BOARD OF TRADE WORK.

À PUBLIC MESTING POR MISUTISSING THE MURICIPAL BILL

In Will He Held Two Weeks House and the Changes Proposed Will He Pully You. Mated - The Absorbing Water Ques-

At the meeting of the Lancaster Board of Trade, held on Tuesday evening, the average number of gentlemen were present. The meeting wascalled to order with Mr. J. C. Hager

W. M. Franklin, T. B. Holaban, Geo, Calder Dr. Wickersham moved to suspend the r and accept the gentlemen named as mem

The treasurer reported a balance on hand

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE. Mr. J. R. Foster read the report of the

It has been made the duty of your commit-tee to aid, encourage and protect home in-dustries. To fully carry out the purpose in-tended, your committee find it necessary to tended, your committee find it necessary to amploy an attorney to protect the legitimate mercantile interests of the city from interference through bogus auction houses or unitensed dealers. They therefore ask that the sum of \$100, (one-half payable July 1, 1887, balance payable January 1, 4888,) be allowed them for that purpose, in further explanation of this request your committee would state that for several years past the Marchanta' association, of this city, have employed an attioney for this purpose and its rules have been found or proved to be effective and desirable; and as the Merchanta' association has merged itself into the Board of Trade they deem it desirable to continue the same protection and oversight as heretofore.

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J. R. Foster,

Jacob Rathfon,

Watt & Shand,

John A. Charles,

H. S. Gara,

Herman Hirsh,

The report was accepted Mr. Breneman moved, and it was carried, that it apply to peddlers and unlicensed

THE COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL APPAIRS Dr. Wickersham reported for the comseveral protracted meetings. They had given the matter of water supply careful attention and had met the committee of councils in consultation on the matter. The committee councils were anxious to have the opinion of the Board of Trade, and any plan that might be suggested would receive careful attention. He was authorized to say that any plan or part of a plan for supplying the city with water would be welcomed by the corn mittee, and that the purchase of the Ranch plan. Councils are very anxious to be

A number of persons had called upon him to see if a better telephone serand there were many com plaints of it, though many found it quite satefactory. The matter was simply brought before the board for whatever action they

With reference to the bill for the govern ment of cities now under consideration at Harrisburg, Dr. Wickersham had just returned from that city where the Senate commit-tee had courteously given a special hearing to the school boards of Reading, Chester, Williamsport, Meadville and Lancaster. The school boards all joined in saking the committee to strike out the whole section of the bill relating to schools, and their combined arguments effect upon the senators, that Dr. Wicker sham had no hesitation in saying it would be done. The municipal committee have care-fully examined the bill point by point and have given it close study but could reach no conclusion with regard to it, as the views of posite with regard to important features It was therefore decided to submit no report upon it, but to simply recommend its passage. He then read a digest of the bill showing wherein it differed in his opinion

THE BOARD'S DUTY.

Mr. Hensel thought this a matter of more importance than the board had heretofore been inclined to regard it. As it makes one rule for all the cities of the class in the state, it must be more favorable to some than to it will be much easier to preyent unfair leg-islation now than to repeal it if it is afterwards found to be more favor-able to other cities of the state. If twenty out of twenty-four cities intereste have representatives urging it, it may pass, yet not five of us have given the bill any study and the small number that have examined it could not agree about it. If worthy of approval it should receive more elaborate and positive reccommendation.

Dr. Wickersham said that the committee

of councils had representatives at both Read-ing and Harrisburg, and that they had as-sented to the action of other cities urging the passage of the bill. The school boards had urged that the schools should be separate from municipal control as they have ever

Mr. Houston concurred with Mr. Hensel that the bill should have the support of the Board of Trade if worthy of it, and suggested that the daily papers should be requested to publish the bill and that the board should then meet and discuss it. He warmly praised the activity and efficient work of the muni-cipal committee

then meet and discuss it. He warmly praised the activity and efficient work of the municipal committee.

Marriot Brosius thanked the gentleman for his complimentary reference to the seal of the committee and added that the members of that committee well knew that the largest share of credit belonged to their distinguished chairman, Dr. Wickersham. It would not be possible for any body of men to agree entirely upon a bill of that kind and the committee had soknowledged their inability to do so. Taking a cursory view of it he thought it on the whole as good a measure as men could devise.

The trend of sentiment is towards uniformity in the government of cities, and it is doubtful whether it is possible to omit any city. Local option, in this sense, is impossible, but every city in each class. It would be impossible to make provisions to meet the wants of every city, so the committee said keep your hands off the bill; and let it pass.

Mr. Hensel reported that the committee on statistics had completed their work on the book, but owing to the delay of advertisers in supplying their matter and to other unavoidable delays they were not able to present a bound copy of the book. It will consist of two hundred pages and will contain a large mass of statistics and many illustrations. An edition of 10,000 copies will be ready in two weeks.

