ON A SNAIL'S PACE

The Convention's Business Moving Very Slowly.

THE PERMANENT OFFICERS CHOSEN.

OHAIRWAN ESTRE DELIVERS AN EX CERDINGLY TAME SPEECH.

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to Look After the l'oom and Boomerange

When Fred. Douglass had concluded his speech on Tues tay : ftern oon Mr. Foraker saked that the committees on rules, resolu-tions, permanent organization and order of as as constituted by the different states be read. The secretary proceeded to read the names of the committee on permanent organization. When the Virginia member's name was reached it was stated that two names had been sent up by contesting delegations from that state. The chair said that he would submit the Virtola question to the convention when the all list of committees had been read. When the reading of the list of committees had been completed the chairman stated that the question before the convention was an to which of the contesting delega-tions from the state of Virginia should be permitted to name the members of the

placed upon the rolls of delegates as prima facic entitled to seats the delegation at large headed by William Mahone. [Applause.] There were also four district delegations. gates from Virginia whose seats were not contested. Unless the convention should otherwise determine the chair would hold that for the purpose of participating in the temporary organization the four delegates at large, at the head of which was William Mahone, together with the four whose ceats were uncontested, would have the right to name the committee membership,

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John S. Wise (Va.) rose, and in response to cries from the floor and galleries, took a stand on the platform. He was here, he said, claiming to be the chairman of the lawful Virginia delegation. The sate was entitled under the call to have twenty four delegates, and out of those twenty-four twenty were contested. The delegates-at-large, headed by Mahone, had been held to have a prima facie title and had been placed on the rolls, together with the four district delegates whose seats were not contested. These eight—but one-third of Virginia's representation—led by William Mahone, whose trifling with the rights and Republicanism in Virginia was the issue—these eight had associated themselves together and placed William Mahone on the committee on credentials to pass upon his own and placed William Mahone on the committee on credentials to pass upon his own case. That matter had been going on in Virginia for some years. The decision was always in favor of the plaintiff. William Mahone's name was sent up by William Mahone to William Mahone to decide whether William Mahone was a delegate or not. [Laughter.] He had learned in his battles in Virginia that a free ballot and a fair count was the dearest been of national Republicanism. the dearest boon of national Republicanism.
[Applause] He had learned that no man ought to be permitted to be judge and of the chair, putting Mahone upon the com-mittee on credentials, would be overruled. It would be manifestly unfair that Mahone abould go on that committee and pass upon his own case. It might be that with'n twenty-four hours the eight men who ed him might be leaving the hall with their hats under their arms with the deci sion of the convention against them. [Applause] Until it had been settled neither side should be judge and jury in his own case. He was willing to trust the fairness and horsely of the Manual Manual Property of the Parish and honesty of the Republican party from Virginia, but he did not want William Mahone to remain on the committee on credentials and vote on his own case and prejudice that of the speaker, and therefore he appealed from the decision of the chair

convention. The chair said that he did not desire to be understood in his decision to prevent any gentleman making any motion looking to the settlement of this dispute and the

Senator Hour, Mass., said that the con vention evidently desired to hear Mr. Ma-hone, Va., but he desired to interpose two suggestions before the matter proceeded further. First, that the credentials committee must make up the roll of the convention, and the discussion should be had there first; and the discussion should be had there first; and, second, that by all parliamentary law and all justice no man can vote in the committee upon his own case, and, therefore, the objection of Mr. Wise appeared to be without reason. All had great respect for one who comes to them from Virginia bearing the name of John S. Wise, and they were also giad to honor the galiant soldier who first broke the face of the solid South. Between these two who unhapply differ, this convention the face of the solid solid. Between these two, who unhappily differ, this convention would, he had no doubt, make a just decision; but he appealed to be gentleman who proposed to plunge the convention into a controversy at this inopportune moment to allow the matter to take its regular

When Senator Hoar had concluded Mr. Mahone mounted the platform and was received with a storm of applause, Gen, Mahone said he confessed that it was with no ordinary regret that he found that it wa necessary for this convention to be asked to consider the troubles of the party in Vir ginia. He wanted to say, in respect what had been said to prejudice his attit before the convention, and the regular or-ganiz iton of the party in Virginia, which he represented, had made that state doubt-ful and increased the Republican vote ful and increased the Republican vote 80 per cent. He represented not only the regular organization, but 90 per cent. of the Republican masses in Virginia. Those who are opposing him here have done nothing for the party except to engage it in strife and contention. He would be prepared to show that the men who were opposing him had no standing in the party. The contesting delegates at large were chosen by a bolting convention consisting of 81 members from nearly 700 members of the regular convention. The contests of the district delegates were upon equally ridiculous grounds. In one case the convention which seconded was called by three men, who constituted the convention. One of them took the chair, another One of them took the chair, another

Mr. Wise, who was on the platform, here caused a laugh by exclaiming : you took the result."
General Mahone proceeded to give a sketch of the troubles of the party in Virginia, and was proceeding with an appeal that the convention should stand by the what the convention should stand by the regular party men in his state when Mr. Wise broke in energetically with the declaration: "I charge you with frauds by which I was cheated out of my contest."

"Then," retorted Mr. Mahone, "your charge is false as you are fout."

