. If this is all h needs, hired help can do it cheaper than a wife. If this is all, when a young man calls to see a lady, send him into the pantry to taste the bread and cake she has made, send him to inspect the needle-work and bedmaking, or put a broom in her hand and send him to witness its use. Such things are send him to witness its use. Such things are important, and the wise young man will quickly look after them. But what the true man wants with a wife is her companionship, sympathy and love. The way of life has many dreary places in it, and a man needs a wife to go with him. A man is sometimes overtaken by misiortunes; he meets with failures and defeat; trials and temptations beset him, and he needs one to stand by and sympathize. He has some hard battles to fight with poverty, enemies and sin, and he needs a woman, that, when he puts his arms around her, he feels he has something to fightler; she will help him to fight; that will put her lips to his ear and whisper words of counsel, and her hand to his heart and impart inspiration. All through life, through storm and sunshine, conflict and victory, through adverse and through favoring winds, man needs a woman's love.

Francis Hiemenz and wife left Lancaste Francis Hiemenz and wife left Lancaster this morning for New York, from which port they will rail this afternoon on the steamer Westernland, for Antwerp. They left Germany forty-seven years ago and have not been there since. They go to see old friends and relatives and will be gone some months.

A SORROWFUL ROMANCE.

THE CLOUD THAT DARKENED THE LIFE OF HANNAH JONES.

An Inmate of the County Hospital Who Sixty Years Ago Was the Handsomest Girl Around New Holland-Crazed by the Rejection of Her Lover.

The Lancaster Inquirer to-day prints the following pathetic local romance: There entered the Lancaster county hospital this week a woman almost bent double with the weight of more than four score years and mental distress. Sixty years ago Hannah Jones was considered the handsomest girl in all the country around New Holland, in which town fifty-six years of sorrow and mental eclipse The young fellows were assiduous in their attentions upon her. No Saturday night or Sunday evening passed but one or more of their buggies stood in front of her father's door. One of these young men won her heart and was promised her hand, but he encountered her father's displeasure. Joseph Jones, who was a saddler by trade and one of the earliest and most respected settlers of New Holland, as well as a man of property, was an indulgent father. He had no desire to deal harshiy with his daughter. It was alone for what he deemed her best interests that he ordered the accepted lover from his house and took care that thereafter no communication should be held between him and her. The poor girl bowed to the cruel mandate as best she could, but her load of sorrow proved too great and melancholy was soon followed by mental impairment. That was fifty-six years ago. Her father died several years before the war of the rebellion, and, her mother having preceded him to the grave, no one of the family was left to care for the imbecile woman but her suster Jane. Less than a month ago she, too, joined the great majority beyond, after a lifetime of devotion to Hannah. The only living relatives are Joseph and Isaac Ryan, of Philadelphia, nephews of the stricken woman. The wife of one of these was in New Holland administering to the invalid until this week, when she and Constable Henry Nagle brought the old lady to the county hospital.

Although Hannah Jones is eighty-four years of age, her health is fairly good. She talks very little, but answers questions and recognizes acquaintances. She is said to have had average intelligence and her sister Jane, now dead, is described as having been more than ordinarily bright.

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One of Hannah's paculiarities is her aversion of clothing. She seidom could be induced to wear much more than a blanket loosely thrown around her shoulders. It was in this undress uniform that she was taken to her final earthly home at the hospital.

Fortunately, the property left by Joseph Jones has been quite sufficient to comfort-ally support the two daughters, and Han-nah, the demended one, is now the owner of four houses and two or three building lots in New Holland. Upon her death these will descend to the Ryans, of Phila-

KILLED ON THE BIG BRIDGE. Isaac Houck, Returning to the Welsh Moun

Last evening shortly after 8 o'clock, Isaac Houck, a resident of the Welsh mountain was fatally injured by the cars of the Pennsylvania railroad at the Big Conestoga bridge. Houck had been attending court as witness, and it is supposed that he started to walk from this city to his home. He was on the east end of the bridge when struck engine No. 583 drawing a freight train. He was dragged for some distance, and when he fell off some part of the train passed overhim. His left leg was cut off about the knee and the other badly crushed. He was covered with cuts and bruises and when found the clothing was almost torn from his body. He was brought to this city on a freight train and placed upon a stretcher in the baggage room where he was attended by Dr. Rohrer. He was perfectly conscious then and gave his name and place of residence. He seemed to be in great pain and kept asking whether he could not be sent to his wife. In a short time he was taken to the hospital in a baggage wagon. He died a few minutes after his arrival there.