ON RAILEGAD FARES.

George N. Reynolds said that a mentiament

ON RAILEGAD PARES.

George N. Reynolds said that a gentleman, living at Fulton House, had called his att ention to the fact that the fare from that point to Philadelphia, a distance of 62 miles, and return was \$2.55, of which \$1.05 is from Oxford to Philadelphia and return, while the fare to Lancetter, 42 miles, and return was \$2.15. The company is discriminating against Len.

er. Mr. Reynolds said that on the Columbis & Port Deposit road return trip tie

bia & Port Deposit road return trip tickets to Lancaster were not sold and offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on railroads and transportation be requested to communicate with the proper officials of the Panneyivania railroad company and request them to sell return trip tickets to Lancaster from their stations on the Columbia Port Deposit railroad at as low a proportionate rate as they now sell such return ticket to Philadelphia from stations on their main lines.

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Houston offered the following resolu-

Resolved, That the committee on railroads and transportation be requested to inquire into and report as to the expediency and iesatibility of building a railroad to connect the present Quarryville railroad with the Narrow Guage railroad at King's Bridge, or some other point. ome other point.
The resolution was adopted.

Dr. Wickersham said that there were great many honorably discharged old sol-diers in town who were anxious and able to work, and requested those who employed labor to give them a fair chance. Captain H. Breneman has a list of them including clerks,

Mr. J. Fred Sener said he had given a good deal of thought to the supply of water for Lancaster; he held that water should be almost as free as air, and as pure. It had cocurred to him that perhaps the present city water works property might be exchanged for the Printers' paper mill property; and the water works be moved to that point and then the city would be supplied with pure water, THE MUNICIPAL BILL.

Dr. J. P. Wickersham thought the board ought to appoint two special committees— one to look after the bills now before the legislature relative to municipalities and the other to confer with city councils relative to our water supply. Lancaster is the house we live in, and if we do not look after our own interests, who will do so? We ought especially to have a special committee to confor with city councils : we should meet them the best engineering talent to formulate plan for the improvement of the water sup with them; should give them the benefits of our views on the subject. He was authorized to say that councils de-sired the co-operation of the board in the lature regulating city governments is also of the utmost importance, and deserved the most careful consideration of the board. Its provisions, if it becomes a law, will apply to standing what some members of the board and some of the newspapers have said to the contrary, and will revolutionize our munici-

Mr. R. J. Houston opposed the appoint ment of the special committee suggested by Dr. Wickersham. He thought the committee on municipal affairs was the proper one to consider these matters. Let the committee matter, and report to the board.

Mr. S. S. High favored Mr. Houston's sug-

gestion. Let Mr. Brosius say all be can in favor of the bill now before the legislature, and Mr. Hensel or some one else point out its defects. In this way the board can hear both sides of the question and act intelligently. Mr. Hensel thought the committee on

report to the board, in which they would em body their views on the municipal act now Mr. Brosius held that the bill now before the legislature was the result of much eargiven the matter years of study, and no com-

Mr. Hensel called attention to the fact that the bill placed the public schools under the control of city councils, thus revolutionising our present school system. He moved that the committee on municipal affairs be directed to make a report on the bill to a special meet-

Mr. Houston moved as an amendment the citizens be invited to it. The amendmen Dr. Wickersham moved that a special committee of five be appointed to confer with councils on the question of improved water

After discussion by Messrs. Houston, Swarr and Sener, Dr. Wickersham's motion was adopted and the chair appointed the follow-ing named gentlemen the committee: J. Fred Sener, George M. Franklin, Samuel C. Slaymaker, J. P. Wickersham, Dr. M. I.

Mr. Hensel hoped the committee on munici-pal affairs would give some attention to that part of the bill before the legislature relating to damages for opening streets and roads.

Mr. Houston asked when the bill would b likely to pess, and Mr. Wickersham answered that the Senate bill was only on first reading will not pass in less than six weeks.
Adjourned.

The following letters were granted by the register of wills for the week ending Tues-

ADMINISTRATION.—A. T. Maxwell, de-ceased, late of Sadsbury township; Wm. M. Maxwell, city, administrator.

Lydia M. Moore, deceased, late of Sadebur ship ; Frank E. Moore, Hartford, Conn.,

Benjamin Dussinger, deceased, late of Warwick township, James K. Reddig, Elizaeth, administrat

Benjamin M. Frick, deceased, late of Pequea township; S. F. Gall, West Lampeter, administrator, c. t. s. Anna Greider, deceased, late of Warwick township; Israel G. Erb, Littis, administra-

Caroline Bair, deceased, late of Upper Lea-lock township; John Royer, Leacock, ad-

George Lind, deceased, late of Lancaster city; Dr. C. E. Netcher, city, executor.
William Hutton, deceased, late of Fulton township; I. C. Arnold, city, administrator.
TESTAMENTARY.—Rebecca Arnold, deceased, late of Donegal township; John Haines and Henry Stoner, York county, executors.

