ROOMS FULL OF RELICS. THE COLLECTION OF GEORGE H. DANNER. OF MANHEIM, INTERESTING.

A Large Number of Persons View Ancient Articles on Grand Army Day. Some Things Several Centuries Old.

Mr. George H. Danner, merchant, whose place of business is on Market Square, Manbeim borough, is the possessor of relies of which any historical society might feel

proud.

About fifteen years ago, having a number of family relies scattered about his home, he decided to arrange them in order, and for that purpose he fitted up a museum on the third floor of his store room. This room is filled the autosities from every clime and of of his store room. This room is filled with curiosities from every clime and of all ages, but the majority are articles of the last century or older. The size of the museum is 14 by, 36 feet. His relies increased so rapidly that a year ago there was no more room, and he then fitted up as an annex a room as large as the museum proper. All the exhibits are systematically arranged, and Mr. Danner takes great pride in exhibiting them to those who call to see them. n Tuesday there was a constant throng

sightseers, and among them a repre-ntative of the INTELLIGENCER. He was ndly received by Mr. Danner, and though that gentleman was almost worn although that gentleman was almost worn out by numerous explanations to those who called earlier in the day, he willingly pointed out the most notable articles on exhibition and went over their history

minutely.

It would be almost an impossibility to describe all the rare articles seen and the reporter jotted down a few, a description of which might interest the readers of the

First on the list is a book by Luther, a comment on the ten commandments, published in 1520. The book is in an excellent state of preservation. There are also in the book line manuscripts in German on relig-ious topics, which are two centuries old, and another religious work published in 1508.

Next on the list is a spinning wheel, which has passed its century mark.

A cupboard bearing the initials "D. F.,"
which through tradition Mr. Danner has
learned was made by Daniel Fagar, 37

learned was made by Daniel Fagar, 37 years ago.

A cup used at the reception of Lafayette in Lancaster in 1824 is one of the relics highly prized by Mr. Danner.

Next is a collection of articles that Mr. Danner prizes so highly that no inducement offered would make him part with them. These are the cradle in which his grandmother was rocked, his grandmother's sewing chair, the bedstead and clothing used on it. The identical pillow slips are now on this bed that were placed there 121 years ago. They have never ere 121 years ago. They have never een washed. This bedstead, dressed. been washed. This bedstead, dressed, ready for occupancy, the cradic and chair occupy a prominent corner in the museum.

Tiles, imported by Baron Stiegel and taken from the fireplace of his mansion, are fine pieces of work.

prominent place.

The samples of glass work made by Stiegel, at Manheim in 1767, show that the glass industry was well understood in

ose early days. Mr. Danner has china which descended to him from his great-great grandmother. It is 170 years old. He also shows a china bowl, for which \$74 in Continental money

One of the relies highly prized by him is a clarionet made by his father in 1828.

Another delicate piece of work is a globe, which was made by his father over half a century ago. The countries on this globe were drawn by his uncle with a quill pen, and so fine is the work that it looks as if it is printed. printed. Among the relics are a Masonic plate and

master Mason. These are very old.

A Bible that has been 160 years in the family and weighs 261 pounds, and another Bible, also very old, that weighs 30 pounds.

A case of relics picked up on the battle-field of Gettysburg has a conspicuous place on the wall. The gathering of these relics first put Mr. Danner in the notion of making a collection of relics. A clock made by Gen. Heintzleman's father in Manheim, occuries one of the corners. It

Manheim, occupies one of the corners. It is over a century old. Two zithers, made in Manheim 75 years ago, and a boquet made of sea shells in the Baltimore penitentiary, are among the

The baptismal cortificate of his grandmother, bearing date 1781, hangs on the

Among the valuable articles may noted a Swiss clock, made out of a sclid piece of oak. There are only two of these

piece of oak. There are only two of these clocks in this country. The other is owned by Mr. Drexel, of Philadelphia.

A cut glass wine decanter, brought to Manheim by Father Reigel when helocated there many years ago, is highly prized. Of China he has dozens of specimens, many of which are very old. They are tastefully arranged in the forms of crosses, circles and squares. circles and squares.

Mr. Danner never fails to call attention to work done by his grandmother when she was 14 years old. It is on perforated board and painted in water colors. IN THE ANNEX.

The first article to attract attention in the The first article to attract attention in the annex is an immense lock, taken from an old penitentiary. This article is very old. A sword carried by one of Lafayette's officers occupies a space on the wall.

A mong the Johnstown relies are a pair of children's shoes, picked up after the flood, a policeman's mace and part of a lock from the Huriburt house.

A broadaxe, made in 1771, used for hewing locs in the days when log cabins were

ing logs in the days when log cabins were the fashion, is one of the interesting ex-

There are numerous Indian relics, se-A wood stove, cast at the Elizabeth furnace, at Brickerville, in 1769, weighing 615

A number of images and pottery, the work of the Aztec race, and a collection of

Marine insects.

A solid mahogaby table, 120 years old, and was once owned by Baron Steigel.

A tumbler made in 1760 and a set of Brit-

A tumbrer made in 1700 and a set of Briania made 150 years ago.

A peculiar ware in Mr. Danner's collection is what is termed redware, silvered. This ware was made in 1773 and the art of silvering it has been lost for a century.

A china plate from France is double and in the one apartment hot water can be put to keep the food warm.

The third clock, made in Manheim, occupies a corner. It is a century old.

A spinnet attracts attention. The music from this instrument is similar to that of a piano. It was made in London in 1768.

An organ with 175 stops, made in Manheim a century ago, by Emanuel Dyer, a cabinetmaker, is also a curiosity. The music from it is fine. There is a coffee mill, once the property of one of the first settlers of Manheim.