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Deceased is said to have been about 25 years of age, but looks older. He had a full black beard and was a rather fine-looking man. He leaves a wife, but several children which he had are dead. Houck was seen before the accident by some railroad men who say that he was under the influence of liquor at the time of the accident.

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This morning Coroner Honaman impanelled a jury consisting of John Fagan, M. V. B. Keiler, John Hood, Charies P. Robinson, Christ Gast and Cornelius Brogan. They visited the almshouse and viewed the remains, and then adjourned to meet when the employes of the railroad can be brought here. While the coroner was at the almshouse, Joseph Ammon and another Salisbury man identified the deceased positively as Isaac Houck. They then removed the remains to the home of the deceased. Houck lived in Ammon's tenant house, and was a laborer. One of his friends saw him last evening as he was about starting to the depot to make the was about starting to the depot to make the 6:15 train east. It is supposed that he missed the train and then started to walk.

Verses Written Upon a Half Sheet of Note Paper Weeks Before Her Death, From the San Francisco Call.

One April morning I called up at her house and found her peculiarly cheerful. "Doctor," she cried, "here is another phase of my sick-ness-dreams. I had a peculiar dream last night, when I composed these verses. I have written them out for you; perhaps you will be able to make them out," and she handed me the accompanying verses :

A rose leaf on the snowy deek,
The light wind whirling it astern
Nothing the wind could know or reek
Why did the King seyes thither turn?

"The queen has walked here!" house he cried. The courtiers turned red, turned white; No use if they had stammered, lied; Aghast they fied his wrathful sight.

Kings' wives die quick when kings go mad

And men die quick when kings have said,
Bleeding, dishonored, flung apart;
In outcast field a man lies dead
With rose leaves warm upon his heart.
April 4, 1885.
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The verses are written on a half-sheet of Irish note-paper with a mechanical pen. The writing is regular and bold, written with mathematical precision. As a sign that her mind was unsettled, and that time was a matter of but little moment to her, she had written just above the date, thus: "March—no—" and immediately underneath "April 4, 1885."

The Methodists in Oxford.

In Oxford, Chester county, the other day the Methodists laid the corner-stone of a new church to be built there. The membership of the Methodist church of Oxford is now over two hundred, and both the church proper and the Sunday school attached, are in prosperous condition. The present building was dedicated in 1851, and has served for the purpose for which it was intended since that time. A year or more ago a suggestion of creeting a new building was made and already it has taken the present tangible shape. The Methodists of Oxford are fortunate in having secured to desirable a site for the new church and soon they will have a neat and tasty structure. It is to be 35 feet in length by 30 in width. The new church will be Gothic in styly, one story high. It is to be built of brick with blue stone trimmings. and the Sunday school attached, are in pro-

A Needy Woman.

Mrs. Mushey, who resides in Fulton street, near the cork works, is in very destitute circumstances. Yesterday the neighbors discovered that she had been sick in bed for some day with no one to attend her. There was nothing in the house and the charitably disposed people should see that something is

BASE BALL BRIEFS.

The Latest Local and General Notes of the Diamond Field.

Games played yesterday resulted as follows: At Philadelphis: Athletic 7, Mets. 0; at New York: Brooklyn 16, Baltimore 1; New York 7, Philadelphia 1; at Detroit: Buffalo 5, Detroit 3; at Jersey City: Trenton 8, Bridgeport 4; at Washington: National 13, Norfolk 2; at Richmond: Virginia 8, Westminster 0.

Norfolk 2; at Richmond: Virginia 8, Westminster 0.

Purcell may be engaged by Pittsburg.

The Baltimores have released Mountjoy.

Hiland had one assist, one put out and an
error yesterday.

Twelve victories and two defeats, is the
record of the Christians club up to date.

The Christiana and Columbia clubs meet
to-day when there will no doubt be fun.

Vinton made his first appearance with the
Athletics yesterday, and the Mets had but
two hits.

The Dauntless, of Mt. Joy, were defeated

two hits.

The Dauntless, of Mt. Joy, were defeated yesterday in Milton in a well played game by the score of 7 to 6.

The Buffalo club is winning more games with Wood and Conway in the box than they did with Serad and Galvin.

Henry Larkin, of the Athletic, has found the ball again. His batting has been very heavy, and yesterday he had four hits.

The Philadelphia papers have already engaged Vinton for next year's Athletic team. They will release him the first time he is hit hard.