Christian Wolf, deceased, late of East Don-egal township; John Croll, Marietta, exec-

Charlotte Brungard, deceased, late of Lan-caster city : Mary C. Quinn, city, executrix.

Could Not Furnish Ball.

William D. Ashford, charged with embessiement and false pretense, was held in his own recognizance for trial at the April court by Alderman Spurrier. He was re-arrested on Tuesday, counsel for prosecution asking for process, as it was feared Ashford would not put in an appearance to answer the charges. The court fixed \$400 as the amount of ball, and as he could not furnish it he was committed to the country is!

ounmitted to the county jail.

The hearing of the complaints against Boos and Wilson, the young men charged with stealing copper and lead pipe, has been post poned by Alderman Deen until Thursday

Patent For Wire Stretcher,

Daniel H. Banaman has received letters patent No. 855,551, through D. H. Kulp & Co., 30 East Grant street, for an improvement in wire stretchers, This is a novel and ingenious device for atrotching fance wire.

CONVICTS ARMED FOR FIGHT.

PROUBLE AT THE COURTY JAIL Got Possession of the Prison-Ecoper's Pictor After Threatening to Kill the Officials

With Clubs-They Finally Surrender. An affair which created a great deal of ex-citement within the walls of the Lancaster county prison, occurred there yesterday. The matter was kept very quiet by the offi-cers of the institution, but late in the after-noon Keeper Burkholder telephoned the newspaper offices, asking them to send their representatives to the prison in order to get the true story concerning the occurrence. The reporters went to the prison in the evening and the keeper then related the story of how two deeperate convicts attempted to run the prison, or at least one cell of it, according to

prison, or at least one cell of it, according to their own ideas, even if bloodshed or mur-

der was necessary.

The men who raised the row are Henry Watson and Abraham Green, two colored desperadoes, whose home are on the Welah desperadoes, whose home are on the Welah mountain. These men are serving terms of imprisonment for iarceny, and together they have been occupying cell No. 27, which is on the eastern side of the prison on the ground floor. They were employed at weaving and bad a loom in the cell. The men have not been at all well behaved, and have persisted in disobeying the rules of the institution at different times. Recently they were both put upon short rations for talking through the drain pipes. About mulish. When Keeper Burkholder went to He declared he would kill the keeper if he entered the door. Persons acquainted with he was not to be bluffed on this occas Although Watson is a strong and well built man and was armed with the club, the keeper walked right into the cell. The darkey at once cowed and laid aside his weapon. At that time he told the keeper he would be ce cowed and laid saide his weap have himself in the future but he did not keep his promise, for he was soon back in his

On Monday evening, between 7 and Green and Watson were yelling at the tops of their voices and bammering against the they saked him for a match. He told them that they could not have a match until morning, and closed the door. On Tuesday morn-ing the keeper told Underkeeper Philip for the two men as he desired to take them out of 27. His intention was to place them in a cell without a bed or loom, in order that be might punish them. After Sprecher had and told Green and Watson to prepare for door of the cell he saw that the pris oners had broken up their weaving loom and were armed with ugly-looking clubs which they said they would use Burkholder of the state of affairs and both then went to the cell. When Burkholder opened the outside door the prisoners were standing close up to the inside door which is armed with a club and said they would kill the first man that entered the cell. Burkthe hole of the iron door, threatened to shoot told him to shoot and kill them if he wanted The keeper did not desire to shoot them : he pulled the trigger and fired one shot, but in such a way that it would not strike the ened at this and one of them gave a yell. Green quickly jumped into the corner of the could fire a second shot, the revolver, which he was still holding through the iron door was knocked from his hands by Green, wh struck the barrel of the weapon with a club

the desire of the keepers to hurt them, so they closed the outside door and went away. Several efforts were then made to affect the prisoners. The pipe which carries the water to their cells was at once cut off and the attendants were told not to give them any food.

A bundle of hay was placed against the window of the cell from the outside to keep out the air and Dr. Rohrer and the keeper tried the experiment of putting chloroform and ether into the cell under the door.

had three loads in it, fell upon the floor of the cell and was quickly picked up by Green. While this was going on Captain Sprecher could have shot both men dead, but it was not

In the afternoon the men seemed quie and it was believed that the drugs had taken effect. The bundle of hay was taken from very quiet. He tried to open the iron door but found, upon examination, that the pris-oners had hammered a nall into the lock Mr. Burkholder of the state of affairs who after looking at the lock the latter started to another part of the prison for a pair of pinchers. He had scarcely gone before the men, who had no doubt been "playing possum," quickly arose. One of them drew the revolver and threatened to kill Sprecher. The door of the cell was again shut and the desperate men were left alone. It was about three o'clock when they threstened to shoot Sprecher. After that several attempts were made to piace the hay against the cell window, but it was always knocked down from the inside. No further efforts were made to bring the men to submission and when the INTELLI-GENCER reporter was at the prison between 7 and 8 o'clock in the evening they were still holding the fort. They were not making a noise, but seemed to be at work as though they were trying to get out. The keeper had a watch put on them and their every movement was noticed. The keeper thought they were safe where they were and that they would not attempt to get out of the building. If they did, there would be trou-ble. A Winchester rifle, capable of shooting eighteen times, lay upon the keeper's desk as he spoke, and it surely looked as though

he meant every word he said. WHO THE MEN ARE.