"I will put the alamp where it belongs?"

charge is false as you are foul."

"I will put the stamp where it belongs!"
fired back Wise.

Both gentlemen were becoming excited,
and Mr. Spaniding (Mich.) took them both
from the stand by rising to a question of
order. He believed that the decision of the
shair admitting Mahora as a factor of the chair admitting Mahone as a member of the committee on credentials was correct, and he called attention to the fact that no appeal had been taken from the decision by a requirity constituted delegate. The whole discussion was, therefore out of

Mr. Butterworth, O., said that the dispute between the two gentlemen from Virginia turned upon the right of Mr. Mahone to vote upon his own case. It was impossible for Mr. Mahone to do that under the regular order of business. Of course, he would be excluded from the committee on credentials while his case was under

and it should conduct its business in order. He therefore moved to refer the whole mat-ter where it properly belonged—to the com-mittee on credentials. mittee on credentials.

The chair said that he had already decided that the discussion of the Virginia contested case was out of order at this time.

Mr. Wellington (Md.,) moved that neither of the ornusting delegations be given representation on the committee on

eredentials.

Senator Hoar (Mass.,) opposed the motion and pointed out the danger which might result from setting such a precedent. A notice of contest might in that event prevent a great state like New York from participating in the framing of the proceedings of the convention. He moved to lay the motion on the table, and the motion was agreed to amid appiause.

The convention then, at 3:30 o'cicek, adjourned until Wednesday at noon.

THE SECOND DAY.

How the Convention Struggled Through th Hours of the Torrid Afternoon-Per-

manent Organization Effected.
CONVENTION HALL, Chicago, June 20.-11 A. M.—The weather and the political pot are in accord this morning. Both are boil-ing. The grateful breese that wafted its way yesterday across the lake has struck a snag on the Michigan abore and its place was filled with a stifling blast that for aught can be told may have strayed away from the Sabara desert. Hot as it is, however, the political legions do not propose to allow their enthusiasm to be scorohed. They are more active than ever this morn ing and are making even more noise than usual. From 6 o'clock this morning the interior of the principal hotels, to say nothing of the exteriors, for blocks around have been one solid and ever moving mass of people. A thousand Rusk cohorts came down from Wisconsin before the managers of the governor's boom were out of bed. They took possession of the headquarters, committee room and the adjacent corridors and proceeded to give themselves up to a general hurrah. Senstor Spooner, Tsylor, Rubice and others of the leading Republican lights of the Badger state looked down upon the scene from an upper balcony and came to the conclusion that it would be wise to leave the newcomers in full possession until their enthusiasm had exhausted itself. The Alger adherents retent of several hundred persons, and there were reinforcements in the Sherman, Harrison and Allison camps. All of them were loud-lunged and hearty, and their appearance was more than welcome to the patriots that have been bearing the heat and burden of the past few days. According to one impartial calculation a quarter of a million of strangers are in the city, and fully 200,000 of these are here to play the parts of smateur poli-ticians. They enset their roles by shouting for a favorite son on an average every five minutes of the day. Two hundred thousand shouters—an average of thirty-three thousand to each of the six caudidates, the entire army concentrated within a radius of a square mile, makes an equal collection for the study of mankind. That was the speciacie presented last night and will be the same to-night when the fire is stirred and the bubbles begin to appear again on the surface of the cauldron. It is a welcome relief to leave the torrid temperature on the outside to pass under the huge passages that lead into the auditorium hall. This is just cool enough for comfort.

both ways from the basement over tone o

ice brings with it an invigorating influence. It is quite a refrigerator, but it is near And so as the doors are opened and the throng of people that has for hours been patiently waiting on the outside begins to pour in, the expression on their faces is one of glad surprise and joyful realization that it is not going to be the fierce furnace that they had anticipated. The women are among the earliest on the scene and very soon the stage and stage boxes are filled with them. Very agreeable to the eye is this aggregation of summer toilets and it harmonizes agreeably with the laborate decorations below and above. The floral decorations of yesterday are replaced by two simple bouquets of red and white carnations which ornament the top of the speaker's desk, while the mass of foliage and the big bank of flowers that created so much admiration yesterday has given way to an eagle wreathed in smilax. A life-sized bust of Gen. Logan with the stars and stripes in the background looks down from the edge of the reporters' platform right into the eyes of Chauncey Depew. At half-pest eleven only a small scattering of Ohio, Massachusetts, New York and Louislan are in their seats. Wharton Barker, the Pennsylvania millionaire, who, if he lives a few years longer, will control a network of railroad times and telegraph wires in the Chinese empire, swings himself round ianguldiy in the chair which will soon be occupied by the presiding officer while the dignitled Horace Rubles snifts the bouquets casually remarking that their perfume carries him back to the conservatory that adjoined his embassy at Berne in the olden days when he enjoyed the distinction of being United States minister to Switzerland. Fred Douglass comes in by the press entrance and modestly takes a seat away back in the rear of the venerable navy, who comes in arms locked with ex-Governor Porter and William Pitt Kellogg exchanging greetings with the silveryhaired senator from Massachusetts. Here too, is Robert Smalls, the noted colored statesman of South Carolina, the centre of such a distinguished group as Senators Quay, John P. Jones, Spooner of Wiscon-sin and Governor Foraker. It is 12 o'clock and the hour for Mr. Thurston's gavel to be heard, but the temporary chairman is among the laggards, and two hundred delegates' seats are still unoccupied. There are salls for music. Col. Geo. R. Davis, who holds the fort in the chairman's enclosure since Wharton Barker has disappeared, touches the electric button and the band in the balcony responds with a selection from the "Chimes of Normandy," presently varying it with a medley of patriotic airs. Here at last twenty minutes late is Chairman Thurston. The gentiemen with him alim in stature, intellectual in countenance, clear shaven chin and closely cropped moustache is Stephen A. Northrup, pastor of the First Baptist church of Fort Wayne, Ind., and well known as president of the board of