Fairville has a club called the Jumbo, and

Fairville has a club called the Jumbo, and

three umpires, have been sitting on them iecently.

The Brooklyn had twenty hits off Tom Burns, of Baltimore yesterday, and McTamany was the conly man on the team that did not have one.

"You don't know what a strike is," said Burns, of the Baltimore club, to Umpire Connolly, in the Brooklyn-Baltimore game on Tuesday. "That last ball was a strike, and to prove it I'll just fine you \$25," was the umpire's response.

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The Virginia club is in a hole financially, and yesterday they released Nash and Johnston for \$1,250. The men go to Boston. Parker and Tomney, late of the Lancaster, have been engaged by Virginia. Parker left for Washington this morning to join the team.

Guehrer, the catcher, has left the Christiana club to join the Ccatesville Alerts. He and Meicher both played with the latter team on Thursday, when the Brandywine, of West Chester, defeated them by 6 to 0. Hilsey, formerly of the Athletic, pitched for the Brandywine, and but two hits were made off bim.

off him.

The base ball fever has at last struck the Weish mountain, where a club of colored men has been formed. They were to have played in New Holland last Saturday, but were unable to get the nine together. They are to elay there was played in New Holland last Saturday, but were unable to get the nine together. They are to play there to-day, but as there was a very destructive quarter sessions court this week, they may be unable to raise their club. They want to play Lancaster's colored club. Smith, the left-handed pitcher, is credited with 19 strike outs to one game this season; Buffinton with 16; Mathews, Morris and Meegan with 15 each; Hecker with 13; Baldwin and Shaw with 12 each; Serad and Casey with 11 each; Welch, Clarkson and Radbourn with 10 each; Welch, Clarkson and Radbourn with 10 each; Whitney and Keefe with 9 each; Ferguson, Dailey, Kennedy, Getzein, Davis and Wood with 8 each, and Galvin, Weidman and Boyle with 7 each.

The Trenton club went up to Wilkesbarre Thursday, and broke the hearts of the citizens by defeating their team by 9 to 1. The papers made all kinds of excuses, and yesterday they were full of paragraphs like this, "Nobody expected that Wilkesbarre could beat Trenton." "It can't be expected that our boys can win every game they play," &c. Little red-haired Murphy pitched for Trenton, and the coal-heavers had but six hits off him. Nick Bradley had two of them with two put outs, four assists and no errors at short. It will require big money to get Nick next year.

HHY THES ATOCK TO GRAST. Interesting Hemintsonce of the Chicago

A letter from Augusta about Mr. Blaine's post-ejection political influence and the local post-materality contains a reminiscence that is new and interesting. A gentleman not long ago asked Don Cameron why it was that in the Chicago convention in Isse the Grant men did not throw their strength for some acceptable man when they found that there was no hope for their favorite.

"Well, I'll tell you why," said the senator. He said that in the early summer of Isso ho and Mrs. Cameron made a trip to the White mountains. Returning to the hotel frem a walk one day the senator was shown by his wife a telegram from Mrs. Blaine inviting them to visit Augusta.

"Ah, under the circumstances I think that will have to be postponed," was his romark.

"But I have replied that we will come,"

"But I have replied that we will come," said Mrs. Cameron, innocently, and to the senator's consternation.

There was no help for it; but Cameron made a vow to himself that not a word concerning politics should escape his lips during the visit. The visit was a pleasant one, of course. Mr. Cameron was taken to drive with his host. The subject of the approaching convention was broached, and Mr. Blaine saked Cameron who was his second choice. The senator replied that he had none, that he should stand by Grant to the end. Then Blaine got in his work, and finally succeeded in obtaining the promise that if by any chance Grant should be dropped the Cameron influence should be for Blaine. Near the close of the convention the Grant leaders got together to consult in regard to supporting angether to consult in regard to supporting another man. Then, to the amazement of the others, Cameron was obliged to announce that in case of a break he must go for Blaine.

"Then let's stick by Grant to the last," said Conkling.

"With all my heart," responded Cameron: and they did.

"And that," said the narrator, as he finished, "is all a woman knows about politics."