A peculiar toy in the collection is the Chinese thimble player. It is a good imitation of the three-card monte man's game. It is operated with sand.

A piane over 100 years old, made in Dres-en, by Roswinmon, is an excellent in

There are dozens of other articles worthy of description, but want of space prevents.

Mr. Danner intends to have a catalogue
of his articles prepared, with a history of
each one. It will make an interesting vol-

Mr. Danner invites all cailers to register their names, and his record shows tha many hundred people have availed them selves of the opportunity to see his fine col-

Nominated For Governor.

The Republican state convention of New Jersey met on Tuesday in Trenton and nominated General E. Burd Grubb for governor on the second ballot.

Sudden Death of a Woman.

The wife of Levi Henry, residing in East Donegal township, died rather suddenly on Monday night. She was taken with cholera-morbus on Sunday, and that caused her death. She was over 69 years of age, and besides a husband leaves two grown sons.

Race Prejudice Shown at Black Barren Springs by the W. C. T. U.

EDITORS INTELLIGENCER—The Pennsylvania Board of Agriculture conducted a farmers' institute in union with the Fulton Farmers' club and Falton Grange, No. 66, Patrons of Husbandry, at the Springs, Sept. 5 and 6. At this institute the ladies of the W. C. T. U. of Conowingo, advertised by circular to furnish wholesome food and drink; and did furnish it to hundreds for a compensation. A very respectable colored man from Drumore applied to the ticket office for a ticket to get his dinner. The ticket seller paid no attention to him. He then went into the enclosure where meals were furnished and occupied a table by himself. A lady in attendance inquired if he had a ticket. He said: "No, but I have the money, I could not get a ticket." This lady then went to the office to secure a ticket. In the office at that time were two females who, when the ticket was demanded, said: "Oh, some of them are so queer." Not obtaining the ticket the lady said to the colored man: "Come with me: I will get you a dinner, or know the reason why." She went in among those attending the refreshment department and did not return; presumably having discovered the reason why. After waiting a reasonable time the applicant left the W. C. T. U. refreshment department and rode to his home, many miles distant to get his dinner.

The subject of this inhuman treatment by the Woman's Christian Temperanec Union is an industrious, self-supporting, unobtrusive black mah. In Drumore he numbers among his friends influential and respectable white citizens of all parties.

Union is an industrious, self-supporting, unobtrusive black man. In Drumore he numbers among his friends influential and respectable white citizens of all parties. His bond is good in the national banks, and his word as good as his bond. He is a member of the Union Veteran association. He served his country faithfully during the war, and at its close was honorably discharged. To become hungry is common to all humanity. God made him a black man: therefore that is his right; and the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, of Conowingo, cannot object on that account. The hotel keepers, for reward, entertain both white and black customers, and they are not recognized as a Hotel Christian Temperance Union. Had this injustice occurred in the South, it would have been credited to race prejudice. As it happened in a community strongly Republican and composed largely of the Quaker element, where the doctrines of John Brown, Lloyd Garrison, Charles Sumner, the Burleighs and Wendell Phillips are accepted, to what shall we attribute such treatment of a respectable black American citizen by the W. C. T. U.?

THE WOOL QUESTION.

Manufacturers Opposed to a Protective Duty on Carpet Wools. The executive committee of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers was in

session in Boston on Tuesday. The ques-tion of free carpet wools is one of the prin-cipal topics under discussion. No action has as yet been taken, but the association's quarterly bulletin, just published, says editorially: "It is admitted that the 1867 duties upon

"It is admitted that the 1867 duties upon carpet wools were not designed to serve as protective duties, but were imposed for purely revenue purposes. We cannot subscribe to the claim now made that conditions have so changed in 20 years that a protective duty is now desirable and would be advantageous. The argument rather is, that the conditions then existing which removed all necessity for a protective duty on carpet wools have been increased and intensified by the lapse of time. A prohibitory or highly protective duty on the cheaper grades would not lead to the production in this country of wools similar to those now imported for this purpose.

"Manufacturers would be justified in insisting that the low grades of carpet wools shall go upon the free list. These low grade carpet wools are almost the only raw mate-

carpet wools are almost the only raw mate-rial upon which a revenue duty was im-posed when the government needed the money, from which it has not since been remoney, from which it has not since been re-moved, or it is not there (in the Senate tariff bill) proposed to remove it. The ar-gument in favor of free carpet wools is vastly stronger than that which was made for free hides. The difficulty in the way of giving the manufacturer the full benefit of principle arises from the trouble in se curing at the custom house the classifica-tion necessary for the prevention of frauds. We hold this difficulty to be the only valid argument that can be urged against the fro admission of carpet wools."

The proceedings of the executive commit-

Street Car Horses Run Away. There is a hole between the rails of the street car tracks, on North Queen street above James, which was referred to in yes terday's paper. When the cars reach this point, it is necessary to unhitch the horses and push the cars over. Last evening Geo. Lentz, one of the car drivers, undertook to get the horses around the hole while standing on the car platform. The result was that the horses got away from him, and he was pulled over the dasher and off the was paned over the dasher and of the platform, but not hurt. The horses ran down North Queen street, with the single and double tree hanging to them, and they were not caught until they reached the corner of Prince and West King streets. They were slightly bruised.

Bitten by a Snake. While Wm. Chambers, a young man who lives near McCreary's mill, in Colerain township, was cleaning out an old cupboard he picked up what he thought was a strap, but it proved to be a snake, he says, about eighteen inches long. Soon as he took hold of it it seized him by the finger and held to it until he shook it off. The finger and hand began to swell at once and the boy started in a hurry to Quarryville. By the time he reached Dr. Rohrer's office his arm and hand were fearfully swollen. The doctor dressed the wound and administered a good dose of whisky. The boy will not be able to use his arm for some time. lives near McCreary's mill, in Colerain

Went to Denver.