THE CONVENTION RECONVENES. Meanwhile the band which has been keeping the convention in good humor with "Tramp, the Boys Are Marching," "Raily Round the Fing," and similar ex-hilerating airs concludes its selection with "America," Mr. Thurston rises, surveys the throng through his gold-rimmed glasses, his gavel falls, and at 12:33 the con

managers of the Baptist Ministers' National

Home at Fenton, Mich.

vention is called to order. The clergyman is introduced and give thanks to God for His mercies, for the Divine protection for all the rich blessings that come to-day from a giorious past for all things that pertain to the moral and spiritual welfare of the country, for the peace and the prosperity of the land. He prayed that the delegates might realize the grave responsibilities which devolve upon them. He saked a blessing upon the soldier now upon a bed of sick

health and to his family and to the nation. health and to his family and to the nation. When the prescher concluded the band in a slow and solemn strain rendered a familiar hymn. Having announced that a large number of resolutions that had been sent to the deak before the reasonabiling had been referred to the appropriate committees, the obair saked "what is the pleasure of the convention?" Mr. Hammill, of Colorado, was quickly on his feat to of Colorado, was quickly on his feet to move an adjournment until 6 o'clock this evening "unless," he added, "there is something we have to do." There were abouts of "No" and the report of the committee on permanent organization was loudly called for. A motion that the com-mittee report at once was moved and seconded, but Mr. Harris, of North Carolins, seconded, but Mr. Harris of North Carolina, contended that the committee could hardly report before the committee on credentials had concluded its labors. This was effective but the chairman interposed to say that at the last two conventions they did not wait for the credentials committee before effecting a permanent organization. He also an nounced that the former committee could not report until 8 p. m. Mr. Anderson, of lows, moved that the convention adjourn

until 8 p. m. Congressman Bayne, of Pa., insisted that the convention proceed to the permanent organization. He had the convention with him, as was evident from the appiause, and seeing this he called for the report. Mr. Anderson withdrew his motion to adjourn and the motion to receive the report of the committee on permanent organization was unanimously adopted. When Gov. Foster, of Ohio, stepped upon the platform to pre-sent the report he was heartly cheered. He named the following officers :

Chairman, Hon. M. M. Ketee, of California; secretaries, Charles W. Cilabee, Michigan ; Michael Griffin, Wisconsin; Wm. Ruell, Tennessee; M. Lynch, Pennsylvania; assistant secretaries, Thos. J. Brogan, Tennessee; James Bisby, Minnessets; Henry M. Cooper, Arkansus ; Wm. Nelson, New Jersey ; A. W. Monroe, Maryland ; J. E. Wiley, Texas; C. M. Shinn, West Virginia, and John E. Minor, Louisiana. Reading clerk, Henry Ballard, Vermont; Col. Clarkson Lake, New York. Chaplain, David Len-ning, Ohio; James H. Stone, Michigan, and Geo. M. Brinkerhoff, Illinois. Official stenographer, Gustavus English. Ser-geant-al-arms, Charles Filminmons, Chi-

Mr. Estee's name was received with a burst of appliance from the Californians; Benjamin Butterworth's name among the vice presidents was received with great applause and when the name Webster Flanagan, of Texas, was reached the audience gave great shouts, then went into convui-sions of laughter and finally concluded with a cheer. The man who wanted to know "what are we here for?" blushed like a school girl while his wife, who sat upon the stage, laughed heartily over the recogni-tion accorded her husband. No one had any opposition to offer to the report and when it had been adopted Gov. Foster, of D. Foley, of Nevada, were appointed a committee to conduct the permanent chairman to his seat. A few words of thanks from Temporary Chairman Thurston for the consideration extended to him, a word of introduction for his successor and the permanent chairman stepped forward. He spoke clearly and distinctly and with considerable earnestness of manner as fol-

CHAIRMAN ESTER'S SPRECH. GENTLEMEN OF THE CONVENTION .thank you in the name of the states and territories of the Pacific coast, as well as from my own heart, for the distinguished honor that you have seen fit to confer upon me. I appreciate to the fullest extent the grave responsibilities devolving upon me, and this being a Republican convention I shall sak in all things its charitable judgment and its candid and earnest support. Gentlemen of the convention, following so illustrious a gentleman as your tempo to detain you by any lengthened spec and only want to ray to you that we live so far from the centre of the republic, over on the Pacific shore, that I can't even guess who your nomines is going to be. (Laughter.) Of course you all know. (Laughter.) I say further to you, my friends and gentlemen of the convention, that while I am not able to say exactly what your platform will be, yet the people of the country have echoed its sentiment and the rattle of the skirmish line was heard only two weeks ago from Oregon (great applause) God willing, next November you will hear from Cleveland's Appomattox all over this great republic (applause.) My friends and gentlemen of the convention, again thanking you for the very high honor you have conferred upon me and impressing you, I hope and pray with the belief that our duties are of the greatest and most solemn character, and trusting from the depth of my soul that every act may be done to promote the best interests of our commo country and to advance the great Republican party. I will call for the next order of business. (Applause.)