HE "DENIGES OF IT." Prof. Andrew Elijah Soloder Denies The Allega

The eccentric and mahogany-colored individual, arrayed in pink cretonne, red flannel and a half acre hat, who has been doing the town for two weeks, defles the report printed in the Examiner that he is is a fraud and impostor. He says his name is Andrew Elijah Soloder: that he was born on the Fiji islands, 69 years ago; when 7 years of age, and before he had fed on human flesh to any great extent, the English missionaries nabbed him and sent him to a mission school at Salamanca, where of 1,200 students no ten spoke the same tongue. He has been in this country for eighteen months, two weeks of which has been in Lancaster, "addressing niggers and lecturing to pie nics." He says he is a historian rather than a preacher; and declares that all the ill reports printed about him are the outgrowth of the malice of some U. B. preacher up the country for whom he refused to lecture gratis. He has a rather ragged-looking assortment of credentials, and his general intellectual make-up, like his dress, is fantastic. He says he has big parchment credentials up in Carlisle, but that he cannot tote them all over the country. However, he is to be the sair attraction at the colored woods meeting in Mylin's grove, near Willów Street, to-morrow, and those who go there and hear him will probably come to a quick conclusion as to whether he is genuine or bogus. He is certainly not handsome, unless pretty is that pretty does. The eccentric and mahogany-colored

Drunk and Disorderly.

John Berry, Mary Berry, John Gatley and
Mary Rapp were arrested yesterday for
drunken and disorderly conduct, and committed by Alderman Deen for a hearing.
The accused appear to be tramps, and were
found in a terribly intoxicated condition in
a barn a short distance east of Witmer's
bridge. They were so drunk that it was
necessary to haul them to the station-house
in a two-horse wagon. On getting inside the
prison gate Berry committed an assault on
Mary, supposed to be his wife.

One Life Lost by a Broken Freight Train.
Freight train No. 107, on the New York,
Pennsylvania & Ohio railroad, was wrecked
Friday morning, two miles below Shenango,
and James Berry, of Meadville, was almost
instantly killed. Harry Thomas and Linde
Sherred, brakemen, were badly injured.
Seventeen cars were wrecked, and the track
was torn up for a quarter of a mile. The ascident was caused by the trains parting and
ther coming together again on a grade.

CHURCH OF GOD CAMPERS.

RECENT SERVICES AT THE LANDIS-FIELR CAMP.

The Exercises of Friday and the Progra for To-Day-Sanday's Song Service-Dia-tinguished Amateurs Who Will Aid During Sunday's Celebration.

Friday Morning—The prayer meeting at 8:30 o'clock was conducted by Elder A. H. Long, of Rohrerstown.

At 10 o'clock Elder J. M. Speese, of Washington, preached from the 8th Psalm, 3, 4 and 5 verses: "When I consider the heavens, the works of their hand," &c.

His remarks were well chosen and his hearers were well pleased with the instruction contained therein.

He was followed in an exhortation by Elder C. Kahler, of Marysville.

Friday Afternoon—The children's meeting at 1:30 o'clock was conducted by Rev. D. W. Spencer in his usual pleasing manner. Rev. Spencer is by far the best leader of children's meetings on the grounds. Speeches were made by C. Price, J. H. Esterline and G. S. Hughes.

At 3 o'clock Elder R. L. Byrnes, of Stonersville, Westmoreland county, delivered an excellent discourse from Galatians vi., 9: "And let us not be weary in well de'ng; for in due seeson we shall reap, if we faint not."

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Friday Evening.—The 6 c'clock prayer meeting was held at Bro. John Fox's tent in Cottage Row, and was led by Elder W. Paliner, of Maryland.

Bro. Fox is a cripple and has been unable to attend the services. He epjoyed himself hugely and all present had a good spiritual time.

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As Elder W. J. Grissinger was going away he preached, at 7:30, instead of Elder J. H. Esterline. His text was Matthew iv., 2—"Unto you that fear my name, shall the Son of Righteousness arise with healing in his wings." Elder Grissinger's remarks were brief and to the point and his hearers appreciated all he said.

Notes.

The services for Saturday are as follows: 8:30 a. m., B. F. Beck; 10, W. Palmer; 1:30 p. m., Sadie Hemperly: 3, Carlton Price; G. E. Hughes; 7:30, F. L. Nicodemus.
The services for Sunday are as follows: \$30 a. m., J. H. Martain; 10, R. L. Byrnes; 1:30 a. m., song service; 6, A. H. Long; 7:30, J. H. Esterline.