M. S. Davis, secretary and treasurer of the Safe Harbor iron works, with his wife and three children, left this afternoon for Denver, where all except Mr. Davis will remain for the winter at least. Last spring when the family were returning from Denver they were passengers on one of the sections of the Day Express wrecked at Johnstown, and all made narrow escapes with their lives. A large number of friends of the family were at the station to see

A Married Woman Elopes,

Mrs. Ellen Langdon, aged twenty-six, and at one time quite a belle in society circles in Wilkesbarre, descrited her husband and three young children on Monday, and cloped with a single man named Lewis Reese, a machinist at the axle works. The woman took with her a large sum of money belonging to her husband. The couple were traced to New York, where they were arrested as they were preparing to take a steamer for Europe,

A Husband's Terrible Vengeance. In Paris, Texas, Pedro Gozalez, a Mexican, became criminally intimate with the wife and daughter of Jeff Brown, with whom he boarded. This came to the knowledge of the father and husband, and he waited on Satuaday night till the Mex-ican was asleep, and then he gouged out his eyes. The Mexican will not die, but blind and crippled for life. Brown

Reading's New School Superintendent. Professor Samuel A. Baer, of Reading, was elected superintendent of the public schools of Reading at the meeting of the school board on Tuesday evening to fill the unexpired term caused by the resignation of Professor Z. X. Snyder.

Their Second Night.

Last evening "Ranch 16" was played in Fuiton opera house for a second time. Down stairs there were not a great many people, while the gallery was quite well filled. The acting of Mr. Hail and others gave the same satisfaction that it did on the opening night.

Wants a Divorce.

Harriei Dunn filed a petition to-day for a divorce from her husband, Samuel Dunn.

Desertion is laid as the grounds.

MRS. HAMILTON'S TRIAL.

IT IS IN PROGRESS IN MAY'S LANDING AND CREATES GENERAL INTEREST.

The Court Room Thronged by the Curious-Robert Ray Attends and Falls to Notice His Wife's Presence.

MAY'S LANDING, N. J., Sept. 18.—The court room was crowded this morning with people anxious to hear the proceedings in the case of Mrs. Robert Ray Hamilton, indicted for atrocious assault upon her child's nurse, Mary Donnelly, and to get a

A few unimportant cases were heard and at about eleven o'clock the case of Mrs. Hamilton was called, and at about the same time the outer door was swung open and Mrs. Hamilton, the much talked of prisoner, entered leaning on the arm of Captain Perry, her counsel. Immediately following them entered Mrs. Rupp, the proprietress of the Noll cottage, and Mary Ann Donnelly, the wounded nurse. They were all shown within the rail, Mrs. Hamilton sitting beside her coun-sel. She looked pale and wan and her face showed evidence of the strain of her close confinement. Mr. Robert Ray Hamilton a few minutes later entered the court room and took a seat beside Mrs. Rupp. He did not look towards his wife, The work of selecting a Jury was quickly disposed of, the full quota being selected in a comparatively short time. Mrs. Ham-ilton frequently sobbed aloud during the selection of the jury, and gave every evi-

dence of hopeless despondency. Prosecutor of Pleas Thompson, after the jury had been empanelled, opened the case for the prosecution and reviewed the details of the assault of Mrs. Hamilton upon the

Dr. Crosby, the first witness called, described the nature of the wound and added that Mrs. Donnelly was now entirely

out of danger.

Mary Ann Donnelly, the nurse, was next called. She testified that on the morning of the assault she responded to Mrs. Hamilton's call to lock her trunk. Upon reaching the door of the room she saw that Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton bad been quarreling, and that Mr. Hamilton's shirt had been torn off. At Mr. Hamilton's request she went in search of a policeman, but could not find one. She returned to the room, when Mrs. Hamilton seized her by the throat and called her a vile name. The witness grappled with Mrs. Hamilton, and demanded that she withdraw the epithet. Mrs. Hamilton then threw a bottle at her. Mr and Mrs. Hamilton then grappled and the witness stood in the door, which was half open, when Mrs. Hamilton suddenly sprang towards her and drove the knife into her side. (The knife was here shown the witness and identified.) Continuing the witness said Mrs. Hamilton is of a quarrelsome disposition but had never had any serious quarrel

with her previous to the stabbing. Nothing of importance was developed in the cross-examination of the nurse by Capt. Reny, and at its conclusion the court diourned until 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Hamilton was led from the court room sobbing bitterly, while her husband, Mrs. Rupp and the nurse went out to-

BURIED IN THE SEA.

The Story of Hidden Treasure Recalled by a Searcher's Death. ecently, was formerly a civil engineer on

the Southern Central railroad and at one time was a sailor.

His death recalls a story about \$15,000,-

His death recalls a story about \$15,000,-000 of treasure supposed to be buried somewhere on the coast of Belize by pirates who were pursued by British officers.

A shipmate of Horn's, who was a prisoner of the pirates when that treasure was buried, died, leaving in possession of Mr. Horn papers of instruction as to where it could be found. For a long time he tried to interest Auburn capitalists to form a company to hunt for the treasure. Not succeeding in this, he found persons in New York city who advanced the cash. He left last spring to chase this will o' the wisp in company with Clarence Finch, of Richford, N. Y. Not long ago Mr. Finch returned empty handed. Mr. Horn, instead of coming home, started for Nicaragua, where he expected to get employment on the canal. While on his way to that place he was stricken with a fever, that place he was stricken with a fever, died and was buried in the sea.