The first applause was brought out by Mr. Estee's reference to Oregon and it was mingled with shouts of "Hurrab." Three for Oregon were called from the gallery and heartly given. Only two minutes were occupied with the speech to the obvious surprise of the convention which had expected a speech upon the issues of the hour. It was known moreover that a careful speech had been prepared and It is understood that it is now a dead loss to many newspapers which have it in type. The reason for Mr. Estee's change of programme cannot be divined. dress Mayor Roche, of Chicago, who was the first delegate to gain recognition, climbed upon the platform with a silver gavel in his hand and in an able speech presented it in behalf of the city to the chair. It was, he said, not silver alone, but of gold, em blematic of the " bi-metallic basis of sound national currency." The appreciation that greeted the gift was expressed by pro-longed cheers, and they were renewed when Delegate Charles A. Work, of Bookford. Ill., took his place and presented gavel made from a deak in a tannery in Galena and which "once belonged to that superb, magnificent, silent soldier, Gen. Grant" (Long continued applause.) "Yesterday," said the speaker,

Michigan delegation presented you with a gavel with which to pound the Democracy to death. We now give you a gavel with which you can tan their hidea."

Continuous casers and isughter greeted this sally, and the chairman in a few well spoken words thanked the delegations for their gifts. This done he laid saids the to use that associated with memories of Ga-

ORDER OF BUSINESS. Congressman Bayne, of Pittsburg, submitted the report of the committee on rules after a delegate, who claimed that the banners designating the location of the delega-tions were obstructing the line of vision, and succeeded in getting them removed by the sergeant at-arms. The rules provide for the following order of business; let, Report of committee on credentials; 23, report of committee on resolutions; 3d,

calling roll for members of national com-mittee; 4th, placing in nomination candi-

dates for precident; 5th, balloting; 6th, nominations for vice precident; 7th, ballot-

LANCASTER, PA., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20, 1888.

After presenting the report Mr. Bayne remarked that the most essential differences between the present rules and those adopted at previous conventions was the proposed formation of an executive committee of nine to be elected by the national committee clothed with power to conduct the affairs of the party. The adoption of the report was moved when Benator Hoar saked for the reading of the rule relating to alternates. It was looked for, but much to the amusement of the convention, the chair announced that the rules were on their way to the printers. A messenger was sent for to the printers. A messenger was sent for the document, but meanwhile Mr. Hoar had repeated the rule from memory and without any explanation moved that it be recommitted to the committee on amend-

port so as to provide that 15 minutes only be allowed for nominating speeches, allowing only 10 minutes for seconding speeches. Mr. Bayne made an appeal to Mr. Butterworth to withdraw his motion placing a limit on the length of speeches, but Mr. Butterworth evoked a rippie of laughter by the remark that he model it only of average that the remark that he made it out of sympathy

for the audience.

Mr. Bayne continued and spoke so long that "time" "are called on him and the audience indulged in a good laugh at his expense. He could not understand, he said, expense. He could not understand, he said, what Senator Hoar wanted, as the rule re-lating to alternates was precisely the same as had prevailed in former years. Senator Hoar then replied in explamation : "The rule provides for but one alternate for each delegate. If that alternate is absent no other alternate can take the place of the absent delegate. I want it amended so that any one of the alternates from a distriot can serve in the place of an absent delegate from that district."

THE REPORT UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED. Mr. Butterworth's resolution to limit the hee was lost on a vive voce vote by a large majority, and then Senator Hoar and Congressman Boutelle, of Maine, became involved in a brief controversy in relation to the sensior's position on the alternate question. Mr. Root, of Arkansas, submit-ted another technical amendment to the rule while the audience began to manifest

signs of displeasure. Chauncey J. Filley, of Missouri, joined in the discussion and Mr. Tatt, of South Carolina, moved another technical amendment. Mr. Johnson, of New York, and others followed Taft and sent up tech-nical resolutions on the subject when Senator Hoar drew up a resolution that was approved by Chairman Bayne of the committee and at once sub mitted it to the convention. It read as follows : " Alternate delegates for each delegation at large and alternate delegates for each district delegation to consist of the same number as their principals to act in case of absence of the delegates shall be elected."

Mr. Warner, of Alabams, discussed this proposition amid cries of "question." Mr. Haymond, of California, held that it would be a serious matter to try and amend rules in open convention and m that the question be recommitted to the chairman of the committee on rules with instructions to report the amendment in proper language. The chairman ruled this suggestion as out of order, and Mr. have the rule sent back to the committee

for reconsideration.

