

# VOLUME XXVI---NO. 14.

# LANCASTER, PA., TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1889.

# TUREATENING LETTERS SENT PRESIDENT HARRISON BY THE TANNER CLAN.

**GUITEAUS PURSUE HIM** 

Two Special Detectives Protect the President on His Journey From Wash-Ington to Deer Park on Saturday.

The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphis Ledger writes: When President Harrison left the city on Saturday for Deer Park his immediate companions were his son Russell and Congressman Groavenor, of Ohio. He was also accompanied, it was learned to-day from a trustworthy authority, by two special detectives, whose duties did not cease until he was safely at his mountain cottage.

cease until he was safely at his mountain cottage. The cause of this precaution, it is stated, was the fact that threatening letters and re-marks from some of Tanner's hasty and injudicious friends had been of such a nature that it was thought best to take some action to prevent such a calamity as had been hinted at. The detectives were not engaged by the president or any member of his family, and his consent to permit them to accon-pany him was secured with much difficulty, he at first holding that it would be doing the solder element of the country irre-parable injustice to cast such a reproach on them.

bem. But after the gravity of the situation was pointed out to him, and the possibility of some half-domented individual, excited some half-domented individual, excited some half-demented matrixitian, excited over the Tanner case, creating a "scene," he agreed that his friends might take such action as they deemed best, but cautioned them to avoid all publicity in their move-

Gen. McMahon on Pension Legislation. Gen Martin T. McMahon, of New York, a Grand Army man, one of the board of povernors of the soldiers' home, and who has given close study to pension matters, declares it to be his deliberate conviction that the pension legislation suggested at the inst encampment of the Grand Army at Miwaukee will, if enacted into laws, cost the people of the United States as much as did the war itself. He sys that it is time the thoughtful, pa-triotic men of the Grand Army should protest. Nobody will doubt that General McMahon is entitled to speak as a repre-sentative of the veterans. He was in the field in every battle fought by the army of the Potomac during its five years of ser-vice. He caught General Sodgwick in his arms at Gettysburg as he fell dying. Two fis brothers successively commanded a New York regiment. If the scrive puscion bill should be adopted General McMahon would receive the largest possi-bie pension under it. General McMahon at the head of that regiment. Gen. McMahon on Pension Legislation.

said: "In my opinion the prevailing senti-ment of the Grand Army, if it could be properly ascertained, would be found to be simply this, that the government should comply with the implied contract made with the men who entered the service in the war of '61 by giving liberal pensions to those who were actually disabled and to the widows of the dead soldiers who are in need. Neither the government nor the need. Neither the government nor the people ever undertook to do more than this, and the talk about pensioning every man, without reference to his physical disability or his condition in life, is carried to an ab-

or his condition in life, is carried to an ab-surd excess by many people who claim to represent the Grand Army." Of the effect of the passage of the arrears of pension bill upon the soldiers he said : "I can only say that the arrears paid to disabled soldiers in the national homes was, in the great majority of instances, a misfortune rather than a benefit. By far the greater number of these mean conduction the greater number of these men, coming suddenly into possession of large sums, amounting in some instances to thousands of dollars immediately took their departure from the homes, only to return after a few means or mostly attent between done weeks or months utterly broken down, ragged, robbed and destitute. When the ragged, robbed and destitute. When the arrears of pension bill was passed it was claimed that \$40,000,000 would cover all expenditures under the law. It has already exceeded more than five times that amount, and there are claims still pending for over \$200,000,000 more. The pension legislation asked for now, if enacted, will very greatly exceed any estimate thus far made, and have no hesitation in saving that it will have no hesitation in saying that it will greatly exceed the entire cost of the war."

A SHREWD PLOT SPOILED. Cronin's Clothes Sent to England to B Put on a Corpse.

Cronin's Clothes Sent to England to Be Put on a Corpse. The Chicago Evening News says: "The latest story in the Cronin case relates to the alleged plot to make it appear that Dr. Cronin was murdered in London, on the ground that be was a British spy. It is said that the police are in possession of evidence to show that the conspirators had made arrangements to have found in the Thames river a mutilated and diafigured corpse, ar-rayed in clothes which Dr. Cronin wore on the night he disappeared, together with his watch and other trinkets. In the pockets of the corpse were to be placed forged letters showing that Dr. Cronin had been in correspondence with the detectives of Scot-iand Yard for a number of years. One of the men now on trial in the Cronin case is said to have been delegated to attend to the American end of the plot. "On May 7 this man mother con-spirator at Sweeney's hotel, in New York, and it was arranged that the effects of the murdered doctor should be sent to Eng-land in the scaled iron box which had been procured by Tinsmith Klahre a few days before. This box, it is claimed, was in-trusted to a porter on an Inman line stamer, who in due time turned it over to a conspirator stationed at Liverpool. This man, it is said, was to look after the rest of the. "He rented a cottage several miles from

a conspirator stationed at Liverpool. This man, it is said, was to look after the rest of the plot. "He rented a cottage several miles from London, on the Thames river, and made arrangements to secure from Gray's hos-pital a corpse resembling in general features the appearance of Dr. Cronin. The idea was to array this corpse in Dr. Cronin's habiliments, throw it into the Thames and allow it to be found a day or two later, thus shifting from Chicago to London the scene of the crime. The discovery of Dr. Cronin's body in the catch basin in Lake-view upset the plans of the plotters, and this man fied from the cottage on the night of May 23. The porter whose services were secured is not an Irishman, but he did the job at the request of an Irish physician, a graduate of Trinity college, Dublin, who has travelled on the vessel for years as the ship's doctor." The Chicago Journal publishes the above story and connects the names of John F.

story and connects the names of John F. Beggs, now on trial for Dr. Cronin's murder; "Bill" Starkey, the Chicago fugitive from justice, and a Dr. Scallan, of Hancock, Mich., with the job of getting Cronin's clothes across.