Abe Green is a member of the somewhat notorious family of that name, the majority of whom reside on the Weish mountain. He is but 19 years of age, and of tall, slim build. He has been in jail several times, and was sent there last on November 17, 1886, for eleven months on the charge of larceny.

Henry Watson's home is also on the mountain and he is considered a bad one. He is 21 years old and a stout-looking chunk of a coon. He has also been in prison several times. On April 19, 1886, he got six months for larceny, and was released October 20, but was out only a short time until he was sent back on a similar charge for eleven months. WHO THE MEN ARE.

This morning the prisoners concluded to surrender. As Underkeeper Murr passed along the corridor at half-past 6 o'clock, they called to him. He went to their cell with a revolver in his hand. The men said they were ready to surrender provided they would be permitted to go wisbout punishment. Murr told them to hand out the leaded revolver, which they had, or he would shoot.

Green quickly obeyed and handed the weapon, butt foremost, through the hole to the underkerper. It was then found impossible to open the lock of the fron door on account of the nail which had been driven into it. A hammer was procured and the lock was broken off. The men were taken out and Green was piaced in cell No. 12, on the ground floor, and Watson in No. 45 upstairs. An INTELLIGENCEN reporter had a talk to the men this morning. Watson seemed to be in a good humor and inclined to talk. He said that the cause for his bed conduct was that he wanted to be taken to the Eastern penisentiary. He did not like the county jail because he was not treated as he should be. When asked whether it was nothunger that had driven him to surrender, nothunger that had driven him to surrec he said it was not, as he was accustomed to going without food at times, and it did not affect him. He was dissatisfied with the affect him. He was dissatisfied with the prison and wanted to be taken away. Green had but little to say. He blames Watson for the whole trouble and says that he was compelled by him to take the part in the affair that he did. The prison officials believe Green's statement. They all say that Watson ence upon Green to make him his tool. The men will be punished by Keeper Burkholder, who will place a ball and chain upon each one and give them bread and water only at each

LANCASTER, PA., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 1887.

THE DUTAL BROTHERS AUGUITTED No Case Made Out Against the Canadian Pris-

Way Rejoicing.
Tuesday Afternoon-A verdict of no guilty was taken in the case of common-wealth vs. D. Bard Charles, adultery. This case has been on the docket for

two young Frenchmen, whose history was published in Saturday's INTELLIGENCES, tramps. The commonwealth called a num been called upon by the Duvals in January and informed that they intended establish ing a school for instruction in French and Italian. In nearly every case the conversation drifted to their personal necessities and it ended in a hint that they were in need of money. Several clergymen gave them money, but the testimony failed to show that either of the accused had made any false representations to get the money. was no testimony at all to show that they

were tramps. At the conclusion of the commonweath's testimony, counsel for the accused, John E. Malone, esq., requested the court to charge the jury to render a verdict of not guilty. He argued that the testimony was that they intended to form a class, which fact related to something in the future and consequently could not be a false pretense. The court in structed the Jury to render a verdict of not guilty, but said the disposition of the costs was for them. They concluded that it was the proper thing for the county to pay the costs and they so directed. The Duvais were released from custody on motion of their counsel, and they appeared to be anxious to get away from the court house as rapidly as possible. A purse was made up to enable them to go to Philadelphia and start life

Henry Hershberg, one of the Russian colony, who travel the county and make a living by peddling, was indicted for peddling goods in the vicinity of Ephrata. Two or three persons testified that they bought Counsel for defense moved for and argued for a verdict of not guilty on the ground that the accused should have been heard before a magistrate, and if guilty been compelled to

bly, and in addition that the commonwealth failed to prove that the goods sold by Hershberg were not of his manufacture. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty. assault and battery and resisting Officer Pyle