Mr. Bayne insisted that there was nothing to reconsider, and said it was a hard thing to get the committee on rules together again. At the same time both the rule and the amendment he contended meant and practically said the same thing. It was a case of "much ado about nothing."

Mr. Husted, of New York, said that all the rules had been carefully considered and urged the convention to down all the amendments and adopt the report as presented. The cries of "question" were so persistent that the chairman ejsculated, "On! we're trying to get it right. Let us have a little liberty about it." Mr. Boutelle made another effort to get

unanimous consent to have the rule recommitted, but he failed, and amid some confusion Senator Hoar's amendment was yoted down by a large majority and the report after an hour had been consumed in discussion was unanimously adopted with considerable cheering and laughter. Mr. delegation couldn't hear what was going on, but the chair could not help bim. No response was made. The report of the committee on credentials was called for and Mr. Hoar moved a recess until 8 p. m. This did not please the occupants of the balconies and the resolution was temporarily withdrawn to allow Mr. Husted to present a resoluauthorizing the aub-committe

of the national committee to supply the 200 tickets which the convenordered yesterday should distributed among the old soldiers and satiors. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Hoar then renewed his motion to take a recess until 8 p. m. which prevailed and at 2:15 the convention dis-solved until evening when the committee on credentials are expected to report.

Change of Alternates Congressman Bingham, of Pennsylvania reported to the committee on organization on Tuesday the following changes in the roll of alternates : William G. Moore for B. F. Steeden, of Reading; John Gin-gerich for Henry S. Eberly, of Lancaster county; S. M. Fridy for S. M. Myers, of Lancaster; Philip C. Keller for Clay W. Evans, and George S. Kelfler, for Dr. J. B. Davis, of Schuylkill county; John W. Hartman for Allau D. Hoffer, of Lebanon John E. Knos for Modney A. Mercur, o Towands; David Clark for Bonham R. Gearbart, of Danville; C. M. Clement for D. T. Huckel, of Sullivan county; Frank B. Mann for I. Z. Ober, of McConneilsburg; George Allen for C. W. Mackey, of Frank-lin, and A. E. Patton for John Patrick, of

Sad Management Charged.

From the Philadelphia News. If there ever was worse management in mittee nobody as yet has heard of it, and the committee having the matter in charge the committee having the matter in charge may deem themselves remarkable lucky if they escape with their lives. Every one of the 10,000 disappointed applicants for tickets has it in for them, and the newspaper corres-pondents who have been kept dancing in vain attendance on the committee for the past two days would not shed many tears if a hard fate would overtake the impecile com-mitteemen. For that matter Chicago is mitteemen. For that matter Chicago is making it mighty uncomfortable for the immense throng of visitors. They are simply being robbed right and left, and unless the politicians have short memories there will be no convention held them four years from now.

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The hotels are charging prices that one has to take a ladder to get to, and are crowding as many people into one room as an Atlantic City bath house-keeper can get in one of his little closets on a crowded Sunday, while the boarding house people openly declare that they are going to make all they possibly can out of this convention.

David H. Lane engaged a suite of rooms. David H. Lane engaged a suite of rooms at the Tremont some six months ago, but when he got there he was told that he would have to take chances with the rest of

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A newspaper man was congratulating himself on the fine room he had secured in a house or Michigan avenue, but, to his disgust, his landlady told him that she had

rented that and a communicating room to the committee of the Philadelphia business men for \$100 a day, and that he would have to go elsewhere. On Tuesday, grip in hand, he was wandering around on the North Side looking for an advertised place and swearing at the cupidity of landiadies and the extravagance of Philadelphia busi-ness men.

MRS. W. G. BAKER DEAD, The Wife of the Welt Known Druggist Dice

Mrs. Mary A., wife of Dr. Wm. G. Baker, druggist, died at the family residence, No. 139 North Duke street, this morning shortly after 10 o'clock, of heart disease and dropsy, with which she had been suffering for more than a year. Mrs. Baker was a daughter of the late Michael Pelper, who many years ago kept algrocery reiper, who many years ago kept agrees y store on the site of the present court house. She was a sister of the late Wm. L. Peiper, cashier of the Lancaster County National bank, and of Michael Peiper, of National bank, and of Michael Peiper, of Philadelphia. Her only sister is Malinda C. Peiper, of this city. Mrs. Baker was 60 years old, and was a most lovable woman, and given to all charitable works. Especially was she devoted to the interests of old Trinity Luthersn church, of which she was a lifelong member, and of which her venerable father-in-law, Rev. John C. Baker, was for so many years the beloved pestor. Mrs. Baker leaves a son, Wm. G. Baker, jr., who sesists his father in the drug businees, and a daughter Mary, the wife of Rev. Charles F. Albert, of Baltimore, Mrs. Baker was in all respects an exemplary woman, and her death leaves a void in a arge circle of friends that cannot be easily

Lost By the Dubous Fire. Among the persons who lost at the big fire at Dubois on Monday, was P. S. Weber, of the firm of Potts & Weber, machinists, on Christian street. Mr. Weber's store was burned and bis loss is \$8,000, with no insurance. Mr. Weber's home is in Dubois, but he was in this city looking after his interests when the fire occurred. He left yesterday afternoon for Dubola.