H. Esterline. New arrivals: Dr. Laverty, Mrs. Brady, Lohn Starr, Mr. Harry Croll, of Middle-New arrivals: Dr. Laverty, Mrs. Brady, Mr. John Starr, Mr. Harry Croll, of Middletown; Mrs. Shuyler, of Illinois; Mr. Samuel Kline and wife, Elder Carlton Price and wife Mr. Anson P. Dare, Prof. L. E. Dare, Mrs. Bacon, of Harrisburg; Mrs. Smith and daughter of Lancaster.

Miss Sallie Hyde, of York, is visiting her friends Miss Gertie Groff and the Misses Marshall.

The song service on Sunday afternoon

Marshall.

The song service on Sunday afternoon promises to be a grand affair.

The choir will be under the efficient directorship of Prof. A. T. Palm and Miss Annie G. Beck, the organist of the Grace M. E. church, of Harrisburg, will preside at the organ. Special talent has been engaged and nothing will be left undone to make the service a

ing will be left undone to make the service a grand treat. Mr. Howard Eberle, the cornetist of Mt. Joy, will be present with his cornet to assist in the music.

Four colored gentlemen who are here from Columbia, gave a sacred concert to night, in front of the cottage occupied by Mr. Shroff, of York

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ADJOURN. Close of the Grand Lodge's Four Days' Meet-

The report of the committee on relief fund was taken up in the Knights of Pythias grand longs in Reading on Priday, A resolution that further consideration of the matter of the relief fund he indefinitely post-

lation that further consideration of the matter of the relief fund be indefinitely postponed was lost by a vote of 42 to 213. Discussion on the subject occupied the morning. The by-laws were adopted as a whole. The question having been raised as to funds necessary for the initiatory expenses, Grand Keeper and Scal Hawkes stated that he would see that such funds were provided. Two or three months will clapse before the fund is fully established. The reports of the committee on the grand trustee's report was adopted at the afternoon session. The same disposition was made of the report of the grand keeper of records and seals.

The following grand officers were nominated to be voted for in each subordinate lodge at the last meeting in June, 1886; Grand chancellor, Henry W. Mohr, Allentown; grand vice-chancellor, John H. Colton, Philadelphia; grand prelate, Thomas Perry, Wheatland; grand keeper of records and seal and grand master of exchequer, the present incumbents; grand prelate, Thomas Perry, Wheatland; grand keeper of records and seal and grand master of exchequer, the present incumbents; grand prelate, Thomas Perry, Wheatland; grand keeper of records and seal and grand master of exchequer, the present incumbents; grand prelate, Thomas Parry, Wheatland; grand keeper of records and seal and grand master of exchequer, the present incumbents; 25 yand master at arms, Samuel Hilliars, Philadelphia; grand inner guard, E. N. Geer, 470; John Bolik, 44; J. J. Davis, 170; Jesse W. Young, 332. Samuel A. Hunter, 58; L. T. Bishop, 401; J. M. Roberts, 25s; A. Dutershay, 39; J. M. Cook, 26; J. J. Thomas, 400; D. W. Flemer, 76; W. W. Simpson, 143; H. J. Erisman, 108; M. W. Raub, 68; John Brunner, 77; James Knerr, 305; H. R. Krower, 37; J. J. L. Carr, 174; grand outer guard, W. B. Bennett, 256; John Clapic, 460; F. H. Brewes, 98; W. H. Rudalp, 267; George Hamilton, 89; grand trustee, Charles R. Neissey, 20; state district German deputy, Louis Washer, 97; Frank E. Bennett, 272; Frances Dauffer, 397.

Places for the next meeting

Death of a Printer Well-Known Here. James Longwell, who was employed in this city at the Inquirer and Express offices during the years from 1869 to 1874, was found during the years from 1809 to 1874, was found dead in the composing room of the Leetsdale (Pa.) Tribune Thursday morning when the force came on duty. About 47p. m., he awakened a drug clerk in the adjoining room and complained of cramping pains. The clerk administered a suitable mixture, which seemed to give him relief, and after staying awhile with him, went to bed again. A post-mortem examination was held which developed the fact that the cause of death was congestion of the lungs and en-largement of the heart. Nothing of him is known in Leetsdale. While he was here he claimed Huntingdon as his home.

From Forney's Progress. took "fifty coaches, three of which were filled with flowers, to bury a dead women filled with flowers, to bury a dead women with small means," says that "Jewish funerals have mainly returned to their old simplicity," and adds that it is curious the preachers of other denominations "cannot restrain the extravagances of their auditors," Much of the money spent upon the funerals of the poorer classes is downright waste, and the expenditure is literally taking the bread out of the mouths of the surviving members of the family. It is however to be said that these people all feel that they must show the deepest respect for their dead, and they think that the best way of so doing is to have innerals altogether beyond their means. Progress agrees with the Messenger that their churches should strive to teach them an other course.