Officers Installed. Last evening Distric Deputy Grand Patriarch W. F. Hambright installed the following elected officers of Ridgely Enfollowing elected officers of Ridgely En-ment, No. 217, L. O. O. F.; Chief patriarch, J. P. Snyder; treasurer, E. J. Erisman. John Remley, Charles E. Gilgore, two other elective officers, are sick and A. E. Reist, a third, is at Columbus, O. The following appointed officers were also in-stalled; Outside sentinel, John L. Killinger; inside sentinel, C. A. D. Villee; guide, Joseph M. Kreider; first watch, R. C. Seldomridge; second watch, J. D. Eichler; third watch, C. F. Shultz; fourth watch, L. B. Smith.

The semi-annual report of the treasurer was read. It showed the encampment to have 140 members. Since the last report they have paid out \$225 for funeral benefits and \$100 for sick benefits. They have an

invested fund of \$1,738.13. Bridge Inspection.

Bridge Inspection.

S. C. Slaymaker, John F. Hagen and Thos. Armstrong the viewers appointed to inspect the county bridge recently erected over Kelly's creek, in Martic township, performed that duty on Tuesday. They found the bridge to be constructed in a workmanlike manner and according to specifications in every particular. Their specifications in every particular. Their report was presented to court to-day and confirmed.

The Berks County Fair. Tuesday was the opening day of the Berks county fair, which usually attracted

from 10,000 to 25,000 people a day. The exhibits are the finest in the history of the fair, but the hard rain kept all visitors away. The officials decided to postpone away. The officials decided to post all the races of the week. The fair is i held on the society's new grounds, which, with the buildings, cost \$50,000.

Close of Forty Hours' Devotion. The forty hours' devotion at St. Anthony's church was closed on Tuesday evening, with a procession of the sodalities and the with a procession of the sodalities and the benediction. The sermon was preached by Father Schmidt, of St. Joseph's church. Among the clergymen in the sanctuary were Fathers Kaul, McCuilagh, Reilly, Lubest Chairly, Huber and Christ.

Another Surprise Party. Miss Aggie Stevens, residing at No. 230 Lancaster avenue, had a surprise party last evening, the occasion being her seven-teenth birthday. There were twenty-five couples present and all enjoyed themselves thoroughly, owing to the good manage-Mayer and Charles Gast, who comprised

Last evening a large number of her friends gave Miss Margie Arnold, of North Mulberry street, a surprise party at her home and all had a very enjoyable time.

Stole a Farmer's Money.

This morning a boy grabbed the money box of a farmer, who was attending market on West King street. He took to his heels and ran. The countryman was not to be robbed in that easy manner, and he followed the boy down to Water street and thence to the corner of Mifflin, where he caught him. He then took the box from the boy and concluded not to prosecute him.

COLUMBUS FULL OF VISITORS. Odd Fellows Drilling for Prizes Grand

Lodge Proceedings.

An immense throng poured into Columbus, O., on Tuesday, all trains being crowded with visitors to the meeting of the Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. Probably 200,000 strangers, Odd Fellows and their friends, are in the city. Among the guests of the Odd Fellows are the Montgomery Grays, a crack organization from Montgomery, Ala., and several Northern militia companies. In an exciting drill Tuesday afternoon there was some rivalry between the Grays and the Wooster (O.) Guards. It was thought that the latter made the better exhibition.

In the competitive drilling, which began Tuesday afternoon, Occidental Canton, No. 1, of Chicago, and Monumental Canton, No. 2, of Baltimore, have already drilled. The latter showed up rather poorly. The drill-Lodge Proceedings

2, of Baltimore, bave already drilled. The latter showed up rather poorly. The drilling will continue until Friday, when the prizes, aggregating nearly \$10,000, will be awarded. A great many cantons have arrived from all parts of the country and more are coming in on every train. The competition will be extensive.

To-day there will be a grand parade of patriarchs militant and civic societies, which is expected to rival the parade of the Grand Army of the Republic at the national encampment last year. In the evening Adjutant General Axline will review the militia companies present and a military reitia companies present and a military re-ception will be tendered Grand Sire and Generalissimo Underwood in the chamber

Generalissimo Underwood in the chamber of the state Senate.

The Grand Lodge on Tuesday disposed of appeals coming from New York and Pennsylvania. The appeals of Clark E. Smith from the action of the Grand Lodge of New York was dismissed for lack of records, without prejudice to his right to renew the appeal. The decision of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania in the case of J. D. Rosenberger against Springhouse Lodge. Lodge of Pennsylvania in the case of J. D. Rosenberger against Springhouse Lodge, No. 323, was dismissed. While the proposition to admit persons to the order of Odd Fellows at the age of 18 instead of 21 years, as now, was defeated, its friends feel very much encouraged and promise to renew their efforts to secure an amendment of the constitution to that effect. To adopt the amendment proposed required a three-fourths vote, and it lacked but ten votes of passing.

fourths vote, and it lacked but ten votes of passing.

In case the proposition to raise \$1,000,000 to erect and equip a building for the Sovereign Grand Lodge and its records, thus giving it a permanent habitation, is adopted there will be a lively rivalry to secure the site, and the representations of the larger cities of the country are already talking of their respective advantages. The recommendation of the grand sire in favor of the plan has not yet been reported upon.

UNDER MESMERIC TRANCE.

Successful Result of a Delicate Operation in Paris.