John Murphy, of this city, was interested in a property on which were situated a store and a dwelling. These were swept away by the flames. The loss will be about \$4,000, and there is no insurance.

The Hans Fjeciment Suit

H. C. Brubaker, counsel for Andrew and Augustus Wind, the claimants of the by John G. Hass, presented a petition to the court to-day praying for the addition of a number of names as plaintiffs. "The court granted the petition, counsel for Mr. Hass objecting and the following names were added, all being next of kin to Betsy King through whom they claim title in the property in dispute: Rosanna Baumiller, Benjamin Kautz, John Kautz, George Kautz, Emanuel Kautz, Wm. Kautz, Eli Kautz, Rebecca Kautz, Susan Chambers and Andrew Chambers, her husband, Mary Leonard and Henry Leonard, her husband, Sophia Fox and her husband Philip Fox, George Kitch, Daniel Kitch and William Lawrence.

The Supreme Chancellor Su The Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Pythias in Cincinnati on Tuesday acted on the Pennsylvania case. They approved the action of Supreme Chancellor Howard Douglass in suspending the Grand Lodge, and agreed that the Grand Lodge upon their complying with the orders of the supreme chancellor heretofore issued. The Grand Lodge is placed under the order of the supreme chancellor until such exists. the supreme chancellor until such taken. The Supreme Lodge ref is taken. The Supreme Lodge refused to admit the representative from the old or Loyal Grand Lodge until the order originally issued by Supreme Chancellor Douglass was; obeyed.

The resolution committee have agreed to submit to the body the following:

That the institution of the so-called—

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"loyal" Grand Lodge in the jurisdiction of Pennsylvania be not approved, and is declared void and of no effect.
That it is hereby imperatively enjoined upon the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania to retrain from any direct or indirect action tending to punish in any manner any subordinate lodge in that jurisdiction, or any member thereof, who has adhered to the supreme chancellor and obeyed his edicts; but that said Grand Lodge shall receive such lodges and members in full fellowsuch lodges and members in full fellow-ship, and shall in every respect treat them as other lodges and members under its jurisdiction.

That Thomas G. Sample, H. O. Kilne and

George Hawkes, who have appeared in the interest of said Grand Lodge, and H. W. Mercer and M. W. Raub, who have appear-ed in the interest of the said "loyat" Grand Lodge, be paid the same mileage and per diem for their attendance as are paid supreme representatives for their at-tendance at the present session of the

In Argument Court.

The argument of cases on the common pleas list was concluded this morning and this afternoon the argument of cases on the orphaus' court list was proceeded with. The certiorari taken in the proceedings n the suit of R. J. Evans for the use of Alexander Harris against Frank R. Howell was withdrawn and the amount of the judgment paid.

The annual convention of the Patriotic Order Sons of America was begun in Read ing on Tuesday. Twenty-four states and territories were represented by 140 dele-gates. Mayor Kenney delivered an address t welcome, which was responded to be beinge P. Smith, president of the order order has about 33,000 members in ennsylvanis. A parade will take place or

Blejetists in Battimore Dr. J. M. Yeagley, of this city, represented the Lancaster Bicycle club in the parade of the League of American Wheel men in Baltimore on Tuesday. Six hundred wheelmen were in line. The first race was one mile, bleycle, for the champ ionship of the League of American Wheel men ; won by W. W. Windle, of Lyun Mass., in 2:43 on a Springfield roadster. County Committee Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Den cratic county committee, for the purpose of organization, on the third floor of the post office building, this city, on Monday, June

Harry Gallagher has been prosecuted sefore Alderman Barr, for drawing revolver on and threatening to shoot J. M Walton. A warrant was issued for Gallagher's arrest, but up to the time we went to press he had not been apprehended Seturned to Court.

J. J. Staley had a hearing before Alder man A. F. Donnelly this forenoon on the charge of isrceny. Charles Balkowski is the prosecutor and he slieges that Staley took an account book belonging to him

The "Helpers" of Grace Lutheran church will have a closing reunion for the congregation this evening, the proceeds to be de oted to missions,

The certificates of the teachers of the public schools of the city have been handed to Charles F. Eberman, the secretary of the board of directors, and teachers are requested to call for them at his residence,

OUT DOOR ENTERTAINMENTS.

A faccomfet Laws Postival and Dairy Mal-The Dairy Maide party in the garden of No. 30 North Prince, under the auspices of the Moravian church, on Tuesday evening, was a great success. Over one thousand tickets had been sold and there were nearly that many the state of the state that many persons in attendance. The lady attendants were attired in the costume of attendants were attired in the costume of dairy maids and served milk, ice cream and cakes to the large number of visitors. The grounds were handsomely illuminated with Chinese ianterns and electric lights. Thorbahn's orchestra was stationed on the balcony of the house overlooking the garden and rendered a number of fine selections. A handsome sum was realized, It was one of the most successfully managed entertainments awar given in this city.

First M. E. Lawa Feetival A festival was held on the fine lawn ad-A festival was held on the flue lawn ad-joining the residence of Geo. A. Marshall, on West Orange street, on Tuesday evening. It was under the suspices of the Ladies Aid society of the Duke street Methodist church and was largely attended. The grounds were illuminated with Chinese lanterns and presented a handsome ap-pearance. The music was furnished by a small quartette of the church choir. Refreehments were served and an enjoyable evening spent. About \$100 was realized.