adjourned to 9 o'clock on Wednesday morn-

Wednesday Morning.—The trial of Leyton Gibson, for assaulting and resisting Officer Pyle, was resumed. According to the com-monwealth's testimony Officer Pyle was sum moned to the West King street rink on Christ. mas evening to quell a disturbance. When he arrived there he found the defendant under the influence of liquor and acting in a disorderly manner. The refusal of the rink managers to give Gibson skates on account of his condition greatly enraged him and was the cause of his arrest. After Pyle told Gibson he would have to arrest him Gibson said he would not go with him and he struck and kicked Pyle soveral times. Pyle's nose was broken, his eyes were bruised and he confined to bed for several days and during all that time was under the care of a physician. The defense was that James Burns, who was the special officer at the rink, told Gibson he would have to go out of the rink. Gibson said he was satisfied to go with Burns, but by this time Officer Pyle arrived and then Pyle without any provocation struck Gibson several times and followed it up by breaking his mace over Gibson's head. It was claimed that Pyle was kicked by a colored man, who is now a fugitive from justice. A number of witnesses who have known Gibson for a number of years, testifled that his character for peace and quiet

was good. On trial. \$10,000 For the Children's Home The court of common pleas has issued an order for an appropriation of ten thousand dollars to "The Home for Friendless Children for the city and county of Lancaster," for the year ending January 1st, 1883, and have appointed trustees and managers of said institution as follows, viz: Trustees, George K. Reed and Charles N. Sproul; managers, Mrs. Josephine L. Griffits and Miss Alica Navin.

MOUNT NEBO, March 7 .- Mr. John Brown,

a carpenter in the employ of the C. & P. D. R. R. met with quite a painful accident re-cently. He was helping to carry one of the timbers used in the construction of the bridge across the Peques crock, when in some way it slipped from their hands and struck the back of Mr. Brown's hand, makng a very painful and serious wound.

Mrs. Hannah Alexander, reliet of Thoms Alexander, deceased, died at the residence of her sons, George and Elijah Alexander, to-day, from a paralytic stroke received some

time ago.

Mr. Lewis Massey is lying in a precarious condition with consumption at the residence Mr. James Akens it convalescing from an

attack of congestion of the liver.

Revival services closed in the M.E. church on Sunday evening, having been in progress three weeks. Fleven persons were received on probation. The pastor, Rev. G. Read, will deliver his farewell sermon on next Sunday evening in the M. E. church at this place. Mr. Jos. McMulien started West on last Monday. He will work in the vicinity of

Wintersville.

Mr. Fred. Hart sold part of his personal property at his father's sale on the 22d ult. He will remove to Lancaster where he will

Her Pecket Picked.

Mrs. Martha Charles, of 114 South Water street, who attended the Central market this morning, had her pocket book taken. It contained fifty cents.

THE B & O. ROAD SOLD. ONE OF THE GREATEST BAILBOAD DEALS RYER MADE IN THE COURTER

Tremendens Tynametica Given.

rett declines to either affirm or deny the re-port published in the New York papers this morning that the Baltimore & Obio railroad was either sold or about to be sold to asyndi-

was either sold or about to be sold to asyndicate in New York.

Mr. John W. Davia, first assistant to Mr. Garrett, doubts that the present holders of the Baltimore & Ohio stock would transfer their interest to any syndicate not having the interests of the city of Baltimore at heart.

Naw York, March 9.—It was positively stated to-day at Mr. Alfred Sully's office that he had bought the controlling interest in the B. & O. railroad from President Robert Gerrett, but his representative was not at liberty

rett, but his representative was not at liberty to give any of the details of the transaction. The control of the telegraph company and express company also goes with the railroad. This is regarded as one of the greatest rail-

The Objectionable Section Memting to the Go-erament of Schools to Se Stricken Out.

Dr. J. P. Wickersham, William McCom-sey and W. W. Griest, the representatives of the Lancaster city school board, appointed to lature, affecting our school government, went to Harrisburg on Tuesday evening. There they met representatives of the school boards of York, Chester, Wilkesbarre, Williamsport, Harrisburg, Reading, Meadville and Erie, which cities are also affected by the appropriate levilless of the school by the appropriate levilless of the school by the appropriate levilless of the school by the by the proposed legislation. Dr. Wickersham was called upon to preside at the conference. The proposed bill was thoroughly discussed, and it was unanimously decided to ask the legislature to strike from the inter-municipal bill that section relating to the government of school boards. The committee on municipal rectors present, and from their remarks there mending the striking from the bill the object tionable section. From the interviews the of the Senate they feel greatly encouraged in the final success of their mission.

sev. Louis Grotemper Will Take a Well Es Rev. Louis Grotemyer, of St. Joseph's needed rest, after his arduous labors in the building of his church. He will visit his

brother and will be absent six months. The forty hours devotion opened at St. Joseph's Catholic church on Sunday morning was closed on Tuesday evening with impressive services. The sermon was preached by Father Schleuter, of Shamokin. There were present in the sanctuary Pathers Grotemyer, Gans, Huber, Koppernagle, Christ and Reit. The procession at the close of ceremonies was participated in by the clergy and sodalities

An accident occurred last night to the pas-senger train leaving Hightstown, N.J., at 7:15 for Philadelphia over the Hightstown & Pemberton railroad. The train was thrown from the track at Assaupink creek by a broken rail and the tender, mail, baggage and one passenger coach pioughed through the soft ground, finally overturning. The mail and baggage cars took fire and were speedily consumed. Mail Agent Airred Perrine was burned to death in the mail car. The followburned to death in the mail car. The following persons were injured: Wilson Levi, conductor, dangerously; Daniel Rogers, baggagemaster, leg bruised, fingers crushed and internally injured; Charles Oliver, of Asbury Park, hand out and internally injured, Hendrickson-Peddie institute, and seriously injured about the body. Three women were slightly injured.