From the London Lancet. The famous experiments performed many years ago by Dr. Esdaile, in which that well known surgeon operated on Hindoos during what was called mesmeric sleep, are now being repeated, and with, it is said, a successful result. The latest news we have of an operation under the mesmeric trance is from Paris, where, it the Motel Dies a young women is stated. in the Hotel Dieu, a young woman is stated to have been subjected by Dr. Mesnet to a painful cutting operation "of the class painful cutting operation "of the class called dangerous and requiring great deli-cacy of manipulation." she being at the time "wholly insensible to pain, showing time "wholly insensible to pain, showing no sign of suffering, and awakening," not from an amesthetic of the ordinary kind, but from a mesmeric sleep, "wholly oblivious to what had taken place." We want the full particulars of this operation before any satisfactory expression can be offered in respect to it; but we may say at once that similar results have often been reported with little after effect in the advancement of the supposed effect in the advancement of the supposed practice of angesthesia by mesmerist practice of ancesthesia by incesnerism. The phenomena are exceptional. They are usually observed in persons of hysterical type, and offering, for the moment, the greatest hopes, are quashed quickly by the miserable failures with which they are attended so soon as the mesmeric plan is applied to patients at large. The fact is that ancesthesia differs according to conthat ancesthesia differs according to con-stitution, not largely, but in some instances exceptionally, to a degree little understood by the public gener-ally. There is a form of hysterical ancesthesia just as there is of hyster-ical hyperæsthesia, and when the repre-sentatives of the first class come under the hands of the mesmerist they are such per-fect specimens for his sussion that they give him the most triumphant returns. These cases call for a special study in regard to anæsthesia, since until they are eluidated there can be no sound progress We would give an earnest warning on this matter of mesmeric hypnotism, assuring our readers that they must not expect more from it than exceptional results, and these ue not to true augesthesia, but to individnal peculiarity.

JAMES H. JACOBS' SANITY.

The Motion to Commute the Death Penalty Argued.
The application of James H. Jacobs for a commutation of the death sentence to imprisonment, was argued before the board of pardons on Tuesday afernoon. J. Hay Brown and B. Frank Eshleman appeared for the prisoner, and E. K. Martin and District Attorney Weaver for the common-

wealth.

The testimony taken before John W. Apple as to Jacobs' sanity, making 67 pages of printed matter, was offered in evidence.

Counsel for Jacobs dwelt particularly on the testimony of Dr. Edward N. Bruch and Dr. Jerome Z. Gerhard, experts on insanity, whose conclusion was that Jacobs was not now of sound mind.

The commonwealth's attorneys argued that these experts saw Jacobs for so short a

that these experts saw Jacobs for so short a time that it was impossible for them to have had opportunity for the thorough examination required to reach a conclusion as to his sanity. They also referred at longth to the testimony of the prison officials who came daily in contact with Jacobs and who ously of the opinion that Jacobs is shamming insanity. A decision may be reached by the board of pardons to-day and it may be several days before they decide the case.

The Base Ball Scores

The games of ball played yesterday re-sulted as follows: Boston 5, Philadelphia 1; Chicago 19, Indianapolis 8; Cincinnati 5, Louisville 1; Columbus 5, Baltimore 1, Cantz, the catcher, and Holland, who was formerly in the Lancaster club, have been

released by Baltimore. Wes Curry, one of the best of umpires, has been bounced by the League because on Saturday last be fined two Cleveland players for ruffianly conduct and compelled one to leave the field.

one to leave the field.

Jake Virtue was at one time a member of the Ironsides ball club, of this city. This year with Billy Higgins he went to Detroit. The Free Preus says of him: "Detroit has had the champions of the world, and has seen all the most famous ball players of the day, but not to last spring there ers of the day, but up to last spring there still remained something in base ball of which it was ignorant. First basemen, and most excellent ones, had been here, but it remained for Jake Virtue to show Detroit remained for Jake Virtue to show berout-ers the true possibilities of the position, and it goes without saying that no such splen-did first base playing as furnished by him was ever before seen here. He will jump higher for a high ball, reach further for a wide ball, and cleanly pick up more ground thrown balls than any man who ever stood at first base in Recreation Park. Being a swift runner, which is not characteristic of first basemen, he will cover more ground in quest of foul flies than any other first ascmen, some of his feats in this respec being truly remarkable. Virtue's height is 5 feet, 91 inches, he weighs 165 pounds. is splendidly proportioned, and eat-like in

Dedication of Club Rooms The rooms of the Young Men's Demo-eratic society, in the Haas' building, East Orange street, will be dedicated this even-ing. Speeches will be delivered by Hon. ing. Speeches will be delivered by Hen. Channeey F. Black, of York, and W. U. Hensel. The Young Men's Republican club will attend the dedication exercises.

Died of Her Injuries. Mrs. Weirich, the old woman who was struck by a frain just east of Middletown, while walking on the track on Sanday evening, died from the effects of her injuries

A DELAWARE TOWN DAMAGED

PIRE DESTROYS A NUMBER OF DWELLINGS AND BUSINESS PLACES.

An Incendiary Believed to Have Operated it Scaford-The Owners of the Buildings and Their Losses.

WILMINGTON, Del., Sept. 18.-Fire broke out in Seaford, Del., at 1:20 o'clock this morning and burned until 6:30, when by the tearing down of the house, supplemented by the aid of two engines from Wilmington, it was gotten under control.

There is a strong suspicion of incendiar-ism. The fire originated in Marrow's block and swept the entire street as far as J. C. Collison's dwelling. The following buildings were destroyed:

J. L. Phillips' residence, loss \$300 ; George Dolby's store, \$1,000; Jacob Pepper's store, \$3,000; William D. Robinson's store, \$600; Morrow's block, \$6,000; Masonic hall and F. A. Shipley's drug store, \$2,500; town hall, \$1,000; W. A. Howard's jewelry store and dwelling, \$1,000; Odd Fellows hall and A. G. Greenbaum's store, \$5,000; four stores owned by J. C. Collison and occupied by A. S. Wooley, Jno. Harris, A. F. Phillips and Miss Kate Willey, \$1,500; W. W. Allen's office, \$750; all insured except Dolby, J. L. Phillips and Howard.