The Work of Counterfeit Money Dealers Parmalee, a "green goods" operator, or dealer in counterfeit money, was recently rrested in Jersey City. He then said tha there was a gang operating in Hoboken. Recently different gentlemen in this county received letters from parties in Hoboken offering to seil counterfeit money. Among these was L. T. Hensel of Quarryville. The man who wrote to Mr. Hensel used the name of George F. Seymour, of Hoboken. Mr. Seymour is a justice of the peace and he received the letter in reply of Mr. Hensel and another from Julius Mar-tin, of Hamlet, Indiana. The latter wrote saying that he had sent \$100 before and never received anything for it. The New York Herald says, "Mr. Hencel had evi-dently cut his eye teeth, for he writes offer-ing the 'green goods' man a single room in a gray stone bastile that Lancaster county is building if he will visit him. Justice Seymour is of the opinion that the operator had used his name in the correspondence, meaning to call for the letters earlier than he usually went to the cflice."

A meeting of the Pennsylvania Reserve association of this city and county was held on Tuesday evening in the hall of Admiral Reynolds Post. The object of the meeting was to make arrangements for the annual gathering of the state association in this city this fall. Preliminary arrangements were made at last night's meeting and the committees to look after the several matters to be arranged will be appointed at the meeting of the committee on next Wednesday evening. There were five companies of the Reserves recruited in this county.

The Algonquin club of this city met at the residence of H. C. Moore last evening to arrange for their annual outing. It was decided that the camp should be again at York Furnsce, and the week beginning July 30 was selected as the time of holding it. New laws for the government of the club were adopted, and the following gen-D. Weaver, Sig. Heinitsh, J. P. McCaskey, Edw. Bursk, Aif. A. Hubley, Charles Fry, Herman Hark, Philadelphia, and Wm.

The Case Was Dismissed

Jacob Adams was beard by Alderman Halbach on Tuesday evening on a charge of embezziement preferred by Elan Muckle, his partner in the restaurant under the Inquirer building. The testimony of the witnesses called for the commonwealth failed to make out a case sgainst Adams and the alderman dismissed the case.

Johnson Miller, of Little borough, has seen commissioned a justice of the peace justices and Mr. Miller was appointed to fill the vacancy, as there is but one in the borough. His commission will expire on the first Monday of May, 1889.

Barbara Kurtz and Henry Kurtz, her husband, of Mt. Joy borough, have made an assignment of their property for the benefit of creditors to County Treasurer Stephen

A Wager on the Convention, A prominent Democrat has wagered \$56 with a prominent Republican that the nominee of the Chicago convention will be either Blaine or Depew. The money has

Held Under Advisement, The charge of disorderly conduct brough by Officer Thomas Lundy, of the Penusylvania railroad station, against George Burton, was held under advisement by Alderman Deen after a hearing yesterday

Poisoned Her Children and Herself. PITTSBURG, June 20.-Early this morning Mrs. Josephine Morike, a Polish lady dministered a dose of strychnine to each o her three children, aged respectively 8, and 3 years and then took a dose o At 11:15 o'clock the mother and two

youngest children are dead and the eldest The husband and father had come home but a few minutes before the poison was ad ministered.

He is a mill hand employed at Shoenber ger's rolling mili and can assign no cause for his wife's terrible deed. SAN FRANCISCO, June 20.—The Empire

oundry has assigned with liabilities no yet known, but estimated at \$100,000 and meets \$150,000. Savage Son & Co. are the proprietors and the firm is one of the oldest on the coast. They have many con-

tracts on hand. The firm gives as a reason for the amignment low bids on work. Approved the Sale, BALTIMORE, June 20.—The directors of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad company have just ratified the sale of the Baltimore t Ohio Sleeping and Palace Car company to the Pullman company. The contract the sale is for 25 years. W. H. Blackford was elected a director vice T. Harrison

Appointed by the President. WASHINGTON, June 20.—The president to-day sent to the Senate the following nominations : John F. Phillips, of Mo., to be U. S. district judge for the western disto be U.S. district judge for the eastern district of Wisconsin ; Edmund Mallet, or

Garrett, deceased.

WRATHER IDDICATIONS. WASHINGTON, D. C., June 20, -- For Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jer sey: Light to fresh southeasterly winds, warmer, fair weather, followed by light local rains.

N. Y., to be an Indian inspector.

FOURTEEN NEW MEMBERS.

PRICE TWO CENTS

THE Y. M. C. A. HOLD A BUSINESS MEET-ING ON TUESDAY EVERING.

After the Ricction of Fourteen Applicants For dembership Committees Were Appointed to Look After the Wants of Those Visting the Rooms in the Evening.

COLUMBIA, June 20.—A meeting of the Young Men's Christian association was held last evening. The association is in a flourishing condition and fourism new members were elected last evening. A reception committee was appointed to be present at the rooms each evening, and attend to the wants of the members and visitors. The committee consists of two stiend to the wants of the members and visitors. The committee consists of two members for each evening who will be used uty for two weeks. At that time another committee will be appointed to perform the same duties. Arrangements are being made for racks and shelves for books and

A meeting of the officers of the centennia various aub-committees to carry out the programme were appointed. The work of the officers will be reported at the meeting of the association to be held on Thurs-

day evening.