AN OFFICER SHOT BY MURDERERS. Desperate Attempt of the Nicelys to Es-

Desperate Attempt of the Nicelys to Es-cape From Somerset Jall. Joseph and David Nicely, convicted of the murder of Herman Umberger at the May term of the Somerset court, escaped from the county jall at noon on Monday. They shot Deputy Sheriff McMillan twice, and he may die. The news of the escape spread rapidly, and in a short time a well armed posse was organized and started in putsuit. The murderers were surrounded in a piece of woods and were recaptured. Lynching was prevented with difficulty. The two shots at McMillan were inred at close range, both taking effect, one passing close range, both taking effect, one passing out of McMillan's body and the other lodg-ing in the fifth rib.

out of McMillan's body and the other lodg-ing in the fifth rib. At noon Deputy Sheriff McMillan took dinner to the Nicely brothers. Finding no water in the corridor he called Watchman Kiefer to get it. Upon Kiefer's return with it to the jail door leading to the jailer's house, McMillan unlocked the door and reached for the pail. Dave Nicely, the youngest of the two, sprang on his back, while Joe fired two shots from a 38-callbro Smith & Wesson revolver into McMillan's left side from the front. Both Nicelys sprang past the wounded man while two other pris-oners, one named Garno, covered Kiefer. Escaping from the jail, the Nicelys ran to Hayes woods, a half mile cast of Somerset. The sheriff was able to give the alarm, and a party at once started in pursuit. The woods, about fifteen acros in extent, were surrounded; armed men at once began to hunt up the game. Dave was found on a hunt up the game. Dave was found on a tree and surrendered without a shot. He had a fully loaded thirty-eight calibre revolver and was taken at once to jail. It was

LIVELY TOBACCO MARKETS. LOCAL DEALERS SELL SIX HUNDRED CASES

DURING THE PAST WEEK. New Yorkers After Several Large Lots. Buyers Visit the Growers and View the New Crop.

About six hundred cases of leaf tobacc were sold by city dealers the past week. New York parties are negotiating for sev-eral large lots, but the dealers have not

yet come to terms. Sales of big lots may be looked for within the next ten days. The new leaf is curing finely. Last week was rather hard on it. With a few weeks

was rather hard on it. With a few weeks of good weather the crop of 1889 will be in excellent shape. Bayers have been riving through the county the past week looking at the crop. When the market opens there will be a grand rush for the fine crops, which will mean high prices to those who have strictly first class crops. Dealers look for an early buying movement this season. The New York Market. From the U. S. Tobacco Journal.

From the U.S. Tobacco Journal. From the U.S. Tobacco Journal. In spite of the tremendous downpour during the whole week, which flooded and nearly drowned out the entire tobacco dis-trict of this city, the market continues to boom right along. Between 6,000 to 7,000 cases cleared off the market. Every kind and grade of seed leaf participated in this most entitle in boom.

and grade of seed leaf participated in this most gratifying boom. The demand for Sumatra continues like-wise very brisk. Sales over 800 bales at prices ranging from \$1.75 to \$2 for medium colors. Extreme light colors sell readily for \$2.50 and over a pound. The Havana market remains unchanged.

From the Tobacco Leaf. The market still continues to be in a fine The market still continues to be in a fine condition, and volumes of sales were unade daily during the week. The rush for Onondags still continues, and at the rate it is being purchased will soon lift if from first hands. Pennsylvania, Housatonic and Wisconsin have also sold well. Penn-sylvania broad leaf had quite a number of takers, and we can look for some very large transactions in this class of tobacco ere long. The export demand has sgain re-vived, and the other side will take large amounts of our goods for some time to come.

Gans' Report.

Sales of seed leaf tobacco reported by J. S. Gans' Son, tobacco broker, No. 131 Water street, New York, for the week ending September 16, 1889 :

ing September 16, 1889 : 941 cases 1888 New England Havana, 15 to 30c.; 209 cases 1888 New England seed, 19 to 21c.; 300 cases 1888 New England seed, 10 to 13c.; 500 cases 1888 Wisconsin Havana, 12 to 14c.; 500 cases 1888 Wisconsin Havana, 10 to 13c.; 500 cases 1888 Pennsylvania Ha-vana 114 to 14c.; 250 cases 1888 Pennsylva-nia, seed leaf, 9 to 11c.; 500 cases 1888 Dutch 9 to 12c.; 200 cases 1886-87 Pennsylvania seed, 10 to 13c.; 250 sundries, 55 to 36. Total 4,241 cases. The Philadeinhia Market.

The Philadelphia Market.

From the Tobacco Leaf. From the Tobacco Leaf. Handling cigar leaf is just now very agreeable, for the good reason that the '88 crop shows up so desirable. It sells, and sells well and steadily. Buyers and hold-ers generally come to a satisfactory price for both parties. Old sells if it can be found, but it has become unusually scarce. The balance of the year shows evidence of hopeful business encouragment. hopeful business encouragment. Sumatra still holds on tightly to the

reins for wrappers. The high price is ques-tioned, but paid. Havana has the call.

Havana has the call. Receipts for the week—122 cases Con-necticut, 587 cases Pennsylvania, 61 cases Ohio, 108 cases Little Dutch, 403 cases Wisconsin, 127 cases New York state, 132 bales Sumatra, 388 bales Havana and 304 hhds Virginia and Western leaf tobacco. Sales show—109 cases Connecticut, 454 cases Pennsylvania, 40 cases Ohio, 75 cases Little Dutch, 320 cases Wisconsin, 159 cases Vock etch. 105 bales Sumatra - 298 bales

DUCKS AND CHICKENS STOLEN.

Potatoes Rotting.

part of the village, has a pear tree which has the second crop upon it this season ; also a cherry tree, which has shaped cher-ries and plenty of blossoms.

Julius Long, painter, has just recovered from a severe attack of vertigo. Rev. David Anderson preached his fare-

well sermon to a large and attentive audi-ence at the Log meeting house yesterday afternoon.

Two Killed and Thirteen Injured.

tile business.