Opening of a Rink.

Last evening an opening of the Mænnerchor rink was held and there was a very large crowd present. It included many young ladies. The weather was very warm and the young men were covered with perspiration. Several linen coats, whose owners were enting all kinds of capers, were wet from collar to tail. The music was furnished by the rink band and after the skating there was some dancing.

We were shown this morning a leaf of to-bacco of the seedleaf variety, grown by Abraham Groff, of New Haven, this county, that measured 44 inches in length and 22 in width. It was a perfect beauty, and Mr. Groff is to-day cutting off two agrees of the same kind.

The Colorado. Minnesota. Susquehanna. Congress, South Carolina and Iowa Burned.

Fire broke out on board the Colorado, lying off Plum Beach, near Port Washington, L. I., Friday night, and the flames spread to the following ships, all of which, with the Colorado, were burned to the water's edge and sunk: Minnesota, Susquehanna, Congress, South Carolina, Iowa, Lotta Grant and Fair Play. All, with the exception of the last two, bad belonged to the United States navy. They had been condemned, and were bought from the government by Stannard & Co., who were to break them up for the old iron and planks. The fire broke out on the forward deck of the Colorado, where men were at work burning up planks to get the iron spikes. On the right of the Colorado was the Susquehanna, to which the flames spread rapidly, and before either it or the Colorado could be towed out the flames had spread to the other boats.

All burned like tinder, and the sky was red for miles around. Inside of three hours nothing was left of the vessels but a few charred timbers. The hulls sank at once to the bottom. The Lotta Grant and Fairplay, two schooners anchored near the shore, caught fire last and also sank. Who the owners of the schooners were could not be learned. Mr. Stannard said that the loss to him was not more than \$100,000, as it was only for the iron in the vessels that he bought them. Had the vessels been serviceable the loss would have footed up millions. An attempt will be made to raise the hulls. The loss on the schooners, it is said, will not be less than \$25,000.

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The Minnesota Not Burned.

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—The United States raining ship Minnesota, reported burned at Cowbay, near Flushing, Long Island, is at anchor off Twenty-third street. She was not among the number of condemned govern-ment men-of-war purchased by Stannard &

MR. PULLMAN GETS ANGRY.

He Will Restore the Steeping Cars of the Central Transportation Company. George M. Pullman, president of the Pull-man Palace Car company, has written a letter to President Stevens, of the Central Transportation company, in which he says: Transportation company, in which he says:
"It is proper for me to recall the fact that in the modification of the lease executed by our respective companies it was agreed by your board of directors to accept the sum of \$65,000 as a fair share of the net revenues to be derived from the remaining lines of the railway operated. In pursuance thereof we have at the end of each quarter tendered you the quarterly rental for distribution to your stockholders and it has each time been returned as not accepted.

"As a continuance of this state of things can only lead to a waste of the property and damage to all interests involved, I feel that, under the circumstances, it will be better to terminate the relations existing between our respective companies and for us to deliver to you your sleeping-cars under the terms of

respective companies and for us to deliver to you your sleeping-cars under the terms of the original contract of lease, which provide for this contingency.

"As it will require some time to have the cars delivered, and it will be necessary for you to arrange for receiving them, I would request you to make such inquiries as you deem necessary and inform me when and where you will be prepared to receive them."

There is to be a meeting of the stockholders of the Central Transportation company on the 15th of next month, at which Mr. Pullman's letter will probably be read.

Knows a Good Thing When Seen

rom the Eric Herald. The Lancaster INTELLIGENCER, which is noted for the strength of its articles on legal questions and the force of its illusregai questions and the force of its litus-trations, scores a point against the consti-tutionality of the oleomargarine law as fol-lows: "If the legislature can suppress the manafacture and punish the sale of oleomar-garine because it competes with butter, it has a right to make it a criminal offense to keep and milk a good, because that interferes with

A Bad Girl at Large Again Bertha Kistler, alias Kashier, the girl whose Bertina Kistler, alias Kashier, the girl whose name was associated with the "Meadow Gang" some time ago and who was about the same time admitted to the county hospital, left that institution last night. At the last meeting of the board of directors Dr. McCreary was instructed to write to the Cumberland county authorities for the purpose of ascertaining if Carlisle was her home, that being the place she claimed as such. They replied that they were unable to find out anything about her. The Lancaster county authorities will not held themselves responsible for her hereafter.