A Hydrauite Engineer to Visit Us.

Mr. Charles Darrach, of Philadelphia, of
the firm of Wilson Bros. & Co., will visit
Lancaster to have a talk with our city fathers relative to increasing our water sup-ply, after which he will view and survey the surroundings and make a report of the most feasible plan and probable cost of im-proving the work. Mr. Darrach is one of the most accomplished hydraulic engineers in the country, having made hydraulic engineering a life study. engineering a life study.

Alderman A. F. Donnelly yesterday held Michael Heintzen for a hearing on the charge

of drunkenness. Before the mayor, William Smith paid his costs for drunkenness. Three homeless men were sent to the work-house for 30 days. A woman got 30 days in jail.

The Union Dorcas society acknowledge the following donations: Mrs. Louisa Breneman, \$1; a friend, \$2; a helper, \$5; Mrs. Wm. M. Wiley, \$5; Mr. B. B. Martin, \$5; Mrs. Gotleib Sener, \$3; Mr. Chas. A. Locher, druge; Mrs. S. H. Shirk, 40 loaves of bread

Industrial society, 15 garments. Washington Encampment, No. 11, J. O. O. F., on Tuesday evening elected the following officers: Chief patriarch, Win. E. Foltz; high priest, D. S. Mearig; senior warden, R. A. Smith; Junior warden, George Musser ; tressurer, W. F. Hambright ; scribe F. D. Miley; assistant scribe, J. F. Fisher trustees, Dr. John Levergood, Christian Wid

A Boy Has His Arm Scalded. Reah Geiter, a five-year-old son of Henry Geiter, cigarmaker, of 331 West Orange street was badly scalded this morning. He was playing in the yard and ran his arm into a bucket of scalding water, which his mother had left standing on the pavement. The skin was peeled from the limb and Dr. A. B.

Miller attended the sufferer.

Bernard Wade, a son of Mrs. H. A. Wade of Elizabethtown, a short time ago got a stee splinter in his eye while at work in the plumbing establishment of L. H. Bechler this city. It was feared that his eye would be lost, but later investigation discloses that the injuries are not likely to be of a very seri-

From the Oxford Press.

Mrs. Hilton has sold her farm of 102 scree, near Oak Hill, Lancaster county, to C. H. Hilton, of Mechanics Grove, for \$75 per acre.

Henry Effing, charged with the larceny of a pair of shoes the property of F. M. Tracy, gave ball for a hearing before Alderman Doen, Friday evening.

A Fractical View,
From the Louisville Courier-Journal.
If prohibition is to be thorough it will have
to extend to the manufacture of jugs. Emma C. Charles, now residing at Phile delphia, was divorced from her husband D. Bard Charles, on the ground of desertion. AN ABARMING PIRD.

C. S. Herr's Furniture and Undertaking Warerecess Entirety Destroyed.

At 10 o'clock last night an alarm of fire was
struck from box 15, and soon afterwards the
back building attached to C. S. Herr's furniture and undertaking rooms, No. 57½ South
Queen street, was a mass of flames, and its
contents entirely destroyed. The room on
the first floor of the burned building contained a fine hearm, a platform spring furniture wagon, a standing top phaston, a coach,
market wagon and sleigh. The second-story
room was packed with furniture, all made
of wild cherry wood of the best workmanship. There was also a good deal o'seascaed
lumber in the room and [about 50,000 eigars,
all of which were destroyed. Mr. Herr estimates his loss at about \$4,000, which is parily
covered by insurance with Mesers. Shank &
Bauseman. Their policy is for \$3,000 on the mass his loss at about \$4,000, which is parily covered by insurance with Messra. Shank & Rausman. Their policy is for \$3,000 on the Western, of Toronto, on furniture made up and in process of manufacture. He is also insured with Eckenrode & Myers, agents of the Howard, of New York, \$600 of which is on the burnt cigars, \$600 on stock of furniture, and \$100 on household furniture.

The fire was discovered by Mrs. C. F. May, No. 39 South Queen street, as she and her husband were about retiring for the night. Mr. May gave the slarm of fire and ran to the burning building which adjoins his own and attempted to put out the fire, but could not do so. Mr. Herr was at the opera house, and knew nothing of the fire until it was almost over. It was with great difficulty that his neighbors roused his sleeping family and resound his four children from their bedroom in the burning building.
The burnt building belongs to John May. It is completely gutted and will probably have to be torn down and rebuilt. The loss on the building is about \$1,000. There is an insursnoe of \$200 with C. H. Lefever in the Lancaster County Mutual company on the build-ing burned, and \$1,400 on the large building

which was damaged.