A Missing Yacht,

CLEVELAND, Sept. 18-The steam yacht Leo, left Lorain, 28 miles west of here Sunday night for Cleveland, with a party of eight prominent and well known citizens of Lorain. The yacht has not yet reached here, and this morning the bodies of T. B. Ritter and D. A. Lawler were found floating in the lake. It is supposed the yacht was wrecked and the entire party drowned.

Republican Nominations. PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 18 .- The Republican city conventions were held to-day and the following nominations made: Judge of the court of common pleas, Samuel W. Pennypacker : district attorney, George P. Graham ; coroner, Samuel H. Ashbridge ; clerk of the court of quarter sessions,

Belleved to Have Been Abducted. CHICAGO, Sept. 18 .- Alice De Wolf, a littie girl, is missing and it is believed she has been abducted. She left her home for school vesterday morning, but did not reach school and has not been seen since.

FORAKER ABUSES NOBLE.

Disrespectful Allusions to the Secretary in a Speech to the Grand Army.

A meeting of the G. A. R. brigade of the Elghth Congressional district was held in Springfield, O., at which Gov. Foraker was present. The governor spoke of the superfority of the government of our country and of the resulting blessings. He followed with praises of the Union soldiers and launched forth in a graphic description of the sufferings endured by them, particularly in rebel prisons. He said he bore no malice toward any human being, not even Jeff Davis. Foraker made a foreible speech in favor of granting the old soldiers pensions. From this he ran on to Corporal Tanner.

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The following are his exact words, as taken by a stenographer: "That good, gallant and most beloved no-legged soldier Corporal Tanner, has been removed from his position for what reason we know not, but we propose and are going to know why he was removed. If Tanner does not go back I want a man put in his place who will carry on business in the same style. It is evident that an obscure member of the will carry on business in the same style. It is evident that an obscure member of the cabinet, who was never heard of before his elevation to that position, has been instrumental in removing Mr. Tanner from office."

office."
This part of his speech was sent out to only one or two papers. It was published in the Cincinnati Enquirer. Foraker denied it in the Times-Star, stating in very mild terms that he had been misquoted. An investigation was instituted and 100 citizens of Springfield were easily found who would make affidavits that the report of the speech, part of which is quoted above, was correctly reported and pub-lished. Mayor W. R. Barnett, T. B. Flago, Charles H. Berry and others are among the

number.

Foraker, after the delivery of the Spring-field speech, requested the only reporter he saw to exclude from his report the refer-ences made to Secretary of the Interior Noble. Foraker's reason for doing this was that Noble's brother is Henry C. Noble, a millionaire Republican, of Columbus, Ohio, He has been a very warm friend and able surgrater of Foraker, and the goverable supporter of Foraker, and the gover-nor doubtless thought that he would op-pose him if the uncomplimentary allusions to Secretary Noble became public.

Wreck on the Pennsylvania Ratiroad There was a wreck on the Pennsylvania railroad, just east of Gordonville, about o'clock this morning. In a freight car of an eastern bound train there was a lot of rolling mill machinery. An iron roller fell out of the car and landed across the railroad tracks. This threw the car from the track, and the body was torn from the trucks, causing a considerable delay. Henry Grann, a brakeman, was on the car that was damaged. He jumped and in alighting was badly cut and bruised about the head, face and hands. He was attended by Dr. Learnan, of Learnan Place, and was then brought to Lancaster, where he awaited the two o'clock train which took him to Columbia, where his home is. He was covered with marks and presented a rather used up appearance.

A Street's Bad Condition. The condition of the first square of North Queen street is simply a disgrace to the city. A year ago Charles Schwebol built a new sewer on the east side of this square. In order to do this he was obliged to tear up the Belgian blocks. After the sewer had been made, the blocks were put down by people who knew nothing about doing the work, and they sunk in many places. There are now a great many chuck holer, which make it very uncomfortable for persons driving over them. Many of the members of councils walk up and down this square day after day and the y know the condition of the street, but they pay no attention to it. The blocks will have to be relaid in order to make any kind

Brandt-Beamsderfer Nuptials Miss Emma, daughter of H. M. Beams derfer, of Rapho township, was married on Tuesday by Rev. J. Peter, of Manheim, to Henry Brandt. After the wedding ceremony there was a reception, which was largely attended. Mr. and Mrs. Brandt evening for a bridal tour to Niagara Falls.

A Traveling Photographer. The only occupant that the station house held over night was Hugo Woerner, an Austrian, who is a photographer. He had an apparatus with him, but was to poor to pay for a night's lodging. He therefore made application at the station house, and the mayor discharged him this morning

Astronomer Loomis' Estate. The will of Professor Elias Loomis, the famous astronomer, was probated in New Haven, on Tuesday. He leaves an estate of about \$100,000. He wills \$200,000 to Yale tor the promotion of astronomy. The remainder he leaves to his sons.

Coal Contract Awarded. Proposals for the furnishing of one hundred tons of coal for the Children's Home were opened this after our at the office of Major C. M. Howell. The contract was awarded to George J. Shulmyer.

THE AFTERNOON IN MANHEIM.

Care Inches

Rain Prevents the Dress Parade—Sports Have to Be Abandoned. The rain of Tuesday afternoon marred the festivities of Grand Army Day at Manheim. It began about the time the parade was over, and a heavy shower prevented the delivery of the address of welcome for some time. After the rain ceased, the speeches were made, and the veterans were then escorted to the commissary, where an elegant dinner prepared by the citizens of Manheim was served.