York state, 105 bales Sumatra, 228 bales Havana and 15 hhds of Western leaf tobacco in transit direct to manufacturers.

A TIMELY WARNING. Squib Factories are at Work in the Sat Old Way. EDS. INTELLIGENCER: If any factory

where high explosives are manufactured is blown up, we are ready with comments on

A BREEZE FROM MONTANA.

## It Should Brace Up the Democracy For

Coming Battles.

Coming fatties. The campaign in Montana is progressing finely for the Democrats, there being none of the dissensions among the leaders that were looked for by the Republicans and the party organization being perfect, with many well organized clubs. Owing to the registration law passed by

the party organization being perfect, with many well organized clubs. Owing to the registration law passed by the Republicans of the last territorial Legis-lature, and which applies to country pre-cincts as well as to the cities, this united work of the Democrats will have a good effect. The result of the law is that in a large number of instances men are com-pelled to go eighty miles to the registra-tion office, over mountains and across the prairies, and that, too, at a season when the time can least be spared. The Republicans knew that the heavy Democratic vote was polled in those districts in which the popu-lation was most scattered. Another thing they counted on was the fact that the same election which sent them to the Legislature likewise elected Repub-lican county commissioners. As it was

lican county commissioners. As it was made the duty of these county commis-sioners to fix the places of registration these commissioners fixed the registration offices in the surely Republican presincts, and as far away as possible from the Demo-cratic strongholds. The Democratic managers have sent men all over the territory to see that every Democrat entitled to vote was registered. T. C. Power, the Republican can-didate for governor, is a govern-ment contractor who supplies the military posts and Indian agencies, and be is not at all a popular candidate, while J. K. Toole, the Democratic no minee, is a Coops of Lower End Farmers Visited RAWLINSVILLE, Sept. 16 .- H. K. Hershey, one of Rawlinsville's enterprising very popular man with an excellent re-cord. T. H. Carter, the Republican candi-date for Congress, will run better than the head of the ticket, but his Democratic admerchants, is closing out his large line of store goods. Mr. Hershey intends moving to Washington territory about January 1st, versary, Martin Maginnis, is a strong man where he intends engaging in the mercanand is making a vigorous canvass. The tariff plank in the Democratic platform has effectually silenced the clamor on free T. J. Shirk and J. M. Barton have started tarin plank in the Democratic platform has effectually silenced the clamor on free trade. Here it is: We repudiate the allegation that the Democratic party favors free trade. Reve-nue for the needs of the government must a cigar factory here. They employ four hands. Amos H. Kauffman, who lives east of the camp ground, had ten fine ducks stolen from him during the campmeeting. Ivan Silverthorn had eight chickens stolen. Martin Brenberger also had eleven fine dickens stolen be raised by a tariff upon imports, but the duty should be so adjusted that every sec-tion and every industry shall enjoy equal-An adonis of a "coon," who revels in the high sounding name of John Henry Steveity under the law, that trusts and monopo lies shall be prevented and labor protected and industries encouraged. In common enson, has begun house-keeping in a hut close by this village with a white woman. with all the American people we demand such a revision of the tariff as will do away The white woman is good looking and re-puted to be well connected. Much indig-nation is felt in the community and fears are entertained of White Caps paying John Henere a dist with unnecessary taxation, prevent a dan-gerous and demoralizing surplus, reduce the cost of the necessaries of life, while af-fording perfect protection to American Henry a visit, Geo. Farmer, who lives in the northern labor.

LETTERS FROM LEADERS. EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND AND OTHERS RE-

The Secretary of the Young Men's Demo cratic Society Receives Letters of Regret From Eminent Democrats.

PLY TO INVITATIONS.

The following letters have been received in answer to letters of invitation to the reception of the Young Men's Democratic clety of Lancaster at their new club rooms

Wednesday evening : BANGS, STETSON, TRACY & MACVEAGH, Attorneys and Counsellors at Law, & William Street, New York, SEPTEMBER, 10, 1880.

G. Ross Eshleman, esq., Secretary: DEAR SIR: I have just returned from a long vacation and find on my table your invitation to attend the reception of the Young Men's Democratic Society on the 17th thetatet. 17th instant.

17th instant. I desire to return thanks for this invita-tion and I regret that an accumulation of things to do will prevent my being present. Hoping that the occasion may be pleas-ant and aid in the advancement of the Dependence of the second Democratic cause, I am, Yours very truly, GROVER CLEVELAND.

LEXINOTON, Ky., Sept. 7th, 1889. My DEAR SIR: I regret that it is impos-sible for me to accept the invitation to be with the "Young Men's Democratic club." on the evening of the 17th inst., when its members celebrate the opening of its new club room. The platform adopted by the recent Demo-

The platform adopted by the recentDemo-cratic convention of Pennsylvania—follow-ing so closely after the adoption of the Ohio platform—demonstrates the essential unity of the national Democracy upon the econo-mic questions which divide the country and on which our ultimate triumph is cer-tain. With such clubs as yours and upon such principles, cannot Pennsylvania resume her old place at the head of the Democratic column 7 With cordial good wishes I am, Very Truly, WM. C. P. BRECKINRIDGE. G. Ross ESHLEMAN, esq.

G. Ross ESHLEMAN, esq., Corr. Sec'y., Lancaster, Pa.

#### CLEARFIELD, Pa., Sept. 16.

CLEARTIELD, Pa., Sepl. 16. G. Ross Eshiemon, Eq., Corr. See y. DEAR SIR—Thanks for your kind invita-tion to be present at the opening of your new club rooms on Wednesday, Sept. 18. I would be delighted to accept, but I fear a prior engagement will prevent my at-tendance. Lancaster hospitality is pro-verbial and I know I would spend a pleas-ant and profitable evening if I could be with you. Very truly yours, E. A. BIOLER.

STATE OF NEW YORK, EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, ALBANY, Sept. 9, 1880. G. Ross Eshleman, Esq., Corresponding Secretary de., Lancaster, Pa.