A meeting of Pennsylvania Castle, No. 76, of Mystic Chain, will be held in their room this evening. Plans for the participation by the castle in the centennial calebration will be discussed.

The Young Republican club will meet this evening at the office of C. C. Kaufiman, eag.

esq.
The regular monthly meeting of school board will be held on Thursday night. A Lucky Ticket.

A gentleman gave a twentieth ticket in the June drawing of the Louisiana state lottery a few weeks ago to a small child of William Solly, living on South Second street. In the list of the drawings his Solly found that the ticket presented to his child had drawn \$50.

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Bince the last camp of the National Guards Company C has had forty-two enlistments. Of this number thirty-two have enlisted during the past two weeks, sixteen old members and sixteen new recruits. The company now numbers seventy-four men, necessitating the discharging of eleven men to bring the company to the maximum of sixty men and three officers. Rev. F. J. C. Moran is attending the closing exercises at Lehigh University. Rev. Wm. Swindella, presiding elder of this district, was in town last evening strending the quarterly conference of the Methodist church.

Miss Caddie M. Bruner left for Ardmers

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this morning to attend the funeral of a friend. Before returning home she will visit friends in Tuckshoe, N. J. Wm. H. Hardman left town this morn!

wm. H. Hardman left town this morning for Ocean Grove, N. J.

F. Jansen & Bro. are building the house on Fifth street, and not Cashier Janson, on stated a few days age.

The Methodist Sunday school pionte west to Little this morning. Five our loads containing about 200 people west on the morning train, but a large number went out at noon.

The ball in the rink last even

about \$110 for the benefit of John L. Hum-

A match game of tennis will be this evening on the grounds of the Columbia Tennie club between James A. Ryss

Ose of the best known dogs in this city was Brimmer's "Bob." He was purchased by Fraderick Brimmer in Baltimore by Frederick Brimmer in 1 about two years ago, and was a pr favorite with that gentleman up to time of his death. "Bob" was a Sco terrier with a face something like a moni-and he was far more intelligent th and he was far more intelligent than the majority of dogs. He was known and liked by everybody that had occasion to visit Brimmer's livery office and he seemed to have a special fondness for newspaper reporters. He was an animal with the best kind of a disposition and it is a great pity that he was so suddenly taken off. Monday afternoon or that night some one gave "Bob" a dese of poison from which he died Tuesday morning as six o'clock. He was running around quite lively during the night, but at intervals he would betaken with something like fits. Tuesday morning he had one of these spells and soon breathed his iset. soon breathed his inct.

At an early hour Tuesday morning : At an early hour Tuesday morning a party of Hungarians who had become drunk at a christening started out to mob the Iriah inhabitants of Georgetown, a suburb of Wilkesbarre. Entering the houses of some of the sleeping citisem they dragged them from their beds and assembled them with clubs and stones. The Iriahmen railied, returning the coslaught, and a battle ensued, in which a number on both sides were badly used up. Two miners, John McGlinn, and Dennis Hanlos, are reported to have been fatally injured. Six of

ported to have been fatally injured. Six of the rioters are under arrest. The ring-leader, with a dozen others, learning that officers were after them, fled to the mountains near by and are well as the contract of the cont tains near by and are yet at large.

Miss Viele, a girl of 16 years and exceptiorfally bright, was taken sick Friday with diphtheria at Nassau, near Troy, N. Y. Sunday evening she apparently died. An undertaker was sent for, the funeral was appointed, telegrams were sent notifying friends and an announcement was made in church. After a few hours and after the body had been made ready for burial she revived, spoke to the undertaker and others and lived until Monday morning, when life seemed once more to be extinct.

At the scale conference of the Iron ma facturers and the Amalgamated Associa of Iron and Steel Workers, in Pitt of Iron and Bless the latter submitted a proposition to su operations for three months instead of accepting a reduction of wages. The manufacturers agreed to accept the proposition, provided that it shall apply to all mills in the country. The Amalgamated committee will report this to the convention and give the manufacturers a final answer on Thurs-

The Association games of yesterday were: At Philadelphis, Athletic 15, Cleveland 10; at Brooklyn, Brooklyn 3, Baltimore 1; at St. Louis, (eleven innings) Cincinnati 2, St. Louis 1. The League games were: At Washington, Philadelphia 7, Washington 6; at Boston, Boston 8, New York 7.

The Brandywine club of West Chester

have lost considerable money already this year and it will be reorganized on a chesper scale. \$160,000 For a College,

At the commencement exercises of Swarthmore college at dwarthmore, Pa., on Tuesday, President Magili announced an endowment of \$160,000 for four new professorahips. Of this endowment three Philadelphians, Issiah V. Williamson, Issae H. Ciothier and Joseph Wharton, gave forty thousand dollars such. It is the largest sum received by any American college this year

The Divorce Mut, Gabriel Eicheiberger has filed a petition for a divorce from his wife Susan Eichelberger, on the grounds of adultery.