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It again began raining about 1 o'clock and there was no ceasation of the downpour for the balance of the day. The sports arranged for the afternoon were abandoned and an order was issued for the dress parade in Market Square instead of at the park, but that also had to be given up on account of the weather.

A camp-fire was on the programme for the evening. The weather was so disagreeable that Congressman Brosius and Major Reinwhl, who were booked for speeches, left for home in a carriage at 6 okclock.

An informal camp-fire was organized under the large awning in front of Danner's store, and speeches were made by J. A. Stober, H. R. Fulton, Capt. John R. Bricker and Dr. P. J. Roebuck. Thos. Kay, of Philadelphia, a favorite in Grand Army circles, sang several selections.

The rain storm did not prevent several hundred from going to Manheim on the noon train from this city, and about the same number left Manheim on the life train for Lancaster, thoroughly disgusted with the weather.

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The Lebanon and Reading trains for Lancaster were crowded, and were so heavy that they were an hour late in reaching this city.

The weather was a bonanza for the hotel keepers, and at all of them extra bars were set up, and bar keepers were kept busy all day. The great centre of attraction appeared to be "The Gallon House," where beer was sold by that measure and glasses furnished from which to drink it. The price asked was 35 cents for a gallon, and as that was materially cheaper than buying by the glass the crowd was there.

By evening there were many drunken men on the streets and around the hotels, and brawls were numerous. Outside the hotel at the railroad a row was started between two young men from Landisville, and in a short time a dozen men were engaged in it. One of the belligerents was thrown against the sash of one of the windows in the bassupont of the hell and the gaged in it. One of the belligerents was thrown against the sash of one of the win-dows in the basement of the hotel and the sash wrecked. The proprietor put in an appearance at this time, and as Nick Goodman was making a great noise, the landlord thought he had done the damage and ordered Constable Miller to arrest him. The constable took him to a justice's office and a hearing was given him. He proved his entire innocence and was discharged.

e last train to leave Manheim at 10:30 for Lancaster was also crowded. There were many drunken men on it who created great disorder.

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The Grand Army men informally discussed the place for the next reunion, and the preference is for Lititz next year, with Mt. Joy as a second choice.

Post 405, headed by the Iroquois band, serenaded the burgess of Manheim, the newspaper offices and several prominent citizens. The band made a good impression.

HE IS IN SMOKED MEAT ROW.

sanc K. Mearig Given a Place by the Market Committee. Isaac K. Mearig, whom the city authoriies tried to drive out of business by re-

ties tried to drive out of business by refusing him to sell smoked meats in Centre
Square at a stand occupied by him for a
quarter of century, has been provided with
a stand in smoked meat avenue.

He called on Joel L. Haines, chairman of
the market committee, on Tuesday and
told him that unless he was given a place
to sell his goods he would bring suit against
the city for damages. Mr. Haines told him
he would see what could be done, and after
an examination of the market chart found
that stall No. 5, in smoked meat row, was
vacant and he at once rented that stall to
Mr. Mearig. This stand is the same one
for which Mr. Mearig was an applicant
when the market sheds were torn down
and was then told it was occupied. and was then told it was occupied.

Mr. Mearig occupied his new stand for the first time this morning.

A Fine Mining Property. The Durango Morning Herald, of Sep tember 13, has the following about the mine near Durango, in which a number of Lancastrians are interested :

"J. H. B. Wagner, president of the Laucaster Mining company, and M. A. Stewart, superintendent of the company, made a visit to the Western Belle the forepart of this week and made a thorough examination of all the levels. Mr. Felix Burd, assisted by Mr. Stewart, made assays from samples of ore which they brought from the mine, one of which gives a return of one hundred and seventy-eight and eightenths ounces in silver, and one thousand and seventy-six ounces in gold to the ton. The property on all its levels is showing up beyond the expectation of its owners. A shaft has been started on the second level which shows much higher grade ore than "J. H. B. Wagner, president of the Lan which shows much higher grade ore that has been hitherto found in the mine. A the present time there is nothing showing up as well as this property. The owners can congratulate themselves on their good

Hugh M. Maxwell, formerly of this county, now of Savannah, Georgis, with his wife and daughter, has been stopping at the Stevens house. This morning they went down the country to visit relatives and friends about Quarryville and Mechanics Grove. Mr. Maxwell has charge of Robert H. Coleman's rice mills in Georgia. In Town.

Mr. Soulier, one of the lessees of Fulton opera house, was in town to-day, looking after his business.

The Racket club, on Lime street, between James and Frederick, will hold their first tournament this week, beginning to-day. On Friday a progressive game will be played in which ladies' and gentlemen' first prizes and booby prizes are offered.

Like any progressive game much depends
on the partner, which makes it possible
for those who do not play so well to win a
prize. Valuable prizes are offered for the
different events and interesting games may

J. B. Martin & Co. at the Lancaster county fair had on exhibition a large terra cotta greyhound to be presented to the person guessing nearest his weight. Adam N. Burger, was the lucky man guess N. Burger, was the lucky man, guess-ing his exact weight, 14 pounds 10 ounces. The guesses varied from two ounces to one hundred and forty-two pounds.

The Lucky Winner.

Lutheran Synod at Steelten. The East Pennsylvania synod of the Evangelical Lutheran church will convene at Steelton this evening. The delegates from this city are: St. John's church, Rev. B. F. Alleman and D. S. Bursk: St. Stephen's, Rev. Emil Meister. These gentlemen will leave for Steelton this evening.

The Reading Fair. To-day the Reading railroad company issned tickets at special rates to the Read ing fair, but only a few people went from here, as the weather was anything but encouraging this morning.

A stock company has been organized in Middletown, Dauphin county, to bore for gas and oil. It is stated that a well will be sunk 3,000 feet on the land of the American Tube company in that borough.