DEAR SIR : Governor Hill desires me to

DEAR SIR: Governor Hill desires me to acknowledge your letter of recent date, conveying to him, on behalf of the Young Men's Democratic society, of Lancaster, an invitation to be present at the reception to be given on the afternoon of September 17th. The courtesy thus extended is greatly appreciated by the governor, but he regrets that other engagements already made are such that it will not be possible for him to attend. attend.

Expressing his best wishes for the suc-Lam, very respectfully yours, WM. G. RICE, Private Secretary.

NATIONAL ABSOCIATION OF DEMOCRATIC CLUBS, YORK, PA., Sept. 6, 1889. My DEAR SIR—I have just received yours of yesterday covering kind invitation to be with the Young Men's Democratic society of Lancaster at the opening of their new club rooms, September 17th. It gives me the greatest possible pleasure to accept this invitation, and I shall be on hand, unless

#### "BLACKLEGS" ATTACKED. Dockman Drive Them From Work-The Disturbance Finally Quelled.

VETERANS AT MANHEIM

FOURTH ANNUAL REUNION OF THE COUNTY

GRAND ARMY MEN.

A Large Parade Witnessed By Many

People-Speeches By Rev. W. J.

Johnson and Capt. Dennes.

MANHEIN, Sopt. 17.—The fourth annual retunion of the Grand Army posts of Lan-caster county in this borough to-day with a great success. All Manheim and the

urrounding country turned out to well

the veterans and there were great throng on ithe streets. All the business bottom

and many private residences were decca

Cassel. Liberty band of Manheim. George H. Thomas Post drum corps, Wash R. Potts, leader. George H. Thomas Post, No. 84, 121 men. Capt. Charles Denues in command of guar and J. D. Landis in command of post. Drum corps.

Drum corps. George H. Thomas Camp, No. 19, Sons of Veterans, 20 members, Ira J. Barton, com-

NOTES OF THE DAY.

Lieut. Wm. Childs Post had a hands

The Elizabethtown Post carried a has

The Enizabethfown Post carried a hand some flag, containing 42 stars. It was the gift of E. K. Martin, esq., to the post. There were over 600 excursionists on the Laucaster train. The Columbia train was

also crowded. Wash Potts' drum corps made a hit in playing "Where did you get that hat "? The young ladies of Manheim wore sashes of the national colors, in honor of

NEW COONS IN TOWN.

A Car Load of " Mokes " From Colum-

bla at a Hearing. There is not room enough in Columbia

blast a flearing. There is not room enough in Columbia for the coons who want law and they now come to Lancaster to bring their suita. This forencon South Queen street, about the installation of the suita street is a street of the installation of the street is a street of the was that there was a big hearing stable Andy Eicholtz went to Columbia and with the assistance of Billy Wittlek arrest is and a street of the street of the street of the is an anow in the street of the street of the is a street of the street of the street of the work of the street of the street of the street of the work of the street of the street of the street of the of elevision of the street of the street of the street of the of the street of the street of the street of the street of the of the street of the str

Bob Younger, the Outlaw, Dead. Bob Younger, the Missouri outlaw, diel in prison at Stillwater, Minn., of cousump-four years, after an imprisonment of thitteen years. When he teg in to feel the end approach he told Jian and Cole, bis brother, also serving life sentences, to remain as he had but two or three hours to live. He sank gradually, kept his mental faculties up to the last breath and bade his brothers and sister goodby. — — — Mander always asserted that Bob he Youngers always asserted that Bob exernation, except the Northfield affair.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 17.-- Far Eastern Pennsylvania: Rain,

lower temperature, southwes

winds.

Bob Younger, the Outlaw, Daad.

with bunting and presented a

appearance.

Cassel.

LONDON, Sept. 17 .- Noon-The advice of the leaders of the strike to the dock laborers to observe all provisions of the agreement under which they returned to work appears to have been quite effectual. Early this morning the men appeared at the decks and generally went to work peaceably with the "blacklegs." Very few men assembled outside the docks and they were quiet. There were, however, some cases of dis-

turbance. The strikers and "blacklegs" on the Southwest India dock became involved in a dispute, and the men who had been on strike drove the "blacklegs" out of the dock. The police interfered and quelled the disturbance. The strikers then withdrew, and the "blacklegs" resumed appearance,
 The arrangements for the reunion were in charge of a different committee, and a committee of General Heintzelman Post, and the committee of this joint committee were Abram Kline, president; H. S. Danner, vice president; S. S. Nees, corresponding secretary, and Dr. J. M. Dunlap, treasurer. Grand Army posts began arriving on the early morning trains, regular and special, and by 9:30 all had arrived, and were formed in line on South Charlotte street in the following order:
 Chief marshal, H. L. Haldeman, of Liout, Wm. H. Childs Post, Marietta.
 Aids-C, Bear, B. S. Houser, John Ha Apple, Capt. J. F. Diehm, A. L. Loanneck, C. J. Reiff, Abram Cooper, H. H. Cassel. work.

When the striking workmen were about to resume work at Albert dock they found a number of "blacklegs" employed on the dock. The strikers made an attack on the 'black legs" and chased them from shed to shed. Several of the "blacklegs" received injuries which necessitated their removal to the hospital. The men who made the ussault were discharged. The directors of the dock companies threaten a general lockout if the men do not live up to the erms of the agreement their representa-

tives have signed. AFTERNOON-The disturbances among the dock laborers have been quelled. Work has been fully resumed on the Victoria and West India docks. There has been no further molestation of " blacklegs" on the part of the strikers.