Executions Issued. Three executions were issued yesterday against Abram Hiestand, proprietor of the against Abram Hiestand, proprietor of the Stevens house. The amount of the execu-tions is \$7,850, divided as follows: Jacob Hiestand \$3,000; John A. Hiestand, \$850; Bair & Shenk, \$4,000. The writs have been served by the sheriff. Whether Mr. Hiestand will remain as the proprietor of the Stevens house has not been determined.

A sheriff's sale will be held at some future time, but the hotel, which is now filled with guests, will run along as usual, and will in no way be affected by the sale.

On Tuesday morning the infant child of Charles Sullivan, of Detroit, Mich., apparently died and was prepared for burial. hours after the supposed death, while the family and friends were gathered about the collin, the baby began to cry, frightening nearly every one from the house. The father took the child from the collin and it

A Lecturer Gone Wrong. Colonel L. F. Copeland, the popular lec-turer, who has appeared before audiences in this and surrounding countles, to their de light, as he is said to be both witty and elo-quent, has come to grief in Altoona. Al-though he has a wife in Harrisburg, it wasn't

Discharged After Paying Costs.

John Muckle, Henry Price, Seth Simmon and Henry Clemens, the quartette of young men who colored the village of Bird-in-Hand a deep red, at Saturday evening's picnic, were heard before Alderman McConomy, this afternoon, on the charge of drunken and disorderly conduct. They were allowed to go on payment of costs.

One More Chance. Nellie Moore, the girl who was committed Neille Moore, the girl who was committed yesterday for being incorrigible and who was to be taken before the judges with a view of having her sent to the House of Refuge, was released from custody last evening. Her parents have decided to give her one more chance to reform.

From the Times.
Abraham L. Kauffman, a farmer of Silver Spring, Lancaster county, was married on Friday, at the Merchant's hotel, this city, to Miss Lizzie Heidler, of the same county. Rev. A. S. Leinbach, was the officiating eler-

alias "Cotty" Huber was arrested last night by Officer Shay, on a warrant is-sued by Aiderman Barr, charging him with drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He has been held for a hearing. Ten Thousand Christians Starving.

The bishop of Quinhon, in Annam, th

scene of the recent massacres of Christians implores liberal assistance. He reports that ten thousand Christian refugees are starving A Farmer Smothers in His Burned Barn.
Fitch Burned, Mass., Aug. 22—The barn of Augustus Sarsfield, on Ashley road, was struck by lightning this morning and burned. Mr. Sarsfield was smothered while trying to save his stock.

Dead at the Age of 105.

PENNSYLVANIA DAY.

A VERY LARGE LIST OF FOURTH-CLASS POSTMASTERS.

Three County Offices in the List, Bareville, Bain bridge and Greenland-The Names of Those in All Parts of the State Who

Received Appointments.

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Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—Fourthclass postmasters were to-day appointed as
follows in Pennsylvania:

Mrs. Susan A. Huber, at Brushville, Bradford county; Preston W. Hagorty, at Chalfont, Bucks county; Ehraim K. Blank, at
Hatfield, Montgomery county; Mrs. A.
M. Bucks waiter, at Greenland, Lancaster county; D. S. Mulvin, at Lincolnville, Crawford co.
David P. Everett, at Newportville, Bucks
county; Jacob Laderer, at Middle Lancaster,
Bucks county; E. P. Walker, at Alexandria,
Huntington county; A. Bowers, at Prospect,
Butler county; T. H. Brown, at Renfrew,
Butler county; W. W. Cadwallader,
at Yardley, Bucks county; S. S.
Wright, at Maud, Bucks county;
J. R. Brenner, at Bainbridge, Lancaster
county; Alfred M. Robinson, at Pottagrove,
Northumberland county; Philo C. Alden, at
Monroeton, Bradford county; Sidney Hayden, at Sayre, Bradford county; Chas, B.
Riggs, at East Smithfield, Bradford county;
Wm. S. Gault, at Marysville, Perry county;
A. D. Rice, at Little Marsh, Tioga county;
F. G. Kraft, at Lower Providence, Montgomery county; David Bowman, at Tylersburg,
Clarion county; S. J. Coven, at Dewart,
Northumberland county; W. T. Urell, at
Tioga, Tioga county; Isaac Imbof, at Moia,
Clarion county; George D. Heunes,
at Cambridge borough; William
Reitz, at Rebucks, Northumberland county;
Lezra, P. Titzell, at Millertown, Perry county; C. M. Moore, at Liberty, Tioga county;
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Chas. E. Reed, at Zelienople, Butler county;
Emil Stuebgen, at Saxonburg, Butler county;
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Hongaford county; J. W. Hathaway, at
William, at Harrison Valley, Potter county;
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William, at Harrison Valley, Potter county;
Hongaford county; J. W. Gance, at
Philipston, Clarion county: Fleyds E.
Phelps, at Covingion, Tioga county; Wm.
Gilliand, at Mapleson depot, Hu