The cause of the fire is not known but i is supposed to have been the work of an in-

HAPPY AND MEN. A Fine Entertainment in the Wigwam

Consentege Tribe.

Some time ago the members of Canasatego Tribe, No. 208, of Red Men, of this city, gave an entertainment in their wigwam, in Grand Army hall. The affair was such a great suc-Army hall. And shall were who took part in it requested them to repeat it. The second entertainment took place last evening second entertainment took place last evening in the same hall. The members of the tribe with their families and friends were present and the large room was literally packed with people. The performance throughout was excellent and the different acts were received with the greatest enthusiasm. The pro-gramme was long and the affair lasted until

Music-Overtore-" Car hestra.
Address of Welcome—A. S. Villes.
Music—" 8 kidmore's March," Orchestra.
Topical Song—"It's Nice to be a Father,"

Apperly.

Banjo Solo—F. Sutton.

Becliation—" How the Old Hoss Won the Bel," C. A. Villee.

Comic Song -" The Pleasures of Boarding,"
A. W Noit. n-" The Miser's Fate," W. N. Leon. ard. Serio-Comic Song—"I Know, I Know," B. J. Music-"Little Tycoon," Reels, etc., Orches

Love fong-" Call Me Back Again," C. A. Vil Reading-"Buck Fanshaw's Funeral," Res Dutch Song-" Mygal Schneider's Barty," B.

Brown.
Banjo Edo—F. Sutton.
Branjo Edo—F. Sutton.
Iriah Ditty—"The Irian Lad, and Wife, Molie," W. K. Hutton.
Iriah Song—"Pat and His Dairie," B. Apperly.
Sentimental Song—"Sandy-Haired Mary," A. Heditation—"His Eye Was Stern and Wild," W. N. Leonard. Finale—"Barnyard Conversation," ? Apperly and W. E. Hutton.

Two Big And Fat Paverites Who Pleased a Last evening "The Two Johns," a comedy which has been seen in Lancaster on several occasions, was given in Fulton opera house by J. C. Stewart's company. The audience was large and the performance first-class. The play is so well-known that it is hardly neccesary to describe it. There is little plot to it, but is full of fun. It is something like the "Comedy of Errors" with the Johns as the Dromics. J. C. Stewart and Paul Dresser, two portly men whose combined weight is about 600 pounds, played the parts of Philip and Peter Johns, two cousins, who look so much alike that they are continually getting into trouble on account of the resemblance. The make-ups of the two men are exactly alike. They are both good actors, and no better pair of comedians could be selected for the parts. Almost every move they make creates laughter and the fun is uncessing while they are on the stage. The remaining members of the company are also very good, especially J. Siewart ary to describe it. There is little plot to it stage. The remaining members of the com-pany are also very good, especially J.Stewart Crossy, jr., as Frederick Bailey. Frank Rusb, who played the parts of Foliceman Puff and Ike, is as large a man as either Stewart or Dresser, and he also presented a funny appearance. The specialties intro-duced in the second act were well received and the whole presentation pleased the peo-ple.

The King Street Theatre.

At the King Street theatre the May Adams specialty company appeared for the second time last night. The audience was not as arge as upon the opening night, yet the galleries were full and the crowd down stairs was fair. 'The performance was the same as upo the previous evening, and it gave unbounded satisfaction. This afternoon a matinee was given to a good attendance. To-morrow evening an entire change of programme will be made. The company is strong throughout

A Wife-Beater Arrested. Charles Roden is a German who lives or

and they deserve large patronage,

Charles Roden is a German who lives on South Water street, in the extreme southern part of the city. He has the reputation of being a brutal husband, and he has been arrested on numerous occasions for beating his wife. Yesterday Charles was drunk, and when he went home he gave his wife a terrible beating, injuring her severely. A warrant was issued for his arrest by Alderman Barr, and Officer Beechier captured him and placed him in the lookup. This morning he was taken to jall to answer the charges of assault and battery and drunken and disorderly conduct.

Busho Steerers in Tork.

Two bunko steerers were operating in York for two or three days last week. They had Mr. Jacob Blessing in tow, and were making preparations to fleece him, when they were frightened off. The pair went to Hagerstown, where they were arrested at the instance of a York officer, who with a requi-tion has gone to Hagerstown to bring them back to York.

The San Francisco Chronicle of March 2 contains the marriage notice of Lieutenant Samuel B. McLenegan to Carrie E. Cutier, the wedding taking place in Martines. The groom is a sen of Major E. H. McLenegas, who was married to Miss Samb P. Reigart, designite of the late Rusawel C, Reigart, of this city.