### COULDN'T KILL A PIG.

In English Expert Finds Electricity

Not a Doath Dealer. LONDON, Sept. 17.—In the discussion be-fore the British association on the subject

George H. Thomas Camp, No. 10, Sons or Veterans, 20 members, Ira J. Barton, com-manding: Metropolitan band of Columbia. Gen. Welsh Post, No. 118, Columbia. 107 men, Dr. T. M. Livingston, commander. Denver band. Major Redsceker Post, No. 152, Lincoin, Daniel K, Saylor commander, 19 men. Citizens' band of Maytown. Lieut. Wm. H. Childs Post, No. 223, Ma-rietta, 35 men, Wm. M. Smedley, com-mander. John Hipple post, No. 353, Bainbridge, 20 men, M. A. Smith, commander. Iroquois band. Admiral Reynolds post, No. 405, Lancas-ter, 50 men, Dr. J. S. Smith, commander. Strasburg Cornet band. Capt. Neff post, No. 406, Strasburg, 20 men, John F. Russel, commander. Elizabethiown band. John M. Good post, No. 592, 25 men, Dr. S. R. Nissley, commander. of electricity, Mr. W. H. Preece, chief electrician of the postoffice department, said that the act recently passed by the New York Legislature providing for the execution of condemned murderers by electricity would have to be rescinded. He claimed that it was impossible to get a current of sufficient intensity to kill a man with certainty. He had experimented with an enormous induction coil and had tried with a spark twenty inches long to kill a pig, but could not. He knew of several instances of persons taking shocks and who were at the time supposed to have been killed, but were afterward quite well. He said that the sensational reports published in the newspapers about people being killed by shocks from electric wires had

### A Defaulter Confesse

upon investigation been found to be non-

sense.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich., Sept. 17.-Robert Laughlin, superintendent of the Saginaw, Tuscola & Huron railway, tendered his resignation on Saturday. An informal talk as to his probable successor brought prom-inently forward the name of Charles M. Rice, auditor and general freight and passenger agent of the road, a young man who has worked up from an inferior position, and in whom unlimited confidence has been placed. Realizing that the change contemplated would result in the election of another auditor and an expose of his books, Rice confessed to a defalcation of \$8,000. Rice gives no explanation of his conduct, only admitting that he needed the money and took it expecting to return it in the future.

KANSAS CITY, MO., st. 17.-Alic Dyke, on trial for the third time for the murder of John Hamilton, two years ago, was acquitted last night. The first trial resulted in conviction and a sentence of 15 years in the penitentiary. The second jury could not arrive at a verdict, and the third last night rendered a verdict of "not guilty." The prisoner claimed self-defense trom robbery.

Acquitted After Three Trials.

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John M. Good post, No. 502, 25 men, Dr.
S. R. Nissley, commander.
Edon band.
Winfield Scott Bierly Post, No. 511, 30 men, H. Siple, commander.
Lift drum corps.
Stevens Post No. 517, Littliz, 40 men, Captain John R. Bricker, commander.
Ephrata cornet band.
Lieut Leach Post, No. 523, Ephrata, 30 men, A. B. Benar, commander.
General Heintzeiman Post No. 300, Maxmelein, 46 men, S. M. Long, commander.
The parade moved over the following route: North on Charlotte to Colebrootige of the North Prussian, south to Bilege, cast to South Charlotte, south to Elige, cast to South Charlotte, south to Elige, and the local committee of arrangements.
After the above route had been good over the visiting of the citizens of Manheim and the local committee of arrangements.
After the above route had been good over the visiting of the stand, army men were reviewed by Congressman Brostus, Col. D. B. Case, Medical Director J. A. E. Bennar, and here the Grand Army men were reviewed by Congressman Brostus, Col. B. Stase, Medical Director J. A. E. Bennar, and here the Grand Army men were reviewed by Congressman Brostus, Col. B. Case, Medical Director J. A. E. Bennar, and here the Grand Army men were reviewed by Congressman Brostus, Col. B. Case, Medical Director J. A. E. Bennar, and here the Grand Army men were reviewed by Congressman Brostus, Col. B. Case, Medical Director J. A. E. Bennar, and here the Grand Army men were reviewed by Congressman Brostus, Col. B. Case, Medical Director J. A. E. Bennar, and here the grand Army men were reviewed by Congressman Brostus, Col. B. Case, Medical Director J. A. E. Bennar, and here the grand army men were reviewed by Congressman Brostus, Col. B. B. Case, Medical Director J. Joinson. The response on the part of the Grand Army men were response on the part of the citizens of Manheim and General Heintzelman post, was delivered by Rev

#### ODD FELLOWS IN SESSION.

Meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge In Columbus, Ohlo.

The hall of the House of Representatives in Columbus, Ohio, presents a brilliant scene with its decorations of all colors of

scene with its decorations of all colors of the rainbow, prepared for the great event of Odd Fellowship. The Sovereign Grand Lodge met on Mcn-day with the following grand officers present: John C. Underwood, grand sire, Columbus, O.; Charles M. Busbee, deputy grand sire, Raleigh, N. C.; Theodore A. Ross, grand sceretary, Columbus, O.; Isaac A. Sheparard, grand treasurer. Philadelphia. Hoss, grand secretary, Columbus, O.; Isaac A. Sheppard, grand treasurer, Philadelphia, Pa; Allen Jenks, assistant grand secretary, Columbus, O.; Rev, J. W. Venable, grand chaplain, Hopkinsville, Ky.; John H. Albin, grand marshal, Concord, N. H.; John N. Perkins, grand guardian, Chelsea, Mass.; W. H. Frazler, grand messenger, Washington, D. C.

Washington, D. C. The grand sire made his report. This shows that the annual increase of member-ship is larger by several thousand than that reported for a similar period during the last is years. the last 15 years.