Cleveland and the Oklahoma Question. CHICAGO, Ills., Aug. 22.—A special from awrence, Kansas, says: "From a United states senator, whose intimate relations with President Cleveland on the Oklahoma questhe salest circumstance of the organization makes the news as reliable as from the president's lips, it is learned that the president's lips, it is learned that the president shortly before leaving Washington said the immediately upon his return to the burean, officers would be sent to Indian territory to secure a representative delegation of the Indian tribus interested in the Oklahomelands, and take them to Washington whose a satisfactory understanding will be but with them, their claims thereupon purchased and the land declared at once spen to ment. This will be the president's plant of

Loxbox, Aug., 22—The incelling a athy with the movement for the suppression of immorality, to be held in Hydo park the afternoon, promises to be the mast largely attended demonstration that he ever been held. Bodies of men and women of all classes and topresenting the various societies for the suppression of vice, began forming shortly before mone, in different portions of the city and are new marching with banners bearing all sorts of mottoes in the direction of the park. Many of the societies have furnished wagons for conveying the women folk to the meeting. Thousands had assembled in the park by 10 o'clock. Numerous bands of music have been engaged for the occasion. The greatest enthusiasm prevails. The weather is fine. The meeting is called for 2 o'clock.

Indignation Over a False Report. Mr. Avre, Ia., Aug. 22.-The published report from Bedford that Grant was hanged in effigy at Wirt, Ringgold county, is with out foundation. The citizens of Wirt and in fact the whole county feel very indignant that such a report should be circulated. The memory of U. S. Grant is held sacred by all. Memorial services were held in five different places in the county and all were largely at-lended.

The New Orleans Defaulter.

NEW LAREDO, Mex., Aug. 22.—Aufdemort, the New Orleans defaulter, accompanied by Chief of Police Garcia, of Monterey, Deputy United States Marshal Parker, of New Orleans, Collector Jerome, of Corpus Christi, and U. S. Consul Campbell, of Monterey, passed through here on the Mexican national train last evening destined for New Orleans, Very little money was recovered from Aufdemort. The New Orleans Defaulter.

FORT WORTH, Texas, Aug. 222 — Wm. Hudson, of Bosque county, Texas, was arrested here last evening charged with swindling A. Randolph, of New Jersey, out of \$30,000. Hudson contracted to deliver to Randolph 5,500 head of cattle but it is alleged failed to deliver a single head, notwithstanding the advance payment of \$30,000.

Bold Theft of \$3,000 of Jewelry. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 22.—Yesterday afternoon a bold thief entered the jewelry establishment of Henry Legg, in Nicholette avenue, and seized a small tray containing diamond rings and pins valued at \$3,000 and made his escape.

New York, Aug. 22.—On account of all sorts of wild rumors from the Pennsylvania oil regions this morning, the petroleum exchange was inteusely excited. At 10:45 the quotations ranged 1634 to 1034 to 104. The excitement is unabated. Prince of Wales off to Norway.

ABERDEEN, August 22.—The prince of Wales sailed this morning on the royal yacht Osborne, from this port on a cruise to Nor-

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

The Condition of the Barometer and Thermometer and Indications for the Morrow.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22.—For the Middle Atlantic states, cooler felr weather,

The storm which was central yesterday morning near Escanaba has moved north-easterly and is now central near Quebec. Local rains have fallen in the Lake region, New England, the Ohio Valleys and the extreme northern part of the Middle Atlantic states. In all other districts the weather has been generally fair. The temperature has risen in New England and the Middle Atlantic states. It has fallen in Upper Lake region, and the Upper Mississippi Valley and has remained nearly stationary in all other districts. The winds have been generally southerly in the Atlantic coast and West Gulf states, northwest to southweast in Lake regions and generally variable in all other districts.

For Sunday.—Slightly cooler, generally