PREPARATIONS FOR I

THE BUDY OF MR. BESONDE TO STATE IN THE COME

RESOURTING, March &—The wark baiming the body of the late Rev. Ward Bescher was almost entire morning. The sculptor took a plant the deed prescher's head and fact the embalming process will be entitle afternoon and the body will prepared for the coffin. The will be placed in the parter first floor. Mrs. Bescher has not a husband's body since the presced in his dying moments. She is removed under the eleventariants a woman of her years has madile greatest fortitude. The decision of the is to admit no person to the house we is to admit no person to the house walk body is removed with the exception of or two intimate friends whose services as solutely indispensable. The house to day in charge of Gen. Horstio C. King and the in charge of Gen. Horatio C. King and the options present buildes the manho of the family, was the Hev. Dr. Cahries I Hall, rector of the Holy Trinity Income oburch. Col. Lackner, of the 18th rest. C. S. N. Y., of which Mr. Bescher was dealin, called on Cen. King, and had a back with him as to the part the regime would take in the funeral services. The parent will escort the body from the heat to the oburch.

THE PUNEBAL PRIVATE.

The latest funeral arrangements are as a lows: Services will be held at the house lows: Services will be held at the house to-morrow at 9:30 a. m. The body will then lie in state at Plymouth church until En-day morning at 10 a. m., when the funeral services will be held. It is deemed advisable that the body is a state until Saturday morning when there will be a private funeral at Greenweet cometery, where it will remain at the reserv-ing vault until Mrs. Bescher decides upon the final resting place.

Ing valit until Art. Beener denie the final resting piece.

Notwithstanding the objection Mr. Beeche always expressed to the displayof mouraling in every part of the city to-day more or less for this combre insignia of death is displayed. The City hall, court house and many private building are draped.

Five steems in Walls Walls Descripted.

GARDEN CITT, Kunne, March 2.—The worst fire in the history of Garden City occurred yesterday afternoon, nearly controlling the entire business portion of the city. The origin is not positively known, but the fire soon gained such headway, owing to strong northerly wind, that the efforts of the hygnen proved fruitlers. The less will appropriate \$45,000; parily insured. Weeks was disparously injured by a wall.

WALLA WALLA, W. T.,
yesterday morning destroyed in
blocks on Main street, between Third
Fourth, and to Rose street on the west,
block on the north side of Main street
block on the north side of Main street two blocks on the south side. The buildings were mostly old but in good locality, and there were numerous successful small stores. Total loss \$125,000; insurance \$40,000.

Flour Mill and Elevator Co LEXINGTON, Ky., March 9.—A special dis-pach from Danville, Ky., says: The Eclipse roller mill and an immense elevator, containing fifteen thousand bushels of wheel burned this morning. The fire was discovered about one o'clock. Mayor Johnson of Lexington, has been telesticated. of Lexington, has been telegrap

An English Miner Shot.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala, March & —A is shooting afray occurred Monday afternous the Coon mountain tunnel, 20 miles could the city, the victim being an English labor named William Mills. The shooting widnes by a time-keeper named Pierce, in a complete of the contractors. It is stand in Pierce knocked down a drunken Englisher for some slight provocation and when Miremonstrated, shot him dead. Pierce & left the county.

Republicans Seing Restes.
Sr. Paul, Minn., March 2.—It is of from the returns from the charter debeld yesterday that the people of the vand minor cities are not pleased with thigh license law, as Republican converse alaughtered right and left. Design mayors bob up serenely in such Republican continue to the continue of the continue

The New Deputy Atterney General Hanningroe, March 9 — John F. Se cop, of Bradford county, has been appeadeputy attorney general. His selection pressed by Lieutenant Governor Davice

WASHINGTON, D. C., March, & Formation Pennsylvania: Light mite followed by fair weather, warmer, control of the control of the

TELEGRAPHIC TAPS.

Herr Hofer, the famous sculptor, died at Stuttgart yesterday.

The president to-day appointed R. V. Loughrey, of Texas, to be control at American The Western Union Telegraph company business for the last quarter shows a failing off of 8300,000. No dividend was declared. Patrick Hanlon was killed by a bayment thrust and several other persons seriously wounded at a Dublin demonstration over the resignation of Sir Michael Hicks-Besch.

The strikers on the Baltimore & Ohio railway at Pittaburg are losing ground. The regular local freights, cost and west-bound, left both Pittaburg and Connelisville this morning. The crews were composed of new

Carnegie, Phippe & Co's Union iron milie.
Pittaburg, to-day presented a demand for as increase in wages from \$1.55 to \$1.50 per day.
The firm will answer on Saturday.

Henrietta Horn, of 564 South Queen des war 68 years old yesterday. In the creat her two sons, five daughters and aleste grandchildren gathered at her house gave her a genuine surprise. The creat was very pleasantly spent and all calls

Putting up New Witten.
A large force of man congests
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town to-day at work mysters.
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