Arrest of John Quinu. John Quinn, who is wanted to answer : charge of stealing some boards at the fair grounds, and who managed to keep out of sight of the officers was ar-rested by Constable Price on Frederick

street this afternoon. Fulled to Appear. A quorum of viewers appointed to assess damages caused by the proposed extension

PERSISTENT SOCIALISTS.

THEY TRY TO CONTROL THE CIGARWAKERS' INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION.

A Struggle to Adopt Amendments to the Constitution-The Union Refuses to Meet Triennially.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The third day's maker's International Union opened in Tammany hall at 9 o'clock this morning. The socialistic element, which received a setback in the discussion over the preamble this morning, and entered into the discus sion over the proposed amendments to the

constitution with their usual vim. The first proposed amendment taken up was one to hold conventions triennially instead of biennally, as they are now held. This was voted down. The next proposed amendment was to give the local unions power to choose the place for holding the convention. This was defeated by a vote

of 58 ayes to 91 nays. Consideration of the proposed amend-ments will occupy several days. An attempt was made yesterday by the and pass an amendment to the constitution ocialistic element to capture the de

in the shape of a resolution denouncing the present social system and demanding that roduction be carried on by the state. Over twenty delegates spoke for and against the amendment. Adolf Strasser, president of the International Union, left the chair and spoke strongly against the motion. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, also spoke against the motion, and was interrupted by Ludwig Jablinowski, of Cigarmakers'

America, who told Mr. Compers he had made a false statement, and a war of words followed. The entire afternoon was taken up in a desperate fight by the socialists present, headed by John H. Kirchner, of Philadelphia, who presented the resolution, to carry their point, but they were ultimately defeated by a vote of 112 to 34, In his report President Strasser says the cost of strikes for two years has been \$53,-687.92; the eight-hour rule has been in force in union shops since May 1, 1896. The number of blue labels issued has been

Union, No. 90, the second largest union in

30,000,000 to union manufacturers. Dockmen Are Not Posceful. LONDON, Sept. 18 .- Work on the docks is assuming its normal aspect. Fewer non-union men are employed and many of the men engaged to fill the places of the strikers are joining the union. There have been no attacks this morning upon

blacklegs." Three thousand men assembled ou manded the dismissal of the men taken on during the strike before they returned to work. The directors of the company re-fused to grant the demand. The men at-work are guarded by policemen. The di-rectors of the dock companies have sent a protest to Cardinal Manning and the lord mayor, pointing out the cases of violence on the part of strikers since the agreement for a settlement of the strike was arrive at and stating that a number of mon are re fusing to submit to the terms of the agree ment. They sak the cardinal and the lord mayor to use their influence in the in

A conference was held to-day betw Cardinal Manning, the lord mayor and the directors of the dock companies relative to he attitude of the strikers. Cardinal M ning promised that he would exhort the strikers to observe their agreement not to molest the "blacklegs." The lord mayor said he would issue a proclamation against

IRON MOUNTAIN, Mich., Sept. 18.—The first snow of the season for this section of the Upper peninsula fell here yesterches afternoon. It was only a sprinkling, but was followed by a bitterly cold wave.

riotous demonstrations by the strikers.

East Tawas, Mich., Sept. 18—There was a heavy frost here yesterday, the first this fall. Considerable damage was done to DUBUQUE, Iowa, Sept. 18—There was a heavy frost in this locality last night.

Crops were greatly injured in many pla Alleged Conspirators. PORTLAND, Oregon, Sept. 18.—A special from Spokane Falls, W. T., says: A very disgraceful exposure has just been made at Spokane Falls which implicates two members of common council in that city and a police officer. The names of the persons implicated are Sidney D. Waters, Peter Dueber and Wm. Gillespie. These men are charged with having formed a con-spiracy to appropriate the funds and sup-plies furnished by contribution for the relief of those who suffered by the recent disastrous fire at Spokane. The three men have been placed under bail for a further

hearing on Saturday. WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 18.—The tenth convention of the Welsh Presbyterian churches of the United States is being held here to-day. The ministers are present from all parts of this state, Ohio, Wisconsin, New York, Iowa and Minnesota. The session opened this afternoon with public services. Sermons were preached by Rev. John R. Jones, of Oshkosh, Wis., and Rev. Richard Humphrey, of Long Creek, Ohio. The session is to be continued for several

Two Who Will Not Accept. WASHINGTON, Sept. 18 .- There is no longer any doubt that Gen. Warner has declined the president's tender of the commissionership of pensions, or that General George S. Merrill, of Massachusetts, will receive the appointment, which will probably be made public within the next two

days. BOSTON, Sept. 18.— Dr. Louis Maas, fained in the Old World and the New as a pianist and composer, died at his residence in Jamaica Plain last night of peritonitis. Dr. Mass was taken ill in Paris, from which city he returned ten days ago. He was born in Weisbaden, in 1852.

Races Postponed. Boston, Sept. 18.-The \$10,000 Balch stallion race and \$1,000 pacing race scheduled for to-day at Beacon park have been post-poned until to-morrow on account of rain.

Four Chinamen Blown Up. SAN FRANCISCO, Sept.18, - Four chinamen were killed last night at Lake Chabol, near Oakland, by the explosion of a dynamite cartridge.

Death of a Scotch Minister. LONDON, Sept. 18 .- Rev. Dr. Somerville, a prominent Scotch minister, is doed.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 18.—For Eastern Pennsylvania: Colder clearing weather, northwesterly of Conestoga street, failed to put in an appearance to-day.

Reamstown's Postmasier, Washington, Sept. 18.—Wm. B. Reddig has been appointed postmaster at Reams-town, Lancaster county, Pa.