The report from the adjutant general's files up to September 1st shows that there are 47 Patriarch Militant Departments, 546 component cantons, 3 band cantons, that 3,165 chevaliers have been made ; that there are 19,223 canton members and that the value of military outfit and other assets of

e cantons is \$782,528.82. The report of Grand Secretary Ross for the United States shows that the aggegate totals of the expenses of subordinate bodies, separate from benefits and charities, for the year 1888, and the amount of ined funds December 31, 1888, as follows vested funds December 31, 1888, as follows: Grand Lodges, total current expenses, \$1,-775,689,73; invested funds, \$14,606,285,59. Grand encampments, total current ex-penses, \$119,055,11; invested funds, \$1,072,-689,79. Number of grand lodges, \$4; grand encampments, 45; subordinate lodges, 8,534, an increase of 203 over 1887; subordinate encampments. A64, 2001; increase 43. Rebekah encampments, 2,091; increase 43. Rebekah degree lodges, 1,763; increase, 255. Lodge initiations, 55,112; increase, 2,781. Encamp-ment initiations, 11,515; increase, 27,830; encamp-ment members, 106,972; increase, 55,230; Rebekah degree lodge members, 96,436; in-crease, 16,871. During the year the lodge paid out for relief of members, \$2,252,020,26; increase over 1887, \$133,526,91; relief ex-tended by encampments, \$225,444,21; in-crease, \$9,809,45; by Rebekah lodges, \$21,-815,76; increase, \$1,141,85; total paid out for relief, \$2,501,820,23; an increase of \$147,51',-21, encampments, 2,091; increase 43. Rebekah

Eight thousand Odd Fellows arrived in Columbus on Monday, among them dele-gates from Ontario, Nova Scotia, Winnipeg, Switzerland, Denmark and England.

Monday morning there was a reception at the Board of Trade rooms. Speeches were made by Governor Foraker, Mayor Bruck and others. The city is one vast sea of decorations, and the scene in beauty resembles the G. A. R. encampment of year ago.

Murdered By His Nieco. Frank Amos, one of the most prominent citizens of Morgan county, Ohio, was mur-dered at his home by a Mrs. Hamton, his niece, who literally backed his face and head to pieces with a butcher kuife which be had carried for works atwardly for she had carried for weeks avowedly to that purpose. Amos was picking berries in a field with his wife when the attack was made. She and a man who was passing on the road were attracted by his cries and reached him only in time to see him breathe his last and to see Mrs. Hanton and her daughter run away. The murder grew out of a lawsuit in which the testiony of Amos threw the costs on Mrs Hamton.

Base Ball Notes. The games of ball yesterday were : Phil-delphia 3, Boston 2 ; New York 12, Washington 4 ; Indianapolis 4, Chicago 3,

There were only three League games yeste day, but they were enough to put New York shead of Boston for the champion-

volver and was taken at once to jail. It was thought that Joe could not be taken alive. Shots were fired into the brush. Joe was found behind a log with two 38-calibre re-volvers, fully loaded, on him. The other with two empty chambers lying on the log. A rope was procured, and lynching would have followed, but a leader was lacking. Old man Nicely, the father of the despera-does, came to Somersct from his home in Ligonic Valley at noon. He was ordered to leave and did so immediately. Two more 38-calibre revolvers were found in a water closet of the jail, and over fifteen rounds of ammunition on the Nicelys. The

In a water close of the jail, and over intern rounds of ammunition on the Nicelys. The plot had been carefully planned. It is known that the Nicelys have accomplices, who must have pussed in the weapons through the air slots in the jail wall.

### Granted By the Register.

The following letters were granted by the register of wills for the week ending Tuesday, September 17 :

ADMINISTRATION.— Stephen C. Pinker-ton, deceased, late of Mt. Joy borough; Wm. J. Pinkerton, Mt. Joy, administrator, Susan Pinkerton, deceased, late of Mt. Joy; J. Woods Pinkerton, Wayne, Wayne, Joy; J. Woods Pinkerton, Delaware county, administrator. Franklin C. Arnold, deceased, late of

Manheim borough; Ida M. Arnold, Manheim, administratrix. Philip F. Blessing, deccased, late of Lancaster city; Wm. C. Kneezel, city,

administrator c. t. a. Rebecca Evans, deceased, late of East Hempfield township : John Evans, East Hempfield, administrator c. t. a.

TESTAMENTARY.— Mary Snyder, de-ceased, late of East Donegal township; Frank Blessing, East Donegal, executor. Henry N. Landis, deceased, late of East Lampeter township: Jacob S. Landis, East Lampeter, and Dr. Henry Landis, Reading,

John Baker, deceased, late of Millersville; Amos Baker, Millersville, executor. G. H. Walter, deceased, late of Sadsbury;

Mr. Scott Evans has a stalk of corn growing in his field that is thirteen feet ten inches high. Brinton Walter and Sadsbury, executors. Walter and B. Frank Walter Potatoes are rotting to that extent that some farmers do not think it worth while

#### Tracy to Whitney.

The following telegram received on Monday by ex-secretary of the navy

# Whitn ey explains itself: "NAVY DEPARTMENT,

Supt. Sweigard Sentenced.

six months' imprisonment. The judge told counsel for the defendants he would not

enforce the impriso ment before he had time to get his writ of error and an order

from the supreme court admitting to bail.

'ounsel said the fence would be down in

Deputy Marshal Nagle Released.

Judge Sawyer, in the United States cir-uit court in San Francisco on Monday

on his own recognizance, with bonds fixed

Lost a Coat.

ance policy which is no good to anybody but the owner, a receipt book and some

insur

Cramp & Sons.

at \$5,000.

other things.

A train of seven cars going south from Elmira, New York, Monday evening, ran "NAVY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, September 16. W. C. WHITNEY, late secretary of the Navy; Permit me to congratulate you in the magnificent performance of the Baltimore, BENJAMIN F. TRACY." into an engine at Tioga Junction, Pa., caus-ing a bad wreck. The wreck caught fire and the injured passengers were with diffi-culty rescued. Two persons were killed— Eugene Daighne, newsboy, and Henry Oliver, of Union, New York—and 13 per-one were injured none fitally. magnificent performance of the Baltimore. BENJAMIN F. TRACY." Mr. Whitney has been severely criti-cised by partisan journals for using for several of the new cruisers plans prepared by the most noted and experienced British experts. The plan of the Balti-more was designed by W. H. White, now chief need need to the British ad-

sons were injured, none fatally.

# Malleton Restored to Power.

to reap their crops.

The latest advices from Samoa are that chief naval constructor of the British ad-miralty, but the engines were designed by Malietoa was quietly restored to power, and that he and Mataafa have gone to the Island of Monono, where they will remain antil the decisions of the Berlin conference have been confirmed. The German con-sul at Apia notified Tamasese that Germany Supt. Sweigard Schtenced. Judge Finletter, of Philadelphia, on Monday overruled the motion for a new trial in the prosecution against the Phila-delphia & Reading railroad company and Isaac A. Sweigard, as superintendent of that company, convicted of maintaining a nuisance in the shape of a fence creeted along a part of the line of the railroad in Port Richmond. The defendants were fined \$1,000 and Mr. Sweigard seutenced to six months imprisonment. The index told was precluded from giving support to any party on the island.

# James II. Jacobs' Case.

The Jacobs case will be argued before the board of pardons late this afternoon. The application before the board is for a commutation of the death sentence to imprisonment. The commonwealth will be represented at the argument by District Attorney Weaver and E. K. Martin and the lefendant by J. Hay Brown and B. Frank Eshleman.

All the testimony taken before John W. Apple, notary public, will be read at the argument. A decision is not expected for several days.

Inspecting a Bridge. where the state was allowed by the court, was allowed by the court, was allowed by the court, was been allowed by the court, and pending an appeal to the United States supreme court, was allowed by the state supreme court, was contered released on his own resonance with bands fixed by the court of the states supreme court. S. C. Slaymaker, city, James Hagen and Thos. Armstrong, of Martic township, are inspecting to-day the new iron bridge over Kelly's creek, near McCall's Ferry. The county commissioners are also present at the inspection.

# The Sast Claimed.

The sash found by Officer Roads on Saturday evening on West King street has been claimed by Mrs. Henry Luckenbach, who lost it while shopping. Albert Steele, a slater employed at the new market house, hung his coat up yes-terday when he went to work, and at noon it was missing, having been stolen or taken by mistake. In it was a \$1,000 life insur-

Back Again.

A. F. Lechler, who has been visiting in Baltimore for four weeks past, has returned home, and he speaks in the highest terms of his trip.

'RANCH 10 " AT THE OPERA HOUSE. t is Produced by a Very Good Company

Headed by J. Clinton Hall. Last night's weather was hard to brave

but quite a large crowd went out in it to see the somewhat familiar play of "Ranch 10," which was presented at the opera

10," which was presented at the opera house. The house was very full, the gallery being packed by over six hundred yelling men and boys. This play was given here years ago by Harry Meredith, the author, who made a great success in it, J. Clinton Hail, a well known actor, has succeeded him, and he was the star of last night's company. He did splendidly as Al McClellond and Tom MetClellond, the wins. The company that supports him is At all transmission and the supports him is strong and Walter Osmond, as *Red Balle'*, the villain, Joseph A. Daly as the *Judge*, Mrs. Hall as *Lucretia Smalley* and Mabel Leonard as *Annie Smalley* were all that could be desired. The play was produced with come anonerristic sensory which the with very appropriate scenery, which the company carries. The piece was so well received last night that the company will present it again this evening.

### The Deadly Wire Again.

The Deadly Wire Again. In New York, on Monday night, John Powers, an employe of the Brush Electric Light company, mounted a ladder to repair a wire, and thoughtlessly caught hold of a " live" wire for support. For some min-utes he hung there, while sparks from the wire flew around him. Suddenly his hold of the wire relaxed and he tumbled back-ward to the sidewalk and struck the rayward to the sidewalk, and struck the pavement on his head. He died within an hour,

#### They Had a Fight

Last night Mike Gumpf and NathanWappenstein engaged in a fight at the Pennsylvania railroad station. Gumpf hit the other man a terrible smash in the eye blackening it very badly, and the result was that both went to the station house with Chief Smeltz and Officer Glass. This morning they were discharged on the payment of costs.

"Bones" Zell, the backman, who is charged with stealing a satchel from Mrs. Margaret Fritz, who was a passenger in his back, was heard before Alderman Deen last evening. He was held in bail for trial

at court. They Will Get a Turnout.

The street committee held a meeting last evening, and they agreed to recommend to councils the granting of permission to the

Lancaster street railway company to make a turnout on Duke street, below Walnut. There was soing objection to the turnout above Walnut street, but none below.

### Killed a Big Snake.

Mike Welch and Harry Doebler were out in the country on Sunday and they came across a black snake near Harnish's Station which measured four feet in acouth. They killed it and brought it to t

invitation, and I shall be on hend, thing very unexpected occurs.

### Very truly yours, Cr CHAUNCEY F. BLACK.

# ROOMS OF THE YOUNG REPUBLICANS, LANCASTER, PA., Sept. 12, 1889.

LANCASTER, PA., Sept. 12, 1889. f G. Ross Exhleman, Corresponding Secretary Young Mea's Democratic Society: DEAR SIR—In reply to your very kind invitation, to our club, to participate in the formal opening of your new club rooms, would say, that at our regular stated meet-ing held this evening, we have accepted the invitation, with the bost of feeling and suc-cess to your undertaking. Very respectfully,

Very respectfully, CHAS. M. HEITSHU, See'y Pro Tem. See'y Pro Tem. The above is in reply to an invitation exended to the Young Republicans.

#### Boy Lost and Found.

About 10 o'clock this morning a message was sent to the police station that a child had been found wandering on East Walnut street, and could be had at the house of Mr. John Baumgardner. About 11:30 Dr. Frantz called and stated that a boy of his had wandered away from home, and the chief directed him to call set Mr. Baum-gardner's, which he did, and found his lost one. About 10 o'clock this morning a message me.

### An Old Lady Injured.

Mrs. Mary Sloan, who is ninety years of age to-day, was soverely injured on Monday evening. She lives with her son-in-law, James L. Messenkop, 15 Middle street, and about 5 o'clock her daughter found her at the bottom of the stairway. Mrs. Sloan fell down a short flight of stairs, injuring her back quite severely. She was tenderly placed in bod and will be confined there several days.

### Gone to Philadelphia.

Daniel Hartman, who for many years ha seen one of the best known locomotive engineers on the Pennsylvania railroad, and who for many years has resided on Prince street, this city, has moved to Philadelphia He has accepted a position in the Fair-mount Park car shops. His son Edward will be employed at the same place and he has also moved to the Quaker city.

### Left For College.

Frank J. Biemensderfer left to-day to ake his second course as a physician at the University of Pennsylvania, in Philadel He gave a banquet to numerous phia. friends at his father's hotel, the Lancaste County house, last evening, and they had fine time.

Don Duffy, of Marietta, left this morning for Swarthmore college.

#### Went to Manhelm.

ter to-day and subpensed the following witnesses of the shooting of the colored porter on the Fast Line west. There are three charges against the prisoner, Charles D. Chambers. They are carrying concealed Went to Manheim. This morning quite a large crowd of Grand Army men and their friends left for Manheim to attend the reunion of the county posts. Post 405 was headed by the froquois band in their street parade to the outer depot. Post 54 had Potts' drum corps, and they were followed by Capt. Neff Post, Strasburg, with the Strasburg band. The train was crowded with people.

#### surprised at Forty.

Norris Bailey, foreman of Downey's bending works on Harrisburg avenue, was forty years old yesterday. In the evening he was surprised by a large number of his employes, who went to his home on North a dich between the tracks this forenoon. As a street car approached he raised his head and received a blow. If the driver had not quickly applied the brake the man might have been killed; as it was he was not seriously infured. Queen street and had a highly enjoyable time.

#### To Succeed Bishop Reinke.

A dispatch from Bethlchem, Fa., says : The balloting for member of the governing board of the Moravian church in America, to succeed the late Bishop Reinke, took place there on Monday and resulted in the election, by a large majority, of the Rey. Augustus Schultze, of Bethlohem.

#### Subponas in Divorce Granted.

In court this morning subpoenas in di-vorce were granted to Chas. B. against Katie M. Strine, city, for adultery, and Mary E. Reissinger a jainst Lease Reissinger, for cruel treatment.

#### Married Forty Years.

James L. Messenkop, the well-known watchman, and his wife, yesterday cele-brated the fertieth anniversary of their did not have the money to get it. Hahn gave him \$6 for that purpose and he never wedding, returned.

### TELEGRAPHIC TAPS.

race, and a musical concert on the grand stand in market square. At four o'clock there was a dross parade, at 6 o'clock there will be a sham battle in the Manheim driving park, and at 8 o' lock a tampfire in Market square. Gov. Beaver has appointed William Spencer, of Minersville, trustee of the Ashand hospital. George H. Thomas Post had the largest number of men in line. Gen. Welsh Post, of Columbia, presented a handsome appearance. Each one had in a bottonhole of his coat a bunch of Low Hartman's choice flower, "the gold ea-red."

The Empress Frederick, of Germany, is seriously ill. The London news agency has a letter signed "Jack the Ripper" announcing that another murder will soon take place. In a brutal prize fight in St. Louis las

hight Thomas E. Jackson, aged 18, received injuries in the twelfth round which have resulted in his death. Ex-Secretary Whitney replies as fol-

lows to Secretary Tracey's congratulatory dispatch concerning the Baltimore: "Many thanks for your kind dispatch. I have felt certain the result would be satisfactory as I do also that you continue to raise the standard and in time register much higher results than these."

### Death of an English Divine.

the Grand Army boys. There were over 500 veterans in line, and There were over 500 veterans in line, and considering the weather, it was a good turnout. Thirteen organizations took part in the demonstration. The local committee of arrangements were active in their efforts to make the visit of the veterans a pleasant one. A number of the members of George H. Hess Post, of Safe Harbor, paraded with Gen. Welsh Post of Columbia. Gen. Gobin, of Lebanon, and Capt. Ma-gee, of Wrightsville, who were expected, did not put in an appearance. The rain probably kept them away. The pupils of the Mt. Joy orphan school, who were to take part in the parade, were kept away by the rain. LONDON, Sept. 17 .- The Rt. Rev. John Fielder Mackarness, D. D., lately bishop of Oxford, is dead. Howas born December 3, 1820, and was a brother-in-law of Lord Coleridge.

"Old Hutch" Heid Up by Footpads. The many times a millionaire, B. P. Hutchinson, better known as "Old Hutch," the great manipulator of the grain market, was the victim of footpads in Chicago early Monday morning.

was the victim of footpads in Chicago early Monday morning. He had just left his office, where he spent the night, presumably devising some new scheme for a squeezo on the Board of Trade, and was quietly sauntering home. At the corner of Van Buren street and Pacific avenue the old gentleman was sud-denly accosted by two tough looking mer-who demanded his money or his life. Mr. Hutchinson threw up his hands without a murmur, while the highwaymen scarched his pockets. Immediately on their leaving him the venerable financier yelled lustily, "Police!" Several officers responded, but the bootyless thieves escaped. the bootyless thieves escaped.

#### The Railroad Shooting Case A. B. Rote, a Pennsylvania railroad de tective from Harrisburg, came to Lancas-

deadly weapons, felonious entry, and felo-nious assault and battery with intent to kill. The witnesses subpenaed were chief of Police Smeltz and Officer Boas. The

time of trial is Sept. 25, at 9 a.m., at Har-

His Head Almost Knocked Off.

Lemon street, was at work a ditch between the tracks

it was he was not seriously injured.

Smucked Her Mouth.

Mrs. Mary Hutton has been sued before

Alderman Hershey for assault and battery

by Sallie Stevens. She gave ball for a hearing. The accused is said to have smacked the other woman's mouth.

Charged With False Pretonse

Michael Boos was prosecuted before Alderman Halbach by John F. Hahn this

A man working for D. H. Miller,

plumber on North Queen, right above

risburg.